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100 PER CENT INCREASE IN ONION ACREAGE.

Judging by the amount of onion seed shipments that have been received here the onion acreage on the Nueces in the vicinity of Cotulla will be doubled or probably more than doubled this season over last.

J. W. Lacey, Express Agent, stated to the Record yesterday that a total of approximately 2800 pounds of onion seed had been received at this station. If the germination is good this will plant one thousand acres of onions. Last year the total acreage was between four and five hundred acres.

It is stated that the acreage at Laredo will also be greatly increased and also at Asherton. In 1917 there was a total of 18,000 acres in Southwest Texas, of the Bermuda variety and regardless of whether there was an over supply the distribution system caused the market to be shot to pieces, and there was a loss in the crop. Last year with a much smaller acreage the farmers made money. It has been the experience since the beginning of the industry that when large acreage is planted poor prices are obtained, and there is no reason why the coming season should be an exception. With the amazing shortage of labor and that higher than a cat's back every farmer who cuts his contemplated acreage in half will be better off when the season is over next spring.

The report is out that the acreage this year will be 25,000 acres, unless something is done before transplanting time to curtail it.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. M. B. Byrd, the Chicago EYE SPECIALIST, who is here representing the International Petroleum Company, is now located in the office next door to the Post Office, in Cotulla, Texas, and will be glad to consult with any who are suffering from any form of eye trouble. Dr. Byrd was formerly Professor of Disease of the eye and Nervous Reflexes in the DENVER OPTICAL COLLEGE and has had years of experience in College and Clinic work in our great cities. Office hours from 9 to 12 and 2 to 5 daily except Sunday.

Woodman Notice

There will be a meeting of the Woodmen of the World, Camp 125 Monday night. The readjustment of rates question will be discussed. If you do not fully understand it, be on hand. C. E. Manly, C. C.

Latest bulletins from President's bedside say that his condition is serious.

Tires and Tubes to Advance!

We have received notice of an advance in the price of Tires and Inner Tubes, and if you are soon to need either now is the time to buy and save ten to twenty percent. We carry standard lines and can give you what you want.

NEAL'S AUTO SALES CO.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS WANTED BY HORNBY.

The Census of the United States will be held commencing January 1st. H. P. Hornby, of Uvalde, has been appointed Supervisor of the 15th Congressional District and asks the Record to announce that applications will now be received for the taking of the census in La Salle county. Enumerators are wanted as follows:

Justice Precinct No. 1, excluding Cotulla. City of Cotulla. Justice Precincts 2, 4 and 6. Justice Precinct 3. Justice Precinct 5. Justice Precinct 7.

The limit of time for filing applications is short. Larger towns must be enumerated within two weeks and the smaller places and rural communities within 30 days.

Persons of average diligence should be able to make from \$4.00 to \$6.00 per day. In some cases additional expense money will be allowed under the direction of the Director of Census.

Enumerators should have at least ordinary education and be able to write plainly and with reasonable rapidity.

Women are qualified to take the census and there is nothing in the act to prohibit persons under 21 from serving if they are otherwise qualified. Preference wherever possible is to be given returned soldiers and sailors.

An applicant should live in the district from which he applies.

Examination of applicants will be held.

Holman Cafe Changes Hands.

The Holman Cafe on Front Street changed hands last week, Mr. J. A. Reed of San Antonio, formerly of Cotulla purchased the Cafe and immediately took charge. Mr. Holman's reason for selling was that his recent appointment as Postmaster prohibited him from giving the business his attention. Mr. Reed has had considerable experience in the cafe business and will make a number of changes in the place, catering to best class of trade.

Joe Nagy, sr., a prominent farmer from the Northern part of the county was here yesterday on business. Mr. Nagy said he lost about seventy-five bales of cotton from the storm but would make a good crop yet. He has just returned from Corsicana, his old home and says that part of the state has poorer crops than it has had for 20 years. He stopped off at Bartlett on his way back and visited a County hog show, buying some fine big bone Poland China males.

