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THE GOLDEN BROTHERS SHOW

Early Tuesday morning the celebrated Golden Bros. show rolled into Marfa from the east and soon pitched their large tents on the old baseball grounds just south of the oil warehouses.

Shortly after eleven o'clock they held a parade through the main business section of our city, circling around the court house and back to the grounds, where at two o'clock they began their first performance.

The attendance at this performance was large, for many out-of-town folks had come from every part of the county to take in one of the largest shows that ever pitched a tent in Marfa.

The evening's performance was also well attended, for the afternoon's performance was of such a nature that it advertised their evening performance among our citizens who could not attend the afternoon show.

Both performances were splendid from start to finish and brought forth much comment of satisfaction among the audience.

Every act carried with it just a little touch of something different from what most shows usually stage. From the very start—the beginning was an appreciated change from what most every person had repeatedly witnessed time and again.

The trained animals performed better and the keepers seemed to have had better control over them than ordinarily, thereby giving the public a highly interesting performance that was really appreciated by everyone.

The entire personnel of the company was composed of a clean cut set of men and women—they made a clean, neat appearance, for their costumes were clean and tidy looking and the actors bore themselves gracefully throughout the performances.

The proprietors and managers were a congenial set of men, fair and square in all their dealings while in our city and certainly made a lasting impression with ev-

eryone they came in contact with.

Their liberal, broadmindedness, and their desire to give the public a good clean show, won for them a good feeling in our town that will long be remembered, and should they ever return to our city they will surely be greeted with a good attendance.

EDITOR REESE CROSSES

THE DIVIDE

We see from one of our exchanges—the Gonzales Inquirer—that the guiding hand of the paper has laid down his pen and crosses the Great Divide, which we must all cross, sooner or later.

The man to whom we refer is Henry Reese, editor of one of the best and oldest weekly newspapers in this state, who died at his home Friday morning at the age of sixty years.

Although we never had the pleasure of meeting our brother editor in person during his lifetime, yet we will miss him and his ever interesting articles from the pages of the Inquirer. He was a splendid writer and an exceptionally good newspaper man, having edited this paper for over forty consecutive years, never faltering nor shirking to give the people of his community the very best there was in newspaperdom.

Of all the exchanges that reached our desk—there are but few ever opened and read, but the Gonzales Inquirer was one of the first to receive our inspection, for it always contained some deep thought of wisdom and saying worth while and many were the ideas and tips that we younger scribes gathered from his columns.

Yes, Editor Reese is dead. He lived a very useful life, lived a Christian life—was a live wire in his home town, did many noble deeds for the benefit of humanity, and his community as well, and of which the world will never know, and for which he is sure to reap his just reward.

We join his many sorrowing friends in expressing our deepest sympathy to his grieved family and we

pray that God will give them strength to bear their great sorrow and that they may realize that his life's work on earth was well done and that his services were required in realms above, where we all shall answer to roll call to give account of our lives here below.

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

Last Wednesday afternoon the Missionary Society of the Christian Church met at the beautiful Brite home, where Mrs. L. C. Brite and Mrs. H. H. Kilpatrick were joint hostesses for the occasion.

The meeting was called to order by President Brite, followed by a song, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," sang in remembrance of Mrs. Sam Neill, one of their members who was very ill and unable to attend. This song being her favorite, was sung by the entire attendance.

The circle of prayer was begun by Mrs. Fanny Seerest and closed by Mrs. L. C. Brite. Rev. M. A. Buhler led the devotional lesson, which was taken from the 17th Chapter of Acts.

Miss Ruth Orr gave a very interesting lecture on India, which was followed by Mrs. Buck Casner on a lecture "On Distant Fields." Mrs. John Hart talked on the subject of "The Demand of Success for Today and Tomorrow."

Miss Hester Brite then gave an interesting talk of her experiences on her recent trip abroad, which was highly interesting.

The meeting came to a close with the singing of a beautiful solo, "Teach Me to Pray," rendered by Miss Ruth Orr.

After the close of the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed during which the hostesses served a delicious two-course luncheon.

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RED CROSS DRIVE

The New Era has repeatedly published articles pertaining to the American Red Cross activities for the reason that it is an organization that comes to the aid and rescue of all humanity.

Therefore, it should be encouraged by everyone who can spare a dollar during the Red Cross Drive which takes place next Friday and Saturday, November 16th and 17th.

Let those who can, give more—there is on hand to your giving as much as you like—\$100.00 makes you a life member in the organization.

The members of the Marfa branch of the Red Cross will call on every resident in our city for their subscription and it is desired that all give willingly, without comment, as the solicitors for this worthy cause are all volunteers, giving their time and service free, and should be respected.

Marfa has always gone over the top in every drive for the Red Cross and we predict that this year will be a repetition of what has been done before.

DR. A. G. CHURCH RETURNS TO MARFA

Dr. A. G. Church, former resident of Marfa, will soon return to make his home in our city. Dr. Church left here about one year and a half ago and since that time his attention to sick folks has been greatly missed and it is through many requests of his friends that he is returning to our midst.

Our town should feel good that we are again to possess a man in the medical world of sterling worth and at the same time gain a citizen of his standing.

Dr. Church will office in the Union Drug Company building where Dr. Mahon formerly had his office, and will be here to begin practice on the fifteenth of this month.

—The Womens Toggery is offering some real values in winter hats. Don't wait, come in at once and see what we are offering.

MRS. BROWN'S BROTHER KILLED BY TRUCK IN NEW YORK

Mrs. C. A. Brown received a telegram from her father last week informing her that her brother, Thomas B. Jones, had been killed by a truck in New York. The accident occurred a week ago last Friday. Details have been slow in arriving, but a telegram from a brother, Bob Jones, who went to New York at once, advises that Tom was crossing the street just after lunch when a big truck struck him. The body will be brought home some time this week. Mr. Jones was connected

with a bond purchasing company for several years working out of New York and other large cities. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jones of Utopia; Mrs. C. A. Brown of Alpine; Misses Edilene and Minerva Jones; and three brothers, Sam, Bob and Irving Jones of Oregon. Among other relatives is Mrs. Lynch Davidson of Houston. Mrs. Brown left Monday for Utopia where the funeral will be held some time this week.—Alpine Avalanche.

—If its needle work you want for Xmas gifts, see Mrs. Roark.

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In wool, silk and wool-heathers, drop stitch and all, and a dependable line.

PHOENIX HOSIERY

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In offering you a Sweater, we had in mind the special needs in this section of the state. Warmth, style and quality—it is a "Bradley"—for "Dad, Ma and the kids."

Grocery and Hardware Departments

Are "chock" full of good things. New "eats" for the table. Our new arrival of fall canned goods, fresh fruits, nuts, freshens up our stock and will please you. New car "White Face" flour in. Your orders filled with pleasure at our store

GOING HUNTING? Take no Chances. Have your license if going out of the County; and good ammunition; the Winchester at the "Winchester Store." It doesn't make much difference about the gun; it's what you put in it that brings in the game. We can supply you from tent to the "sauce" pan.

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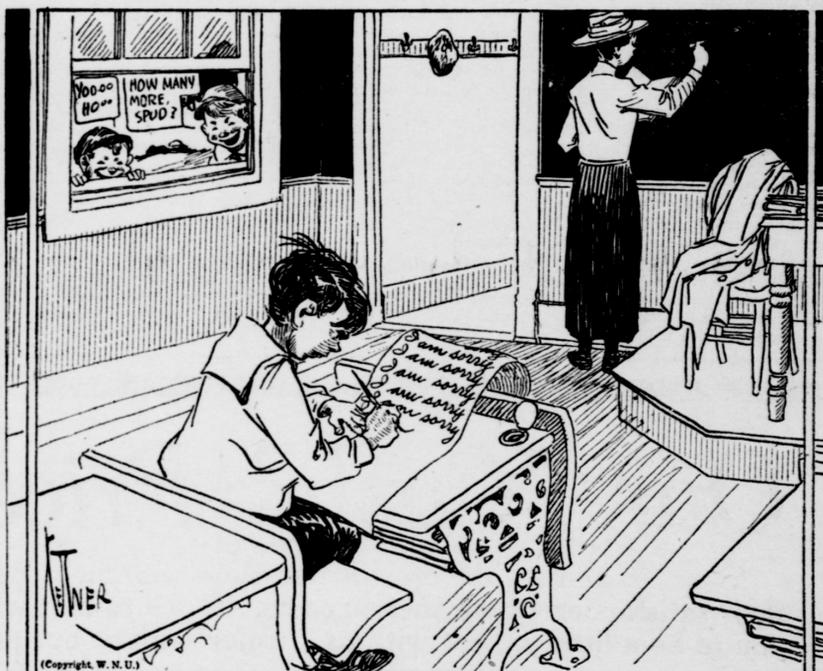
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Wait Till You Hear the Rain Drops



Sitting Tight

Big Events in the Lives of Little Men



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RADIO RALF AND HIS FRIENDS---

By JACK WILSON

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EVEN AT PRESENT PRICES.

All my wife thinks of is eat- ing. Don't discour- age her, old chap. Groh comes cheaper than clothes.



STUNG.

After you re- fused Jack, did he propos- e again? Yes, but it was to another girl.

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Makes Day's Work Light**



**St. Joseph's
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for BLOOD-LIVER-KIDNEYS
The BIG 25¢ CAN

American Matting.
The best American matting is made from slough grass, growing wild on the plains of Minnesota and Wisconsin.

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"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"**

Harmless Laxative to Clean Liver and Bowels of Baby or Child.

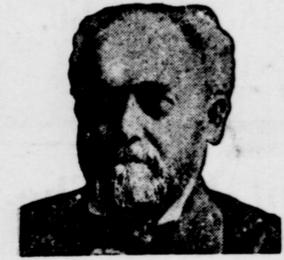
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"I like cheerfulness. I admire anyone who sings at his work."
"How you must love a mosquito!"

Why buy many bottles of other remedies when one bottle of Dr. Perry's "Dead Shot" will work without fail? Adv.

Without Stabilizer.
"Brown is another one of those single-track minds."
"Yes, and it's a monorail at that."



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THE STORY!**

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HINDERCORNS Remove Corns, Calluses, etc. Stop all pain, restore comfort to the feet, make walking easy. Use by mail or at drug stores. Highest Chemical Works, Philadelphia, Pa.

**COOLIDGE WANTS
RATES ADJUSTED**

RAILWAY OFFICIALS DISCUSSING
FREIGHT SUGGESTIONS OF
THE PRESIDENT.

