

CAVALRY TROOP NOW SWORN IN

Colonel Miller and Staff Induct 115 Men In to the Service of the State

Last Saturday Colonel Will A. Miller, Jr., commander of the Panhandle Cavalry regiment just recruited, accompanied by Colonel Winters, in charge of recruiting, Major J. U. Kirkman of the 1st Squadron and Lieutenant Ware of the Supply Troop at Amarillo, came to Hereford and mustered in the local troop, known as Troop B. The men were mustered in the State but not Federal service, as arrangements have not yet been made to Federalize the Guard. The troop numbers 115 men and is ready for service whenever called. Until that time the local members are drilling daily. Squads of the boys are located at Farwell, Tulia and Canyon, and sergeants at these points are drilling their men at regular intervals. A movement has been started to concentrate the troops from Hereford, Canadian, Dalhart and Amarillo at the latter place for preliminary training. A complete roster of the troop to date follows:

- CAPTAIN:** Will F. Mullins.
1st. LIEUT.: Chas. W. Atkins.
2nd. LIEUT.: M. Bobo McLean.
1st. SARG.: Earl V. Bennett.
SUPPLY SARG.: Ben Wasserman.
MESS SARG.: Ira J. Johnson.
STABLE SARG.: Clyde W. Baird.
FIRST DUTY SARG.: John Wesley Bradley.
SECOND DUTY SARG.: Robert C. Neely.
THIRD DUTY SARG.: Herman D. Glass.
FOURTH DUTY SARG.: Lonnie E. Nash.
CORPORALS:
 Frank A. Gyles
 Carroll M. Watson
 Harrison D. Stanley
 Emory W. Clifton
 Ernest C. Fronabarger
 Dalton C. Northcutt
 Glen Sullivan
 Royal A. Terry.
HORSESHOERS:
 Floyd C. Hacker.
 Milton F. Schrimsher.
SADDLER:
 Elsha R. Carter.
COOKS:
 Woods J. Hindman
 Chas. E. Bosley.
BUGLERS:
 Fred W. Schultz
 Walter T. Caylor.
FIRST CLASS PRIVATES:
 Wilson E. Angley
 Jesse W. Barnes
 Geo. W. Brown
 Clifford H. Crume
 Wallace C. Cox
 Lawson H. Conner
 Ford B. Fronabarger.
 Geo. B. Heuley
 John A. Johnson
 Elijah J. Miles
 Oro G. McLean
 George C. McMahon
 Thomas Metcalf
 George W. Newman
 James L. Richards
 James C. Vaughn
 Robert L. Wilson
 Albert P. Zinser.
PRIVATES:
 Valentine Acker
 Henry C. Angelo
 Rohan H. Armstrong
 Hilbe H. Bennett
 Richard Boren
 Malvin A. Brown
 Bonnie E. Brumley
 Walter C. Buecher
 Harry Cannon
 Andrew S. Cocanougher
 Warren Cope
 John B. Curtisinger
 Warran A. Daniel
 Fred H. Davis
 Chas. T. Deats
 John W. Easter
 Hubert Elliston
 Noja G. Elliston
 William H. Farris
 J. L. Fuqua, Jr.
 John E. Galberith
 Price Gibson.
 D. Grimes
 Orval W. Grimes
 Emzy A. Grimes
 Clyde Hamilton
 Oris E. Heglin
 David R. Hicks
 W. B. Hill
 Jacob W. Hopping
 Edd C. Houston
 Oscar J. Hyatt
 Dick Jones
 Walter E. Jones
 Matt M. Kell
 Ivy Kemp
 John Lemons
 Ernest N. Littlejohn
 Robert D. Lyne
 Joe L. Machen
 Chas. C. Mitchell
 Roy F. Melugin
 Bennie Mounts

- Eugehe E. Newson
 Willis M. Parker
 Richard J. Rayzor
 Verner K. Reese
 Salls W. Richards
 Malvin J. Rutherford
 Albert C. Saltzman
 Horace C. Schrimsher
 Robert C. Short
 Otto G. Smith
 James P. Spearman
 Kenneth S. Strley
 William C. Reed
 Seba R. Weeks
 Algiers O. Tannahill
 Luther P. Thomas
 Joe C. Thompson
 Jack Vester
 Chas. R. Watson
 Dewey Watson
 Homer Watson
 Dewey Whitley
 William M. Whitten
 William D. Williams
 Eugene W. Woods
 Ernest W. Worrell
 John J. Willingham.

SELECTED BOYS NEED ATTENTION FROM CITIZENS

Attention is again called to the fact that every young man who has reached the age of 21 years since June 5, 1917, must register on June 5, 1918, or subject himself to heavy penalties.

All registrants should apply to Secretary J. E. Crouch of the local Exemption Board, whose office is in the rear of the First State Bank & Trust Company.

The local Board desires that publicity be given to the fact that young men who may happen to be away from home on June 5 can register with the local board where they may be on that date.

On Tuesday, May 28, five selected men were entrained from Hereford for Camp Cody, N. M., for training in the National Army. They were: W. A. Pecheval, W. F. Denny, Floyd Botsford, J. H. Sawyer and Robert Andrew Gilliam.

On Thursday, May 30, five more will entrain for Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas, as follows: T. W. Hamm, J. G. Larson, J. C. Houston, Lester Wilcoxson and W. E. Curtis.

On Saturday, June 1, Erwin Bedford will be sent to Petersburg, Va., where he will be enrolled in the Veterinary Corps of the Army.

Some of our citizens have recently called attention to the fact that these elected boys are being allowed to leave home and go to camp without sufficient appreciation being expressed by the local citizens. Those who went first were given a royal sendoff, but of late very few people have been down to the trains to see them off.

It is hoped that there will be a good turnout Thursday and Saturday of this week, when the boys leave for Camp Cody and Camp Funston, respectively.

D. W. HAWKINS FOOT IN WINDMILL

D. W. Hawkins, while tinkering with his Twin Windmill last Sunday, caught his foot between a heavy chain and a cog wheel and suffered severe injury in the member, although no bones were broken. The accident was a most painful one, but at last accounts Mr. Hawkins was improving rapidly.

DR. J. H. MASSIE AND WIFE HERE ON VISIT

Dr. J. H. Massie of Floydada, Texas, and Mrs. Massie, arrived in Hereford Tuesday overland for a few days' visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Massie is a sister of Arch Collins and Mrs. R. T. Evans, and both she and Dr. Massie formerly resided in Hereford. Dr. Massie is now in the drug business at Floydada.

"No Wheat Until the Next Harvest"

Mr. Hoover has just issued the following ringing message to the country:

"The confidence of the United States Food Administration that the people of the country would respond enthusiastically and wholeheartedly upon presentation of the facts to any necessary requests for reduction in consumption of food has been fully justified. We have demonstrated our ability not only to think together but to act together. This response of the people is the reason for the present appeal.

"Our work is not yet complete. In spite of the encouraging results of our efforts, in spite of the fact that our exports of foodstuffs are constantly increasing and are approaching the minimum requirements abroad, the need for renewed devotion and effort is present. While all of the requirements of the Food Administration should be constantly observed, there are certain matters which I desire to stress at this time.

In the case of meat and meat products, the necessities for shipment abroad are very great. Whereas the allied consumption has been reduced to the average of about 11-14 pounds per person per week, we are today enjoying about 3-4 lbs. per person per week. This division is unequitable and the understanding of these facts will justify our requests that the consumption of all meats, including poultry, as nearly as possible, be reduced to 2 lbs. per week per person over four years of age.

"In the case of sugar we are embarrassed by the necessity of using ships for carrying our soldiers and feeding the allies, and in consequence we must use sugar with great economy. We must emphasize the importance of canning and preserving on a large scale among this summer and our available sugar must be conserved for this purpose.

"But the situation with regard to wheat is the most serious in the food supply of the allied world. If we are to satisfy the minimum wheat requirements of our armies and the allies and the suffering millions in the allied countries, our consumption of wheat in the United States, until the next harvest, must be reduced to approximately one-third of normal. It is inconceivable that we should fail in this crisis. For each of us who can personally contribute to the relief of human suffering, it is a privilege—not a sacrifice. All elements of the American population cannot bear this burden equally. Because of the constant daily employment of women and the lack of home-baking facilities, many households in large urban centers require a food ration already prepared, such as the bakers' standard 'Victory Bread' loaf. Furthermore, we must constantly safeguard the special requirements of children and invalids.

"To meet the situation abroad and to prevent serious suffering at home, it is imperative that all those whose circumstances permit shall abstain from wheat and wheat products in any form, until the next harvest. It is realized and deeply appreciated that many organizations and some communities have already agreed to follow this plan.

"It is hoped that you will communicate this to your organization and your community, urging those whose circumstances will permit to join with us and take this stand.

Herbert Hoover.

While Texans may well feel proud that the Lone Star State has led all the rest in its resolutions to do without any wheat, we may accept the above message to the rest of the country as a compliment. It will furnish you with an answer to some of those unthinking, or as yet unconvincing, citizens who ask why we should go without wheat flour when some other parts of the country are not compelled to do so. It should never be necessary to COMPEL any American or any American community to give its all to humanity in this struggle for freedom. The reason is clear. Very truly yours,

E. A. PEDEN,
Federal Food Administrator for Texas.

WHAT'S BREWING IN W S S CIRCLES, YOU SUPPOSE?

W.S.S. An air of mystery surrounds W. S. S. headquarters these days. There's something brewing—the plot's thickening. Somebody's up to something.

Just what it is cannot be definitely ascertained; but there's intense preparation going on behind the outposts. Just what for, is the question.

The Brand is in favor of a gas attack, if necessary to get our country's quota up to scratch. We are behind the allotment, still we are doing pretty well, in comparison with the other 252 Texas counties, as we stood No. 15 on the list May 9th, according to State Director Lipsitz. Our quota for the year is \$124,080; up to May 9 we had raised \$29,388.93, making the per capita cost price \$4.89. That's bad, but there are only fourteen other counties in the state who have beaten us so far. Let's go to the head of the class!

Director Lipsitz has some more interesting dops, too; for instance this county was asked to organize 18 War Savings Societies; chairman were appointed accordingly, but to date only 9, or just 50 per cent, have been reported organized. What are our other nine chairmen doing?

The record book shows a better balance in our favor when it comes to Selling Agencies for the Certificates. Our quota is 18 Agencies and we have secured 38; percent 211.11.

Summed up: we are way behind on this vital section of our war work; we must do something quickly; the officials realize the difficulty, have been holding conferences all over the State, and something NEW is about due for announcement. What is it?

JAMES BELL WILL SOON BE MEMBER OF SUBMARINE CREW

James Bell, of Dimmitt, whose parents live in Castro county, and who is a brother of Allen Bell of this city, spent a few hours in this vicinity Wednesday visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. Bell is a graduate officer of the Leon Springs training camp, but has recently volunteered for submarine service, and is now enroute to the coast for assignment to duty.

NEW IRRIGATION WELL GOING IN NEAR BLACK

George Hitz of Indiana, owner of an 800 acre farm near Black, has just closed a contract with D. L. McDonald for a large pumping plant on his place. This will be a well of the largest size, and Mr. McDonald states it is the largest single contract he has yet made.

MRS. GEORGE BARBER BACK FROM TRIP IN INTEREST OF W. S. S.

Mrs. George Barber, county chairman for the women's work, War Savings Societies, is back from a trip to Houston where she attended a meeting of county chairmen called for the purpose of discussing the work and planning new ideas and achievements.

Mrs. Barber states that the meeting was well attended, and she received much benefit from the exchange of ideas.

DEATH OF B. W. MILLER

B. W. Miller, father of Al Miller, County Tax Assessor and John Miller of Miller & Feltwell, died at the residence near the College about midnight, Tuesday.

Details could not be ascertained before going to press, but a full account of the sad affair will be given in next week's issue.

\$11,302.15 TOTAL FOR RED CROSS

Work of Checking up Subscriptions Continues; List Still Incomplete

Chairman Henry Wilkinson of the Red Cross drive announced Wednesday that the total subscription off his book to date amounted to \$11,302.15, or \$3,302.15 more than the minimum allotment for the county. Nearly all of this has been paid, while the balance is in the form of pledges which are considered good.

The response of our people to the appeal of the Red Cross is most gratifying and maintains Deaf Smith's unbroken record of loyalty.

Below is printed a list of subscribers which is not entirely complete, and may contain some errors. Correction of all errors and completion of the list will be

THURSDAY NAMED A DAY OF PRAYER BY PRESIDENT

Thursday, May 30, 1918, has been designated by President Wilson as a day of Fasting and Prayer all over the Nation, and every business house is asked to close and all people urged to go to church and there offer up united prayers for the success of the American and Allied arms and a speedy victorious end to this bloody war. Services will be held at all the churches, with a union meeting at the evening hour in the Christian church.

It is believed that every business house in Hereford will comply with this patriotic request. As Thursday is publication day for The Brand, the paper is being gotten out on Wednesday, one day early.

WEATHER MAN PLAYS HIDE AND SEEK GAME WITH RAIN

"Spotted Weather" is one term used in describing the weather in this locality for the past ten days or two weeks. It has rained all around us—in spots; it has rained on us—in spots; it has rained hard—in spots; and it has not rained at all—in spots.

The telephone office says that Tuesday it rained about a half inch at Dimmitt, about the same at Canyon and Tulia, with hail at the latter place, while a strip about five miles wide and running northeast from Hereford received a soaker last week which filled all the lakes, and has since had three additional light showers. C. C. Bowman, one of the lucky residents in this strip, says the grass is coming up nicely.

Meanwhile three bridges are out on the Canadian river, and no mail has been received from the Fort Worth & Denver railway for three days owing to a severe cloudburst at Clewiston, which ran through the stores of the town, and washed heavy automobiles for blocks down the streets.

The heavens are overcast daily, sudden squalls of wind and rain are slapped in our faces gayly, but still the badly needed general rain is not forthcoming. Here's hoping we will be able to report it next week.

