

ONLY TEN COUNTIES OVER ON W.S. QUOTAS

ALL THOSE WHO HAVE PLEDGED SHOULD PAY BEFORE DECEMBER 31ST

DALLAS, Texas, December 18.—In the report just issued by the War Savings Committee, covering the eleven fiscal months ending December 5, it is shown that ten Texas Counties have bought United States Government war savings stamps exceeding their assigned annual quotas. These counties are Maverick, Aransas, Kleburg, Fayette, Rockwall, Victoria, Wharton, Galveston and Rusk.

Maverick County, of which W. J. Niggli is war savings chairman, leads the 250 organized counties in the sale of war savings stamps, its people having invested \$250,150.82 in these Government securities instead of stopping at \$118,880, the quota assigned the county by the Treasury Department. A Maverick county bank, the State Bank and Trust Company of Eagle Pass, has the distinction of being the only bank in the United States which has sold war savings stamps in excess of the county's entire quota. This means that the Maverick County bank has individually sold more than \$118,880 in stamps, which is the quota of the county.

The other nine honor counties which have exceeded their quota in actual cash purchases are credited with sales as follows: Aransas, \$63,890.84; Kleburg, \$94,976.42; Roberts, \$24,991.81; Fayette, \$571,310.27; Rockwall, \$146,381.11; Victoria, \$287,059.94; Wharton, \$421,684.14; Galveston, \$775,985.18; Rusk, \$466,472.50. The other counties of Texas thereas still out-standing about \$30,000,000 in unpaid war savings stamp pledges. The official Government payment call has now been issued for the complete liquidation of all unpaid pledges by December 31, and during the next few days these pledges will be met.

Marvin Jones Introduces Bill

The following bill was introduced in the house by Representative Marvin Jones:

To provide for the retention of all uniforms issued to soldiers and sailors of the United States who have been honorably discharged, and providing also for the privilege of using same.

Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that each enlisted man of the Army or Navy of the United States, whether by induction or otherwise, who has been of who may hereafter be honorably discharged from the service, shall have the right to retain as his personal property all clothing, uniform, shoes, hat, and overcoat which may have been or which may hereafter be issued to him by the Government of the United States. Such individual soldier or sailor so discharged shall also have the privilege of wearing such complete uniform and clothing at any time: Provided, however, That the Secretary of War may require of any discharged soldier, and the Secretary of the Navy may require of any discharged sailor, the wearing of some character of inexpensive insignia or button on the collar, sleeve, or other part of such uniform as evidence that such soldier or sailor has been honorably discharged.

Sec. 2. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Marriage Licenses.

The following were the marriage licenses issued by the county clerk the past week:

Cecil Lee Humphrey of Amarillo and Laurine Burch of the northern part of Randall county, December 12. K. K. Runnels of Texico and Mrs. Mary B. Shipley, December 15th.

These were the first licenses issued by the new clerk Oscar Gano. In fact they were the first licenses issued in the county since the middle of October.

Snowfall Four Inches Here

For the third time this fall this section has been covered with a heavy blanket of snow. In Canyon the snow began to fall Tuesday and amounted to something like four inches. In Amarillo it snowed five inches. The ground now has the best seasoning at this time of the year that it has had in several years, and promises a mighty wheat yield next year.

Let Santa Claus bring War Savings Stamps to all patriots.

C. O. Keiser's Herd of Prize-Winning Herefords



PANHANDLE CATTLE BREAK ALL RECORDS

C. O. KEISER'S HEREFORDS TAKE 2 FIRSTS AT STOCK SHOW —TOP CHICAGO MARKET

A new high price was established on the Chicago market on Monday, December 2, when a car load of Hereford beef steers two years old, bred, raised and fed by C. O. Keiser, of Canyon, Texas, sold for twenty cents per pound on the open market, this being the highest price for which any car load of cattle had ever sold on that market, not only from Texas, but from any part of the United States. The high mark previous to this sale was made on October 28, when one load sold at Chicago for \$19.75, and before that three loads had reached a mark of \$19.60. The above load of Keiser cattle was one of two loads which he had been feeding at his home in the Panhandle, at Canyon, and were shipped direct from Chicago to New York to supply the highest class of trade of that city.

Another load of steers of the same age, breeding and feeding, was entered in the International Stock Show by Mr. Keiser, in the car lot division of fat steers, and carried off two blue ribbons, one for being the best load of cattle in the Southwestern District, and the other offered by the American Hereford Breeders' Association for the best car load of two year old Herefords, and was the heaviest car load of two year old steers shown at the International for several years.

In the auction sale of the car lots entered for the show, this load of cattle was purchased for the Fred Harvey eating houses for \$25.50 per hundred and weighed fifteen hundred and eight pounds each, after a shipment of a thousand miles from their home feed lots.

That honors of this kind are not new to Mr. Keiser is shown by his record in breeding and feeding circles in the past, as he had previously established a world's record on the Kansas City market with two loads of heifer calves of his own breeding; in June, 1913, he made a new record on a consignment of 965 pound yearling steers of his own breeding and feeding, of \$9.00. This was the highest price ever paid for Texas steers on open market up to this date. In June 1915, he made another record for Texas cattle with a shipment of 1300 and 1400 pound 2-year-old steers which brought \$9.25 and \$9.10. His cattle have always been consistent market toppers, whether in the stock cattle division, or in competition with finished cattle from the Corn Belt.

In addition to his regular stock cattle Mr. Keiser probably has one of the best known herds of registered Herefords to be found in the United States. The foundation stock of this herd was imported from England by the late Senator Hershey of Iowa and was brought in its entirety by Mr. Keiser when he decided to maintain a registered herd, and since then judicious selections from the richest strains of Hereford blood have added to their quality and scale. From this herd has been furnished the foundation stock for many pure bred herds over a territory reaching from the Missouri to the Pacific Coast, and numberless small lots of registered bulls and young stock have gone out to improve and grade up large and small ranch herds over the country. In this registered herd of Mr. Keiser's are a number of breeding matrons imported direct from England and their blood has been blended with the best this country could afford, and for bone, size and quality they will rank equal to any in the entire country. The healthful climate they are grown in and the out-door method of raising them gives them exceptional power

to reproduce their good qualities.

In fitting his steers for the International, Mr. Keiser's principal object was to demonstrate the fact that here at home we cannot only raise the best class of stock cattle in the world, but can feed them to such a stage of finished beef that they can compete with, and even outsell those finished in the corn belt. As yearlings these cattle were on exhibition at the last Panhandle State Fair, having been brought direct from the range to the show. At the close of the show they were taken home and placed in open lots where they were fed nothing but roughness, consisting of cane and kafir corn bundles and some alfalfa hay. About the first of March they were started on a light ration of ground corn in addition to the roughness and were amply carried along in good growing condition until a few months before the International.

When the grain ration was gradually increased until they were on a full feed. The results speak for themselves and the Panhandle as a whole is to be congratulated on this demonstration of what can be accomplished by proper breeding, selection and finishing of the high class grade of cattle that is handled by Mr. Keiser. In direct refutation of the statement often made in regard to the Panhandle that "we cannot make them big enough," is the fact that these 2-year-old Cross-J steers were the heaviest cattle entered in the show or Chicago market the day they were sold. In further substantiation of the merits of this herd of cattle, it is interesting to note that at the International of 1917, a load out of this same herd, fed and shown by Mr. A. E. McGregor, of Washington, Kansas, had the distinction of dressing out more pounds of beef in comparison to the live weight of the cattle, than did the grand champion car load of the show, this load of Keiser cattle making the splendid average of 66.3 percent.

Due credit for the splendid condition of Mr. Keiser's show cattle must

be given to Mr. Thos. Davis, a native of England, who has been in Mr. Keiser's service for years and who had full charge of the feeding and management of these cattle.

The following quotation from Clay, Robinson & Company's "Market Report" of Dec. 5, denotes the favorable impression these cattle created.

Some Great Cattle from Texas—Texas has come to the front as a strong contender for championship honors in the International. For many years Texas-bred stuff, finished in northern feed lots have brought premier results in the show ring, but this is the first year that straight Texas-bred, Texas-raised and Texas fed cattle have been among the entries at the International.

The exhibit was made this year by Mr. C. O. Keiser, of Canyon, Texas, which is in the heart of the Panhandle, the nursery for the best bred Herefords in the world. Mr. Keiser was once a successful horse breeder of Keota, Iowa, and went to Texas some years ago and devoted his attention to land and cattle. From horses to steer is not a very far jump and other men than Mr. Keiser have learned that it takes plenty of horse sense to raise steers. That he knows how is well exemplified in the show stock he has here this year. Mr. Keiser has a large herd of Herefords on his Texas ranch, of which 500 are registered and the balance very high grades. It is believed that he has more registered stock than any other man in Texas.

Out of his big grade herd was selected the cattle to send to the show, but the decision was made rather late in the season. They were fed on corn and oats, with a little cotton seed meal with plenty of alfalfa hay.

On Monday of this week a car load selected from Mr. Keiser's show shipment sold on the open market by Clay, Robinson & Co. for \$20 per hundred, the highest price ever paid for a car of cattle on the Chicago market."

