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CUT GLASS — AND — SILVERWARE

The best to be had at before the war prices. If you contemplate buying anything in these lines be sure to see our offerings. You will save money on merchandise recognized as the best.

Swift Bros & Smith
Phone 57

ROAD TAX ELECTED BY TWENTY-FOUR MAJORITY

Nacogdoches County Takes a Step in Road Improvement That Means Much.

The road tax voted on by the citizens of Nacogdoches county yesterday carried with a majority of twenty-four votes.

And with this good result, Nacogdoches county takes the lead of many of her neighbors in the important matter of road building, several counties having defeated tax and bond issues when presented to the voters.

The vote cast yesterday, report of which was gathered by telephone and is not official, but in all probability correct, was as follows:

	For	Against
Nacogdoches, S. Box	94	76
Nacogdoches, W. Box	45	52
Nacogdoches, E. Box	134	37
Chireno	40	26
Woden	21	5
Maytown	20	23
Martinsville	26	12
Douglas	17	19
Linn Flat	22	51
Melrose	39	29
Black Jack	11	27
Garrison	75	26
Appleby	51	58
Etoile	11	14
Cushing	37	73
Spear	17	37
Nat	23	34
Caro	12	14
Shady Grove	12	40
Alazan	16	23
Libert	6	22
Mahl	13	12
Eden	7	14
Swift	10	8
TOTAL	756	732

There was a total of 1488 votes polled as will be noted from the tabulation, which did not represent the full voting strength of the county.

FORMER TYLER CITIZEN CONTRIBUTES BIG SUM

Houston Chronicle.

From being a poor freight brakeman on the International and Great Northern to giving the Southern Methodist University at Dallas \$100,000 in cash, is the big jump that Charley Rucker, oil magnate of Goose Creek, took in less than two years.

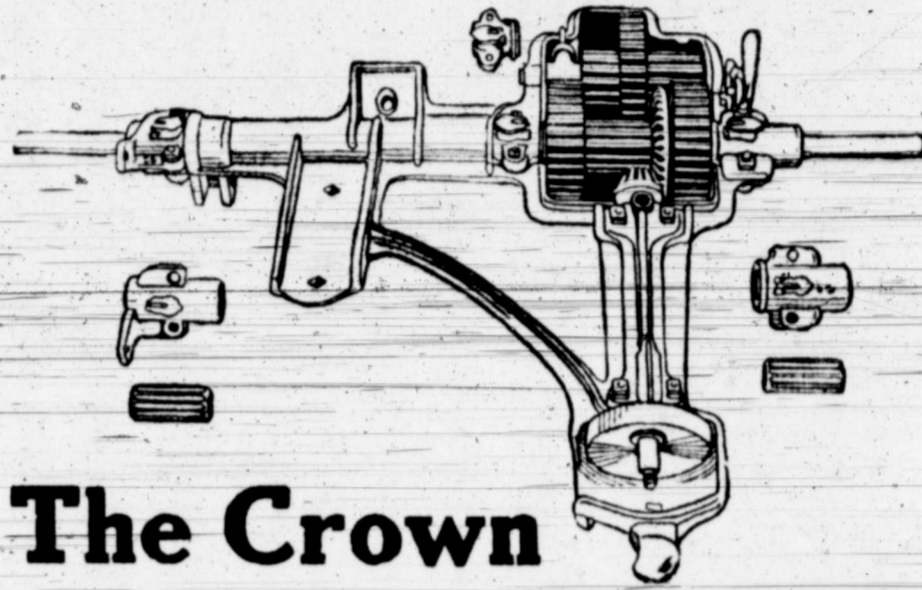
Rucker was raised near Troupe, and three years ago was a penniless freight brakeman. Last Sunday

while visiting his old home there, he announced that he would give the \$100,000 to the Dallas school after hearing Bishop, McCoy preach. Rucker made his pile in Goose Creek.

Messrs. O. C. Dotson and Joe Turnage, honored and honorable veterans from Garrison, attended the Confederate re-union in this city Saturday afternoon.

Rev. Nash is spending this week with his family, and enjoying a little vacation.

HERE IT IS



The Crown

The Mower With a Simple Double Speed Gear

The Crown Mower has many points of superiority over any other machine we have seen but the greatest thing is the "double or changeable speed;" there is no other mower on the market with a similar device. The gears are very strong, heavy and durable and perfect in their operation. It is a simple matter to change from one speed to another. The Crown gives you a Fast Speed for hard cutting and a Slow Speed for ordinary or light cutting. This saves the life of the machine and much easier on the team.

It's the greatest mower we have seen and we want you to see it whether you intend to buy or not. Come around and take a "look" or if you are not coming to town just phone or write us and we will send you full information about it.

Cason, Monk & Co.



Wash Skirts

We have on display now an extensive line of new Wash Skirts, consisting of Pique, Rep, Gabardine and other new washable materials, ranging in price from \$1.45, \$1.95 and \$2.45.

NEW BLOUSES, in the latest styles. Special values, ranging from 59c on up.

SPRING SKIRT FABRICS, in the plaids, of mohair, half wool and real wool, 36 inches wide per yard 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

SUMMER FABRICS--We have just received an extensive line of new Summer Fabrics, such as Voiles, Silk, Null, Nets, etc. in pretty floral as well as large laid patterns, ranging from 25c, 30c to 50c per yard.

Mayer & Schmidt, Inc.

but does represent the vote of those sufficiently interested in the matter, and the growing favor for road building and maintenance in the county.

As was explained in a communication from the county judge, published in the papers last week, the county is considerably in debt, and it will take the bulk of the money derived from the tax for the first year or two to liquidate these claims, but with this arrangement available which will give the county a running account with the means in sight, the commissioners' court can go ahead with the work of maintaining the roads we have, and gradually build a better system.

AN AMERICAN LINER DESTROYED BY TORPEDO

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The American steamer Seward was reported torpedoed and sunk without warning in the Mediterranean by a German submarine, in a dispatch to the state department today from Con-Gaulin at Marseilles. All of the crew of 31 was said to have been saved.

NEW YORK, April 9.—The American steamer steamship Seward, owned by the Alpha Steamship Company, Mediterranean ports. She was in command of Captain Philip S. Johnson, and carried a crew of 38 men, of whom 30 were American citizen, according to the shipping commissioners' record here.

A MUNITIONS PLANT WAS BLOWN UP

CHESTER, Pa., April 10.—A terrific explosion occurred today in the great plant of the Eddystone Ammunition Corporation at Eddystone, Pa., a mile from this city, and a veritable hail of flying shrapnel was reported to have killed at least 100 persons, and injured at least 200 more. It is suspected the explosion was not due to an accident.

A majority of the dead and injured are women and young girls. The morgue and hospitals are filled, while the sidewalks in front of the little morgue is piled high with mangled bodies.

WAR BOND ISSUE BE UP THURSDAY

WASHINGTON April 9.—A decision to introduce the \$5,000,000,000 bond issue measure on Thursday in the house was reached today by Secretary McAdoo and Representative Rainey of Illinois, ranking democratic member of the ways and means committee.

The measure will carry a \$3,000,000,000 issue for a loan to the allies and a \$2,000,000,000 issue for conducting the war for this country. The \$2,000,000,000 issue for conducting the war for this country is expected to approximate one-half of this country's war expenses up to June 30, 1918.

Consideration of plans for raising additional funds by taxation for con-

ducting the war for this country will come later.

The most essential thing to be accomplished now, it is agreed, is to prepare the allies' loan in order that they may obtain much needed food and munitions.

The question of raising money by taxation is being considered and it is generally agreed that excess profits, incomes and certain luxuries will be heavily taxed. Opposition to increasing the inheritance tax because of interferences with state inheritance tax, laws has appeared, but it is believed will not prove strong.

Mr. M. F. Whitaker, a highly respected citizen of the Nat country, was in the city today looking after some business interests.

FARMERS!

We have money to loan to help you to make a "bumper" crop of Corn, Peanuts and Cotton. The real farmer is going to "clean up" this Fall. If we can help you, come to see us.

**The Farmers and Merchants
State Bank**
NACOGDOCHES, TEXAS

The Sentinel

HALTOM & GIBBS.....Proprietors
S. M. HALTOM.....Manager
S. M. GIBBS.....Editor

Cuba proves her loyalty to her benefactor by joining the United States as ally in its conflict with Germany. Panama is likewise rallying to the colors of the U. S.

The Beaumont Enterprise makes the editorial observation: "The kaiser is promising the German people he will be good after the war—but he is starting too late. There won't be any kaiser after the war."

This is the week that the live wires of Houston will pay a visit to the Stone Fort city, and it occurs to The Sentinel that it would be a fitting hospitality if the automobile owners would have their cars at the depot next Thursday afternoon at 1:25 and take the visitors for a little ride over the town.

Pin your faith to old Nacogdoches, folks. Right now things are being done and others in process of incubation that are going to put the old town on the map with the leading live-wires of the state. Men with means, brains and energy, who love their town and surrounding country, are behind measures that will insure great development, and when their plans are all put into practical operation, the citizen of yesterday will not recognize the city of today.

There is no question about the fact that there is a very aristocratic burglar at large somewhere in the community today—the man who entered the Nacogdoches Grocery Co. last night and made away with a quantity of Irish potatoes. County Attorney Wade says that the theft of Irish potatoes, with the present value, will come under the head of felony.

Is it not about time that Lufkin was figuring on a ball team for the coming summer months? Nacogdoches will be expecting a "walloping" from Lufkin; and we had just as well prepare to deliver it.—Lufkin News.

Listen at that, folks! When The Sentinel tries to be "good" that impudent contemporary across the creek says something to spoil it all. Get your team ready and we will wallop it with our second nine every time it crosses the line.

The Nacogdoches Sentinel says the voters "came to life" yesterday and polled 377 votes. In Lufkin we polled 446 votes and a whole lot of people who do not read The News and knew nothing of the election failed to come out and vote. When Nacogdoches gets to polling as many votes as Lufkin she will be some town, and then Bro. Gibbs of the Sentinel will perhaps have some more to say on the subject, if he is still in the land of the living.—Lufkin News.

Let's change the subject and talk about bank deposits for awhile. What was the aggregate amount of the bank deposits of Lufkin for the last statement?

The Germans who are trying to incite the negroes of America to cause trouble should study United States history. They would learn that no negro has ever been a traitor, that no negro has ever betrayed the trust this nation places in him. And by studying recent events, these Germans would find the black men of the United States are rushing to the defense of "Old Glory" by thousands and that these black men will be among the first to offer their lives as a sacrifice on the altar of liberty.—Beaumont Enterprise.

The Enterprise is eminently correct in its observations, and this reminds us of a declaration made by a Nacogdoches negro a few days ago, when suspicion rested upon Mexico, who proposed that while the white Americans were "licking" Germany the negroes would clean out Mexico. And they would do it if the emergency arose.

The news breaking in yesterday's state papers announce that Austria-Hungary under the pressure of Germany, has severed diplomatic relations with the United States. This was so confidently expected by the American government that it occasioned no surprise, nor does it add any unforeseen complications. Turkey will be forced to do likewise, and within the next few days the line-up will be complete.

The Nacogdoches Sentinel in its issue of Monday, had quite a spicy reply to a comment appearing in this paper last week, which was provoked by the Sentinel. Our dear beloved Nacogdoches contemporary held up for its town in a noble manner, and sought to show its many advantages over Timpson for the location of the Stephen F. Austin Normal college. We would like to reproduce the entire article in full, through courtesy of the Sentinel, but for the good of both Timpson and Nacogdoches we deem it best not to argue the matter.—Timpson Times.

A copy of the Morning Tribune, Tyler's now morning paper, has reached The Sentinel desk, and was perused with much interest. The new paper is owned by a company of Tyler citizens, with Col. L. M. Green in charge of the editorial department, and his son, T. G. Green, secretary. The new paper is well filled with big, fat adds, attesting the good favor with which it is being received by the people of the flourishing little city in which it is published, neatly printed, and is in all things a most creditable publication. With this new publication, Tyler has two representative papers of which she may well be proud. The Courier-Times appearing in the afternoon, and the Tribune in the early hours of the morning. Long may both live and prosper, is the sincere wish of The Sentinel.

With the prospect of continued warfare with all the representative nations of the earth and with the foodstuff and feedstuff famine that is already upon the country—it is the solemn duty of every farmer, and the laboring men of all classes who are not actually and profitably engaged with permanent work, to grow all the crops of this kind possible. It is not only a duty, but it will be the most profitable avocation that any man can pursue.—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

If the producer will try he may be able to make market arrangements before planting his crops. If he will raise crops that can be produced in continuous rotation he will be enabled to get many crops per year off one tract of land. This will also give regular employment to farm-hands, a condition not obtaining under the present one-crop system.—Temple Telegram

A well known business man of this city makes the timely suggestion that now that German spies are being found in almost every section of the country, and great numbers of them are known to be at large, the people of each community should make it a part of their business, to keep a close watch on all strangers who do not offer credentials representing some legitimate mission. He also offers the precaution that any citizen who might be called away among strangers should get a statement or recognition card from the sheriff of his county, which might save him embarrassment, and trouble. We have no moral or legal right to interrupt any man engaged in a legitimate mission, and the German-Americans who are loyal, as the great majority of them are, are entitled to our profound respect, having equal rights with us by reason of their loyalty, but as a military precaution we should be on the alert for secret enemies, a condition that has obtained in every war, and will obtain with the wars of the future.

THE COMPRESS COMPANY OFFERS GOOD PRIZES.

