FLOYD COUNTY GOES

in the Third Liberty Loan. The quota The allied lines are holding except in of the county was \$130,600. The total subscriptions in the entire county for allied advantages. The Germans to date amounts to \$150,000.

The Beacon is somewhat disappointday night we will get busy and reach the Huns. the quota assigned us. It will be a passing judgement on any mans abili- The allies have not yet started a gen- do it: ty to buy Liberty Bonds, but we feel eral counter offense. When that time Customs, excess and indirect taxa- it is our duty to pay out the sums campaign.—Floydada Hesperian. sure that we can subscribe our part is arrives there is going to be something tin will yield one and one half billion mentioned as due from us according it is dry and prospects gloomy, but wearing themselves out in their ef- their wealth should provide by taxa- take during the year to mortage our THEM" IS TRUE TO THIS DAY what if we have plenty rain and make forts to destroy the British armies, tion and subscriptions to Government next years resources to the extent of

Wake up men and women of Lockhas been reached, and we can then ful in the thought that the allied lines saved and handed over to the Govern- ply of these for distribution. we get busy.

We are strong for America and hate despotism. the Kaiser worse than old nick.

Floyd county dollars have been forth coming. We have bought bonds MRS, LILLIE BRITTON and are ready to buy more bonds. We are for Uncle Sam first, last and all the time. You bet we are.

TO AGAIN SERVE HIS COUNTRY AND FLAG

for Dallas where he goes to reinlist of years, and has raised a family of tic style. All business houses will be splendid young manhood, to engage position of clerk. He is one of Floyd has been recently appointed captain in the navy. He went to Amarillo children by her industry and close ap- closed this afternoon from 1 to 5 in bloody battle on European fields county's best citizens, and his claims under Col. Will A. Miller of Amarillo, two weeks ago before the naval re- plication to business. There is no o'clock. At 3 o'clock a mass meeting the most inhuman foe the world has for this position should be given the in the new State Calvary Regiment, cruiting officer, and arangements one that knows Mrs. Britton but loves and patriotic rally will be held at the ever known. Then you and I that consideration it so richly deserves. was here Tuesday and recruited 28 were made to send him to Dallas on and respects her for her noble char- Public School Auditorium when the have been permitted to stay at home If chosen at the primaries he pledges Lockney boys. These boys will go to the above date. Joe hopes to perfect acter. She enters the race for treas- following program will be rendered: should gather this afternoon and send faithful service and his qualifications the border, where they will form a arrangements whereby he can go di- urer through the solicitation of many Music-Lockney Orchestra. rect to France and enter hospital ser- friends who have known her for vice over there. The Beacon trusts years, and who know her to be qualithat he can be sent over seas at once fied for the discharge of the duties Baptist church. according to his wishes, as he will be of the office, and in every way worthy a valuable addition to our over-sea of the trust. It is indeed a pleasure forces by reason of his four years nathat the Beacon announces the candi-Randolph, of Plainview. val experience in the hospital branch dacy of this splendid lady, and among

of that service. than two months after four long years | that have been the recipients of acts | of service in the navy. He served his of kindness at her hands will vote for led by orchestra. time with honor and distinction, and her on election day she will be nomiis now hurryng back to be of further nated treasurer by an overwhelming of the Methodist church. service to humanity in this present majority. world crisis. As he remarked to the writer a few days ago: "Smith, I NO FEAR FELT AT WASHINGTON Street. Everybody will assemble on way is forward." Our young men at war and to causes. A large crowd come a part of the United States feel that my country needs me. The boys are dying over there. They Washington, April 25 .- Army offi- furled to the breezes. Let everybody plans for their lifework, and are risk- The primary object of his visit here cent act of Texas Legislature, which

the heart of one of God's noblemen. The element of surpise having been us come together and renew our pa- patriotic occasion. Let patriotism oners and others. He was accom- on the border within a hundred days. are wasted. He has been continuous- sist the attack. ly before the puble in this country in Officers believe the Germans will be France for you and I. Thousands of now belongs to our country. since he landed here. He has made a their new offensive than in their cart- complainingly they are giving their George Briggs, Manager for the a pulpit orator, and a splendid talker. of Hale, Swisher, Floyd and Lamb number of addresses over the county, ier efforts. The allied command mean lives that you and I might continue to Red Cross of this district, was unable Those that took the trouble to go out counties. He opened headquarters at and has strengthened greatly the Red while has been unified. General Foch enjoy peace and happiness. Tomor to reach Lockney Thursday as previ. to hear hm were well paid. Cross cause. Besides Red Cross work probably has his army of reserve in row the train will carry ten more of ously announced, and his engagement tis-(alirmkoOdscmfshriiiiiiicmfshrdm in one day 62 men. He is taking men he has been active in the present Lib- a position where it may be used when our brave sons away to war. Let us here has been postponed indefinitely. erty Loan campaign, going out to needed, and there is no fear here that on this occasion pledge to them and mitteemen and speaking in the inter- whelmed. est of this important feature of government work. He has the thanks of Ray Lee of Camp Travis came in Stripes to victory. "If Democracy is three weeks. both the Red Cross and Liberty Loan Thursday on a visit to his father H. W | conquered in this war, all free peoples organizations for his splendid work in Lee.

BRIEF SUMMARY OF WAR

There has not been much doing in the varous battle fronts the first of the week, but new attacks were in-Floyd county has gone over the top on the Western Front Wednesday. heavily in man power.

ing out of us. Then what benefit will doubtless put them almost if not The banks of the country may well be actually pay out. altogether out of commission.

their morale.

ner in which the good people have better prepared to administer the and dollars yearly, the figures relat- duty, but the facts are now brought said: taken hold of the Liberty Bond situa- sound threshing that is coming to the ing to this class interest us all most home to their fellow-men. Kaiser and his bunch of cut-throats. closely. as a county as whole deserve The Beacon can only say, be cheerful, The Beacon can only say, be two worked on the problem have come to be hopeful and do your utmost in coperation. America will free the worked on the problem have come to the conclusion that a family with an income of two thousand dollars year-lightly thousand dollars year-ligh

ANNOUNCES FOR TREASURER

In this issue of the Beacon will be found the announcement of Mrs. Lillie Britton of Lockney for the office of County Treasurer of Floyd county. Mrs. Britton has made her home in Lockney and Floyd county for a numpeople. She is a splendid christian claimed by President Wilson and Gov. against might. America has heard when he moved out of the precinct. Joe McCollum will leave Monday She has been widowed for a number will celebrate the occasion in patrio- rushing fourth in the morning of their citizen, and is a ly qualified to fill the Fred C. Peacre of Plainview, who the nice things we might say about Joe McCollum has been home less her, we will only add that if all those Lockney.

have wounds to be dressed and taken cers here see in the new German drive be there, especially do we want you at ing their lives. care of. I can't stay out of it." a surer test of strength than the first the school building and flag raising. Close up shop this afternoon, and of he denomination, Baptist, to France ment. They are expected to get their

Joe's vacation has not been wasted eliminated, the allies have thrown triotic ties, and pledge our lives and sway us, let love for country and home panied by Dr. Gates of Plainview and Captain Pearce was here only a few while at home, as the usual vacations great resources into their lines to re- fortunes to Freedom's Cause. Thous- take hold of our very being, and cause the pastors of the Baptist church at hours Tuesday afternoon and signed

the interest of the Red Cross ever able to muster greater strength in them are facing German steel, and un-

must either submit to Germany's

for the living and in behalf of the gle now going on over there, he will We must fight Germany in Europe ing at the home of her mother, Mrs. regiment will be composed of present son, Grady Crager, Scott McCracken, Lockney people in general and the carry with him the blessings and best with help, that we may not have to Lillie Britton. She returned home and past students of the College. Red Cross Society in particular in ex- wishes of his neighbors and friends. fight her here in America without Thursday. pressons of good will and thanks to May he whose presence is felt on land this noble Floyd county boy for the and sea guide and protect him and all to not sell the county boy for the sea guide and protect him and all to not sell the county boy for the sea guide and protect him and all to not sell the county boy for the sea guide and protect him and all to not sell the county beginning to the sea guide and protect him and all to not sell the county beginning to the sea guide and protect him and all to not sell the county beginning to the sea guide and protect him and all the county beginning to the sea guide and protect him and all the county beginning to the sea guide and protect him and all the county beginning to the sea guide and protect him and all the county beginning to the county this noble Floyd county boy for the and sea guide and protect him and all aplendid service he is rendering to his others who are braving unknown dang country. Monday morning, as he leaves for No Man's Land to do a from the earth.

I to not only do our bit but our might. Were week endguest here with reliance will indeed be glad to know that she is very much improved from her reliance. Hartman have many warm frinds in Lockney who are always glad to have where to do their might in this great them come income.

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK HOW MUCH SHOULD I SUCSCRIBE TO THE GOVERNMENT IN LIBERTY BONDS

augurated by the Germans in sectors WHAT IS MY OBLIGATION TO THE GOVERNMENT IN THE PRES-ENT CRISIS, TO HOME AND COUNTRY? HOW MUCH SHALL I DO?

guide, some rule, on the subject has side nine thousand dollars.

doubted reliability.

Datrictie- Tuture generations against military ly must save and hand over to the on which to work. Government yearly about two hundred Have you lived up to your responsi- W. F. WEATHERBEE A family earning five thousand dollars must save fellow-men await your reply.

Judge J. N. Stallbird, Presiding.

Music by orchestra.