RANCH FOREMAN MEETS WITH SERIOUS INJURY

Has Jaw Bone Dislocated and Broken at J. A. Camp

Tom Manning, ranch foreman on J. B. Gamble's ranch sustained serious injury Wednesday morning at the J. A. Camp. A horse, standing in a stall, became frightened and jumping, knocked a heavy post along the side of the stall, one end of which, struck the young man a terrific blow on the jaw rendering him unconscious. He was soon found and hurried to town where his wounds were given attention. It was found that one side of his jaw bone was broken and the other dislocated. Yesterday evening he was taken to the Sanitarium at Amarillo and at last reports he was resting easy and although his wounds are painful, will probably soon mend.

S. A. T. C. TO BE DEMOBILIZED SAT.

PERMANENT RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS MAY BE ESTABLISHED HERE

According to President Hill the Students' Army Training Corps will be demobilized Saturday.

In the short time the unit has been in existence at the Normal College they have developed a high state of efficiency. Of forty colleges examined in the Tenth Military District the Local school was one of the three found to be best suited for caring for a S. A. T. C. unit. The work done by this school in developing the S. A. T. C. has caused the army department to offer to establish a Reserve Officers' Training Corps here. To establish permanent military training in this school is of such significance that no immediate answer to the offer has been given. The matter will be submitted to the Board of Normal-School Regents for final settlement.

MAIL BY AIRPLANE VERY LIKELY IN NEAR FUTURE

There have been many airplanes passing thru Amarillo of late from eastern points logging for future mail lines. The aviators seem to be of the opinion that flying has a great future in this country and that in time all mail will be carried by air and airplanes will be as common as trains. According to statistics, there is now no great risk to flying men. It is stated that for every man killed there is an average of 3,000 hours of flying to his credit.

Fleet Expected Home December 24

Washington, Dec. 17.—The American fleet returning from Europe, which is to be reviewed at New York by Secretary Daniels, is expected to arrive off Ambrose Light Vessel at daylight on Tuesday, December 24. The navy department announced tonight that the ships will pass the Statue of Liberty about 9 a. m. and will then anchor in the North River from 55th street to Fort Washington.

Telephone Rates Reduced

Washington, Dec. 17.—Sweeping reductions in long-distance and toll telephone rates by the adoption of a basic charge of 6 1-4 mills a mile, airline mileage, and half the day rate for night service up to midnight and one-fourth the day rate after that hour, have been announced by Postmaster General Burleson. They become effective December 18.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Keiser and daughter, Phyllis, returned home from the north Friday. Mr. Keiser had went to Chicago to attend the International Stock Show and Miss Phyllis, who has been attending school in Davenport, Iowa, returned with them to spend the holidays. She has just recovered from an attack of influenza.

INCLEMENT WEATHER DELAYS R. C. DRIVE

EVERYONE SHOULD COME FORWARD THIS WEEK AND VOLUNTARILY PAY FEE

The disagreeable weather and the great amount of sickness thru out the county seems to be holding down the Red Cross Roll Call membership greatly and we ask that every one make a special effort to see that their names are registered before the time expires.

All names and funds collected should be handed into Mr. D. A. Parks by noon of Dec. 23rd. We are asking that every one take a personal interest in the campaign and see that you and your neighbors names are registered before the closing date.

Randall Co. has never failed in coming to the front on matters of this kind before. Let us not fall now. We owe it to those who have fought for us and died for us.

War has left behind a hideous legacy of poverty and want of suffering and distress.

There is work to be done that calls for millions of willing consecrated hands and hearts.

Your Red Cross calls you to enlist for this supreme service and to answer the Christmas Roll Call.

S. A. T. C. OFFICERS PAY TRIBUTE TO LOCAL RED CROSS

Headquarters West Texas Normal Unit Students' Army Training Corps Canyon.

Dec. 12, 1918.

From: Commanding Officer. To: Mrs. Dr. D. M. Stewart, Canyon, Texas (Chairman Local Red Cross Chapter).

Subject: Appreciation of Services. 1. During our influenza epidemic I acknowledge receipt from Local Chapter of eleven quilts, twenty pneumonia jackets, fifty-six pajama suits, twenty bath towels, four hundred seventy five gauze masks and the untiring and willing services of the members of your Chapter.

2. Prior to my arrival at this unit, I was stationed at Atlanta, Georgia, San Antonio, Texas, and Austin Texas, and at none of these places were the services rendered by the Red Cross more willing, efficient, generous and prompt as received at this station. Whatever requested was promptly furnished, nothing requested refused. Without the services of the Local Chapter during our recent sickness we would have been unable to handle the situation.

3. Kindly communicate to the members of the Local Chapter my sincere appreciation of their co-operation.

H. D. PARKER 1st Lieut. Inf., U. S. A.

S. A. T. C. AIDS AMARILLO IN RED CROSS DRIVE

Monday morning cars took the S. A. T. C. unit to Amarillo to aid in the Red Cross drive. At three o'clock the unit assembled in front of Culum's Garage and started the parade. The band followed by the rest of the company paraded the main streets for about two hours at Red Cross stations the band performed and the rest of the company sang—until dismissed because of the rain. All except the band and Lieut Parker returned on the night train. These were asked to stay over night to give further aid the next morning. But the snow prevented most of the action on Tuesday. After playing at a number of prominent places in the evening and night the band with Lieut. Parker returned.

All the expenses going, returning and while there were provided by Amarillo. The S. A. T. C. boys wish to thank the citizens of Amarillo not only for this, but also for the courtesies and treatment awarded them while there and trust that the Red Cross derived from their aid as they had pleasure in the service.

The Official Government Proclamation to Pay War Savings Stamp Pledges has Been Issued. The Final Payment Date is Dec. 31st.



Make your arrangements to Get Now the War Savings Stamps for which you Signed.

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Calomel is quicksilver and acts like dynamite on your liver.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not slobber.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tonic straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

Employment Service Bulletin
The U. S. Employment Service, thru its thirty-two district offices covering Texas, is thoroughly prepared to find and furnish farm labor of all kinds at all times. The community Labor Board in each county with its two chief Enrollment Officers, a man and a woman, and its force of assistant Enrollment Officers, representing each neighborhood in the county, is the supervising unit of the U. S. Employment Service for all labor needs.

These Community Labor Boards are now confronting the farm labor problems of 1919. There is no present task more vital to the world's productive supply than that of furnishing adequate labor to American farmers.

220,000,000 Allies and 125,000,000 foes of yesterday must look to the American farmers for a large measure of their 1919 food. America planted 227,000,000 acres this year and must plant 238,000,000 next year in order to meet home and foreign needs.

The Community Labor Boards will assist the farmers to secure and distribute the labor required. We urge the farmers to organize now for the inevitable labor shortage. We wish all organizations to co-operate. Not all the soldiers who went from the farms will return to them. Other labor must be found. The forehanded will be first served. No private recruiting of labor will be possible. The U. S. Employment Service will co-operate to prevent losses of labor for which transportation is advanced. No fees of any kind are charged. Its service is free. The Community Labor Board organization is completed with full list of Enrollment Officers and the Examiner in Charge of the Amarillo District of the U. S. Employment Service will publish the entire personnel for your county information.

The farmers and all county enrollment officers are requested to use the telephone for communicating their labor needs to some designated receiving office acting for the Board. We ask the farmers to send all applications for work and all requisitions for help to the District Examiner at Amarillo, who has instructions to refer applications and requests to the Federal Director at San Antonio, if he cannot supply them.

The harvests of 1919 depend upon the spread of this information and united action. If the cattlemen, wheat growers, and farmers will list their needs of help with the offices of this Department in the various counties, the Service will get it for them, and no fee will be charged the unemployed, such as might be calculated to arouse Bolsheviki germs in his system, and no man will be sent to a job not ready for him.

CAPT. J. D. DICKSON, Examiner in Charge, U. S. Employment Service, Amarillo, Texas.

Legislation to Control Packers
WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Legislation designed to carry into effect the recommendations of the federal trade commission to President Wilson that the government regulate the meat packing industry, was introduced in the house by Chairman Sims of the interstate commerce commission.

Mr. Sims said the measure was sent to him by the president with the request that every effort be made to enact it at this session of congress. He said he assumed that the measure was prepared by the department of justice and added that before offering it he had conferred with the federal trade commission regarding its provisions.

The bill provides that the president at his discretion may acquire and operate certain facilities of the packers, including stock yards, cold storage and freezing plants and all cattle and all refrigerating cars; acquire them for the government and license their operation or without acquiring these facilities to place the meat packing industry under a system of direct federal license.

Gone to Wichita Falls
G. C. McDaniels, who has been in charge of the Government Employment agency here ever since the work was inaugurated, has resigned his position and gone to Wichita Falls where he had been offered the advertising manager's desk in the Times office.

Mr. McDaniels has been in the newspaper game for several years past, both in the subscription and advertising ends of the business, and has "made good" in both. Being an energetic worker with unbounded enthusiasm for his job, nothing less than "over the top" satisfies him and we congratulate the Times on having secured his services, though we are sorry to see him leave Amarillo.

Capt. Dickson has been sent here to take charge of the Employment Agency and has already entered upon his duties.

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect. Price 75c.

Employment For War Workers
Almost immediately upon the signing of the armistice a comprehensive program was put into effect by the War Industries Board and the Federal Departments of War and Labor, having in view the transfer of returning soldiers and other war workers to peace industries with as little delay and inconvenience to them as possible. On these Departments rests the responsibility not only for the cancellation of war contracts as rapidly as possible without undue industrial disturbance but also for the placing in suitable positions of the men and women thrown out of employment by such cancellations.

