

Economy makes happy homes and sound nations. Install it deep.—George Washington.

# THE SAN SABA STAR

A great deal of talent is lost in this world for want of courage.—Sidney Smith.

W. D. COWAN, Proprietor

SAN SABA, SAN SABA, COUNTY TEXAS, MAY 23 1918

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## BULLETIN OF SELECTION BOARD

1. Of the three general induction calls mentioned in last week's bulletin, Call No. 383 governs this Board. Under such call 37 white men will be entrained on Monday, the 27th instant, and sent to Camp Travis.

2. Under the seven special induction calls mentioned in last week's bulletin, this Board received up to the closing date for applications, the 20th instant, two applications under Call No. 537 for stockraisers; men whose applications are acted on favorably by State Headquarters to be sent to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., and to report to the Commanding Officer of the Veterinary Corps.

3. The second registration of a person subject to registration by this Board since the regular registration of June 5, 1917 has been accomplished. The first was the case of Joe J. Brown, who was given the Serial Number of 1025 and the Order Number of 470½; the second was the recent case of James Harris Moore, who has been given the Serial Number of 1026 and the Order Number 863½. This brings the total registration within this county up to 1026; probably the highest number that will be attained under the Act of May 18, 1917.

4. The Act just referred to contains the following passage: "That all male persons shall be subject to registration as herein provided who shall have attained their twenty-first birthday and who shall not have attained their thirty-first birthday on or before the day set for registration." This means that all male persons born on or after June 6, 1886 and up to and including June 5, 1896 were within the draft age on June 5, 1917; and that all such persons born on or before June 5, 1886, or born on or after June 6, 1886 were not within the draft age on June 5, 1917. We are giving this information at this time so that if any one even at this

late date is still undecided whether or not he was due to be registered, he can ascertain what his status was on registration day, and if he learns that he should have been registered he can come forward at once and be registered, for the reason that the sooner that a delinquent of this sort takes this step the easier it might be for him to prove that his failure to be registered was not willful. The attention of parents of men within the draft age on June 5, 1917 who were not subject to registration on such date on account of having enlisted prior thereto in the military or naval service of the U. S. is especially called to the following: "Persons not subject to registration on account of being in the military or naval service of the United States become subject to registration and are required to register immediately upon leaving such military or naval service." The Act of May 18, 1917, governed persons within the prescribed draft age on June 5, 1917, and such act will continue to apply to such persons, whether they were registered on such date or any date thereafter. This fact should be thoroughly understood by all.

5. The bill that has been pending at Washington providing for the registration of men who have attained the age of 21 since June 5, 1917, has become a law. Official instructions from State Headquarters concerning the matter contain the following: "We have received a telegram from General Crowder announcing that Congress has passed the Act providing for the registration of men who have become twenty-one years of age since June 5th, last, and further advising that a proclamation by the President will be issued shortly, naming June 5th, 1918, as the day of registration. General Crowder requests that the widest publicity be given to the fact that all men who have attained the age of twenty-one since June 5th, 1917, will be required to register on the day mentioned, and you are requested personally to see that each local newspaper in your county publishes this fact. The press can assist us very materially

in notifying each young man who is subject to registration and I feel sure that the press will co-operate with us to the fullest extent. Statistics show that about one-tenth of the total registration on June 5th, 1917, was made by men who attained the age of twenty-one in the twelve months next preceding that date of registration. From this fact we can roughly estimate that the registration on June 5th, 1918, will be about ten per cent of the total registration on June 5th, 1917; in other words, we can roughly estimate that about forty thousand boys will register on that day in Texas. Every person of the designated age will be required to register under the supervision of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the area in which he permanently resides." Regulations for registration of June 5th, 1918, are yet to be issued. Further information in the matter will be given in later bulletins.

6. General Induction Call No. 564 has been received. Under this call two men will be entrained on one of the five days beginning the 29th instant for Fort Sam Houston, Texas. This call is for white men in Class I, Group A, only. The call is a national one and includes 50,000 men. This amount added to the 233,000 men covered by the three other general induction calls now pending makes 283,000 men due to be mobilized during the month throughout the nation, this amount being exclusive of the total number of men specially inducted during the month over the nation.

7. No new voluntary induction calls have been announced for over two months and no former ones, have been in effect during such period Call No. X, which authorizes individual inductions, is still in force.

SAN SABA COUNTY  
SELECTION BOARD.  
San Saba, Texas  
May 21, 1918.

