

STUDENTS MUST REGISTER WITH LOCAL BOARDS

All Applicants for Reserve Training Corps in Colleges Must Secure Approval of Local Board Before Entering for Commissions.

MANY TEXAS SCHOOLS WILL GIVE TRAINING

Students Who Fail to Qualify for Commissions Revert to Original Status Established by the Draft Board's Classification.

By a ruling received this week local boards are empowered to receive the applications of all registrants who apply for technical and army training at any of the Students' Army Training Camps with a view of obtaining commissions. Every registrant with the proper qualifications is entitled to apply for this training, and hereafter will be questioned as to whether he wishes to apply when turning in the questionnaire.

Units of the Students' Army Training Corps are being established to utilize effectively the plant, equipment and organization of the colleges for selecting and training officers and technical experts. The units are established by the President in certain qualified educational institutions.

Under this ruling the following educational institutions are designated in Texas: West Texas Military Academy, San Antonio; Alexander College, Jacksonville; Austin College, Sherman; Baylor University, Waco; Baylor University Dental Department and Baylor University Medical Department, Dallas; Burleson College, Greenville; Clarendon College, Clarendon; College of Marshall, Marshall; East Texas State Normal School, Commerce; Decatur Baptist College, Decatur; Howard Payne College, Brownwood; Meridian College, Meridian; North Texas State Normal College, Denton; Rice Institute, Houston; Sam Houston State Normal Institute, Huntsville; Simmons College, Abilene; Southern Methodist University, Dallas; Southwest Texas State Normal, San Marcos; Southwestern University, Georgetown; Texas A. & M. College, College Station; Texas Christian University, Fort Worth; Texas Military College, Terrell; Trinity University, Waxahatchie; University of Dallas, Dallas; University of Texas, Austin; Medical Department, Galveston, and School of Mines, El Paso; West Texas Normal, Canyon; Weylans College, Plainview.

Upon admission to the Students' Army Training Corps, the registrant becomes a soldier in the United States Army, but in the event that he does not make a commission, he has the option of reverting to his original classification from the draft board, provided he has not been placed in Class I, in which case he must remain as a private.

Before any registrant can avail himself of the Students' Army Training Corps he must matriculate at the school he wishes to attend; this means that he must be able to meet the entrance requirements of that particular school.

Before applying for entrance to any Students' Army Training Corps, it is necessary that the questionnaire be filled out and placed on file in the offices of the local boards. If the applicant is outside the ages 19 to 35, inclusive, and therefore will not receive questionnaire and wishes to avail himself of the opportunity of entering training schools, he must first apply for a questionnaire, after which his future steps will be directed by the local boards. The instruction to the local boards closes with this injunction from Maj. John C. Townes, supervisor of the selective service law at Austin.

"These units of the Students' Army Training Corps undoubtedly will play an important part in the training of our fighting forces and we should cooperate with these colleges and with their commanding officers to the fullest extent."

Liberty Bonds or German baggage

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What Is the Liberty Loan?
It's rifle and helm and it's bayonet,
It's shovel and shard and shell
For the soldier boy in the olive drab,
Out there on the edge of hell.
It's the soaring wings of the whirring planes
That battle on high alone.
For the lad who is daring
"Over there,"
It's the good old "Money from home."
By RALPH E. McMILLIN.
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OUR LIBERTY LOAN QUOTA

Kerr County Will Back Our Boys With More Than the \$87,300 That Has Been Assigned Us.

The quota for Kerr County for the Fourth Liberty Loan has been fixed at \$87,300. That is the amount our people are to buy of the total which must be sold if the Government is to successfully finance, during the next few months, our part in the terrible conflict the Kaiser and his hordes have brought upon the world.

Of course the people of Kerr County are going to buy that amount, and the only question is how much more and how quickly are we going to do it?

Kerr County people are going at this bond-buying proposition in just the same way that our Hill Country boys are going at the Heines in France. We are not going to wait until the fight is over before we get into it, and we are not going to stop at the fixed objective of \$87,300 any more than our boys stop when they reach the first German trench or German machine gun nest.

We are going to put Kerr County dollars back of Kerr County boys and let them work together so that in the end the "world may be a decent place to live in."

KERR COUNTY BOY FALLS VICTIM TO INFLUENZA

Kerr County has again been made to feel sad when on September 26, death claimed another one of her noble sons, William Eddie Burleson, who had left his home and loved ones and had entered the service of his country to fight for the freedom of all.

Young Burleson was born December 16, 1892, at the old Vashler home on Spring Creek. He entered the service August 7, 1918, being sent to Camp Cody, N. M., for a short while and from there transferred to Camp Dix, N. J., where he became the victim of influenza which caused his death.

In a letter from this young soldier to his mother, which was written just a few days before his death, he stated that he would be crossing the ocean by the time the letter would reach her.

Besides many other relatives the deceased is survived by father, mother and two sisters, all of the Camp Verde community.

In addition to the ceremonies of the Woodmen of the World, under whose auspices funeral services were conducted, Judge H. C. Geddie made an address.

Kerr County Liberty Loan Drive

The Kerrville Women's Committee have launched the Fourth Liberty Loan drive in Kerr County. The committee has organized two teams, of which Mrs. G. M. Doyle and Miss Kathleen Higgins are captains. After the second day's solicitation \$9,750.00 had been subscribed. Following are the subscribers and the standing of teams:

Mrs. Doyle, Captain; Mrs. L. A. Schreiner, \$3,000; Walter R. Schreiner, \$3,000; John S. Butler, \$1,000; Judge W. G. Garrett, \$500; Dr. E. Galbraith, \$300; Geo. Morris, \$200; Dale Huntington, \$100; E. H. Prescott, \$100; N. B. Smith, \$100; Chas. Morris, \$100; and the following \$50 each: Miss Florie Galbraith, Otto Schwethelm, S. Friedman, John R. Leavell, Glen Brooks, Fred F. Nye, Miss Gladys Saunders, R. J. Archer, J. H. Ritchie, Mrs. H. C. Geddie, E. Gold and W. G. Carpenter; total, \$9,000.00.

Miss Higgins, Captain; Mrs. Chas. Rawson, \$50; W. H. Rawson & Son, \$100; Mrs. Thelma C. Dietert, \$100; Walter Real, \$500; total, \$750.00.

IN HEAVEN, HELL OR HOBOKEN BY CHRISTMAS TIME

Sergt. Felix Staudt Writes Interesting Letter From "Over There" and Tells of Many Things Including General Pershing's Famous Remark to Men.

ROBT. PERIL WRITES HOME FROM CAMP MERRIT, N. J.

Says They Shear a Bunch of Men Like You Would Shear a Bunch of Billy Goats—Has to Sleep With His Cap On in Order to Keep From Freezing.

Somewhere in France, Sept. 8th, 1918.—Dear Sister: Well, how in the world are you all getting along? Hope as fine as I am. We have moved again and are in one of the finest camps I ever saw. We sure have everything here that we need, plenty of water to wash and bathe and fine bedding to sleep in.

I went out to the target range yesterday and watched them fire and, believe me, I don't blame those Germans a bit for thinking that the American soldiers are using a three-inch machine gun the way they shoot over here.

It is raining today, the first rain I've seen since I have been in France and it sure does look good.

I saw a big bunch of German prisoners yesterday; they are working them on the roads and around camp. I am thinking of going to Van Hindenburg's place, where he had a big bunch of spies for a long time before they found them.

We have a big hospital in this camp and a lot of pretty American nurses here, too, and have some Y. M. C. A. girls working in them. It sure did feel good to talk to them; I spoke with one for about half an hour last night and it reminded me a whole lot of the States again.

Well, how is everybody around home getting along? Tell all the folks hello for me and give them my best regards. I guess we'll be home again soon. General Pershing said we would either be in Heaven, Hell or Hoboken by Christmas, and I think he knows what he is talking about. I really do hope so anyway, but then we might not be home before five or six months.

Well, I'll have to close now, hoping to hear from you real soon.

With love and best regards, I remain
Your Loving Brother,
SERGT. FELIX STAUDT,
Bat. A, 133rd F. A.,
American Expeditionary Forces.

Camp Merrit, N. J., Sept. 10.—Dear Mamma: How is everybody? We left Florida Saturday morning and got into Camp Merrit Monday morning at 10 o'clock. We changed trains at Savannah, Ga., and got sleepers. We passed through Washington, D. C., after dark so we didn't get to see anything but the Capitol. The Red Cross just us there and fed us as we hadn't had any supper.

We came through Jersey City. It is some city; you can see the Statue of Liberty from there.

We were kept on the go the last three days in Camp Johnston, getting clothes and getting paid off; were up all night. We were given our clothes last night, so we have been parading around in our new suits and caps. There was a lot of trading going on this morning in clothes. Some had suits they couldn't get on and others had them twice too big. I got a suit that fit in everything but shoes; I can get both feet in one of them. I went all over camp trying to swap them off, but everybody was in the same shape. I am going to try to get to the supply house this evening and get them exchanged. I got a sweater from the Red Cross so I am all right.

This is a nice camp and you get all kinds of things to eat. You can buy anything at the canteen for about half what you could get it at Camp Johnston. I want to try and get off and go to New York and get some pictures before I leave. They don't allow any cameras in this camp.

We have inspection twice a day here and will have inspection again

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What Is the Liberty Loan?
It's forts and it's ships and it's shining guns,
It's squadrons that sweep the sea.
It's all of the circling band of steel
That shall keep all the home shores free.
It's the grub and it's warmth for the sailor lad
Far out on the wintry foam.
For the brave jack tar, as he fights afar,
It's the good old "Money from home."
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GIVE THE BOYS RIFLES

Kerr County's Liberty Loan Quota Will Give Soldiers 3,492 Weapons That They Know How to Use.

The American soldier swears by his rifle. Machine guns are powerful weapons, hand grenades and trench bombs may be handy at times, but when it comes right down to real sure-enough fighting in the open, where the enemy can be seen, give the doughboy a rifle every time. The ace with which he can pot a leaping Boche at a hundred yards has amazed the soldiers of the French and British armies.

