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Bank Improvement

The City National, The Pioneer Financial Institution Is In Rejuvenated Quarters

The City National Bank, after doing business for the past three months in the Smalensky Building has moved back into their old and permanent quarters. In the meantime a wonderful transformation has taken place. Under the skillful and experienced eye of S. Z. Park, the building has been completely remodeled. The front and exterior present a handsome, substantial appearance, while the interior could hardly be surpassed for light, ventilation and graceful proportions. The fixtures, the work of the W. D. Collins Safe and Fixture Company of Denison, Texas, are of Italian marble and oak. Every detail is carefully worked out and the general appearance is peculiarly tasteful and harmonious. The construction and arrangement, being the result of the best thought and experience, afford all facilities for the dispatch of business by the clerical force, and every possible convenience for their customers and the public.

This business had its beginning almost with the city of San Saba itself, organized originally in 1883 as a private bank, in December, 1915, was given a National Charter. For twenty years Mr T. A. Murray its president, has been its guiding spirit and under his control and influence it has always been justly

regarded as a Gibraltar of financial strength, and as for standing for all that is highest and best in the business life of the community. Those now connected with him in the active control of its affairs strive to uphold him in the policy he has inaugurated for their institution.

It is not too much to say that all the people of San Saba county without reference to their business relations, feel a pride in this beautiful up-to-date bank, and are glad to see the conservative old City National installed in an office worthy of its history and traditions.

New Firm.

Dr. E. C. Simmons has sold an interest in his drug store to Mr. Jim Cummings and Jim is now working as smoothly as a partner as he did as an employee. This firm has long been known for their accommodating pleasant manner of handling their trade and Jim has been a factor in building this well deserved reputation. We predict a prosperous future for the new drug firm of Simmons & Cummings.

Moved Into New Quarters.

The Nickel Store has been moved into the Murray building on Wallace street, formerly occupied by Ben Smalensky. The millinery stock of Miss Bessie Hubbert and Mrs. Stobaugh will also be in this building. This is one of the best business stands in the town and the above parties are indeed fortunate in securing such desirable quarters.

The Marketing Problem CO-OPERATION

Article I

Perfecting a system of co-operation is civilization's most gigantic task, particularly as regards co-operative marketing.

Experience and history convince us that a real system of co-operation can never be perfected by mere organization and agreement of individuals engaged in a particular and exclusive occupation. So far, almost without exception, such arrangements have resulted in one of two things: Absorption and elimination or dissatisfaction and disintegration.

The great trusts of today started as a federation of competing interests. Cut-throat competition and needless waste had to be eliminated and profits stabilized. Mutual agreement to accomplish this was a fine theory. The only trouble was the fact that it wouldn't work. The inevitable result was total absorption by the few, total elimination of the many. By means of unscrupulous methods consolidation followed agreement, and a few men became possessed of gigantic wealth and unlimited power, and thereby became the merciless masters of the nation's industrial, financial and commercial affairs. Thus we see how mutual agreement led to the birth of the trusts.

We know that the producers have utterly failed to solve their problems, get their just por-

tions and relieve their distress through the medium of selective organization. Where consumers have sought relief through the medium of consumers' or buyers' leagues we merely have an extended demonstration of dissatisfaction and disintegration. Much sincere, self-sacrificing effort has been put forth along these lines, but no relief has resulted.

Real civilization can be based upon but three great essentials: The education of the masses, the proper distribution of the products, of art and industry, and the equitable compensation of all who educate, create or in any way render meritorious service. Contrary to the instinct enacted law of the bees the people of the earth are drone feeders. Instead of stinging the drones from the hive we leave them alone in their nectar stealing luxury, and devote our time to fighting and stinging each other.

This series of articles has to do only with the production, conversion, distribution and the consumption of farm, ranch and orchard products. In this connection six legitimate factors must be considered, and these are:

First, the producer.

The agency that transports the raw products and the manufactured articles to their destination.

The agency that converts the

raw product into the manufactured article.

The necessary distributing agency.

The necessary financing agency and the ultimate consumer.

The producer and consumer are component elements. Without them all other agencies would be useless and could not exist. The producer and consumer are farthest apart. Each is mercilessly taxed by the intervening agencies. Only by correction of the abuses practiced by the intervening agencies can they be given relief.

How can this be done and yet properly safeguard the legitimate interests of the absolutely necessary intervening agencies?

If left to their own resources and ability to regulate, relief will never come. The distress of the weak will multiply and the power and greed of the strong will become more intolerable. There never has been and there never will be harmony of agreement among these distinct factors of society. Neither element would or could work out a plan, based upon mere agreement, that would satisfy the other element. If given the power the producer would exact the most extortionate and exorbitant prices. If given the same power the consumer would give but a mere pittance for the article consumed and the service rendered. The transportation agencies, the manufacturers, the financing agents and the distributors look only to dividends and profits. Only those of like in-

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New Soldiers Leave

Second Increment of San Saba's Quota Leaves for Camp Travis at San Antonio.

Thirty-nine stalwart boys, representing San Saba, Richland Springs, Cherokee, Bend, Fredonia, Holt, Regency, Locker, Hall and Mercury left Wednesday of this week for Camp Travis. They formed the second installment of the county's quota of ninety-seven men in the first draft, and a fine bunch of young West Texans they were indeed. Their names follow:

Vester Hausold Ruffner, Cherokee.
John Moody Smith, San Saba.
John Watson Grayes, San Saba.
John Francis McNair, Richland Springs.
Rice Sloan Ransom, Richland Springs.
Grant Bostick, San Saba.
Nathan Jones Hall, Jr., Richland Springs.
Elma Mitchell Taff, San Saba.
Grude McFarland, Fredonia.
Lonnie Henderson Craig, Hasse.
Floyd Edmond Breazeale, San Saba.
John William Watkins, San Saba.
Neil Elbert Taylor, Richland Springs.
Charlie Lyon Moore, Richland Springs.
Hilman Walker Beyer, Valley Springs.
William Thomas Taff, San Saba.
William Gordon Murray, Richland Springs.
Donana Turner, San Saba.
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GREAT CROWDS ARE TAKING ADVANTAGE OF

THE BIG FIRE SALE

And supplying themselves for months to come at bargain prices. Our counters are being replenished every day with Seasonable Merchandise and your DOLLAR will assume a greater purchasing power here than elsewhere. To give you an idea of some of the Great Bargains we are offering, we mention that our counters are now full of

Men's Oxford Shoes \$4, \$4.50, \$5 and \$6 Grades---

YOUR CHOICE FOR ONLY \$2.00

There are many other bargains but they are too numerous, space will not allow us to quote them here. Come to see us and make this \$ grow in purchasing power.

Biggs & Clark

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

The Officers

of the

City National Bank

Invites you to call and inspect their New Quarters, and will appreciate a liberal share of your business, under their policy of Service and Fair Dealing.

Farmers Meeting Well Attended

The Farmers Marketing and Buying Association held here Monday afternoon was one of seed for fall planting. They propose to buy in carload lots much interest. Their principal object now is to get small grain and get the grain at lowest possible prices. Wheat secured thru this method is \$2.23 per bushel.

The officers of this association are: A. E. Petty, pres.; Wm. Scott, vice-pres.; and W. B. Leverett, secretary.

A carload of wheat was ordered at this meeting.

The proceeds of the entertainment at the School Auditorium Sept. 21st are to be donated to the Red Cross.

Experience the Best Teacher

It is generally admitted that experience is the best teacher, but should we not make use of the experience of others as well as our own? The experience of a thousand persons is more to be depended upon than that of one individual. Many thousands of persons have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs and colds with the best results, which shows it to be a thoroughly reliable preparation for those diseases. Try it. It is prompt and effectual and pleasant to take.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30. Come and worship with us. —B. D. D. Greer, Pastor.

We pay the highest prices for your butter and eggs and sell you groceries for less. —Will Ashby.

Rev. B. D. D. Greer, wife and little Miss Eva Virginia left on Monday for Brownwood, after spending the summer here. Dr. Greer will resume his duties in Daniel Baker College. He will fill his appointments here and at Sloan the coming winter, as usual.

We have a special sale on all glass, queensware; also cooking utensils for the next 10 days. The Nickle Store —Stobaugh's

Dr. Berry returned Tuesday from a trip to San Antonio.

Blakeney-Dwyer.

The Star acknowledges the invitation of the approaching wedding of Miss Mabelle Dwyer to Mr. Jno. Blakeney, both of San Antonio, which will be solemnized at the First Presbyterian church of San Antonio, Oct. 1st at 6 o'clock in the evening. The bride is one of San Antonio's fairest daughters and a member of one of the most prominent families of the state.

Mr. Blakeney is a San Saba boy and counts his friends by his acquaintances, who join the Star in wishing happiness and prosperity thru life.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Maultsby are rejoicing over the arrival of a sweet little baby girl since Sept. 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Taff of Cherokee were here Saturday, the guests of Mr. Taff's parents.

Notice.

We will thresh cane and maize seed at Harkeyville on Sept. 28 and 29.—Rainey Bros. & Wallace. 2t

Musical Entertainment.

On Friday evening at 8 o'clock the music teacher in the San Saba High School will have the pupils render a special program.