HIGH STAGE IN NUECES REACHED MONDAY.

The high stage of the flood waters in the Nueces was reached Monday, when the water lapped over the floor of the West end of the wagon bridge. This recorded the highest rise since 1914. Traffic was not stopped at any time over the bridge, although had the water climbed up another foot it would have been necessary to have closed the bridge. Watchmen were put on to keep away the drift, but very little driftwood came down the river. Pumps on some of the farms were under water for awhile but no damage of consequence has been reported.

It was thought for awhile the dirt dam at W. A. Kerr's place on the slough would not stand the pressure, but it came through alright. A small dam on the Shoemaker Lake slough at the Rock-Daniel dam went out.

The river began falling Monday night and has been slowly receding since. The bottom lands are yet covered.

It is reported that the flood cut a new channel out of the Boynton Dam reservoir above Crystal City, injuring greatly that irrigation proposition.

Married at Asherton

Roy C. Guinn and Miss Erine Woods were married at the home of the bride's mother in Asherton, at 7 o'clock Monday morning. The wedding was at the early hour in order that the young couple might catch the outgoing train for Cotulla.

The bride was one of the most popular young ladies of Asherton, and is known quite well in Cotulla, having visited here often and has many friends here. The groom was raised in Cotulla and only recently returned from overseas military service. Since his return he has accepted a place as manager of the Kress Store at Laredo, and the young people will make that city their home.

After spending a day here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Guinn, they left for Laredo. The Record joins their many friends in extending congratulations.

PLACES CHEVROLET AGENCY HERE.

An Agency for the Chevrolet automobile has been placed here with R. L. Keithley, proprietor of the City Garage, and the first cars delivered this week. The first sales were made to Judge G. A. Welhausen and T. E. Horton, of Artesia Wells.

J. R. Burnett of Gardendale is advertising some Winter English Peas seed in this issue. Mr. Burnett says he has been planting these seed for six years, has made a good crop every year, and it has never got cold enough to kill the vines. The peas begin bearing two months after they are planted and bear for three months in the dead of winter when such truck is very much in demand. Last year he had one acre and sold \$200 worth of peas and then gathered 300 pounds which were kept for seed. He says it takes about 20 pounds to the acre. He has only a limited amount of seed but says he would like to see more of them planted as he believes it will prove a very profitable winter crop for this section.

GOES NORTH TO BUY REGISTERED HOLSTEINS.

F. D. Lown, County Agent, left Monday morning for the North to buy a couple of carloads of registered Holstein heifers. About half of the purchase will go to farmers of Frio county. Mr. Lown will first visit the Dairy Cattle Show at Chicago, then go to Milwaukee and other points in Wisconsin where he will likely make his purchases.

The Holstein is now recognized as the best dairy cattle in the world and it is good evidence of the prosperity and advancement of the Frio and La Salle county farmers when they begin to buy this class of cattle.

Leave For California.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kerr and children were here yesterday telling their old friends goodby. They left on the noon train for Pearsall where they will spend a few days with Mrs. Kerr's parents, Judge and Mrs. S. T. Dowe, then leave for California to make their future home. Mr. Kerr will go into the cotton growing business there on an extensive scale. For the past several years, Emmett Stevens a former Cotulla boy, and Edward Campbell, raised at Carrizo Springs, have been growing cotton by irrigation and have grown rich, cleaning up from \$25,000 to \$50,000 per year. Through their solicitation Mr. Kerr goes to California to engage in the business and hopes by the help of their experience to make some money. His many friends in Cotulla and elsewhere in the state wish him every success in his venture. Stevens & Campbell are farming in Lower California which is Mexican territory. Rainfall is unknown and crops are produced by irrigation. As no rain falls on the open cotton the staple is of excellent quality and brings a big price. Japanese and Chinese labor is used almost exclusively.

Was In Gulf Hurricane.

