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GERMANS HAD PLANNED GIGANTIC AIR RAID

PARIS, Dec. 18.—Plans for a gigantic air raid on Paris by the Germans, in which five thousand incendiary bombs, containing chemicals which would cause fire of such a nature that pouring water on them would cause flames, were to be used, is printed by Figaro.

"REMEMBER THE VETERANS OF THE CROSS."

The above topic will be discussed tonight at the Christian church at 7:15, Captain Edgar Thomson will lead the meeting. All members and officers are urged to be present. A cordial invitation is extended to strangers and friends.

CATALONIAN DEMANDS REFERRED TO PARLIAMENT

MADRID, Dec. 18.—The government has submitted to the deputies from the Catalan district an offer to refer the Catalanian demands for autonomy to an extra parliamentary commission, whose report will be submitted to Cortes for its approval. The right is reserved to Cortes to suspend the grant of autonomy if experiences prove that the conduct of the government through the regional method does not work satisfactorily.

The Sentinel is in possession of a most interesting letter from Arley Barron, who is in France, to his father, Mr. W. G. Barron, which will be published tomorrow.

WILSON'S SILENT LEAGUE OF NATIONS

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Dec. 18.—Up to this moment President Wilson has not expressed himself in favor of any of the various propositions that have been advanced in regard to the creation of a league of nations, according to a statement issued today by the American peace commission.

NACOGDOCHES MAN TO DRILL OIL WELL IN LUFKIN SOON

The following item is taken from yesterday's issue of the Lufkin News: N. R. Hall of Nacogdoches came in today from Dallas, and when asked by a News reporter about the Texas development company, with which he is associated, and which plans to sink an oil well here, he replied that the machinery would get to Lufkin today from Oil City, and that actual drilling would begin not later than Thursday.

Mr. Hall says he intends to find out just what is beneath the surface, and will not stop until a thorough test has been given. He will have another rig here in the near future, which will be put to work in a different spot, although near town.

There may be a few skeptics here as to oil in paying quantities, but there are many others who have strong faith in the Lufkin field.

AMERICAN CASUALTIES

Washington, Dec. 18.—The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces.

MORNING LIST
Killed in action—263.
Died of wounds—119.
Died of accident and other causes—19.
Died of airplane accident—2.
Died of disease—271.
Wounded severely, 1,737.
Wounded, degree undetermined—51.
Wounded slightly—154.
Missing in action—537.
Total—3,153.

The following Texans are contained on the list:
Killed in action—
Lt. Stonewall J. Darnell, Haskell.
George B. Bartels, Sequin.
Emmett R. Gibson, Flint.
Willie O. Turner, Commerce.
Leon Zear, Victoria.
Chelton C. Stewart, Gary.
Charlie A. Gienzel, Karnes Cit.
Edward F. Wilson, Texarkana.

Died of wounds—
Lt. Claude W. Fisher, Sherman.
Corp. Benton Nottingham, Lampasas.
Corp. Thomas W. Waller, Mabank.
Leslie D. Bounds, Utopia.
Abe A. Harrison, Georgetown.
John J. O'Leary, Dalhart.
Robert W. Pearson, Madisonville.
Frank W. Freeman, Oliden.
John Quincy Adams, Killen.
Samuel N. Eryar, Sherman.
Silina L. Barnes, Houston.
Jesse E. Denham, Parentburg.
Frank T. Wiswell, Stanton.

Died from accident and other causes—
Willie Walker, Brady.
Died from airplane accident—
Lt. Rogers C. Goree, Austin.
Died of disease—
Corp. James G. Britton, Conroe.
Louis Gonzales, San Antonio.
Essic Peterson, Kemp.
Calvin O. Ramsey, Tenaha.
Victor Surez, San Antonio.
Wm. A. T. Peavy, Cottonwood.
Geo. Eilers, Buda.

Wounded severely—
Capt. Carey S. Banchard, Hillsboro.
Wm. B. Johnson, Alice.
John M. Cameron, Taylor.
William E. Jackson, Austin.
George L. Keene, Crockett.
George H. Moore, Denison.
Corp. Harry O. Ammon, Wichita Falls.

Russell M. Bonner, Weatherford.
John Ragdale, Dallas.
Arthur B. Hastings, Sulphur Springs.

Daniel Sparks, Ennis.
Frank H. Hamilton, Reinhardt.
Lawrence C. Oliver, Loring.
Alfred H. A. Luerssen, Westhoff.
Robert E. Smith, Lyons.
Wagoner Leslie Bedford, Kingsland.
Mechanic Robert Fehlis, Jr., Buda.
Willie A. J. Stevens, Normangee.
Benjamin F. Whitehead, Hearne.
George L. Bell, Houston.
Frank Collins, Jonesville.
Max R. Hobrecht, Elmendorf.
John W. Lusk, Slocum.
Arthur V. Pinn, Harwood.

Pohn F. Whately, San Antonio.
Joseph E. Bishop, Corsicana.
Archie R. Little, Avoca.
Abel Martinez, Marfa.
John G. Tucker, San Antonio.
William H. Harral, Gainesville.
Sam Moscatelli, Diboll.
Luther Stover, Blanco.
Tolbert A. Ellis, Turpentine.
Joseph F. Minnehan, Gatesville.
Herbert E. Christian, Abilene.
John B. Martin, Clarendon.
Joe T. Ross, Clawson.
Clifford S. Phillips, Ore City.
Max Schumaker, Gayhill.
James R. Estes, Waco.

Brice A. Jenkins, Campbell.
Thomas C. Phillips, Corsicana.
John L. Brooks, Fort Worth.
Garrett E. Evans, Margaret.
Ollie C. Bishop, Covington.
Thomas W. Howard, Fort Worth.
Robert L. Smith, Pearsall.
Elijah Weaver, Fairmont.
Rossie L. Griffin, Vandalia.
Claude Fugh, Winona.
Irby Comer, Austin.
Roy McAnaly, Dallas.
Anton Malatek, Gonzales.
John A. Parker, Greenville.
James A. Hedgepeth, Hamilton.
James W. Pike, Whitehouse.
Jeremiah Dian, Galveston.
Leroy Good, Huntington.
Ernest C. Koepff, Laverma.
Charles L. Stephens, Star.

Jon E. Winkelman, Canyon.
Jessie H. Wilson, Personville.
Leslie L. Pittman, Mexia.
Trelay W. Johnson, Atlanta.
Giles R. Greer, Blossom.
Ed. Buller, Crockett.
Elijah E. Regan, Houston.
Robert M. Mowell, Sherman.
Oscar L. Wilson, Floyd.

Missing in Action—
Willie L. Coton, Silsbee.
Alonzo J. A. Jung, Frederickburg.
Jessie G. Moore, Clarendon.
William A. Carlyle, Carza.
George M. McDonnell, Sonora.
Sidney N. Stribling, El Paso.

AFTERNOON LIST
Wounded severely—731.
Wounded, degree undetermined—1,347.
Wounded slightly—1,848.
Total—3,927.

Wounded severely—
Sgt. Thos. J. Barton, Vista.
Sgt. Robert H. Vicker, Longview.
SG. WM. R. CRAWFORD, NACOGDOCHES.

OGDOCHES.

John Newman Pool, Avery.
Newton W. Kennedy, Edgewood.
Elmo H. Palm, Stockdale.
Curtis G. Boyle, Planeview.
Herbert R. Jarnigan, Bonham.
Henry Hauck, Brenham.
Earl Jas. Moore, Fort Chadburn.
Jim Henyard Redmond, Grapeland.
Wm. W. Taylor, Fuqua.
John T. Redwine, Farmersville.
Wm. D. Boxley, Timmonson.
Nichols V. Dittlinger, Austin.
Floyd P. Williams, Frost.
Mike Dybaski, El Paso.
Antonio Martinez, Brownville.
George H. Pratley, Dallas.
Ewell E. Elkins, Post.
Edwin A. Steen, Houston.

Wounded slightly—
Corp. Walter Veazey, Burnett.
Corp. John L. Bates, Beeville.
Corp. Lucien V. Montgomery, Sweetwater.

Corp. John Smith, Grand Prairie.
John Alvin Brown, Sample.
Wm. P. Wilmeth, Lamesa.
Jno. T. Shelton, Nacona.
Geo. Bernice Kincaid, Blossom.
Ethel H. Johnson, Grapeland.
Wm. Ezra Smith, Winfred.
August Rabel, Rosanky.

Henry W. Dobson, Jacksboro.
Homer Cole, Childress.
Earl R. Ridder, Hubbard.
Carl D. Yancy, Ft. Worth.
Joseph O. McMurray, McGuirk.
Jas. O. Peace, Jackson.
L. T. Smit, Liberty.
Hoyt E. Jopling, Brownwood.
Jackson Wyatt Crosby, Buckhaltes.
Geo. E. Hartt, Memphis.
Peak M. Martin, Big Lake.
Benjamin Koonce, Brownsville.
Homer W. Pettigrew, Alvaredo.

Wounded, degree undetermined—
Roy Perkins, Lometa.
Stephen H. Wood, Burleson.
Guillermo Ochoa, San Antonio.
Joseph T. Smith, Cleburne.
John Akins, Beaumont.
Oscar O. Hayles, Paris.
Perry W. Turner, Willington.
Robert Eldres Upton, Alford.
Willie T. Riemers, Arlington.
Diamond Adair, Nona.
Wm. Fisk, San Antonio.
Harry L. Barbour, Ft. Worth.
Elliott R. Chamberlain, Cooper.
Wm. P. Presley, Willis Point.
Monroe V. Boatright, Arlington.
Joe Wesley Belzung, Cliff.
Jed. Covey, Valley.
Marshall Leavitt, Stamford.
Wm. B. Cooper, Kinnard.
John Jones, Wesley.

Robert D. House, Sulphur Bluff.
Jas. A. Harris, St. Paul.

COUNTY BOY IS RELEASED FROM GERMAN PRISON

PVT. ERNEST J. KING RELEASED FROM RASTATT PRISON CAMP.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. King, of Woden, received an official telegram today from the war department, stating that their son, Pvt. Ernest J. King, had been released from the German prison camp at Rastatt, and had returned to France in good health. Private King was sent out by the local board of this county some time ago, and was reported as missing in action several months ago. He is a nephew of Mr. Hughes King, of this city. This is the first Nacogdoches county boy who has been released from a German prison.