Fortunately, during the past two years, rapid advances have been made in the extension throughout the country of the activities of the United States Employment Service of the Department of Labor and, consequently, that Department is exceptionally well equipped to handle the difficult labor problem with which the country is now confronted.

To meet this situation the Employment Service has made arrangements with the other Department of the Government to be advised in advance of any proposed cancellation of contracts, and every possible effort is made to work out beforehand the solution of labor problems involved by such cancellation.

While, of course, difficulties will arise from time to time which it is impossible to anticipate and prepare for, the efforts of the government to avoid all unnecessary hardship to both employers and employees in connection with industrial changes from a war to a peace basis is meeting with much success.

Anti-Freeze Mixture

Possibly one of the most important points in the case of your car that needs attention at this time of the year is the filling of the radiator with the anti-freeze. It is well to anticipate an unexpected drop in temperature and to provide material for the mixing of suitable anti-freeze mixture to be used in the circulating system.

The most satisfactory mixture that can be used is a solution of alcohol, water and glycerine. The addition of alcohol to water reduces the freezing point of the solution, and consequently, the greater the amount of alcohol added the lower becomes the point at which the solution in the circulating system will freeze. Exhaustive tests to determine the correct percentages of the different ingredients show the following as giving the best results under all conditions:

| Alcohol | Glycerine | Water | Freezes at |
|---------|-----------|--------|------------|
| Perct. | Perct. | Perct. | Deg. Far. |
| 3 | 2 | 95 | 28 |
| 6 | 4 | 90 | 25 |
| 9 | 6 | 85 | 20 |
| 12 | 8 | 80 | 15 |
| 18 | 12 | 70 | 5 |
| 21 | 14 | 65 | -10 |
| 24 | 16 | 60 | -15 |

It is very possible that, due to the advanced price of glycerine many owners will desist from using this ingredient, and in this case the percentage of glycerine not used should be replaced with alcohol. For example: A solution calling for 6 percent alcohol, 4 per cent glycerine, and 90 percent water will become 10 per cent alcohol and 90 per cent water.

France and Belgium have worn the yoke of war. Let Germany wear the yoke of peace.



Those of us who are past middle age are prone to eat too much meat and in consequence deposit lime-salts in the arteries, veins and joints. We often suffer from twinges of rheumatism or lumbago, sometimes from gout, swollen hands or feet. There is no longer the slightest need of this, however, as the new prescription, "Anuric," is found to give immediate results as it is many times more potent than lithia, in ridding the impoverished blood of its poisons by way of the kidneys. It can be obtained at almost any drug store, by simply asking for "Anuric" for kidneys or backache. It will overcome such conditions as rheumatism, dropsical swellings, cold extremities, scalding and burning urine and sleeplessness due to constant arising from bed at night.

Send to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for a 10c. trial package.

MADERA, CAL.—"I recommend Doctor Pierce's Anuric very highly. I have suffered for the last three years with attacks of the bladder, having tried every remedy I heard of but without relief. I saw Anuric advertised in the paper, and like a drowning man grasbing at a straw I bought I would try it also, which I did with great success, as it relieved me almost immediately, before I had taken all of the trial package, and having great confidence in the remedy I immediately sent to the drug store and bought a full-size package. I can say to all suffering from any disease of the kidneys or uric acid troubles, try this remedy and suffer no longer. I have great faith in Dr. Pierce's Anuric."—E. F. HANLEY.

Notice of Final Account
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Randall.

To the Sheriff of any Constable of Randall County, Greeting:

C. W. Bryan, administrator of the estate of G. P. Bryan deceased, having filed in our county court his final account of the condition of the estate of said G. P. Bryan, deceased together with an application to be discharged from said Administration, you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Randall you give notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have on or before January Term, 1919 of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the courthouse of said County in Canyon, Texas on the 6th day of January A. D. 1919, when said account and application will be considered by said court.

Witness O. W. Gano, Clerk of the Court of Randall County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in the Court House of Randall County, at Canyon, Texas this 22nd day of December A. D. 1918.

O. W. GANO
Clerk of County Court, Randall County,

(SEAL) A true copy, I certify.
W. O. A. JENNINGS
County Clerk, Randall County, Texas.

The last day of grace is December 31. Wipe your W. S. S. slate clean.

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| \$50.00 Suits, now | \$33.34 | \$50.00 Coats, now | \$33.34 |
| \$45.00 Suits, now | \$30.00 | \$45.00 Coats, now | \$30.00 |
| \$30.00 Suits, now | \$20.00 | \$30.00 Coats, now | \$20.00 |
| \$25.00 Suits, now | \$16.67 | \$25.00 Coats, now | \$16.67 |

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CHRISTMAS SPECIALS

- 20 Per Cent Discount on Boys' Suits.
- 20 Per Cent Discount on Table Damask.
- 20 Per Cent Discount on Linen Towels.

A CORRECTION

There is an impression going throughout the country that Amarillo is quarantined. This is not the case. There are no restrictions whatever on people coming in or going out of Amarillo. There is only an individual quarantine of influenza victims, and every store in town is open for business.

Moore=Mathis & Co.

CORNER 7th and POLK STREETS.
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Come In And Let Us Give You Our HOLIDAY GREETINGS AND THANK YOU FOR PAST FAVORS.



Winsome Party Frocks and Dresses

For the Holidays and Future Winter Festivals

The assortment is large and Old Santa will bring these to you. In large and small packages. These styles are for the young miss and styles for the matron. Most of the models are exclusive, being shown only at this store.

Santa Claus will take great pleasure in selecting one or two of these beautiful garments. To appreciate the beauty of these dresses you must see them. They are designed by artists, made by expert seamstresses and only materials of the finest quality have been used in them.

One beautiful line of Ladies' Kid Gloves, Ladies' Fur Scarfs and Muffs. Have the fur sets also. Ladies' "Kayser" Silk Hose in all the new shades. Beautiful Silk Kimonos, Beautiful Silk Underwear. Many other beautiful, useful things we have which you may tell Old Santa to bring you.

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A child cannot choose its period of growth. Nature attends to this with laws well-nigh inalterable. A child of retarded growth or feeble vitality needs and should have help to promote healthful growth.

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abundant in nourishing substances that promote growth and strength, is invaluable in its help to a growing child. Scott's helps a child over the weak places.



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RABBITS

Will buy all the Jack Rabbits you can bring me in good shape for rest of week and every Saturday until further notice.

8 CENTS EACH At Pipkins Grocery Store

HOW TO HANDLE RABBITS FOR THIS MARKET

Rabbits should be drawn immediately after slaughter, heads cut off, skin left on and hanged until all animal heat is out of body.

E. F. GREGG

LAFAYETTE'S TOMB IS VISITED BY PRESIDENT

Paris.—President Wilson spent his first Sunday in Paris by going twice to church, laying a wreath on the tomb of Lafayette and having a brief conference with Premier Clemenceau and another with Colonel E. M. House.

During the afternoon the president made a short call on President and Madame Poincaré at the palace of Elysee.

In the morning the president, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson and Admiral Grayson went to the American Presbyterian church in the Rue de Berre.

In the afternoon President Wilson went to a church of Mrs. Wilson's denomination. The church selected was the American Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, the bishop of South Carolina officiating. The president visited the tomb of Lafayette in Picpus cemetery, in the southeastern part of Paris, while returning after the morning church service.

No ceremony had been arranged at the cemetery and the president went accompanied only by Brigadier General Harts. The president, removing his hat, entered the tomb carrying a large floral wreath.

As the president placed the wreath on the tomb he bowed his head and stood silent before the resting place of the famous Frenchman who helped America in her fight for liberty. He made no speech whatsoever. He then returned to the Murat residence.

In the meantime all the residents of Paris apparently had turned out in the hope of getting a glimpse of the president. The sun broke through the murky clouds for the first time in days and began to dry up the muddy streets. The sun lit up the city in all its fluttering banners and flags.

To a foreign observer it appeared that everyone in Paris was on the boulevards. There was no space whatever on the sidewalks. A great crowd gathered in the Place de la Concorde, before the headquarters of the American mission. The crowd jammed about the doors and took keen interest in every American passing in or out. The most inconsequential attaché, carrying a case of official papers, was surrounded and carefully inspected by admiring French men and women.

Conference Will Convene January 1. Paris.—Plans for the reassembling of the interallied conference and the meeting of the peace congress are gradually being matured. The formal session will not be resumed until January 1.

Jewish Congress of America.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Judge Julian W. Mack of Chicago has been elected president of the first American Jewish congress ever held on the American continent, a congress that was characterized by one of the speakers as one of the "most momentous epochs in Jewish life." In taking the chair, Judge Mack said that it was the first time in American history that Jews of all classes have come together to solemnly and hopefully deliberate for the rights and welfare of their race.

Ex-Kaiser Virtually Cut Off.

Amerongen, Holland.—The former German emperor continues to lead the life of a near recluse. He is virtually cut off from communication with the outside world. Reports that he was in constant communication with his former advisers are not true. There is no truth in the rumors that the former empress is seriously ill. She has been troubled for years with an affection of the heart, and after her arrival here desired to have her former physician.

President of Portugal Slain.

London.—Dr. Sidonio Paes, president of Portugal, was shot and killed by an assassin shortly before midnight Saturday while he was in a railway station at Lisbon waiting for a train to Oporto. Advice from Lisbon reporting the assassination say that he was struck by three bullets. President Paes died within a few minutes after he was shot. The president's assailant, named Jeeine, was killed by the crowd.

