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HAIL STORM DOES DAMAGE AROUND HEDLEY

Late last Thursday a hail storm came down upon the unsuspecting and unsuspecting inhabitants of Hedley and community, doing considerable damage to crops, gardens some roofs and window lights. Some of the roofs on the brick store buildings were badly damaged by the hail stones. Several dwelling roofs were damaged, among the number were Fred Bidwell who had to reroof part of his house, G. O. Wood, Ed Dishman, and Chas. Kinslow all had losses. These men all carried hail insurance in connection with their tornado policies. Some of the hail stones measured over six inches in circumference and the fact that there was but little wind is the reason there was no damage done. It is an old saying that a sand storm follows a hail or heavy rain, and it proved true in this instance, for on Friday the sand blew about as much as any time this year.

MISSION NOTES

After an interesting lesson from Hosea Monday afternoon, Mrs. Boston read her paper on "The Sins of Amos' Time." It was fine and gave one a good idea of the depths to which the leaders and priests of Israel had fallen. Mesdames Scales and Stroud served delicious cream and cake to 12 ladies, 8 members and 4 visitors. We have the Bible study for 8th week next Monday. Visitors welcome.

Supt. Pub.

LADIES TO HAVE MASS MEETING SAT. JUNE 2

The Informer is requested to announce that Saturday afternoon June 2, at 3 o'clock at the Methodist church a meeting of the ladies of the community will be held in order to plan how to help the soldier boys who go from Hedley to the war. Every woman and girl in country or town is urged to attend this meeting which will be interesting and worth the time it takes to attend. It is not for any cer-

tain society or set of women, but for all women who have any feeling of love or kindness in their hearts toward others.

See in The Dixie window the Dollars you can save. Itc

MORE HEDLEY BOYS ENLIST

Will Caldwell went to Amarillo Monday and enlisted as clerk in the quartermaster's corps. Will P. Baker went Tuesday night and enlisted in the same department. Reed Sanford, who failed to get in the navy, went on to San Antonio and got in the hospital corps.

NAVY

Fleagle Edward Stewart.
Leslie Marshall Long.
Roger Williams.
John Henry Lane.
Ray Maxwell Doherty
Edward Glyn Akers.
Martin Luther Amason.

OFFICERS TRAINING

C. D. Akers.
R. Y. King.

HOSPITAL

Reed Sanford.

CAVALRY

L. Loyd Lane.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS

William R. Caldwell.
William P. Baker.

Visit The Dixie on Trades Day and see what one dollar will buy. Itc

LITTLE MISSION

Song, 13.
Scripture lesson, 23 Psalm.
Reflect the Light—Melba Johnson.

A Prayer—Pay Moreman.
Be a Connection—Velma Newman.

Repeat the Lord's Prayer.
Roll Call—Answer with verse.
Song, 190.

Press Reporter.

Scrap Iron Wanted

At Hedley, Giles and Lelia Lake, and will pay \$5.00 per-ton for all you have, delivered at either of the three places. Also will pay good prices for rubber, brass, copper, bones, and anything in the junk line. Will be in Hedley about three weeks.

J. A. Neely.

Buy a Liberty Bond and help your country.

BUY A LIBERTY LOAN BOND

The act authorizing the Liberty Loan Bonds of 1917 was passed April 24, 1917. It provides for the issue of \$5,000,000,000 of 3 1/2 per cent bonds, the interest payable semiannually on December 15 and June 15 of each year. The principal is repayable on or after the 15th day of June, 1932, at the option of the government, and if the option is not exercised the bonds will run 30 years and become due June 15, 1947.

The bonds are exempt both as to principal and interest from all taxation, national state county or municipal, except the inheritance tax, which is really not a tax on the property, but on the transfer of the property by will or inheritance.

The bonds are to be sold at par; that is dollar for dollar, no premium and no discount. They are to be sold by the treasurer of the United States and by all Federal Reserve banks. But all banks, National and State, post offices, and express companies have been designated as agents of the Government to receive applications for these bonds. It is almost as easy to purchase one of these bonds as it is to get a post office money order.

It is not necessary to pay cash in full for a bond. One can pay down two per cent of the purchase price on application—that is, \$1 for a \$50 bond, \$2 for a \$100 bond etc.—18 per cent on July 25, 1917; 20 per cent July 30, 1917; 30 per cent August 15, 1917; and the balance, 30 per cent, August 30, 1917.

Trade at The Dixie on Trades Day and Save one dollar on a \$10 purchase. Itc

Sergeant J. W. Stauffer and Private Jimmie Caldwell of the Amarillo recruiting station were here Monday in motor cycle and sidecar. They were boosting army recruiting.

A high class program for every day next week.

The Pleasant Hour.

Hats! Hats! Hats!

Old hats made new, cleaned, blocked and re-trimmed at Clarke's tailor shop by Andrew Gunderson.

Dannie Mae Masterson is in Memphis this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Oscar Alexander.

I have the agency for the Chevrolet cars and will be glad to figure with any who wish to buy a good auto.

B. L. Kinsey.

ILLUSTRATED DAIRY LECTURE NEXT TUESDAY

The stereopticon dairy lectures delivered over the Panhandle are raising interest to a high pitch at every city hall and every school house where they are given. The party delivering them is composed of Messrs. Harcourt and Hanifon of the DeLaval Company; A. L. Short, agricultural agent for the Fort and Denver, Harmon Benton, county agricultural agent, and W. J. McPheeters, Nissley field manager.

Not content that only a few communities should hear the lecturers on dairying and see the manifold slides and "movies" of the dairy business from A to Z, the party has mapped out an itinerary which includes many important places in the Panhandle country during the next three weeks. They will be at Hedley June 5, 8 p. m.

