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## Shaping Up For the Great War Work Drive

COMMITTEES AT WORK ON THE PLANS OF ACTION TO BE ANNOUNCED LATER—REEVES MUST GIVE \$6,500

The unfortunate epidemic of influenza has caused many well-laid plans to go amiss. Especially is this true with the pre-arranged program for a United War Work Sunday, on November 10th. Many localities are still in the grip of the epidemic and the local regulations forbid mass meetings being held.

Where practicable, it is planned to have this feature at which ministers, priests and rabbis will place before their congregations the importance of unstinted public support of the seven great organizations represented in war work activities. Sermons detailing the religious, educational, entertaining and other features developed by Y. M. C. A. and other agencies serving the soldiers and sailors both in this country and overseas will be preached.

In Pecos no one can fortell what the morrow will bring forth. The committee in charge of the general arrangements, at this time, can give out no definite advice as to just what twist the campaign will take. If the situation warrants and health officials think it safe a glorious rally will be held. However, one thing is certain: the campaign in Reeves county will be waged in some shape and the result is going to be a glowing success.

The seven organizations to benefit from the result of the campaign are the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the National Catholic War Council, the Jewish Welfare Board, the War-Camp Community Service, the American Library Association and the Salvation Army.

The sum asked for to support the work of these organizations is \$170,500,000 which will be pro rated. Of this amount Reeves County is expected to raise \$6,500.

A meeting was held Tuesday afternoon at the offices of Stanley & Drane for the purpose of organizing the work in this county. Rev. C. K. Campbell of El Paso, one of the district directors, was present at this meeting and emphasized the necessity of raising the fund and rendered able assistance in the matter of organization. Those chosen to lead in the campaign in Reeves county are as follows:

Jas. F. Ross, district manager; J. A. Drane, county chairman; assistant county chairmen as follows: E. B. Daniel, Toyah; W. W. Stewart, Balmorhea; C. M. Honaker, Saragosa. Executive committee, F. W. Johnson, T. Y. Casey, W. W. Camp, W. A. Hudson, T. B. Pruett and Fred B. Faust. Publicity committee, H. H. Johnson, Earl Collings and E. J. Moyer. Captain of County Liberty Boys, Earl Collings; Captain of Liberty Girls, Miss Lillie Poe.

Reeves county is part of a district formed with the counties of El Paso, not including the city, Hudspeth and Culberson.

A meeting of the committees will be held next Monday at which time definite plans will be mapped out for the successful prosecution of the campaign.

Rev. Campbell, who met with the citizens of Pecos this week is the presiding elder of the El Paso District of the Methodist church and is giving much of his time to the perfecting of the different county organizations.

With him was Rev. C. A. Douglas, the new Methodist pastor at Toyah, who also rendered valuable assistance in lining things up for the drive. He is an old Scoutmaster and will have charge of this line of work at Toyah for the County Captain, Earl Collings and will also help out on Toyah Creek.

The Enterprise feels sure that the campaign will attain the splendid success that other lines of endeavor relating to the prosecution of the war have attained in this county. Every citizen of the county should have a part in this great work.

—Pay the President—  
Mrs. Wade Clifton and daughter, Miss Velma Murdock, of Toyah, were in Pecos Saturday the latter having her eyes examined.

## Reports Gives the Republicans Majority

INCOMPLETE RETURNS SHOWS SUBSTANTIAL MAJORITY IN HOUSE AND LEAD OF ONE IN SENATE

Notwithstanding the appeal of President Wilson that the people return a majority of Democrats to the House and Senate, late returns indicate that just the opposite has happened and that Republicans control both branches of the legislature. In the House the Republican majority, it seems, is substantial, while in the Senate a majority of one Republican is indicated.

The result of this condition, if correctly stated, will be that Republicans will not only be able to initiate legislation in the lower house for the next two years but will also be able to put it through the senate. This can be accomplished by Republicans in the higher branch, where their majority is small, assuming a "stand pat" policy. The Enterprise does not mean to assume that any measures proposed by Wilson will meet stubborn opposition regardless of merit, but the reports of the election show that for two years, he will have to depend upon support from a congress in control of the opposition party.

Two candidates in whose election the president took a personal interest were decisively defeated, viz: Henry Ford of Michigan and W. B. Walton of New Mexico.

From New York late yesterday evening all returns were in but those of Michigan, New Mexico and Idaho. Conceding the two former to the Republicans and the latter to the Democrats the line-up in the Senate for the next two years—Republican 50, Democrats 47—as follows:

State	Dem.	Rep.
Alabama	2	—
Arizona	2	—
Arkansas	2	—
California	1	1
Colorado	1	1
Connecticut	—	2
Delaware	1	1
Florida	2	—
Georgia	2	—
Idaho	—	2
Illinois	—	2
Indiana	—	2
Iowa	—	2
Kansas	—	2
Kentucky	2	—
Louisiana	2	—
Maine	—	2
Maryland	1	1
Massachusetts	1	1
Michigan	—	2
Minnesota	—	2
Mississippi	2	—
Missouri	1	1
Montana	2	—
Nebraska	1	1
Nevada	2	—
New Hampshire	—	2
New Jersey	—	2
New Mexico	1	1
New York	—	2
North Carolina	2	—
North Dakota	—	2
Ohio	1	1
Oregon	1	1
Oklahoma	2	—
Pennsylvania	—	2
Rhode Island	1	1
South Carolina	2	—
South Dakota	1	1
Tennessee	2	—
Texas	2	—
Utah	1	1
Vermont	—	2
Virginia	2	—
Washington	—	2
West Virginia	—	2
Wisconsin	—	2
Wyoming	1	1
Totals	47	50

—Pay the President—  
PEACE CENTER WITHHELD—  
HUNS BOMBARD TOWNS

Much conjecture as to the particular place when peace negotiations are to be carried on is indulged in by diplomats, and many places have been named, the majority opinion selecting The Hague on account of its proximity to all nationalities involved.

Reports from the front state that the Huns are still bombarding defenseless towns in Belgium.

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## Influenza Does Not Retard Labor Recruiting

H. M. WALKER OF EL PASO ASSISTS LOCAL BOARD IN THE WORK—TWO NEEDED TO FILL OUT QUOTA

Henry M. Walker, examiner of the federal labor bureau and representing H. W. Lewis, federal director of the U. S. Employment Service for Texas, was here last week, and on Friday and Saturday met and worked with the labor board of Reeves, Loving and Ward counties. The object of his visit was to hurry work of the local board in supplying its quota of thirty-three workers from this district to be employed in the munition plant at Nashville, Tennessee.

Mr. Walker found the situation in this district much hampered on account of the influenza, but stated that the men in charge were handling everything in good shape, and was impressed with the quarantine methods in vogue here. At the bridge between Pecos and Barstow was posted a shotgun patrol, and people were prevented from crossing either way except on the train. In Pecos most of the people were wearing the gauze masks.

The epidemic, Mr. Walker found, was also a factor in the matter of harvesting the cotton crop in the Valley, estimated at 2000 to 2500 bales. He estimated that with good weather and improving health conditions the crop can be picked and ginned by Christmas. Laborers are being paid \$1.50 per hundred pounds and quarters furnished. So far there has been ginned at Barstow 517 bales, at Pecos 211 bales and at Saragosa 80 bales.

In the matter of furnishing labor to the Government from this district, the local board reports that credit is given for 18 who had already entered various phases of government labor and that thirteen have been secured in the instant call and will leave Sunday. This leaves but two to complete the quota and they will probably be secured in time to leave with the others.

The community labor board for this district has its offices in Pecos. Jno. B. Howard is chairman, and E. G. Doty is secretary. Other members of the board are A. Tinnally of Pecos and C. M. Haughton of Barstow. Mesdames J. W. Parker and T. Y. Casey are also members of the board.

—Pay the President—  
Charlie Hefner left on the early morning train for Dallas where he expects to offer his services to Uncle Sam. Charlie has for a long time been employed by the Pecos Valley State Bank and has been an exceedingly competent, obliging, faithful and trustworthy employee. Should he be accepted this bank will lose a popular citizen.

## They Always Keep Them Fit to Fight

A TESTIMONIAL FROM ONE OF THE BOYS WHO BENEFITS FROM SERVICE RENDERED BY "Y" AND OTHERS

The best proof in the world of what the war welfare agencies are doing for the American soldiers in France comes from the soldiers themselves. Hardly a letter reproduced in the local papers, written by one of our soldiers, but mention is made of the "Y" and kindred organizations. "They're the greatest ever," "You have no idea of the real good they are doing," "We'd have the blues all the time and it would take us more than twice the time to finish the Hun were it not for the influence of these things." These are but few of the expressions from those who know of the efficacy of these societies and reason enough why they should have support, even to the point of sacrifice, of the people at home. From a Waco boy, comes the following recommendation:

I am in an officers' club of the Y "somewhere in France." If ever the Y or any other of the organizations over here working among the boys to help make things more comfortable, want a gilt-edge testimonial, a la Tanlac, or better, they can get it from any and every member of Mr. Pershing's A. E. F. They are on the job everywhere. I have been to some mighty out-of-the-way places, but they always had their tents up and were "putting out" as soon as we got there. They have sporting equipment for us everywhere, which we could not bring, and the boys never would get any writing material without their aid. They are the best friends the enlisted men have, and are doing a wonderful work. I have often wished that some of the Waco folk who gave their few \$50 begrudgingly when we campaigned there, could see the Texas and Waco boys as they reap the dividends of those few dollars.

But the best thing they ever did happened the other day. We were billeted in a little French town and everything was nice and easy as one could wish for. We were learning French from the French girls and everyone was making us welcome. Then orders came for us to pull out next day on foot, and it wasn't good old Texas hiking, either. But the men carried everything they could on their backs and it was up hill all the way. We finally made camp, and a tired bunch we were, too, and up for an all-day affair the next day. But the Y. M. C. A. man was there before us, with chocolate, cigarettes and chewing gum, and three honest-to-God American girls, the first we had seen for a month and a half.

—Pay the President—  
H. W. Johnson, of Drate, was in Pecos Monday transacting business.

## Signing of Armistice Terms is Denied

HOWEVER MEETING OF BOTH SIDES IS BEING HELD AND RESULT MAY BE KNOWN AT ANY HOUR

The bulletins issued yesterday to the effect that German had signed the terms of the armistice were officially denied late in the evening by Secretary of State, Robert Lansing. In his announcement the secretary stated that a delegation composed of four high officers of the German army would arrive at a point designated by Marshal Foch, at 5 o'clock in the evening to discuss the acceptance of the terms laid down.

Instructions issued to the envoys of Germany, as dictated by Foch were to the effect that if they wished to meet him they shall advance to the French lines along the Chimay, Fourmies, La Capelle and Guise roads where they would be met and conducted to a point, the name of the place not being given.

In Germany the populace is restless and to keep order Chancellor Maxmillian has issued an appeal, saying "in order to make an end of bloodshed a delegation has left for the front and that negotiations there will be seriously endangered by disturbances and lack of discipline."

Latest dispatches are to the effect that the result of the meeting with the German envoys may be announced at any hour, the consensus of opinion being that Germany will bow to the inevitable and sign the terms for an armistice.

## Influenza Is About Wore Out in Pecos

FAITHFUL WORK OF DOCTORS AND CITIZENS AND DUE REGARD TO SANITARY RULES ABOUT TO SUCCEED

The Enterprise believes that the announcement that influenza is conquered at last is not premature on its part. The editor has been keeping close tab on the cases from day to day, and the result of these observations causes the above announcement at this particular time.

The Pecos school building at the beginning of the week contained about twenty patients. Good nursing has reduced this number to three and these are expected to be removed today, and the building put in shape for the reopening of school. About this feature The Enterprise is unable to learn anything definitely. As things are, however, it seems improbable that the session will open next week.

The epidemic has indeed been a trial to our people and though death claimed but two from the American population, the toll of the Grim Reaper was heavy in the Mexican settlement.

The fact that the disease has about wore itself out should not be taken as a signal to forego any precautions the people are taking. This, physicians state, is good sound advice and should be heeded.

—Pay the President—  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Cowan made a flying visit to town yesterday after supplies.

## 1-4 off MILLINERY 1-4 off

We had just received a full shipment of new Mid-Winter Shapes and Trimmings when the "Flu" struck our town. A good part of the time since then we have been trying to help care for the sick and left our shop to care for itself.

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YOURS FOR SERVICE.

## Lillie Poe

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TIME TABLES.

Table with 2 columns: Route (Pecos Valley Southbound, Northbound, Santa Fe Mountain Time, Texas & Pacific Westbound, Eastbound) and Schedule (No. 1, 2, 25, 2 arr. times).

Directory

W. C. T. U. meets on Third Friday in each month at 3 o'clock p. m. at the home of Mrs. R. N. Couch, Pres.

LODGE MEETINGS.