Give the Yanks time and rifles enough and they will drive straight through to Berlin. The boys will do the shooting, but it is up to those who stay at home to provide the rifles. Kerr County must provide its share and it will do it by subscribing its quota and more of the Fourth Liberty Loan. Do you know what Kerr County will be doing if it subscribes only the minimum quota of \$87,300 that has been allotted to this county? It will be putting rifles in the hands of 3,492 of the boys who are offering their lives in the cause of their country. Each rifle used by the American soldiers costs the Government \$25. Every \$50 bonds that you buy puts two rifles in the hands of boys at the front—and maybe they will be Kerr County boys who are fighting your fight 3,000 miles away from home.

Kerr County will buy 3,492 rifles for the boys over there if it only subscribes its minimum quota of the Fourth Liberty Loan, but it will do more than that. Remember that every \$1,000 over the quota subscribed means 40 more rifles for the boys who know how to use them.

The Home Front

The battle front in Europe is not the only American front. There is a home front, and our people at home should be as patriotic as our men in uniform in foreign lands.

Every American soldier who has fallen in France, every American sailor who has died for his country's cause has GIVEN his life for his people. Surely we, their people, can LEND our money to our Nation, their country.

Freemen buy bonds; slaves wear them.

There were a lot of Camp Travis boys came in this evening. I inquired around to find out if there were any boys I knew. One fellow told me there were several Kerrville boys but I didn't find any of them.

This camp is just fourteen miles from New York City and four miles from the Hudson River. We went through some long tunnels up there, one was nine blocks long.

I will try to finish this letter this evening, have been writing on it for three days. Every time I start writing we are called out for something. I have been sleeping with my cap on, had to have my head clipped. They have three shearing machines here and shear a bunch of men like you would shear a bunch of goats. Some of the boys had their heads shaved. I have had to sleep in my cap to keep from freezing. I have been having a good time. Went to a good show last night. I am room orderly today. Have spent most of the day lying on my bunk.

Well, I will close as I have no more news to write. With love, from your son
ROBT. PERIL.

Chas. Schreiner Bank

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Does Your Life Work Mean Anything to You?

You Ranchmen, who have worked hard to get together your property, what does it mean to you? Your ranch, your stock, your farm and buildings, and, too, your home. All of these represent years and years of work that you have done.

Everything that you enjoy as the result of your work comes to you and stays with you because the heroic soldiers and sailors of Uncle Sam are standing between you and the blood-thirsty, murderous Hun.

To keep the Hun away from you Uncle Sam does not ask you to give even a single penny. He simply asks you to LEND him your money at good interest, and he guarantees on his word of honor—a word that has never been broken—to pay back every penny you lend.

WHAT IS YOUR ANSWER?
Have you bought all the Liberty Bonds you possibly can?
BUY LIBERTY BONDS TODAY!

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Heaven or Hell, Freedom or Slavery Which Do You Choose?

(Manufacturers Record)

Liberty Bonds stand for freedom and Heaven.
Germany stands for slavery and hell.
Which will you have?
Germany is fighting to enslave mankind and make of all the world a hell under German domination.

America and our Allies are fighting to save human freedom and make a Heaven on earth.

The battle is on; we will have one or the other.

To the extent that you back our Nation in every way in your power and buy Liberty Bonds to the utmost stretch of your ability you are working for freedom and Heaven.

To the extent that you fail to do your share you are helping Germany in its effort to enslave mankind in an earthly hell, ruled by the vilest brutes that earth ever knew.

You cannot shirk your individual responsibility without being a traitor to your country, a traitor to every soldier who has offered his life to save you and yours, a traitor to outraged womanhood, a traitor to God and all mankind.

No one else can do your duty.
If you knew that the Liberty Loan would be oversubscribed a hundred-fold, your duty to subscribe would be just as great as though you knew the needed amount would not be raised.

What others do does not relieve you from your responsibility any more than the religion of your neighbor relieves you from the responsibility of a religious life, nor any more than the protection by a neighbor of his family through life insurance releases you from obligations to protect your family in the same way.

In buying Liberty Bonds you are helping to buy liberty for your country and all mankind.

In buying Liberty Bonds you are protecting your loved ones from the fearful crimes wreaked by savagery upon the women and children of Belgium and France.

In buying Liberty Bonds you are standing by the millions of our beloved boys who over in Europe are being blinded and maimed and murdered in your defense and mine.

In buying Liberty Bonds you are doing infinitely more than making the world safe for democracy, for you are helping to make the world safe for your wife and your daughter and your mother, and the millions of other women whose honor would be gone if once the German beast broke down the barriers of armies and navies which have stood between us and a "made in Germany" hell, or a "made in hell" Germany.

In buying Liberty Bonds you are making it possible for civilization to beat back barbarism, for Christianity to drive back atheism, for the civilized nations to punish the murderers, the outragers, the manglers of babies, the highwaymen, the looters, the freebooters, the destroyers of temples, the wreckers of cities, the "bully" of the world, the only people who glory in war as a holy thing and preach frightfulness as a duty.

These are some of the things which Liberty Bonds mean, and unless you buy to the utmost of your power you become a slacker, and a slacker, whether financially or physically, is a coworker with the men guilty of all these beastly crimes.

Which do you chose?
Will you stand by America and its soldiers?
Will you stand by our devoted Allies?
Will you stand by outraged France and Belgium and Italy and Serbia by buying Liberty Bonds; or,
Will you be false to all that is sacred on earth, false to man and to Heaven?

There is only one true answer possible, and deep down in your heart you should make your answer before Almighty God, and vow:

"I will buy Liberty Bonds to the last dollar I can invest for world salvation from German damnation."

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We have a vast number of customers all over this territory. They are steady customers because they like the service we give. But we want you for a customer, too, and we will appreciate the opportunity to please you with good and wholesome food and courteous treatment at all times. In connection with our short orders we serve regular meals at all hours during the day.
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LOCAL RED CROSS NEWS
Edited by Mrs. J. W. BURNEY
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Every one who joins or renews membership in the American Red Cross during the coming Christmas season will be enrolled in a double campaign in behalf of humanity. He will be a factor not only in the great work of relieving the suffering caused by war, he will be assisting the greatest of humanitarian endeavors aside from that—the world-wide fight against the scourge of tuberculosis. For many years the National Tuberculosis Association has carried on a campaign for the sale of Christmas seals, and the proceeds have netted generous sums for the carrying on of the fight against the Great White Plague of the United States. By a happy arrangement the American Red Cross will finance the National Tuberculosis Association this year, and every person responding to the Red Cross roll call will receive a packet of the seals which in the past have made more blessed the American Christmas. There never has been greater need for the work which the National Tuberculosis Association was organized to perform than now. There never in the world's history has been such demand for the practical sympathy of the whole American people as the present. Not lest we forget the scourge that has been civilization's most insidious enemy, in the presence of horrors precipitated by war—rather than the greater need should be given amplified opportunity of action—it has been planned to amalgamate the two movements which spring from a common impulse. There will be no independent sale of the familiar Red Cross Christmas Seals in aid of the anti-tuberculosis campaign this year, but every one who registers in the grand movement which has its visible form in Red Cross membership will have the gratifying consciousness of serving humanity in a two-fold capacity. The fine spirit which in years past has shown itself in practically every home in the whole land through the little Red Cross Christmas Seals, is sure to find the same universal manifestation in connection with the demonstration to be made before the world in the name of the Red Cross Christmas Roll Call.

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America has received no finer tribute from the sons of her allies than that contained in a brief speech, prepared by half a dozen Italian soldiers, and delivered recently by Corporal A. Marini on the occasion of the visit of a Red Cross worker to a little mountain town that has sent practically its entire male population—six hundred—to the front. The speech follows: "To You Representatives of the Great Republic From Over the Sea: What admiration springs irresistibly to the mind of every one. How deep is the gratitude that all humanity owes—and will owe—to the great Republic and its illustrious chief. In opposition to the insane desire of the German nation to enslave the world, young America gives us a program of liberty, equality and fraternity among nations. As a contrast to the economic and moral slavery which Germany wants to impose you offer us a chance for the free development of all nations, according to the separate genius of each race. Germany would like to precipitate civilization once more into the obscurity of the dark ages. America is a shining light to point us to the way of the future. What other people, unless it be the ancient Romans, who civilized the world of their day, has given these proofs of her greatness? None, indeed. And now, in union with free Albion, heroic France and beautiful Italy, over there in Northern France floats the banner of your Republic. The silver stars are shining in the radiant beauty of the sun, for Victory already smiles on us."

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The Center Point Branch offered to make one-fifth of the quota allotted to the Kerr County Chapter under the present working plan of the Southwestern Division. Through the prompt and efficient work of its members—the hospital garments, refugee garments, comfort kits, sweaters, socks and mufflers were finished and delivered on time. The Center Point Branch is well organized and the officers and members have given freely of their time and strength.
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The ladies at work in the Eastern Star and Presbyterian Circle last Monday were: Mesdames Gold, Wells, Nimitz, Simmons, Palmer, Fisk, G. F. Schreiner, Doyle, Henke, Weiss, A.

Women!
Here is a message to suffering women, from Mrs. W. T. Price, of Public, Ky.: "I suffered with painful... she writes. 'I got down with a weakness in my back and limbs... I felt helpless and discouraged... I had about given up hopes of ever being well again, when a friend insisted I
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ston, and the Misses Herzog and McFadden.
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Mrs. Otto Schwethelm reports the following workers present Tuesday: Mesdames Bunbury, Moore, Knox, Noll, and the Misses Nance and Herzog.

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Mrs. Jack Moore, chairman of the Baptist Circle reports the following workers on duty last Tuesday: Mesdames Staudt, Bailey, Newman, Inscore, Palmer, Arnold, Peterson, Rawson, Traylor, Noll and Morris.

