

The Memphis Democrat

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JOHN R. BARNES DIES AT ESTELLINE

Pioneer, Cowboy, Prominent Citizen, Merchant and County Official Passes Away.

John R. Barnes, a pioneer in this section of the Panhandle and a prominent business man of Estelline for years, died at his home at that place Monday night.

The funeral and burial, under the auspices of the Masonic order, was held yesterday morning. Friends of the deceased from every section, including Memphis, were present forming perhaps the largest funeral procession in the history of Estelline.

Mr. Barnes came to this section over a quarter of a century ago, being employed for years as a cowboy on the Shoe-Bar and Mill-Iron ranches.

He accumulated considerable property and during the past fifteen or sixteen years has been in the grocery business in Estelline.

He served as County Commissioner during the past two years and was again selected as the democratic nominee for that office at the July primary.

The writer has known and esteemed the deceased for many years; he was a square man, without taint of false pretention or hypocrisy, who did good without ostentation or wish for praise. We join a multitude of friends in extending his loved ones our sympathy for his loss.

Mr. Barnes for many years has been a sufferer with Bright's disease; but had been confined to his room only a few days before his death. He leaves a wife and daughter to mourn his loss.

T. R. WATSON PARDONED.

Man Who Killed Bank Examiner Patterson at Teague Turned Loose

Anstine, Texas, Oct. 12.—Acting Governor Johnson today granted a full pardon to T. R. Watson, who was given ninety-nine years sentence for the murder of the late John S. Patterson. At the time of the late tragedy Patterson was Commissioner of Insurance and Banking and was shot while he was in the act of posting a notice on the doors of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Teague closing that institution, of which Watson was president.

Only last Wednesday the Court of Criminal Appeals overruled a motion for rehearing in Watson's case, which had been affirmed last term of court. On Oct. 2 acting Governor Johnson granted a full pardon to J. E. Watson, who had been given four years for forgery, growing out of the condition of the Teague Bank which Patterson closed. J. E. Watson was declared to be suffering with tuberculosis. He is the son of T. R. Watson, pardoned today, who is said to be suffering with cancer.

The Silent Moment.

Beginning October twenty-third when all Chapters hold their annual organization meetings, the following resolution of the Red Cross War Council will be officially adopted:

"Every day at the hour of noon, in every work room of the Red Cross throughout the whole of the United States, upon a given signal all work will cease for the period of one minute. During this time, in silence, we members of the American Red Cross will solemnly concentrate our minds upon our beloved soldiers and sailors overseas who are nobly off ring their all, even unto their lives for us. We think as one, hope as one, for their definite victory and individual well-being, consecrating ourselves anew to our country and those who fight for her, becoming one with them in service. May this united prayer, gathering power from our love and faith mount heaven itself, descending thence in the midst of our dear ones wherever they may be, falling upon the m as benediction to be all time their comfort and their strength."

Mdms. McIntire and Clark were here from Estelline Monday.

HALL COUNTY GOES OVER THE TOP!

Hall County went over the top with the Fourth Liberty Loan last Saturday; exceeding her quota of \$214,000 by \$6,000, a total of \$220,000.

"MOST PATRIOTIC ACT POSSIBLE"

Editor of The Democrat:

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 16.--Your city and your county have gone over the top with the Liberty Loan and I congratulate you sincerely. It may be that an impression exists that further action is not necessary.

The loan is about sixty per cent subscribed. The need for patriotic men and women to come forward and volunteer to buy bonds was never so great. I appeal most earnestly to every citizen in your city and county to reconsider his Liberty Loan subscription and if it is within the bounds of possibility, go to the bank and buy more bonds.

The situation is indeed grave and the man or woman in your community who will come forward and help at this time is doing the most truly patriotic act that it is possible for anyone to do at this time.

I appeal to you once more to buy more bonds for it would break the hearts of our boys in France if the loan failed.

J. W. HOOPES.

Federal Reserve Bank.

