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Part of our December Profits go to Red Cross

It has been our custom for good many years to give some little presents at Christmas time to the unfortunate of our city, but this year in addition to this we feel that it is our duty to make some donation to the "boys in the trenches" and have decided to give a certain percentage of our December profits to the Local Red Cross Chapter and will give them a check on January 10, 1918. Give us your December business and make this donation check to the Red Cross a big one. We will guarantee to give \$50. but would like to make it \$75. or \$100; your patronage can easily make it this amount. The Red Cross is doing a great work, let us help in every way possible

GRAND CLEAN-UP SALE

Opens Saturday, December 15th and continue through Monday, December 24th
Come early and get first choice of the many Bargains we have for you.

Remember the Dates and Look Out for Big Circular

REMEMBER, a part of the profits you pay us for merchandise during this month goes to the "boys in the trenches," so do your "bit" and trade with us. Quality of goods is the best and prices as cheap as any one for goods of same quality.

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ASK NEWSPAPERS NOT TO PUBLISH SOLDIER MAIL

THE STAR has been officially requested not to publish any more letters from soldiers boys because in the past valuable information, it is claimed, has unintentionally been revealed by the boys in writing to home folks.

"This request is further based on the fact that the disclosures of proscribed details will lead to disciplinary action being taken against the soldier offending, a thing that every effort is being made to avoid," the letter says.

The Big San Antonio Brown Stetson Hat at B. L. Boydstun.

NOTICE, TO SCHOOL PARENTS AND FRIENDS

On Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 19 from 3 to 4 o'clock the patrons and friends of the Baird Public School are invited to visit the school and go through the rooms and look at the specimens of the work of the pupils.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

The Christmas Holidays for the Baird Public School will be from Friday, Dec., 21 to Wednesday, Jan., 2.

You'll need a car for the Holidays—Buy a Buick. 1-2t-adv. B. L. Boydstun.

NEXT LYCEUM NUMBER

The next number of the Lyceum will be the Bohannon Musical Entertainers, Thursday night, Dec. 20.

PRESIDING ELDER TO PREACH

Dr. O. F. Sensabaugh of Abilene, will preach at the Methodist Church here next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Dr. Sensabaugh is beginning his second year as Presiding Elder of this District. Everybody invited to be present at this service. There will be special music. The First Quarterly Conference will be held Monday evening at 7:15 o'clock.

Commissioners Court was in session this week.

METHODIST CHURCH

The Pastor preached two sermons last Sunday on "Great Questions of Human Life," the subject being "What can I Know?" Next Sunday morning he will preach the third of the series, the subject being, "What May I Hope For?" At the evening hour Presiding Elder, O. F. Sensabaugh will preach. Special music at both services. Sunday School at 10 a. m. A hearty welcome awaits all who attend these services.

Order fresh meats and Oysters with your groceries, or dry goods orders. 1-2t-adv. B. L. Boydstun.

JAPANESE RECITAL

Miss Lora Franklin's piano pupils will give a Japanese recital at the School Auditorium on Friday night, Dec., 21st. Everybody cordially invited to attend. No admission charged.

Cold Weather.

The past week has been very cold, thermometers in town registering as low as 9 degrees, so we are informed, but no rain, snow or sleet to lay the dust.

Rainfall.—For Nov. 1917, 1.4 inch M. R. Hailey.

ROAD BOND ELECTION.

Don't forget the road bond election next Friday. This measure means a whole lot to Baird, Clyde and Putnam, also the country through which the road runs. The adoption of this means better roads and employment to lots of our people that will need it next spring. We do not see how any property owner in Baird can fail to support the bonds, it means so much to the town. It means just as much to the other towns too, Clyde and Putnam. Vote the bonds and you will help yourself as well as your neighbor.

Spectacles Lost—Pair gold rim, double vision glasses. \$1 reward. W. A. Hinds, First National Bank.

NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN

Years ago Christmas Morning the first gifts were given as a token of Love and Friendship, to the Christ Child in Bethlehem, by the three wise men, and from that time to the present, Christmas has been set apart for an exchange of gifts, expensive or inexpensive

WE HAVE A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF SUITABLE GIFTS AT ALL PRICES

OUR HAWKES CUT GLASS GIFTS

Puff Boxes from	\$3.35 to \$16.50
Perfume Bottles	2.60 to 10.00
Bon Bons	3.10 to 10.00
Vases	2.15 to 15.00
Picture Frames	2.15 to 3.50
Tooth Pick Holders	.75 to 1.50
Salt Shakers	.75 to 2.50
Nappies, a large assortment	2.10 to 6.50
Compotes	5.85 to 10.00
Cream and Sugars	4.20 to 12.50
Bowls, a large and beautiful line	4.15 to 20.00
Flower and Fruit Bowls	2.65 to 10.00
Celery Trays	3.95 to 10.25
Sugar Holders	2.65 to 5.00
Ice Tea Jug and Tumblers	8.35 to 25.00
Mirror Servers	1.95 to 10.00
Water Sets	5.25 to 30.00
Punch Bowls, 16 Pieces	73.85 to 100.00