### The Rebekahs Entertain

The local Rebekah Lodge entertained quite a crowd last Monday night in their lodge rooms. The proceeds of the entertainment will be applied on a Liberty Loan Bond the lodge purchased. Mrs Roger Halden had charge of the musical program which is a guarantee that the entertainment was all that lovers of good music could wish. Songs, instrumental music and recitations were rendered in a most pleasing manner. All did exceptionally well, but the two solos by Elmer Watson deserve special mention. He has a voice of rare range and strength for one of his age and if he gets the advantage of voice culture he will make his mark in the musical world. After the musical program was rendered refreshments of ice cream was served.

### Some Fish Story

Last week during a rise in the Colorado river near the junction of the San Saba and Colorado a great number of fish got out on the low grounds, hunting for clear water, and when the waters receded fish by the wagon load were left on the banks. Parties from Lometa and this place supplied themselves with all the fish they could use. One fish especially, was of a very healthy and robust nature—he, she or it—weighed 150 pounds and was captured by a number of men with a good strong wire as a lairet. While this was the jumbo catch during the exciting sport, any number of fish were caught weighing from 10 to 15 pounds.

Graves Hillman was here this week shaking hands with the voters and looking pleasant at the ladies between the ages of 18 and somewhere around 25 and anxious at those who are over that age.

### A "JINT" DEBATE

Ed. House and Buck Gray, figuratively speaking, "locked horns" in a vocabulary contest at Cherokee last Saturday evening before an audience of between 350 and 400 interested spectators.

Alf Willbern of Llano was an innocent by-stander. He was very unexpectedly requested to introduce the speakers, which he did in a nice manner, and he got a few side swipes from Buck's batteries for his few complimentary introductory remarks.

Ed, led off in one hour's able and interesting declamation of Red Cross, winning the war and state politics for his theme. Buck followed in one hour and twenty minutes answer. There was no conflict in the orators position on the two former propositions, but there was some difference in the latter—state politics, which was thoroughly thrashed out to the satisfaction of the large and interested audience. Buck was armed with copies of the state constitution and a report of the investigating committee of the 35th legislature. The former of which he failed to read far enough, and the latter, he read too much. Buck had the major part of his speech copied from the investigating committee's report and had his subjects, seventeen in number, in numerical order, and with each made the liberal offer to donate \$25 to the Red Cross of Cherokee if each could not be substantiated. Buck became so enthused reading extracts from the investigating committee's report that he raised the limit at three different times to \$25,000. In Ed's

## Legal Holiday

Thursday, May 30th 1918 Being a Legal Holiday the undersigned banks will close, notes and bills maturing on that date are due and payable the day before.

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twenty minutes rejoinder he disproved three of Buck's contentions, unfortunately for Buck, one of them was on one of the \$25,000 offers when he went over the top on the limit, consequently, the ladies Red Cross society of Cherokee has \$25050.00 more in their treasury than they had before the debate. It is simply astounding how reckless some people become in giving away their money, but it will all go to a noble cause and will be used to alleviate the sufferings of humanity. The discussion closed in the best of good humor. Fully half of the large audience were ladies, who took a lively interest in the occasion. It was a case of when "Greek meets Greek" or when Horse Creek meets Cherokee creek, the little fishes had better hunt shallow water or swim close to the

bank for in a time of this kind there is no room except for gladiators, tried and true.

### BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at school house number 27 at Big Valley tonight, Friday May 2, for the benefit of the Red Cross. There is going to be some lively bidding for a cake to be sold for we heard an eligible widower say that he has been making goo-goo eyes at a sedate matron of some 40 odd summers for several months and that she was going to get that cake if a determination backed by a good farm could accomplish anything. We hope the Red Cross gets a big bunch of the long green, the widow gets the cake and the widower gets the widow and everybody will be happy ever afterward.

## GOOD OPPORTUNITY

TO BUY MERCHANDISE AT ALMOST the old price. This may sound a little bit unusual but nevertheless it's a fact. We want you to come and see for yourself. We want you to use our Store as a buying guide. This is not a special advertising offer, but just an ever day way we have to give our customers what they want and too, at a price that is within the reach of all. And the assortment of patterns are very extensive. Not just a few things, but we are making the Price and Quality on Everything. We know too, it is exceedingly hard to buy Merchandise and sell at a reasonable price, but we are on the job every day in the week, and if you don't think work makes a difference just try not working at all. We are on our toes to serve you well and to do this you must have the goods, and that's just our store.

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## SPECIAL NOTICE!