OF 18 TO 45 NEW REGISTRANTS

Numbers, Names and Order Numbers of 18 to 45 Registrants

of the names of registrants in the class of September, 1918, registration cards are in the possession of the Hall county Local Board in the order of their liability for military service, as determined by this local board, as required by the Rules and Regulations.

No.	Name	Order No.
1	John H. Robertson	1
2	Bernard H. Huchton	2
3	William M. Thompson	3
4	Iva Robert Batehrs	4
5	Ralph Dewey Ellerd	5
6	S. G. Webster	6
7	Leslie Evert Shinkle	7
8	Gland Marcus Harris	8
9	Hiram B. Hilburn	9
10	William T. Shelton	10
11	James Roger Wilson	11
12	Enoch J. Callaway	12
13	Henry E. Franks	13
14	Harry B. West	14
15	Thomas A. Scoggins	15
16	Lofton A. Miller	16
17	David Crockett Hall	17
18	Wilford C. Carson	18
19	Turner L. Lewis	19
20	George Lee Rozell	20
21	Winfred Wilson	21
22	Joseph Albert Massey	22
23	John Ira Foster	23
24	Milton Hill Potect	24
25	John Ed Harrel	25
26	William L. Hedrick	26
27	Zeb Vance Haren	27
28	William Caleb Wolf	28
29	John T. Melugin	29
30	Mehiel Clinton Scott	30
31	Frank S. Hoster	31
32	Steve Wheeler	32
33	Jewel Andrew Womack	33
34	James Andrew Hood	34
35	William C. Whitfield	35
36	Benny Elza Rushing	36
37	George L. Tipton	37
38	James Walter Lyon	38
39	Marion Conley Ward	39
40	John Y. M. McKelvy	40
41	Merimen M. Pounds	41
42	Joseph H. Griffin	42
43	Charles T. Jarvis	43
44	Kleuben T. Sisk	44
45	Robert B. McMurry	45
46	James R. Johnson	46
47	Howard Richard Irby	47
48	B. Houston Neel	48
49	William L. Crabtree	49
50	Robert Snowden	50
51	Charles Z. Stidham	51
52	Thomas M. Finley	52
53	Alexander A. McCormick	53
54	Alexander C. Headrick	54
55	John Wesley Rhodes	55
56	George W. Sexauer	56
57	Lemuel Bates Madden	57
58	Hiram C. Clark	58
59	Robert M. Bullock	59
60	Willie W. Oxford	60
61	Waymon L. Rose	61
62	Harvey Clay Montague	62
63	Alvin Dee Vinson	63
64	E. John Schilling	64
65	Dessie Lee Hight	65
66	Charles F. Bruce	66
67	John Thomas Ables	67
68	Chalmers Lee Cooper	68
69	Howard Anson Fineh	69
70	Carl Franklin Brooks	70
71	James Benjamin Smith	71
72	Benjamin F. Stotts	72
73	James V. Landis	73
74	Robert N. Mothershead	74
75	Charles Edgar Moore	75
76	William T. Brower	76
77	Charles G. Armstrong	77
78	Charlie Wesley Bell	78
79	Charles Drake	79
80	George N. Stafford	80
81	Warren Funderbark	81
82	Jessie Ellis Rogers	82
83	Enoch Edgar Lane	83
84	Robert R. Thompson	84
85	James Lyman Smith	85
86	James E. Seehrit	86
87	George Angel Sager	87
88	Luther U. May	88
89	John Will Watson	89
90	James Robert Morrison	90
91	Luther Emory Garner	91
92	Benjamin F. Thompson	92
93	Robert Clarence Walker	93
94	James Pleasant Nixon	94
95	Jessie B. Reed	95
96	Walter N. Lerompte	96
97	Theodore B. Sasser	97
98	Linton Nathan Smith	98
99	William Edgar Trapp	99
100	Emory Spore Gee	100
101	Jeppha C. McDaniels	101
102	Thomas B. Evans	102
103	James Henry Allen	103
104	Elie A. Thomas	104
105	Thomas H. Anderson	105

Joe Stotts Killed in Action

Mr. W. M. Stotts, who lives north of town, received word this week from the War Department that his son, Joseph H. Stotts had been killed in action in France.