SELECT SOME OF OUR SOLID GOLD GIFTS

Ruby Rings, Tiffany Mountings	\$ 2.45 to \$10.00
Ruby Rings, two and three stones	4.75 to 12.50
Opal Rings, Hungarian	3.75 to 15.00
Diamond and Opal Rings	9.85 to 20.00
Cameo Rings, a large assortment	5.75 to 25.00
Diamond Rings, single stone	24.75 to 50.00
Black Onyx Ring, Diamond in center set in Platinum	14.75
Cuff Buttons, Diamond set	2.85 to 15.00
Tie Clips, Diamond Set	1.85 to 5.00
Waldemar Chain with Knife or Pencil	3.85 to 10.00
Baby Rings, Plain or set	.70 to 3.50
Emblem Charms, a large line	1.85 to 20.00
Signet Rings, all new designs	2.65 to 12.50
Bracelet Watches	15.85 to 35.00
Lavalliers, Diamond Set	9.85 to 50.00
Lavalliers, Cameo Set	4.65 to 25.00
Brooches, Cameo and Diamond set	4.85 to 20.00

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Toilet Sets from	\$3.65 to \$20.00
Puff Boxes	2.35 to 6.00
Jewel Boxes	2.20 to 5.00
Hair Receivers	2.55 to 6.00
Military Brushes	2.20 to 8.50
Combs	.45 to 1.50
Picture Frames	1.35 to 3.50
Nail Files	.75
Nail Buffs	.70 to 1.00
Perfume Bottles	.75 to 2.75
Hair Brushes	1.80 to 6.00
Mirrors, large assortment of sizes	1.95 to 8.50
Trays	.95 to 3.50
Button Hooks	.75
Mirrors in Ebony, in different sizes	.85 to 2.50
Military Brushes in Ebony	1.90 3.75
Toilet Sets in Ebony	2.85 8.50

J. H. TERRELL

JEWELER-OPTICIAN-DRUGGIST

Diamond Setting

Engraving

JERUSALEM CAPTURED BY THE BRITISH

MOSLEMS GIVE UP WHEN HOLY CITY IS ENTIRELY SURROUNDED BY BESIEGERS.

OFFICIAL ENTRY ON TUESDAY

British, French and Mohammedan Representatives on Way to Safeguard Holy Places.

London—Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the Exchequer, has announced in the house of commons that Jerusalem, after being surrounded on all sides by British troops, had surrendered.

The chancellor said British, French and Mohammedan representatives were on the way to Jerusalem to safeguard the holy places.

General Allenby reported that on Saturday night he attacked the enemy's position south and west of Jerusalem, the chancellor said. Welsh and some country troops, advancing from the direction of Bethlehem, drove back the enemy, and, passing Jerusalem on the east, established themselves on the Jerusalem-Jericho road. At the same time London infantry and dismounted yeomanry attacked the strong enemy positions west and northwest of Jerusalem and placed them astride the Jerusalem-Schechem road. The Holy City, being thus isolated, surrendered to General Allenby. The chancellor said General Allenby had entered Jerusalem officially, accompanied by the commanders of the French and Italian contingents.

Jerusalem is under the flag of a Christian nation for the first time in 673 years.

London—Of great interest in the world war is the brilliant stand of the Italians in keeping back the rush of the Austro-German forces from the Asiago plateau region to the plains of northern Italy. Although the enemy has bent back the line of the defenders to a point where it seemed that it must give way under the press of overwhelming numbers of men and guns, the Italians, reinforced by the full strength of the British and French troops rushed to the front, have stemmed the tide of onslaught and for the moment, at least, brought the fighting to a pause.

Their infantry and shock troops balked, the Austrian and German guns are still heavily bombarding various points along the front. From the sides of the passes which they are holding the Italians have brought into play with great effect large boulders which were rolled down on the enemy on many occasions as they tried to make their way southward toward the plain.

Little infantry activity is in progress on the western front in France and Belgium, although on various sectors from the North sea to the region of Verdun mutual bombardments are ensuing. The Germans have not yet decided again to offer battle to General Byng's forces in their newly chosen positions on the Cambrai sector.

ASK DISMISSAL OF DRAFT CASES

Brief Asserts It Is in Power of Government to Compel Military Service.

Washington.—In a brief made public here asking the supreme court to dismiss cases attacking the constitutionality of the selective draft law, the government asserts that power conferred upon congress to declare war carries with it authority to compel military service either at home or abroad, the legality of which has been repeatedly upheld by the courts. The situation in Russia is pointed to without mentioning the name, as a demonstration that there can with safety be no absolute freedom in civilized societies.

The cases now before the court include nine appeals from Minnesota, Georgia and Ohio, in which persons were convicted for either failing to register on June 5 or of attempting to block the operation of the act by urging others of draft ages not to comply with it.

Roumania Asks Armistice.

Jassy, Roumania.—It has been decided that the Roumanian troops shall associate themselves with the Russians in the proposed armistice, though the Roumanians have rejected every attempt at fraternization, says an official announcement made here. Hostilities were suspended on the whole front.

Thos. Love Made McAdoo's Assistant

Washington.—Thomas B. Love of Dallas, Texas, has been nominated to be assistant secretary of the treasury to fill one of the new offices created for the war. Mr. Love probably will be assigned to supervise the work of the war risk insurance bureau. For several weeks he has been a volunteer assistant of internal revenue commissioner Roper, helping draft income tax regulations. He formerly was state commissioner of insurance and banking in Texas.

FRED W. FLEMING



Fred W. Fleming of Kansas City, president of the Kansas City Life Insurance company, has been appointed director of a division to further the war-saving-certificates campaign. Mr. Fleming will have headquarters in the treasury department at Washington and until the end of the war will spend much of his time there directing the campaign.

BYNG WITHDRAWS NEAR CAMBRAI

Feutons Using Heavy Forces of Men and Great Array of Guns to Break Through.

London.—Carefully laid plans of General Byng to withdraw his troops at various points on the Cambrai salient to more tenable positions have been carried out in perfect order and apparently without the Germans even having knowledge of the movement.

