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WAR IS OVER

Germany Accepts Foch's Terms--Guns Hushed at 2 o'Clock Today--Americans Take Sedan--Germany Whipped Forever

THE WAR IS OVER. Germany and the Allies signed the armistice at eleven o'clock this morning and hostilities ceased three hours later. There are no guns being fired now. As Gen. Foch's terms are known to be included in the provisions of the armistice, which prevent a resumption of hostilities, the greatest war the world has ever known has come to an end.

As the signatures of the armistice council were signed, the allied armies were smashing forward on a hundred and fifty mile front, from Sheldt to the Meuse, tearing the German defenses to pieces, driving the enemy in utter rout.

The Americans captured Sedan and were in full possession and had made great gains everywhere this morning. While peace was thus being concluded, Germany was in the throes of incipient revolution at home. The revolt of the sailors at Kiel had spread through Schlesig-Holstain, and several large cities are reported to be in the hands of the revolutionists.

French Landing Port For Americans Wild With Joy

BREST, FRANCE, Nov. 7.—(6:30 p. m.)—When the news of the signing of an armistice reached here this afternoon, the city went wild with joy.

Newspapers issued bulletins and extra editions while the factory sirens blew and whistles on boats joined in the great tumult.

American soldiers were kissed and cheered by the population. (Brest is the landing port of the Americans, and millions of Americans arrived here during the last year.)

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WEEKS

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There is one sure way to do this and that is to take proper care of the car.

This means that you should keep a careful eye on it and remedy every little trouble before it gets big. A doctor can do a lot of good in one call if he called soon enough.

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Opposite C. H. L.

Americans Troops Entered Sedan Yesterday Evening

With the Americans, Nov. 7.—(1:30 p. m.)—The Americans entered the west outskirts of Sedan at four o'clock yesterday afternoon, and completely occupied the city this morning.

New York, Nov. 7.—The United Press Bulletins, bringing the first news to America of the signing of the armistice, was signed personally by Roy W. Howard, president of the United Press, who is now in general charge of the United Press organization in France.

The bulletin also carried the signature of William Phillips Sims, manager of the United Press in Paris. It was a clear beat for the United Press, and sustains a world wide reputation for giving authentic news while it is news.

The Ledger is proud of its press service. When the fire alarm was turned in from The Ledger office and the large crowd rushed to the scene of action at 11:40 Thursday morning, we were able to announce the best news ever flashed over a telegraph wire. Instead of fire, there was joy, and this joy spread to the homes of soldier boys as fast as electricity could carry it.

Mothers wept for joy. There was gladness in the hearts of all Americans. You could read it in their eyes. The fear that the enemy would continue to play the fool and refuse to sign the armistice and accept her just reward, was suddenly removed from the minds of many.

While the terms in detail have not been made public, the United Press bulletins say that they have included provisions which prevent a resumption of hostilities. We know that the terms are strong, and Germany can not treat the terms as she did the treaty. Germany has been robber of her

power as a military nation. She must make recompense.

Accidents and diseases only can claim the lives of American soldiers after two o'clock today. Huns guns have been muzzled and hun bullets are in the hands of the allies and Americans.

The lives of the boys which have been spared up to this time will be spared to return home. Those who have gone down, paid the price for freedom which will be a blessing to coming generations.

While the war has ended, it has been many days since news has been received from some of the boys and anxious hearts will pat-

iently wait until the last casualty list has been published, or until the letter comes from that boy saying "I am well and happy."

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a good daily newspaper now Things are getting very interesting.

See Mr. Underwood.

WEEKS

Phone lucky 13

Notice--Patrons of City Water Works

We will start our cut-off crew Monday, November 11, with instructions to cut off all patrons who have not paid their account. If you are in debt to the water works on above date don't be surprised to find your water cut off.

J. R. LUSK, City Secty.

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LOCAL SYMPTOMS OF GERMAN KULTUR

The violation of the Democratic Primary Pledge in two nearby communities by a large majority of the voters is a strong symptom of German Kultur.