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We are glad to report that the Catholic ladies are again organized for work. Those present last week were: Mesdames Allen, Chas. Mosel, Squires, and the Misses Tipton, M. Mosel, Kaiser, Brandon and Kemper.

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The Methodist Circle met as usual on Wednesday. The members present were: Mesdames Comparette, W. C. Coleman, Gibbons, Traşlor, Barton, Mittanck, Surber, C. W. Moore, Grinstead, and the Misses Tuttle, Starkey and Gowan.

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Mrs. E. E. Palmer reports good attendance at the class Wednesday afternoon. The workers were: Mesdames Spence, Newman, Thompson, Coleman, Simmons, Doyle, Roberts, Holdsworth, Wheelless, G. F. Schreiner, Bunbury, Wallace, Berry, and the Misses Nance, Tuttle, McFadden, Galbraith and Hamilton.

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The workers present at Mrs. G. F. Schreiner's Class Thursday were: Mesdames Comparette, Ferguson, and the Misses Helena Brown, Gussie Mae Brown, Elsie Johnston, Laura Henke, and Mrs. W. C. Coleman.

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Miss Clara Herzog reports the following workers present Friday afternoon: Mesdames Otto Schwethelm, Bunbury, Barton, Morris, Thompson, and the Misses Nance, Hagens and Annie Schwethelm.

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The girls at work last Saturday were: Elizabeth Holland, Norma Walther, Marguerite Henke, Lucile McCoy, Helena Brown, Marge Gibbons, Laura Henke, Pauline Bowden, Anna Thurburn, Luella Shumaker, Florence Fraley, Ethelred Fraley, Ada Maye Sing, Thelma Taylor, Lucile Taylor, Blanche Shumaker, Eda Grantham, Helen Mosel, Mary Mildred Mosel, Eva Mae Staudt, Helen Ritchie, Ruby Christian, Mary Claire Williams, Annie Sauerer, Edna Spenger, Ruth McCoy, Vivian Middleton and Mabel Hopkins. Miss Graham, Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Simmons assisted with the work.

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We have received from Mr. Sid Peterson a check for \$14.90, the interest on his Third Liberty Loan Bonds. We have also received from Mr. T. A. Davis, 25 cents; B. F. Tuttle, 50 cents, and J. B. Lee, 50 cents.

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Hunt Community Auxiliary.

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These at the Auxiliary last Saturday were Mesdames A. B. Hardin, H. I. Hardin, A. E. Davis, Oliver Rose, J. J. Sublett, Wm. A. Griffin, W. H. Page, and Misses Eula Byas, Minnie Sweatt, Oneda Mayhugh and Effie Griffin.

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The girls on duty were: Mary Page, Velma Davis, Icie Griffin, Ruth Griffin, Lois Sublett, Velta Hardin and Emma and Katy Rose.
PRESS REPORTER.

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Apply a Few Drops Then Lift Corns or Calluses Off With Fingers—No Pain.
No humbug! Any corn, whether hard, soft or between the toes, will loosen right up and lift out, without a particle of pain or soreness. This drug is called freezone and is a compound of ether discovered by a Cincinnati man. Ask at any drug store for a small bottle of freezone, which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn or callus. Put a few drops directly upon any tender, aching corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly the corn or callus will loosen and can be lifted off with the fingers. This drug freezone doesn't eat out the corn or calluses but shrivels them without even irritating the surrounding skin. Just think! No pain at all; no soreness or smarting when applying it or afterwards. If your druggist don't have freezone have him order it for you.
St. Peter's Episcopal Church.
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.; Holy Communion, first Sunday, 11:00 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, second, third and fourth Sundays, 11:00 a. m. Morris Ranch: Third Sunday, 11:00 a. m.
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LIBERTY BONDS OR GERMAN BONDAGE



TO ARMS, CITIZENS!

The immortal words of the French battle cry of freedom ring out again today to the American nation.

We are called upon to take up arms and fight to the death - if need be - for freedom, Justice and those things that make life worth living.

In this profound crisis is the test of citizenship.

The highest form of duty is to fight with our armed forces - to have enough to eat, enough to wear, a few dollars in your pocket, and to devote the balance of your earning power - your life if need be - as an offering to your country.

The next best form of duty is to stay at home and produce - allowing yourself enough money to purchase the bare necessities of life and to conduct business, essential to the war, and to devote the balance of your earning power to your country in the form of subscriptions to Liberty Loans.

One or the other duty you must assume.

If you can bear arms you will do so.

If you are unable to bear arms you will supply the money and material for those who can - you will enable them to bear your arms for you.

TO ARMS, CITIZENS!

FIGHT or BUY LIBERTY BONDS

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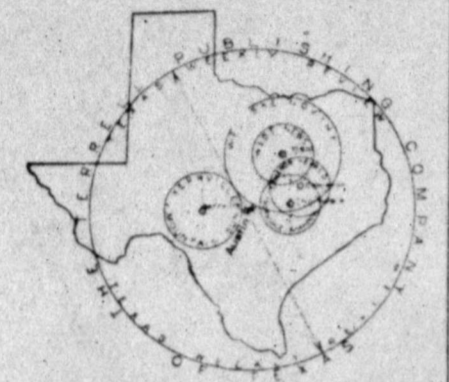
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The above cut shows the trade territory in Texas that is covered by the publications of The Terrell Publishing Company. The six papers owned by the company each covers well the trade territory from the town in which each is published.

Have you bought yours?
The word has been given; let's go!
A man who won't lend is the Kaiser's friend.
No country ever raised so much money with such little effort; your Uncle Sam knows how.

Improving on human ideas and laws is the constant work of all wise men; improving on God's ideas and laws is the constant effort of fools.

We met a young soldier this week who expects to go over most any day. "Are you going to France?" we asked. "No, sir," he answered promptly. "I'm going to Germany!" That's it, boys; you're going to Germany.

The German crown prince is quoted as saying that the American boys do not know what they are fighting for, but there is evidently method in their madness. Our opinion is they are fighting for what an American always wants, the best of it, and are getting it every time.

It certainly does look as though the morale of the German army had gone to pieces. No army can stand one weakening defeat after another as the Teutonic forces have recently, and if the Allied victories continue many days longer the spirit of Germany must be broken. It is now evident that the American Army did not go to Europe to be whipped, but to whip. The American Army is composed of boys whose grandsires followed Lee and Jackson and Sherman and Sheridan.

A patriotic lady friend, who has been active in the thrift stamp and other war work, in discussing her efforts with us the other day, remarked: "It is wonderful how the American people are coming forward with their aid financially. Hardly a district has failed to over-subscribe its quota. Of course many pledge themselves and fail to come up to their obligation. At first I blamed them, but I find in ever so many instances this is due to over rather than under zeal. They want to do, but simply can not. Their zeal overtops their judgment, but it begets enthusiasm in others more fortunate. A man who had subscribed for twenty dollars came to me yesterday and paid two dollars, all in small change (chicken money, as we call it), saying it was all he could get. That poor fellow is not really able to invest twenty dollars, but he will pay every cent of it before 'breaking his word,' as he expressed it. I know his kind. In fact, I've learned more of human nature since I engaged in this work than in all my life before. I've learned to distinguish a false excuse from an honest one. The worst feature of it all is to have to listen to the mendacity of those I positively know to be amply able to help win the war. I do not argue with such people; they simply forfeit my respect. I feel sure the next Liberty Loan will show up in a tremendous oversubscription. Already every one seems to be looking forward to it with pleasure; the only nervous ones I know are the tightwads, and there's a way to reach them. But, even at that, we are going to win this war without them."

Cates asks in the Bartlett Tribune: "The people who find fault with the churches, as a rule, are not members. So why worry?" Come to think of it, Cates, that's good advice; especially when we realize that all fault-finders die—we know of no single exception—while the church lives on forever. Besides, we never knew a church, a lodge, a club or any other institution that was the work of fault-finders. How many miles of good roads are there in your county built by fault-finders?

Editor Hill of the Roscoe Times stands up gallantly for West Texas. He has an abiding faith that the West will come again. The worst drouth in the history of America, for it covers other States besides Texas, does not appall him. And why should it? Egypt suffered seven years; Texas has suffered three. Egypt came again, and so will West Texas. Egypt accomplished by irrigation what nature did not provide, and in time Texas will find a way to do likewise.

A great many men are being exempted from military service for good and sufficient cause, but have no way of letting the world know it. This has caused thousands to be looked upon as slackers—many of whom have made every effort to get into the army and are sadly disappointed over their rejection. Why not allow them to wear an exemption button, badge or other insignia, making it a heavy penalty for any non-exempt to be found wearing same? Many drafted men have been placed in deferred classes and are merely awaiting their call. If there were some outward mark to distinguish these men they would cease to be looked upon as suspected slackers. There are thousands of patriotic hearts beating under civilian costumes, but the public has no means of knowing it.

The proposal by Congress to impose a Federal Income Tax on State, County and Municipal bonds is one that should call for the most serious and thoughtful consideration at the hands of Congress. If the Government should see fit to tax such securities it is bound to result in a much higher interest rate on all bonds issued in the future, besides seriously affecting their sale. Bonds now outstanding have been issued and sold with no thought of a Federal tax being imposed in the future, and these bonds have found a steady market. Once the Federal Government imposes such a tax the future building of good roads, good school houses and municipal buildings will be seriously impaired. This is a big and far reaching subject and should be approved by Congress with caution.

The creation of a Committee by Congress to distribute the cotton crop among our Allies coupled with the statement that "if necessary to stabilize the market a price would be fixed on same," caused the market to slump about \$25.00 per bale. This means many millions to Texas and a time when our farmers are ill prepared to stand such a loss. Texas has suffered a most serious drouth during the past three years, covering a large area, and in such territory no cotton at all has been raised and in more favored sections even the crop is very light, and we need every dollar our cotton will bring. Advances from Washington are to the effect that this Committee will not likely attempt to fix the price and the market is becoming stable again. Cotton is the South's main crop and when Congress begins to tamper with it our very lives are being affected.