The falling back was made necessary by wedges driven into the salient last week by the Germans, which on several sectors threatened disaster to the British should they continue to hold their positions. From an area extending before Cambrai, a distance of about 13 miles, the new British front has been lessened to a length of about ten miles.

As a result of the backward movement, the Germans claim the reoccupation of Graincourt, Anneux, Noyelles and the woods and heights north of Maroing, and that their uncontested gain has been to a depth of about two and a half miles over a front of six and a quarter miles. The Berlin war office asserts that since the German offensive in the Cambrai region began British prisoners in excess of 3,000 and 145 guns have been taken.

Drive on Italians.

On the Italian front the Austro-Germans are making frantic attempts to break through the Italian positions and debouch upon the plain of Venetia. In the Asiago plateau region battles of almost unprecedented violence are taking place, the Teutonic allies using a great array of guns and countless thousands of men in their efforts to overcome the Italian resistance. On the Meletta sector the enemy made some slight advances, but only through the sacrifice of large numbers of men, the Italians resisting determinedly, foot by foot. The Berlin war office in a communication announcing the taking of the Meletta positions says that in the new offensive of the Teutonic allies 11,000 Italians have been made prisoner and that more than 60 of their guns have been captured.

Ask Advance Pay on War Contracts.

Washington.—An advance payment on munitions and other contracts for the government has been asked by Charles M. Schwab and Eugene Grace of the Bethlehem Steel company, who conferred with Secretaries Baker and Daniels and told them the calls could not be expedited without financial aid, as they were unable to obtain adequate funds from the banks. The request was taken under consideration. Enormous increase in the size of its plants have been undertaken by the company to handle war contracts.

Seventeen British Ships Sunk.

London.—Sixteen British merchantmen of more than 1,000 tons were sunk by mines or submarines in the last week, according to the admiral's statement. One vessel under 1,000 tons and four fishing vessels also were sunk. The losses to British shipping the previous week comprised 14 merchantment of 1,600 tons of over and seven of less than that tonnage. Arrivals 2,174, sailings 2,137.

Army of Caucasus Opposes Bolsheviki

London.—A dispatch from Copenhagen says: "The Russian legation in the Danish capital has published a telegram from the Russian legation in Teheran, Persia, saying the administration and the army command in the Caucasus are opposed to the Bolsheviki and that a special delegation has arrived in Teheran to negotiate with the Russian and British legations concerning the continuation of the war." The dispatch adds that the Caucasians will not stop fighting

U. S. NOW AT WAR WITH AUSTRIANS

ONLY ONE VOTE AGAINST RESOLUTION WHICH PASSED CONGRESS FRIDAY.

LA FOLLETTE WAS ABSENT

Asserts That He Would Have Supported Resolution if Amended in One Particular.

Washington.—War between the United States and Austria-Hungary was formally declared Friday.

Congress, with one dissenting vote in the house, adopted, and President Wilson approved, a resolution declaring the existence of a state of war between the "imperial and royal Austro-Hungarian government and the government and people of the United States" authorizing the president to employ the nation's armed forces and pledging its resources to victory.

The resolution, the response of congress to the president's request in his address Tuesday, is similar to that passed April 6 declaring war with Germany. It became effective at 5:03 p. m. Friday when it was signed by the executive without formality.

After but one hour's debate, the resolution was unanimously adopted by the senate with an affirmative vote of 74. It was approved by the house, 363 to 1, Representative London, the New York Socialist, casting the only dissenting vote.

In accord with President Wilson's suggestion, action in respect to Turkey and Bulgaria, Germany's other allies, was left to the future. Widespread demand for their inclusion in the declaration was indicated in both senate and house debate.

London Explains Vote.

Representative London, who cast the one negative vote, explained his opposition by saying that he was pledged to that course by the Socialist party.

Senators Stone, Gronna of North Dakota, Norris of Nebraska and Vandaman of Mississippi, who voted against the German declaration, joined the majority. A fifth, former Senator Lane of Oregon, has since died.

LaFollette Absent.

Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin, who also opposed war with Germany, was absent when the roll was called. Later he addressed the senate, explaining that he did not hear the summons to vote, which was taken while he was at his office preparing an amendment providing that the United States should not observe any agreement of the entente allies to deprive of control any territory of Austria held Aug. 1, 1914. The Wisconsin senator said with inclusion of this amendment he would have voted for the war resolution, but against it without his belated proposal.

American Air Fleet Well Under Way

Washington.—Production of Liberty airplane motors on a quantity basis actually has begun and the nation is within sight of realization of the great air fleet project mapped out since the United States entered the war. Figures can not now be published, but it became known that members of the air board, who returned recently from an inspection trip to plants and flying fields, are satisfied that another 60 days will see men and machines being turned out at a rate that insures the ultimate success of their plans.

Reduction in Food Prices Promised.

Washington.—Early termination of profiteering in foodstuffs is the hope of the food administration, now that most of the staple food commodities have been put under license. In cutting abnormal margins, the administration will proceed under a recent order issued by President Wilson conferring on Food Administrator Hoover powers given the president in the food control act. This order directs the administrator to find the normal profit that obtained in foodstuff transactions prior to July 1, 1914.

GERMANS EVASIVE WITH RUSS.

Proposal That Troops Not Be Moved to West Front Turned Down.

London.—A Russian communication dealing with the armistice negotiation received says:

"The enemy delegates replied evasively to the two initial Russian proposals, but promised to consult their government concerning them. The Russians proposed as the principal points of an armistice that the enemy should not undertake to send forces from the Russian front to the fronts of Russia's allies; also that the German detachments be withdrawn from the islands of Moon sound. The enemy delegates refused these proposals.