E. M. VANDERBURGH IS STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS

Last Sunday E. M. Vanderburgh suffered a stroke of paralysis in his right side, and for a time his condition was alarming. Wednesday reports were the effect that the sufferer was somewhat better, and holding his own fairly well, although his advanced age is making the battle a hard one. Mr. and Mrs. Vanderburgh have resided in Hereford many years, and number their friends by the hundreds; all of whom are earnestly praying for an immediate turn for the better.

shown in next week's issue of the Brand. The list:

Anthony Annie	25.00
Allen, E. V.	25.00
Ashbrook, D. F.	50.00
Anthony, W. B.	25.00
Anthony, Wesley	10.00
Abel, Rev. J. M.	5.00
Always Ready S. S. Class, Summerfield	10.00
Akron, Mrs. S. E.	2.50
Anderson, F. T.	5.00
Allen, Mr.	2.00
Allred, J. C.	3.00
Allred, J. L.	5.00
Allred, J. A.	5.00
Arthur, C. P.	5.00
Bruner, R. K.	100.00
Bradley, Mrs. L. R.	100.00
Brownell, H. L.	100.00
Brownie, John	100.00
Barber, C. B.	100.00
Black, E. B.	50.00
Bowers, J. H.	50.00
Burns, G. E.	50.00
Boardman, H. H.	50.00
Brumley, J. W.	50.00
Bowsher, H. C.	25.00
Benton, Claude	25.00
Bell, Mrs. A. G.	12.50
Barnard, Perry	25.00
Boone, D. J.	25.00
Baskin, L.	25.00
Barnhart, A. C.	25.00
Baker, W. M.	25.00
Bowman, C. C.	50.00
Betty Clark	25.00
Boyd, L. F.	25.00
Bow, F. A.	25.00
Bow, F. E.	5.00
Bowers, Wayne	5.00
Brownell, David	5.00
Black, Elizabeth	5.00
Black, Wm.	5.00
Barber, Frank	5.00
Berry, J. C.	5.00
Biggs, Leo	2.00
Blaine, Mrs. F. A.	5.00
Blaine, J. A. and wife	10.00
Bippus, Ted	1.00
Botsoford, Lida	2.00
Bradges, R. C.	5.00
Bandy, Tom	10.00
Barthart, Mrs. A. C.	5.00
Barthart, Mabel	5.00
Bakemore, L.	5.00
Brockhaus, Geo. and Mrs.	2.00
Brown, F. W.	5.00
Bassett, Joe M.	5.00
Berthod, John	2.00
Burns, J. M.	10.00
Bridges, H. C.	5.00
Barrett, Robert	2.50
Britain, F. H.	1.00
Barber, M. F.	2.00
Bennett, W. W.	5.00
Boadie, J. M.	1.00
Berry, F. B.	1.00
Buckner, J. J.	2.50
Brown, E. J.	1.00
Bryant, D. H.	2.00
Bremet, E. J.	2.50
Bench, Mack	5.00
Botts, Ed	5.00
Cardwell, J. H.	100.00
Conkright, H. G.	100.00
Chamness, Effie Lee	100.00
Chamness, A. E.	100.00
Collins, A. D.	50.00
Carlyle, L. W.	25.00
Carroll, W. A.	25.00
Carroll, Mrs. W. A.	25.00
Cockrell, C. P.	25.00
Cardwell, Mrs. Oscar	25.00
Cocheil, Theo.	25.00
Coffin, Minnie Dea	25.00
Cockrell, J. E.	10.00
Crouch, J. E.	5.00
Cloyd, Geo.	2.50
Chuoweth, C. C.	10.00
Collins, Mrs. Josephine	5.00
Clark, Mr. and Mrs. F. F.	10.00
Class No. 2 Summerfield Sunday School	10.00
Carter, T. J.	1.00
Central School pupils	3.00
Central School 6th Grade	5.00
Comer, Louise	.50
Cassidy, Gall	1.00
Comer, E. A.	5.25
Carroll, Mrs. W. A.	1.25
Clark, Mrs. J. W.	1.00
Clem, Nellie	5.00
Childers, F. W.	.50
Carter, Mr.	1.00
Clark, Jennie	5.00
Central Mrs. Russell	5.00
Conklin, G. R.	2.50
Clark, J. W.	5.00
Climer, Herschel	2.00
Carter, W. H. A.	5.00
Cox, Mrs. Delphia	1.00
Caylor, Walter	.50
Cocanougher, S. R.	5.00
Carperter, Mr. and Mrs. H. B.	2.00
Carl, C. H.	10.00
Cottingham, E.	2.00
Cloyd, Henry	1.00
Cunningham, J. I.	3.00
Cunningham, J. C.	2.00
Crawford, Vera	1.00
Dameron, W. R.	100.00
Dameron, W. E.	100.00
Dunlap, Eli and wife	100.00
Donald, Chas.	100.00
Dawn, L. & I. Co.	50.00
Dyar, C. H.	50.00
Doonan, Mrs. S. J.	25.00
Dameron, Bertha	25.00
Dameron, Frances	25.00
Dunlap, W. E.	25.00
Davidson, Roscoe	25.00

OUR BIG ANNUAL SUMMER SALE

Begins Saturday, June 1 and will Close June 15

We have planned to make this event a most attractive occasion for all buyers of Furniture, Rugs, Linoleum, Sewing Machines, etc. In time, you will find there is a big difference in Furniture. We pride ourselves in handling all the standard goods possible, and, after all, the best will cost you only a little more than the inferior goods. ¶ We have had the greatest year's business in our history, to date. We expect to keep up the pace by making high grade goods to you at most attractive prices. ¶ Our thirty thousand dollar stock will be thrown with full force into this mammoth effort. In spite of the heavy advance in prices in all lines, we own our entire stock at much less in price than other dealers. We expect to close the goods out to you at strict bargains. Our entire stock will be specially marked for this **Big Reduction Sale**. You can see the value in every article we offer. We expect to make lively times out of the dull season. We invite your co-operation.

DINING and LIVING ROOM FURNITURE

In these departments we show the most extensive, as well as the most attractive line of goods you will find in any store in the Panhandle. Every article low priced for the event.

\$45.00 Leather Duofold for	\$29.75
\$15.00 Library Table for	9.75
\$12.50 Fine Spring Rocker for	8.75
\$50.00 Buffet for	33.75
\$35.00 Buffet for	24.75

All other goods sold in like proportion.

BEDROOM FURNITURE

It is truly wonderful the extent of our showing in Bedroom suits. We have what you want in Walnut, Ivory, Fumed Oak, Golden-Oak, etc. Every Suit, every Dresser, Every Chiffonobe, Every bed will take the special reduced price for this occasion.

\$125.00 full Suits for	\$87.50
\$95.00 full suits for	69.75
\$65.00 full Suits for	39.75
\$25.00 Dressers for	18.75
\$17.50 Dressers for	13.75
\$15.00 Fine Beds for	9.75

All others at cut prices

ART RUGS and LINOLEUM

It is the wonder and surprise of every one at the large stock of Rugs and Linoleum we are carrying. We bought heavy—in order to save you big money. We did not buy these goods to keep—they are going to move with a rush in this big sale. You cannot afford to miss this rare chance to buy a fine rug or a room of good linoleum at a little more than half their real value.

TAKE DUE NOTICE

Singer Sewing Machines will be sold \$1 down and \$1 each week.

Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets will be sold \$1.00 down and \$1.00 each week.

We will sell the best Refrigerator for the least money possible.

We will fit you up with the best Mattress—all cotton—and for less money. Come and see.

No article of Furniture will be held back in this big Sale—we must, and will reduce our big stock and do it quickly.

A Sweeping Clearance

Before the Price Goes Up

SALE BEGINS JUNE 1

Delivered For \$1

THE CELEBRATED

HOOSIER

KITCHEN CABINET

ONLY 44 TO BE SOLD



The Famous Hinge Door "Hoosier Beauty"

A LIFE-TIME HELPER THAT EVERY WOMAN NEEDS

Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet is a Labor-Saving Machine, Kitchen System and Germ-Proof Food Container combined.

It saves steps, food and work. It gives you time for Red Cross Knitting and other war work.

Mrs. Frank Ambler Patterson, the noted Domestic Efficiency Engineer, found that it saves walking an average of 2 miles a day.

The Shaker Flour Sifter sifts flour four times faster than most.

The Over-Size Base has 20 per cent more spaces for pots, pans, etc.

The Two-Way Sugar Bin holds twice the ordinary amount.

The Revolution Rack of 7 Air-Tight, Dust-Proof Spice Jars is also exclusive.

The Motion-Saver Arrangement is the result of scientific motion study.

The Uncluttered Cupboard gives twice the average work-space.

All features have the certified approval of the Hoosier Council of Kitchen Scientists composed of leading household authorities.

THE HOOSIER COMPANY has just served us with notice of a general raise in the price of Hoosier Cabinets, wholesale and retail. We have exactly 44 Hoosier Cabinets in stock which we bought at the old time price. We would put the new price on them and make an extra profit on every one.

But instead of that, we are going to give our customers this unexpected saving. We have lined up our entire stock of Hoosiers to go on sale June 1st at the old low price!

When we open our doors, the first 44 women who come in and pay \$1 will get them. Then—the minute that this allotment of Hoosiers is taken—THE SALE WILL END!

SPECIAL TERMS OF SALE

Pay only \$1 when you pick out your Hoosier. Pay the balance \$1 weekly—only 5c a meal. Your money back if you are not delighted. Sale ends the instant 44 Hoosiers are gone. Doors open at 8 a. m. June 1—close at 6 p. m. No Hoosier orders accepted by telephone.

Because it is the largest and strongest maker of cabinets in the world, the Hoosier Company has been able to the last to keep its prices down. Rising costs of labor and raw material have finally forced the maker to announce a general raise. But even at the increased prices, no other cabinet will be able to compete with Hoosier values.

At the low prices, we offer in this sale—there's never been a bargain to equal them.

Come early—be one of the lucky "forty-four."

Sale Begins on June 1

E. B. Black Co.

Sale Closes on June 15

FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING—HEREFORD, TEXAS

From Camp Travis

DIVISION PUBLICITY OFFICE
90th Division, U. S. N. A.
Camp Travis, Texas.

May 25, 1918.

When the soldier boy's Evelyn Mae sends him a cake and a shoe box of fudge, why, of course he has to write her and tell her how "de-licious" it was. What he doesn't tell her is that the cake got mashed in transit and he had to bury it in the garbage can. Nor does he mention the fact that the candy went astray because the address was faulty, and the sweets poor little Evelyn Mae labored over were dusty dry before they reached her correspondent.

The fact is that the postal service of Camp Travis is cluttered up with ill-packed, ill-addressed, ill-chosen and generally unnecessary parcels of food intended for a body of men who, even if the parcels never arrived at all, would be one of the best fed bodies of men in the country. The ration is a balanced one, every component that is required to make the meals nourishing and appetizing being provided. Fruits and vegetables find their place on the menu in season. The men do not need food from home. When it comes, if it is still in edible condition, the entire assemblage in the barracks of the recipient assist him in stowing it away, and a box that took long hours of thought and preparation disappears in five or ten minutes.

For those who have a sweet tooth and desire dainties between meals, the regimental exchanges are within a hundred yards or so of the farthest barracks, and for a few cents the soldier can fill up on ice cream or candy or other gimeracks. Quarter-pound cakes in sanitary oiled paper may be obtained there also, as well as fruit of all kinds. The ice cream is produced at a factory that has complied with sanitary regulations of the army. The same is true of the candy, and the cakes even bear a "release date" after which they are no longer to be considered fresh and may not thereafter be sold. Although these cakes contain no wheat flour, the substitutes are so cleverly blended that the substitution cannot be detected. All things considered, therefore, if Evelyn Mae wants Private Oswald to have more goodies, she would do far better to send him the money to get them here in camp where they are fresh, than to ship them to him in a fragile hat box or similar container. But even then, Private Oswald is better off as he is, for he gets all he can hold at meal times, and more than that is not good for him anyhow.

Troops at Camp Travis are getting field training now. They march out by regiments and stay out for the day, the company cooks accompanying the men and serving the noon meal from field kitchens. The drills and exercises approximate war conditions as nearly as may be, both men and officers being put through problems of attack and defense over the actual ground, instead of merely being quizzed on what they would do in supposed conditions on supposed territory.

The men appear to enjoy this work much better than the routine drill, although they realize that the latter has its place. But they get out into the country, and when the problem is one of open

warfare, the individual soldier gets an opportunity to see something of the entirety of the work. He begins to realize how his role fits in with the whole scheme. When the problem is one of trench warfare, the necessity for co-operation and synchronization of effort is of still greater importance. And the soldier has a chance to see that, too.

The men like it because it is more like "real soldiering," as they say. They are not forgetting why they are here. These exercises are the nearest approach yet to that end. And that is why the men take to them so readily.

A. & M. COLLEGE IS PRESENTED WITH FINE REGISTERED HERFORD

College Station, Texas, May 24. Prof. John G. Burns, head of the department of animal husbandry at A. & M. College, has just returned from Stamford, where he went a few days ago to select a registered Hereford calf donated to the College by R. V. Colbert and Son of that city. Prof. Burns had his choice of the Messrs. Colberts' entire 1918 crop of registered calves and the one he chose was sired by the famous herd bull, Protector Fairfax, a son of the "King of Hereford Sires", Perfection Fairfax, and his dam in the fine show cow, Mamie, by Armour Cavalier, a son of the great bull, Imported Majestic, owned by the H. B. Armour estate.

The young bull picked for the College was named A. & M. Fairfax and in due time he will be installed at the head of the college herd, the females of which are rich in blood of the famous show and breeding bulls, Beau Donald and Perfection.

A. and M. Fairfax is a half-brother to the Junior and Grand Champion bull, Fairlad Fairfax 2nd, of the 1918 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, Ft. Worth, which together with the Senior and Grand Champion cow and several other blue ribbon winners were exhibited by R. V. Colbert and Son. "The Colbert ranches in Jones, Raskell and Shackelford counties are noted for their well-bred white-faced cattle," Prof. Burns says, "and on the headquarters ranch, one of the best improved cattle breeding establishments in the country, are around 600 registered Hereford cows with a galaxy of herd bulls, headed by Protector Fairfax and Point Comfort 4th, which any breeder would be very proud to own."

While at Stamford Prof. Burns spent a day or so with A. J. Swenson and F. S. Hastings, manager of the Swenson Bros. ranches, in an inspection of the Swenson ranch in Throckmorton county, and he reports that in spite of the severe drought through which that country has passed, the cattle on the Swenson property, as the result of good management, are in good, strong condition. The grass in that country had already started and was greatly benefited by a good rain which fell during his visit there.

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The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

**LIVER DIDN'T ACT
DIGESTION WAS BAD**

Says 65 year Old Kentucky Lady, Who Tells How She Was Relieved After a Few Doses of Black-Draught.

Meadowville, Ky.—Mrs. Cynthia Higginbotham, of this town, says: "At my age, which is 65, the liver does not act so well as when young. A few years ago, my stomach was all out of fix. I was constipated, my liver didn't act. My digestion was bad, and it took so little to upset me. My appetite was gone. I was very weak... I decided I would give Black-Draught a thorough trial as I knew it was highly recommended for this trouble. I began taking it. I felt better after a few doses. My appetite improved and I became stronger. My bowels acted naturally and the least trouble was soon righted with a few

doses of Black-Draught." Seventy years of successful use has made Theodor's Black-Draught a standard, household remedy. Every member, of every family, at times, need the help that Black-Draught can give in cleansing the system and relieving the troubles that come from constipation, indigestion, lazy liver, etc. You cannot keep well unless your stomach, liver and bowels are in good working order. Keep them that way. Try Black-Draught. It acts promptly, gently and in a natural way. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c. a package—One cost a dose. All druggists. 2. 65

Special Announcement
Southland Tire & Rubber Company

W. H. VERNON, Fiscal Agent, Fort Worth, Texas

Capital Stock (\$100 per share) \$2,000,000
Amount to be Invested in Buildings, estimated 500,000

CAPACITY OF FACTORY

1,500 Casings per day, at \$5 net profit each \$7,500
1,500 Tubes per day, at \$1 net profit each 1,500

Net Profit per day 9,000
Working Days per year 300

Net Profit from full capacity of plant \$2,700,000

Divide the Net Profits of our Capital Stock and see what rate of dividend this investment will pay per year. Should the plant produce only 50 per cent of its full capacity first year, it would earn 67 1/2 per cent. There is no water or promotion stock.

STOCKHOLDERS TO BUY AT DISCOUNT

Carrying out the idea of co-operation, it is provided that those who own stock in the Southland Tire & Rubber Company shall have the privilege of buying, at the regular list prices, less 20 per cent discount on casings, and 15 per cent on tubes. This feature alone should make an investment in the capital stock of the company pay a handsome return on the money invested, even though there should be no further opportunity for profits and dividends. In order that stockholders may immediately have this advantage, without waiting for the factory to get into operation, negotiations are now pending with one of the largest factories in the country and arrangements will shortly be made, whereby tires of a standard make will be furnished our stockholders at the above discount until the factory is in operation and we are able to furnish them with our own products.

FORM OF ORGANIZATION

The Southland Tire & Rubber Company is being organized and will be operated along the same lines as the Texas Motor Car Association, which sold a million dollars of its capital stock in fifty days. That was the record selling campaign and the Southland bids fair to even exceed its splendid tribute to Texas loyalty. No section of the United States offers greater opportunities for factories of this kind and none feed them worse. This is a splendid opportunity for you to make a good investment and help "boost" Texas.