His parents, and many friends over the county are certainly overjoyed to learn that he has been released, and more especially so in the fact that he is in good health. Missing in action before the armistice was signed was almost a death warrant, and his parents were greatly worried.

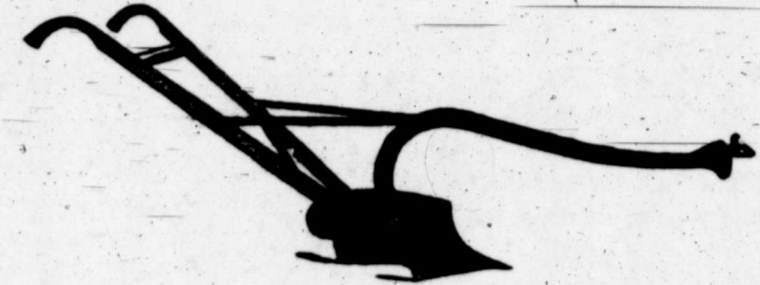
The young man will doubtless have many experiences to relate upon his return home, which is possible in the near future, and having gone through what he has, has proven his patriotism in a way that will give him and his friends satisfaction in the years to come.

Don't buy your holiday goods until you have looked over our line of new goods. Remember, that our holiday goods are brand new. You have never seen them before. D. E. Hughes, the jeweler, next door to the Queen theatre.

Rev. Harlan J. Matthews of Decatur, Texas, came in today for a visit on both pleasure and business. Rev. Matthews was raised at Melrose, Texas, and moved to Waco, where he was pastor of the Baptist church for five years. He has been five years in his present home.

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Before you buy another plow, come in and examine the Avery.

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WILSON HOLDS A CONFERENCE GENERAL FOCH

POLAND READY TO CONCLUDE ALLIANCE

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 18.—The Polish government has declared itself ready to conclude a military and political alliance with the Entente nations, according to the Cologne Gazette.

Dispatches to the same newspaper, from Vienna, report that the town council of Karlsbad has asked President Wilson to recognize Karlsbad as an independent republic under American supremacy.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

On Sunday, Dec. 8, there was held at the Methodist church an impressive service to the memory of Hollis T. Mast.

To the President and Members of the Board of Stewards of the M. E. Church, South, Nacogdoches, Texas.

Dear Brethren: Your committee appointed to draft resolutions of respect to the memory of Hollis T. Mast beg to submit the following:

Brother Mast departed this life on the morning of November 25, 1918. He was a man highly endowed and noble of heart, enthusiastic and radiant in spirit, a man of clear vision and high ideals, arduous and abundant in labors, with the moral wisdom of always striking first at the right point, luminous in the statement of truth, and convincing in the logic of his conclusions. The spirit of God was in him, and he was a safe leader among men. Duty to him was a divine opportunity and never a mocking chance. His greatest pleasure was to be of service and to serve. In all the walks of life, and among all friend and a brother beloved.

Therefore, be it resolved.

- That in the death of Hollis T. Mast this Board and the Methodist church have lost one of our most useful members, and the entire community one of its best citizens.
- That we humbly submit to the will of Almighty God, praying that the comforting presence of the Holy Spirit may abide in sustaining power upon the bereaved family and friends of our departed brother.
- That we will endeavor, by the help of God, to emulate Brother Mast's spirit and example, and strive to carry forward the work of the church which he loved and served so faithfully.
- That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our minutes, a copy be furnished the family and a copy be given the local papers for publication.

Respectfully submitted,
J. D. ELLINGTON,
L. G. KING,
Committee.

CONFERENCE TO THE ARMISTICE LAST NIGHT.

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Dec. 18.—President Wilson and Marshal Foch talked for a half hour last night on subjects mainly in reference to the armistice between the allies and Germany, according to the Echo de Paris. It is probable that a treaty of peace will be signed at Versailles about the beginning of June and that Marshal Foch will lead the allied armies under an arch of triumph fifteen days later.

PERSHING DESIGNATES ADDITIONAL UNITS RETURN

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Additional units overseas, including about fifteen hundred officers and men are assigned by General Pershing for early convoy home, the war department announced today as follows: 35th, 149th, 158th, 173rd and the 801st aero squadron and companies A and B of the 26th engineers; 102nd and 11th trench mortar batteries, and 39th brigade of coast artillery.

JESSE J. OWENS DIED YESTERDAY.

Mr. Jesse J. Owens died yesterday at the Tucker-Smith sanitarium at 10:00 o'clock. He was about 27 years of age, and was the son-in-law of Tom Crisp of this city.

Mr. Owens was employed by the Ford garage of this city at the time he became ill. He was well known and admired by all who knew him. The Sentinel joins the many friends of the survivors in extending sincere sympathy.

Interment will take place in Oak Grove cemetery this afternoon at 3:30, with the Odd Fellows in charge of the service.

Mrs. Ernest Morner and little daughter are here for the holidays.

The Nacogdoches Sentinel is also in line with this paper about desirable rent houses. That publication has decided that no town can prosper when there are not sufficient houses for the people to live in, move and have their being—those people who live at a distance and would like to become citizens. It is hoped that not before long Lufkin will have plenty of houses to accommodate those who prefer to live in such a good town. One gentleman remarked to this editor that he was strictly in accord with the item appearing in this paper recently complaining about the shortage of desirable rent cottages in Lufkin. He wants a house himself, and knows of others who have a desire for the same thing. Let's build these houses, folks, before we do anything else?—Lufkin News.

Why shouldn't Lufkin be the oil center of East Texas? It is the center of all things else that are worth while. Come to Lufkin and enjoy yourself. It's true Nacogdoches appears on the right-of-way about twenty miles from here, but that should not deter from entering upon the best proposition you ever had in mind.—Lufkin News.

While the Sentinel would not detract from the glory of Lufkin's oil well which was reported to have started off with a 100-barrel well, we are informed that it has now "played out" and is only pumping about half what many oil wells have been producing in Nacogdoches county for some years. Nacogdoches is the true center of East Texas, regardless of the Lufkin editor's contentions.

Duty makes us do things well, but love makes us do them beautifully.—Phillip Brooks.

Better sidewalks, memorial to the soldiers, more rent houses, and a commercial club. These are the things in prospect for Nacogdoches. Everybody help and let's get them at once.

Again we would remind you that tomorrow is Sunday with services at all the churches. Read the church column and do your duty.

Johnny—What makes that new baby at your house cry so much?

Tommy—If all your teeth was out, and your hair was off, and your legs so weak you couldn't stand on them, I guess you'd feel like crying.—London Tit-Bits.

What of the boys that are coming back permanently disabled. The institutions that are salvaging the human wrecks of the war are fitting a large majority of them out for life new. A number of them will be financially or otherwise able to take care of themselves—but what of those who can't. Will the government make ample provision for their future? Many perplexing problems are before the legislature of the present, but this important one should not be lost in the shuffle, as it will not be. In the distant days of the future may the men with the spirit of "Retreat? Hell!" who stopped the drive of the invading hordes and saved Paris and the world not be subjected to asking alms of the public with which to purchase their daily bread.

It must be painful to both the patriotic Englishman and American to witness the many efforts that are being made to bring about inharmonious in the peace conference. This is not done altogether by German propaganda, either, for citizens of both countries have been guilty. If

there be any ill-feeling it is nevertheless a fact that both took up the cause of justice and righteousness and fought valiantly together—whether standing in the mud and slush of the trenches or facing the onward rush of German steel with bare breasts. Now that the time for settlement has come, a feeling of comradeship, of brotherly love should permit the spirit of both, and the dead past bury its dead.

CROWN PRINCE WRITES KAISER

The following witty article has been going the rounds of the press lately, and is published by request:

Dear papa: I am writing on the run, as the brave and glorious soldiers under my command have not seen the Rhine for so long that they have started back that way, and of course I am going mit dem.

Oh, papa, dere hos been some offel dings happened in France. First, I started in my big offensive which was to crush de fool Americans, but dey know so little about military tactics dat dey will not be crushed like I want 'em. I sent my men in der fight in big waves and when dey got to de Americans dey all said "Boo" as loud as dey could holler. Vel, according to vat you have always told me, de Americans should haf turned and run like blazes.

But vat do you tink? Dem fool Americans don't know anything about war, and instead of running de odder vay, dey came right toward us. Some of dem vas singing about "Ve von't come back till it's over, over dere," or some odder foolish song and some of them laffin' like fools.

Dey are very ignorant. But dey are offel reckles mit dere guns, and ven dey come toward us it vas den dat my men took a notion dat dey wanted to go back to de dear old Rhine. Ve don't like de little old dirty Marne river anyhow.

And, oh, papa, dem Americans use such offel language. Dey know nothing of kultur, and sey such offel dings right before us. And dey talk blasphemy, too. Vat you tink dey said right in front of my face? One big husky from de place dey call Nebraska, he said—oh papa, I hate to tell you vat an offel ting he said; but I can't help it; he said, "To hell mit der kaiser!"

Did you efer hear anything as offel? I didn't tink anybody would say such a offel tink. It made me so mad, I wouldn't stand and hear such a offel tink, so I run mit the odder boys. Vas I right? Vat?

And oh, papa, you know dem breatplates vat you sent us—can you send some to put on our backs? You know ve are going de odder vay now, and breatplates are no good, for de cowardly Americans are shooting us right in de back. Some of our boys took off dere breatplates and put 'em behind, but de fool Americans are playing "De Spar-Spangled Banner" mit machine-guns on dem plates.

Can't you help us? You remember in your speech you said nothing could stand before de brave German soldiers? Oh, papa, I don't believe dese ignorant Americans ever read your speeches, for dey run after us just like ve vas a lot of rabbits. Vat you tink of dot?

Can't you send dem some of your speeches right away? Dey don't know how terrible ve are. Can't you move my army back to Belgium vere ve von all our glory? My men can vip all de vimmen and children vot dem Belgians can bring up. But

dese Americans are so rough and ignorant. Ve can't make 'em understand dot ve are de greatest soldiers on earth, and ven ve try to sing, "Deutschland uber Alles" dey laugh like a lot of monkeys.