AN OPEN LETTER TO ALL MOTHERS

[The following clipped article was handed the Informer with a request to reproduce, by the mother of a boy who enlisted for service recently:]

John J. Cartan of Fort Worth, who has two boys in the United States navy and who is "proud they are there," sends us a clipping from the Saint Louis Post Dispatch which he believes is worth reproducing. We think so too. It is in the form of an open letter "To the Mothers of Men" and it is timely, in spite of the fact that we are now to have selective conscription. Indeed, it puts so clearly the duty which falls to all citizens equally to serve the country that it is really a justification of the underlying principal of the conscription measure. Here is the letter.

Dear Madam:

You doubtless know what Harry Grant, the son of your next door neighbor, has enlisted for service in the United States navy. Remember don't you how they used to play Indian in the yard together and you had to patch them both up with courtplaster afterwards? And I have no doubt you recall that time when those big boys attacked Billy and Harry came to the rescue and fought by the side of your son until he was ready to drop. It all comes back, doesn't it?

Well, Harry is in the navy now—again fighting for your son but your son, where is he? At home? You need him? Do you need him any worse than Mrs. Grant

needs her son?

You don't believe in war, you say? You believe in honor and duty, don't you? At any rate you believe in self-preservation. Do you realize that the United States has gone to war with Germany not for territorial gain nor for indemnities, but to preserve that peace and security under which you have been living many years. Belgium did not want war. It is true that the United States neither expects nor fears an invasion of the country at this time; but aren't you willing to make some sacrifices that your children and children's children may be assured for peace and liberty for decades to come.

Harry Grant is fighting for your son and for you. Are you willing that Mrs. Grant's son should assume the obligations of your boy? Undoubtedly Billy is just as brave and courageous as Harry, but are you as brave and courageous as Harry's mother? As a matter of ordinary fairness do you think it is right that your son should stay at home quietly while Harry stands by a gun risking his life in defense of you and Billy?

You may think that you love your son more than Mrs. Grant does here. Deep in your heart you know that is not true. You have seen the light in her windows many nights while she bent over the fevered bed of her child; you have seen her face blanch with fear when Harry was missing for a few hours or when he fell down the stairs; you have seen her kiss the tears away even as you yourself have kissed away the tears from the face of your son; you know in your heart madam, that Mrs. Grant and you are both mothers and that there is no comparative or superlative degree.

Where is your pride? Did Mrs. Grant rear a son capable of defending two families while your boy is to be made incapable of defending himself? If Harry Grant should be killed would you like to read this epitaph on his tombstone?

Here lies Harry Grant Who fought for peace and liberty, Of his country, of his family And of the family of Mrs. Smith.

Madam: If your son wishes to enlist, let him. He will serve you, our country and generations to come. Don't let Mrs. Grant carry your burden. Share it.—Ex.

MILITARY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE WRITES

Editor Informer, Hedley, Texas.

Dear Sir: The President has designated June 5th as registration day. We feel that every loyal citizen realizes the necessity for a full registration and that a duty rests upon us all to assist toward that end.

It is assumed that the local machinery for registration is arranged, and that the registration officials understand their duties; but it might be wise for the local officials to make a final check in order to be sure that no point is overlooked.

While the great majority of our citizens are thoroughly informed that those who are 21 or over, and not yet 31 years of age on that day are required to register, it is probable that a considerable number scattered over the State and particularly among our negro population, do not understand the law, and the penalty for not registering. In justice to them we urge every citizen to give all possible publicity to the requirements of the law.

But of even higher importance is the necessity that the people of Texas be brought to realize and know that not alone the young men who on that day register for military service, but all of us, young and old, men and women, must perform our duties as loyal citizens. The farmer and stockman to produce the food to sustain our army and our nation; the housewife to conserve without hoarding, and to economize by preventing waste; each of us to take a share of the Liberty Loan according to our means; and one and all to put the nation's need above our self interest, that we may add our part to the country's strength.

Let us all on June 5th reconsecrate our lives to our country's service and pledge ourselves each to the other that every Texan will do his part so well that in the future our children may be proud that this crisis found the people of Texas worthy of the heritage handed down to us by those heroes who fought and died that we might enjoy the blessings of liberty and self government.

Committee of Military Affairs.
Robert L. Ball, Chairman.
Geo. H. Carter, Secretary

Check Accounts are Welcome Here

Individuals, corporations and societies find it to their advantage to have an account in this institution because.

Our FACILITIES afford the greatest convenience and dispatch in the transaction of their business.

Our POLICY is flexible enough to respond to the needs of our smallest depositors.

Our RESOURCES are fully adequate to meet the utmost requirements of our customers.

Our OFFICERS are readily available. They are well qualified to advise you regarding financial matters and are interested enough in the welfare of customers to furnish just such information as they need.

Make This Your Bank

THE FIRST STATE BANK OF HEDLEY

J. C. Doneghy, Pres.
J. R. Benson, Cashier

G. A. Wimberly, Vice-Pres.
P. T. Boston, Ass't Cashier

Notice to the Hedley Community!

I have bought the J. M. Bozeman Blacksmith Shop and am now ready to do any and all kinds of blacksmithing. Have a good blacksmith—W. E. Whitfield—to help me. If your horse or mule needs shoeing he can do that too. Give me your business and help build up Hedley. I guarantee all work to give satisfaction and the charges will be right. Horse and mule shoeing a specialty. I will certainly appreciate your business.

J. S. HALL, The Blacksmith

At Your Service

Just as the minute men were at the service of the nation in their day, so are we at the service of the people of this community today.

We solicit the deposits of both the large and small depositors. We give the same careful, courteous treatment and accommodations consistent with good banking to one and all.

Let Our Bank Be Your Bank

GUARANTY STATE BANK

The Dixie's Special for Trades Day & Chautauqua Week

One week of Money-Saving Opportunities in the face of high prices--a week in which good up-to-date merchandise can be bought at last year's prices. Our usual amount of nice Summer Dress Materials and Summer lines and many new things added from time to time, but owing to late approach of warm weather the demand has been less. Considering the short time to move this causes us to have special prices at this time.