A. H. Neal and family came in the forepart of the week from Rockport. They were in the coast hurricane on the 13th inst. Mr. Neal said they had gone to Aransas Pass on Saturday evening and were at that place during the storm. He said three distinct tidal waves following each other closely, covered Aransas Pass with water and wrecked the town. These waves came in about ten o'clock Sunday morning. The first wave sent mist all over the town; the second put water a foot deep in every section and following it closely the third sent the water four to six feet deep in every part of town. The strongest buildings of the town were crowded with terrified people. Monday morning there was nothing for the people to eat except canned goods which could be picked up in the street, without labels. Juice from canned tomatoes was substituted for water. He helped for ten days in the rescue work and said he saw some of the most horrible sights of his life. Men and women who had lost their loved ones were crazed, and very few of the bodies picked up were recognizable, decomposition having set in, and the bodies washed up on the waterline were mutilated and partially eaten up by sea crabs. Mosquitoes, he said made living in tents for the refugees impossible. Rescue workers had to work with gloves, and wear rubber coats and netting over their faces.

LECTURE WAS VERY INSTRUCTIVE.

The lecture given at the Methodist Church last Sunday night was very interesting and instructive. The subject was "A Message from the Ancient Pyramids." Dr. Byrd is a profound Bible student and brought out some wonderful facts in connection with the Great Pyramid of Egypt. Next Sunday night he will give a continuation of his lecture on the same subject.

Baptist Church.

10 a. m. Sunday School; 11 a. m. Address on Stewardship, by Mrs. Dr. Graham. Our special song composed for our \$75,000,000 campaign will be sung. Everybody come, "we will do thee good."

W. L. Skinner.

Rain and cooler weather is predicted tomorrow.

1919 COTTON CROP ESTIMATE 10,696,000 BALES.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 2—The condition of the cotton crop on September 25 was 5.44 per cent of the normal, forecasting a yield per acre of about 158 pounds and a total production of about 10,696 bales, the Department of agriculture announced.

Production from July 25 conditions was forecast at 11,016,000 bales, and from August 25 conditions 11,230,000 bales, while last year's total crop was 12,040,532 bales; two years ago, 11,302,375 and the record crop, that of 5 years ago, 16,134,930.

NOTICE—I have opened a boarding house at Millett and will appreciate the patronage of those desiring good meals at reasonable rates.—Mrs. W. A. Parks, Millett, Texas.



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The Company has just closed a contract for an oil Refinery in Sour Lake of from 1000 to 2000 barrels per day. This is equal to the bringing in of a thousand barrel well.

We also have oil now flowing in tanks in Sour Lake—OIL, OIL, OIL.

I have a letter from our Manager stating that these certainties will make this a guaranteed dividend-paying proposition.

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DR. B. M. BYRD
Special Representative

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Japan Accused of Violating Immigration Agreement.

Testifying before the House Immigration Committee at Washington yesterday, V. S. McClatchy of Sacramento, Cal., and Miller Freeman of Seattle, charged Japan with "flagrant violations" of what is known as the gentlemen's agreement between the United States and Japan concerning immigration: that the Japanese control of many industries in Washington, Oregon, California and Colorado is being enlarged through violation of this agreement, which forbids the entry of Japanese laborers, both skilled and unskilled, into the United States; and that, though the Japanese Government "is issuing passports under anything but the heading of labor" the violation of the agreement is obvious, for these immigrants are soon to be found working on farms along the Pacific coast. Both men urged the exclusion of the Japanese, asserting that their admission constitutes an economic menace to this country.

American merchants are unable to compete with the Japanese the witnesses testified, because of the foreigner's low standard of living, long hours of work and close co-operation among themselves, together with the financial support of their home Government.

Since 1900, it was brought out, the Japanese population in this country has increased six fold while the Chinese, under the Exclusion Act, have decreased from one half to two thirds in number.

Great Britain Urged to Trade With Germany.

The Board of Trade of London has issued a "White Paper" on conditions of trading with Germany which urges England to find a "proper footing" in that country as far as trade is concerned. The White Paper states:

"During the war it was necessary to prohibit all trading with the enemy, but with the conclusion of peace with Germany the necessity for this prohibition ceased. It may be expected that there will be considerable demand in the late enemy countries for all kinds of goods. As this market is now open to all the world, it is no part of the policy of his Majesty's Government to discourage British traders from competing therein, and it is desirable that British traders should make every effort to secure a proper footing in Central Europe."

