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Obituary

Frank Wirtz was born at Hink-

Miss., with his parents in early L. Turner was out and busy with suitable crop to take the place of esteemed friend, brother and Sovchildhood. Has been a consistant member of

Gregory in 1899. Died Easter Sunday, Apr., 20, 1919.

been enriched and become more at- up will find the premium list nearer tractive to his loved ones.

It was the writers pleasure to visit | fering and was there when he went peacefully to sleep in Jesus. We do not understand why one

so anxious as he, to work for the premiums cover all fine stock that for the amount of time and labor exgood of his fellow man should be is brought here that day. taken in the very prime of life. Gods ways are past finding out but we know he doeth all things that day, and that means that if you again in a hundred years. Now is Walter Gracey, Committee. well and some day, the mists will be fail to bring the better half and the children, and they find in next isall cleared away. To those left behind his life will be an inspiration sue that they have been deprived of

some real bargain shopping, you and his memory a benediction. May the richest blessings of a kind ought to know what will happen to heavenly father abide with his you when they find out. Come one, come all, and lets have a regular old heart broken wife; also the mother, father and brother and the Central Texas first Monday, that many friends of this good man. will remind us of old times. A Friend.

Hogue & Flint of Tulia, Texas, bought and loaded out nine cars of two year old steers at Seagraves. and two cars of the same here, yesterday. They are being shipped to a small town on the Rock Island in the Panhandle, where these gentlemen have pasturage.

BROTHERS & Brothers have just received a car of White Face Flour. is a new reader.

Plant Peanuts In Place Of Cotton.

The Terry County Herald

As stated in the last issue of the "In reducing cotton acreage one is ley Ill., April, 2nd 1882; moved to Herald, one of our citizens, Mr. A. confronted with the question of a seen fit to call from among us our the business men of the town in an cotton," says E. W. Cole, former creign, Frank J. Wirtz, after a long it is nothing new, pointing to our effort to get a trades day started in head of the Bureau of Markets in and trying illness, after which the relations with Canada for over 100 the Baptist church since the age of this town, and we are glad to re- the State Department, of Agricul- sal came to go, on the 20th day of sixteen; was married to Miss Rose port that he succeeded well, as he ture, and a well known authority on April, 1919. In the loss of our friend brought in a list one day this week farm crops. "The season is now too brother and Sovereign, the family that contained the name of practi- far advancerd for corn planting in has lost a true and patient husband, Mr. Wirtz has only been living cally every business man of the city many sections, but peanuts may be son and brother, and his Woodmen here for about a year, but in that and when it was totaled, there was planted as late as June fifteenth, friends and brothers have lost a many friends. His church, his family, others that were busy at the time, plant, harvest and cultivate, as well failing; and one who did not surren- without friction and with mutual adcause of his going, but heaven has very safe to say that the final wind purposes, should be planted. sixty than forty dollars.

Trades Day Monday

FOR SALE, Sumac Cane seed at

Com. Dave Cunningham recently

had us send the paper one year to

his niece, at Arlington, Texas.

JUST received a car of White

Face Flour .- Brothers & Brothers

the Higginbotham Harris yard.

growing of peanuts, the yield in The list includes practically every bushels will be twice or more than him many times during his last suf- farm animail, so do not think that twice as much per acre as corn. the Woodmen of the World; and be Canadian border. The mutual sentthere will be nothing offered on the Peanuts will probably produce a fine animal that you sport, for the higher monetary value per acre in these resolutions be spread upon the useless a mere relic of outgrown committee is working to make the East Texas than any other field crop minutes of our camp, a copy be pre- conditions. It shows how two peopended. Last season was a very Now come early, for our merchants hard year for peanuts but we shall

are going to offer you some bargains probably not have as bad weather the time to plant' peanuts."

> T. E. Hobbs, a prosperous north side farmer, came in last week and renewed.

every Tuesday night. It is now get- pathy and comfort during all the ting intensely interesting. Don't long seige of illness and finally the miss a single episode.

Births: To Mrs. Lelia Cardwell, a girl on the 24th inst. To Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ellington, a girl on the 29th.

TRY a package of Life O' Wheat. -Brothers & Brothers.

Robert Welch came in this week J. A. Blankenship of the west side from Post, to work for the Cicero Thursday and Saturday nights. Old and family and will make their fut-Smith Lumber Co., at this place. people over 60 go in free.