It is impossible for our salesman to call on everybody and we therefore suggest that you mail the coupon below, without obligation to you, in order that we may give you full information regarding the "Southland." Mail it to our local representative.

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Please give me full information regarding the Southland Tire & Rubber Co. without obligation to me, and how I can save 15 per cent on tubes and 20 per cent on tires by becoming a member.

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LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

ASHBROOK & SUGGS
HEREFORD, TEXAS

LOCAL DEALER, J. D. THOMPSON & SON
Hereford Texas.
(The "TEXAN" car will be equipped with Southland Tires)

NEW PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULES EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, JUNE SECOND

Amarillo, Texas, May 25, 1918.

Revised passenger train schedules go into effect on all railroads west of Chicago on Sunday, June 2nd by order of the Director General of Railroads. The committee on revision of western schedules had direction to co-ordinate passenger train service and eliminate trains not necessary. The transportation needs of every section were carefully studied and comparatively few trains were cancelled.

Yet the total passenger train miles eliminated will be around 11,728,000 and the saving in operating cost about \$18,000,000 a year. Much equipment urgently needed for moving troops, will also be released and it must be borne in mind that the American railroads are an essential part of the war machine, their prime function being to move troops, food, munitions, and war supplies generally.

The changes effective June 2nd on this part of the Santa Fe Railway are slight. Nos. 113 and 118 supersede Nos. 21 and 22.

No. 113 leaves Kansas City 11:00 A. M., arriving Amarillo 7:00 A. M., Hereford 8:52, Texico 10:16, Clovis 9:35 (mountain time) Ft. Sumner 12:01, P. M., Vaughn 2:30 P. M., Willard 4:43, Mountair 5:07, Belen 6:25, and Albuquerque 7:35 P. M.

No. 118 leaves Albuquerque 10:15 P. M., arriving at Belen 11:15, Mountair 1:10 A. M., Willard 1:35, Vaughn 3:35, Ft. Sumner 5:43, Clovis 7:20, Texico 9:12, Hereford 10:30, Amarillo 11:50, A. M., and Kansas City 7:30 A. M.

Close connection is made at Clovis with trains for the Pecos Valley and for the Gulf coast by way of Lubbock, Sweetwater, and Temple, Texas.

A. M. HOVE

American Teams To Teach Baseball To London.

A Committee on Public Information representative in London says:

London has never heard of a baseball season before, but will get its chance this year when the American baseball league gets its schedule of games well underway. There are eight American and Canadian teams recruited from various organizations stationed in London, with games scheduled for each Saturday during the summer.

The thousands of American soldiers who may pass through London, or be invalided or stationed here, are in a fair way to be made to feel that England is the next

best place to home and that English hearts are kept warm for them.

"Make England the Sammy's 'blightly,'" is the way the English press puts it in urging readers to entertain the American troops. "Blightly" is the war word for everything the soldier wants in intervals of his fighting work; the place where friends, recreation, and homelike comfort await him.

The Weekly-Dispatch recently called for suggestions for a public entertainment to be offered American soldiers and an instant response made thousands of dollars available for amusements and entertainments. The idea that found greatest favor, however, was to throw open the homes of the nation to the Sammys.

An officer commanding an American squadron operating with the British fleet has reported on a late inspection and speaks, in high terms of the present state of efficiency in which he finds both ships and men.

Vessels show the most gratifying improvement in battery and fire control," he said. "Our ships are smart, spick, and span, and have been recipients of many high compliments from British flag officers."

Canadian Order Limits Holdings of Wheat and Sugar

A Canadian order in council provides that no person, with the exception of manufacturers of flour, bakers, confectioners, retail or wholesale dealers, or persons living at a greater distance than 2 miles from a licensed dealer, shall hold or have in his possession or under his control more flour made wholly or in part from wheat than is sufficient for his ordinary requirements for a period not exceeding 15 days.

Anyone living at a distance greater than 2 miles and less than 5 miles from a licensed dealer may hold or control flour made wholly or in part from wheat up to an amount sufficient for his ordinary requirements for a period not exceeding 30 days. Anyone living more than 5 and less than 10 miles from a licensed dealer may have sufficient for his ordinary requirements up to 60 days, while a person living more than 10 miles from such a dealer may have sufficient for his ordinary requirements for a period of 120 days.

Any wholesale or any retail dealer licensed by the Canada food board may not hold flour made wholly or in part from wheat in excess of a quantity sufficient for his ordinary trade requirements for a period exceeding 60 days. The regulation regarding sugar parallels this save in the last

clause. Manufacturers, wholesalers, or retailers may not have more sugar than is required for a period exceeding 45 days.

Young Men Now Twenty-One Cannot Enter the Army Through Recruiting Service After June 5th

El Paso, Texas, May 22.

Captain F. W. Fonda, in command of the El Paso Main Recruiting Station, states that many young men are being accepted for the army this month, and says he is confident the number of applicants who will report between now and June 5th will more than double the number heretofore accepted in any one month this year. Captain Fonda advises that under existing orders recruiting officers are not allowed to accept registered men under any circumstances and that no registered men have been accepted by the recruiting officer since December 15, 1917. President Wilson signed the bill requiring the registration on June 5th of all young men who have become 21 since June 5th, 1917, May 20th, and the El Paso Main Recruiting Station has representatives visiting all towns possible in order that young men may have first hand opportunity to

choose the branch of service most acceptable to them before they are compelled to register, but many applicants are being accepted by mail and telegram, it being impossible to have representatives visit all cities in the District before June 5th. Whether a man is a teamster, tractor driver, expert clerk or laborer, Captain Fonda says there is an opportunity for him to enlist in his capacity, provided he is not registered, as all crafts and trades are required in the different branches of the Service, upon which the draft army will depend for supplies and other necessities.

The Treasury Department looks to the War Savings Campaign to underwrite the entire financial program of the war. Every loan to be floated in the future depends upon how well the lesson of thrift is learned. Are you a good student? War Savings Stamps give the answer.

For Indigestion, Constipation or Bloatingness
Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-FO5 WITH PEPSIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

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THE HEREFORD BRAND

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THE LINES DRAWN

The hour has long since struck when there can be but two classes of people in this country—Americans and Pro-Germans. There can be no such thing as neutrality. Every citizen is either for or against his country. The Government is calling on every man, woman and child within our borders to declare themselves, and the call can no more be evaded than could the call of the ranks. Uncle Sam has no intention of unduly oppressing any person. Nevertheless there is a war to fight and win, a cause to be battled for to a triumph, and in this every person's services are called for and must be given to the extent of that one's ability.

The hour has struck when we must separate the sheep from the goats—the citizens from the parasites and leeches. Ten million of our people are already enrolled, but this is only about one-twentieth of our number. These ten millions are enrolled in the arms-bearing division. But there is an arms-furnishing department to be manned and financed, as well as all the other sinews of war, and to this task the other ninety million are called.

We some time ago arrived at the certain knowledge that the world is at war for a principle, and every human being in this country MUST either accept or reject that principle. Once and for all we must determine whether or not man shall be a free agent or the puppet of a petty tyrant. Once and for all we must determine whether a people shall choose their own allegiance or be subject to the call of royal butchers who would feed them to the Moloch of war purely to further their own lust for power.

And in the determination of this mighty question every person of ordinary intelligence among us will be recorded on one side or the other. As we have stated, there is no middle ground—YOU, reader, are either American or anti-American. This is YOUR home, and its safety is menaced. YOUR services are demanded, and you can no more evade the call than you can evade the issues of life and death.

We repeat, we must separate the sheep from the goats. Every community should label its entire citizenship—loyal or disloyal, as the case may be. Slackers, traitors and pro-Germans should be placed in a class by themselves. Loyal Americans should have no dealings with these people. They should be made to feel the heavy displeasure of their loyal neighbors, be their station or standing what it may.

And in this melting and remoulding process, race or nationality should have absolutely no weight whatever. The loyal American of German blood or nativity should be as warmly welcomed into the ranks of the country's defenders as the purest-blooded American among us. On the other hand, the slacker or pro-German should be so aligned, it matters not if his ancestors came over in the Mayflower or if his fathers fought the British at Bunker's Hill.

The mighty engine of public opinion works slowly. But this engine is warming up for the race, and our advice to the man or woman of un-American proclivities would be to sing very lowly.

THE FASHION in ornaments varies. Just now a Third Liberty Loan button, a War Savings badge and a Red Cross emblem make a most desirable combination, and one that is much worn.

AS TO JAMES E. FERGUSON

The News has received numerous letters asking why it does not report the speeches of ex-Governor Ferguson. The writers of some of these letters say they have heard that The News has entered into an agreement with other papers not to print the speeches of ex-Governor Ferguson, and they ask if it is true.

To this last-named question, the answer is simply no, to which might be added that, in the opinion of The News, such an idea has never entered the mind of any newspaper publisher in Texas.

The News has not been printing the numerous speeches of ex-Governor Ferguson because it believes that his candidacy has no legal status. It believes that the judgment of the Senate, acting as a High Court of Impeachment under the warrant of the Constitution, has rendered him legally incompetent to qualify for the office of Governor. The News is forbidden by that belief from regarding Mr. Ferguson as a candidate for Governor. It could not treat him as such without doing violence to its own conviction, and without putting itself in disrespect of the Legislature and in contempt of the Constitution and the processes of orderly government.

The News is aware, of course, that Mr. Ferguson and some lawyers of respectable personal and professional standing hold that the action of the Legislature is a nullity. Against that opinion stands the opinion of other lawyers whose personal and professional reputation is not less respectable. Having recourse to the Constitution itself, The News sees in its plain and precise terms an insurmountable barrier to Mr. Ferguson's re-entrance into the office of Governor, even if he should receive all the votes that shall be cast. In any case, the burden of establishing his contention properly rests on Mr. Ferguson. If he should get the judgment from any competent tribunal that he is not disqualified to hold the office of Governor, his candidacy would be given the same access to the columns of The News that is accorded to that of any other aspirant to that office. Until he shall succeed in doing that, The News must continue to regard him as an individual whose speeches have no more than an academic interest, and at a time when the wires are freighted with news of momentous importance, academic deliverances can have no just claim to the crowded space of The News.—Dallas News.

YOU WEREN'T DRAFTED, Bud; you were SELECTED.

Selected to help pay a debt that has been long unpaid—a debt for services that have made this the grand country it is; a debt incurred in making YOU the enlightened being you are; a debt that has piled benefits mountain high—your debt to government and civilization. Do you appreciate the honor shown you in the selection? Or have your creditors cast their pearls before swine? Your actions will decide.

THE ARMY MULE is to be prevented from braying.

This can be accomplished by severing some muscles in its tail, as the raising of the tail is an indispensable accompaniment to the bray. This reminds us of Mark Twain's story of the man who tied a stone to the tail of his neighbor's mule so that he himself could enjoy some rest at night.

HON. MARVIN JONES ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY TO SUCCEED HIMSELF

Congressman Marvin Jones Makes Statement

To the citizens of the Eighteenth Congressional District:

I shall be a candidate for reelection to Congress from the Eighteenth District. My term of office began March

4, 1917, just a little more than one year ago. I have attended the sessions regularly, and have attended strictly to the duties of the office. I am in full sympathy with the plans and purposes of the administration in this emergency and shall support it in a vigorous prosecution of the war. I shall favor the subordination of all other issues to the one great task of winning the war in the shortest possible time. That is my creed and the creed of every loyal American citizen.

I have answered two hundred and six roll calls, have dodged no issues and have supported every administration measure that has been presented as the record shows, and I respectfully ask any one interested to examine the record. This is no time for partisan politics. Civilization is in a death struggle. I don't believe the people desire large amounts of money, time, and energy be spent in a political campaign during a war crisis.

In this hour it is the duty of every good citizen to serve wherever and in whatever capacity his government may assign him. Russia is now out of the fight. A heavier task, therefore, falls to our lot. Every available soldier is being and should be sent across just as soon as he can be equipped. Everyone here should be willing to consecrate his material resources to the country's cause. Each, all, everything should be fused into the common purpose. All that we have, all that we are is at stake. Democracy, liberty, humanity, are face to face with autocracy, avarice and brutality. The issues are unclouded. Everyone who can assist. Everyone who possibly can should contribute to the Red Cross. Everyone who possibly can should buy Thrift Stamps and Liberty Bonds. Everyone, regardless of how much

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements for Deaf Smith County will be carried in this paper upon the payment of the following fees, cash with order: District offices \$15.00 County Offices 10.00 Precinct offices 5.00

The following candidates authorize us to announce them for the office under which they are listed, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary:

- For County Judge: Jaa. A. Hughes (Re-election)
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector: C. S. Rucell (Re-election) Geo. W. Cloyd
- For County and District Clerk: A. O. Thompson (Re-election) J. S. Jones
- For County Treasurer: J. J. Ward (Re-election)
- For Tax Assessor: C. P. Arthur C. E. Lester S. G. Moore Albert Murphy A. C. Thompson W. T. (Red) Smith
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: C. C. Bowman F. W. Curtis C. V. Walker

property he possesses, should do some useful work. In the rigid economy of the present, there is no place for the idler. The rich and the poor, the high and the low each—all should melt in a common sentiment and stand shoulder to shoulder and heart to heart, to the end that our declared purposes may be speedily accomplished, a complete victory won, and a lasting peace secured.

I desire to thank the people of this district for their many kindnesses and expressions of continuing confidence. I may add that I shall be pleased at any time to have the views of any constituent on public questions or pending legislation.

Respectfully yours,
MARVIN JONES.

LIKE AN ELECTRIC BUTTON ON TOES

Tells why a corn is so painful and says cutting makes them grow

Press an electric button and you form a contact with a live wire which rings the bell. When your shoes press against your corn it pushes its sharp roots down upon a sensitive nerve and you get a shock of pain.

Instead of trimming your corns, which merely makes them grow, just step into any drug store and ask for a quarter of an ounce of Freezone. This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. A few drops applied directly upon a tender, aching corn stops the soreness instantly, and soon the corn shrivels up so it lifts right out, root and all, without pain. This drug freezone is harmless and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin.

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Great American		23,454,989
North British & Mercantile (U. S. Bank only)		10,061,349
Insurance Co. of North America		28,477,243
Fire Association		12,216,631
Westchester		7,978,374
Eastern Underwriters		4,481,349
Westchester		7,978,349
Palatine (U. S. Branch only)		3,586,808
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Don't forget that any change of title or location means your insurance needs changing

BERKSHIRES hold all records

At the Chicago International last fall Berkshires won Grand Championships in every class entered, over all breeds in the production of pork. Now Berkshires hold all price records.

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is a brother of the highest priced hogs ever sold. He's the pork-making kind—the farmer kind. He's at the head of my herd. Raise Berkshires for pork. Get a sow bred to Epochal's Lone Star.

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We have a large stock of oil ranges that we are going to move at the following prices:

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This is far below the regular prices and we want to put one of these stoves in every home in Deaf Smith and Surrounding Counties

Dunlap Hardware Company

Buy War Saving Stamps. Buy Thrift Stamps.

THE TEPARY BEAN

United States Food Administration
516 Slaughter Building
Dallas, Texas

Dallas, Texas, May 1918.—That Texas can supply the world with beans is the opinion of Mr. W. S. Reyher, who has had many years' experience in raising beans in California. He especially recommends the Tepary bean as well suited to Texas soil, rainfall and climatic conditions.

"Bean planting, cultivation and harvesting are of the simplest nature," says Mr. Reyher. "Most beans now grown in Texas are gathered by hand, which is slow and expensive, and of the kind heretofore raised only one crop can be grown in a season. A few years ago California began raising beans on a small scale, much as Texas is doing now, and in 1917 the acreage there had grown to five hundred and fifty thousand acres."

