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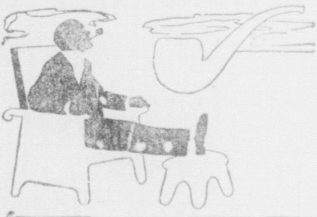
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AMENDMENTS DEFEATED

Democrats Gain, Socialists Hold Own, Republicans and Progressives Suffer

In Texas Tuesday the voters overwhelmingly defeated the proposed constitutional amendment to increase the pay of legislators and to lengthen the regular session decisively defeated the amendment providing for equal districts and defeated by a slender majority the so-called initiative and referendum amendment. This latter amendment was opposed by many of the friends of the initiative and referendum principle because of its bad form and because it was left to the legislature to make it effective.

In the returns the cities as a rule favored this amendment and the rural precincts as a rule were against it.

As usual all democratic candidates for state offices, congress and the legislature, were elected the sole exception being William Fierchwald of Fredericksburg, a republican, who is returned to the legislature as an independent.

Mr. Ferguson's majority for governor, it seems will be slightly in excess of 200,000. The total vote apparently is about 250,000, or 50,000 short of that of 1912, but somewhat in excess of that of 1910.

The democratic ticket has received a somewhat larger proportion of votes than in 1912; the socialist party about the same proportion and the republican and progressive parties have scored losses.

In fact it seems that these two last named parties combined have not polled as many votes in Texas as either of them polled in 1912. The progressive party, according to the precinct returns, has less than half as many votes as it received in 1912 and the republican party about half as many.

Junction Hardware Co. The only exclusive hardware store in town. Come and visit our New Store. Make this your headquarters when in Junction. You are always welcome whether you want to buy anything or not.

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J. R. Pettitt,
Contractor

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STATISTICS ON LIVESTOCK

RECEIPTS AT FT. WORTH

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov.—A report issued today by the local Stockyards Company shows very plainly that the livestock receipts on the Fort Worth yards during October have not slumped one iota but on the contrary have made a substantial gain compared with the number of head received for the same period of 1913. The report shows that 291,325 head of livestock were received here during October of this year as against 169,409 head for the same month of last year. Hogs manifested the highest increase, there being 51,459 head last month as compared with 36,651 head for October, 1913. According to the Stock Yards Company, 160,260 head of cattle were unloaded on the local yards during October, while only 146,325 head of the same class were recorded during the same period of last year. Calves, horses and mules also made big gains over the October 1913 receipts. The sheep receipts were the only class of livestock which showed a decrease during the month of October compared with the same month for 1913, and this falling off was largely due to the sheep men holding their stuff until later in the fall when better prices prevail. The remainder of the receipts were as follows: Calves 25,241 head, horses and mules 8,838 head. From January 1st, 1914 up to November 1st there has been received on the Fort Worth yards 781,354 head of livestock.

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Respectfully,
J. R. Pettitt.

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On the first, second and third Sundays in each month there will be preaching at Junction Baptist Church, morning service at 11 o'clock, evening service at 7:15. You are urged to be present at these services.

When you are absent we miss you. "The Spirit and the bride say come."

R. T. Deel, Pastor.

Read This

The Kerrville—Junction mail line is now in my charge and all matters pertaining thereto will receive my best attention. Hack leaves Junction Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Roy Kemp.

Business is watchfully waiting

MUST RAISE OUR OWN LIVESTOCK.

There is the opportunity of a lifetime awaiting the American raiser, of livestock who can now show the world that it is within the power of American breeders to produce livestock which will measure up to the standard of the fancy importations which have carried off our blue ribbons and won our sweepstakes in county fairs where foreign and domestic livestock were entered in competition. For several months there have been no importations; Europe's cattle must remain in Europe to feed a hungry and warring nation and after the war has exacted its toll, the cream of Europe's prize winners will have been sacrificed to the God of War and a new era will be forced on the American breeder. We have always looked across the Atlantic for ultimate perfection in our fancy livestock, but the time has come when the raiser of fine stock must stand upon his own feet and develop his own champions.

SELL OR TRADE

It will be of great advantage any one having any property real estate of any kind in Kimble to sell or trade, to write to me giving full description and particulars. I am preparing a list for a real estate firm at Fredericksburg. If you have anything in this line write today, to E. G. Grobe, Fredericksburg, Texas.

The United States Supreme Court is to hear arguments in the Harry Thaw case Dec. 7. If Harry perseveres he will eventually break into history—or something else.

THE CITIZEN is a Real Newspaper; beware of imitations.

At The Majestic Theatre

San Antonio
Week of NOVEMBER 15th

Ralph Dunbar's
ROYAL DRAGONS
"A SINGING BAND"

Ethel--KIRK & FOGARTY--Billy
"Bright Bits of Variety"

Gilbert H. Cheseldine in
DETECTIVE KEEN

Zazell & Co. Jeters & Rogers
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Edna Blanche Showater
The Girl With the Golden Voice

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"ROYAL DRAGONS"

MAJESTIC FEATURE

The manager of the Majestic theater, makes the following announcement as to this week's vaudeville bill at that vaudeville house:

"With Dunbar's Royal Dragons as the headliner act, and a number of bright, breezy, catch acts on the list, this week's bill at the Majestic promises the best there is in vaudeville—and that means variety, newness and attractiveness. The Royal Dragons are nine in number—young men who can sing and who do so for the pleasure they get out of their own harmony, as well as because of the fact that it is lucrative. And not only do they sing, but they are also all instrumental soloists of note. The act is richly, evenly, royally dressed with all the splendor of the continental military man's uniforms.

"Sterling H. Cheseldine, will be seen in a sketch by one of America's sketch writers, entitled 'Detective Keen.' It is a gripping dramatic effort, well staged, excellently presented and tells the story of the loss of a valuable jewel in the most interesting fashion. Mr. Cheseldine is an actor of capability and personality, and is assisted by an able support.

"Ethel and Billy—Kirk and Fogarty as to last names—in 'bright bits of variety' will offer variety galore to a fun-loving audience that is compelled to laugh until it is glad. They are two mighty clever people with a mighty clever act that has already pleased Texas audiences and is bound to do the same in San Antonio.

Edna Blanche Showater,

"The girl with the golden voice" is the term which has been applied to Edna Blanche Showater, color-

atura soprano, who will be a big feature of this week's bill. Her coloratura work is dazzling, daring, and there is harmony and sweetness in her lower notes that appeal deeply. She is a peerless in her act.

"Madison and Laird are two young fellows who will proceed to make fun of the best kind, with what they call 'nonsensical tomfoolery,' which means talking and acting. One of the team is an acrobatic dancer of the most eccentric character.