The Sentinel: Knowing that you are interested in the advancement of the boys and girls of the county, we wish to announce, through your columns, that we will again offer the same prizes as were given by us last year for the best yield per acre in cotton, as shown below:

- No. 1. One first prize of \$20 for the heaviest yield on 1 acre Red upland, one 2nd prize \$10.00 next heaviest yield. Red upland
- No. 2. One 1st prize \$20.00 for heaviest yield Sandy upland 1 acre.
- One 2nd prize \$10.00 for next heaviest yield Sandy upland 1 acre.
- No. 3. One 1st prize \$20 for heaviest yield on 1 acre Bottom Land.
- One 2nd prize \$10.00 for next heaviest yield on 1 acre Bottom Land.
- One prize of \$10.00 for the greatest per cent of profit made on any acre entered in this contest, on any character of land.

Any variety of cotton eligible to enter contest EXCEPT "HALF AND HALF."

The following conditions MUST be met in all cases.

- 1st. You must be of scholastic age.
- 2nd. You must register by writing to us stating Post Office or Route, giving age, sex, name and agree to keep a record of amount of seed planted, name of variety if known, time and cost of each operation, as bedding, fertilizer planting, times worked and how, counting your time at 75 cents per day and horse at 75 cents per day, cost of picking at 50 cents per hundred.
- You must have an attested record of the gross pounds per acre of seed cotton net yield in lint, attested by your ginner. All cotton entered in this contest must be weighed at our plant and sold in Nacogdoches, Texas.
- Price of cotton on the 1st of June or after that date. Awards will be made on Saturday, December 15th, 1917.
- Awards are to be made under the direction of the County Board of Public Education. All records made are to be our property after awards are made. Mr. Jim Greer our county agricultural agent has consented to supervise and advise.

Any scholastic to enter the contest MUST write to us giving, as above, name, age, address and character of land as No. 1, 2 or 3, as your land may be, when we will acknowledge your entry.

Those who entered last year were well repaid in their efforts even though they did not win a prize, and having been an incentive to others to make an honest attempt to achieve something.

Let's show dad a trick and raise more to the acre than he ever has. Come on in, the price will be good. Your friends, Nacogdoches Compress Co. Roland Jones, President.

ARMOUR & COMPANY SUPPORT THE WAR.

The following letter comes from Mr. A. W. Armour, vice-president of Armour & Company and has been mailed to all employees of the company: "In view of the government call for all state militia, we desire to advise you that all employees, married or single, who were regularly enlisted in the State Militia previous to March 31st, and who are called into active service, will be allowed the difference between the salary received from the government and their present salaries. Employees are requested to advise to whom remittances are to be made while they are absent."

DANGEROUS CALOMEL IS SELDOM SOLD NOW

Calomel Salivates! It Makes You Sick and You Lose a Day's Work—Dodson's Liver Tone Acts Better Than Calomel and Is Harmless for Men, Women, Children—Read Guarantee!

Every druggist here, yes! your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place. Calomel is dangerous and people know it while Dodson's Liver Tone is safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist. A large family-sized bottle costs only 50 cents and if you find it doesn't take the place of dangerous, salivating calomel you have only to ask for your money back. Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine, no sick headache, biliousness, ague,

sour stomach or clogged bowels. Dodson's Liver Tone doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all next day like calomel. Take a dose of calomel tonight and tomorrow you will feel sick, weak and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up with your head clear, your liver active, bowels clean, breath sweet and stomach regulated. You will feel cheerful and full of vigor and ready for a hard day's work. You can eat anything afterwards without risk of salivating yourself or your children. Get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and try it on my guarantee. You'll never again put a dose of nasty, dangerous calomel into your stomach.

FROM JUDGE INGRAHAM.

Nacogdoches, Texas, April 5, 1917.

To The Sentinel: I feel like kicking—not about the war.

The county is \$20,000 in debt on its road and bridge fund.

I voted for J. N. Thomas for alderman, and the paper does not report it. This fact is mentioned so my place as the original Thomas man will not be forgotten.

Mrs. Jule Smith, my daughter arrived from Fort Worth Sunday last, and I was glad. Mrs. Martha Staber did not come, which I regret. With Mrs. Smith came Miss Dorothy Staber of Oradell, N. J., my granddaughter, born in Nacogdoches Texas, and now about twelve years old. I had not seen her in four years.

I am in favor of the Normal school, some; not as much as I am in favor of good roads for this county. This latter being, in my judgment, the greatest good for the greatest number of citizens of the county.

I second the motion of the Hon. J. F. Perritte to vote the

additional fifteen-cent road tax. Now I feel better. GEO. F. INGRAHAM.

COMPANY B GOES TO FORT SAM HOUSTON

After a week's stay again with homefolks, Company B, will leave tonight for Fort Sam Houston, where state troops will be mobilized.

Mobilization orders for the Timpson company were received last Saturday. Since that time the company has made headquarters at the fair grounds. The instructions to report at Fort Sam Houston were received last night by Capt. Morrison; the boys have been busy today loading their tents and supplies. Cars for transportation arrived last night and will be attached to the train that leaves at 12:13 tonight.

The company will leave here with about 70 men, and will be accompanied by Major John D. Jennings.

Several new recruits have been received into the company and others will be added to the roll at the state mobilization camp.

THE JURY COST OF THE DISTRICT COURT

Through the courtesy of Mr. R. W. Murphey, the most capable deputy district clerk, The Sentinel gets the following report of the jury cost of the recent term of district court:

Petit and special venire jurors, \$1218.50; Grand jurors and their bailiffs, \$375.25. Total, \$1593.75.

By excusing the jurors when there was nothing to do, and the court being in vacation half the time for the same reason, Nacogdoches county was saved a good sum of money, for if the court had run full time, as it has many times in the past, the jury cost would have been double this amount.

Dr. L. W. Ramey of Houston, who was born and reared at Douglas, in this county, came up yesterday to be present at an operation on his brother-in-law, Walter Petty, for the removal of a blood clot on the brain, caused by a blow from a falling limb from a tree. He returned to his home in Houston today.

Cause and Effect
 "As a man soweth so shall he also reap" to which has been urged "He that fertilizeth heavily shall reap bountifully."
 To insure a good crop of Corn in the Fall, use
Meridian Fertilizers
 in the Spring. Our corn formulas are proven.
 Look for the Red Bag printed on the outside. It is your guarantee of goodness inside.
MERIDIAN FERTILIZER FACTORY
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BACKACHE, SWELLING OF HANDS AND FEET.

Dear Editor: "I appeal to those of your readers who are bothered with backache and a constant tired feeling to give 'Anurie' a trial. It has been recently discovered by Dr. Pierce of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., I suffered from backache, swelling of hands and feet, too frequent exertion from the kidneys and many other symptoms. Was unable to work, but after taking just one box of 'Anurie' according to directions I am again able to perform my daily duties." (Signed) W. R. BRAY.

Note.—If you've never used the "Anurie" cut this out and send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce for a large sample package. This will prove to you that "Anurie" is 37 times more active than lithia in eliminating uric acid—and the most perfect kidney and bladder corrector, as well as relieving pains of rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia. If you are a sufferer, go to your best druggist and ask for a 50-cent package of "Anurie."

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP

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of the Weekly Sentinel published Weekly, at Nacogdoches, Texas, for April 1st, 1917.

State of Texas, county of Nacogdoches, ss.—Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Giles M. Haltom, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the business manager of the Weekly Sentinel, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations.

Publishers Haltom & Gibbs, Nacogdoches, Texas. Editor, O. M. Gibbs, Nacogdoches, Texas, Business Manager, Giles M. Haltom, Nacogdoches, Texas.

That the owners are Giles M. Haltom, Nacogdoches, Texas. O. M. Gibbs, Nacogdoches, Texas. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are Giles M. Haltom, Nacogdoches, Texas, Mergenthaler Linotype Co., New York.

GILES M. HALTOM.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 7th day of April, 1917.

ROBT. LINDSEY, Notary Public.

[Seal] Nacogdoches County, Texas.

MT. MORIAH LOCALS.

Health is good at this writing.

We are having good prayer meetings.

Miss Ella Cooper of Center is visiting in the community.

Miss Maude Adams has returned from Waco where she went as a delegate of the Woodmen Circle from Shady Grove.

Misses Annie Belle and Lillie Belle Nix spent Saturday with Miss Maude Adams.

Misses Ella, Dora and Ollie Cooper spent Saturday with their aunt, Mrs. Dixie Chandler.

Mr. J. Kennedy of Woden spent Saturday night with his brother, Charlie Kennedy.

Mrs. Katie Stoker visited her daughter, Mrs. Maude Adams, last week.

Miss Blanche Chandler spent the day with her aunt, Mrs. Alice Stoker, Monday.

There will be preaching here the next third Sunday, also foot washing. Bro. Dave Nix will preach.

Mrs. Addie Nix visited Mrs. Maude Adams, Saturday.

TIMPSON CITY MARSHAL SHOOT A BAD NEGRO

Timpon Times, Monday.

City Marshal E. A. Booth was called to the negro settlement of town last night to quell a disturbance between a couple of negro men. The negroes had gotten into a row, and one of them, George Miller King, told the other that he was going to kill him, and he secured a shot-gun to carry out his threat. When Mr. Booth and his deputy, Hager Hooker, arrived upon the scene, King was on the watch for his enemy. Mr. Booth proceeded to arrest the negro, and when he spoke to him the negro pointed the gun at Mr. Booth with the threat that he would just as soon kill him as anybody else. The marshal and his deputy were just a little too quick for the negro, however, and now he is "laid up for repairs" with three bullet wounds. The officers were perfectly justifiable in shooting the negro.

Horace Rainbolt, who has been with the National Guards on the border for several months, has received an honorable discharge, and arrived home yesterday. The young man was loyal to his country, and did not seek the discharge that was given to him, coming through some action of the supreme court, which knocked out enlistments under the terms in which he entered the service.

BIG GERMAN REVERSE IS REPORTED TODAY

Thousands Captured in Sweep Over Vimy Ridge Where Defeat Was Met Before

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, April 9, via London.—The British Monday delivered a strong blow against the Germans from the region southwest of Cambrai to a point south of Lens. An advance of from two to three miles was made by the British on a front extending from Henin-sur-Cojeul, southwest of Arras, to Givency-Joel, a distance of about twelve miles.

The official report from army headquarters in France makes this announcement Monday night, and adds that the advance continues. The famous Vimy Ridge was carried by the Canadian troops.

Thousands of German prisoners were taken by the British.—Up to 2 o'clock 5,816, including 119 officers, passed through the receiving stations and according to the official report many more remain to be counted.

The British swept over the German position from the south of Arras northward, on the famous Vimy Ridge, fighting for the possession of which cost the French 100,000 casualties earlier in the war. Once before the British had gained the crest of this ridge, but under a tremendous concentration of German guns they were compelled to give it up.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING.

Nacogdoches Baptist Fifth Sunday Meeting will convene with Melrose church April 27th.

7:30 p. m., Devotional, G. E. Hammond.

8:00 p. m., Sermon, C. E. Routh.

Saturday, 9:00 a. m., Devotional, W. L. Heflin.

9:30 a. m., "The Needs of Nacogdoches County," A. T. Gerrard and R. C. Monk, followed with general discussion.

11:00 a. m., Sermon, E. C. Routh.

1:30 p. m., Board Meeting.

3:00 p. m., Woman's Meeting.

7:30 p. m., Devotional, L. A. Bagley.

8:00 p. m., Sermon, E. C. Routh.

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Devotional, H. M. Hutson.

10:00 a. m., Sunday School mass meeting.

11:00 a. m., Sermon, E. C. Routh.

7:30 p. m., Sermon, Bro. Woods.

We cordially invite all our workers.

M. F. DRURY,
For Committee.

IN NACOGDOCHES.

The Evidence is Supplied by Local Testimony.

If the reader wants stronger proof than the following statement and experience of a resident of Nacogdoches, what can it be?

Mrs. J. Roquemore, N. Fredonia St., Nacogdoches, says: "I had dizzy headaches and my kidneys were irregular in action. My bladder was inflamed and caused me some annoyance. The pains ran up through my kidneys and caused me to suffer intensely. Doan's Kidney Pills brought fine results."

50c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo N. Y.

GERMAN ARSENAL IS FOUND IN CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, April 8.—Hundreds of rifles, bayonets, swords and belts and large quantities of ammunition were captured in raids by the police on three homes in Cleveland tonight. The owners, all naturalized Germans, denied that they had gathered the arms and ammunition for any warlike purpose. They said they had simply collected them as an amusement. Most of the rifles were serviceable, but were of a type no longer in use in the United States army. The majority are Springfield rifles of the 1898 model. None of the owners were detained.

APRIL A WAR MONTH.

There is a coincidence in the declaration of war coming on April 6. That was the fifty-fifth anniversary of the battle of Shiloh, a most sanguinary battle, in which Americans were arrayed against Americans. Today they are a united people, fighting side by side against any foreign foe.

April has cut much figure in wars in which the people of the United States have been engaged. The war of the revolution began on April 19, 1776; the Black Hawk Indian war began on April 12, 1831; the war with Mexico began on April 24, 1836; the Civil war began with the firing upon Fort Sumpter on April 12, 1861; the Spanish-American war began on April 21, 1898.—Austin American.

Messrs. F. T. Posey, J. D. Lilly and J. A. Dudley of Chireno were visitors to the city today, and honored this office with a pleasant call while here.

Neighbor Told Her Cure for Lumbago

Rheumatism and lumbago are awful things and cause great pain and misery, but Foley Kidney Pills can root them out.

Mrs. C. H. Eveland, Duncan Mills, Ill., writes the following letter: "I was stricken down with lumbago and was unable to turn myself in bed. A neighbor brought me a half bottle of Foley Kidney Pills, and said she had been similarly afflicted and that they had helped her. So I tried them and was completely relieved by the use of two or three bottles. I have had splendid success with them and have never known them to fail. I most heartily recommend Foley Kidney Pills."

Foley Kidney Pills tone up weak, inactive, sluggish kidneys, rid the body of poisons, give appetite, energy and refreshing sleep after pain. Don't neglect kidney trouble. Remove the cause with Foley Kidney Pills.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES IN TEXAS.