I. C. C. ORDERS AN INQUIRY

By EDWARD B. CLARK
Washington. — President Coolidge, casting aside the robe of silence, spoke out loud on a prime subject of public interest when he talked to President Samuel Rea of the Pennsylvania railroad on freight rate cuts on coal and grain. Mr. Rea and his fellow railroad officials now are discussing what the President said, with a view to action. Washington has been considerably puzzled because of the nature of the remedial suggestions made by President Coolidge. He asked that the freight rates on wheat intended for export be cut, while the rates on non-export wheat remain as they are, and that the rates on coal for domestic use be scaled so that they would not be greater than the rates on coal intended for export.

If President Coolidge's suggestions are adopted, they, on the face of them, will give a greater advantage to wheat shipped abroad than to wheat intended for American consumers. In the case of coal the suggestion places the domestic use on the same rate basis. There was no definite explanation of the reason for the difference in treatment of coal consumers and wheat growers. Washington accepts the suggestion of President Coolidge to the railroad chieftains as a definite hint of a means to help the farmer, and the suggestion as to coal as a definite hint of a means to close down on the complaints of American consumers of coal along the border that the Canadians are being better treated than the Americans in the matter of the prices on American coal.

Rate Inquiry is Ordered.
The interstate commerce commission has just issued an order on its own initiative for a general inquiry into the fairness of existing rates on grain and grain products. The commission has denied at least temporarily the petition of western grain growing states, which has been pending for several months, asking for a reduction in freight rates on grain and grain products. The complaint has not been dismissed, however. The case has been reopened for the taking of more evidence.

The complaint case is known as the Kansas grain rate case, because it was brought before the commission by that state. The commission held that the evidence has not shown that the grain and the hay rates are unjust, but it has declared a willingness to proceed with evidence-taking, thus giving the group of middle-western states which are interested a further chance to make good their claims.

The general investigation into the fairness of existing rates on grain and grain products, which the interstate commerce commission has authorized, will be carried along the following lines: The verbiage being that of the commission's order for the inquiry:

"To determine whether and to what extent the rates, charges, regulations and practices of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce act in respect to the transportation of grain and grain products in interstate or foreign commerce are, or for the future will be, unjust, unreasonable or otherwise unlawful, and in such case to prescribe just, reasonable and lawful rates, charges, regulations and practices therefor to be observed."

Unfairness Not Yet Proved.
In the Kansas case the commission, in its opinion, said:
"Upon the present record we would be led to conclude that the general basis of rates on grain, grain products and hay within the western group has not been shown to be unjust, unreasonable, unduly prejudicial, or otherwise in violation of the Interstate Commerce act."

Two commissioners, Mr. McChord and Mr. Campbell, dissented from the opinion. Commissioner McManamy did not participate in the hearing on the case or in its disposition.

President Coolidge seems to be intent on finding some solution for the problem of the farmers of the grain-growing states. His attempts do not go altogether without criticism from members of his own party. Senator Ladd, Republican, of North Dakota, who has just returned from Europe, already has made something more than a mild attack on the plan of the President which resulted in the sending of a commission into the states of the Central Northwest for study and report purposes. Senator Ladd has said that it is impossible to effect any relief through such an organization to meet this emergency.

No student of economics in Washington apparently believes that any plan can be proposed for the relief of any economic condition which will not meet with criticism. As one man has put it, "The only thing to do is to try everything which looks helpful on its face, and keep on trying until the solving factor of the problem is found."

Veterans' Bureau Well Conducted.
Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, director of the veteran's bureau, gave the members of the American Legion in convention assembled in San Francisco a modest account of his six months' stewardship. When General Hines was appointed director of the bureau he was told that if he took the place

he would find he had taken over the hardest job under government.

The story is that the general's answer to this was: "Well, that is one of the reasons I must take it." From the day that the bureau was established until Director Hines assumed office the complaints against the service were constant. There were not only complaints against it; there were charges against it, some of which were unquestionably true. But probably the fault did not lie so much in the officials of the bureau as with the politicians who tried to make of the service a dumping ground for refuse friends who said they needed jobs and who could not get them anywhere else.

When it is said that former chiefs of the bureau perhaps were not to blame for conditions, it is meant only that they were blameless so far as their initial intentions were concerned. Apparently they did not have sufficient backbone to stand up against the job-seeking ones who had political backing but who were devoid of the qualities which make for good work. Every official of the veteran's bureau since the day of its establishment probably has meant well, but the trouble has been until recently that they did not do well.

Good Effects of Discipline.

When Frank T. Hines was asked by President Harding to take the job men said, and a good many of those who said it were veterans, that Hines was an old-time regular army officer; that he would be "hard boiled" in his methods and that camp discipline would be brought into play in a place where it was out of place. There recently has been discipline in the veteran's bureau, apparently, but it has been the proper kind of office discipline which has kept employees at their work in behalf of the veterans. There has been no loafing and as a result, work which used to lag has gone steadily on at a quick pace.

Director Hines perhaps did show some "hard boiled" tendencies, but the veterans, so far as their claims and their cases were concerned, have had no personal evidences of it. The director was hard boiled toward the job-seeking politicians who did not care at all whether the men for whom they wanted appointments were fit for the work or not. All that they wanted to do was to get them into places where they could draw their pay.

It did not take the job seekers long to find out that with the new director the first consideration was the good of the wards of the government. One does not hear today that men in four thousand-dollar positions in the veteran's bureau are drawing their pay while junior clerks do their work for them.

No Politics This Time.

There does not seem to be any politics in the direction of the work of the bureau. The writer of this, although he knows General Hines personally, does not know to what political party he belongs. President Harding picked the general for the job because of the commanding excellence of the executive work that he did during the war. The appointment of the director to office was one of the few appointing acts which was not followed by charges that another politician had been given a job.

This article is written by an ex-service man, who like other ex-service men felt in the past that the bureau which was established for the benefit of wounded and sick veterans was not doing its work. The ex-service men from the very beginning have not cared the proverbial whoop whether the director was a Democrat or a Republican, a wet or a dry. All that they wanted and all that they want is that the men who were shot up in the war or brought low by illness be given proper care. As things stand today the ex-service men seem to be satisfied with the bureau's work.

Of course General Hines has been in office only six months, but the one great thing has been accomplished—the job-seeking politicians in Washington have read, understood and obeyed the order of "Hands off." If politics can be kept out of the bureau, efficiency will stay in it, but otherwise there will be a return to first conditions. The veterans seem to hold the comfortable belief that General Hines will stay on the job and will continue to do as he has done.

Missed the Leviathan.

A French admiral tells a story about how the Leviathan came near being sunk in 1918 with 14,000 American soldiers aboard. The writer is Admiral DeGouy and he got the story from an eye-witness, a member of General Pershing's staff. One day in calm weather four submarines moved upon the great ship which opened fire with its four-inch guns. The Germans submerged with the intention of steering a course parallel to that of the Leviathan and firing at a huge broadside target. In a few minutes the enemy came up astern. The ship was making 20 knots while the torpedoes were moving very slowly. It was learned later that the Germans failed to get their big game because the submarines were manned by inexperienced officers on their first trip.

Had to Let Them Out.

A more kind-hearted soul than Aunt Maria never existed. On one occasion a neighbor who had looked in for a chat was horrified to see a mouse run across Aunt Maria's kitchen. "Why on earth don't you set a trap?" she asked. "Well," replied Aunt Maria, "I did have a trap set, but it was such a fuss. Them mice kept gettin' into it!"

Texas News

An issue of \$30,000 Tehuacana independent school district bonds has been approved by the attorney general. These bonds mature serially and bear 5 per cent interest.

The South Texas Wolf Hunters' Association will hold its first annual field trial and wolf hunt on November 22, 23, 24 at Martinez, 10 miles east of San Antonio.

Over \$1,000,000 in quarterly gross production taxes will be paid into the state treasury by November 10, Treasurer C. V. Terrell announced this week.

The Rio Grande valley banana crop is coming on to the market and valley grown bananas can now be purchased in many of the valley towns.

Jefferson County taxable property is worth approximately \$10,000,000 more this year than last, according to the tax rolls completed and submitted to the county commissioners.

Voters in Brazoria county approved a \$350,000 road bond issue and voters in Madison County passed a \$300,000 road bond issue by overwhelming majorities in elections held Saturday.

The principal crops of Tyler County are corn, potatoes, melons, cotton and truck. There were more than a hundred thousand bushels of corn produced last year and the yield should approximate that figure this year.

The general condition of the farmers of Washington County is fairly good this year, much better than for several years past. About 2,000 own their own farms, with about 15 per cent under mortgage, most of them small. There is an active demand for farms to rent.

The taxpayers of San Antonio will vote on a \$4,250,000 city bond issue on December 4. Of the sum asked, \$2,800,000 is to be used in connection with the city's flood prevention program, the building of dams, altering or removing obstructions from the San Antonio river and widening of San Pedro and Alazan creeks.

The principal highway in Colorado County is the forty-mile stretch of the San Antonio and Houston road. About forty additional miles of gravel and dirt roads probably will be built soon. The cost of gravel roads in the county is \$10,000 a mile and concrete roads \$20,000 a mile. Bonds for roads to the extent of \$175,000 were voted three years ago.

Though shipping for several years has been of more importance to Jefferson County than the production of oil, it is the refined petroleum products, largely manufactured at Beaumont, Fort Arthur and Port Neches, that make up most of the shipments from the two ports of the county. Four refineries now are in operation in the county and a fifth is under construction.

The annual convention of the Texas division of the Meridian Highway Association will be held at Waco, November 9, preceding the annual convention of the national organization at Salina, Kan., November 12, according to D. E. Colp of San Antonio, vice president of the Meridian Highway Association and president of the Texas division, who has just issued a call for the meeting.

Gross receipts of cotton at Houston has passed the 2,000,000-bale mark. To date 2,005,957 bales have been received at Houston, as compared with 1,555,126 on the same date last year, and 1,175,126 two years ago. Cotton men say the high mark has been made possible by the early ginning of the Texas crop. The last government report of October 18 placed Texas ginnings at more than 2,000,000 bales, or more than the entire Texas crop last year, or the year before.

Cotton pickers of the state are being diverted and sent to the West Texas fields where wages run around \$1.50 per 100 pounds. State Labor Commissioner Joseph S. Myers stated the El Paso office had been called upon to furnish laborers for New Mexico, but the deputy in charge of the office had declined to send laborers to the New Mexico fields until all cotton had been picked in Texas fields. Practically all cotton in North, East, central and South Texas has been picked, the commissioner states.

Fifty delegates are to represent the State of Texas at the meeting of the national council of the Anti-Saloon League to be held in Birmingham, Ala., December 17-20. Governor Neff announced this week. More than 100 ministers and others prominent in the league work will attend the national meeting, according to Rev. Atticus Webb, state superintendent.

Galveston tax collections for October totaled \$45,278.56, as compared with \$70,000 in September. Of the former amount \$37,137 is the city ad valorem tax and \$8140.74 for school purposes.