Music.

seem to be badly cut up and have a- How much should I subscribe to one thousand one hundred and twen- oversubscribe. Dickens county's ap- wheat flour (or its wheat equivalent The total subscriptions in the South bout lost their pep for mass attacks, the Third Liberty Loan? What is my ty dollars. One earning ten thouspart of the county, including Floydada and reckless sacrifice of life. Where share? These questions are being and dollars must save four thousand oversubscribed during the second fast coreals etc.) of 6 pounds of amounted to \$102,500. The North ever they have undertaken to go asked daily, and replied to in a thous-dollars, and one having an income of week of the loan campaign. part of the county, including Lockney through the allied lines they have lost and different ways. The need of some twenty thousand dollars must put s-

we would get busy. We know that doing. The Germans are gradually dollars. Corporations assessed on to our financial ability, and to underand when the allies strike them they loans two and three-quarter billions, about fifty per cent of the amount we Dallas, Texas, April 25.—Cadet

While the officials of this bank can- like this and so are we all." The actuaries and experts who not vouch for the exactness of the The audience with tears streaming

bilities? Your conscience and your

can be insulted and wronged with im-

cy and truth, justice and peace, must

Patriotic Address-Eld. J. E. Black the future must be ensured; that mer-

them come back.

Todate three counties in this imme-

THREE COUNTIES IN THIS

liate section of West Texas have reported Liberty Loan sales over the quota set for them by the Federal Reserve Bank. These are Floyd, Swisher and Dickens. Swisher county's ap- governed by the new wheat conservaportionment was around \$110,000, tion program, which means that they

SECTION "OVER THE TOP"

\$138,600 was reached Monday or Tues In addition thereto they shall not The Sammies have not been engag- been felt by practically everyone. The citizens referred to may deduct day of this week, when the \$100,000 serve in the aggregate a total of any at our fall down in the matter. We ed in any important engagement, but Mr. Seward Prosser, President of from the amounts mentioned the permark had been passed by the Floydhould have done better. The countries all under a constant fire by the Gerthe Banker's Trust Co., of New York sonal tax they pay to the government. ada district and reports from indiviy districts with few exceptions raismans. Our boys have counter attackhas endeavored to supply the want. and the net balance is the amount duals at Lockney indicated that that
Wheatless days d their quotas assigned them, but we ed in a number of cases and exacted a Calling to his assistance some of the they should actually pay out during district had passed the \$40,000 mark, wen folks have not come across as heavy toll from the Huns. The cleverest financial brains of the country Bonds, if they Though no offical statement as to the observed and by "wheatless" is meant should. This is plain facts, and American boys are fighting like vet- try he puts forth aproximate figures wish to do their share. Amounts paid exact figures there were made. If no wheat flour in any food served, exerans, and are more than a match for based upon national statistics of un- cut as installments on Bonds should that district reaches the apportion- cept that amount contained in "Vicnot be confused with "amount of ment made to it of \$69,300, the coun- tory" bread, which can be served in The Western battle has been in Presuming that we must raise fif- bonds signed up for." The three and ty will very likely go \$175,000 before public eating places on wheatless days burning shame to fall short of Lockprogress more than a month, and mili teen billion dollars during the next one-half billion dollars being carried the end of the campaign, since Floyney's part of the North end of the tary writers claim that it will prob- twelve months to conduct the war, the by the banks under the suggested dada and the 14 other school districts products shall be served unless ordercounty's assignment. We are not ably last throughout the summer. following figures show how we must scheme, must eventually be absorbed comprising this district will reach the by the individual. In other words, \$105,000 mark before the end of the No public eating places may serve

Frank Countryman of Kellyfield was with the evening meal, begining at The situation on the Western Front asked to carry bonds for themselves A booklet has been published entalking at Honey Grove, Texas, last five o'clock of every other day of the and their customers to the value of titled "What is my share of the cost night, and gave the most graphic developed asked to carry bonds for themselves are wheatless. Complete reney. We know you are patriotic, but on which destinies of nations hangs, three and one half billion dollars, of the War?" which goes into the mat scription of the horrors of warfare, cords of all edibles purchased must just a little bit slow. Don't let the sun is satisfactory, and military experts This leaves a balance of seven and one ter in detail. The Federal Reserve the fiendishness of the Huns and the go don Saturday night until our quota of the allied cause seem to be cheer- quarter billion dollars to be actually Bank at Dallas hope to receive a sup- determination of every red blooded Any public eating houses that will American soldier to fight this thing take the pledge tototally abstain from have a part in the rejoicing that for safe, and that Germany will gain ment for war purposes during the saved and handed over to the Government for war purposes during the ment for war purposes during the many who have believed hitehrto that from her parents, rushed up to Counshould advise the County Administration. We don't like a great deal raising the rensive, but on the other hand will in duals comprising the general public, they were doing their share, and will tryman, threw her arms around him, should advise the County Administraamount, and it can be raised easily if the end wreck her armies and destroy whose incomes range from eight hundred dollars to five million dollars who have salved their conscience with Overcome with emotion, Countryman tration for Texas, of Houston, Texas A word in commendation of the In the meantime America's prepa- yearly. Seeing that eighty-five per a small subscription. Not only are took up the child and kissed her, and to that effect, that his name may be county at large for the splendid manration goes on and every day sees us cent of us earn less than ters thousthey brought face to face with their as he held her up to the people he Washington. Those on the Honor Roll and sent to

"I am fighting for a little girls just

ANNOUNCES FOR CLERK

We are authorized to announce in this week's Beacon W. F. Weatherbee Federal Food Administrator of Texas for District and County Clerk of Floyd County, subject to action of de-OBSERVED TODAY, STORES CLOSED mocratic primaries. Mr. Weatherbee home is in Floydada, and he has been a residence of the county 12 years. He was elected and served as commisber of years, and is known to all our Today, April 26th has been pro- human struggle, a struggle of right sioner of Precinct No. 4, resigning

woman, well qualified and deserving. Hobby as Liberty Holiday. Lockney the call of humanity and our sons are Mr. Weatherbee stands high as a together in this hour of national cala- to a favorably consideration of your duty in France. mity. We have all realized that our sufferage. He will appreciate your There are sixteen regiments or six-Patriotic Address-Judge H. C. nation cannot live on this earth if it vote and influence.

punity; that its liberty and rights for DR, GROSS LECTURED AT

civilization is to survive on it; that, Raptist church last Monday night, regiment will be full by tomorrow Benediction-Rev. Sweeney, paster as our great Presdent says, the World His subject was "Whipping the Kaiser night. must be made Safe for Democracy. and more." He made a splendid talk While these new calvary regiments Immediately following the program We have all agreed with a prominent and thrilled his hearers with patrio- are State Militia, they will be federathe street, when Old Glory will be up the nation's call are postponing their was present to hear him.

was to raise money to send ministers was authorized by the War Depart-Noble impulse, which springs from onslaughter in the Somme region. This is our day. America's day. Let come out and help us celebrate this to preach the gospel to German pris- preliminary training at once and be ands of our boys are dying daily in us to more fully realize that our time Lubbock and at Plainview. He re- up twenty-eight of our boys to become ceived quite a nice donation for the members of his company. He is recause in which he is interested. He is cruiting 150 men out of the counties

Herman Rowe, living north of town | Following is a partial list of the country school houses with local com- the allied man power will be over- to others that have gone on before. Mrs. George McLain is expected has volunteered in the regular army, boys recruited here last Tuesday which our money, our lives if need be, that home Saturday from Dallas where accepted and then transferred to the forms a part of fifty troopers to go inthey may carry the glorious Stars and she has been visiting for the past State Militia and commissioned by to this new calvary regiment from Governor Hobby as First Lieutenant Floyd county. in the A. & M. regment now being Willie Downs, Tom Foster, Frank recruited. Mr. Rowe is a graduate of Griffith, Ray Quillin, Bill Landrum, domination or else give up a part of Mrs. Ernest Fry of Floydada spent the A. & M. and has secured service Sid Franklin, Lawrence Foster, Ed The Beacon now comes with flowers man's part in the great human strug- their democracy in order to resist her. a couple of days here this week visit- where he most desired same. His Gilbert, Quay Cypert, Byron William-

WHEATLESS PROGRAM FOR EATING HOUSES

All public eating places must be They were the first of the three to shall adopt a maximum ration of fast cereals, etc.,) of 6 pounds of

more than two ounces of bread and rolls or four ounces of quick bread con

Mondays and Wednesday together Washington. Those on the Honor Roll will receive a special membership card.

Wheatless recipes for cakes, biscu-

low this program that you may do your bit to help win the war, I beg to

Yours very truly, E. A .PEDEN

JOINS CALVARY

them a message of cheer, pledging 5ts him in advance for the discharge part of sixteen thousand calvary them our moral and financial backing. of the duties of same. We take pleas troops in Texas, who will relieve an Prayer-Rev. Burnett, pastor of the We are one great big family drawn ure in recomemnding Mr. Weatherbee equal number of regular troops for

· teen thousand calvary troops being recurited in Texas for duty on the Texas border. Will A. Miller of BAPTIST CHURCH MONDAY Amarillo has been appointed by the Governor as Colonel, and Amarillo Song-"America," by the audience, be secured throughout the earth if Dr. Gross of Dallas lectured at the likely wil get a regimental camp. His

a flag raising will take place on Main American apostle of peace that "the tic emotions when he went into the lized as soon as organized, and will be army. Their formation is under a re-

Plainview last Sunday and recruited between the ages of 18 and 45.

Red Fulks, Clay Foster, Robert Gallegher, John Boswell, Jack Weaver, The many friends of Mrs. Jernigan Elmer Virden, Roy Howard, Luther

> Judge Randolph of Plainview was in the city today.

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you will not have a part in whipping country will be made to fight, whether It is said that actions speaks louder the Kaiser.

Have you bought a Liberty Bond? Don't wait till the last moment, buy today.

dampable effects of the liquor trainc teeth in it. and caldt.

Hower says there are ninety million bushels of Irish potatoes on hands and should be consumed before the new crop comes in. Get busy and cat these spuds. They must not go to waste and it is up to you and me to do our part of the eating, and thereby save other important foods to be sent over seas.

Ffteen hundred saloons went out of business in Texas when the dry zone law went into effect on the 15th inst. l'ifteen hundred worthless business concerns known as dram shops were closed. This is the greatest success for conservation that has taken place in Texas since the war begin. The money formerly spent for morning mornings can now be invested in Thrift Stamps and Liberty Bonds.