"Something new to American audiences is to be given in the offering of M. A. Zazell & Co., European pantomimists. They call their act 'The Elopement.' It depicts, all in pantomime, the trials and tribulations of a pair of young lovers who seek to elope and encounter all sorts of obstacles. It is an act entirely out of the ordinary, and that's what the vaudeville patron seeks.

"Jeters and Rogers, roller skate artists, will present the very latest in evolutions on wheels. Like winged Mercuries they swoop up and down, around and about the stage. In a whirlwind of rapid motion that is an inspiration to the youngsters of every neighborhood, with their sidewalk skates, for weeks after they've left town.

The bill will be opened with the usual good motion pictures, this week's offering being a comedy that will drive full care away and make the folk out in front better able to enjoy the good things that are to follow.

Matinees are given daily at 2:30 o'clock, with the evening performance at 8:30. This first offering will be at this afternoon's performance.

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The Railroad Brotherhoods and A. F. of L. Act Together



Representative of the American Federation of Labor and Railroad Brotherhoods who urged the present Congress to grant labor's requests for exemption from anti-trust laws, injunction relief and other remedial legislation.

Reading from left to right: Herman E. Willis, Assistant Grand Chief Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and National Legislative Representative; Val Fitzpatrick, Vice President Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and National Legislative Representative; Grant Hamilton, Legislative Committee A. F. of L.; Frank Morrison, Secretary A. F. of L.; Samuel Gompers, President A. F. of L.; Arthur E. Holder, Legislative Committee A. F. of L.; P. J. McNamara, Vice President Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engine Drivers and National Legislative Representative; William M. Clark, Vice President Order of Railroad Conductors and National Legislative Representative.

FEEDING CATTLE.

Cattle feeding is a science and anyone who can do the work successfully is more or less of a scientist. Feeding is almost if not quite as precise as mathematics, as certain feeds produce certain results and it takes a well-posted man to know how to feed, this, that and altogether get the best results. This is where there are combative forces with which to contend such as storms, mud, severe cold, disease, hard-feeding animals, and fluctuations in the markets of feed and the animals themselves when ready to market. The one who can do these things and still make money feeding cattle is a scientist. Each part of the process is necessary and the results are certain, under normal conditions, almost as sure as if you cut six inches off from a stick it will be just six inches shorter, no more, no less.

The work should be regular and steady. In the beginning make haste slowly. Do not over-feed. Too much grain will throw them off and set them back a week or two, and sometimes it is with much difficulty that they ever recover. Feed lightly at first on corn and add a little more gradually each day until they are on full feed, giving them when on full feed all they will clean up two or three times a day. Feed no mouldy foods of any kind to fattening cattle.

Watch your cattle closely and see the effects of your methods of feeding. Too much grain will cause scours and if continued your steers will lose instead of gaining flesh. This loses money. Feed so they will be ready for the next feed as they were for the last. It is good methods to have all cleaned up feed and satisfied cattle at the end of each feed.

When feeding cattle I always feed three times each day regularly, corn in the morning, roughness at noon and corn at night.

Do not feed heavily at one time and lightly at the next, as you will lose money, if you try that. The feeding business is so doubtful that no one can afford to do anything that he knows is not the best for the interests of the cattle.

If you are compelled to make any changes in feed do it slowly and gradually. The fewer the changes made the better. Look well to the condition of your cattle. It is the indicator that tells the effects of your methods of feeding. Look well after your supply of water. Keep it clean, fresh and an abundance always on hand, for it is the cheapest and greatest element in beef production. It should never be scarce except under foot or in the sleeping quarters. There it is detrimental and actually costs you cash to tolerate its presence.

The tank heater used so as to keep the chill off the drinking water is a money saver.

Get your cattle used to salt, and when used to it keep it where they can always get it. It causes them to eat and drink more. To fatten fast they must drink much and eat much. In cold weather the cattle usually drink too little. The tank heater will help this fault.

Keep enough sheats and hogs running after your cattle to take care of all waste. This will fatten your hogs and with the manure for your land you will be paid well for your efforts. Suffice it to say here that the ration should be well balanced if the best results are to be obtained.

Careful feeders linger at least an hour around the feed lot each day looking for ailments of the cattle or hogs. A little such time spent with eyes wide open will enable you to see any ailments and give you nearly an even start with it. You can also see the good or bad effects of your feeding and likely enable you to study why one does well and another poorly. A little time spent in lingering is by no means wasted and pays big dividends. It does not pay to feed quickly and go at

another chore without looking well at the cattle and hogs. One is almost as necessary as the other.

You may look for months and find nothing wrong, then all at once something will happen. You see it soon and by prompt action you may save a \$75 to \$100 animal that you would have lost had you not looked constantly for ailments.

The science of feeding is to induce the animals to eat, eat, eat, and drink, drink, and then eat some more and then drink some more, everlastingly at it and still at the same time not cause them to overdo the job. It is part of the art of feeding to create an appetite for more. That is the reason molasses is added to the feed so that the animal will drink more, then in turn eat more. Solid comfort in the feed lot is the money-making attribute. It provides plenty to eat and drink, good, comfortable, warm, clean sleeping places and a balanced ration. It is the happy medium, neither too much or too little, but just enough of everything to make sweet contentment. This causes the cattle to have a good appetite and fatten rapidly.—James Wilkie in Farm and Ranch.

ADVICE TO RAISE HOGS.

At the meeting of the American Meat Packers association in Chicago one of the speakers called attention to the fact that in spite of the numerous perils that surround the raising of hogs the industry had proved the most profitable of farm operations in the past and offered young men starting out as farmers the most certain road to profit.

The truth of this will hardly be questioned, by anyone at all familiar with the facts but raising and marketing of hogs is not by any means an absolutely certain road to wealth. If they make their own richer quicker than any other animal on the farm they can also impoverish their owners more quickly. Their peculiar susceptibility to disease and the highly speculative character of pork product on the market have heretofore been hazardous, and have been responsible for many ruined fortunes.

At the same time it cannot be disputed that given reasonable care and with proper precautions against disease the hog is a great money maker. He fits perfectly into the scheme of farming in the middle west and under favorable conditions has removed the mortgage from thousands of homesteads. The packers' advice to young farmers to make a specialty of hog raising is both selfish and reasonable. Selfish because the packer needs the hogs in his business and reasonable because farming operations can be carried on more profitably with than without hogs.

There may be seasons of depression such as now exist but they are the exception and not the rule. They are such as must be expected in any line of business. Take it one year with another hog raiser have had little cause for complaint in the matter of profits. Hogs are not selling well at present but the world can no more get along without pork than it can get along without air and water and a return to higher prices is certain no matter how long it may be delayed by war and financial troubles.

When hog prices are going up everybody wants to get into the business and naturally finds the process expensive. When prices are going down the reverse is true. Farmers proceed to sell off their breeding stock and no one wants to get into the game. The young men who realize this weakness in human nature and refuses "to follow the crowd" takes advantage of the prevailing depression in hog raising will realize the wisdom of his course a few years and possibly only a few months hence.

