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By virtue of the power vested in me, I, H. Schwartz, Mayor of the City of Baird, do order an election to be held in the City Hall, in the City of Baird, Texas on Tuesday, April 2, 1918, for the purpose of electing a Mayor five Aldermen and a Marabal. Mr. F. S. Bell is here. by designated as Judge of said elect. H. Schwartz, Mayor

I have received the following in-

Flour sales to consumers are limited to 12 pounds in cities and towns and 25 pounds to the country This order does not hotels, restaurants, licensed boarding houses, prisons and schools. F. S. Bell, Co. Food Adm.

We sre sorry to learn of the death as a shock to his friends in this county. We extend sincere sympathy to

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The pastor will preach next Sunday at 11 a. m. the subject being life. "Break up the Fallow Ground" EGGS—Select, thoroughbed sin-le comb White Leghord eggs for at f0 a. m. Everybody invited to L. Boydstun

Because of some contagious discussions and notice from Our Food Administration of the 10th District Ad Both bride and groom were born and doors in front and made their escape raised in Baird. THE STAR force that way. The burglars secured joins the many friends of the young couple in Baird in wishing them a long, happy and prosperous married officers, Tuesday.

> Before you buy your spring hat, epartment. B. 13-2

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GERMAN OFFENSIVE BELIEVED EMMINENT

EXPECTED TO START DRIVE IN FRANCE AND ITALY AT SAME TIME.

AUSTRIANS MASSING MEN

Austrian Newspapers Tell Their Readers That Offensive Against Italy is Sure to Win.

Washington.—Italian official dis-patches, transmitting "reliable dis-patches from Switzerland," says it is evident the "central powers have completed their military preparations and beginning of the offensive against the entente is imminent."

the entente is imminent."
"Everything goes to indicate the operations of Germany in France will operations of dermany in France will be simultaneous with the offensive of Austria against Italy," says the dis-patch. "From the same sources it is learned that Austro-Hungarian troops have already been concentrated in large numbers along the entire Italian line and that strong contin-

cents are still moving to our front.

"The Austrian press keeps repeating to its own people that the Italfront is weak and that their of fensive against Italy being purely successful, peace will be concluded in the near future. These statements in the enemy press constitute the usual psychological and political preparation of the German and Aus-trian public preliminary to a new of-

Planning Something Against U. S.
With American Army in France.—
The enemy apparently is planning something against our troops in the something against our troops in the sector northwest of Toul. His camou-flage constructions at certain places have suddenly been doubled in height and much work is going on within the enemy line.

An American on patrol who under-

stands German heard this conversa-

tion within a German trench:
"Come here, Fritz; take this pick and pry that stone loose and then throw that dirt out. Those—over there. We work all night to fix things here and they blow them to

Best in Fight in No Man's Land. An American patrol of five men outfought an enemy patrol of ten men. They met in No Man's land and the Americans opened fire. Germans replied and for three min-utes there as a sharp skirmish. The enemy retreated, leaving two dead and two wounded Bavarians, who patrol returned to its own line with-

out having received a scratch.

Officers report that despite the fact that the Germans fired many shells to prepare the way for a raid not a single enemy soldier got into position to carry it out, the Ameri-can automatic rifles, machine guns and rifles stopping the Germans in

Eleven Killed in London Air Raid. Loadon.—Seven or eight German airplanes made a raid over England Thursday night. One of them reached Lendon and dropped bombs in the northwest and southwest districts of the city.

Eleven persons were killed and 46 others were injured in the raid, according to police reports. It is fear-ed that an additional six bodies are in the ruins of houses wrecked. These casualties occurred in London.

The raid demonstrated that Ger man aviators no longer depend upon moonlight. It was the first time the enemy had attempted a night raid London when there was

Order Dry Zones at Naval Camps. Washington .- Five-mile dry around the eight permanent naval training stations and camps, irre-spective of whether there is an inorporated city or town within those nits, has been ordered by Secretary niels. Other orders may be issued later, but for the present no change is made in the regulations governing conditions around other camps. Under the authority of the se service law the secretary forbids the sale or giving away of liquor within five miles of the training stations. The ruling is effective March 11.