The average salary for teachers in Texas in 1910 was \$384; in New York \$813; in Arizona \$817; in California, \$918; while twenty-seven other states paid more for such services than Texas. Teachers' salaries have increased some since 1910, but this increase has not been at all commensurate with the increased cost of living. Considering the increased cost of living has compelled many strong teachers are not as well paid today as they were fifteen years ago. This assumption can be fairly well verified by the following figures:

In 1911, the United States Bureau of Labor found that wholesale prices were 44.1 per cent higher than they were in 1897. With this statement as a working basis, a salary of \$693.73 in 1897, had as great a purchasing power as a salary of \$1000 in 1911. If teachers were paid in consumable commodities at market prices today instead of salary checks, it is likely that they would receive less at the end of each month under such a system than they would have in 1900.

The failure of the teachers' salary to keep pace with the increasing cost of living has compelled many strong men to abandon the profession. This has opened the door to a flood of inefficient boys and girls who are admitted into our schools as teachers. Considering their educational ideals and the character of much of the service rendered in the schools it is not improbable that many of them are extravagantly overpaid today notwithstanding the very small salaries they receive. There are some teachers in the service in Texas today who, if paid at all, are paid too much. Better salaries for better teachers, I think, would operate to remove many of these incapable persons from the state's pay-roll.

In Denmark, 82 per cent of the rural teachers are men. The best men of the nation do not hesitate to go into the teaching profession for life. In Texas, business, medicine, law and politics are claiming many of the strong men the school-room should have. But in Denmark the country teachers are all provided with a free home and garden, and better pay than the average Texas teacher gets. This means much for the teacher and community leadership, and helps make the profession attractive to the best male talent of the nation. As a result, Denmark is said to have the best male talent of the nation. As a result, Denmark is said to have the best system of rural schools, and the best educated rural people in the world. Texas might do well to sit up and take note. That better salaries would make better teachers of some of the poorer ones now in the service, I seriously doubt, but with better salaries, we might reasonably hope that a generation of more capable and better prepared persons would enter the profession.—Division of School Interests.

SAINTED OLD MOTHER DIES AT GARRISON

Mrs. Jones, the aged mother of Mrs. R. Ray of Garrison, and sister of Judge Jas. I. Perkins, died at the home of her daughter in Garrison this morning, and her remains were brought to this city today en route to Rusk for interment, accompanied by Mrs. Ray, Miss Lucille Green, a great grand-daughter, and Mr. Horace Langston, a great grand-son by marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Summers, who are also related to the lady, will possibly accompany the funeral party in the remainder of the journey to Rusk.

Mrs. Jones was up in the nineties in age, and was possibly the oldest woman in the county. In the list of her descendants she has great-grand-children, thus making the fifth generation, which is very unusual. She was a sainted old mother, dearly loved by those who knew her, and many hearts are made sad with her death.

MINISTER AND WIFE ARE BURIED TOGETHER

The following report of the death of a minister and his wife, who are known to the people of all sections of East Texas, is taken from yesterday's issue of the Lufkin News:

"One of the saddest items that The News has been called upon to mention in a long time is as follows: Rev. T. J. Milam and his wife resided in this city with the family of Mr. Homer Garrison, Mrs. Garrison being their daughter. Last night Mrs. Milam, at an advanced age, died of acute indigestion, despite all that medical science could do for her relief. Rev. Milam, who had been sick for some time, grew worse, and was given up by attending physicians. He expired just before the noon hour today, and the double funeral service will be held tomorrow at the family residence, with interment in Glendale Cemetery.

"This aged couple lived a life of devotion to their Christian ideals, and Rev. Milam had a wide acquaintance over Texas and many friends will be indeed sorry to hear of his sad demise and that of his good wife. He was a typical Southern gentleman, well schooled and well versed and pleasant in conversation, and it can be truly said that the country has suffered by his passing.

"The News hopes to dwell at

length upon the lives of these two noble Christian characters, but time and space in this issue, will not permit. In common with all the people of the town The News extends condolence to the bereaved ones left to mourn."

AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT OVER AT SAN AUGUSTINE

SAN AUGUSTINE, Texas, April 8.—Miss Mettie Slaughter suffered injuries to her back, Mrs. Laura Collins' collar bone was fractured and she was severely bruised about the head and back, and T. L. Miller was injured in the head when an automobile in which they were riding turned nearly over just west of the city this afternoon.

Another automobile driven by T. L. Morris was immediately behind the Miller car and ran into it as it was topling on the brink of a ditch on the edge of the road, thus preventing it going entirely over.

Miss Slaughter, Mrs. Collins and Mr. Miller were thrown out, however, before the collision. Physicians pronounce Miss Slaughter's injuries the most serious. She and Mrs. Collins were removed to their homes Miller being unable to leave the scene unaided.

Miller inadvertently ran the car into the ditch endeavoring to turn out of the road so that an approaching automobile could pass. Had it not been for the car in the rear preventing Miller's car turning over, it is probable all three of the injured persons would have been crushed beneath the weight of the machine.

MILITARY TRAINING FOR OUR BOYS AND MEN

Friday night at 8:00 o'clock, at the city hall, those interested in taking military training are urged to be present.

The object is to take training for the training's sake. Service to our country is not contemplated at this time, so your present obligation will be neither increased or decreased. It is proposed that three or four nights a week be devoted to work of drilling one hour each of the four nights.

All grown men from sixteen to fifty years of age are wanted. Come on out.

Mr. Henry Sawyer was an arrival to the city, and has been kept pretty busy receiving the greetings of his many friends.

They Earned \$29.00 For Each \$1 Invested

THAT'S WHAT INVESTORS EARNED WHO PURCHASED ORIGINAL SHARES IN MY FIRST COMPANY. OTHER COMPANIES I ORGANIZED EARNED SHARE PURCHASERS TREMENDOUS PROFITS. NOW I AM ORGANIZING A BIG, NEW, COMPANY JOINING ME NOW MAY BE THE MAKING OF YOUR FORTUNE. INVESTIGATE IT.

FORTUNES IN OIL YOU CAN INVEST

Here in the Coastal Oil Belt, millions of dollars are being earned by all classes of investors, from the man who can afford to invest only a few dollars a month to the investor of thousands. Single wells often come in with initial production of 10,000, 15,000 and 20,000 barrels of oil daily. Oil is selling up to \$1.30 a barrel at the well, so that single wells often produce enormous fortunes every day that passes. Figure it for yourself. I organized the Hoffman Oil Company and sold shares at \$10 each. Within nine months investors in the original shares of this company received \$29 for every \$1 invested, or \$2900 for every ten share purchased. Here's what some of my investor-friends got for coming in with me:

One man invested \$70. In nine months time this small sum grew into \$1906.70. Two ladies invested \$84 each, and within the same time got back over \$2200. One man invested \$670, and when the profits were divided he received over \$18,000 as his share. Many others profited in proportion, at a rate of \$29 for every \$1 invested.

Now I am organizing a big, new company, the Hoffman Oil & Refining Corporation. I want to make this one of the biggest oil producing, refining and marketing companies in the Southwest. The par value of shares in this company is \$10, the same as in my first company. But for a limited time, early buyers will get the benefit of a big discount. The recent allotment of shares will be sold at only a fraction of the actual par value. But this offer is positively limited. At the present price and terms, no matter how MUCH or how LITTLE you can afford to invest your opportunity to participate in the large profits we expect to make is just as great as anyone else, because ALL shareholders will share equally in the profits, according to the interest each one holds.

Don't lay this paper aside until you have clipped out and sent in the attached coupon. By return mail I will send you full details about my phenomenal success in the oil business and the wonderful profits I made for my investor friends in previous companies I organized. You'll be interested, and it may be the means of making your fortune.

Mr. Henry H. Hoffman, President,
Hoffman Trust Company, Fiscal Agents,
No. 1006 Carter Building, Houston, Texas.

Dear Sir:—Please send me full information about the plans of the Hoffman Oil & Refining Corporation and your SPECIAL OFFER to investors. Also please send me FREE copy of your magazine, "Hoffman's Investment Journal." I am interested but do not obligate myself in any way.

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Address _____

MR. L. HUNT, OUR SPECIAL AGENT WHO IS STOPPING AT THE BANITA HOTEL, WILL BE PLEASED TO GIVE PRESENT OR PROSPECTIVE STOCKHOLDERS ANY INFORMATION DESIRED BY THEM.

ATTENDING PRESBYTERY.

Rev. M. C. Johnson and Prof. F. A. Beall left Monday afternoon for New Orleans, where they go to attend the meeting of the Presbytery of Jefferson. They joined quite a party of ministers and laymen from Henderson, Jacksonville, Timpon and immediate points.

This Presbytery has had an exceptionally prosperous year, having received six new ministers, twelve new congregations and several hundred additions to the membership.

Mr. Johnson will preach the opening sermon for the new Westminister church on St. Charles avenue, New Orleans, which is a good distinction for our beloved minister and loyal citizen.

The General Assembly of the American Presbyterian church will meet in May at Dallas, to which several thousand delegates will go from every state and possession of our nation, as well as from most of the foreign nations. As this is the first time Texas ever had this great assembly to meet within her borders, it is gratifying that each Presbytery in the Southwest is sending good reports of progress this year, and especially so to Presbyterians of East Texas, and Louisiana, because the Presbytery of Jefferson leads them all in missionary and evangelistic work.

THE MAYOR OF WACO IS FOR PREPAREDNESS

WACO, Tex., April 9.—In a formal statement made tonight Mayor John Dollins of Waco ordered the immediate purchase of a machine gun to be stationed at the city hall here, and also high powered rifles for each member of the police force. He further admonished Waco citizens to arm their homes and purchase ammunition to be in readiness for any eventuality. The mayor declares he has received word that Mexicans are arming themselves, and in his statement admonished local ammunition or arms dealers to be careful to whom they sold supplies.

The Sentinel failed to note in yesterday's issue the return of Hon. June C. Harris from a business visit to Washington, D. C. Mr. Harris was present when the senate debated the war resolution, and says it was a most interesting experience. He also says there is much war talk in the capitol city.

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The thrifty farmer is in the saddle now, and if he doesn't fix himself for that day when there will be a re-action, he will be entitled to little sympathy.

And it shall come to pass in that day that the Lord shall punish the host of the high ones that are on high and the kings of the earth upon the earth.—Isaiah xxv, 21.

A people that studies its own past and rejoices in the nation's proud memories is likely to be a patriotic people, the bulwark of law and the courageous champion of right in the hour of need.—Joseph Anderson.

A good farmer brought a load of country hams to town and sold them out this morning, and carried home with him more money for this buggy load of meat than the farmer of former years received for a wagon load of cotton.

Shreveport Times tersely observes: "Maybe a reason von LaFollette is still in Washington is because he's not an 'ambassy attache.'" Some Texans are adding the "von" to Congressman Jeff McLemore's name since he "misrepresented the state with his vote in congress."

The information is gleaned from the Lufkin News that a big flag is to be erected on the top of the standpipe of Lufkin, where the stars and stripes of Old Glory will be unfurled in all their splendor and grandeur. This will possibly interfere with Bro. Lively's automobile assault upon the standpipe, for in these days of fervid patriotism it is dangerous to maltreat the flag, or the staff thereof. "Watch your step as you have never watched it before," Doc.

With the next day comes the Houston Boosters to Nacogdoches—and they will not soon forget the hour they spend with us. In fact, we may not have much thought of their pre-arranged schedule when once we get them loaded into our automobiles. The route agent did not know Nacogdoches well when he made up his list, and this would be a good time to teach him a lesson that it takes more than a measly hour to mix with the chivalry, grace and beauty of the Old Stone Fort City.

From the press service of the Department of Agriculture The Sentinel takes the following excerpt, which contains a great truth: "In emergencies it may be necessary for some patriots to unyoke the oxen and leave the plow standing in the furrow, but the lasting support of a nation requires efficient patriots to keep the plows going. The soil supports the corn; corn supports animals; corn and animals support an army, and armies fight on their bellies." Let us properly care for the goose that lays the golden egg."

The district judge of Port Lavaca made a very unusual, yet timely charge to his grand jury in the statement: "Observe the flag—there are alternate stripes of red and white, but there is no yellow there." After making this statement the crowd in the court house arose and sang the "Star Spangled Banner," at the conclusion of which the judge made the further statement that there are only two classes of people in the United States now, patriots and traitors—"and there is no room here for traitors," he declared.

The statesmen and press of the country are stressing the fact that he who raises feedstuff and foodstuff is contributing a patriotic service to his country. It is not meant by this that the farmer's product would be confiscated, or that he should contribute it to the service. What the country needs is a supply, and it will take every available acre of land in this country to meet the actual demands. There is already a big shortage in the wheat crop, caused by the unfavorable weather; the next substitute for this is corn and peanut products. And the world has never known such a shortage of meats as we are now experiencing.

In electing the road tax yesterday, Nacogdoches county takes a big stride forward, and gives evidence of the new spirit of progressiveness that is growing up in the county. Good roads are the first essential to development of the towns which serve the country, hence this stride forward is cause for rejoicing with the whole people of the county. Now let us have a judicious expenditure of the money; let the people co-operate with the commissioners, not relying upon the tax solely for the upkeep of the roads, but as a supplement, and great good will be accomplished.

The business men of Shreveport held a big mass meeting yesterday at which a committee of fifty was named and engaged to promote the raising of more feedstuff and foodstuff in the vicinity of that city. Many farmers attended the meeting, and all were enthusiastic with the idea. This is a plan that might well be emulated by the towns and cities of the whole country. Many farmers will not plant as much feedstuff crops because the seed is high and hard to get, and for this same reason much land will go untilled. With a spirit of co-operation, these matters could be arranged, and all parties could be made to realize the great responsibility that is upon the country at this time.

TO OUR PACIFISTS.