Resolutions

County Herald for publication. I. C. Burgess, J. B. Cardwell, and

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of thanking the good people of Brownfield and surrounding country for their help, DON'T FORGET the Lion's Claw and the many manifestations of sym death of our daring husband, son and brother. May God's richest blessings rest on each of you. Mrs. Frank Wirtz G. C. Wirtz and family,

THE LIBERTY Theatre are now

Nothing New Under the Sun As God in his infinite Wisdom has A St. Louis daily paper, recently

discussing the League of Nations and disarmnament, reminds us that years, in the following words:

"Disarmament by agreement between nations is not an untried idea. We have highly successful examples of it at our own doors. For 100 of years the United States and Canashort time in his quiet, unobtrusive found to be in the neighborhood of as they mature in from ninety to shining light; one who was true and da, have observed the compact not manner, his evident sincerity and forty dollars, and he did not see all one hundred days. The White tried; one who did not falter from to place armed vesse's on the Great purity of purpose has won him the business men, and there were Spanish peanut, being the easiest to duty, when even his health was fast Lakes. The treaty has been kept and his lodge are all poorer be- and told him to call later. So it is as the most desirable for market der his devotion even unto the end. vantages. The lakes are a fair field Be it resolved that we do hereby for commerce and unquestioned "On soil especially adapted to the extend to the bereaved family the friendliness prevails. A few decades sympathy of the entire membership ago the British government closed of the Brownfield Camp No. 1989 of the last military barracks on the it further resolved that a copy of ment of peaceful amity rendered it sented to the bereaved family, and ples, living side by side across a that a copy be handed the Terry whole continent, can get along in a smooth way by simply agreeing to do it. We had for some time a difference with Canada on Alaska's coast boundary, but it was finally settled in our favor by an arbitration board, that held its meetings in England, and the deciding votes were British. As a result Canada is without a seaport of its own on the Alaskan coast. But its shipping interests do not suffer in that region. The disposition on both sides is con-

siderate and amicable. Peace is in a large measure a state of mind and a league of nations is by no means a complex a matter as many imagine.

Theo. Smith and wife got in this week from Tyler, Texas, where Theo showing three nights each week, and finished a course in bookkeeping. will continue to do so on Tuesday, They left yesterday with his father ure home in Wichita Falls, Texas.



Let us show you some pretty new Gingham drseses. Also some pretty Voile and Organda Dresses for the girls.

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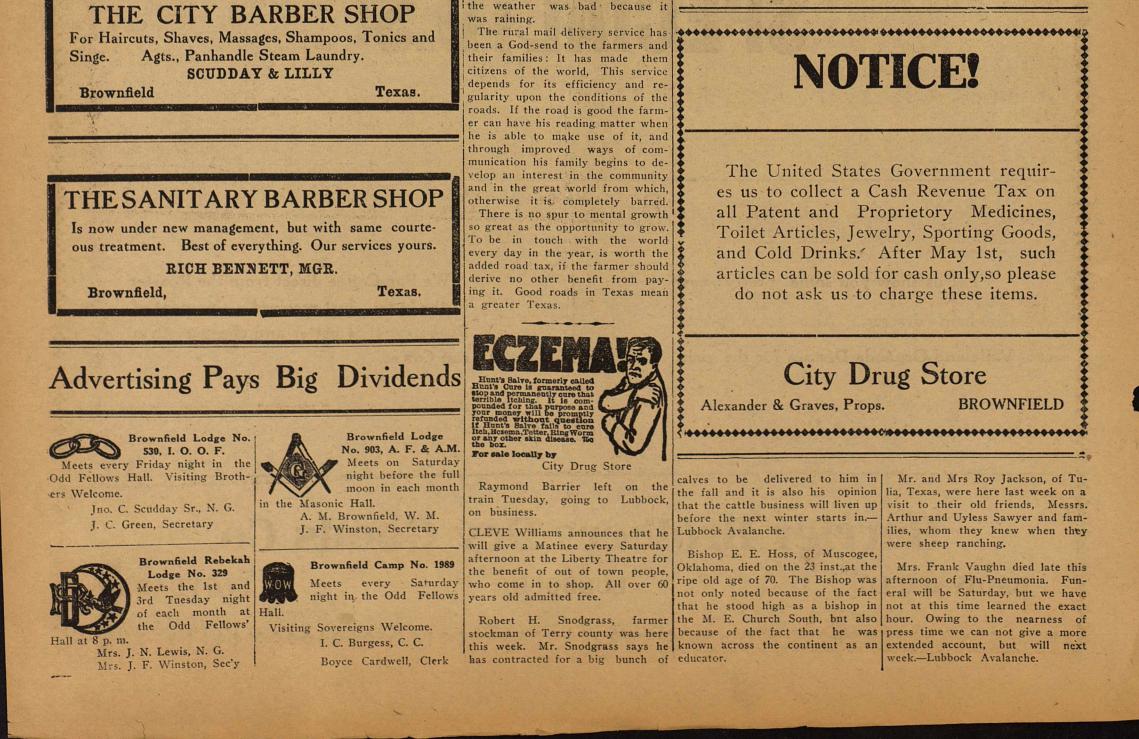
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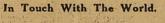
WILLIAMS & BOWERS

Brownfield

Texas

Hill Hotel





States Department of Agriculture took a census of farmers in certain counties of Maryland and Pennsylvania to find how many read government bulletins and farm' papers. The people of these counties were above the 'average' in intelligence was found that less than fifteen per cent read any kind of agricultural literature.