This recital will be for the benefit of the local Red Cross. The public is invited to be present. The admission is 10c, 15c, and 25c.

Mr. Dewey came over from Cherokee Monday to accompany his sister, Mrs. W. G. Low, Jr., home for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mayes.

Misses Wilma Hillman, Sue Betty Gray and Lora Hart of Cherokee left here Saturday on the afternoon train. Misses Hillman and Gray were going to Denton to re-enter the C. I. A. Miss Hillman will finish the course this year. Miss Hart was going to Dallas to attend a business college.

JOHN CALLOWAY HURT IN MOTORCYCLE CRASH

While out for a pleasure ride Sunday afternoon from 3:30 to 4:00 Mr. John Calloway, the popular proprietor of the Calloway Restaurant, was painfully hurt.

Mr. Calloway was riding a motorcycle near the residence of Judge Flack, when he came in collision with an automobile driven by Mr. Lee Neep. Mr. Calloway's ride resulted in his collar bone being broken, his shoulder blade splintered and a considerably bruised condition. He lay unconscious for several minutes and suffered considerably. The driver of the automobile, Mr. Neep, escaped without injury to himself or the car.

Monday morning Mr. Calloway was back at his place of business, but carrying his arm in a sling.

Miss Addie Jones returned Sunday afternoon from Cherokee where she spent a few days as guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Owens. She reports a pleasant visit.

Need Glasses?

Dr. Jones, Corner Drug Store, Thursday and Friday, 4th and 5th. Eyes examined, glasses fitted and headache and eye strain relieved.

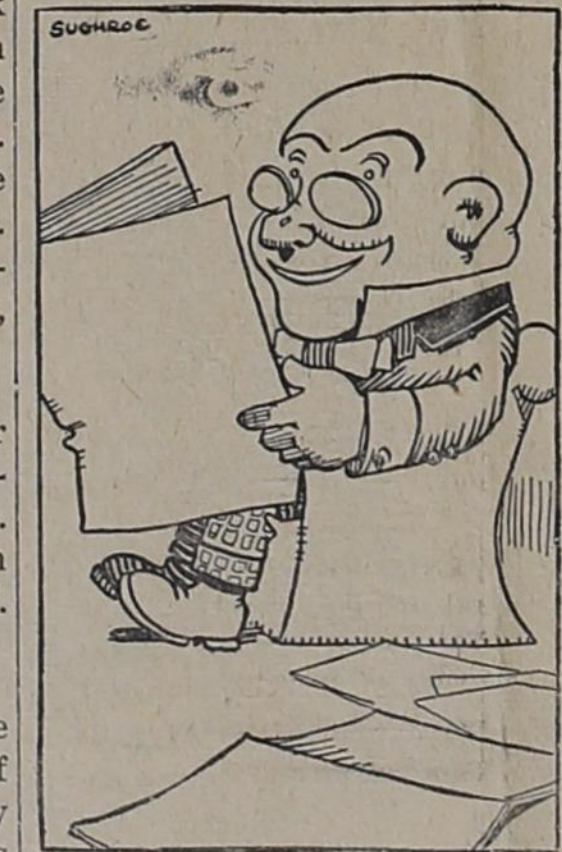
Mesrs. Clarence Gosch, W. J. Moore, Judge Dean and W. H. Kimbrough left Wednesday on a pleasure trip to Sonora and other points West. They will make the trip in Mr. Gosch's car.

Mr. John Harris passed thru here Tuesday enroute to Brady from Cherokee, where he had been the guest of Ed Ray.

Dr. F. A. Boss returned Tuesday from a business trip to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Rook Williams are the proud parents of a baby girl.

THE NEWSPAPER BALL FAN



The man seldom comes from behind his Paper until the Baseball season is over. Right now he is in the last half of the Ninth, score 0 to 0, with two men out. He is a Newspaper Baseball Fan and never saw a Big League in his life, but he is a Redhot Fan just the same.

New Force.

The improvement in the local news columns of the Star this week is due to the fact that the Star has been fortunate in securing the valuable services of Miss Daisy Burke as local reporter. Miss Burke has been contributing the Cherokee locals for the Star for over two years and it was from the ability as a news gatherer she displayed there that prompted us to offer her the position and we believe our readers will bear us out in the statement that the Star has a talented and able writer. Any courtesies shown the young lady will be duly appreciated by her as well as the Star.

John R. Brougner, a first-class printer and an expert linotype machinist and operator, is now foreman of the Star office and all work entrusted to this office will have prompt attention and be turned out in an artistic manner.

Mrs. Mray Ferris Bass re- Mrs. Mary Ferris Bass re- after a pleasant visit with her son, Dr. F.A. Bass, and family.

Lance Dabney arrived home from San Antonio where he has been employed by the government.

The Simpson Creek school opened Monday morning for the ensuing term. Miss Alma Ward is the teacher and is an excellent one. She reports sixteen present and her work very pleasant.

Mrs. Matt Kuykendall passed thru here Saturday enroute to her home at Cherokee, after a few days spent at the Temple sanitarium with a friend.

Rev. J. E. G. Hillman and son, J. L. of Cherokee were business visitors here Saturday.

Misses Nancy Coughran and Kate Taylor, also Mrs. Johnson of Richland Springs were shopping in the city Friday.

Will Ideus of Cherokee was here Monday to ship three cars of cattle to the Fort Worth market.

Ned Barber of Cherokee was a guest of relatives in the city the first of the week.

Rev. Davis and family of Lometa arrived here Saturday to locate.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Taylor and daughter, Louise, also Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hardt motored to Goldthwaite Sunday to see relatives.

Mrs. Sam Gay of Cherokee came over Monday to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Dora Maultsby.

Mrs. Joe Leach who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Hanna, and her sister, Mrs. W. S. Sanderson expects to leave Monday for her home.

Miss Lonia Perry passed thru here Monday enroute to Sherman, where she goes to attend the Kidd-Key College. She has attended school there before and is going back to study music.

Prof. O. K. Graham was up Saturday from Cherokee. He reports his school will commence there Monday.

The following from Harkeyville were shopping here Friday: Mesdames Harkey, Henry McDaniel and Miss Ruth McDaniel.

We call especial attention to the ad of Mrs. Williams' chile and tamale stand, where she is always ready to serve the best in that line.

Thrift vs. Luck

Some people spend their lives idly waiting for a stroke of luck to make them rich. But it invariably happens that about all that comes to them is a streak of laziness which makes them poorer still.

Wealth comes not to those who shirk, but to those who work, not to those who waste, but to those who save.

Start now a Savings Account with us.

If you already have one, add to it.

We will handle your cotton check whether drawn on this bank or not

San Saba National Bank.

Honoring Mrs. M. T. Morris.

Of the season's entertainments, the one given at the home of Mrs. E. L. Rector on Monday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock proved quite a success and was enjoyed very much by those fortunate enough to be present. The occasion was given in honor of Mrs. E. L. Rector's sister, Mrs. M. T. Morris, of Houston, who is a guest at the home of the former.

The hours were spent in pleasant conversation while some of the ladies busied themselves with fancy work and others played bridge.

Refreshments were served consisting of ice cream and cake to the following guests: Mesdames M. T. Morris, guest of honor, S. W. Yoe, John H. Martin, Robt. Sloan, B. R. Long, John Alf Collins, Arch Woods, W. B. Hart, A. H. Martin, W. D. Cowan, Bama Harris, E. M. Williams, B. R. Russel, Sid Drouilheit, Leigh Burleson and Misses Ann Collins, Lucy Rector, Catherine Long and Master Frank Williams.

As the guests departed words of thanks were expressed to the hostess for the delightful afternoon and the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Morris.

Dr. F. A. Bass Commissioned.

Dr. F. A. Bass is now wearing Uncle Sam's uniform, he having received his commission the past week. Dr. Bass went to San Antonio and stood the examination for the Dental Corps and passed successfully. He is now awaiting orders for future service.

Miss Dora Grumbles expects to leave Wednesday for Austin to visit her brother, Porter Grumbles. She expects to find a location there.

Mr. Jeff W. Wilcox and Prof. J. C. Sirmons of Cherokee were business visitors here Monday.

Mr. Sam Ushery and family of Marble Falls moved here Saturday and are now domiciled in the Sloan residence in West End. We are pleased to welcome this family into our busy little city.

Mr. N. R. Thompson passed thru here Monday from Cherokee to his home at Mercury, after spending a few days with friends at the former place.

Hugh Miller is overhauling his residence out at the ranch and making some valuable improvements.

J. R. Daniel is building a six room residence on his farm just north of the Beveredge bridge.

C. T. Jones and wife and little Tom Murray are in Carlton this week visiting Mr. Jones' father and mother.

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Fresh Meats

Genuine Barbecue
Sausage.

Everything neat and clean

West Side Square.

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SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 22ND.

"DOOR STEPS"

FEATURING

FLORENCE TURNER

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INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 23

DANIEL IN THE DEN OF LIONS.

LESSON TEXT—Daniel 6.
GOLDEN TEXT—The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them.—Psalms 34:7.