Masonic—Pecos Valley Lodge No. 786, A. F. and A. M. Hall, corner of Oak and Second streets. Regular meetings second Saturday night in each month.

Masonic—Pecos Chapter No. 218, R. A. M. Hall corner of Oak and Second streets. Stated convocations on first Tuesday night in each month.

O. E. S.—Pecos Chapter No. 81. Regular meetings second Monday in each month. Members urged to attend and visiting members cordially welcomed.

LUDIE LOVE, Secretary, SADIE COLLINGS, W. M.

W. O. W.—Althorn Camp No. 208. Regular meetings second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month. Visiting Sovereigns cordially invited.

W. O. W. Circle—Meets the fourth Thursday in each month. MRS. JOHN HIBDON, Guar. MRS. C. C. COLWELL, Clk.

K. of P.—Meets in Castle Hall every Monday night. All members are urged, and visiting Knights in good standing are cordially invited to attend.

I. J. SIMS, C. C. MAX KRAUSKOPF, K. of R. S.

I. O. O. F.—Pecos Encampment No. 23, meets 1st and 3rd Monday nights in each month. H. C. ZIMMER, Chief Patr. R. R. RODGERS, Scribe.

I. O. O. F.—No. 650, meets every Thursday night. R. R. RODGERS, N. G. R. G. MIDDLETON, Sec.

Rebekah—No. 263, I. O. O. F. MRS. R. E. L. KITE, Noble Grand, MRS. JOSEPHINE RODGERS, Sec.

THE COURTS.

Federal—Western District of Texas. Meets 4th Mondays in March and September. W. R. Smith, of El Paso, Judge; Joe Caroline, Pecos, Clerk.

Bankruptcy—Meets any time there is business of this nature. BEN PALMER, Referee.

District—70th Judicial District.—Meets April 23, 1917, November 19th, 1917. Chas. Gibbs, Midland, Judge; T. T. Garrard, Midland, Attorney; B. C. Vaughan, Pecos, Clerk.

County—Reeves County. Meets 1st Monday in April, 2nd Mondays in July, October and January. Jas. F. Ross, Judge; S. C. Vaughan, Clerk; J. A. Drane, Attorney; Tom Harrison Sheriff.

Justice—Meets in regular session every 3rd Monday. Opens any day for criminal cases. F. P. Richburg, Judge.

Mayor's—Opens any day for criminal cases. J. E. Starley, Mayor.

Commissioners—Regular meetings 2nd Monday in each month. Jas. F. Ross, Judge; S. C. Vaughan, Clerk; Tom Harrison, Sheriff. J. E. Elsenwine, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; W. Hosie, No. 2; C. C. Kountz, No. 3; Sid Kyle, No. 4.

OFFICIALS.

County—Jas. F. Ross, Judge; S. C. Vaughan, Clerk; Tom Harrison, Sheriff and Tax Collector; LeGrand Merriam, Treasurer; W. W. Camp, Assessor; A. M. Randolph, Surveyor; F. P. Richburg, Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1.

City—J. E. Starley, Mayor; A. G. Eggart, Ben Biggs, Sam Prewit and Ralph Williams, Councilmen. M. L. Paddy, Marshal. Monroe Kerr, Acting Secretary, Assessor and Tax Collector. Meets 3rd Monday night in each month at City Hall.

W.S.S. DOLLAR MARK YOUR PLEDGE—PAY THE PRESIDENT

Subscribers to the Fourth Liberty Loan

LISTS FROM TOYAH AND TOYAH VALLEY OF CITIZENS, WHO HELPED REEVES COUNTY GO OVER THE TOP

The following is a list of names of citizens of Toyah Valley with amount subscribed to the Fourth Loan:

Table listing names and amounts: Geo. R. Davis \$50, E. R. Patterson 50, P. M. Randall 50, Balmorhea Merc. Co. 50, Geo. F. McKinney 50, Virdie Pruett 50, C. C. Kountz 50, W. A. Knapp 50, F. C. Bruce 350, Bal. Land & Cattle Co. 5000, C. C. Goss 50, Matt Zemiyack 50, H. C. Hicks 50, E. P. Odell 50, A. G. Van Horn 50, M. C. Lucky 50, N. C. Huelster 50, J. F. Meier 100, B. W. Van Deren 200, H. K. Kountz 50, W. C. Koutz 50, Reagan Waskom 100, Mrs. R. M. Stevenson 100, B. B. Fouch 100, Miss Rutledge 100, J. W. B. Williams 100, W. A. Montgomery 50, Mrs. W. C. Holbert 100, Mrs. Jesse B. Williams 50, L. R. Wilson 50, C. W. Amrine 50, Fiske Emery 50, Mrs. E. E. Moore 50, Tatum Moore 50, Albert Moore 50, Willie Moore 50, Perry Wagon 200, Billie McGarrey 50, I. L. Barlow 100, Mary Barlow 50, Mrs. I. L. Barlow 50, Mrs. T. W. Windle 100, E. W. Backus 500, Miss Rosa Blankenship 100, Miss Fannie Clayton 100, Jas. H. Walker 100, T. M. Delaney 100, C. C. Whipp 200, Henry Meier 100, W. E. Gould 250, Mrs. Sol Mayer 500, Victor Erickson 100, Mrs. C. W. Amrine 50, Mrs. Ella White 600, W. A. McWhorter 50, A. W. Wigley 600, C. C. Boyd 100, A. C. Schreyer 500, W. W. Massey 50, R. L. Wigley 200, C. W. Skeen 50, W. W. Chandler, Jr. 50, L. J. Heulster 50, T. J. Harbour 50, J. C. Short 50, A. J. Carpenter 50, E. Hinojosa 50, J. W. Goode 50, Mrs. Geo. Daniel 50, W. D. Cowan 50, H. N. Lusk 50, A. H. Smith 50, Finley Holmes 50, J. W. Watson 100, Plasio Thanana 100, Candalario Ruiz 50, Marquez Sanchez 50, Theo Andrews 200, D. J. Hayes 50, Ira Fuller 150, Jesus Carrasco 50, Abelino Nabarrette 50, Merjildo Nabarrette 50, Sam Pharr 250, Leon Gonzalez 50, Juanita Remerzo 50, Arenado Lousaly 50, Bitoer Lopez 50, Yrrino Cachon 50, Bitorimo Tirgrino 50, E. G. Bernard 100, H. F. Wells 100, Geo. Bruce 100, J. L. Norman 100, S. E. Flory 150, A. M. Harrison 100, Howard Yost 250, Harry Cochran 700, A. O. Harris 150, H. S. Loutz 200, D. Clark 100, E. Scott 200, J. W. Williamson 100, Jim Hamilton 100, Steve Orr 50, D. K. Jarrell 100, H. Williamson 50, J. D. Berry 100, F. Van Sickle 100

The list following contains names of citizens of Toyah subscribing to the Fourth Liberty Loan, and also includes employees of the Texas and Pacific Railway:

Table listing names and amounts: Finley Holmes \$6000, G. W. Dabney 1000, J. P. Seay 500, A. B. Tinnin 500, Chas. Weinacht 500, Citizens State Bank 500, W. T. Butrum 250, T. T. Downes 250, H. H. Fancher & Sons 250, J. B. Young 200, B. F. Seay 150, Joe Finley Holmes 100, C. R. Troxel 100, G. W. Smith 100, Mrs. J. B. Young 100, Mrs. G. P. Fancher 100, E. B. Daniel 100, Geo. Daniel 100, Mrs. Anna Ruhup 100, W. E. Morton 100, B. C. Christian 100, W. M. Hopper 100, I. E. Brown 100, Mac Sayles 100, Sayles Bros. & McAlpine 100, McAlpine & Grisham 100, Joe Duncan 100, Ed Koen 100, Mrs. Geo. Daniel 100, F. A. Bessire 100, Mrs. F. R. Macek 100, A. G. Barefield 100, R. L. Singleton 100, Jess Parish 100, Lee D. Kingston 100, F. G. Youngblood 100, Mrs. Anna Ruhup 100, S. E. Florey 50, F. J. Billingslea 50, Miss Ruth Billingslea 50, B. P. Van Horn 50, Masonic Lodge 50, Joe Preusser, Jr. 50, T. C. Hart 50, Chas. L. Ruhup 50, F. A. Bessire 50, B. F. Seay 50, Joe Billingslea 50, Edith Kramer 50, C. C. Hotchkiss 50, Joe Duncan 50, Agnes E. Smith 50, Ira G. Troxel 50, Dug Hart 50, J. L. Norman 50, Mrs. Gladys Castonas 50, Chas. L. Ruhup 50, P. L. Castonas 50, Velma Murdock 50, B. A. Golson 50, Geo. Daniel 50, Mrs. Geo. Daniel 50, W. D. Cowan 50, H. N. Lusk 50, A. H. Smith 50, Finley Holmes 50, J. W. Watson 100, Plasio Thanana 100, Candalario Ruiz 50, Marquez Sanchez 50, Theo Andrews 200, D. J. Hayes 50, Ira Fuller 150, Jesus Carrasco 50, Abelino Nabarrette 50, Merjildo Nabarrette 50, Sam Pharr 250, Leon Gonzalez 50, Juanita Remerzo 50, Arenado Lousaly 50, Bitoer Lopez 50, Yrrino Cachon 50, Bitorimo Tirgrino 50, E. G. Bernard 100, H. F. Wells 100, Geo. Bruce 100, J. L. Norman 100, S. E. Flory 150, A. M. Harrison 100, Howard Yost 250, Harry Cochran 700, A. O. Harris 150, H. S. Loutz 200, D. Clark 100, E. Scott 200, J. W. Williamson 100, Jim Hamilton 100, Steve Orr 50, D. K. Jarrell 100, H. Williamson 50, J. D. Berry 100, F. Van Sickle 100

Table listing names and amounts: L. Harkness 150, Chas. Davis 200, L. S. Spencer 400, G. R. Cole 200, W. B. Robinson 50, C. C. Withers 100, F. W. Fahrenkamp 300, B. D. Boswell 100, R. A. Harris 50, O. Ralls 100, A. J. Hart 50, C. A. Ruhup 100, Wm. Robinson 450, W. Clifton 200, Jno. Reilly 100, H. Schubert 100, J. L. Norman 50, J. R. Wilkes 100, J. E. Jarrell 100, Vincent Andrews 50, J. W. Woodley 50, Jack Smith 300, O. Gossett 50, W. M. Chatham 500, J. R. Alridge 50, D. F. Benson 50, F. C. Claypool 50, P. Campos 100, Sabos Chavis 50, T. C. Cory 100, Max Chaves 100, Manuel Campos 150, A. Campos 150, E. E. Crowe 300, T. J. Clark 100, Carlos Cortillo 100, J. W. Davies 400, D. W. Duncan 50, Catarino Hernandez 50, J. A. Jacoby 100, S. Lorez 150, Lino Licon 50, Nicasio Leos 150, A. Martinez 50, Romulo Martinez 150, A. Matus 50, D. H. Mitchell 100, B. F. Powell 200, J. Parros 150, P. Patino 50, Alexander Payon 50, P. Renterio 50, L. B. Richardson 100, T. R. Roberts 200, Ah Sing 150, Felix Scholz 400, Paul Shank 150, Vilas Willes 50, S. Yonaz 100, Francisco Talamantes 50, S. Caldes 50

—Pay the President—

INFLUENZA WILL NOT INTERFERE WITH FUND CAMPAIGN

The influenza epidemic will not be allowed to interfere with the plans of the great United War Work Campaign for \$170,500,000 for the seven civilian welfare organizations, according to a telegram received from the national campaign headquarters in New York by Major A. P. Oakes, executive secretary of the Southern Department campaign publicity bureau Wednesday quotes Dr. John Mott, Director-General of the United War Work Council, to the effect that "the disadvantages of putting off the campaign outweigh any apparent advantages of such delay," follows: "Major A. P. Oakes, Dallas, Texas: The date of November 11 to 18, originally set for the United War Work campaign, will be adhered to in spite of the country-wide influenza epidemic. This announcement was made today by Dr. John R. Mott, Director-General of the United War Work Council. This decision was reached only after careful consideration, wide consultation and a personal conference with President Wilson and members of the War Department today. "The disadvantages of putting off the campaign outweigh any apparent advantages of such delay," Dr. Mott stated. "Although health regulations will probably prevent the holding of large mass meetings, the local leaders of the country can be depended upon to exercise their best judgment and ingenuity in adopting plans to meet the changed conditions. The Fourth Liberty Loan was carried to a stupendously successful issue even in the midst of the epidemic. Certainly the United War Work Campaign will not be adversely affected by the unfortunate condition prevailing. "The lack of large mass meetings to push the campaign will leave people more time to read, think and decide," Dr. Mott continued. "The press will be called upon and will voluntarily lend even to greater advantage than they planned to do, for a wider use must be made of the printed page to help offset the lack of big meetings in carrying the campaign through to a successful finish."