## SECOND INSTALLMENT LIBERTY BONDS

You will please take notice that your **SECOND INSTALLMENT** is due and payable in Dallas, Texas, **May 28th 1918**, it will be necessary that you make this payment **Not Later than Saturday, May 25th 1918** so that your previous payment will not be forfeited.

ATTEND TO THIS NOW.

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**HERE'S GUIDE FOR VOTERS IN 1918 PRIMARY**

The following calendar gives a schedule of official political happenings for the next few months in Texas:

June 3—Last day on which applications for place on Democratic primary ticket will be received from state candidates.

June 10—State executive committee meets to draw for places.

June 15—Last day to file for the county offices.

June 17—County executive committee meets to draw for places and fix assessments of candidates.

June 27—Registration of women voters at tax collector's office begins.

July 12—Registration of women ends.

July 27—Democratic primary.  
Aug. 3—County executive committee meets to canvass returns.

Aug. 3—County convention meets.

Aug. 19.—State committee meets to canvass returns of primary.

Aug. 24.—"Runoff" primary for state and district officers who did not receive a majority vote in the July primary.

Nov. 5—General election.

**Somewhere in France**

Relatives have received word from Willie W. Winslow that he is "somewhere in France." Three weeks ago he was in one of the New Jersey camps.

Fresh Groceries arriving daily at Will Ashby's.

Subscribe for the San Saba Star, \$1.00 per year.

Bob Norris is here on a furlough from Camp Travis visiting his mother, Mrs. Ed Latham.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Gordon Mackay are entertaining a new daughter at their home.

**This Didn't Happen Here**

A dry goods merchant was starting down town when his wife reminded him of his most important duty during the day. "Now my dear, be sure and send to the city for that new Stanhope, so we can have it for Sunday. You know your old buggy is getting so it is not fit to be seen."

Just a few blocks away the merchant who handles vehicles and implements was sitting at breakfast with his family. The conversation drifted around to the near approach of school. "And that reminds me John," said the lady who sat at the head of the table, "I must be going to the city not later than next week. I must get school clothes and see about a fall suit for myself, and while there perhaps I had better see about a new rug for the parlor and some new lace curtains for the front windows.

An hour later a leading grocer stepped into the bank to buy a draft which he was going to send to a catalog house for a swell bed-room suit.

"How's business?" asked the banker. "Oh, not so very good" replied the grocer, "things are dull just now."

Before the banker finished writing the draft a dapper young man stepped up and asked how everything was. The banker seemed glad to see him. He was a representative of a big printing establishment in another state. He and the banker chatted pleasantly for a few minutes, after which the young man inquired of his friend behind the window if he wanted anything.

"Well, yes," replied the banker, "I believe I do. Print us 5000 drafts, 5000 checks and a couple of thousand letter heads." The young man thanked his friend and hustled out.

That night the local business men had a meeting to discuss the growth of the mail order evil. All the gentlemen mentioned in the narrative delivered short talks. They agreed that the farmers were guilty of the treason to their home merchants when they persisted in buying their goods from mail order houses, and the meeting closed by adopting strong resolutions against trading away from home.

**THE YOUNG MAN'S OPPORTUNITY**

There is a greater demand today than ever before for the young man who thoroughly understands the cotton business. Such as: Classing, stapling, averaging, buying, selling, shipping, exporting, keeping of Gin Records, merchant's cotton records, ware house records, cotton office stock books and other blanks necessary to the business. The representatives of the largest cotton concerns, as well as the merchants and warehouse managers, have highly indorsed our course of instructions. They say we are meeting a long felt want. Bonded ware houses alone require hundreds of young men. We have expert instructors with practical experience in every detail of the business and have installed in this department a cotton exchange board with telegraph instruments attached. Here our students are taught to read price quotations as they come in from Liverpool, New Orleans and New York markets. They are also given the ginners and Government reports on production and the probable effect on prices. Nothing is left undone to make our students efficient in the work. The cost of the above course complete is \$25.00 for tuition, and \$5.00 for books and material. Time for completing is from four to six weeks, owing to the ability of the student. Students may enroll at any time. There is such a great demand for work of this kind, that we have large and enthusiastic classes throughout the year. Enter at once.

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Incomplete returns give \$22,601,900 secured through the efforts of the Woman's Liberty Loan Committee in this District, being distributed as follows:  
Texas .....\$19,188,550.00  
New Mexico, 18 Counties..... \$1,274,450.00  
Louisiana, 26 Co.....991,950.00  
Arizona, 5 Co.....745,000.00  
Oklahoma 8 Co.....401,950.00  
Total .....\$22,601,900.00

American hog fence, Barbed cattle wire, smooth wire, tie wire and poultry wire at Barnes Lumber Co.