cities, with free delivery or the post office near at hand and with book stores and magazine stands available, do not realize what the isolation of the farm really means. Generally the farmer has little time for reading, unless it is in the dead of winter, or when by reason of bad weather he is kept out of dead of winter, or when by reason of bad weather he is kept out of the field. If the road to town is a bad one, he cannot read when he has the time because he cannot get the reading matter. The bad road is like the man's house with a hole in the roof. He did not patch the hole when the weather was good because he did not need it and he was busy elsewhere; he did not patch it when the weather was bad because it



LUMBE	R ADVANCES LEAST
Experts representing the four great building material industries have comqiled statistics showing how war conditions affected the market. comparison of price variations cover a period of six years. As was expected, the figures show steel far in the lead of other building materials in its climb skyward since 1912, with an advance of 148.5 per cent. Cement is up 55.5 per cent, brick 38.1 per cent, and lumber only 17.07 per cent. Ask the CICERO SMITH LUMBER COMPANYAbout Prices BROWNFIELD, TEXAS	
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The Herald both one year for	in this bank is guaranteed secure by the State of Texas BROWNFIELD STATE BANK BROWNFIELD TEXAS
\$2.25	MOORE BROTHERS, for auto top work, auto and sign painting, Lubbock, Texas. K. Carter, who has a closing out is the this work is a closing out is the set spot in Texas. Mrs. Jimmie Smith left this week for Fort Worth, where she and baby will join the husband and father, best spot in Texas.
1919EatingPlace	HARDY OPEN GROWN PLANTS Now shipping leading varieties of sweet potatoes and Tomatoes, post- i paid, 500, \$2.00; 1000, \$3.50; Hot and Sweet Pepper Egg Plant, Beets, 500 500 \$2.50; 1000, \$4.75; Cabbage, Ber- muda Onions, 500, \$1.25; 1000, \$2.00.after a long seige of pneumonia. Miss Althea Fulton, of the Gomez community, left this week for a san- itarium at Lubbock, where she will take a course as a trained nurse.It seems that the small pox hit old Terry riht square in the n dle, as there are well developed of es at both Brownfield and Gom and numbers have been exposed them. Yet, County Health Office T. L. Treadaway and County Jun
Make it the Santa Fe and you will never live to see the day	Write or wire for catalogue. Order early and notify us when to ship. built, and is now a resident of the most precautions are being insti

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After the storm breaks a fair day. We predict an A1 for 1918. Get busy. Yours for service

W. A. Wooley Land Co. Texas Brownfield

Tom Williams and family, from a play in the near future. Watch New Mexico, are here this week on for date and title in the Herald later a visit to his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Millard Ellington and family of

M. D. Williams. the Meadow community, are here Carl Mangum and wife, of Tokio, this week visiting his brother-inleft yesterday for Olton, Texas to law, Geo. Snodgrass and family. make their future home, and where

he will take charge of a garage.

livered this week, and coming as TAILOR MADE suits do not cost they did from non-residents, they so very much more than ordinary so very much more than ordinary they be more appreciated. Percy in the Lubbock Avalanche that Mrs. clothes, and all of them fail to have are the more appreciated. Lense Price, who has been suffering the distinguishing features of the Spencer of Lubbock, delivered himtailor made suit. The fit of the suit self about like this: Jack, if every-1 with high fever for the past four as well as the quality of same will body in Brownfield had made the weeks, is fast improving. always be pointed out in a crowd as progress that you have made in the

clothes that will distinguish you Brownfield, this town would be a make a crop out there. from the ordinary careless dresser, larger one than either Lubbock or come to SCUDDAY & LILLY, and Plainview, for I know personally get a genuine International Tailor- how you was situated financially, kaite, but who has been living at ing Co., suit of clothes.

The Herald man takes this method then, R. M. Kendrick, cashier of the last Sunday, in company with other of thanking the Rix Furniture co., of First State Bank of Plains, was in parties after his wife and baby, who Lubbock, for a complimentary pass to see us and handed us a very fa- have been visiting her parents here, to hear Mr. Vernon Dalhart, the vorable compliment from his associ- Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Walters, for sevgifted American tenor, at the Meth- ate in the proposed First National eral weeks. We believe that Cliff odist church, at Lubbock, last Fri. Bank of Brownfield, Mr. Wilder, of has a notion to locate on the good night, but was not able to attend. Kansas City, whom Mr. Kendrick old ballies again. At this recital Mr. Dalhart concent- reported as saying that the Herald

ed to sing in comparison with his | gave him the most satisfing news own voice, as recreated on the New from its particular territory of all of Lubbock, are down this week at-Edison phonograph, and besides the the weekly exchanges that comes tending court. Mrs. Wilson is visgreat treat of hearing one of the fa- to his desk, and we imagine he sees iting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. vorite Edison artist, the novelty of lots of them, as he is one of the ed- V. Brownfield. hearing the real human voice in itors of the Southwestern Banker. competition with the labratory re- It is needless to say that we highly production would have been some- appreciate these compliments, and old Terry and adjoining counties thing out of the ordinary in this that it will not make us put forth this week, but in some instances it neck of the woods.

readers. We had a remittance this week Herald, which tells all about the of the latter on the salt lakes east nesday morning.

reported. We understand that some new comers brought in the disease.

