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## Spring Cleaning

Will Soon Be Here

We have what you need to help the work along.

Wizzard Polish  
Ocedar Polish  
Liquid Veneer  
Paint, all kinds  
Wall Paper in stock

Give us your business. We want it.

**Swift Bros & Smith**  
The Complete Drug Store

### JUDGE DANIEL WALKER FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE

The Sentinel is informed on good authority that Judge Dan Walker of Center, Judge of the Fourth Judicial District, will file his formal announcement as a candidate for associate justice of the court of civil appeals at Beaumont, to succeed Judge King, tomorrow.

Judge Walker was born and reared in Cherokee county, and has been practicing law at Center for the past ten or fifteen years, giving up practice some two years ago to take a place on the bench of his district. He is making a brilliant record on the bench as he did as an attorney. In fact, he is said to be peculiarly adapted to this line of work, having a strong judicial mind, which he keeps stored with a knowledge of the law. In addition to his good qualifications, he is a most polished, affable, christian gentleman who is loved and admired by those who know him.

### TO TEACHERS.

Garrison, Texas, March 19, 1918.  
Mr. Editor:  
Please ask all of the teachers in Nacogdoches county to notice the food brought to school on Mondays and Wednesdays and see that no wheat bread or biscuit is eaten on these days.  
Yours very truly,  
R. B. WALTHALL,  
Nacogdoches County Food Administrator.

### PROCESS PROTECTS COTTON FROM FIRE AND ROT.

Roy T. Weatherford of Amarilla, representing the Cotton Protecting Company, with headquarters in Oklahoma City, Okla., and Memphis, Tenn., is here calling on business men, growers and farmers, and perfecting plans to build vats for dipping cotton bales to render them immune to flash fire and rot.

The process has received the endorsement of Underwriters' Laboratory in Chicago, and the Railway Fire Protective Association, composed of a representative from each of the Railway companies in America after rigid tests.

The process was patented last December and the company, owning it, has an authorized capital stock of \$1,250,000.00, about half of which has been sold. It is claimed that a saving of one-tenth of the annual waste preventable by this process will mean enormous annual dividends to stockholders.

Mr. Weatherford will visit several towns and cotton gins in the county within the next few days.

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### SECRETARY OF WAR BAKER INSPECTING AMERICAN FORCES

The following dispatch appearing in Sunday's state papers giving a report of the visit to Secretary of War Baker to France, is doubly interesting for the reason that it tells something of the great preparations and the great work being done by the American forces:

Aboard Secretary Baker's Special Train, France, March 18.—"I am still absorbing," remarked Secretary Baker tonight, following his 24-hour day inspection of one of America's greatest ports—the French coast.

Baker reached the port at 8 a. m. on an express special train of nine cars and a special car, carrying three automobiles. He was accompanied by Generals Pershing, Atterbury and Black, besides other officers, newspaper men and movie men.

The secretary immediately began an inspection of the huge docks along the river, where thousands of enlisted men were working. They have already completed two miles, including railroads and a warehouse. The structure is of concrete and plank construction, which can endure for hundreds of years.

### Four Miles of Docks.

Officers told Baker completion of the task means four miles of permanent unloading facilities, where 40,000-foot ships can load or unload at one time. Many huge war docks are already piled high with American goods and machinery.

Personally questioning officers, the secretary showed an intimate knowledge of technical details. Later he was shown the rail head of America's line of communications. Double tracks now stretch off across the country, resembling the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio.

Surrounded by some of America's most brilliant railroad engineers, Baker, occasionally seconded by General Pershing, studied maps showing the entire system of American communication. He demanded to know the percentage of grades from this point in comparison with others; the maximum carrying capacity of trains; what was the quickest time for supplies to reach the actual front, etc.

In their autos, the party journeyed a few miles along pine-planked country roads, where three and a half square miles of warehouses are under construction. They went to the rest camp, which will accommodate 22,000 men; to the remount depot, where 3000 horses are kept for replacement at the front, and to a hospital which will eventually be the largest in the world. At present it will accommodate 20,000 men and will be enlarged to accommodate 40,000.

### 1200 Miles of Telegraph.

Flanking the roads everywhere are telegraph and telephone wires. Twelve hundred miles of American telegraph lines are almost completed, forming a net work from the sea bases to headquarters.