I. Daniel the Prime Minister of the Medo-Persian Empire (vv. 1-3).

Daniel's sterling worth brought him to the front and kept him there. The new king was quick to discern his merits and to give them recognition by placing him at the head of affairs in his kingdom.

II. An Occasion Sought Against Daniel (vv. 4-9).

(1) The Reason of—Envy. To have this foreigner placed over them aroused the jealousy of the presidents and princes of the empire, so they set about to have him removed. The presence of envy shows inferiority. One never envies those below him. It is hard to forgive those who have outstripped us and left us behind in the race of life.

(2) The Failure (v. 4). Daniel's official record was blameless. Not even an error could be found of which they could accuse him. Though he was without fault he had to suffer. Those who excel in any line are sure to suffer in some way. It is true in business, the home, the school, politics and religion.

(3) The Wicked Plot (vv. 5-9). Not being able to find any fault, they trumped up a charge against him on the ground of his foreign religion. They were not careful about the method employed, just so their end was attained.

III. Daniel's Noble Confession (vv. 10-13). Though Daniel knew that the wicked decree was signed, he knelt before God three times a day as usual. He went quietly about his affairs, attended to his regular devotions, because he trusted God. There is always a marked silence about heroism. Weak men bluster, but strong men have little to say. Daniel continued his usual habit of prayer, even though it was a violation of the civil law, because he knew that God's law was first. When the laws of earth conflict with the laws of heaven there is but one thing to do; that is, to obey God rather than man.

IV. The Foolish Decree Executed (vv. 14-17). The king was greatly displeased with himself (v. 14) and diligently sought to deliver Daniel, but he was helpless (v. 15). The proud ruler was a slave. Laws which change not are self-condemnatory, foolish, positively wicked. The king was weak for fear of others, which is utter wickedness. Daniel was cast into the den of lions (v. 16) and a double seal placed upon the den (v. 17). They were not content with the king's seal alone, which shows that one rascal will not trust another. The king's words, "Thy God, whom thou servest continually, he will deliver thee," to Daniel were a poor excuse, but they were the best that he could offer to his conscience.

V. Daniel Delivered (vv. 18-23).

(1) The King's Sleepless Night (v. 18). Doubtless Daniel was more comfortable in the den of lions than the king in his palace. His quietude is a picture of the safety and peace which are the portion of those who trust God and do his will. This is a sample of what faith can do. "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on thee, because he trusteth thee."

(2) The King's Question (v. 20). In the morning the king called to Daniel in the den of lions saying, "Is thy God able?" This is always the question of the unbelieving heart. The believing heart says, "Our God is able."

(3) Daniel's Answer (v. 22). "My God has sent his angel." Angels are God's ministering spirits. "The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them." (Psalms 34:7.) Many times no doubt our lives are preserved because we are guarded by God's angels. Not even a sparrow falls to the ground without the Father, and the very hairs of our heads are numbered, so we ought to expect the mouths of the lions to be shut against us.

(4) Daniel Removed From the Den (v. 23). There was no manner of hurt upon him. The reason was that "he believed in his God." The same reason is why the garments and hair of his companions were not even singed.

VI. Doom of Daniel's Accusers (v. 24).

They were cast into the den of lions "and the lions had the mastery of them, and brake all their bones in pieces or ever they came at the bottom of the den."

Daniel's God to Be Feared.

VII. Darius' Decree (vv. 25-27). He decreed that in all parts of his kingdom men of all peoples and tongues should tremble and fear before the God of Daniel.

VIII. Daniel's Prosperity (v. 28).

Though Daniel's enemies perish, he goes higher and higher in the kingdom, even continuing into the reign of Cyrus. In all our trials and testings we should not be moved, for there is a righteous and just God in heaven, and nothing can occur without him. Man's schemes shall even continue to praise him.

THOUGHTS OF A FATHER

(By Edgar A. Guest)

We've never seen the Father here, but we have known the Son,
The finest type of manhood since the world was first begun.
And, summing up the works of God, I write with reverent pen,
The greatest is the boy He sent to cheer the lives of men.

Through Him we learned the ways of God and found the Father's love,
The Son it was who won us back to him who reigns above.
The Lord did not come down himself to prove to men His worth,
He sought our worship through the child He placed upon the Earth.

How can I best express my life? Wherein does greatness lie?
How can I long remembrance win, since I am born to die?
Both fame and gold are selfish things, their charms may quickly flee,
But I'm the father of a boy who long may speak for me.

In him lies all I hope to be; his splendor shall be mine,
I shall have done man's greatest work if only he is fine.
If some day he shall help the world along after I am dead,
In all that men shall say of him my praise shall be said.

It matters not what I may win of fleeting gold or fame,
My hope of joy depends alone on what my boy shall claim.
My story must be told through him, for him I work and plan,
Man's greatest duty is to be the father of a man.

Club Boys Who Win Trip

To Dallas Fair Encampment

A few weeks ago when the County Fair Association announced the Boys Agricultural Club winners, the name of the first prize winner on peanuts was missing. Since that time Earl McNatt has been found to hold the ticket, and has been declared the winner. He also wins a free trip to the Dallas Fair Encampment school conducted by the A. & M. College.

The name of the boy who won third prize on corn is still missing and all boys who exhibited corn and failed to receive prizes should notify County Agricultural Agent R. P. Elrod or John Snider, secretary of the fair.

The following boys are the winners of the round trip ticket to the Dallas Fair and a scholarship in the Boys Encampment school of a week. The Fair management provides cots, rooms, and meals free during their stay:

Elers Brown of near Velma school; Griff McConal, of near Locker; Vernice Bolton, of San Saba; Zabatus Ledbetter, of near Neal school; Earl McNatt, of near Algerita.

There will be five boys from almost every county in the state. It is planned now to leave about Oct. 14. Mr. Elrod will notify each boy, give full instructions before the time and will accompany the boys and stay with them all the time.

Bulk peanut butter.—W. R. Harris.

The proceeds of the entertainment at the School Auditorium Sept. 21st are to be donated to the Red Cross.

S. D. Ranier and wife of Llano were here last Saturday. Mr. Ranier came over on business.

Mr. Otto Bode of Pontotoc was in San Saba Wednesday. He reports a good rain in his part of the country.

AT THE CHOCOLATE SHOP

You can get anything in the Short Order line Ham and Eggs, Steak and Eggs, and the best chili in town.

I have a nice place for ladies to eat. Everything nice clean and sanitary.

OPEN ALMOST DAY AND NIGHT

I will have Oysters next week and will from then on through the season; served in any style you wish.

ALSO A NICE LINE OF JEWELRY AND JEWELRY REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

JONES CAN FIX IT

W. O. W. Unveiling.

Sunday afternoon the W. O. W. had an unveiling of the monuments of Messrs. Dock Williams and Allison Deaton. The following members of the Richland Springs camp assisted: W. C. Locker, C. C.; D. C. Williams, clerk.

The degree team from Richland Springs also assisted the local camp.

People Speak Well of Chamberlain's Tablets.

"I have been selling Chamberlain's Tablets for about two years and heard such good reports from my customers that I concluded to give them a trial myself, and can say that I do not believe there is another preparation of the kind equal to them," writes G. A. McBride, Headford, Ont. If you are troubled with indigestion or constipation give them a trial. They will do you good.

Mesdames W. H. Joekel and S. E. W. Hudson and little Tom Hudson returned Monday from Mullin where they had been visiting relatives.

Try bulk peanut butter, it is cheaper.—D. H. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Crump returned Sunday from Brady where they had been the guests of relatives.

Messrs. Sherwood and Richard of Georgetown have been guests of friends in the city the early part of the week.

The members of the choir of the Baptist church are to resume choir practice Friday night. All old members are requested to be present and bring a new member with them.

W. A. Smith, the popular mayor of our city, attended a patriotic rally of the citizens of the Bend Monday night. Mayor Smith in his interesting manner encouraged the young manhood to go forward to their training camps and make loyal soldiers. "We are in the war and must win," was his motto.

We can't express the appreciation we have for your trade. We can show you better than we can tell you. Come and see us. Will Ashby.

Mr. Murray Fentress left on the afternoon train Tuesday for Brownwood, where he goes to attend the Daniel Baker College.

Miss Lizzie Barrington left Tuesday afternoon for Goldwaite for a visit with her sister.

Buy the best and get it for less at Will Ashby's.