HOG RAISING AND THE SAN BENITO IDEA

Secretary Geo. A. Toolan of the San Benito Commercial Club has advised the Texas Industrial Congress that a new approach to the proposition of growing hogs on the farm as a "cash crop" has been made under the leadership of R. O. Barron, a progressive farmer of San Benito. Without waiting for the banks to furnish the credit, Mr. Barron purchased a carload of thoroughbred Duroc Jersey sows from the stockyards at Fort Worth and had them shipped to San Benito. Then he carefully selected a number of worthy farmers and leased them one or more sows each, as the circumstances appeared to justify. By the terms of the lease the lessee agreed to care properly for the sows, which had all been bred before shipment, and at the end of three months to return the sows and one-half of the pigs to Mr. Barron, keeping the other half of the pigs for himself. San Benito can grow a plentiful feed crop and has mild winters, and Mr. Toolan states that there are thousands of hogs on the San Benito tract now where a year ago there were hundreds. He also says that hogs can be and have been raised there at a production of 2 1/2 cents per pound. While Mr. Barron acted upon his own initiative, he received valuable help from the San Benito Commercial Club in carrying out his plan.

The banks of Texas have been and are leaders in the better farming movement, and will no doubt render substantial aid in their own communities along these lines. But Mr. Barron's accomplishment shows that any public-spirited citizen can initiate this plan if necessary.

The introduction of hog raising on a larger scale around San Benito has not only furnished every grower with meat, but has also provided a cash crop that wartime conditions will only render more remunerative. Grain and sweet sorghums, cowpeas, peanuts and other feed can be grown cheaply in almost every section of the state, and a carload of fat hogs marketed twice a year will make a man a better living than many farmers have ever made from cotton.

CURING MEAT ON THE FARM.

Meat should be thoroughly chilled (animal heat removed) previous to being placed into cure, or it will not cure properly, will become pickle soaked, and sometimes sour in smoking.

Sprinkle the bottom of the container as a tub or floor with salt, and then place large pieces of meat between larger pieces, on top. Sprinkle each layer with salt to which a very small amount of salt-peter and brown sugar has been added, using not more than six ounces of salt-peter and two ounces of brown sugar.

LARGE SALE OF SEALS EXPECTED

Success of Red Cross Appeals for European War Indicates Records Will Be Broken.

With all the humanitarian war work of the Red Cross as a stimulus, and with an unusually attractive seal, this year's sale of Red Cross Christmas seals for the benefit of the tuberculosis campaign promises to exceed all previous records. The Texas Public Health Association, agent for the sale in this state, has with past sales set for itself a high mark and will have to exert itself to the utmost to keep up its record.

The extent of the financial support to the Red Cross work in the field of the European war and the tremendous interest aroused by the work, promise a most generous support of our country's great war against disease, in which the Red Cross seals are a larger factor.

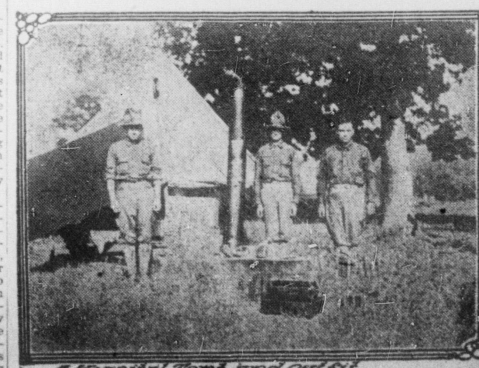
Local agents will find the 1914 seals a great improvement over previous years. The smile of the benign Santa Claus, which forms the chief feature of the "little sticker," is nothing short of contagious. The seal is square, about the size of a postage stamp. It is in three colors—red, green and black.

The seals have now become a permanent feature of the holiday season. They even have a commercial value, as is evidenced by the increasing number of orders for seals received every year by the central office from merchants in the small villages where campaigns have not been organized.

Three million Christmas seals have been received from the National Red Cross by Mrs. O. B. Colquitt, general chairman of the Red Cross Christmas Seal Campaign Committee. Orders from local chairmen are being received daily. In the last few campaigns over 4,000,000 Red Cross seals have been sold in Texas for every man, woman and child in the state. As a result of this work, seven hospitals, costing \$480,000, have been secured for Texas, and many more will be added in time as the people of the state take advantage of the county hospital law. A strong effort is being made to secure federal hospitals for consumptive strangers in the southwest and other public health work of importance will be undertaken.

The Magic Washing Stick

"The Magic Washing Stick is the finest thing in the world. Cleans the clothes without rubbing—makes the whitest clothes I ever saw. I cannot do without it anymore. All you say is true, it does all you say it will. I would give it for nothing I have ever used. Hope every lady will try it," writes Mrs. W. F. Gamble, Ashdown, Ark. This peculiar article is sold by grocers and druggists, three 10c sticks for 25c, or by mail from A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas. (adv.)



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Wealth From Calamity

Yes, just that—wealth from calamity.

The war in Europe is a calamity—a world calamity—but from it will come great wealth for the American farmer.

He will reap the greatest benefit of all.

When the war is over Europe will awaken to the fact that it is destitute of foodstuffs.

Fields will be untilled except by aged men, women and young boys, and the little produced by them will supply but a fraction of the demand.

It is then the American farmer will step into the breach with the hundreds of millions of millions of dollars worth of farm products.

The demand will be great and prices will be corresponding high, and the farmer will reap a golden harvest such as he has never known before.

And the farmer will spend liberally in turn, and the merchant and the professional man, and the mechanic, and all the people, even unto the humble editor, will share in the newly accumulated wealth that is to come to us from across the seas.

Tremendous crops are reported, the government estimating corn at 2,676,000 bushels, wheat at 892,000,000, oats at 1,137,000,000 barley at 197,000,000 bushels and other crops in proportion.

When the surplus of this crop is marketed in Europe in at war prices it will pour so much wealth in the pockets of the farmers that our country will be flooded with gold, and the liberality of the farmer in his own prosperity will radiate to all branches of trade.

Patience is the watchword today, but tomorrow a different story will be told.

And with patience we should combine enough common sense to keep us free from all entanglements in the present conflict.

After "Buy a bale of cotton" has run its course, will some charitably inclined gentleman kindly start the slogan, "Buy a year of this paper?"

That Christmas whip of presents will be all right provided it gets there before the little ones starve to death. But bread world has been more to the purpose.

According to the Primary Will Cross was elected Constable here. According to the general election Wai Maines; if all is well, nothing happens and it doesn't rain, he didn't want the office and doesn't expect to serve Querry Who's Constable?

LONDON DOTS

Mrs. L. E. Latta of Red Creek is visiting in town guest of Mrs. L. H. Amann.