Congress is debating a measure to try all acts of disloyalty by court marshal. Fine suggestion, and the quicker it is put in force the quicker we will stamp out treason in this coun try. The federal authorities should handle all cases of treason and disloyalty should be classed as treason. Court marshal by military authorities would make quick work of the slacker and disloyal element of this coun-

road bonds in the recent bond election in that county. Good roads is a ne- Some of these "patriotic" citizens Bud Gaither returned Sunday from scratch up a neighbor's garden. road bonds in extra Liberty Bonds and Times.

mer months. If you fail to do so you Texas will not meet the results as anti In a financial way, Holland, formcan not buy any next winter.

nature true and patriotic.

Exemption boards have been instructed to take by preference gambsomebody else has to work for him, on If you fail to buy a Liberty Bond, and the man who will not work for his Breeze.

it?-Quanah Tribune-Chief.

You are urged to buy your next It is pointed out that the loyalty tatoes and meat. Tea cannot be had winter's suply of coal during the sum law enacted by the Legislature of at all.

cipated. Men indicted under this law erly the banker nation of Europe, has tried in State Courts will find it easier been hard hit. For centuries foreign The Plainview News suggests that to get acquited than if tried by federal governments used to sell their bonds class mail matter at the Post Office since women have been given equal authorities. The system of selection to this little country, and it had grown Lockney, Texas, by act of Congress sufferage in Texas that all the offices and stacking uries can be resorted to customary among the man of small be turned over to them and the men as in all other state court matters means to put his savings by preferget in the army and on the farms. The and once a disloyal person is turned ence into Russian bonds. Since the women can do the work of the office loose he goes forth and scatters sedi Bolsheviki have repudiated Russia's all right if necessary, and in fact eny tion broadcast. They are a danger- indebtedness, their country's -paper old kind of work within her ability to our element and federal authorities has become worthless, which means perferm if it becomes necessary. The should attend to them in the shortest bankruptcy to millions of bondholders women is never a s', cker, they are by possible way. The extreme penalty - Quanah Tribune-Chief. should be a firing squad.

> Will Hobby may not be able to lers and idlers for the recruits to com- make "his own speeches" as was said pose the next draft. The government last Saturday when the big gun exaims to get rid of all the drones, reas. ploded, but he has proven himself

he wants to or not. That's fair, isn't than words, and in the case of Gov. Hobby it is not necessary for him to It has come to the point that the go speech making over Texas. His man that eats must work, in other record is a very long and able political words the drones must be killed and speech. He is occupying well fortidragged out of the hive. America fied trenches, and the oposition will must intimate the bee, when it kills its have to go some to route him. These Last week Texas made long strides drones, etc. This is a time when the trenches is composed of material News. in the matter of conservation. She loafer is undesirable from any angle taken from his splendid record, and gave up her wheat and corn liquor, you view the situation. A fine solu-cannot be penetrated. His signature the first to be devoted to armies of tion other than putting them in the appears on more important laws in before an audience in Dallas a few France, and the latter to return to the ranks would be an industrial draft Texas than that of any other gover- days ago, remarked: "If a German with the spirit of freedom, freedom in our factories. There should be enfrom Kaiserism and freedom from the acted a national vagrancy law with will be the next governor by a great my home, I would take the precaution

Our government commands our boys to appear for military duty and they respond. They would be put in prison if they did not. The people asks a man with means to support the Red oning that when a man does not work mighty handy in placing his "Wm. P." Cross, he gets mad and gives nothing, prohibition bills,—Abernathy of the public. He goes free. The boy at the front, possibly sick, sleeps at his post and is shot. When will the people take into hands the man at home who refuses to aid that boy, who probably suffered physically and lost his life in shame because the stingy devil at home would not give out of his abundance?-Randall County

> A Scotch soldier from the trenches in Belgium and Flanders, speaking der to save them from a fate worse than death." A sad commentary on the brutality of Germany, and in this, like hundreds of other testimonials, we are told that the German soldiers do not regard the virtue of their women captives. God forbid that America shall ever undergo the fate of Belgium; it will not be until every American man and youth shall have been sacrificed. America will never submit to German invasion or occupation of this land, no not until American manhood shall all have passed away.

-Lamb County News. and doing his bit to whip the Kaiser, the Kaiser, and all matters are of a Mexican affairs. We guarantee him protection at the secondary consideration. About the Press Meeting from cabbage throw- only politics we hear of is over about Miss Ruth Harrison, daughter of ers. We will have the crowd searched at the door, and all cabbage coled at the door, and all cabbage colmade it unanimous for Gov. Hobby view, and a student of the search of the se lected and sent to a cookery. We un- except poor little Abilene, and if she Canyon, won \$50 & go' w derstand that Jess flatly denies the could get that A. & M. matter out of in the state inter-collegate declamacharge that he calls his'n "war gar- her craw she too would come across. tion held at Belton last week and she den" because he has a row with his That A. & M. hook sticks tight, want has invested her \$50 in a Liberty Bond same.

Deport Times: Let's keep our disposition sweet, and peace and harmony in the neighborhood, by confining our chickens on our own premises. had subscribed about half of her of Randall county replied: "We want It is unpatriotic to allow them to

despensible, but the people some time are going to have a chance to learn Bud said he saw "ten thousand drunk alongside something to feed them ens at any other family's expense. ty people put the amount asked for without a grimace.-Taylor County That was some drunks, and must To permit your chickens to prey uphave represented ten thousand mourn- on neighbors premises is to prove Thrift Stamps they can in way justify Patriotism and corn bread make a ers at the parting of their friend, 3. your a disagreeable and selfish pertheir action in refusing to build good delightful meal. Patriotism will shar B. Corn. Ten thousand men drunk at son. If you wish your neighbors to pen the appetite to a razor edge, and one time must have been a sight. But despise you, or if you are sufficiently corn bread will taste like pound cake. these drunks and the stuff they got thick-skinned as to not care whether The dry zone law is effective in Tex This wheatless business is a small drunk on has been dealt more blows you are dispised or not, you are of the as, and no whiskey is sold or shipped sacrifice compared to what our soldi- than the allies have struck the Huns, sort who permit such depredations. into a territory ten miles of any army ers in France are under going, or the and they have struck them some blows We must all serve together, said camp. On June 16th the state at agonies now being edured by civiliza- We have seen the liquor deamon in President Wilson, but if you try to large goes dry under the statutory tion. The man that grumbles at corn Texas driven to his last trenches, and raise your chickens in your neighbor's prohibition law. Texas has longed for bread is shy patriotism and true sym- there slaughtered like Sir Douglas yard you are violating the patriotic this state of affairs and now we are pathy for suffering humanity. We Haig slew the followers of Hidenburg, shibboleth. You are un-American, for fully abreast of the times when the count it a blessed privilege that we No wonder ten thousand got drunk you are unjust-believe in ruthlessliquor traffic is done away with. We are permitted to thus serve mankind at one time in Whiskeytaw, for they ness. These judicial words ought to

> Childress painted one of its busi-We thank God that such is the case. The proprietor is alleged to have made remarks about the government Every time the Americans have a in an uncomplimentary manner. Durchance at the Huns they give them ing these distressing times it is not what the Irishman gave the wild cat. healthy for a man to show his Kaiser-

" think the wrong procedure is The Germans have concluded ere taken in making anch men leave their this that they have stirred up a whole home town, for home people know nest of wild cats of the American kind them and can keep an eye on them, Every time our boys have mixed up but when they are made to go to with the Huns they have whipped strange places where people do not them to a standstill and then some know of them they could do a great for standing so well. America will leal of damage before apprehended, strike the final blow for human liber- But ust what to do with them at home ties. It will be those that march un- we cannot say unless a strict court-

with the battle, and may Uncle Sams handle these slackers and traitors. sons kill more Germans than can be Congress has the matter under consideration and various solutions have been offered, but none adopted. If A WHOLE NATION STARVING the people would keep tap on them, and when they change locaton notify A letter from Holland received last the communities where they drift to of week describes conditions in that their activities they would be known ountry as deplorable, and that every in advance of their seditious work. body there is underzed. Food is get- However, we are of the opinion that ting scarcer all the time, and of poor Congress will yet adopt some measure quanty, while the retuons meatered out strong enough to reach this class of to every citizen by the g vernment people who are either in open rebelare becoming smaller. Bread is poor lion against the government or inand of little nutrition, besides it tastes active in their support, which bears a badly, and is often fatal to dispeptics. similarity. There is no middle Prospects are that the end of May Hol ground for a man to occupy, you are

The Good God Provides

These were the words of a French Mother 60 years of age, when her youngest boy who was her sole support, left for the front. We commend them to the man, who, blessed with this world's goods, has not made a proportionate response to the Liberty Loan We commend them, also to the man who is hesitating because the payment f the installments on his bond represent self-denial and anxiety. Remember the spirit of the noble old woman.

Buy, and buy until it cuts clear through your luxuries into your necessities.

Buy Liberty Bonds

First National Bank Lockney, Texas

The statec ampaign in Texas this Information comes from the border

show a erceipt from their groceryman for the politicians to talk about. The either go up or down, just hangs in the Abilene vitals as a disturbing sub-

Up to last Thursday Donley county

year is going to be a fizzle as a thrill- nountry of unrest and mobilization of er. With the liquor question taken Mexican troops near Texas border. out of politics, and everybody giving El Paso dispatches tell of trenches be their thoughts to the war and raising ing dug, and other wise hostile attibumper crops the candidates are go- tude towards this government. It is ing to have a hard time in getting the believed that German propagander is people interested in their race for of- at the bottom of the unrest in Mexico fice. The gubernatorial campaign and her war-like preparation. The will be the punkest in the history of United States have taken all the Texas. Hobby has everything his way monkey business off of Mexico she is and will undoubtedly be elected in a going to, and if it becomes known that walk. He has the endorsement of Germany has a hand in these prepara-Secretary McAdoo, the prohibition tions, an explanation will be asked of forces and most all prominent antis Carranza, and unless satisfactory Dear Jess, we have not said a thing who are not directly connected with proof can be given that the matter is about your war garden and if any of the liquor ndustry .- Plainview News. not unfriendly to this country, we look those "Envious Editors" at the press | Politicians will not be able to get up for this government to take the inmeeting, are caught with a cabbage much steam this year. Gov. Bill Hob- itiative, and put stop to Mexico's preabout their person, we will have them by has taken the liquor question out paration. In other words, if Mexico pulled for tresspassing or make them of politics, and there is precious little wants a scrap she can get it. One people haven't time to talk politics thing certain, the Kaiser must stay Let Jess alone. He is gardening, now any way, they are after whipping out of Mexico, and quit meddling with

The finance committee of the Randall County Red Cross Chapter asked the good people of Randall county for \$10,000 to keep the local work room geing for the year 1918. The people \$189,000 quota of the Third Liberty to give more. Here is \$15,000 for the good women to use for our boys."