But ve are getting the best of the Americans. Ve can out-run dem. Papa, if ve are not de best fighters on earth ve are sure de best runners. Nobody can ketch up mit us ven ve tink of de dear old Rhine, and my army never did tink so much of dot dear old river. Let us know right away vat to do by return postoffice.—Crown Prince Willie.

ASSISTING FATHERLESS CHILDREN OF FRANCE

The work of assisting the fatherless children in France has been undertaken in Nacogdoches by Mrs. Geo. H. Matthews, who has been appointed chairman of the work for the city. Her endeavors in this undertaking started off with flying colors yesterday when she secured a donation of \$36.50 from the Cum Conclio club. The following letter received by her is self-explanatory:

Mrs. Geo. H. Matthews, Nacogdoches, Texas.

I shall be glad in deed to have you assist me in extending the work of the Fatherless Children of France among the people of your city, as well as other rural districts around Nacogdoches. I shall appoint, however, a chairman in the large cities in Nacogdoches county, such as Chireno, Cushing and Garrison. I hesitate to thank you for labor this will involve, for I believe you will welcome it as an opportunity to translate into practical action the realization we all have of the debt our nation owes to the Fathers of France who gave all willingly for the cause of civilization.

I am enclosing a plan which I will ask that you follow carefully in your work. Deviation from this may cause confusion and material delay in extending the help to the Fatherless Children of France so urgently needed now.

If anything is not absolutely clear to you, communicate at once please, with me.

Urging you to act promptly and vigorously and anticipating your close cooperation in this great work. I am

Very sincerely yours,
MRS. LOUISA A. ADOLPH

District Chairman Fatherless Children of France, Inc.

Mrs. Matthews has written the district chairman that she will accept this great opportunity offered, but on account of sickness deferred it until this week. She put it before the club Thursday. This body of women seldom if ever turn down a philanthropic proposition, without one dissenting voice agreed to make one little French orphan a Christmas present of \$36.50, for this amount will help a fatherless child with its mother one year. Therefore this small gift will add to the towering monument of American tenderness and mercy of which Marshal Joffre is president.

We have peanut hulls or shells for sale. They have double the feeding value of cotton seed hulls and cheaper. Try them for your cow. Nacogdoches Oil Mill. 10-3td-3w

Whooping in the lungs indicates that phlegm is obstructing the air passages. BALLARDS HOREHOUND SYRUP loosens phlegm so that it can be coughed up and ejected. Price 15c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle, old by Stripling Haselwood and Co.

ANOTHER CHILD AS A CHRISTMAS GIFT.

One whose arms shall not reach out to us in vain, has received from Mrs. B. T. Wilson the sum of \$36.50, enough to keep one fatherless French child with its mother one year. For this generous and kindhearted gift, Mrs. Wilson will soon get in personal and intimate touch with a little child whose father has given his life for the great world cause to which we, too, are pledged. Mrs. Wilson will receive as quick as possible a photo of her protege, and will also have letters from the child, or her guardian.

"We never give, but giving yet again, there is no burden that we may not bear. Our sweetest love is always sweetest pain. And yet the recompense, the recompense is there."

Heartburn is a symptom of indigestion. Take a dose of HERBINE in such cases. The pain disappears instantly. The bowels operate speedily, and you feel fine, vigorous and cheerful. Price 60c. Sold by Stripling-Haselwood & Co.

Cards have been received in the city announcing that Judge Steve M. King, who left bench as associated justice of the court of civil appeals, 9th district, at Beaumont, on December 1st, and Chas. D. Smith, of Beaumont, and Mr. E. J. Benckenstein, late of the University of Virginia, now of the Beaumont bar, and United States Commissioner, have formed a partnership for the practice of law at Beaumont, under the firm name of Smith & King. Judge King has a host of friends in this section who trust that his new business relations will prove both pleasurable and profitable.

Put This Out—It's Worth Money

Don't miss this. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley's Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sold and recommended by Stripling-Haselwood & Co.

CARD OF THANKS.

Words fail us when we undertake to express our thanks and appreciation to those who rendered sympathy toward us during our great grief over the loss of our precious son and brother. May God forever shower His blessings upon each of you. May your happiness be eternal, your sorrows as light as the foams of the sea. May the sunlight of heaven brighten your lives and forever shine into your homes, and may we be given the strength to prove the depth of our appreciation to each of you.

D. S. Spradley and Family.

He Was Weak and All Run Down

"I thought my kidneys might be the cause of my rundown condition and weakness," writes W. H. Frear, 63 Myrtle Ave., Albany, N. Y., "so I took Foley's Kidney Pills and they did the work. I cheerfully recommend them. You can use my name wherever you wish." They stop rheumatic aches. Sold and recommended by Stripling-Haselwood & Co.

Good redland farm containing 100 acres; level land all under fence; 65 acres in cultivation; good house and barn, fine water. Situated 8 miles north of city. Possession, January 1st. Price \$3000. ROBERT LINDSEY. 14-3td-3w



CHRISTMAS AND WAR SAVINGS STAMPS.

The most significant and satisfactory gift that can be made THIS Christmas will be that of War Savings Stamps.

Uncle Sam has asked that these securities be used this year in the place of gifts ordinarily given at the Yuletide. Such gifts express the giver's loyalty and love of country; they assist the government in bringing back the fighting men who have won victory and made a joyous Christmas possible. They are remembrances that are valuable and increase in value each month.

Every War Savings Society should pledge its members to give War Savings Stamps for Christmas, and the society should make an energetic campaign to secure on the part of the community the observance of Uncle Sam's request.

Soldiers and sailors will soon be coming home. No better way of showing appreciation of their services can be used than by setting aside for them THIS Christmas a store of War Savings Stamps to be presented to them upon their return.

Uncle Sam has asked that all business institutions which observe Christmas by presenting their workers with presents or bonus money, give War Savings Stamps instead.

See that Uncle Sam's request is followed in YOUR home. Follow his request in your Christmas cheer. There is no finer or better way of expressing your appreciation of the "boys" Christmas gift than in giving that which will enable the government to take proper care of them and bring them safely home.—From the Texas War Saver of December.

For Croup

"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is splendid for croup," writes Mrs. Edward Hassett, Frankfort, N. Y. "My children have been quickly relieved of attacks of this dreadful complaint by its use." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult.

AMERICANS MUST NOT BE CHARGED MORE THAN THE GERMANS.

(By Associated Press) WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY OF OCCUPATION, Dec. 16.—Men in German military uniform are not allowed within the American area of occupation after December 15, unless they are on duty, and provided with written permission by the American military authorities.

Americans must not be charged more for food and other things than the Germans, according to a proclamation of the American commission.

Mrs. Isley's Letter.

In a recent letter Mrs. D. W. Isley of Litchfield, Ill., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Tablets or disorders of the stomach and as a laxative, and have found them a quick and sure relief." If you are troubled with indigestion or constipation these tablets will do you good.

BELGIUM EXCLUDES MORAL LOSSES FROM HUN COMPENSATION

(By Associated Press) BRUSSELS, Dec. 16.—The Belgian government has submitted to parliament a bill limiting compensation for war dam-

ages to the material losses, excluding those based on moral grounds. The senate in its address, replying to a speech from the throne, has declared strongly in favor of a restoration of the Duchy of Luxemburg to Belgium.

influenza Gets Old and Young.

"Grip" and "flu" coughs should not be neglected. Profit by the experience thousands like Mrs. Mary Kishy, 3533 Princeton Ave., Spokane, Wash., who writes: "Our little boy found relief in wonderful Foley's Honey and Tar. It surely cured me. I am 75 years old; had very bad cough from la grippe." Sold and recommended by Stripling-Haselwood & Co.

POLAND SEVERS RELATIONS WITH GERMANY

(By Associated Press) AMSTERDAM, Dec. 16.—Poland has severed relations with Germany, according to a telegram just received from Warsaw.

Great for "Flu" and "Grip" Coughs.

"I had an awful cold that left me with a dreadful cough," says Mrs. M. E. Smith, Benton, La. "Bought Foley's Honey and Tar of our druggist and it cured me completely." This grand remedy should be in every household at this time, when influenza, grip, coughs and colds are so prevalent. Contains no opiates. Sold and recommended by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

LOCAL OPTION ELECTION IN FORT WORTH TODAY

(By Associated Press) FT. WORTH, Dec. 16.—Without excitement or interest, Fort Worth is holding a local option election today, and it is predicted that the "drys" will win overwhelmingly. The anties have no organization, and are making no fight, many of the leading anties being arrayed with the pros.

For Croup, "Flu" and "Grip" Coughs.

M. T. Davis, leading merchant of Bearsville, W. Va., writes: "A few nights ago one of my patrons had a small child taken with croup about midnight. Came to my store and got Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Before morning the child entirely recovered. Parents can't say enough for Foley's Honey and Tar." Sold and recommended by Stripling-Haselwood & Co.

ACREAGE IS SIXTEEN PER CENT LARGER THAN LAST YEAR.

Planted A Total of 49,000,000 Acres in Wheat This Year.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The largest winter wheat crop ever grown in the history of the United States is promised by the enormous acreage sown this fall. The acreage is almost sixteen percent larger than last year, and totals 49,027,000 acres.

765,000,000 bushels, or 80,000,000 bushels more than the best record, is forecasted by the department of agriculture as next year's yield, allowing for winter killing and spring abandonment.

If you have a bad taste in your mouth, if your tongue is coated, and you have spells of dizziness, the trouble is in your stomach, liver and bowels; they are clogged with bilious impurities. Prickly Ash Bitters clears out the obstructions and restores healthy conditions. \$1.25 per bottle. Stripling, Haselwood & Co., special agents.

Leggett & Platt springs, 10 per cent off.

Sealey mattresses, 10 per cent off.