Wes Smith and Bud Kiser were in town Wednesday returning from Menard.

Mrs. A. J. Ivy and Mrs. L. H. Amann visited Mrs. A. W. Pullen at the ranch Tuesday.

Holder Briscoe has been lost since Sunday, so nowhere in the Yates settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. May, R. T. Amerson and Will Amann went to Menard Tuesday.

Jep Hensley and family have moved to the Walter Hensley residence in north London.

Elder Tracy the Methodist minister of Mason preached here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Jones and daughter Mrs. Elmer McCollum were guests of Mrs. Sam Weaver Monday night.

John Dagen has announced the singing for next Sunday night to be at the Christian Church at London.

Walter Hensley and family have moved to the Ed Lorentz farm. Mr. Lorentz and family have moved to Fredericksburg to make their future home.

Paying For Predjudice

People who buy goods from year to year without looking around and investigating are PAYING FOR PREDJUDICE. Predjudice is expensive.

We never object to having our customers investigate the merits of OTHER stores. The oftener they investigate the more firmly they become convinced that OURS is the store that gives the best values for the money.

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"Prices Talk."

From Leon H. Durst

Letter and Post Cards From a
Junction Boy Across the Sea

Dodge, Bulgaria, Oct. 7
Dear Papa:

You by now have received my letters sent you while on the boat that brought us over from Naples to this place. Today we landed in this city after lying out in the harbor for five days. Even our captain couldn't tell us why we were not allowed to go on to Smyrna, or through the Dardanelles, or why we couldn't land here. All of us were made happy today when Bulgarian officers came aboard and told us we could land and soon to Constantinople on the railroad which runs directly there from this place. We had been in quarantine during those five days. Each day we heard new reports of different kinds. We now leave for Constantinople on the railroad. It is ten hours run. Lots of war talk here. Bulgarians have a hatred for Greeks and Servians, and Turks are favoring Germany. Germany is trying to drag the poor Turks into the struggle. We are anxious to get to Roberts College under the stars and stripes. Have been on water a month, and have undergone hardships, but the trip has been profitable and educational. However, we are tired and anxious to reach our journey's end. We telegraphed Dr. Gates today and told him of our coming. The gold furnished us to pay expenses has been our strong friend that has stood by us in hours of need--thanks to the administration of the affairs of "Robert." Will write more at length after awhile, "If the Lord will."

Your affectionate son,
Leon.

I am in Syracuse where Archimedes set a fleet on fire by reflection of sun's rays from large mirrors. Went through the Catcombs. A French girl traveling to Persia as an missionary is on board. She has been giving me lessons in French. I do pretty well already.

Affectionately,
Your brother Leon.
I'm having a wonderful experience in the East. Went to Constantinople today on business--only forty-five minutes by boat to the city. No land here and they want me to start one. Most of our boys talk four or five different languages.

Your affectionate Bud,
Constantinople, Oct. 19
Dear Aunt:
Am carried away with the Orient. Divide all the news you read by two and even three.

A bunch of us walked to the Black Sea today and watched the warships practice. May God protect and bless you all.
Affectionately,
Leon.

When we start with you in our service car we'll take you there--and we're always ready to start.--Eastman and Tinsley.

SALINE NEWS

Too late for last week.

A. J. Knox will move on the Tom Raiston's place on Leon.

We Saline people all feel some what better, after so much rain.

A number of people left here this week for court at Menard.

Mr. G. M. Pearl and wife made a business trip to Mason last week.

Lizzie Jackson is staying with Grandma Ivy going to London school.

Charles Spruells working for Tom Jones this week on the round up.

The Christian meeting closed at London Sunday night with one conversion.

School opened on Saline Monday the 2nd, with a nice lot of pupils. Miss Sadie Westbrook, principal and Miss Annie Mogford assistant.

Cotton picking is about over with most farmers here, some are preparing for their next crop of 5 cent cotton, but look out Old Farmer you will be winner yet.

A crowd of girls and boys went looking Sunday, but I don't think took kodaks as they all seemed to slip in at the back door at the home of Mr. H. O. Jackson where they enjoyed singing awhile.

Will Mathews and family from Menard will make their home on the widow Pearl's place next year. Mr. Mathews says "Kimbale County suits him better for farming and stock raising than any other."

Mr. N. Murrah and family from Pecos county will move on the Steen place 4 miles north of London. Nath Walker who has lived there the past year will move on the widow Spruells' place near London.

Success to the Citizen and its many readers.

Brown Eyes.

Stabbed To Death

BRADY, Nov. 9.—Eli Brown, a school teacher, was stabbed to death Saturday at Stacy. Gary Addison was arrested and charged with murder. The two had been known in Stacy as good friends but Saturday they had a dispute. Brown received several cuts with a knife, one near the heart, death resulting in a few minutes.

George Bernard Shaw says the thinking public is limited to 50,000 people. Strange! We were of the opinion it was limited to G. B. S.

When the Kaiser has swallowed all the rest of the earth the Belgians might retire upon Naco Arizona.

Belates Thought: Congress adjourned just in time to draw mileage for the return to Washington in December.

TELEGRAPH TATTINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coleman went to Junction Saturday.

Mrs. M. Daw was a visitor at the Bud Abbott home Sunday.

Alvin Smith was in Telegraph Sunday.

Miss Marion Hodges was a pleasant caller at Mrs. M. A. Hamm's Saturday.

O. B. Fleming was in Telegraph Sunday a visitor at the Ed Fleming home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coleman were visitors at the C. A. Taylor home Sunday night.

Mrs. J. E. Deats and children and Miss Jessie Cropper went to Junction Saturday.

Lesley and Ananda Taylor were business callers at the Mack Huff man ranch Saturday.

Messrs. Lester Hodges, Blackstone Smith and Sterling Durst were in Telegraph Sunday.

Ernest Stevenson, John Kountz and John Bailey passed through Telegraph Sunday enroute to Junction.

Leslie Taylor returned home Saturday after a few weeks stay on the divide at the Less Taylor ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hood and the daughter Helene were pleasant callers at the home of Mrs. M. A. Hamm's Saturday.

The monthly entertainment given by the social committee of the Evergreen Bible class will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hodges Nov. 25th Saturday night. You are cordially invited to come.

Messrs. C. A. Taylor, Ben Hamm, Joe Coleman, Alvin Smith, Ira Smith and Jack Smith returned Friday from the O. W. Carver ranch where they have been shearing sheep, accompanied by Mesdames Virgie Coleman, and Ethel Taylor and children.

What Bradford was in Telegraph Saturday from the Bradford ranch in Edwards county. The Bible class is progressing nicely with very good attendance. There has been a slight change made the usual hour for holding the class has been at 3 o'clock p. m. but from now the class will meet at 1:30 p. m. Every body are cordially invited to come.