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cessity, and as a war measure is in- who just simply can't eat corn bread a ten days sojourn in Wichita Falls. Every family should raise chickens are a little shy when it comes to bond- to love it. And we bet when they men" while he was there.-Motley with. No family should raise chicked indebtedness. If Hardeman coun- get hungry enough they can digest it County News.

will have a sober Texas, and a better in denying our stomaces a few of the knew from henceforth it would be a hold you a while.—State Press.

luxuries it has been accustomed to. long time between drinks. Texas is practically dry, and after June 27th, the last drop of this vile poison will be ness houses yellow and issued a notice driven from the confines of the state. for the proprietor to get up and get.

> Give it to them Sammies .- Stamford ism .- Lockney Beacon. Leader.

der the Stars and Stripes that will marital.-Lakeview Promoter. deal the Kaiser his death blow. On That is indeed a question-how to enumerated.

and will be wholly out of bread, pre either for us or against us.

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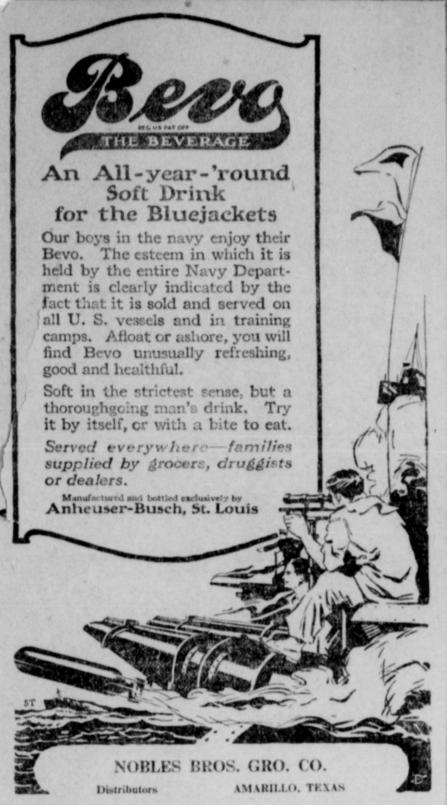
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vote of the State to Covernor Hobby. give him support .- Western Evangel. It may succeed. Frequent rumors of Well said. If anybody assumed to

DELIVERING THE PRO VOTE fensible. The Governor is to be prais ed for what he has done, but so long The recent interviews of Col. House as he tries to occupy a double position and Deacon M. H. Wolfe are being us- and run with both hare and hounds, ed to try to deliver the prohibition there be plenty of people that will not

a trade between prohibition leaders trade with Mr. Hobby, and to "deand the Governor may not be without liver to him the pro vote' in return for foundation. If such interviews as the his attitude or act at any point or on furni press of the State it was the consure of all good men. When will look as it round with fruit once. the question of public duty is consid-It is a man's right to think well of ered either by an officer or citizen, in a candidate and give him his unquali- approaching an officer as to his public fied suport. But an effort to use lead duty and acts, in the light of personal ership to herd the multitude into the political fortunes the whole matter ranks of a given candidate is inde- is dragged down into the mire. For

the Anti-Saloon League of Texas let WHY AMERICA this frank word be said: The Anti-Saloon League used its best endeavors and all its influence to get Mr. Hobby he would for offering a money bribe. ed nation, and in order to educate A Governor has as much right to ad- them for independence later. Thus minister his office for personal finan- we have always worked for peace, cial gain as for personal political and for justice to all which is the only gain. Failure to discriminate at this sure way to maintain peace.

FIGHTS GERMANY

America is a peaceable nation. We to call the Legislature and to submit anti-liquor legislation. In fact, the first day he was regularly in office the let live." We respect other nations Superintendent had full conference rights, wish them prosperity, and enwith him and secured from hm the de- vy them nothing. eW have vast terfinite promise that if the Legislature ritory and undeveloped resources, was called he would submit the ques- enough to occupy our minds and tion. Later the Superintendent and hands for generations without medmembers of the Executive Committee dling with other people's concerns. had full conference with him, urgng We believe that the peace and happihim to carry out the Anti-Saloon ness of mankind will be promoted by League's program, which was done self-government for all, by allowing substantially. But there was no the population of each civilized coun-"trading" and no suggeston of a try to govern itself.. Through almost trade. In every instance of approach our whole history we have stood for It was frankly stated that we would democracy and peace. We have pronot discuss and were not thinking of tected China from robbery and war on Mr. Hobby's political fortunes and fu- the part of more greedy nations, and ture, nor the political fortunes and fu- have stood the strongest friend of the ture of any other man; that we as citi- new Chinese republic. In 1896 we zens of Texas came to him as Gover- stood the friend of Venezuela in her nor of Texas, asking him to do what controversy with Great Britian, and we knew and what he knew the people prevented war. For years we have of Texas wanted him to do. The only even allowed our own citizens to be question Mr. Hobby had any right to wronged in Mexico rather than make consider was the question of public war on our neighbor republic. Conduty. If anybody asked him to con- sequently, we are now trusted as the sider other questions or promised him big brother of all the republics in the political reward for doing his public New World. When we departed duty it was a reflection upon both his from our peaceful policy in 1898, and intelligence ad his moral character. made war on Spain, it was in order to A Governor ought to drive a man out stop intolerable oppression at our of his office or have him arrested for very door, in Cuba, and took the Philioffering a political bribe as quickly as prine Islands in order to save them from falling to some less disenterest-

Well, then, why do we enter the point has meant much corruption. Great European War? Why was it This, of course, does not affect in any our affair? If we love peace, why do way right of petition nor the right of we make war? Did we drift in withreward for the public servant who re- out knowing what we were doing, did gards the will of the people and adare in the war because we had to go in ministers his trust honestly and faith- unless we were entirely blind to our honor and saefty, and to the future

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appiness of the whole world. Germany has attacked us. What inally forced us into the war was the unlimited submarine warfare started by Germany.-John Tatlock, Prof. at Stanford University.

ASLEE ON POST-SHOT

One of the speakers at the meeting of the State Council of Defense to the editors of Illinois held in Chicago a few days ago, was a woman editor, Mrs. Virginia Barlow LeRoy of the Streator Independent Times. Among other things she said:

"My two boys have marched away, my third is going," she said, while her boys come marching home, I want to be able to say with head up, "My boys, I gave the limit.' If one of my boys went to sleep, tired out from strain while walking post in France, he would be shot. How about these people at home, sleeping and snoring at their posts while we are giving our CHANGE THE STREET STREET THE STREET STREET STREET STREET STREET STREET ing to be shot?"-Yates City, (Ill.)

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The Woman's Tonic

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The road bond issue which was voted on in District No. 6 in Briscoe county last week carried by a majority of nearly ten to one. This district is composed of Gasoline and Quitaque voting boxes. The people of these places are to be congratulated on their public spiritedness.

W. L. Rockwell, field agent of the irrigation bureau of the federal department of agriculture, and J. D. Jones of Austin were in Plainview last week establishing an irrigaton experiment station for the purpose of testing out pump irrigation.

Mrs. C. W. Martin died at her home in Lakeview last Friday after a weeks illness from pneumonia. She conhaving lost her little babe three weeks frail to stand the disease.

The Plainview public school board has passed an order providing that teachers who wish to resign must give the board notice at least fifteen days is not done, a half months pay will be forfeited, and be liable to being re-

The commencement exercises of the be held Monday morning, May 10, at the Normal Auditorium. President Waxahachie, will deliver the commencement address. The commencement sermon will be preached on Sunday morning, May 9, at the Normal audiorium by Rev. Dr. Thomsen of Ama-

ATIONAL CAMPAIGN STARTS MAY 20 FOR THE RED CROSS

The National Red Cross will start drive on May 20 to run for seven days to procure funds to keep the nurses in the field, buy the proper medicines, equipment, hospital supplies, etc., which must be had in order to keep the Red Cross work going.

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late today adopted the senate resolu- ranking Republican on the military

ton for the regstraton for mitary ser- committee, told the house the propos-

vice of young men who have reached ed new registration would place from

The measure now goes to conference. available for military service. In

sentative Hull, of Iowa, and adopted class of 1919 consisting of approxi-

bottom of the classes to which they mitee opposed the amendment of Mr.

committee in striking out a provision thousands of young men now under 21

of the bill as it passed the senate who volunteered at the beginning of

which would exempt from registra- the war and who now are serving in

France.

119 to 81, provides that men register- mately 550,000 men.

5 last.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS "GOES OVER THE TOP"

District Judge 64th Judicial District: JUDGE R. C. JOINER.

District Attorney: AUSTIN HATCHELL.

For County Judge:

JOHN W. HOWARD. W. B. CLARK. D. C. LOWE.

For County and District Clerk: TOM. W. DEEN. M. A. YEARWOOD.

W. F. WEATHERBEE. For County Treasurer: MRS. ADDIE THAGARD. MRS. LILLIE BRITTON.

For Tax Assessor: A. A. WHYTE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: J. A. GRIGSBY.

County Attorney: C. K. HOLLOWAY.

TO REGISTER MEN

may be assigned.

Commisisnoer Precinct No 2: G. F. RIGDON. J. F. DOLLAR.

Commissioner Precinct No. 3: ROY BROWN.

