

## THE HENRIETTA INDEPENDENT

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CEREMONY TOOK PLACE IN COURT HOUSE TUES-DAY AFTERNOON

Tuesday afternoon Maj. W. D. Cope of Childress, mustered in the troup of national guard cavalry, made up in Clay and Young counties, the ceremonies taking place in the district court room. The troup numbers 117 officers and men, which is 12 more than required. The extra men will probably be transferred to some troup that is short. All took the oath and signed their names and are subject to call to service, which is expected to be in about two weeks. Following is the roster of officers and men: Commissioned Officers-Capt. Walter R. Allen; First Lt. C. O. Taylor;

Second Lt. Subject to Assignment. .... Non Commissioned Officers—First Sergeant, Dr. Clarence J. Sherrill; Supply Sergeant, Henry Lewis Leberman; Mess Sergeant, Norman Ellis Durham; Stable Sergeant, James C. Williams; Duty Sergeants, Albert Hugh Warren; Homer C. Jasper; J. Harrold Ferriss; Earl G. Hutchings: Earl G. Hutchings:

Corporals—Will P. Bracy, Roy V. BOB WALTON Brazill, Denny L. Bailey, Joslin J. Carlon, Roy E. Nicewarner, one corporal subject to assignment.

Privates, Jessie D. Bridgewater, Homer W. Barnes, Addison L. Berry, J. B. Birdsong, Earl Blankenship, S. W. Brister, G. G. Brogdon, S. C. Brogdon, T. N. Brown, J. S. Calloway, Terry Casey, C. H. Chockin, F. Y. Daniel, W. S. Davis, Claude W. Doughty, J. L. Doughty, R. L. Dunn, E. E. Edger-ton, Oscar Evans, Wil-ling D. Fulng, I. M. Carrett, S. Annound S. Annound S. Annound S. E. Edger-KILLED BY 12 YEAR OLD ED OF PASSAGE OF TO SOUTHWESTERN RED Annound Annound State of SouthWestern Red S liam D. Fulps, J. M. Garrett, S. A. Gilmore, T. G. Glenn, A. Graffman, A. W. Grey, J. N. Greer, J. R. Grimes, W. L. Grubb, O. W. Gunn, H. J. Hann, H. M. Harbin, V. L. Harbin, J. L. Harbin, V. L. Hearne, C. L. Hearne, H. H. Henderson T. F. Hawkins, T. S. Hearne, C. L. Henrietta next door to the postoffice, as that congress has passed the act. H. H. Henderson, T. F. Hawkins, T. I. Henrietta next door to the postoffice, as, that congress has passed the act Higden, J. D. Hobbs, J. T. Hohenstin, died at his home in Sunset last Fri-providing for the registration of men division, issued an appeal last night J. A. Howell, W. S. Husted, W. H. day from the effect of a gunshot who have become 21 years of age since to members of the Red Cross in the Jinkins, C. Johnson, A. C. Jones, D. H. wound inflected the day before in a June 5th, last, and further advising states of Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Kelley, J. C. Kerbow, T. Kerr, H. wound innected the day before in a that a proclamation by the president Arkansas and Texas to get one sub-Kirkland, L. Zuber, E. Kitchens, B. S. difficulty with J. F. Riley arising over Lankaster, Ike Long, W. W. Martin, W. F. Matthis, R. H. Mayes, J. C. Mrs. Riley, wife of the slain man, Magders O. T. Miller, A. W. Mobley.

Menders, O. T. Miller, A. W. Mobley.

difficulty with J. F. Riley arising over will be issued shortly naming June 5th, 1918, as the day of registration. Maj. Townes requests that the widest and the close of the campaign Monday, with J. F. Riley arising over will be issued shortly naming June 5th, 1918, as the day of registration. Maj. Townes requests that the widest and the close of the campaign Monday in the close of the close of the campaign Monday in Meaders, O. T. Miller, A. W. Mobley, is in a serious condition in a Sunset publicity be given to the fact that all day night. M. L. Moore, L. B. McCray, D. L. Mc-home with a pistol wound in the left men who have attained the age of 21 In his appeal Johnson declares that Donald, C. T. Oliver, C. C. Orell, R. breast, but is not expected to die.

G. Rehders, S. F. Reynolds, W. Richardson, W. Richardson, W. Richardson, W. Richardson, W. Richardson, W. Richardson, R. J. Accounts of the shooting allege that ardson, Warren Richardson, B. L. Bob Walton, son-in-law of Mrs. A. M. ed. Ricks, L. C. Ricks, R. M. Riggins, R. Triplett, from whom Riley is said to Provision has been made by the ex-M. Richey, C. C. Robertson, Porter Roberson, M. M. Roberts, Porter back to the Riley home, a half mile work to be done at the court house close with a blaze of glory. His ap-Roop, A. N. Rodgers, S. J. Rux, E. S. out, shortly after 8 o'clock, armed in Henrietta. There will be no registeral follows: Sowell, E. P. Simmons, O. A. Skid-more, B. E. Skipwith, L. E Smith, I. It is said he called Riley from the precincts as was done last year, but Red Cross of this Division:: L. Still, G. R. Stowne, J. F. Swain, house and that Riley came out, also all must come to Henrietta to regist-G. A. Tachett, E. E. Taylor, C. T. armed with a pistol, and the shooting er. It is estimated that there will Temple, O. R. Trimble, A. L. Turner, began. Riley was shot just under the be one hundred young men who L. M. Tyson, W. F. Walker C. E. Wall, left eye. M. R. Wallace, G. T. Watson, J. C. Wil- Mrs. Riley was in the rear of the law. born, R. E. Wilborn, E. M. Williams, home when the shooting began, and

the draft, nine from Clay and nine breast, according to statements of the from Young county:

# **NEWS ABOUT**

urney overseas.

was home for a short visit Saturday and Sunday. He stated that he ex- commission as second lieutenant as pected to leave for France within a soon as a vacancy occurs.