The White Paper adds that any goods may now be exported to Germany without license, except certain goods on the lists of prohibited exports, which will require license. Goods may be imported from Germany and paid for without license except goods the importation of which from all foreign countries is prohibited.

Hon. Pet Neff really seems to be in the race for Governor. Neff is one of the brainy men of Texas all right, and he is going to make his presence in the race felt pretty strongly.

A rainy October is predicted by weather prophets. We hope they miss their guess because this part of Texas needs a month of real dry weather to finish getting out her cotton crop.

Quarterly Financial Statement of La-Salle County for Quarter Ending August 1, 1919.

Showing the Aggregate Amounts Received and Paid Out of Each Fund and the Balance to their Debit or Credit.

JURY FUND		
To Balance last quarter	.....	\$ 2,478.43
By amount paid out during quarter	22.50
By commission on amount paid out	56
Amount to balance	2,455.37
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		\$2,478.43 \$2,478.43

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.		
By balance last quarter	58.38
To amount received during quarter	123.25
By commission on amount received	3.08
Amount to balance	61.79
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		\$123.25 \$123.25

GENERAL COUNTY FUND.		
Balance last quarter	95.50
To amount received during quarter	259.89
By amount paid out during quarter	.....	8.00
By commission on amount received	6.45
By commission on amount paid out	20
Amount to balance	149.74
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		259.89 259.89

COURT HOUSE AND JAIL FUND.		
To balance last quarter	6.12
To amount received during quarter	205.43
By commission on amount received	5.13
Amount to balance	206.42
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COURT HOUSE AND JAIL SINKING FUND.		
To balance last quarter	15,186.14
To amount received during quarter	76.79
By commission on amount received	1.92
Amount to balance	15,262.01
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		\$15,262.93 \$15,262.93

COURT HOUSE SINKING FUND.		
To balance last quarter	1240.94
To amount received during quarter	6.27
By commission on amount received	15
Amount to balance	1,247.06
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		\$1,247.21 \$1,247.21

ROAD BOND SINKING FUND.		
To balance last quarter	2,220.05
To amount received during quarter	307.18
By commission on amount received	7.68
Amount to balance	2,527.23
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		\$2,527.23 \$2,527.23

STATE HIGHWAY SPECIAL FUND.		
To balance last quarter	1,140.04
To amount received during quarter	99.88
By commission on amount received	2.50
Amount to balance	1,237.42
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		\$1,239.92 \$1,239.92

RECAPITULATION.		
Balance in Jury Fund	2,455.37
Balance in Road and Bridge Fund	61.79
Balance in General County Fund	.....	149.74
Balance in Court House and Jail Fund	.....	206.42
Balance in Court House and Jail Sinking Fund	.....	15,261.01
Balance in Court House Sinking Fund	.....	1,247.06
Balance in Road Bond Sinking Fund	2,519.55
Balance in State Highway Special Fund	1,237.42
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		\$23,138.36

We, the undersigned County Judge and County Commissioners of said county, and each of us do hereby certify under oath that on this 20 day of August, 1919, at the regular quarterly term of said Commissioners Court, the requirements of article 886, Chapter 1; Title XXV of the revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the 26th legislature by bill approved March 20, 1897, having been in all things complied with us at this term of Court in respect to the examination and approval of the report hereinbefore mentioned and that the cash and other assets mentioned in said report and made by said Treasurer and by said Treasurer held for the county, having been fully inspected by us, the money on hand being in the hands of F. D. McMahan, County Treasurer, and counted by us, being \$23,138.36.

G. A. WELHAUSEN, County Judge.
C. F. BINKLEY, Commissioner Prec. No. 1.
J. W. Baylor, Commissioner Prec. No. 2.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, G. A. Welhausen, County Judge, C. F. Binkley and J. W. Baylor, Commissioners of La Salle County, Texas.