**CUMBERLAND CHURCH**

Thanks be to God for His un-gift."

Having been away from you last Sunday, I will be in my regular place next Sunday and will be glad to meet all of my friends and those who are interested in their own souls and the souls of others.

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching every Sunday.

Morning .....11:00 o'clock  
Evening ..... 8:45 o'clock

No prayer meeting this week inasmuch as I have been asked to be at the closing exercises of the public School.

T. J. Tanner.

**SLOAN**

Glad to announce that I expect to be with you for the regular appointment next Sunday afternoon, and will rejoice to have you and your friends to come to Sunday School and the preaching service, which will be at 3:00 o'clock; the Sunday school immediately after the preaching service.

T. J. Tanner.

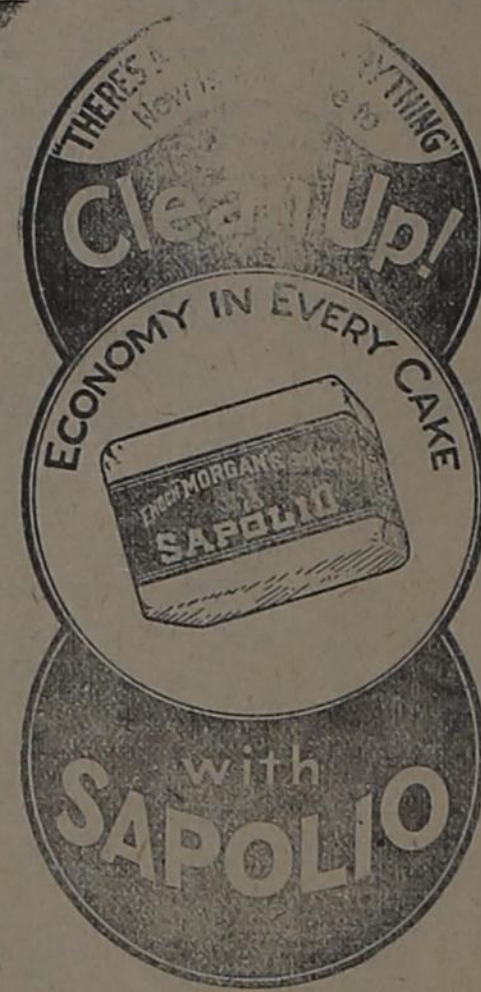
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hal-den returned Tuesday from Del Rio where they spent the last five months with their daughter. They enjoyed their visit and were ready to come back ohme. Mr. and Mrs. Hal-den are pioneers of this city and cannot stay away.

Feed! Feed! We handle all varieties of feed.— At Frizzell & Co.,

Miss Nora Walker spent the weeks end with her parents in Cherokee.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bickley of Cherokee were in our city this week.

Complete stock of fruit jars at Will Ashby's.



**The Farmer's Share**

Live stock is marketed from farmer to consumer at a lower cost than almost any other farm product.

The United States Department of agriculture reported in 1916 that the farmer gets for his cattle "approximately two-thirds to three-fourths" of the final retail price paid by the consumer for the resulting beef.

Under normal conditions, the farmer's share of retail prices of various farm products is approximately as follows:

Butter	71 per cent
CATTLE	66 2/3 to 75 per cent
Eggs	65 per cent
Potatoes	55 per cent
Poultry	45 per cent
Fruits	35 per cent

The difference between farmer's price and retail price represents the necessary expenses of packing, freight and wholesale and retail distribution.

Swift & Company not only performs the manufacturing operations of preparing cattle for market in its well-equipped packing plants, but it pays the freight on meat to all parts of the United States, operates 500 branch distributing houses, and in most cases even delivers to the retail butcher. All this is done at an expense of less than 2 cents per pound, and at a profit of only about 1/4 of a cent per pound of beef.

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Year Book of interesting and instructive facts sent on request. Address Swift & Company, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Illinois

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**OVER THE TOP**

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Now that this is over let us make other special efforts for the winning of this the most popular of wars, no better way can this be done than by conserving and accumulating their Cash. Make this Bank your Depository.

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About Rheumatism.  
Rheumatism causes more pain and suffering than any other disease, for the reason that it is the most common of all ills, and it is certainly gratifying to sufferers to know that there is a remedy that will afford relief, and make rest and sleep possible. It is called Chamberlain's Liniment.—The Corner Drug Store.

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Mrs. Felix Vanderstucken of Fredicksburg is a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Moore.