Armistice is Extended.

Paris.—The German armistice has been extended until 5 o'clock a. m. January 17th with the following amendments: The allied high command reserves the right to begin meanwhile, if it thinks it wise, in order to secure new guarantees, to occupy the neutral zone on the right bank of the Rhine to the north of the bridgehead of Cologne up to the Dutch frontier. This occupation will be announced by giving six days' notice.

A Tonic Laxative

that will remove the bile from the liver and cleanse the system THOROUGHLY without griping or disturbing the stomach is truly a Perfect Laxative.

LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN

is the name of a Reliable and Perfect Laxative which soon relieves Sick Headache, Dizziness, Indigestion, Stomach Trouble, Gas and Piles caused by a Torpid Liver and Constipation. Always use a Reliable Laxative in the treatment of Colds, Grip and Influenza.

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Their Medicine Chest For 20 Years

IT is characteristic of folks after they pass the allotted "three score years and ten," to look back over the days that are gone and thoughtfully live them over.

I find myself, at seventy-one, frequently drifting back a quarter of a century, when I see myself in the little drug store I owned at Bolivar, Mo., making and selling a vegetable compound to my friends and customers—what was then known only as Dr. Lewis' Medicine for Stomach, Liver and Bowel Complaints.

For many years while I was perfecting my formula I studied and investigated the laxatives and cathartics on the market and became convinced that the main fault was not that they did not act on the bowels, but that their action was too violent and drastic, and upset the system of the user; which was due to the fact that they were not thorough enough in their action, some simply acting on the upper or small intestines, while others would act only on the lower or large intestines, and that they almost invariably produced a habit requiring augmented doses.

I believed that a preparation to produce the best effect must first tone the liver, then act on the stomach and entire alimentary system. If this was accomplished, the medicine would produce a mild, but thorough elimination of the waste without the usual sickening sensations, and make the user feel better at once.

After experimenting with hundreds of different compounds, at last perfected the formula that is now known as **Holland's Remedy**, which I truly believe goes further

and does more than any laxative on the market today. The thousands of letters from users have convinced me I was right, and that the user of **Holland's Remedy** as a family medicine, even though he may have used it for twenty-five years, never has to increase the dose.

My knowledge of medicine and the results of its use in my own family and among my friends, before I ever offered it for sale, caused me to have great faith in **Holland's Remedy** from the very first.

And now as I find myself nearing the age when I must bow to the inevitable and go to another life, my greatest pleasure is to sit each day and read the letters that come mail brings from people as old or older than I, who tell of having used **Holland's Remedy** for ten, fifteen and twenty years, and how they and their children and grandchildren have been benefited by it.

It is a consoling thought, my friends, for a man at my age to feel that aside from his own success, one has done something for his fellow man. My greatest satisfaction, my greatest happiness today, is the knowledge that tonight more than one million people will take a **Holland's Remedy** (7/8 Tablet) and will be better, healthier, happier people for it. I hope you will be one of them.

A. H. Lewis, Pres.

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POSTMASTER URGES EARLY MAILING OF XMAS PARCELS

The attention of the public is again called to the necessity of the early mailing of Christmas parcels at the local post office. The mail at this time is always heavier than mail during the summer months and the additional amount of holiday mail added to the regular run makes the amount of work to be done more than double. Hence to avoid the wrong delivery and congestion of the mail cars it is for the good of the persons concerned to mail their Christmas parcels early.

Mr. Eakman, our postmaster, also wishes to direct your attention to the fact that many people bring their parcels to the office, unwrapped, not sufficiently tied or not addressed. Patrons frequently call at the office for paper, strings and mucilage, which of course is not furnished to the public by the Post Office Department. He also wants to impress upon you to tie your parcels securely. The ordinary cotton twine as furnished by the local dry goods stores and other merchants is rarely ever sufficient to tie a parcel of much size. Secure a strong cord for this purpose. Otherwise the parcel absolutely will not be accepted for mailing.

So in order that the employees of the local office may not seem discourteous, remember to prepare your parcels for mailing before you reach the post office, by tying and wrapping sufficiently and addressing plainly. Do not ask the clerks to do this for you, for the law is prohibitive against this. Your co-operation is needed.

Will Prospect for Oil

L. A. Marshall of Floydada has organized a company and is securing leases on about thirty or forty thousand acres of land between Floydada and Lockney, and purposes to sink a test well to a depth of 5,000 feet if oil isn't struck before that depth is reached.—Plainview News.

INSTRUCTIONS TO LIQUIDATE W.S.S. PLEDGES SENT OUT

Instructions to bring about the prompt fulfillment of War Savings Stamp Pledges have been sent out from Washington by Secretary McAdoo and the Government's official proclamation calling for the prompt liquidation of these obligations to the Treasury Department has been issued.

All War Savings Stamp Pledges are automatically due this month and their payment is called for before December 31, which is the last day of grace.

Instructions incident to the call have been given all officers of the War Savings Section.

War Savings Stamps may be obtained from any postoffice, banks and most business establishments.

Each War Savings Stamp costs \$4.23 cents this month. On January 1, 1923, each War Savings Stamp will be redeemed by the Government for \$5.00 War Savings Stamps increase constantly in value and this increase is guaranteed by the United States Government.

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GIFT GIVING



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First you want Quality---not Quantity. Our motto is, "Quality not Limited." We have no toys, no cheap goods. Any article in our holiday line will make a present worthy of the giver. Our display room is limited and we can only show a small part of our goods---If you do not see what you want, "Ask the man." Cut Glass, Ivory, More Ivory, Ivory in every form, Toilet Sets. JEWELRY and Watches. See our stock before you buy.

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The patriotic and philanthropic spirit of Texas will again be challenged in January when the people will be called upon to contribute to a thirty million dollar fund for the relief of starving and helpless Armenians and Syrian women and children and men. Stories of the revolting persecution of these people by indignation in the hearts of the American people during the past several years, and in a limited way, Christian people have sent aid to the sufferers. At last the end of the great war has brought about promise of relief from the horrible massacres and punishments inflicted upon the Armenian and Syrians by their enemies, but an equally deplorable condition of starvation, exposure, disease and degradation is faced by the people, with their emancipation coming too late unless the people of the United States respond to the appeal for help.

Texas is being organized for a financial campaign to raise funds for the starving and dying Armenians and Syrians, with some of the state's leading citizens identifying themselves with the movement. Senator James R. Wiley of Denton is chairman of North Texas with 153 counties which will be organized for the campaign. A. C. Ford of Houston is chairman for the South Texas territory. J. W. Mahan Jr. recently identified with the United War Work Campaign is executive secretary for the North Texas territory. Herbert C. May is executive secretary of the South Texas district, with headquarters at Houston. C. P. Sites prominent citizen of Dallas, who has been interested in Armenian relief activities for some time, is

local chairman at Dallas, and is cooperating in the general campaign. Maj. Porter Oakes who directed the United War Work Campaign publicity drive, has been detailed to the Armenian campaign in a similar capacity.

The actual drive for funds will be in January, 12 to 19. The committee hopes to secure a large oversubscription of the thirty million dollars asked. The Southwestern states will be asked to give at least two and a quarter million dollars.

The committee in charge of the relief work is made up of well known men, including Cleveland H. Dodge, William Howard Taft, John R. Mott, Cardinal Gibbons, Oscar Straus, Henry Morgenthau, Charles Evans Hughes, Myron T. Herrick, Elihu Root, and fifty other men of public note.

There are approximately four million destitute Armenian and Syrian refugees, a large per cent of whom will starve to death and die of exposure and disease unless the people of the United States contribute the money necessary to save them from their fate.

Peace and Prices

One of the first statements coming from the War Department following the signing of the armistice, was to the effect that more than a billion dollars worth of contracts had been cancelled. That was but the beginning of the retirement by Uncle Sam from the buying counter, and the start on the return trip to conditions of peace in our industrial life.

Roughly calculating the trade barometer is more than twice as high as in July, 1914. Statistics furnished by R. G. Dun show that provisions, clothing, metals and every kind of commodity doubled and trebled in prices between July 1, 1860 and September 1, 1864. The effects of our Civil War also radically affected prices in the European nations. The end of the Civil War was insight in the fall of 1864, and the decline in prices dates from that period. It continued until midsummer of 1869.

In all commodities the peace decline amounted to 77.5 of the war rise in the United States. In other words for every dollar the typical commodity went up during the Civil War it went down seventy-five cents in the following years. The first radical drop was in wages, but this was restored considerably, and the rise continued until the panic of 1873, when labor received a serious setback from which it recovered gradually in the coming years. Materials used in all branches of industry started rapidly on the decline in 1864, and very soon there was a general fall of about sixty per cent. As noted the readjustment or "reconstruction period" finally found a level when the increased price amounting to a dollar went down to seventy-five cents. And there the country remained for many years, until new conditions made new values and new prices.

So there is your answer to the question: "Will prices go back to where they were before the war?"

Russia

The capture of Kiev, Russia, and the overthrow of the Bolshevik regime in the Ukraine by the Cossack troops in accord with the new Pan-Russian Government which is friendly to the Allies, is reported. This change is a great importance because it opens a path into the heart of Russia, which will be available either for the shipment of food and other much-needed supplies or for the sending of allied troops to restore order until the suffering and sadly demoralized inhabitants of that great country come to their senses and are able to maintain order without such assistance.