Victoria County has made an unusually fine record in tick eradication work. There is not a herd of cattle in the county containing as many as 200 head which can not pass interstate inspection under the regulations of the state live stock sanitary commission and federal government.

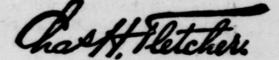
Inheritance taxes which accrued under the law repealed by the last legislature are still due the state, as the new law does not repeal any tax obligations which matured under the old law, the attorney general's department held Saturday.

Children Cry for "Castoria"

A Harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups — No Narcotics!

Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over 30 years to relieve babies and children of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and, by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of

Food; giving natural sleep without opiates. The genuine bears signature of



All the world loves to laugh at the blindness of lovers.

No fur coat can look stunning in a rainstorm.

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35-Cent "Danderine" So Improves Lifeless, Neglected Hair.

An abundance of luxuriant hair full of gloss, gleams and life shortly follows a genuine toning up of neglected scalps with dependable "Danderine."



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An art crank is one who takes art too seriously.

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WOMEN CAN DYE ANY GARMENT, DRAPERY

Dye or Tint Worn, Faded Things New for 15 Cents.



Don't wonder whether you can dye or tint successfully, because perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with "Diamond Dyes" even if you have never dyed before. Druggists have all colors Directions in each package.—Advertisement.

Large fortunes from small grafts soon grow.

If it is only about a hat, men will take advice.

'CASCARETS' BEST BOWEL LAXATIVE

10 Cents a Box! Don't Stay Bilious, Sick, Headachy, Constipated.

"They Work While You Sleep." When you feel sick, dizzy, upset, when your head is dull or aching, or your stomach is sour or gassy, just take one or two pleasant "Cascarets" to relieve constipation and biliousness. No gripping—nicest cathartic-laxative on earth for Men, Women and Children. 10c boxes, also 25 and 50c sizes—any drug store.—Advertisement.

Observant.
"She was married in the same church where three ceremonies had been previously performed for her?"
"Yes."
"A familiar environment, eh?"
"Quite. She even noticed that a tear in the altar carpet hadn't been mended since her last trip."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

A BAD COLD BREAKS IN A FEW HOURS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Acts Quick, Costs Little, and Never Sickens!

In a few hours your cold is gone, head and nose clear, no feverishness, headache, or stuffed-up feeling. Druggists here guarantee these pleasant tablets to break up a cold or the grippe quicker than nasty quinine. They never make you sick or uncomfortable. Buy a box of "Pape's Cold Compound" for a few cents and get rid of your cold right now.—Advertisement.

A profile photograph is merely a sideshow.

If it is too good to be true, hesitate.

126,000 Miles of Cloth for Cement Sacks

To keep cement moving from the mills to the many building jobs always under way, cement manufacturers require an astonishing quantity of sacks.

This year the industry has considerably more than 225,000,000 sacks. These represent enough cotton cloth to make a skirt for every woman and girl in the United States—126,000 miles of 30-inch fabric. Even a moderate sized mill which ships say 1,000,000 barrels a year must have 2,000,000 or so sacks.

When a customer returns a sack he gets credit for it, if it is usable or repairable. The convenient returnable sack means that each plant has to have large departments where men and women sew, sort, clean and count sacks continuously. This work alone costs the industry nearly \$1,250,000 a year.

And cement manufacturers keep increasing their sack inventories so that they can ship promptly. Last year they purchased a total of more than 100,000,000 new cotton sacks. For replacements alone over 50,000,000 were needed; for increased supplies over 30,000,000. In addition over 18,000,000 paper bags were used representing 7,000,000 pounds of paper.

This problem of containers causes a large and steadily growing investment by the portland cement industry.

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TOWNS THAT THRIVE

In the past the towns that thrived were the ones that had good rail or water transportation facilities. That is still true to a large extent, but a new order of things is approaching, and before long the towns that thrive will be those which boast roads over which motor trucks can operate. For while the rail lines may never be replaced, the motor lines are going to become equally as popular, if not more so, as common carriers of both freight and passengers. The fight waged in the future between towns the size of Marfa will not be over getting railroads to push their tracks into their midst but in getting roads on which motor trucks can run. Legislators will be appealed to as never before and the candidates who cannot show a clean pair of heels on the road question will be out of the running. Even now it is a pretty good idea to sound them out when they solicit your vote and a good idea to know what they propose to do towards getting better roads.

WATCH THESE FELLOWS

Uncle Sam is dismantling a number of world war encampments over the country and disposing of thousands of dollars worth of army blankets, shoes, sweaters, coats, etc. With this has come the "army store" in many cities and towns, stores in which reclaimed, soiled and even unused army goods are sold. In many instances these "stores" are fly by night concerns, operated by men who are only after getting a dollar quickly, regardless of how it is gotten. Again many concerns are advertising "army goods" through mail order papers and offering in many instances goods that Uncle Sam never had anything to do with, but which are being turned out to meet this army store demand. We would caution the people of Marfa to be very careful of these concerns. The prices look good, and in many instances they are. But even at that it still doesn't pay to take chances when here is a home merchant handy to supply the same thing—and to make it good if it doesn't come up to the specifications.

Hal Daugherty of El Paso, formerly one of Marfa's leading merchants, paid our city a few days visit this week. Hal has many warm friends in Marfa who were glad to greet him and to shake hands with him again. He is now holding down a good position with the Government in the Pass City.

—Don't forget the Opera House prices for pictures is five and ten cents.

Mrs. Buck Pool returned last Wednesday from a pleasant visit to her mother at San Antonio.

Sgt. Stanhagen is batching it these days while his wife and baby are spending a week in El Paso visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fennell and daughter, Frances, came up from Ruidosa last Thursday and are spending a few days in town. Mr. Fennell reports that he is well pleased with this year's cotton crop. The Fennells are getting ready to build a new home on their river farm in the near future.

L. C. Brite has made a number of large shipments of high grade Herefords this season which have netted him good returns. The Brite cattle are among the very best in the west and are in demand whenever placed on the market. Mr. Brite is now showing a bunch of his cattle in Arizona at the Fair and the papers are full of comment regarding same.

L. Blaw returned this week from a business trip to El Paso. He reports that he found business very bad in the Pass City and that people were leaving the city by the score every day.

W. H. Chapman of Milwaukee, Wis., arrived in Marfa last Wednesday en route to New Orleans, La., on foot. He is on a 4,500 mile hike, extending from the Canadian boundary line to New Orleans. Mr. Chapman is 76 years old and a frontiersman of the early days.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Gustava Raetzsch was the scene of the assembly of happy young folks of the Methodist Sunday school last week, enjoying a Halloween party. Games were played and everyone present had a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Paul Probst of Fort Davis, chaperoned a party of young folks over to Marfa to take in the Golden Bros. show last Tuesday. We hear they had a good time and feasted on pop corn, peanuts and red lemonade.

R. S. McCracken returned last Thursday from a trip to Wichita, Kansas. He reports having had a pleasant vacation, even if of short duration.

There will be civil service examinations held in Marfa for postoffice clerks on December 1st, 1923.

—For a first-class shave and hair cut, go to the W. R. Ake barber shop.

RED CROSS HELPS WAR'S SUFFERERS

Aids 200,000 Veterans and Their Families—27,000 Disabled Still in Hospitals.

SPENDS \$5,866,255 IN YEAR

Individual Attention Assured to All Physically Ailing or in Distress.

Washington. — War service five years after the armistice, which on November 11 the American Red Cross marks with the opening of the annual membership canvass, shows that during the past year assistance was extended by the Red Cross to some 200,000 ex-service men or their families. To 130 hospitals throughout the country approximately 75,000 ex-service men were admitted for treatment, and to 63,296 of these men definite and specialized service was extended, the Red Cross annual report discloses. In all hospitals under government operation a total of nearly 27,000 disabled veterans were reported by the Surgeon General of the Army.

These facts of the aftermath of physical and mental disability five years after the World War, and the burden resting upon the relatives and dependents of the ex-service men, show conclusively the great need of the Red Cross to act as a supplementary arm of the government in service to these many thousands of men who would be the uniform of the United States. It should be emphasized that government assistance is necessarily standardized along specified lines affecting them as a whole. The Red Cross service is to the individual man and the solution of his problems. This the Red Cross designates "home service" for its aims to give the loving care and interest of the home to these men undergoing physical reconstitution far from their actual home influences.

Year's Expenditures \$5,866,255

In the year ended last June 30 the Red Cross reports \$3,920,000 spent by its Chapters in extending individual attention to the ex-service men and \$1,946,255 spent by National Headquarters of the Red Cross, a total of \$5,866,255. In behalf of the men called to duty in the World War the Red Cross since July 1, 1917, has spent nearly \$164,000,000. Today there are 2,698 Chapters in as many localities carrying on this work, aiding the individual veteran, assisting his family, furnishing creature comforts and funds to tide over troublesome periods.

The strong connecting link between the Red Cross and the United States Veterans' Bureau takes the complications out of difficult cases of claims. The Red Cross in this work requiring personal representation of the ex-service man has acted in appeal cases, insurance matters, personal and family problems, camp and hospital activities, and in cases of death. This service handled nearly 12,000 compensation and insurance claims, and 2,225 allotment and other claims.

Solves Serious Problem

The financial problem of the ex-service man when traveling to and from hospitals is a serious one, and in meeting this constant demand the Red Cross expended \$138,334.17 during the year. For extra recreational equipment in Veterans' Bureau training centers \$14,306 was spent, and for the blinded veterans in the government school funds were supplied to enable some of these unfortunate men to enter business as storekeepers and poultry raisers.

In Veterans' Bureau hospitals the record of a single month illustrates the large service rendered by the Red Cross. For example, 15,504 new cases required attention, and a total of 26,607 cases were acted upon; 49,368 letters and 1,863 telegraph messages written, and more than 1,600 entertainments given in recreation houses for the benefit of the patients.

Authorities declare that the present is a critical time in the lives of many of the disabled ex-service men who during the five years since the armistice have developed misgivings of recovery.

Work Among the "Regulars"

Service to the enlisted men of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps is a charter obligation of the Red Cross, which in the last year recorded over 296,000 cases of assistance extended and \$54,426 visits to the sick and disabled. Inquiries by the Red Cross at the request of Government authorities into the home conditions of soldiers, sailors and marines aggregated 17,714, and there were nearly 6,000 instances where the Red Cross located men for their families.

All these activities constituting a single responsibility of the American Red Cross demonstrated during the year that its "war service" in behalf of the veteran and the man enlisted in the nation's defensive arms must go forward unflinchingly and without stint of funds. The work of the last five years has welded a close bond of regard between the men who sacrificed and the Red Cross, whose efforts are praised and indorsed by the veterans' organizations. To do all that can be done to soften the consequences of the hard blows of war is the supreme duty of the Red Cross, to which it is giving its best work and most liberal service.