FURNITURE BARGAINS

for

CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS

Due to the fact that we are overloaded on many useful articles of servicable furniture, and the unloading of one solid carload of chairs, and are expecting the arrival of two more carloads of our general line this week, makes it imperative for us to reduce our stock---Hence the bargains offered



Mattresses

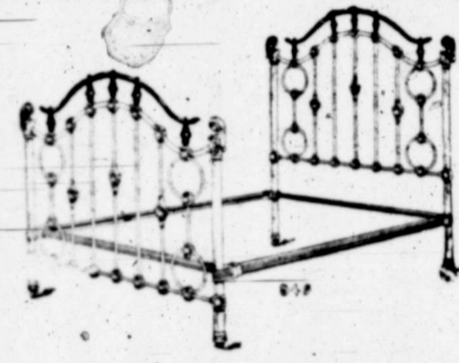
- Cotton top mattresses, \$5.25 value, sale price..... \$ 4.75
- Combination mattresses, \$8.00 values sale price..... 6.50
- 45-lb., all cotton mattresses, \$12.50 values, sale price..... 11.00
- 45-lb., all cotton, favorite, \$20.00 values, sale price..... 18.00
- Special price on double cane chairs, per set..... 5.50
- No. 519. Dining chairs, \$12.00 values, sale price..... \$10.50
- No. 18. Bow back dining chairs, \$10.00 values, sale price... 8.50
- We have many other bargains in dining room chairs.

HOOSIER KITCHEN CABINET



Boys Know What Mother Wants Father Should Know What She Needs

If father spends as many hours at Mother's side as children do, they would quickly recognize the cause of her mind and body weariness. Children at play often hear the wish for a Hoosier and its many time and labor-saving features. We therefore say to Father: "Heed the Hoosier Christmas suggestion."



Iron Beds

- No. 285. In assorted colors, \$7.50 values now..... \$ 6.75
- No. 355. 2-inch post in five colors, \$12.50 values now..... 10.00
- No. 366. 2-inch post in four colors, \$16.50 values now..... 14.00
- No. 368 1/2. Panel beds, in three colors, \$20.00 values now..... 18.50
- No. 398. Panel beds, \$19.00 values now 17.50

We have many more bargains in bedsteads that space will not permit mentioning. Everyone a good buy.

Buy Early and Avoid the Rush of the Later Days

RUGS

SPECIAL SALE OF RUGS

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| 9x12 matting rugs, \$7.50 values..... | \$ 6.50 |
| 9x12 fiber rugs, \$17.00 values..... | 14.50 |
| 9x12 wool fibers, \$17.00 values..... | 14.50 |
| 9x12 Brussels, \$34.00 values..... | 31.60 |
| 9x12 velvet Brussels, \$34.00 values..... | 31.60 |
| 9x12 X-Ministers, \$47.50 values..... | 42.75 |
| 9x12 Liberty Ministers, \$55.00 values..... | 49.50 |

We have a nice line of Christmas novelties, such as waste baskets, log baskets, magazine stands, ladies' work baskets, castumers in brass and oak, card tables, etc.

CHAIRS

We have just unloaded the BIGGEST car of rockers and chairs of all descriptions ever received in the city, and are offering them at the following prices until Christmas:

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| Children's red rockers, \$1.50 values..... | \$1.25 |
| Children's rockers, \$2.25 values..... | 1.75 |
| Children's rockers, \$2.75 values..... | 2.25 |
| Children's rockers, \$3.25 values..... | 2.50 |
| Children's kindergarden chairs, \$1.45 values..... | 1.25 |
| Children's high chairs, \$3.00 values..... | 2.35 |
| Children's high chairs, \$3.50 values..... | 2.85 |
| Ladies' sewing rockers, \$2.75 values..... | 2.25 |
| Ladies' sewing rockers, \$2.65 values..... | 2.15 |
| Ladies' sewing rockers, \$3.00 values..... | 2.50 |
| Large rockers, \$3.75 values..... | 3.00 |
| Large rockers, \$4.00 values..... | 3.25 |

Our patterns are too numerous to mention them all in this sale.

If you have U. S. Government Bonds, bring them to us, we will take them at par value in payment for furniture

ORTON FURNITURE STORE

The Leading House Furnishers

Big assortment of library tables in fume and golden oak finish. 10 per cent off.

Globe Wernicke book cases.

UP AGAINST IT.

The Sentinel editor is much in the same shape this morning that the Lufkin News gentlemen was a few days in which he devoted two columns or more to the caption of "Writing Against Time." However we have plenty of time and are writing against space. Space is endless, it is boundless eternity—or it is nothing. In the blue horizon above there is endless space for the sparrow or the vulture; for the airplane or the crackling waves of the wireless. There is space in our hearts for the green monster of jealousy, or the spirit of brotherly love to grow, reside and have being—aye, space is an elusive creature, and we are writing against it. Having made the usual rounds and secured nothing, and the exchanges failing to arrive, we say again, we are up against it. The little daily must come—it is regular, it is perpetual. It has no sympathy for the moods of the editor, it is heartless.

We have already suggested a clean-up campaign, agitated better sidewalks, a memorial to the heroes of the war—those gallant young men who went in the glory of their young manhood to defend the principles of righteousness which their mothers taught them. Mother!—what a beautiful word—an expression reflecting constant love, sacrifice, joy, sorrow, pain, gladness—an ever-present omnipotent something that eternally strives, ever serves, ever loves, rising in the glory of triumph or sinking in the maelstrom of defeat, but never giving up—always there. Love. Love—what a depth of meaning is enveloped in that little word that has more than once turned the world topsy-turvy—that fleeting, elusive, will-o'-the-wisp, or that constant, undying devotion—but we will not discuss this subject, leaving it to Dock Lively of the Lufkin News.

We have already threshed out the subject of Lufkin's majestic standpipe, and health-wrecking water, and all those other matters pertaining to the neighbor city, so we will have to pass that up. The peace conference, and the other matters of moment have been thoroughly discussed by prominent satellites, whose rays extend far greater than this insignificant writer could even dream of—so we say again, we are up against it, and are almost tempted to use some of the poetry that we have on file.

Poetry—ah! the dear poets, now that brings up another subject. It seems that Nacogdoches county is abundantly blessed with this variety of human song-birds. Some of them write anonymously and some upside down—at least it looks that way—while some of them express a real message. We have enough poetry on file to supply a large magazine. We are sorry that we cannot use it all, and thus give public vent to the innermost variety of feeling of the several contributors. It has always been a characteristic feature of poetry and love that they both thrive in the spring-time of the year, when the grass is green, the sky clear and blue, the sunshine trickling clearly down upon Mother Earth, whose plants are budding into being, and whose animals are mating for the season—human animals also mating, but for a life-time—possibly. Then too, the fish begin to bite, and nature starts calling, and the cares of business lose their customary dominance—thus inspiring the poetical flow of sentiment.

If you have gotten this far, we thank you for your kind attention!

LETTER FROM SOLDIER IN FRANCE TO FATHER

The following letter has been received by Mr. W. G. Barron, of this city, from his son, Sgt. Avery Barron, Company M, 35th Transportation Corps, A. E. F.

"If the papers in the States have used the same publicity as the newspapers of the A. E. F., the 'Stars and Stripes,' you know from them that this is 'Dad's Letter Day.' Hence this letter to you, after such a long lapse of time without any letter from me. "According to the Stars and Stripes we may write many things which we could not write before the armistice was signed. Previously it has been very difficult for me to write letters, but perhaps now it will be easier. "Doubtless you have wondered what we are doing over here? Well, we have done quite a little, not the least of which is the humbling, or at least partial humbling, of the kaiser's bunch. But my particular part has been played in a region quite remote from actual hostilities. In fact, I feel almost as if I had not been in a war. Some of the things which our organization has done may interest you as an engineer. To begin with we had absolutely nothing, and we were set down over here to build railroad cars and lots of them, and in a hurry. We had not even the tracks to build them on. Neither did we have a place to house ourselves. "Since we have come here we have constructed a railroad yard which has nearly thirty tracks and gives us a place which covers about 20 acres for the erection of cars. We have constructed buildings sufficient in number and size to house ourselves and all our shop equipments, etc. Some of the buildings are ten large barracks buildings, an engine or power-house, containing 16 75-horsepower engines and light electric generators and light air compressors, a machine shop, a blacksmith shop, and a locomotive repair shop. Three car-building sheds, each about 1200 feet long and covering two tracks. A tank tower carrying a wooden tank 24 feet in diameter by 16 feet high. Installation of water mains for fire protection. The erection of 40 American-made locomotives and the repair of many French locomotives. And last, but by no means least of the things we have done is the building of 12,000 freight cars since the middle of March. Besides all of the above things we have done many others which were of minor importance and yet indispensable to the conducting of the affairs of our regiment. In a space as brief as this letter must be, it would be impossible for me to give you an accurate idea of what our work has been, but from the above you can perhaps draw the conclusion that every man of us has been having his time pretty well taken up with work. But although we have all worked hard and loyally, we all feel as if we had been cheated out of the opportunity of taking a real "swat" at the Germans. For not a man of us has seen a battle nor a shot fired at the enemy, except on our way across the sea some "subs" attacked us and had to be shot by our "jackies." Even then we were mere onlookers.

"Now, however, that the war is over, if Uncle Sam will only hurry and get us back home, we will try to forget what we have and have not been allowed to do. "Aside from duties, many of us have found some time for pleasures. Personally, my spare time has been spent mostly in an effort to learn French. And during my efforts I have formed some splendid acquaintances among the French people. "Recently, very recently, a Masonic club has been formed for the pleasure of all Masons in both the army and navy who happen to be in this base port. We have a very nice club room equipped with tables, chairs, writing material, magazines, games, a billiard table, a piano and a lunch, or refreshment room. We meet as a club organization each Saturday night and the rooms are open to Masons at all times. Pretty nice, isn't it, for men who started in over here with nothing but some barracks, bags and some beef and coffee. "One day or two ago I received Weekly Sentinel, which opened my eyes to the way our town and county have been backing the boys ever here. From it I learned of the death of Homer Dotson. "We hope to leave here for the States before many moons, but you will doubtless receive this letter long before we start, so, if you see any of my friends who are inquisitive about me, you may tell them that I'm alive and still wiggling. "With the request that you wish for me a speedy departure from the shores of France, I am going to close. "AVERY."

CONTAINS MESSAGES PASSED WITH AUSTRIA AT OUTBREAK OF WAR

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Dec. 17.—The "White Book" of Germany, which will contain official documents bearing on the origin of the war will be ready for the printers in about three weeks, according to advices received here. The messages between Germany and Austria at the beginning of the war will be published in the first volume.