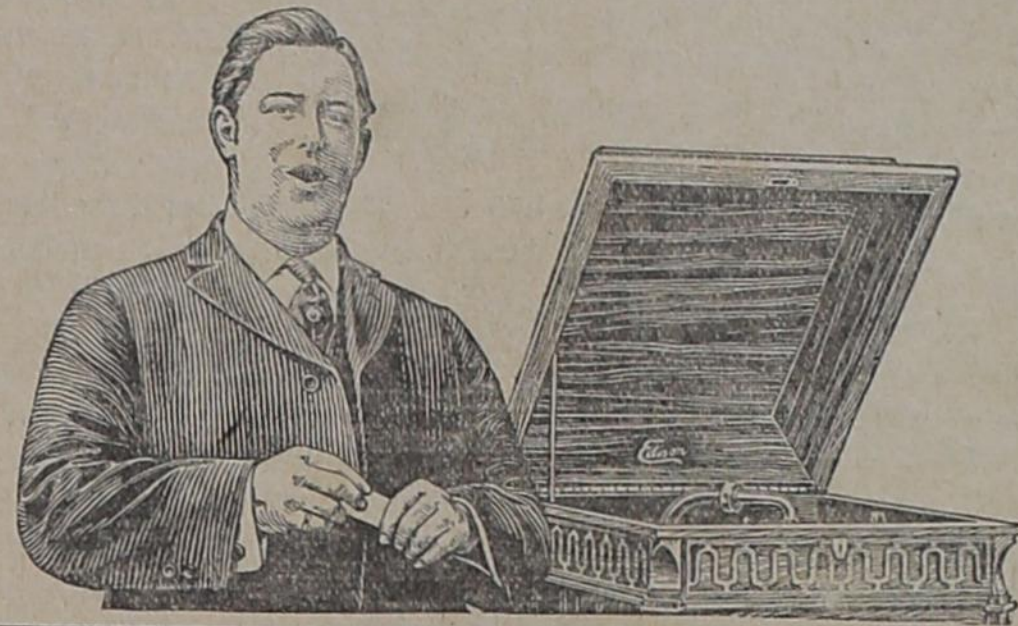
The following were in town Tuesday from Rough Creek shopping: Mesdames J. T. and B. R. Broyles, Misses Rose and Maggie Broyles and Ben Broyles.

Don't forget you account is due and that we need the money.—W. R. Harris.

Mr. Will Martin of Wallace spent Sunday in town with Mrs. Martin and children.

"AMERICA"

as sung by ARTHUR MIDDLETON of the Metropolitan Opera



Arthur Middleton proving by direct comparison that his wonderful voice and the new Edison's Recreation of it are indistinguishable.

There has probably never been a finer performance of AMERICA. It is literally Re-Created by

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Hear this Re-Creation and you have heard Middleton to the very life. We want you to hear it. You will be a better American for hearing it. Come.

ANOTHER TEST

No talking machine could sustain these tests of direct comparison. It is, therefore, needless to say that the New Edison is in a class by itself. If you wish to judge for yourself, how much superior it is to any and all talking machines, we shall be very glad to give you a list of artists who have

made talking machine records and whose voices have also been Re-Created by the New Edison. Go to a talking machine dealer's store and listen to them on a talking machine; then come back to our store and listen to them on the New Edison.

"Don't ask us to sell you Edison Re-Creations if you expect to attempt to play them on a talking machine."

W. H. KIMBROUGH, THE JEWELER.

Mr. Wm. F. Ash, representative of the Baron Bros., was in the city between trains Tuesday making sales with our business firms.

Bring us your butter and eggs.—W. R. Harris.

The Rev. D. H. Kirkpatrick pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church left on Wednesday's train for Sweetwater, where he goes to attend the Presbytery.

Ask for the Golden Gate Coffees and Teas.—W. R. Harris.

FURNITURE FOR SALE
Several articles of household furniture for sale at a bargain. Apply at this office or phone 154.

Don't let your account drag any longer. Come in and settle it.—W. R. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Barker motored over from Cherokee on Tuesday morning to do some shopping.

Miss Eunice Locker, one of the instructors in the C. J. C., was up from Cherokee Monday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kincaid and children of Cherokee passed thru here enroute to Brownwood where they go to place their daughter, Miss Harrel, in the Daniel Baker College.

Eat at the New Restaurant—John Calloway.

Bert Massey who is one of the "Sammies" came in from San Antonio and is spending a few days with relatives and friends. From his appearance, he seems to have been well cared for.

Will Ashby's grocery prices do not disappoint. Try them and be convinced.

The following ladies from Cherokee were in our city Saturday afternoon visitig our shops: Misses Lora and Eula Hanna and Mesdames M. K. Hanner and John Owens.

H. B. Armstrong of Waco spent Tuesday here representing the Burrough's Adding Machine Company.

Too Much Furniture, Auto Casings, Guns and Amunition

Therefore we are offering Exceptional Bargains in these lines.

If you are in need of any of these, price our goods before you make your purchases.

Kirkpatrick & Harris.

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W. D. Cowan, Editor

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Since the fine rains, Editor Schwinker of the Brady Standard does not have to use "mud chains" when he takes a bath.

The young ladies of Mason have a social organization that is known by the euphonius title of J. U. G. And Mason is a dry town, too.

Our idea of a full-fledged optimist is a certain farmer friend living near San Saba. He asserts that he has seen worse crops in San Saba than we have this year and that it is going to rain a plenty to raise a bumper crop of small grain. If our county was filled with such optimistic spirit, nothing less than a double geared cyclone could affect the determination of our citizens

These war time conservation is the order of the day, but Doc Sellars of the Brady Sentinel has gone them one better and is now kicking because a rain that fell above Brady went to waste over their dam. When Texas conserves her rainfall by a system of dams she will then be in line to reach the pinnacle of perfection which the Creator intended when he created our arid broad acres.

Hon. Eugene DeBorger of Abilene, representative from Taylor county, has been given a vote of endorsement by the House of Representatives at Austin. This may in a way put a balm on his conscience for the inconsistent way in which he has voted on many matters coming up that affected his county, but judging from the tone of the press of Taylor county when the voters of his home county have an opportunity to vote an "endorsement" they will put the skates under the embryo statesman and give him what "Pat gave the drum."

Auto speed fiends claim that a car runs smoother and more economical at a rapid speed than a slow pace. Gasoline is cheaper than coffins, too. There is a very strict state law limiting the speed of cars to eighteen miles per hour. There are times when cars coming down the hill south of town would put to shame a limited express train behind time. This item is a gentle reminder that the above thoroughfare is not a speedway, and if the practice is continued of coming off the hill like a bat shot off of a shovel, the joy rider will have to dig up more than he can save in the conservation of oil.

Along the right-of-way of many railroads in Texas hundreds of tons of Johnson grass and other hay is now growing in abundance. As a total these hay crops would doubtless aggregate thousands of tons. In western, southwestern Texas and New Mexico there is no forage or feed of any kind and cattle and work stock are suffering for forage. Throughout the United States the hay crop is short, far below the amount needed to supply the demand. Every pound of hay saved, whether shipped away or used locally augments the supply and relieves the distress. The government should appeal to every railroad and electric line in the state to adopt an ef-

fective conservation policy in the matter of hay along its right-of-way. Do not let it go to waste. See that it is saved. The nation needs it.

Reginning Plants Improve the Grade of Cotton.

The most conclusive evidence that can be offered to prove that the present system of ginning cotton can be greatly improved upon is the fact that "Reginning Plants" have been and are being established at nearly all large concentration points in Texas and other cotton producing states.

Low grade cotton has become so prevalent in recent years that buyers have been forced to penalize grades below middling far in excess of the moderate penalization assessed a few years ago. There was a time, say ten years ago, when the difference in grade values were the same above and below middling, that is, the grades above middling received a premium of one quarter of a cent and the grades below middling were discounted one quarter of a cent; but due to the yearly increase of low grades the differences have widened until they have now reached a point where it is possible to penalize low grades from \$2.50 to \$25.00 per bale. Take for instance low middling cotton; this grade is discounted in the interior markets from \$7.50 to \$10.00 per bale when it should only be discounted \$3.00 per bale, according to its spinable value; but its value like any other commodity become impaired when there is an over-production.

The producer and ginner alike are responsible for the huge loss the farmer sustains through low grade cotton. The farmer can pick his cotton much cleaner and the ginner can gin it much cleaner. This is true because the reginning plants mentioned above are improving low grade cotton a full grade, and the cotton buyer who buys your low middling cotton has it reginned into a middling bale, thereby making a profit which should belong to the producer.

Another Investigation Eminent.

Leo Callan and Guy Lowe went over to Lockhart Thursday to look at thirty head of cattle Bob Sutton was trying to buy over there, but did not have time to go over and inspect. Next time he will go over and pass on the cattle himself, as the expenses of these experts amounted to \$85.10 and the fellow who had them for sale concluded that he would not sell after they got over there. It is further to Lockhart than Mr. Sutton thought it was, for his representatives made a draft on him from there for four dinners over at \$4 each and seven extra meals at \$1.00. The invoice attached to the draft they made over there showed four quarts of lemonade at \$2.50 and four quarts of also liquid at the same price, one auto casing at \$44, one inner tube, \$6.80, twenty gallons of gasoline, \$5.20. There were two dozen bottles of something on the invoice at \$1.80 a dozen, but the handwriting was so bad that it could not be deciphered. They also bought ten gallons of gasoline with which to make the return trip but the fellow charged them 27c for it, which was a mistake. Mr. Sutton paid the draft, but he has engaged two other men to look at the next lot of cattle, but he says he is not going to try to buy any more steers until it rains.—S. A. Cattle Clatter.

This is cause for another investigation, and Ice Box Reeves and Parson Davis from Van Zant are hereby notified to get busy.

Everybody Satisfied.

Editor Wilkes of the Llano News sees a great pro victory for the pros in their recent election in which the antis won by six votes. It is the first prohibition election we ever heard of where both sides were satisfied.—Menard Messenger.

We Give All the News.