RED CROSS ADVANCING IN HEALTH CAMPAIGN

Extends Service to New Fields and Brings Healing Hope to Remote Sections.

"The supreme opportunity for leadership" for the American Red Cross is its health service. Thus a committee made up of prominent physicians, sanitarians and public health experts, after months of exhaustive study, reported and urged that not only should the Red Cross continue its present service, but should undertake a comprehensive educational campaign along public health lines. The annual report of the American Red Cross, just issued, discloses that it has grasped this opportunity in the fields of public health nursing, instruction in home hygiene and care of the sick, nutrition work, first aid to the injured and in water life-saving.

Health service is fundamentally, historically and practically an important function of the Red Cross, and each year marks its extension into new fields and along broader lines. In the Red Cross Nursing Service there are enrolled nearly 40,000 nurses, 20,000 of whom served during the World War. The past year Red Cross nurses were assigned to duty in isolated sections of Alaska and North Carolina and to work among the fishermen of Penobscot Bay, Me.

The Public Health Nursing Service, inaugurated by the American Red Cross in 1912, which operates chiefly in rural sections untouched by other public health agencies, has 1,038 Red Cross nurses working under the direction of Chapters. This work has won so high a regard that many of the nurses are taken over by the local authorities to maintain health services for their communities. Instruction in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick is noting a steady advance. Since 1914 certificates of proficiency have been given 304,427 women who completed the Red Cross course. In the last year 26,595 certificates were awarded and 65,591 students were under the instruction of 1,054 Red Cross nurses.

The benefits derived from meals balanced to meet each person's peculiar needs is winning widespread recognition through the work of the Red Cross Nutrition Service, particularly in the schools. During the school year 2,588 carried on regular instruction in nutrition, reached more than 150,000 children and adults. More than 2,250 volunteers assisted in this work. Throughout the country 35,283 health meetings were held under Red Cross auspices, attended by approximately 254,500 persons.

Annual Summons to Red Cross Banner On Armistice Day

America's great humanitarian effort in behalf of stricken Japan early in September gave the answer to the question, "What is there for the Red Cross to do in time of peace?" What the American Red Cross did at once when this crushing earthquake disaster came without warning showed that it was ready on the instant with country-wide team work to carry out quickly and effectively the request of the President to lead the national effort for the relief of the many thousands of sufferers. Preparedness to take the field when relief is needed is a charter duty of the Red Cross. Without a membership enrolled in every community in the land this readiness would be impossible. That is why your dollar membership is most important.

It is imperative that the structure of the American Red Cross be made up of millions of individual units. Opening Armistice Day, November 11, and closing with Thanksgiving Day, November 29, the Roll Call this year will penetrate to the ends of the earth and to the ships sailing the seven seas. The 3,600 Red Cross Chapters in the United States will have their busy volunteers enrolling members during this period imbued with renewed enthusiasm due to the recent revival of effort when the call came from Japan.



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THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Presidio County—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED.

That you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Presidio if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in a newspaper published in the nearest County to said Presidio County, in which a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Elbert Hornbuckle, a non resident, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Presidio at the Court House thereof, in Marfa, on the first Monday after the third Monday in January, A. D., 1924, same being the 28th day of January, A. D., 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of August, A. D., 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2675, wherein M. Hornbuckle is plaintiff and Elbert Hornbuckle defendant.

The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff Margaret Hornbuckle, who resides in Presidio County, Texas, complaining of Elbert Hornbuckle, whose residence is unknown to plaintiff and for cause of action plaintiff represents to the Court that she is and has been for a period of twelve months prior to exhibiting her petition an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in said County for at least six months next preceding the filing of said suit, that on or about the eighth day of December, 1918, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant, she being then a single woman, that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 1st day of April, 1920, when defendant left and did permanently abandon plaintiff, since said time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

Plaintiff alleges that there were born to plaintiff and defendant one child named Sara, now four years of age.

Plaintiff further alleges that during the time she and defendant lived together as aforesaid, she was kind and affectionate toward defendant but that defendant, unmindful of his duties and obligations left plaintiff as aforesaid with the intention then and there of permanently abandoning her; that since said abandonment defendant has not supported her nor their daughter.

Wherefor Plaintiff prays that Defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, and for judgment dissolving said marriage; that Plaintiff be given the care, control and custody of said child; that Plaintiff be allowed to assume her maiden name, also that her daughter likewise assume the same surname as Plaintiff.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Marfa, Texas, this the 23rd day of October, A. D., 1923.

ANITA YOUNG,
 Clerk District Court, Presidio County, Texas.

NEW LEGION OFFICERS

At last Friday's meeting of the local American Legion, Carroll Farmer Post No. 151, an election of officers was held for the ensuing year.

The meeting was one of the best attended in many months and quite a bit of new pep was instilled into the order.

The new officers elected were as follows:

James Karstendiek, Post Commander.
 Herbert Humphris, 1st vice-commander.
 J. B. Rodriguez, 2nd vice-commander.
 Brayan DeVolin, adjutant.
 Ben S. Avant, treasurer.
 T. A. Harkins, chaplain.
 Wm. Preddy, historian.
 C. E. Kent, color Sgt.
 E. H. Kezerice, Guard.

CHICKENS FOR SALE—I have about seventy-five fryers that I wish to dispose of. Phone H. W. Schutze

ANNOUNCEMENT

—Myrtle E. Wickline (Doctor of Chiropractic) wishes to announce that she has come to assist Dr. Guyaon in his practice in Marfa—at his regular office. Hours from 9:00 to 10:00 a. m.—3:15 to 6:00 p. m.

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Being a suit to remove cloud from the title to the following lands in Presidio County, Texas:

Section 66, Block 4, Certificate 1/202, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 640 acres.

Section 67, Block 4, Certificate 1/203, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 371 acres.

Section 73, Block 4, Certificate 1/206, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 640 acres.

Section 75, Block 4, Certificate 1/207, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 640 acres.

Section 76 S. 1/4, Block 4, Certificate 1/207, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 320 acres.

Section 77, Block 4, Certificate 1/208, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 640 acres.

Section 78, Block 4, Certificate 1/208, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 640 acres.

Section 80, Block 4, Certificate 1/209, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 314 acres.

Section 81, Block 4, Certificate 1/210, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 640 acres.

Section 82, Block 4, Certificate 1/210, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 640 acres.

Section 83, Block 4, Certificate 1/211, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 167 acres.

Section 58, S. E. part Block 4, Certificate 1/198, Grantee G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., 100 acres.

said last described tract being 100 acres out of Survey 58, beginning at a point in S. line of said Section 58 at N. E. corner of Survey 70 and N. W. corner of Survey 69; Thence E. 1179 yds. to S. E. corner of Survey 58; Thence N. 950 yds. to a point in E. line of said Survey 58; Thence in a Southerly direction 514 W. 1514 yds. to place of beginning; payment of and limitation against two vendor's lien notes executed by W. E. Bell and Geo. W. Newton to W. M. Glidewell and wife, Martha J. Glidewell being alleged, and payment in full of seven certain vendor's lien notes executed by C. O. Finley to C. E. Mead and J. C. Brooke, Trustees, being alleged.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, But have you then and there before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Marfa, Texas, this, the 10th day of October, A. D., 1923.

ANITA YOUNG,
 Clerk District Court, Presidio County, Texas.

MARFA LODGE NO. 64

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1st Tuesday night 1st Degree
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 4th Tuesday night initiatory Degree. All visiting Brothers are cordially invited to be present.
 E. P. STILL, N. G.
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REPORT OF MARKETS

Quotations on Grain, Hay, Feed, Cotton, Live Stock, Meats, Fruits, Etc.

Latest report of markets, issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.:

Fruits and Vegetables.—Potato markets irregular, showing a downward trend. Demand slow to moderate. New York round whites closed at \$1.75@1.95 sacked and bulk per 100 lbs. Eastern cities, \$1.40@1.55 f.o.b. Northern round whites \$1.35@1.55 Eastern markets, 90c@1.15 in Chicago, 85c@90c f.o.b. Cabbage markets fairly steady. New York Danish type stock \$22@28 bulk per ton city markets, \$15@17 f.o.b. Eastern onions steady to firm. New York yellow varieties \$3@3.50 sacked per 100 lbs. Midwestern stock generally steady at \$3@3.50 consuming centers, \$2.50@2.75 f.o.b. Apple markets dull. Eastern stayman winesaps \$3.75@4.25 per bbl. in Philadelphia and Baltimore. Baldwins \$4 in New York. York Imperials steady at \$3@3.75 Eastern cities. Northwestern extra fancy Jonathans \$1.75@2.25 per box leading markets.

Live Stock and Meats.—Chicago hog prices are 10 to 20c higher than a week ago, closing at \$7.80 for the top and \$7.10 to \$7.60 for the bulk. Medium and good beef steers steady to 10c lower at \$7.75@11.35; butcher cows and heifers unchanged at \$3.25@10.75. Feeder steers steady to 10c lower at \$4.25@7.75; light and medium weight veal calves steady at \$7.50@11. Fat lambs 40 to 50c higher at \$11.25@13.40; feeding lambs 35 to 50c up at \$11.50@12.85; yearlings 25 to 50c higher at \$8.25@11.25 and fat ewes steady at \$3.25@6.50. Stocker and feeder shipments from 12 important markets during the week ending Oct. 26 were: cattle and calves 162,972; hogs 23,980; sheep 246,747. In Eastern fresh meat market wholesale markets beef is 50c lower to 50c higher; veal weak to \$4 lower, lamb firm to \$3 higher; mutton weak to \$1 off and pork loins \$1 to \$3 lower. Oct. 31 prices good grade meats: Beef \$15@17.50; veal \$12@18; lamb \$20@25; mutton \$13@15; light pork loins \$18@21; heavy loins \$13@17.

Dairy Products.—The butter market is firmer and prices higher under influence of a shortage in supply of fancy butter. Storage butter is higher and in more demand, wholesale prices of 92 score butter today: New York 50c; Boston 50c; Philadelphia 50 1/2c; Chicago 50c. The cheese markets remain unsettled and trading dull with prices slightly lower. Storage stocks are unusually heavy and buyers require the price and quality to be attractive. Wholesale prices at Wisconsin primary markets Oct. 30: twins 23c, single daisies 24c, double daisies 22 1/2c, inoghorns 24 1/2c, square pairs 25c.

