

THE OZONA STOCKMAN.

Wayne West

News and Notes of Our Soldiers

Miss Lillian Cooke has an original idea for making sure that her two soldier uncles in France get The Stockman every week. She incloses the paper a page at a time in her letters.

Hello, dear old Kuz Bill: Why don't you join the Army? It's a great life, believe me! You'd sure like it.—Col Everett, 55th Balloon Divn.

Have to stay here and help roast the slackers, Col. They'd have things all their own way if somebody didn't keep cases on 'em. We see Joker is with the Italians chasing the Austrians beyond the Piavve. We are all expecting you boys to begin getting back home right along from now on. Going to have great times when you all get back.—Kuzn Bill.

Rex Russell is with Uncle Sam's marines in San Domingo, and sends a lot of interesting kodaks home to the family.

Editor Bill: I am quite well. Letter follows at first opportunity.—Bob Jeffreys, Somewhere-in-France.

Ira Carson had influenza, followed by pneumonia, while crossing the ocean, but was supposed to be alright at last accounts.

Corporal Horace B. Friend is in Scotland. His division has

been constantly expecting to cross the Channel into France, but with the early and inevitable conclusion of peace, the boys in other countries than France may take ship direct for home ports.

Haven't received the last two issues of The Stockman. Please send it.—Bustin Cannon, Kelly Field.

Of course not. Whenever you boys change posts drop us a card, or we always like to get a letter from any of you if you can find time, and we will follow you up closely and religiously with the paper. Your Stockman is paid way on yonder ahead, Bustin. Pretty girl was asking your address the other day. Write to him, Susie, 7th Company, 2nd Wing, Kelly Field No. 1, South San Antonio, Texas. He's sure "flyin' high" these days.

Corp. Friend says it was bogger on the road between here and there than it ever was in Crockett county. There were spots where it was real damp. "I just got to have The Stockman," writes Horace.

Dear Kuzn Bill: I get The Stockman nearly every week, and, believe me, it sure helps! Be sure and send it every week. Lots of the boys at Ft. Bliss died of the Phlew, but they have it under control now.—Ogle M. Craig, 7th Cavalry, Ft. Bliss.

Aaron Joslin writes to Richard Flowers of Ozona that he has been several times up against

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PHLEW!

Ozona is still comparatively free of influenza. There are a few cases, but family precautions have been taken, the homes quarantined, and other measures of safety have been adopted and enforced by the authorities.

Garages have been stationed and the Mexicans from across the draw are kept in their town. Transients and travelers get gasoline and go on through. Do not get out of cars.

Hotels are not receiving transients.

Residents returning from outside points quarantined (including family) for three days.

Dr. Cox has all cases going good, and takes care of his own health, which is the most vitally important consideration.

The people generally are helping, and if they continue to do so, even to a stricter degree, Ozona will go through practically unhurt.

It is not possible to announce any definite date for the resumption of school work, church gatherings, etc. It is possible that the schools will not re-open until next year. It is hoped, however, to resume work some time this month—just hoping for the best.

The school board and the health authorities take no risks. The school board was to have met yesterday, but, together with the War Work campaign and meetings, and the leaders themselves and other people and things, they were rained and flued out.

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Germany Now Stands All Alone

Allow down and out except Germany, and that country tottering to its fall.

The terms of the Allies to Germany for an armistice have been unanimously agreed to and have been offered to Germany.

They will either be agreed to at once by Germany, and all hostilities cease, or, if Germany rejects them she will have to accept far more rigid terms. The Allies are in a position to enforce every item of the terms without delay. With the absolute surrender to the Allies of all Germany's hitherto friendly nations, including Austria, the allied armies and fleets entirely surround Germany, which, in its self is rapidly falling in pieces.

The Austrian army is being disbanded, the fleets given up to the allies.

All American and Allied prisoners in Austria released.

Allied armies will march across Austrian territory to attack Germany.

The German emperor said to have left for Sweden, but his person may be demanded of Sweden, and that country will be forced to surrender him, or be invaded by the allied armies.