\$100,000,000 Red Cross Drive May 20. Topeka, Kan.-The Red Cross national drive for a fund of \$100,000,000 scheduled to begin May 6 will not be held until the week of May 20 to 27, according to a message received by S. E. Cobb, state chairman, from J. L. Johnson, chairman of the southwestern division, with headquarters St. Louis. No reason for the ange in date as contained in the at St. Louis.

Two Ships Delayed by Labor Dispute
Washington.—Wooden ships on the
ways in the Puget sound district almost ready to launch in the race for tonnage to defeat the submarines are being held up by a shortage of caulkers, which officials of the shipping board said was due to the refusal of two unions to co-operate. The caulkers union and the brotherhood of carpenters have been informed of the stitution but without result. Immediate action is declared necessary to prevent a tie-up

American Casualty Lists Withheld. Washington—Issuance of daily lists to daily lists of casualties among the expedition-daying the proper of the British front, according to the British official statement. A German attack on a front of more than a mile compelled some of the British advance poets to fall back, but later a counterattack re-established the British lines. British troops astride the Jerusalem-Nabulus road in Palestine have advanced their positions along a frontage of 13 miles to a depth of three miles

Stop German Drive Near Dixmude.

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NUMBER OF MEN STILL JOHN McCLAIN IN FAVOR OF ALLIES

Private John McClain of Dayton, O.

a member of the American expedition-ary force in France, wearing the French Croix de Guerre with the palm

awarded him by the French govern-ment for saving 50 persons when an enemy aviator dropped a bomb in the village in which he was billeted. Mc-

Clain quickly picked up the bomb and running to a nearby river threw it far

HUNS STILL FIGHT RUSSIANS

Evident That Germany is Paying Little Regard to Latest Treaty.

London.-In spite of the fact that a formal treaty of peace has been signed by the central powers and the Bolsheviki government of Russia fighting continues at various points

many considers the convention she forced Lenin and Trotzky to sign as a "scrap of paper" is evidenced by the announcement that the Teutons

have reached Jamburg, a town 68 miles from Petrograd. The report of the subsequent partial retirement

of the Germans does not lend en-couragement to the belief that fur-

ther invasion of Russia has been

ed by Roumania serves, too, to show

that the central powers are loath to

The text of the peace treaty sign-

rego any conquests they may make Russia. One of the clauses of

the Roumanian treaty bound that country to assist in the transport of Teuton forces through Moldavia and

Bessarabia on their way to Odessa, the granary of Russia.

Not only are the Teutons advanc-ing against the Slavs, but the Turks

also are aggressors in Asia Minor.

Order Five More Cavalry Regiments. Washington.-Organization of five

more regiments of cavalry has been ordered by the war department in addition to the complete cavalry di-

vision of the regular army already under way. The designation and or-ganization point of the new regi-ments will be as follows: 308th,

ments will be as follows: 308th, Fort Douglas, Utah; 309th, Fort Sam Houston, Texas; 310th, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont; 311th. Fort Riley.

War Council Has 2 New Members.

Washington-Reorganization of the

ganized that he probably would make changes from time to time and also that members would be relieved at internal in the control of the contr

at intervals in order that they might

New Low Mark for British Casualties

Interest on Loans to Allies 5 Percent

Washington.-The interest rate on

visit the war zone.

along the eastern front.

abandoned.

in Russia.

SUPERIORITY IN GUNS IS ALSO CLAIMED BY BONAR LAW IN SPEECH TO COMMONS.

WAR EXPENDITURES SHOWN

Average Daily Cost Said to Be £6,557,000, While Loans to Allies Reach Billion.