Grain.—Wheat future prices remained fairly steady during the week and closed about 1 cent higher except at Minneapolis where competition of Canadian markets had depressing influence. Corn declined sharply during the week but was firmer at the close when movement became lighter. Lower prices and unfavorable weather restricted offerings. Quoted Oct. 31 No. 2 hard winter wheat Chicago \$1.08 1/2@1.09 1/2; No. 2 red wheat St. Louis \$1.11@1.15; No. 1 dark northern spring, Minneapolis, \$1.15@1.23; No. 2 yellow corn, Chicago, \$4@95c; St. Louis, 95@96c; New corn St. Louis 70@80c; No. 3 white oats Chicago 42@42 1/2c.

Hay.—Timothy hay markets with the exception of Chicago developed an easier trend during the week and prices were slightly lower. Receipts at Kansas City were heavier than for some weeks. The quality was also better and prices remained firm. Quoted Oct. 31: No. 1 timothy New York \$28.50, Pittsburg \$28, Memphis \$25, Cincinnati \$24.50, Chicago \$26.50, Minneapolis \$19.50, Kansas City \$17.25, St. Louis \$24.50. No. 1 alfalfa Cincinnati \$30, Chicago \$26, Kansas City \$24.75. No. 1 prairie Chicago \$19, Minneapolis \$16.50, Kansas City \$17.25, St. Louis \$19.25.

Feed.—Markets dull and irregular. Western situation fairly steady but Eastern markets are very weak especially for wheat feeds. Considerable transit and junction feed offered which because of difficulty to move it is quoted at \$1@1.50 under shipping market prices. Production most feeds normal. Movement fair.

Cotton.—Spot cotton prices advanced 24 points closing at 30.98c per lb. New York Dec. future contracts advanced 40 points, closing at 50.50c.

Walton Must Face Charges.
Oklahoma City, Okla.—Governor J. C. Walton must enter a plea to all charges contained in the house bill of impeachment filed against him in the state senate, according to a ruling Friday of the senate court of impeachment. The decision followed a day of argument on a demurrer by counsel for the executive to 14 of the 22 articles in the impeachment bill.

Fort Worth Stock Market.
Fort Worth, Tex.—Steers sold on a slow market at a decline of 10@15c Friday, but on other classes of cattle, as well as calves, prices held to a good, steady level. The general market was active. Receipts were estimated at 2,500 head of cattle and 1,000 calves. A car of yearlings sold at \$8.00, two cars of choice heavy calves brought \$6.75 and a few odd cows notched \$5.25, these sales representing the high range of the market. Despite the fact that steer receipts were very moderate.

Condensed Austin News

For the first time in the history of Texas, Supreme Court witnesses have been summoned to appear before that tribunal to give testimony.

A proposed \$1,500,000 bond issue for highway construction in Travis County was defeated by 108 votes in a special election held recently.

After a call to pay certain general fund warrants had been made it was found that the deficiency had mounted to \$4,100,000, and that it will not be less than \$4,300,000 on Nov. 1.

Confederate pensioners will receive \$30 for the next quarter, which begins Dec. 1, according to announcement made by the Comptroller. This is the same as paid for the current quarter and is much larger than the average quarterly allowance.

Gov. Neff has been requested by Dr. Atticus Webb of Dallas, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League in Texas, to appoint from fifty to one hundred delegates to represent Texas at the national meeting of the Anti-Saloon League to be held at Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 17-20.

Mrs. Philip Bosche, who is charged with killing her stepdaughter, Mrs. Eugene Kellersberger, at the Bosche farm near Kopperi recently, formerly resided in Austin. Philip Bosche, her husband, accumulated considerable property in Austin and operated the first steam laundry in this city.

Dr. Carrie Weaver Smith, superintendent of the Girls' Training School at Gainesville, has been given ten months' leave, without pay, by permission of the State Board of Control, and Miss Cora Goodwin of Denton has been named as acting superintendent in the interim. Dr. Smith will take advance work at the Boston Psychopathic Hospital. She has been superintendent of the training school for several years.

The University regents at El Paso on Nov. 19 will formally accept the magnificent residence of the late Major George W. Littlefield to be used as the home of the president of the university. It is directly opposite the north side of the campus. The acceptance will be subject to the interest of the widow, Mrs. Littlefield, during her life.

The Department of Insurance, according to Commissioner John M. Scott, is in possession of evidence that certain companies writing fire insurance in Texas are resorting to the practice of writing a large risk at a less rate than a small risk of the same classification. This is especially being done in writing automobile business, Commissioner Scott said.

W. E. Riddle, special counsel for Gov. Jack Walton of Oklahoma, has written Secretary of State S. L. Staples for a statement showing the exact number of pardons, paroles and commutations granted by Texas Governors during the last six years. The request will be complied with, but a week may be required to do it.

An agent of the State Comptroller's Department is investigating complaints charging violation by Dallas and Fort Worth physicians and druggists of liquor permit regulations. The investigation will last all week, Comptroller Lon A. Smith said. Liquor permits of physicians and druggists, against whom evidence sustains complaints, will be canceled.

Marshall Hicks of San Antonio, member of the University regents, has been in Austin and said that he expects the regents will consider the University building loan of \$3,000,000 when the board next meets, which will be at El Paso on Nov. 19.

By order of the Railroad Commission Luffkin has been selected as a point where hardwood logs and rough-lumber may be stopped in transit to be manufactured into finished products and reshipped to points in Texas. The usual stoppage in transit rules and charges are prescribed with special rates on the inbound rough logs.

Kinks in the new State inheritance tax law are being smoothed out by Assistant Attorney General Bruce W. Bryant, who is writing an opinion to the Comptroller interpreting the several provisions of the law and advising as to the exact procedure in its enforcement. He also is perfecting the blanks as designed by the inheritance tax expert employed by the Comptroller.

The Gulf Company paid the State \$91,389 as this quarter's 2 per cent tax on gross oil production, as compared to \$118,000 paid by the Humble, which had absorbed another concern. These are record-breaking amounts and indicate that oil production in Texas continues heavy.

In his resignation to the Governor as representative from Lamar and Fannin Counties, W. B. Strickland announced that he was removing to Dallas, where he would make his home.

EDITORS OF TEXAS TO MEET THIS MONTH

The 12th Annual Meeting Will Be Held at Corpus Christi Nov. 15-16-17.

The twelfth annual convention of the Texas Editorial Association will be held at Corpus Christi, Texas, on November 15, 16 and 17, and the following is the program for the three-day session:

First Day—Roy Miller, chairman of the day, 10:00 a.m.—Meeting called to order by President Houx with short address; invocation by Dr. John Sykes; address of welcome by Mayor P. G. Lovenskiold; response by Louis J. Wortham; round table discussions led by Frank P. Holland; horoscopic castings by Geo. B. Dealey, C. S. Diehl and M. E. Foster.

12:30 p.m.—Lunch at the Nueces hotel, guests of the Rotarians, Roy Miller, toastmaster.

2:30 p.m.—Meeting called to order. Joys of the Newspaper Editor, by Joe J. Taylor; address by Henry O'Malley, U. S. commissioner of fisheries; East Texas Newspaper History, by Dabney White; reading by Mrs. Mary Hunt Afleck; Game, Fish and Oyster Protection Work in Texas, by Commissioner W. W. Boyd, or his representative by invitation.

4:00 p.m.—Auto ride over the city, including a visit to the causeway, turning basin for the proposed deep water port, the Country Club, golf links, and the big gas well.

6:00 p.m.—Mexican dinner at the Original Mexican Cafe, guests of the Corpus Christi Caller, Judge H. R. Sutherland, toastmaster.

8:00 p.m.—Box parties, guests of the Amusee theater.

Second Day—W. E. Pope, chairman of the day.

9:00 a.m.—Meeting called to order; new business; Running a Newspaper in a Fast Growing City, by A. A. Wortham; address by Lynch Davidson; Some of My Early Experiences in the Newspaper Game, by Wm. G. Sterett; The Editor's Desk (An Encumbrance), by S. E. Miller; some remarks by Louis Blaylock, Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald, O. P. Gresham and F. G. Huntress.

12:30 p.m.—Lunch at Nueces hotel, guests of the Commercial Club, W. E. Pope, toastmaster.

2:00 p.m.—Meeting called to order; address by Clarence E. Gilmore; talk by George M. Bailey; round table discussions led by Geo. H. Boynton.

3:00 p.m.—Auto ride and visit to Robstown, the young "live-wire" city, with more cotton gins than any other known town in the world.

8:00 p.m.—Entertainment and ball at the Nueces hotel.

Third Day—E. T. Merriman, chairman of the day.

8:15 a.m.—Meeting called to order; address by N. T. Blackwell; talk by G. C. Leach, chief U. S. division of fish culture; My Newspaper Experience, by Layton Stanbury; election of officers; unfinished business.

10:00 a.m.—All aboard the "Japonica" for a trip to Port Aransas and the gulf beach, where there will be a party for the editors and their guests. Menu: Fish chowder, oysters, etc., all right out of the briny deep.

7:00 p.m.—Oyster eating on North Beach; oyster eating contest—L. T. Adams, Hamp Cook and Preston Ivy, official counters.

FAREWELL ADDRESS BY LLOYD GEORGE

New York.—"What is the real problem of Europe?" Lloyd George declared Thursday in his address at Metropolitan Opera House before his last audience in America:

"I will tell you. In spite of the war, Europe has been left so much to herself, she still believes in force. Why?"

"France says: 'Justice never gave Alsace-Lorraine back. We had to lose one million of our young men. You in the British Empire had to lose nine hundred thousand of your young men. Force gave it back to us.'

"Poland says: 'Force came at the end of 150 years and unlocked the door of our nationality.'

"The Russian peasant says today: 'We never saw the light of liberty until the revolutionist came with his power and blew our prison walls down.'

"But what does Germany say? Germany says: 'We trusted to justice. We trusted to the treaty. We are broken. We are shattered. Why? We are disarmed. We have no force.'

"That is why Europe believes in force. That is why Europe believes in violence. What is the remedy? Give Europe the conviction that right is supreme over force. Who is to do it? There are only two countries on earth who can establish that condition, and those are the United States of America and the British Empire."

Nineteen Sentenced to Die.
Moscow.—Boris Izmailov, his wife and 17 contractors and officials, accused of army graft, have been sentenced to death by the supreme court. Izmailov was formerly chief of the technical land economic administration of the navy.

Fig Industry of Brazoria County.
Freeport, Tex.—Interest in the fig industry in Brazoria County continues to grow. Additional orchards are being planned every week.



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The Gob's Bride.
The harems or the vells or something seem to make young Americans in Constantinople very susceptible to feminine allurements; so much so that the Greek priests have been asked to put the brakes on their marriages and the embassy has felt constrained to go a little slow with facilities. An American gob wanted to borrow an embassy car for his wedding. "Whom are you going to marry, anyhow?" they asked him. "She says she's a Hellene," said the sailor, "but I think she's nothing but a gosh-blamed Greek."