Mr. F. H. Williams a cousin of Mrs. Gillette of this city, contributes the following lines to the "pacifists":

Oh! List ye whose ears are lying
Harkening to the groans of Earth;
Hear ye not the children crying,
In the wrecked lands of their birth?

Hear ye not the cinders sparkling
Where their homes go up in flame,
That ye spend your days in "harking"
Lest ye give these monsters blame?

Blind your eyes to that procession
Shrieking maidens dragged afar;
Made the weeping, lust procession
Of some devil chief at war.

Do not see that lonely woman
Voiceless, by her ruined health,
Dying babe starved on her bosom,
Children strewed along the earth.

Rest your eyes on gilded helmets,
And that Iron cross of "Fame,"
If they reek with blood of infants,
Why, Infants must be to blame.

Blind your eyes and listen clearer
To the shrieks of Prussian ire;
Think ye, if ye woo them nearer
They will spare "yours" from the fire?

Long the sons of Freedom sleeping,
Dulled their ears to Europe's wail;
Listened idly to their weeping,
And the coward's hateful rail.

Wake ye now? Yes, Earth is walking,
Hear her rumbles coming here;
Spirits of our East are speaking;
Lo! The whirlwind's breath is near.

Wake! Arouse ye varied Peoples
My full breasts have fed in Peace;
Let the bells ring from thy steeples
Wanton murders now must cease.

"Let my flag that stands for justice,
Light the murky seas with stars;
Show the fainting lands their trust is
Safe beneath the crimson bars."
F. H. WILLIAMS.

THE DENTON NORMAL IN A DAMAGE SUIT

Kaufman, Texas, April 9.—Judge V. W. Grubbs, known as the father of the Industrial College, maintained by the state, at Denton, Texas, filed a suit in the District Court of Kaufman County this afternoon, charging the school had been commercialized by enrollment requirements and unreasonable examinations to such an extent that the girls for whose special benefit the school was established were excluded from its benefits.

He also alleges that the school is now under the domination of a political machine of which the president is a member.

The plaintiff asks damages in the sum of \$10,000 for the alleged action of the defendants in repudiating the terms of the Lydia Grubbs scholarship. He asserts that there is a considerable sum of money in the hands of one of the defendants, which was contributed by his friends in Texas and elsewhere, and which he seeks to have refunded to them.

He also asks for the appointment of a court receiver for the college, and seeks an order enjoining the regents from excluding the girls of Texas who most need the training of the school, by the maintenance of unreasonable enrollment requirements and high cost of attendance, and seeks an order removing the present board of regents from office.

NACOGDOCHES TRADITIONS.

Until recent years, that is to say in times preceding the present 20th century, any man or woman that wanted to teach school, preach the gospel or practice medicine was at lawful liberty to do so. Qualifications were not at all requisite. A wicked man could "profess" religion and go to preaching right now, and an ignoramus could get a school subscribed, or in other words, canvass the neighborhood for "subscribed scholars," and thus get a school. And in like manner the biggest brass head fool could be a "successful" doctor. The woods were full of all such cattle, and they filed their bills copiously.

But, nevertheless, in those days it came to pass, about the year 1836, and thereafter, that there were a number of such professions, teachers, preachers and physicians, who were not in any sense charlatans, but were cultured, high-minded practitioners.

Among the earliest medical practitioners of ability in Texas, the young republic, was Dr. Robert A. Irion. His name is perpetuated on the pages of Texas history, and in bestowing the name to Irion county, and while there is no person here now bearing the name of Irion, yet this name is given to the Irion hill, upon which he was the first settler, and which is so known and called. It is located in the western suburbs of our sacred city, Irion hill is as familiar to the residents as if it were itself a city. The old homestead of Dr. Irion is here yet.

The Irion family in the dim past were political refugees from Germany, who settled in Virginia, and thence removed to Davidson county, Tennessee, where Dr. R. A. Irion was born, reared and educated in the common schools of that period. He studied medicine there and graduated at the Transylvania University. He first practiced at Vicksburg, but soon came to Texas, which then simply meant to Nacogdoches, where he spent a most useful and prominent life, in keeping with the Irion characteristics. They were always prominent.

Dr. Irion married Miss Anna Raguet, daughter of Col. Henry Raguet, who came to Texas, from Philadelphia, served on Gen. Houston's staff at the battle of San Jacinto, and was one of the foremost pioneers. She was born in Nacogdoches, and was a most popular, beautiful and accomplished young lady, a special favorite of Gen. Houston. The Raguetts were of French extraction. None of the name reside here now, but their memory is still revered, and the honor was upheld by Col. Henry W. Raguet, who fell at the head of his regiment in the battle of Glorietta. Camp Raguet, No. 620, U. C. V. is named in his honor.

Sam Houston was then in 1836, the hero and idol of Texas, and had known the Irions in Tennessee, where he had been at the pinnacle of fame and honor. He made Dr. Irion his secretary of state as long as Irion function was discharged by Dr. Irion with great ability, but was finally declined, and the practice of medicine resumed.

Irion named his first son Sam Houston. Nacogdoches named many sons Irion. Another physician of eminent ability who located here about 1840, and was of the highest rank in family class and culture, was Dr. Lycurgus E. Griffith. He and Dr. Irion being of a similar type became the greatest of friends. He was a simon pure F. F. V., and his professional and literary lore and his high character conspicuously admitted. His name is likewise now only a memory. He raised a family that was an honor to the name. Their place of abode now is Terrell, Texas. Dr. Griffith was educated at Baltimore, and at Washington, D. C. where the Griffith name is still found and respected.

Another physician of mark and ability resided in Nacogdoches many years a little later in the same period. This was Dr. Richard H. Masteller, whose early life was a mystery. He gave as his alma mater the old University of Pennsylvania, located at Philadelphia, and then very highly rated. But his true origin was never revealed. He was rated as a Yankee doctor of great ability. He led a queer life and died a queer death. He was a man of great dignity and important poise. But at last he gradually fell into a state of neglect, and inebriety, this being not an unusual vice for doctors and others of that period. He is buried in our cemetery, but who can point out his grave?

It has fortunately ceased to be fashionable for doctors to drink, and for charlatans and mountebanks to prey upon the credulous public. Or all men in the world, a doctor should be true and faithful, and moreover qualified. And thus the people should be protected from medical frauds.

J. E. M.

GUN-RUNNING VESSEL CAPTURED OFF MEXICO

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 10.—A munitions carrying schooner bound for a Mexican west coast port, was fired upon and captured by two United States torpedo boat destroyers, it was learned tonight from authoritative sources. Five shots were fired at the vessel when it attempted to escape and the ship was then beached. Several thousand rounds of rifle and machine gun ammunition were taken aboard the destroyer and landed at a Pacific coast port.

It is known that the destroyers have been scouting for a supposed munitions smuggling ship for more than a week. Monday the patrol boats sighted the schooner, which was southbound, off the coast of California and following a course in shore. The warships gave chase and when the captain of the schooner saw that capture was inevitable, he is reported to have attempted to destroy the vessel.

Refusing to heed signal calls to stop, the skipper steered for shore and beached the schooner. Five shots, the report says, were fired at the ship before it piled upon the beach.

The ammunition was taken off by motor launches from the destroyers. The identity of the captain and the crew of the schooner has not been revealed.

Persons in a position to know details of the action intimated that the ammunition was taken aboard the smuggled at two Pacific coast points by fishing boats.

19 U. S. VESSELS SUNK BY U-BOATS

WASHINGTON, April 10.—German submarines have sunk during the war a grand total of 686 neutral vessels, including 19 American, and have attacked unsuccessfully 79 others, including 8 American, according to an official tabulation given out at the State department today and complete up to April 8. Since the German war zone went into effect on February 1, more than one-third of the vessels sunk have been neutral and a large number of neutral vessels have been terrorized into staying in port.

No estimate is available of the number of lives lost on neutral vessels. Official reports show that on neutral and belligerent steamers together:

The department statement follows: "Information has been received by the department that since the beginning of the war, including April 3, a total of 686 neutral vessels have been sunk by German submarines, as follows:

Norwegian 410, Swedish 11, Dutch 61, Greek 50, Spanish 33, American 19, Peruvian 1, Argentine 1. Total 686.

Neutral vessels attacked and escaped: Norwegian 32, Swedish 9, Danish 5, Dutch 13, Greek 8, Spanish 2, Argentine 1, Brazil 1, American 8. Total, 79.

WILL HAVE NO STRIKES WHILE THE WAR LASTS

WASHINGTON, April 8.—No strikes or labor disputes of any kind during the war is the program of the labor committee of the Council of National Defense advisory committee, headed by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor.

In a report unanimously adopted by the council and committee, made public last night, the committee declares "that defense and safety of the nation must be the first consideration of all patriotic citizens," and proposes that whenever emergencies arise requiring a change of standards, such changes should be made only after investigation and approval by the Council of National Defense.

The labor committee members include both leaders of organizer labor and representatives of influential industrial interests.

TO TRAIN OFFICERS.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 10.—Schools will be established throughout the Southern Department April 23 for the instructions of non-commissioned officers of the regular army who have been recommended for commission. Between 2000 and 3000 men will take the course. If found qualified they will be commissioned as high as the grade of captain for the duration of the war. The course of instruction will extend over a period of three months.

Orders have been received by General Pershing to arrange for examination of officers who will be promoted in organization of the next regular army increment. One increment was formed last year and four more are authorized, which may be called for by the president as he deems fit. An increment is made up of seven infantry regiments, three field artillery regiments, two cavalry regiments and staff corps troops in proportion.

Nacogdoches County Mutual Benefit Association OF NACOGDOCHES, TEXAS.

A Fraternal, Beneficial, Benevolent Society, organized by and for the people of Nacogdoches County, for the purpose of securing reliable life insurance at cost.

Now is your chance to get the Best and Cheapest Insurance. No company can offer you insurance protection as cheap, with their expense of paid officers and profits. We have none. It is the Safest and by far the Cheapest insurance you can get. The money in your home bank to pay your claim the very day you die.

All white persons in Nacogdoches County in good health, between 16 and 50 years eligible to join.

\$3.50 to Join

Absolutely not another cent until the death of a member, then \$1.10 in 30 days from date of notice.

For further information see our only authorized agent, JOHN B. DORSEY, NACOGDOCHES

Officers: Judge J. F. Perritte, President; Hal Tucker, Treasurer; Mrs. Dovie A. Rich, Secretary. Directors: Rev. Alton Smith, Joe E. Vondersmith, Ally G. Gatlin, Willie A. Wade, Lake Orton.

See or write Mr. Dorsey. He will gladly go and take your application. Only 9 members have died in 7 years.

PRESBYTERIAL MEETING.

The Presbytery of Eastern Texas of the Southern Presbyterian Church adjourned to meet in Nacogdoches, April 17th, 1917. We are to have several distinguished ministers and laymen with us during the three days, beginning at eight o'clock on the evening of the 17th, and continuing through Wednesday and Thursday. These men are representative of East Texas and the South. We want to give entertainment and true Southern hospitality and will have to ask our friends to assist us in entertaining; please report to the pastor who you want to have in your home as a guest and he will comply with your request. The cities of Crockett, Trinity, Rusk, Tenaha, Timpson, San Augustine, Orange, Beaumont, Lufkin, Ratcliff, Livingston and others will be represented. We need homes for about twenty or twenty-five representatives and ministers. We are expecting about fifty people at this meeting of Presbytery. The honor of entertaining the Presbytery has been granted and we hope to have the assistance of our friends. Our sittings are open to the public and everybody is invited to attend. Dr. E. T. Drake, Orange, Texas, will preach the opening sermon, Tuesday night at eight o'clock. Rev. T. H. Pollard of Livingston will preach Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. Dr. J. E. Oehler of Palestine will occupy the pulpit at eight o'clock Wednesday night. Rev.

F. E. Robbins of Beaumont will preach at 11 o'clock Thursday morning. Dr. E. P. Kennedy of Beaumont will occupy the pulpit at eight o'clock Thursday night. These men will bring rich messages of truth to all who attend. Come and bring your friends with you. Those who will assist in entertainment will please phone No. 439 and your guests will be assigned.

J. N. CUNNINGHAM, Pastor.

A SLOGAN WANTED.

\$25.00 in gold for the slogan that best describes NACOGDOCHES as THE logical LOCATION for the STEPHEN F. AUSTIN NORMAL SCHOOL. Will, on April 16th, 1917, be paid to the LADY or school child, boy or girl, resident of Texas whose suggestion is accepted by the Slogan Committee.

Mail your suggestion to Miss Ruth Myatt, Nacogdoches, Texas, who will make a copy of it, excepting your name and address, and in lieu of the latter, will place corresponding numbers on both the original and copy for identification.

These copies of suggestions will be delivered to the Slogan Committee on the morning of Saturday, April 14th, 1917, who will at that time consider each and every one carefully and immediately announce the successful contestant. Give us a short and snappy one. THE SLOGAN COMMITTEE.

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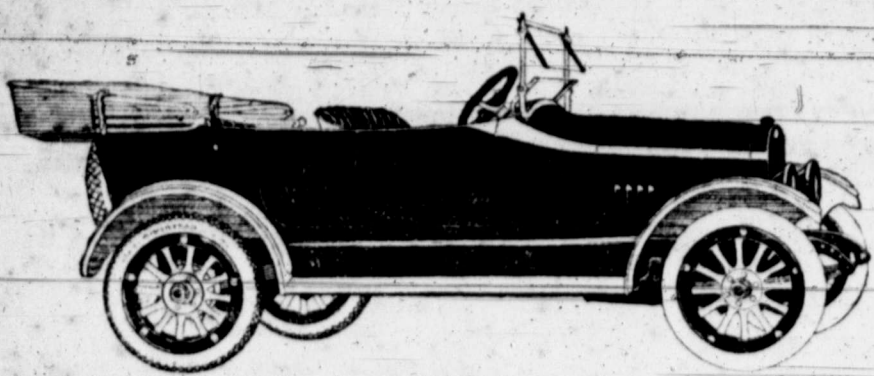
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SEE OUR 1917 DORT AT OUR SHOWROOMS.