The American armies, including the troops from Texas and Oklahoma, are advancing rapidly on every front opposing the Germans. Ready at the word, to take Metz, if Germany still tries to hold out.

End of the war is hourly expected. There will be no Peace declared until Germany formally accepts terms of the Allies.

Grandma Shipp's 89th Birthday

"Flowers for the Living in Ozona.

So much nicer, isn't it? Grandma Shipp was eighty-nine years old Tuesday.

Many of her old friends in Ozona remembered the day and went to see her, taking all kinds of good things, and pretty things and, as the government officials are calling them, "useful and sensible presents."

Grandma said it was one of the happiest days of her life.

She was blind for twelve years but in 1915 an eminent oculist restored the sight of one eye, and she gets around and does housework spryer than many a woman a half century younger.

Grandma Shipp's maiden name was Chaud Oins. She was born in Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 5th, 1829. She came to Texas in 1859 and settled in Llano county, and came to Crockett county twenty-two years ago. She was the mother of four children, and raised three of them. She now has three children, six grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren. She has been a member of the Christian church fifty-five years.

Grandma Shipp voted in the July Democratic primaries, and was probably the oldest woman in Texas who did vote. She celebrated her eighty-ninth birthday on the day of the general election.

We are all hoping to help Grandma celebrate her one hundredth birthday right here in Ozona, at her home with her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Smith.

Positive Notice

Friends, my business is everything in the world I have to protect my credit with, and I ask that you kindly step in and pay me EVERY THIRTY DAYS.

I hate to do this in my home town, but I can see my future better than anyone else, and if you get the goods, please remember this statement.

R. R. DUDLEY.

Now, ladies of Ozona, please remember when you overhaul your skirts and dresses and all for the winter months, to send them to Roy Parker to be cleaned and pressed. Phone him to send for them. He guarantees his work.

Next Saturday

Gas Mask Day

Gov. Hobby has designated Saturday, the 9th, as Gas Mask Day. Everybody bring all the peach, prune and plum seeds, etc., Tom Nolen. The Stockman office or some of the rest of us to make gas masks for the soldiers. Can you say that last line fast? Bring your fruit pits to The Stockman Office. Receptacle for them here. Save a soldier's life—if there should be any more fighting.

Question of the Hour: "Are you sending The Stockman to your soldier?"

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OZONA, CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS, NOV. 7, 1918

Question of the Hour: "Did you vote?"

Y N

Text for Today: "Who art thou that judgest another?" James 4: 12.

Y N

Fort Worth Star-Telegram has at last secured the services of an editorial writer. So glad!

Y N

Some old records have been dug up that prove that this country had just such a terrible epidemic of influenza as this exactly one hundred years ago.

Y N

Mr. Business Man, get a move on and get your Christmas advertising started right NOW. Don't give the people such good excuses to order from mail order catalogs—sending home dollars away.

Y N

Now comes the Dallas News to add insult to injury—to pile Ossa on Pelion—whatever that means. The News gives directions for preserving thirty dozen hen eggs. Everybody knows there never were that many hen eggs.

Y N

Editor Bill Kellis of the Sterling City News-Record, who, by the way, has been sentenced to the Texas legislature, was knocked down and "gored" by his muley milk cow the other day. "I didn't so much mind her massagin' my stomach," he says, "but it made me good and mad when she blowed her nose in my face."

Y N

Congressman Blanton really succeeded in getting into the Congressional record an account of how he beat the stuffin' out of his three opponents for Congress. A large amount of print paper was used, the mails were burdened and the people are taxed, yet we are not allowed to use the white paper we really need in our business. "No politics"? O, of course not. No Politics! Har, Har!

Y N

Shafts o'Light in the San Antonio Light says Perry Robinson of the London Times, estimated he was kissed 100,000 times in one day when visiting Lille. Where does Lille live? Why don't the Light publish Lille's picture? She must be some kisser.—Eagle Pass Guide.

Y N

None of that in ourn. This kissin' biz ain't so better. There ain't more'n a hundred women in Ozona we'd allow to kiss the flu into us. We're sure some independent cuss.