The San Saba Star has a very fine news item in the last issue. "The best rain in more than 12 months fell in San Saba this week. The rain was general over the county and neighboring towns and counties report a good rain." Is that not a fine news item? We report from Bell county similar rains that have helped to revive some drooping spirits. These long drouths are very debilitating upon the agricultural communities.—Temple Telegram.

Full of Oats.

One hour before it finally passed the appropriation bill the House ceased consideration of pending business while Speaker F. O. Fuller administered the oath of office to Frank Holladay of Clay county, who took the seat vacated by W. C. Boner. Mr. Holladay cast his first vote, an aye, for the passage of the appropriation bill. Mr. Holladay told newspaper men he was elected on a "pro-University, hog-wild over higher education and anti-Ferguson platform," and that he had won in a race with the grinding of the legislative grill to qualify in time enough to vote for the bill.—Dallas News, August 29.

Any poor burro would, of course, get gay, And then pour forth his rollicking lay, In low pitched key of a vulgar bray,

When full of the "oats of office." Strange.

If the people of Clay don't feel mighty proud Of an oat eating freak that brays so loud, In the August presence of an oat filled crowd.

And ship him a carload of hay for a change.

THE STAR'S TOBACCO FUND

The Star has opened a "Tobacco Fund" for our boys in Europe and all contributions will be forwarded so as to reach their proper destinations. The names of the contributors and the amounts will be printed in the Star each week. Remember 10 cents will buy a sack of tobacco that will, under certain circumstances, add more to the comfort of our absent soldier boys than anything you could send them.

Touching this phase of a soldier's life we clip an extract from a letter written by H. McMahan, who has seen eight years' service and knows the need of the men in the service:

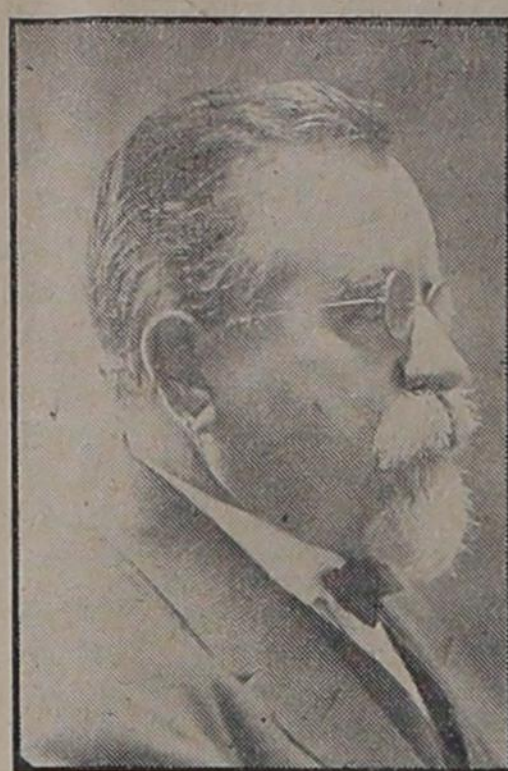
"Enclosed in this letter you will find one (\$1.00) dollar that I am giving you toward your tobacco fund for the soldiers in France. I have belonged to the service going on eight years and am now on recruiting duty in your little city.

"When we first entered the war there were several people who wanted to pass a bill prohibiting the use of tobacco in the army.

"I have always found that a good smoke makes you think better and breaks the monotony while waiting for an order for some movement to be executed. There were several times that I remember very well when I have been out about fifty miles in a country that didn't have any store or any way to get a smoke and so I save up the butts for future use.

"I don't know how long it will be before I am ordered to France and when I do get there I would like some time to receive

Ex-Senator F. C. Weinert, Texas New Warehouse Commissioner



Amid the bickering of political factions, the above gentleman was confirmed as Commissioner of Markets and Warehouses by a Senate that is antagonistic to him in many measures. But the Senators know the true worth of Senator Weinert and his confirmation was a personal tribute to the man by his political opponents. Texas possesses very few more able men than Senator Weinert and there is not a man living who is more sincere and conscientious in his convictions.

a good old sack of Bull Durham when my supply has about run out.

"There are several of the boys that are across the pond now that I have soldiered with, and I know that they will be glad to receive any kind of a present that is of some use.

"There are several orders that girls belong to that are always sending goodies or some foolishness to soldiers, which do not do you any good or stick to your ribs like smoking or the comfort bags that are being made."

Send in your contribution, no matter how large or how small: San Saba Star\$10.00

FROM THE LLANO NEWS

Mrs. Brown Mayes is visiting with her daughters in Llano. She came down Sunday from her home in the Pontotoc country.

Mrs. W. J. Moore and daughter, Miss Anette, of San Saba were visiting with friends and relatives in our city last week.

Dick Miller, Mrs. Joe Clark and Miss Armour Leigh Burleson motored over to Llano from their homes in San Saba last week for a short stay.

Miss Winnie Justus left on last Tuesday for Houston where she goes to take up her work in the Houston Public Schools. Miss Justus was a teacher of art in the Houston schools last year and on account of her distinct and striking ability in this line of work she was called back to her position for another year.

FROM EDEN ECHO

Miss Margaret Tombs came up from Richland Springs Sunday to teach the primary school until the other teacher can come. Miss Tombs taught here last year and is familiar with the work and is loved by her pupils.

William Ellis of Hills went to San Saba Sunday, where he will attend school this winter.

Mrs. C. L. Prather came up from Algeria last week to visit her mother, brother and sister, Mrs. N. C. Jefferson, T. N. Jefferson and Mrs. Burleson and family and at the same time she participated in the feast of good thing sresente dat the Chataqua. She returned home Sunday.

T. S. Walker and family have moved from their former Barnett Springs home to the M. D. Oliver residence recently purchased through G. H. Hagan. We are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Walker as citizens of the city.



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SOME IDEA OF OUR MILITARY STRENGTH

Gives Mass of Figures to Make Us Proud of Our Various Fighting Units.

Washington, Sept. 14.—In the belief that the country does not understand the real strength of the American military and naval forces, Chairman Dent today submitted to the House, for publication in the Congressional Record, a statement prepared at his home by the committee on public information from government records.

"On Sept 6, 1917," the statement says, "there were in the regular army, national guards and reserve corps of the army 78,828 officers and 741,053 enlisted men, 41,473 naval reserves and 14,500 of the naval militia in the federal service. There were 5,000 in the coast guard and 6,500 in the hospital corps, making a total of 210,340. En-

listed men of the marine corps was 29,971; reserves in the service, 1,070; national naval volunteers, 704; retired men on active duty, 144. There were approximately 12,000 officers in the navy and 1,166 in the marine corps.

"In other words, on that date the army had, including officers and enlisted men, 819,881, and the navy 254,265, making a total armed strength on that date of 1,074,146 men, all of whom are volunteers. Prior to that time there was not a drafted soldier in a single training camp. The draft law was approved May 18, 1917."

Lodge Jewel.

A lodge jewel with emblems has been left at this office and the organization to which it belongs can have it by calling at this office.

D. H. Moore and daughter, Miss Jollie, of Bend were here this week shopping.

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W. R. Harris

FROM BRADY STANDARD

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh had something in the nature of a family reunion at their home on last Sunday, and the coincident arrival of a new son made the occasion likewise a birthday party. The visitors included W. P. Stobaugh, wife and baby, W. J. Stobaugh and wife and Miss Callie Stobaugh, all of Coleman, E. T. Stobaugh and family of San Saba and W. C. Stobaugh and family of Rockport.

The Standard has received a number of requests from cattle men as to the number of cattle shipped out of Brady recently. Through the courtesy of Agents Chas. Weise of the Frisco and G. M. Bennett of the Santa Fe, we are informed that a total of six hundred and twenty-five carloads, with a grand total of 18,750 head of cattle had been shipped out since January 1st and up until September 1st. As the figures do not include the shipments from Whitehead, Rochelle and Mercury, it can readily be seen that McCulloch is still some "cattle country."

A. F. Wood was here from the Richland Springs community on

yesterday, greeting his many friends, while enroute home from Dallas where he had just contracted for the purchase of a peanut thresher, huller and other machinery for a complete outfit. He reports that they have had splendid success with their peanuts on their place five miles northwest of Richland. Last year they had 1,200 acres in cotton and the balance in feed but on account of the boll weevil becoming so bad they decided to cut down their cotton acreage to 400 acres, even though they owned their own gin plant. The cost of their cotton crop in 1916 they figured at \$3.33 per acre, and in 1917 at \$2.59. The cost of working their peanut crop they estimate to be about the same. With peanuts worth \$1.35 per bushel, and the hay worth \$25.00 per ton, they expect to make \$40,000 off of the 800 acres devoted to this crop.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

One of the nicest places in town. Five room house and 3 1-2 acres of land subject to irrigation.

Will trade for a good automobile. Jones Can Fix It

W. N. Ellis left Tuesday afternoon for Mineral Wells.

FROM LLANO SEARCHLIGHT

On last Saturday night at an early hour fire broke out in a rent house in North Llano belonging to Rev. Briggs and completely destroyed the building. Only a few days before a family moved out of the place and at the time it was burned it was vacant. The origin of the fire is not known.