IN LIBERTY LOAN QUOTA

J. E. Jackson of the Irick community was in the office Thursday and reported that his community has subscribed its allotment in Liberty Loan quota of \$2900. The country districts have come forward in a gratifying manner, and have invested liberally in bonds. The bulk of the present loan, so says authorities, have come from the rural districts.

Mr. Jackson as committeman and the good people of Irick community have the thanks of the American people for their progressive spirit.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing to the good people of the Irick community and also of Lockney our gratitude for kindness shown us during the late illness and death of our daughter and wife, Mrs. Flossie Wahn Your kind administration and words of comfort was a great comfort to us in our troubles, and we thank you, and pray God's richest blessings upon you in the future years to come.

Respectfully, J. E. Jackson and Family. Elmer Wahn.

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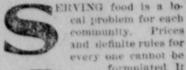
office. Mesdames Courtney is chair-

man of the Red Cross Auxiliary at

Irick and carried out sewing for the

ladies of that community to work on.

This Is Our Winter of Test



every one cannot be formulated. It is a duty for

each one to eat only so much as is necessary to maintain the human body

hy and strong. This winter of 1918 is the period when is to be tested here in America whether our people are capable of voluntary individual sacrifice to save the world. That is the purpose of the organization of the United States Food Administration-by voluntary effort to provide the food that the world

U. S. FOOD ADMINISTRATION

NEED BIG HERDS

From America.

Warring Nations Have Depleted Live Stock at Enormous Rate, Fven Killing Dairy Cattle For Food.

herds in order to meet, Europe's tre els than in former years. mendous demands for meats during | Corn has become the nation's mainthe war and probably for many years stay in the crisis of war.

talsers have shown a disposition to staple food during the War of the Revco-operate with the government in in olution and during the Civil War, Ki

But in England-where 2,400,0% | Corn bread-using corn meal eather \$17.76 per 100 pounds; October, \$17.28; ated in the war. Navember and December, \$16.08; Jan There are a score of corn products ket as soon as possible.

21 SINCE JULY 5th medical or divinity schools since June | well as the quality have shown as granulated sugar is one of the leading | ed evangelist, will be the principal enormous decline during the war Washington, Aprl 25 .- The house Representative Kahn of California Where France had 14,807,000 head of cattle in 1913, she now has only 12,-841,900, a decrease of 16.6 per cent. And France is today producing only one gallon of mik compared to two the age of 21 years since June 5 last, 500,000 to 700,000 new registrants and one-half gallons before the war. Denmark and Holland have been

An amendment offered by Republi- that connection he recalled that Ger- forced to sacrifice dairy herds for beef An amendment offered by Repre- many recently called into service its because of the lack of necessary feed. Close study of the European ment situation has convinced the Food Aded under the bill shall be placed at the Chairman Dent of the military com- ministration that the future problem of America lies largely in the production of meat producing animals and dairy products rather than in the pro-The huose sustained the military amendment and declared there are

duction of cereals for export when

the war will have ceased.

ERITISH GOVERNMENT HELPS PAY FOR BREAD

standing about the bread program to that the government would seize were pleasant visitors at the Beacon England. It is true that the English housewives' stocks of home canned man buys a loaf of bread for less than | goods, an American can, but it is poorer bread, and the British government is mates that when the people listen () Seats and reservations are free. paying \$200,000,000 a year toward the and pass on such stories, each one

cost of it. All the grain grown in Great Brit- in a battalion of soldiers. ain is taken over by the government at an arbitrary price and the imported wheat purchased on the markets at turned over to the miffs by the government at a price that allows the adultorated war bread loaf of four pounds to sell at 18 cents, the two pound loaf at 9 cents and the one pound loaf at 5

In France, under conditions somewhat similar, but with a larger extraction, the four pound lost sells for

MAKING MEATLESS DAYS PERMANENT

In the mentions menu there is a fer- people yet realize." ile field for developing new and nour ishing dishes, according to E. H. Ndes. THE UNITED STATES FOOD writing in the Hotel Gazette, who be Heves that the present shortage of ment and fats will not end with the coming of peace, but may grow more acute and continue for five or six years, thus making it worth while to develop menus of grain, vegetables and fish on a more or less permanent basis. Meat can be replaced by cereals and other protein foods, or may be served in very small portions as a flavoring for other food. In making up meatless menus this author finds our American Creole and southern cuisine a broad field for investigation.

CORN WILL WIN DEMOCRACY'S WAR

America's Greatest Cereal Crop Is Now Moving to Market.

MAINSTAY IN NATION'S CRISIS.

Surplus Wheat of the United States Has Been Sent to Famine Threatened Europe.

America's great corn crop, exceeding 3,000,000,000 bushels, will save the world's food situation, officials of the United States food administration be-

Corn is the nation's best food cereal, housewives are beginning to realize. It contains all the elements needed to keep the body in a state of health and when used according to the scores of tried recipes, especially when combined with an added portion of oil or fat, will sustain life indefinitely. Indian warriors in colonial days lived on parched corn alone for many days at a time, and at Valley Forge parched Europe's Meat Supply Must Come corn was at times the sole ration of the Continental soldiers.

Owing to transportation difficulties caused by the war the corn crop moved more slowly to market this year than ever before. Now, however, the cereal is reaching the millers and consumers. In the meantime the nation's surplus wheat has been sent to Europe.

Today there are approximately 30 American stock breeders are being bushels of corn for every American. asked to conserve their flocks and This quantity is greater by five bush-

Just as this cereal saved the first The United States food adminis- American colonists from famine on vation reports that American stock many occasions, just as it served as a

today is probably better | ed use in the making of ordinary white supplied with live stock than any eth | bread. Hundreds of housewives and man armies made their big advance 20 per cent, corn meal with wheat into France and then retreated vir. ther to make leavened bread. This tually all the cattle in the invadeo kin l of a mixture is worked and baked territory - approximately 1,800,000 in the same recipes and with the same head-were driven behind the German | methods that apply to straight wheat

acres of pasture lands have been turn ly-is gaining a greater popularity ed into grain fields-the cattle herds than ever before. Housewives are are decreasing rapidly. One of the coming to realize that every pound of reasons apparently is the declining wheat saved in America means a pound maximum price scale adopted by the of wheat released for shipment to the English as follows: For September, nations with which America is associ-

tary, \$14.40. The effect of these prices | that today possess unusual importanening corn cakes and buckwheat cakes In France the number of cattle as and for use in the kitchen instead of products made from corn.

> every other purpose filled by salad oils, the National Service Commission. The is appearing on the market in large quantities. It comes from the germ of

MADE-IN-GERMANY LIES CIRCULATED IN CANADA

Made-in-Germany lies calculated to hinder Canadian food conservation according to an official statement recelved from the Canadian food controller by the United States food ad- better known or has ag reater mesministration.

of the same general character as those Dr. Chapman has never disappointed the United States food administra- those who went to hear him. tor recently denounced in this country, such as the ridiculous salt and those visiting Amarillo to hear Dr. There has been much misunder- blueing famine fakes and the report Chapman may have seats reserved for

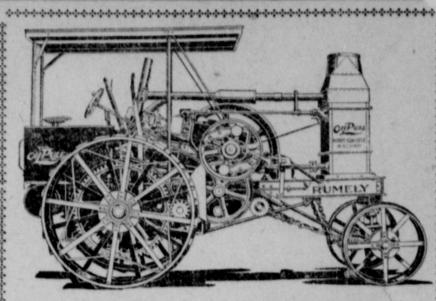
> The Canadian food controller estihas the power of destruction that lies ment of this great patriotic rally be

"Steries without even a vestige of community, including church and Sunfoundation have been scattered broad- day school services from now until enst," said the Canadian statement. May 7th. the prevailing market price. This is "Nor have they come to life casually They have started simultaneously in different parts of the country and in each instance have been calculated to aronse public indignation.

"They are insidious, subtle, persistent. Bit by bit they dissipate public trust, the great essential in the work of food control.

"It lies with every individual to forbear from criticism; to refrain from passing on the vagrant and harmful story, and thus the more effectively to co-operate in work which is going to mean more than the majority of

ADMINISTRATION SAYS There is no royal road to food conservation. We can only accomplish this by the voluntary action of our whole people, each element in proportion to its means. It is a matter of equality of burden; a matter of minute saving and substitution at every point in the 20,000,000 kitchens, on the 20, 000,000 dinner tables, and in the 2,000,000 manufacturing, wholesale and retail establishments of the country.



Conservation of Labor

The government is insisting that conservation be the kepnote in every calling, and that conservation of labor is most important. In using a tractor you are conserving labor. One tractor and a man can do as much work as three six horse outfits, and three men. You not only save labor and time, but man-power. We have the

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Lockney, Texas

PATRIOTIC RALLY AT AMARILLO MAY 7th

Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, world-famspeaker at a great Patriotic Rally at Corn oil, excellent for frying and for Amarillo May 7th, under auspicies of newspapers where Dr. Chapman has recently been are warm in their commendations, stating that his messages are both timely and different from any other heard during the war.

Dr. Chapman is making a tour of the Nation under the auspicies of the National Service Commission, and by reason of his crossing the Continent Cauada is also having trouble with from the Pacifice slope the Amarillo people were fortunate enough to secure him for this Rally. No man who has come to Texas for War work is sage, not excepting Secretary McAdoo The stories bothering Canada are Accustomed to speaking to thousands,

Arrangements are being made that them until time for the Rally by writing Franklin Dunn, Amarillo, (or phoning 187.) No charge for this

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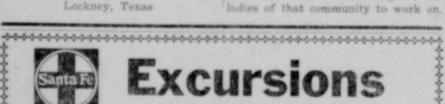
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Buy Liberty Bonds! Invest \$50 or more for your children's

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J. A. Baker & Sons

The Kuppenheimer House in Lockney

Local

Clyde Cummings has accepted a position with the harmers Exchange.

were Floydada visitors Tuesday.

Cleve Hartman has a child very sick home. this week.

atives and friends at Lubbock.