Y N

The Stockman hereby issues an open challenge to any newspaper in Texas to show a prettier paid-in-advance subscription list, in prettier shape in every way, than this paper has. We will forfeit a fifty dollar Liberty Bond to any paper in the State that can beat us, by showing a prettier list of honest pay-in-advance appreciative subscribers. Any takers?

Y N

That speech of Secretary of State Lansing was great. In dealing with the defeated and humiliated German he must be treated with mercy, if we would obtain mercy; but mercy must not be allowed to defeat the ends and purposes of justice. While the Germans must pay to the full the tremendous reckoning, the Christian nations, who, under God, are the instruments of righteous vengeance, should know how to discriminate between the innocent and the guilty—between the German fiendish autocracy and the basely deceived people of Germany.

Y N

"Skeeter" Newsam, who was so long the newspaper humorist of West Texas, as editor and owner of the Marathon Hustler, has gone to Springerville, Arizona, and will, of course, make good there as he does everywhere. He says that is the finest country on earth, but it may be one of his jokes. He used to say the same thing about Marathon. You never can tell sometimes when Skeeter is in earnest—which he isn't. He hasn't written to Kuzn Bill yet, tho his subscription to The Stockman is paid up to July 4th, 1919. He writes to the Alpine Avalanche: "There are a lot of fine people out here—and some Democrats."

KIND WORDS.

Hardly a mail arrives that fails to bring us one or more letters containing such kindly expressions as the following, all of which keeps us in a happy frame of mind, also enables us to keep a good appetite for our beans and beans for our appetite: Rusk, Texas.—Kuzn Bill: Your paper is so newsy, and like a letter from Ozona, that we don't want to miss a copy.—Mrs. Ben McDermott.

By gum, Yes! I wish the postoffice WOULD hang you! What you stop my paper for? Thought you was joking. Keep her comin'. Here's a check to buy beans. Hope they choke you.—Dick Barnett, Del Rio.

Sanderson, Texas.—I don't want to miss a single copy of The Stockman. We surely appreciate it.—N. C. Rogers.

Range, Okla.—We are sure glad to get The Stockman every week. Better than letters, because it gives ALL the news.—Joe B. Edens.

Alpine, Texas.—Dear Kuzn Bill: I lay aside everything else until I read every line in your good paper. I am sorry we had to let Ozona have you, but we couldn't help it. Wish you could come back and spend a while with us.—A. J. Tippit.

Y N

ABOUT HOLIDAY BUYING AND GIVING.

More urgent than ever before in the history of the nation, we ought to begin doing our Christmas shopping right now, begin buying such presents as we already know we intend to give, paying for them and having them put away if they are to go to local people, or sending them early if going to friends and loved ones in other places.

The Federal government will make the following requests of you: Merchants, do your advertising NOW.

Buy only useful presents, useful in themselves and immediately useful to the recipients. Toys for children are considered useful.

Begin Holiday buying and planning right NOW. Mail or express in November, or as early as possible in December, all gifts to go away from home. Send away as few bulky articles as possible.

Stores are urged to make only one delivery a day, and to advise customers that special deliveries will not be made under any circumstances. Ask the public to pay for and carry away with them every package possible. Thus avoid bookkeeping and delivery service.

Stores are requested not to increase the working forces during Christmas season.

If the people of the United States will do these things they will help immensely in war work and after war work, relieve wearied tradespeople, save labor and fuel, prevent transportation congestion.

Y N

WHERE IGNORANCE IS BLISS.

Up in Iowa, in the cultured city of Des Moines, the school authorities have discovered that the school children do not read the newspapers, and are therefore in blissful ignorance and unconsciousness, like many of their elders, of what is going on in the world. They seem to have just enough smattering of world doings to all the more confuse them.

In a school contest in Des Moines on "War Information," the following were some of the definitions given:

- Hindenburg: A stream between Germany.
- McAdoo: President Wilson's daughter's husband.
- Hoover: A breakfast cereal.
- Lansing: Capital of Michigan.
- Censor: Mexican word for Mr.
- Smileage: Act of smiling.
- Colonel House: House where colonels stay.
- Marne: Underwater sea craft.
- Crowder: Place recaptured by the Allies.
- Czernin: Mrs. Romanoff.
- Charles M. Schwab: Pro-German who was lynched in the South.
- Lloyd-George: Son of the kaiser.
- Kitchener: One who does kitchen work.