Everywhere Americans are training, working, fighting. Baker and his party late this afternoon visited an artillery camp and saw big American guns set up from traveling shapes into firing condition.

American artillerymen worked feverishly under the eyes of their commander-in-chief, the secretary of war, who minutely inspected every detail and asked countless questions.

A message balloon, lazily hanging in cloudless skies, in the rear, added a touch of realism, although the only Germans within hundreds of miles were scattered prisoners at work.

It is probably true that Baker is working the hardest of his life, absorbing details which he declares will shorten the war. Asked his impression, he said:

"I frankly admit this is my first inspection of a great port of debarkation. I had not realized the immensity of the project, but I must say I am completely satisfied."

### TEXAS QUOTA OF BOYS IS FIXED AT 25,500

Washington, March 17.—Quotas of boys which each state is to furnish in the campaign to enlist a boys' working reserve of 250,000 for the farms which opens tomorrow was announced by the department of labor tonight include: Missouri 21,000, Kansas 17,000, Kentucky 9500, Tennessee 10,000, Iowa 11,000, Texas 25,500.

### THE AMERICAN BOYS ARE FIGHTING INTENSELY

With the American Army in France, Saturday, March 16.—(By the Associated Press).—After a terrific artillery preparation this morning, large numbers of the enemy crossed No Man's Land on the extreme right of the American sector northwest of Toul. Apparently the purpose of the raid was quickly accomplished and only a comparatively small number entered our lines.

Permission has not been given to mention the number of casualties.

This raid, like most of the others, was designed to gather information by means of taking prisoners.

East of Luneville our patrols have explored part of the German trench, which our artillery forced the enemy to abandon. Patrols proceeded laterally until they established contact with the Germans. Our reconnaissance and patrol found snipers' posts, listening posts and nests, from where machine guns had been firing on our lines. The artillery attended to all these posts.

The German positions have been made so uncomfortable at several places that they are now trying to regain a foothold by connecting shell holes. Our troops have been subjected to an extraordinary artillery fire for the last 24 hours. More than 240 shells, which made craters 20 feet deep and 30 feet in diameter, fell in one section of the line. In another section batteries have been shaken heavily. More gas shells have fallen in both the Toul and Luneville sectors, but the larger number in the former.

### SECRETARY MADDOX TO TOUR FOR LIBERTY LOAN

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Secretary McAdoo will make a speaking tour of the South, Middle West and East, on behalf of the third Liberty Loan, beginning at Philadelphia on Saturday, April 6, the opening day of his campaign.

Speaking dates in Southern states were made public tonight. The definite engagements after April 6 are in Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas and Arizona.

After visiting Arizona, the secretary plans to return through New Mexico, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Michigan, New York, Maine and Massachusetts and Rhode Island. The cities to be visited in these states will be determined later.

With the exception of New Orleans none of the cities to be visited during the third loan was included in Secretary McAdoo's speaking tour during the two campaigns last year.

His date include: Houston, Texas, April 15; San Antonio, April 16; El Paso, April 17; Phoenix, Ariz., April 18.

### HOLLAND OFFERS TERMS TO SAVE HER SHIPS

THE HAGUE, March 17.—After a cabinet council lasting into the night, the government cabled to London a message, which, according to reliable information, probably will lead to a satisfactory conclusion of the shipping difficulty.

Amsterdam dispatch on Saturday said it had been learned on excellent authority that the Dutch government had accepted the demand of the Entente Allies relating to the use of Dutch ships in the danger zone.

### Waiting For Dutch Reply.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Holland's reply to the American and British demand that a voluntary shipping agreement be put into effect despite Germany's opposition, in default of which the Dutch vessels in American and British waters would be seized under the ancient law, will be awaited before further action is taken by the United States government.