It is an outcropping of an idea implanted in the heart of a people by long years of intensive teaching and training. That idea has frequently been flouted in the startled face of civilization in recent years by the German emperor, the international outlaw of the earth, as he has declared that a treaty is nothing more than a scrap of paper when it stands in the way of national ambition.

The Democratic party of today stands as a terrible barrier to the ambitions of many foreigners whose bodies are in this country but whose souls are in Germany and who have only kept mum to keep out of prison.

What is a party pledge to one who loves a country that respects not a solemn treaty between nations?

This vote is another indication of the same mind revealed in another way. The German brewing and beer drinking fraternity is enraged because of the conduct of Mr. Hobby and President Wilson. They have utterly failed to control our great leaders by the powerful influence of the damnable German-American Alliance and like agencies, and they are as mad as goaded bulls in the presence of a red rag. Recent investigations and revelations have proven that there is not an ounce of real patriotism in the German brewers and distillers of this coun-

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There are no harmful or habit-forming drugs in Cardui. It is composed only of mild, medicinal ingredients, with no bad after-effects.

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CARDUI

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You can rely on Cardui. Surely it will do for you what it has done for so many thousands of other women! It should help. "I was taken sick, seemed to be..." writes Mrs. Mary E. Veste, of Madison Heights, Va. "I got down so weak, could hardly walk... just staggered around. ... I read of Cardui, and after taking one bottle, or before taking quite all, I felt much better. I took 3 or 4 bottles at that time, and was able to do my work. I take it in the spring when run-down. I had no appetite, and I commenced eating. It is the best tonic I ever saw." Try Cardui.

All Druggists
I. 70

try, and that their patriotism is from the teeth out. They are Americans for the gold and silver they find here.

We are now engaged in making their big bosses in Europe know that if they are to live on a civilized earth they must respect their contracts.

Another symptom of unadulterated Germanism in the voting of these precincts is the evidence of local political bosses. Somebody lines them up and votes them solidly. This has been the record of the communities.

It is to the best interest of Germans who expect to live in the United States of America to learn to be Americans, to love our institutions to vote for good men and good measures, and to make no thrust at the men who stand against the Potsdam gang of murderers. Such citizens regardless of race or color will be loved and respected. Let Americans be Americans, and let others pack their old kit bags and track it back to the place from whence they came. And finally, be a Republican or Socialist if you want to, but don't go down and vote in a Democratic primary and then appease your wrath on American leaders you hate by violating your pledge.

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FOUR MINUTE TALKS ON AGAIN

Estes Lynn will talk about four minutes at the Queen Theatre tonight, being the first four minute man to the bat, since the flu flew away. If you don't know all you ought to know about the United War Work Fund, come out and listen tonight.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the Mucous Surface of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO. Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggist, 75c.

CARD OF THANKS

Words are too feeble to express our appreciation to our friends for their kindness and sympathy to us during the sad hours brought upon us by the death of our husband and father. In this way we wish to thank you all and assure you that our hearts are filled with gratitude and love for all and we shall never forget the help you have been to us.

May God bless you for your kindness and consideration for those in distress.

Mrs. J. H. Maxwell,
T. L. Maxwell. 1td pd

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D. L. Tucker, of the Mazeland country, passed through Ballinger Wednesday, en route to Free Port and other coast towns for a few days business trip.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Do not imagine that because other cough medicines failed to give you relief that it will be the same with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Bear in mind that from a small beginning this remedy has gained a world wide reputation and immense sale. A medicine must have exceptional merit to win esteem wherever it becomes known.

Stonewall Seibel, after a visit to his father of the Hatchel country, returned to Fort Crockett, Wednesday, where he is doing service for Uncle Sam.

United War Work Campaign Program

The campaign begins on Monday morning, November 11, and ends at midnight on Monday, November 18.