Y N

We had an election Tuesday. Wasn't much of an election—but it was enough.

Y N

Now that the election is over, maybe the politicians will quit gumming the cards and permit the people to be informed that the WAR IS WON!

Y N

Don't you outside people come pestacin' around Ozona now. We haven't had much flu, but we've had quite as much as we need. We have a rigid quarantine on, and it is being enforced.

Y N

Kuzn Bill has already received his Thanksgiving Box—delicious fruit raised on the site of an ancient Texas city, the City of the Heaven-Kissing Hill. Will tell you all about it in Stockman next week.

Y N

Tell me influenza isn't a good thing? I never saw a single bill collector on the first of the month. Not even my own. He's got it too.—Joe Boehmer. I ain't saw none, neither. Maybe Old Man Charge It has had the Phlew—and kicked off.

Southwestern Range Notes.

If you want to buy or sell anything see Bruce Drake, Ozona.

Bright Baggett sold to Early Baggett 400 ewe lambs at \$8.00.

Frank Friend is shipping this week from Barnhart to Ft. Worth some lambs and old ewes, about two carloads.

Joe Pierce, Jr., and Kuzn Bill have arranged for a good rain next Sunday or Monday. If it comes earlier, credit our accounts with it.

LATER—Rained yesterday evening in Ozona, at Friend horse ranch and other places and misting rain, with heavy black clouds as Stockman goes to press this (Thursday) morning.

Letter from Joe Edens. Range, Oklahoma.

Dear Kuzn Bill: Sure glad to get The Stockman. It is better than letters, because I get ALL the news.

We are in Hansford County, Texas, right on the Oklahoma line.

This is the hardest year this country ever experienced, on account of being so heavily stocked. Cattle have been drifting up here from the drouth-stricken sections and have eaten all the grass. They will nearly all have to be fed through the winter now.

I've been mighty busy trying to get all my feed down before frost. Am just about through now and no frost yet. I have about ten thousand bundles of cane and ten tons of maize for sale. Have a good market for everything.

Hope the stock will winter well in that country. Regards to all old friends.

JOE B. EDENS.

Greatly Benefited by Chamberlain's Tablets.

"I am thankful for the good I have received by using Chamberlain's Tablets. About two years ago when I began taking them I was suffering a great deal from distress after eating, and from headache and a tired, languid feeling due to indigestion and a torpid liver. Chamberlain's Tablets corrected these disorders in a short time, and since taking two bottles of them my health has been good," writes Mrs. M. P. Harwood, Auburn, N. Y.—Sold by Smith Drug Store.

Brewster County Ranchmen Dies.

L. D. Miller, a Brewster county ranchman living in the Hovey neighborhood, died at Houston last week, from influenza. Mr. Miller had gone to Houston to look after a shipment of horses which he had made. He was buried at Jasper, Texas. He was unmarried. A sister lives at Uvalde.—Alpine Avalanche.

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The cattle loan appraiser has been scattered around Ozona for the past few days, appraising some ranch securities for loan purposes.

San Antonio Express reports that Chas. Williams of Ozona sold 300 3 and 4-year-old steers to G. S. White of Weatherford, at \$70. To be shipped from Rankin to Oswego, wherever that is. That is going away from home to learn the news, but that's nothing when a newspaper man gets used to it.

Ozona Folks May Still Wear Wool

FIRST—We bought far in advance.

SECOND—We were confident that Woolens would advance to extremely, and to even unreasonably, high prices.

THIRD—We prepared accordingly, making big purchases in the Fancy Woolens, many of which have already altogether disappeared from the market, and are now not to be had at any price.

These fabrics we have had carefully tailored into good looking suits and overcoats in this Fall's Styles.

We are pricing them to you at really ridiculously low figures when one considers prevailing conditions.

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Please send your orders and materials to us at Ozona.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schauer

The Wilson sheep stealing case has been transferred from Sutton county to Crockett, and a special term of District Court will be held in Ozona beginning Monday morning, December 9th for the trial.