"The Tepary bean is a small, white bush bean, resembling the navy bean for which it is sometimes sold. Under similar conditions the Tepary will produce four times as much per acre as any other bean. It is a native wild bean of northern Mexico, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas. The Arizona Agricultural Experiment Station began the study of the wild Tepary ten years ago, and has developed in the white Tepary a prolific bean that can be successfully grown in arid and semi-arid regions. Good crops of Teparies have been produced in Arizona in sections having an average rainfall of only seven inches. The Tepary is well suited to practically all soils and every section of Texas, and may be grown either with or without irrigation."

"If sowed broadcast and grown for hay the Tepary is equal to alfalfa, and under favorable conditions will produce three tons per acre. As a field crop, intensively cultivated, it has produced as high as thirty (30 lb.) bushels per acre. Under dry farming methods it yields from four to seven hundred pounds per acre, and would be profitable at eight cents per pound, a gross income of \$30 to \$60 per acre. The Tepary germinates quickly even with a low moisture content in the soil, will withstand protracted drouths without permanent injury returning to full vigor whenever the rains fall, with stands great extremes of temperature and will bloom, and seed at any time from May to November. If the crop should fall the ground can be plowed as soon as rain comes and Teparies planted with every assurance of a crop as they mature in ninety days. This leaves enough time for the ground to be prepared for wheat or oats, and two crops of Te-

paries may be secured in one season followed by a winter wheat crop sowed in November.

"If planted in April Teparies can be harvested in July, and another crop planted and harvested in October. If the fall crop of hay is plowed under it will add sufficient nitrates to the soil to greatly increase the yield of any crop grown on the same ground the following year. As a cover crop of a crop to follow wheat or oats the Tepary bean will produce more money than an average grain crop. It will grow and flourish when all other crops are dried up by the heat of the summer. The approved method of planting is in drills thirty inches apart, three beans every twelve inches in the drill. A bushel (60 lb.) planted in this manner will seed about three acres. If the soil is moist at time of planting the beans will begin to come up within five days, and if the ground is weedy cultivation should begin at once. If, however, it is clean and loose and no rain comes, cultivation should be deferred for a week or two. The more the crop is cultivated the better the returns, as a general rule."

"Teparies can be planted with a corn or bean planter as cotton or corn is planted, and cultivated in much the same way. They may be harvested by using a bean cutter or mowing machine, and threshed with an ordinary threshing or peanut huller. After being cut they are usually raked into wind-rows and left to dry for a few days. The hay can then be loaded on wagons and hauled to the place of threshing. The threshing machine should have a cleaning attachment or the beans may be cleaned by using a fanning mill. By the use of a light tractor in planting and cultivating one man can care for fifty acres, which will solve the labor question."

"Last year's crop of California white beans has been taken over by the Government, which paid four million dollars for thirty million pounds. The Colorado bean crop has also been commandeered. This indicates a market for all the beans that may be grown."

"A Grayson county farmer last year produced one hundred and fifty-seven bushels on ten acres of sandy land. He says the Teparies set and matured beans during the hottest weather. Part of his crop was planted in July on land that had already produced a crop of Irish potatoes and yielded sixteen bushels of nine hundred and sixty lbs. to the acre."

"A farmer in the Rio Grande Valley has found the Tepary well adapted as a follow crop after potatoes, corn and early vegetables. He has planted them with success even as late as September, 15 pounds to the acre in rows three and a half to four feet apart gave

him a good stand.

"The hay is liked by cattle, and can also be fed to horses and mules after they have learned to eat it."

"For table-use Teparies should be soaked twelve hours before cooking which causes them to swell to twice their original volume and to more than double in weight. Some cooks prefer to parboil them for twenty minutes with a little cooking soda after which they drain and wash the beans and boil again in fresh water until thoroughly done. It is recommended that neither salt nor fat be added to the beans until after they are thoroughly cooked, as both have a tendency to toughen them."

"Teparies can be readily distinguished from other white beans by placing a few in a glass of water; within ten minutes the skins will wrinkle."

Seed for planting may be obtained as follows:

Texas Seed and Floral Company, Dallas, Texas. (20c per pound.)

Robert Nicholson, Dallas, Texas. (20 cents per pound.)

E. J. Allin, Route 3, Bx 11, Millsap, Texas.

Bevil Bros., McAllen, Texas.

C. S. Elliott, Pharr, Texas.

A. H. Jackson, Demson, Texas. (10c in large quantities.)

Terrill Bros., DeLeon, Texas. (12c)

In view of the fact that the Tepary bean is so well suited to the soil, rainfall, and climatic condition of the State, that two crops can be grown in one year, and that it can be planted as late as August 1, that it is very drought resistant and an excellent cover crop to follow spring gardens, wheat and oats, the Texas Industrial Congress has undertaken to secure a large acreage of them. It advocates and will assist at the proper time in the formation of a bean growers' association, similar to that of California, for the purpose of marketing all of the Teparies and all other beans that may be produced in Texas. (Prepared for the United States Food Administration by the Texas Industrial Congress.)

AUTOMOBILES MUST HAVE NUMBER PLATES

Constable W. G. Ross has requested The Brand to publish the letter below from the State Highway Department. Mr. Ross wishes the announcement made that since Number plates will be available from this time forward, there is no legitimate excuse for automobiles being without them, and therefore the law will be strictly enforced. The letter follows:

Austin, Texas, May 20, 1918.
To Any Peace Officer,
Dear Sir:
Announcement is made by the State Highway Department that up to this date 249,300 registra-

tions of automobiles have been recorded since registrations first began. Number plates have been received from the factory up to and including 261,000.

The Department is now sending out about four thousand pairs of these number plates daily by parcel post. Up to date we have reached the last registration number. After Wednesday there is no reason why each application in correct form should not immediately receive a number plate, seal and certificate from the Highway Department, and that there should not be any delay hereafter. If applicants do not receive their number plates, seals and certificates by Wednesday they should inquire of the Department and have tracers sent out.

Every person entitled to a number plate who has heretofore registered (up to 250,000) should be in possession of some not later than Thursday or Friday and the Department respectfully invites inquiries from those parties who have registered heretofore and who have not yet received their seal, certificate and number plate.

Enforcement officers throughout the State, police departments, sheriffs, and constables are respectfully requested to make complaints against the owners or drivers of all automobiles on the highways who do not show the seal for 1918 and number plates as provided by law. Every automobile owner using the highways without displaying the 1918 seal and number plates is a delinquent and is violating the law and is subject to the penalties imposed by the law.

Very truly,
STATE HIGHWAY DEPT.,
Geo. A. DUREN,
(Chief Clerk)

Citation on Application
THE STATE OF TEXAS:
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Deaf Smith County, GREETING:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Deaf Smith County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To all persons interested in the Estate of George T. Higgins deceased.
W. R. Higgins and J. R. Higgins have filed in the County Court of Deaf Smith County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Tes-

tament of said George T. Higgins, deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary and for such other and further orders as to the court may seem proper, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1918, the same being the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1918, at the Court House hereof, in Hereford, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Hereford, this the 9th day of May, 1918.

(Seal) A. O. Thompson, Clerk
County Court Deaf Smith County, Texas.

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MISS CECIL GILLILAND, Phone 36

MUSIC STUDY CLUB CLOSURE

The Music Study Club met in open session Monday, May 27, 1918, at the home of Mrs. C. C. Ferguson...

A program, consisting of short talks, songs, and piano selections most characteristic of the country represented, had been arranged and was rendered as well as received with genuine pleasure.

Following is the program as given:

- Marche Militaire (2 pianos) Koelling
Mrs. Stanford Mrs. Broadwell
Mrs. Snyder Mrs. Gibson
Scandinavia Mrs. Price
O Mother Mine Sinding
Mrs. Fox
Russia and Poland Mrs. Cardwell
Valse Brillante Moszkowski
Mrs. Parker, Miss Tarver
Germany, Austria, Bohemia Miss Betts
Scherzo op. Wollenhaupt
Misses Betts and Gregg
France Mrs. George Barber
In Autumn Chamblaine
Miss Coffin
My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice... Saint Sacus
Misses Chamness, Oberthier, Tarver
England and Italy Mrs. Crouch
Santa Lucia Chorus
America Miss Annie Price
Sunset Dudley Buck
Mrs. Chamness

Rapodie Mignonne (2 pianos) Koelling
Miss Ina Gregg, Miss Mabel Betts
Mrs. Dyar Mrs. Monday
Chorus: Sopranos: Mesdames Norton, Allen, Wilkinson, Stocking, Gibson, Ferguson, Alto: Mesdames R. Barber, Dyar, Ashbrook, Geo. Barber and Miss Jane Gregg.

At the conclusion of the program, delicious refreshments of strawberry brick ice cream and Angel Food cake were served by Misses Emma Belle Elliott, Annie Willy Lea, Dorothy Barber, Annie Fitzhugh Parker, and Grace Ferguson.

The year's work being finished, the Club adjourned to meet again early in September, at which time a more intensive study of American Music and some miscellaneous work will be taken up.

Paper written by Miss Annie Price and read at the open meeting of the Music Study Club.

MUSIC IN AMERICA

In the brief space allotted to me I shall not attempt to give a synopsis of American Music. Since the very founding of America she has had music, but since her col-

onization it has been more or less Europeanized. True we have had some wonderful specimens in Mason, Gottschalk, MacDowell, Sousa, and others, who have exhibited the tendency toward originality. But today, as never before, we see the music of America in the process of Americanization, or as we sometimes put it—the tendency toward "America for Americans."

At present there is being worked in the Northern and Eastern schools a very successful and encouraging experiment. That is, putting music on a credit basis in the schools like the other subjects of the curriculum. At a recent meeting of the National Conference of Music Supervisors in Evansville, Ind. it was clearly demonstrated that the credit scheme was successful and the supervisor proved to the musical world that American children were musical and would readily take hold of music if it were within their reach. Ira Hamilton, the Chicago authority, declares that "If America is to be a musical nation Public Schools are to be the means of making it such. Instead of their specializing, they merely inspire the musical ones to specialize, bring pupils into a certain degree of musical appreciation, and create an incentive for intensive and extensive study."

The Community Songs are rapidly increasing in popularity. We find them being engaged in by all classes of people from the elect of Washington, D. C. to the most uncouth Sammie in our Army Camps. Last October a bill was introduced into our National Congress providing for a National Conservatory, fostered and maintained by the Government. This bill was to be brought up again May 13th. It provided for division into four branches, one located in Washington, D. C., another in New York State, another in Illinois, and the last in California.

A very strong proof of the elevation of Music as a profession is shown in the newly organized "Musical Alliance". One of the most Philanthropic effects of the Alliance is seen in the tendency to elevate local bands, orchestras, and choirs. The participants in these local organizations are gaining recognition in the social as well as musical world, and are no longer looked upon as ordinary vagabonds and beggars, as they were during the reign of Queen Elizabeth. This Alliance is founded by Jno. C. Freund and the following are its chief aims, briefly

stated: to demand recognition of music and music workers; to work for the introduction of music and musical instruments into the public schools, with proper credit for work done; to aid all associations and clubs who purpose the advancement of musical culture; to encourage participants in the Musical circles—resident in the U. S.; to induce Municipalities to provide funds for music for the people; to oppose attempts to discriminate against American music and musicians because of nationality; to favor the establishment of a National Conservatory; and to urge that a Department of Fine Arts be established in the National Government and a Secretary of Fine Arts be a member of the Cabinet.

Mr. Freund has been severely criticized for the formation of such an organization, saying that it is from a pecuniary standpoint that he is interested; however, since he is known in music circles as "The Grand Old Man" of America—being now seventy years old, 'tis a small effort for him to show a clean record so far as self aggrandizement goes. Another proof that America is for Americans, is the fact that the Metropolitan Opera Co., has just dropped eighteen alien singers—retaining only Frieda Hempel, Mme. Matzenauer, and Bodanzky. More American Artists have been recognized within the last year than ever before in a like period of time in any country.

In the approaching session of the National Music Teachers' Association to convene in New York June 25, 26 and 27, the music is to be exclusively American and the participants are to be the leading American Artists.

America's coming into her own in a musical way is one of the already evident good results of the great international struggle for World Democracy.

Mrs. W. J. Gilliland entertained a number of the young people of Hereford last Saturday night in honor of Miss Lois Carlyle and her brother Howard. The evening passed very quickly to the young folks who were kept busy playing "Forty-Two" and listening to instrumental music played by Miss Carlyle and Mr. Mann. Patriotic songs were sung. Delicious ice cream and angel food cake was served.

The Mothers' Club had an all-day meeting Tuesday with Mrs. W. M. Cogdell as hostess. The forenoon passed while the nine ladies present did Red Cross sewing. In the afternoon a business meeting was held.

The spacious home of Mrs. Chas. Donald was the scene of much merriment and pleasure on Tuesday morning, May 28th, when the Bay View Club held its closing program of the year in honor of Mrs. A. C. Elliott, who is leaving soon for Portales, N. M. The honoree's love for flowers gave the inspiration for the beautiful decorations, everywhere pink and white Rosebuds were found blooming in artistic confusion.

Following the program of the year quite a little amusement was derived from a "questionnaire" relating to the names of celebrated musicians. After the riddles were all untangled the delightful little song, "Sweet and Low", by Alfred Tennyson, was impressively sung by Mesdames McLean and Guthrie.

The charming personality of Mrs. R. T. Evans was enjoyed by all when she graciously gave two dioclet readings, "Nathous flat" and "Mrs. Rastus Johnson at the telephone."

Mrs. F. T. Roloson voiced the deep regret of the club members at losing such a loyal member, and in her pleasing manner conveyed to Mrs. Elliott the desires of the Club for her future happiness in her new home. Parting the Club presented Mrs. Elliott with a beautiful gift and an original friendship book.

An ice course carrying out the color scheme of pink and white was served by little Misses Donald and Stubbs.

The last meeting of the Delphian Club for the current year will be held at the courthouse next Monday afternoon, in the U. D. C. rooms.

The members of the Wesley Bible Class and a number of their friends enjoyed a great treat of the spring season Tuesday evening when, some forty in number, motored to the an ideal spot on the Tierra Blanco where they spent about four hours in real open, some fishing, some frolic-ing up and down the stream, and the entire crowd joining in playing various interesting games. A most delicious dinner meal was

served from the many baskets of edibles. Then they played some more, making the last course of the lunch, ice cream in cones, all the more relished. This occasion was a real "kid time" to most of the grown-ups.

MISS MINNIE D. COFFIN LEAVES FOR HOME TO MEET BROTHER

Miss Minnie Dee Coffin, teacher of music in the Hereford public schools, left for her home at Blum, Texas, near Fort Worth, Tuesday of this week in order to have a short visit with a soldier brother, who is home on leave. Miss Coffin expects to return shortly to wind up incomplete business affairs.