BONITA GARAGE, Nacogdoches

THE CALL SESSION TO BE POSTPONED

AUSTIN, Texas, April 8.—Governor Ferguson reached here this morning from South Texas. He said he will not issue his proclamation for the special session at this time, nor will he announce the date for the convening of the extra session of the legislature.

He will dispose of the remaining bills on his desk tomorrow, among the measures being the two newspaper libel bills. He leaves Monday night for Dallas to participate in the Loyalty Day celebration on Tuesday.

He participates tomorrow afternoon in the Loyalty Day celebration here. Mr. C. F. Powell, a prominent banker and business man of Shelby county, arrived in the city at noon for a visit to his daughters, Mrs. Arch Millard, and Misses Iris and Varina Powell.

Mr. L. Hunt, who had been in the city several days representing the Hoffman Co., and Mr. T. J. Hunt, assistant secretary of the enterprise who joined him in the last days of his sojourn, left yesterday afternoon for McKinney, Texas. They sold four thousand dollars worth of stock in this section last week.

A "system regulator" is a medicine that purifies and strengthens liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. Prickly Ash Bitters is one of the best of these. It drives out unhealthy conditions, promotes activity of body and brain, restores good appetite, sound sleep and cheerful spirits. Stripling, Haselwood & Co., Special Agents.

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GROCERY COMPANY ENTERED BY BURGLAR

The Nacogdoches Grocery was entered by a burglar last night and a small quantity of Irish potatoes taken.

The burglar gained admittance to the building through a real glass window.

The only thing missing was the Irish potatoes, some of which were spilled about the window where he went out. It is possible, however, that other articles were taken which have not yet been missed.

Officers have made a very thorough search, but up to the time of this report had found no clue that would lead to the identity of the burglar.

RR. Henderson, D.D.S. W. R. Sibley, D.D.S. DR. HENDERSON & SIVLEY

Dentists Over Swift Bros. & Smith's Drug Store.

Phone No. 2. Nacogdoches, Tex.

The Country Home Can Now Have Electric Lights!

Electric lights equal to those in the city can now be had in the rural home by the Delco System, a simple and inexpensive method, with no complicated parts to get out of order. It will operate the sewing machine, churn, cream separator, run a fan as well as furnish light. See the Delco agent for a demonstration, for full particulars, prices, terms, etc. The following territory: Nacogdoches, Shelby, Sabine, San Augustine, Jasper and Newton Counties. All inquiries will be answered promptly.

J. R. DICKERSON, SALES AGENT
San Augustine, Texas.

NUMBERS SLOWLY POISONING SYSTEM

Auto-intoxication is Foundation of Most Diseases and Ill Health. Says Noted Authority.

Advanced medical authorities assert that auto-intoxication is the foundation of most of the ills and diseases to which the human flesh is heir. "This condition," says L. T. Cooper, who has made an exhaustive study of the subject, "is nothing more nor less than the slow self-poisoning of the vital organs, produced by the excessive mental and physical strain we are forced to endure, which renders the organs lame and inactive and permits toxins—actual poisons—to be generated within one's own body."

"In the process of digestion a number of poisonous substances are produced, which, although absorbed in the alimentary canal are prevented by the liver from entering the circulation. As a result of overwork, fatigue, protracted, sarcolactic acid and prolonged spasms may lead to auto-intoxication. Excess of uric acid in the blood is associated with high arterial pressure, headache, and nervous irritability, and is an indication of imperfect metabolism (malassimilation) and auto-intoxication is the result as shown by the fact that marked improvement occurs by suitable diet and treatment."

"Symptoms of auto-intoxication may be associated with various nervous phenomena. Bile in the blood may be attended by stupor and mental depression and the term melancholia, signifying black bile, indicates the importance which has long been attached to the liver as an organ, the derangement of which causes nervous depression."

"Sometimes the trouble starts in the liver and kidneys, and sometimes it starts in the stomach, or elsewhere, but in any case the blame lies with the faulty method of living, which has become so prevalent in recent years, and it is the more important organs that suffer internal damage. As when they falter or fall in their duties the body fills up with poisons and the victim readily yields to their baneful influences. Bright's disease, stomach and intestinal troubles, catarrhal affections of the mucous membrane; in fact, may be called auto-intoxication or self-poisoning."

"A tired dragging feeling of the body," continued Mr. Cooper, "or a sluggish mind and dull memory, intense nervousness, headaches, stomach and bowel troubles, poor circulation, imperfect digestion, constipation and drowsiness, are common symptoms of auto-intoxication, and nine out of every ten people in the average city are likely to be so affected."

Tanlac, the powerful reconstructive tonic, was designed especially to overcome these troubles, and it is Mr. Cooper's theory that the Tanlac treatment is the direct remedy therefore. There is not a single portion of the body that is not benefited by the healthful work of this celebrated preparation, which begins its action by stimulating the digestive and assimilative organs, thereby enriching the blood and invigorating the entire system. Next, it enables the stomach to thoroughly digest the food, thereby permitting the similar products to be converted into blood. It overcomes that great exciting cause of disease—weakness. It renews the body, vigorous and elastic and keeps the mind clear and energetic and throws off the symptoms of nervousness and indigestion. It builds up the constitution, weakened by disease and mental and physical overwork, quickens convalescence and is an unending source of comfort to those suffering from these troubles.

Tanlac is sold in Nacogdoches by Stripling, Haselwood & Co., and Swift Bros. & Smith, in Woden by M. J. King, in Garrison by Garrison Drug Co., in Appleby by Weatherly Bros., in Sacul by Arkan Cranford and in Cushing by A. J. Beck.

Farmers and others who live at a distance from a drug store should keep in the house a bottle of BAL-LARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It may be needed at any time for cuts, wounds, sores, sprains or rheumatism. It is a powerful healing and penetrating remedy. Price 25c, 50c and \$1. per bottle. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Mr. Embry, the well known market man, is able to be back at his post of duty at the market after a few days illness.

To have a fine healthy complexion—the liver must be active, the bowels regular and the blood pure. All this is brought about by using HERBINE. It thoroughly scours the liver, stomach and bowels, puts the body in fine condition and restores that clear, pink and white complexion so much desired by ladies. Price 50c. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

THE CONFEDERATE REUNION

When the United Confederate Veterans gather at the national capital next June for a week's celebration it will mark the first time in history that a confederate reunion has been held north of the Mason-Dixon line.

In that respect the 1917 reunion will be unique. But in many and broader respects it will be vitally and historically important, and, from a purely sentimental standpoint, picturesque.

This gathering at the capital of the veterans who wore the gray, to be welcomed with open arms by their one-time foes who wore the blue, will afford an illustration of patriotism of which every American might well feel proud. And as a culmination of all that has been said to and in behalf of sectionalism obliteration it is such an event as should command the most loyal and patriotic support and participation of every citizen of the country.

This is to be the first southern veterans' reunion of which the federal government has taken official cognizance, just as it is to be the first held outside of the south. By an act of congress, signed by President Wilson, the reunion has been given official endorsement, and \$41,000 appropriated to defray the government's part of the expense incidental to the entertainment of the old soldiers of the confederacy. The capitol will be illuminated and the capital made gay and resplendent as upon the occasion of the recent inaugural all in honor of the gray-clad veterans who, in the 60's, strove valiantly to enter the city by sheer force of arms. In the ranks of the veterans themselves there is uppermost this desire for sectional obliteration, and it is accentuated in the hearts and plans of the officials immediately in charge of the arrangements. The veterans of the blue have caught the spirit of it; it permeates the north; the east feels it; the west is radiant with it, and the south, almost to a man, welcomes its realization.

What a romantic picture is promised when our gray-clad thousands—the survivors of the bravest of the most heroic hosts that ever fought for a cause deemed right—march triumphantly down Pennsylvania avenue to the strains of "Dixie," amid the welcoming shouts and plaudits of greeting and praise of their former antagonists and the sons of such!

The city of Washington—the entire American Republic, in fact—have capitulated to the "thinning ranks of gray," who will next June effect a conquest most complete—a conquest in which they failed in that other day—but this will be a conquest in the name of peace, good will and a reunited people!

And it will be all the more glorious because not a word of apology is due nor expected from either side; the white-pleasant memories of the past are rapidly fading in the light of pride that we are living in a land and of a people disposed, in pure love of country, to let by-gones be by-gones!

The railroads have responded as they never have before upon a similar occasion, and offered a rate of one cent a mile from all points in the south and from the re-union; thus Atlantans, for example, can attend at a cost for railroad fare of only \$13 for the round trip—Atlanta Constitution.

IN NACOGDOCHES.

The Evidence is Supplied by Local Testimony.

If the reader wants stronger proof than the following statement and experience of a resident of Nacogdoches, what can it be?

Mrs. J. Roquemore, N. Fredonia St., Nacogdoches, says: "I had dizzy headaches and my kidneys were irregular in action. My bladder was inflamed and caused me some annoyance. The pains ran up through my kidneys and caused me to suffer intensely. Doan's Kidney Pills brought fine results."

50c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Hon. Claude C. Watson has been in Austin this week on some legal business.

For the stomach and bowel disorders of babies MCGEE'S BABY ELIXIR is a remedy of genuine merit. It acts quickly, is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Whole 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

WAR IS DECLARED BY CONGRESS LAST NIGHT.

In a Vote of 373 Congress Joins the Senate in Upholding the Hands of the President.

Washington, April 5th.—The resolution declaring that a state of war exists between the United States and Germany, already passed by the Senate, passed the house shortly after 3 o'clock this morning by a vote of 373 to 50.

President Wilson will sign the resolution as soon as Vice President Marshall has attached his signature in the senate. It formally accepts the state of belligerency forced by the German aggression and authorizes and directs the president to employ the military and naval forces and all the resources of the nation to bring war against Germany to a successful termination.

Without roll calls the house rejected all amendments, including proposals to prohibit the sending of any troops overseas without congressional authority.

Passage of the resolution followed 17 hours of debate. There was no attempt to filibuster, but the pacifist group under the leadership of Democratic Leader Kitchin, prolonged the discussion with impassioned speeches, declaring conscience would not permit them to support the president's recommendation that a state of war be declared.

Miss Rankin of Montana, the only woman member of congress sat through the first roll call with bowed head, failing to answer to her name twice called by the clerk.

On the second roll call she rose and said in a sobbing voice: "I want to stand by my country but I cannot vote for war." For a moment then she remained standing, supporting herself against a desk, and as cries of "Vote, vote" came from several parts of the house, she sank back into her seat without voting audibly. She was recorded in the negative.

WAR IS DECLARED BY THE U. S. SENATE

In Vote of Eighty-two to Six the Body Rallies to Call of the President Last Night.

Washington, April 4.—The resolution declaring that a state of war exists between the United States and Germany was passed in the Senate tonight by an overwhelming majority. It will be taken up for passage in the house tomorrow.

Senator Macumber's substitute to declare the existence of a state of war upon the sinking of another American ship by Germany was defeated with a roll call.

The war resolution was passed by the senate tonight by a vote of 82 to 6. It goes to the house, where debate will begin tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, to continue until action is taken.

Senators who cast the negative votes were Gronna, of North Dakota; La Follette, of Wisconsin; Norris of Nebraska; Lane of Oregon; Stone of Missouri, and Vandeman of Mississippi.

Entire Armed Forces Pledged.

The resolution, drafted after consultation accepted by the house committee, says the state of war thrust upon the United States by Germany is formally declared, and directs the president to employ the entire military and naval forces of the government to carry on war and bring it to a successful termination.

Action in the senate came just after 11 o'clock, at the close of a debate that had lasted continuously since 10 o'clock this morning.

Spring Colds Are the Worst

They lead to catarrh and pneumonia. They weaken the entire system and leave it unable to resist the sudden changes. They interfere with your digestion and lessen your activity. Neglected they soon become that dread disease known as systemic catarrh. Don't neglect them. It's costly as well as dangerous.

PERUNA Will Safeguard You

Have a box of Peruna Tablets with you for the sudden cold or exposure. Tonic your system up with a regular course of the liquid Peruna, fortify it against colds, get your digestion up to normal, take care of yourself, and avoid danger. If you are suffering now begin the treatment at once. Give Nature the help she needs to throw off the catarrhal inflammation, and you'll become well.

Peruna has been helping people for 44 years. Thousands of homes rely on it for coughs, cold and indigestion. It's a good tonic for the weak, as well.

The Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio

FOOD, CASH, SHIPS ARE MOST NEEDED

WASHINGTON, April 10.—President Wilson and his cabinet at today's meeting reviewed the many phases of the war activities, found that every step possible to equip the army and navy and turn out munitions is under way, and decided that the most pressing needs of the nation are to increase the supply of food-stuffs and ocean-going vessels, and to raise sufficient money to finance America's part in the war and make liberal loans to entente allies.

For the present activities, the allies are understood to be well supplied with munitions and to have as many men in the field as they can equip and feed under present conditions. Through a co-ordination of munitions industry in the United States, and the raising of a large army, the United States will be in a position later to supply any need in either field. Members of the Council of National defense who are also members of the cabinet, have been studying the best methods of aiding in the defeat of Germany and they took the president's word that the most pressing need of Europe is for food and money.

In its consideration of ways of raising a large army and at the same time keeping necessary industries going at full speed, the administration has decided to consider separately the production of luxuries and the necessities of life.

In making exceptions from military service if congress will take the position that if young men work in industries producing luxuries, their labor is not necessary, and they will not be exempted. Just what will be classed as luxuries has not yet been determined. In spite of the break in diplomatic relations with Austria, the government made no move today asking congress to declare that a state of war exists with that country and that no belligerent steps will be taken unless Austria moves first.