Travis with the second bunch last longings, indicating that he is among to the Baptist sanitarium at Dallas. Red Cross in this division. And I am Howard H. Dewz, convicted of the to attempt to interfere with the transsummer, has completed the officers those who have been transferred The latest report is that he is no relying upon you. I know you will murder of his wife, Fanny Fisher De- post of allied troops and munitions training course and is in line for a overseas.

### Somewhere in the U.S.A.



## VICTIM OF **GUN TRAGEDY**

BOY AT SUNSET

Eighteen men were taken out by receive a bullet through the left ran to the front yard just in time to affair.

Walton, the accused slayer of Riley, was wounded in the right shoulder by a charge from a shotgun which was said to have been in the hands of little Bob Riley, twelve-year-old son of the slain man. The boy was not hurt.

## B. Y. P. U. HONORS

Tuesday evening the BYPU gave a schedules as follows: at 7 o'clock in automobiles, going to keeping. ndle of his effects, very pleasant evening playing differ- ucation. Sarlow Weaver of Camp Travis, made at about 12 o'clock.

Ward Edwards, who went to Camp sent home a lot of his personal be- ast week sent by the Baptist church it is the work every member of the Salt Lake City, Utah, May 22.— it would mean for the kaiser's navy

## ALL MEN 21 TO REGISTER ON JUNES

THE NEW LAW

DEPARTING AVIATOR ficates will be held June 7 and 8 by shall have been made known. The Associate Judge Prendergast, who Though Henrietta has gone over

Johnny Powers to Sanitarium better.

# **GET ONE SUB**

CROSS MEMBERS

Red Cross of this Division::

You belong to one of the banner diwill be required to register under the Cross. You have done wonderful county. work since the second war fund cam- A majority of the court holds paign started May 20. You have that the law is within the police powhelped to make it possible for the Red er of the state. Cross to continue the great humaniwestern division, This:

An examination for teachers certi- when the final results of the campaign sure. Christmas campaign as a result of these additional grounds: day evening.

home on a visit last the Wichita. A nice lunch was spread ing, Methods and Management, Civics, leader I urge you to carry out this no constitutional provision to forbid it was believed a little more work ad there came by on the grass and the party spent a Reading, Chemistry, History of Ed-plan without delay. Do not wait until Monday to get your subscriber. Presiding Judge Davidson dissents, The drive does not close until Mons that he has started ent kinds of games and indulging in Saturday afternoon: United States Do it today; do it now. It will be holding that the law is illegal and day night, and it is the intention of outdoor sports. The return trip was History, General History, Agriculture, easier now than it will be tomorrow not within the police power of the the committee to continue the work Algebra, Physics, Plane Trigonometry. or Monday. Do not say to yourself state, and agrees with Judge Morrow until that date: that this is work for your neighbor that it is not a war measure and that who is a member of the Red Cross the legislature has no authority of London, May 11 (delayed).—"Sui-Johnny Powers, who is afflicted with or for some one in another locality power to enact such a measure. Earl Brazil of Camp Bowie, has a pacuitar respiratory trouble, was or town or city. This is your work-

# ALL GRADE

ANOTHER YEAR—HIGH SCHOOL OPEN

At a meeting of the school board held last Friday Prof. C. F. Walker cises came to a close on Monday night was elected superintendent of the pub- at the Methodist church when Superlic school for another year, and he intendent Walker delivered th dihas accepted the position. This will plomas to the 14 graduates in the make his sixth term at the head of presence of an immense crowd of friends of the graduates and patrons

Teachers for the grades were also of the school. elected, there being but two changes.

The program as printed below was Carried out, the only unusual feature Alma Squires. All of these teachers audience.

are elected subject to assignment. has yet been elected, and none of Davis of Dallas, a very learned adthose in the faculty for last term are dress full of sound advice for the applying, though the board is hope- guidance of the graduates in their ful of inducing Miss Raborn to re- future life. The other churches disconsider her decision not to teach missed their regular worship and here next year. It is understood that joined in with this occasion. Misses Allen and Walker will attend some higher institutions and take their that four ladies will be chosen, for the were most effectively presented. reason that any available man would The commencemnt program Monservice, and might be compelled to graduates follows: give up the work in the middle of Chorus "Welcome to Spring-Class.

Announcement is made that all salaries will be increased approximate-

MAJORITY OPINION BY MOR-ROW AND PRENDERGAST —DAVIDSON DISSENTS

Austin, Tex., May 22.-The constitutionality of the dry zone law was upheld this afternoon by the court of criminal appeals in a majority opinion, Judge Davidson dissenting. The court dismissed the application of ex-

Morrow's Opinion.