"The enemy delegates submitted a plan for an armistice from the Baltic to the Black sea, which, in view of their evasive replies to the Russian proposals, the Russian military experts.

"A fortnight was first proposed for the duration of the armistice. Ultimately 28 days were agreed upon, which may be automatically prolonged. The Russians requested that the next meeting be on Russian territory after a lapse of seven days."

MISS ANITA W. PATTON



This is the authorized family photograph of Miss Anita W. Patton of Los Angeles and San Gabriel, who, it is reported, is engaged to Gen. John J. Pershing. Miss Patton is the daughter of George S. Patton, a prominent lawyer of southern California.

COUNTER REVOLUTION REPORTED IN RUSSIA

Generals Kaledines and Korniloff Declare War in the Don Region.

London.—A proclamation to the Russian nation has been issued by the Russian government announcing that "Kaledines and Korniloff, assisted by the imperialists and constitutional Democrats, have raised a revolt and declared war in the Don region against the people and revolution."

The proclamation adds that "the constitutional Democrats and bourgeoisie are supplying the revolting generals with scores of millions."

"The Workmen and Soldiers' delegates have ordered the necessary movements of troops against the counter-revolution and issued decrees authorizing the local revolutionary garrisons to attack the enemies of the people without awaiting orders from the supreme authorities and forbidding any attempts at mediation."

CRUISER JACOB JONES SUBBED.

Only 44 of 110 or More Persons on Board Are Known to Have Survived.

Washington.—Further reports from Vice Admiral Sims began to unfold the story of the torpedoing of the destroyer Jacob Jones, but did not lessen the toll of lives lost with the ship. Only 44 of 110 or more officers and men aboard are known to have survived, including one unidentified man picked up and carried off by the submarine that struck the blow.

The Jacob Jones was sunk Thursday night in the danger zone by a German submarine.

The Jacob Jones, of the largest and newest American submarine chasers of her type, operating in the Atlantic, was the first American warship to fall victim to a German submarine, but was the second American warship to be lost in foreign waters. The Chauncey sank with her commander, two other officers and 18 enlisted men, after being cut in two by the transport Ross on Nov. 20.

OVER \$13,500,000,000 IS ASKED

Estimates for Conduct of Government and Prosecution of War Set Record.

Washington.—Estimates of more than \$13,500,000,000—the greatest in the nation's history—for the conduct of the government and prosecution of the war during the fiscal year 1919 have been submitted to congress by the treasury department.

In round numbers more than \$11,000,000,000 of that vast sum is for the war alone. Only part of it will be realized from taxation; the remainder will come from issues of liberty bonds.

Deducting an item of \$153,000,000, intended as an annual appropriation toward a sinking fund for the discharge of the old public debt and some \$330,000,000 which will be turned back to the treasury from postal revenues, the estimated sum for which congress actually is expected to appropriate is \$13,018,725,595. No previous estimate ever has exceeded \$2,000,000,000.

Postal Appropriation Bill \$333,000,000

Washington.—Breaking all regular speed records for the preparation of supply bills, the house postoffice committee reported the annual postoffice appropriation bill, aggregating \$333,000,000, including a new item of \$1,200,000 to censor foreign mails. The committee added to the usual appropriation for transportation of foreign mails \$2,000,000, making a total of \$3,200,000 for that purpose for service in connection with the American expeditionary forces abroad.

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A county is judged by its roads. We cannot build real good roads without bonds. Vote for the District road bonds next Friday.

Lenine and Trotsky, Germany's agents in Russia have disorganized Russia so completely that that nation is practically out of the war. Civil war seems certain in Russia, and the dupes of these German agents will suffer far more by trying to make a separate peace with Germany than if they had gone on and done the best they could.

Old High Cost of Living is getting in his work alright, but is being Hooverized to some extent. But for the governments plan of stabilizing bread prices, we would likely be paying five or six dollars in place of three dollars a sack, 50 lbs. of flour. The price of flour was going skyward until the government fixed a minimum price of \$2.00 on wheat with the understanding that the government could take all the wheat at that price. That gave the wheat raisers the highest price ever paid for wheat in this country, but knocked the speculator cold as a wedge. Why? Because he is afraid to pay more than \$2.00 lest Uncle Sam grabs the wheat. We did not expect the thing to work that way but it did. That little clause has been worth millions of dollars to the poor people of this country, and the wheat growers has received a price about three times greater than that prevailing before the war.

THE STAR has always advocated home owning; but the revolution in Russia emphasizes the danger to any government of landless citizens. The first thing the peasants did was to grab all the land they could. Who can blame them? The laws of Russia permitted the landed aristocracy to own all the land, and while Russia is the largest country in the all her vast domain was owned by the crown and nobility. That kind of a system worked alright a thousand years ago, even a few hundred years ago, but it will not work now. The United States must heed the warning that the Russian peasants give, and provide means by which every head of a family must, not may, own his home. The Romans had more sense than we have for they provided every head of a family with a home. So long as that system continued Rome was invincible against the world, but when they permitted unlimited purchase of land and permitted homesteaders to alienate their land then and there Rome began to decay. Our country will go as ancient Rome and modern Russia have gone, if we do not look after the land matters. We are not in favor of dividing the land free or anything else, but favor any plan that will enable, then, compel every citizen to secure a home. It can be done without injury to anyone. This is a more serious matter than most people realize.

We are not surprised that the incompetent radicals now in control of part of Russia are talking of repudiating all debts. A robber that robs their home people, will not hesitate to rob foreigners too. Russia is the most conspicuous example of what a divide up would mean in any country. "The Have Nots" are at war with "The Have Gots." It is a crime to own property in Russia except the party in power.