—Pay the President—

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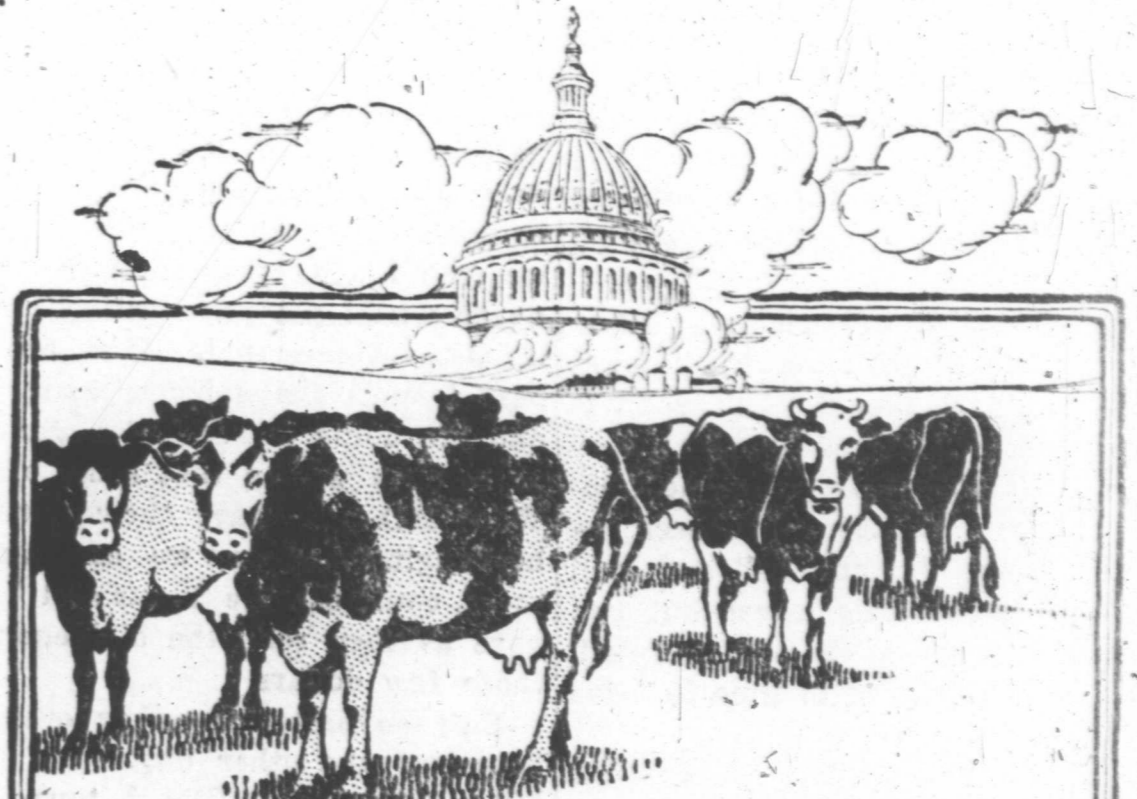
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The Federal Reserve Banking System, established by the government, stands back of the stock raiser. Through our membership in it we can help our patrons carry live stock which they are raising or fattening for future sales.

Farmers' notes, with not over six months to run, given for raising or carrying live stock can be rediscounted by us with our Federal Reserve Bank, thereby increasing our ability to extend to our patrons such help as they may need.

If you contemplate raising or fattening live stock for market come in and talk with us. We can help you.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK Pecos, Texas.



BLAST WITH W.S.S.



The constant saving and regular purchase of War Savings Stamps will clear the victory path.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head.

—Pay the President—

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REVIEW

Prepared for The Enterprise by the St. Louis Union Bank, St. Louis, Mo.

Increased returns from the higher freight and passenger rates are apparent for the first time in reports of railway earnings to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The report indicated also that the Government has paid railroads in compensation in the eight months ended with August, nearly \$200,000,000 more than it has received as net operating income.

For the eight months ended with August operating revenue of all the roads was \$3,051,000,000, as compared with \$2,611,000,000 in the same period last year.

Operating expenses amounted to \$2,489,000,000, as compared with \$1,837,000,000 last year. Operating income was \$438,476,000 in comparison with \$658,881,000 last year.

The influence of rate increases is shown by the item of freight revenues in August, amounting to \$348,816,000, as compared with \$250,281,000 in August, 1917.

Why Puffer With Gorns? Use "Gets-It"

Common-Sense, Simple, Never Fails. You can tear out your corns and suffer, or you can peel off your corns and smile.



"Get the Drop" on That Corn—Use "Gets-It" and the Corn is a "Goner!"

of "Gets-It" on any corn or callus dries at once. The corn finally loosens off from the toe, so that you can peel it off with your fingers in one piece, painless, like peeling a banana.

Legal Blanks

A new supply of Blank deeds at The Times office. Among them are the following.

- WARRANTY DEEDS
SPECIAL WARRANTY DEEDS.
LEASES.
BILLS OF SALE.
VENDOR'S LIEN.
RELEASE OF VENDOR'S LIEN.
CHATTEL MORTGAGES.

Boys Have Best of Care at Army Camps

STORIES OF ADVERSE CONDITIONS IS PART OF GERMAN PROPAGANDA WHICH YET LIVES AND THRIVES

Camp Travis, Texas, October 25.—German propagandists again are seeking to cause dissatisfaction and heart aches among the thousands of homes in Texas and Oklahoma, and other sections of the country, from which men have gone forth to do their part in the present war.

Now comes Germany and the German sympathizer with stories "from reliable people" as to the horrible conditions which have been found to exist in the hospitals and military training camps of the country.

Then some subtle German mind conceived the idea of having doctors and nurses caught in the act of injecting influenza germs into the food of the men in the camp.

Added to this have been frequent telephone calls from anonymous parties to prominent Red Cross people in San Antonio and elsewhere alleging that men in camps were without cover, without food, etc.

It will be recalled that last winter when pneumonia broke out in the camps of the country that frequent rumors of a very similar nature were circulated. These were found to be false.

Later came nation-wide charges that Red Cross garments issued to the soldiers by the Red Cross were being marketed generally at a price from fifty to seventy-five cents.

Now with the soldiers of the United States carrying the Stars and Stripes through Germany's "impregnable lines", the propagandists are seeking to cause worry of lax conditions in army camps.

WRIGLEY GIVES TIN FOIL TO THE GOVERNMENT

To help meet the needs of the Government Wrigley's will discontinue the use of tin-foil as a wrapping for "Juicy Fruit" chewing gum in order to release this valuable material to Uncle Sam.

Hundreds of thousands of pounds per week of tin-foil will thus be made available to the Government, it is said. "Juicy Fruit" will hereafter appear in the hermetically sealed pink wrapper, the same as "Spearmint".

Southern California grows more than eighty per cent of all the lima beans produced in the world. The only other known place where these beans are extensively cultivated is on the Island of Madagascar.

HOLD YOUR LIBERTY BONDS—IT'S PATRIOTIC AND WISE

The wide distribution among millions of American citizens of Liberty Loan bonds makes our Liberty loans, according to the Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo's expressed opinion, the soundest of national financing.

United States Government bonds in the past have gone above par, as high as \$139 for a \$100 4 per cent bond. That Liberty Bonds will go well above par when peace comes is very probable.

Every holder of a Liberty bond should heed the caution to hold to his or her bonds because there are going to be great efforts by shrewd and unscrupulous people to buy or secure at inadequate prices these bonds from holders who are not well informed as to stock and bond values.

Worthless or near-worthless stock or stock of only speculative value—"wildcat stocks" they are called—are going to be offered for Liberty bonds. Some will be urged not to sell or exchange their Liberty bonds, but to buy the stock and give the Liberty bonds as security for the purchase price.

If every holder of a Liberty bond will consult a bank before he disposes of it, the get-rich-quick concerns will not prosper, but the individual bondholders will, and the American people as a whole will be benefited.

—Pay the President—

ARE YOU FIGURING ON CURRING MEAT—READ THIS

Hog-killing time is approaching and soon the farmers will begin calling on the merchants for salt petre to use in curing their meat.

Salt petre (Potassium Nitrate) is used extensively in the manufacture of explosives and is covered by the Federal Explosive Act of October 6, 1917, which provides that certain explosives ingredients will not be sold in quantities of an ounce or more unless the purchaser produces a license.

Those desiring to buy salt petre to use in curing meat can obtain it in sufficient quantities to meet their requirements by taking out an explosive license, the cost of which is only 25 cents.

Merchants should call attention of their customers to this matter, so they may not be caught unprepared. This law also covers all kinds of explosives and ingredients, and any and all violations of the Federal Explosives Law should be reported to me promptly.

CHAS. B. WATERS, U. S. Explosives Inspector, San Antonio, Texas.

—Pay the President—

McADOO ADVISES TEXANS.

"The people of the United States can render the most far-reaching patriotic service by refraining from the purchase of all unnecessary articles, and by confining themselves to the use of only such things and the expenditure of only such money as is necessary to maintain their health and efficiency.

—Pay the President—

CALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK

Acts Like Dynamite on a Sluggish Liver and You Lose a Day's Work

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when 50 cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel.

It is a pleasant, vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and can not salivate.

Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow.

—Pay the President—

\$866,416,300 in Excess of Quotas

ALLOTMENTS OF EVERY FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT ARE OVERSUBSCRIBED IS ANNOUNCED BY OFFICIALS

Washington, Nov. 1.—The fourth Liberty Loan was oversubscribed by more than \$866,000,000. Final reports announced today by the treasury department show subscriptions of \$6,866,416,300.

All Federal Reserve Districts oversubscribed, the Boston District reaching 126 per cent of its quota, standing first in the percentage column. Richmond made 123 per cent and Philadelphia 119.

The other districts percentages were: Cleveland 116, Minneapolis 114, St. Louis 113, Atlanta 112, Dallas 111.69, New York 111.11, Chicago 110, Kansas 109, and San Francisco 105.

Records by districts were as follows:

Table with columns: Dist., Quota, Sub. Rows include Boston, Richm'd, Phil., Clev'd, Minn., St. Lou, Atlanta, Dallas, N. Y., Chi., K. City, S. Fran.

In addition subscriptions received at the Treasury amounted to \$32,538,750.

"The great success of the loan is new and convincing evidence of the determined spirit of America to carry on the war until freedom is assured throughout the world," said Secretary McAdoo.

"In spite of the influenza epidemic, the unenacted revenue bill and other unfavorable factors, the American people have consummated the greatest financial achievement in all history."

This makes the fourth Liberty loan the greatest popular war credit ever floated. It is the fourth time, also, that Liberty Loans have been oversubscribed.

Soldiers subscribed \$75,000,000, and men of the navy \$43,500,000.

—Pay the President—

An effort is being made by members of the House of Representatives to put through a bill adding candy to the ration of all officers and enlisted men with the U. S. Expeditionary Forces.

—Pay the President—

Each year for forty years a big plowing match has been held at Aurora, Illinois. It has been called the "farm classic" of this country.

—Pay the President—

The first machine to test breathing power of aviators was recently installed at Fort Worth, Texas. By this, the aviators will be tested according to the ability to withstand altitude fatigue.

WRIGLEY'S Give to United War Work Nov 11-18 We will win this war— Nothing else really matters until we do! Be patient here—Our Boys are getting WRIGLEY'S over there!

1918 XMAS PRESENTS, THE THRICE-A-WEEK EDITION OF THE NEW YORK WORLD IN 1918. Uncle Sam wants folks to give a new kind of Christmas present this year.

"OVER THE TOP" LEMON JUICE IS FRECKLE REMOVER Girls! Make This Cheap Beauty Lotion to Clear and Whiten Your Skin. England has the champion rivet driver in the world.



# THE ENTERPRISE and PECOS TIMES

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This paper has enlisted  
with the government in the  
cause of America for the  
period of the war.....

## PAY THE PRESIDENT

The Crown Prince seems to be lost  
in the shuffle these days. No need to  
worry; he can't lose that face even  
though he has the whole world to hide  
it in.

And then again, the fact that the  
kaiser is sending his baggage to a  
neutral port, may be diagnosed as  
positive symptoms that he is about to  
take the "flu".

Some one is always trying to be  
funny. It has been suggested that  
the gauze masks become a permanent  
feature as they help the looks of  
many of our citizens.

Those who escaped the "flu" are  
shaking hands with themselves, and  
they are not to be blamed for that.  
It's a mean disease and not only im-  
pairs the appetite but the disposition  
as well.

The epidemic of influenza proved  
to be another of those refining pro-  
cesses that separate wheat from the  
chaff, the dross from the precious  
metal. All can look back and see how  
they stood the test.

The kaiser is reported to be pack-  
ing his trunks and shipping them to  
neutral ports. Old Bill is still fol-  
lowing the beaten track from which  
he has not swerved to these many  
war-worn years, "Safety First."