tarian work it is doing in Europe and The opinion in the case was writ-America. Do one thing more that we ten by Associate Judge Morrow, who may wind up the campaign May 27 held that that part of the act under in a blaze of glory for the South- which relator Hollingsworth was prosecuted is not a prohibition of the sale Solicit and obtain one subscription of intoxicating liquors in conflict with other than your own subscription for the constitution but a regulation of the war fund. If each member of the sale within the police powers of the Southwestern division will do this, the state. Judge Morrow, however, this division should lead all other held that the act is not a war mea-

moonlight picnic honoring Frank Friday forenoon; Physical Geogra- your fine devotion to the cause. Was- "I hold that the act is valid as a committee declined yesterday to give Gayle Denny, who went to Camp Caldwell who is to leave today for phy, Physiology, Composition, Arith- hington headquarters expects us necessary and reasonable regulation. out for publication the entire amount Travis with the first contingent from Austin to take up his duties as a metic, Literature, Solid Geometry. to do even better this time. We can And I hold also it is valid under the subscribed, because some of the rural Clay county last summer, has been cadet in the aviation service. A party Friday afternoon: Texas History, and will, if you will get one subscri- inalienable police powers of the leg- precincts had not completed their cantransferred to Camr MacArthur near of young people and some older ones, Grammar, Descriptive, Geography, ber to the war fund between this time islature as straight prohibition in the vass, owing to long distances and Vaco, where he will take the course number about 30, left the church Plane Geometry, Psychology, Book- and the close of the campaign Mon- prescribed zones, as a necessary aid difficulty of communication. to the successful prosecution of the It was stated that some districts osanke of Camp Bowie, the new water works dam on the Lit- Saturday forenoon: Spelling, Writ- We cannot afford to fail. As your war; and I further hold that there is had fallen down on their quotas, but

wez, will be shot, by choise, Friday | across he English channell.

\$1.00 A YEAR

SUPT. WALKER CHOSEN FOR DIPLOMAS DELIVERED ON MONDAY NIGHT—OTHER PREVIOUS EXERCISES

High school commencement exer-

ask for their places again, and in being that Miss Vivian Stone, the their stead, Miss Lelia Stone of Henri- salutatorian, was compelled to remain rietta, and Miss Sibyl Holaday of seated in her chair while delivering Byers, were elected. All the other grade teachers who were in the facul-been injured in an automobile accidty the year just closed were re-elected, namely, Mrs. Jessie Noble, Mrs. ed on the stage on crutches. Every W. A. Pope, Miss Lulu Johnson, Miss number on the entire program was Agnes Hanagan and Miss Anna liberally applauded by the immense

Sunday morning the baccalaureate None of the high school teachers address was delivered by Dr. M. M.

Friday evening the class play, "The Trial of the American Girl," was pro-A. B. degrees, and Prof. Whitehead duced at the high school auditorium has enlisted in the navy. The board before a large audience. It is a pahas plenty of applications, but has triotic piece and presents a very fine come to come to no decision except lesson, illustrated by pantomimes that

be liable for call into the military day evening, together with the list of

Salutatory Address-"The Effect of the War on American Morals". Vivian Stone.

Piano Sclo-Jewel Green. Class Prophecy-Sarah Dale. Essay-"The Place of the Young Man in the Present Age"-Jack Dale. Solo-"Ah, I Have Sighed to Resi

Me"-Carrie Wells. Class Poem-Viola Smith. Valedictory Address-"Possibilities of the New Texas Citizen-Woman"-Nola Scudder.

Duet-Dorothy Coleman and Nora Prosentation of Diplomas Supt. C.

F. Walker. Benediction.

Graduates Nora Bass

Floyd Blanton Dorothy Coleman. Sarah Dale. Jack Dale. Filson Elmer. Don Bass Eversole. Jewel Green. Jelda Fay Jones Martha Kuchenbacker. Nola Scudder. Viola Smith. Vivian Stone. Esther Williams.

# STILL ON

County Superintendent Carter, with Southwestern division led in the concurs in the majority opinion adds her quota for the Red Cross war fund, exceeding it perhaps by \$1000, the

would bring them out on top.

cide" is the word used by the German naval authorities to describe what

THE BEST GRADE THERE IS MADE

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Henrietta, Texas

ped the sale of flour in Texas. Local tablished Southwest Trial. taken up and will be sent to Europe. \$3,000,000.

which will be somewhere about the no taxes besides a poll tax. Archer ling began on Wednesday. first of July.

The order does not affect the bakeries except that they cannot sell PROGRAM CLAY COUNbread to hotels and restaurants.

#### KATY AND DENVER IM-PROVEMENT ALLOWANCES

Secretary McAdoo has given the Katy system authority to expend the sum of \$3,992,000 in improvements and betterments during the next 12 months. For the same purpose the King. Denver will be permitted to expend only \$704,000.

Reds, \$1.00 for 15. Phone 253. C. F. ISELIN

### \$200,000 ROAD BOND

Pursuant to a petition with the represented before them this week, the Commissioners Court created Road District No. 1. and ordered an election to be held on June 15th to determin-

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whether or not the issuance of a \$200,-000 bond issue should be made for road building purposes.

The district created includes the voting precincts of Bowman, Liberty, Archer City, Baxter, Onion, Midway, Anarene and Terrapin.

It ranges from 5 to 10 miles in width and parallels the proposed hard-sur-Food Administrator Peden has stop- faced Oil Belt Highway, and the es-

It is understood that this rule is to continue until new wheat comes in, ble to voice, neither are men who pay land, and will go down for oil. Dril- arillo Wednesday on business connect-County News.

## TY WORKERS MEETING

To be held with the Deer Creek church June 3-4: Monday night, June 3, Preaching at 8:30 by J. M. Jones.

Tuesday 10:00 A. M. Devotional-S. M.

Convention.

11:30 Preaching-L. S. Hill. L. P. Owen.

2:45 Church Essentials for Associ ational Activities-R. F. Jenkins. 3:30 The Importance of the Lead-ELECTION FOR ARCHER ership of the Holy Spirit-Sebe DOUBLE WEDDING AT Thomas and J. M. Jones.