TRADES DAY SATURDAY DOLLAR DAY AND ALL NEXT WEEK

6 yd 20c Tissue Gingham, Batist, Lawns	\$1.00
7 yds French Gingham	1.00
8 yds Elberta Gingham	1.00
8 yds Hope Muslin	1.00
10 yds nice Outing Flannel	1.00
2 1/2 10 4 Peperal Sheeting	1.00
22 1/2 yds good House Canvas	1.00
16 yds good Calico	1.00
3 yds Beauty Silk all colors	1.00
3 yds O-gandie 42 in.	1.00
20 yds Embroidery, asst.	1.00
1 nice Organdy Waist	1.00
1 Men's nice Dress Hat	1.00
1 Men's fine Shirt	1.00
3 pr Ladies Silk Hoes	1.00
2 pr Boys Linen Pants	1.00
3 pr Ladies Unions	1.00
2 full suits Men's Underwear	1.00

TRADES DAY Sat. Dollar day GOOD ONLY SATURDAY

STRICTLY CASH OR PRODUCE

1 3 lb can Cooper's Best Coffee	\$1.00
4 1/2 lbs Best Peaberry Coffee	1.00
5 lbs good Santos Coffee	1.00
12 lbs good Rice	1.00
7 lbs nice Mexican Beans	1.00
12 cans Beans	1.00
6 cans Pink Salmon	1.00
25 bars Crystal White Soap	1.00
8 lbs choice Peaches or Apples	1.00
3 1/2 lb pkgs Tetley's Tea	1.00
2 good Brooms	1.00
Belle of Wichita 100 lbs	1.00

FINE FOOTWEAR goes at last year's prices. A full line Oxfords for all ages at a cut price. Closing out nice up to date shoes at a price that will pay you to buy now. A full line of Tennis sandals, etc., at prices not equalled in Donley County.

Make your arrangements to visit us as early as possible, as some of our best bargains will be picked up soon. It will pay you to make all your Summer purchases while this sale is on—you can save \$1.00 on every \$10.00 bill you buy. This is no sham sale. We mean every word we say. Nothing charged this sale. Come and see us, and get a cool drink. You are always fliccome. Highest price for Eggs and Poultry.

Hedley-- O. N. STALLSWORTH --Texas

Locals

Lots of cigars at the Hedley Drug Co.

Mrs. A. J. Newman visited relatives in Alanreed a few days last week.

Get toilet articles from the Hedley Drug Store

Mack White returned last week from a few weeks visit in Cooke county.

Have a fit with Clarke, the Tailor, who knows how.

L. L. Amason has bought three lots in the Smith Addition from W. R. McCarroll.

A nice lot of jewelry always in stock. Hedley Drug Store.

Miss Rena Sanford visited friends in Lelia Lake from Saturday until Monday.

Candy, Tobacco and Cigars, fresh and fine at Hedley Drug Store.

Mrs. E. E. McGee visited in the B. F. Naylor home in Clarendon Wednesday.

We are doing business at the same old stand in the same old way. Caraway Co.

J. G. McDougal and W. G. Brinson transacted business in Clarendon Wednesday.

Sporting goods, such as base ball, tennis, etc., at the Hedley Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lewis and Miss Julia Lane visited relatives in Clarendon Wednesday.

Have your Tailor work done with Clarke, the Tailor, who knows how.

Mrs. J. P. Pool, baby and Ila are in Hereford this week visiting relatives and friends.

Your prescriptions receive careful attention at Hedley Drug Store.

Miss Dessie McFarling returned Monday night from a few visit with friends at Hereford.

Suits made to measure, with Clarke the Tailor who knows how. Clarke, the Tailor.

Jess Adamson, wife and son arrived Sunday from Petersburg to visit his parents and others.

Get your creams, face powder, talcum powder (big can for 25c), at the Hedley Drug Co.

Miss Laura Brinson returned to her home at Dallas Sunday after a two weeks visit with relatives.

DELCO-LIGHT

Miss Lelia Johnson of Clarendon spent Sunday here with her cousins, Misses Corrie and Era Johnson.

When in need of drugs, toilet articles, cigars, tobacco, candy, stationery, cold drinks, call at Hedley Drug Store.

Mrs. B. S. Nichols of Memphis visited the families of J. H. Rich and Bond W. Johnson Monday.

Mrs. Edward C. Harris and baby came Monday from Rotan to visit her parents, W. E. Reeve and wife.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

A Maxwell Touring Car, in A1 shape and new tires. FRANK CLARK.

Mrs. A. M. Sarvis has been very sick several days.

Mrs. Ranson Johnson has been critically ill the last few days but last report she was better.

Misses Corrie, Era and Eula Johnson visited friends in Amarillo a few days first of the week.

A. L. Miller and son, Craigo, Penn Dishman and Bud Greer left Thursday morning for a trip to the South plains.

A. J. Baker and family of Claude visited J. C. Wells and wife Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Wells are sisters.

Misses May and Alice Johnson of Clarendon visited in the homes of their uncles, Bond W. and P. C. Johnson, a few days this week.

W. A. Johnson and wife of Roswell visited brothers, Bond W. and P. C. Sunday. They were on their way home from Mineral Wells.

Hats! Hats! Hats!

Old hats made new, cleaned, blocked and re-trimmed at Clarke's tailor shop by Andrew Gunderson.

The C. W. B. M. ladies will have their meeting on Tuesday of next week instead of on Wednesday on account of the Chautauqua.

I have the agency for the Chevrolet cars and will be glad to figure with any who wish to buy a good auto. B. L. Kinsey.

R. H. Jones is having his house done over, new porches built, new cement walks, rooms repapered, and everything fixed modern throughout.

All kinds of Dr. Hess' stock powder and tonics, worm powders, poultry powders and panaceas, stock dip. Hedley Drug Co.