I. S. A. U. Knaggs, County Clerk, La Salle County, Texas.

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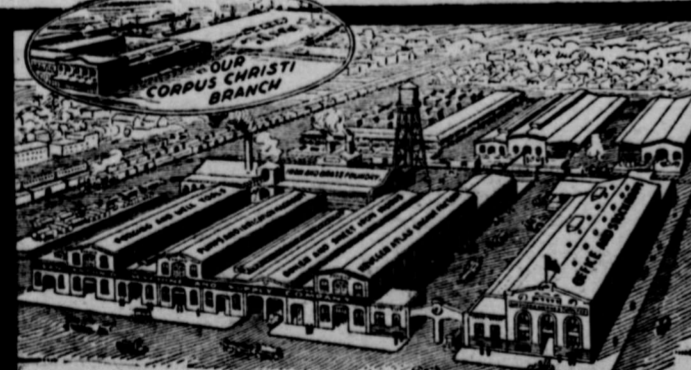
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Life

Where humanity weaves
"Git you bum"
Light and welcome
A subtle transformation
Where home fires burn,
Looking into the future
In glory's fires.
The instrument.

— By W. Alexander Imlay —

Weaving eternal figure eights through the streets of a great city in the southwest a Saturday evening crowd shifted in a human phantasmagora under brilliant arc lights. It was early winter. In the fashionable district well clad men wore new overcoats and silken mufflers. In the lower end of the city men pulled thin summer coats tightly about their necks.

Women beating their way along the thoroughfares felt the chilling wind on sleeky silk clad ankles. Children of the slums hopped swiftly along, homeward bound from errands seeking the warmth of tenements, for their chilled bare feet.

A gutter rat stood in the doorway of a cheap restaurant. The odor of frying onions and steak tantalized his nostrils. It was for the warm air that came through the open door that he tarried.

"Git, you bum," he heard. A second later the toe of a tall man's boot had forced him into the street.

"No one wants a down and outer," the sniffling thing mused as he slunk away.

Women of the street passed him with a leer. A "down and outer" was the last thing on earth they sought. What they wanted was money for food and warm quarters. The "rat" could supply neither.

A swinging light in the street ahead drew his attention. Upon crouching close to it he spelled out "W-B-L-C-O-M-E."

"Ha! Ha!" he laughed cynically, but he entered.

Next morning the "rat" was no longer a rat. He had been fed and clothed. He had been bathed and given a bed. Hope burned high in his heart.

Through the offices of his new friends he was given work. It is useless to follow him for, of course, as in all articles of this kind, the "rat" made good.

Beaten and cuffed; scorned and unwanted he had at last come to rest.

Five years later we find the "rat" without a semblance of the thing of the gutter which had been clinging about him.

In a pleasant room, with a flower in the window, we find him reading the daily paper. A woman speaking in soft tones is lulling a child to rest.

Outside the wind howls. A cow bawls in the stable at the rear of the lot on which the cozy home is built.

The one time down and outer is moving up. He has a wife and child. He owns a home. He has a cow.

"We must make some steps to issue our child the surroundings of Christianity," the wife tells the one time thing of the gutter, after the child is sound asleep in its crib.

"Well, what shall we do about it?" he replies.

The woman places her cheek next to his and whispers. The honest citizen is at peace. He nods his head in acquiescence.

Sunday comes with bright sparkling morning light. The honest citizen and his wife dress in their best and start for church.

It is a church of brick and stone. Glazed windows break early morning light into thousands of prismatic crystals.

The minister takes his text—
"Even as you do unto others."
His sonorous voice rings out in full periods. The one time child of the slums is entranced.

A great organ peels its message of life and love—
The honest citizen and his wife walk forward.

They join the church.
No one knows he has been a thing of the streets and the sidewalk. That has been forgotten. But—

Many are brought to American churches each year who took their first upward step with the Salvation Army backing their effort.