Before the Stars and Stripes.
The flag which the colonies all used before the Stars and Stripes was adopted was variously known as the congress colors, the grand union flag, and the first navy ensign. It consisted of 13 stripes, alternately red and white, typifying the 13 colonies, with a union bearing the crosses of St. George and St. Andrew combined—the national flag of Great Britain—signifying the mother country.

We accumulate a number of good habits, too; but we don't notice those so much.

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FEDERAL SURVEY OF TEXAS STREAMS

About 10,000 Square Miles Per Year Will Be Mapped Topographically.

Washington.—Between sixty and seventy men, comprising practically the entire Washington staff of the topographical engineers of the interior department, are to be sent to Texas during the next few weeks to supervise one of the largest projects ever undertaken by the department in an attempt to devise a solution for the Texas flood problem. The headquarters of the Washington party, some of whom are now in Texas, will be in Austin, under the direction of Colonel General S. Smith, acting chief topographical engineer, who will send out parties to make complete surveys of the Texas streams which have been causing disastrous floods. The field captain will be Charles F. Cook.

The work is to be carried on in co-operation with the reclamation department of the state of Texas, which has made appropriations for a three-year program, and will include surveys of the Trinity, Red, Brazos, Nueces, San Antonio, Guadalupe and Colorado. About ten thousand square miles per year will be mapped topographically. One of the objects of the survey will be to determine whether by large dams in the upper reaches of the rivers or by other means the water can be kept in the highlands in flood time and released gradually during the summer and fall as needs of the farmers demand. The project entails the removal to Texas of a great number of delicate scientific instruments.

COMMITTEE WOULD HAVE LIMITED JURISDICTION

Paris.—Premier Poincare made a speech at Nevers Thursday in which, as interpreted by the French foreign office, he recognized four points as within the jurisdiction of the committee of experts which is to make a reparation inquiry as a result of the recent negotiations of the European chancelleries and the Washington government. The premier by his recognition, it is held, excluded consideration of any other point. The four main points indicated are:

1. Germany's present capacity for payment.
2. New method of payment.
3. The renovation of German finances.
4. A new monetary system.

Daughter of Gen. Sherman Passes. Galveston, Tex.—Mrs. Carrie Sherman Menard, 79, widow of the late J. M. O. Menard and eldest daughter of General Sidney Sherman, who commanded the left wing of the Texas army in the battle of San Jacinto, died at her home in Galveston Monday. Mrs. Menard was born February 5, 1844, at Crescent Place, the country home of General Sherman, on San Jacinto bay. Her mother was Catherine Isabel Cox of Kentucky, who was married to General Sherman shortly after Texas won her independence.

San Angelo Shipping Turkeys.

San Angelo, Texas.—The first week in November will see the first carload of turkeys sold co-operatively out of San Angelo this season, according to a report by C. E. Clark, local manager of the San Angelo unit of the Western Farm Bureau Poultry Exchange. Three hundred turkeys had been received here up to Saturday and are being dressed and put on cold storage.

Angora Approves New Cabinet.

Constantinople.—The grand national assembly at Angora has approved the new cabinet headed by Ismet Pasha. The chief post in the new Turkish cabinet are filled as follows: Premier and Foreign Minister—Ismet Pasha. Minister of Interior—Ferid Bey. National Defense—Kiazim Pasha. Chief of General Staff—Marshal Fevzi Pasha. Minister of Finance—Hassan Fehmi Bey.

America to Feed German Children.

Chicago, Ill.—Major General Henry T. Allen, who commanded the American forces on the Rhine, announced Thursday that plans were being made to feed 2,000,000 German children this winter through the medium of the American Society of Friends.

Mexico Drops Army Generals.

Mexico City.—One hundred and eighty generals belonging to the First Reserve will be dropped from the rolls November 10 when the army revision board files its report, according to announcements made at Mexico City.

Bryan Cotton Receipts.

Bryan, Tex.—Cotton receipts have already broken the record for several years past, the total now being 19,733 bales. The total receipts last year were around 15,900.

State Eleemosynary Expenditures Given

Austin, Tex.—An expenditure of \$227,467.69 was required during the month of September to maintain 11,499 wards in the state's eleemosynary institutions, according to the monthly report of the state board of control. The cost per capita for the month was \$22.04, the report indicated.

This sum included \$84,033.34 paid in salaries to employees of the institutions, of whom there are 1563.

The highest per capita cost for any institution was \$37.72 for the tuberculosis sanatorium at Carlsbad, Texas. The lowest such cost was \$8.52 for the orphans' home at Corsicana.

The state lunatic asylum at Austin required the most money, its total expenditures amounting to \$40,489.32 for the month. There were 1882 inmates on the rolls of this institution. The second institution in the amount of expenditures was the North Texas hospital for the insane at Terrell, where \$38,998.52 was spent. The rolls of this hospital showed 2126 patients.

The lowest costs was \$1397.04 at the home for dependent and neglected children, where there are only 50 inmates.

Following are the individual amounts expended at the 17 institutions: Confederate home, \$10,251.97; Confederate Woman's home, \$2817.98; school for the blind, \$10,293.32; school for the deaf, \$17,231.09; deaf, dumb and blind, \$5641.82; orphans' home, \$4359.61; home for dependent and neglected children, \$1327.04; girls' training school, \$2032.83; juvenile training school, \$8762.32; feeble-minded colony, \$3254.62; East Texas hospital for insane, \$15,279.37; North Texas hospital for insane, \$38,998.52; Southwestern insane asylum, \$30,904.05; State lunatic asylum, \$40,489.32; Northwest Texas insane asylum \$6821.34; State epileptic colony, \$11,212.01; tuberculosis sanatorium, \$17,718.88.

Board of Inquiry Blames Officers

Washington.—The disaster off Point Honda, Cal., September 8, which resulted in the stranding of nine destroyers, is directly attributable to the "errors of judgment and faulty navigation on the part of three officers attached to and serving on the Delphy," the official board of inquiry found in its report to the navy department, made public Wednesday.

The three officers referred to were the squadron commander, Captain Edward H. Watson; the commanding officer of the Delphy, Lieutenant Commander Donald T. Hunter, and the navigating officer, Lieutenant Lawrence F. Blodgett.

The report upon which an order of court martial of 11 officers was based recommended that Captain Watson be brought to trial on charges of "culpable inefficiency in the performance of duty," and "through negligence suffering vessels of the navy to be run upon rocks," and that similar charges be brought against the other two officers. "In the opinion of the court," the report declared, "there is nothing which will excuse the squadron commander, captain of the Delphy and the navigating officer from accepting full responsibility for the accident. The court sees no extenuating circumstances. In the case of division commanders, the court finds they must be held responsible in a measure. * * * Concerning individual captains there are many extenuating circumstances."

Fall Tomatoes on Market.

Tyler, Tex.—Fall tomatoes are being offered at Tyler freely by local growers and bring from 4 to 6 cents a pound. Their quality is exceptionally good and the demand from large centers is strong. No carlot shipments will be made, however, the movement being entirely by express.

Surgeons to Meet in Minnesota.

Des Moines, Iowa.—Rochester, Minn., has been selected as the 1924 convention city of the Interstate Assembly of Physicians and Surgeons, it was announced at Tuesday's session of the annual convention at Des Moines.

Waterspouts Sink Boats.

Oporto.—Two waterspouts struck a fishing fleet off the Portuguese coast, sinking six boats, but their occupants escaped.

Taylor's Cotton Crop.

Taylor, Tex.—The number of bales of cotton that have been weighed in the cotton yards of Taylor total 28,964 up to date.

Leader in Greek Revolt Flees.

Athens.—General Metaxas, leader of the recent insurgent uprising in Greece, has fled to Italy, according to reliable information.

Mexico City has been definitely selected as the meeting place for the next convention of the Pan-American Federation of Labor, to be held early in December, 1924, according to official announcement made Monday following adjournment of the Mexican-American labor conference in El Paso, Texas.

Suits for \$65,000 have been filed against the miners' union for damages done in the mine strike riots at Whitehaven, England.

TEXAS' OCTOBER COTTON REPORT

Cotton Crop of State Averaged About 57 per Cent of Normal on Oct. 25.

The condition of the Texas cotton crop averaged 57% of normal on October 25, or 1 point above the estimate as of a month ago, forecasting a production of 4,300,000 bales, reports the United States department of agriculture.

Northwest.—Scattered frosts have done varying amounts of damage; rains have been excessive. Cotton on ground is sprouting; many fields were white when rains began; grade and yield lowered. Plants sappy and will have many bollies; early freeze would cut crop short. In localities fields look as if frosted, accounted for as result of heat and wind. Hardly more than 45% picked. Crop is very late and rains further retarding opening of bolls. Bales ginned prior to Oct. 16th lack 249,648 bales of being as much as the 1922 total.

North.—Scattered frosts; late crop will not mature. Gathering mostly finished except in bottoms; several weeks earlier than usual. Bollworm and weevil destroyed most of green forms. Some localities ginning more bales than expected; bollies are being gathered. Cattle have been turned into many fields, in others stalks are being plowed under and preparations made for the next crop. Bales ginned prior to Oct. 16 exceed the 1922 total by 85,369 bales.

Northeast.—Most of crop has been picked and stock turned into fields; picked much earlier than usual. Some localities have better yields than expected a month ago; quantities of blue tinged and low grade lint. Gins are shutting down. Where 100 bolls ordinarily make 1 lb. seed cotton, 150 required this year from effects of drought and consequent premature opening. Cotton still in fields is mainly very poor. Bales ginned prior to Oct. 16 lack 24,918 bales of equalling the 1922 total.

West and West Center.—Many are through picking and frost will affect yields in but few localities. Excessive rains on cracked bolls has been source of much loss; leafworm activities have made seed very poor. Gins are running on half time or closing. In west, crop is late and about two-thirds picked. Hoppers, hail, leafworm, weevil and drought have caused heavy losses. Bales ginned to Oct. 16th exceed the 1922 total by 52,012.

Center.—Late crop is negligible owing to weevil and worm. Many of larger bolls will open unless freezing weather comes too soon. Much cotton has been lost from effects of rains of past several weeks and the grades lowered. Until mid-summer rains began weevil damage had tallied less than in three years. There is a good season in the ground and preparations are being made for the next crop. Bolls are small and more than usual amount of seed cotton is necessary to make a bale. Bales ginned prior to Oct. 16 exceed the 1922 total by 126,025.

East.—Practically all hill cotton has been picked; bottoms still have considerable. There have been scattered frosts; with fair weather all cotton will be out soon. Cattle have been turned into the fields and bales are usually sold as ginned. Recent heavy rains cut yields in many instances; some localities made fair returns, others very poor. Bales ginned prior to October 16 exceed last year's total by 37,565.