Rev. J. B. Pyatt of Perrin visited his brother-in-law F. M. Acord, and other friends and preached at the First Baptist church here several nights this week.

WANT COLUMN

In this column can be found bargains offered for sale, wanted-to-buy; and lost and found items.

RATES:

25 Words, one insertion	25c
25 Words, two insertions	45c
25 Words, three insertions	60c
25 Words, four insertions	75c

No classified want-ad will be accepted for less than 25 cents.

WANTED

Mrs. Josie McBride, Private Nursing. Phone 78' 16 tfe

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two young paint horses, 2 buggies, 1 pair double and 1 set single harness, 1 saddle, 1 good and large barn. Dr. J. B. Ozier.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Davis & Son Piano for cash, or will trade for two good Jersey cows. Mrs. W. Nippert.

LOST

LOST—An indorsed check for \$9.00, lost in or near Hedley. Finder please return to Miss Vada Hicks.

STRAYED—From J. L. Bain's pasture some time past, a Hereford Heifer 2 years old branded 77 on left hip. Finder notify J. R. HILLMAN, 28-4tp Hedley, Texas.

J. C. Doneghy and brother came first of the week from St. Louis. The former is president of the First State Bank of Hedley; and the latter is a banker in Missouri.

The support of the Liberty Loan for 1917 must be universal.

A deal was consummated this week whereby W. Nippert sells the Nippert Hotel to M. O. Barnett. Consideration not stated. Mr. Barnett will employ some one to run it for him.

June 6 7 8 Hedley will have a Chautauqua worth your while to attend. Bear it in mind.

Judge O'Neal and W. H. Patrick of Clarendon were here a short while Saturday afternoon and spoke on the Liberty Loan Bond proposition, and made it plain why people should subscribe to this cause.

Mrs. T. M. Little was taken to Clarendon first of the week for medical attention.

J. G. McDougal has bought the splendid ranch property of L. L. Amason southwest of town and has taken charge of same. Mr. Amason and wife will make a prospecting trip by auto through New Mexico before locating.

Hedley Chautauqua

June 6 7 8 Everybody come eat, drink and be merry at

BUSY-BEE Cafe-Confectionery

West side Main

Rev. S. H. Holmes of Vernon will preach Sunday morning and night at the Presbyterian church. Rev. Holmes was pastor of the Christian church here some three or four years ago and the people will be glad to hear him preach again.

W. B. Ayers returned from Fort Worth Tuesday morning. He reported the sale of his two fat calves. They were 13 months old and the two of them weighed 1750 pounds. They sold for 12 cents per pound, amounting to \$210. And it was an off market at that.

Hail Insurance

If you want to be protected against loss by hail on your crops let me write your insurance in one of the strongest if not the strongest companies in the United States. D. C. Moore.

We do first-class work and our charges are very reasonable.

Our purpose is to clean, press and repair your clothes in such a way that you may regard our work as better than usual. And to charge you no more for this kind of service than perhaps you have been in the custom of paying for unsatisfactory results. There's a difference we want to show you.

Hedley Pressing Parlor

The Pleasant Hour received a new player piano this week.

Read the trade day offerings by some of the enterprising merchants. They find it pays to advertise in the Informer.

Mrs. W. T. White has let the contract for a nice seven room dwelling to be erected on her lots west of T. C. Lively. The foundation is being laid this week. WATCHHEDLEYGROW.

Ira B. Lewis arrived Sunday from Dallas to join his wife in visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lane. Mr. Lewis has been employed in The Dallas Times-Herald office several months.

Mr. Mayo, adjuster for the St. Paul Fire & Marine Ins. Co., adjusted Frank Clark's barn loss last Saturday, allowing Frank \$704.50 damage.

A. M. Sarvis, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon

Office at Hedley Drug Co. Phones: Office 3 2r. Res. 28 Hedley, Texas

J. B. Ozler, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon

Office Phone No. 45-8r. Residence Phone No. 45-2r. Hedley, Texas

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Hedley, Texas

Come to us for

Lumber & Coal

Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

U. J. BOSTON, Manager

First Saturday Trade Day

Saturday June 2, and thereafter

EVERY FIRST SATURDAY

It has been decided to start up the First Saturday Trade Day in Hedley, beginning Saturday June 2. A number of business men have agreed to make special trade inducements on that day, announcement of same to be made next week. It is also being planned to provide an auctioneer, free of charge, to the farmers to sell anything you may want to sell. There will be other attractions. Bring the family. If you have anything to sell or exchange bring that along. If you have some nice livestock in the way of horses, mares, mules, colts, etc., or some nice chickens, or choice vegetables and other products, bring them. In fact bring anything that will interest your neighbors. Come and have a good time. When in town have your name enrolled with the secretary as an active member of the Citizens Welfare League.

The Citizens Welfare League

P. C. Johnson, Chairman

J. C. Wells, Secretary

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Buy a Liberty Bond and help your country

The next week or ten days is going to be a busy time in Hedley. Saturday the ladies of town and community will have a mass meeting; Tuesday is registration day; and a dairy lecture, and Ozark Trail inspectors are to be here; then Wednesday, Thursday and Friday are the Chautauqua days. Bear these things in mind and be on hand for all of them if possible, or as many as you can.

A Liberty Loan Bond is a mortgage on the United States.

The County Registration Board requests the Informer to call attention to next Tuesday being registration day, and that every man between the ages of 21 and and 31 should not fail to register on that day, as it is a serious offense not to do so. The registration for this voting precinct will be held in Bond Hall and the hours will be from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

TRY OUR WANT-ADS

In view of the fact that additional burdens have recently been placed upon the newspapers of the country, and in view of the fact that the nation must depend to a great extent upon the press to act as the medium between the government and citizens, the Oklahoma Council of State Defense urges that all citizens cooperate with their home newspapers in every way possible. The "Business as Usual" campaign demands that industries maintain their advertising as far as possible. Each citizen should consider it both a business and a patriotic duty to aid newspapers by paying arrears in subscription and in every other way to aid the press in meeting emergencies of the war. From the Oklahoma Council of State Defense.