Mrs. Henry Garrison of Austin and Mrs. Vassier of Houston, who have been delightful guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Monk, leave for their homes today.

REVOLUTION BREAKS OUT IN BULGARIA

(By Associated Press) BERLIN, Dec. 17.—A revolution has broken out in Bulgaria, according to information received by the Lokal Anzeiger from Bulgaria via Hungary.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Nacogdoches County—Greetings: You are hereby commanded to summon R. S. Burns, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Second Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Second Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the Second District Court of Nacogdoches County, hereof, in Nacogdoches, on the 2nd Monday in February, A. D. 1919, to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1918, in a suit, numbered on the docket, Eugenia Burns plaintiff, and R. S. Burns, defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were legally married in Nacogdoches County, Texas, on or about November 25th, 1915, and they lived and cohabited together until about April 25th, 1916, when on account of defendant's harsh and cruel and unkind treatment towards this plaintiff she was forced and compelled to abandon defendant since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. Plaintiff says that she was ever mindful of her marriage vows but notwithstanding this, defendant disregarded his marriage contract, was harsh, cruel and inhuman in his treatment toward this plaintiff, that said treatment grew worse from time to time until plaintiff was compelled to abandon defendant as aforesaid. That by reason of the aforesaid treatment, plaintiff says, their ever living together as husband and wife is insupportable. Whereas plaintiff prays the Court the defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and that upon a final hearing hereof she have judgment annulling said bonds of matrimony now existing between them, for costs of suit and general relief. Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Nacogdoches, this 17th day of December, A. D. 1918.

N. B. HALL, Clerk, District Court, Nacogdoches County, 12-19-18. By J. N. CUNNINGHAM, Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Nacogdoches County—Greetings: You are hereby commanded to summon Jim Nelson by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Second Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Second Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Nacogdoches County, hereof, to be held at said District, to appear at the next Court House thereof, in Nacogdoches, on the second Monday in February, A. D. 1919, the same being the 10th day of February, A. D. 1919, then and there answer a petition filed in said Court on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1918, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 555, wherein Mary Nelson, plaintiff and Jim Nelson, defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were legally married in Nacogdoches County, Texas, on or about the day of January, A. D. 1901, and lived together and cohabited together as husband and wife until on or about the day of September or October, 1908, when defendant without cause or provocation abandoned this plaintiff, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife, and that more than three years have elapsed since said abandonment and plaintiff now pleads the three-year statute of limitation. Plaintiff further says that more than ten years have elapsed since their separation, that she now pleads the statute of ten years limitation, and asks that said marriage contract be annulled. Plaintiff further alleges that she does not know the residence nor whereabouts of said defendant and she asks for service by publication as by law requiring in such cases. Wherefore plaintiff prays the Court that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and that upon a final hearing hereof she have judgment annulling said bonds of matrimony now existing between them, for cost of suit and for general relief. J. F. PERRITTE, Attorney for Plaintiff. Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Nacogdoches, this 17th day of December, A. D. 1918.

N. B. HALL, Clerk, District Court, Nacogdoches County, 12-19-18. By J. N. CUNNINGHAM, Deputy.

SHIPPING SITUATION IMPROVING IN TEXAS

DALLAS, Dec. 17.—According to the statement of prominent local cotton man, the shipping situation as it affects Texas is rapidly improving. Large cargoes of Texas cotton are being shipped to Holland, Spain, France and England, he says, and other neutral countries. The advent of Spain into the market for cotton as an important buyer is an important point in the trade. Percelona, he said, some time ago placed an order for 65,000 bales.

Most of the cotton is going from the Gulf or South Atlantic ports.

Helps Sick Women

Cardui, the woman's tonic, helped Mrs. William Eversole, of Hazel Patch, Ky. Read what she writes: "I had a general breaking-down of my health. I was in bed for weeks, unable to get up. I had such a weakness and dizziness, and the pains were very severe. A friend told me I had tried everything else, why not Cardui? ... I did, and soon saw it was helping me. ... After 12 bottles, I am strong and well."

TAKE CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Do you feel weak, dizzy, worn-out? Is your lack of good health caused from any of the complaints so common to women? Then why not give Cardui a trial? It should surely do for you what it has done for so many thousands of other women who suffered—it should help you back to health. Ask some lady friend who has taken Cardui. She will tell you how it helped her. Try Cardui.

All Druggists

Miss Mable McCrackin of Dallas has accepted the position as operator for the Western Union in this city.

Put This Out—It's Worth Money

Don't miss this. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley's Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sold and recommended by Stripling-Hasselwood & Co.

Mr. Dan Miller and daughter, Miss Gladys, are spending the holidays with relatives in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Byrne.

Great for "Flu" and "Grip" Coughs.

"I had an awful cold that left me with a dreadful cough," says Mrs. M. E. Smith, Benton, La. "Bought Foley's Honey and Tar of our druggist and it cured me completely." This grand remedy should be in every household at this time, when influenza, grip, coughs and colds are so prevalent. Contains no opiates. Sold and recommended by Stripling-Hasselwood & Co.

Food Fair Price List

REPORT OF PRICE INTERPRETING COMMITTEE—NACOGDOCHES, TEXAS, DECEMBER 12, 1918.

W. F. Gintz, Chairman
G. N. Bright, T. Tilford, I. L. Sturdevant, Frank Goldsberry.

Wholesale Price to Retailers.		Retail Price to Consumers
\$11.40 to \$11.65	Flour, 1/2 bbl. per bbl.	\$12.40 to \$12.85
\$11.40 to \$11.65	Flour less than 1/2 bbls. quantities, per bbl	\$12.75 to \$13.25.
\$9.93	Sugar	\$11.43
5c	Bread, per 1 lb loaf	10c
\$1.10 to \$1.20	Corn meal, per 25 lb ska., 1 lb basis	6c
\$1.77 to \$1.80	Peanut oil, per gal.	\$1.95 to \$2.02
36 1/2 to 37c	Fancy hams	42 1/2 to 43c
\$2.25	Pink Salmon	25c per can
\$3.00 to \$3.25	Red Salmon	35c per can
62 to 65c	Milk (Baby) evaporated	6 1/2 to 7c per can
\$1.40 to \$1.45	Milk (Tall) Evaporated	15c per can
3 to 3 1/4c	Onions	4 to 4 1/4c
\$10.85	Rice, Fancy Honduras, per lb.	13 1/2 to 14 1/4c
3 to 3 1/4	Potatoes	4 to 4 1/4c
39c	Butter, Creamery, 1 lb	6 to 7c over cost
	Cheese, per 1 lb	7 to 8c over cost
	Eggs	5c per doz. over cost
8 1/2 to 9c	Cal. B. E. Peas	10 1/4 to 12v
14 1/2 to 14 3/4	Cal. Lima beans	16 1/4 to 19 1/4c
8 7/8 to 10c	Cal. Pink beans	11 1/4 to 13 1/4c
13 1/2 to 13 3/4	Cal. Navy beans	16 1/4 to 19c
8 7/8 to 10c	Pink beans	11 1/4 to 13 1/4

Willard STORAGE BATTERY SERVICE STATION

How Long Will It Last?

That's just another way of asking "How good is your battery insulation?"

For no battery is any better than its insulation.

There's no doubt about it; Insulation is one of the things that makes the Willard a longer lived, better battery.

Every piece of Insulation that goes into any Willard Battery has those features so necessary to long battery life—that is, sound material; thorough workmanship; exacting tests and careful inspections.

We test, repair and re-charge storage batteries, and always carry a full supply of battery parts, new batteries and rental batteries.

Phone 8 NACOGDOCHES BATTERY CO. Phone 8

Start the Day Right with a Cup or Two of Luzianne

HAM-AND-EGGS and a cup of steaming, stimulating Luzianne. What better start could anybody have for the day's work!

The sanitary, air-tight tin locks the flavor in! Buy a can of Luzianne today.

If you don't agree it's the best hot beverage that ever passed your lips, your grocer will give you back what you paid for it, and ask no questions. So, there.

LUZIANNE coffee

"When It Pours, It Rains"

Mrs. E. M. Duncan, mother of Baxter Duncan, recently reported missing in action since September 15, is in receipt of a telegram from Red Cross headquarters, Washington, D. C., stating that the Red Cross had no further information concerning this young man, but would continue the search and investigation.

QUICK ACTION.

Do the right thing at the right time.

Act quick in time of danger. In time of kidney danger, Doan's Kidney Pills are most effective.

Plenty of Nacogdoches evidence of their worth.

Mrs. J. J. Coker, S. North St., Nacogdoches, says: "I felt miserable and had no energy or ambition. My back was weak and ached constantly and dizzy spells and headaches annoyed me. Doan's Kidney Pills eased the pain across my back and strengthened my kidneys. My health improved and I have had little kidney trouble since."

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

RED CROSS WORKERS, ATTENTION.

Let every woman do her best to spend at least some time at the garment room next week as the quota of one hundred and eighty refugee shirts now on hand must be finished ready for shipment. Since the Red Cross rooms will be closed during Christmas week and we have a large quota of the bath robes and women's skirts to begin on January first, we have only next week in which to finish these shirts. If you cannot work at the room the chairman will give you work to take home with you. A knitting chairman will also be present every day and those who are working on sweaters are urged to turn in as many as possible.

LET IT SLIP AND WAS RUINED FOR LIFE.

What's the matter, young man, young woman? Why are you letting opportunity slip through your fingers? What are your plans for the coming year? Do you intend to qualify for a greater success? A small investment now, accompanied by earnest endeavor and a few months of solid study in our school will mean qualification, a position, promotion, increased bank account and greater satisfaction all along the line of your future life. Why hesitate? Don't you know that Uncle Sam and the business office is calling for young men and women trained as stenographers, bookkeepers, operators and secretaries? How much longer will you stand aside and make excuses?

You can succeed. Other people—those are succeeding—nature didn't give them a single extra bone, one more nerve muscle or brain cell than you possess. Their success was not birthright. It came out of efforts—out of action. They used their gifts—as you should. They gained a training that developed and broadened and increased their talents—as you should. They took aim at success and fired away until they hit it.