House Indorses S. A. Campaign.
"Those of us who have been fortunate enough to see something of the work of the Salvation Army with the American troops have been made proud by the devotion and self-sacrifice of the workers connected with your organization. I congratulate you and through you your associates and I wish you the best of fortune in the continuance of your splendid work."
—E. M. House.

Many Cared for by Salvation Army.
661,218 men and women were cared for last year by the Salvation Army. 6,179 mothers were given outings. 21,651 children were sent to the seashore. In medical aid alone the Salvation Army cared for 295,151 persons.

School Notes.

The attendance is still increasing at Cotulla High School. New pupils, Helen and Dudley Story entered in the second grade Monday. Bob Horton from Artesia in the eighth grade, entered school here this week. Floyd Salmon from Artesia is in the fifth grade.

Peyton Kerr, an ex-student of Cotulla High School, will be in town the latter part of the week. The Kerr family will spend a week or ten days in Texas, afterwards going to California where they will make their home.

The High School girls assisted by Miss Sunshine Lacy, will have charge of a program which will be presented in Chapel every Monday morning. Patrons are invited to visit us at any time for Chapel, especially Monday Morning.

Miss Anderson, the Commercial teacher is expected to reach Cotulla by Saturday.

Four Remington typewriters have been ordered and the classes in the Commercial department expect to go to work Monday. There will be Bookkeeping in the tenth grade and shorthand and type writing in the eleventh.

The eleventh grade began their course in Botany Tuesday. The work was delayed on account of the text-books not having come. The class anticipates a very interesting and profitable study of this subject. One microscope has been ordered; but as it has not arrived, the class has permission to use one belonging to Drs. Lightsey and Graham.

Some of our text-books have not yet reached Cotulla but texts have been borrowed for the classes until those furnished by the Government arrive.

Miss Mamie Wildenthal is teaching music in connection with the school. She is teaching at Mrs. Earnest's, and has fourteen pupils.

NOTICE—I have opened a boarding house at Millett and will appreciate the patronage of those desiring good meals at reasonable rates.—Mrs. W. A. Parks, Millett, Texas.

Encouraging Bolshevism

Everything that falsely encourages unrest also encourages bolshevism.

Misunderstanding of American industrial organization, and of its benefits to mankind, leads to unrest, dissatisfaction, and radicalism.

For example, the Federal Trade Commission tells the public that the large packers had an agreed price for lard substitute (made of cotton-seed oil).

It reproduces letters taken from the files of one of the packers, showing that such agreed price existed.


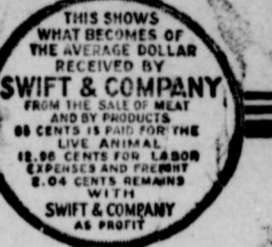
But it failed to mention that the agreed price was determined at the request of and in co-operation with the Food Administration!

Even the Department of Justice, in its unjust attempt to create prejudice against the packers, has made public these same letters, with no explanation.

How long must this kind of misrepresentation continue? In so far as it is believed, it not only breeds discontent, but results in injustice to our industry.

Let us send you a "Swift Dollar."
It will interest you.
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LOCAL & PERSONAL

Rudolph Welhausen was in the city from Encinal Thursday.

Phil Mewhirter spent Sunday in Laredo.

Onion Seed—30 lbs. Yellow Bermuda onion seed, fresh, for sale, at Record Office.

Mrs. Armstrong Poole and little daughter returned first of the week from San Antonio.

Mrs. C. C. Thomas returned recently from a stay of several weeks at Kenedy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Terry returned early in the week from a ten days stay in San Antonio.

Jay Martin was in Cotulla from Fowler during the week. He left a nice order for stationery with us.

Rev. Hamilton will preach Sunday Morning and evening. He desires your presence at 9:45 at the morning services.

The gin has been running regularly all the week. Cotton is getting much better now since the weather has dried up.

Mrs. T. H. Poole has returned from Belton where she went to place her daughter, Miss Ethel, in Baylor College.