FOR SALE.—1917 model twin Indian Motorcycle, run less than thousand miles, electric equipped, like new. Apply Farmers State Bank, Putnam, Texas. 2-4tdy.

CONGRESSMAN BLANTON SPEAKS.

Hon. T. L. Blanton, member of Congress, spoke at the Court House in Baird last night. There was a very good crowd out to hear him, notwithstanding the cold weather. Then too the announcement was not generally known as nothing had been heard from Judge Blanton since the date was published in the daily press last week.

RED CROSS MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

Since I was appointed Campaign Manager for Callahan County, I have endeavored to outline the work in such a way as to reach just as many of the people of the county with the appeal for their support in this gracious work as possible. I have therefore appointed a chairman of a soliciting committee in each of the twenty precincts in the county. I have asked these persons to select as many others to assist them in a personal canvass of the entire community as will be necessary to do the work thoroughly. Then, on last Tuesday morning four of us, Messrs Geo. B. Scott, B. L. Russell, H. Schwartz, and myself left Baird for a trip through the county that we might see personally these different workers and explain to them the work in detail. We have seen most of them to date, and I am proud to state that the conditions are flattering in most places. I never saw a more loyal group of workers anywhere in any work. Not a single one of those appointed has refused to serve or complained, but each has said, "I will be glad to do my best." This spirit will win in the campaign.

Our quota in the "Fifteen Million" drive is twenty-five hundred ninety-three. We can get it but it will require work on the part of each one. It is hoped that each one will lend a helping hand and not only support it himself but influence others to do so.

The Red Cross is one of the best friends the soldier boys will have while away from home. The things you and I would desire to do for them, when they are wounded in battle or sick, we cannot do because of distance, but the Red Cross stands ready to do these things for them. I account it a privilege to have some part in such a loving work. Let us do our best to bring Callahan County's part to the front.

R. A. Scranton, Campaign Mgr.

A GREAT MESSAGE.

The recent message addressed to the Congress of the United States and to the American people by President Wilson, is an article of great merit, coming as it does from the heart and brain of a statesman and patriot. So calm and deliberate is he in this period of national peril His great message breathes the spirit of personal and national altruism, and serves the thoughtful citizens of this commonwealth as a comfort and a blessing. To obtain our rights and to protect our people and yet fully respecting the rights and liberties of all others is the very highest ideal of supreme justice. The fair, firm and righteous tone and sense of this great message demanding fair treatment from Germany and her allies, and in the same frank and honest way according to the enemy exact justice; places our president in the forefront of true personal worth and honor, and establishes him as one of the great statesmen among the celebrities of earth.

Every American citizen should take patriotic pride in the example and leadership of such a man, and find in his splendid message an inspiration to better effort, a living hope for ultimate peace without serious wrong, and a stronger and unflinching faith and loyalty to our government and its wholesome policies.

M. C. Council, Clyde, Texas.

LOST.—Drawer to Singer Tailor Sewing Machine, wrapped in a lap robe, lost in Baird or on road to Clyde. Reward for return to Geo. B. Scott's Furniture Store, Baird. 2-p

FOR SALE.—Half Jersey cow, fresh in milk, with young calf. Also Durock Jersey cow and pigs.—T. R. Price, Rt. 1, Baird. 2-1pdy.

EULA LOCALS

Dec., 10, 1917.—Well we are having some real cold weather, and I must say it is dry too and the sand don't fail to blow. But such is life in West Texas. That little shower we had helped the roads considerably, but they are still bad and I don't think working them would do any good, until it rains.

Uncle Bill I hope you and I will live long enough to see Callahan county up among the front with good roads. We are getting good schools all over the county now let's have good roads, we need them. We have a fine school at Eula now and we are proud of it.

W. F. Gardner's little boy got his leg broken, but is doing nicely and we hope he soon will be up.

Cecil Harris and Berry Flenins have joined the navy. We hate to see the boys leave us. They are both good boys and will make good soldiers. We wish them well where ever they go.

J. F. Hampton returned from Ft. Worth, where he shipped a car of fat cattle.

I was sorry to hear that Brown Seay was dead. I am glad Mr. Seay counted me one of his friends. Uncle Bill I endorse every word you wrote about Mr. Seay. I found him just like you say. The brothers have my sympathy, I only knew Jim and Brown, but Jim will tell you that I am his friend today.

One by one the old timers are passing away.

P. C. Steen, of Clyde was in Eula Wednesday.

Monte Joly made a business trip to Abilene Tuesday.

Well we will soon tell another year good bye. We have a great deal to look forward too in the new year but among the first things is Peace with all nations, and we want more rain next year than we have had this year.

Walter Miller, Lee Smith, Troy Loggins and R. P. Stephenson was in Abilene today.

Oscar Pyatte, of Denton, was in Eula Thursday.

Well I will close wishing The Star force and all of its readers a Merry Christmas, and a prosperous new year. "Patsie"

LAST CALL FOR BREAKFAST.

Our sale is still going, some things are sold out, but many bargains remain:

- White Loaf Flour, per sack, \$2.85
Purest Flour, per sack, - 2.75
A few Brooms left at 1-4 off.
Toys, Toys, Toys, Toys.
Our toys are now marked and out on sale, and will not last long.
Do not be deceived like some and think the sale a joke. When we say a sale we mean a sale. Hurry and get your part of the bargaining.

P. S. We are going to sell the remainder of our Crock and Churns at 8 1/3c per gallon, watch them go. We have a bargain counter of shoes that will interest you.

Respectfully, Chambers Bros.

TEXAS STATE BOARD OF HEALTH. Department of Laboratories. AUSTIN

December 10, 1917.