In his refusal to convene the Legislature in response to a resolution adopted by the State Council of Defense for the purpose of providing relief for the West Texas drouth sufferers, Governor Hobby will be sustained by public opinion. There is quite a growing disposition on the part of our people to turn to the Government, both State and National, for aid when the least disaster overtakes us, and this is unfortunate. The Government must be supported by the people, and not the people by the Government. What the people of West Texas need is a chance to help themselves and this is all they ask. This opportunity is being given through Eastern banks in placing large sums in the West to be loaned to the people. Voluntary contributions that are pouring in from more prosperous sections of the State and from other States are sufficient to relieve those in actual need. West Texas is made up of citizens who pioneer. They have suffered tremendous losses during the past three years, but they still believe in that country. Such a people will eventually win.

Write to your boy abroad or in a cantonment here. A soldier's letters from home are half his life.

State Senator R. M. Johnston is now Acting Governor of Texas in the absence of Governor Hobby, who is out of the State. Hobby's elevation to the office of Governor when Ferguson was impeached left the State without a Lieutenant Governor, hence the President pro-tem of the Senate becomes Acting Lieutenant Governor. Johnston was elected by his colleagues at the close of the last session of the Senate and therefore succeeds to the office of Governor during the absence from the State of the Chief Executive. Few men have ever occupied the Governor's chair, either for a term or temporarily that were better qualified to discharge its duties or who had done more for Democracy than Col. R. M. Johnston. For many years he was Democratic Committeeman from Texas and later he was U. S. Senator from this State. In the days of Populism The Post, Colonel Johnston's paper, fought the battles of Democracy in Texas almost alone among the big dailies of the State and the services thus rendered were acknowledged by the Democracy of Texas in convention assembled by suitable resolution on several occasions. The honor that has come to him by being temporarily called to the Executive Office is indeed fitting and in this his friends will rejoice, but it is insufficient to repay him for the great service he has rendered the Democracy and the State.

Notice by Publication in Probate.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Kerr County, Greeting:

You are Herely Commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your County) at least once a week for two consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To all Persons Interested in the Estate of L. A. Layne, Deceased, Mrs. S. O. Layne has filed an application in the County Court of Kerr County on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1918, for the Probate of the Last Will and Testament of said L. A. Layne, Deceased, and for Letters Testamentary, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 4th day of November, 1918, at the Court House of said County, in Kerrville, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Kerrville, Texas, this 24th day of August, A. D. 1918. (Seal) JNO. R. LEAVELL, Clerk County Court, Kerr County, Texas.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS. To all Persons Interested in the Estate of Mrs. Pauline Heinen, deceased, R. M. Flech has filed an application in the County Court of Kerr County on the 28th day of August, 1918, for the probate of the last will and testament of Mrs. Pauline Heinen, deceased, and for Letters Testamentary, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 4th day of November, 1918; at the Court House of said County, in Kerrville, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

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Witness my hand and official seal, at Kerrville, Texas, this 28th day of August, A. D. 1918. (Seal) JNO. R. LEAVELL, Clerk County Court, Kerr County, Texas.

A Beautiful Woman.

Do you know that a beautiful woman always has a good digestion? If your direction is faulty, eat lightly of meats, and take an occasional dose of Chamberlain's Tablets to strengthen your digestion. Price 25c.

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc.

Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of The Kerrville Mountain Sun, published weekly at Kerrville, Texas, for October 1, 1918:

State of Texas, County of Kerr, ss:

Before me, a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared J. D. Motley, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Managing Editor of The Kerrville Mountain Sun, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business manager are: Publisher, Terrell Publishing Company, Austin, Texas; editor, H. B. Terrell, Austin, Texas; managing editor, J. D. Motley, Kerrville, Texas; business manager, H. B. Terrell, Austin, Texas.

2. That the owners are as shown in list hereto attached and marked "Exhibit A."

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

J. D. MOTLEY, Managing Editor. Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 25th day of September, 1918. (Seal) E. H. TURNER, Notary Public, Kerr-Co., Tex. (My commission expires May 31, 1918.)

EXHIBIT A.

List of stockholders of the Terrell Publishing Company: H. B. Terrell, D. A. Gregg, George W. Littlefield, Ayrita Terrell, W. M. Woodall, R. B. Humphrey and E. J. Martin of Austin, Texas; J. R. Schiller, C. P. Zapalac, H. V. Adersholt, C. H. Pinnell, E. O. Keaton, T. B. Perry, Lella Perry, Dr. J. S. Zoesper, F. L. Wilkenburg, Claude Miller, A. and A. Y. Nemecek, J. R. Polasek, Paul Scarabaneck, Frank Marek, D. T. James, August Morris, John Vasick, T. S. Hruska, J. A. West, J. P. Kennedy, Tom Motis, Preston Ivy, Eala Harlock and Charles Holasek, of West, Texas; F. A. Black, F. C. Mondrik, W. W. Chambers, Frank Young, J. D. Davis, Allen Hooks, C. J. McGregor, A. W. Tabor, Bob Lyles, J. R. Young, Adeline Caldwell and A. V. Smith, of Cameron, Texas; M. Henson of Ben Arnold, Texas; L. H. Posey and Ben Strum of San Antonio, Texas; W. A. Wilkerson of Waco, Texas; Gus Newton, W. C. Phillips, C. C. Rouse, G. S. Summerlin, Will Wuensche, D. M. Jackson, J. L. Adams, H. C. Martin, Jr., Rudi, J. J. Elliott, G. A. Williamson, John Davis, M. E. Fisher and D. L. Lawrence of Thoradale, Texas; Captain Charles Schreiner, A. C. Schreiner, G. F. Schreiner, W. R. Schreiner, L. A. Schreiner, E. Schwethelm, Will Boeckmann, George Morris, Mack Weston, J. L. Pampell and J. M. Hamilton of Kerrville, Texas.

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Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with

TRESPASS NOTICE

I will prosecute any one hunting with dogs or gun in the Reservoir Pasture north of town.

CHARLES SCHREINER.

Notice is hereby given that any person found dumping trash, old cans or refuse of any kind on my lots at the mouth of Town Creek and also on lots below the crossing of the Guadalupe River and Turtle Creek Road, will be prosecuted.

CHARLES SCHREINER.

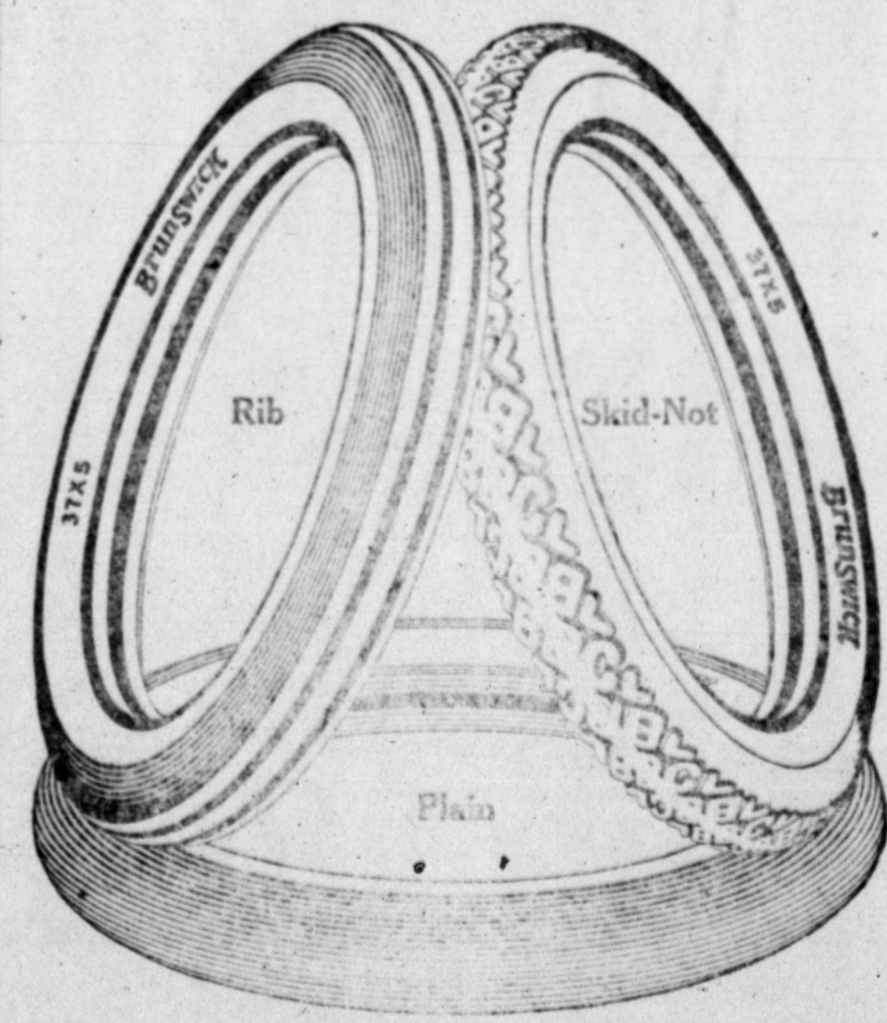
your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Kerrville, Texas, this 25th day of July, A. D. 1918.

(Seal) JNO. R. LEAVELL, Clerk County Court, Kerr County, Texas.

Sincere Gratitude.