M. V. Brownfield attended the good roads meeting at Mineral Wells while away, and we hope he returned imbued so thoroughly with the good roads fever, that he will Two of the best compliments the set the whole county into an epi-Herald has ever received, were de- demic.

We gather from the Ropes locals

Elbert Oakley moved out to the a good dresser. When you want the ten years that you have been in Bassam farm this week, as he will

> Clifford Dickson, a former Tahowhen you came here. And he tried Burkburnett for the past several to prove his assertion by us. And months, came over from Tahoka,

> > Attorney Roscoe Wilson, and wife

Splendid rains have fallen over even greater efforts to please our was accompanied by heavy hails. However, in this immediate vicinity, there was no hail to speak of, and

from a former Terryite, J. V. New-som for another year of the Herald. Understand that the suit insti-tuted by Mr. Lumsden against A. L. government gauge at Brownfield, He says he still likes to read the old Gurley and others, over the trespass registered 2.16 inches up to Wed-



The County Dads are having a patrons and tax payers encouraged. loading pit made in the draw just Some of the patrons are already south of town, and we understand talking that there wil be no school will spend something like \$400 on building ready this fall, and carrythe streets of Brownfied, and of ing with it the usual crowded concourse Lake Superior street will ditions. Let us hear from the trusget the bulk of the work. This is tees on this subject.

west Harden street from the bank corner, and is only named for the big lake in derision of its constant pool of water since it has been raining so much. This fund has been

on.

It seems that Gov. Allen, of Kansas, is greatly taken back, and powaugmented with liberal donations erfully disturbed over the fact that from the business men, and it is es- southern farmers are reducing their timated that 500 loads of alkali cotton acreage this year, in order rock will be put on it in order to that they may get a fair and just raise it high enough to drain into price for it, comeasurate with the Sixth street. Let the good work go prices they are obliged to pay for everything the have to buy. When the government announced that it would take the entire wheat crop

of the country at \$2.25 per bushel, What are the Brownfield school there was not a single protest from trustees doing? This is a question the south, that we ever heard of. For Work of this Kind that is propounded to the Herald In fact, the most of them were in almost daily, and of course we can- sympathy with the movement, and not give them any information, as we believe that it was southern and we know just as little, and possibly western Congressmen that forced an less than any one. We have no appropriation through for the paycriticism to offer the present or the ment of it, when the war ended, and former set of trustees, for they are it was found that wheat would not all good and capable men, well and likely bring this price on the marsufficiently qualified to do their du- ket. We believe that Gov. Allen is ties with dispatch, but they might trying to build up more political take the public a little more in their capital than anything else, as in his Lubbock confidence and give out something recent attack on the officers of a

every once in a while to keep the Kansas Division, whom he accused

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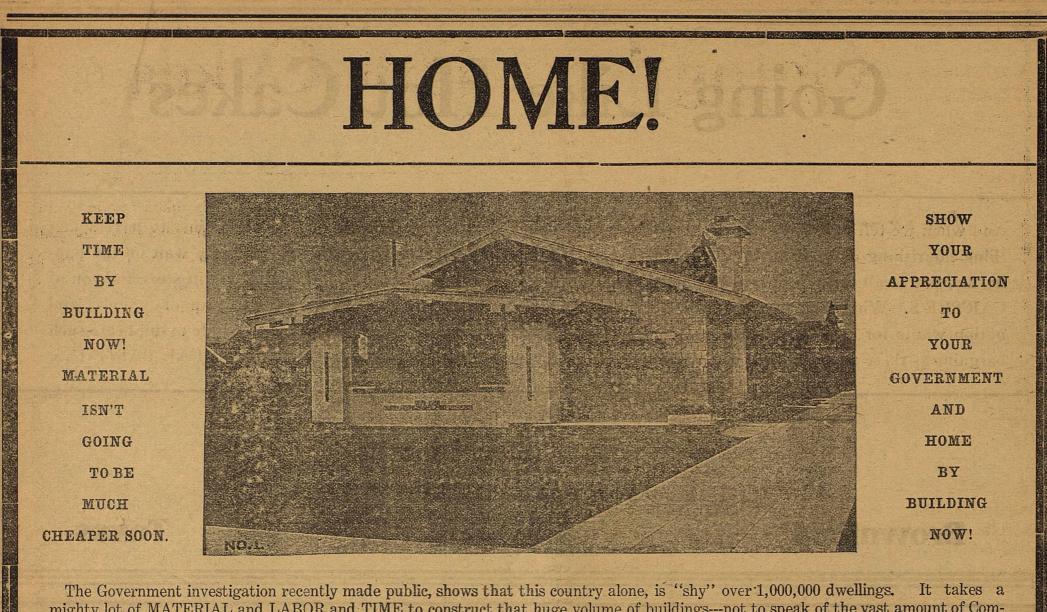