RED CROSS QUOTA

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- Dalton, Carl 4.00
Dalton, M. E. 5.00
Day, J. E. 1.00
Dougherty, W. A. 4.00
Dobbins, Joe .50
Dugan, Vera 1.00
Dugan, J. W. 4.00
Dameron, Mrs. W. B. 5.00
Dalton, Mrs. F. M. .50
Doak, H. C. 5.00
Dent, Mrs. .50
Morgan, Mrs. 1.00
Davis, Mrs. Katherine M. 1.00
Daniel, W. A. 1.00
Dixon, Mrs. C. C. 2.50
Dixon, C. C. 2.50
Daniel, J. H. 2.00
Draper, C. A. 1.00
Dodson, J. H. 1.00
Durrflinger, A. 1.00
Dickson, C. L. 1.00
Donner, E. L. 1.00
Estes, John 100.00
Eyrans, R. L. 100.00
Estes, Mrs. John (W. S. S.) 83.20
Elliott, Mrs. Robt. 25.00
Edwards, S. B. 25.00
Edwards, Lula 5.00
Elliott, Alfred 5.00
Elsherry, A. T. 1.00
Edmondson, Lewey 1.00
Elliott, R. L. 5.00
Fox Merc. Co. 100.00
Frye, Carl 100.00
Fuqua, Mr and Mrs J. L. 75.00
Ferguson, C. C. 50.00
Forson, P. H. 25.00
Fertsch, L. 25.00
Forson, Mrs. P. H. 50.00
Frause, Burt 5.00
Foster, A. A. 1.00
Finley, A. F. 2.50
Fox, H. K. 5.00
Fullwood, Mrs. 1.00
Fox, W. O. 5.00
Ford, J. W., wife & daughter. 3.00
Fuqua, J. L. Jr. .50
Fullwell, W. C. 5.00
Gilliland, Mr and Mrs. Carl. 100.00
Galloway, Mrs. E. B. 100.00
Garrison, C. S. 100.00
Gass, D. K. & Son 100.00
Gibson, A. L. 50.00
Guthrie, Mrs. B. F. 50.00
Gallagher, C. F. 50.00
Mrs. L. Gough S. S. Class. 50.00
Craig, J. K. 25.00
Quinn, Mrs. G. H. 25.00
Gilliland, J. M. 25.00
Goswin, Mr and Mrs. A. D. 50.00
Gulf Refining Co. 5.00
Galley, Lester 10.00
Gallagher, Mary 10.00
Gyles, J. E. 4.46
Gilliland, Ray 10.00
Gough, L. 10.00
Gordon, W. R. 10.00
Gregg, Clyde 2.00
Gains, Mrs. Lee 1.00
Gilliland, Margaret 1.00
Gregg, Jane 10.00
Galley, Mrs. C. P. 1.00
Godwin, A. G. 10.00
Woodlight, M. W. 10.00
Gilliam, R. W. 1.00
Galloway, Mrs. E. B. 1.00
Gschler, Jno. and family. 2.00
Granberry, J. G. 1.00
Gilliland, Mrs. L. E. 5.00
Gilliland, Cecil 1.00
Gates, John 2.50
Guinn, Geo. .50
Galley, Mrs. C. A. .50
Greer, Mrs. C. 5.00
Gordon, Jno. W. 1.00
Glava, Mr and Mrs. A. D. 5.00
Green, H. G. 5.00
Gough, Elder L. 1.00
Gabbert, W. F. 10.00
Grimes, D. R. 2.00
Gabbert, Mrs. W. F. 5.00
Gaetz, Mrs. Jno. .50
Garrett, J. S. and wife. 2.00
Grimes, Dee 1.00
Harrison, Mr and Mrs. E. W. 100.00
Hicks, Mr and Mrs. J. W. 100.00
Hicks, Mr and Mrs. W. E. 100.00
Hough, Mr and Mrs. E. W. 50.00
Hughes, J. A. 50.00
Higgins, Jim 50.00
Heard, Dr. G. W. 25.00
Hawkins, D. W. 25.00
Hammer, J. B. 10.00
Hammer, Mrs. J. B. 10.00
Henry, J. W. 10.00
Henry, Mrs. J. W. 10.00
Hoffman, Mrs. T. E. 10.00
Higgins, Mrs. G. L. 5.00
Host, C. M. 10.00
Harris, Bernice 2.50
Hull, O. G. 10.00
Harris, W. G. Harris 9.00
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Hough, R. W. 10.00
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Hughes, J. H. 2.50
Hodges, Mrs. .50
Higgins, A. B. 5.00
Hammer, M. L. 5.00
Hardman, J. C. 1.00
Hardman, John 1.00
Hardman, Virginia 1.00
Hardman, Mrs. J. C. 1.00
Housley, Ray and family. 5.00
Housley, E. E. 10.00
Honiets, Eustice 2.00
Hoffman, Henry 1.00
Hines, T. H. 1.00
Holland, W. C. .25
Hodges, Chas. 1.00
Hodges, Mrs. W. J. .50
Ivey, Mr and Mrs. J. C. 100.00

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STAR THEATRE

FRIDAY, MAY 31st

We present for your approval William Farnum in "A HEART OF A LION". The Heart of a Lion is a thrilling story of love and life in the lumber camps. The story is taken from Ralph Connor's novel, "The Doctor". William Farnum will be remembered in "The Conqueror", "The Bondman", "The Spy" and a number of other great productions. "The Heart of a Lion" is in seven parts and we know that you will be more than pleased.

ADMISSION: Children 9c, tax 1c; Adults 22c, tax 3c.

SATURDAY, MATINEE AND NIGHT

William Fox presents smiling GEORGE WALSH in "JACK SPURLOCK—PRODIGAL" adopted from the Saturday Evening Post story in five parts. If you like pictures with plenty of fun do not miss this production as George always furnishes plenty from start to finish.

ADMISSION: Matinee, Children 9c, tax 1c; Adults 13c, tax 2c. Night: 9c, tax 1c; 18c, tax 2c

MONDAY, JUNE 3rd

Triangle Film Corporation presents Alma Rubens and Texas Gulman in "THE LOVE BROKERS". Alma Rubens, the radiantly beautiful and Texas Gulman former winter garden favorites, play the leading roles in this dramatic and gripping photoplay, "The Love Brokers", and are supported by an able Triangle cast.

Children 9c, tax 1c. Adults 18c, tax 2c.

TUESDAY, JUNE 4th

Metro Pictures Corporation presents BERT LYTEL in "The Trail of Yesterday". Bert Lytell will be remembered as the leading star in "The Lone Wolf" and "Empty Pockets". "The Trail of Yesterday" is a red blooded tale of the Western Plains and Ranches. With Bert Lytell you will see Anna Q. Nilson, Harry S. Northup, Ernest Maupin, who all stands at the top of the ladder as famous actors.

Children 9c, tax 1c. Adults 22c, tax 3c.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5th

We present for your approval DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in "HEADIN SOUTH". If it is fun you like this is the picture you want to see. Doug always furnishes plenty of fun with a few thrills in the bargain. "Headin South" is promised to be one of Doug's best pictures, so do not forget the date.

ADMISSION: Children 9c, tax 1c; Adults 22c, tax 3c

THURSDAY, JUNE 6th

Greater Vitagraph presents NELL SHIPMAN and ALFRED WHITMAN in "The Home Trail". If "The Home Trail" is good enough for the patrons of the Strand Theatre, New York City, is should please the patrons of the Star Theatre. "The Home Trail" is a picture that will please all who appreciate good strong dramatic acting with all the smut left out.

Night: Children 9c, tax 1c; Adults 18c, tax 2c

COMING: Monday, June 10th, Charlie Chaplin in "A Dog's Life". Tuesday, June 11th, Bushman and Bayne in "Cyclone Higgins". Wednesday, June 12th, William S. Hart in "Blueblazes Rowden". Friday, June 14, "Treasure Island", an all star Fox Super Production.

STAR THEATRE

Back to the blue shirt!

William Farnum, in all the manly bravery of the parts the public love so well, is coming to town. In "The Heart of a Lion," the stalwart William Fox star makes his reappearance, bringing with him a story of absorbing interest and excitement.

At the Star Theatre, on Friday, May 31, "The Heart of a Lion" will be shown. It is undoubted that all lovers of William Farnum will be unable to see the photoplay at this one showing, but the print of the picture allotted to this territory is in such demand that no longer engagement can be played.

"The Heart of a Lion" is taken from a novel by Ralph Connor called "The Doctor." Mr. Connor, whose real name is Charles W. Gordon, is now a major in the Canadian Highlanders. "The Doctor" is one of his best known and most popular works, as are also "Black Rock" and "The Man from Glengarry."

The story of this magnificent picture revolves about two brothers, Barney Kemper (Mr. Farnum) and Dick (William Courtleigh, Jr.). Dick is a worthless sort of youth who does not awaken to a realization of his own shiftlessness until Barney catches him making love to the woman engaged to marry himself. Then, Dick reforms, studies for the ministry, is ordained and sent to a lumber camp.

Barney, who has withdrawn completely from civilization after the loss of his faith in Dick, has become physician in this same camp. When the rough backwoodsmen of the community attack Dick and wound him, Barney reveals his identity and does his best to nurse his brother back to health and life.

Two women play important roles in this production, Mary Martin and Wanda Petit. It is easy to see how Mr. Farnum could love them both.

What would you do, if after a night at the cabaret you discovered a big bear in your bathroom and it dived upon you that you bought the animal for a pet? This may happen to you—this is the age of surprises—so you are advised to see "Jack Spurlock—Prodigal" at the Star Theatre Saturday, June 1, Matinee and Night, where George Walsh the William Fox star, as young Spurlock, solves the problem of disposing of the 300-pound Alaska brute. Mr. Bear makes it interesting for the Harvard Faculty

and his young owner before he is gotten rid of.

"Jack Spurlock—Prodigal" was written by George Horace Lorimer, editor Saturday Evening Post in serial form and later in book form. The story made a hit and the book attained the distinction of being the "best seller" on the market.

"Jack Spurlock—Prodigal" is the story of a young Harvard student's experience beginning after he had been dropped from Harvard because of his escapade with the bear. He was a self-reliant chap and when his millionaire father placed him in charge of his business he sought to make a good stroke by buying a few hundred carloads of onions not knowing that his daddy had already purchased 500 cars. It works out all right, but before the film story is unfolded young Spurlock has many funny and thrilling experiences.

"The Trail of Yesterday," the red-blooded tale of the Western plains and ranches which comes to the Star Theatre on Tuesday, June 3, presents the virile young star, Bert Lytell in his initial Metro All-Star Series picture. To escape unjust punishment for a crime of which he is guiltless, Ned Keegles (played by Bert Lytell) goes West. As time goes on, he becomes known as "Dakota," the terror of the plains. A storm brings "Dakota" and a girl together in a lonely cabin. When he learns that she is the daughter of the man who killed his father, "Dakota" forces a preacher, who also sought shelter, to marry the girl to him. Revenge has taken possession of the heart of the outlaw, but fate steps in, and compels him to aid the girl for whom he determined to make life miserable. A spark of love is kindled which results in happiness for the outlaw and the girl.

Mrs. Martha Hammer and son, W. H. Hammer, came in Saturday from Brokenarrow, Okla. Mrs. Hammer will spend a greater part of the summer with her son, J. B. Hammer. However, W. H. Hammer left Monday for Lamarado, Colo.

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FOR SALE—A good home, well located. 2-1f. Geo. A. Stambaugh.

FOR SALE—100 head coming yearling heifers, 40 head white-face cows. Delivered middle of May; will sell right. 9 miles northeast Hereford. 12-3c-pd-1f J. C. HARDMAN.

PLANTS! The Bradley Yam slips—extra fine; now ready. 16-31* G. C. MAJOR, Phone 97, South Hereford.

FOR SALE—5 room house, not close in; plenty ground. Cash or Terms. See Earl E. Wilson. 15-41*

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HOUSE FOR SALE or Rent. 16-1f* Western National Bank.

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WANTED—50 acres soil broken. See. 18-1f* P. W. PRICE.

FOR SALE—Good 8 room residence, close in. Price reasonable. Call at 18-41-pd (7) THE BRAND.

SAND AND GRAVEL FOR SALE—Guy Smith, residence telephone 87, will make dates and price for sand and gravel delivered. Give 3 days notice at least. Have the best found in Deaf Smith County. 8-1f T. B. SLAUGHTER.

FOR SALE—8500 acre ranch in N. W. Kansas, large 8 room house, barn, corrals, sheds, etc. 400 acres in cultivation; good grass; have had plenty of rain; watered by living stream and wind mills; two miles from shipping point; some sub-irrigated river valley land; 90 percent tillable. \$11.00 per acre; \$1 per acre down, \$1 per acre each year until paid out. 51.2 per cent interest. Immediate possession. 18-11* A. A. OTT.

SAND AND GRAVEL—Suitable for any work, at pit on my ranch one mile east of town, or delivered. Price right. 49-1f. T. B. SLAUGHTER.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two sets of single harness and Surrey; good as new—a bargain. M. A. Fox, at Fox Mercantile Co. 12-1f*

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FOR SALE—100 head white face cows and 100 head two-year-old heifers. Will sell all or any part. 14-1f* C. HIGGINS.

FOR SALE—I have a first class second-hand touring car for sale, cheap. 1-1f. L. W. HOUGH.

FOR SALE—60 head two and three year old steers. 13-1f* MRS. G. R. WARD, Hereford, Texas.

FOR SALE—480 A. Improved land; 100 acres in cultivation; 1-1-2 miles from school; 5 miles from town; free range; unlimited supply of water; \$17.50 per acre if taken at once. Write J. R. BRADLEY, Sheridan Lake, Colorado. Box 2. 18-41*

FOR SALE—Jersey cow, 3 years old. 18-21-pd H. C. BOWSER.

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Jowell, G. R.	100.00
Jones, A. M.	50.00
Johnson, Bessie G.	25.00
Jacobs, Mrs. J. W.	10.00
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Jones, E. A.	1.00
Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. E. A.	10.00
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Kibbe, Lora	10.00
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Keupp, J. J.	1.00
Keith, Elzy	1.50
Kimmons, B.	2.50
Laird, Mr. and Mrs. D. C.	100.00
Letiraud, Mrs. G. F.	50.00
Lupton, Mrs. W. P.	50.00
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Lake, Mrs. F. R.	1.00
Lindsey, Mrs. J. J.	2.00
Landon, Mr. and Mrs. A. B.	2.00
Laird, Mrs. D. C.	1.00
Lindsay, J. O.	15.00
Lipsey, M. I.	1.00
Larson, Geo. J.	5.00
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Milner, W. A.	25.00
Moore, S. G.	25.00
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Mercer, Mrs. E.	5.00
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PARMER COUNTY NEWS

FRIONA NEWS

The rain on Saturday evening was a most welcome visitor to the people of the Friona country. About an inch of water fell in the form of rain and hail. We are thankful for the moisture and also thankful that we had no wheat to be destroyed by the hail.

On Thursday evening of last week this locality was visited by the worst dust or sand storm ever experienced by our people. The dust in the air was so thick that the darkness was almost as dense as night, almost suffocating for several minutes and the wind was so strong as to do considerable damage. The roof of the porch on the south side of the bank building was torn away and carried over the top of the building and landed in the yard on the north side of the building with considerable damage to the roof and brick work at the top of the building.

Harry Hughes spent a part of last week in Oklahoma, where he went to secure pasture for his cattle. He returned Friday, having secured plenty of pasture and reports lots of rain and good grass in the part of the state which he visited. The recent rain here may however, cause him to alter his plans.

R. S. Houlette and son have sold their farm near Findlay to Clyde Seamond and sold all their stock and machinery at public auction on Tuesday. The fact that Ernest is likely to be called to the army and the generally unsettled condition of affairs is the cause of their selling out.

Eustace Houlette and Edward Trevey, two more of our most estimable young men were called to join the colors at Camp Travis last Friday. Mr. Houlette is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Houlette of Friona and Mr. Trevey, whose home is in central Texas, has been assistant principal of the Friona school during the past term. He departed Wednesday evening in order that he might spend one day with his home folks before going to the training camp. He taught a very successful term of school here and made friends of all who knew him, by his genial and courteous disposition.

F. W. Reeve who was appointed as school trustee to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of C. G. Taylor, has accepted the appointment and qualified as such and is now a full-pledged trustee. H. W. Wright, who was appointed to take the place of John White, who also resigned, has not yet qualified and it seems probable that another appointment may have to be made. There are a number of men who make excellent trustees but it is a question

whether the "Boss" (1) would allow them to serve if appointed.