Wm. A. DAVIS J. M. JONES Committee

The Independent \$1.00 a Year

BINDERS

THE TWO OLD RELIABLE MACHINES

DEERING & MCCORWICK

Mowers, Rakes and

Gasoline Engines

P. L. Tippett of Gainesville, has merchants received the order Satur- The estimated tax valuation of the secured a lease of a body of land day. Stocks of flour on hand were property included in the district is northeast of Henrietta and has erected a standard rig on the north side course in stenography.

> This well is on the H. Boddy ranch, a half miles northeast of town.

#### OUR SOLDIER BOYS

ervice will be held at the Methodist W. S. Stagg. short addresses delivered by E. W. by her children, is visiting her mo-Coleman, T. H. Marberry, R. E. Tay- ther in St Jo., 10:15 Reports from the Field and which will be expressed admiration Mrs. L. J. Gentry. and love for the men who have sur- Miss Marinell Gentry is visiting rendered a all, even life itself if need- her grandmother at Bonita. will read the "Star in the Window." THOS. G. WHITTEN

Whitten. The names given were: Oklahoma. W. W. Stewart and Miss Verda L.

Alvah L. Pearsall and Miss Cecelia Humperte.

#### "STIRRED UP THE ANIMALS"

Kokomo Youngster, Monkey and Auto Burkett. Horn Raise Bedlam in a Petoskey (Mich.) Park.

lates the Indianapolis News. The senior eanor Boddy returned with them. Starbuck is a member of America's Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Jackson have

family and their guests visited the Pe- Goodman, at Wichita Falls. the park a young monkey leaped into at Wichita Falls.

hood, examining the radiator cap. seat and pressed the button of the elec- Taylor, who will be remembered by place at an immediate date. tric horn. The monkey cleared 20 old timers as pastor of the Christian feet through the air, landing in a tree. church here in 1888-9. unscrew the radiator cap.

The Starbuck boy let loose a series | xercises. of the driveway. The woman shrieked, city the monkey chattered, the horn cut Miss Sadie Ikard is visiting her gratitude loose again, and then two eagles awoke sister, Mrs. Nichols, at Ardmore. screaming, the ducks in a pond near by term having ended. above all the racket, rose a series of going into the army.

fore the usual peaceful calm of the to Galyeston. park was resumed.

Mrs. M. J. Williams left for Palesine Thursday in response to a mesage that her grandson was seriously

Judge R. E. Taylor went to Texarkana Wednesday to agrue a case in the of civil appeals.

Miss Hal Godley has returned from

with the national guard.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Kelley went to near the ranch house, and is six and Amarillo Tuesday for visit to their son, Adolph Roth.

On Friday evening at 8:45 a special guest of the family of his nephew, the guest of Mrs. W. H. Brown Sunchurch at which time there will be Mrs. C. B. Barnard, accompanied day

lor, P. M. Stine, and the undersigned. Mrs. David Breedlove of Decatur,

Eggs for hatching full blood Barred
Plymouth Rocks and Rohode Island
Plymouth Rocks and Robert Rocks and R ty of fine music. Mrs. Jessie Noble of Dr. Williamson, who goes to the here to witness the mustering in the pital garments. There are seldom army. Dr. Gordon's family will fol- guard troops. low soon.

A. Levy have returned from a visit and Mrs. J. A. Caldwell. COURT HOUSE to Mineral Wells.

Mrs. E. K. Longan and daughters, n the county clerk's office by Thos G. ing the week with relatives in Eufala, Maxine, is the guest of her parents, undone or beds unmade. Our boys

> Mrs. O. I. Jarrett is visiting friends n Memphis, Tenn. Mrs. Self of Crowell, is the guest to Miss Ida May Cunningham.

of her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Melton. turned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ark., where they went to attend the O. W. Burkett at Dallas. They were Southern. Baptist convention. Dr. ing Thursday and Saturday. The fain accompanied home by Joe Wiley Jenkins reports an attendance of work room in the basement of the

tle Rock, Ark., where he took a speci- besides messengers to the women's day. Hours 9 to 12 and 3 to 6. Any

al course in pharmacy. Haynes Starbuck, five-year-old son Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Waller of f A. E. Starbuck, of Kokomo, literally Weatherford, have returned home af- HENRIETTA COLLEGE "stirred up the animals" in the city ter a visit to Mrs. Waller's parents, park ats Petoskey, Mich., recently, re- Mr. and Mrs. H. Boddy. Miss El-

hay-fever brigade, and spends the "sea- returned from a visit to Mrs. Jackson" at Harbor Springs with his fam- son's sister at Carrollton.

On one of their drives the Starbuck Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. date having been received here. toskey park, which has a small zoo. Miss Tura Thaxton is spending the

While the party was strolling about in week with her sister, Mrs. McGregor,

rugs and cushlons to the ground. week for her son, John, who has spent given as June 5. Haynes Starbuck came back to the car the winter here with Dr. and Mrs. J. Miss Allie Mae Marberry will person employing nurses where the and found Mr. Monkey sitting on the H. Ferriss and attended school. They graduate from the College of Indushave gone to Kooskie, Idaho, for a trial Arts at Denton, the commence- physical necessity do not demand The lad climbed into the driver's visit to Mrs. Blondin's father, Rev. ment exercises of which are to take them.

mounted the hood, this time trying to tending a business college at Dallas, and continue my practice. Dr was here to attend the commencement Gordon comes recommended as a high

of blasts on the horn, and this time Mrs. T. T. Haney of Waco, ac- shown him will be appreciated by me. head of an elderly woman at the side Grace, is the guest of friends in the trusting you will favor Dr. Gordon tion, few orders aside from tax m

in their cage and turned loose free- Miss Inez Hamm has returned from dom's call. All the other birds began her school in Wichita county, the

set up an ear-splitting clatter, while Jess Cunningham is here from the coyotes yapped loudly. Then, high Waurika, for a few days visit before Sunday, May 26, will be a spelling an increase of the special

turned from a trip to California. Mr. Starbuck gathered his party and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Thaxton return-think there is more than one way to Pure blood Plymouth Rock eggs for eft, but it was more than an hour be- ed on Monday from their wedding trip spell some of these names come out sale, \$1.00 per setting of 15. Incuba-

## Eye Trouble



If you have eye-strain, headache, or any uncomfortable feeling when reading, let me examine your eyes. I will give examination free and guarantee satisfaction.