Look around you! Wherever your eye turns, you see some man or woman who had no better start than you—with no better general education or "school learning" than you, but who was wise enough to become especially trained in some one special line and who today is going ahead fast and leaving in the rear those who thought special business training unnecessary.

You should not think of success as a present, which Santa Claus will bring and drop into your stockings while you sleep. You have made excuses and halted long enough. Your duty to yourself is to come to a decision NOW. Your best interests dictate a decision favoring an

enrollment NOW.

The object of this appeal is to set you to thinking of your future. If we have done this, we shall feel that you owe it to yourself to investigate the methods of our school. Write us something of your ambitions; what you would like to accomplish; be perfectly frank with us.

When may we expect you? Write or wire America's largest business training school for free catalogue. Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.

HAPPY AFTER 20 YEARS

"I must write and tell you I am getting along fine. For 20 years, that is over half of my life, I have spent in poor health and suffering from severe gas in stomach and indigestion. Mayr's Wonderful Remedy has entirely restored me. I also know of several others who have taken it for the same trouble and are now well again." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sold and recommended by Strippling, Haselwood & Co.

PLEDGES MUST BE PAID BEFORE DECEMBER 31.

All pledges to invest in War Savings Stamps are due for liquidation before midnight of December 31st. These pledges are made to the United States Treasury Department, and the pledge cards are held for payment by duly authorized agents of the department.

All pledges, it is pointed out by the government, are expected to make their arrangements to meet their pledges on or before December 31st. A War Savings pledge is a binding personal OBLIGATION, and all necessary steps to assure their liquidation will be taken.

R. L. VAN ZANDT, Governor 11th Federal Reserve Dist.

I have been notified by the factory that I can supply orders now for a number of Dodge cars. If you are in the market for a car you would do well to see me at once. D. H. Barnett, 12-6td

REPORT SAYS RUSSIAN EMPEROR ALIVE

WARSAW, Dec. 18.—The mother of former Emperor Nicholas, of Russia, who is living near Livadia, in Crimea, has been receiving letters every ten days that are purported to come from the former ruler, according to Polish officers who have arrived from Sebastopol. The dowager empress and all about here are convinced that Nicholas Romanoff is still alive, according to information given officers by members of the household.

Dr. M. W. P'Pool

Diseases and Surgery of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Refraction and Glasses.

Special attention given to relief of headaches, and obscure nervous symptoms due to eye strain, by careful refraction and fitting of glasses. Residence phone 381. Office phone 590. Blount Building. Nacogdoches, Texas.



"Buffalo-Bill, where do you get saddles and pads for your Rough Riders?" "From Waco, Texas, made by Tom Padgett Co.—Forty eight years in business—they don't hure your horse." (Padgett's ad has been carried by the Haltom papers for forty years.)

NACOGDOCHES WINS COTTON PALACE PRIZES

County Agricultural Agent Jas. D. Greer informs The Sentinel that the Nacogdoches County Corn Club boys won the championship prize in all kinds of corn for the state, and that they won a second, fourth and fifth prize in classes, i.e. the corn was classified into grades, and these prizes were won on this certain grade.

Mr. Greer has received a letter of congratulations from the A. & M. College that Nacogdoches county made, together with the ribbons and cash prizes.

Mr. Greer has worked up a good interest in the corn club in this county, and this is certainly a fine showing, indicating what hard work and determination will do. The boys growing the corn that won the prizes are certainly to be congratulated for their good work.

GOVERNMENT NEEDS \$50,000,000 DAILY

This is no time, Nacogdoches War Savers, to relax your efforts for a single day. The war has been won, but that does not mark the end of the soldiers' and sailors' work, nor the fulfillment of your duty.

The vast expenses incident to the war have not ended. Peace has only stopped the need of sending bullets and powder across, and ammunition, you know, has been only a very small part of the great expense. The man who goes out on a hunting trip finds that the cost of ammunition is a small part of the expense. The hunting trip may cost him \$500, while the actual cost of the ammunition he used on the expedition may have been only \$1.50. Yet he had to pay the other expense of \$498.50 to go on the trip.

That in a way explains the government's situation now. The cost of taking care of the soldiers and sailors and meeting other necessary expenses—runs very high, and it will be a very great expense for months to come. Since the peace armistice was signed the government has been spending about \$50,000,000 every twenty-four hours, or \$1,500,000,000 a month. It must continue to meet this expense for months to come, because it will take a year to demobilize the army, and the soldiers and sailors must be cared for during that time.

NEW DEPUTY SHERIFFS.

The following is a list of the new deputy sheriffs appointed in this county: A. D. Wall, A. A. Biggs, C. S. King, V. L. Perry, H. I. Chandler, J. P. Menton, Mitch Holland, Ben Long, and Marvin Blackburn.

FOR SALE—My home place on North St. The best and prettiest place in town. Reason for selling: Need to get closer in. GILES HALTOM.

PEACE CONFERENCE MAY BE HELD IN JANUARY PARIS, Dec. 18.—Paris newspapers today variously place the probable date of opening the peace conference at from January 10th to 15th.

FOR SALE One thirty-horse baler an engine, one farm milk wagon. Cheap if taken at once. W. R. MAST Chireno, Texas

Geo. F. Ingraham C. C. Watson **INGRAHAM & WATSON** Attorneys at Law. Geo. F. Ingraham will only do office work and C. C. Watson will practice in all courts.

Office South Side Public Square **J. A. DREWERY** Dentist Nacogdoches - Texas

ESTRAYED—Brown cow, about 6 years old. Branded "J" on right hip; no marks. Will pay liberal reward for return or information. John Sparks, Nacogdoches, Tex. 19-4tw

I still have three Jersey cows for sale. Also one registered Jersey mare, 2 years old—a good one—all Nacogdoches, Texas.

WHEN IN NEED OF A MONUMENT

Visit the Nacogdoches cemetery and ask the sexton to tell you who does the beautiful work you will see.

"GOULD

will be his answer. We have pleased the most exacting and will please you if given your commission. The same attention given a modest head-stone and larger work.

Gould Granite and Marble Co. Jacksonville, Texas

NOTICE

The Regular Annual meeting of the stockholders of the Stone Fort National Bank, Nacogdoches, Texas, will be held in the banking room of the said bank on the second Tuesday in January, 1919, the same being the 14th day of said month; between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of any and all other business as may properly come before said meeting.

F. B. SUBLETT, Cashier

HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND GRIPPE

Ask any physician or druggist and he will tell you that the best and only effective remedy for a cold, sore throat or a gripple is what he calls "a brisk, calomel purge," which means a big dose of calomel at bed time. But as the old style calomel has some very unpleasant and dangerous qualities physicians and druggists are now recommending the improved nausealess calomel, called "Calotabs" which is purified and refined from the sickening and dangerous effects and whose medicinal virtues are vastly improved.

One Calotab on the tongue at bed time with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your diet, pleasures or work. Next morning your entire system is purified and refreshed.

Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price 35c. Your druggist guarantees Calotabs by refunding the price if you are not delighted.

JUST RECEIVED

An express shipment of misfit tailor-made suits, for men and young men, in sizes to fit slim, medium and stout men. T. J. KENSEY.

FOR SALE—Some good baled peanut hay. Will deliver anywhere in town. H. F. Gillette. Phone 3904 19-6td

RESOLUTIONS

To the Worshipful Master, Wardens and Brethren of Milan Lodge No. 2 A. F. & A. M.

The sad reaper has again entered our sanctuary and mowed down and claimed for his own the full ripe grain; and Milan lodge is called upon to mourn one of its oldest, honored and loved members. Death shows no favors, but God in his platitude of power and mercy directed the steps of our deceased brother, August Lewis Tubbe, not only through the allotted time of man, but well beyond, even to the four score years, in the paths of duty, rectitude and brotherly kindness, and when his brethren of the mystic tie, with a great course of loving friends gathered around his bier, and tenderly laid his mortal remains back into the lap of Mother Earth, from whence they came Association teaches us his soul was basking in the sunlight of his God. Death is always sad; but death at the end of a long, and serviceable life is not all bitterness. It is appointed into man, once to die, and then the judgment. Without death there is no resurrection, and without resurrection, no eternal and hallowed abiding place. It is God's pleasure that we all pass through the valley of the shadow. The select, ripe grain planted in the ground must come to decay before it can come forth in abundance to ripen again and glorify the husbandman. It pleases God that we too, like the grain shall return to the earth and come forth by his power with a body which shall please Him, that His creatures, after the resurrection may be fit glorification of His Majesty; and when He called Brother Tubbe home, He gave passport to one schooled in years of experience and culture, all the more preparing him for that glory where unto God created man.

Therefore be it resolved:

Resolved First In the death of Brother Lewis Tubbe, Milan Lodge has lost a true, honored and loved member, and worthy brother; but his brethren do not mourn, as those who have no hope for we look forward to that day when things become eternal, and we know we are known, and when God shall wipe away all tears.

Resolved Second

His loved family for generations has lost a benefactor but Heaven is enriched. To his more than half a century consort we extend our fraternal and heartfelt sympathy. We would not say to her, "Mourn not;" but we would rather say with our mourning rejoice that God gave you such a partner, and again rejoice in a hope of the glory to follow. To his children, grand-children and great-grand-children, we would say, emulate the character of your noble sire, and when it pleases God to bring your days on earth to a close, may you be inspired by a vision of a life spent for humanity and humanity's God, and for that crown of righteousness laid up for every diligent servant.

Resolved Third That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Lodge a copy furnished to his widow, and a copy be furnished to the press for publication.

Fraternally Submitted, B. C. CASTELBERRY, JOHN SCHMIDT, E. MIDDLEBROOK, Committee.

From The Texas War Saver

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Hearty Christmas Greetings

OUR BIG PRE-INVENTORY SALE CLOSING CHRISTMAS EVE TUESDAY DEC., 24th

Subscribers Call For Your January Delineators

Mayer & Schmidt Incorporated

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Completion of the great merchant marine construction program as it now stands modified to meet the coming of peace and still further extension of shipbuilding is recommended by the United States Shipping Board in its second annual report to congress, made public today. The question of permanent merchant-marine program is left for further determination, the board indicating that it will have suggestions regarding both development and operation at the conclusion of investigations now in progress.