More Cash or Less Meat

It means just that. I cannot afford to keep the pace—buying high-priced beef for cash and selling it on credit. So I ask as kindly as I know how that all who owe me pay their accounts NOW, and, furthermore, not to embarrass both themselves and me by trying to get any more on credit until they settle up.

If I can't get pay for what I sell, I must close the market.

ROBERT J. COOKE.

NOTICE—POSTED.

Notice is hereby given that no trespassing, bathing in tank, etc., will be permitted on my premises in the northern part of Ozona. These are duly posted according to law.

R. R. DUDLEY.

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News

We wish to announce that Dr. W. T. Henderson, an oculist and optician of 25 years' experience, has entire charge of our optical department.

We specially invite all who suffer from Headache, or are nervous from any cause, to call and consult Dr. Henderson, as he makes a specialty of relieving these troubles through the EYE.

Ninety per cent of all Headache sufferers can be relieved by glasses alone. Only about 25 per cent are relieved because of not getting the right kind of service. If your glasses do not give satisfaction, call and have your eyes thoroughly examined at our expense. Although no charge is made, we guarantee the service good as can be had at any price. Any lens duplicated. Save the pieces.

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SAN ANGELO, TEXAS.

The election Tuesday was hardly any election at all. Just 32 votes were polled in Ozona, but it was not considered of enough importance to hold elections elsewhere, especially in view of the Flu situation. The democratic county nominees were of course, elected without any material opposition, tho there were a couple of socialist votes.

Ozona Clean-Up Day Postponed.

On account of the influenza and the precautions it is necessary to take, the adjournment of schools, scarcity of Mexican labor, etc., the regular quarterly Ozona Clean-Up has been postponed indefinitely. Ample notice will be given in The Stockman when the town clean-up will be resumed.

MRS. FRANK F. FRIEND,
Chairman Sanitary Committee.

Sleep and Rest.

One of the most common causes of insomnia and restlessness is indigestion. Take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper and see if you do not rest better and sleep better. They only cost a quarter.—Sold by Smith Drug Store.

Cleaning and pressing in the most sanitary way. If my work suits you, tell others, if not, tell ME. Roy Parker.

Loveliest Woman in Alpine.

Old friends of The Stockman family Eph Williams and wife, of Alpine, came through Ozona Saturday evening late enroute to Henderson, Texas, to make their future home. They wanted to stop but quarantine said no. Eph's wife was the prettiest woman in Alpine. Don't know who is the prettiest since she left, but think it is a former Ozona girl.

Handsome Woodmen Monuments.

Silas Izzard, field partner in the great marble yards of Shipman & Izzard, in San Angelo, was here for a couple of days placing the beautiful Woodmen monuments over the graves of our deceased friends Leonard Russell and Will Graham. The work has been done beautifully and the graves present a pretty appearance. It is not probable that the monument unveiling ceremonies will be held until the boys get back from overseas.

Cartridges of all kinds. See them at **Chris Meinecke & Son's**.

Mrs. E. B. Deland was a visitor to Pandie during the past week, guest of Mrs. Ed Smith.

Christmas Announcements, Mr. Business Man. Get them in to The Stockman right now.

L. B. Adams is visiting his Trans-Pecos ranch for a few days, accompanied by Richard Flowers.

Melvin Evans and Bert Bosworth and fraus are preparing to leave us for East Texas, where they will go to farming.

George Montgomery and family are here from Comanche visiting Fred and wife and the rest of the kinfolks.

Have you seen that Liberty Bond Crockett County Went-Over-The-Top Flag over the Ozona National Bank? Of course we are proud of it. Ain't you?

Mammoth Bronze Prize Turkey Gobbler for sale for breeding purposes. Address Mrs. Otto Schauer, Ozona, or phone Stockman office for particulars.

Bud Spradlin came in yesterday with a shipload of immense cedar logs from the Paul Perner ranch. Didn't know Crockett county had trees half as big as that.

You are now allowed three pounds sugar to the person and may get your entire month's supply at one time. If you already got two pounds, go back and get another.