B. P. SCHWEND

Graduate Optician and Optometrist

children and Mrs. M. J. Williams Daniel A. Levy is here from Chi- spent Sunday with friends in Bellevue Mrs. E. P. Norwood of Dallas, is J. L. Wylie of St Jo, Mo., is the the guest of Mrs. A. W. Raht.

Mrs. Mattie Young of Petrolia, was

Mrs. Leah Chaney accompanied by har four children, arrived from Sherveport, La., Saturday. Mr. It is simply a patriotic occasion in has returned home after a visit to Chaney died recently and she will make her home with her aunt, Mrs. Burton.

Miss Mamie Raborn has returned to Chico, for the summer vacation. Lieut. H. M. Muse of Nocona, was

Mrs. M. Schlosberg and Mrs. Daniel is here for a visit to her parents, Mr. room any afternoon. There should

On Thursday afternoon of last week Miss Ida Mae Cunningham is home guest of the family of her daughter, lute need of these dressings. As we

their sweethearts and were married Misses Opal and Earline, are spend- accompanied by her daughter, Miss do leave some dusting or mending

and Mrs. T. J. Thaxton.

Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Jenkins return-Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alcorn have re- ed on Tuesday from Hot Springs, messengers alone of approximately Methodist church will be open every Carl Green has returned from Lit- 2500, and there were many visitors morning and afternoon except Saturorganization.

## GIRL GRADUATES

Mrs. Floy May Ford-Dunlap will graduate in music from the Oklahoma alone, and the needs of the navy Baptist university on May 29, invita- must also be met. This call demands Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Arthur spent tions for the commencement of that the strictest conservation of nursing

received invitations to attend her largely as a companion, it is your pagraduation in expression from Bay- triotic duty to relieve her for service Mr. Starbuck's car and began throwing Mrs. Leo Blondin was here this lor college at Belton, the date being in the army or navy nurse corps. This

But soon it came back and once more Arthur Kuchenbaker, who is at- Gordon will assume charge of office are acknowledged with thanks. class ethical dentist. Any courtesies with your support, I am yours, with ters being entered.

J. H. WILLIAMSON, D. D. S.

#### B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

match. The words to be spelled will 15 to 25c was canvassed and the blood-curdling walls and howls from Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dale have re- be names of perons and places sel- sult declared 8 to 4 for the 25c rate. ected from the Bible. If you don't Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stage and vited. You will miss it if you miss it. - Mrs. Mary Smith, Phone 9009.



The ladies of Henrietta are no taking sufficient interest in their duty of making surgical dressings and hosmore than a dozen women on these Mrs.A. Karsteter of Brinkman, Okla dressings in our local Red Cross work be 20 or 30 at least. Surely every Mrs. J. C. Nunn of Bonham, is the woman in Henrietta knows the absohave before stated, what difference Mrs. Louis Sykes of Walters, Okla., will it make five years from now if we are not waiting for favorable condi-Miss Clotiel Hahn of Waurika, tions to themselves before they give Okla., has returned home after a visit up every home comfort and possibly life itself to fight our war.

> After June 1 the gauze room in No. 7 over Alcorn's store will be open every afternoon of the week exceptone, every one, is urged to help at either or both of these work rooms, Remember, you are welcome and need-

Surgeon General Gorgas of the U. S. army has just issued an imperative call for 25000 nurses for the army service, this conservation being as essential as the conservation of food Frinds of Miss Cora Neville have So if you are employing a nurse necessity devolves strictly upon every

Boxes of knitted goods and surgical dressings from Newport, Buffalo On going into the army Dr. J. M. Springs and Deer Creek auxiliaries

#### COMMISSIONERS COURT

Commissioners court was in sesthe monkey did a Wilbur Wright to the companied by her daughter, Miss Thanking you for your patronage and sion this week as a board of equaliza-

A special tax el in Russell Cree June 8 to vote sell is to hold

Returns of th The program for the BYPU on bridge school district h

and hear for youself. Everybody in- tor eggs, \$5.00 for 100. Call or write

Do not delay your order with us as machines will not be shipped in without a written order. Call at Grain Store South Main Street-Pleased to see you.

The old make of machines have been tried and

given satisfaction... Something new may not do so

well. Better see what kind is used by old farmers. We

carry a full line of repairs for both machines, others

G A JACKSON

## Women of America

What's the worth of one baby's life,

The time has come when you must put a money value on it.

So much Red Cross money available, so many babies restored.

A little less Red Cross money available, so many babies lost by default.

It's as plain as that.

When you made that first Red Cross investment you had a fairly clear idea that there was plenty to be done and that the Red Cross would make every dollar of money and every minute of time count.

But have you now a clear picture of what price somebody will have to pay for one delayed dollar or a hundred dollars withheld?