Describing the tremendous fleet now operated by the government, the report shows how enemy tonnage was secured not only by taking over vessels interned in United States harbors, but by purchasing and chartering from other nations which likewise had seized German and Austrian ships. Cuba, China, Siam, Brazil, Uruguay and Peru all aided the United States and the allies in this regard. The cost of repairing the German and Austrian vessels amounted to approximately \$11,194,862.70.

With regard to the requisitioning of American tonnage, the report says:

"Perhaps no phase of the shipping board's work has been more difficult to adjust fairly and satisfactorily than that involved in the requisitioning of ships for use. Nevertheless, most owners have cooperated with excellent spirit."

Contracts and commitments of the Emergency Fleet Corporation for the construction of ships made during the year, provided for 1,296 steel cargo ships, of 8,877,605 dreadnaught tons; 80

IN REGARD TO THE USE OF FIREWORKS

The following circular to insurance agents from one of the prominent insurance companies speaks for itself, and should be heeded:

"Owing to our desire to conserve all resource of the country and protect same from fire we are strenuously opposed to the use, storage or sale of fireworks during the Christmas season. We ask your cooperation with your local authorities to pass such laws as will prohibit the sale or use of fireworks within the city limits.

"Please refuse to grant permits for such use, storage and sale of fireworks on policies issued by this company covering stocks or on buildings containing same.

"No extra premium in our opinion is adequate for the additional hazard assumed."

DISCUSSES THE GERMAN DAMAGES

(By Associated Press) LONDON, Dec. 13.—One London banker estimates that Germany will have to pay to the allies for repatriation and restitution about \$7,500,000,000. Calculated on a five percent basis, with a 1 per cent sinking fund, this would mean an annual charge on the German revenue of \$450,000,000. He says there can be no question of Germany's ability to meet this demand.

It is impossible, he says, discussing the subject in a newspaper article, to arrive at any approximate figure as to damages and robberies in the invaded territory. "For Belgium," the article continues, "I would put the amount of indemnity at \$1,400,000,000 of which sum levies on Belgian towns account for something like \$500,000,000. I know of another estimate for Belgium which is as high as \$2,

steel tankers, of 737,000 deadweight tons; 104 ocean-going steel hospital ships of 20,000 deadweight tons; four steel refrigerator ships of 37,500 deadweight tons; and eight steel harbor tugs; and 16 steel barges, of 54,800 deadweight tons.

The wood and composite ship contracts called for 181 complete wood ships of 707,500 deadweight tons; 519 hulls, of 1,841,000 deadweight tons; 140 barges of 359,500 deadweight tons; 162 wood tugs; and 32 composite ships, of 116,000 deadweight tons.

From the time of its organization up to August 31, 1918, says the report, the corporation had negotiated 495 contracts, aggregating 2,298 vessels, with a total of 14,119,130 deadweight tons, involving an estimated cost of \$2,319,216,204.

Dealing with the steel ship program, the report states that efforts of the steel ship construction division have been devoted to accelerating the construction of ships, obtaining ships suitable for war purposes, improving the quality of new constructions, and obtaining ships at reasonable prices. During the year ending August 31, 566 keels were laid, 358 ships launched, and 287 ships of 1,800,000 deadweight tons completed.

The report declares that a materially better accomplishment is confidently expected during the coming year and that gratifying progress along technical lines was made, particularly in the simplification and improvement of ships, and standardization of the many fittings required.

000,000,000, and a Belgian of some authority estimates the amount at \$800,000,000."

With regard to France he says one cannot reckon the loss suffered, "but considering that the war has been waged for the most part on French territory, and in the center of her industrial area, we may put the figure at \$2,000,000,000."

Italy's damage is computed at \$1,500,000,000. The same amount is set as Rumania's bill, including the loss of quantities of food-stuffs and damage to oil wells and other property. He thinks that \$50,000,000 would cover Serbia's loss, and a like sum probably reimburse England for damages caused by air raids and bombardments.

Shipping losses are then discussed. "I estimate, he says, "the loss of ships in figures of tonnage at nine million, and taking the average value of \$200 a ton, this would figure out at \$1,800,000,000. Adding the total value of cargoes at, say, \$900,000,000, we have the total of \$2,700,000,000 for Great Britain alone. The shipping losses of the Allies I estimate at \$500,000,000.

"I have heard an estimate which places the total of the bill against Germany at \$10,000,000,000, which, like my own calculation, is of course to some extent necessarily hypothetical. But I would put the figure myself at \$7,500,000,000, which does not, of course, include any part of the cost of the war."

Regarding Germany's finances, he calls attention to the last prewar budget presented to the Reichstag, which showed a revenue of \$875,000,000. The estimate for the army was \$292,500,000, and for the navy \$107,500,000—total \$400,000,000.

"Eliminating the expenditure for armaments," the article goes on, "this would allow Germany to pay approximately the interest and sinking fund on the \$7,500,000,000 compensation, leaving the balance of revenue,

whatever it might be, to meet the cost of conducting the epidemic of service flags in the windows and a rush of Red Cross buttons in the lapels of all patriotic citizens of the Southwest. J. L. JOHNSON.

In order to meet the Allies' bill of damages, the writer says, "it might be that Germany would have to suspend payment of interest on her own war loans—I don't say she would repudiate this obligation."

RED CROSS NEWS.

Fellow Americans: The object of the American Red Cross Christmas Roll Call which is now in progress, is the enrollment of every American citizen. National headquarters assures me there will be no further calls for contributions to the Red Cross during next year.

There appears to be some misunderstanding about enrolling the children. Many men have renewed their membership but failed to enroll the other members of their families. May I not appeal to all men and women to enroll their families 100 per cent and ask that every store, office, and home in Nacogdoches display 100 per cent service flags by Wednesday, December 18th.

The other four counties comprising the Fifth District, namely: Angellina, Shelby, and San Augustine, have assured our field representative that they will go over the top. Surely our citizenship will not permit adjacent counties to enroll a greater percentage of members than we do. Not that we want to make as good or better showing than other counties, but because we have one of the best Chapter Red Cross organizations in the state and our failure to enroll approximately 100 per cent of our population would be a great disappointment to those of us who realize and appreciate the highly important and useful services performed by our local chapter and its auxiliaries in this county.

We are assured our county chapters will be called upon to perform greater tasks in the future than in the past, hence we cannot afford to lose interest in the work at this, the most critical period of its usefulness.

I appeal to every one who reads this letter to personally interest themselves in procuring a 100 per cent service flag for their home.

F. R. PENMAN, County Roll Call Chairman. Mr. Penman is in receipt of a telegram from Chairman J. L. Johnson of the Southwestern Division, in which he appeals to the people to make the same good showing that they have in the past. The telegram follows: St. Louis Mo., Dec. 11, 1918.

F. R. Penman, Nacogdoches, Tex. Christmas Roll Call Chairman Chapter American Red Cross:

A year ago the Southwestern Division led the country in the Christmas Membership Campaign. Over five states, Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas enrolled a membership which cheered our boys across the seas and gave notice to the world that we were in the war for victory. The record you set then makes your task the harder now. The eyes of the country are turned toward the Southwest in expectation that the Roll Call will reveal again the devotion of our people to the highest ideals of humanity. Our task is harder not only because of the handicap under which our campaign must be conducted. The influenza epidemic is sweeping our territory after it has abated elsewhere. We must carry on without the inspiration of public meetings or the enthusiasm which results from great gatherings, but we cannot afford to fail or run second in a race which we are determined to win. Let the handicap under which we are laboring cause us to perfect and tighten our organization. Tell your people to volunteer, not to wait until they are solicited. Let the infection of the Red Cross spirit overcome the infection of the influenza germ. Let us have an epidemic of service flags in the windows and a rush of Red Cross buttons in the lapels of all patriotic citizens of the Southwest. J. L. JOHNSON.

PRESIDENT WILSON ARRIVES IN FRANCE

(By Associated Press) BREST, Dec. 13.—The steamer George Washington, with President Wilson, entered the Brest harbor shortly after noon today. The day is dark and gloomy, but the rain which prevailed yesterday abated during the night. The harbor is a myriad of ships.

The French ministers will board the George Washington at 1:30 to convey the first greetings to President Wilson. Wilson's landing is fixed for three o'clock when he will formally receive from French foreign minister Pichon, welcome as the guest of the French nation.

The day's first ray of sunshine fell across the George Washington as she anchored.

The Wile Hugh reproduction of the statute of liberty on the horse was brilliantly illuminated as the sun broke through the clouds.

One hour after the George Washington anchored President Wilson stepped ashore, the first time that an American president has trod European soil. The president left Brest for Paris at 4:00 o'clock this afternoon.

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NACOGDOCHES VERSE FAVORABLE MENTION IN JINGLE CONTEST.

The Harris County Equal Suffrage Contest has recently conducted a "jingle contest" to stimulate the interest in women paying their poll tax, many verses or jingles being contributed, and a prize being awarded. Dr. W. R. Sivley of this city contributed a jingle, which, while it did not win the prize, was one of two receiving favorable mention. It follows:

You may feed the men on taffy, Dope them up till they are daffy —Well enough.

But the way to get their goat Is to beat them with your vote —That's the stuff!

Mr. Sivley received a letter thanking him for his interest in the contest and also suggesting that a like contest in this city would be timely. The Sentinel will gladly give the space if the Equal Suffrage Association of this county desires to put on the contest. The prize offered in the above contest was a War Savings Stamp.

CONGRESS WILL CONSIDER McADOO RECOMMENDATION

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Congress will consider immediately McAdoo's recommendation that the control of the railroads be extended to 1924.

Special importance is given the recommendation by McAdoo's announcement that President Wilson concurred in his view. The present secretary says that it leaves doubt as to the authority of the state and the federal government, and fears a conflict of the states and federal jurisdictions grow more acute.

SCORES OF DETECTIVES GUARD FORMER KAISER

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MORE GERMAN INTRIGUE IS UNEARTHED IN THE SENATE INQUIRY

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The German government in 1914 informed 130 German civilian employees at Berlin that the world war would be started soon. Captain G. Lester, of the army intelligence service informed the senate committee investigating the Brewers and German propaganda. These employees were despatched to all parts of the world to stimulate pan-German propaganda, 31 coming to America.