London.-Great Britain's loans to her allies up to Feb. 9 had totaled £1,264,000,000, Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, announce ed in the house of commons. Loans to the dominions had reached the sum of £180,000,000.

The national debt at the end of the financial year, the chancellor stated, would not exceed £5.900,000,000.

The average daily expenditure from the beginning of the financial year up to Feb. 9, Mr. Bonar Law set forth, was £6.557,000.

The chancellor moved a vote of credit of £600,000.000, bringing the total since the outbreak of the war to £6,842,000,000

The treasury has sufficient funds to carry it along for the remainder of the financial year.

The new vote is intended to start it on the new year, beginning April 2.

More Germans on West Front. Regarding the military situati the chancellor said:

"The Germans have transferred 30 divisions from the Russian front. The allies still have a slight superiority in men and guns on the front, but there is a possibility that the appearance of the Austrians there would change this."

The chancellor said that despite successes of the central powers against Russia, great discontent exists in Turkey.

As to the value of the intervention of the United States in the war, it depended, the chancellor pointed out. upon the success of the American transport operations.

ROUMANIA INDIGNANT AT TERMS.

King and Queen Ask American People to Realize Country's Predicament.

Jassy, Roumania.-Intense indigna tion is felt by the army and people of Roumania over the terms of the peace imposed upon Roumania by the central powers. With its military forces scattered and its hopeless strategical position Roumania had no recourse except to yield to her powerful and ruthless foe. The Rou-manian example is pointed to as a repetition of the bitter fate suffered

by Serbia and Belgium.

The royal family is greatly depressed over the disastrous course of events. Both the king and queen express the earnest hope that the American people will have a sympa thetic appreciation of the tragical circumstances that forced peace on Roumania and that the warm friendship that has always existed between the two nations will in no wise be

Hope is felt by the royal family and the people that when world peace comes some of the sacrifices now being made by Roumania will be recognized and recompensed.

Germany Signs Treaty With Finland. Amsterdam-Official announcement Kansas; 312th, Fort Myer, Virginia. One squadron of the 312th cavalry is to be organized at Fort Sheridan, Ill. is made in Berlin of the signing of a peace treaty between Germany and Finland and also of trade and ship-ping agreements. Finland, by the conditions of the treaty, agrees to cede no territory nor grant territor wasnington—Reorganization of the war council is announced by the war department, with Major Gen. March, acting chief of staff, and with Major General Goethals, acting quartermast-er general, and Edward R. Settinius, ial rights to any foreign power with-out the previous consent of Germany who undertakes to exert herself to secure the recognition of Finland's independence by all the powers. Each party renounces compensation for surveyor of purchases, added to the personnel. It was stated by Secretary Baker when the council was first orparty renounces com war costs or damages.

German Property Under Hammer

Washington.—Property in the Unit-ed States owned by the kaiser, former Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German "junkers" generally and the German government itself, will be the first to go under the ham-

Washington.—President Wilson has signed the soldiers and sailors civil lied divisions were numerically largerights bill, parctically creating a moratorium for men in the military ser. "I have said heretofore that a German offensive was not likely to atorium for men in the military ser-

American Casualty Lists Withheld. Stop German Drive Near Dixmude.

COL. SAMUEL M'ROBERTS



Col. Samuel McRoberts, formerly executive manager of the National City bank of New York, heads the new-ly created procurement division of the reorganized ordnance bureau of the army. He will pass on all contracts for supplies of all kinds for the army, and will have the task of feeding. clothing, arming and equipping the mil-lions of men the United States will

PLAN TO RULE SCANDINAVIA

Sweden, Norway and Denmark Ob-ject of Denunciation in Teuton Newspapers—Blow at Baltic.

London.-The newest and a novel London.—The newest and a novel display of German policy has come in the form of a sudden broadside of denunciation of the Scandinavian countries by German newspapers of publicists.