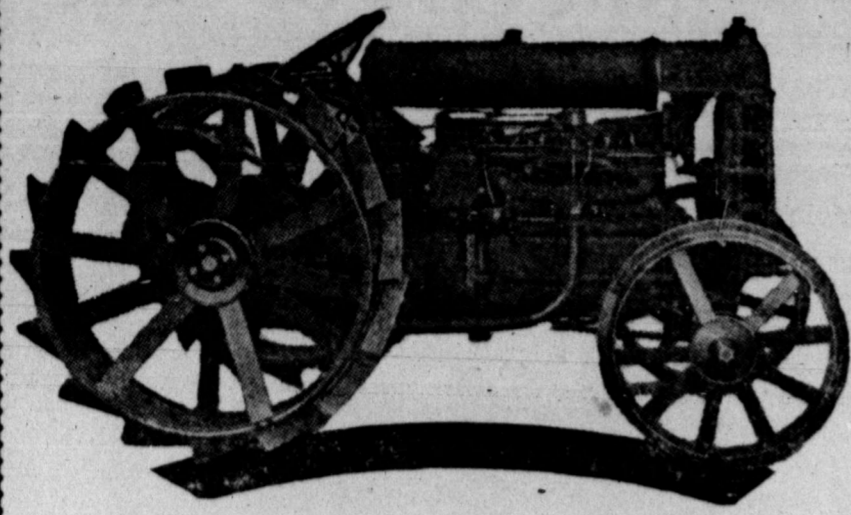
Mrs. William Bell, Logansport, Ind., writes: "I deem it my duty to express my gratitude for the good Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy did me when I had a severe attack of diarrhoea three years ago. It was the only medicine that relieved me."



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BOARD FIXES PRICE OF SUGAR FOR NEXT YEAR

The following notice has been sent out to all District and County Food Administrators for Texas by Administrator Peden, on the price of sugar for next year:

"The Sugar Equalization Board September 7, upon the approval of the president, fixed the price of cane sugar for next year, basis granulated, at 9 cents per pound, less 2 per cent f.o.b. seaboard refining points. This price became effective Monday morning, September 9.

"Wholesalers and retailers must sell their present stock on a basis of their cost, and should their stock not be disposed of prior to the time they receive sugar on the new cost basis, they will not be permitted to average their price; or, in other words, it might be possible that dealers will be compelled to sell their stocks of sugar at two different prices at the same time.

"The price for beet pulp, wet and dry, will be fixed by the Food Administration in the interest of cattle feeders, in the course of a few days.

"In this connection the attention of all distributors of sugar, i. e., wholesalers, jobbers and retailers, is called to the rule which requires that their stocks be sold on the basis of invoice cost without regard to market or replacement value. Sugar in the hands of jobbers must therefore be sold on a margin not to exceed .35 cents per hundred over cost, and in the hands of retailers, at a margin not exceeding 1 cent per pound, notwithstanding the general advance authorized."

H. L. MILLS MEMBER OF FIELD SUPERVISION FOR FOOD ADMINISTRATION.

H. L. Mills, associate director of education of the Federal Food Administration for Texas, has been designated by Administrator Peden as member of the staff of Field Supervision, with headquarters in Houston, and hereafter will devote his time to matters of investigation of complaints and assist in checking of licensees and unlicensed dealers to see that the rules and regulations are being observed. Mr. Mills, in coming to the Food Administration permanently, surrenders his work as principal of the Fullerton School, Houston, and sacrifices a much better paying position to render special service for the government.

During the summer months Mr. Mills handled the school and Speakers' Bureau of Educational Department and made a splendid record in not only organization, but getting the message of the Food Administration before the school teachers of Texas.

SUGAR FOR USE IN TEACHING CANNING.

The question has been asked the Federal Food Administration for Texas by various persons whether schools teaching Home Economics will be provided with sugar for lessons in canning at the opening of the school year, when these lessons are usually given. Administrator Peden is assured by the Sugar Division of the U. S. Food Administration that this sugar will be provided through the usual channels of sugar distribution.

This means that persons wishing to purchase sugar for teaching canning in departments of Home Economics of our schools and colleges, may apply to the Food Administrator for each quantity as they need for that purpose. It is urged, however, that teachers will make it a part of instructions to can with no sugar, or with little sugar, and with substitutes.

AMENDED RULES ON GREEN COFFEE.

The Food Administration has amended the regulations governing green coffee. Hitherto the dealer has been permitted to average spot coffee with coffee in transit or which he had arranged to ship from the country of origin. The new regulation is as follows and changes Rule 1:

Rule 1: Licensees entitled to reasonable profit. The licensee in any sale of green coffee shall take no more than a reasonable profit over the cost of the particular coffee sold, provided that any sale of spot coffee shall be made at not more than a reasonable profit over the average cost of his entire stock of spot coffee. Each growth of coffee shall be averaged separately. This amendment applies to all sales made after September 11, 1918.

You Are Cordially Invited.

To visit our interesting and instructive exhibit at the Louisiana State Fair, Shreveport; Cotton Palace, Waco; East Texas Fair, Tyler, and Pittsburg Fair, Pittsburg. We invite all our former students, their friends and those interested in America's largest Business Training School to visit our booth in the Exposition Building, and see our splendid exhibit which has won first honors at the State fairs. Our exhibit will be interesting and educational to old and young. We will have demonstrations on some of the most modern office appliances which are taught in our school. Speed demonstrations in Byrnes Combination Shorthand, a system written either with a pencil or typewriter, exhibit of student's work in Bookkeeping, Business Training, Shorthand, Typewriter, Business Administration and Finance, Penmanship, Cotton Classing and Telegraphy. A visit to our exhibit will show you why we have the largest school of the kind in America, you will see clearly why it is that we can make you a more practical and thorough stenographer in three and one-half months with the famous Byrnes Shorthand than other schools teaching other systems can in seven months, and why it is with our original copyrighted system of Bookkeeping and Business Training we can give you both a course of Bookkeeping and Business training in less time than other schools teaching other systems can give you a mere theoretical course of Bookkeeping, and why it is that our practical department of Telegraphy, the largest in the United States, with a loop of the Cotton Belt train wire, giving every message to our students, every station blank and record book that is used by the Western Union or Cotton Belt Railroad, turns out practical operators and station men; and that we place our graduates into good positions, also investigate the practical manner in which we teach Cotton Classing!

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Write today for catalogue and read what we guarantee to give you, what our former students say we have given them, and what their employers say of their efficiency. Get facts. Address Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas

The Doctrine of Hate.

The Miami (Fla.) Herald: Here and there may be noted expressions from speakers or writers deploring the growing desire to incite the doctrine of hate among the peoples of the Allied nations. One prominent writer says that hate is a symptom of weakness, and that in urging hate of the German people we are merely indicating that there is something less than strong in our nature.

There are others who urge that hate of the individual is contrary to the teachings of Christianity and that while we ought to hate the sin, we still should be careful to separate the sinner from his sin in our hate.

All that might, possibly, be true, and the correct attitude to take, if, in this instance, we were able to separate the German sinner from the German sin. When the war began we all started out with the idea that the sin Germany had committed and was committing against mankind were those of the upper classes, the rulers, only. But time has shown that we did not include enough Germans in the case of those who were bent on bringing misery into the world and in enjoining it to the greatest possible limits. Experience has shown that German soldiers, delight in the atrocities they have been commanded to commit and that they do not hesitate on occasion to go beyond their instructions and commit crimes on their own account. We do not find that German women, in their attitude toward the wounded prisoners from the Allied armies, are any more merciful than the men, or that they disprove of the awful crimes that Germans have committed against the women of the overrun territories. We do not find that intellectuals or religiousists of Germany are a whit behind soldiers and officers in their approval of the things that have been done against which mankind cries out.

It is impossible, therefore, for us to separate the German man and woman from the things they have done. It is impossible, in this case, to hate the sin without also hating the one who has committed the sin or the one that approves it.

It is all very beautiful, this thing of saying that we will not punish the German people, but when settlement time comes it is going to be very difficult to find the sheep among the immense majority of goats in the German corral, and in punishing those who started this war we will undoubtedly be compelled to include those who have taken pleasure in con-

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Chipped Beef in tins and jars, at C. C. BUTT GROCERY.

Heinz Pork and Beans, C. C. BUTT GROCERY. Phone No. 72.

We can supply your want in fresh, popular brand cigars. ROCK DRUG STORE.

Mr. Farmer, you are especially invited to the Lee Mason & Son Garage where the Fordson Tractor is now on exhibit.

Mrs. M. Wilkinson and daughter, Miss Tyler, left Thursday for Marfa, where they will join Mr. Wilkinson in their new home.

FORD OWNERS—Have your Ford Repairing done in a Ford Shop; it will be done Better, Quicker and Cheaper. LEE MASON & SON.

1,000 CORDS OF WOOD WANTED by Mosel, Saenger & Co. between now and first of January. Must be 4-ft. wood and not less than 3 inches or over 10 inches in size.

SUITS CLEANED AND PRESSED
All Kinds of Repair Work Promptly Done. Ladies' Suits Cleaned and Suits Made to Order.
S. FRIEDMAN, Tailor
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TO AUTO. OWNERS—The law says you must turn your Tail Lights, it also says DIM the glare of your Head Lights. We have a large stock of Lenses and Dimming Devices. LEE MASON & SON.

Chas. W. Rawson is in receipt of a notice from the examining board at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, stating that he had been recommended for a commission in the Quartermaster Corps, and his papers have gone to Washington for final approval.



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PHONE 79

We have purchased the magazine business from S. P. Benton and invite the public to call at this store for anything in that line. ROCK DRUG STORE.

We are distributors for the Fordson Tractors and have them on exhibition at our place of business, where their demonstration can be made. LEE MASON & SON.



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I am in the market to buy your sacks and will pay a price that will make it much to your interest to save your sacks and bring to me.

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Your attention is invited to our Fordson Tractors. Lee Mason & Son.

If you want a cigar with the right flavor call at the ROCK DRUG STORE.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with or without board. Mrs. N. G. Pfeuffer.

FOR SALE—One single-horse top buggy in good condition; will sell at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

Quaker Cracked Homin in packages, at C. C. GUTT GROCERY—The Satisfactory Store. Phone No. 72.

AUTO OWNERS—See our stock of Auto Accessories; we have just what you need. LEE MASON & SON.

Miss Francis Pinson of Fort Smith, Ark., spent the first of the week as the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. E. Thompson.

Remember the Rock Drug Store when you want a nice smoke. We handle a splendid line of the most popular cigars.