ROADS PLEADING FOR RATE RAISE

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The chief railways of the country, seeking to hasten the proceedings in their applications for general increases of 15 per cent in freight rates, today notified the Interstate Commerce Commission that should the increased rates be authorized, the roads will accept a reduction without contest in the courts at some later date, when the present emergency should have passed.

The roads also urged the commission to grant increases not later than June 1, next, declaring that the present need was imperative and that they were facing a situation growing more and more serious daily.

Representatives of Southern and Western lines agreed unreservedly to accept any order to reduce rates generally that the commission might issue later, should the present day of soaring operating costs soon pass. Eastern lines sought to couple their stipulation a condition that the roads would accept such a reduction unless it were confiscatory.

Indications are that one of two courses will probably be followed:

The railroads will be permitted to file their proposed increases effective at once and these would be suspended for 30 or 60 days, or they will be permitted to file them effective June 1 and in the interim hearings will be held to determine their reasonableness.

Messrs. D. W. March, T. R. Ray, J. T. Lacey and Webb March, Jr., prominent citizens of Mt. Enterprise, were visitors to this city yesterday afternoon, motoring over in an automobile.

DO YOU DREAD WINTER?

If every man, woman and child in this vicinity would only take one spoonful of

SCOTT'S EMULSION

after meals for one month, it would put vigor in their blood to withstand the rigors of winter weather and help prevent colds, grippe and winter sickness.

SCOTT'S is a fortifying medicinal-food of particular benefit in changing seasons, and every drop yields direct returns in richer blood, stronger lungs, and greater resistive power. **No alcohol in SCOTT'S.**

Scott & Bowman, Bloomfield, N. J.

THE WEATHER.

From Monday's Daily.
This morning there was just a show of frost. Thermometers went down to 38. It seems that the winter is hanging on remarkably late, and spring comes slowly. Such has occasionally been the case in years past.

In 1863, for instance, there was a late, cold spring. Fifty-four years ago today, April 9, 1863, Fritz and Tille Hoya, Dock Burrows, John Davidson, and some other old-timers here, can tell you that the weather was quite cool, and the spring was late, but that over about Pleasant Hill, La. there was "a hot time in the old town" There was something doing, and a big noise in the woods and hills around there. And Gen. Bank's army decided to turn back and abandon the proposed invasion of Texas. "They stood not upon the order of their going," nor did they let the grass grow under their feet, or take time to put their dead beneath the sod. They heard something drop—and they knew their route. They were routed.

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OFF TO PEN.

Transfer Agent Cunningham was here today after Chester Smith, a white man, and Willie Wright, colored, who were convicted at the recent session of district court and given sentences in the penitentiary.

Farmers and others who live at a distance from a drug store should keep in the house a bottle of BAL-LARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It may be needed at any time for cuts, wounds, sores, sprains or rheumatism. It is a powerful healing and penetrating remedy. Price 25c, 50c and \$1. per bottle. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

A NEGRO WOMAN SLASHES A MAN

Loney Acree slashed her former husband, Horace Acree, with a razor or knife at her home Saturday night, and the wounded negro is said to be in a very serious condition as a result of the fracas.

The negro woman was divorced from her husband some time ago, and alleges that he came to her home to abuse her.

She was arrested by Sheriff Prince, and has been released on bond pending an examining trial.

The Sentinel has failed to note sooner the return of Mr. C. H. Casley from Roswell, New Mexico, where he spent several months for the benefit of his health. He is still not as strong as he would wish, but his friends trust that with the spring weather he will recuperate more rapidly and soon be well again.

10 CENT "CASCARETS" IF BILIOUS OR COSTIVE

For Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Sluggish Liver and Bowels—They work while you sleep.

Furred Tongue, Bad Taste, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and clogged bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments like garbage in a swill barrel. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fogginess, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret tonight will give your constipated bowels a thorough cleansing and straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist will keep you feeling good for months.

BACK TO THE OLD HOME.

Editor Sentinel:

A week or so ago I wrote about my recent trip back to the old home, cutting the story short at Melrose, the first Saturday in February.

I spent only a few hours at Melrose, meeting many friends of the past, and recounting many scenes of bygone years. The first school I ever attended was about one mile north of Melrose and was called "Oak Grove." Jim Pate, dead these 40 years was the teacher. Whit Smith whom I met at Melrose is the only man now living in that section that attended the same school, and we were in the same class. I was a kid only eight years old and I claimed as my sweetheart Miss Babrella Pate, a lovely girl about 15 years old. She afterwards married George Reese, a splendid man, who has been dead these many years. How time flies and how we all change—these boys and girls of our youth. I often wake in the still hours of night and wonder where they all are—those who are living, and how time is dealing with them as the years come and go.

The next teacher at Oak Grove was Miss Mollie Matthews, the daughter of A. J. and Arabella Matthews, bless her dear heart and she long since laid down and went to sleep—dreamless and peace everlasting. I was a little boy then and had not the wisdom to understand, but I know now that in some blissful clime far away Mollie Matthews walks the streets of God and sings the songs of Zion.

I took dinner at my old-time friend's Jeff Blakey. Back in his boyhood days Jeff used to spark a certain beautiful girl, whose name I shall not mention, and she got married to another fellow. Then Jeff sparked her sister and finally said he was going to marry one of the family if he had to take the old man. But he didn't—he married another dear good girl, who has made him a noble wife and they have raised a splendid family—boys and girls an honor to their parents and to the community in which they live. Many changes have taken place in Melrose during the past twenty years and many of the old timers who were identified with the country way back in earlier days have gone to their reward, indeed only a few remain, my father, Lafayette Muckleroy, John N. Wilson, Jim Harris and a few others being among the number. I well remember when whiskey was sold at Melrose, and I call to mind a certain day during Christmas when P. H. Lambert, Albert Muckleroy, now dead, and myself, went to Tom Swift's store, bought a quart of alcohol "saluted" it with water, as we used to call it and struck out to enjoy ourselves.

We first went to Cross Roads, and after dark tore down several panels of fence and built it across the public road, in the meantime taking an occasional nip of the "saluted" alcohol. The we went to Martinsville to a Christmas tree and wound up by taking Joel Birdwell's buggy, pulling it half a mile from home and turning it over. Joel found out who was in the bunch and threatened to turn it over to the grand jury unless we paid for it, and so four of us paid him \$1.75 apiece. That was my first and last Christmas trick.

On the way back to Nacogdoches I had the pleasure while at the old home of spending a short time at the hospitable home of Mrs. Mattie Hall, widow of Uncle Tom Hall, who has been dead these many years. Aunt Hattie has a splendid family of boys and girls all useful and intelligent. Four of the girls made school teachers of themselves and two of the boys are in the United States Navy. I think this is a mighty fine record and one of which any parent should feel mighty proud. Uncle Tom was the best friend I ever had when a boy I used to go to his house frequently and we would sit by the great fire and talk until after midnight. He was an uncompromising democrat, and during the years of populism had many an argument with his populist friends.

On the way back to Nacogdoches the next day I stopped for a few minutes at Oak Ridge to see Miss Exar Lewis, who is one of the teachers in that excellent school. Miss Exar is a daughter—the youngest of Isaac Lewis, deceased, and it was at the home of her mother that I spent the night, before going out to the old home. There I saw my old-time friend Robert Blackwell, whom I used to know back in the old days and who used to be tax assessor of Nacogdoches county. Then I passed on and spent a few minutes at the home of Joe Stripling. I was at Joe's wedding, and now he has grand-children, which causes me to feel that I too am no longer young. Going down Orton Hill I met Mayfield Elliott and we just had to stop and talk awhile. All in all my trip was quite enjoyable, an would have been much more so if I could have remained longer. I am going back next Christmas and stay an entire week, and while there I am going to visit John Stoker, at old Mount Moriah, where I taught my

first school at \$15 per month; Bud Fuller, at Pilgrim Rest, Mint Justice near Martinsville, John E. Christian, in the Alazan neighborhood, Booz Rawlinson, in the old Flower Mountain neighborhood, and will go others. In fact, I may have to prolong my visit more than a week.

Nacogdoches is one of the best counties in Texas and is getting better all the time. A spirit of general improvement was evident on every hand, and prosperity rested like a benediction over the whole country. In my humble way I have always done what I could to boost the county in every way possible, and in a romance that I am now preparing for publication in book form, Nacogdoches occupies a prominent place.

Very truly,
HENRY C. FULLER.
Houston, Texas.

PLAN BOND ISSUE FOR FIVE MILLION DOLLARS

WASHINGTON, April 8. With calm determination, President Wilson and the whole force of the government moved last night to meet the German government in war.

Military and financial plans of a magnitude which staggers the imagination were agreed upon, as the vast resources of the United States were swung into line to combat the sea danger which strikes in the dark.

Out of the deliberations of the nation's second day in the world war came an agreement for a war fund bond issue of the stupendous sum of \$5,000,000,000, and plans for co-operation on a grand scale between the navies of the entente powers and the American fleet were also brought to a high state of perfection.

These \$5,000,000,000, drawn from bonds, will be gathered for the primary needs of the United States and the allies.

A generous share of this vast amount will be devoted to a loan to the allies.

These facts were determined yesterday in a series of conferences over the raising of the "sinews of war" and were officially announced by the treasury department last night.

This bond issue will make available at an early moment the tremendous sums which the United States military and naval estimates must have at once, while at the same time allowing for a loan of about \$2,000,000,000 to the allies for their own war purposes.

A statement from the comptroller of the currency, just before the bond issue announcement was made, showed the country to be in better financial condition than ever before to undertake so great a financial project.

PAY WAR BILL DURING FIGHT

WASHINGTON, April 8.—President Wilson's policy, outlined in his address to congress, of paying the war bill so far as possible while the war is being waged leaving a minimum due to posterity, was reflected tonight in a virtual decision by leaders in the house and senate to raise 50 per cent of the first year's expenditures by taxation.

Under this program, congress will be called upon to raise war revenue to the extent of \$1,750,000,000 through new and increased measures of taxation during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1918.

This is exclusive of the \$5,000,000,000 bond issue authorized, for which passage will be sought of congress this week. The total demand on the financial resources of the country during the first year of the war, under this program, would be \$6,750,000,000.

Entente to Get \$3,000,000,000.—Of the \$5,000,000,000 to be raised by a bond issue, \$3,000,000,000, it was definitely stated tonight would be loaned to the entente allies.

The entire issue, house and senate leaders have agreed, will bear interest at the rate of 2½%. It is proposed to make the loan to the allies at this interest rate they have been compelled to pay on their previous issues.

The friends of Mrs. Dee Brown will be pleased to learn that she was able to be moved home from the sanitarium this morning, and hopes to soon enjoy good health again. She had an operation for appendicitis some days ago, which has previously been reported in this paper.

SOUR, ACID STOMACHS, GASES OR INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" neutralizes excessive acid in stomach, relieving dyspepsia, heartburn and distress at once.

Time it! In five minutes a/ stomach distress, due to acidity, will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest stomach sweetener in the whole world, and besides it is harmless. Put an end to stomach distress at once by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder caused by fermentation due to excessive acids in stomach.



Two to One in Quality and Quantity



The Luzianne Guarantee: If, after using the contents of a can, you are not satisfied in every respect, your grocer will refund your money.

Yes, Ma'am; and you don't have to take it for granted, either. You can prove the first by *taste*, and the second by *arithmetic*. Buy a can of Luzianne. Use half the quantity you ordinarily would. If it doesn't go farther and taste better than other coffee at the price, tell the man who sold it to you and he'll give you back your money. Make no mistake, Luzianne is great coffee—exceeding great. Ask for profit-sharing catalog.

LUZIANNE coffee

The Reily-Taylor Company, New Orleans

FOR FIRST COMPANY.

With the war talk that has been in the air for some days, and the feeling of patriotism that is coming over the community, there has been much talk of raising a volunteer company in Nacogdoches.

Capt. Allman, who commanded a company in the Spanish-American war, has written headquarters that, notwithstanding he is over age, he is ready for service again; Capt. Sturdevant was once captain of a mighty good military company here, and a Nacogdoches company would follow him up against the whole German army; the Woodmen team experienced the sensation of a "call to arms" a few nights ago, and Ben Tucker thinks we ought to organize a company for home protection, citing the fact that there are two oil pipe lines passing through here which would be of military importance. Many mothers are willing to give up their sons for service, and Bro. Johnson is filling the minds of the Boy Scouts with patriotic zeal. The latest proposal comes from a married man whose home has not been blessed with children, that a company of men of like condition join him in the first volunteer company while their wives, as many of them as who desire to do so, can join the Red Cross Brigade. For this company a list of thirty names has already been gathered and are now on file, and if any can't stand the pressure, they had better take to the "tall uncut" before they are conscripted.

Five good cows, properly handled, will make more clear money in a year's time than you can make profit on ten bales of cotton. Can you make ten bales of cotton? You need a separator; Sooner or later you will buy a DeLaval. See and try one before you get sorry. H. H. Cooper. 25-1f

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FOR SALE

We are now offering practically all of our old houses for sale. Have them ranging in price from fifteen dollars up. These houses can be torn down, moved and reproduced at a very little extra cost for lumber.

We also have three large lumber sheds that would make excellent barns, about fifty thousand feet of lumber in each shed, also a lot of old dolly way lumber that we will sell cheap.

3 second-hand Lindsey eight wheel log wagons, for mules.

2 second-hand Lindsey eight wheel log wagons for oxen.

Quite a lot of 1¼, 1½ and 2" second hand pipe in fine condition.

All of above now located at Caro, Texas and can be seen and priced any day.

Saner-Whiteman Lumber Co.

PATRIOTIC DEMONSTRATION.

From Saturday's Daily
The patriotic demonstration promoted by the Boy Scouts last night, and participated in by many others, was the biggest thing of the season, and doubtless reminded some of these grand old Confederate veterans of the time when they departed for service to the great war between the States.