FOR SALE—100 pounds Yellow Bermuda Onion Seed, \$2 pound plus express charges from New Orleans. Will sell all or part.—H. B. Miller.

Mrs. S. T. Dowe of Pearsall was here yesterday. She was with Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kerr, who were on their way from Laredo to Pearsall.

The Rally Day Sunday School Program commences promptly at 9:45 Sunday at the Presbyterian church. The offering will be used in Sunday School Extension work.

The government cotton report did not have the effect of advancing prices as had been hoped for. It was slightly higher than anticipated, yet showed a great crop shortage.

We write storm insurance. It does not cost much and is good sound protection. We paid several minor claims for damage in the last storm. Rates cheap. Ask about it.—Manly Agency.

J. B. Porter has moved his family here from Farmington in order that his children might have advantages of our school. School is progressing nicely now, pupils having gotten down to real hard work.

Announcement

We have accepted the Agency here for the Chevrolet Motor Company. The remarkable record of Chevrolet cars is conclusive proof that they are giving satisfactory Service to their owners.

The Chevrolet is a moderate priced car and will wear well. Its upkeep is not a burden. The better you become acquainted with it the better you like it.

We expect to keep on hand a complete stock of parts for these cars and our service department will always give you SERVICE in quick order.

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CITY GARAGE

R. L. KEITHLEY, Proprietor.

B. Wildenthal, Jr., has contracted with Fred Schutte for the erection of a nice residence on Main street, on the site of his old place. Dr. Lightsey's residence has been completed and is now in the hands of the painters and paper hangers.

L. G. Covert was here last week from San Marcos. Mr. Covert moved to San Marcos last year in order to get advanced school advantages for his daughter. His farm near Woodward is yielding him good returns this year, regardless of the loss by storm.

Dave and Cecil Mulholland were down from San Antonio Tuesday. Cecil has just returned from overseas where he spent over a year in the military service of Uncle Sam. Cecil was among the number of our boys who saw the real thing on the other side.

Because of the frequent and successive rises in the Frio river there has been no travel between here and San Antonio by automobile for several weeks. We understand the officials of Frio county are looking toward bridging the Frio so that it will be passable in time of rises in the stream.

Frank P. Carpenter, one of the Record's oldest "stand-by's" who does a considerable ranching and farming business in Frio county was in town Monday on business. Mr. Carpenter has recently been appointed representative of the San Antonio Joint Stock Land Bank and expects to make considerable loans in this section.

When the fellow had an accident that laid him up for a month and his income that supported his family stopped, the indemnity of his Accident policy came just as regularly as his wages. "That's lucky," said someone. No luck about it. Just good management. See the Manly Agency for rates.

Rev. H. W. Hamilton returned Thursday from Carrizo Springs. He has just finished installing a new pumping plant on his place up there and is prepared to put under irrigation considerable more acreage that formerly. He says the onion acreage around Carrizo Springs will probably not be more than last season, but at Asherton, it seems that every fellow wants to get in a little larger crop.

H. W. Earnest, pioneer merchant and resident of Millett, was in the city on business Tuesday evening. Mr. Earnest said the effects of the storm in the Northern part of the county were fast being obliterated and cotton was coming in now at a faster rate than it could be ginned. A great deal more cotton was going to be made than estimated he said and the county was going to be in fine shape. All of the farmers were going to be able to pay their debts and have a fat bank account left.

Sid Moffett was a welcome visitor at our office Wednesday. Sid has just recently returned from Europe. He has been away two years and was one of our first boys to land in the war zone and one of the last to return. He was in the Seventh Division and was in seven major engagements and went over the top too many times to count. During the early summer of 1918 when the Germans were pushing the allies back all along the line Sid was right up in the midst of the hell, and remarkable to say he went through it all, witnessing thousands fall, yet he never received a scratch during the whole war. We believe Sid has the record for seeing more hard service than any other La Salle county boy.