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# A Call to Arms!


On account of our MR. GAINES being suddenly called to the Army, it is necessary for us to meet our obligations on short notice. Those who are indebted to the firm will please call in THIS WEEK and settle.

## GAINES & FAGG

### THE SAN SABA STAR


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 1 page, one issue ..... \$12.00  
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 1/2 page, one issue ..... \$7.50  
 1/2 page, two or more issues, per issue ..... \$6.00  
 1/4 page, one issue ..... \$3.75  
 1/4 page, two or more issues, per issue ..... \$3.00  
 All ads of less than one-fourth page, per inch ..... 12 1/2c  
 All ads of less than 15 inches one issue, per inch ..... 15c  
 All ads less than 15 inches, two or more issues, per inch ..... 12 1/2c  
 All local readers and reading notices, per line, per issue ..... 5c  
 Black face readers, per line, per issue ..... 10c  
 All notices for entertainments where an admission fee is charged, inserted at regular advertising rates. All obituary notices over ten lines will be charged for at regular rates. The last forms of the Star go to press at 4 o'clock Thursday evening and to get position all ads should be in as early as possible.

### LODGE DIRECTORY

 **San Saba Lodge**  
 A. F. and A. M.

Regular Meeting Saturday night on or before each Full Moon.

W. W. Skelton, W. M.  
 W. H. Hinyard, Secretary

 **Alpha Lodge No. 204**  
 I. O. O. F.

Meets every Thursday evening at Odd Fellows Hall. All sojourning brethren are cordially invited to meet with us.  
 J. N. Estep, N. G. Jno. H. Moore, R-S  
 M. G. Estep, V. G. Jno. Seiders, P-S

### County News

#### Items of Local Interest Gathered by Star Correspondents.

#### ALGERITA

Farmers are very busy planting and cultivating their crops. Grass is getting good and stock is looking well.  
 Doc. Jones who had an attack of appendicitis last week, is able to be up.  
 G. B. Shoemaker one of our heavy weight boys has one acre of the finest corn in our section and wants to join the boys-corn club. Guy weighs 260 pounds and says if his weight debars him from membership in the boys corn club that by training and being put on Hoover rations that he can in 60 days reduce himself to the required weight.  
 Forest Lane who is a driller in the Brownwood Oil field visited homefolks Sunday and reports prospects encouraging for a fine oil field and that he is drilling day and night.  
 Bethel school closed Friday and rendered a fine program which was an honor to both teacher and pupils.  
 The children all want Prof. Huckaby to teach the next session of school.  
 Lindsey moved to Algerita.  
 Released McCarlies black has the finest

fields of early corn in the Algerita district except Guy's sample patch.

Love Walker and Dennis Dean of Cherokee attended the Bethel school program Friday night.

Miss Lora Hanna one of Bethel's teachers returned home to Cherokee Saturday morning. Miss Lora made good as a primary teacher and the children regret to see her leave for home.

#### Want to Save Money?

If so buy your Farm Machinery, Wagons etc. from G. A. Arhelger, The John Deere line.

**SEED! SEED!** All kinds of field seed. —At Frizzell & Co.,

Don't forget that I can save you money on your feed bill.—B. T. Rich.

The best Coffee on earth at Will Ashby's.

Fly time means screen time. All kinds screen doors and screen wire at Barnes Lumber Co.

#### SLOAN SIFTINGS

To The Star:—Here follows my observations on the weather for the week ending Saturday May 18th: Sunday clear, Ther. 62 and 76, wind N. Tuesday clear, Ther. 52 and 78, wind N. E. Wednesday clear, Ther. 58 and 88, wind S. Thursday cloudy, Ther. 66 and 88, wind S. Friday cloudy, Ther. 72 and 96, wind S. Saturday cloudy, Ther. 72 and 96, wind S. Average Thermometer for the week 76. Average light shower fell Wednesday night. The ground is in need of moisture. There has never been, in this section at least, only a top season, and it goes very fast in the sunshine.

A large crowd gathered at the church house Thursday night to hear the reported or promised speakers for the Red Cross rally. Sad to relate no speaker ever appeared. After staying till about eleven o'clock the congregation quietly dispersed. The house was full and some were out that don't make it a habit of turning out, and it was a disappointment that the expected speaker never showed up, and so far we have heard no reason for the non-appearance for said speaker.

Some of our people were at the Red Cross parade in San Saba Saturday and also attended the church wedding of Miss Annette Moore to Lieutenant Bell. Some expected to witness a military wedding but we presume that there were not soldiers enough present for a military affair. The groom and his best man were dressed in their uniform, the groom being booted and spurred.