Stotts name was among those reported on October 10th., but his address was given as Memphis, Tennessee, which caused considerable delay in the notice of his death reaching his family.

734	Logan E. Auburg	106
604	R. L. McCullough	107
981	John L. Hawley	108
865	Robert A. Boston	109
621	Henry S. Maddox	110
481	Robert L. Leslie	111
983	Arthur E. White	112
550	James M. Brice	113
458	James E. Hughes	114
704	Sherman Connel	115
194	John H. Grimale	116
79	John Ethel Orr	117
697	John R. Lot	118
1137	Elbert Lee Oxford	119
1086	Isaac R. Grundy	120
300	Clay Thornton	121
665	Albert H. Jones	122
176	Ed Jefferson Frazier	123
629	John W. Nichols	124
782	John Thomas Sloan	125
647	Shirley F. Faulker	126
1004	James Howard Gilmore	127
960	Charles C. Bailey	128
891	Mal G. Padgett	129
806	William A. Armstrong	130
1120	W. A. Gull	131
369	James T. Speer	132
160	Harry D. Tyler	133
842	James R. Mitchell	134
543	Keneth Mullins	135
8	Jim A. Hunter	136
46	Claude W. Campbell	137
521	Linton L. Brown	138
54	John E. Hughes	139
792	John M. Weatherly	140
568	William C. McElreath	141
30	William Norris Orr	142
706	Thomas J. Cope	143
31	Thad Smith	144
504	Albert Cicero Tapp	145
533	William R. Durham	146
385	Howard M. Shafer	147
359	Dewey Earl Wallace	148
653	Alvin Hugh Wallace	149
32	Dave S. Lyon	150

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STERN ORDER TO NATIONAL GUARD

Men Who Join other Organizations Get Induction By Boards Class as Deserters

Members of the National Guard of Texas who voluntarily have themselves inducted into the Feder through a call of the draft board, or who voluntarily request that the draft board set their numbers forward and thereby have themselves inducted into the Federal service through a call of the draft board, without first procuring a discharge from the service of the Texas National Guard will be liable for desertion from the National Guard.

The foregoing information was conveyed yesterday by order of Governor Will P. Hobby to the commanders of all organizations of the Third Brigade of Infantry of the Texas National Guard. It was further stated that an application for a discharge should be forwarded through the proper military channels with a recommendation of approval of the commander of each unit through which it passes. Men enlisted must receive an honorable discharge from Austin headquarters before they are relieved from duty with the National Guard of Texas.

Red Cross Election Postponed.

Hall County Chapter, Red Cross, postponed their election on account of epidemic of influenza. The annual election of Red Cross will be held Nov. 27th unless otherwise notified.

Knitters Wanted.

The wool has come for Sweaters, they must be finished at once as there is an urgent need of them. Directions changed see Supervision before making.

W. O. Snow and family left Sunday for Calexico California.

MEMPHIS SOLDIER BOY WRITES FROM FRANCE

Cecil Booker, a Memphis Boy, Tells of Soldier Life in Southern France

Somewhere in France
Aug. 23, 1918

Dera mama and all:

I will take time to drop you a few lines today although I am pretty busy with my studies. I am detached from my battery at present and going to a signal school. We are certainly having nice weather here. I am in southern France. I visited a very interesting town last Sunday. I saw some very old pieces of architecture; for instance I saw an underground church that was built in twelve hundred.

I got my first direct mail a few days ago it was a letter from Grady and believe me I was sure glad to get it. I think I will get a letter from you in a few days. I hope so anyway. I am in a big town now and we have a good time after six p. m. We get to run around after that time. I wish I could tell you every thing about France but the censors are very strict.