Mr. W. L. Ashton, Baird, Texas.

Dear Sir: We have received and examined the four specimens of water sent us, and desire to report that from a bacteriological standpoint the samples are entirely suitable for drinking purposes. We found no harmful organisms or evidences of contamination in any.

Very respectfully yours, Malcolm Graham, State Bacteriologist.

The letter herewith published is self explanatory. Will only add that the water was taken from 4 different hydrants in different parts of town.

H. Schwartz, Mayor.

NOTICE.

Dr. Simmons of Abilene will be in Baird Saturday Dec. 29. Practice confined to the Eye, Ear, Nose Throat and fitting glasses. Office with Dr. Griggs.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF CALLAHAN

On his the 15th day of November A. D. 1917, This Court being in regular session, came on to be considered the petition of J. H. Bailey and more than Fifty others, qualified property tax-paying voters, resident citizens of Road District No. One of Callahan County, Texas, praying that bonds be issued by said Road District in the sum of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars, bearing Five per cent interest per annum, maturing Forty Years from date, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized graveled and paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof.

And it appearing to the Court that the said petition is signed by more than Fifty of the resident property tax-paying voters of said Road District No. One, Callahan County, Texas, and that the amount of said Bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Road District No. One, of Callahan County, Texas.

It is therefore considered and ordered by the Court that an election be held in said Road District No. One, Callahan County, Texas on the 21st day of December A. D. 1917, which is not less than 30 days from the date of this order to determine whether or not the bonds of said District No. One of Callahan County Texas shall be issued in the amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum from date thereof, and maturing Forty years from date of said bonds, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said District No. One, Callahan County Texas, subject to Taxation for the purpose of paying the interests on said Bonds and provide a sinking fund for the purpose of the redemption thereof at maturity.

Said Road District No. One being described as follows: Beginning on the W. boundary line of Callahan county, at the S. W. Cor. of the Anthony Bates Sur. No. 9 (Abst. No. 12) for the N. W. cor. of this District, Thence E. with the S. boundary line of said Anthony Bates Sur. to the most northerly N. E. cor. of Sec. No. 29, S. P. Ry. Co., land in Block No. 8, at a point on the W. boundary line of Sur. No. 80, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. lands (Abst. No. 1182.) Thence S. to the S. W. cor. of said Sec. No. 80, Thence E. with the S. boundary line of said Sec. No. 80. (Abst. No. 1182) and Secs. Nos. 57, (Abst. No. 61) 56; (Abst. No. 1241) B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. Surs. to the S. E. cor. of said Sec. No. 56. Thence N. with the E. boundary line of said Sec. No. 66 (Abst. No. 944) to the N. W. cor. of Sec. No. 56; (Abst. No. 944) B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. land. Thence E. with the N. boundary line of Sur. No. 56 (Abst. No. 944) the N. boundary lines of Sec. No. 57, (Abst. No. 32) Secs. 70, 71, 84, 85, 98, 99, 114 and 115 of the B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. lands to the N. E. cor. said Sur. No. 115, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. land. Thence S. with the E. boundary lines of said Surs. Nos. 115 and 116 B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. lands to the S. E. cor. of said Sur. No. 116. Thence E. with the N. boundary lines of Sur. Nos. 138, 143, of said B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. Survey to the N. E. of said Sur. 143. Thence E. across the J. Pointevent Sur. and Sur. No. 1, T. & N. O. Ry. Co. lands to the center of the W. B. lines of Sur. No. 63 B. O. H. lands. Thence E. with the center lines of said Surs. Nos. 63, 64, 65, B. O. H. land and the center lines of Secs. Nos. 7 and 8, D. & D. Asy. land. Thence E. with the S. lines of Sur. 133 University lands to the S. W. cor. T. E. & L. Sur. No. 2041. Thence E. with S. B. line Sur. No. 2041 to the S. E. cor. of same. Thence S. to the S. W. cor. Sur. 2972, T. E. & L. Co. land. Thence E. with the S. B. lines of said Surs. Nos. 2972 and 2299 T. E. & L. Co. lands, to the S. E. cor. of Sur. No. 2299. Thence S. with the E. B. lines of T. E. & L. Co. Sur. No. 2298 to the S. E. cor. of same. Thence E. with the S. B. lines of Surveys Nos. 2272, 2288, 2280, 3151 T. E. & L. Co. lands to the S. E. cor. of said Sur. No. 3151. Thence S. with the E. B. lines of sur. No. 3152, T. E. & L. Co. land to the S. E. cor. of same. Thence E. with the W. B. line of surveys Nos. 3153, 3166, and 3171, T. E. & Co. lands to a point on the E. boundary line of Callahan