From the context of President  
Wilson's last note to Germany none  
had the least idea that such drastic  
provisions would be imposed upon  
Germany as the basis of peace. Be  
that as it may, it is hard to find a  
person who thinks the terms even  
harsh.

Now comes the startling news  
that if Germany surrenders Allied  
countries will have to provide food  
for the famished population of both  
her and Austria. Hooverizing in  
order to supply food for the Hun  
may be indulged in, but hardly with  
good grace.

How times do change. Carrying  
away the gate on Halloween was a  
joke at the age of fourteen, and  
especially if it was your neighbor's  
gate. But viewing the situation  
from the off side of forty-five years,  
and the gate is your own, it makes  
some difference, to say the least.

The result of the general elections,  
just now, are very much in the dark.  
Both sides, like the principals in a  
heavyweight prize-fight, are claiming  
victory on general principles. It is  
to be hoped, however, that when the  
new legislative body is convened in  
Washington, the faces that greet the  
president will be those of red-blooded  
Americans, which is far more import-  
ant than party or clique.

"Much ado about nothing" might  
be styled the rumpus raised about  
who will compose our next legislative  
body. The primaries in many sec-  
tions of the country were healthy  
signs that the people are alive to the  
issues at stake, and The Enterprise  
never for a moment doubted but  
when the smoke of the general elec-  
tions is cleared, Woodrow Wilson will  
be surrounded by men tried and true  
and upon whom he can depend no  
matter the crisis that arises.

When the War Fund committee  
solicits your donation it will be well  
remember the divine words: "It  
is better to give than to receive."  
In the bond campaign you received

### OUR SERVICE FLAG

We wanted a place for our service  
flag,  
The service flag of America;  
We looked around in every place,  
In all the world there wasn't space

So we borrowed the sky and hung it  
wide

Over the world from side to side.  
And when the world is dark at night  
Our stars are shining clear and  
bright.

They tell the world as the glow and  
gleam,  
While other nations may pause to  
dream,  
That America sends from her treas-  
ure store  
Millions of men and will send more.

So many are going—that is why  
For our service flag we borrowed the  
sky;  
Hung it on high—it never shall drag  
God made America's service flag.

In return for your money interest-  
bearing bonds. Your gift to the  
War Work Fund must be free and  
liberal, and the satisfaction must be  
in your conscience—of duty per-  
formed.

Quit talking peace. Get to count-  
ing the few odd pennies you have left  
and prepare to donate them to the  
United War Work Campaign. This  
feature represents everything that  
goes to uphold the morale of our  
boys in the trenches. It is just as  
important as the Liberty Loans. The  
latter provide for the grimmer as-  
pects of the war—ammunition, guns,  
etc., while the War Work fund takes  
care of the gentler—provides paper  
envelopes, hot meals in the heat of  
battle, and keeps near the soldier  
the influences of gentle women and  
noble men. The effects of these in-  
fluences makes the American soldier  
a better fighter.

"It's great to live in a town com-  
posed of such citizens as those in Pe-  
cos!" This remark greeted the  
editor not once, but many times since  
the advent of the influenza epidemic.  
The reason this editor had not com-  
mented at length in like strain is be-  
cause to him the fact that Pecos peo-  
ple are the best on earth has become  
commonplace. The unselfish service  
that some of our people have rendered  
during the period that sorely tried  
us all will long be remembered. With  
gratitude by those personally cared  
for and as a monument of unselfish-  
ness by the community as a whole.  
'Twas no little thing for those who  
volunteered to nurse the sick to enter  
the different houses, and there in an  
atmosphere that was anything but  
cheering, cool the feverish brow and  
nurse back to health the inmates  
thereof. Not a one had the least as-  
surance that their errand of mercy  
would be the last they would ever  
perform. Fearlessly they answered  
the call and cheerfully soothed and  
comforted those in distress. The in-  
fluenza, thanks to these heroes, is  
on the wane; business is fast assum-  
ing the normal. Sober the calamity that  
has overtaken our community will be  
but a memory, but the golden deeds  
of this noble band who unflinchingly  
answered "Here am I, send me," will  
live long in grateful hearts.

The morale of our boys may be a  
little puzzling to some. Maybe it  
would be better to say keeping them  
in good spirits—full of "pep." This  
condition depends solely on the influ-  
ences which surround them when not  
in battle. When fighting they are in  
their element and its the Hun that  
needs attention then. It's after the  
scrap that our boys relax and when  
the gentle ministrations of good wo-  
men and noble men are needed. That  
they miss none of these things is the  
object of the War Work Fund for  
\$170,500,000, to be divided among  
seven great societies. The campaign  
for this amount will begin next week.  
For one week the drive will continue  
and you will have an opportunity to  
contribute to a cause second to none  
in connection with the winning of the  
war. It's a time when creed and  
race should be eclipsed. The motto is  
"Seven in Name; One in Aim."  
Much of the ministrations of these  
societies are of a religious nature,  
not a little wounded and dying.  
This fact made it imperative to dis-  
tinguish among the different religious  
bodies. The beliefs of each are  
such that only a minister of their own  
belief or creed can render the peace  
and solace we all long for when the  
end draws nigh. The budget system  
has met with the approval of the  
highest men in church and secular af-  
fairs. Our generals in France have  
sent messages to the American peo-  
ple asking their hearty support in  
raising the amount needed. Then  
there is the individual satisfaction to  
be derived from contributing to the  
great cause.

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in his office again Friday morning as  
usual.

This party agreed to be good on  
this trip and will cut out all gambling  
and other vices and expect to have a  
good time.

Dr. Magee informed the editor that  
he will leave the party probably at  
Eastland and return on the train,  
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look after his store there for a few  
days, and giving Hedblom an oppor-  
tunity to investigate oil wells and in-  
vest some of his surplus cash in oil  
well stock.

The Enterprise hopes their trip  
may be a most delightful one.

### FANCIES FROM FEVER

Great indoor sport, the Spanish in-  
fluenza. It gives one who until in its  
grasp had been a cog in the communi-  
ty's enterprise a chance to get fami-  
lar, in a limited way with the family  
library. Funny what nonsensical sub-  
jects some books deal with. And,  
stranger still, how did they escape  
when the young ladies of Pecos can-  
vassed the town for literature to be  
sent to the soldiers!

Titled of the books, the next fea-  
ture of entertainment was listening  
to the whirrs, honks, and rattles of  
the famous assortment of automob-  
iles with which Pecos is curs—ah,  
blessed. One lungers, half lungers,  
and one or two small affairs with no  
lung at all. Dealers in automobiles  
should wait until prospective buyers  
are in the grip of raging influenza—  
Spanish or otherwise—to parade the  
merits of the respective models. It is  
then that one can appreciate with-  
out even seeing. The eye is easily de-  
ceived, but there is no mistaking the  
sound. More than one car in Pecos  
reminds one of that most devilish and  
nervine-destroying prank of boyhood  
when picket fences were in vogue.  
Every small boy that passed by man-  
aged to have a slat from the side of  
a dry goods box and they would start  
at one end, hold the slat against the  
fence and run to the other end. No  
effort at all on their part, but the re-  
sult was worthy of a brain raised on  
kultur. Some autos in Pecos are just  
like that, with variations.

During lucid moments the fevered  
patient will absorb from the maga-  
zines some great ideas from stories  
with a Sherlock Holmes setting. At  
evening, when the thermometer be-  
gins rising, these ideas will be en-  
larged upon by the patient to such a  
degree that when the nurse hands him  
the soup he calls for his reading-  
glass and spends what seems use-  
less time in trying to determine what  
kind of soup it is, and at the end of  
the period he is none the wiser, the  
soup is cold, and he's too blamed ex-  
hausted with the investigation to eat  
or drink it anyway. Soup sent the  
patient should be labeled.

Another feature that causes great  
concern to a fever patient is cold  
feet. If anyone accused him of it he  
would resent it, but the truth is ap-  
parent, and right now the malady is  
one that no self-respecting human  
will admit he is bothered with. The  
nurse insists he has frigid extremities  
and he is equally insistent he hasn't.  
The wise nurse won't argue, but will  
wait until Morpheus woos her charge  
and then gently slip a score of hot  
bricks under the coverlet close to his  
tootsies. True the process is fruit-  
ful of nightmares even in the day-  
time. For instance: As soon as the  
bricks get on the job the patient's  
fancy takes flight. He is exploring  
the jungles in one of the Fiji groups,  
when he is suddenly set upon by a  
horde of inquisitive natives who take  
him before the king bee of the hive.  
A casual conversation of about ten  
minutes with his Nibs brings forth  
the joyful tidings that the tribe is  
cannibal. They explain that he is  
doubly welcome, as they have been  
feasting on dark meat a long time,  
and in his honor declare a holiday  
and order the head chef to prepare  
the fire and pots. Argument seems  
to be wasted, and the victim is led to  
the stake and the match applied. As  
the flames start upward he let out a  
wield shriek and—his wide awake  
trying his best to kick those bricks  
out of the bed into his neighbor's  
back yard. This brings the nurse  
post haste, with the query:  
"Too hot?"

You can't say a thing. You just  
look into the kind face and grin like  
a fool.

Oh, yes, it's great indoor sport.  
But, after all, it's just a touch of na-  
ture. We've learned to grieve with  
those who grieved and rejoice with  
the more fortunate. Noble women  
and men have been found to us all.

### PECOS PARTY TO OIL FIELDS

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### STEPS TO BE TAKEN TO COLLECT W. S. S. PLEDGES

Steps are being taken at once for  
the collection of all war savings  
pledges in Texas, given on pledge day  
last June, according to an announce-  
ment made this week by Louis Lip-  
sitz, war savings director of Texas.  
Mr. Lipsitz has been directed by  
the Treasury department to take ef-  
fective measures at once to insure  
the complete fulfillment of all pled-  
ges which have been procured. He  
has also been directed to take every  
possible step to stimulate the sale of  
war savings stamps in every city and  
town in the State. The appeal re-  
ceived from the government reads in  
part as follows:

"Whatever the immediate outcome  
of the war may be, the Government  
finances will require that each allot-  
ment or war savings should be filled  
as far as possible. It is the earnest  
wish that Texas, which has responded  
so patriotically to every war appeal,  
should not be surpassed by any other  
district in its investments in war sav-  
ings. In order to accomplish this  
every community should for the bal-  
ance of the year devote its energies  
to the utmost in systematic saving  
and investing in Government securi-  
ties, of which the war savings stamps  
are an important division. To this  
end State directors are requested to  
continue and strengthen organiza-  
tions under their authority and to  
proceed immediately as follows:

1. To secure the fulfillment of  
pledges.
2. To obtain additional pledges,  
placing emphasis upon payment out  
of current earnings. This should be  
accomplished by such effective means  
as may be adopted by State Directors  
as best suited to their communities.
3. To organize and to increase  
the activities of war savings socie-  
ties."

### —Pay the President—

### RECENT STOCK SHIPMENTS

- Movements of cattle have been  
heavy during the past two weeks in  
the vicinity of Pecos, the following  
being noted:
- Jno. T. McElroy, 5 cars of cattle  
from Toyahvale to Odessa.
  - W. L. Kingston and McCutcheon  
Bros., 16 cars of cattle to Rhome Far-  
mers Commission Co., Fort Worth.
  - Joe Kingston, 2 cars of sheep from  
Balmorhea to the Cassidy South-  
western Commission Co., Ft. Worth.
  - Sam Prewit, 3 cars of cattle to  
Campbell Rossen Commission Co., at  
Fort Worth.
  - W. P. Edwards, 1 car of cattle to  
Odessa from Angeles.
  - W. L. Kingston, 3 cars of cattle to  
the Cassidy Southwestern Commis-  
sion Co., Fort Worth, from Toyah-  
vale.
  - Coffey & Coons, 2 cars of beef  
cattle and calves from Toyahvale to  
Rhome Farmers Commission Co., at  
Fort Worth.
  - W. A. Wilhoit, 1 care of horses  
and mules to Balmorhea.
  - Popham & Bolton, 7 cars of cattle  
from Stratford to Saragosa.
  - W. H. K. Slattock, 9 cars of cattle  
from Muleshoe to Carlsbad, N. M.
  - Mac Camp, 1 car of cattle from  
Marfa to Camp Bros., at Riverton.
  - W. T. Arnold, one car of cattle  
from Midland to Lakewood, N. M.
  - G. H. Sellmeyer, 3 cars of cattle  
from Midland to Red Bluff, N. M.,  
and one car from Pecos to Red Bluff.
  - C. S. Burek, one car of cattle to  
Red Bluff from Midland.
  - Finley & Anderson, one care of  
cattle from Midland to Riverton.
- From the Toyah Valley were ship-  
ped two cars of hay, one consigned  
to Big Spring and one to Beaumont.