Rev. B. Schleifer returned the first of the week from Cuero, where he had been the past week in the interest of church and war work.

Miss Elizabeth Pfeuffer returned home Monday from San Antonio, where she had been visiting relatives and friends the past two weeks.

WANTED TO RENT—House and grounds suitable for boarding sick people. Also to meet a party financially interested. Address Box 534.

The Kerrville friends of Fred A. Ober will be glad to learn that he has been commissioned a lieutenant. He will be stationed at Camp Beauregard, Alexandria, La.

WANTED—Man and wife, man to do ranch work and wife to do housework and washing. For further information, ring Mrs. J. E. Stone, Phone 159. 40-1f

Alfred O. Anderson, accompanied by his mother and sister and P. C. Edwards, all of Dallas, were Kerrville guests this week. Messrs. Anderson and Edwards are representatives of the Dallas Daily Dispatch.

1,000 CORDS OF WOOD WANTED by Mosel, Saenger & Co., between now and first of January. Must be 4-ft. wood and not less than six inches or over 10 inches in size. 41-1f

FOR SALE—One Perfection Gas Range same as new, breakfast table, commode, glass churn, cot and mattress, and a few other items, all of which will be sold at a big sacrifice. Miss Jones, at the Parson's Cottage.

The Kerrville Boy Scouts will begin their Fourth Liberty Bond Campaign on October 12, which will continue to October 19. The Scouts are America's young fighters, and they are anxious to do their bit for our big Scouts who have a fighting campaign on in the trenches.

Liberty Day.

Saturday, October 12, is the four hundred and twenty-sixth anniversary of the discovery of America. President Wilson has proclaimed it Liberty Day and requests the citizens of every community in the United States—city, town, and countryside—to celebrate the day.

The President, in his proclamation, says: "Every day the great principles for which we are fighting take fresh hold upon our thought and purposes and make it clearer what the end must be and what we must do to achieve it."

"We now know more certainly than we ever knew before why free men brought the great Nation and Government we love into existence, because it grows clearer and clearer what supreme service it is to be America's privilege to render to the world."

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

LEMONS WHITEN AND BEAUTIFY THE SKIN

Make This Beauty Lotion Cheaply for Your Face, Neck, Arms and Hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart of the most wonderful complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whiten-er and beautifier. Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

If you can't fight, your money can.



CHEERFUL WORDS

For Many a Kerrville Household.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove helpful to hundreds of Kerrville readers.

Mrs. August Maertz, Depot Ave., Boerne, Tex., says: "My kidneys were in bad condition and my back gave me a lot of trouble. I had a constant, dull ache through my back and there were puffy spots under my eyes. Twinges in my lower limbs also caused annoyance. After using Doan's Kidney Pills the complaint disappeared and I have felt better ever since."

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

MONKEY GRIP is the world's best Tube Patch. A tested, tried and accepted Self-Vulcanizing Cold Patch for Auto and Motor Cycle Inner Tube Repairs. For sale by LEE MASON & SON.

Can Now Eat and Sleep in Comfort.

If troubled with indigestion or sleeplessness you should read what Miss Agnes Turner, Chicago, Ill., has to say: "Overwork, irregular meals and carelessness regarding the ordinary rules of health, gradually undermined it until last fall I became a wreck of my former self. I suffered from continual headache, was unable to digest my food, which seemed to lay as a dead weight on my stomach. I was very constipated and my complexion became dark, yellow and muddy as I felt. Sleeplessness was added to my misery, and I would awake as tired as when I went to sleep. I heard of Chamberlain's Tablets and found such relief after taking that I kept up the treatment for nearly two months. They cleansed my stomach, invigorated by system, and since that time I can eat and sleep in comfort. I am today entirely well."

NOTICE—I have some choice Bucks for sale. They are in thrifty condition and will be sold at a bargain. Albert Real, Phone 20-W. 39-1f

CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTES

BY FATHER KEMPER

The first mass on Sunday will be held in the Guadalupe Church at 8 o'clock for the Mexican congregation. In St. Mary's Church a High Mass will be sung at 10:15 a. m., including a scriptural sermon. The customary public Bible Class will be held at 2:30 p. m.

Last Sunday Edward Gladieu came up from Camp Stanley with a soldier companion to attend services here. Mrs. Will Gaines, directress of the Red Cross work in Waring, also motored to Kerrville to fulfill her Sunday obligation.

Will Bessan departed for France last week with Machine Shop Division 306. His sister, Mrs. Howard Davis, came from Del Rio to bid him God-speed.

Franz Lange of Harper visited his daughter, Mary, on Saturday at the St. Charles Hotel.

Mr. P. J. McMahon went to his New Orleans home but is expected back in a few days.

Mrs. Ida Kirkpatrick has rented a cottage on Water Street near Town Creek bridge and will reside there with her daughter, Mrs. John Drodody. Mr. Drodody of Refugio is employed at Mason's Garage.

Louis Hartung, a fellow-graduate of Father Kemper, donated to the Brackenridge Zoo at San Antonio an African lioness which gave birth to three cubs on Tuesday of this week.



The Notre Dame children had their interest in Red Cross work rekindled on Monday when a lady from St. Louis delivered to them a very patriotic and practical address. Forthwith the students endeavored to put some of her suggestions into execution.

The Senior Red Cross workers have also gained some recruits for the Catholic Circle that meets Friday afternoons. They have been joined by Mrs. J. P. Earl, Mrs. C. Squyres, Miss Gussie Kaiser and Miss Lucy Brandon.

During the present Liberty Bond campaign the Notre Dame flag will float from the massive staff whenever the weather is propitious. A Sanctuary Sodality has been organized among the Catholic boys at Notre Dame Institute with Jack Fly as president; Freddie Nyc, treasurer, and Lawrence Staudt, secretary.

Miss Angeline Kemper motored to San Antonio this Friday to see her twin nephews at St. Louis College. She was accompanied by Misses Mary and Wilhelmina Mosel. Miss Annie Mosel and her brother, John, went down in their own car and will not return till Monday.

Parent-Teachers' Club.

War work on behalf of children has been inaugurated by the Children's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor and the Child Welfare Department of the Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense. The organization of Mothers Clubs and Parent-Teachers' Associations all over the United States have approved and joined in the plans for Children's Year—the object of which is to save 100,000 babies.

The Parent-Teachers' Club of Kerrville has already taken steps toward carrying out these plans in our own community. Special emphasis will be laid upon the prevention of disease among the children and every mother and all who are interested in protecting children are invited and urged to attend the meeting of the Club at the High School Auditorium, Wednesday, October 9, at 4 o'clock. The following program will be rendered: "Star Spangled Banner." Prayer for our sailors and soldiers. Roll Call. Minutes. Business. Reading—Miss Morgan. Music—Scott and Lois Fawcett. Paper: "Child Welfare in Our School."—T. C. Johnston. Round Table Discussion. MRS. G. M. DOYLE, Pres.

Bronchial Trouble.

Mrs. A. E. Sidenberder, Rockfield, Ind., states: "For an attack of bronchial trouble which usually assails me in the spring I find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the only thing that gives me relief. After using it for a few days all signs of bronchial trouble disappears."

WHAT CATARRH IS

Science has shown that nasal catarrh often indicates a general weakness of the body and local treatments in the form of snuffs and vapors only irritate and do little if any good. To correct catarrh you should treat its cause by enriching your blood with the oil-food in Scott's Emulsion which is a medicinal food and a building tonic, free from any harmful drugs. It is helping thousands. Try it. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

CALOMEL DYNAMITES A SLUGGISH LIVER

Crashes into Sour Bile, Making You Sick and You Lose a Day's Work.

Calomel salivates! It's mercury. Calomel acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver. When calomel comes into contact with sour bile it crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; besides it may salivate you, while if you take Dodson's Liver Tonic you will wake up feeling great, full of ambition and ready for work or play. It's harmless, pleasant and safe to give to children; they like it.



LOOK AT A CHILD'S TONGUE WHEN CROSS, FEVERISH AND SICK

Take No Chances! Move Poisons From Liver and Bowels at Once.

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, and they become tightly packed, liver gets sluggish and stomach disordered.

When cross, feverish, restless, see if tongue is coated, then give this delicious "fruit laxative." Children love it, and it can not cause injury. No difference what ails your little one—if full of cold, or a sore throat, diarrhoea, stomach-ache, bad breath, remember, a gentle "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." We make no smaller size. Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

Trespass Notice.

The public is hereby notified that trespassing of any kind is positively forbidden in our pastures located on the Kerrville and Fredericksburg road. 38-4td

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Now that the rains have come and a good season is almost assured it is very important that you investigate the value of the Fordson Tractor before you start your fall plowing. See the one we have on exhibition. LEE MASON & SON.

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25 Young Choice Bucks for the Fall Trade To Appreciate this flock is to see it at my Ranch 10 miles South of Kerrville

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Advertisement for H. Remschel Lumber Co. featuring an illustration of a lumber yard and text: "THE HEAVIEST TIMBER or lightest lumber can be had here any time in any quantity. We always have on hand an ample supply of lumber of all kinds. All sound and thoroughly seasoned, so your builder can figure exactly what will be needed and make lower figures as no allowance for waste is necessary where our lumber is used. H. REMSCHEL LUMBER CO. KERRVILLE, TEXAS. Office and Yard Near Depot."

Poultry Bargain

I have for sale a few choice S. C. White Leghorn Cockerels from a heavy laying strain. These were raised especially for breeding purposes. I will sell them this fall for \$3.00, but rather than develop them, as I need the room for pullets, will sell for \$1.00 each.

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Do You Want to Sell or Buy?

Regardless of what you want in Live Stock or Real Estate, I can be of valuable assistance to you. I will be glad to buy your goats, or I can sell you goats. I have a buyer for your Real Estate, or have desirable Real Estate if you want to buy. TELL ME WHAT YOU WANT. J. J. Dent, Kerrville, Tex.