You can't read a casual page of Red Cross reports from anywhere "over there" without endangering the coolness of your decision as to "how

Suppose you had found "another use" for your Red Cross money a while ago and a corresponding part of the piece of work described below went undone:

"Gas bombs were used. 750 children suddenly thrust upon Prefect's hand. Twenty-one of the children were infants under one year and the remainder were under eight years-herded together in an old barracks, dirty, practically unfurnished, and with no sanitary appliances. Sick children were crowded in with the well and skin desease and vermin abounded. Within two days the Red Cross workers had cleaned all the children, provided new barracks, provided medical care and nurses for the babies, secured suitable food and classified all the refugees to prevent the separation of members of the same family."

Was that money well spent?

Were these babies worth while? Well how much were they worth, per baby?

They are the future of France—the hope and pledge of civilization. We are in their debt for what their fathers and mothers have paid already—in hunger, in cold, in mutilation, in slavery.

We shall pay up, too. Your first instalment was there in timenow how much?

## If You Were There Instead of Here

IF you should see a French child—a tiny girl—sitting by the roadside, sobbing quietly because she is too weak from hunger to cry very loud, you would sell your watch to buy her breakfast.

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### TERRIBLY SWOLLEN

Suffering Described As Torture FROM ANTI-SALOON Relieved by Black-Draught.

Rossville, Ga.-Mrs. Kate Lee Able, of this place, writes: 'My husband is an of the national prohibition amend-drunks and other derelicts over the jured himself with a piece of heavy manual control of states to ment within seven years by a sufficient border line for a neighboring state to weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks.

He became constipated and it looked in detail into these reasons. could only be described as torture.

and we both feel he owes his life to expired. Thedford's Black-Draught."

chinery, across the abdomen. He was number of states to make it effective care for. so sore he could not bear to press on is explained by Wayne B. Wheeler, 4. The logic of progress demands himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He attorney and general councel of the prohibition has been eighteen months the English people France by writing a letter home on weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he Anti-Saloon League of America, in a tried and is a success. Under it, the have not only bought \$650,000 000

and when it began to act he fainted, he be delayed for years. Every ounce of tion. was in such misery, but he got relief and energy and sacrifice made now is 5. It will stop the inexcusable the same within the time prescribed tiated in the complex demands which

ter of the traffic makes it a national evil. The alcoholic may drink liquor in one state, and commit crime or become a public charge in another. The remedy must be as far reaching as the evil. State boundaries are not LEAGUE OF AMERICA adquate barriers to moral contagion and no state, careless in such mat-The urgent need of the ratification ters, should be permitted to dump its win the war by denying themselves

statement in which Mr. Wheeler goes health, wealth and happiness of the worth of stamps, but the new spirit people have increased. Twenty-seven like he would die. We had three different The seven reasons are given below: states have adopted it; over 88 per There are great signs up all over doctors, yet with all their medicine, his 1. The resolution adopted by Con- of the nation is dry, and over 61 per England, reading, "It is not good whom are comparatively recent arrivbowels failed to act. He would turn up gress gives but seven years' time for cent of the people have adopted proform to dress extravagantly," and a list from civilian life, and a number of the people have adopted proform to dress extravagantly," and a list from civilian life, and a number of the people have adopted proform to dress extravagantly," and a list from civilian life, and a number of the people have adopted proform to dress extravagantly, and a list from civilian life, and a number of the people have adopted proform to dress extravagantly. a ten-cest bottle of castor oil, and drink the states to ratify the amendment. hibition; civil conditions cannot re- woman or man who appears on the of whom have just come into the Nait two or three days in succession. He Unles it is done within this time, the main stationary. They will advance street whose dress indicates extrava- tional Army. The YMCA buildings did this yet without result. We became fight must be started over again. In or retreat. The liquor traffic fights gance, is not only subject to critical stationary; pen, ink and a place to desperate, he suffered so. He was swol- 1920 a reaportintment of congressions every inch on progress whether it be cism, but in many cases have been write the letter in quiet, stamps belen terribly. He told me his suffering al districts is made. The number of regulation, restriction, prohibition or attacked and beaten. wet representatives from the large law enforcement. It is a fight to the I sent and bought Thedford's Black- wet centers of population, will be finish and the goal of the winning for- All persons having claims against Odd jobs about the cantonment as Draught. I made him take a big dose, greatly increased, and the victory may ces is national constitutional prohibithe estate of Francis M. Tucker, de sume a variety and a mitiplicity that

began to mend at once. He got well, worth ten after the time limit has waste caused by liquor. More than by law to Henry Baker, the executor can come up in a huge army camp fifty millions of bushels of food; over of the Will of the said Francis M. Somebody has to take care of the door 2. It is the only way to secure a sixty million pounds of sugar and mo- Tucker, deceased. Letters testimen- keys to hundreds of buildings, secure a sixty million pounds of sugar and mo-Thedford's Black-Draught will help you final solution of the liquor problem. lasses, and over five million tons of tary were granted to the said Henry that they are collected when the build to keep fit, ready for the day's work. Other methods are efficient, but not coal are wasted yearly in making li- Baker by the County Court, of Clay ing is temmporarily out of use owing NC-131 sufficient. The larger the dry unit, quor. Two billion dollars is worse County, Texas on the 7 day of May to the fluctuation of men in and out - the more effective is the prohibition. than wasted each year for liquor. The 1918 and his residence and Post offi- of camp, see that they are replaced To prevent the smell of fish on 3. A national evil requires a na- efficiency and productive power of the ce address is Pittsfield, Illinois. forks, add a spoonful of mustard to tional remedy. Our interstate rela- nation is reduced 20 per cent by litions and the inherent vicious charac- quor. One million of people are in-

capacitated by liquor. With this food fuel and manpower saved, the war debt and reconstruction will be easier

tween the state and nation is dealing with the liquor traffic. The dry states are handicapped in their effort to enforce prohibition as long as the federal government continues to collect lawed traffic in such states. National prohibition unites the state and federal government in a common policy

for the public good. .7 The purpose of the federal government can be more easily consummated under national prohibition. One of the fundamental purposes of the undermines or destroys both. We cannot carry out the fundamental ter, protect and encourage crime-proquor traffic.