As approved by representatives of the Government at Washington the \$170,000,000 will be divided as follows:

- Y. M. C. A. \$100,000,000
- Y. W. C. A. 15,000,000
- National Catholic War Council (including Knights of Columbus) ... 30,000,000
- War Camp Community Services ... 15,000,000
- Jewish Welfare Board ... 8,500,000
- American Library Association ... 3,500,000
- Salvation Army ... 3,500,000

Any surplus will be divided pro rata.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use For Over 30 Years
The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

Lewin McWilliams returned to the army camp Wednesday after spending several days here with his wife and new baby.

Walter Boswell, prominent young man from Paint Rock, was here looking after business Wednesday.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold Metallic Cases, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 20 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Clint Jones left Wednesday afternoon for Camp Mabry, where he entered the mechanical training school for Uncle Sam's service.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Emmitt Guin, the Wingate Republican, was here celebrating the victory Wednesday.

New supply National Bank Bond letter heads and envelopes, Ballinger Printing Co.

SUGAR AFFIDAVITS.

Mr. Merchant, we are prepared to furnish you sugar certificates to be used in selling sugar for preserving purposes. We have the blanks printed and can supply you in any size quantity. The food rules require that you use these in selling sugar for canning and preserving purposes.

Postmaster Black, of Marie, was a business visitor to Ballinger, Wednesday.

Three Generations of Women

For three generations women of this country have been used and recommended to their children and children's children the use of that famous old root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, until today it is recognized everywhere as the standard remedy for women's ills. It contains no narcotics or harmful drugs; is made from roots and herbs of the field under the most sanitary conditions, and any woman suffering from such ailments should be sure to give it a trial.



THE First National Bank
ESTAB. 1886 OF BALLINGER, TEXAS ESTAB. 1886

THE MOST DANGEROUS DISEASE

No organs of the human body are so important to health and long life as the kidneys. When they slow up and commence to lag in their duties, look out! Danger is in sight.

Find out what the trouble is—without delay. Whenever you feel nervous, weak, dizzy, suffer from sleeplessness or have pains in the back or difficulty in passing urine, wake up at once. Your kidneys need help. These are signs to warn you that your kidneys are not performing their functions properly. They are only half doing their work and are allowing impurities to accumulate and be converted into uric acid and other poisons, which are causing you distress and

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Get some GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules at once. They are an old, tried preparation used all over the world for centuries. They contain only old-fashioned, soothing oils, combined with strength-giving and system-cleansing herbs well known and used by physicians in their daily practice. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported direct from the laboratories in Holland. They are convenient to take, and will either give prompt relief or your money will be refunded. Ask for them at any drug store, but be sure to get the original imported GOLD MEDAL Brand. Accept no substitutes. In sealed packages. Three sizes.

RED CROSS REFUNDS SUBSCRIPTION CHECKS

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Ballinger Red Cross Chapter held Wednesday afternoon, it was decided to refund predated subscription checks for the remaining four months of the period when the checks were made for. The action came after the budget made for the year was checked up and it was found that funds sufficient were in the treasury to carry on the work for the next six months, or more.

Another motive which prompted the committee to take this action is that of encouraging the signers of these checks to give more liberally to the War Work Fund next week. In returning the checks the committee suggest that the makers of the checks transfer them to the War Work Fund committee, in addition to the subscription they make to that fund.

The unpaid checks held by the Red Cross Committee, and which are being refunded, cover the months of November, December, January and February, February being the last month of the period in which the Red Cross subscriptions were made by predated checks, and the total amount aggregates about \$1,800.

This would be a nice start for the War Work Fund committee. The Red Cross committee is to be commended for the economical way in which they have handled the Red Cross work and made it possible to refund these checks, or divert them to the War Work Fund, as no doubt many will do, as the War Work Fund to be raised for the Y. M. C. A. and kindred organizations is of almost as much importance as the Red Cross.

When you receive your predated Red Cross check, just change increase the figures and issue another check in lieu of it to the War Work Fund Committee.