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mighty lot of MATERIAL and LABOR and TIME to construct that huge volume of buildings---not to speak of the vast amount of Commercial Buildings that are needed this year. It would be simply impossible to produce the actual needed construction this year if all decided to build right now, and the matter of the relation of supply and demand under the most favorable circumstances will be so sharply drawn that those who delay in arranging for their building are going to find that they must wait for the completion of work for those who were wise and energetic enought to TO ACT when the TIME was right. Our business is to help YOU get what you WANT in a HOME or any other kind of a building

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that in this interview, that Mr. Ken-

Bill Cook was in to see us one located where he is but is still suf-; at Washington to begin where they | day this week, and informed us that ficiently interested in old Terry to left off last year, they might have to Brownfield have agreed to close they had just received a wire from want to read the Herald regularly, open in temporary quarters till the their places of business at six Mrs. Salmon of Groom, Texas that and therefore handed us the coin to new bank building was complete. o'clock in order to give their her sister Mrs. Forest Bohannan keep 'er coming. was not expected to live, but failed to state what the nature of the disease was. It will be remembered that her husband died here in January of flu-pneumonia, and that she moved to Colorado state soon after the death of her husband.

REGISTERED Duroc Jersey boar

MILK COWS for sale, two miles drick said that he believed that to south of Brownfield. See J. L. eliminate the possibility that the big salt works would sure go in, he be-Young. lieved that Brownfield would sup-

R. M. Kendrick, cashier of the port two banks hansomely, as it had First State Bank of Plains, was over a splendid trade territory. this week on business and announc-

Joe Whitley, of Gomez, was over ed that he and associates were going

Practically all the business men of | It would not be amiss to also state clerks a little leisure.

> I. H. Terry, the Southland Life Ins., Agent of Seminole ,left this week for his home after a few weeks in this part of the country writing insurance.

AUNT Jemimma's pancake flour at Brothers & Brothers.

Milton Howard, employee of W. E. Poole, cattleman of Terry county, suffered the loss of three fingers early Monday morning at the ranch headquarters. Mr. Howard Was working with some horses early that morning and for some reason or other roped one of the horses, his hand was caught in the loop of the rope around the horn of his saddle and when the horse ran against the rope three of his fingers were jerked entirely off. Mr. Poole brought him here in a hurry to one of the sanitariums, in his car to have the injuries dressed. Mr. Howard is able to be up and around town .- Lubbock Avalanche.

miles southwest of Brownfield.

on the Fist National Bank, of Brown afraid his Herald might run out on trip to Lubbock this week. field, and hoped to be in operation him, and therefore handed us the

Wm. F. St. John, former county in the near future. He stated that coin to keep 'er comin'. attorney of Terry, together with his they had two locations in view for family, who live at Eastland, were the bank's permanent location, that here this week on busines, and vis- would be decided on in the near illo, was here a few days this week still going on today (Thursday) we iting the family of W. A. Bell. He future, but if they were able to pre- in the interest of the St. Louis Cat- will wait till next week to give a says he believes he is permanently vail on the department of banking the Loan Co.

for service. See S. V. Wheeler, two ahead where they left off last year this week attending court, and was

R. L. Bowers made a business

full report.

District Court opened here as per skedule, Monday, with all the dis-Mr. Clyde McFarland, of Amar- trict officials present, but as it is

HAVE a few more sacks of Mortgage Lifter Cane Seed and Schrocks Kaffir Cane left. See me at McAdams Lumber yard. T. R. Prideaux.



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Brownfield

BLANTON COMES BACK AT GOMPERS

By the Associaeted Press: Dallas, Texas, April 21.-In a signed statement yesterday, Representative Thomas L. Blanton, of Tex as reiterated his criticism of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, made last threaten a nationwide strike on week in a speech made at Mineral Wells, Texas, and declared that union laborism, Socialism and Bolshevism were working hand in hand, and were practically identical in that they all foster disregard of law force and anarchy."

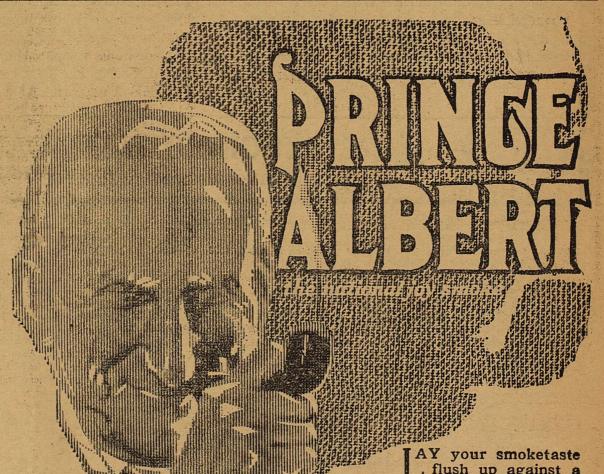
The statement was in reply to one given out in Washington Saturday night by Gompers, in which the labor leader asserted that Blanton's Mineral Wells address was a confession of the Congressman's "utter incapacity of under standing the plainest proposition of right, justice, freedom and democracy."