America's Answer to Peace Proposal From Murderers, Outragers and Looters

(Manufacturers Record)

Science prostituted to wholesale murder is the diabolical scheme with which Germany has sought to destroy civilization in order that on the ruins it might build a world-controlling, autocratic, atheistic power.

All that German scientists have been able to achieve has been, by the German government and the German people, prostituted to the killing and the maiming of millions in order that Germany might conquer and loot the world.

In the air, on the land and under the sea every device which the chemist and the engineer have been able to devise for bringing suffering and sorrow upon the world has been put into effect by German experts. All that the whole German nation has accomplished in the past in the development of science has been prostituted to the destruction of moral forces at home and to the murder of millions of people on the battlefield.

It has been said that this a war of science, but, broadly speaking, we are not engaged in war, for the fight to which this Nation and our Allies have dedicated their lives is not a war such as the world has ever known.

This is a campaign by Germany of deliberately, definitely-planned, long-gloried-in murder.

This is a campaign of frightfulness which finds expression in ruthless destruction of every country over which the rotten-souled armies of Germany have marched.

This is a campaign in which Germany has gloried in its power to inflict suffering untold upon women and children, in which it has ruthlessly shot the aged and infirm, in which it has destroyed churches and cathedrals with the same gloating glee of the demon with which Germans have destroyed womanhood and childhood.

This is not, therefore, a war of science: it is a fight in which science, as expressed through chemistry and engineering, is being used to the utmost power of human ingenuity, aided by every influence which the devil himself can put into effect to enable Germany to make more frightful its hell-devised and hell-begotten plan of murder.

We have been compelled to meet German science with greater science. We have been forced to find a way to master its work in the air, on the land and under the sea; and the science of Americans and our Allies will yet prove as far superior to the science of Germany in its campaign of murder as American honor exceeds the black dishonor of Germany.

As every telegraphic click across the Atlantic brings a new toll of death and of suffering, our hearts should be steeled to an unbending and unbendable determination that Germany and the German people shall pay to the utmost extent of human power the penalty of their crimes, not only because they deserve punishment as the blackest criminals in history, but in order that civilization may be safeguarded for the future.

Every word of peace spoken in America or in the countries of our Allies is uttered by some one who is a pro-German at heart, whatever may be the disguise under which he seeks, clothed in the livery of Heaven, to do the devil's work.

False to the teachings of God Himself, false to the history of all humanity, false to every man who has died and to every man who has been wounded on the battlefields in defense of civilization, false to the honor of womanhood and the safety of childhood, false to human liberty now and forever, is every man or woman who utters one word suggestive of peace without punishment.

False is every man who even for one moment thinks that an unbeaten, unrepentant, unpunished Germany would not for all the centuries to come be a blot upon civilization and an everlasting disgrace to those who profess to believe in that righteous wrath which every honest-hearted man and woman should have as we contemplate the boundless woe and unvoiceable sorrow with which Germany has filled the world, merely that its people might become the murderers, the outragers, the looters of all mankind for personal and national aggrandizement. It would seem that even Almighty God would to such spineless moral degenerates or cowards as those who favor peace without punishment say, "Because you are neither hot nor cold I will spew you out of my mouth."

ON TO BERLIN, AND DEATH TO GERMANISM!



TO THOSE WHO HAVE BOYS "OVER THERE"

You have given them richly of your love, your prayers, your constant thought. You have sent letters and packages by every mail.

You somehow feel that these will protect your boys "Somewhere in France," that somehow or other these constant expressions of yearning human affection will act as talismans, protective charms.

But these are not enough. Love cannot quench the gunfire; your prayers cannot halt the fumes of poison gas; your letters over their hearts cannot stop the bayonet thrusts.

When the hell of battle bursts they must have more—guns must answer guns, gas masks must answer poison gas, bayonets must answer bayonets. And guns and gas masks and bayonets cost money.

These are the things you must send over to save the lives of your own sons.

They need your love and your prayers.

But Liberty Bonds are an even mightier protection than family ties.

Invest in all you can today.



WHAT DO YOU THINK I OUGHT TO DO?

Thousands of times this question has been asked by people really anxious to find out how much money they ought to invest in Liberty Bonds.

Ask the question of a dozen friends and you will receive a dozen varying answers.

Here is an honest attempt to give a clear-cut answer to the question.

General Pershing's soldiers are allowed enough to wear, enough to eat, and a few dollars weekly to spend on tobacco and little necessities—the balance of their earning power is devoted as a gift to the Government.

Here Is Your Standard

In the matter of saving for the Liberty Loan your standard has been set. These men who are making it need be the supreme sacrifice for you, for our country and for humanity, have established a clean-cut standard. They have a right to believe that you will allow yourself enough money to purchase the bare necessities of life, and conduct business essential to the war, devoting the balance of your earning power to your Country in the form of subscriptions to Liberty Loans.

A man who gives up salary or income in order to fight for you and yours has the right to expect that you will at least

Lend As He Has Given

The man who endures without complaint the heartache of parting from those he loves, has the right to expect what you will at least sacrifice and save, even to the point of discomfort, in order to supply him with fighting necessities.

It calls for some courage. It means working at some productive occupation harder than ever before, and the giving up of every luxury. But will you not do these things and do them cheerfully in order to place at the disposal of our fighting men the very substantial sum you will save by adopting such a course? You will gain mentally, morally, financially.

What MUST I Do?

The yearly income of all the people in this country is estimated at fifty billion dollars.

It has been made clear that twenty-four billion dollars must be raised for war purposes during the next twelve months.

It follows that nearly half of our national income must be set aside for the payment of taxes, and subscriptions to Government loans.

Nothing short of the heroic measures of economy and saving called for by the Government will avail—measures such as our soldiers have adopted in their complete surrender of self to the cause of winning the war.

The man of moderate income will have to give or lend to the Government in the form of taxes or subscriptions to Government Loans, about one-third of his income during the next twelve months. Of course, the larger the income, the greater the percentage that must be lent or given. One-third of their income is the share of the average family. Many will be called upon to do far more.

In mathematical calculations then is to be found the answer to the question "What MUST I Do?", but in the example of our fighting men is to be found our standard, our inspiration and our guide, and the answer to the question "What Do You Think I Ought To Do?"

Let us store in our hearts the words of our President:

"The shadows that now lie dark upon our path will soon be dispelled, and we shall walk with the light all about us if we be but true to ourselves."

Your standard has been set. Be true to that standard. Keep faith with your country, your soldiers, and with yourself. BUY LIBERTY BONDS TO YOUR UTMOST.

SEVEN POUNDS OF FRUIT PITS TO SAVE SOLDIERS FROM GAS

Nationwide Campaign Begun to Save Pits for Making Carbon to Go Into Gas Masks—It's Up to the Housewife This Time.



Invoking the same patriotic spirit of conservation that saved millions of bushels of wheat and immense quantities of meat, sugar and fat for export to our army and the allies, the Food Administration is calling upon its organizations throughout the country to stimulate saving of fruit pits and nut shells from which will be made a high grade of carbon for gas masks that will withstand the ravages of German poison gas.

Federal Food Administrators in all States have been asked to far which is acting as collecting agents and forwarding the necessary materials to points of utilization. County Food Administrators will be useful in outlying territory to line up householders, canners, hotel and restaurant men and members of fraternal and social organizations that can act as units in the campaign.

Canners and packers of fruits and others who have pits in large quantities to send in may communicate directly with Lieutenant W. M. Jackson, Chemical Warfare Section, United States Army, 19 West 44th Street, New York City, advising the quantity they have available. Shipping instructions will be forthcoming at once.

The need for every body to save every possible bit of material and send it in promptly is emphasized on the fact that it takes two hundred peach pits, or seven pounds of shells, to furnish enough carbon for one mask that may save the life of an American soldier. Only the following material can be used: Peach, apricot, prune, olive, date, cherry and plum pits and Brazil, hickory, walnut and butter-nut shells.

America sent 141,000,000 bushels of wheat to Europe from the 1917 crop, when practically no surplus was available. What was sent was what was saved by the voluntary co-operation of the people, a slice of bread here, an ounce of flour there. This is the spirit that is expected to make the anti-gas drive as successful as the wheat-saving campaign.



SUGAR CROP OF CUBA TO BE DISTRIBUTED BY THE U. S. FOOD ADMINISTRATION.