J. R. Ellis and family left here Monday for Dallas where they expect to be present at the graduation of James and Joe Ellis at the Powell school.

Mrs. J. Sheppard is sick with mumps this week.

Miss Bertha Hipp of Deep Creek Ranch is visiting at the home of A. E. Pearcy this week.  
 Rip Van Winkle.

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#### ELM GROVE

We were blessed with another good rain Friday morning.

The farmers are jubilant over the crop prospects in this section.

Saturday evening a rise came down the Colorado River. A number of men went down to the river and brought back fish in great quantities.

Messrs. Benton Taylor and Cortess Elliott were business visitors in Mercury Thursday.

Mr. Charles Reynolds was in Rochelle Friday and Saturday. He reports that section very dry.

Messrs. Gordon Reynolds, George Foster and Carl Taylor went to Mercury Saturday.

Mr. Whitehead and son, Loyd motored over to Mercury Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell motored over to Mercury Saturday to visit Mr. Powell's parents. They returned home Sunday.

Saturday night Mrs. M. L. Taylor gave a musical in honor of Mr. Ernest Parker, one of the Sammies who is home on a furlough.

The guests arrived at an early hour. They played games for a while then music was furnished by Messrs. Clinton Chamberlain, Charlie Bush, Elma Gilbert and Aubrey Germany. At eleven o'clock refreshments consisting of fruit and cake were served. The guests departed at a late hour, thanking their hostess for the glorious time they had had, and begging for this to be repeated real soon.

Rev. Tippin and J. T. Woods of Richland Springs spoke at the church house Sunday in behalf of the Red Cross. The drive was started by Rev. Tippin. Elm Grove community was to raise \$70.00 as their part of the second war fund. They went over the top Sunday evening and now have \$100.00.

Five new members were taken in making a total of 87 at Elm Grove.

Mr. Will Parker went to Winchell Sunday.

Mr. Lee Boyd Wynn spent Saturday night and Sunday with Clarence Taylor.

Mrs. Mollie Wells of Brownwood is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson of Winchell accompanied by Mrs. Smith visited at Mr. W. E. Rays Sunday. Mrs. Smith remained for a few weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ray.

Mr. Lebert Thornton was in Mercury Saturday.

Miss Ruby Beckham has returned home after an extended visit with her brother, Edgar at Brownwood.

The oil drilling company that has been drilling an oil well on Mr. Beakley's place report they have struck oil which they hope will be in paying quantities.

Mr. Ernest Parker received a telegram from the war department Monday morning saying his furlough was revoked and for him to return at once. He left for Ft. Worth Monday night.

Miss Ruth Beakley received a card from her brother Grover Tuesday saying he had arrived safely over the seas, somewhere in France.

Mr. Clay Parker went to Mercury Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead were guests in the home of Mr. Charles Reynolds Sunday.

Kelley Kleans Klothes.

#### SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of San Saba.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain writ of Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of San Saba County, of the 27th day of April 1918, by Arch Woods Clerk of said Court for the sum of Seven hundred and seventy four dollars and seventy five cents and \$77.47 Attorney's fee and costs of suit, under a Execution, in favor of Mrs. Lou Simpson and her husband R. B. Simpson in a certain cause in said Court, No. 235 and styled Lou Simpson and husband R. B. Simpson vs. Matt Allison G. H. Hagan and A. R. Hill, placed in my hands for service, I, Edgar T. Neal as Sheriff of San Saba County, Texas as did, on the 9th day of May 1918, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in San Saba county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: A part of the A. Morris sur. No. 9 on the North bank of the San Saba River, Beg. at a stake on said North bank from which an Elm 12 in. brs. N. 11 W. 154 feet and a pecan brs. N. 12 W. 145 ft. This is the S. E. corner of this tract. Thence up the river with its meanders to a stake on the bank from which a pecan 12 in. brs. N. 69 W. Thence N. 11 W. 1483 feet a stake the N. W. Cor. of this tract from which an Elm brs S. 48 E. 3 ft. a do. 14 in. brs. N. 48 E. 3 ft. Thence N. 80 E. 2288 feet a stake on West Side Brownwood road No 2 a forked Mesquite for corner. Thence S. 11 E. with west side of said road 1018 feet to place of Beg. Containing about 70 acres of land more or less and being the same land conveyed to J. E. Odiorne by Frankie Williams on March 1st 1913 recorded in book 53 on page 618 and levied upon as the property of A. R. Hill and that on the first Tuesday in June 1918, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door, of San Saba County, in the City of San Saba Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said A. R. Hill.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the San Saba Star, a newspaper published in San Saba County. Witness my hand, this 9th day of May 1918, E. T. Neal Sheriff San Saba County, Texas.  
 By U. T. Chamberlain Deputy.