The boys marched in grand procession over town, led by the Boy Scout band, and this music was supplemented with open air concert from the Nacogdoches Concert Band, filling the air with music and patriotic yells. The people turned out en masse to witness the demonstration, and the streets were thronged and lined with men, women and children who shared the emotions of the occasion, best attesting the unanimous spirit of this community in its love of country, liberty and its patriotic endorsement of the government in this hour when the honor and integrity of the nation is assailed.

If President Wilson could have looked down upon us last night, he would have been moved with the splendid endorsement given to him in this demonstration as the people are moved within themselves to make public demonstration of their patriotism, which they stand ready to back up with something more substantial at the first opportunity.

SINGING CONVENTION.
The Nacogdoches County Sacred Harp Singing Convention will meet at Gravelly Ridge on Friday night before the second Sunday in April, to which all lovers of sacred music are invited.

The convention will last over Sunday.
W. H. BARR, Pres.

LOST—One black, ring necked, short haired dog. Answers to name of "Zizer." Notify Douglas Patton. 15-4dwtf

WOMAN SICK TWO YEARS

Could Do No Work.
Now Strong as a Man.

Chicago, Ill.—"For about two years I suffered from a female trouble so I was unable to walk or do any of my own work. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers and determined to try it. It brought almost immediate relief. My weakness has entirely disappeared and I never had better health. I weigh 165 pounds and am as strong as a man. I think money is well spent which purchases Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. JOS. O'BRYAN, 1755 Newport Ave., Chicago, Ill.

IRON INDUSTRY GETS A BOOST

Austin, Texas, April 3.—Approval by the governor of the house concurrent resolution providing for the sale of the Rusk iron furnace and the leasing of the iron ore fields of East Texas, situated in Cass and adjoining counties, marks an important step in the development of the iron industry in the state. The resolution was presented to the legislature and adopted at the instance of a number of the capitalists of the state and also out of the state interested in the development of the iron ore fields which abounds in unlimited quantity in that portion of the state. One of the conditions of the sale and lease is that the purchasers and lessors are to have the plan in operation within one year.

John D. Guinn of Rusk, former financial agent of the penitentiary system, said that those back of the proposition are amply able to carry out the terms of the sale or lease. He believes that a gigantic plan can be established which will yield sufficient iron and steel not only to supply Texas, but compete with the big plants of the East. Another factor in the development of this industry is the extension of the Texas state railroad from Palestine to Dallas, which has also been signed by the governor; this road now operates from Palestine to Rusk, and with the extension, will provide adequate transportation facilities for the products of the iron ore fields.

WONDERFUL STUFF! LIFT OUT YOUR CORNS

Apply a few drops then lift corns or calluses off with fingers—no pain.

No humbug! A corn, whether hard, soft or between the toes, will loosen right up and lift out, without a particle of pain or soreness.

This drug is called freezone and is a compound of ether discovered by a Cincinnati man.

Ask any drug store for a small bottle of freezone, which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn or callus.

Put a few drops directly upon any tender, aching corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly the corn or callus will loosen and can be lifted off with the fingers.

This drug, freezone doesn't eat out the corns or calluses, but shrivels them without even irritating the surrounding skin.

Just think! No pain at all; no soreness or smarting when applying it or afterwards. If your druggist don't have freezone have him order it for you.

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING CITIZENS LAST NIGHT.

The People of Nacogdoches Want the Stephen F. Austin Normal and Are Going After It.

Pursuant to the call of the Central Committee, appointed to engineer the campaign for the capture and location of the Stephen F. Austin Normal, and anything else that will be for the upbuilding of Nacogdoches, a large crowd of citizens assembled at the city hall last night, and a more harmonious and enthusiastic meeting was possibly never held in Nacogdoches before.

It was reflected at the meeting that the people are of one mind in their desire to capture this great institution which would mean so much to our town and they are ready to give any and all co-operation necessary to get it.

At this meeting the various sub-committees were announced with an admonition to each to get busy, and each chairman accepted the responsibility with like enthusiasm. Important among these committees is a finance committee who will solicit funds with which to conduct a very thorough campaign; an advertising committee who will prepare advertising matter setting forth just what Nacogdoches is, what she stands for, and the advantages she offers for the Normal; a visiting committee, and other committees for the various parts of the work, all working under the supervision of the central committee.

Many eloquent addresses were made and enthusiasm was manifested on the part of every one, making the meeting and the trouble worth the price even if we should fail in the purpose for which the citizens came together—but no one believes we will fail.

In the interest of home and its people, The Sentinel deems it unwise to expose in public prints all the details that will be employed in the campaign, but in so doing we will give assurance that every effort will be along honorable, dignified lines, and no one connected with the service will seek an advantage on the demerits of any opponent. We believe with all our soul and might that Nacogdoches best meets every requirement, and of this fact we will seek to convince the locating committee. We will also endeavor to enlist the support of our friends residing in other localities who may not be engaged in a similar campaign, and particularly do we want the support of Nacogdoches county in the enterprise.

For the reception of the committee the old town will be cleaned up as it was never cleaned before, and the gentlemen will be entertained as only Nacogdoches people can entertain. They will be taken for a ride over every section of the town and shown everything we have, every question they ask will be answered with frankness and willingness. If we lack anything, it will be supplied. We want the institution as we never wanted anything before, and we are going to have it if hustle, enthusiasm and merit will win.

ARMOUR EMPLOYEES RECEIVE A BONUS.

Mr. J. Ogden Armour has authorized the payment of a special bonus check to all employees who have been on the pay roll since March 31st, who receive \$1820 per year or less, and who have been in continuous service since November 1st, 1916. This bonus represents five per cent of their present yearly salary, and is being granted to assist their employees in meeting present excessive living expenses.



SUMMER SHOPPING

When the sun is scorching, the streets dusty and the way to the store seems endless use your Bell Telephone.

Bell Telephone Service brings you to the store instantly.

Stay at home and telephone—Keep Cool. This is but one of the many advantages of Bell Telephone Service.



DISASTROUS WRECK.

The Texas South-Eastern railway had quite an expensive wreck this morning about 8:20 when six cars were overturned at the 15-mile board, about two miles out from Lufkin. Five of the cars were loaded with lumber and the other with oil.

Luckily no one was hurt in the passenger coach, which was occupied by very few passengers at the time; but the material damage will run up in the neighborhood of two thousand dollars or more.

Train service on both the T. S. E. and G. L. & N. has been blocked all day, and probably will not be resumed before tomorrow some time, as the regular G. L. & N. train was behind the wreck.

The wrecked train was in charge of Conductor Coan, and Engineer Montgomery was at the throttle. Neither of these gentlemen has been seen by a News reporter, but it is stated that the cause of the wreck is unknown, and no reason can be assigned therefor—Lufkin News.

LAYING BRICK ON POSTOFFICE BUILDING.

The laying of brick on the postoffice building has been begun, and is being pushed at a lively clip.

The work of excavating was finished some days ago, since time the work of putting in concrete layers for the foundation has been in progress. That having been finished, the next work in order is the erection of the walls, and this work will not appear so slow.

MARRIED AT COURT HOUSE.

Mr. Jim Pitts and Mrs. Nancy Pitts were married at the court house this afternoon Judge J. F. Perritte officiating.

The Sentinel joins friends of the contracting parties in congratulations and good wishes.

THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Girls! Try It! Hair gets soft, fluffy and beautiful—Get a 25 cent bottle of Danderine.

If you care for heavy hair that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine. Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff. You can not have nice heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots fester, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast. Surely get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine from any drug store and test it.

NEW YORK AS I SAW IT.

XVIII.

GRANT'S TOMB.

Grant's tomb on Riverside Drive, at 123d street occupies a commanding site overlooking the Hudson, and is itself a conspicuous object in the river view. It was designed by John H. Duncan, and is constructed of white granite from Maine with white marble interior. The proportions are imposing. The square structure is 90 feet on the side and 72 feet in height. The circular cupola with Ionic columns is 70 feet in diameter, and the dome rises 150 feet from the ground. The Apex of the monument is 280 feet above the river.

From the plaza on the south side steps 70 feet wide, ascend to the portico, which has double lines of Doric columns before the entrance with its massive bronze doors. Above the portico two sculptured figures emblematic of peace and war, flank a panel, on which are inscribed the words: Let us have peace. (You who have studied the life of Grant will remember). This was the concluding sentence of General Grant's letter of May 29, 1868, accepting the nomination for the Presidency. It was the expression of his earnest desire for reconciliation between the North and South.

The history phrase was well chosen for perpetuation here. The Civil War was a conflict between brothers, the termination meant the restoration of the union. It is fitting, then, that this monument to the General, who commanded the victorious armies, should have inscribed upon it not a record of his triumphs over the enemy, but the sentiment which he himself uttered of the end for which the battle had been fought—the "peace of reconciled and re-united brothers"—a peace the realization of which has made Grant's achievements and fame the heritage of a common country.

We find that the interior plan of the tomb is cruciform, 76 feet between the walls. The four great piers of the rotunda carry arches whose crowns are 50 feet from the floor, the circular gallery, supported by the arches, is 40 feet in diameter, the dome rises 105 feet above the floor. In the pendentives sculptured reliefs by Rhind symbolize youth, Military Life, Civil Life and Death. In small rooms surrounding the rotunda stands of battle flags lend a touch of color. The hush of the vast chamber, the mellowed light and dignity of all combine to give solemnity to the place.

Through a circular opening in the floor the sarcophagus is seen in the crypt directly beneath the center of the dome. It is of polished red porphyry from Wisconsin and is supported upon a pedestal of granite from Massachusetts. Upon the lid is the name of Ulysses S. Grant. The companion sarcophagus, a counterpart in material and design, is here in compliance with an expressed wish of General Grant that Mrs. Grant should lie by his side.

General Grant died at Mt. McGregor, July 23, 1885. The remains lay in state in the New York City Hall and were viewed by 300,000 people before being conveyed to the temporary tomb at Riverside. The funeral was the grandest pageant New York has ever seen. The procession was eight miles in length, and it was estimated that an assemblage of a million people lined the route.

"Memory of this tomb enwrappings will never, in silence be."

Prof. H. B. Graves, Mrs. Edgar Eddings and Miss Bertha Cavin, who have been teaching in the school of Center district, have finished the term and returned home.

Saved Girl's Life

"I want to tell you what wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Thedford's Black-Draught," writes Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky.

"It certainly has no equal for la grippe, bad colds, liver and stomach troubles. I firmly believe Black-Draught saved my little girl's life. When she had the measles, they went in on her, but one good dose of Thedford's Black-Draught made them break out, and she has had no more trouble. I shall never be without

THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

In my home." For constipation, indigestion, headache, dizziness, malaria, chills and fever, biliousness, and all similar ailments, Thedford's Black-Draught has proved itself a safe, reliable, gentle and valuable remedy.

If you suffer from any of these complaints, try Black-Draught. It is a medicine of known merit. Seventy-five years of splendid success proves its value. Good for young and old. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents.

A GARRISON HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE

Garrison-News. The residence of W. O. Campbell, together with almost all of the furnishings were destroyed by fire Monday night.

The family was awakened by the passenger train crew and had not Dr. Turner rushed in the house from the train the two children would have burned to death. When the citizens reached the building the fire had gathered such headway it was not considered safe to go in and as a result very little furniture was saved. The house and furniture were partially insured.

The many friends of these good people greatly sympathize with the loss of their home.

GIVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" TO CONSTIPATED CHILD

Delicious "Fruit Laxative" can't harm tender little stomach, liver and bowels.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing at once. When peevish, cross, listless, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food, and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.

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All kinds of cemetery work finished by the latest improved methods, large stock always on hand. Good workmen. Best material, prompt service. W. O. W. MONUMENTS A SPECIALTY.

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Visit the Nacogdoches cemetery and ask the sexton to tell you who does the beautiful work you will see

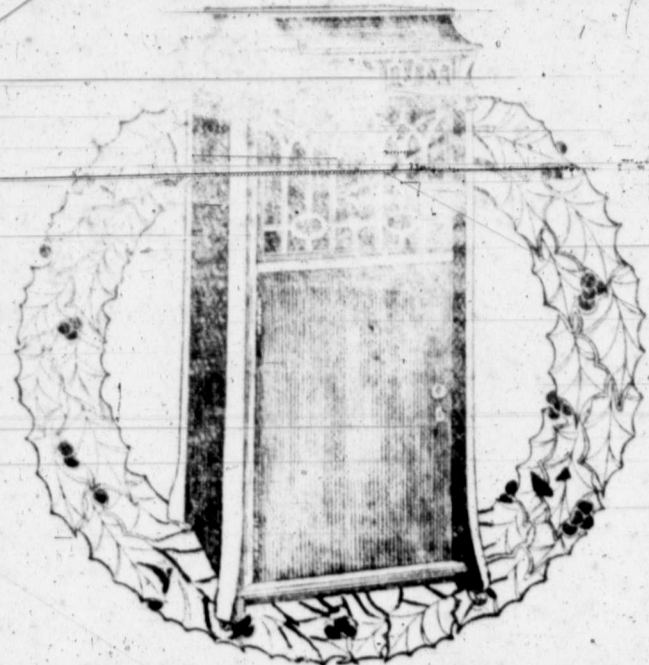
"GOULD"

will be his answer. We have pleased the most exacting and will please you if given your commission. The same attention given a modest head-stone and larger work. Gould Granite and Marble Co. Jacksonville, Texas.

"Buffalo Bill, where do you get saddle and pads for your Rough Riders?"

"From Waco, Texas, made by Tom Padgett Co—Forty-eight years in business—they don't hurt your horse."

(Padgett's ad has been carried by the Haltom papers 40 years.)