Buy a Liberty Bond.

BE A HIGH CLASS STENOGRAPHER

Steno is the greatest single forward step in the history of rapid writing. It makes the typewriter do double duty, record dictation as well as transcribe it. It uses the abbreviating power of the English language the same as in Byrne Simplied Shorthand but with printed characters on any standard make of typewriter instead of with the pencil. The typewriter has proven to be the most efficient of modern office appliances. The business man likes it because it enables him to turn out his correspondence with accuracy and speed. But he has realized that there was still a weakness in his correspondence from the fact that what he dictated was recorded first with the erring pencil and that which did not go down correct could not come back correct.

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CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM

Hedley June 6-7-8

FIRST DAY

3:00 P. M. Introduction of Superintendent by local people. Address Chautauqua Superintendent. Concert METROPOLITAN MALE TRIO Instrumental and Vocal.
Admission: 25 and 15 cents.

8:00 P. M. Concert METROPOLITAN MALE TRIO featuring organ chimes. Lecture, "Community Nuts to Crack", D. LEE FITZPATRICK.
Admission: 35 and 15 cents.

SECOND DAY

3:00 P. M. WRIGHT-HALL-MARQUETTE CO. (Dramatists) Presenting playlets with humor, vigor and value. Lecture, "The Life Beautiful", LILA G. ENGLISH, a woman famous as lecturer and author.
Admission: 35 and 15 cents.

8:00 P. M. "Othello" 5th Act and "The Odd Christian" special character delineations, by WRIGHT-HALL-MARQUETTE PLAYERS.
Admission: 35 and 15 cents.

THIRD DAY

3:00 P. M. Concert, DEL MAR LADIES QUARTETTE, wonderful combination of voices, and unusual orchestration, together with solos, duets and trios, both vocal and instrumental. Beautiful costume presentations.
Admission: 35 and 15 cents.

8:00 P. M. DEL MAR LADIES QUARTETTE in concert 30 minutes. Closing Lecture, "Pay As You Enter", by DR. JNO. R. VORIS.
Admission: 50 and 15 cents.

Season Tickets: Adults \$1.50, Children 75c.

Season tickets are not transferable except within the owner's family.

THE CHAUTAUQUA FIELD MEET

BOYS CLASS I
Broad jump, distance 6' 4"
Running high jump, 4' 4"
Running, 100 yard dash, 14 sec.
Chinning, 9 times.

BOYS CLASS II
Broad jump, distance 6 feet.
Running high jump, 3 feet, 9 in.
Running 60 yard dash, 9 seconds
Chinning, 6 times.

JUNIOR BOYS
Broad jump, distance 5' 9"
Chinning, 4 times.
Running 60 yard dash, 9 seconds

SENIOR GIRLS
Basketball
Goal throwing, 3 goals 6 trials.

Distance throw 42 feet 3 trials
Balancing, 24 feet, 2 trials.
Potato Race.

JUNIOR GIRLS
Basketball
Goal throwing, 2 goals 6 trials
Balancing, 24 feet, 2 trials.
Potato Race.

The above events will take place at 9:30 a. m. of second day of the Chautauqua. Competition will be against the record set by thousands of other children. The prizes will be the same for those reaching the standard. Each child passing all the tests of the of the class in which he registers will be given a nice button. The boy passing all tests in Classes I and II, will have passed the tests which entitles him to the

bronze badge. His record will be kept, and next year if he raises his own record he will be granted a silver badge, and the third year a gold badge. The Standard Chautauqua System will furnish these badges free of charge to the boy that passes both classes. Boys, begin training now and win a bronze badge. It is a dandy! The third morning of the Chautauqua, the children will have a picnic and generate a good time under direction of someone chosen to supervise and chaperone. We want the children to have a good time and lots of fun.

Scrap Iron Wanted

At Hedley, Giles and Lelia Lake, and will pay \$5.00 per ton for all you have, delivered at either of the three places. Also will pay good prices for rubber, brass, copper, bones, and anything in the junk line. Will be in Hedley about three weeks.
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J. A. Neely

Sergeant J. W. Stauffer and Private Jimmie Caldwell of the Amarillo recruiting station were here Monday in motor cycle and sidecar. They were boosting army recruiting.

Metropolitan Entertainment Trio

Just the Company For the Opening Program of Chautauqua—Real Boys, With Real Music, and Real Snap and Ginger.



They are real boys, these Metropolitan Boys, and they put over the kind of music that makes the Methodist foot look inspiringly toward the nervous-twitching Presbyterian contemporary. They give a full afternoon program the first day and prelude in the evening. Hear the Metropolitan Entertainment Trio!

The music, don't forget, will be of a snappy, rollicking kind that just naturally tends to make you want to get out and shake yourself. The Metropolitan Entertainment Trio is just the company for the opening program—clean men, with snap and ginger, and a program that will please the most critical.

A trio of music and fun makers. Good music, light music, funny music and just real music, together with the playing of that most popular chautauqua instrument, the organ chimes. Their work on the chimes is the work of artists. Many of their songs are accompanied by chimes, with perfect harmony of voice and chimes. It is just the kind of music designed to set the nerves a-tingle and put the chautauqua under way in a rollicking, happy method.

Mr. Beatty is gifted with a rich bass voice, is a talented reader and accompanist. His group of darkly impassioned songs are gems. Mr. Byerson as violinist has few equals. He possesses a high baritone voice of exceptional quality and is a pianist and accompanist. Mr. Green, with his beautiful tenor voice, clarinet solos and readings makes up a trio equal to any male quartet on the chautauqua platform.

HIGH SHERIFFS OF THE SOUTH NOW CONVINCED

Sheriff Mangum of Atlanta, Ga., Sheriff Anderson of Houston, Tex., Sheriff Lewis of Marion, Ark. and Sheriff Kelley of Odessa, Tex., Come Out With Strong Statements and Tell What Tanlac Has Done for Them.