Rev. Grantham preached the Memorial Day sermon at the Congregational church Sunday. It was a masterly discourse and expressed the speaker's broadmindedness and liberal views of conditions both past and present.

Memorial Day will be observed here this year as usual by appropriate services. The people will assemble at the Congregational church at 10 o'clock a. m. from whence they will form a procession to visit the cemetery to decorate the graves; after which they will repair to their homes or elsewhere for dinner and reassemble at the church at 1:30 p. m. for the afternoon program. There will be no public dinner served, but all who care to bring dinner will find a convenient and comfortable place to serve same in the dining room and kitchen in the church basement, which will be thrown open for that purpose.

In the recent Red Cross drive we have the satisfaction of knowing that Parmer county went over the top by a good safe sum. I. Corhn has been appointed by county president, Graham, as manager for the Friona territory and he is leaving no stone unturned to the end that Friona does her part in this great work.

Last Friday witnessed the closing of another very successful term of school at Friona, thus reminding that another revolution in the cycle of time has passed and that two more of our young people have been ushered out, either to meet the stern realities of life or to face the duties thrust upon them by higher institutions of learning. The term just closed has been pronounced by all without a dissenting voice, as a truly successful school, which should mean much both to the teachers and officers, who have without exception, been untiring in their efforts to give to the people of our town and surrounding localities the best that is possible to have in the way of educational facilities. They have had many gigantic problems to solve and many unforeseen difficulties to overcome but they kept doggedly at it and have the satisfaction of having seen their plans carried out for at least one term. Our county superintendent states without hesitation that we have the best school in Parmer county. At the beginning of the term one new additional teacher was employed making five teachers in all, and two new branches were installed, namely: "domestic economy and manual training." This was done at great expense for equipment and room and the classification of the school has been advanced from that of a third class to a second-class high school, and we are informed by our superintendent that it is within our reach

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to advance to the position of first class. Is anything too good for the children of Friona? No; not if we can get it. Then let us look for still greater achievements under the leadership of a progressive board of trustees.

The school board has re-employed all the members of the present faculty for the next term with exception of Mr. Trevey who has been called to the service of his country. This leaves a vacancy for a man who can fill the position of principal and also teach in the manual training department.

The functions attending the closing of school occupied four nights of the past week. On Sunday night the Baccalaureate sermon was preached at the Congregational church by Rev. Grantham. On Wednesday night the high school play, entitled "Claim Allowed", was rendered by the members of the Senior class. This was a patriotic play of high class and was attended by a packed house, every bit of available room being occupied. The actors each did credit to the characters they represented and the large audience was well pleased as was manifested by the continued rounds of applause which followed each act. The commencement exercises on Thursday night were not so well attended on account of the stormy condition of weather, but notwithstanding the weather

conditions there was a fair sized audience out to hear a most interesting program. Miss Florence Schlenker and Carl Maurer were the only members of the graduating class. The commencement address was made by Judge J. D. Hamlin of Farwell which was practical and instructive and filled with sensible admonitions to both old and young. Miss Cullum as principal of the school, with a few well-chosen remarks, delivered the diplomas to the graduates and the certificates of promotion to those who will enter the high school next year. On Friday evening the pupils of the primary and intermediate departments entertained with an excellent program of songs, drills, recitations and plays. The auditorium was again filled to its utmost capacity and all were highly pleased with the program and manner in which it was executed by the children.

J. C. Winn is at Towner Colorado this week and last, having gone there to accompany a large shipment of cattle for R. P. Lee of that place. Mr. Lee came here the week before and purchased the cattle from F. W. Reeve to ship to his Colorado ranch for summer pasturage in preparation for the fall market.

LIVE STOCK MOVEMENTS

- O. G. Hill, two cars cattle to Bartlesville, Okla.
- Arthur Norton, one car cattle to Kansas City.
- Shore Bros., twelve cars cattle to Perico, Texas.
- A. D. Cooke, one car cattle to Big Springs, Texas.
- W. D. Newton, one car cattle to Abernathy, Texas.
- C. H. Churchill, two cars cattle to Kansas City.
- D. P. Vaughn, two cars cattle to Texline.
- W. R. Higgins, two cars cattle to Texline.
- Claud Norton, eight cars cattle to Texline.
- W. L. Sain, two cars cattle to Texline.
- P. J. Forson, three cars cattle to Texline.
- W. J. Gilliland, four cars cattle to Texline.
- B. E. Benson, four cars cattle to Texline.
- G. W. Brumley, 1 car hogs to Wichita, Kansas.
- G. Jowell, four cars cattle to Texline.
- Arthur Newton, four cars cattle to Kansas City.
- A. Durlinger, three cars cattle to Texline.

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SHEEP ON TEXAS FARMS

By J. M. Jones, Animal Husbandman in Charge Breeding Investigations, Texas Experiment Station, A. & M. College of Texas.

The farmer with limited capital should be able to invest in a few head of sheep without the difficulty of financial embarrassment, as a small flock of good breeding ewes should pay for itself during the first year if judiciously managed. To convince the skeptical that successful sheep production in reality can be practiced on the farm, this opportunity of relating the experience of P. A. Miller, an amateur sheepman of Sawyer, Denton Co., Texas, is taken:

On January 22, 1914, Mr. Miller purchased 80 graded Shropshire ewes and 10 wethers at a cost of \$7.00 per head delivered at the farm. The following month 80 of the ewes dropped 120 lambs. The flock wintered on the wheat fields, and in April was removed to the summer pasture, no grain having been fed during the winter months. On September 4, Mr. Miller marketed at Ft. Worth, for \$647, net, all the lambs, the 10 wethers and several cull ewes, retaining on the farm 82 head of the best breeding ewes. Figuring that the wool sales amounted to \$100, after making all allowance for shearing costs and commission sales charges, it is shown that the total income derived from the sheep during the year amounted to \$747. It will be noted that no grain was fed to the flock; that it had winter pasturage on the wheat fields which later developed a good yield of grain; and that after selling the increase of the flock and also the 10 wethers and a few ewes, Mr. Miller still retained four-fifths of his original flock, which is entirely paid for and approximately \$50, in cash, as a result of his initial venture in the sheep business.

It would be well for hundreds of the small farmers of the State to purchase a few head of sheep for some of the following reasons:

- (1) The initial cost of stocking the farm with a few head of sheep is much less than the initial expenditure incurred in stocking the place with a few head of cattle.
- (2) The cost of maintaining the flock on the farm is reasonable. Green winter crops can be provided during the winter months, and through the summer splendid grazing is provided in the pastures which ordinarily stand comparatively idle. In Texas the pastures are given largely to weeds, and as sheep consume about 90 per cent of all weeds that grow on farms, they serve a useful purpose in keeping the weeds down.
- (3) The sale of the increase of the flock together with that of the wool will in some instances pay the purchase price of the sheep, and in addition will yield a small profit during the first year when managed properly.
- (4) A few head of good mutton sheep on the farm offers an available source of fresh meat supply at a reasonable cost throughout the entire year.
- (5) Mutton when properly dressed and prepared for the table is one of the most palatable of all meats, and

is easily digested.

(6) Every crop farmer could without inconvenience or loss of time in attending to his crops make arrangements to profitably manage a small flock. In the most efficient farming operations at least some livestock is essential.

A farm looks so much more homelike when livestock can be seen grazing contentedly on the pastures or perhaps lying contentedly under shade trees reserved for their protection by the thoughtful owner. Wherever there is a farm feed-lot filled with fattening heaves or lambs, there is usually somewhere nearby a wide-awake farmer and a happy household. The farmer who owns some livestock is generally more prosperous, his children are better fed and more neatly clothed than is the case where none but work animals are about. The family of the thrifty stock farmer is likely to be prominent in community affairs and his opinion respected in regard to general farm practice.

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Western National Bank to J. D. Thompson and Ida V. Davis, land 11 & 12, blk. 54, Hereford; \$1,000.

C. J. Borden and wife, Ladia F. Borden to C. W. Heard one-fourth of sec. No. 77, blk. K-3; \$6930.

Delish Hanlan to Crawford Greer, sec. No. 80, blk. K-3; \$3,700.00.

G. W. Baeus to Will Fallwell, lot No. two, blk 115, of the Hereford cemetery.

G. W. Baeus to E. B. Black, four lots in blk. 224 and lot three, blk. 226 of the Hereford cemetery.

John W. Joenison to Chas. Donald, League 411; \$133.

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"A RISING TEXAN"

The meeting of the Indiana Democratic Editorial association was made distinctive by the address of Hon. Marvin Jones of Texas.

The editors, accustomed to hearing at their annual meetings the most eminent men of the country, were thrilled by the eloquence of

the young statesman from Texas. He began his speech late in the evening, but he got the attention of his hearers at once and held them breathlessly till his final climax was rewarded by rounds of applause.

The Lone Star state has given many eminent men to the councils of the nation. The guests of the crowded banqueting hall predict that in Congressman Jones Texas is adding another to her many luminaries.

Indiana pays her respects to

Texas and congratulates her sister commonwealth on sending to the halls of congress the brilliant and eloquent young statesman, Marvin Jones. His career will be watched from the banks of the Wabash with the keenest interest and his successes with the utmost satisfaction.

A number of American soldiers lost their lives in Flanders today. Were you responsible? Take a look at your War Savings Stamp Certificates and give answer.

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PARMER COUNTY NEWS

FRIONA NEWS

The rain on Saturday evening was a most welcome visitor to the people of the Friona country. About an inch of water fell in the form of rain and hail. We are thankful for the moisture and also thankful that we had no wheat to be destroyed by the hail.

On Thursday evening of last week this locality was visited by the worst dust or sand storm ever experienced by our people. The dust in the air was so thick that the darkness was almost as dense as night, almost suffocating for several minutes and the wind was so strong as to do considerable damage. The roof of the porch on the south side of the bank building was torn away and carried over the top of the building and landed in the yard on the north side of the building with considerable damage to the roof and brick work at the top of the building.

Harry Hughes spent a part of last week in Oklahoma, where he went to secure pasture for his cattle. He returned Friday, having secured plenty of pasture and reports lots of rain and good grass in the part of the state which he visited. The recent rain here may however, cause him to alter his plans.

E. S. Houlette and son have sold their farm near Findlay to Clyde Seamond and sold all their stock and machinery at public auction on Tuesday. The fact that Ernest is likely to be called to the army and the generally unsettled condition of affairs is the cause of their selling out.

Eustace Houlette and Edward Trevey, two more of our most estimable young men were called to join the colors at Camp Travis last Friday. Mr. Houlette is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Houlette of Friona and Mr. Trevey, whose home is in central Texas, has been assistant principal of the Friona school during the past term. He departed Wednesday evening in order that he might spend one day with his home folks before going to the training camp. He taught a very successful term of school here and made friends of all who knew him, by his genial and courteous disposition.

F. W. Reeve who was appointed as school trustee to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of C. G. Taylor, has accepted the appointment and qualified as such and is now a full-pledged trustee. H. W. Wright, who was appointed to take the place of John White, who also resigned, has not yet qualified and it seems probable that another appointment may have to be made. There are a number of men who make excellent trustees but it is a question

whether the "Boss" (?) would allow them to serve if appointed.

Rev. Grantham preached the Memorial Day sermon at the Congregational church Sunday. It was a masterly discourse and expressed the speaker's broadmindedness and liberal views of conditions both past and present.

Memorial Day will be observed here this year as usual by appropriate services. The people will assemble at the Congregational church at 10 o'clock a. m. from whence they will form a procession to visit the cemetery to decorate the graves; after which they will repair to their homes or elsewhere for dinner and reassemble at the church at 1:30 p. m. for the afternoon program. There will be no public dinner served, but all who care to bring dinner will find a convenient and comfortable place to serve same in the dining room and kitchen in the church basement, which will be thrown open for that purpose.

In the recent Red Cross drive we have the satisfaction of knowing that Parmer county went over the top by a good safe sum. I. Corhn has been appointed by county president, Graham, as manager for the Friona territory and he is leaving no stone unturned to the end that Friona does her part in this great work.

Last Friday witnessed the closing of another very successful term of school at Friona, thus reminding that another revolution in the cycle of time has passed and that two more of our young people have been ushered out, either to meet the stern realities of life or to face the duties thrust upon them by higher institutions of learning. The term just closed has been pronounced by all without a dissenting voice, as a truly successful school, which should mean much both to the teachers and officers, who have without exception, been untiring in their efforts to give to the people of our town and surrounding localities the best that is possible to have in the way of educational facilities. They have had many gigantic problems to solve and many unforeseen difficulties to overcome but they kept doggedly at it and have the satisfaction of having seen their plans carried out for at least one term. Our county superintendent states without hesitation that we have the best school in Parmer county. At the beginning of the term one new additional teacher was employed making five teachers in all, and two new branches were installed, namely: "domestic economy and manual training." This was done at great expense for equipment and room and the classification of the school has been advanced from that of a third class to a second-class high school, and we are informed by our superintendent that it is within our reach

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to advance to the position of first class. Is anything too good for the children of Friona? No; not if we can get it. Then let us look for still greater achievements under the leadership of a progressive board of trustees.

The school board has re-employed all the members of the present faculty for the next term with exception of Mr. Trevey who has been called to the service of his country. This leaves a vacancy for a man who can fill the position of principal and also teach in the manual training department.

The functions attending the closing of school occupied four nights of the past week. On Sunday night the Baccalaureate sermon was preached at the Congregational church by Rev. Grantham. On Wednesday night the high school play, entitled "Claim Allowed", was rendered by the members of the Senior class. This was a patriotic play of high class and was attended by a packed house, every bit of available room being occupied. The actors each did credit to the characters they represented and the large audience was well pleased as was manifested by the continued rounds of applause which followed each act. The Commencement exercises on Thursday night were not so well attended on account of the stormy condition of weather, but notwithstanding the weather

conditions there was a fair sized audience out to hear a most interesting program. Miss Florence Schlenker and Carl Maurer were the only members of the graduating class. The commencement address was made by Judge J. D. Hamlin of Farwell which was practical and instructive and filled with sensible admonitions to both old and young. Miss Cullum as principal of the school, with a few well-chosen remarks, delivered the diplomas to the graduates and the certificates of promotion to those who will enter the high school next year. On Friday evening the pupils of the primary and intermediate departments entertained with an excellent program of songs, drills, recitations and plays. The auditorium was again filled to its utmost capacity and all were highly pleased with the program and manner in which it was executed by the children.

J. C. Winn is at Towner Colorado this week and last, having gone there to accompany a large shipment of cattle for R. P. Lee of that place. Mr. Lee came here the week before and purchased the cattle from F. W. Reeve to ship to his Colorado ranch for summer pasturage in preparation for the fall market.

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SHEEP ON TEXAS FARMS

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The farmer with limited capital should be able to invest in a few head of sheep without the difficulty of financial embarrassment, as a small flock of good breeding ewes should pay for itself during the first year if judiciously managed. To convince the skeptical that successful sheep production in reality can be practiced on the farm, this opportunity of relating the experience of P. A. Miller, an amateur sheepman of Sawyer, Denton Co., Texas, is taken:

On January 22, 1914, Mr. Miller purchased 80 graded Shropshire ewes and 10 wethers at a cost of \$7.00 per head delivered at the farm. The following month 80 of the ewes dropped 120 lambs. The flock wintered on the wheat fields, and in April was removed to the summer pasture, no grain having been fed during the winter months. On September 4, Mr. Miller marketed at Ft. Worth, for \$647, net, all the lambs, the 10 wethers and several cull ewes, retaining on the farm 82 head of the best breeding ewes. Figuring that the wool sales amounted to \$100, after making all allowance for shearing costs and commission sales charges, it is shown that the total income derived from the sheep during the year amounted to \$747. It will be noted that no grain was fed to the flock; that it had winter pasturage on the wheat fields; which later developed a good yield of grain; and that after selling the increase of the flock and also the 10 wethers and a few ewes, Mr. Miller still retained four-fifths of his original flock, which is entirely paid for and approximately \$50, in cash, as a result of his initial venture in the sheep business.