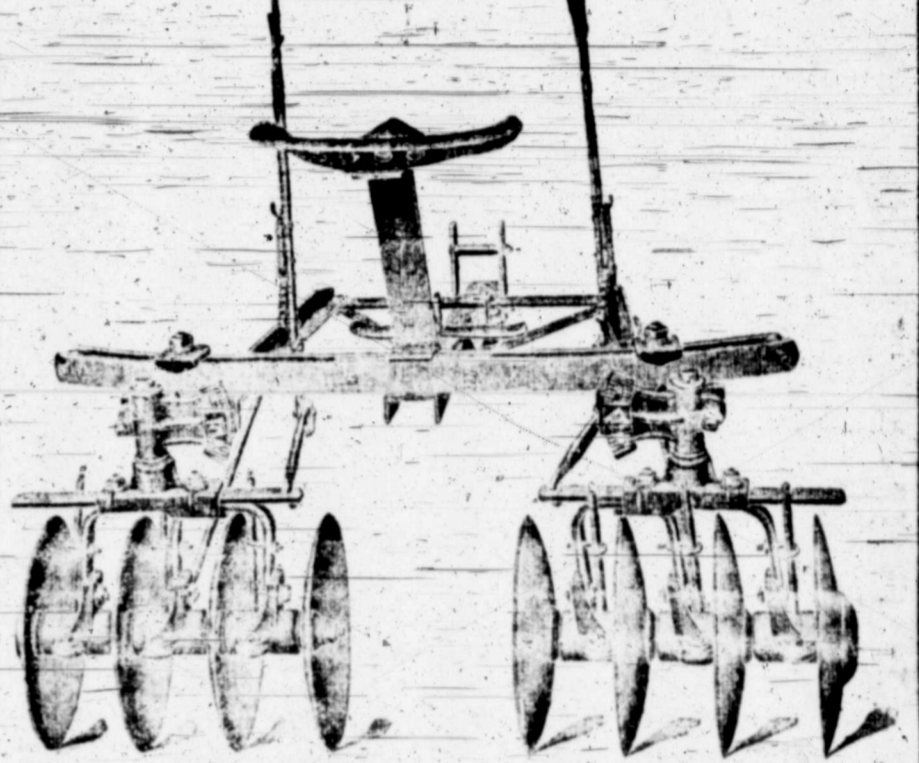
Dispatches from The Hague tonight indicated that the reply was en route, but probably would not reach Washington by noon tomorrow, when the time limit set expires.

As it is believed now Holland will assent to the allied proposals, officials here desire to delay action so that transfer by agreement may be substituted for seizure, although in other case they would be entirely within their rights under international law.

Don't boast of your patriotism unless you can back up your boast.

## A Two-Purpose Disc Harrow

is one that prepares a well pulverized seed bed and then cultivates the crop. Such a harrow is a paying investment. The



### Avery Crescent

is that kind. It has 18 inches of clearance under the double trees, permitting cultivation until crop is well advanced in growth.

Gangs are reversible, so you can throw soil to or away from the row. They can be set any desired distance apart on the frame and given any tilt to the bed. The gangs with four discs have three upright steel standards (other harrows have only two) set edge-wise to prevent clogging.

This harrow can be used with or without tongue truck.

The better the seed bed the bigger the crop. Disc your land with a Crescent before and after plowing, and the increased yields will pay for it several times over before it wears out.

## Cason, Monk & Co.

### TEXAS HOUSE PASSES PRIMARY ELECTION BILL

Austin, Texas, March 18.—The first step in the direction of election reforms by the special session of the legislature, was taken today by the house, when it finally passed a bill by Representative Debergery, providing for majority nominations in primaries for state and district officers.

The house voted down an amendment by Representative Cope, which provided for injunction proceedings to prevent placing the name of any unqualified voter on the ballot in any primary election.

Messrs. Jim Bell, A. H. Hart and Jno. D. Wilson were among the Garrison visitors to the city today.

Buy War Savings and Thrift Stamps

<b>Farmers and Merchants State Bank</b>	
Capital	Surplus Earned
\$25,000 00	\$25,000 00
Undivided Profits	
\$10,000 00	
<b>Deposits, \$292,000 00</b>	

YOUR KIND AND GENEROUS SUPPORT HAS MADE POSSIBLE THE ABOVE STATEMENT OF CONDITION. WE ARE GRATEFUL TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

**Farmers & Merchants State Bank**  
NACOGDOCHES TEXAS

## Special Easter Sale

We are working to offer our entire line of Merchandise, consisting of Ladies' Ready-to-Wear, Shoes, Hats and Clothing for both women and men as a special Easter Sale. The following is only a few of the prices we have to offer:

- LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS, \$1.50 and \$1.25 values. Easter price..... **75c**
- LADIES' SILK SKIRTS in fancy stripes, \$7.50 values. Easter price..... **\$5.95**
- LADIES' FANCY WOOL SKIRTS in stripes and plaids, all colors, \$5.00 values. Easter price..... **\$3.95**
- LADIES' FANCY WASH SKIRTS, also solid colors, \$2.50 values. Easter price..... **\$1.95**

EXTRA SPECIAL PRICES on all Ladies', Misses' and Children's Footwear.