The Doctors say there is going to be another epidemic of the Flu this winter. You know how bad that is and how it knocks a fellow out. Use a little good sound horse sense and prepare against loss of time should it hit you, and you are liable to get hit. We will guarantee your wages while you are laid up, and you might get pneumonia and get laid up for a long while. See us about one of those Health and Accident policies that so many of the fellows own. The cost is reasonable and your wages will come right along as long as you are laid up and not able to work.—The Manly Agency.

Attend Rio Grande Association.

Rev. Skinner and wife, Mrs. Simon Cotulla, Mrs. R. L. Graham and Z. Z. Haener attended the annual meeting of the Baptist Rio Grande Association at Devine, Sept. 25-28.

It was voted the best meeting for many years. Several State leaders were present and the Association gladly accepted her quo of \$100,000 as her part of the \$75,000,000 to be raised by Baptist of the South in the next five years. The Cotulla Baptist church will raise \$8,000 as their part. Texas has assumed \$16,000,000, and subscriptions are pouring in, several giving \$100,000 each. One party giving \$1,000,000 and another \$150,000.

Womans Auxilliary

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Rio Grande Association held their all day meeting in the Baptist Church at Devine, on Sept. 25th. After a very helpful and inspiring program, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Pres. Mrs. W. L. Skinner, Cotulla; First Vice Pres. Mrs. W. G. K. Ward, Pearsall; Second Vice, Mrs. M. D. Wooten, Crystal City; Third Vice Pres. Mrs. J. M. Sallee, Laredo; Cor. Sec'y Mrs. Simon Cotulla, Cotulla; Recording Sec'y Mrs. Morris, Devine. Juvenile Leader, Mrs. Frank Brisco, Devine; Chairman of Missions, Mrs. F. F. Blodsoe, Devine; Treasurer, Mrs. J. N. Long, Pearsall.

The Woman's Auxiliary will raise \$20,000 in Rio Grande Association.

Salesman Wanted

Lubricating Oil, Grease, Paint, Specialties, whole or part time. Commission Basis. Man with car or rig. Deliveries from our Southwestern refinery. Riverside Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale.

Winter English Peas: Have been growing them six years, bear for three months, marvelous yield. Cold does not affect them. Have limited amount of seed for sale. Apply J. R. Burnett, Gardendale, Texas, or W. H. Fullerton & Co.

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OUR WEEKLY RECEIPT

PERFECTION SALAD

2 tbs. Knox's gelatine 1 pt. boiling water, 2 c. chopped celery. 1-2 c. water, 1-2 c. sugar 1 c. shredded cabbage. Juice 1 lemon, 1 tsp. salt, 1-4 c. pimentoes.

Soften the gelatine in cold water, mix vinegar, lemon juice, sugar, salt and boiling water, bring all to the boiling point and add the softened gelatine. When the mixture begins to thicken, add the celery, cabbage and pimentoes and turn into a ring mold. Chill. Serve with Mayonnaise dressing.

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DALLAS, OCTOBER 6-19-1919

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1919.
A. W. GLEASON,
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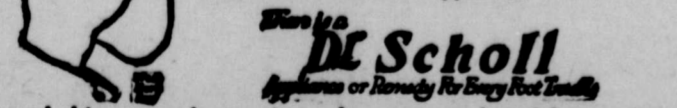
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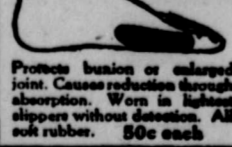


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"Let me lead my men to an aggressive and decisive part—we are ready!" In these words General Pershing is said to have proffered the American Army to Marshall Foch at the most critical time in the progress of the world war. It was the beginning of the end.

This memorable, world-wide historical event, will be reproduced as a mammoth pyrotechnic military spectacle at the Victory Fair in Dallas in October. It has been named "The Battle of Chateau Thierry." It will be presented nightly before the grand-stand.

This production will be a page from history told in lines of fire and in tones of thunder.

It will all be as true to life as the ingenuity of the skilled mechanics, pyrotechnists, electricians, scenic artists, military men and directors can make it. It will be produced before a 450 foot scenic curtain. It will be a wonderful realistic and impressive production!