Artie Baker was in Amarillo several days the first of the week looking after business matters,

spent several hours here Manday. ther Martin and wife of the Irick

J. B. Downs returned Tuesday from several days spent in Amarillo looking after business matters.

Ms. Parson and daughter, Miss Fion some shopping. nie of the Irick community were in town Tuesday doing some shopping.

ing a meeting of the Red Cross.

B. W. Wilkins and family were here Monday from Lorenzo visiting Friday. at the home of J. A. Sweeney and

tives, C. R. Pennigton and family of Wahn. the Rock Creek community.

business interests at that place.

Mr. J. H. McGehee, wife and daughter, Mrs. Hardin and children, wili leave next week for California where they expect to spend several months

J. L. Suits and Tom Seward went France Baker and Judge Stallbird to Spur Sunday to meet Mrs. Seward and children who were coming from Jayton and will make Lockney their

Mr. and Mrs. Willis returned last Mrs. Alex Norris returned Wednes- Friday from a three weeks stay in day from several days visit with rel- Wichita Falls. We understand Mr. Willis has bought a home and will move hs family there in a short time.

Mrs. N. W. Given and daughter, Miss Mabel left Wednesday morning Mr. Dodson, John Fry Cilbert Whit for Childress where Miss Mabel will lock and Lester Smith of Canyon enter the Sanitarium and undergo an operation.

> Ralph Stapleton and wife from Flosday do- mot were here the first of the week visiting at the home of their sister Mrs. E. L. Woodburn.

> > Thelma Griffith were Plainview visitors Tuesday afternoon and doing

Mrs. R. D. Kievett of Kansas City, returned to her home Monday after Judge Stallbird and S. A. Henry spending several days here with her were in Floydada Wednesday attend- sister, Mrs. J. E. Jackson, and attending the funeral of her niece, Mrs. Elmer Wahn, which was held last

Curtis Jackson left Monday for Camp Cody, New Mexico. He was Mrs. B. F. Smith and son, Albert, called home last week on accout of were week end guest of their rela- the death of his sister, Mrs. Elmer

Mrs. V. N. Dillard and children A. B. Brown, S. J. Baldwin, A. J. of Ralls, spent several days here this and E. W. Smith left Sunday for week visiting with relatives while Healdton, Oklahoma to look after Mr. Dillard was at Ranger looking after busness matters.

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sisting of 320 acres, all smooth and tillable, 200 acres in cultivation, four room house, barn, well and wind mill, fenced and cross fenced. Price \$25 per acre with small cash payment and the balance in one to eight years with interest at six per

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A dandy 160 acre tract in Bailey county-no better shallow water land in the state. Price \$15 per acre with reasonable cash payment and the balance in one to five years with interest at 6 per cent.

Our business is of a different nature of some people who are in the land business. We are making it our business of placing non-resident lands in the hands of home people at prices below the market price of surrounding lands and in this way help to develop our Great Plains Country and place home in the hands of actual settlers.

LOCKNEY, TEXAS

Office over Norton Baker Furniture Company,

nesday from a visit with her daughter | Andrew Broyles. Monday evening.

came in the latter part of last week three. from their ranch at Ft. Summner, N. M. Mr. Randolph reports cattle in good fix altho it is very dry out in that part of the country. *******************

Washington, April 5 .- All woolen mills in the country were directed by the War Department today to hold their looms at the service of the Govrnment from now untl July 1 in orer to insure adequate supplies of oth for uniforms.

Manufacturers of civilian clothing who get any of the output of the nill will do so under special Govern-

Notices were sent to the mills by as ing Quartermaster-General Goethals. it was officially stated that the department now sees its way to fully lothe all men called to the colors.

No comment was available as to the release to private manufacturers or is to the probable effect of the comnandeering order upon the trade.

Boston, April 5 .- Trading in wool here was stopped today by vote of the trade. All the unsold stock was placed at the disposal of the Government at prevailing values.

Albert W. Elliott, representing the War Department, attended a meeting of dealers and told of the urgent need of the Government for more wool, the demand having grown much

The raising of unform specifications sixteen ounces to twenty oune goods and recent developments regarding the army are two leading fac tors in the present demand.

The dealers voted unanimously to help out in the emergency and ordered an immediate inventory of all unsold stocks. The details will be arranged by the Boston Wool Trade As-

TEN FLOYD COUNTY BOYS LEAVE TOMORROW FOR ARMY

The first of four calls to take place within the next thirty days will be tomorrow, when ten of Floyd county boys will leave for training camp to take up their duties for Uncle Sam. The next call will be April 30th, May 5th and the last a little latter. In all four calls Floyd county's quota is 96. and go to make up Texas' part of the national army of 1918, which will be 40,000. This 96 will go from Class 1. ing made on population, and the con- ities:

the exception of one, whose claims Speagle, Herbert Sparks.

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Did you know that the lady must breathe through the

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Special program on AFRICA. This program will take the place of the preaching hour Sunday night. Leader-Claude Quillin.

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The Situation and Lure of Afrida-Ethel Wells.

Religious History-Beryl Visor. Reading-Bowden Visor.

Wembo Neama and what it has accomplished in heathen Africa-J. T.

Song-Miss Hanna.

The story of an Ames Graduate-Mrs. Logan.

Roll call.

Will Make Stand

The Burgan Horse and Jack will make the season at my place three-quarter miles west Pleasant Valley School house.

Teams to insure living Colt: Horse \$10; Jack \$12.50

F. U. PAYNE, Owner

calls. Each county's quota is now be. are still pending by the higher author ley; John Fielding Lewis; Bennie Les-

lie Ewing; James Bishop Wiggington; templated change based on Class One, Roscoe Starks, Ben F. Rollin, Wal- Leslie Ernest Crabtree; Edward Barthat Congress has had under consider-ter Collns, John Irvin Stanley, Robert Clarence Alvin Scott; Roy Wherley Following are the names of the Rapper, Jim Alford McNealy, Tom Billington; William Matthews Burgboys that will leave tomorrow, with Goslee, Roy Snodgrass and Ryan gett; Varney Clarence Permenter; Stanley Noel Mudgett; Luther Hinton Saunders; James Herbert Sparks.

Johnny Lane Baker has been finally fied by the District Medical Advisory Board at Amarillo in Class 5. Three others sent to that board for examination were put in Class One .-Floydada Hesperian.

R. B. Ridgeway of Ft. Worth was here Wednesday enroute to his home from a trip to points on the Plains. Mr. Ridgeway is a brother-in-law or Mrs. Bud Broyles.

Mr. and Mrs. Parm Posey left Wednesday for Hereford to look after business interests and we understand they are contemplating moving to that place as soon as school is out.

Mrs. James Turney and little daugh ter left Wednesday for Stanley, N. M., where they will make their home. Mr. Turney and son have been in that country for the past several months holding down claims. porarily excused. They remain in

Ernest Waller ,Carl McAdams, CALLS ON HAND NOW class one but are placed at the bottom on the list in their respective order Odie King, Norton Baker, Tab Meriwether, Burton Thornton and Guy The local Exemption Board for William Edward Muncy; William Ramsey spent Sunday in the Kent Floyd county now has four calls for Nelson Anderson; William Floyd Wig County oil district looking over the men on the boards and will be sending gington; Charley Walter Dillard; oil fields of that country.

out men until May 10th under present James Rivers Willett; John Francis Guy Jackson left Wednesday for calls to the colors. The first incre- Cooke, George Wesley Van Bevers; Fort Royal, Va., after several days ment to go on Saturday of this week Ralph Jordan Childers; Reinold New- spent here with his parents, Mr. and will consist of 10 men. They are man; Benjamin Burt Vernon; Aquilla Mrs. J. E. Jackson, and attending the Roscoe Oscar Starks, Benja. F. Roll- Oscar Ferguson; Charley Edgar Mills; funeral of his sister, Mrs. Elmer ins, Walter Collins, John Aaron Strip- Ransom Wyatt Fulks; Ivan McKin- Wahn.

ling, Robert Norvell Raper, Jim Alfred McNeely, Thomas Michael Gos-Manton Chapman and James McCrary Wilson The next increment to go will be on Wednesday of next week. Two men

go in this call to Fort Sam Houston. They will probably be Davd Rae Mc-Cleskey and Van Wheeler Arnold. The next increment will go to Camp

Mac Arthur at Waco and will also consist of two men, who will probably likely to be Sam Arnold Vernon and F. T. Walling. The third incerment to go May 10th

will be sent to Fort Sam Houston. The men to go on this call will very Mrs. Lloyd Nchols returned Wed- likely be Robt, Ewing Mathis and Carl

at Clarendon. Miss Josephine will The board has had notice from the finish in music at the college there district board of the re-classification this term of school and Mrs. Nichola of John Clarence Broyles and Watt attended he recital which was given Sterling Griffith, city secretary of the ciy of Lockney and consable of Lockney precinct respectively. These the H. C. Randolph and son, Albert, board had formerly classified in class

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boys at Camp Travis come from can you. ceived by the commanding officer of truly." the company in which the son of the quietly in his bunk at night and with- been done out of a desire on the part batant or non-combatant.

heartfelt thanks and gratitude for have given their names for this pur- pean ports. your kindness to my boy during his pose are Mesdames. J. E. Jarrett, J. Information as to the sighting or officers were the best men in the A. W. Houston; the Hostess House, or merchant. panied the remains home, said you those interested. men were as good to George as you would have been to a brother. That's Flies are losing popularity at Camp lies.

90th DIVISION, CAMP TRAVIS I could not have surpassed it myself. es abroad. His relatives and friends wish to ex-Something of the sort of stock the press their gratitude and thanks to location of American units or their

be found in a letter which was re- "Again thanking you, I am, yours

died. The young man had made a chapter of the San Antonio Colonial of troops therein. in the travail of battle, his end came when visiting Camp Travis. This has ion of an expeditionary force, com--Infantry, and other officers soldier boys. The most prominent European ports. and comrades of my deceased son: families of San Antonio are represen- Information indicating the port of "Gentlemen: I wish to express my ted on the list. Among others who arrival of incoming ships from Euro-

ing department for the nice manner in health columns of the daily papers. ship crew.

grounds about the camp are kept free go on. scientifically on the fly, and from all at the minimum outlay of labor. appearances his days are numbered at "During the past year our whole Camp Travis.