EXTRA SPECIAL PRICES on our entire line of Millinery which consists of the very best Spring styles.

We also have a new line of Middy Blouses just received which will be placed in this sale.

We carry a specialty line of Ladies' House Dresses, and Children's Dresses, and you will have advantage of special prices on these also.

## S. MINTZ













## Re-Production

Is a Wonderful Thing

The EDISON is a machine that re-produces the voices of the most famous artists, the music of the most famous bands and orchestras that the world affords.

You can enjoy the wonderful reproduction in your home by your fireside.

You will enjoy this wonderful music as well as your family and friends. We would be glad to explain our new plan of installing one in your home. The expense is small, the pleasure is great. Phone or write us for descriptive matter on this machine.

**Stripling Haselwood & Co**

Constable J. G. Vaughn of Garrison was a visitor to the city today.

Mr. M. B. Lawson, residing out a few miles in the country, is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. Dock Watson, and family.

Clyde Chatman, of this county, W. Phillips of Sag Augustine county, and Paul Mettauer of Chireno, who went with the Coast Artillery Co. from this city to Garveston, where they have been in training for service for their country, arrived last night for a little visit to their relatives and friends.

Keep the bowels active and the digestion good if you would enjoy health. A dose of Prickly Ash Bitters whenever such disorders appear will keep you on the right road. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Stripling, Haselwood & Co., Special Agents.

Rudolph Prince, a well known young business man of Garrison, was in the city this morning. Mr. Prince was drawn as a juror for the week, but was excused on account of business responsibilities which he could not leave without suffering much interruption.

Rapid heart throbbing does not necessarily mean heart disease. Generally it is caused by a disordered stomach. Prove it for yourself by taking Prickly Ash Bitters; if the stomach is at fault the heart symptoms will quickly disappear. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Stripling, Haselwood & Co., Special Agents.

Services of registered blue mammoth, Jack, and combination saddle and harness horse, at Davis stable behind laundry. Tried and tested, and colt guaranteed. Call and look at stock. J. M. Harris.

## Used Cars For Sale

- One Reo Four Touring Car 1917 model, 2 brand new tires \$700
- One Overland 90 Touring Car, tires almost new \$430
- One Maxwell Roadster, perfect condition and good tires \$500
- One Maxwell Roadster, good shape \$450
- One Ford Roadster, almost new \$525

**Nacogdoches Garage Co.**

### THOUSAND-ROLLAR CLUB IS GROWING RAPIDLY

The following new names have been added to the thousand dollar Thrift Club within the past few days, each of the parties having subscribed for one thousand dollars worth of war-saving certificates:

C. R. Langston, L. S. McDuffie, Mrs. L. S. McDuffie, Garrison.

Geo. T. McNess, Elias Johnson, Wiley Dorman, Wm. G. Reid, Mrs. J. R. Gray, Mrs. L. B. Mast, Nacogdoches.

The promoters are expecting a number of other new members at an early date and thus gradually and substantially old Nacogdoches is coming across in this as she has all other matters pertaining to the war. In making this observation, however, let us remember that we have much to raise yet to meet the county's quota, and let no one shirk thinking it can be done without his help.

### CORPSE BROUGHT HOME.

The remains of Mrs. Sarah J. Yates reached this city Sunday, from Fairfield, Texas, where the lady died while on a visit to her daughter, and from the train the body was tenderly borne out to the Fairview cemetery by friends and loved ones and laid to rest at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Sentinel failed to get any of the particulars of her death further than the above, but if we should be able to secure the data, a more extended writeup will appear later.

The Sentinel is requested to say that the Layton Strickland case has been continued for the term, and the witnesses need not appear next Monday.