I like my work line and I hope I will make good which I think I will.

I sure hope we get to go to the front soon for I would like to be there and enjoy a few of the many victories we are winning over the Boches.

Today is Sunday and Sivers and myself are going to rent a bicycle and go out in the country and look around.

I wish you could see some of the money over here some of it has a hole in the center so I think I will get a nail for a pocket book.

Well mama I can't write more this time but I will write often and I hope you will write long letters and tell the rest to write too.

With love, your son,
CECIL BOOKER.

Notice

Mrs. Effie Blair Wall Field, Secretary of the Junior Department, American Red Cross, will be in Memphis, Wednesday and Thursday, October 23 and 24.

All members of Board, Chairman and Secretary of Branches and Auxiliaries, Superintendants of City and County and all leaders are invited to attend the meeting Thursday, 24th 2:00 p. m. at Red Cross Rooms.

Mystic Weavers Meet.

The Mystic Weavers met with Mrs. Stokes Wednesday Oct. 9.

A Liberty Bond was given to the Red Cross also, frozen and half napkins for the linen shower given by the Red Cross, in the hospitals, in France. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. J. Franks.

Kills Wife and Self.

Joe Stanton shot and killed his wife and then killed himself at Round Up, near Lubbock, Friday afternoon. Domestic troubles are supposed to be the cause of the deed.

Mrs. W. A. Pope Dead.

Mrs. Pope wife of W. A. Pope, who lives just west of town, died Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock. The remains were shipped to Lillian, Johnson county for burial.

D. O. Jones Dead

Mr. D. O. Jones died Tuesday night with influenza after only a few days illness.

Mrs. Fletcher Dies

Mrs. Hester Fletcher, age 70, wife of Mack Fletcher, died here Saturday.

Mr. J. H. Jouett, of Parnell, was an appreciat d caller Monday. He informs us that he expects to move to a place near Hulver next year.