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county. Thence S. with E. boundary line of Callahan county, to the S. E. cor. of sur. No. 129 H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land. Thence W. with the W. B. line of sur. No. 128 H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land to the N. W. cor. of the M. Cherry sur. (Abst. No. —) Thence W. with the N. B. lines of surs. Nos. 21, 19, and 18, B. O. H. lands, and N. B. lines of surs. Nos. 21, 19 and 18 B. O. H. lands, and N. B. lines of sur. Nos. 315, 316, 317 S. P. Ry. Co. land and N. B. lines of surveys Nos. 36, 37, 38 and 39 of the D. & D. Asylum land to the N. W. cor. of said sur. No. 39. Thence North to the N. E. cor. of sur. No. 40 D. & D. A. land. Thence W. with the W. B. line of said sur. No. 40 to the N. W. cor. of same. Thence W. to the N. E. cor. of sur. No. 148 B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. Thence W. with N. B. line of surveys Nos. 148, 130 and 125 to the N. W. cor. of said sur No. 125 B B B & C Ry Co lands Thence S with the W B lines of said sur. No. 125 to the S. E. cor. of the Thomas Ashur sur. Thence W with S B line of said Ashur sur to the S W cor of the W Gatlin sur Thence N to the N E cor of the J D Gibbs sur Thence W with the N B line of the said Gibbs sur to the N E cor of sur No. 1 B B B & C Ry Co land, containing W with the N B lines of said surs No. 1, 4, 9, 14, 19 to N W cor of said sur No 19 B B B & C Ry Co land Thence N with the W B line of sur No 20, to the center of the W B line of sur No 21, B B B & C Ry Co lands. Thence W. with the center line of surveys Nos 22 and 31 to the W B lines of sur. No 31 B B B & C Ry Co lands. Thence N to the N W cor said Sur. No 31. Thence W across survey No 35 S P Ry land to the N E cor of survey No 13 S P Ry Co land. (Block 8) Thence W with the N B line of said sec No 13 and the N B line of surveys Nos 32 and 31 Lunatic Asylum land to the intersection of the W B line of Callahan county. Thence North with the W. boundary line of Callahan county to the place of beginning.

published in said County and in said Road District No One of Callahan county, Texas, for four successive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto shall be posted notices of said Election at three public places in said Road District No One, Callahan county, Texas one of which shall be at the Court House door of Callahan county, Texas, for three weeks prior to said election.

Said election shall be held at Eula Pre No 10, Clyde Pre. No 5, Baird Pre No One and Putnam Pre No 8, of Callahan county, Texas, And the following persons are hereby appointed managers of said Election, to wit:

- Henry Jones, Eula
B. C. Clemer, Clyde
F. S. Bell, Baird
L. J. Cook, Putnam

Said Election shall be held under the Road District Act passed at the first Called session of the 31st Legislature, and only qualified voters who are property tax payers of said road District No One, Callahan county, Texas, shall be allowed to vote, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of Bonds and levying of the tax in payment thereof" and those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the issuance of Bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

The manager holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas, governing General Elections.

A copy of this order signed by the County Judge of Callahan County, Texas, shall serve as a proper notice of said election and the County Judge is hereby directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper published in said Road District No One of Callahan county, Texas, in said County and State for four successive weeks next preceding said election, and cause to be posted a notice thereof at three public places in said Road District No One, Callahan county, Texas, one of which shall be at the Court House door of said County, at Baird Texas, for three weeks prior to said election.

W. R. Ely, Co. Judge, 51-4t. Callahan County, Texas.

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PERSONALS

S. E. Webb made a trip to Clyde yesterday evening.

Earl Mahan, of Fort Worth, spent last Sunday with his mother, Mrs. C. H. Mahan.

Homer Fewell, who is working in a garage at Abilene spent Sunday in Baird.

Bob Norrell, M. H. Hancock, John McGowen and John Asbury, made a trip to Ranger last Sunday to view the oil wells.

Boydston's Clean Up Sale opens Saturday, Dec. 15 and closes Dec. 24. Many Bargains for you.
2.2t-adv. B. L. Boydston.

For Rent.—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Phone 67.
2-tf. Mrs. N. H. Pratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark L. Terry announce the birth of a son, Charles Claud, on Tuesday, December, 11, 1917.

One order from the new market will convince you that we handle the best.
1-2t-adv B. L. Boydston.

Miss Esther Belle Bowlus, who is attending Draughon's Business College at Abilene, spent Saturday and Sunday in Baird.

Thousands of bargains for you in the Clean Up Sale.
2.2t-adv. B. L. Boydston.

Mrs. O. E. Eastham and little son, Maurice, left Saturday for Conway, Ark., where she will visit relatives.

100 Pretty Silk and Serge Dresses go in the Clean Up Sale at prices that will surprise you.
2.2t-adv. B. L. Boydston.

Mrs. O. J. Russell entertained the following young ladies Wednesday night with a bunk party: Misses Wren Foy, Kathryn Boydston, Mary Ross, Louisa Mae Boydston, Pauline Terrell, Maggie Scott, Coryse and Marguerite Boydston, Glendora and Charity Dunlap, Beulah McWhorter, Jean Lambert, Mesdames Frenchie Scott, Dick and Russell.

The editor, three children, Misses Eliza and Eliska, and Haynie Gilliland visited a sister, Mrs. J. E. Henigan at Brooksmith, last Sunday. We also met a cousin, J. B. Dunn and wife whom we had not seen for 34 years though they have lived at Brooksmith for 33 years. We made the trip in a jitney and picked up a brother, Sam Gilliland, and carried him along with us. It was a happy meeting between the two brothers and sister. Also met an uncle, W. R. McClellan and wife at Coleman. Hope we can make another trip when the weather is more pleasant.

NOTICE

The U. S. Food Administration has set a price on bread. I have regulated my prices accordingly and will sell all bread, present size, at 7 1-2 cents per loaf at the City Bakery.

ORCAR NITSCHKE
2-3t Prop.

Mrs. Cora L. Finch and little daughter, Winnie Lucile, of Admiral were in Baird, Saturday, in their new car, a new model 85, Big 4 Overland purchased from Dugan & Brown Overland Co., of Abilene.