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Holiday Suggestio For Xmas Shoppers

This stock of Xmas things are offered by us and we invite you and your friends to come and see them before you buy.

We have spared no pains or expense to bring the best selections to Nacogdoches that could be purchased in the market.

Our stock is complete in every line and the goods are new. Do not wait until they are picked over, but

BUY NOW!

- Diamonds for your wife.
- Genuine French Ivory, in pieces or sets. We engrave it free.
- Traveling sets for your traveling friends.
- Toilet sets for any lady.
- Smoking sets for the boys and men.
- Electroliers—a good gift and practical.
- Wicker doll buggies—They all want them.
- Service trays—A big line and cheap.
- Clocks for any home.
- Silk parasols in all colors.
- Framed pictures, book—both picture and fiction. A fine line to pick from.
- Electric percolators—You can't go wrong there.
- Stationary, in colors—All size boxes.
- Wrist watches—That's what every girl wants—A useful gift.
- Broaches, pins, lavaliers, rings silver mesh bags—and other jewelry.
- An Eastman kodak.

Dolls! Dolls!! Dolls!!!

(All American made too.)

- Shaving sets—All kind s.
- Games of all kind.
- Toys—Wood and iron.
- Toy wagons, tricycles, and bicycles.
- Candy—Every man should give his wife a nice box of candy this year.
- Lunch kits for the school boy and girl.
- Dickard handpainted china—Now you are in right.
- Pyrexware—Every lady wants this famous cookingware.
- Cut glass—Everything in this line is up-to-date and new.
- Silverware of every description.
- Edisons—Now you have hit on the key note—See us at once.

Fire Works—Let's All Celebrate
STRIPLING HA SELWOOD & CO.

RECEIVES INTERESTING LETTER FROM SON

Clay Perkins, ambulance driver, 90th division, in a letter to his mother, dated November 19, writes, in part, as follows:

At present the company is located about two miles forward of where it was located when hostilities ceased. We moved from Mouzey to Stenay down the Meuse River, and north of Verdun. We are really on the outskirts of Stenay. We are occupying the barracks where the French have a military school. These grounds and barracks were used by the Germans as a replacement camp.

You remember the armistice went into effect at eleven o'clock on the 11th. About ten o'clock that morning I left one of the advanced aid stations with my last load of wounded. One of the four was an old French civilian, about seventy, I imagine. The old man made it to the field hospital, but I doubt if he made it any further. The other three were Americans, who, while severely wounded, looked as tho they would pull through. I have made several trips to the "triage," (field hospital) since then, but what was my last load of wounded, I'm glad to say. I also heard my last shell that morning. Just as I stepped out of my car at the aid station which was in an old ruined building, I heard one whizzing in our direction. I didn't pay much attention, for it was a familiar sound, and I knew it was going away over. In a few seconds it exploded a few hundred yards away with that familiar "crump." It was shrapnel.

I have driven through a good deal of shell fire, and once had my ambulance under machine-gun fire, but didn't get a scratch the nearly three months that we were in range of German guns. My car, however, has several shrapnel holes through its sides. Shells have torn up roads and torn down buildings all around me, and flying pieces have hit at my feet and killed men around me, but I escaped. I have had to wear my gas mask some, but not a great deal. Shrapnel and high explosives wre much worse. It has been officially announced to us that we are to go to Germany to take part in the occupation of certain German towns. It is also the general opinion that our going to Germany will not delay our getting home—I hope not—but this is

not official. The other might not be official, but it was announced as such.

We are getting our cars in pretty good condition again. The Germans, in evacuating, left a repair shop intact, and we have made good use of it. My car is still giving good service—nearly all of our cars are—and needed very little repairing this time. It has been run about 5000 miles.

Tomorrow is supposed to be our day for delousing—which simply means a bath and new clothing. It doesn't get one entirely rid of the "cooties," but a hot bath and clean clothing feel mighty good after going a month without either.

It is nearly time for "chow" (supper) now, so I'd better close my letter and get into line. I am well.

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ANOTHER GARRISON BOY MISSING IN ACTION

Mr. W. T. Lakey, a barber of Garrison, received a message yesterday that his brother, Steve Lakey, had been missing in action since the latter part of October.

Mr. Lakey is well known and popular with Garrison people, and they are pained to hear that he is missing, but trust that he will be found and restored to his loved ones. He has proved his patriotism and loyalty to his country, and the whole county sympathizes with the loved ones in their grief.

NACOGDOCHES BOY IS MISSING IN ACTION

Relatives of Baxter Duncan received a telegram from the war department today stating that Baxter is officially reported as missing in action since Sept. 15. Baxter was employed at the Commercial Bank when the declaration of war came. He immediately volunteered his services and was assigned to the 78th Co., 6th Reg. Marines. He has been in France about a year. He was reported wounded on the 8th of June, in the Battle of the Marne. His relatives had no information from him since the 8th of September. It is trusted that the young man is safe and will soon be found.



We will not only handle your commercial account a little better than any one else but we solicit savings accounts from everybody—YOU specially.

Deposit \$1.00 if you wish. We will pay—per cent annual interest, compounded twice year.

Come in and get acquainted regardless of your needs in the banking field.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK

Wheezing in the lungs indicates that phlegm is obstructing the air passages. BALLARDS HOREHOUND SYRUP loosens the phlegm so that it can be coughed up and ejected. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle, sold by Stripling Hazelwood and Co.

The Virginia Ministers arrived in the city today, and will give an exhibition here tonight. Twelve members of this company are serving Uncle Sam.

S. R. McKee of Jacksonville was in the city yesterday.

He Was Weak and All Run Down

"I thought my kidneys might be the cause of my rundown condition and weakness," writes W. H. Frear, 63 Myrtle Ave., Albany, N. Y., "so I took Foley Kidney Pills and they did the work. I cheerfully recommend them. You can use my name wherever you wish." They stop rheumatic aches. Sold and recommended by Stripling-Hazelwood & Co.

Mrs. J. M. Walker and daughter, Miss Josephin, of Austin, have arrived in the city to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Few Escape.

There are few indeed who escape having at least one cold during the winter months, and they are fortunate who have but one and get through with it quickly and without any serious consequences. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and observe the directions with each bottle, and you are likely to be one of the fortunate ones. The worth and merit of this remedy has been fully proven. There are many families who have always used it or years when troubled with a cough or, and with the very best results.

Serving trays make servicable gifts. Big assortment at KENNEDY'S.

Watches, jewelry and diamonds at reasonable prices. KENNEDY'S DRUG STORE.

W. A. Hebert of Timpson was in the city Monday.

FOR SALE—Ford roadster; in the best condition and practically new. Equipped with "Wilmo" Manifold, Steward speedometer, gasoline gauge, Yale lock, electric tail light, muffler cut out and a modern portable windshield; also rain-proof batteries. Will sell this for \$450 for quick sale. Will take some Liberty bonds. W. D. Ambrose, at Southern Ice & Utilities Co. 17-dtf.

Mr. E. C. Avey has resigned his position as manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company of this city, and has accepted a position in the Farmers & Merchants State Bank. Mr. Avey's many friends in this city congratulate him on securing this better position.

Mr. H. C. Wilson and Miss Eva Peebles of Lufkin were married at the court house Monday by County Judge J. M. Marshall. The Sentinel joins their many Lufkin friends in extending congratulations.

YOU NEED PRICKLY ASH BITTERS
For Dizziness and Sour Stomach
Stripling-Hazelwood & Co. Special Agents.



Messrs. B. C. Risinger and S. H. Studdard of Cushing were visitors in the city yesterday.

C. H. Fuller of Tyler, was a visitor to the city Monday.

UGH! CALOMEL MAKES YOU DEATHLY SICK

Stop using dangerous drug before it salivates you! It's horrible!

You're bilious, sluggish, constipated and believe you need vile, dangerous calomel to start your liver and clean your bowels.

Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and take a spoonful tonight. If it doesn't start your liver and straighten you right up better than calomel and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money.

Take calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak and sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of harmless, vegetable Dodson's Liver Tone tonight and wake up feeling great. It's perfectly harmless, so give it to your children any time. It can't salivate, so let them eat anything afterwards.

Polish Government Proposes Treaty

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The Polish government has proposed that a treaty be signed by Poland, Bohemia, and Jugoslavia, says the National Zeitung of Basel Grabski.

A national democrat of Poland is the leader in a planned convention, which would include military railway and commercial agreement closed, uniting this group of nations to the Entente powers.

ONE DOSE RELIEVES A COLD—NO QUININE

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses, then all gripe misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves the headache, dulness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

MODERN STRATEGY

All life-time is a school of strategy—a game of war upon germs and tendencies which, unless thwarted, weaken the system and invite disease. Modern health-strategy dictates the use of

SCOTT'S EMULSION

as a reliable means of thwarting the enemies of strength. Scott's is Nature's ally and its rich tonic and strength-supporting properties are known, with satisfaction, to millions. Build up your strength with the nourishing qualities of Scott's Emulsion.



What Do You See?
Your mirror will reflect a charming complexion if you use Soul Kiss Face Powder.
Meyer Bros. Drug Co., St. Louis

Soul Kiss Face Powder

WANTED!

We want to close out at a very low cost our entire stock of the following:

- Ladies' Coats
- Misses' Coats
- Children's Coats
- Ladies' Coats Suits and Dresses
- Ladies', Misses' and Children's Silk and all Wool Sweaters.

We have a beautiful assortment of the above items from which you can make a selection and we invite you to look them over.

S. Mintz

Get It where they've got it—you'll get from us  Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

We Are Ready For Christmas—Are You?



GIVE---BUT GIVE USEFUL GIFTS

That is Father's Christmas advice this year, at least so far as men are concerned.

You are invited--Women gift buyers particularly--to look over our stock of practical things for a Man's wardrobe or chiffonier--practical without a sacrifice of elegance or refinement.



GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Tailor made Suits, Overcoats, fancy Vests, Sweaters, Mufflers, Neckties, silk Crepe de Chine Shirts; Belts with Sterling Silver Buckles; Cape Kid Gloves, lounging Robes and Notaseme" Hosiery.

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