while American soldiers were "fight gets past the schoolhouse it switching in trenches knee deep in mud es off into some rather rough coun-

While the Bolshevik Lenine threat ens unless we release the convicted Mooney, Gomper's union thratened a disastrous strike unless we comply with Lenine's demands. Forty five States have ratified national prohibition, which is made a part of the fundamental law of the land, yet Gomper's unions July 1st against the constitution,' Blantons statement said in conclusion.

The Journey of Life

You will find this jourey of life is not always what it seems, or that it lies all the way through verdant valleys and flowery meadows. It is not always bright with the sunlight of pleasure. You will not find a bed of roses to recline upon every time you are weary. Don't expect it, or you will very likely be disappointed. You Congressman Blanton asserts that will find about the time the path the four great railroad brotherhoods try. You will very probably find forced the government to pay them some some rough hills to climb and increased wages aggregating \$700.- deep gullies to cross. The briars 000,000 and the latter by threats will tear your nice clothes, and the



"the railway men compelled the director general of railroads' to' raise their salary an additional \$65,000,000. This money Blanton says has come you get through. out of the pockets of the people through increased freight and passenger rates and "abominable service."

Blanton charged that the unions have forced Postmaster GeneralBurleson to allow a raise in pay demanded for all telegraph employes and will shortly force him to accede to the demands of telephone operators and the peope will again suffer with poorer service and higher cost"

ing industrial exemptions, relieving roost high, and you can't put salt on their members from fighting in France at \$33 per month, Blanton have all this, we say, but just as said some unions have forced likely as not when you get it you wage schedules up to \$1 per hour will have no teeth to chew it with, with time and a half for overtime, so you musn't build too much on collecting \$11 per day for ten hours that. work.

By threating to "march on the cap ital and cripple the government by walking out," the statement says, "the unions forced President Wilson to veto the law proposed by a while he left the paper in charge Congress to make the 240,000 Govern ment clerks drawing salaries up to ing the ministers stay in the office \$2,500 work eight hours per day the following letter came from a sub during the war."

says these clerks secured abonus of the last time I was in your office. \$120 and still are working seven If I get any more letters from you hours a day while temporary Gov- as I received last week I will come ernment employes who are not in and maul h-ll out of you." The affiliated with unions did not get minister answered the note like the bonus. The statement con- this: "I have been trying to get tinues:

or fight order apply to organized it out of him then, my dear sir, I labor and thus forced 670,000 18- have twenty of my church members year-old boys to be drafted. I will let you operate on .- Ex.

stones will wear out your fine shoes and you will have blistered heels and stone bruises in plenty, before

There is only one way to avoid all this. That is to set down, a whining beggar by the roadside, despised and self despising. But if you are going through you must brace yourself for hard climbing. You will find plenty of roses by the way, but they grow among thorns, and if you would gather them you must not be afraid of a few scratches. All the fruits are worth having are near the top of the trees. You can have your game suppers and your quail on toast, too, Although demanding and obtain- but the game is wild and the birds their tails to catch them. You can

What The Preacher Said.

While the editor of a certain newspaper was away from home for of a minister of the gospel. Durscriber: "I know very well that I Through these threats Blanton paid my subscription to your paper that out of the editor for ten years. Gompers refused to let the work and if you will come down and man AY your smoketaste

_ flush up against a listening post-and you'll get the Prince Albert call, all right! You'll hunt a jimmy pipe so quick and get so much tobacco joy out of every puff you'll wish you had been born

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twins! For, Prince Albert puts over a turn new to every man fond of a pipe or a home made cigarette. It wins your glad hand completely. That's because it has the quality!

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Despite the very inclemency of the this week attending court were, S. | informed us that he was cutting no weather, quite a crowd of the three E. Ross, the engineer in charge of bridges, and in fact said if business linkers and their families were out the construction of this road, R. F. got dull at that place, he was coming to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Bayless, the Lubbock agent, and a back to Brownfield.

the founding of the order in Amer- Mr. Ochse, a conductor that made ica. Speaking and good refresh-this run several times on cattle ments were the order of the night. specials.

SUPPLIES, INCUBATORS. We can fill your order for any SEED. i'. ultry Articles, Plant sprays, Inseccticides, Fungicides. Prices and qual- left this week for Wichita Falls, Tex

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is a new coat of paint, and which is M. A. Smith and family, accom- making this place look good. That panied by his son, Theo and wife, is business Milton, go to it.

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The place in the western part of

town that Milton Goode recently

purchased from Rev. M. D. Williams

and which he moved into, is undego-

ing extensive repairs, among which

Among the railroad people here they were bid farewell .- But M. A. the Herald office.