The very serious drouth that has been on so long was broken last week by a several-inch rain in this and all surrounding counties. New life is in vegetation of all kinds and the "spirit" of the people greatly improved.

L. W. Brown, the hog man, whose headquarters are at Fort Worth, Texas, but who is at present located in Llano, paid the first of the week 13 cents per pound for feeder hogs. So far as we know this is the largest price ever paid for feeder hogs in this county. Mr. Brown says fat hogs will bring a better price than feeders and the price of feeders may advance even above the 13-cent mark.

FROM LOMETA REPORTER

M. Brazil, who now lives in San Saba, but who was for many years a citizen of the Bend community was here yesterday, accompanied by his family and nephew, J. R. Brazil, enroute to Marlin where he goes for treatment. Mr. Brazil has suffered for several months with rheumatism and it is hoped that he will soon be restored to his former health.

Rev. W. H. Davis and family left this morning for San Saba where they will make their future home, Rev. Davis having accepted the position as missionary evangelist in San Saba county. This family has resided in Lometa for five years and it is with regret that their friends see them leave. However, we congratulate San Saba county upon the prospects of having these estimable people permanently located in their midst.

FROM BRADY SENTINEL

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stobaugh are receiving the congratulations of their many friends upon the arrival of a fine son at their home Sunday night. The young man tipped the scales at nine pounds and is a husky youngster.

Dr. R. A. Lindley was over from Menard a few days the past week. The doctor seems to be so taken with Menard that he spends the greater part of his time in his office over there. Probably our friend, Josh Billings can explain why.

McCulloch county farmers are sowing wheat and oats and getting ready for the fine fall and winter seasons which are almost sure to come. Grain will be grain next spring, and beside the financial side of the matter it is the patriotic duty of every farmer to produce every bushel of grain possible.

Hon. Buck Gray of Cherokee was in town last Saturday. He came over with his daughter, Miss Sue Bettie, who was on her way to Denton to enter the College of Industrial Arts; and Miss Lora Hart who goes to Dallas to enter a business college. Buck reports range conditions in the southern portion of the county as improving since the rains.

Uncle Oscar Harris and Clarence Gosch's ex-partners in the persons of Bill Ellis and Dr. E. C. Simmons, made an assault on the finny tribe this week. Dick Ellis, their chaperone, reports that he caught all the fish the party could eat.

Buck Chamberlain is back home from a two-weeks visit with relatives in Colgate, Okla.

SCHOOL NOTES

School opened Sept. 19 with an attendance of approximately 500. Since then about fifty have entered, and by the close of the month there will be 600 or more.

The attendance this year is not so great as that of last year, owing, principally, to the drouth, which has compelled many people to seek employment in more favored sections of the state. The sixth and seventh grades, however, are larger than ever and it has become necessary to transfer parts of them to another department.

The pupils of the High School department have secured money with which to purchase flags, one U. S. flag and one Texas flag, for the school building.

School children will sing patriotic songs at the court house during the noon hour of Sept. 19 in honor of the members of the American army leaving that day for the training camps.

On the evening of Friday, Sept. 21, at the High School auditorium, under the auspices of the Red Cross. Misses Bell and Campbell of Temple with their accompanists, will entertain with violin and voice the general public, the price of admission being fifteen and twenty-five cents. The proceeds are to go to the San Saba chapter of the Red Cross. This entertainment will be highly artistic and will be very instructive, particularly to people of musical proclivities, the members of the company being the most talented in our country.

As a healthful diversion is necessary for children in school, we are organizing a basket ball and a foot ball team, etc., and hope to cultivate an athletic spirit which will give additional strength and interest to school life in general. We believe well organized play to be almost essential to child life as food, and we expect to give it attention accordingly.

The Latin and Spanish courses in the High School are more popular now than in the past. It is quite common for boys to "step up" and say: "I'd like to stop my German course and take up Spanish instead." (They think it unpatriotic to study German) The American boy would die outright if he couldn't "air himself" occasionally, you know.—W. W. Hart.

HURRAH! RINGLING DAY ALMOST HERE

Big Circus and Great Spectacle Will Occupy Five Trains Crammed with Wonders

The big event for which the youngsters and grownups have been impatiently waiting is drawing near, for on Friday, Sept. 28, Ringling Brothers' circus is to exhibit afternoon and night in Austin.

Expectancy never ran so high before and it is likely that this district will send a large delegation to feed the elephants. Unusual interest centers around the gigantic spectacle, "Cinderella," which the famous showmen are this season opening their wonderful main tent program. "Cinderella" is probably the best loved of all fairy tales and to see it produced with more than 1000 persons, hundreds of dancing girls and glorious pageants, indeed gives promise of making "childhood's golden dreams come true." In the same great tent will come the marvelous circus numbers in which 400 men and women performers, scores of trained animals and a galaxy of special features are introduced. The majority of the acts are entirely new to America, the Ringling Bros. having secured the pick of all European performers who have been obliged to seek engagements in this country. The all-new street parade will take place show day morning.

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We will give a free scholar-

ship in the school of your choice to anyone finding another school teaching both bookkeeping and business through practical business transactions as we do. Similar practical methods are used in teaching Shorthand, Cotton Classing, Telegraphy and Business Administration and Finance. We believe in teaching in the school room that which you must do when going into the business world, and it is this policy that has made the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas, the largest school of the kind in America.

Write for large free catalogue explaining our original methods of teaching and securing positions. There is a reason for our school drawing patronage from thirty-nine different states and seven foreign countries. Investigate it, the best is none too good for you, for you must use this education for life and its quality measures your success.

The millinery firm of Hubbert and Stobaugh have engaged Miss Bertha May to assist in their department. Miss May will be pleased to have her many friends come in and let her show the splendid display of hats they have in stock.

In the Kingdom of God the reward of a great service is the opportunity to render a still greater service.—Lyman Abbott.

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SOLDIERS LEAVE
(Continued From Page One)

James Richard Hyde, Holt.
John Tee Oakley, Regency.
Joseph Ross Speed, Locker
Fred Oliver Gamblin, Hall.
Bob Walter Norris, San Saba.
Joseph Clabe Sullivan, San Saba.
Angus Bryan Terry, San Saba.
William Mark Reese, San Saba.
James Franklin Hickman, Cherokee.
James Morton Baker, San Saba.
Osborne Mullins, San Saba.
James William Elder, Bend.
Edward Bush Guess, San Saba.
Martin Knight Carter, San Saba.
J. Arch Ford, Mercury.
Elmer Adams Stroble, San Saba.
Elcie Lilly, Locker.
Grover Cleveland Butler, San Saba.
James Walter Land, Richland Springs.
Charles Thomas Grumbles, San Saba.
Robert Hicks Carr, San Saba.

The Local Board put Moore in command of the party and designated Carr to be second in command.

These registrants were summoned to the colors and were entrained in accordance with the bulletin posted by the Local Board on the 13th.

The traffic arrangements made by the Adjutant General's department were even better than was expected. A special through car to the mobilization camp for the boys of this county was carried by the regular Santa Fe train Wednesday afternoon. At Lometa the car was made a part of the Santa Fe Special.

This same arrangement was made for McCulloch's county's men as well, the same train out of this place carrying a special car for them from Brady that went all the way through.

The Local Board got in touch with the hotels at Lometa, and was assured by them that they proposed to give the boys of this county a supper that they would long remember.

There were fifty-one men in all summoned to report Wednesday for entrainment. The board

directed that many to report in accordance with instructions from the Adjutant General to have at least ten extra men on hand to send in case the board would later be called on to supply an additional number of men up to ten. The reason for that in some counties of the State the proportion of negroes was so large that they did not have in their quota the number of white men they were called on to entrain for their second increments. The board was instructed to hold all of the men summoned till the time of entrainment so that if a late order should be given it for additional men, it could be filled. The board, however, received no such order from the Adjutant General, hence it sent the regular contingent of thirty-nine men, or forty per cent of its quota, and excused the others till the next increment goes out on or soon after the third of next month.

At the train Wednesday it was learned from Brady and McCulloch men that their Local Board had received such an order as the one just mentioned, and that their regular increment of forty men had been increased by over ten men additional. And several of them stated that it was their understanding that McCulloch county would be called on for fifteen or more additional men later this week. This probably was the basis of the report that became current yesterday that this county would have to send more men in its second increment later this week, but the Local Board states that it has received no official advices to this effect as yet.

In making up the first two installments of the quota, the board was instructed not to follow strictly the order of liability of service of the men in the available list, but to select such men as in its opinion should compose the increment, great care being taken that no man be selected whose order number might be outside of

those included in the entire quota. However, in the installment sent forward Wednesday, the board with few exceptions called men according to their run of order numbers in the "good soldier" list.

The program as announced for the leave-taking of the soldier boys was carried out with the following variations:

Mr. Bob Carr was chosen to respond for the soldiers. The C. J. C. brass band furnished suitable music. R. W. Burleson being absent, "Learning to Be a Soldier" was omitted. Misses Annette Moore and Louise Urquhart presented the "Housewives" which were kahki bound rolls containing the necessary articles found in a mother's work basket. The High School pupils sang "America," Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean" and "The Star Spangled Banner," after which the boys repaired to the basement of the court house and were served a most appetizing dinner. This dinner had been prepared by the estimable ladies of the town.