> Information Which Should Not Be people became actual producers who Published.

vements of troops.

Information tending to disclose the number or identity of troops in the Expeditionary Forces.

connection of any officer with any unvailed against us, to a sad, discouragit of any expeditionary force.

Rosters of troops. Information which will disclose the DIVISION PUBLICITY OFFICE which my boy's body was sent home. locaton of any permanent base or bas-

Information that would disclose the eventual position at the front.

Information of the assembly of trains, transports, convoys or other means of transportation or the enman who wrote the letter has just Announcement is made that the training or embarkation or departure

soldier of himself and was ready for the arrival at any service in the cause of his country; of their homes to visiting sons or rel- port of American war vessels, transresolved to give up his life if need be atives of Colonial Dames elsewhere ports, merchant vessels, or any por-

out pain. And this is the letter his of the ladies concerned to make more Information of the time of departpleasant the stay in the city of those ure or port of departure of any mer-"Captan of Headquarters Company who come to see kindred among the chant ship from either American or

stay in the camp. He told me when M. Dennett, William Neglev Harry the movements of convoys or other he was at home on furlough that his Hyman, J. H. Frost, F. M. Hicks and friendly or enemy ships whether naval

-, who accom- Camp Travis, can supply addresses to Information as to the locality, num ber, or identity of any war vessels beloging to the United States or the Al-

the true American spirit-keep it up, Travis at a rapid rate. Detailed in- Information as to the identity of gentlemen. Treat all the boys so structions for the setting up and man- any merchant ship of America or the their fathers will be proud of you as agment of traps have been issued. Allies engaged in an encounter with a And instructions in the army are not submarine or other hostile ship or the "I also wish to thank the undertak- like the "advice" to be seen in the identity of individuals of any gun or

information as to the number, size, character or location of any ships, either war or merchant marine, ordered laid down at any port or ship vard, or with respect to their construc tion, launching or commission.

Lack of shipping facilities or rate at which such facilities are added.

Information relating to dry docks and all classes of work undertaken

therein or thereon. Information of secret notices issued to mariners, or other confidential instructions issued by the Navy or Department of Commerce relating to aids navigation.

Information of the coast defense of the United States.

Information with reference to submarine mines, mine fields or subma-

Information with respect to Aviation Schools, air craft and their appur tenances or experimental tests of ma-

Information of any Government experiments in war material.

Information with respect to the particular establishments in which contraces for the manufacture, supply or storage of munitions of war, or ing, wasteful extent-transportation naval or military supplies of all kinds blockade. We had the food but could are being executed.

Information of the train or boat most good. schedule of traveling official missions n the United States.

plies of troops, either at home or a- great shape!"

Information from any casuality list, The State of Texas, Soldier letter, or other source which Floyd County. will connect any individual with the unit to which he belongs.

Inforation in the social columns, or this county as established by order of otherwise, of the pending departure the Commissioners' Court of this counor camps, which could connect troop which is recorded in Book 4 page 44. movements with them.

right in a recent editorial when it \$100 valution of taxable property in

"The biggest gambling game in the All persons who are legally qualicountry is not in Wall street or the feed voters of this State and country Chicago pit. The biggest gambling and who are resident property tax pay game is farming and it goes on night ers in said district shall be entitled to and day, the year 'round, with more vote at said election.

than has any other game. "The farmer bets his time, money, made on the 12th day of April 1918, labor and life against the weather, and this notice is given in pursuance insect pests, trusts and storage sharks of said order. and, if he wins against those odds, he This the 12 day of April 1918. very likely, must overcome railroad

blockades, or rate pools.

ed. And the instructions are specific odds, gambles with the cards always about such things as the best places to being shuffled and dealt by somebody put the traps, the best bait for the else, everything stops. Government traps, and the best way to dispose of cannot go on. No such important the "catch." The care with which the governmental business as war can

from rubbish or decaying matter of "This being true, it follows that the any sirt also tend to make the envi- country's greatest concern should be ment uninviting to the fly. Without that the farmer win his bet. Governlessening the attention paid to gren- ment should see to it that he has monades, machine guns, squads right, co on easy terms, seed in plenty and rench construction and the like, the the necessary tools ,especally tractors rmy has found time to make war and other devices for producing much

country was stirred to the duty of producing foodstuffs. Millions of had never before produced enough to keep a chicken in good condition. The Information with respect to all mowe've go to do better the coming season, and we will.

"But, while we farmer gamblers won, in the past year, aganist the na-Information tending to disclose the tural odds, there was on odd that pre-

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not deliver it where it would do the Mrs. Oakley McGill of Olton died at

"Get your seed, Polish up the plow, the hoe and the spade. Uncle Sam Information of the transportation has the railroads. What you grow Lack of training, equipment or sup- against you have been cut down in Olton cemetery.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 11th day of sincerely sympathize with the parents Information which will show the May 1918 at Providence School House in the loss of their dear baby. r Common School District No. 12 of

of officers or men from their homes, ty of date the 10th day of March 1914 of the minutes of said court to deter-Information in code or cipher of mine whether a majority of the legalwhich the friendly character is in by qualified property taxpaying voters of said district desire to tax them-Information not indicated above selves for the purpose of supplementwhich is plainly of a dangerous char- ing the State school fund apportioned to said district and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of THE BIGGEST OF ALL GAMBLES said county shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually a tax The Muskogee Times-Democrat is of and at the rate of 50 cents on the

said district for said purpose.

and greater odds against the latter | Said election was ordered by the County Judge of said county by order

J. A. GRIGSBY,

By the operation of the ten-mile zone law, which went into effect today, the saloons and wholesale liquor houses of Fort Worth, Houston's veston, San Antonio, El Paso, William Fall, Beaumont, and other cities of this state, about 1,500 in number, are automatically closed.

WHAT THE ANTI-SALOON LEA-

GUE OF TEXAS HAS DONE

Eleven hundred saloons will be affected by the Statutory State-Wide Prohibition Law, which becomes ef-

fective June 27.

The Anti-Saloon League of Texas was organized in 1906. Dr. B. F. Riley was the first Superintendent. At the time of organization there were approximately half a dozen "dry" counties in the entire State. By the fall of 1909 the number had increased to fifty. There are now 198 "dry" counties in Texas with only tem counties wholly "wet" and forty-four averaging only 33 1-3 per cent of their territory "wet." Rockwall is the pioneer "dry" county of Texas. The tetal increase in number of "dry" counties in Texas since organization of the Anti-Saloon League is 192 .-Home & State.

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Lockney Coal & Grain Company

LOCKNEY

The ten month old baby of Mr. and

funeral services were conducted Mon-

Mr. Luther Cooper a brother of Mrs

McGill went up Monday to attend the

funeral. Mrs. McGill formerly lived

here and has many friends here who

W. D. Taylor

Lockney, Texas

Watch the Big Chicken Race SATURDAY 2 p. m., APRIL 27th, Rain or Shine

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The Big Unloading Sale Opens SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 9 A. M.

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Remember The Date And Place SATURDAY D. P. Carter Co.

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TO THE BUYING PUBLIC

I know what I have to do, so I am going to use the price cutting knife going and coming. Am going to have no mercy—so here goes. I am going to sell the \$5,000 out in less than 10 days, regardless of Cost or Value It will pay you to borrow; yes or even beg the money to fulfill your wants at this big UNLOADING SALE. It is going to be the talk of Floyd County for many years to come.

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worms and a general apetizer. -Farmers Exchange.

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FOR SALE-An Overland car at a bargain. See Grady Rigdon. 29-tf

Attention farmer. Our field seed are complete, priced right.-Farmers Exchange.

FOR SALE-Good registered Jack, 14 1-2 hands high, 6 years old, guaran teed in every way. First Jack buyer gets him. Phone 36-C. J. Maper, Dimmitt, Texas

My Percheron Stallion and Mammoth Jack will make the season at my place 21/2 miles south-west of Lockney. -A. J. Sams.

NDTICE-You will have to hurry if you get one of those Big Type Poland

three and a half miles out on Piam- no, Texas. view road one rear Ford casing. Return to Beacon office.

FOR SALE-A team of good brood Floyd County National Farm Loan mares, 15 1-2 hands high and ten or Association will meet at my office next eleven years old. Also a tongue door west P. O. Floydada, on May 4, traier for sale. This property can be at 10 o'clock a. m., for further parseen five miles west of Lockney at F. ticulars see R. O. Fields, Secretary-J. Hippeli.

a breakdown in your stove or range?

pantry is kept stocked with our

equal to any emergency.

that you may call for.

The weather still continues very dry and plenty of wind also 3 or 4 F. Wilson Sunday afternoon. damaged fruit and garden vegetables to Lockney Saturday. very much, but so very much warmer O. F. Wilson was calling on Mr. Ma-

Sunset Sunday school has received and Sunset Sunday school has received and Sunset Sunday school has received afternoon to engage in sewing. The ritory and undeveloped resources, met Sunday night to try them. We Upton Tusday night. are expecting to hear some fine sing-

ing from them soon. and Lockney attended Sunday school Sunday. We extend to them a wel- Thomas motored to Lockney Satur- Langfeldt. come and an invitation to come again. day. much improved at this writing.

notored to Plainview Tuesday to take tor in Lockney Thursday. her ear treated.

Master Harold Wilson was calling vanized pipe, sucker rod and sylinder on little Miss Ruth Childress Wednes-31-tf day afternoon.

Raymond, the little son of Mr. and

Mrs. J. H. Upton, is on the sick list.

haffey Wednesday afternoon. Sunset Sunday school has received Little Miss Dara Wilson was the

er and children of Alcino were visit- greatly improved in health.

Mrs. Jordan Childress, who has Mr. and Mrs. Visor and children of Mrs. Price Scott last Monday. been very sick for the past week is Lockney, were visiting Mr. and Mrs.

Reynolds Sunday. Mr. Askey and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce | Roy Childress was a business visi

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce's baby to have A. J. Mabry was a business visitor in Lockney Tuesday.