Letitia.

Do You Know

That electric current costs you no more than it does in all the cities; for instance in Greenwood, Brady, Kerrville, Mason, and Menard.

The Electric light is a BETTER LIGHT and a CHEAPER LIGHT.

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WHILE WE TALK.

We want to tell you of our splendid stock of Furniture. It is just what you need to put that cozy touch to your home this winter, and is so substantially made it can hardly wear out.

We have it in sets, or single pieces; low prices medium or a little higher, and every piece a splendid value. We can suit any taste or pocketbook, or anybody.

WE TRADE NEW FURNITURE FOR OLD.
Junction Furniture Co.

(In Rock Building opposite City Hotel.)

Just Received

A carload of the famous Peter Schuttler wagons made specially for this section of the country. Come and let us figure with you if you are in need of a new wagon.

Junction Hardware Co.

The grass doctor has made his appearance and is called an agrostologist. And will some learned professor kindly step forward and tell us just what that is? We want to brace him for an ad.

"All things come to him who waits" belongs to the leisurely past.

No good live American would father the phrase now.

Present day successful ones get a strangle hold on what they want and hang on.

All things come to him who uses printer's ink and goes after what he wants.

ALEX J. HAMER CO.

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The Always Ready to Serve You Store

We carry a full line of

General Merchandise

GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, ETC.
ALWAYS OF THE BEST QUALITY AT LOWEST PRICES.

Ask our Good Customers that have dealt with us for years.

Alex J. Hamer Company.

Local Lines and Personal Paragraphs

J. F. Ragsdale was in from the ranch on business Saturday.

All manner of baby wear at J. B. Van Eman's.

Mrs. Boone has just received a beautiful line of new millinery. Call and see it.

Frank L. Randolph and family are moving this week out to the ranch of Capt. G. K. Gordon.

We have fits—to sell. A fit in clothing is very desirable.—Simon the tailor.

Notice that special offer on the Star Telegram elsewhere in this paper.

J. E. Deats of Telegraph community was attending to business in the Kimble capital Saturday.

Screen wire rabbit and chicken wire all kinds of wire at Junction Hardware Co.

Mrs. Boone has just received a beautiful line of new millinery. Call and see it.

M. E. Roberts, and his parents are moving into town this week and will occupy the Will Hankins residence.

Eventually you'll come to Simon the tailor. Start now and save money as well as worry.

H. L. Clendenen and family arrived here last of last week from the coast country. They formerly lived in our county but the past year or two have been dividing their time between six cent cotton and malaria, in the lower altitudes of the southeast. Mr. Clendenen says they are glad to get back among the healthful hills of Kimble Climes.

Service, promptness, reliability all of which you can depend upon when you travel in Eastman and Tinsley's service car.

The Rt. Rev. W. T. Capers, D.D. Bishop Coadjutor of West Texas have two very interesting, helpful discourses at the Episcopal Church here Sunday, services being held at 11 a. m. and in the evening. It is not often that Junction is favored with the visit of a man of this type, and his sermons were a rare treat enjoyed by a large attendance.

Comfortable, reliable, prompt, and make every minute spread out over long distance. Talking now about Dewitt Cowart's service car.

If you have friends or relatives coming in or going away we will thank you to call, phone or write The Citizen office. You like to read about others; others like to read about you. Every news item one gives us makes this paper just that much more interesting for the other teen hundred readers. And such favors are not forgotten by the editor.

Citizen want ads bring results

You need it—The Citizen

Your subscription may be due

Jno. R. Smart of Menard had business in the Kimble capital Friday.

Dewitt Cowart runs a service car don't forget that.

J. L. Bishop of South Llano came over to the busy city Saturday.

Floor pillows and stamped embroidery pieces at J. B. Van Eman's.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Weldon were in from the ranch Saturday.

H. O. Patterson returned last Friday from Dallas where he has been attending the State Fair. He reports a glorious time.

See Hankins & Co. for fresh vegetables.

The biggest subscription bargain of the season—the daily Star Telegram one full year for \$1.25. See The Citizen about it.

See Hankins & Co. for all kinds seed grain.

S. P. Bennett of North Llano was a business visitor in our city Wednesday, and arranged for other years dose of the Citizen.

Rev. J. C. Campbell, the new pastor at the Methodist Church here filled the pulpit Sunday morning before an attentive and appreciative congregation. The evening services were called in through courtesy to the Episcopal church because of the visit of Bishop Capers here.

WANTED—27 loads of wood on subscription.—CITIZEN

At the Baptist Church the subject for next Sunday morning is "Scriptural Guidance". The theme for the seven o'clock evening hour will be a textual one.

Cleaning and pressing—Simon the tailor knows how.

W. O. Dechert returned Tuesday from Cherokee where he had been to place his daughter, Misses Augusta and Hattie in the Cherokee Junior College.

Mrs. C. R. Stevenson entertained the T. H. E. Club on Saturday afternoon, October 31st at the home. A very pleasant time was spent. The refreshments of sandwiches, fruit, salad and cake were thoroughly enjoyed by all. The club was honored by the presence of two visitors, Mesdames Tinsley and Eastman. We meet again with the Misses Wright on Saturday afternoon, November 1st.

RECEPTION

A very pleasurable occasion indeed was the reception given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Butland Saturday afternoon from three to six o'clock, to meet Bishop Capers of San Antonio. Quite a large gathering was present to partake of the pleasantness of the hour, and compliments concerning the reception are many. Refreshments were cake and punch.

HARPER HERALD:

Alf. Feller was down from Segovia Saturday sashaying among the boys in town.

G. T. May, London merchant, was among Saturday's visitors in this busy town.

Sam and Lon Parker were down from Knoxville last week en route to Kerrville with a cargo of mohair.

Wes Smith, Clem Jones, Bud Kiser and W. H. McCaleb were over from London Saturday on business.

Joe McDonald's absent mindedness asserted itself again Sunday night. He bought a supply of cough tablets, and arising at 2 a. m. took several doses of his medicine. When daylight came he discovered he had swallowed a half dozen vest buttons. His cold has vanished.

KERRVILLE MOUNTAIN SUN:

J. W. Garrett of the Aqua, Iowa ranch in Kimble county was in Kerrville Tuesday.

F. M. Chase, a real estate man of Junction was here on business Friday.

Joy rides, business trips, hurry up-and-go-there rides, any old kind of a good ride that you want. Phone No. 68 and our car will come whizzing.

WE HANDLE:

Standard Mowers.
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in short a full line of the well known Standard Implements on hand now. Get yours now

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ANY SIZE.

W. O. W.

Special Notice To Members

Camp meets first Tuesday night in each month, hereafter instead of first Saturday night.

All members required to be present first Tuesday night in December on account of election of officers for ensuing year.

Fraternally,
W. P. Riley, Clerk.