The articles accuse the Scandinavian countries substantially of being accomplices of the entente and warn them that, therefore, they can ex them that, therefore, they can be pect no consideration from Germany. The reason for this policy is plain to diplomats here. Germany's dealings with Finland thus far seem to be designed to make Finland a minor

German kingdom,
This scheme, which is a direct
blow against Sweden and in a less
degree against Denmark and Norway, is in line with the German emperor's boast that the Baltic lands have been made permanently German.

Huns Trying to Shift Foes In West. Washington.—Germany in sweeping Bussia is described by the war
department's weekly military review
as another futile attempt on the part
of the Germans to shift the center
of the gravity of the war, which still
remains on the west front, where the
Toutone free the Franch British. Teutons face the French, British, Italian and Belgian armies and the ever-growing American forces. American troops now occupy trenches at four separate points and in the principal sector their front is four and a half miles long.

American Artillery Effective.

With American Army in France The American artillery during Satur day and Sunday bombed vigorously certain towns in the rear areas, roads and communicating trenches of the Germans opposite the Toul sector with excellent results. They shelled a number of buildings in one town in which enemy troops were billeted. Some of the Ameicrans in a listen-ing post in front of their line northwest of Toul discovered an enemy patrol fixing their own wire and promptly opened fire. The Germans retreated, leaving two of their number hanging on the barbs

Hun Preparations About Complete London.—The Germans are still adding to the number of their divisions in February, in which there were 3.571 casualties. The total casualties for February, a low month, were signed the soldiers and sallors civil 18.961. come immediately, because the Germans required time to prepare new troope," said General Maurice, "but loans to allies has been raised from 14½ per cent to 5 per cent as a result of the recent increase of rates on certificates of indebtedness from 4 to 14½ per cent.

French Chamber in Confidence vote.

Paris.—The chamber of deputies those major preparations are now more or less complete and the enemy can attack whenever he completes 14½ per cent.

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The Wisdom of the Trail

Sitka Charley, Indian Though He Was, Knew, and Failed Not in the Fight with Grim Death

By JACK LONDON

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it, he had yet to divine its secret es-sence—the honor and the law. And it was only by the cumulative evidence had achieved the impossible.

And of these things had been bred

a certain contempt for his own people
—a contempt which he had made it a
custom to conceal, but which now burst
forth in a polygiot whirlwind of curses

Leving the two to the drying of
their footgear, Sitka Charley turned
back over the course he had come.

He, too, had a mighty longing to sit by
the fire and tend his complaining flesh, upon the heads of Kah-Chucte and Gowhee. They cringed before him like a brace of snarling wolf dogs, too cowardly to spring, too wolfsh to cover the frozen deld, each step a protest, every musardly to spring. They were not have a cover the frozen deld frozen the frozen deld. their fangs. They were not handsome creatures. Neither was Sitka Charley. All three were frightful looking. There was no flesh to their faces; their cheek ones were massed with hideous scabs which had cracked and frozen alter-nately under the intense frost; while their eyes burned luridly with the light which is born of desperation and hun-ger. Men so situated, beyond the pale of the honor and the law, are not to be trusted. Sitka Charley knew this; and this was why he had forced them to abandon their rifles with the rest of the camp outfit ten days be-His rifle and Captain Epping-

achieved the impossible. Other Indians might have known as much of the wisdom, the honor of the trail as did he; but he alone knew the white man's wisdom, the honor of the trail, and the law. But these things had not come to him in a day. The aboriginal mind is slow to generalize, and many facts, repeated often, are required to compass an understanding. Sitka Charthe law. But these things had not come to him in a day. The aboriginal mind is slow to generalize, and many facts, repeated often, are required to compass an understanding. Sitka Charley, from boyhood, had been thrown continually with white men, and as a man he had elected to cast his fortunes with them, expatriating himself, once and for all, from his own people. Even then, respecting, almost venerating their power, and pondering over it, he had yet to divine its secret esbund moccasins were sadly worn to the work of the case of their feet. Their icayer is the man he had elected to cast his fortunes with them, expatriating himself, once and for all, from his own people. Even then, respecting, almost venerating their power, and pondering over it, he had yet to divine its secret esbund moccasins were sadly worn by much travel, and the sharp ice of by much travel, and the sharp ice of the river jams had cut them to rags. Their Siwash socks were similarly conditioned, and when these had been of years that he had finally come to understand. Being an alien, when he did know he knew it better than the white man himself; being an Indian, he
of mortification, told their simple tale of the trail.