At 2:00 p. m. the boys marched down Wallace street, headed by W. J. Wilcox and Nelson Gay carrying the drum, followed by Messrs. D. Chadwick and Northcut with Frank Hickman of Cherokee flag bearer. Then they proceeded to the train where a great host of relatives and friends awaited their coming.

The Richland Springs string band also furnished music.

By actual count there were more than 132 automobiles there. The greatest crowds were in town that had been here since the fair.

Some of the boys seemed very much pleased while on the whole more of them seemed serious, realizing the great responsibility upon them. The train pulled out with flags, hats and handkerchiefs waving and farewell handshakes and whispered words of "Be a brave soldier and come back home."

Cherokee Well Represented.

With Prof. Jeff Wilcox as director of the band, the following members were present: Misses Ada Sims and Marie Barker and Messrs. Shockrey, Wilcox, Nelson Gay, Dewey Mayes, Ralph Thompson and Ulba Walker. Others from Cherokee were: Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Barber, Mrs. E. T. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Barber, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hanner, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Taff, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Gray, Mesdames E. T. Barber, Matt Hanner, Evans, Bagley and Master Eugene, J. H. L. Behens, Misses Beulah Mae Walker, Lora and Eula Hanna, Stella Gay, Pearl

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1. Does not interfere with literary studies.
2. Is free with literary tuition, both for Academy and College Students.
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Brownwood, Texas.

Peaverly, Jessis Mae Ottinger, Lucile Barber, May Harrel, Melissa and Mattie Behrens, Pinkney and Ima Green and Messrs. J. W. Hickman, Ray Walker, Dennis Dean, Theodore Ideus, J. W. McKneeley and son, Olonzo, Graves and Marvin Burke, Boyd Hanna, J. T. Hartley, J. D. Caviness, as well as others.

The proceeds of the entertainment at the School Auditorium Sept. 21st are to be donated to the Red Cross.

Fresh Louisiana Oysters at the Kandy Kitchen. 30c per dozen.

Our friend, G. R. Lane, of the Algeria section was in town on Tuesday attending to business.

Miss Nancy Coughran of Richland Springs was a visitor in San Saba Wednesday.

Don Gray of Llano was a business visitor Wednesday.

You can get those good yam potatoes at Harris'.

Mr. and Mrs. August Beyer, Miss Selma and Master Frank of Valley Springs accompanied their son and brother, Mr. Hilman Beyer, here Wednesday as he was one of the noble boys whom Uncle Sam has use for.

Mrs. Matt Kuykendall of Cherokee left on Wednesday's train for Temple where she was called to see a friend who is in the sanitarium.

Mr. John Kavanaugh of Richland Springs was here Wednesday.

Monday night Messrs. Dennis, Sullivan and J. B. Carr with some of the other enterprising citizens of town gave the soldier boys a spread which was very much enjoyed.

Join the Red Cross.

The local Red Cross is going to push the next two weeks trying to secure 500 members for a chapter. So if you are not a member get busy, if not join and help them in this noble work. They also desire any locality that wants a Red Cross to get in touch with some of the members and they will gladly assist in an organization. Mrs. J. C. Campbell is one of the committee on organization of San Saba.

Messrs. Tyra Bowman and Simon Bickley of Cherokee took the train here for Fort Worth Wednesday.

Don't pass us on butter and eggs. We pay high.—W. R. Harris.

U. M. Sanderson left this week for Dallas, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Bernice, who will attend the Southern Methodist University the coming sessions.

Seed oats at Harris'.

Notice! Society Ladies.

I have come to San Saba to be local editor for the Star and shall be especially pleased to give in its columns all the social events.

I should like to know the hostess, guest list, amusements and refreshments. Please let me have the notes over the telephone, by letter or a personal conference.

I am here to make a success, so shall be very glad to get the items; and your friends elsewhere will be pleased to read about these social happenings. **DAISY BURKE.**

R. W. Burleson accompanied his daughter, Miss Armour Leigh, as far as Dallas on her way to Ward-Belmont College at Nashville, which institution she will matriculate from in the coming session.

Messrs. Joe and Jim Ellis left Wednesday for Dallas to attend school the coming term. This is their senior year.

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RICHLAND SPRINGS

Mrs. C. Moore and children after a two weeks' visit to relatives in Brownwood returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Cox of Fort McKavett, accompanied by Mr. W. F. Miller, were in the city Monday enroute to Star.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCall of Brownwood are visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. Moore, and will probably make this their home.

Misses Louise Walters and Grace Carroll came up Sunday from San Saba to assume duties as teachers in our public school.

Misses Emma Taylor and Ella Coff have opened up a first class dress making shop upstairs in the Bank building.

Charlie Moore and Miss Ruby Spurlock went to Brownwood Monday to take the former's brother, Arthur, who will enter H. P. C. They were accompanied home by Miss Edith Johnson, who will visit here awhile.

At a meeting of the Red Cross at the Christian church Tuesday night, J. T. Wood was elected secretary to fill the vacancy made by C. H. Bentley. Quite a number of the San Saba workers were present and showed a great deal of interest in the work.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McDaniel, who are visiting in the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Taylor, expect to leave about the 24th for Arizona to make their home.

Mr. J. D. Edmondson of Voca was in the city trading Saturday.

Mr. Joe Miller has a position in J. T. Wood's new store.

Rev. Tippen of Mullin filled the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday morning and night.

James, Joe and Wade Ellis and Misses Rose Cohen and Katy Fagg of San Saba visited Miss Sibyl Favers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chamberlain of San Saba were visitors in the home of R. H. Taylor Sunday.

Masters Elbert Scott and James King, after a visit to their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. King, returned to their home in Lometa Saturday.

Miss Amada Williams left Wednesday for Tyler where she will take a stenographic course in the T. C. C. Knight Carter and sister, Miss Lillie of San Saba were guests of Miss Emma Taylor Sunday.

Mrs. Burley Ballard and daughter, Gwendolen, of Algerita are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Locklear and children of Voca are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sud Locklear.

Miss Vash Wood has accepted a position in J. T. Wood's store.

Walter Lambert is a business visitor to Fort Worth this week.

Miss Stella Locker has accepted a position as bookkeeper in her father's office.

Marion Burleson expects to leave this week for Waco where he will enter Baylor University.

The High School opened Monday morning with all the teachers present and a good attendance of trustees and pupils.

Friends of O. A. Tombs will be glad to learn that he is able to be up again after a brief illness.

Miss Lucille Brewer of San Angelo was a week-end guest of Miss Amada Williams.

Richland Springs Baptist church will sit in called conference Sunday, September 23, at 11 a. m. Something that is to come before the church: Call a pastor—for what time; salary to be paid; whom shall we call? We urge all members to be present.—Deacons.

BEND

(By Tulip)

Mr. George Ellis and sons, Ramond, Percy and Durand left Saturday for Waxahachie.

M. Dolphie Baxter and Ab Pinkin shipped two cars of cattle to Fort Worth Monday.

The Union meeting which has been in progress the past week came to a close Sunday night. There was a large attendance during the meeting and everyone pronounced it a good one.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Pritchard have gone to Celina.

The farmers are busy picking cotton now, but on account of the drouth it is not very good and it will soon all be picked.

The pecans are very good this year.

Mrs. Mary Morris is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Moore.

Mr. D. F. Moore and daughter, Miss Jolly, went to San Saba Friday.

Doss Alexander and Pier Bradley

left Tuesday for Lampasas where they will be transferred to the army mobilization camp at San Antonio.

Mr. Jarrel Moore, Ot Elder and Lynn White have gone away to pick cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bagley have gone to Celina.

Mr. Edwin Parker of Maxwellton was here Sunday.

Messrs. Luther Baxter, Pier Bradley and Lee Chambers went to San Saba Saturday.

A large crowd attended church Sunday.

Mr. Sherman Millican and J. W. Parks of Coleman were here Sunday.

Mr. John Keeney and children of Nix were here Sunday.

Messrs. Lee and Arthur Jackson have returned from Fort Worth.

The following from Chapel were here Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alexander and children, Mrs. Mary McCurry and children and Miss Estelle McRory.

The following from San Saba were down Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Edd Bearden and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Gaddy and children.

Bill Scott has gone to Waxahachie.

Mr. Clyde Bagley has returned home from Fort Worth.

Mr. Hersell Byrd has gone to Fort Worth.

SLOAN SIFTINGS

(Rip Van Winkle)

The Rev. B. D. D. Leer filled his regular appointment at New Hope church Saturday night, Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and Sunday night. On Sunday night Mrs. Edna Maxwell joined the church and Miss Ethel Percy joined the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Henry Taylor and Miss Amy Sloan are visiting relatives at Brownwood.

J. A. Sloan shipped two cars of cows and calves to Fort Worth Tuesday.

Some of our people are anxiously awaiting more rain. The rain two weeks ago started vegetation nicely, but if more doesn't come soon things will be at a standstill again, so far as winter range for livestock is concerned.

Jim Brumble and brother are building a cattle house for the Sloan girls.

CHEROKEE LOCALS

(By Daffodil)

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Halcomb of Lampasas were here Monday, the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Halcomb.