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242	Benjamin F. Shepherd	151	374	John C. Scott	218	895	Fletcher L. Swift	287	488	John Henry Read	319
759	Martin Rogers Hember	152	203	Townes Kittenger	219	98	Clyde E. Robertson	288	288	Seldon H. McAbee	320
1030	Otha Bayless Quarles	153	190	John F. Tomlinson	220	434	James H. Long	289	314	Maek D. Baker	321
696	Samuel L. Montgomery	154	18	Rufus Shirley Green	221	224	Robert C. Hightower	290	508	Winfred D. Dickey	322
223	Jessie J. Simons	155	1049	Luther C. Baekhuman	222	135	William S. Goddin	291	886	Andrew M. Wheat	323
141	James S. Forkner	156	600	Ezra O. Blackshare	223	453	Brewster W. Johnson	292	389	Joseph S. Rogers	324
536	Homer S. Thompson	157	632	Rice S. Holt	224	411	Jessie B. Ashcraft	293	191	Jim M. Dunn	325
277	Vergie A. Smith	158	424	Franklin E. Boon	225	139	James W. Messer	294	586	James B. McKinney	326
185	Leon E. Tubbs	159	117	Thomas L. Mitchell	226	678	Claude Jackson	295	184	Arthur A. Kennedy	327
429	Linzy A. Ledbetter	160	740	Ernest G. Hembree	227	414	Marion McNeely	296	107	John F. Stephens	328
714	William A. Stephens	161	279	John Eli Sallee	228	216	Claud C. Herd	297	243	Robert Hope-Wherry	329
325	Charlie R. Fisher	162	845	Clarence M. Richerson	229	766	Elbert I. Adams	298	507	Bernice Milton Stephens	330
947	David Louis Howard	163	147	Jimmie B. Hughes	230	890	Cecil S. McCanne	299	644	Relus Bick Land	331
450	Samuel T. Harrison	164	155	Walter Thomas Finney	231	506	Henry S. Harrell	300	480	William N. McNeely	332
204	John E. Hampton	165	838	Marion E. Chanler	232	356	Robert S. McDaniel	301	1028	Estus K. Smith	333
354	Max McMeiken	166	725	William Perry Hale	233	443	George H. Hodge	302	281	Charles A. McElroy	334
485	Walter H. Lindsey	167	709	Emmis R. Fowler	234	547	William L. Gilley	303	1011	William A. Bailey	335
801	John H. Gipson	168	141	John F. Mauldin	235	148	George Kirkland	304	552	Hilliard N. Cummings	336
409	John Sid Fleming	169	527	Isen Paton Smith	236	915	Joseph C. Ross	305	93	Wylew B. Butler	337
799	John L. Jackson	170	58	Samuel J. Watson	237	976	Jesse L. Tisdell	306	529	Andrew P. Sanders	338
241	Robert C. Ellis	171	1067	Homer Lee McCoy	238	906	Elam J. Huddlestone	307	76	Willie G. Gardenshire	339
643	Cornelius Land	172	834	William J. Kirkland	239	373	Ed S. West	308	391	Jon T. Marshall	340
273	John R. McKinney	173	284	James O. Johnson	240	899	William F. Brittain	309	1041	James A. Sharp	341
588	Ed Clifton	174	948	Marion E. McNally	241	738	James H. Parnell	310	836	Joshua Lee Riechburg	342
158	Manse Doster	175	860	Maleofn J. Draper	242	317	Geon Virgil Byars	311	693	John L. Wyatt	343
788	Samuel L. Martin	176	837	Samuel B. Barrett	243	613	Walter L. Kelison	312	343	John L. Bevers	344
403	Joel B. Snow	177	815	Seth B. D. Palmyer	244	392	Willard Dunn	313	55	Clarence D. Pedan	345
84	Hiram Clyde Davis	178	349	Raymond F. Wright	245	805	Wiley D. Orr	314	825	Charlie R. Webster	346
963	Kit Williams	179	263	John H. Dennis	246	120	Cassie Olan White	315	814	Cleveland H. Floyd	347
62	Bunyon R. Brown	180	295	John B. Evans	247	658	William W. Adeox	316			348
545	Riley R. Graham	181	1031	James M. Baker	248	1124	Burning L. Gist	317			
92	Rex N. Rea	182	80	Joseph R. Hanvey	249			318			
902	James B. Laub	183	775	James M. Graham	250						
444	Fredrick C. Adams	184	1044	William O. Johnson	251						
1133	William T. Toon	185	452	Luther Morrison	252						
402	Walter D. McCool	186	484	John W. Harris	253						
230	Samuel N. Byars	187	967	Robert F. Gibbons	254						
626	Benjamin L. Graham	188	985	Robert H. Butler	255						
794	Willie B. Bennett	189	260	Oscar McClaren	256						
367	John H. Knight	190	165	Darius L. Rice	257						
807	John C. Sides	191	283	Henry H. Newman	258						
905	Robert Lee Risinger	192	396	Pinkney E. Freel	259						
447	William R. Raseo	193	1012	Cleburn Jordan	260						
656	John Thomas Green	194	432	Charlie Elie Stillwell	261						
38	Giles P. Monsingo	195	146	Robert G. Eddleman	262						
909	Joe H. Vandiver	196	641	Jess McCoy	263						
942	Lushon G. Weeks	197	850	John Brent Gilenwater	264						
375	Elemer H. Stanford	198	679	Nathan C. Ratliff	265						
1125	Silas L. Gammill	199	927	Elonzo J. Posey	266						
21	John C. Scoggins	200	392	John Dunn	267						
42	John M. Province	201	1082	Felix D. Gilbert	268						
48	Arch John McGee	202	705	Joel Eddins	269						
884	Orvil O. Callahan	203	855	Cecil E. Lockhart	270						
1062	Ira Lee Perkins	204	846	Marvin B. Norwood	271						
109	Henry F. Cunningham	205	509	Roy L. Sessions	272						
311	Roy C. Blanks	206	140	Beauchamp E. Durrett	273						
599	Raymond A. Ewing	207	308	Isaac N. Ledger	274						
746	Grover C. Daniels	208	1075	James Dick Payne	275						
393	Ernest L. West	209	721	Columbus T. Bennett	276						
1055	William L. Holland	210	240	Giles Virgil Barber	277						
151	George E. Sygley	211	1036	Edward D. Barnett	278						
152	Anzy F. W. Douhitt	212	335	Luther Byars	279						
254	Frank Hall	213	1008	William Jackson Poe	280						
854	Archie J. Clower	214	247	James N. Welch	281						
465	James G. Brown	215	23	Arthur M. McCreary	282						
394	Jessie W. James	216	929	James B. Greenwood	283						
793	Sid W. Welcher	217	878	James B. Worthington	284						
		217	571	Joe J. Mickle Jr.	285						
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MONUMENTS
 The old reliable Georgia Marble, 1,000 designs to select from. All work guaranteed. Your order will be appreciated. See me before buying.
N. E. BURK
 Office Over First National Bank.