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OBITUARY

Silas D. Taylor was born Dec. 16, 1861, in Burnett county Alabama died at Clyde, Texas Nov. 30, 1917. Professed faith in Jesus Christ and joined the Baptist Church in 1886. Was united in marriage to Miss Georgia Lewis July 8, 1888. To this union was born seven children, six girls and one boy, all of whom were at the father's bedside when the end came. Three brothers and two sisters with him at the time of his death, Jerry W. Taylor, of Hamlin, John and Wilburn Taylor, of Strawn, Mrs. Perry Barton and Miss Minerva Taylor, of Clyde. There were also present at the funeral, three of Mrs. Taylor's sisters, Mrs. W. C. Evans, of Killeen, Texas, Mrs. J. W. Davidson, of Bertrams, Texas, and Mrs. E. J. Hardgoover, of San Angelo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor moved from Alabama to Callahan county, Texas, September, 1899 and have lived at Baird and Clyde ever since, and have made many warm friends, who join with the family in mourning his departure. Two of the daughters, Mrs. T. S. Brame and Mrs. Paul Schaffrina live in Baird, while all the other children reside at Clyde.

May God bless and comfort the bereaved in this sad hour.
H. M. P., by request.

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INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 16

NEHEMIAH ENFORCES THE LAW OF THE SABBATH.

LESSON TEXT—Nehemiah 13:15-22. GOLDEN TEXT—Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it holy.—Exod. 20:8.

Nehemiah remained in Jerusalem twelve years, from B. C. 444 to B. C. 432. He was then recalled and was in Persia some years, perhaps five or seven, but returned about B. C. 425, the year Artaxerxes died, for we know that he returned by permission of that king. Therefore, the date of this lesson would be sometime in the summer or early autumn of 425 or 427 B. C., 16 or 18 years following last Sunday's lesson.

In the section, vv. 10-14, we see that the gifts for the house of God and the Levites, who led in worship, had been neglected. Whenever the house of God and its service of worship is neglected, we may expect that the Sabbath day and the worship of God will also soon fall into contempt. Ezra has dropped out of our history without a him as to his end.

I. "Remember" (v. 14) the Neglect of God's House. (vv. 1-14). The neglect of God's house grew up out of the incursion of heathenism into Jewish life. Nehemiah realized that the purity of the race depended upon absolute separation from the mixed multitude. (v. 3). Nehemiah also confronted the difficulty of having a priest. (vv. 4, 5), who had defiled himself and also desecrated the temple, and finally the portion for the support of the priest and the temple worship had been withheld. (v. 10).

II. "Remember" (v. 12) the Sabbath Day. (vv. 15-22). Nehemiah's next and most difficult reform was regarding the fourth commandment. He set once set about to learn the facts; then relates what he saw (v. 15). The record also tells how he testified against them in that they were selling merchandise on the Sabbath day. He contended with the nobles that they had done evil on the Sabbath day. (v. 17). He testified against them that the merchants and sellers of ware had lodged about and within Jerusalem. (vv. 20, 21). The root of the trouble with Judah was that they forgot God's word and followed the devices and desires of their own hearts. The Jewish Sabbath in its outward form on the exact day of the week is not binding upon Gentile Christians. (Col. 2:16, 17). It was given to Israel as a people. (Deut. 5:1, 2), as a memorial of their deliverance out of the land of Egypt and the house of bondage. (Deut. 5:16). The Christian, by the death of Christ, is made dead to the letter of the law of Moses. (Deut. 7:4), but the principle of the Sabbath is older than the law of Moses and is as binding upon the Christian believer as are the many other principles which underlie the Mosaic law. In its exact form, the seventh day, the observance of the Sabbath belongs to the old order and not to the Christian order. Christ, who rose from the dead. (Rom. 7:4), rose on the first day of the week, and we, as joined to Christ, are not under obligations to the Mosaic law, but to Christ. Therefore, the Lord's day, the resurrection day, the first day of the week. (Rev. 1:10; John 21:20; 1:19-26; Acts 27). Is the day of privilege, rest of obligation and is more sacred to us than the Sabbath day of these Jews. The Jews in Nehemiah's time showed their contempt of the Lord's day by making it a day of profit, hence this exhortation which we see set forth in this section. This should be a warning and an exhortation to us in these days of a secularized Sabbath.

III. "Remember" (v. 29) the Holy Priesthood. (vv. 23-31). In this section we see that the priesthood had even defiled themselves with women, and again this Nehemiah entered upon a cleansing process. (vv. 30-31). The use of this word "remember" in verses 14, 22 and 29 gives strong emphasis to the three cardinal sins against which Nehemiah was battling.

IV. Summary: As in Nehemiah's time, so now, Sabbath desecration is the surest road to national ruin, and a large proportion of our present calamity can be traced to growing irreverence for the Lord's day. Jesus swept away the cobwebs of Sabbath irreverence, but did not tear down the house. He kept the principle, but removed the baronages with which the Pharisees and Jews had encumbered it. Jesus taught that the Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath. (Mark 2:27, 28), and he set himself as an example in this regard, for he is Lord of that day as well as the other days of the week. The Sabbath is a day of rest and if observed, workmen without exception will produce more than is possible if it is not observed. The chief value of the Sabbath, however, is in connection with the worship of God. The feeding of the spiritual nature; the rest which is to be differentiated from mere holiday or pleasure; its need for adult and child life; its educational value; its opportunity for Christian service and exaltation of family relations, all show it to have been created to fill a real need and to manifest the wisdom and goodness of God.

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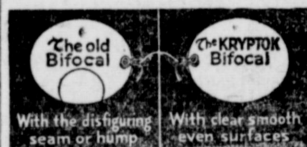
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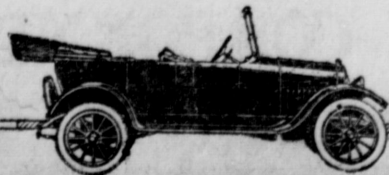
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