R. L. Mosley, of the Winters country, was here conferring with the county superintendent in school matters Wednesday.

NOMINATING BOARD FOR RED CROSS

J. L. Chastain, U. P. Melton and R. G. Erwin were appointed as a nominating committee at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Red Cross Chapter, Wednesday afternoon.

It is the duty of this committee to nominate officers for the Runnels County Red Cross Chapter, and submit their names to a membership meeting of the Red Cross to be held on the evening of November 27th.

All members of the Red Cross are urged to be present at the general meeting to be held and take part in the transaction of the business.

This meeting was scheduled for an earlier date, but through respect for the flu the meeting was postponed.

pursue was to insist upon the disarmament and detention of the entire army, but officers were to be free on parole.

Gen Von Wimpffen declared it impossible to accept such hard conditions. The negotiations were broken off and the French officers returned to Sedan at 1 o'clock. Before their departure they were given to understand that unless the terms were agreed to by nine o'clock the next morning the bombardment would be renewed. The capitulation was signed by General Von Wimpffen on the morning of the second, further resistance being obviously impossible.

School children buy your theme paper at The Ledger office.

"JUST TERMS" AS THE HUNS SAW THEM IN 1871

(From Count Von Moltke's "History of the Franco-German War")

The negotiations (between the commander of the French armies and General Von Moltke) were held at Donchery during the night between September 1st and 2nd. The Germans were forced to consider that they must not forego the advantage gained over so powerful an enemy as France. When it was remembered that the French had regarded the victory of German arms over other nationalities in the light of an insult, any acts of untimely generosity might lead them to forget their own defeat. The only course to

FURNISHING BOOKS TO SOLDIERS



The American Library Association and the Army Y. M. C. A. co-operate in their plan to encourage good reading among soldiers. This is a corner of a Y. M. C. A. building in the Southern Department utilized as a library for the soldiers. "Foxy Grandpa" behind the counter is popular with the men, and each of the five hundred books in the little library are passed out on an average of twice each month. "Foxy Grandpa" has another responsibility. He presents a new khaki-covered new Testament to every soldier who asks for it, and a surprisingly large number of the men request the little book. In fact, most of the soldiers have made it a part of their equipment. They are furnished free by the Army Y. M. C. A.



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Address.....

Mrs. Mattie Pileher and Mrs. C. M. Pileher Jr. of Cisco are visiting W. B. Pileher a few days. Mrs. V. A. Lewis, Mr. Pileher's mother is also here and will remain for the winter.

Mrs. C. G. Cape has returned from Concho, where she has been waiting on the Littlefields, who have the influenza.

Agency contracts for the lease of oil and gas lands, new supply, just off the press.

Theme paper for school children at The Ledger office. Thirty sheets for a dime.

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Farmers and Merchants State Bank

DON'T BE "AVERAGE" MAN

Young people must make themselves efficient and handle their earnings properly during their productive years if they are to escape the common lot of being dependent in old age.

The life insurance companies have compiled figures which abundantly demonstrate these facts. Give sober consideration to this digest of life experiences of one hundred average men, at the age of sixty five the records of these men are as follows: Thirty-five are dead, one rich, four wealthy, six are self supporting but are compelled to work for a living, fifty-four, or half the number are dependent on children, relatives, or charity. This is a sad state of affairs and only can be remedied by getting the proper kind of business training in youth.

The average educated man gets a salary of \$2,000 a year. He

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Baptist Churches Dissolve; Will Form United Church

Resolutions dissolving the First Baptist Church and the Ninth Street Baptist Church were adopted unanimously at a conference held by the two churches Wednesday night.

A board of trustees composed of three members from each church was formed to act as custodian of the property of the two churches. This board is composed of S. H. Dougherty, O. L. Parish and B. C. Kirk, of the Ninth Street Baptist churches; and W. A. Bridwell, R. T. Williams and M. D. Chastain, of the First Baptist church.

Letters of dismission are being prepared for each member in each of the two churches, and another conference will be held Friday at which time these letters will be issued to the prospective members.