FOUR leading Sheriffs of the South—in widely separated states—have recently given their unqualified indorsements to Tanlac. The word of men whose records for honesty and unrightness has won and held for them the highest county office in the gift of the people of their own communities, cannot be doubted, for if there is any office that demands a man of unimpeachable integrity, it is the office of Sheriff.

"Tanlac has certainly helped me and I recommend it for the good it has done in my case," said Hon. C. W. Mangum, ex-sheriff of Fulton County, Georgia, who resides in Atlanta and who has been one of the most popular officials in the state, having served three terms as sheriff. "I am seventy years old," he continued, "and have most always been a pretty healthy man until here lately. I have been in a nervous wornout, rundown condition. Most always after eating I would have a full uncomfortable feeling which would last several hours. After taking the second bottle of Tanlac the fullness and all the disagreeable symptoms disappeared and my condition is now that of a well man. Tanlac seemed to be just what I needed to put my system in shape and it has toned me right up. Naturally I would recommend it to my friends and I know of fifteen or twenty families that are taking it now on my say-so."

Arkansas Official Testifies.
Hon. Chas. I. Lewis, ex-sheriff of Crittenden County, a merchant and a large plantation owner of Marion, Arkansas, said: "I am convinced from the benefits that my wife and myself and many of our friends have received from Tanlac, that it is without an equal. Mrs. Lewis suffered for ten years. She couldn't digest anything and gas forming in her stomach caused severe pains and shortness of breath. We both started taking Tanlac at the same time and have had the most gratifying results. Mrs. Lewis can now eat and enjoy her food for the first time in many a day. She is not nervous and her sleep is sound and refreshing and she is like a different woman. I suffered with biliousness and malaria and the two bottles of Tanlac have fixed me up in fine shape."

Ex-Sheriff Anderson's Statement.
"Money couldn't buy the good Tanlac has done me and I gladly recom-

mend it to others for what it has done in my case," said Hon. Archie R. Anderson, ex-sheriff of Harris County, Texas, who was re-elected to this high office seven times and served the people of his country for fifteen years as sheriff. Mr. Anderson was chief of police of the city of Houston, where he resides, for several years, and there is not a better known man in Harris County.

"I was continually belching up undigested food," he continued, "and I would bloat and swell up like I was poisoned and suffered from neuralgic pains of the worst sort and nothing relieved me. I began to feel better after taking the first bottle of Tanlac and have just started on my third and feel like a different man already. I sleep like a log now and can eat anything I want without the slightest discomfort afterwards."

Texas Sheriff's Indorsement.
"I needed a general all around building up for the last seven months and Tanlac has done that very thing for me," said Hon. S. A. Kelley, sheriff of Ector County, Texas, who resides at Odessa, Texas, and who is one of the most popular officials in that section of the state. "I'm mighty glad now that I took Tanlac, for I had been in a badly rundown condition for several months. I had no appetite and didn't enjoy what I did eat and at times I suffered terribly with rheumatic pains. My back ached all the time and my liver was so sluggish and out of shape that I had a dull headache continually. I have taken only two bottles, but I feel like a different man already. My appetite is fine and what I eat gives me nourishment and strength. The rheumatism is much better and my liver is in good condition. I am relieved of the headaches and feel more active and energetic than I have in months."

CULTIVATION OF DASHEEN INCREASING



Dasheen Plants Shown Growing in Field Near Brooksville, Fla.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
The dasheen, a root crop introduced into this country from Trinidad within recent years by the United States department of agriculture, is now grown by a considerable number of farmers and truckers in the South, and promises to become a valuable member of the group of domestic vegetables such as the potato which furnish starchy foods. The new vegetable is closely related to the taro, which is an important factor in the food supply in portions of the tropics. The dasheen is itself primarily a tropical plant. It can be grown successfully, however, not only in the warmer portions of Florida, but in other sections of the South as far north as South Carolina. The edible portion of the plant includes a large central root and a number of tubers, of much smaller size, attached to and around the root.

The value of the dasheen, it is believed, will be as a crop supplemental rather than a substitute for the potato. The fact that the dasheen matures in the fall when potatoes must be obtained from Northern producing sections should make the new plant especially valuable in the economies of the Southern farmer.

In food value the dasheen is comparable to the potato, though it contains a smaller proportion of water and a greater proportion of protein, starch and sugar than the latter. The new vegetable may be prepared for the

table as potatoes usually are, or may be made into flour and used in baking. The tender shoots forced from the large roots may be prepared like asparagus, and make a pleasing dish in that form.

Culture and Handling of Dasheens.
The dasheen is grown from whole tubers weighing a few ounces. They require a frostless season of at least seven months with plenty of moisture. A moist but well-drained, rich, sandy loam has been found to be a satisfactory soil for dasheen culture. A large proportion of either clay or muck in the soil produces strong-flavored, tough roots which are often unfit for table use. Large crops are produced under such conditions, however, and make excellent stock feed.

The crop is planted in February in southern Florida and as late as the early part of April in South Carolina. The plants are spaced about 3 1/2 by 3 1/2 feet. Dasheens may be dug for home use by the middle of September and the main crop can be harvested at any time after the last of October. The clumps of tubers are left on the surface of the ground for several days to dry. The tops and small roots are then broken off and the dasheens placed in storage.

In the Tea Kettle.
Cousin Elmer had a big boil on the back of his neck that was interfering seriously with his enjoyment of spring and the world in general, and the conversation at the dinner table turned from Cousin Elmer's ailment to a general discussion of boils.
When a lull came, John, age eight, who had been listening intently, spoke up:
"The last boil I saw, papa, was in the tea kettle."—Indianapolis News.