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ceased are hereby notified to present would astound almost any man unini-

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revenue from, and recognizes the out- MULTITUDE OF ODD JOBS AROUND MILITARY CAMP -200 BALL GAMES

Camp Travis, May 23.—Correspondence Division Publicity Officer-Sentiment is supposed to be a stranger in federal constitution is "to promote the the armed camp. But the supposition general welfare." The courts tell us is not borne out by the following this means to protect public health communication published throughout and public morals. The liquor traffic Camp Travis two days before Mothers' Day:

"General Pershing has issued the purpose of our government, if we fos- following order to all units of the American Expeditionary Forces in France ducing business, like the beverage li-, 'May 8.-To All Commanding Officers I wish every officer and soldier would write a letter home on Mothers' Day. This is a little thing for each one to do but those letters will carry back our courage and our affection to the patriotic women whose love and prayers inspire us and cheer us on to victory. Pershing.' The Secretary of place the panes, but one month there lish plan of War Savings Stamps is officer and soldier in the army that he very much like ours. In the past emulate the example of the soldier in Mothers' Day. May 12th."

Indications are that the appeal found a ready response in the hearts of the Camp Travis men, most of ing obtained at the 'Y' Secretary's

desk in each building when lost, repair locks and so on. Somebody has to repair the tarviated BAKER-WHEELER MANUFACTURING COMPANY I roads when traffic gets the better of

them in spots. omebody has to patch up the yplumbing that the winter cold snaps pop open, and enamel the stoves and stovepipes to keep them from rusting through the summer. body has to paint the signs that indicate the various officers, streets, traffic rules and the like. These are only a few of the odd jobs that the every day matters, practically, for the Division Utilities Office. It has shops for sign painting, stoves and boiler repair, blacksmithing, carpentery, plumbing and electrical fitting and re-

Just now the carpenter shop is completing twenty-five ice boxes to be used at Camp Bullis, the target range camp about 28 miles from San Antonio, Over at the veterinary hospital a concrete soaking vat ten by twelve feet and one foot deep was constructed for the treatment of the hoofs of draft and saddle animals. The Camp Travis steam laundry, the largest laundry in the world needed one hundred trucks for the carriage of laundry within the great building which houses the plant, and the utilities branch is to construct them. With as many as two hundred baseball games going on at one time -as is not uncommonly the case on holiday afternoons-window lights may be expected to suffer, and the utilities people used to come and rewere no less than one thousand panes of glass to be put in, and it looked so like monopolizing the force for this one service that the office now merely issues the glass and the soldiers put them in themselves.

The officers in charge of the utilities branch are Major F. H. Todd of El Paso and Lieutenants J. W. Wyse, Wheelock, Texas; F. E. Laramio, nio; and J. S. Deneika, Laredo. The personnel of the shops and office force under these officers is make up of en listed men of the quartermaster corps



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The Methodist Board of Temperance, Washington, D. C., has issued a statement showing that last winter when coal was short, an iron company in New York that was furnishing material for output for lack of coal while plants manufacturing intoxicating liquors had a full supply. Also tion of the company's output by reason of its em- proposition the war is yielding a large return the beginning of our revival meeting. it makes a statement showing the further reducployes drinking intoxicants. A test was made of ten drinkers and ten non drinkers, doing the she is disbursing on account of her participation it is in no sense sectarian. Hence a same character of work, and the ten drinkers lost in the conflict. about one third of their time while the non drinkers worked full time and in addition put in a little overtime. Whether intentionally doing selves up in a shell, but go on with our usual so or not, it appears from many sources that the activities with as happy a heart as is possible in liquor interests in this country are in different ways obstructing the win the war program.

rcher county has come to the front with a proposition to vote an issue of \$200,000 road bonds. within a newly created road district. We wish to congratulate the commissioners court of our sister county on their forward move and hope the people will ratify the action at the polls. If they do, it will mark an epoch in the good roads progress in this section of the state. All we wish is that it may prove as contagious as the whooping cough. We have had enough to do with bonds recently to learn that they are not poison, and when a good roads proposition is up we should not hesitate to use them for all they are worth.

All along we have thought this Hooverizing proposition was a kind of self inflicted pennance, imagination that we were sacrificing everything go to the army. in life that is worth while, but we have been rudely awakened. Hooverizing is a picnic. A card issued by Mr. Hoover has fallen into our possession which reads like this: Eat corn, oats, potatoes, poultry, fish, game, eggs, beans, honey, jam, syrup, molasses, peanut butter and the like. Who has a grouch at such feed as that? A fellow can give himself the pecca ecca three times a day on it.

Clay county is sending more soldiers to the cantonments this week. That makes work for the rest of us-we must do what they would do if they were here and in addition do our own usual share. Herein applies the little slogan we have printed several times: Rustle a little harder, work a little over time, earn a little extra money, buy some war stamps and help Uncle Sam lick Kaiser Bill.

Commencement sermons and Red Cross sermons are good for some things besides. They cause some of these old fossils who never darken a church door on an ordinary occasion, to get out and rub some of the moss off their backs, and when the preacher has the nerve to deliver a sermon with some kick in it, the results possible of accomplishment are incalculable.

Thus far Clay county has no woman candidate. Other counties have them, and why not we? The women are going to vote and it will seem odd for them to be going to the polls in great numbers and voting altogether for the men.