At some hour yet to be fixed, the Baptist of this city will meet

and organize the Ballinger Baptist Church, and receive into its membership by letter the members of the two churches just dissolved who wish to come in.

Those who wish to file their letters away and refuse to join the Ballinger Baptist Church will have the privilege of doing so, but such members will be few, and the Ballinger Baptist Church will be organized with a membership of about 500 members and a Sunday School of about 400 the strongest religious organization in this city.

With the perfecting of the permanent organization of the Ballinger Baptist Church, the naming of new officers, etc. the board now acting as custodian of the property of the two churches will transfer the property to the new church.

Temporarily the new church will occupy the Ninth Street Baptist Church, but permanent quarters will be agreed upon at an early date, and plans are already being discussed for the disposal of the properties of the two old churches and the erection of a large and modern church. This however, must be postponed until after the war, and until the government will permit the use of material for making new improvements.

The two organizations just dissolved own property valued at about fifteen thousand dollars, and it will be difficult to dispose of this property to smaller denominations as the city already has more church buildings than it needs. Other denominations could follow the example of the Baptist denominations to a good advantage.

The local Baptist churches are of the same faith and order, the only difference between them being the possessing of two separate sets of property. As this difference has been eliminated the congregations are now about to do what they should have done many years ago.

The other churches of the city will no doubt rejoice with them in this unity of spirit for in unity there is strength.

About Croup

If your children are subject to croup, or if you have reason to fear their being attacked by that disease, you should procure a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and study the directions for use, so that in case of an attack you will know exactly what course to pursue. This is a favorite and very successful remedy for croup, and it is important that you observe the directions carefully.

TWO OUR CITIZENS FOR ARMY OFFICERS

County Clerk, W. C. McCarver, will leave Saturday for Camp McArthur where he goes to enter the officers training school. Mr. McCarver made application in this branch of the service some time ago, and received notice to report for duty as above indicated.

Mr. McCarver will leave the county clerks office in the hands of competent deputies his wife being made chief deputy. Just how long Uncle Sam will need him is not known, but since Germany has "thrown up the sponge" the soldiers can now begin to look forward to when they can return home—in about two or three years.

J. Audice Reese, for several years employed in the civil service and connected with the local post office, has also been selected for service in the officers training school. Mr. Reese has not received shipping instructions, and only notified that he had been selected and to prepare for call. Mr. Reese recently visited Austin, where he stood the examination for service in this branch of the army, and was sent home to await further orders. His orders came this week, and he will no doubt be called to Camp at an early date, notwithstanding that hostilities have ceased.

J. F. White was here from the Crews country, Wednesday, reporting the election.

Let us order your Rubber Stamps. The Ballinger Printing

To Avoid and Relieve Influenza

By Dr. Franklin Duane.

Many people have been frightened by what they have read or heard of influenza. The more you fear the disease the surer you are to get it. Go right about your business and forget it. As the disease is spread practically by contact thru sneezing, coughing or spitting, many health authorities have advised that everyone wear a gauze, which is daily washed and saturated with a one to five hundred solution of zinc sulphate in water and then dried before wearing over the nose and mouth. You should avoid crowds, common drinking cups and public towels. Keep your strength up by taking lots of exercise in the open air and plenty of nourishing food.

If you have any such symptoms as chilliness, nasal obstructions, flush face, headache, feverishness, restlessness, weariness, or irritating cough, give up work at once and go to bed. This will save your strength to help overcome the disease. Put your feet in hot water for fifteen minutes. Thoroughly loosen the bowels with some such mild and non-irritating physic as Dr. Pearce's Pleasant Pellets. Drink principally of hot lemonade and then cover up with plenty of clothes in bed so as to get a good sweat. When sweating is free and the fever reduced take a dose of two Anuris Tablets every four hours, followed by drinking at least a glass or two of hot water. Anuris Tablets help quickly to relieve the soreness of the muscles and bones from which most patients complain and help the kidneys flush out the poisons.