Mr. Richard was calling on O. F. Mr. and Mrs. Arch Keys were visit- them in the afternoon. ing Mrs. Key's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dial and daughter, Mrs. Mrs. Pittman, who is at the head of controversy with Great Britian, and the knitting department hopes to soon Floyd of Lockney Saturday and Sun-

SUNSHINE.

The Style Shop

We will have a showing of MID-SUMMER Pattern Hats MAY 1st.

ALSO A NEW LINE OF SILK DRESSES.

My line of Georgette and Crepe-de-Chine Waist can't be excelled in either PRICE or QUALITY.

Don't be satisfied with "just any sort" of a hat or dress, come to us and get the "Beauty Plus" kind.

MRS. D. J. THOMAS

Lockney, Texas

mill see Jim Dagley.

FOR SALE—One good mil cow, also Millions of tomatoes and frest not extend credit as we have before beautiful Belgium and French girls be Chevrolet touring car in good running proof cabbage plants now ready to as the wholesale people are getting hind their lines and robbed them of order, will trade for mules or good ship, all leading varieties, all plants on a cash basis. Please favor us their virture; it was the German Kaisnote.-Lockney Coal & Grein Co. 80-2 prepaid to your door and safe deliv- with a settlement.-Reeves Grocery er and his soldiers who cut off the - ery guaranteed, 100 40c; 300 \$1; 500 Co. LOST-Between Lockney and a point \$1.50; 1000 \$2.50 .- Butts & Son, Mila-

> 30-2tp SPECIAL NOTICE-To all famers who are interested in joining the 31-2tp. Treasurer, Floydada, Texas.

- the first, as we need money and can-

METEOR ITEMS

day night and Saturday morning.

CHARLES STREET, STREET boys declamation.

at 8:30 Sunday evening.

ended Sunday afternoon and the pro- en. One cannot contemplate the gram was fine and each of us felt that Kaiser's crimes without a lasting

Tate won first on composition, Lois to prevent this human sufferng. It Ewing won first in Senior spelling, will be there he will see ocean of blood Ruth Marshal won first in sixty yard and a sea of dead. He will behold indash, Albert Elliot won first in Julior nocent childhood mained, and virgins striped of their honor. What has he Bro. C. Holland preached for us done? Some day he will know and that Sunday at 11 o'clock and again that day will be when he stands before the Judgement seat, with his crimes The Layman's meeting was well at- piled up even unto the conopy of Heav

the spirit of God was with us. We would be glad to have every one come faith in the doctrine of eternal hell and be with us in these meetings and damnation for those that forget

down Friday from Canyon to attend ******************************* the Fair and visit her parents, but returned to school on Monday.

Leslie Ewing and Ivan Hess receivel notification from the Board to meet them at Floydada to sign papers as to their being farmers. This does not exempt them from army service but "Uncle Sam" needs the farmer boys to help make and gather the 1918 crop sa they may help feed the army boys already in the service.

We received word this week that Otto Corley and Harvey Pace, two fine boys who left our community last September, are now "somewhere in France" May God's richest blessings be on them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Borrows of Tatumn, N. M. came in last Sunday on a visit to Mrs. Barrow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Weathers. Mr. Borows retuned home Monday.

Mr. Hess and son Ivan, Mr. Ewing and son, Leslie, motored to Plainview Tuesday to be at the funeral services of a soldier boy, Lieutenant William J.

spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Tell

Mrs. Will Pearcy, who has been risiting and attending to business in Oklahoma the past month, returned ome last Friday afternoor

Mrs. Wilkins, mother of Mrs. Will and Mrs. Henry Pearcy, was quite ick the first of the week

Roy Ragle and sister, Miss Wi nnie Mr. and Mrs. Lee Floyd and child- of near Santa Fe, N. M., came in LOCKNEY RED CROSS ACren were calling on Mr. and Mrs. O. Wednesday night to visit friends. Miss Winnie will spend the spring Paul Sims and Mrs. West metored with her sister Mrs. Coller of Croshy-

This Week's Items

after a two weeks stay with her moth chairman expresses her gratitude for Mr. Furgerson, Mr. and Mrs. Tuck- er in Iowa. She reports her mother so many willing workers the past hands for generations without med-

Mesdames. A. J. Mabry and Lucian night and Sunday with Miss Alma whereby more ladies could come on ness of mankind will be promoted by

The Senior Red Cross met with

Mrs. I. W. Collier and daughter splendid work has been done. There democracy and peace. We have pro-Elmer Strawn of Crosbyton took din- is still plenty of room for more workner Monday with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. ers in this department, and Mrs. Brit-Ewing. Miss Minnie Ragle and broth ton will be delighted to give instrucer, Roy, returned to Crosbyton with ton to all who wish to take part in this have stood the trongest friend of the

Lockney, Mrs. Haygood of Tulia, have yarn for all who wish to take prevented war. For years we have niece of Mrs. Dial, Mrs. J. A. Weath- part in this branch of the work.

leave Friday the 26th, for the training workers for the week:

Sunday afternoon at 3:30. These Cocheran, Schmidt, Broyles, Reed and from falling to some less disenterestmeetings are fine and those who do Suits. not come are missing a great blessing Tuesday-Mesdames. Gunn, Miller, them for independence later. Thus Our president and vice president, Bro. Will Sams, Riley, Baker, Pauley, Ben-Hartman and Bro. Hatcher are both nett, Woodburn and Robinett. wide awake to the possibilities of this Wednesday-Whitt, Buchanan, Bus- sure way to maintain peace. movement and are keeping us busy. by, Wofford, Maurine Riley, Baldwin, PEACH JUICE.

THE KAISERS REPENT-ANCE-NIT

The Kaiser is reported to have visited the battle field after one of his failure drives on the Western Front, and remarked: "What Have I done to prevent this horror coming to the world." Yes, what has he done, it the torch into the powder magazines who trampled treaties under their China or Berkshire pigs. -O. F. Wil- FOR SALE-If you want a good wind NOTICE-We ask every one that ows bodies of Belgium women and childfeet, and walked offer the prostrate 30-tf us accounts to please settle them up ren, it was this human hiena whose hands of innocent boys in Belgium that they might not bear future arms against them. Then he has the gall to ask, what have I done to prevent Owing to circumstances over which these crimes to civilization. There is we had no control the writer failed no repentance in the craven body of to get the news items in last week and this mad monarch, and not until the will send them in with this weeks keen sword of the allies pierce his We had another nice rain last Pris enormity of his crime, and made to pay in part for his inhuman conduct. We as a neighborhood are very No human would permit the slaughter proud of our school, both the teachers of his soldiers like that visited on the and pupils. Our school exhibit won Huns in the Western Drive save one arst prize, which was justly due it possessed with a legion of devils. It for the knitted quilt knitted by the is said that before death a panorama primary pupils also the swester knit- is presented to one's vision of past ted by a Junior girl, was well worth events, then what a horable picture seeing at any place. We won several must Wilhiem gaze upon. It will be first, second and third prizes. Aline there he will know what he has done

Miss Catherine McLaughlin came God and humanity.

Hart Schaffner & Marx

Make Clothes to Fit

Some men think we can't fit them in clothes ready-made; and they feel that a good fit is important.

We appreciate this feeling on their part; if you are such a man, and have had unsatis factory experiences in being fitted in ready made clothes, you're just the man for us-

We can put a suit of clothes on you that you'll be satisfied with; it will fit, because it was made to fit just such a figure as yours.

That's one of our reasons for saying so much about Hart Schaffner & Mark clothes; they've solved this problem of fit for all figures. It's easy; come and see how easy.

E. L. Ayres & Company

The home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes

Red Cross workers have been active this week, and a great deal of work believe in the principle of "live and has been turned out. The ladies are let live." We respect other nations still making men's underwear, and a rights, wish them prosperity, and en-

TIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Friday afternoon. The Surgical Dressing Department began work Tuesday under the di-Mrs. I. W. Collier and daughter rection of Mrs. Lillie Britton, and try to govern itself.. Through almost

line of Red Cross work.

Country Auxiliaries are busy this ers spent Monday afternoon at the week, making the same class of artihome of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ewing.

Inor Ewing of Canyon visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. S. W. Ewing and the large being made in Lockney by big brother.

Expect splendid results from these week, making the same class of articles that are being made in Lockney big brother.

Expect splendid results from these from our peaceful policy in 1898, and

Monday-Mesdames. The Laymen will render a program Smith, Pittman, McCollum, Ayres,

Mobley and Guthrie.

Some are giving their lives

The least YOU can do---Buy Liberty Bonds! WHY AMERICA

FIGHTS GERMANY

enough to occupy our minds and week, and suggests that she would be dling with other people's concerns. A number of visitors from Cedar ing Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Upton Sunday. Miss Minnie Ragle spent Saturday glad if arrangements could be made We believe that the peace and happiself-government for all, by allowing the population of each civilized countected China from robbery and war on the part of more greedy nations, and stood the friend of Venezuela in her even allowed our own citizens to be wronged in Mexico rather than make

stop intolerable oppression at our Sweeney, very door, in Cuba, and took the Philippine Islands in order to save them ed nation, and in order to educate we have always worked for peace, and for justice to all which is the only

Well, then, why do we enter the Great European War? Why was it our affair? If we love peace, why do we make war? Did we drift in without knowing what we were doing, did e get in by some kind of "fluke"? We are in the war because we had to go in unless we were entirely blind to our honor and saefty, and to the future happiness of the whole world-John Tatlock.

Attention Farmers!

We sell the only Single Cell Planter Sold. Plants Cotton Seed one in each hill one to 36 inches apart, every adjustment necessary, in fact most modern most complete Plainting Lister Sold.

Also will pay the highest price for Hides.

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LOCKNEY, TEXAS

Pantry Preparedness

Is your pantry prepared for an ysudden emergency, such as unexpected company? Or sudden sickness? Or

Such contingencies as these wont disturb you if your

With them you can dish up a delicious meal on short

They save time and labor, and render your kitchen

We have everything in canned and package goods

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