The power of the Bolshevik movement in Russia seems about to collapse and what remaining strength it has is apparently concentrated in the futile effort to check the Russian and allied troops moving southward from Archangel.

This recent overthrow of the Bolsheviks in the rich Ukrainian grain district will have a powerful effect in the destruction of their influence throughout all Russia.

Peace Work for Airplanes

On November 22, Army planes from flying fields in various parts of the United States started a series of cross-country flights to cities in their sections to chart air lines, make air maps, and gather valuable air statistics. Incidentally they will locate sites for landing fields and airdromes; the landing fields to become part of the great chain that soon will "air link" every important community in the country from coast to coast; the airdromes, in addition to offering shelter to visiting flyers, to be made available, if needed, in helping to house the equipment the Air Service will bring back from overseas. This reconnaissance work will be gradually extended as fast as arrangements can be made.

An important part of this work by the Air Service is bringing up to date the records started years ago by the Cavalry, which, by cross-country rides made extensive maps for future emergencies, showing all available shelter, battery locations, good roads, bad roads, fords, safe bridges, poor and plentiful sources of water, and food supplies.

Then the Cavalry was the eyes of the Army. Today the airplane takes the Cavalry's place and to operate successfully in the air, squadron commanders must know their sky routes as Cavalry leaders knew the turnpikes and highways. As the horseman needed water and forage, so the air pilots use gas, oil, and landing fields.

The flyers who are starting this air map-making campaign are combat pilots, trained in the United States for fighting overseas and whose battle training has by the armistice, been turned to account in preparing for the times of peace.

Maj. Gen. Kenly, Director of Military Aeronautics, has placed in charge of this immense reconnaissance work Col. M. F. Davis, head of the training section and an Army officer who saw his first field service on the plains with the 1st and 4th Cavalry, and who has ridden horseback all three historic trails across the continent—the Lewis and Clark, Oregon, and Santa Fe.

Belgian Hares Pay

J. H. Weaver started in four months ago with four Belgian hares. Today he has 53 hares, besides eating a number and selling several. Mr. Weaver sold \$2.00 worth of hares here Saturday. He says it pays to raise Belgian hares for meat and for the market.—Claude News.

Fancy Arkansas Black apples, 25c dozen; Winesap 3 dozen 50c, Grimes Golden 30c dozen; 8 pounds best potatoes, 25 cents, 100 pounds potatoes, \$2.50. Visit our place and save money. O. A. MAY.

LEMONS WHITEN AND BEAUTIFY THE SKIN

Make this beauty lotion cheaply for your face, neck, arms and hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whiteners and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

SENSIBLE GIVING

The noted month of December is here. All in all December is a more or less mixed up month of good cheer, busy times and Remembrances. What will Christmas mean to you?

There will be a gift giving as always—but the right kind of giving. Those saddened by the war will be gladdened by true expressions of friendship—gifts that define loyalty. Then there will be gifts of appreciation for those who have returned—soldiers, war workers, Red Cross nurses, refugees.

Chose well for these people—buy gifts that will best express the thoughts you wish to convey—gifts that can be conveniently retailed in fond memory.

May we suggest as an early thought the appropriateness and usefulness of carefully selected jewelry—rings, wrist watches, cigarette cases, service pins and other large or small gifts of lasting qualities.

Now is a good time to inspect our offerings so that you may have something nice in mind to meet his or her wishes. Some exclusive designs are waiting your opinion.

W. L. Brownrig Jeweler



Santa Claus Gets All His Candy Here

We sell the best and purest.

Also a choice line of groceries for the Christmas holidays.

Welcome to our store.

We have bought out the stock of groceries carried by E. A. Butterfield and will carry on the business at the same place with the freshest and best there is to be had on staple groceries. We have a large new supply of Christmas candies, nuts and fruits.

LONG & BAKER

Southeast Corner of Square.



The Brunswick

Will There be Music in Your Home This Christmas?

That depends on how soon you have a Talking Machine set aside for Christmas delivery.

Never before in the history of the musical industry has there been such a shortage of musical instruments as there is right now.

Right now we have a fairly good line of instruments for you to make your selections from. Our chances of receiving any more between now and Christmas are very poor. Better come in today and pick out the instrument you want and we will deliver it Christmas eve.

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Christmas

A great many are doing their shopping early. If you have not already finished your Xmas shopping we kindly ask that you delay no longer. We have pledged our selves to the County Health Officer, to avoid having crowds in our place during the present time and this one reason that we ask you to not wait until the last days to do your shopping. We have many nice gifts for all members of the family.

FOR FATHER

All Wool Bath Robe
Nonwrinkle Tie
Handkerchiefs
Gloves
Hose Supporters

FOR MOTHER

Palmer's Tailored Suit.
Silk Waist
Silk Petticoat
Package Nice Handkerchiefs

FOR CHILDREN

Things to numerous to mention.

We will gladly assist you in any manner we can in selections of gifts.

COME IN AND LET US SERVE YOU

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PERSONAL MENTION

If you have guests in your home, please phone the News. If you are going away on a visit, call No. 41.

Odell Carlton of the U. S. Navy is home on a furlough.

T. C. Ivey of Hereford was in the city on business Friday.

J. M. Harter of Plainview was in Canyon Monday on business.

Chas' Lofton has returned home from his school at Lubbock.

Miss Prudia Prichard came in from her school at Lipscomb Thursday night.

Prof. Hoog Bates returned Wednesday from camp, he was discharged from the army.

C. O. Keiser and A. W. Hamil were in Santa Rosa, N. M., on business the first of the week.

Mrs. C. W. Warwick and Miss Doris Winkleman are home from their school at Dimmit.

We are glad to report Mrs. D. A. Shirley able to sit up after having been very ill with pneumonia.

Edwin Van Zandt of McLean is visiting his brother, who is enrolled in the S. A. T. C. at the Normal.

Miss Pauline Brigham is able to be out after having been confined to her room for several days with the influenza.

Mrs. Ida Woods of Ardmore, Okla. is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Laurin and sister, Mrs. A. D. Dooley.

E. J. Cavileer of San Antonio and D. G. Sherwood of Houston, U. S. Revenue Inspectors were in Canyon on business this week.

President J. A. Hill went to Childress the first of the week where he will address the Tri-County Teachers' Institute which is in session there.

CHURCHES

Methodist Church

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11 o'clock.
Evening Service at 7:15 p. m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:15 p. m.

All the officers and teachers of the Sunday School are called to meet at the church at 3 p. m.

R. A. STEWART, Pastor.

Baptist Church

Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
Sunbeams, 2 p. m.
B. Y. P. U., 6 p. m.
Preaching, 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night, 7 p. m.

Teachers' meeting Friday night, 7 p. m.

Lawrence Seipp Dead

Lawrence, the 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Seipp, who lives north of Plainview, died Monday morning at 8:45 at the Plainview sanitarium of influenza-pneumonia.

Lawrence is well known by the Normal folks, having attended school here this fall.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, Blind, Bleeding or Prolapsed Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

Why Labor Shortage Will Continue

For a dozen years before the war labor came to our country at the rate of one million immigrants a year. That stream fed our expanding industries. The last twelve months only eighteen thousand immigrants arrived.

The government recently calculated in industries contributing to the war, a shortage of one million employes. While this shortage is mainly unskilled labor, it simply means that for years to come there is a place and an obligation for everyone of us to work.

In office work, it means that this will continue women's field. With the expanding activities of the government and business-generally, now that we have the assurance of peace, thousands more must qualify at once to fill new positions, as well as to fill the places of those who have been filling such positions temporarily during the period of the war.

Write for Information Concerning Our Courses
No Vacations Enter Any Time
Day and Night School



C. Homer Wileman, President
Amarillo, Texas

Letters to Santa Claus

Canyon, Texas.
Dec. 14, 1918.

Dear Santa Claus, Please bring me a cap pistol with several boxes of caps, apples, oranges, candy and nuts and a box of pretty marbles.

With lots of love,
RHODES NEECE

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a doll and some doll clothes and a doll trunk and my doll a coat and a cap and a fur. My brother wants a horn and a pistol, a shovel and a ball and a teddy bear.
Bonnie Foster, Griffin and Grady.

Canyon, Texas.
December 17, 1918.

Dear Santa Claus, It is very near Christmas and I must write to you. I know that you are very busy making toys that I only tell you a few words of what I want. I want that little Alabama Jigger negro at the Variety store at town, and some of those painting books. I want some Teddy Bear Candy and some apples, oranges, and nuts and a great big doll.

Your friend,
IONE MAGNESS

Wayside, Texas.
Dec. 16, 1918.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy 6 years old and I would like for you to bring me a gun that shoots wooden bullets, and a knife with two sharp blades, and a bugle, and candy, apples, oranges and nuts. I have a little cousin that would like to have a baby buggy, he is little, just got one tooth.

With lots of love,
ROY S. FRANKLIN

Wayside, Texas.
Dec. 16, 1918.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am 5 years old and my home is in Arizona I am visiting round Wayside with relatives now. Will you please send me a top horse, candy, nuts and apples.

With love to you,
EDDIE HINSON

Wayside, Texas.
Dec. 16, 1918.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy 5 years old and I would like very much for you to give me a little pop gun, bugle, tricycle, candy nuts, apples, and oranges.