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Miss Lois Cathcart has resigned her position at T. C. Henry's dry goods store.

Miss Hautense Taylor is visiting friends in Burnet this week.

Dennis Dean after a visit to his mother, Mrs. W. C. Whitt of Cherokee, has returned to Camp Bowie.

Want to Save Money?  
 If so buy your Farm Machinery, Wagons etc. from G. A. Arhelger, The John Deere line.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Keyser have moved into one of the Williams cottages. We welcome these people to San Saba and wish them all happiness in their new home.

Get anything you want in wire fence and wire goods at Barnes Lumber Co.

#### NOTICE

It is absolutely necessary that we have all accounts owing us settled. To this end we have secured the services of a collector who will call on each and every one of our friends and patrons who are indebted to us. We will appreciate all courtesies shown our collector who is instructed to make full and complete settlement.

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All kinds feed, corn, chops, bran, oats, cotton seed meal, peanut meal, nutriline, and all kinds hay.—B. T. Rich.

#### 8 Per Cent Money

Let us make you a 10 year loan with optional payments. Land will double in value before your loan matures.—WALTERS & BAKER.

Mrs. Henderson Coughran and daughter, Miss Daisy of Bethel were here shopping this week.

#### FOR SALE

Residence containing 11 rooms galleries and sleeping porch, garden. There are 25 pecan trees on the place which contains one block of ground. For sale at a bargain if sold at once. C. R. Green.

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Cause of Headache: By knowing the cause, a disease may often be avoided. This is particularly true of headache. The most common cause of headache is a disordered stomach or constipation, which may be corrected by taking a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets. Try it. Many others have obtained permanent relief by taking these Tablets. They are easy to take and mild and gentle in effect.—The Corner Drug Store.

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With prices covering such a wide range, there is a quality to meet every demand and every purse, and one which will meet the requirements of every occasion. Fresh and immaculate, newly received a beautiful representation of the newest silks for summer.

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## The Famous Bargain Store

Miss Grace Russell has a position at The Famous Bargain Store.

Frank Allison of El Paso is here visiting his father's family and his numerous friends.

Mrs. E. J. Dalrymple and children of Llano are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Flack.

Miss Jammie Campbell spent Saturday and Sunday at Cherokee, the guest of Miss Marie Barker.

Miss Mina Taylor returned Sunday from Cherokee, where she has been the guest of friends.

We don't chalk-mark our dinner on the pavement—we put it on the table. Eat at Wright's Restaurant.

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Mr. and Mrs. Curtiss Fly of San Antonio were guests in the home of their uncle, J. E. Sorrell last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Sorell of San Antonio spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sorell.

Geo. Murray, who has been living at Silver City, N. M. left Tuesday for San Francisco to enter services for his country.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ellis and family accompanied by Miss Anise Harber are attending the commencement exercises of the Powell School in Dallas, where James and Joe, sons of the former will graduate.

Capt Burney Braly of Camp Travis was here this week visiting friends and on his way to Santa Anna to visit his parents. Capt Braly will proceed to Petersburg, Va., at the termination of his visit at Santa Anna. He says the indications are now that he will go across pretty soon and he is elated at the opportunity that he thinks is about to be presented.

### THE RED CROSS DRIVE

San Saba's quota for the Red Cross was subscribed promptly and willingly by our people. It is never a question of the people of San Saba "going over the top" but how far over the top they will go. This time they cleared the top with a good margin to spare.

Corn chops \$3.70. Good heavy oats sacked \$1.10. Why pay more?—B. T. Rich.

Eugene Hagan has been tendered and accepted the position of bookkeeper at the First National Bank. He succeeds Otto Harkey, who will leave with the next quota of soldiers for Camp Travis.

**Blacksmithing**  
 We are well equipped to do your work and work only good mechanics.—G. A. Arhelger.

Judge J. T. Hartley was here this week from Cherokee between the hours of mail time. The Judge has a large and luxuriant crop growing and he is fighting weeds and grass every day now to get the proper results.

## There is a Time For All Things.

Now is the time to do your Summer shopping. Don't wait until Hot weather sets in, come and let us sell you something nice for the Summer Season.

Our stock is complete.