DON'T GAMBLE
that your heart's all right. Make sure. Take "Renovine"—a heart and nerve tonic. Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.
Oratory Rendered Difficult.
"What you ought to do is to deliver one of those old-fashioned ringing speeches."
"No," answered Senator Sorghum, "times have changed. A man can't get up and make a speech now without creating a suspicion that maybe he's going to filibuster."

Many people imagine that Worms or Tape-worm cannot be gotten rid of entirely. Those who have used "Dead Shot"—Dr. Peery's Vermifuge, know that they can. Adv.

Her Part.
Jean was to take part in her first wedding, which was to be one with the double ring service. When she came home she was questioned by her mother as to what she did. Jean answered: "I carried the he ring."

CUTICURA STOPS ITCHING
Instantly in Most Cases—Write for a Free Sample.

Cuticura is wonderfully effective. The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal all forms of itching, burning skin and scalp affections. Besides these super-creamy emollients if used daily prevent little skin troubles becoming serious. Free sample each by mail with Book, Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Practical Peace Plans.
"Aren't you for peace?" asked Mr. Rafferty.
"I am," replied Mr. Dolan. "That's why I want to get in as soon as possible and finish up the fighting."

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletchur* In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

There seems to be a yellow streak in human nature that always makes it want to shift responsibility.

PARASITES IN SWINE ROTATE TO ERADICATE PESTS

Mixture Recommended by Expert at Oklahoma College.

Many Breeders Use Straight Arsenic, Form Known as Arsenous Acid Being Most Commonly Employed—Turpentine is Good.

(By W. P. SHULER, Department of Veterinary Medicine, Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater)
Treatment of hogs for the kidney worm is usually of little or no avail. According to different reports, seven out of ten hogs slaughtered will be infested either in the region of the kidneys, lungs, the intestinal tract or circulatory system. For intestinal parasites a mixture like the following will give good results:
Powdered nux vomica 1 part, powdered calcium sulpho-carbolate 1 part, powdered black antimony one-half part, powdered charcoal 2 parts, common salt 2 parts, gentian 1 part, oil meal 2 parts.
Many cases of infestation by parasites is charged up to hog cholera. Too little attention is paid to parasitic troubles. As to the arsenic treatment for kidney worms, there is much dispute about its efficiency. Many breeders use the straight arsenic, the form known as arsenous acid being most commonly employed. It is given in 10 to 20-grain doses. A teaspoonful of arsenic would be a sufficient dose for a half dozen average-sized hogs. Care should be exercised in its use, and it ought to be stirred into slop, or if mixed with mashers care should be taken that the mixture is quite complete. This treatment is continued for eight or ten days at a time. Some seem to think that where arsenic is beneficial, the parasites are not located in and around the kidneys, but rather on account of the purging and vomiting produced by large-sized doses of arsenic, the parasites are located in the stomach and intestines, or the bile ducts of the liver. Excessive purging and vomiting would have a tendency to eliminate them. Turpentine is also thought to have a beneficial action. A teaspoonful of oil of turpentine for each hog twice or three times daily for a period of eight or ten days should be given. The best method, however, of handling conditions of this sort is to keep the animals away from infected feed and pens. If they feed on acorns, keep plenty of coppers and charcoal, especially charcoal, convenient for them to eat. The formula for parasites in general has given very good results.

PROPER RATION FOR SHOTES

Mixture of Corn, Wheat Shorts and Tankage is Recommended by Expert of Oklahoma Station.

(By L. FOWLER, Oklahoma Station.)
An excellent ration for young shotes is one consisting of a mixture of corn, wheat shorts and tankage. The first two months feed these grains in the following proportions by weight: Corn, four parts; shorts, two parts; tankage, one part. The second two months feed the following proportions: Corn, six parts; shorts, two parts; tankage, one part. During the last two months feed the following proportions: Corn, nine parts; shorts, two parts; tankage, one part.
I would mix this together and moisten with water. This will be a well-balanced ration and the pigs should be fed twice a day just as much of this mixture as they will clean up well. The younger the pigs the more rich feed or protein substances they need. During the last few weeks of the fattening period they will do better and put more fat on with a greater proportion of corn in the ration. If you have no corn you can substitute kaffir or feterita. It would be well, of course, to grind all the grain.

COTTON CATERPILAR

The cotton caterpillar, where they exist in sufficient numbers to entirely denude the cotton fields of all foliage and squares late in the season, may considerably accelerate the movement of the weevil and extend the territory infested, since the food supply has been cut off and much longer distances are covered in search of subsistence.



Is Your Back Stiff, Lame and Achy? Do Weak Kidneys Keep You Sick, Tired and All Worn Out?

If YOU have a constant, dull ache, or sharp pains whenever you bend or twist your back, and the kidney secretions seem disordered, too, don't waste time plastering or rubbing the bad back. It's likely that the cause is kidney weakness, and delay in treating the kidneys may invite uric acid poisoning, gravel, dropsy or fatal Bright's disease.

Get Doan's Kidney Pills, a special remedy for weak kidneys, used around the world and publicly recommended by 50,000 people in the U. S. A.

Personal Reports of Real Cases

CURE HAS LASTED. Mrs. J. F. Anderson, 126 Ave. L, Galveston, Texas, says: "I suffered so badly with my kidneys I thought I wouldn't live. My back pained terribly. My limbs swelled and I had awful dizzy spells. The pain got so bad I thought I would go frantic. My nerves were shattered. At last, I was confined to bed. The doctor said my only hope was an operation. Doan's Kidney Pills spared me that, however. They cured me of all the ailments and saved my life. My cure has been permanent."	NO TROUBLE SINCE. R. B. Mitchell, Mitchell Hotel, Celeste, Texas, says: "Exposure brought on kidney trouble. I suffered awfully from pains in my back and at times was almost doubled up. My feet and hands swelled and black spots came before my eyes. The kidney secretions were filled with sediment. Five doctors gave me up and I went to the mineral wells, but returned home without being benefited. When I read of Doan's Kidney Pills, I began taking them and they saved my life. I was cured and I have been free from kidney trouble for the past six years."
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DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

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Pop Needs Eye Crutches.
Little Elsie—Mom can see a lot better'n pop, Mrs. Gadabout.
Mrs. Gadabout—What makes you think so, my child?
Little Elsie—Why, I heard pop say, "I can't see ten dollars in that hat," and mom says, "Well, I can."