Thanksgiving Turkeys—big, fat fellows, for sale by Mrs. Otto Schauer. Leave or phone your orders to The Stockman, and they will be delivered in regular order.

Brock Hoover came in from his Pecos river ranch to pass a splendid physical examination in ease it took another man to finish the kaiser. The k., however, has been sufficiently trimmed.

Can't give you the names of the sick. Haven't space. But Ozona hasn't been hit nearly as hard as any neighboring town. Observe closely the quarantine and sanitary regulations, and we shall get through nicely.

After burying the husband and father at Del Rio, Mrs. Burchett and children came back home and were quarantined a few days. Miss Mary expects to return within a few days to her clerical position in a big store at Vivian, Louisiana.

Forgot to tell you that Miss Maggie Davidson is now first assistant Nolen-Davidson Co., first assistant Nolen-Davidson Land and Abstract Company, first assistant Chas. E. Davidson Co., first assistant Crockett County Judge—and The Stockman's next door neighbor east.

Are you going South, East or West? If so go with Sam Bell, on the Ozona-Comstock mail line. He will leave Ozona Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday morning of each week, and make connection at Comstock with Eastbound train, getting to Del Rio, Eagle Pass, Uvalde and San Antonio same day. You may take that train for Del Rio, if you are going West, and catch the Sunset Limited in that city for all big towns West, as Sanderson, Alpine, Marfa, El Paso, Ring Sam Bell at the Kirkpatrick.

RED CROSS



Notice is hereby given that, in accordance with the rules of the American National Red Cross, a nominating committee appointed by the executive committee of this Chapter has nominated for membership on the Chapter Executive Committee, for the ensuing year, the following persons, all of Ozona:

Mrs. H. B. Cox, Floyd Henderson, Elam Dudley, W. R. Baggett, Ben B. Ingham, J. B. Smith, H. W. B. Montgomery, P. L. Childress, Eugene McSparren, Strickland Harvie, Blake Mauldin, G. L. Bunger, Homer Smith, S. E. Couch, Ethel Gann, C. E. Davidson and Joe Oberkamp.

Miss Elizabeth Fussell. Messrs J. B. Smith, W. D. Barton, W. C. Easterling, J. O. Seccrest, L. B. Cox, A. J. Carson.

Any other nominations may be made within seven days in writing by a letter addressed to the undersigned secretary of this Chapter, and signed by ten or more members in good standing of any auxiliary within this Chapter jurisdiction. Such names will then appear on the formal ballot along with the names above selected by the nominating committee.

The twelve candidates who shall receive the highest number of all votes cast shall be declared elected to membership on the Chapter Executive Committee. Mrs. W. E. FRIEND, Secty. Crockett County Chapter Red Cross.

Nursing Assistants.

And still the cry comes in for help for our boys wounded and another position has been created in answer to the cry of women with their dear ones so cruelly crippled. "Give us something to DO." So now the opportunity comes to register as Hospital Assistant. Candidates must be married women between the ages of twenty-one and forty whose husbands are overseas; also single women between the ages of thirty-five and forty-five and must be graduates of high schools or present an acceptable equivalent, and will be assigned to convalescent hospitals in this country where training school units are not to be established. I have blanks for applicants to fill out and all necessary information and shall be only too glad to help out in every way. The most cheerful thing about this war is the fact that the percentage of incapacitated men is very small, but during the period when they are being trained to help themselves in an entirely new vocation, they need the constant care and scientific watchfulness of trained assistants.

MRS. ETHEL GANN.

Why wait 'til you begin to freeze to death before having that stove put up? If you will phone me I'll come or send a man on the run and you will not be troubled. Joe Oberkamp.

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That delicious rock candy syrup at Meinecke's is an excellent substitute for sugar in cooking. Just give it a trial, and your sugar supply will not run short. Just in. Phone us your order for a trial bucket.

Mrs. W. P. Hoover had the misfortune to fall at her home in Ozona last Monday and painfully, but not seriously, sprained her ankle.

WANTED—Good milk cow. Write Mrs. T. A. Kincaid or phone four-eight, Ozona.