Leaving the two to the drying of open water between the jams had re-cently crusted, he was forced to miser-ably accelerate his movements as the fragile footing swayed and threatened beneath him. In such places death was quick and easy; but it was not his desire to endure more.

His deepening anxiety vanished as two Indians dragged into view round a bend in the river. They staggered and panted like men under heavy bur-dens; yet the packs on their backs were a matter of but few pounds. He questioned them engerly, and their re-plies seemed to relieve him. He hur-ried on. Next came two white men, fore. His rifle and Captain Epping well's were the only ones that remained.

"Come, get a fire started," he commanded, drawing out the precious match box with its attendant strips of dry birch bark.

The two Indians fell sullenly to the task of gathering dead branches and underwood. They were weak, and paused often, catching themselves, in the act of stooping, with giddy motions, or staggering to the center of operations with their knees shaking like castanets. After each trip they rested for a moment, as though sick and deadly weary. At times their eyes took on the patient stoicism of dumb suffering; and again the ego seemed almost bursting forth with its wild cry, "I, I, want to exist!"—the dominant note of the whole living universe.

A light breath of air blew from the note of the whole living universe.

A light breath of air blew from the south, nipping the exposed portions of their bodies and driving the frost, in

sika Charley did not know this kind of woman. Five minutes before, he did not even dream of taking charge of the expedition; but when she came to him with her wonderful smile and her straight clean English and talked. of the expedition; but when she came to him with her wonderful smile and her straight clean English, and talked to the point, without pleading or persuading, he had incontinently yielded. Had there been a softness and appeal to mercy in the eyes, a tremble to the voice, a taking advantage of sex, he would have stiffened to steel; instead her clear-searching eyes and clearinging voice, her utter frankness and tacit assumption of equality, had robbed him of his reason. He felt, then, that this was a new breed of woman; and ere they had been trail mates for many days, he knew why the sons of such women mastered the land and sea, and why the sons of his own womankind could not prevail against them. Tender and soft! Day after day he watched her, muscle-weary, exhausted, indemirable, and the words heat in we he ready expectation. He forest for he knew the point words and take the sum of the straight and standard and sumbled on the sum of Tender and soft! Day after day he watched her, muscle-weary, exhausted, indomitable, and the words beat in upon him in a perennial refrain. Tender and soft! He knew her feet had been horn to easy paths and suny lands, strangers to the moccasined pain of the North, unkissed by the chill lips of the frost, and he watched and marveled at them twinkling ever through the weary day.

She had always a smille and a word of cheer, from which not even the under the anodyne of delirium. Kah-

of cheer, from which not even the meanest packer was excluded. As the way grew darker she seemed to stiffen roughly, venting upon him many a savto them that night, till they felt the weariness fall from them and were ready to face the future with fresh hope. And when the food failed and each scant stint was measured jealously, she it was who rebelled against the machinations of her husband and hard the Indians become. Yet on their hopes, and strength, and the Indians become. Yet on their hacks was life and strength, and the machinations of her husband and Sitka Charley, and demanded and re-ceived a share neither greater nor Sitka Charley, and demanded and re-ceived a share neither greater nor less than that of the others.