It would be well for hundreds of the small farmers of the State to purchase a few head of sheep for some of the following reasons:

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- (3) The sale of the increase of the flock together with that of the wool will in some instances pay the purchase price of the sheep, and in addition will yield a small profit during the first year when managed properly.
- (4) A few head of good mutton sheep on the farm offers an available source of fresh meat supply at a reasonable cost throughout the entire year.
- (5) Mutton when properly dressed and prepared for the table is one of the most palatable of all meats, and

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A farm looks so much more homelike when livestock can be seen grazing contentedly on the pastures or perhaps lying contentedly under shade trees reserved for their protection by the thoughtful owner. Wherever there is a farm feed-lot filled with fattening heaves or lambs, there is usually somewhere nearby a wide-awake farmer and a happy household. The farmer who owns some livestock is generally more prosperous, his children are better fed and more neatly clothed than is the case where none but work animals are about. The family of the thrifty stock farmer is likely to be prominent in community affairs and his opinion respected in regard to general farm practice.

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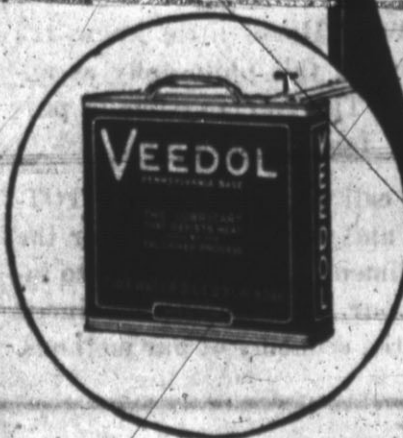
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The following editorial appeared in "The Courier", Evansville, Indiana, May 19, issue of that paper.

"A RISING TEXAN"

The meeting of the Indiana Democratic Editorial association was made distinctive by the address of Hon. Marvin Jones of Texas.

The editors, accustomed to hearing at their annual meetings the most eminent men of the country, were thrilled by the eloquence of

the young statesman from Texas. He began his speech late in the evening, but he got the attention of his hearers at once and held them breathlessly till his final climax was rewarded by rounds of applause.

The Lone Star state has given many eminent men to the councils of the nation. The guests of the crowded banquet hall predict that in Congressman Jones Texas is adding another to her many luminaries.

Indiana pays her respects to

Texas and congratulates her sister commonwealth on sending to the halls of congress the brilliant and eloquent young statesman, Marvin Jones. His career will be watched from the banks of the Wabash with the keenest interest and his successes with the utmost satisfaction.

A number of American soldiers lost their lives in Flanders today. Were you responsible? Take a look at your War Savings Stamp Certificates and give answer.

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Is the only thing that has not advanced in price. And we are anxious NOT to increase our rates during these War times, and you can help us to hold down rates by co-operation. We have almost 400 small accounts to be collected each month—making almost 5000 in a year. It has been our custom to send out our collector who spent many days each month collecting. This is unnecessary and expensive and we have decided to discontinue this and to collect at our office.

Beginning June 1st all bills will be mailed out except persons who have a down-town place of business, where bills will be presented and collected, but a second trip will not be made in any case.

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It took us about three days to get settled, and from then on our cushy time started. We would parade from 8:45 in the morning until 12 noon. Then except for an occasional billet or brigade guard we were on our own. For the first four or five afternoons, I spent my time in bringing up to date my neglected correspondence.

Tommy loves to be amused, and being a Yank, they turned to me for something new in this line. I taught them how to pitch horseshoes, and this game made a great hit for about ten days. Then Tommy turned to America for a new diversion. I was up in the air until a happy thought came to me. Why not write a sketch and break Tommy in as an actor?

One evening after "lights out," when you are not supposed to talk, I imparted my scheme in whispers to the section. They eagerly accepted the idea of forming a stock company and could hardly wait until the morning for further details.

After parade, the next afternoon I was almost mobbed. Everyone in the section wanted a part in the proposed sketch. When I informed them that it would take at least ten days of hard work to write the plot, they were bitterly disappointed. I immediately got busy, made a desk out of biscuit tins in the corner of the billet, and put up a sign "Empey & Wallace Theatrical Co." About twenty of the section, upon reading this sign, immediately applied for the position of office boy. I accepted the twenty applicants, and sent them on scouting parties throughout the deserted French village. These parties were to search all the attics for discarded civilian clothes, and anything that we could use in the props of our proposed company.

About five that night they returned covered with grime and dust, but load-

ed down with a miscellaneous assortment of everything under the sun. They must have thought that I was going to start a department store, judging from the different things they brought back from their pillage.

After eight days' constant writing I completed a two-act farce comedy which I called "The Diamond Palace Saloon." Upon the suggestion of one of the boys in the section I sent a proof of the program to a printing house in London. Then I assigned the different parts and started rehearsing. David Belasco would have thrown up his hands in despair at the material which I had to use. Just imagine trying to teach a Tommy, with a strong cockney accent, to impersonate a Bowery tough or a Southern negro.

Adjacent to our billet was an open field. We got busy at one end of it and constructed a stage. We secured the lumber for the stage by demolishing an old wooden shack in the rear of our billet.

The first scene was supposed to represent a street on the Bowery in New York, while the scene of the second act was the interior of the Diamond Palace saloon, also on the Bowery.

In the play I took the part of Abe Switch, a farmer, who had come from Pumpkinville Center, Tenn., to make his first visit to New York.

In the first scene Abe Switch meets the proprietor of the Diamond Palace saloon, a ramshackle affair which the owner was a financial loss.

The proprietor's name was Tom Twistem, his bartender being named Fillem Up.

After meeting Abe, Tom and Fillem. Up persuaded him to buy the place, praising it to the skies and telling wondrous tales of the money taken over the bar.

While talking, an old Jew, Ikey Cohenstein, comes along,

and Abe engages him for cashier. After engaging they meet an old Southern negro called Sambo, and upon the suggestion of Ikey he is engaged as porter. Then the three of them, arm in arm, leave to take possession of this wonderful palace which Abe has just paid \$5,000 for. (Curtain.)

In the second act the curtain rises on the interior of the Diamond Palace saloon, and the audience gets its first shock. The saloon looks like a pig-pen, two tramps lying drunk on the floor, and the bartender in a dirty shirt with his sleeves rolled up, asleep with his head on the bar.

Enter Abe, Sambo and Ikey, and the fun commences.

One of the characters in the second act was named Broadway Kate, and I had an awful job to break in one of the Tommies to act and talk like a woman.

Another character was Alkali Ike, an Arizona cowboy, who just before the close of the play comes into the saloon and wrecks it with his revolver.

We had eleven three-hour rehearsals before I thought it advisable to present the sketch to the public.

The whole brigade was crazy to witness the first performance. This performance was scheduled for Friday night and everyone was full of anticipation; when bang! orders came through that the brigade would move at two that afternoon. Cursing and blinding was the order of things upon the receipt of this order, but we moved.

That night we reached the little village of S— and again went into rest billets. We were to be there two weeks. Our company immediately got busy and scoured the village for a suitable place in which to present our production. Then we received another shock.

A rival company was already established in the village. They called themselves "The Bow Bells," and put on a sketch entitled, "Blighly—What Hopes?" They were the divisional concert party.

We hoped they all would be soon in Blighly to give us a chance.

This company charged an admission of a franc per head, and that night our company went en masse to see their performance. It really was good. I had a sickening sensation when I thought of running my sketch in opposition to it.

In one of their scenes they had a soubrette called Flossie. The soldier that took this part was clever and made a fine-appearing and chic girl. We immediately fell in love with her until two days after, while we were on a march, we passed Flossie with "her" sleeves rolled up and the sweat pouring from "her" face unloading shells from a motor lorry.

As our section passed her I yelled out: "Hello, Flossie; Blighly—What Hopes?" Her reply made our love die out instantly.

"Ah, go to h—!" This brought quite a laugh from the marching column directed at me, and I instantly made up my mind that our sketch should immediately run in opposition to "Blighly—What Hopes?"

When we returned to our billet from the march, Curley Wallace, my theatrical partner, came running over to me and said he had found a swanky place in which to produce our show.

After taking off my equipment, and followed by the rest of the section, I went over to the building he had picked out. It was a monstrous barn with a platform at one end which would make an ideal stage. The section got right on the job, and before night had that place rigged out in apple-pie order.

The next day was Sunday and after church parade we put all our time on a dress rehearsal, and it went fine.

I made four or five large signs announcing that our company would open up that evening at the King George the Fifth theater, on the corner of Ammo street and Sandbag terrace. General admission was one-half franc. First ten rows in orchestra one franc, and boxes two francs. By this time our printed programs had returned from London, and I further announced that on the night of the first performance a program would be given free of charge to men holding tickets costing a franc or over.

We had an orchestra of seven men and seven different instruments. This orchestra was excellent, while they were not playing.

The performance was scheduled to start at 6 p. m.

At 5:15 there was a mob in front of our one entrance and it looked like a big night. We had two boxes each accommodating four people, and these we immediately sold out. Then, a brilliant idea came to Ikey Cohenstein. Why not use the rafters overhead, call them boxes, and charge two francs for a seat on them? The only difficulty was how were the men to reach these boxes, but to Ikey this was a mere detail.

He got long ropes and tied one end around each rafter and then tied a lot of knots in the ropes. These ropes would take the place of stairways.

We figured out that the rafters would seat about forty men and sold that number of tickets accordingly.

When the ticketholders for the boxes got a glimpse of the rafters and were informed that they had to use the rope stairway, there was a howl of indignation, but we had their money and told them that if they did not like it they could write to the management later and their money would be refunded; but under these conditions they would not be allowed to witness the performance that night.

After a little grousing they accepted the situation with the promise that if the show was rotten they certainly

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would let us know about it during the performance. Everything went lovely and it was a howling success, until Alkali Ike appeared on the scene with his revolver loaded with blank cartridges. Behind the bar on a shelf was a long line of bottles. Alkali Ike was supposed to start on the left of this line and break six of the bottles by firing at them with his revolver. Behind these bottles a piece of painted canvas was supposed to represent the back of the bar, at each shot from Alkali's pistol a man behind the scenes would hit one of the bottles with his entrenching tool handle and smash it, to give the impression that Alkali was a good shot.

Alkali Ike started in and aimed at the right of the line of bottles instead of the left, and the poor boob behind the scenes started breaking the bottles

on the left, and then the boxholders turned loose; but outside of this little fiasco the performance was a huge success, and we decided to run it for a week. New troops were constantly coming through, and for six performances we had the "S. R. O." sign suspended outside.

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CHURCH NOTES

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Theme for next Lord's Day at 11:00 a. m.: "Walking with God." At night, at 8:30, p. m.: "Walking by Faith."

The public are cordially invited to attend these services.

Elder L. Gough, Minister.

First Christian Church

Bible School at the usual time, 9:45 a. m.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 9:00 p. m.

Mr. Asbell will have for the morning theme: "The Tragedy of an Empty Pew"; the evening message: "Abraham the adventurer." The church members are urged to be present and the public in general has a cordial invitation to worship with us.

John Meyer Asbell, Pastor.

Notes from Baptist Church

Last Sunday was a very good day with us, tho we missed several of our regular attendants. The Sunday School was not up to the top notch, but we hope to see

the school go over the top, now, that school has closed.

At a call conference the church decided to begin a meeting next Sunday, and Brother John Hicks from Claude to help us in the meeting, so we want to ask and urge all the members to attend this meeting. We need a revival in Hereford, and let us pray that the Good Lord will be with us and give us a great meeting. I want to say to the other denominations we give you a cordial welcome to be with us and help all you can. Pray for us and come and we are sure you will get good out of the meeting.

Your Pastor,
J. E. McCLURKIN.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning will be our regular monthly communion service. All members of the church are urged to attend.

At the evening service the pastor will preach on the subject of "The Destructive Power of a Single Sinful Life."

A hearty welcome awaits all who wish to worship with us.

C. E. Program for June 2nd.

Motto: "Greatness consists in Serving"—S. B. Capen.

Subject: "Christian Duty and Privilege," Service in Church and Community.

Song—Sentence Prayers.

Leader—Bro. Baker.

Scripture: Mark 12:28-34.

Why should every Christian work in the church?—Frankie Mae Baker.

Why should every one do some service to the community they reside in?—Julia Roberts.

Name some community service in the reach of all—Mae Womack.

What new work for our church may our society undertake?—Mary Bradley.

Why should Christian endeavor be a failure if it did not develop church workers?—Roy Nunn.

How does the great war make enlarged church and community work more necessary than ever?—Nelia Carter.

Committee Roll Call in which the name of each committee is called and in answering they tell their new plans as a committee.

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!

Remember that the C. E. meets every Sunday evening and would be glad to welcome any young people.

The Endeavor is doing a great work; now if you don't believe this, come, and see for yourself. Eight delegates have been registered for the State Convention to be held at Ft. Worth, June 13-17. The representative of the C. E. is Ruth Lee, having been elected last Sunday. We expect to come back with greater enthusiasm and determination to do greater work for the Master and the upbuilding of His Cause and Kingdom.

Let Us Strive to Make An A-1 Society

It was Jesus who said: "Ye are the light of the world," and if that is true of us, why should we keep our lights hid, and not reveal it to the world. I think one of the best ways to keep it shining is to be true to all of our obligations to His cause, and to accept every opportunity that comes to us of doing something for even the least of His followers; for you know He said: "In as much as ye have done it unto these, ye have done it unto me," and being true to our society and the work of our society, and regular attendance at our meetings, even if we have to make sacrifices to attend, is well pleasing in His sight, and He will surely bless us. What are our little sacrifices compared to the great sacrifice He made in leaving His Heavenly throne and coming to earth to suffer and die for us that we might be saved in believing on Him and doing His work, and what is our little time here on earth compared to all eternity that we are sometimes not willing to give one evening out of seven to do the work He has assigned us to do? I know the noble women have been and are doing a great work in the Red Cross, which is truly His work, but in doing that we should not neglect our missionary work, but make sacrifices, if need be, to do it, and I'm sure all of our dear sisters will be willing to make sacrifices for Him and God will bless them. Let us try to have something to do or say in His name, if it is ever so little, when we meet together, and in that way we can learn more of His word. Let us make our watchword for the coming year: "Laborers together with God." We are laborers with Him and He alone can give the increase for our labors.

Unless we study to serve we will leave many an opportunity for serving unnoticed. In coming together as an "aid," we aid one another far more, than a casual glance will reveal, and the aid that we receive is such that we cannot well be without, and then we are missionary in that we have the spirit to do, and to perform all the good we can to all the people we can, and help to send the glorious message both far and near, thus making brighter many a life in this world, and will find an abundant entrance into that Beyond.

Why should we have a Ladies Aid or Missionary Society? Associated with the word "aid" is the idea of help, for to aid means to help, and since Christ has so graciously permitted His followers to help in the great work of saving a lost world, it is but right that we all band together in the glorious calling, and since women can better formulate plans and execute them just among themselves, it is wise that they come together as a society for the study of God's word and the furtherance of all good possible.

May the One whose hand-maid

ens we are, inspire our hearts with renewed zeal, and lift us to the hilltop of faith, that we would see the more abundant tomorrow, and we should not only do our society work faithfully, but do all we can to aid our young people, for they are the ones that will take up our work when the Master calls for us.

"What of the children my sisters? What of the coming band? Who will take up the work of the Master."

As it falls from your trembling hands? Are they trained to the cause, Mother? Are they strong and brave and true? Are they ready to lift the burden, When the Master calls for you?"