NOTICE

The Methodist Ladies Bazaar will be held in the Baker Building on Thursday and Friday afternoons, and all day Saturday the 19th 20th and 21st of November. A fine opportunity will be offered to obtain your Xmas presents.

The ladies respectfully solicit a liberal patronage.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS.

The Junction Chamber of Commerce met in regular session, Tuesday evening in the office of the Junction State Bank, and had a very interesting and profitable session, discussing various matters affecting the welfare of the town and community. One important proposition brought before the body was the condition of the roads—an ever absorbing subject when time will permit its discussion. A road committee was appointed to make some investigations concerning the roads and set another road-working day.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE JUNCTION STATE BANK

at Junction, State of Texas, at the close of business, on 31st day of October 1914, published in the Kimble County Citizen, a newspaper printed and published at Junction, State of Texas, on the 13th day of November, 1914.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$122,993.75
Loans, real estate	11,000.00
Overdrafts	823.54
Bonds and Stocks	000.00
Real Estate (banking house)	4,100.00
Other Real Estate	000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,578.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	21,128.87
Due from other Banks and Bankers subject to check	6,352.86
Cash Items	1,822.52
Currency	6,945.80
Specie	6,822.91
Other Resources as follows:	
Interest on Depositors	1,828.11
Guaranty Fund	
Total	\$243,567.29

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus Fund	25,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	3345.14
Due to Banks and Bankers subject to check	583.54
Individual Deposits subject to check	92,804.65
Time Certificates of Deposit	26,711.95
Cashier's Certificate	275.91
Bills Payable and Redemptions	50,000.00
Total	243,567.29

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Kimble: I, Thomas S. Rutland, President said bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THOMAS S. RUTLAND, Pres.
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 7th day of November, A. D. nineteen hundred and fourteen.

(Seal) J. B. RANDOLPH,
County Judge Kimble County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST

WM. R. MCKEE
DIRECTOR
JNO. R. MARTIN
FRED BURT

Commissioners' Court has been in regular session here this week.

W. O. Dechert called at the Citizen office Thursday, and advanced his subscription dates on the Citizen.

Blackstone Smith, Lester Hodges and Sterling Durst are numbered among the sportsmen who are out after big game this week.

SADDLES! SADDLES!

We have added a full line of saddles and invite you to call and inspect same. You are always welcome at our store whether you wish to buy or not. Come in. Junction Hardware Co

See the set of dishes at J. B. Van Eman's.

Time is money sometimes. I can save you time as well as money on your trips. My car will get you there too.—Dewitt Cowart.

Cleaning, pressing, altering, repairing; we know how; satisfaction guaranteed—Simon the tailor.

When you want to go some where in a hurry see Eastman and Tinsley. Their service car will take you there in a rush.

See Simon the tailor about that new fall suit.

That girl will love you better Jasper, if you'll take her for joy ride in our nice service car—Eastman and Tinsley.

Just try the Citizen on Job Printing. You'll be pleased.

Anywhere any time, sure to get there if you go in Eastman and Tinsley's service car.

In a hurry? Let me take you there in my service car. Rates are reasonable.—Dewitt Cowart.

Thousands of Europeans who contemplated coming to this land of the free have been "through routed" to another country which is equally free, and from which no traveler has returned.

Read every one of the want ads. They may contain just what you are looking for.

We're Auto Doctors

When you or any of your family gets sick you want the best doctor you can obtain.

When your car goes wrong you want it attended to by the best and most reliable mechanic you can get.

That means you must come to us. We're auto surgeons. We operate skillfully and quickly and make your car as good as new.

And our bill won't stagger you.

We also have service cars ALWAYS ready to take you ANYWHERE.

Many others engage us. Do you?

Holekamp Bros.

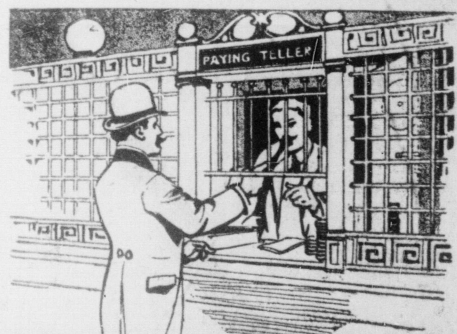
Go to

J. B. VAN EMAN'S

for up to date sweaters, wool hats, children's cloaks and caps. Wool Dress Goods, Scarfs, Underwear, Neck Cords, and All manner of notions.

Call and receive a welcome at this store.

J. B. VAN EMAN'S STORE



"SAFETY FIRST!"

"SAFETY FIRST!" What a splendid slogan of the hour! What a striking WARNING against SHIFTLINESS in our daily life! HEED IT. It's a warning, among other things, against WASTEFULNESS and CARELESSNESS in MONEY MATTERS. Friends, play SAFE with your INCOME. Don't live BEYOND your means. Put something away for the COMFORT of the FUTURE. Put it where it will be SAFE and EARN you INTEREST. BANK IT WITH US. JUNCTION STATE BANK, JUNCTION, TEX.

HELGOLAND

The Gibraltar of the North Sea



Narrow Street in the Unterland



Street in the Oberland

How a Little Lump of Red Rock in the North Sea Has Become a Great German Fort.

(Copyright, 1914, by The International Syndicate.)

"Green is the land, Red is the rock, White is the strand. These are the colors of Helgoland."

Green land, red rock, white strand—nothing could be more descriptive of the little island of the North Sea than these colors. At present "Gray" are the guns; must be added to complete the description now that the island has become a part of Germany. It has changed from a peaceful excursion ground into a veritable porcupine. Hidden away in the red rocks are immense disappearing guns which can be brought out with as much ease as a porcupine raises its quills at the first scent of danger. Just after Austria declared war on Serbia all merchant marine shipping ceased at Helgoland and only the German navy was allowed to come near the island. The great guns came out from the hidden recesses in the rocks, and Germany made ready for the enemy who might attempt to enter the Fatherland from this section. The "Königs-Louis," which had been converted into a mine ship mined this channel, but was finally sunk by the British. Later, the "Amphion," one of the smaller British cruisers was unfortunate enough to be blown up one of the mines which had been laid by the vessel destroyed the day before. The disaster occurred not far from Helgoland according to dispatches.

Belonged to English.

Only a few years ago Helgoland belonged to England and had it been in her possession at the present time it can be readily understood how valuable it would have been to that country.

It is a quiet little place rarely visited by Americans, who know it best by its lighthouse which is one of the most powerful in the world, sweeping for many miles over the treacherous waves of the North Sea. The nationality of the island has undergone the fortunes and vicissitudes of war, of intrigue, and of international negotiations until it has finally landed under the domain of the German Empire. Several centuries ago the Danish flag waved from its battlements, and whilst under its control the island was in pawn to a Hamburg merchant and was used as a rendezvous for privateers and pirates. It was finally ceded to Schleswig-Holstein and receded to Denmark—this interchange having taken place several times. Its nationality changing so rapidly that it is finally known as "No Man's Land."