One advantage to a country for the armies to fight in it is that they build good roads. Good roads are required to transport munitions of war Munitions of peace manage to get along without

toes be used in greater quantities as a substitute line as shipshape as possible, with everything for wheat, and it may be that potatoes will later from big naval guns down to sleeping hammocks on be allowed as a substitute for flour. The Germans have for years and years used potato flour for making bread.

anxious to enlist women as telephone operators Sporting club of London has started a series of in France he is not accepting the wives of officers weekly entertainments for enlister men of the and menimuho are over there or who may go United States army and navy:-Bureau of Publiover there.

#### AMERICAN WAR EXPENDITURIES COM-PARATIVELY SMALL

With our three issues of Liberty Bonds and Publisher. two Red Cross drives, it may have appeared to many minds that we are bankrupting ourselves, but such is not the case. Comparatively our war H. H. Morgan, S. L. Cox, S. S. Terry; expenditures have been small, and at the rate J. C. Ferguson, S. A. Temple, D. S. we are going, we will not be the end of four L. Crutcher, J. O. Berry, W. H. Frank-Entered at the Postoffice at Henrietta, Texas, as second years spend as much for war purposes as either

of the leading nations on either side of the conflict has spent to this date. The United States has spent less than four billions, because more than half the eight billions raised for the war has been dling and Miss Emma Cole. loaned to the allies and will be repaid. A statement issued by the treasury department gives the war debt of the various nations in the follow-

Great Britain, \$27,636,000,000. France, \$22,227,000,000. Italy, \$676,000,000. Germany, \$25,408,000,000.

Austria-Hungary, \$19,018,000,000. The United States, \$8,000,000,000, of which Potsboro, for interment. more than half has been loaned to the allies, is

drawing interest and will be repaid. Still further offsetting the United States exbenditures is the fact that it is the richest nation of all and produces more of its necessities performed by Rev. M. W. Steel. The than any of the others. This fact is being at-bride had been to Quanah and was tested daily by workings of the food laws, made met here by the groom. They went the manufacture of guns was forced to reduce its necessary solely to furnish a food supply for the allies.

It will probably be developed, if indeed it is not already developed, that as a purely business to the United States above the enormous sums

All of this is said that we may not get the other churches and people. It is for blues. That we may not be inclined to close our- the salvation of the unsaved of Henview of the personal sorrows brought to many of our friends whose loved ones have been drafted nto the service and who have gone overseas to face the danger of actual conflict. Themorale at home is as necessary as the morals at the front.

Swat the kaiser and the flies, they are all of a kind.

Revival meeting begins next Sunday. You choose your bunch.

There is time and opportunity yet for you to nake good with the Red Cross.

One thing we have to say in favor of the henpecked men is that none of us failed to kick in on the Red Cross.

The fellow who said it never would rain in this that we ought to pursue with long faces and an country has left, and we understand he did not

> The schools are out and the graduates are show- up all the time. Will you help us? ing their patriotism by getting a job chopping Let much prayer be made to our gracotton or other useful employment.

Talk is cheap, still it stands to the good of some people to be careful how they use it, because their oill may run up higher than they think for.

June 26 the long drouth begins in Texas, and who has not received a frantic appeal from Kansas City or some other foreign port to lay by in store against the terrible scourge?

#### AMERICAN, DESTROYERS IN, SUBMARINE ZONE COVER MANY MILES

Some indication of the ceaseless watch kept on the high seas, in the path of American troopships, by the United States naval force operating in European waters, may be gained from statistics just compiled at the naval headquarters n London. These statistics show that a single force of American destroyers operating from one pase had steamed almost 1,500,000 miles up to April 1 The maximum distance covered by a single destroyer was more than 580,000 miles from May 1, 1917, to April 1, 1918. This destroyer was one of the first to arrive abroad after war was declared.

It has been announved that Vice Admiral Wiliam S. Sims, commanding United States naval orces abroad, offered to send an auxiliary force composed of naval units to the French front at the beginning of the German offensive. The chief of staff of the French navy and Gen. Foch did not consider that the circumstance demanded the presence of such a force at the front.

The French have had a naval division operating in the forces of the Lorraine sector for some time, The government is urging that corn and pota- and the naval units have made their part of the and ships' cats.

The American soldiers billeted in England for emporary training or en route for France are more and more compelling the admiration and co-Uncle Sam is a wise old man. While he is operation of the English people. The National city.

## 20 YEARS AGO

Taken from The Independent of May 27, 1898:

County court jurors: W. W. Curtis lin, J. M. Nichols, G. A. Willis, E. H. Lovelady, G. W. Stults, S. L. Harland, J. A. Caldwell, Tom Phagan.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following couples: J. W. Wiliams and Atta Gorham, Roy Sprad-

Dr. J. C. Milliner, Sr., of Prospect, died last Monday, of inflammation of the stomach and intestines. He was buried at Pleasant Valley cemetery, at four o'clock yesterday evening.

Calvin Sellers age 86 years, died at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at the residence of James M. Childs of Bluegrove. The remains were taken in charge by the Masonic fraternity and brought to Henrietta for shipment to

J. W. Williams and Miss Attie Gorham, both of Wise county, were married on Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock. The wedding took place at the Missouri Hotel and the ceremony was south on the Denver on Wednesday

#### OUR REVIVAL-MEETING

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rietta. We invite and want you to come and help in the winning of lost men and women back to their father's we covet the help of all who sing. We want the choir platform to be filled cious Father by all who know the Lord Jesus, that the multitudes may THOS G. WHITTEN

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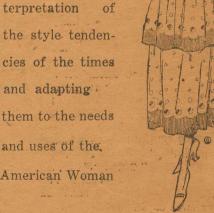
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