### —Pay the President—

### CAPTURES BALD EAGLE

Monroe Slack and Barney Hay-  
good were out at the ranch of Seth  
Lewis this week hunting. Slack sud-  
denly espied a big bald eagle soaring  
in the heavens and took aim at a dis-  
tance of about 500 yards with his  
army gun. He winged the big fel-  
low and brought him down. Barney  
approached his eagleship when the  
latter alighted, and in about one min-  
ute a full grown race was started  
when Mr. Eagle showed fight. Bar-  
ney did not care to be handicapped in  
the race so he dropped his gun and  
took to his heels, and he was closely  
pursued for about 150 yards before  
he convinced Mr. Eagle that he was  
the faster of the two.

The eagle, which measured 6-1/2  
feet from tip to tip, was finally cap-  
tured and brought to town.

### —Pay the President—

### DR. MOORE SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. W. H. Moore was called to  
Fort Stockton this week on account  
of the illness of her husband, Dr. W.  
H. Moore, who is afflicted with ty-  
phoid-pneumonia and in a serious  
condition.

Dr. Moore's wife, Mrs. W. H. Moore,  
and a number of his friends and friends  
of the Enterprise are in attendance.

### CHRISTMAS BOXES FOR THE SOLDIERS TO BE CARED FOR

A committee will have charge of  
the Christmas boxes for the soldier  
boys overseas at the old Elite stand  
in the Cowan Building every after-  
noon, from 2:30 until 5:00 o'clock,  
beginning Monday, November 11th,  
for ten days thereafter. Those hav-  
ing coupons for Christmas boxes pre-  
sent them to the committee at this  
place.

MRS. J. W. MOORE, Chairman.

### LEGAL NOTICES

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

### THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of  
Reeves County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to  
summon R. A. Dewess, M. J. Zollman,  
John B. Dandridge, Leslie A. Need-  
ham, Spencer B. Pugh and G. G. Nes-  
bitt, by making publication of this  
Citation once in each week for four  
successive weeks previous to the re-  
turn day hereof, in some newspaper  
published in your county, to appear  
at the next regular term of the Dis-  
trict Court of Reeves County, to be  
held at the Court House thereof,  
in Pecos, Texas, on the 3rd Monday  
in November, A. D. 1918, the same  
being the 18th day of November, A.  
D. 1918, then and there to answer a  
petition filed in said court on the 15th  
day of October, A. D. 1918, in a suit  
numbered on the docket of said court  
No. 1811, wherein J. G. Love is  
plaintiff and R. A. Dewess, Trustee,  
M. J. Zollman, Trans-Pecos Land &  
Irrigation Company, John B. Dan-  
dridge, Spencer B. Pugh, G. G. Nes-  
bitt, and Leslie A. Needham are de-  
fendants, and said petition alleging  
that heretofore, to-wit, on the 1st  
day of July, A. D. 1918, the plaintiff  
was seized and possessed of the fol-  
lowing described premises, to-wit:  
Sections 21, 23, and 25, in Block 2,  
H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey, in  
Reeves County, Texas; that the in-  
terest which the plaintiff claims in  
said premises is a fee simple title  
thereto; that thereafter the said de-  
fendants unlawfully entered upon  
and dispossessed him of said prem-  
ises on or about the 15th day of July,  
1918, and withhold from plaintiff the  
possession thereof.

Herein fail not but have before  
said court, at its aforesaid next regu-  
lar term, this writ with your return  
thereon, showing how you have exe-  
cuted the same.

Given under my hand and the seal  
of said Court, at office in Pecos, Tex-  
as, this 16th day of October, A. D. 1918.

(Seal) S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk,  
District Court, Reeves County.  
By MAGGIE GLOVER, Deputy.  
First insertion, Oct. 18  
Last insertion, Nov. 8.

—Pay the President—

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ceased, the unknown heirs of H. T.  
Black, deceased, Mrs. M. D. Beadles,  
M. D. Beadles, and Margaua Taranga,  
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D. 1918, then and there to answer a  
petition filed in said court on the 5th  
day of October, A. D. 1918, in a suit  
numbered on the docket of said court  
No. 1804, wherein The Ward County  
Irrigation District No. 1 is plain-  
tiff and Biggs Irrigation Company,  
A. J. Iwan, Nora R. Roark, Martha  
Roark, Wilma Roark, the unknown  
heirs of W. S. Roark, deceased, the

unknown heirs of H. T. Black, de-  
ceased, Mrs. M. D. Beadles, M. D.  
Beadles, Margaua Taranga, et al are  
defendants, and said petition alleg-  
ing that said irrigation system is sit-  
uated on the Pecos River, from which  
it is entitled by law to divert water  
for irrigation of the lands included  
in its boundaries; that plaintiff and  
its predecessors in interest have been  
using said waters for more than  
twenty years preceding the filing of  
this petition; that defendants and  
their predecessors in interest have  
been and are still diverting the water  
of the Pecos River out of and away  
from said river above the dam and  
headgate of the plaintiff herein; that  
a former decree rendered in Cause  
No. 301, in Ward County, Texas, in  
which the Water Appropriation of  
this plaintiff was adjudicated to be  
superior to that of the defendant,  
Biggs Irrigation Company, is being  
violated, and therefore, plaintiff  
prays that it be granted a perpetual  
injunction enjoining and restraining  
the defendants and each of them  
from diverting any of the waters of  
the Pecos River above the dam and  
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ing the defendants to permit the wa-  
ter to flow down said Pecos River to  
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thereon, showing how you have exe-  
cuted the same.

Given under my hand and the seal  
of said Court, at office in Pecos, Tex-  
as, this 15th day of October, A. D. 1918.

(Seal) S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk,  
District Court, Reeves County.  
By MAGGIE GLOVER, Deputy.  
First insertion Oct. 25, 1918.  
Last insertion Nov. 15, 1918.

### LEGAL NOTICES

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—Pay the President—

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You are hereby commanded to  
summon N. H. Thorpe by making pub-  
lication of this Citation once in each  
week for four successive weeks  
previous to the return day hereof,  
in some newspaper published in  
your County, to appear at the next  
regular term of the District Court  
of Reeves County, to be held at the  
Court House thereof, in Pecos,  
Texas, on the 3rd Monday in No-  
vember, A. D. 1918, the same being  
the 18th day of November, A. D.  
1918, then and there to answer a  
petition filed in said Court on the  
18th day of October, A. D. 1918, in  
a suit, numbered on the docket of  
said Court No. 1813, wherein W. E.  
Bell is plaintiff, and N. H. Thorpe  
and Ira J. Bell are defendants, and  
said petition alleging that on Feb-  
ruary 10 1915; the defendant, N. H.  
Thorpe, by and through his agent  
and attorney in fact, Clell Q.  
Thorpe, made and executed to the  
order of himself, payable 90  
days after date, a note for \$275.00,  
with interest at the rate of 7 per  
cent per annum, and said note is  
now owned by plaintiff. Plain-  
tiff also prays for \$100.00 as attor-  
ney's fees and for \$150.75, State in-  
terest paid by plaintiff, and ter-  
mination of deed of trust in the  
following described lands and being  
situated in Reeves County, Texas,  
to-wit:

Section two (2), in Block Three  
(3), Houston and Great Northern  
Railroad Company's Survey, Be-  
nevo County, Texas, containing six  
hundred forty (640) acres, except  
forty (40) acres thereof sold by N. H.  
Thorpe, to Alfonso Roscoe.

Herein fail not but have before  
said Court, at its aforesaid next  
regular term, this writ with your  
return thereof, showing how you  
have executed the same.

Seal of said Court, at office in Pe-  
cos, Texas, this 18th day of  
October, A. D. 1918.

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the dam and headgate of the plain-  
tiff.

## FOR SALE

### H. & G. N. LANDS IN REEVES COUNTY

Surveys Nos. 45, 47, 53, 55, E. half of 61, and 63 in Block 4.  
Nos. 43, 45, 47, and W. half of 57, in Block 5.

The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the arpa-  
belt of the Pecos River country and will be sold as a whole or in quarter sections:

- Also surveys Nos. 13 and 49, in Block 6, and Survey Nos. 5, 9, 13, and 15, in Block 7.
- Also surveys Nos. 31, 33, 35, and 37 (fronting on the Pecos River) and 39 in Block 1, and  
Nos. 11, 15, and 17, adjacent thereto, in Block 2, in the vicinity of Riverton, on the Pecos  
River Railroad.
- Also Surveys Nos. 1, 3, 5, and 19, fronting on the Pecos River, in Block 8, in the extreme  
northern portion of Pecos County, and partly in Reeves County.
- Also 11 surveys in Block 10; 16 surveys in Block 11, and 3 surveys in Block 12; none of  
these river lands.

No local agents for these lands, which are handled direct by the Agent and Attorney in  
Fact for the owner, William M. Johnson.

**IRA H. EVANS, Agent and Attorney in Fact,**  
AUSTIN, TEXAS.



**STAMP YOUR W. S. S. PLEDGE**



**NOBLE HEARTS**

Through war, drouth and disease West Texas has successfully fought and done it's "bit" when other sections more blessed have failed.

"The heart born to the desert is born to the fight and never quits." The soul, born to God, is born to love and never admits defeat.

Thus the Texan is born and endowed with God's greatest blessing. Hope that forever lives in noble hearts.

And sure, God never created more nobler hearts than they that beat, to love down here on the desert.

And no more did He ever create a sweeter soul than a Texas soul that is filled with the greatest Christian thing on earth—Charity.

The material spirit divine and beautiful, that alike the sun shines a beacon of hope when the dark clouds of despair would appear to darken our hopes.

Comrades, I bring you this message of heart-felt love and good cheer in the world's darkest hour because I have suffered with you and, better yet, because I love you, the most faithful friends I have ever known; and I have seen the world, so to speak.

Comrades, this is my message: "Fortune favors the brave; good is fast destroying evil."

You have been brave—you have been good. God has never yet forsaken His chosen children, and He has yet to forsake you.

The dawn of peace is at hand. Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey have seen the evil of their ways and quit. Germany the damned stands alone, with only the Devil for company. She stands on the brink of defeat. She is beaten. Right has beaten might to a frazzle and shamed the Devil on a retreat back in the direction of hell where Kaiser Bill soon must follow his ally.

Thus we have it, God's words are true: "Heaven and earth may pass

away but my words shall not pass away."

The above quotation spelled the Kaiser's defeat in the beginning and proved our success from the beginning to the end.

Comrades take new hope! The hour of triumph is at hand. The world's darkest hour is swiftly unfolding into a new era of light and by far a greater sphere of intelligence than the world has yet ever known, and when the great nations of the earth make a final peace, ere the world's great history of great deeds is closed, you of the desert shall not be forgotten, for you are noble hearts and your courage has greatly assisted in holding the noble hearts of the earth together.

That is Brotherhood. That is Charity. That is Love. My friends, that is you—noble hearts.

A cripple, a poet, a friend that loves you, friends, is me.  
REGINALD RIDDLE.

—Pay the President—

**BALE AND ONE HALF OF COTTON TO THE ACRE**

In Pecos A. J. Curtis is known as the "Vegetable Man." However, Curtis's energy will not be content with any one line. In addition to his truck farm which, by the way, is one of the wonder sights in this vicinity, he planted four acres in cotton this year, and the harvest reveals the fact that he has made exactly one and one-half bales to the acre. Four bales of 500 pounds each have already been baled, and he will easily get two more.

Mr. Curtis has a reputation as a truckster in this section, and the fact is remarkable when it becomes known that he has worked up this reputation on an acreage composed solely of what is contemptuously referred to as alkali soil. It proves just one thing, and that is that the soil is but a secondary matter—the main thing is the amount of elbow grease behind the man behind the plow.

—Pay the President—

**WILL LEAVE FOR OFFICERS' TRAINING CAMP THIS WEEK**

Charley Manahan received notification this week to report at the officers' training school to be opened next week at Camp McArthur, near Waco. He will leave the latter part of the week.

Charley says that things, to view them from here, points to the war being ended before he gets through. However, the training at one of these camps is great medicine and then the setting up exercises will do him a world of good. The Enterprise congratulates him on his success thus far, and knows he'll get better the farther he goes, and will make good with a capital "G".

**I Am the Red Cross**

HENRY PAYSON DOWST

(With acknowledgments to Robert H. Davis, author of "I Am the Printing Press.")

- I am the Symbol of the pety of God.
- I burgeon upon the flaunting banner of victory and the drooping guidon of defeat.
- I am the token of peace in the midst of battle, of gentleness shining through the sombre mists of hate.
- I am a chevron on the sleeve of mercy, an honor mark set high upon the brow of compassion.
- I am the color of blood spilled for democracy, the form of Christ's tree of agony, and my followers, at need, crucify themselves to make men live.
- I carry the hope of life into the red pits of death, and a dying soldier salutes me and smiles as he goes to touch the hand of God Almighty.
- I stand for the organized love of mankind, the co-ordinated impulses of young and old to do good, the sacred efficiency of human service.
- I mark the flag under which are mobilized the forces of industry and finance, of church and school, of capital, of labor, of genius and of sinew.
- I am Civilization's Godspeed to those who defend her; I am the message from home.
- I am the Symbol of the pety of God.
- I AM THE RED CROSS.