County Attorney Langston King arrived home last night from Bryan, where he was summoned as a witness

## A Good Milk Cow

Means Money and Food Conserved

We have nine good Jersey cows to come fresh during next 10 days

CASH, CREDIT, TRADE

**BLACKBURN & MAST**

Horses, Mules, Cows Lock's Cotton Yard

Irregular bowel movements should be corrected, as they lead to chronic constipation. Take a dose of Prickly Ash Bitters at bedtime. You will get its beneficial effect after breakfast next morning. It empties the stomach and bowels and makes you feel fit for the day's work. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Stripling, Haselwood & Co., Special Agents.

Sergeant Major Jas. F. Davis, after a visit to his brother, Prof. R. F. Davis, in this city, and relatives in Shelby county, returned yesterday to Camp Gordon near Atlanta, where he goes to resume service for the cause of his country. Mr. Davis has made rapid progress in military circles, and belongs to a family of patriots who are furnishing a big quota of men for the firing line and the remainder doing what they can at home.

in the Sapp case. Mr. King says that he saw District Attorney O'Quinn while in Bryan, and that Mr. O'Quinn told him that he was very seriously considering the idea of entering the race for Associate Justice of the Beaumont Court of Civil Appeals, to succeed Judge Steve King, who will retire from the bench at the end of his term. He will give out a statement, we presume, when he returns, being very busy just at this time in the trial of the big case in which he is associated with the prosecution.

### MORE SALES REPORTED WAR-SAVING CERTIFICATES

More sales are being made daily of war-saving certificates and war-saving stamps, and The Sentinel would like to report all of them for the help it would be in the campaign and for the credit that is due those who subscribe. To keep up with this work the agencies engaged in the work are requested to report to the office all sales they make, daily, and we will in turn report it in the paper, showing what progress is being made.

- New sales not hitherto reported are as follows:
- Hollis Baugh \$500
  - Hamilton Davis 200
  - Bill Ramus 200
  - Charlie Watkins 500
  - Nacogdoches High School 150

### AFTER THREE YEARS.

Nacogdoches—Testimony Remains Unshaken. Time is the best test of truth. Here is a Nacogdoche story that has stood the test of time. It is a story with a point which will come straight home to many of us.

C. Heitmann, shoemaker, 114 North North Street, says: "I was bothered for six or eight weeks by a constant, dull, heavy ache in the small of my back. I lacked ambition and mornings I was tired and worn out. I finally got Doan's Kidney Pills at Mast Bros. Drug Store and they promptly cured me."

OVER THREE YEARS LATER Mr. Heitmann said: "I haven't changed my high opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills. The benefit they gave me has been lasting."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Heitmann had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

# Prepare For Easter



A Quarter a Day Keeps the Kaiser Away

Save on Food and Buy Thrift Stamps

## Attractive Springtime Materials For Making Your Easter Frock

A wonderful array of new Taffeta stripes and plaids, Silk Foulards, Pongee, Silk Striped Voiles and Tissues.

Everything you desire in Apparel, Millinery, Materials and accessories are here.

SPECIAL—36-inch Silk Foulard, per yard \$1.95  
36-inch Fancy Silk Pongee 95c

## Tailored Suits and Frocks

Springtime Fashions displayed in our large assembly of beautiful Tailored Suits and Frocks for women and misses, represent all the leading materials and color combinations.

SUITS, \$35.00 down to \$15.00  
FROCKS, \$29.50 down to \$13.95

## Our Men's Department

Showing Suits with no fault in the making or flaws in the style.

"Friendly" garments, every one of them, because they'll hold trade for the store by pleasing the man who tries, buys and wears them.

\$15.00 up to \$35.00

Soft Hats, Straw Hats, Panama Hats, Bankok Hats, Milan Hats, Hats with all the style of the best makers.

\$2.00 up to \$6.00

Shirts, Cravats, Gloves, Hose, Caps and every little new thing in keeping with the season is here.

New styles in Boy's Caps.

New styles in Collars too.

## Boy's Spring Suits

Suits for boys that's hard on clothes.

Palm Beach, "Kool Kloth" and Light Weight Woolen.

Suits that spell "Economy" for parents in letters a foot high.

Priced \$12.00 down to \$5.00.

A spic and span stock of everything men, women, misses, boys and little girls wear, not forgetting they are economically priced too!

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