Sitka Charley was proud to know this woman. A new richness, greater breadth, had come into his life with her presence. Hitherto he had been his own mentor, had turned to right or left at no man's beck; he had moulded himself according to his own dic tates, nourished his manhood regard-less of all save his own opinion. For the first time he had felt a call from without for the best that was in him. Just a glance of appreciation from the clear-searching eyes, a word of thanks from the clear-ringing voice, just a slight wreathing of the lips in the wonderful smile, and he walked with the gods for hours to come. It was a new stimulant to his manhood; for the first time he thrilled with a conscious pride in his wisdom of the conscious pride in his wisdom of the trail; and between the twain they ever lifted the sinking hearts of their com

The faces of the two men and the woman brightened as they saw him, for after all he was the staff they leaned upon. But Sitka Charley, rigid as was his wont, concealing pain and pleasure impartially beneath an iron exterior, asked them the welfare of the rest, told the distance to the fire, and continued on the back trip. Next he met a single Indian, unburdened, limping, lips compressed, and eyes set with the pain of a foot in which the quick fought a losing battle with the lead. All possible care had been taken of him, but in the last extremity the weak and unfortunate must per ish, and Sitka Charley deemed days to be few. The man could not keep up for long, so he gave him rough cheering words. After that came two more Indians, to whom he had allotted the task of helping along Joe, the third white man of the party. They had de-serted him. Sitka Charley saw at a glance the lurking spring in their bod-ies, and knew they had at last cast off his mastery. So he was not taken un-awares when he ordered them back in quest of their abandoned charge, and quest of their abandoned charge, and saw the gleam of the hunting knives that they drew from the sheaths. A pitful spectacle, three weak men lift-ing their puny strength in the face of the mighty vastness; but the two re-coiled under the fierce rifle blows of the one, and returned like beaten does the one, and returned like beaten dogs Two hours later, with to the leash. Joe reeling between them and Sitka Charley bringing up the rear, they came to the fire, where the remainder

of the expedition crouched in the shel-ter of the fly.

"A few words, my comrades, before we sleep," Sitka Charley said, after "A few words, my comrades, before two sleep." Sitka Charley said, after they had devoured their slim rations of unleavened bread. He was speaking to the Indians, in their own tongue, Chute flocked on the wood and the was having already given the import to the whites. "A few words, my comrades, for your own good, that ye may yet perchance live. I shall give you classes the file of the series of a great distribution of the scrap of skeleton tissue which has lost 83 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 48 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per cent of its food value is regarded as 49 per to the Indians, in their own tongue, having already given the import to the whites. "A few words, my comrades, for your own good, that ye may yet perchance live. I shall give you the law; on his own head be the death of him that breaks it. We have passed the Hills of Silence, and we now travel the head reaches of the Stuart. They mixed flour with the warm water till it was a thin paste, the warm water till it was a thin paste, and of this they drank many cupfuls. It may be one sleep, it may be several, and of this they drank many cupfuls, age and endurance. Then you can go it may be many sleeps, but in time we shall come among the men of the Yudid not mind. He did not mind any and knowledge and power in your proshall come among the men of the Yukon, who have much grub. It were well that we look to the law. Today. Kah-Chucte and Gowhee, whom I commanded to break trail, forgot they were men, and like frightened children ran away. True, they forgot; so let us forget. But hereafter let them remember. If it should happen they do not."— He touched his rifle carelessly, grimly. "Tomorrow they shall carry the flour and see that the white man Joe Iles not down by the trail. The cupfuls of flour are counted; should so much as an ounce be wanting at nightfall—Do ye understand? Today there were did not mind any thing, not even his moccasins, which soched and smoked among the coals. A crystal mist of snow fell about them, softly, caressingly, wrapping them in clinging robes of white. And their feet would have yet trod many only with the daily struggle, required for the attainment of the objects one has in view. Do not forget the value salvation. Sitka Charley, looking back, saw the pillared smoke of their fire, and guessed. And he looked ahead at those who were faithful, and at Mrs. Eppingwell.

"So my good comrades, ye have again"

race he would have harbored no objections; but these women of the North-land—no, no, they were too soft, too tender, for such enterprises.