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Uncle Sam Singleton, owner of the Singleton ranch in Lynn county, shipped in 1000 head of cattle from Randal Drug Co. Clarendon Texas, yesterday where he had them on grass during the **Pipe Threading** winter. Messrs. Dud Singleton and DEALER IN Billie Brandon came in with the cattle. They will return to Clarendon Saturday afer another shipment. -Tahoka News. Machine Old citizens are now predicting that the wheat will average 40 bushels per acre on the south plains Pure Drugs this year. Those farmers who planted this cereal while yet the drouth was holding high carnival **Proprietory Medicines** expressed a faith which theyare going to be able to turn into dollars School Books and Supplies and cents. -- Ralls Banner. CEO. ALLEN Cold Drinks and Candies The House Reliable Oldest and Largest PIANO and MUSIC HOUSE in and Jewelry Come in to see us AC p. 27 C* CEstablished 1890. SAN ANGELO We have just received the lattest Mrs. Fred Scudday, who has been at Maryneal for the past month, atthing in pipe threading and we are tending the bedside of her father, Mr. R .L. Farrar, came in this week, prepared to thread large and small leaving her father improving. BROWNFIELD Phone 7 pipes, both standard and casings. Rev. L. L. F. Parker, pastor of the Baptist church, went to Brownfield, When in need of proficient, correct Saturday and held a sunrise prayer meeting in that city Sunday, rethreading, call on us turning to Tahoka for the 11 o'clock service .- Tahoka News. **Try Want Ads** The Panhandle Press Association which met at Vernon, last Friday and Saturday, was not very well at-

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Capitol. The Association will meet at Amarillo in 1920, and a larger attendance will likely be had from this section of the plains .- Tahoka News Sure; lets you and I try to get there next year, Haynes?

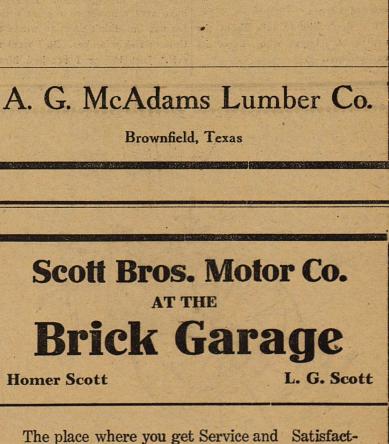
tended by the editors of the South Plains; all being too busy, or else being unable to raise the price of a ket to the Wilbarger county

A special came down Wednesday with T. H. Sears, of Amarillo, Gen. Supt., and O. J. Ogg, of Slaton, gentlemen are well pleased with conditions over the south plains.

One mother in Lubbock asked us a few days ago why the officers in Lubbock did not break up this wholesale gambling among the boys. Well we do not know, but possibly it is because they are a little timid about starting a crusade against gambling for fear that it might wind up with the arrest and conviction of a number of the soceity women playing cards and winning the "pot" in the game .- Lubbock Avalanche.

Now, Mr. Officer, says the higher ups, get the "nigger crap shooter," and the cheap sport who throws up 'heads and tails" for the treats, and at the same time dosen't care a whoop who pays for the drinks, but for pitty's sake, don't disturb the big limousine guy who qlays in the Club room up stairs over the Exchange building, or his delicate little wife who plays parlor poker.

J. W. Welch and family came in this week from Post, Texas, where they have been making their home for the past several months, and moved into their residence in the north part of town. W. W. Newson and family, who have been occupying their residence, moved to the east part of town.



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RECONSTRUCTING OUR SOLDIER BOYS.

By Marie Barnett.

Go with me if you will, to Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, and visit the base hospital there, where men who have served in France and Flanders during the great war just passed, are being "reconstructed."

That is, where one man is having a glass eye put into the socket hollowed by a piece of schrapnel; where another is receiving a bit of Before us the earth was pulverized that I'd soon bleed to death if I did cork and metal hinge to replace a leg; where still another, suffering from shell shock, crawls and lopes Here, there, the boys- the boys we across the floor like an infant or an animal, and looks uncomprehending awful to see your pals die that way. at you through narraw, nervous cyes.

You feel no sympathy for these boys save, perhaps the one whose bright young mind is shattered by the horrors he endured, and he if he knew, would be indignant that pleading! you pitied him. for all of them, permanently crippled in one way or' another, impress you, not with their misery, but their bravery.