THE NEW EDISON

"The Phonograph with a Soul"

This is the Official Laboratory Model which has been tested before half a million people in direct comparison with its Re-Creation of the voices of Marie Rappold, Anna Case, Margaret Matzenauer, Marie Sundelius, Julia Heinrich, Christine Miller, Giovanni Zenatello, Jacques Urlus, Otto Goritz, Guido Ciccolini, Arthur Middleton, Thomas Chalmers and a dozen other great artists. The result is chronicled in more than four hundred of America's principal newspapers. The verdict was unanimous. This was the verdict:

"The New Edison Re-Creates all forms of music with such literal exactness that the Re-Creation cannot be distinguished from the original, although original and Re-Creation are heard in direct comparison."

COME TO OUR STORE: Let us prove by your own ears that the New Edison gives a musical result which no other sound reproducing device is capable of producing. Remember, there is no obligation to buy. We merely ask you to stop, look and listen

STRIPLING, HASELWOOD & COMPANY

NOTICE—Please do not ask us to sell you Edison Re-Creations if you intend to attempt to play them on any other instrument than the New Edison. No other instrument can bring out the true musical quality of Edison Re-Creations. Furthermore, injury to the records is likely to result if you attempt to play them on an ordinary phonograph or talking machine.

MISS NELL SANDERS IS RECIPIENT OF HONORS

Miss Nell Sanders, one of Nacogdoches' fairest and most accomplished daughters, whose approaching marriage to Mr. Trigg has been announced, will be the recipient of many social favors this week, and one of the centers of attraction with Nacogdoches society.

Yesterday the young lady was entertained by the Episcopal Guild at the home of the rector with games, refreshments and all the social courtesies that go to make up an occasion of this kind; today she is being entertained by Mrs. Hal Tucker and Mrs. W. S. Davis, at the hospitable home of Mrs. Tucker. Other entertainments have been planned, and she will be kept pretty busy during the remainder of the week in the enjoyment of the many social honors her friends are showering upon her.

Constipation and Indigestion.

These are twin evils. Persons suffering from indigestion are often troubled with constipation. Mrs. Robert Allison, Mattoon, Ill., writes that when she first moved to Mattoon she was a great sufferer from indigestion and constipation. Food distressed her and there was a feeling like a heavy weight pressing on her stomach and chest. She did not rest well at night, and felt worn out a good part of the time. One bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets corrected this trouble so that she has since felt like a different person. dw

Mrs. S. W. Blount, Jr., who underwent an operation at the Sanitarium a few days ago, has sufficiently recovered to be able to move back to the home of Mrs. Swift, and hopes to soon be up again. Mr. Blount returned to his ranch at Weinert yesterday.

Clear Your Skin in Spring.

Spring house cleaning means cleaning inside and outside. Dull, pimply skin is an aftermath of winter inactivity. Flush your intestines with a mild laxative and clean out the accumulated wastes, easy to take, they do not gripe. Dr. King's New Life Pills will clear your complexion and brighten your eye. Try Dr. King's New Life Pills tonight and throw off the sluggish winter shell. At druggists, 25c. dw

Mr. J. H. Brantley and daughter, little Miss Bertha, left yesterday afternoon for Terrell, where they go to visit with Leon Brantley for a day or two.

BAD TASTE IN THE MOUTH

Coated tongue, foul breath, dizziness, and a tired, lazy feeling indicates a torpid condition of the liver and impaired digestion. To get rid of this misery take

PRICKLY ASH BITTERS

IT IS A THOROUGH SYSTEM PURIFIER

It drives out badly digested food and bilious impurities through the bowels, tones up the stomach, strengthens digestion, regulates the bowel movements and imparts a fine feeling of health and exhilaration all through the body. Try its excellent correcting properties. It gives you full value for the price. Sold by all druggists and dealers.

Price \$1.00 per Bottle
Prickly Ash Bitters Co., Proprietors, St. Louis, Mo.

STRIPLING HASELWOOD & CO., Special Agents.

NACOGDOCHES COMMANDERY VISITS LUFKIN SUNDAY

The Easter services conducted by Nacogdoches Commandery No. 55, Knights Templar, in the Methodist church at Lufkin Sunday evening were attended by an audience that filled the large auditorium, the annex and gallery.

Rev. H. M. Timmons, pastor of the church, proved himself a most magnificent host.

The large and splendidly trained choir, assisted by the well known religious singer, Mr. Terry Wilson, furnished special music of the highest type. The sermon was preached by Rev. and Sir, M. C. Johnson, the grand prelate of Texas, his theme being "Immortal Citizenship."

All the knights report having had a most profitable and spiritual service, and enjoyable visit to the neighborhood town.

Rheumatic Pains Relieved.

"I have used Chamberlain's Liniment for pains in the chest and lameness of the shoulders due to rheumatism, and am pleased to say that it has never failed to give me prompt relief," writes Mrs. S. N. Finch, Batavia, N. Y. dw

Judge V. E. Middlebrook, Prof. R. F. Davis and Messrs. Chas. Hoya and Giles M. Haltom arrived home this afternoon from a visit to Central Texas points.

Stop Left Over Coughs.

Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will stop that hacking cough that lingers from January. The soothing pine balsams loosen the phlegm, heal the irritated membrane, the glycerine relieves the tender tissues, you breathe easier and coughing ceases. Don't neglect a lingering cough, it is dangerous. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is antiseptic and pleasant to take, benefits young and old, get it at your druggist today. Formula on the bottle, 25c. dw

Forest Gee came up from Port Arthur, where he holds a good position with the Texas Co., and remained over until today visiting with the home-folks.

Some Good Advice.

"Don't think too much of your own methods. Watch other people's ways and learn from them." This is good advice, especially constipated. You will find many people who use Chamberlain's Tablets for these ailments with the best results, and will do well to follow their example. dw

THE BOY SCOUTS BECOME AVAILABLE

The big papers of recent issue carry the following associated press report which will be of interest to the Boy Scouts:

NEW YORK, April 7.—Recent conferences in Washington and New York between Government officials and officials of the Boy Scouts of America, the Scout National Council announced today, have led to plans which will be finally passed upon at a meeting of the executive board here Monday. More than a quarter of a million scouts and scout officials are to become available to the country's war need under a system, which, with Federal co-operation, will enable the scope of services of the boys and men to be broadened, with two ends in view:

"First, to aid the United States coast guard in a manner that will permit them to take the place of men perhaps needed in positions which only men may hold, such as the army and the navy, second, to endeavor in every State to increase the national food supply."

"The scouts will be forbidden to take part in military and naval operations, but the work to be outlined for them is expected, according to the announcement, to have a tremendous influence on the conduct of the boys of America in this time of national excitement."

Sprains and Strains Relieved.

Sloan's Liniment quickly takes the pain out of sprains, bruises and all muscle soreness. A clean, clear liquid easily applied, it quickly penetrates without rubbing. Sloan's liniment does not stain the skin or clog the pores like mussy plasters or ointments. For chronic rheumatic pains, neuralgia, gout and lumbago, have this well-known remedy handy. For the pains of grippe and following strenuous work, it gives quick relief. At all druggists, 25c.

Mrs. Frank Sherman and little daughter have returned from an extended visit in Nacogdoches. —Rusk Press-Journal.

To cleanse the blood, strengthen the kidneys and regulate the stomach, liver and bowels, Prickly Ash Bitters is a remedy that has proved its worth. It promotes activity in body and brain. Stripling, Haselwood & Co., Special Agents.

Miss Seppie Harrell returned from Gilbert yesterday, where she has been spending a few days with the home-folks.

"A DAUGHTER OF THE DESERT"

At Trinity School House Friday night, April 27th, beginning at 8:30 sharp, for benefit of school equipment.

Cast of Characters.

Harold Morton, a railroad surveyor.—Harold Wellborn.
Clarence Ogden, an Arizona rancher.—Raymond Burgess.
Samuel Hopkins, a land speculator.—L. D. McBea.
Pedro Silvera, a Mexican renegade.—Charley Grimes.
Jim Parker, a gambler on the square.—Andy Maroney.
Bill Jones, a sure-fire, sheriff.—Wayne Townsend.
Mrs. Mary Ogden, an Arizona widow.—Maggie Brandon.
White Bird, an Apache Indian girl.—Pearl King.

Lucy Hopkins, Ruth's College chum.—Ella Grimes.
Ruth Arlington, "A Daughter of the Dust"—Rose Lambert.
Cowboys, etc.
Place—Arizona.
Time 1882.
Time of playing—Two hours and fifteen minutes.

ACT I.—Interior of Arlington's Ranch House—"The Accusation."
ACT II.—Same as Act I—"The Arrest."
ACT III.—Hotel at Tombstone—"The Reckoning."

ACT IV.—Same as Acts I and II—"The Reckoning."

Synopsis of Play.

ACT 1.—Clarence and Lucy have an adventure. "How dare you kiss a helpless girl, sir?" Return of Ruth. The story of her secret—"I must avenge the murder of my father!" Silvera's charge: "Your father was killed by Charles Morton!" Morton confesses he is the son of the accused. The avowal of love. Hopkins dotes on custard pie. News of the Apache outbreak. Morton goes to the rescue of his men. "If I die, clear my dead father's name."

ACT 2.—Lucy in tears: "It's not my stomach, papa, but my heart." White Bird brings news of the victory over the Indians. Clarence wounded. The return. Silvera has warrant for Morton's arrest on a charge of robbery. Story of the fight. A toast to Lucy and Clarence's betrothal. Flapjacks and custard pies. Ruth defends the poor Indian. The arrest of Morton. White Bird's avowal. "We shall yet bask Silvera and bring the guilty to justice."

ACT 3.—Jim Parker introduces himself. How Silvera got a scar on the back of his head. Silvera recognizes Parker. The threat. A missing witness. Ruth has the upper hand. "Now off to the Mexican line and ride like h-e-l-l."

ACT 4.—Hopkins makes love to Mrs. Ogden. Arrival of Ruth and Morton. White Bird clears up the mystery. Silvera returns on a mission of revenge. "I will kill your lover at your feet." Jones and Parker take a hand in the game. Silvera cornered. Ruth, the richest girl in Arizona. Everybody happy.

Good music will be furnished by the Campbell band. Admission, 15 and 25 cents.

A cordial invitation extended to all.

DALLAS BOOSTERS COMING.

From one hundred to one hundred and fifty leading business men of the city of Dallas, wholesale market center of the Southwest, will visit Nacogdoches, on Friday, May 11th. They will come on a pullman special of ten coaches.

This is not a business seeking trip, as it is said that one of the most stringent rules enforced on this trip will be that no orders are to be solicited by members of the party. The merchants of Nacogdoches make their market buying trips to Dallas at stated intervals and by way of appreciation of the business placed with Dallas wholesale houses, the business men of Dallas are making a visit to us at this time.

Incidental to paying their respects to Nacogdoches and her business men, the Dallas people will naturally pick up considerable first-hand information concerning the territory through which they pass, it's natural resources its recent developments, and its prospects.

A brass band of thirty pieces will accompany the business men of Dallas. While the band plays for the entertainment of our citizens and visitors from surrounding towns, the Dallas business men will pay their respects personally to the merchants of the town in their own stores.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Harris, parents of the lady, and Mrs. Dick Harris, a sister-in-law, of Garrison, came down this morning to visit Mrs. L. Cole, who is confined at the sanitarium recovering from an operation. They came in Mr. J. F. Fulghum's automobile.

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New stand at the old Cedar lot where we keep

Horses and Mules and Milk Cows Fresh

Come and see them, try them, buy them. Cash. credit or trade, to suit your convenience

Mail orders given special attention.

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We buy cattle too—Best prices

FROM THE LUFKIN NEWS.

Mr. Josh Cochran was a business visitor to Nacogdoches this afternoon.

Mr. Oscar Matthews, manager of the Nacogdoches Grocery Co., was an arrival in the city this afternoon from Nacogdoches.

Mrs. J. C. Van Nuys went to Nacogdoches this afternoon, and her husband, Dr. Van Nuys, will go to that place tonight. Tomorrow they expect to accompany home their little son, J. Chauncey, who has been confined in a sanitarium there. He is reported to be doing nicely, which is glad news to his many friends.

Nature Cures, The Doctor Takes the Fee.

There is an old saying that "Nature cures, the doctor takes the fee," but as everyone knows you can help Nature very much and thereby enable it to effect a cure in less time than is usually required. This is particularly true of colds. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy relieves the lungs, liquefies the tough mucous and aids in its expectoration, allays the cough and aids Nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition.

A. C. Weatherly, a good farmer from the northern end of the county, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mr. C. F. Lee, the senior member of the Lee Variety Store, left last night for a business visit to Chicago.

Bad Cough? Feverish? Grippy?

You need Dr. King's New Discovery to stop that cold, the soothing balsam ingredients heal the irritated membranes, soothe the sore throat, the antiseptic qualities kill the germ, and your cold is quickly relieved. Dr. King's New Discovery has for 48 years been the standard remedy for coughs and colds in thousands of homes. Get a bottle today and have it handy in your medicine chest for coughs, colds, croup, grippe and all bronchial affections. At your druggist, 50c. dw

Mr. G. W. Forsythe, one of The Sentinel's good friends living out on Route No. 2, was in to see the force this afternoon, and brought us some of the fine ribbon cane syrup he produces.

HOW'S THIS

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

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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- One lot of Ladies' White Canvas Shoes with leather bottoms, low and high heels, \$2.50 values **\$1.45** Special Price
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- One lot of Ladies' and Misses' White Canvas Sport Shoes, with rubber bottoms, worth \$2.50 special price **\$1.95**
- One lot of Children's White Button Shoes, sizes from 8 to 2, worth \$1.50, special price **.95**
- One lot Ladies' White Pumps, leather bottoms, French heel, \$2.00 values, Special **\$1.25**

You should see our line of Ladies' Shirts Waists, prices from 50c to **\$1.50**

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