South.—All top-crop bolls are picked and many are pasturing fields or preparing for next crop. Late rains washed open cotton and rotted green bolls. In a few localities the late crop is resulting better than anticipated. Only a small percentage remains to be picked. Bales ginned to Oct. 16 exceed last year's total by 120,084.

Southeast.—The crop is badly spotted, fields ranging from a bale to 2 acres to a bale to 40 acres. Rains have badly damaged lint in both yield and quality. Boll weevil and other pests did great injury subsequent to September rains. Over 90 per cent of the crop is picked. Bales ginned to October 16 exceed 1922 total by 6,707.

Textbook Case Set for December.

Austin, Tex.—Subject to the approval of the court, counsel in the textbook mandamus case have agreed that the submission to the supreme court will be had Dec. 12. This is the case styled Charles Scribner's Sons vs. S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent, to compel the latter to recognize the validity of the textbook contracts made last December and which long have been a subject of controversy. The court some weeks ago permitted the application for mandamus to be filed but has never set it down for hearing.

Rice Harvest Begun.

Freeport, Tex.—W. Joel Bryan of Freeport is harvesting rice from his two farms of 200 acres near Clute and the Brazos river. The yield will be about 12 bags per acre and these will bring about \$5 each on the market.

Zook Succeeds Bowden.

Washington.—George F. Zook of the bureau of education has been named assistant commissioner of education by Commissioner Tigert to succeed William T. Bawden, resigned.

FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION

Mothers Advise Their Daughters to Rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to Keep Them in Health

A Mother's Advice Prevents Operation

Corona, N. Y.—"I had a terrible pain in my left side and had to go to bed every so often. Doctors had told me I must be operated on, but I do not believe in the knife and would rather suffer than go through it. My mother also did not believe in it and she made me take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because it had helped her. It has also helped me for I am better and able to do all my work. I recommend your medicine and give you permission to use my letter as a testimonial."—Mrs. J. Busch, Jr., 11 S. Railroad Avenue, Corona, N. Y.

A Sickly Child

Mahoningtown, Pa.—"I would like to say a few words about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. About a year ago I thought it would be necessary for me to take my daughter out of school. She was losing weight, was nervous, and when she would come home from school she would drop into a chair and cry, and say, 'Mamma, I don't believe I can go to school another day!' I

gave her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now she is a healthy, happy, hearty, strong girl and weighs 120 pounds. She has no difficulty in doing her 'gym' work, and she works at home every night and morning, too. I am a mother who can certainly praise your medicine, and if it will be of any benefit you may use this letter as a reference."—Mrs. GEORGE E. WHITACRE, 621 W. Madison Ave., Mahoningtown, Pa.

Girls and Dolls.

Give a little girl one doll and she develops affection; give her ten and she becomes almost entirely administrative.

"BLIND AS A BAT"

That's the impression so many people give you who still go day after day as if "under a cloud," because they feel that there is no hope for them to get rid of the disfiguring blemishes on their skin. If they would just notice or ask their dealer, they would find that thousands of people who once were in the same shape they are in, are now free from those distressing pimples, blotches, bumps, tetter, rash, eczema, ringworm, "breaking out," etc., and the secret of it is that they have learned that the one sure way to do it is by using the wonderful Black and White Ointment.

Black and White Ointment is economically priced in liberal size packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have it.—Advertisement.

More people like to be in a crowd than complain of it.

The time never set up a trophy.

Every girl wants to be healthy and strong, and every mother wants her daughter to do well in school and to enjoy herself at all times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a splendid medicine for young girls just entering womanhood. Mothers may depend upon it. Remember it is prepared from roots and herbs, contains nothing that can injure, and tends to tone up and strengthen the organs concerned, so that they will work in a healthy and normal manner.

For nearly fifty years it has been used by women of all ages, and these women know its great value. Let it help your daughter and yourself.

A man may not know when he is well off, but his wife can always tell him when he is well off.

Learn to enjoy the little things. There are more of them.

INDIGESTION, GAS, UPSET STOMACH

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, gases, flatulence, heartburn, sourness or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief. Correct your stomach and digestion now for a few cents. Druggists sell millions of packages of Pape's Diapepsin.—Adv.

A farm breakfast is abundant and appetizing, but nobody is asked how he likes his eggs cooked.

Marriage is sometimes a failure and always an assignment.

If you are very fond of it, it probably isn't good for you.

RUHMANN PATENT FURNACES



Prevents Accidents—Saves Time, Labor and Fuel

All flames being enclosed, preventing all fire danger so often experienced on windy days. The flue on inside of furnace adjusts against the bottom of kettle, directing all heat around the kettle before passing out of smokepipe. Water will boil in half the time with one-third the fuel required for an open fire. Furnace is made of heavy boiler steel. For sale by all leading hardware dealers, but if your dealer cannot furnish them, write to G. E. RUHMANN MFG. COMPANY, SCHULENBURG, TEXAS

"Baby improved wonderfully health" recommends the excels

Thessalon, Ont. Box 55 March 29, 1920
Anglo-American Drug Co., New York, N. Y.
Gentlemen:—In regard to Mrs. Winslow's Syrup: My baby suffered greatly with colic, and a friend told me of this Syrup and after I used it, baby improved wonderfully in health. I can recommend this medicine to be excellent.

Yours truly, (Name on request)

MRS. WINSLOW'S SYRUP

The Infants' and Children's Regulator
quickly relieves diarrhoea, colic, flatulence and constipation, and regulates the bowels. Non-narcotic, non-alcoholic. Formula on every label.
At All Druggists.
Write for free booklet containing letters from grateful mothers.
ANGLO-AMERICAN DRUG CO., 215-217 Fulton St., New York
General Selling Agents: Harold F. Ritchie & Co., Inc., New York, Toronto, London, Sydney

CONSTIPATION

Take a good dose of Carter's Little Liver Pills—then take 2 or 3 for a few nights after. They cleanse your system of all waste matter and Regulate Your Bowels. Mild—as easy to take as sugar. Genuine bear signature—Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Carl Taylor and little son, Edwin of Van Horn, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nevill.

Fat young Squabs, picked and cleaned, ready to broil, at the City Meat Market.

Fancy ear drops at Lockley's Jewelry Store at special prices. Big assortment to select from.

Free air and water, also distilled water for batteries at J. B. Davis' glad to serve you.

A good assortment of "Mama" dolls for the little folks, at The Womans Toggery. Note the prices.

Let Mrs. Roark help you solve your Xmas worries. See her stamped goods.

Joseph Kalmore of Shafter, Texas, left this week for Los Angeles, Calif., where he intends to embark in the mercantile business.

When it comes to silk and fancy wool hosiery for ladies, our line can't be beat in Marfa—The Womans Toggery.

George Brown, Texas ranger, with headquarters at Presidio, spent Friday and Saturday in Marfa on business.

For a good hot or cold bath, go to W. R. Ake's, where everything is kept sanitary and clean.

H. L. Kokernot of Alpine, purchased this week a complete Delco Lighting plant from Joe Cooper.

Mrs. A. Black and baby have gone to El Paso on a ten days visit to friends.

Nothing like service—that is what you get when you patronize the W. R. Ake barber shop.

Rev. S. J. Stockard, former pastor of the Marfa Christian Church, will arrive in Marfa on Tuesday of next week to go on a hunting trip with local friends.

A large stock of Pearl Necklaces—all the leading makes, of known quality at very reasonable prices. Select yours today. Lockley, the Jeweler, will keep it for you until Christmas—pay then.

John C. Bean was over from Fort Davis this week after supplies for his road work. He reports that the work on the highway is getting on fine and it won't be long before Jeff Davis county will have some of the best roads in the state.

Hans Briam is again shipping cotton this week for farmers along the Rio Grande. The shipments are all consigned to Houston, Texas.

Marfa and surrounding country has been blessed with a number of showers during the past few weeks, which will put plenty of moisture into the soil.

Select your Christmas presents now from Lockley, Jeweler. Sale dates from time of delivery—Christmas day, if you say so.

L. Blaw and Joseph Kalmore, who were associated in the mercantile business in Shafter, have dissolved partnership and closed out their stock.

E. J. Hilton of El Paso, representing the Underwood typewriter company, spent the week in our city soliciting new business.

Have your scissors sharpened at the Marfa Barber Shop. Work guaranteed.

M. D. Bownds is having some extensive improvements made on his already attractive home. Contractor B. A. Mitchell is doing the work.

Say, Mr. Man! Buy your wife that set of silverware this year. Place your order any time with Lockley, Jeweler, for Christmas delivery.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Spencer returned Thursday from a short visit to San Antonio. They report that the big city is not as hustling as it was a few years ago.

Dr. A. Hodges wishes to announce that he will be back from El Paso next Tuesday to finish up the dental work for patients now under his care. All those who need dental work will call at his office Tuesday and register.

A BIG CELEBRATION

The flickering campfire of a single scout of the U. S. Army glowing on the banks of the Trinity river in 1848 really determined the location of the city of Fort Worth.

This sturdy scout, courageously defying danger of savages and wild animals, mapped the course of a system of forts designed to subjugate and Americanize the vast tracts of territory accruing to this country through the annexation of Texas and the conquest of the Mexican war. The Unknown warrior of Ft. Worth's destiny will be fittingly commemorated in the historical pageant which will feature the celebration of the Diamond Jubilee in Fort Worth, November 11 to the 14. A young athlete will picture the selection of the bend in the river upon which Major Ripley Arnold built the military post of Fort Worth.

They are wearing old grey bonnets and 5 gallon hats now in Fort Worth in honor of the Jubilee. Costumes of all periods of American history may be seen on the streets, those of fifty and seventy five years ago predominating. Guests from out of town may appear at all times from now on until the middle of November in grandmas' and grandpas' old attic stored fogs and feel perfectly at home. Thousands of men, women and children in Fort Worth will bear them company.

Pageantry, parades and pioneer diversions will feature the four days of merrymaking, and everything practically will be free. The historic pageant, the stage and pony express races, all of the amusements of the Pioneer Village, and the Indian exhibitions will be offered without charge to all guests. No fakers or carnivals will be allowed within the corporate limits of the city.

"The Victory ball, which" will be held in three sections on the night of Monday, November 12, collects a small fee for dancers, but all money thus raised goes to the fund for disabled soldiers. This Victory ball is simply one of the thousands of Victory balls held every year for the disabled veterans' fund all over the United States, under the auspices of the American Legion.

The coach and express races will be picturesque details of the Jubilee celebration. Homer D. Wade, assistant manager and Fort Worth representative of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, has charge of the stage coach race. There will be no matching of team against team in this race, but the hazard will be one of time only.

The pony express race is a revival of the old time custom of carrying the mail by horse relayed every few miles. In the Jubilee race, three horses or ponies, will be necessary, for relays every two miles in a six mile race. F. I. Bateman, Fort Worth, has charge of this race.