Methodist Church News.

Rev. J. D. McWhorter who has been pastor of the local Methodist church at this place for the last four years has been transferred to Ozona. Brother McWhorter and his good wife will be sadly missed here. No pastor was better loved and more universally respected than Brother McWhorter. He commanded the respect of saint and sinner alike. It always seemed to us these people had only one mission and that was to do good and they filled the measure to the brim. We are glad that these splendid people are going no further than Ozona, so we may get to see them again. We hate to give them up but we're glad they are to be at Ozona.—Sterling City News-Record.

Mr. McWhorter is expected to arrive from Sterling today. The ladies of his congregation have it all framed up to give him a good pounding. We are all hoping he'll have to swim all the rivers, however, to get here, as it is raining mudcats as this is being put in type, and rain is far more important right now than preachers.

T. L. Miller of Sonora, watchmaker, jeweler and optician, will be in Ozona at Smith's drug-store every Saturday. Glasses fitted and remodeled. Eyes tested free. Office hours 11 to 4.

The Red Cross cartons for sending Christmas to the soldier boys are expected every day. Ring Mrs. S. E. Couch, chairman of that department, for full information.

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Christmas for the Soldiers in France

Christmas presents for our soldiers in France will be limited to one for each. They must be forwarded not later than November 15th in a carton just 9x4x3 inches furnished by the Red Cross.

Each soldier is allowed to receive only one Christmas present from this country. The carton supplied by the local chapter of the Red Cross is furnished only to the holder of a permit-address, and this must come from the soldier himself. The commander of his company issues him this blank and he sends it to the person in this country from whom he is most anxious to receive a Christmas present.

Listen:
The Christmas package must be packed by the person sending the carton and delivered unwrapped and unlabeled to the Red Cross to be inspected, wrapped, labeled (with label from overseas) weighed and delivered to the postoffice.

No package may weigh more than three pounds.

No written message may be inclosed.

In the event of a Christmas label being lost, no duplicate may be secured.

It would be a better plan to just write them nice, long, chatty, cheerful, homey letters and send copious clippings from each issue of The Stockman. Great care is at all times necessary to guard against enemy treachery.

Please subscribe for this paper.

For the very best cleaning and pressing please see Roy Parker, Gents' Furnisher, Ozona. Phone and he will send for your clothing.

Have you had your stove put up? Joe Oberkamp will come or send a man to see to your flues, put up your stoves, etc., and get everything safe and convenient before cold weather sets in. Of course there will be a rush of work on when it begins sleeting. Phone one-eight-one right now before you forget it.

Send Christmas Cards to Them

Christmas Cards are now on display at the Ozona News Stand. The reason for this is that you may begin right now to inclose a Christmas Card in every letter you write to our soldier boys in France. They may get some of them before Christmas, some just at Christmas and some after Christmas. The cards are remarkably cheap, considering the present extraordinarily high price of paper and paper products. Many neat, tasty and appropriate cards are as cheap as two for five cents. Call and look at them.

The soldier in the faraway land would rather have some little remembrance like that, and many of them. Why should you go to the trouble and expense of sending him something he will never receive?

We are not now permitted to send any present to a soldier in France unless HE ASKS for that particular article in a letter. We are not allowed to send any Christmas present at all after Nov. 15th, and that, as mentioned elsewhere in this paper, only one present to each soldier, in a box of only a certain kind, furnished by the Red Cross. Now, who is going to send that particular package, and which package will he get? But you may all send as many newspapers, newspaper clippings, letters and cards as you want to, at small cost, and without restrictions of any kind.

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NEWS AND NOTES OF OUR SOLDIERS

(Continued from First Page.)

the "real thing." Says our boys are chasing the Huns off the earth as fast as they can. Says he learned the flag signal wigwagging before he left the States, and can send sixty words a minute. Says his mama in Ozona sends him The Stockman every week. Says he secured a German helmet just the day before writing, and was going to bring it to Richard for a Christmas present, as they were all coming home.

Editor's Note.—You better bring me a helmet, too, Aaron, or I'll think you meant sixty letters a minute on that wigwag. I'm some wigwagger myself, but that's going about forty words a minute over my time.—Kuzn Bill.