T. C. HENRY.

### Mrs. Leila Taylor

Mrs. Leila Taylor wife of Dr. L. L. Taylor died at Brownwood Texas May 21st, 1918.

The remains were brought to San Saba on the 22nd and interred at the Odd Fellows cemetery. Rev. G. W. Light of the baptist church conducted the burial.

Deceased was formerly a resident of this place, and beloved by everybody. The news of her death was not entirely unexpected, as she had been a sufferer for some time.

We extend our condolence to those bereft.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Our protracted meeting will begin June 2nd, with Bro E. C. Routh as the preacher.

Rev. G. W. Light, Pastor.

### The Evangelical Lutheran Church

Service at the Wallace Creek School house next Sunday, May 26, in the morning at ten o'clock. Theme: The Wonderful Out Day. The public is cor-pouring of the Holy Ghost on Pentecost Day. The public is cordially invited to attend our services.

### NEED GLASSES

Dr. Jones The Eye Man at Corner Drug Store again, Tuesday and Wednesday, 4-5.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dick Winters and mother, Mrs. Jno Wall of Brady attended the Moore—Bell wedding.

All kinds Feed Stuff—B. T. Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roder-mund of San Angelo were guests of their sister, Mrs. W. J. Moore and attended the Moore—Bell wedding.

### MILK COW WANTED

If you have a good young milk cow, will give two gallons of milk per day and want to sell her, call at the Star office and you can dispose of her.

Miss Carrie Beveridge of Llano spent the week end with her mother, and attended the Moore—Bell nuptials.

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Misses Dora and Liesel Vanderstucken of San Antonio were guests of the Moore-Bell wedding. These young ladies are cousins of Mrs. Bell.

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### MOORE—BELL

A beautiful wedding was solemnized at the Methodist church last Saturday evening at 6:15 o'clock, when Miss Annette Moore became the bride of Lieutenant Jefferson Edgar Bell.

The church was beautifully decorated in the national colors, and everything was carried out with a dignified military air.

Misses Willie Belle Harris and Louise Moore dressed in white fluffy dresses with big maline bows in red adorning their heads acted as ushers.

Misses Carrie Beveridge and Dora Vanderstucken entered first preceded by the ushers they took their places at the piano. Miss Beveridge played the wedding march, to which the bridal party marched in, first came Miss Liesel Vanderstucken acting as maid of honor and Lieutenant Orla M. Confer the groom's best man.

Immediately following came the bride and groom. They took their respective stations in front of the altar where the Rev. Z. V. Liles performed the beautiful and impressive ring ceremony. As the bride and groom turned their faces toward the audience, with her veil now turned away from her face she was never more beautiful as she was marching out on the arm of her husband.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore and is very popular among her many friends, and acquaintances.

Lieutenant Bell's home is in Luling but he is now in the service of the U. S. stationed at Camp Travis.

After the ceremony the bridal couple went to the Moore home where a few friends and relatives had an opportunity to extend their congratulations, before their departure. They left at once for Lometa where they took the train for their home in San Antonio.

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### WAR SAVINGS

Tuesday afternoon at the City National Bank the General County Committee on this work was organized, under the direction of R. W. Bursleson, County Chairman and Mrs. J. T. Walters, Women's Chairman, the plan of the work and the special work leading up to the general meetings on Friday, June 28th, 1918, was explained by Mr. Bursleson, and the following Chairmen and Vice Chairmen were announced:

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Light have returned from the Baptist convention at Hot Springs Ark.

Committee No. 1, J. T. McConnell, and Miss Lucy Walker; Committee No. 2, Clarence Gosch, and Mrs. W. H. Kimbrough; Committee No. 3, C. G. English, and Mrs. Leigh Bursleson; Committee No. 4, W. C. Dofflemeyer, and Mrs. W. A. Smith; Committee No. 5, A. V. Riley, and Mrs. C. T. Jones; Committee No. 6, A. E. Moore, and Mrs. John Seiders.

At this meeting a San Saba Thrift Stamp Bank was organized, the personal of the General County Committee being elected directors they decided to erect a commodious Brick Building in the center of main street, and to procure a large Liberty Bell for the purpose of announcing sale of Thrift and War Savings Stamps, the banking force is to consist of the ladies and young ladies of San Saba who will volunteer for this work from day to day, and from evening to evening.

The County Chairman as instructed to appoint one man and one woman Sub-Chairman in each School District in the County.

After discussion of the various phases of the work as planned by the National and State Directors, the Committee adjourned subject to call of the Chairman.

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