All Texas mayors have been invited to be guests at Fort Worth on Mayor's Day, November 13th. The Kiwanis club has charge of this part of the program, and acceptances are coming in every day to the club secretary.

A "come play with me" spirit will pervade the celebration from start to finish. Mayor Cockrell has ordered a section of downtown, several blocks in extent, roped off and arranged for pioneer dancing, soft drink bars, pioneer shows, games and stunt features. Everything in the pioneer village will be free.

Jake Baron of Presidio, Texas, came up on business Thursday of this week and reports that the James Halper cotton gin is now running a full blast. Mr. Baron estimates that fully five hundred bales of cotton will be shipped from the Presidio district this year.

D. D. Kilpatrick of Candelaria, is making another shipment of cotton this week. He has 15 freight wagons now en route to Marfa loaded with the fleecy staple.

Miss Mary Lee Greenwood will start a private music class in piano November 12th, 1923. Miss Greenwood is a conservatory graduate, pupil of Grenwell, Summer Normal pupil, Northwestern University, Chicago. Call or phone 194.

H. A. Bittick of San Antonio, salesman representing the Delco Lighting system, is spending several days in our city assisting their local representative, Joe Cooper.

Friday afternoon at about three o'clock a long Southern Pacific freight train passed through our city with 58 filled cars of merchandise en route to California. The conductor in charge informed us that the value of the merchandise in this one train was valued at more than one million dollars.

110 DISASTERS IN YEAR ENLIST RED CROSS AID

Nearly \$400,000 Spent in United States—Greek Refugee Work Completed.

For its preparedness to render relief through effective and generous aid to the sufferers from disaster the American Red Cross is universally regarded as the one organization from which response to appeal for help is immediate. In the last year, according to the annual report of the Red Cross, its disaster relief operations were carried out in 110 localities in the United States. This work, with activities carried over from the previous year, required the expenditure in the United States of \$397,463.04 by the American Red Cross, its Chapters and Branches. In the emergency following the defeat of the Greek forces in Turkey and the burning of the city of Smyrna, which entailed the relief of nearly 900,000 men, women and children, Red Cross National Headquarters expended \$2,895,698.09. The food distributed in Greece aggregated 25,000 tons; garments, 809,000; blankets, 43,550; new shoes, 5,000 pairs; medical, hospital and sanitary supplies, 304 tons. In the feeding of the refugees there was listed upwards of 32,000 children under three years of age.

The disasters in the United States during the past year reported 249 persons killed, 991 injured, 12,691 rendered homeless. The total property loss was estimated at \$20,710,000.

Relief of suffering caused by disasters of such magnitude as to overwhelm the resources of the communities in which they occur is fundamental to the charter of the American Red Cross. In addition to making appropriations from its treasury and assigning trained personnel to relief work, the Red Cross in disaster centralizes and makes more effective relief funds and supplies contributed by the country at large.

Since 1881 the Red Cross has administered more than \$20,000,000 for the single purpose of disaster relief. That it may continue to accept the responsibilities which grave emergencies place upon the American Red Cross appeal is made for a nationwide renewal of membership during the annual roll call, which opens on Armistice Day, November 11, and closes on Thanksgiving Day, November 29.

Life Saving Work Of Red Cross Corps Wars on Drownings

The insignia of the American Red Cross Life Saving Corps on the bathing apparel of men, women and youths is seen everywhere at favorite bathing places along the coasts, rivers, lakes and ponds. In its unrelenting campaign to reduce loss of life by drowning the Red Cross is making constant headway. The demands for instruction from organizations in all parts of the country were so numerous the past year that it was necessary to more than double the staff of Red Cross instructors. This work of training for water life-saving showed an enrollment of over 39,000 volunteers enlisted for duty on patrol, for rescue and resuscitation, all competent to instruct others in the standard water safety methods. The Red Cross by request of the War Department gives water first aid training at the United States Military and Naval academies and in the military training camps for reserve officers and civilians. The four cash prizes awarded by the Red Cross last year for heroic rescues were conferred upon two girls, a boy and a man, indicating that the youths of the country stand well at the top in conserving life along our water courses.

Red Cross Field Of Action Covers All the World

Represented by 93,663 members, the American Red Cross penetrates to nearly every part of the world. The insular and foreign roll call statistics for the past year are a most conclusive manifestation of the Red Cross spirit carried into the most remote lands. In Europe there are 4,083 members; in Turkey, and active in the Constantinople Chapter, 3,545. China has an enrollment of 2,252; Africa, 136; India, 224, and Australia, 29. Even Vladivostok, in frigid Siberia, has a live chapter with 100 members. The Philippine Islands can mobilize 58,747 under the Red Cross banner and Hawaii 7,563. The total funds raised through foreign and insular membership enrollment and sent to national headquarters in Washington amounted to \$60,216.54, while an additional \$33,350 was forwarded for the endowment fund of the American Red Cross. The high seas roll call in 1922 was an inspiring success. The Navy signed on 4,331 for the Red Cross and the merchant ships 4,141. Of the total membership outside the United States 83,990 are registered with chapters in foreign lands, the insular possessions and dependencies.

"I want to; therefore I can!" is the spirit that spurs the Red Cross worker in well-doing.

T. C. U. PUPILS TO CONDUCT "TOUR OF THE WORLD."

"A personally conducted tour of the world," a series of exhibits and programs representing foreign nations, has been arranged by the Student Volunteer Body and other religious groups of Texas Christian University students. It will be given Friday night, starting from the Soldiers Memorial Arch. "Tourists" will go in small parties with special guides.

Music and dramatic productions peculiar to the several nations represented will be given at the stopping places, after which refreshments will be served. Arrangements have been made under the direction of Miss Sarah Williams, leader of the student band of missionaries.

Four of the volunteers will go to the International convention, according to Miss Williams, which will be held in Indianapolis Dec. 28-31 Jan. 1. Eight members of the band are members of the International Student Volunteer Band, having signed articles and pledges giving themselves over to a life of service in foreign fields after full scholastic and practical home work training.

Nineteen young people belong to the Texas Christian University group, though four of this number are what are technically known as "retained," as they are through with their courses in the local university but not through with their special work in the final training school. Of the 13 in T. C. U., seven have not been members long enough to become members of the international association.

These young people are preparing for service as doctors, nurses, preachers, teachers or administrators. They meet one night a week to discuss common problems, and to keep in touch with the various mission fields.

International members now in school include Miss Williams, the leader; Miss Vida Elliott, assistant leader; Miss Annie Lou Kenshalo, secretary, and George Horton, Kenneth Bonham, Miss Constance Smith, James Turner and Miss Winnie Williams. New members, who will later become international, include Archie Gee, Leslie Chambers,

Miss Eugenia Sheperd, Miss Beattie Mae Rogers, Miss Katherine Schutze and Nimmo Goldston, Claude Morphis and Harold Williams.

The retained group includes Arthur Lester, preaching and Miss Annie Lee Scott, Miss Gladys Smith and Miss Leona Hood, all doing teaching for a year before entering the college of missions. Miss Ida Tobin and Miss Hallie Strange, graduate of last year, are in the college of missions, and will go to the foreign fields in two years.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas, God in His infinite wisdom, has called to His eternal resting place, Brother Sam Neill, who departed this life on the 26th day of September, 1923, and

Whereas, for a long period of time, more than thirty-five years, our deceased brother was a faithful member of our Fraternity and lived a life worthy of emulation among his fellow townsmen and lodge members; and

Whereas, we deeply sympathize with the family of our departed brother; Therefore be it

Resolved by Marfa Lodge No. 596 A. F. & A. M., in regular session assembled:

1. That we express our heartfelt sympathy to the members of the family of our departed brother in their bereavement;

2. We commend them to the tender care of a Heavenly Father who can comfort all sorrow;

3. That a copy of these resolutions be delivered to the family, a copy hereof be spread upon the minutes of the Lodge and a copy be furnished to the local newspaper for publication.

Passed and approved this 8th day of November, 1923.

R. E. PETROSS,

M. A. BUHLER,

Committee.

CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTICE

Catholic services on Sundays and Holy Days of obligation, 7:30 a. m. at St. Mary's and 10:00 a. m. at the Sacred Heart Church.

REV. M. A. JAMONA,

Pastor.

ANNUAL BEAR HUNT

A party of Jeff Davis county citizens, accompanied by several El Paso visitors, organized their second annual bear hunt Saturday and after getting together their artillery and dogs started for the mountains. Another party of hunters joined them at the hunting camp about 20 miles north of Fort Davis. In all, one bob cat, two deer and six bear, three cubs and three grown ones, were killed by the hunters when they came to town Tuesday. J. W. Espy and J. H. Clark, veteran bear hunters who were in the party, failed to connect with any luck on the trip.

Had the slain animals been brought in alive as was originally intended, J. H. Clark and J. W. Espy had arranged to organize a syndicate and buy cages and put in a wild animal zoo, which would attract many visitors to our town. The location was to be either in the enclosure next to the bank building or in the court house yard. As the animals were not brought in alive the scheme was abandoned.

The party was organized for the benefit of C. N. Bassett and Lamar Davis, both of El Paso, who figured so prominently in an exciting bear hunt in the Davis mountains near here last year.

The hunting party was composed of C. N. Bassett, president of the State National Bank of El Paso; Lamar Davis, capitalist, also of El Paso; J. W. Espy, Beau McCutcheon, Frank Jones, Espy Miller, Mac Sproul, John Long, Geo. Williams, Jim Espy, J. H. Clark, Ed Pruitt, Ernest Barnett, Beau McCutcheon, Jr., J. C. Duncan and Mr. Pate, all of Fort Davis and vicinity.

The hunting dogs killed the bob cat, Jim Espy killed one deer and C. N. Bassett the other. Espy Miller killed one bear, Beau McCutcheon one and Lamar Davis one, while J. W. McCutcheon killed three. Three bear were cubs and three were grown.—Fort Davis Post.

Many children as well as grown ups have headaches and fail to get relief through the use of eyeglasses. Dr. Midkiff is a specialist for such trouble. Examinations free.

Bing! Sale! Bang!

Nov. 12 to Nov. 19

WE are going to offer the best merchandise at the lowest prices of the season. And this sale comes at a time when warmer clothing is a necessity. The goods on sale are spic and span, all desirable and up to the minute in style and materials. This truly is an exceptional opportunity to save money. Attend the sale daily. You will be rewarded in finding bargains

See our Big Bills for Prices and Details of Great Sale!

REMEMBER this timely Sale is not for any particular member of the family—bargains in profusion are here for everyone. The prices quoted in our big bills are for cash only, but goods offered will be charged to your account at regular prices. When we decided to cut prices, we stopped only at the bone! But come to the sale. Prices tell the story best. This store is ready.

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