With lots of love,
LEE CARTER

Wayside, Texas.
Dec. 16, 1918.

Our Dear Santa Claus:

We are two little brothers, six and four. What we want is an awful sight, but choose for us dear Santa what you think is right.

IRVIN and JOYCE LANE

Wayside, Texas.
Dec. 16, 1918.

Dear Kris Kringle:

I am 9 years old and would like very much to have a big doll and a doll buggy and lots of candy, nuts and apples and I will divide with my brothers and sisters.

Mueh love from,
DORIS HAMBLEM

Dear Ole Santa Claus:

Trismas is p'ert near here and I d'ess you have been wanting to know what I wants. Furst thing I wants is that pop gun you didn't bring last year and Oh Santa! has you 'dab a 'potted pony? I shoo would like one o' 'em. One whafs' big enough for me to ride, and don't forget I'se foe years ole now. I still got my ole horn; so you tan take the new one to some little Belgium boy.

Say Santa, Sara Beth went and b'oke up a lot of my blocks; I'd like to have a few new ones, and I want a rubber ball too. My ole one ain't got no 'afr in it. Dat's all I want 'sept of course, lots of apples, oranges and tandy and nuts.

Dood bye Santa Claus, be sure and come.

Your little boy,
IVANHOE MCGEEHEE

P. S. you find my stocking in the same ole place.

Fort Worth Votes Dry

Tarrant County voted dry under the local option law Monday by a majority of probably three to one. The vote was extremely light, in great contrast to former local option elections in Tarrant county.

Car fancy holiday apples, East Side Square; bulk apples, \$1.00 bushel. Fancy Arkansas Black, Wine Sap, Grmes Golden and Black Twig in bushel baskets and boxes, no better apples grown, \$2.75. Excursion rates. Come look us over. O. A. MAY.

Would the Lusitania ghosts ask us to be light on Germany now.

Wayside Notes

Wheat sowing still is in progress in these parts, an immense acreage is being put in the ground with good prospects for a crop next season. We trust to have many of our soldier boys back to help in saving the crops.

Good weather for business for some days past but indications are good for rain or snow soon.

John, Ed. and Mose Wesley, three eldest sons of Uncle Jim Wesley have died in the last few weeks with influenza. They are all three heads of families.

Mrs. Etta Gillham received telegram Monday of death of her younger sister on same date. She leaves seven children.

H. S. Adams if Kansas, father of D. L. Adams is visiting his son D. L. and will likely spend the winter here.

H. R. Adams came in Wednesday from Manhattan, Kans., where he has been attending school.

Misses Charlotte and Bonnie Adams came in from Wayland College, Plainview last Friday. School closed on account of influenza.

J. C. Payne motored to Amarillo Friday afternoon for his sister, Miss Rubie Payne. Mrs. Ida Sluder accompanying him. He carried Miss Rubie back Sunday afternoon for school on Monday.

Mrs. Susie McGeehee and daughter Miss Agnes are improving from illness with flu.

Small front quarters at 15 cents a pound.—Vetesk Market.

The Strong Withstand the Winter Cold Better Than the Weak

You must have Health, Strength and Endurance to fight Colds, Grip and Influenza. When your blood is not in a healthy condition and does not circulate properly, your system is unable to withstand the winter cold.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC Fortifies the System Against Colds, Grip and Influenza by Purifying and Enriching the Blood.

It contains the well-known tonic properties of Quinine and Iron in a form acceptable to the most delicate stomach, and is pleasant to take. You can soon feel its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.



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Heroic Plains Soldiers

The past week's casualty lists include the names of the following Plains soldiers.

James Edward Bussell, Tulia, wounded severely; William J. Spikes, Lubbock, wounded severely; James A. McNealy, Floydada, slightly wounded; Clell C. Cochell, Hereford, died of wounds; Clifford Hartline, Floydada, died of wounds; Arthur L. Collier, Crosbyton, died of disease; Alfred M. Gibbs and Arville W. Hammond, Amarillo, severely wounded; Robert C. Fortune, Post, severely

wounded; Arthur Brown, Lubbock, wounded slightly.—Plainview News.

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The Woman's Shop for Values
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AUCTION SALE

Saturday, December 21

3:30 p. m. to 7:30 p. m.

This sale will include Mens and Boys Suits, Boys Overcoats, Ladies and Childrens Coats, Ladies Suits, Skirts and Dresses, Hats, Caps, Shoes, Sweaters and Underwear.

Don't Forget the Date, Sat. Dec. 21st.

Terms of Sale SPOT CASH. No goods exchanged or returned

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GOVERNMENT CONTROL

President Favors Permanent Federal Acquisition of All Wireless Plants.

It is reported that President Wilson has now definitely raised the issue of permanent Government ownership by taking a stand in favor of the outright purchase and permanent operation of all wireless plants by the Government and as a result a great, nation-wide fight begins, the proper solution of which—now that the war in Europe is ended—is of paramount importance to the country.

Before America entered the war practically her whole industrial system was, as a result of unwise stimulation of unrestricted competition, characterized by discord and inefficiency. When war was declared however, it became quickly apparent that radical changes were necessary. We had ample man-power, raw material and machinery, but knowing almost nothing about inter-industrial team-work we were wasting our resources in a most reckless manner and it was clear that, unless we quickly stopped such waste and got on an efficiency basis, we would, in spite of our great natural reservoirs of strength, be unable to aid materially in the tremendous task of defeating the Hun. To secure efficiency, conservation—the elimination of waste and the utilization of our resources to the best possible advantage—was absolutely necessary, and since the quickest way to institute conservation methods was through centralization of authority in the hands of the Federal Government, patriotic American willingly consented to this plan as a temporary, emergency measure, and the most absolute autocratic power ever known in America was placed in the hands of President Wilson, who was given practically unlimited control over all of our people and property. Whether a man fought or worked and where he fought or worked was put absolutely up to the President. The President was also given full authority to prescribe just what we might or might not do, eat, drink, wear, own, read hear or say, and, while theoretically we retained the right to think as we pleased since our ideas were based largely on such information as was officially handed out to us, the President really controlled even our thoughts to a very large extent.

As a temporary, emergency war measure this concentration of power was proper enough but the continuation of such a dangerous abridgment of individual rights for a single day beyond the actual period of the emergency would be absolutely intolerable.

No Government Ownership for Loomis
Government ownership or control of railroads may be all right with some but here is the way it has worked with us.

For five years we have been getting once every two weeks the same size and weight packages.

Under private management the freight per shipment was 84 cents. Now it is \$1.48. If it is the same all along the line we don't want government management in ours.—Stratford Star.

As a food control measure in Norway to properly distribute the available fat supply, producers are prohibited from selling butter direct to consumers.

Army Expenses Curtailed

The Secretary of War is apparently making drastic reductions in the expenditures of his Department, judging from a recent letter received from him by Senator Martin of Virginia. From statements made in that letter it appears that the War Department, by stopping work under process, has effected a saving of expense aggregating \$408,900,818, and that, by cancelling contracts for work not yet started, there has been a further saving of about \$700,000,000. The Secretary also states, in his letter to Senator Martin, that, by cutting out overtime and Sunday work, he has accomplished an additional saving of \$2,900,000, per day on war work, and that, in order to accomplish a further reduction of expenses, the Bureau of Aircraft Production has stopped work on a large number of items, including various types of airplanes engines, parts and special instruments, the resultant saving being estimated at \$225,000,000. The statement is also made by the Secretary of War that the demobilization of forces under arms in this country will proceed as rapidly as possible and that he hopes to be able to release at least two hundred thousand of these soldiers within the next two weeks.

While this disposition on the part of the War Department to reduce expenditures as rapidly as possible will doubtless be gratifying to a great many people because of the fact that it should eventually result in a reduction of taxes, the question may well be raised as to whether the Secretary of War, in his haste to cut expenses, may not bring about unfortunate labor conditions which will more than offset any possible benefits resulting from the future reduction of taxes.

While no doubt the conditions with reference to the termination of hostilities should result in a material reduction of governmental expenditures in the near future, it would seem that there should be no ill-advised or precipitate action on the part of the head of any Department of the government but that a complete program of readjustment should be formulated and carried out by concerted action of all such Departments in order to avoid any unnecessary hardships to contractors and their employees, and also in order properly to protect the

Baby Coming To Your Home?

The Wonderful Event That Will Bring Much Gladness.



Are you looking forward, dear prospective mother, to the wonderful, glorious time when you shall hold in your arms the little rattle, which is of your flesh and blood, with feelings of mingling?
Now is the time to get in condition to meet the crisis, and three generations of women have found in the time-honored preparation, Mother's Friend, a grateful, penetrating remedy to prepare their systems to withstand the shock.
The action of this famous remedy is to relieve tension on drawn nerves, cords, tendons and ligaments, to relieve strain and discomforts, such as nausea, nervousness, bearing-down and stretching pains. By regular use during the period the muscles expand easily when baby is born; pain and danger at the crisis is naturally less and the hours are fewer. Do not neglect the use of Mother's Friend. It is for external application only, is absolutely safe and wonderfully effective.
Write the Bradford Regulator Company, Dept. W, Lamar Building, Atlanta, Georgia, for their Motherhood Book, and obtain a bottle of Mother's Friend from the drug store. It is just as standard as anything you can think of.

interests of the government by cutting off unnecessary expense as soon as practicable.