**Odds and Ends That Happened This Week**

**INTERESTING ITEMS THAT YOU WILL ENJOY READING PICKED FROM THE FOUR CORNERS OF THE EARTH**

**Raise Flag 236 feet from Ground**  
The highest flag in Maine has recently been raised at Millinocket, on the smoke stack of the Great Northern Paper Company's mill, 236 feet from the ground. The flag was placed there by an employer who climbed to the top of the chimney on the narrow ladder inside the chimney.

**Must Respect Religion in Kansas**

Out in Kansas a man who disturbed the peace and who made disrespectful remarks about religion, was sentenced to pay a fine and attend church for ten consecutive Sundays, so that he might have a chance to learn something of the good done by the churches.

**Example of Thrift and Patriotism**

A boy at Bath, Maine, aged ten years takes care of a flock of one hundred hens. His father pays for the food, but the boy cares for them in every detail and, in return, is paid the money that is obtained from the eggs. With this he is expected to buy his own clothes, candy, and all amusement costs, and yet he has saved enough money to buy a Liberty Bond and put in the bank a good deposit toward another.

**To Encourage Aerial Mail**

The Federal Government is planning to lower the rate for air postage so as to encourage an increase of mail sent through the air. At the present rate of twenty-four cents an ounce there is a dearth of mail sent, but if present plans materialize this will be considerably reduced. The first month of air service was very successful, a total of 5 2-5 tons of mail being carried and a distance of 11,109 miles being covered.

**Great Scheme of Peru Car Company**

In order to encourage the riding on cars, the street car company of Lima, Peru, divides the city into sections, four in number, and gives the lucky rider of each section \$150 every month. The prize is awarded according to the number of the "lucky" ticket that the purchaser bought during the month, every one of the tickets being numbered and that number retained by the passenger. In this way people ride even if they have only a block to go, in the hope that some day they will be fortunate enough to win a prize and be able to ride for a year without extra expense to themselves.

**Camouflaging the Dome on Capitol**

The State House of Massachusetts is covered with a dome painted golden. It is planned to either paint or canvas this in order that it may not be conspicuous in case of air raids. At present the gold on the dome reflects the least light and is very noticeable all around Boston.

**Highest Smoke Stack in the World**

chimney 571 feet high brings to Tacoma, Washington, the world's rec-

ord. The chimney is part of a big smelting plant and the reason for constructing it so high is to prevent the fumes from destroying the vegetation around the works. The record for high chimneys was formerly held by a concern at Sagonoski, in Japan, where there is a chimney 570 feet high.

**New England Gets U-Boat Scare**

A U-boat was recently reported off the coast of New England, and chasers hunted the waters off the coast of Lubec, until it was finally captured without a gun being fired. The U-boat was a drifting spar-buoy covered with seaweed and so perfect was the imitation that the patrol boat unlimbered its guns, ready for a bombardment when first sighted.

**Let the Women Do the Work**

The Camp Fire Girls of Danvers, Mass., have made it their pleasant duty during the past year to do special war-relief work that nobody else would do. Such has been the spirit that when anything out of the ordinary comes along the immediate cry is "Ask the Camp Fire Girls to do it." This latter phrase has been adopted as the slogan of the city.

**Must Have the Gift of Tongues**

The outgoing of so many telephone operators to be of service on the front in the European struggle, makes it imperative that the young ladies of today learn more than their own language. The best operators are those who can speak two or even three languages, including English. To some, this might seem a hardship, but it is not half of what is required of every Egyptian operator, who must be able to speak English, Italian, French, Greek and Arabic.

**Discover Gold in Philadelphia**

Considerable excitement was caused recently in Philadelphia, when a lot of sand taken from an excavation near Independence Hall was found to contain a small quantity of gold. The assayers claim that there is enough gold beneath Philadelphia to pay for hunting it.

**Frenchman Leaps From Airplane**

A French aviator recently took a drop of eight hundred meters from a moving airplane, using a parachute twelve yards in diameter. He landed safely, and demonstrated the fact that it would be possible for an aviator to abandon his machine if it was disabled, or if it caught fire.

**To Preserve Secret of Fine Pottery**

The Chinese Government is planning to reopen an old pottery plant that was built in 1693. It is said that the place is the only one of its kind in existence where the ancient methods were used in making porcelains of rare designs and colors. This pottery has been closed only a short time, and only because of the advancing age of the owner. The Chinese to save the processes for future use.

**W.S.S. DOLLAR MARK YOUR PLEDGE PAY THE PRESIDENT**

**SOL NOLING IS SOME TRAPPER**

Sol Noling came in Thursday morning with the results of a hunting and trapping expedition up the river near State Line, which consisted of 92 wolf skins, 7 skunk and 2 wildcat hides. The entire batch was purchased by W. H. Drummond, Mr. Noling receiving a check for \$200. The same hides at the present time, since the cool weather has set in, would be worth fully one hundred dollars more.

Mr. Noling is 74 years of age, but all the work was done without help, which proves he knows how and is a hustler. The first afternoon in camp he caught ten wolves and had them skinned before retiring.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1918.

A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**Thos. H. Bomar**  
Consulting Civil Engineer and Architect  
PECOS, TEXAS

**M. A. DURDIN**  
Blacksmith AND Woodwork  
All kinds of Repair Work Promptly and Skillfully done

**Under New Management**

**The Pecos Hotel**

I am now in full control of The Pecos Hotel and invite my friends and the public to call and stop here and promise them the Very Best that the markets afford in the Eats Line

**Mrs. Martha Adams**

**CASH ON AND AFTER SEPT. 1ST**

I HANDLE THE VERY BEST MEATS TO BE HAD IN THE MARKETS AND HAVE TO PAY CASH ON THE DELIVERY OF GOODS, HENCE WILL, AFTER SEPTEMBER FIRST, HAVE TO CHARGE CASH OVER COUNTER.

Phone 1 **City Market** Pecos, Tex  
OSCAR BUCHHOLZ, Mgr

**WE ARE AFTER YOUR BUSINESS**

With The Right Price

Give us a Chance to Figure Your Bills for We Can Save You Money

Do It, and Right Now

**THE PRUETT LUMBER COMPANY**

**Push Your Business**

ADVERTISE WITH PRINTING THAT HAS THE ATTRACTION OF ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENT AND THE FORCE OF CLEAR, BRIGHT PRINT.

The Enterprise and Pecos Times Printing Plant can do the work and do it better than most printers and as well as any, even those of the larger cities. In fact it has a city equipment in a country town and offers the advantages of late faces of type and fine modern machinery. Producing the highest class of printing at the lowest cost.

**Printing of the Better Class**

Artistic designs, careful execution, absence of errors, good stock and prompt delivery; these characteristics of The Enterprise and Pecos Times printing are guaranteed in every order turned out at this plant. If you want these advantages and your printing at the right prices, call, write or phone for samples, prices, estimates or suggestions. Prompt attention to all inquiries and orders.

There is no use for you to send away for your loose leaf ledger bill heads, because you can get them at home, as we are prepared to furnish your needs in this line and guarantee satisfactory work. Try The Enterprise with your next order

**The Enterprise**  
and Pecos Times



W.S.S. PLEDGE IS DUE THIS WEEK PAY UP



We have those W.S.S. here for you.

Red Cross Help Check the Epidemic of Flu

REPORTS OVER COUNTRY TELL OF HEROIC WORK OF SOCIETY - MANY RECRUITS NEEDED BY GOVERNMENT

St. Louis, Mo., November 30.—According to letters received at the Southwestern Division headquarters of the Red Cross from the medical corps of the big camps and cantonments of the Southwest, the Red Cross has done yeoman service in helping to stop the spread of Spanish influenza.

A call for 1,500 women between the ages of 25 and 45 years to serve as nurses aids in American military hospitals in France has been issued through the Red Cross by U. S. Surgeon-General Ireland.

In the first six months of 1918 the American Red Cross spent \$2,110,686 in supplementing the efforts of the United States Government to care for American fighting men in training camps and cantonments in this country.

Membership in the Junior Red Cross in the Southwestern division has reached a total of more than 1,000,000 children.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood.

A TOAST Here's to the blue of the wind-swept North. As they meet on the fields of France. May the spirit of Grant be over them all.

AT LEAST ONE MORE LIBERTY LOAN, SAYS McADOO

Secretary of the Treasury, McAdoo has announced that no matter what the result of the pending peace overtures may be, there will be another Liberty Loan.

Letters have been received from a number of parties, chiefly in the State of Louisiana, either offering grazing land for lease or offering to take cattle to pasture at so much a head by the month or season.

PATENTS AWARDED TEXANS

Patents granted to citizens of Texas, compiled by W. A. Redmond, Patent Attorney, Washington, D. C.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Recent ship building activities have resulted in the invention of several caulking machines of high-speed possibilities.

LETTERS FROM FRANCE TO THE FOLKS BACK HOME

The following are excerpts from a letter from Sergeant Floyd Oden stationed in France, to his father, B. A. Oden of Pecos. He says: "I am taking advantage of a few spare moments to write you a few lines, to let you know that I am still o. k., enjoying good health and in unusual good spirits."

YOU CAN SHOOT TEXAS DEER AND QUAIL NOW

Open season on quail and deer in Texas began on Friday, November 1, and will continue until January 1st, 1919.

HEALTH TALK SPANISH INFLUENZA OR GRIP

An old enemy is with us again, and whether we fight a German or a germ, we must put up a good fight, and not be afraid.

PAY THE PRESIDENT

Let your idle books help our soldiers—You can do your bit.



When company comes there is no time to waste—no chances to be taken—no mother sees that there is always a can of CALUMET BAKING POWDER on hand.

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F. P. Richburg Land & Rental Agency

We Give a Few of Our Best Bargains

If you own vacant grazing land and wish to lease it, list it with us and give definite description so we can locate it.

We have several cheap residences we can sell on almost any terms you might mention.

We have some good North Texas farms and farm land to trade for ranch land.

No. 280—300 acres at Patrol on Santa Fe Ry., about 10 miles north of Pecos.

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No. 282—1 section, No. 10, 689

No. 283—Good 5-room house with screened porch and bath; garage, barns, poultry yards and pens and garden.

No. 284—A well located 4-room house close in; 50-ft. lot, east front and good terms.

No. 285—A one and one-half story house on northwest corner, 100 ft. lot with 8 or 9 rooms.

No. 286—A 5-room one and one-half story on 115-foot lot.

No. 287—4 sections, Nos. 2, 4, 24 and 26, block 57, twsp. 2, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey.

No. 288—1 section, No. 188. This section lies on the north side of the P. V. S. Ry., joining Verbalup.

No. 289—A 6-room house and 100 foot lot, with barn, poultry yards and garden.

No. 290—160 acres 3 miles northwest of Pecos, 1 mile northwest of the State Experiment Farm.

No. 291—Corner lot with two 4-room houses on it.

No. 292—E 1-2 of section 39, block 4, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. survey.

No. 293—One section land 8 miles south of Pecos.

No. 294—800 acres in Ward County, just across the Pecos River from Pecos City.

No. 295—We have several small ranches for sale, ranging from 4 section to 50 sections.

No. 54, twsp. 7, 276 acres. \$1.50 to State, at 3 per cent.

No. 286—A well located 4-room house close in; 50-ft. lot, east front and good terms.

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Pecos, Texas



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## The NEW EDISON "The Phonograph with a Soul"

The famous Edison tone tests in which the artists have sung in direct comparison with their own RE-CREATIONS have proved the truth of our claims about the New Edison.

More than 1500 of these tests have been held; more than 2,000,000 people have attended them.

And in not one instance has a listener been able to distinguish artist from instrument. In not one case has anyone been able to say when it was the living voice he heard and when the RE-CREATION. Even the newspaper critics, the most skeptical of listeners, have unanimously admitted that this is true.

Now we want your verdict. Call at our store for an informal Edison concert

**Brady-Camp Jewelry Company**  
Pecos, Texas Dealers

## Text of Armistice Terms to Austria

**WENT INTO EFFECT MONDAY AND IS EQUIVALENT TO FULL SURRENDER - ALL INVADED TERRITORY GIVEN UP**

The following are the terms of the Austrian armistice, given out this week by the State Department which went into effect at three o'clock Monday:

Minor corrections of mistakes in cable transmissions are in parenthesis:

### Military Clauses

1. Immediate cessation of hostilities by land, sea and air.
2. Total demobilization of the Austrian-Hungarian army and immediate withdrawal of all Austrian-Hungarian forces operating on the front from the North Sea to Switzerland.

Within the Austro-Hungarian territory, limited as in Clause 3 below, there shall only be maintained as an organized military force a (?) reduced to pre-war effectives. (Effectives?) Half the divisional corps and army shall be collected at points to be indicated by the Allies and the United States of America for delivery to them, beginning with all such material as exists in the territories to be evacuated by the Austro-Hungarian forces.