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We would like to have a little more trade please.
 We need it and will appreciate and treat you the best we know how.

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 in any size tracts. In famous and dependable farming section. Crop failures absolutely unknown. Subirrigated land for alfalfa Bargains. Box 95 Lelia Lake, Texas

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Do you REALIZE that, RIGHT NOW, in your city there are valuable pieces of property going into DE-CAY for the LACK of PAINT?
 Do you REALIZE that NEGLECTING to PAINT your house you are not CONSERVING, but WAST-ING?
 Do you REALIZE that your family spends ALL of their time in the house that you call--HOME?
 Do you REALIZE that if you would apply a FRESH coat of PAINT on that house it would be a much more CHEERFUL ABIDING PLACE for those whom you LOVE?
 Do you know that our MINNESOTA paint has the ANALYSIS of its CONTENT on EVERY can, and you thereby KNOW just what you are buying?

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In buying Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, or having it repaired, you must repose confidence in your dealer.
 Since you know that you can rely on this it is advisable to trade with us.

What We Say We Do, We Do-Do,--Always

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 MEMPHIS, TEXAS

Good Clothes

The war has taught one important thing to those who are willing to learn. It has made things cost more; and when we pay more for a thing we're more apt to be more particular to know what we're getting. The war has taught that good quality pays in economy, though we have to pay more to get it.

Be Patriotic About Buying Clothes

You may not need new clothes this fall; if you can get along with what you have, save the money for Liberty Bonds or War Savings Stamps. If you buy remember this:

You don't buy anything in which quality is more important than clothes; you ought to be very particular about what you get for your money, especially because it is easy to make poor quality in clothes look very good, and there is plenty of poor quality to be had.

Hart Schaffner & Marx and Styleplus clothes are one of the ways in which we serve; all wool fabrics the best of tailoring, the most distinguished style; clothes that you can rely on, absolutely. Such clothes as these, made carefully for service are best means of saving money for yourself resources for the country.

The New Styles Are Economical

In regard to styles you will find that they are as smart looking as ever, but there is greater simplicity in them, and everything has been designed to save materials and labor. You will like the new models we are sure; we have many good things to show you.

Hart Schaffner & Marx suits are priced from \$35 to \$45. Styleplus clothes are priced at \$25 and \$30. We have quite a good range of suits in all wool fabrics, carried from last season that we offer from \$15 to \$21.

GREENE DRY GOODS COMPANY
 MEMPHIS "The Best Clothing House in Hall Co." TEXAS

Local and Personal News

Short News Paragraphs and Personal Mention of General and Special Interest to Memphis and Hall County Readers

Broder and daughter are spending a month in New York.