Young Man Arrested at Plainview

J. W. Clark, a young man of about twenty-one years, is in Hale county jail, on a charge of having fire arms on his person.

It seems that he came here and stated to Lt. Freeman, commandant of the S. A. T. C. at Wayland college that he was an army inspector sent here to inspect the corps and the college. He made the inspection and made some big talks as to what he would do if everything did not suit him. This aroused suspicions, and later he pulled out a fire arm and was arrested by officers.

He claims he was a student in Austin college at Sherman, but left there recently on account of the influenza breaking out.

The sheriff here has a wire from the federal government asking that he be held until further instructions are received, as it seems that he pulled off a similar stunt at Albuquerque, N. M.—Plainview News.

Better Scratch Wood

As far as known Glenrio is the only place in the United States failing to record a single case of the "flu." Healthy place; hey, what?—Glenrio (N. M.) Tribune.

DON'T FORGET YOUR WAR SAVINGS PLEDGE

Dallas, Texas, December 12.—Pledges to buy United States Government war savings stamps aggregating millions of dollars are due for liquidation this month. While all pledged persons have until December 31 to meet these obligations to the Treasury Department, it is being urged by the War Savings Committee, with State headquarters here, that Texans pay their pledges before Christmas.

"Our fighting men had for their slogan 'out of the trenches by Xmas'; loyal Texas will do well to follow this slogan changing it to 'all War Savings Pledges paid by Christmas!'" Louis Lipsitz, State Director, said today. "We pledged to president our savings and their investment in War Savings Stamps. The best possible gift that the people of Texas can give President Wilson is the knowledge that they made these investments before Xmas."

The official proclamation calling for the prompt payment of pledges has been issued by the Government.



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Money to Loan

On farm and ranch lands; also on brick and stone buildings situated in town. HURRY in with your applications. The company advises me that they have plenty of money to loan on attractive securities for the month of December, 1918. Conditions after that time may be different. We mean business and shall be pleased to meet or hear from you, relative to a loan at an early date.

L. G. CONNER, Canyon, Tex.

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This used to be the Bridge Club

—and many a jolly afternoon they had, too, with their aces, and hearts, and jacks, and trumps.

Then the war came!
Brothers, husbands, sons, sweethearts left home to be aces of the air, jacks of the navy or trumps of the American Army.

The afternoon meetings continued—but the scenes changed to Red Cross workrooms. And serious, busy fingers of hundreds of thousands of patriotic American women worked day in and day out to alleviate the suffering of their loved ones, and yours, too, who responded so gallantly to the country's needs.

They gave their time, and energy, and

devotion to the Red Cross cause of humanity, without stint or murmur—their work has been one of the finest, most enduring examples of unselfish service of America's whole war experience.

Those wonderful women have made the foundation of future Red Cross work, in a big way, possible. That work must go on, of course—as long as American soldiers are over the sea the Red Cross is necessary—as long as emergency relief work needs to be done.

And now comes your turn to make the carrying on of the Red Cross work a certainty—none of your time is asked for no special effort—just the support of your membership.

Join the Red Cross
—all you need is a heart and a dollar

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- MEN'S GLOVES—Superior quality tan cape gloves, \$2.00 up to \$5.00.
- NEW HAT STYLES—\$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 and up.
- SUIT CASES and BAGS—From \$5.00 to \$30.00.

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"Where your dollar does its duty"

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You try to save pennies on your groceries—

Why not save dollars on our clothing?

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of men's and young men's Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Sweaters, Furnishings, etc., is saving hundreds of the Panhandle people hundreds of dollars. Why not you? Buy "His" Xmas present from us now and be one of the savers.

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| \$22.50 Values, now | All Sizes | \$1.95 | All Sizes |
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WHY SO WEAK

Kidney Troubles May Be Sapping Your Life Away. Canyon People Have Learned This Fact

When a healthy man or woman begins to run down without apparent cause, becomes weak, languid, depressed, suffers backache, dizzy spells and urinary disorders, weak kidneys may be the cause. The slightest symptom of kidney trouble is too serious to neglect. Doan's Kidney Pills have earned their fame by their effectiveness in strengthening the kidneys and keeping them well. Here is Canyon testimony to prove their worth.

Mrs. A. L. Abrams, says: "My back was weak and ached and my kidneys were irregular in action. It took only a few boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, prepared at the Holland Drug Co., to cure me and I haven't had any kidney trouble since. I advise anyone to try Doan's, who is bothered that way."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Abrams had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Short Rations In France and Italy.

The signing of the Armistice lifted the cloud of fifty years, and France broke into joy and color and dancing. She walked at last free in the sunshine and every good seemed possible at once. Peace however, added nothing to food supplies and hardship must go on until next harvest. Victor Boret, the French Food Controller, announced shortly after the Armistice was signed that it would be impossible to increase the war-time rations to civilians, but promised lower prices.

To Italy, peace brought only increased food difficulties as the newly acquired territory and prisoners added about 5,000,000 people who must be fed. With admirable foresight the Government set aside a great store of food for the immediate relief of the redeemed provinces and returning prisoners, and prepared to face the situation.

Rationing is vigorously enforced by card system and war-time allotments of food have been severely cut. The new ration provides a monthly allowance of 17 pounds of bread and 13 pounds or other food for each per-

a day and seems very little at any time but especially meager in this hour of victory.

Keep Them Laying

Eggs! Eggs! Eggs! more and more are needed. This is no time for layers to muster out—Keep every honest hen on the job. Feeds are lower and eggs are higher than a year ago. Make the hens lay and keep them laying.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 50c.

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OVER 500 VARIETIES

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We can fill your order for any SEED, Poultry article, Plant, Sprays, Insecticides, Fungicides. Prices and Quality always right. Prompt shipments. Ask for list.

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Greater Egg Yield Needed

Having increased the size of their flocks and improved them in quality to meet world food requirements, poultry raisers are now asked by the Food Administration for a record-breaking output of winter eggs. The urgent need for a large supply of fresh eggs in the immediate future is a result of several factors among which the following are especially noteworthy.

Stocks of storage eggs late in November were about 21 per cent less than a year ago.

The United States is sharing these storage eggs with Allies whose production of poultry products is low.

Importations of Chinese dried eggs was stopped in February 1918, and bakers have since been using shell eggs.

Domestic demand for eggs has been large, a condition attributed probably to the noticeable improvement in quality as a result of compulsory candling.

Current receipts of poultry at the markets consist chiefly of cockerels and laying hens are rarely found. For these reasons and from direct field reports, stocks of pullets and hens in producing areas, are believed to be larger than in any previous year. In addition, the cost of commercial poultry feed is less than a year ago. With these important factors favorable to poultrymen, the Food Administration emphasizes the need for methods which will result in maximum output of winter eggs.

Persons unfamiliar with best practices are urged to write to their state experiment station or to the U. S. Department of Agriculture for literature on feeding, housing and general care of poultry. Personal assistance may be secured from county agent and farmers' institute workers. There is both a national and world need for more eggs and the ultimate aim should be to make every farm poultry house an egg factory rather than a fattening pen.

Winter weather conditions play a dominant part in prices but best calculations point to a good market for all fresh eggs even though a maximum number be produced.

Hog Prices

Two conclusions in the hog situation resulted from meetings held in Chicago December 4 and 5. It was decided that the price of hogs for January shall be continued on the same basis as in November and December. Throwouts are to include pigs under 150 pounds, stags, boars, thin sows and skips. Also, effective the 5th, the shipping embargo was lifted and free shipping recommended.

Because of shortage of labor occasioned by the influenza epidemic and by the large number of men withdrawn for military service, the slaughterers have found difficulty in handling the large supplies of live stock which have been coming to market during the past few weeks. To control the situation it became necessary for the Food Administration to request the Railroad Administration to apply an embargo which has now been lifted. This aided in controlling the situation although the shipping permit system which necessarily accompanied the embargo proved to be cumbersome.

The recent very heavy runs at the principal markets indicates that there may be in the country a larger number of hogs than the heretofore published estimates show. It is hoped that the runs of hogs to the markets and shipments on foreign orders will be of such reciprocal volume that the packing centers can now handle them with out the embargo.

The meetings in Chicago were participated in by representatives of the United States Food Administration, the Committee of Packers sharing in foreign allotment orders, representatives of the Agricultural Advisory Committee and special representatives for the swine producers.

Farmers' Incomes

Statistics gathered by Nebraska station for 1917 show a wide variation in farmers' incomes. One Gage County farmer cleared \$3,379 off of 160 acres, while another Gage County man cleared only \$517 off of 180 acres. Both men had land of nearly equal value per acre. The difference seems to have been in stock raising. The man making the most money sold \$4,843 worth of stock, while the other sold but \$906 worth. A Seward county man made \$3,059 off of 108 acres. A Madison County man cleared \$3,579 off of 320 acres. A neighbor made \$1,814 off of 280 acres. The figures given represent the net labor income of farmers, after they had paid all expenses, 5 per cent interest on their investments and made proper allowances for depreciation.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strength Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or digest the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 50c per bottle.

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All Farm Animals Thrive on Silage

Now that you have your silo filled and all ready to feed, the questions come up: What can I feed silage to, and how much shall I feed to each class of animals? P. K. Heerwagen, of Colorado Station, offers the following suggestions:

Silage is a good succulent feed, especially for cattle, both the dairy and beef animals. It needs to be balanced with some feed high in protein content; also, best results are obtained from feeding silage when hay is fed along with it, such as alfalfa. Dairy cattle and beef breeding cattle can be fed from 30 to 50 pounds daily.