3. Evacuation of all territory invaded by Austro-Hungary since the beginning of the war. Withdrawal within such periods as shall be determined by the commander-in-chief of the Allied forces on each front of the Austro-Hungarian armies behind a line fixed as follows:

From Pic Umbrail to the north of the Stelvio it will follow the crest of the Rhetian Alps up to the sources of the Adige and the Eisach, passing thence by Mounts Reschen and Brenner and the heights of Oetz and Zoalzer. The line thence turns south, crossing Mount Toblach and meeting the present frontier Carnic Alps. It follows this frontier up to Mount Tarvis the watershed of the Julian Alps by the Col of Predil, Mount Mangart, the Tricorno (Terglou) and the watershed of the Cols Di Podberdo, Podlanisecam and Idria. From this point the line turns southeast towards the Schneeberg, excluding the whole basin of the Save and its tributaries. From Schneeberg it goes down towards the coast in such a way as to include Castua, Mattuglia and Volosca in the evacuated territories.

It will also follow the administrative limits of the present province of Dalmatia, including the North Liscarica and Trivania and to the south, territory limited by a line from the (Semigrand) of Cape Plancia to the summits of the watersheds eastward, all the valleys and watercourses flow all the valleys and atcourses flowing towards Sebenico, such as the Cicola, Kerka, Butisnica and their tributaries. It will also include all the islands in the north and west of Dalmatia from Premuda, Selve, Ulbo, Scherda, Maon, Paga and Pantadura in the north up to Meleda in the south, embracing Lagosta as well as the neighboring rocks and islets and passages, only excepting the islands of Great and Small Zirona, Baux, Solta and Brazza. All territory thus evacuated shall be occupied by the forces of the Allies and of the United States of America.

All military and railway equipment of all kinds, including coal belonging to or within these territories (to be) left intact and surrendered to the Allies, according to special orders given by the commander-in-chief of the forces of the associated powers on the different fronts. No new destruction, pillage or requisition to be done by enemy troops in the territories to be evacuated by them and occupied by the forces of the associated powers.

4. The Allies shall have the right of free government over all road and rail and waterways in Austro-Hungarian territory and of the use of the necessary Austrian and Hungarian means of transportation. The armies of the associated powers shall occupy such strategic points in Austro-Hungary at times as they may deem necessary to enable them to conduct military operations or to maintain order. They shall have the right to re-

quisition on payment for the troops of the associated powers wherever they may be.  
5. Complete evacuation of all German troops within fifteen days not only from the Italian and Balkan fronts, but from all Austro-Hungarian territory.  
Interment of all German troops who have not left Austro-Hungary within the date.  
6. The administration of the evacuated territories of Austria-Hungary will be entrusted to the local authorities under the control of the Allied and associated armies of occupation.  
7. The immediate repatriation without reciprocity of all Allied prisoners of war and internal subjects and of civil populations evacuated from their homes on conditions to be laid down by the commander-in-chief of the forces of the associated powers on the various fronts. Sick and wounded who cannot be removed from evacuated territory will be cared for by Austria-Hungary personnel who will be left on the spot with the medical material required.

## The Care of Poultry is an Important Item

**THE FOLLOWING HINTS IF FOLLOWED WILL HELP COMBAT THE HIGH COST OF LIVING AND INCREASE EGGS**

Through the cooperation of the Bureau of Entomology we are now advising the exclusive use of a commercial drug, Sodium Flouride, a by-product of feldspar, for the control of all lice affecting poultry, says F. W. Kazmeier, Poultry Husbandman, Extension Service, A. & M. College of Texas. This has proven very successful as a dusting powder or as a dip. It is clean and easy to handle, relatively cheap in price and is sure death to lice.

When used as a powder we apply it by the pinch method, placing small pinches on the head, neck, wings, back, fluff, and below the vent, using altogether about eight pinches of the powder. In warm weather a dip is made, using one ounce of the powder to each gallon of water. Five gallons of the solution should take care of 100 hens.

The fowl is grasped by the wings and plunged into the solution, and the feathers ruffled to permit penetration to the base of the feathers. The head is then immersed and the fowl turned loose.  
This is the more practicable method for a flock of fifty or more birds, and will do no harm in warm weather. Of course, we never dip setting hens. The powder can also be used most successfully on young chicks, which cannot be said of blue ointment.

Sodium Flouride may be purchased at the average price of 60 cents a pound.  
We have found that the mites in poultry can be controlled by the liberal use of crude oil sprayed over all the woodwork of the house and in all the cracks and corners. Crude oil has a very heavy body and it is not so volatile as the coal tar products. We find it necessary to dilute it with 25 per cent of kerosene so that it will pass through a spray nozzle. It may be used undiluted when applied with a brush. We also recommend the coal tar by-products when the crude oil cannot be obtained.

Incidentally crude oil is an excellent treatment for scaly leg mites, although care must be taken not to cover the shank above the hock, as the crude oil causes a painful burning when it comes in contact with the tender skin of a fowl.  
The best treatment for roupe in chickens in its advanced stages is to kill and burn the fowls affected. This stage of roupe may be recognized by a severe swelling of the head, causing a bulge as large as a walnut, sometimes forcing out the eye-balls.

When the fowls are infected with the incipient stages they can be treated as follows: Spray the head of the affected bird with a solution of one part kresol, 10 parts kerosene and 10 parts water. Give the fowls a dose of Epsom Salts, using one teaspoonful to each bird. Dissolve the salts in water and mix with a bran mash. Repeat this dose about three times a week.

Experiments with shark hide for making shoes are proving very successful and the Government Bureau of Fisheries, which is conducting the experiments, is satisfied that a great deal of cowhide leather can be saved by utilizing the skin of the shark. Shoes made in this way cannot be distinguished from ordinary footwear, and far ahead of much of the stock that is put on the market at the present time, for many of the shoes purchased today are made of a composition of which paper is the principal part.

Ben Palmer, attorney at law, Cypress St., Pecos, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills several years ago and while I have never been a great sufferer with my kidneys I found them to be very good. I think they are a good, reliable medicine and gladly advise anyone to get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at the City Pharmacy if troubled with weak kidneys."

Price, 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Palmer had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advt. 3



## HEAR THIS CALL from OUR HOME TOWN BOYS OVER THERE

LETTERS from our boys in the trenches and from the women in canteen and other war work, all bring to us the same message—SEND US NEWS FROM HOME.

World news is all right, but OUR BOYS want NEWS OF THIS TOWN. They want the home newspaper. Publishers are prevented from sending their papers free to anyone, even boys in the service. Consequently a national movement has been started by Col. William Boyce Thompson of New York, who is acting as President of the Home Paper Service of America to give the boys what they are calling for. Every community is joining the movement. Let us see that our boys are not forgotten.

Send to the publisher of this newspaper whatever amount of money you can—5 cents or \$50.00. We will publish a list each week of those contributing, and the amounts contributed.

Every cent received will be used to send this paper to our boys at the front. If at the end of the war, there is any surplus, it will be turned over to the local Red Cross Committee.

There is no profit in this to the publisher—even in normal times, subscriptions are not sold at a profit. With war prices prevailing, and the high rate of postage on papers sent to France, our cost will scarcely be covered by our full subscription price.

Remember that over in France, some brave soldier or sailor from this town—perhaps even some splendid woman working within sound of the guns—is depending on you to "KEEP THE HOME LOVE KINDLED."

They are calling to YOU from "Over There"  
GIVE WHAT YOU CAN

## "Texans, Success Depends On You; Back Your Boys"

—Lipsitz.

"Texans have bought and pledged to buy \$80,000,000.00 worth of War Savings Stamps," declares Louis Lipsitz, State Director of the National War Savings Committee. "Eight-ninths of our victory is won. Our quota is \$91,000,000. Will we stop now? It is a coincidence, perhaps, that the American army in France began its victorious advance almost at the same time we started our War Savings Drive in June and the army at home began to give real proof that it was behind the boys over there. Just the other day those same boys advanced so far that for thirty-six hours they were without water and only had the liquid in cans of tomatoes to drink, but they fought still harder, they advanced every moment—they did not rest because they had done fairly well and every day records their marvellous onward march.

"The message that I bring to the War Savings Army in Texas is to work harder, still harder now. Our great cry is that we are without water, that it has not rained, but time spent now in intensive application in the War Savings Campaign will bring victory and honor to Texas before sixty days have passed. It can and must be done. It will be done if all of us do our share of the work, bear our part of the burden and invest in War Savings Stamps to the limit of our ability.

"Crops are now coming in, cotton is commencing to move. Let us remember our obligation to our boys and to our Government. Pay your W.S.S. Pledges in full, loyal Texans, and add to them. What we do now means victory."

—Pay the President—

**No Worms in a Healthy Child**  
All children, troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

—Pay the President—

The trees from which we get our rubber are among the most hardy in the world. Although they are tapped every other day, they will continue to yield sap for more than twenty years.

**PAY THAT W.S.S. PLEDGE. PUT YOUR DOLLARS IN THE MONEY BAGS OF VICTORY. INVEST IN YOURSELF.**

**For Indigestion, Constipation or Biliousness**  
Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo

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Let your idle books help our soldiers—You can do your bit.



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**YOU PLEDGED NOW PAY**

**Interesting Local Items**

We make the price and deliver the goods. Give us a trial.—Green's.  
 Advertisement

A. H. Garrett, prominent merchant of Monahans, was a business visitor in Pecos Monday.

Buckie Boyle was in Pecos Wednesday from the sulphur mines in Culberson county.

We meet anybody's price for the money and help you when you need it.—Green's.  
 Advertisement

Will Moore and C. W. Skeen of Balmorhea were Pecos visitors Wednesday of this week.

Attorney Clay Cooke is in El Paso this week looking after cases in the higher courts for his clients.

Don't ride a free horse to death. Pay us we need it.—Green's.  
 Advertisement

Jno. T. McElroy of Odessa, was among the numerous out-of-town business visitors in Pecos this week.

A. A. Eddins was in from the ranch the latter part of last week for a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Tom Crum and family.

Ladies' Shoes, all kinds, dyed and shined "By George" at Stephen's Barber Shop. 7-1f  
 Advertisement

Miss Floy Johnson came in from Odessa Wednesday to nurse her brother, J. Sewell, who is ill at his home with the "flu."

Brawley Oates left yesterday afternoon for Fort Stockton in his car and will bring home with him Mrs. Agnes Barr, who will visit here for a season.

All accounts that are past due must be paid or we will take steps to collect them.—Green's.  
 Advertisement

E. E. Gill, manager of the Balmorhea Mercantile Co., was in Pecos, and visited over Sunday with his family, returning to his duties Monday morning.

Mrs. T. A. Randals and Mrs. Ben Randals and children left Tuesday for Fort Worth for a visit to Ben, who is doing army Y. M. C. A. work at Camp Bowie.

We have some heavy bills due, so please pay us, we need the money.—Green's.  
 Advertisement

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Van Horn of Toyah, were Pecos visitors Tuesday. Mrs. Van Horn, who has been in poor health for several years is looking much better.

W. D. Hudson, one of the best fixed stockmen in West Texas, returned Wednesday from Mineral Wells where he had been recuperating for the past two or three weeks.

A nice line of meats; pickled hogs feet at Green's.  
 Advertisement

Will Ross, son of Mrs. W. L. Ross, came in from their New Mexico ranch Sunday evening to assist in caring for the rest of the family who were victims of the prevailing epidemic of influenza.

Mr. Montgomery, a brother of Mrs. Farnum, arrived this week from the home of relatives at Georgetown. The old gentleman has been under the weather for some time, being a victim of asthma which the climate in that section aggravated to such an extent that his return was imperative. He has improved slightly since his arrival the early part of this

We are handling GOLDEN GATE Brand Coffees, Teas, Spices, Extracts and Cake Coloring.—B. G. SMITH of  
 Advertisement

J. I. King, who recently closed his restaurant on account of the "flu", is now employed at the store of O. J. Green and says that he will not reopen his restaurant for a while at least.

J. W. Goode went out to Saragosa Monday morning to see how things were progressing on his farm, and remained there until Tuesday so that he could cast his vote in the general election.

We have a dandy line of fresh groceries—prices lower. Try us and see.—Green's.  
 Advertisement

Judge Harry MacTier went out to the Toyah Creek country Monday to look after matters of business. He returned in the afternoon via Toyah, and left again Tuesday morning for the Valley.

Dr. Jim Camp, who is a first lieutenant in the Medical Corps, has been in Pecos on furlough for the past two weeks and rendered valuable aid in stamping out the influenza.

We help them that help us. If you trade at a cash store that's the place to get your credit.—Green's.  
 Advertisement

Rev. A. C. Douglas, the new pastor of the Toyah and Van Horn Methodist churches, was a pleasant caller at The Enterprise office Tuesday and left \$1.50 for a year's subscription.