Boys, we would like to send every one of you The Stockman free of charge every week. We could easily afford it. But the War Industries Board expressly forbids us sending the paper free to soldiers, as well as to our own relatives. If your home folks will pay fifty cents for three months at a time, a dollar for six months, or two dollars for a year we shall be glad to send The Stockman to either your home people to be sent you by sections in letters, or will send direct from our office to your army address.—Kuzn Bill.

Trooper Ogle Craig, of the 7th Cavalry, wants The Stockman to print that slacker roast in verse, the one that begins:

"We give you our service— you cut off our beer,
But the slacker may drink 'til it runs out his ear;
We gave up our jobs to keep you from harm,
And the slacker goes by with a girl on each arm."

The Stockman printed that Roast, and others, some time ago. I could tell you boys quite a lot, but The Stockman would be censored, and you will learn it all mighty quick, anyhow, when you get back home.—Kuzn Bill.

You boys remember to keep a memoranda and number all your letters to the home folks, and you home folks do the same. Gives you a good check. Don't you home folks ever write, either, without enclosing at least a page of The Stockman with the letter.

Following are excerpts from the concluding pages of Lieut. Houston Smith's interesting letter, published in part last week:

"I was assigned to a white company, but most of the other boys went into the negro brigade. I have a splendid captain and lieutenants to work with.

"We 'Shave Tails' are having a great time learning military etiquette. We have a very formal mess. No one enters the mess hall until the major enters. All remain at attention until he seats himself. All wait 'til he picks out the nicest brown biscuit before we load our plates. We do not smoke until he smokes and do not rise until he leaves

About Croup.

If your children are subject to croup, or if you have reason to fear their ever being attacked by that disease, you should procure a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and study the directions for use, so that in case of an attack you will know exactly what course to pursue. This is a favorite and very successful remedy for croup, and it is important that you observe the directions carefully.—Sold by Smith Drug Store.

the room. The first day we failed to do all of the aforesaid. A verdant shave tail got the major's biscuit, and most of them helped themselves and left when all the chow was gone. The major, I fear, went away hungry. Anyhow, that afternoon the major sent the adjutant down to lecture all the little Shavies on how to eat, and, like Mrs. Mauldin's Ruggles, we learned 'there is more than one way to eat.' I always liked comedy. I claim that was great stuff.

"They say it gets cool here (Camp Sherman.) I have already gone to wearing socks.

"We had a division review and you should have seen Lieut. Smith as he led his platoon before the reviewing stand! Gee! He was some class! He gave his platoon 'Eyes Right!' and saluted Gen. Rivers. You ought to have seen the old kid step! You can't tell just what these old Ozona boys will do when they get away from home. I was puffed up. I had a fine bunch of chaps and they held a good line while passing the General.

"You may think me a little cheasty over getting my commission. I am. I think I may well be proud of it. We went through the hardest course any camp ever had. We had to pass a perfect physical test, even to blood, etc. I registered perfect. Even passed the perfect test with my left eye. Thereby hangs a tale. May explain when the war is over."

Jack Smith, from the front Somewhere-There, writes his mother, Mrs. Homer Smith in Ozona, that he gets The Stockman she sends every week, and it helps out mightily. Shares the paper with Angus Stricklen, who is in the same company with him, and they enjoy it greatly. Says two of Bill West's cousins are also in his company. All in good spirits and will be ready to hike for home as soon as German squeals "Enough!"

Bill Dehnart was the happiest man in Ozona yesterday, and is today as happy a man as there is in Texas. He left yesterday for training camp at Camp Mabry. Bill was born in Berlin, but he has been trying desperately to get to go with the Americans to biff the kaiser. He was once in the German army and knows the brutalities and the wrongs imposed upon the German soldiers by the High-Ups.

One more man will be sent next Monday, the 11th, from Crockett county, and go to Camp Bowie, at Ft. Worth, unless the future calls for soldiers are all cancelled, which at this writing, is very probable. It would be the height of improbability that any more Americans will be sent across the ocean.

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