During the Napoleonic war it was seized by England, under whose dominion it remained until 1815, when it was ceded by that country to Germany in exchange of several tracts of land in German East Africa. For many years Germany had been anxious to obtain the island, and from time to time the German government tried to induce England to sell, but it was not until Great Britain really needed a portion of the German East Africa possessions for an outlet to the sea that Lord Salisbury consented. England had made little use of the island, for aside from keeping a governor and a few soldiers there they paid little attention to it. When the exchange of land was made the English political writers fairly gloated over the great bargain England had made in receiving so much valuable land in Africa "for an island half as large as Hyde Park, and one that would in time become a sand dune." Long articles appeared in the newspapers explaining how it might be fortified at a tremendous cost, adding that Germany would hardly go into such a foolish enterprise. Germany kept her own counsel, but a few months after the double eagle floated over the former home of the English governor, soldiers began to

arrive on the island and the building of fortifications was commenced. The work is about completed, and Germany now prides herself with a fortress in the North Sea which protects a number of her ports. It is strictly forbidden, and the writer was arrested while making the accompanying pictures, but by a ruse saved the film. It is practically impossible to picture the guns as soldiers are stationed at each of them. Two of the soldiers are constantly on guard with field glasses, one watching different parts of the island and another looking far out to sea as though hourly expecting an invasion.

Eight Hours from Hamburg.

The writer went to Helgoland from Hamburg, sailing down the Elbe river into the North Sea—a sail of about eight hours. At first the island seemed like a cloud in the horizon, but as the ship came nearer the mass of red rock presented a rather formidable as well as picturesque appearance. A small ledge of white sand on the south is the only place where even a small boat can land, and here on this ledge is a cluster of quaint houses, including several small summer hotels. On the rim of the rock, which rises precipitously nearly two hundred feet above is a sister village with a church tower, a huge lighthouse, and a wireless station as the dominating features.

Small Island.

The island is only one mile long from the pier to the Nordkap (the rock on the far end), and a quarter of a mile wide at the widest part. There are few trees and no running water anywhere on the island. The drinking water used is either caught in cisterns or imported. There are no weeds or flowers, and many children who live there have never seen a horse except in pictures. The largest vehicle for carrying purposes is a wheelbarrow, the streets being too narrow for the passage of anything wider. A few sheep and goats are tethered on the top of the rocks or Oberland, as the upper rim of the island is called. Some of the islanders possess pets in the shape of cats and dogs, and these may be seen in the yards of the tiny houses which line the narrow streets. These highways, like everything else on the island, are scrupulously clean. On the water front there is a casino much frequented by the officers of the German army and navy. Occasionally their friends come up for a week's end visit and Saturday night is a gala one for Helgoland society.

Bathing Beach.

About a quarter of a mile from the island proper is a strip of sand, at one time a part of Helgoland, but the connecting link was finally broken by the relentless waves and now the visitor must go to the mainland in a boat. Portable bath houses are set up on the beach with a man and a woman as attendants. The woman looks after the bath houses while the man, a rugged old fisherman, acts as a life saver—not by going out to rescue but by warning the bathers when they are out too far. Some very startling bathing costumes are seen, costumes which would not be tolerated for a moment at even a second-rate summer resort in America. On the far side of the island are several graves of unknown people whose bodies have been cast up on the beach after storms, for the waters around Helgoland are a practice ground for the sea. There is a life saving corps on the island, and these men tell thrilling stories of their desperate fight to save the crew of the many ships that are battered by the waves during the long winter season. It will be remembered that a Zeppelin dirigible was lost in one of these storms last winter and fifteen of her crew drowned.

Picturesque Marine View.

Just back of the Unterland, as the lower town is called, is a flight of steps which lead to the solid rock and are rough and not easy to climb, especially if the climber wears thin soled shoes. A lift nearby, however, carries passengers to the top of the rock for a trifling sum. From

the edge of the Oberland one looks out over the little red roofed houses of the lower town. In time of peace the view is a pretty one, fishing boats all about and ships riding at anchor far out to sea. Down at the end of the island men appear like so many ants. Farther away the bathing beach glimmers like a bar of silver striped with emeralds.

On the whole it is a magnificent picture, but today all is changed, the bathing beach is deserted, destroyers have taken the place of fishing boats. While German cruisers ride at anchor in place of pleasure steamers. The Casino is deserted, and few people are to be seen on the streets. The music has been silenced and the vigilance of the men at the guns has been increased. Down on the beach a few men who go out early each morning for fish have them on sale, for food at present is the main part of the day's menu.

No Photographing Allowed.

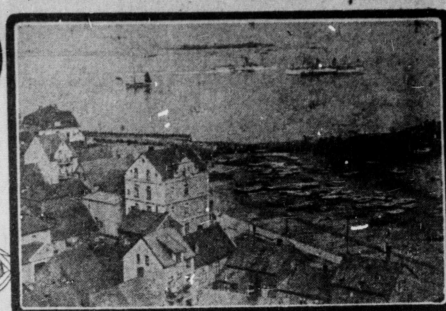
The Government is especially strict about pictures of the harbor, batteries, and the life of the people, who tries to make photographs in any part of Helgoland is not a happy one.

The whole place fairly bristles with military operations. Barracks which will house hundreds of men have been constructed. A powerful wireless station is in operation; a sea wall has been constructed around the island and guns have been stuck in every corner of the rock. Thousands of dollars have been spent to make this lump of red rock the Gibraltar of the North Sea. It is expected to be of as great value to Germany as Gibraltar and Malta are to England. Military experts declare that had Germany owned Helgoland in 1870 the blockade of the Elbe and Weser by the French fleet in the early part of the war would have been impossible.

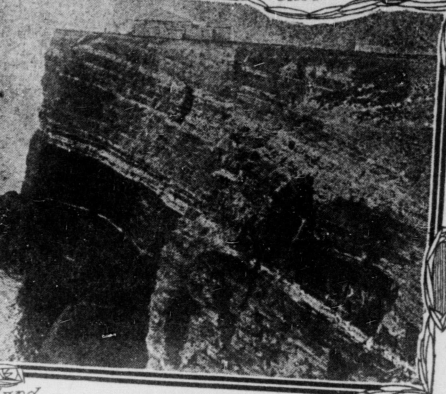
Apart from the military aspect, the little island is interesting, especially to those who love the sea. The two thousand natives are industrious and sober. Their principal means of living is by fishing. They pay little attention to visitors, and are elusive. Their patriotism is of a queer type—they love Helgoland, and tolerate the ruler of the nation who happens to own the island. For instance, when it was an English possession they celebrated Queen Victoria's golden jubilee with the greatest pomp, while at present the Kaiser's birthday or any other holiday is observed with equal loyalty. Their language is peculiar and seems to be German spoken with a Danish accent. Dancing is their particular amusement and dance halls are numerous.