W. M. Hopper was over from his home at Toyah Wednesday attending to business matters. He is at work on the oil well north of Toyah, but says he can't make any headway on account of the help situation—can't hire anyone for love or money.

When you get a nickel, run to a cash store and spend it; when you want credit come here.—Green's.  
 Advertisement

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Rowden, Jr., left Monday for their home at Dallas after a visit of several weeks to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gid Rowden, Sr. The baby had been sick with influenza-pneumonia while here, but had entirely recovered.

The contents of a letter received from Rev. J. H. Walker states that he and his family are going to like Alpine immensely. Climatic conditions are all that one can expect and the people are real westerners in every respect which is saying about all that could be said of any people.

Dr. Jim Camp left Thursday morning for the Base Hospital at Camp Beaugard, his leave of absence having expired. The doctor made application for an extension of his leave of absence, that he might remain longer to look after sick in his home town, but this was not granted.

If you are not on our mailing list get on it at once. It means money to you.—Green's.  
 Advertisement

Mrs. Jim Prewit, who has been do-like conditions anent the "flu" for tients in her neighborhood, took advantage in the lull this week to go to the Sid Cowan ranch and visit her children, Josephine and Letha, who had been sent out there for safe-keeping. She returned yesterday.

Joe Hollebeke returned home last week from El Paso where he had been called by wire stating that his brother, Ed, was ill with pneumonia. He remained with him several days and left Ed improving nicely. He also found that Sully Ikard, who had joined the ranger service, was down with pneumonia but was out of danger when he left.

Mrs. Elmer Johnson returned last week from an absence of several weeks spent in Louisiana with relatives. She visited with Elmer while there, he being stationed at Camp Beaugard, doing army "Y" work. She states that she found him down with influenza on her arrival and that he had quite a siege which left him pretty weak, but that he now is on the high road to full recovery.

C. M. Haughton, over from Barstow yesterday on business connected with the labor board, said the quarantine was still on in Ward county and that the man with the "gat" was at the bridge ready to turn back any who might desire to cross over from this side of the river. Mr. Haughton says that they have had practically no "flu" on his side of the Pecos River except among the Mex-

Ladies' shoes, all kinds, dyed and shined "By George" at Stephen's Barber Shop. 7-1f  
 Advertisement

Judge Ben Palmer is up again after two weeks in bed from influenza.

L. W. Brookfield was a business visitor from his ranch in Loving county yesterday.

Ad Owen is in Oklahoma this week where he went to sell his cattle which he is pasturing there.

Mrs. J. Sewell Johnson, who had been critically ill with the "flu", is reported much better this morning.

W. A. Priest was in Pecos yesterday from his ranch in Winkler county, transacting business and greeting friends.

Mrs. J. L. Jones returned to her home at Abilene yesterday after a visit of a few days to her mother, Mrs. Massey and other relatives.

Miss Nell Kerr will leave tomorrow for Fort Worth where she will resume her studies at the Texas Woman's College.

Mrs. Tom Harrison, who was operated on for appendicitis the forepart of the week, is reported as doing nicely this morning and had a fairly good night last night.

Sid Cowan and wife were in from their ranch this week investigating the situation and evidently didn't like conditions anent the "flu" for they returned in the evening.

Mrs. T. Y. Moorhead and family have all recovered from the "flu" and are again up and about. She expects to reopen her restaurant tomorrow to the public, providing nothing unforeseen occurs to prevent.

Evy Bowles was in from his place Wednesday and took out a supply of grub on his return. Evy says he is pleased with the prospect for winter and believes he can make it o. k. with the help of a little snow to bring up the weeds.

Alex Armstrong, our jovial assistant postmaster, is taking a vacation at present and spending the time at Waco; visiting with his wife who was called there to assist at the Base Hospital during the "flu" epidemic. Incidentally, Alex is also taking in the Cotton Palace, which this year is one of the biggest things pulled off in Texas.

**DEATH CLAIMS G. S. SKEEN**

The Silent Messenger, which at some time visits every home, came into our midst again at four o'clock last Saturday morning, November 1, and claimed as its victim the noble christian life of Mr. G. S. Skeen, following an attack of influenza-pneumonia.

Mr. Skeen, with his wife, came to Pecos from Detroit, Michigan, to reside, in May, 1917. His walk among men in the affairs of life has convinced all of the pure, sweet, christian spirit with which he was endowed. He was a member of the Missionary Baptist church of Pecos, and assistant superintendent of the Baptist Sunday school at the time of his passing away.

He was the superintendent of the Pecos Valley Southern Railway, a position he filled most satisfactorily to the company.

He is survived by his wife and two sons, Chester Skeen, of Balmorhea, and Walter Skeen of Detroit, Michigan, all of whom were at the bedside when the end came.

Funeral services were held by his pastor, Rev. W. A. Knight, and burial made at Fairview Cemetery Saturday afternoon at four o'clock.

May the bereaved find solace in their sorrow from the knowledge that these words were spoken for such as he: "Well done, thou good and faithful servant, enter thou into the glory of thy Lord."

**CARD OF APPRECIATION**

We take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to the friends who so kindly and generously assisted us during the sickness and after the death of our dear husband and father.

MRS. G. S. SKEEN AND SONS.  
 —Pay the President—

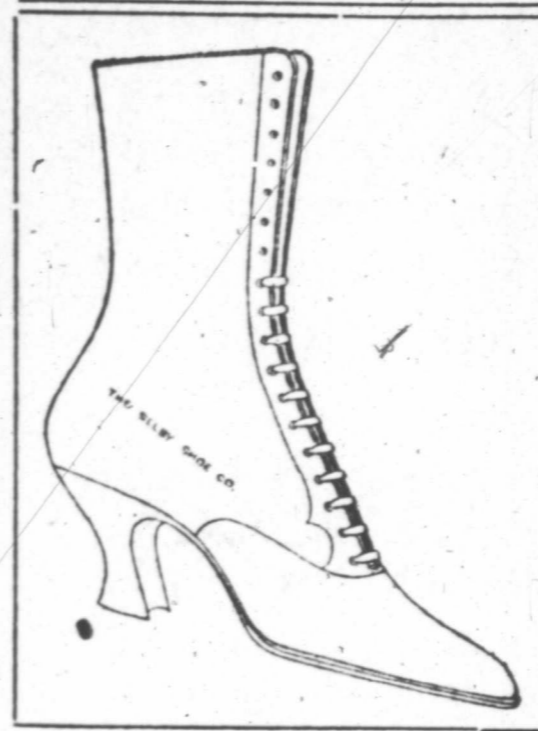
**SISTER DIES AT LORDSBURG**

Mrs. J. A. McGregor and Mrs. B. R. Stine were called to Lordsburg, N. M., the early part of the week on account of the illness and death from influenza-pneumonia, of Mrs. Z. P. Jeffords, daughter of Mrs. McGregor and sister of Mrs. Stine.

The bereaved have the deepest sympathy of the entire community.

**Smart New Fall Boots FOR WOMEN**

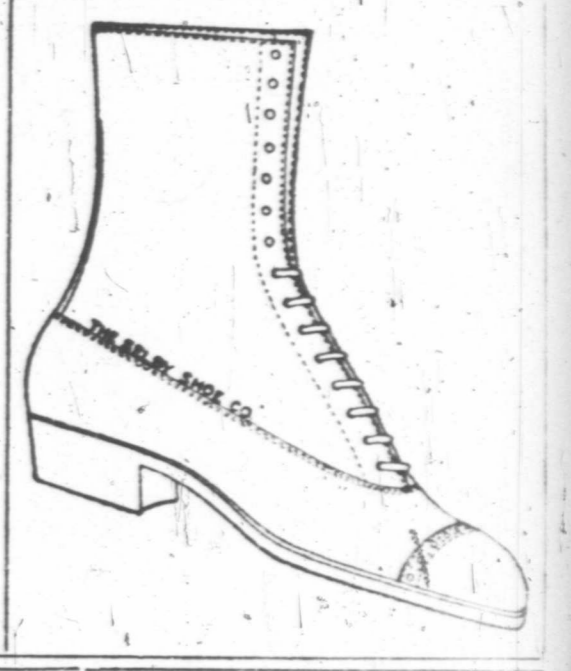
GREY . . } \$6.00 . . BROWN  
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These are Beautiful Shoes that bid fair to be the Leading Styles for fall . . .

**Leather Louis and Military Heels**

They have the Smart Low Heels and you can select from Dark Tan Calfskins, Havana Browns, Greys and Cordivans . . .



**Pecos Mercantile Co.**

**BILL DON'T LIKE SOUP— BUT IS STILL ON THE JOB**

W. W. Camp has hauled so much soup around in his car to the sick during the epidemic that he is now turned against the stuff, but he does not propose to stop so long as the soup is furnished and is desired. He has therefore ordered a trailer for his car with a soup tank in which to deliver this food to the sick.

Bill is the proper dope—no matter what is required of him he is always Johnny on the spot.  
 —Pay the President—

**LETTER FROM FRANCE**

Dear Mother and Sisters: I have received three letters from home and was sure glad to get them. I hope you received my letters.

The time sure does pass fast over here. We are kept very busy. We are learning to speak French; have a class every day.

I saw the two Ross boys the other day. We were on a train passing through a town and I shouted at them but don't know whether they heard me or not.

There are plenty of green trees and other things growing over here, but the sun does not shine very often. We have a nice place here in large barracks, and they are nice and warm. The Y. M. C. A. is crowded every evening. Everybody in camp goes there at night. They have a piano which is kept going all the time.

There are some negro soldiers here and some of them sure can play. With love.

WILLIAM R. DAY,  
 Co. C., 319th Field Signal B. N., A. E. F., France.

—Pay the President—

**DR. W. H. MOORE TO STOCKTON**

From the Fort Stockton Pioneer the following has been clipped: Dr. A. E. Barrett of Alpine, and Dr. Wm. Moore of Pecos, who responded to the call for physicians to combat the influenza here, have decided to locate with us, and will move the families as soon as suitable residences can be secured.

Our people appreciate the services rendered by Drs. Barrett and Moore during the influenza epidemic and will heartily welcome them as permanent citizens of Fort Stockton.

**NO INTEREST TAKEN IN ELECTIONS HELD TUESDAY**

The primary election in July just simply knocked all sap out of the general elections in this neck of the woods at least. No excitement of any kind—nay not even any interest was displayed, notwithstanding the free text book amendment, which should have interested every voter.

Out of 300 voters in this precinct 94 exercised their right of suffrage Tuesday, and The Enterprise knows that a goodly percentage of these had to be reminded of the day we celebrated.

All the nominees of the July primaries received almost a unanimous majority. Both amendments to the Constitution carried by handsome majorities.

Returns from other boxes were not available in detail, but the interest and general result was the same as in Pecos.

—Pay the President—

**CARRIER PIGEON ALIGHTS AT PORTERVILLE HOME**

A carrier pigeon evidently belonging to the U. S. Government arrived at the home of Floyd Goodrich at Porterville Tuesday, and was taken in charge by Mr. Goodrich until advised of its disposition. The Radio officer stationed at Pecos was notified of the bird's arrival, but no details as to the message, if any, carried by the pigeon were given out.

On one leg was the identification tag, bearing the number 3319, U. S. A. On the other was tied the capsule, dated and bearing the name of the town from which the bird was released. Inside the capsule was the message, but the capsule was not opened by Mr. Goodrich.

—Pay the President—

**REV. AND MRS. G. O. KEY LOSE SON IN BATTLE**

The many friend in Pecos of Rev. and Mrs. G. O. Key, will grieve with them in the loss of their son, Lt. Oscar C. Key, who was killed in battle overseas. Lt. Key, was 25 years of age, and leaves a wife.

Rev. Key was for several years the pastor of the Baptist church in Pecos, Oklahoma.

**CLASSIFIED COLUMN**

TO MY CUSTOMERS—Owing to higher prices of feed and the fact the grass is again getting short I advance the price of milk to 20 cents per quart. This is effective on after November 5.—PIONEER DAIRY, Joe Kraus, owner.

**FOR SALE.**

Have You Ranch, \$10,000 to \$200,000 for sale or exchange for good business property, apartments, hotels or business, well located and profitable. Dallas, Kansas City, St. Louis or Chicago. Some incumbered and unimproved. This office sells and exchanges properties. Send full description to D. J. BURK, San Angelo, Texas.

For Sale or Trade—Good automobile, auto trailer and camping outfit. CLAY COOKE, Pecos, Texas.

**FOUND.**

FOR RENT—Two light houses, 2 rooms for rent, furnished. Private bath. Apply to JACK WOODS, Orient Hotel.

**WANTED.**

Wanted to Rent—An 80 to 100 acre farm to work on shares. Must be irrigated and have some alfalfa on it. F. W. PIEHLER, 583 Selby Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

WANTED—I desire to find the carrier tools of my late husband. Any knowing of their whereabouts please confer a favor by informing me. J. B. Miller, Pecos, Texas.

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