Sitka Charley did not know this kind they go forth and break trail. Ye have

way grew darker she seemed to stiffen and grew darker she seemed to stiffen and grew darker she seemed to stiffen age glance or blow. To them it was the acme of injustice. Their hearts were bitter with hate, heavy with fear. Why should they cumber their strength with his weakness? To do so, meant death; not to do so—and they remembered the law of Sitka the curses of the men. She had supp. (Charley and the rifle.)

could not but think of this, and it was

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Could Not Keep Up for Long.



forgotten that you were men? Good. the box which makes strange sounds

spoke, strapping the pack to the one on his own back. He kicked Joe till the pain broke through the poor devil's bliss and brought him doddering to his Factor at Koshim. He beats her, and

strength to thy legs that they may outrun the swift-winged lead? Think not to cheat the law. Be men for the last time, and be content that ye die fullstomached. Come, step up, back to the timber, shoulder to shoulder.

The two men obeyed, quietly, with-out fear; for it is the future which presses upon the man, not the present.

"Thou, Gowhee, hast a wife and children and a deer-skin lodge in the Chippewyan. What is thy will in the matter?"

Very good. There will be fewer bellies to feed."

Sitka Charley retied the flour as he spoke, strapping the pack to the one

"And thou. Kah-Chucte, who hast

bliss and brought him doddering to his factor at Koshim. He beats her, and feet. Then he showed him out noon she is not happy. Give thou her the the trail and started him on his way, goods which are mine by the contract, The two Indians attempted to slip off. "Hold, Gowhee! And thou, too, Kah-hucte! Hath the flour given such rength to the low to the low to the man, and be so minded, it were a the man, and be so minded, it were a good deed that he should die. He beats her, and she is afraid."

"Are ye content to die by the law?"
"We are."

"We are."
"Then good-by, my good comrades,
May ye sit by the well-filled pot, in
warm lodges, ere the day is done."
As he spoke, he raised his rifle, and
many echoes broke the silence. Hardly had they died away, when other
rifles spoke in the distance. Sitka
Charley started. There had been more
than one shot, yet there was but one
other rifle in the party. He gave a
fleeting glance at the men who lay so fleeting glance at the men who lay so "Give thou her of the goods which are mine by the word of the captain—the blankets, the beads, the tobacco, men of the Yukon.

MAKE APPEAL TO APPETITE QUEER BELIEFS ABOUT MOON

Not all food materials are said to be valuable in proportion to the appeal which they make to the appetite. For example, the flavor substances in foods which stimulate the olfactory and gus-tatory nerves, and thus give rise to appetite, are not ordinarily the sub-stances on which the body depends for its fuel, nor for the great bulk of its bullding materials. The latter materials—proteins, fats or oils and carbohydrates—when chemically pure, have little or no taste or smell. The preference for thin and crisp rather than greasy bacon is given as an illustration.

In a recent experiment it was found that of the 129 calories which represent the fuel value of a very thi 20 gm. (three-fourths ounce) slice only nine calories remained when the only nine calories remained when the slice was sent to the table, 120 calories being represented by the fat which viried out" into the pan. In this case a considerable amount of flavor body also goes into the fat, yet most persons would not consider eating it unless it has been skilifully blended with large

Food Materials Which Are of Little
Real Value Have Distinct
Place on Table.

Superstitions Handed Down From Past
Ages Have Not by Any Means
Died Out.

The idea that the moon powerfully influences not merely the weather and the growth of crops but the functions of the human body and even the careers of men and women was almost a part of the religion of the ancient Exputians. Lows. Greeks and cient Egyptians, Jews, Greeks and Romans. The same idea runs through

ser, Beaumont, Fletcher, Ben Jonson, and even such modern authors as Byron, Scott and Shelley, are full of it. It does not appear in Edgar Allan Poe, yet one has but to read "Ulalume" to find a striking illustra-

Among semicivilized peoples these ideas about the moon are still almost universal. In our own country, and others in which civilization is at its highest, one needs but glance over a farmers' almanac to find how much faith is placed in these exploded ideas by persons with even a fair amount of

He Was No Poet.