(Read by Mother LeGrand for Circle No. Three at Mrs. Otho Beens, May 15, 1918.)

Circle Number One met with Mrs. Arthur Thompson Monday of this week to do Red Cross sewing. With ten ladies working several garments were made; they also worked on a quilt for the Red Cross. After the work was finished Mrs. Thompson served ice cream and cake.

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Roy Stocking Wednesday, June 5th—both social and business meeting. All members are urged to be present.

THE SLACKER

On the ninth of October,
From America grand,
Cap left for training
And took every man
Who was willing to fight
—For their country like men,
And not be a slacker
And chase the old hens.

After leaving our fathers
And mothers and wives
And sisters and sweethearts,
We left the blue skies
Of dear America,
So great and so grand,
To fight the blame Germans
—For dear Uncle Sam.

But we are glad we have joined,
For we want to be free
From those pesky Germans
—That live over the sea
And we're going to show them
We're not so slow
As the Russians who live
—In the land near the Pole.

For when we get started,
And get started right,
We will fight that old Kaiser
With all of our might,
And fight them we will,
And whip them we must,
And make every German
—Lay low in the dust.

And then, Mr. Slacker,
Oh, what will you do
With your pointed toe shoes
And your nice coat of blue?
For when we return
To our own native town,
When you call for the girls
—They will all turn you down.

And then, Mr. Slacker,
Oh, how we will laugh,
For we'll get the grain,
And you'll get the chaff;
And then you will wish
That you had gone, too,
To fight with the Sammies
—All the way through.

But now we are in training,
In a selected State,
And we drill every day,
Both early and late;
And when we're prepared,
As soldiers should be,
We will go get the Kaiser
—Far o'er the blue sea.

Our Cap. is a dandy—
He just can't be beat!
We stand at attention
For him in retreat,
And every man loves him,
For he is strong, brave and true;
And we will follow our Captain
—All the way through.

And when we return
Once more to our land,
We want all you people
To give him your hand—
And shake it well, friends,
And give him the praise,
For he led the company,
That won all the praise.

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R. H. J.

According to a statement by the Department of Agriculture, there has been an actual shortage of more than 2,000,000 tons of sugar annually since the war began. Prior to the war practically all the belligerent countries except the United Kingdom and Italy exported sugar, the total amount being more than 3,000,000 tons. In 1918 it is estimated that the allies must import a minimum of 1,200,000 tons.

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Castro County News

PARROTT NEWS

The Red Cross members met with Mrs. Jesse Hardy Thursday, and as usual, a large amount of work was turned out. The members all are greatly interested in their work, their enthusiasm in the good they are doing not having decreased any.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hunter and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Nunn, Ethel and Willard Montgomery and Hazel Floyd and Frank Hacker spent Sunday with W. A. Hunter and family.

Mrs. May and daughter, Miss Cardwell, mother and sister of Mrs. Elbert Wright, from Lubbock, have been visiting with Elbert Wright's the past week.

The young people of the community spent a very pleasant evening Monday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright. The evening was spent in playing 42, and everyone reported a splendid time.

Mr. Lloyd Goodloe spent Saturday and Sunday at W. E. Hacker's.

Dewey and Roy Watson returned Thursday from a visit to Floydada. They made the trip in the auto.

An ice cream supper was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hacker, Wednesday evening, as a farewell gathering for their daughter Florence, who leaves on Monday for Cameron, Texas where she intends to take training for a nurse. Those present were: Misses Hazel Hacker, Annie Wilkerson, Ruby Morton, and Loretta Wagner, and Messrs. Will and Floyd Hacker, Clem and Andrew Gilliam, Ned and Charlton Neely and Martin Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hacker re-

turned Wednesday from Mineral Wells, where they had been the past three weeks for Mrs. Hacker's health.

Mrs. Simpson spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. John Hacker.

Ned and Charlton Neely, Naomi and Carrol Hunter, Hazel, Floyd and Will Hacker attended the Chautauque in Hereford Sunday.

Miss Meta Wagner is home for her summer vacation, after finishing a successful term of school at Nazareth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Andrews and children spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. and Mrs. W. E. Hunter.

Carroll Hunter left Saturday with the eight other Castro County boys, who left for Camp Bowie to enter the training camp at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hardy gave a dance Wednesday evening in honor of the boys that were soon to leave for camps. A large attendance was present and every body enjoyed themselves.

Miss Hacker Becomes a Nurse

Miss Florence Hacker left Monday morning for Cameron, Texas, where she will take up her training for nursing. Enroute she will stop at Snyder for a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. T. W. Shepard.

Miss Hacker has been a resident of the Parrott community for nine years and there her charming personality has won her a hoast of friends. She is a young lady whose sterling worth and steadfast, unwavering, sense of justice will win her success wherever she goes.

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Jay Walker of Vega, was in Hereford, Monday.

W. H. Ray went to Dallas last Tuesday on business.

Mrs. W. M. Cogdell visited friends in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. Geno Hastings made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Competition is an Eye Opener to the blindest—that is what makes prices right. 17-2t* Wilson's Furniture Store.

E. F. Connell leaves Monday on a business trip to Portland, Ore., via San Francisco.

Mrs. Harvey Cash and mother, Mrs. Bell, of Dimmitt, were in Hereford Monday.

Jim Roberson came in Sunday morning to spend his furlough with home folks.

Mrs. C. D. Biggs came in Monday from a short visit with friends at Clovis, New Mexico.

Dr. J. J. Crume of Amarillo, Ear, Eye and Nose Specialist, will be at a doctor's office in Hereford the first Tuesday in each month. 15-1t*

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Claude Norton, Mr. Vaughn, Bob Higgins and W. J. Gilliland shipped cattle last Saturday.

Mrs. H. C. Begeman left Tuesday for Dallas, Texas, to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. Coffee.

Mrs. Morrison and daughter, Mrs. Bodkins, left Monday to visit relatives in St. Louis, Mo.

Judge Slaton left Tuesday for Electra on business. He expects to be gone three or four days.

You don't know how cheap we are selling Quality Furniture until you visit Wilson's store. 17-2t*

Miss Opal Miller of Tucumcari, N. M., came in Monday as a new subscriber to The Brand. Thanks.

Mrs. M. Parkes and daughter, Jimmie, left Tuesday for Waco, Texas, to visit Mrs. Joe Cinquemani.

Edna Elliott left Saturday to spend summer in Dallas with her two brothers Emory and O'Dee Elliott.

We want your poultry, eggs, cream and produce. Come and get the Cash. 16-1t* Hereford Produce Co.

Margie Dameron, and Helen Lambert left Saturday to visit in Dallas, Ft. Worth, Mineral Wells and other places.

Miss Zola Williams who has been attending the Central College at Lexington, Mo., returned home Wednesday.

FARM LOANS
Money to loan on farms. We are in position to loan money for Five, Seven, or Ten years. See us if you need money. 3-1t ASHBROOK & SUGGS.

William Farnum! in "The Heart of a Lion," at The Star FRIDAY night, May 31. Don't miss this one! 18-1t*

Five bars white laundry soap for twenty-five cts. 18-1t* Hereford Produce Co.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Suggs, daughter and son spent the day Sunday at the E. A. Comer ranch north of Hereford.

Mrs. Payne Gilliland went to Dimmitt Saturday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Garnett returned Thursday from Hollene, N. M., where they have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Ross.

Read the Star Theatre Ad on page 6. The Greatest week's offering ever shown in Hereford.

Brighten Up! The most patriotic conservation step you can take—use good PAINT. It conserves!—Let us talk to you about it 18-1t* Panhandle Lumber Co.

Mrs. Ernest Henson, (formerly Miss Lota Fuqua) and baby girl, of Memphis, Texas, arrived last Thursday for a visit with home folks.

Yes, they wonder why I am selling so cheap—come and find out. 17-2t* Wilson's Furniture Store.

Miss Bertha Wear, who has been teaching school at Guthrie, Okla., came in last Saturday to spend the summer with her parents.

Howard Carlyle and Charles Boyles of Castro county, left Monday morning for Camp Travis where they will be taught how to fight Kaiser Bill.

Since the closing of school Miss Marie Burns has accepted a position in her father's store, and she expresses herself as well satisfied with the work.

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I am here to make money, and so are you; we both make when you trade with me. 17-2t* Wilson's Furniture Store.

Miss Ruth M. Cooper who has been visiting Mrs. Ina Jordan, west of Hereford, returned to Canyon Tuesday. Miss Cooper taught school in Canyon the past term.

Miss Oliver, who was Latin teacher in H. H. S. part of the past term, left Saturday for Dallas, accompanied by Francis Dameron who will attend Business College there.

Mrs. J. R. Lipscomb, nee Miss Sosie Lackey, returned home Saturday night from Denton, Texas, where she had been attending the North Texas State Normal College. Mrs. Lipscomb entered the College three years ago with a determination of completing the course at the close of the 1917-1918 term, and did so. Also she is now the wife of a Sammie, having wedded J. R. Lipscomb at Fort Worth while attending school at Denton.

Mr. Chas. Smith made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

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Have you tried the Swift Premium skinned hams? No waste when cooking. 18-1t* Hereford Produce Co.

SCHOOL CHILDREN GIVE PLAY AT DIMMITT

Under the direction of their teacher, Miss Midge Kinney, a number of the Summerfield school children gave a play at Dimmitt on Thursday evening of last week, the proceeds of which went to the Red Cross, amounting to \$21.00.

The children were accompanied to Dimmitt by their friends, the whole party enjoying a fine picnic supper in one of the school rooms there shortly before the play.

Charlie Chaplin, William Farnum, Bushman & Bayne—lots of other stars, at The Star in the near future. Read the Ad on Page 6.

Our silver prunes are very fine. If you want any of them you had better place your order before they are all gone. 18-1t* Hereford Produce Co.

NEW WELLS FARGO AGENT SWORN IN

A. A. Holloway of Amarillo, has succeeded W. A. Percival as local Agent for the Wells Fargo Express Company, the change taking place Tuesday. Mr. Percival was one of the five men sent from Deaf Smith county to Camp Cody, N. M., on May 28th.

Mr. Holloway was formerly depot agent for the company at Amarillo, but more recently has been holding down a road job. Mrs. Holloway will join her husband as soon as suitable quarters are found.

AMARILLO VS HEREFORD ON FOURTH OF JULY BENEFIT RED CROSS

A Fourth of July baseball game for the benefit of the Red Cross! It's practically cinched.

Earl E. Wilson, former Leaguer of renown, is looking after the Hereford end of the matter. Anybody around in this community who thinks they can play baseball should get in touch with Mr. Wilson at once, so that regular practice may be started for the big game.

An Amarillo team is to be the victim. The following letter was received by Mr. Wilson: Amarillo, Texas, 5-23-18.

Mr. Earl E. Wilson, Dear Sir:

In regard to letters received from your Mayor, I am writing you about the proposed ball game. We would look to you to see after the advertising. As for accommodations, if you can make arrangements for us to camp out on the creek near the city we will drive down the evening before, as we would like to bring our families for an outing. I don't think there will be any expense as we are doing this for the Red Cross and we want to do our bit to help win the war.

Our players are all married men but we will give you a good game. Resp't. J. G. MARSHALL, Capt. Central-Gro. B. B. Team.

There is a lot of good talent around Hereford, and if those who will enter into the spirit of the thing will come out and practice this Amarillo bunch is surely in for an awful trimming.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS CLOSED LAST FRIDAY

Hereford's public schools formally closed Commencement exercises last Friday night with the presentation of diplomas to the graduating class by Superintendent Fertsch. Thursday night the Seventh Grade had an entertainment which was very greatly enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience. Just prior to the presentation of diplomas Superintendent Fertsch gave a brief history of the senior class, stating that he had been with the school since they entered high school and had gone right through with them. The exercises were held at the Christian church, and the following program was rendered: Processional..... Miss Ina Gregg Salutatory Address..... Willie Dieker Piano—"Norwegian Dance" Grieg..... Elizabeth Oberthier Valedictory Address..... Luella Gishler Quartet—"Barearolla" Hoff-Man—Elizabeth Black, Mamye Landrum, Mae Womack, Clara Perkins.

Address—Mr. J. A. Hill, Professor of History, Canyon, Normal, Presentation of Diplomas..... Mr. E. M. Fertsch

H. H. S. ALUMNI ATTENTION

On behalf of the Hereford High School Alumni who are still interested in the active association that was organized a few years ago, it is only fair that some explanation be made as to why the Association attempted no banquet or other kind of "get-together" jollification, at the close of this school term as has been the custom heretofore.

The President of the organization fulfilled her duty most faithfully in appointing committees to make all necessary arrangements for some kind of an entertainment. The committees finally consolidated—forming one committee—and labored earnestly for several days to decide upon an entertainment that would be appropriate for this particular occasion.

At length the following conclusion was reached: first, inasmuch as Chautauqua was just closing the Alumni of Hereford would appreciate a good night's rest far more than a banquet, reception, or even a moonlight picnic; second, with the close of school, Chautauqua, etc., all coming together as it did, it was almost impossible to find a time upon which something had not been previously scheduled; and third and far the greatest, when we thought of the High School Service Flag with its fifty-six stars, some of which represent Alumni who have allied to the Colors, glad to offer their all, and, if need be, willing to make the Great Sacrifice for the Noble Cause for which the Allies are fighting, we thought we had better put the money, time, and thought that would necessarily be expended on any of the above suggested entertainments, to some thing more worth while. If our boys are to give so much, can we who are left at home, not afford to forego one evening's pleasure?

This Alumni, explains the action of the Committee in asking the President that there be no entertainment this year.

Respectfully submitted, COMMITTEE.

GEO. M. KARR MADE CHIEF SCOUT TO THE PANHANDLE REGIMENT

Geo. M. Karr, who enlisted in the new Texas Cavalry troop, with the rank of Stable Sergeant, has already received a promotion, of which he is very proud. Mr. Karr has been notified that Colonel Will Miller, Jr., in command of the Panhandle Regiment, has selected him as Chief Scout, reporting direct to the Colonel thru the Majors of the regiment.

This is considered quite an honor and a most enviable post. It requires a mature man of experience, knowledge and balance, and Mr. Karr very much appreciates the compliment.

RED CROSS NOTES

The packing Committee of the Chapter ask that all bed shirts, underdrawers, towels, strap and buckles and shot bag be turned in to Headquarters by Saturday, June 1st, as they desire to ship all summer garments by that time.

Also, Refugee garments will be shipped soon and those who are working in this line are urged to finish and turn in their work as

Almost Here! The One Cent Sale

Corner Drug Store

the need becomes greater for these every day.

Chapters are urged to knit in the following proportions: 1 pair wristlets, 1 muffler, ten helmets, fifty sweaters, one hundred pair socks. Our men abroad are in constant need of socks—KNIT SOCKS.

The local chapter will soon be able to supply plenty of yarn so prepare to Knit, Knit, Knit.

Yes, The Volume is what I crave, and that is what I've received in my business, I brought it here—let's keep the Ball-Rolling. Wilson's Furniture. 17-2t*

RED CROSS—SUMMERFIELD

The Red Cross workers of the Summerfield section now meet at the schoolhouse on every alternate Wednesday instead of meeting in the different homes as formerly.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, June 5th.

If you have Real Estate for sale we would be pleased to have it listed with us. If you wish to buy, see US. 30-1t ASHBROOK & SUGGS.

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Starts your liver without making you sick and can not salivate

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Doan's Liver Tonic is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Doan's Liver Tonic is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Doan's Liver Tonic is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs but a few cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Doan's Liver Tonic is a pleasant

tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Take Doan's Liver Tonic instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.

WOODMEN OF WORLD Meets every Second and Fourth Saturday nights in the I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Brothers always welcome. Troy Womble, Consul Commande; W. W. Bennett, Clerk.

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