To relieve nasal obstruction and excessive discharge from the nose, probably nothing is better than such a mild, soothing antiseptic wash as Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. It will give great relief. Employed as a gargle, in same strength as made up for use in the nose, and as hot as can be borne, it quickly arrests soreness and dryness in the throat.

Influenza weakens the patient's resistance to disease, so that there is danger of bronchitis and pneumonia developing. To combat this tendency and fortify the patient's strength, insist that he keep in bed at least two days. Probably nothing will at this stage hasten the recovery and strengthen the patient more than an iron tonic tablet called "Ironite" or that well known herbal tonic, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which has been used by thousands in the past two generations.

FEWER CASES BUT TWO DEATHS AT ANGELO

Spanish influenza is at last receiving a check in San Angelo, for one day at least. Only twelve people were stricken during the twenty-four hours ending Wednesday at noon, according to a report made during the early afternoon by Mrs. Oscar Wilson, chairman of the special Red Cross influenza committee. This is the smallest number of cases for any similar period since public gatherings were forbidden on October 10th.

Although the number of cases was small from Tuesday noon until Wednesday noon, three patients contracted pneumonia and two deaths occurred.—San Angelo Standard.

RAIN HEAVY IN SOME LOCALITIES

A half inch rain fell at Ballinger early Thursday morning. The West Texas Telephone Co., reports indicate that the rain was spotted being much heavier at some places than others. The heaviest rain in this county fell at Pony south of Ballinger, where three inches fell.

- Abilene, 77 1-100.
- Ballinger, 1-2 inch.
- Blackwell, showers.
- Bronte 1 inch.
- Brownwood, good rain.
- Coleman 2 1-2 inches.
- Coneho, good rain.
- Eden, none.
- Ft. Chadbourn, light showers.
- Hatchel, 1 inch.
- Leaday, go down a bit.
- Maverick, good rain.
- Menard none.
- Miles, 5-8 inch.
- Millersview, good rain.
- Norton 2 inches.
- Olfin, no report.
- Paint Rock, 2 1-2 inches.
- Pony 3 inches.
- Rowena, 1-2 inch.
- San Angelo, good rain.
- Santa Anna good rain.
- Stacy, no report.
- Talpa, 2 inches.
- Wilmeth, good rain.
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- Wingate, good rain.
- Winters, 1 1-2 inches.

Sleep and Rest

One of the most common causes of insomnia and restlessness is indigestion. Take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper and see if you do not rest better and sleep better. They only cost a quarter.

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To-Night

"Selfish Yates"

featuring Wm. S. Hart

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Somebody's Dollars Will Do It—
I Wonder if They'll Be Yours

By Bruce Barton

WILL tell you what will happen some night this winter in France. Some night when its cold and dark. There will be a rustling through the front line trench, where our boys stand guard. And a heavy laden Secretary will make his way along.

In his hands will be great steaming pots: in his pocket chocolate and cigarettes.

From one man to another he will go, passing a cup full of hot coffee to hands that tremble with the cold; bringing the comfort of a bit of sweet and a smoke.

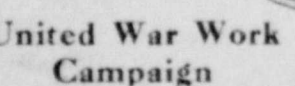
Men will hail him cheerily, slapping him on the back; and when he has gone things will be a little easier in that trench because he has passed that way.

How much will it cost to make that trip, do you suppose? Counting the pittance that the Secretary is paid, and the cost of the chocolate and the cigarettes and all?


Five dollars? Twenty-five dollars? I do not know.

But whether it is five dollars or twenty-five, I'd like to think that it is my five or twenty-five—wouldn't you? That some night when it's cold and lonesome, my money and yours might send a Secretary out along that front line trench. Let's make up our minds that we are going to pay for a score of those trips. A score of the nights this winter shall be our nights

—nights when the boys greet joyously the chocolate and cigarettes that our money provided; and are happier because our representative has passed.



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