Government Issues Warning Against Fly Poisons

Following is an extract from "The Transmission of Disease by Flies," Supplement No. 29 to the Public Health Reports, April, 1916.

"Of other fly poisons mentioned, Turpentine should be used merely for a purpose of contamination, of those composed of arsenic. Fatal cases of poisoning of children through the use of such compounds are far too frequent, and owing to the resemblance of arsenical poisoning to summer diarrhea and cholera infantum, it is believed that the cases reported do not, by any means, comprise the total. Arsenical fly-destroying devices must be rated as extremely dangerous, and should never be used, even if other measures are not at hand."

100 fly poisoning cases have been reported by the press within the last three years. As stated above this number is but a fraction of the real number. Protect your children by using the safe, efficient, non-poisonous fly catcher



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Men and Women

Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Dr. Doan's Swamp-Root, the great kidney medicine, is highly recommended by thousands. Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that so many people say it has done for them just the remedy needed in every case. It is even the most distressing cases. At druggists in 50c and \$1.00 sizes. You may receive a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root by Parcel Post, also a pamphlet telling you about it. Address Dr. Doan & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents, also mention this paper.

Suspicious.
Poet—The editor has taken six of my poems. That guy must be nutty enough to write poetry himself.

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

Panacea of the Home the World Over.

Why will you allow a cold to advance in your system and thus encourage more serious maladies, such as pneumonia or lung trouble, when by the timely use of a few doses of Boschee's German Syrup you can get relief. This medicine has stood the test of fifty years. It induces a good night's sleep with easy expectoration in the morning. For sale by druggists in all parts of the civilized world in 25 and 75 cent bottles.—Adv.

Cameo Cutting.
Cameo cutting, one of the most antique of occupations, has recently been introduced into the United States.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's
The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

Contrary Signs.
"It looks like falling weather."
"Yes, the wind is rising."—Baltimore American.

CAPUDINE
—For Headaches—
Try it and be convinced. Good for aches in back and limbs also—Assists Nature to get right and stay so. It's Liquid—easy to take.—Adv.

Balked.
Hubby—You think you're deep, but to me you are an open book.
Wife—But you can't shut me up.

SAVE A DOCTOR'S BILL by keeping Mississippi Diarrhea Cordial handy for all stomach complaints. Price 25c and 50c.—Adv.
The man who would always tell the truth dare not tell everything that is told him for the truth.
Granulated Eyelids, etc., Inflamed Eyes—relieved over night by Roman Eye Salve.—One trial proves its merit. Adv.
If people would reflect more they would be brighter, and if they were brighter they would reflect more.

President Wilson Says: "Each Person Should Do His Bit" We Are Prepared to Do Ours ARE YOU?

Because of the great demand for leather in equipping the U. S. Army with Leggings, Shoes, Saddles, etc., it has caused the prices of shoes to soar sky-high, yet, note our "bit".

Ladies Shoes	Men's Shoes
\$2.00 Shoes.....\$1.70	\$3.75 Shoes.....\$3.10
2.50 Shoes.....1.90	4.00 Shoes.....3.60
3.50 Shoes.....3.10	4.50 Shoes.....3.90
6.00 Shoes.....4.90	6.00 Shoes.....4.80
9.50 Shoes.....5.00	7.00 Shoes.....5.60
Ladies Oxfords	Men's Oxfords
\$2.25 Oxfords.....\$1.75	\$2.80 Oxfords.....\$1.90
3.00 Oxfords.....2.25	4.00 Oxfords.....3.30
3.50 Oxfords.....3.30	4.50 Oxfords.....3.60
4.00 Oxfords.....3.75	5.00 Oxfords.....3.90
4.50 Oxfords.....4.00	6.00 Oxfords.....4.90
Misses Shoes	Men's Oxfords
\$3.50 Shoes.....\$2.90	7.50 Oxfords.....6.00
2.50 Shoes.....2.10	
2.00 Shoes.....1.70	Misses Oxfords
Boys Oxfords & Tennis	\$1.25 Oxfords.....\$.90
\$.55 grade.....\$.70	1.50 Oxfords.....1.10
1.65 grade.....1.80	2.25 Oxfords.....1.70
2.50 grade.....1.80	3.00 Oxfords.....1.90
3.50 grade.....2.90	3.50 Oxfords.....2.70
	3.50 Oxfords.....2.90

We are called upon in all branches of American Industry to Economize. Yet, Economy does not mean that you should do without those things of which you are actually in need. It means, in part, to **BUY Where You Get the Best Values for Your Money.** This is what we are doing as our "bit": Helping the President by helping you here by giving you a reduction of 20 cents or more on every dollar you spend with us.

Did you ever stop to think who had to pay the High Cost of Freight and Express Rates, Rents, City Taxes, which accompany those things you buy in the city? Well it comes out of the quality of your goods. Then why not PATRONIZE THE HOME MERCHANT, who has not these things to compete with, thereby saving money for yourself, and aiding in the upbuilding of your community.

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As you know, all Serge goods used in the United States comes from Europe. You can readily understand how the war has affected the sale of serge in this country. Absolutely impossible to get any more, even at avaricious prices. We have a complete line of men's and youths' serge and worsted, all wool suits, which we are cleaning out. Don't fail to see this special feature.

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17.50 Suits go in this sale at.....	14.00
Men's and Boys' Pants	
\$1.00 Pants.....	.80
2.25 Pants.....	1.90
3.50 Pants.....	2.50
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5.00 Hats.....	3.50
	6.00 Hats.....
	\$2.50
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