Silage is a good feed for sheep, but it requires great care in not feeding any moldy silage, and in not feeding too large amounts. In lamb the

amount should range from 1 to 3 pounds daily.

Horses can be fed silage but, as with sheep, care must be exercised that moldy silage is not fed, as it will prove fatal to the animal. In feeding silage to horses, one should gradually get the animal used to the silage. Twenty pounds daily per thousand pounds live weight is as much as it ought to be fed. Silage for horses must be more mature than that required for cattle, for the real green silage is liable to cause colic.

Frozen silage should not be fed to any class of livestock, until thawed out, and then it should be fed at once to prevent mold setting in.—National Alfalfa Journal.

Put W. S. S. in all the stockings Christmas.



The Farmer Receives More Than Five Thousand Dollars a Minute From Swift & Company

This amount is paid to the farmer for live stock, by Swift & Company alone, during the trading hours of every business day.

All this money is paid to the farmer through the open market in competition with large and small packers, shippers, speculators and dealers.

The farmer, feeder, or shipper receives every cent of this money (\$300,000 an hour, nearly \$2,000,000 a day, \$11,500,000 a week) in cash, on the spot, as soon as the stock he has just sold is weighed up.

Some of the money paid to the farmer during a single day comes back to the company in a month from sale of products; much does not come back for sixty or ninety days or more. But the next day Swift & Company, to meet the demands made by its customers, must pay out another \$2,000,000 or so, and at the present high price levels keeps over \$250,000,000 continuously tied up in goods on the way to market and in bills owed to the company.

This gives an idea of the volume of the Swift & Company business and the requirements of financing it. Only by doing a large business can this company turn live stock into meat and by-products at the lowest possible cost, prevent waste, operate refrigerator cars, distribute to retailers in all parts of the country—and be recompensed with a profit of only a fraction of a cent a pound—a profit too small to have any noticeable effect on the price of meat or live stock.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.



Secret of Advertising

Bradstreet's statement that 84 per cent of the failures are among non-advertisers is significant. Intelligent advertising has become an essential in every modern industry, but what shall the advertiser do in the face of the war situation when he finds it difficult to get good to fill his orders?

First of all it should be remembered that the fundamental purpose of judicious advertising is to fix indelibly the trade-mark in the public's mind. A let-up in that campaign must be fatal to any product.

DO NOT LET YOUR STOCK DEPRECIATE

Make More Customers for your Firm by Telling Them What you Have and quoting your prices. UNLESS ADVERTISING IS KEPT UP WITHOUT A BREAK THE ADVERTISER LOSES THE RESULTS OF THE INITIAL EFFORT.

Randall County News

Circulation Covers Randall County and Trade Territory Like a Blanket

Secretary Baker Urges Letters With "Home-touch" For the Boys

WAR DEPARTMENT WASHINGTON.

My dear Mr. Fosllick:

The eyes of the world are upon our soldiers overseas today not more for what they have done than for what they are now called upon to do.

This means that we may not expect soon to have them all with us here and to greet them face to face.

I believe that among all the influences which may be focused upon this object, the strongest and most far-reaching is that which emanates from home letters.

Cordially yours,

Newton D. Baker Secretary of War.

Mr. Raymond B. Fosllick,

Chairman, Commission on Training Camp Activities.

BEN WINKLEMAN WRITES INTERESTING LETTERS HOME

Somewhere in France, Oct. 23, 1918.

Dearest Mother:

I have received 2 letters from home in the last five days. One post-marked September 9, one September 16, never was quite so proud of anything in my life.

No doubt you will be some what surprised at the (Paris) but never the less here I am in a hospital some where near that place.

Many People Hungry President Wilson has issued a proclamation appealing to the generosity of the American people in behalf of the millions of war sufferers in the Near East.

"The response has been most generous, but now the period of rehabilitation is at hand. Vastly larger sums will be required to restore these once prosperous, but now impoverished, refugees to their former homes than were required merely to sustain life in their desert exile."

It is estimated that about 4,000,000 Armenian, Syrian, Greek and other war sufferers in the Near East will require outside help to sustain them through the winter.

Dear Mother: Get the Christmas dinner ready for at last it seems as though our mission in France is over.

Suppose the Training Camp at the Normal is in full swing by now. But no more military stuff for me, for a while anyway.

I had a copy of the Star and Stripes pea that gave an account of the little battle the 36th had, but someone destroyed it before I had a chance to send it home.

Mamma you might as well be getting ready for my home coming; don't know when it will be but when I do get there I feel like I could eat four dozen hot cakes and biscuit and at least that many pies.

Love to all, BEN Private J. B. Winkelman, Hdq. Co. 142 Infantry, A. E. F. A. P. O. 796.

W. S. S. or Baby Bonds Make Acceptable Gifts

While the same old Christmas spirit will prevail most of us will "shop" differently this year. Instead of exchanging presents in the form of luxuries many of us will buy War Savings Stamps, Baby Bonds or Liberty Bonds to give to relatives or friends as a Christmas Gift.

There is no more appropriate or timely gift that you could buy than something which will help your government as well as prove highly acceptable as a Christmas present.

Let your gift this year be a patriotic gift. You can purchase War Savings Stamps, Baby Bonds or Liberty Bonds at this bank.

First NATIONAL Bank

Capital and Surplus, \$75,000.00 MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

DARNALL'S CAFE

WHILE IN AMARILLO SHOPPING—

Call in and let us give you a good meal. Located on Polk Street, right in the heart of the business section; it is the most convenient place for you to stop.

GOOD PLACE SPLENDID COOKING EXPERT SERVICE

DARNALL'S CAFE

411 Polk Street P. E. Darnall, Prop. Amarillo, Texas

H. F. Upshaw Died in Tahoka

Herbert Foster Upshaw, who lived on the Perry place near Seth Ward college, died Saturday night at 10 o'clock at Tahoka, from influenza pneumonia.

He was a broom-maker and was well known to most of our people. Several days before his death he had gone to Tahoka to deliver some brooms, and was taken with the influenza.

Mr. Upshaw formerly lived in Canyon and will be remembered by many local people.

Restrictions Removed

The restrictions on newspapers has been removed and they are thus allowed to attend to their own business. No other business has been restricted so much as the newspapers and they were required to give almost any quantity of advertising free, which had it been paid for would amount to several hundred dollars to each periodical.

What's the use knocking down a bully if you pick him up and hand him back his club.

We've kicked the Kaiser from the nation That Hohenzollerns rule the ocean;

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic destroys the malarial germs which are transmitted to the blood by the Malarial Mosquito. Price 60c.

TURN THE BOYS' THOUGHTS HOMEWARD, SAYS FOSDLICK, ASKING CO-OPERATION

Washington.—(Special.)—Just before leaving for France to superintend the demobilization activities of those organizations which recently took part in the United War Work Campaign, Raymond B. Fosllick, Chairman of the Commission on Training Camp Activities, was interviewed with regard to the present situation of our overseas forces.

"The problem presented by the gradual demobilization of more than two million men three thousand miles from home is one which will tax all our social resources," said Mr. Fosllick. "It is above all a morale problem, and it must be faced as such, with the full co-operation of families and friends here in this country, if it is to be solved successfully."

"The war was on our boys were fully occupied; they were still filled with the spirit of adventure, looking forward rather than back. Now, however, the fighting is at an end. They are going to remain, most of them, many months doing work which will be neither exciting nor particularly interesting."

"The \$170,000,000 raised in the recent United War Work drive is to be used precisely to bridge over this period by providing recreation and amusement." But no amount of mere money expended in such a way will be enough. What these boys really want is not diversion, but human interest and sympathy.

"I, therefore, again call upon the people of the United States to make ever more generous contributions than they have made heretofore to sustain through the winter months, those, who, through no fault of their own have been left in a starving, shelterless condition, and to help re-establish these ancient and sorely oppressed people in their former homes on a self-supporting basis."

Empty lard cans for 50c.—Vetesk Market.

A leopard can't change his spots and white-washing won't help the Hun.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, cleanse little bowels with "California Syrup of Figs."

IF YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, cleanse little bowels with "California Syrup of Figs."

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.

CLASSIFIED ADS For Sale

FOR SALE—A few pigs, just weaned. Also a few bales of alfalfa hay.—John Knight. 36tf

FOR SALE—White and red Kaffir pumpies baled. John Knight.

FOR SALE—3 room shack; be moved. Good material.—J. T. Berry, Canyon. 36-2tp

Miscellaneous

WANTED—A young lady to help with house work. Apply to D. A. Shirley.

FOR RENT—Brick building 30x90 adjoining Post Office. Will improve for suitable tenant. Will not lease for garage purposes. C. R. McAfee, Amarillo, Texas.

FOR RENT—One large furnished room. Phone 251. Mrs. Chas. Hartner. 34-tf

FOR RENT—My home with 400 acres of grass and 300 acres of farming land with natural protection and running water, adjoining city of Canyon. Would sell 20 head of Jersey cattle, 15 or 18 head of hogs. Also teams and tools.—W. E. Bates. 30-tf

TAKEN UP—1 Hereford bull with 091 on right horn. Owner can have same by calling at my place, paying for keep and this ad. 6 miles South East from Wildorado. P. Kunze.

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