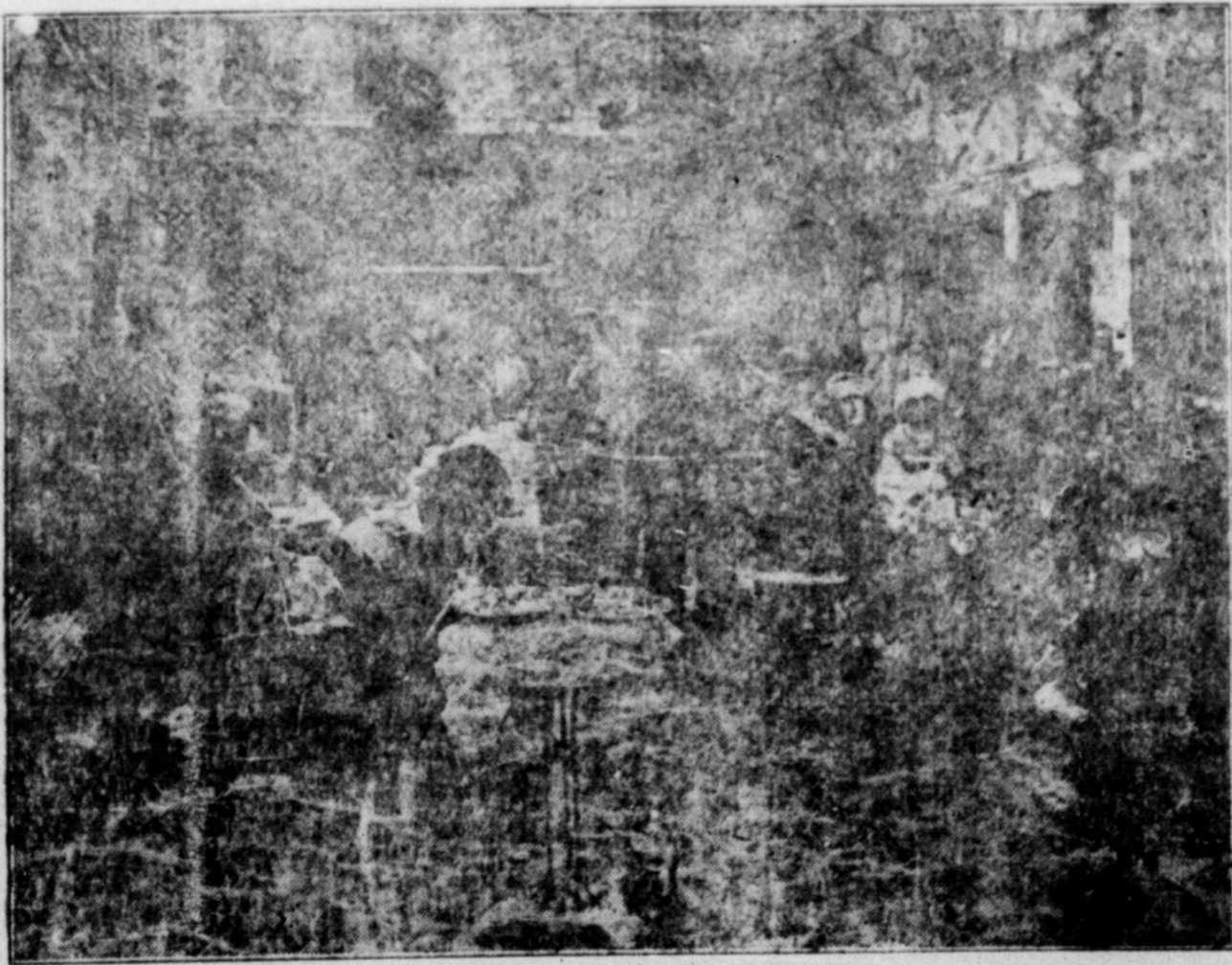
Administrator Peden is advised by Washington that the Sugar Equalization Board has closed a contract with the Cuban minister for the purchase of the Cuban sugar crop at a price basis of about \$5.50 per hundred pounds f.o.b. Cuban ports. This purchase is made on behalf of the American, English, French and Italian governments.

The crop will be available in December, and its division between the allies will be directed by the United States Food Administration. These arrangements, as was the case last year, put an end to all speculation in sugar and assure an equitable distribution between all allies and our own consumers.

With the shortage of labor already universally existent in the United States owing to the demands of the war industries and with the prospects of further inroads under the new 18-41 draft regulations, there is a serious question in the minds of producers of our domestic beet and cane sugar crops as to their ability to maintain the normal rate of production this next season.

It is most prudent, advises the Food Administration, to prepare for a reduced production of our domestic beet and cane crop. From our main sources of supply, Cuba particularly and also Hawaii and Porto Rico, comes reports of severe labor shortages and difficulties in obtaining necessary supplies and fertilizers. While the probability of reducing production in these places is not as great as in the continental United States, some considerable reduction is certain to come. It would therefore, be unwise to depend on the 1918-19 sugar crops to make up for any deficiency in our present supply. It is better to build up stocks to provide against further crop reduction.

Courtyard of Young Women's Christian Association Hotel Petrograd in Paris to Help Care For Women



This interesting scene was snapped at Hotel Petrograd in the heart of the French capital. Thousands of women war workers are daily in Paris, many of them Americans, and in their rush in connection with war affairs they find this place, conducted by the Young Women's Christian Association, a haven. The women and girls from the States especially like the American cooking and surroundings.

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Taming the Tiger.

The Globe, London, England: America being to a very considerable extent of one blood with ourselves, it is, we suppose, natural that our sentimentalists should imagine that their peculiar views are likely to be dominant in the United States. But a little reflection, a little study of even comparatively recent history, should suffice to disabuse their minds of this particular error. We have had several instances with the United States during the last 50 years, and though there have never, we believe, been any serious chances of war between the two peoples, we cannot say that we have found the Americans particularly easy to bargain with. Those who remember the Alabama case, the Venezuelan difficulty and the Alaska arbitration, as well as those who in their private affairs are accustomed to meet Americans in business, will

not very easily be persuaded to regard him as a timid, shrinking creature, nervously anxious not to be too hard upon the other party to a deal or a law suit, and we confess that, surprised and shocked as we may have been in the past at the American attitude in these matters, we are heartily glad now that the American character is what it is.

America has come into this war with the ultimate object of saving civilization as a whole from the greatest peril which has ever threatened it, and we should be the last to belittle the noble idealism with which she is inspired or the fine self-sacrifice she has displayed. But primarily she has come into it to save herself, and we are very glad of it, because, when all is said and done, a community of interests is a much more solid foundation on which to build an alliance between great nations than a mere community of ideas. America per-

"YANKS"

By Wilbur D. Nesbit

There were sixty-two names in the casualty list, published July 22d. Twenty-two of these names were of men who were obviously of foreign blood. Joseph Mikolajewski and George Verkolos and Egzi Ganaki and Thomas Vilitto and Wesley Knutson and Toras Maki-morich were among them. So it went—Greek, Italian, Swede, Dane, Russian, Jew, Pole, German—you could find as many nationalities as you know. Yet they were all "Yanks."

The casualty lists keep coming; the names keep pouring over the cable. Oh, you, the Smith and Joneses and Brownes are all there. Yet, somehow, one's hand involuntarily goes up in salute to Szysperski and Mentz and Schwarz—to those "Yanks" whose fathers and mothers just a few years back stepped from deck to dock and blinked their eyes in the knowledge that at last their dreams of freedom had come true.

They ARE "YANKS"—God bless them! And ever ytime you buy a Liberty Bond you put a newer and a higher courage in the hearts of all our boys, but especially of those boys whose parents came here so that their sons might be free to fight for liberty if liberty had to be defended. Now it is the Fourth Liberty Loan—bigger than was ever known before, and backed by greater resources than any investment you ever made.

Buy your Liberty Bonds now, for you KNOW you are going to buy them.
You are not sacrificing a penny; you are not GIVING a cent. You are lending your money; you get good interest for it; you get your money back.
Best of all, you are saying to Scime and Norvich and Novating and all the other boys who are fighting shoulder to shoulder with Smith and Jones and Brown:
"We Yanks are standing together and fighting together!"

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KERRVILLE, TEXAS

ceives quite clearly that if Germany wins she is next in line of fire and will very soon have to fight for her own existence in circumstances much less favorable to her than those which now exist. But she also perceives that if Germany is not decisively beaten, if the tier is not either killed or permanently tamed, that exceedingly undesirable contingency will be equally inevitable, and will only be delayed. Therefore, she will not listen to any suggestion of a peace by compromise, and all the indications of public opinion which reach us from the United States, including the remarkable declaration from Mr. Edmonds, which we publish elsewhere, are in the direction of a resolute determination to see this thing through to the bitter end and to make no terms whatever with the tiger, except at the business end of a gun, until the animal is safely behind the bars of the stoutest cage civilization can erect.

There is something delightfully innocent in the notion that America is going to win this war and then contentedly acquiesce in a verdict which does not carry costs. That is not the American way. To the people of the United States this war bears the same appearance as it does to us—that is to say, it seems a particularly warlike and wicked attempt to secure enormous advantages by violence and without even the pretense of justice, an attempt rapturously applauded by the German nation so long as it seemed likely to be successful, and for which that nation must share the responsibility with its rulers. If both sides were equally in fault, it is still the role of war that the loser should pay, but in a case like this, in which the Americans are firmly convinced that all the right is on our side and that they would consent to deviate from the salutary rule is simply inapplicable. The Germans have been kind enough to explain their intention to demand gigantic indemnities if they are victors, and in some instances even to specify the amounts they will demand. Tossing for dollars on the principle of "Heads I win, tails you lose" is not a form of amusement regarded with much favor in the United States, and we fear that, let our pro-Germans say what they will, America will insist on taking her share of the stakes from Germany if the game goes in favor of the Allies.

Being a very good partner in these little affairs, she will also, we fancy, with Great Britain, France and Italy, to say nothing of Belgium, Serbia and Rumania, to take theirs also, if only to give Germany a permanent lesson against this horrible gambling in blood and tears.
Moreover, if we read the speeches and the writings of her prominent citizens rightly, she will not be content with compensation alone; she will demand justice. To one she is urged by plain business principles; to the other by something much higher, a very real passion for righteousness. To the average American it seems utterly wrong, a gross betrayal of the Divinity in man, that human power should strike from the duty of punishing great criminals merely because their rank is eroded and their crimes are on a stuporous scale. American means not only to make the German people pay to the utmost farthing for having tried to enslave the world and having failed, but to hang the Kaiser and the other criminals against whom atrocious acts are proved. The Americans are a highly practical people, and they do not propose that the hanging shall be done in metaphor, but from a substantial gibbet and at the end of a very real rope.

EASTERN STAR MAVERS PERSONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

The Kerrville Eastern Star members made personal contributions last week toward the purchase of War Savings Stamps, which will be donated to the Maintenance Fund for the O. E. S. Home.

All members whom the committee was unable to see are invited to contribute to this fund at their earliest convenience.

- We extend special thanks to Mr. Charles Morris, a dignified member, for his contribution.
- MRS. H. WEISS.
- MRS. GEORGE MORRIS.
- MRS. BLANCH VANN.
- MRS. A. B. WILKINSON, Committee.

Attention, Farmers.

If you expect seed for planting from the County, you must go to the County Clerk's office and sign up the proper papers before the seed can be delivered to you. Go at once.
LEE WALLACE, County Judge

A man who wor't lead is the kaiser's friend.

The soldier gives; you must lend.

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In late years the coming and going of seasons have made great changes, but the reliable manner in which this firm conducts its business, has not.

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