Newt Lucas of Rough Creek was here Monday.

Mrs. Clint Sawyer of Babyhead was here Sunday and Monday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Claude McKneely.

Mr. DeWitt Lively and family have moved back to their home at Valley Springs. We regret to see this estimable family move from our midst.

Mrs. Day Carter of San Saba was over Sunday and remained throughout the week, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Hugh Barber.

We failed to mention last week that Mrs. Claude Dickerson, who had been here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Emma Whitt, had returned to her home at Goldthwaite.

Jess Holt went to Valley Springs Tuesday with a load of household furniture for Mr. DeWitt Lively, who was moving back to Valley Springs.

Mr. T. E. Davis of San Saba was here Wednesday tuning pianos.

Miss Louise Latham and John Latham of Fredonia were here Wednesday visiting friends.

The following spent Wednesday on the Cherokee Creek, enjoying the balmy weather and fishing: Mr. and Mrs. Will Mitchell and baby, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mitchell and Mrs. Lou Edwards.

Mr. Boyd Hannah made a business trip to Llano Tuesday.

Mr. John Owens returned Saturday from San Antonio, where he had been working on the cantonment and will remain here a few days before resuming his work there.

The following were in Llano Wednesday: Misses Pearl Peneley, Marie Barker, Master Jack Barker and Clay Walker.

John Mitchell went to San Saba Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Maxwell of Sloan were over last Sunday, the guests of the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Kuykendall.

Mr. Oscar Martin of Valley Springs passed through here Wednesday with a herd of two hundred cattle, which he was taking to San Saba to ship.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Wallace and children have returned to their home

in Wichita Falls, after having been the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. W. D. Dougherty, a few days.

Jess Holt went to San Saba Wednesday and returned Thursday.

Miss Pearl Peneley has returned from a visit to relatives in Waco and Hill county.

The following went to San Saba Friday to attend Miss Nora Walker's millinery opening: Mrs. Allyn Walker, Miss Fannie Walker and Mr. J. L. Walker.

Dr. C. L. Behrens and Cal Mitchell went to San Saba Thursday.

J. L. Walker went to San Saba on Thursday with a bale of cotton.

Miss Daisy Burke and Graves Burke were in San Saba Thursday.

Alec Gay of Swanson, Kent county, arrived here Thursday.

Mr. Ike Williams, who has been buying horses here, will leave soon for Mississippi, where he will ship two cars of horses.

The equipment for the domestic science room at the college is arriving and will soon be well fitted for work. Laboratory work will also be included in the domestic science course.

It will be of interest to many friends here to learn of the death of Rev. Doak, the father of Rev. Charles Doak, who was pastor of the Methodist church here a few years ago. Rev. Doak died at his home in LaRue, Texas. Besides three sons, all of whom are engaged in the active ministry, he leaves a daughter and a wife to mourn his death. The family had lived here and had many warm friends.

Mr. O. K. Graham and family are now occupying the Mrs. Wm. Hilliard residence in town.

Bob Graham accidentally shot his foot Friday.

Mrs. Day Carter returned the latter part of the week to her home in San Saba, after having been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Hugh Barber, since Sunday.

Jimmy El Parks of Locker is attending the C. J. C.

Roy Cox of Ebony was here Friday to see his brother, J. E. Cox. He returned home Saturday.

Mrs. A. Peeler left Saturday for El Paso, where she goes to visit her son, Charles McDonald.

Miss Rhoda Randolph has returned from Temple where she had been to have her tonsils removed. She is better and will soon be able to enter school.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dougherty and baby are moving to Fredonia, where they will live, and take charge of the latter's mother's farm.

Abner Gregg of Rough Creek was here Sunday, the guest of his grandfather, Mr. W. R. Gregg.

Jesse Locker of Richland Springs is attending the C. J. C.

Ernest Alberson was here Sunday. Mark Sessions went to San Saba Thursday.

Miss Myrtle Wood of Kingsland arrived Saturday to be here for the opening of the public school Monday, as she is intermediate teacher for the coming term.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore and children and Mr. F. B. Barton of Field Creek were over Saturday to visit relatives.

Mr. John Owens returned Friday to San Antonio, where he went to resume his work on the cantonment, after having spent a few days' visit at home.

Mrs. Ike Williams has been very ill the past week.

Mrs. Dimmitt Wood and daughter, Miss Dorothy, left Saturday for Brady where they went to visit relatives.

Miss Lee Westbrook of McDade arrived Saturday to be here for the opening of Public School. She is instructor for the primary department, and has taught several successful terms here.

Mrs. J. J. Mayes is expecting her daughter, Mrs. William G. Law, of Bange to visit her this week. At present Mrs. Law is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Virgie McCoy, at San Saba.

Dewey Mayes returned home from Dallas this week where he had been attending a business school. He completed one course, and after remaining at home a few days will go on to Georgetown, where he will enter the sophomore class of the Southwestern University. He is one of the C. J. C. graduates of 1916-17.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel McKneely and Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell have each secured a baby piece from the orphans home at Austin. The three little boys are aged five, nine and twelve, respectively. They are all brothers, their name being Caveness. Their father and mother formerly lived here, and they

have relatives living here, Commissioner Jno. Caveness being related to them.

The trustees and teachers of the Cherokee High School had a business meeting Saturday afternoon to arrange for the opening Monday morning.

Rev. J. E. G. Killman and son, J. L., took the following to San Saba where they took the train for Dallas and Fort Worth: Misses Wilma Hillman, Lora Hart, Sue Betty Gray. Miss Hillman will go to Fort Worth and remain there awhile before going on to enter the C. I. A. at Denton. Misses Gray and Hart will stop in Dallas. They will be the guests of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Mark Boone. Miss Hart will also attend a business school. Miss Gray will go to the C. I. A. at Denton after a few days in Dallas.

Mrs. Goff, who has been here for some time visiting her brother, Mr. J. C. Mitchell, expects to leave Monday for her home.

Mr. Geo. Markley who is at the Temple sanitarium, has been dangerously ill, and his daughter, Mrs. Wilhelm, has been called to his bedside. However, we are glad to report that he is slightly better at present, and trust he may soon recover.

Reuben Gray will leave Monday for Southwestern University. He will be a senior this year and is going two weeks earlier in order to do some special work.

Miss Daisy Burke left Monday for San Saba where she went to accept a position as local editor of the Star.

Mrs. Ida Kuykendall returned from Temple Saturday where she had been to accompany Miss Alice Holt. Miss Holt was operated upon Thursday and Mrs. Kuykendall reports that she is doing as well as possible under the condition.

The following left Sunday for Pleheville: Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Simmons and Miss Kate Gay. Miss Gray has accepted a position as teacher of the Pleheville school for the coming term, which begins Monday.

Monday night a committee from the Red Cross chapter at San Saba will come over and organize a local branch here. It will be at 7:30 o'clock at the Methodist church. Everybody is urged to attend.

A number of Cherokee boys have been drafted for September 19th. Following is a list of some of those who will go: Messrs. Frank Hickman, Bob Graham, Vester Ruffner, Dennis Dean and Theodore Ideus. These are the first drafted men to go from here, although Cherokee has quite a number of boys already enlisted.

On Monday, September 17, the Cherokee High School began its annual term. The school has been increasing in numbers each year and is now in a crowded condition. However, the faculty for this year is a most excellent one and will do anything possible to alleviate conditions. The following compose the faculty: Prof. O. K. Graham, principal; Misses Fannie Walker, Myrtle Wood, Lee Westbrook, teachers of the intermediate and primary grades.

Saturday afternoon the Cherokee Farmers' Marketing and Buying Association had a meeting to see about ordering seed wheat. The price for the wheat was fixed at \$2.23 per bushel, including transportation charges. Quite a number put in their order for seed, and a good deal of grain will be sown.

Love Walker has a position as clerk in C. M. McKneely's store now since Lester Lively has returned to Valley Springs.

Second Hand Ford For Sale.

I have a good second hand Ford car for sale that has been overhauled and put in first-class condition.—G. A. Arhelger.

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Mrs. Burleson Entertains. THE MARKETING PROBLEM Co-Operation, Article I

Quite the most pleasant event which has occurred in the history of Mrs. Leigh Burleson's Sunday school class took place Saturday afternoon from 4:50 o'clock at the swimming pool.

Mrs. Burleson had promised them this pleasure, so at the appointed hour the members assembled and were merrily transported to the scene of pleasure by Miss Daisy Lee Taylor, who drove them over in her car.

After having spent the hour in the delights of the swimming pool, the class was pleasantly surprised by being told they were to partake of some delicious refreshments which consisted of ice cream and cake.

Those partaking of this hour of pleasure were: Misses Eula Sullivan, Daisy Lee Taylor, Edith Ketchum, Bertha Breazale, Inez Johnson and the hostess, Mrs. Burleson.

Mrs. Day Carter returned from Cherokee Sunday. She spent the past week as a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Barber, there.

The next article will deal with production, transportation, conversion, distribution, financing and consumption following in their natural order.

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Lava Soap	.10	6 Glass Tumblers	.25
7 Bars Laundry Soap	.25	6 Glass Goblets	.50
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