J. C. Finger of Santana, Miss., is visiting friends and here.

Mrs. Jot Montgomery and Dr. and Mrs. Wilson, left for a dinner.

Pierce returned Saturday from White Falls, where he went an examination for the service.

Good Hat work. All kinds of alterations and repairs, cleaning and pressing a specialty. Your work will be appreciated.

Want the Democrat next year to head better pay your subscription a head before November that date the price will be.

Money to loan on Farms, etc. Vendor's lien not extended. If you need it will pay you to GRUNDY BROS.

Continue to do repair work on tops (until I am ordered to service in the draft) and appreciate your business. BEN SMITH

McMillan, O. K. Tailor, your cleaning and pressing. O. K. Tailor Shop. We give our Personal Attention. L. McMillan.

M. M. Braswell, his son, Sam, and daughter, Miss Inez, of Lillian, were at the bedside of Mrs. Braswell's daughter, Mrs. Pope, who died Sunday.

J. W. Faust of Caroy, was on his way home from Lake. He says that in the crop failure in that part of the country, the farmers are preparing for another crop, wheat has been planted and will be sown if season is favorable.

Ed Pritchett of Parnell, was here Monday and paid this office a pleasant call. Mr. Pritchett and wife are preparing to leave for the Mexican border to spend the winter; they have made this trip regularly for a number of years on account of Mrs. Pritchett's health.

FOR RENT—Well-lighted office room, front of Democrat building.

If you want to borrow money, see or write, T. B. Norwood, Memphis, Texas.

McMillan, O. K. Tailor.

Boys in Food Army

Boys to the number of 125,000 have enrolled as club members in the food-production army.

This number exceeds by 125,000 all previous records of the State and, according to the department of Agriculture, the fighting spirit of young men in backing the armies.

If food will win the war, the boys of Texas are doing their

NUT SHELLS AND FRUIT PITS ARE WANTED

Public Again Urged to Collect These and Deliver to Red Cross. Need Is Urgent.

A nation wide campaign for the collection of certain fruit stones, fruit pits, and nut shells must be vigorously carried on immediately. These materials are urgently needed to make carbon which is to protect our men over-seas from German poison gas. Every organization and individual in the country is expected to co-operate and take part in this vitally important campaign but THE RED CROSS IS TO BE THE PRINCIPAL AGENT OF THE GOVERNMENT IN CONNECTION THEREWITH. Its functions are outlined in this letter.

The following are the materials to be collected:

- Peach stones or seeds
- Apricot pits
- Plum pits
- Olive pits
- Date seeds
- Cherry pits
- Brazil nuts shells
- Walnut shells (English or native)
- Hicory nut shells
- Butter nut shells

It is not necessary to separate the various materials listed above. They may be mixed together indiscriminately. Any of these materials, if sound, no matter how old will be accepted. Care must be taken, however, to exclude all materials not listed above. The field has been studied carefully by Government chemists and no materials outside of the above list are desired.

All pits and nuts must be thoroughly dried in ovens or in the sun before they are delivered to the collection centers mentioned later in this letter. This is extremely important. It will simplify matters if the individuals, restaurants, hotels etc. dry their own pits before turning them over to the Red Cross.

Pay Your Red Cross Subscription:

N. E. BURK
Notary Public
Fire Tornado and Hail Insurance
Over First Nat'l Bank.

THE BEST BY TEST
that is a pointed way of putting it. Our lumber when used for building purposes is in itself a challenge to the wearing years of time. First our stock is pre-eminent because of the nicety of our selections—perfect grain, perfect seasoning, uniform strips. Secondly our lumber is subjected to a scientific process of drying which is a guarantee against shrinkage or warping. Despite all of these manifest advantages our prices appeal.



WOOLDRIDGE LUMBER COMPANY

DON'T TAKE A CHANCE

Memphis People Should Act in Time.

If you suffer with backache, if you have headaches, dizzy spells, if the kidney secretions are irregular, Don't delay—likely your kidneys are sick.

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