They don't whine, they don't complain, they don't feel sorry for themselves. They just make their way. about limping or on crutches with And you go away from them, thinking only that a big part of the Vic-

"It brings it all back," they say, was hit by a one pounder. No, I thru before the war," he says, "The Corperal Sam Bliss, of Houston, and shudder. "We want to forget. didn't stop it. It kept on going. I only reason it is necessary for the Or maybe some mother would hear thought I was dead. As I fell I government to send me now is be- der, and went over with the Rainhow her boy died and was buried- cried out to my brother who was in cause I am incapaciated."

and oh, we would'nt hurt the mothers." But listen to Sergeant Benjamin Freasier, a Texas boy of the 141st again were to advance. He had to Infantry, 36th Division, tell reluct- go on and leave me. antly, of the battle which cost his

leg; "It was last October in the Campagne drive. We were advancing. from heavy shells. The enemy's not bind my wounds. machine guns were turned upon us. knew--- were dropping down. It's "The wounded? I am coming to the wounded. Yes, they are worse

than the dead. They don't cry out. No voice could be heard above the artillery roar. They just look at you And that look, with its agony, its

"Sometimes they lie on the fields for hours, for days. The thing they want most is water. But we don't stop. Our orders are to march on. Assistance for the wounded comes from the rear, unless held back by enemy barrage.

on a suffering body.

the ranks. He didn't hear me, but he saw me fall.

What did I think, as I lay there

works under such conditions. I was at no time unconscious, but knew

My belt and most of my clothes had been shot away. I had nothother leg was shattered.

and knees, to a dressing station. lines, and to bring back the wounded ed. But it was only a camoufloge. The nearest was three-quarters of a mile away. I made the distance in 45 minutes.

That night some one who had brother I was still alive, but we haven't seen each other since."

Sergeant Freasier is a big, hand- our shell hole. some youth of 24, and at the time

pleting this work of "reconstruction is, all but me. I looked oround for ficial leg as his good one, because toward him but fell forward. I put always joking. It wasn't safe to feel

Private Theodore Moeller of Falls St. Mihiel when shot by a machine He didn't come to me. The orders county. He was wounded in the bullet in the leg. Two inches of the spine and a partial paralysis re- bone had to be removed, making one sulted. He has been lying in bed for leg shorter than the other. He says: six months. He is a young chap of strange how clearly one's mind 23, with blue eyes and fair hair. I went into the front line under rain "The Germans wore breast plates and shell fire. We spent the next before we got over, then they began few hour fighting-cooties-and hollering for 'back' plates, we made trying to keep warm.

Yankee pep. "It was on April 12th about 11 o'- German front line. Tanks had gone ing for bandages but my gas mask. clock in the morning, when we got before us clearing out the machine I tore it up and tied the stump of word the Huns were coming. gun nests. But they missed one pill the leg that had been shot off. The Thirteen of us men and a corporal | box.' We saw a dead Boche laying were detailed to carry hand gren- over the machine gun, and thought Then I began crawling, on hands ades, rifles, and amunition up the he was the gunner. So we advanc-

on stretchers. "A little later when we were hold- hit my leg and threw it out from ing a line, waiting for relief, three under me. I jumped into a shell of us lit in a shell hole, where we

seen me crawling back told my felt temporarily safe. Our artillery hours, in mud and water." was shooting at the Germans with At the base hospital in France, heavy guns. One shot fell and hit Sergeant Bliss said the wounded

It killed one of the boys. The of his injury was a splendid phy- second lost his leg, and when he states, and get into great wrangles. "We step over the fallen if we can, sical specimen weighing 200 pounds. saw that it was shot off, he picked Then they try to fight each other. a joke and a smile, until you, some- for we feel. A soldier is never too He has fine blue eyes and red- it up and said: "Oh boys, look what One chap had both arms off, and how, catch the spirit of the thing. hard to feel. We hate to stumble brown hair, and a face that is car- has happened to me.' Then I felt shrapnel wounds in his legs. We'd nest, sincere and "game." He has blood running down my neck and offer him candy, and when he would We advanced to a certain point no kick coming over his misfortune, said: 'It got me too.' It hit my old open his mouth for us to drop it in, tory Liberty Loan will go to com- and all dropped to the ground--that and laughingly refers to his arti- bean but didn't crack it. I started we'd eat it ourselves. They were

who served three years on the borbow Division early in the war was It will not be easy to "reconstruct permanently crippled on Sept. 12, at "It was midnight, Sept. 11th, when

em run so fast," he brags with At 5:30 we went over the top and advanced two kilimeters, taking the The gun opened on us, and a bullet hole and remained there for three

men were always cheerful,

"They brag about their native

and that the bonds you buy to help my lieutenant and couldn't find him. the other, with its missing bones my hand to my back and felt a hole sorry for any of the other fellows. wounded heroes.

wretchedness.

gan will be but small return to our was next in command. I should in a brace. They don't like to talk about the for me, but didn't want to waste the course in mechanical engineering at thing I am glad of: I was hit by basket. Both arms were gone at war, these boys who know its time or risk mistakes. So I went my Austin. self. Just before I reached him I "I could have worked my way let got me."

finish the job they so splendidly be- I thought he had been killed and I and torn flesh, must always be worn in it about the size of a dollar. Ten no matter how mussed up they were minutes later a stretcher bearer got have sent arunner to receive orders | He expects to take an executive me. I havn't walked since but one ship with me, was brought over in a one of our own shells. No hun bul-

One boy, who came back on the the shoulders, and both legs at the

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