The natives show little interest in the fortifications, for they are a simple honest people, who go about attending to their own affairs even though a practically impregnable fort is being set up about them—a for which in time to come may swallow up their homes—if calipso space is needed in Germany's military exploits.

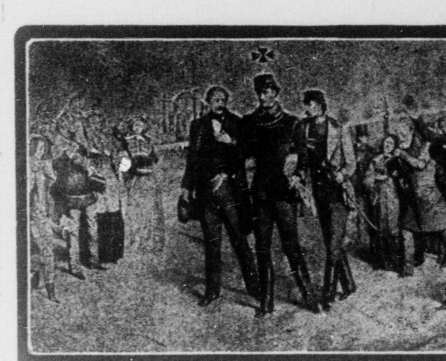
German war experts attach the greatest importance to Helgoland and expect it to prove a tower of strength on account of the great height of its batteries, and because of their range a close blockade of the mouth of the Elbe is practically out of the question. It will be a difficult matter to carry Helgoland, owing to the steepness of the cliffs.



Scene from Top of Cliff



A Corner of Helgoland—Guns are Hidden in the Recesses of these Rocks



The Emperor Franz Joseph after the Attempt was Made to Assassinate him in 1888—From an Old Austrian Print

Imported Draft Horses No Longer Necessary

With the exception of a very limited number from England, importation into the United States of pure bred draft horses for breeding purposes has been practically stopped by the outbreak of the European war. For several years previous, from 2500 to 4000 stallions and mares have been brought annually into this country. In the opinion of experts in the United States department of agriculture, however, the standard of draft horses in America will not suffer from the interruption of these importations. There is, it is said, a sufficiently large amount of pure blood already in the country to answer all requirements and the American draft horse will now have an opportunity to demonstrate its own qualities. Hitherto a certain fascination has hung over

the word "imported," which has had a marked effect upon prices. For example an imported Percheron stallion might sell for \$2000 where an equally well-bred American Percheron would bring only \$1200 to \$1500.

We no longer go to England and Scotland for Shorthorn, Hereford and Aberdeen-Angus cattle except to a very limited extent. The breeders of these breeds in America have and are producing the equal if not the superior of the English cattle.

There is no apparent reason why the same thing should not take place in the case of draft horses. The principal breeds of these are now thoroughly established in the United States. Their various characteristics and merits are discussed in a new bulletin published by the United States department of agriculture under the title of Farmers' Bulletin No. 619, "Breeders of Draft Horses." This bulletin deals with the Belgian Percheron, French Draft, Clydesdale, Shire and Suffolk types.

Of these the Percheron probably outnumbers, in this country, all other breeds combined. Grade Percherons, the product of pure bred stallions crossed with ordinary mares, have proven very popular in our markets. Of late years the Belgian has also made great strides, but this breed is still comparatively new in America. It is found chiefly in the Middle West, where the heaviest types of draft horses are prevalent. During the past ten years approximately 100 Clydesdales have been imported each year. This type is particularly well liked by those who want style and action, and in consequence is used to a great extent in cities. The Shires, though similar to the Clydesdales, are massive and less active. They are popular on the Pacific Coast and in the Central West.

England now permits the exportation for breeding purposes of Clydesdales and Shires, but it is not likely that under present conditions the importation of these breeds will be carried on to any considerable extent. As has already been said, however, experts in the department believe that the importations are no longer necessary. The bulletin describing with illustrations the breeds already produced will be sent free on application to the department as long as the supply lasts.

Special Train of Texas Horses for War Zone

Forty-five carloads of horses 1,000 head in all, constituted a special train that moved out of Fort Worth Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock over the Rock Island, bound for Portland, Maine. It was the largest straight shipment of horses that has ever been made out of Fort Worth—or Texas, for that matter. It was the first consignment of a string of 10,000 animals that are being purchased on the Fort Worth market by representatives of the French government. They are destined for use by France's dashing cavalry on blood soaked battlefields in Europe.

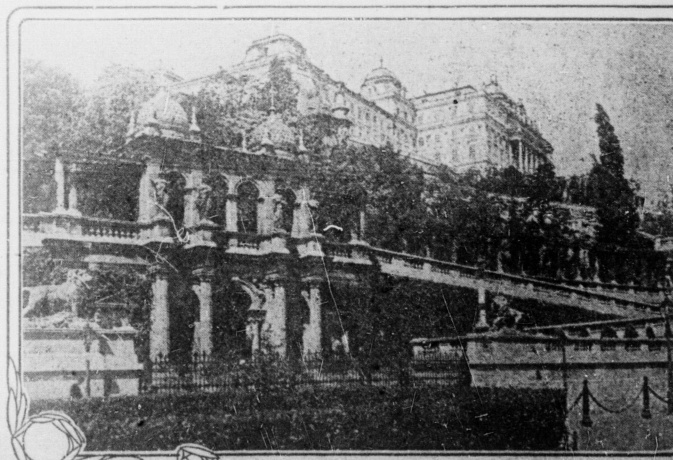
This immense string of horses, which is billed out by Justin Butterfield to R. Lawrence Smith at Portland, Maine, will travel on the special Rock Island train on passenger time. The special will be given the right-of-way over the famous Fire Fly and every other passenger that traverses the Rock Island line. It is planned to feed the horses only twice en route and it is anticipated that the trip will be easily a record-breaker in the handling of horses. About three days will be consumed in the trip to Portland, where they will be transferred by boat to Canada, from which country they will be transported swiftly to Havre, France.

An idea of the tremendous cost the cavalry is entailing upon the French government is gained from the fact that the horses cost \$140 around on the Fort Worth market. About \$50 additional will be required per head before they reach their final destination. The average life of a horse after being put in use in the armies in Europe is seven days.

The brighter side of the horrible slaughter of horses and men on European battlefields is the reflection that it is causing a vast amount of money to be brought into this country during the days of the cotton crisis. Before the French officials complete their purchases here, they will have spent more than \$1,400,000 for Texas horses. It is generally conceded, although the facts are not known out of official circles, that Great Britain already has expended that amount in Texas. In other words, the farmers have been making back in selling their horses a nice part of the money they lost in cotton.

Where the purchase of horses in Southwest, as a result of the war, will stop is beyond conjecture. It is authoritatively reported that the number may go far beyond that should the great struggle continue many months longer.

It is the general sentiment among experts on the Fort Worth market that the war can be turned into a blessing instead of a calamity for Texas. They deplore the terrible struggle, but believe that the opportunity for commercial advancement should not be overlooked.



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