"You have a pretty good business, even in December."

"Yes," said the proprietor of the ocean hotel.

"They hear the sea a-calling, I presume."

sume."
"I dunno about that. We keep send-ing out booklets right along."—Louis-ville Courier-Journal.

Language in the Making.

"Lexicographers have to determine nice shades in the meaning of words."

"No doubt."

"Dictionary makers of the future have their work cut out for them."

"How so?"

"Wait until geezer, guy and gink ret into the language."—Louisville Courter-Journal.



. They Cringed Before Him

The Baird Star.

FRIDAY, MAR. 15, 1918

Entered at the Postoffice at Baird, Texas, as

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Lonine and Trotsky; the champion "bean epillers" of the world.

Judge Hastietec in a recent de cision declared the Indiana prohibi tion law unconstitutional. The decision is no surprise. A judge with such a name can never see anything constitutional in prohibition laws.

April 15th, Fort Worth, San Antonio, Galveston, Houston, El Paso, Beaumont, Wichita Falls and some smaller towns will close their saloons for keeps. Prohibition is here no matter whether you approve of it or

ten miles. The law is a good one did not deter the antis in the legis- night. lature from voting for the law alworld is against the use of intoxicatopposed to slavery, and just like slavery the world will abolish it in so far as laws can abolish anything. The world would be far better off if not another glass of whiskey was ever used again as a beverage. Every informed anti knows this and has camps have proven a failure hence these drastic laws. The liquor men have pulled down their own house and that is all there is to it.

AGRICULTURAL CLUB.

ed to plant War gardens; to feed a Roberson.

To stimulate the efforts of those no traces of his recent illness. making the best record, one of his Travis. choice pedigreed pigs. This is a The baseball season in Camp Trav-Agricultural Colleges

BY THE STAR STAFF POET.

The tenth day of March and we are still mighty dry No rain yet to plant is every one'

ery No use to tell you we are all out of heart

For this year we were anxious to do | 20 miles northwest of San Antonio.

more than our part But still we have hopes in time it

will rain And what we have lost in the future

we'll gain Most all of the wheat that was sown in the fall

Has rain enough to ruin most of it all

ground

have found He that sits up and advice to us

Should take a trip to the country and

see how we live We eat no biscuit at two of our meals

Let these fellows try this and see how he feels So now advice-giver as soon as our

lands seeded You come to the farm the place you are needed.

FIELD DAY PROGRAM.

The annual Field Day Exercises The only objection THE STAR has of the Interscholastic League of to the dry z ne law is that it should of Callahan Caunty Schools will be around each army camp in place of Grounds on Saturday, March 23rd.

The contests in Spelling, Debate

There will be arrangements made, most aganimously. We think the fear as is done in the State District Meets to a silent struggle to "keep up, that these towns will remain saloon- to provide meals and lodging for all because both state-wide and nation schools having entrees in the meet force before that time. The war has the convenience of any persons who simply busted old John Barleycorn may not bring their dinner, the Baird milk-or rather spilt whisksy. The wishes, etc., on the school grounds.

The public is very cordially ining liquors just as the world was vited to attend the programs on this

County League Committee,

CAMP TRAVIS NOTES.

Pvt. Fleet G. Howell of Baird, member of Ambulance Co. 359, always known it, but they doubted Camp Travis, is on detached service practibility of abolishing the at the Camp Base Hospital. He is traffic rather than strictly regulating acting Ward-Master. Pvt. Howell it. Regulation around the army expresses himself as well pleased with his new work.

Members of Battery C. 345, F. Artillery have all returned from Camp Bullis where they have been on the firing range. The Battery was divided, one half remained at Camp Travis and the other half hiked to County School Trustees Election Order To the boys and girls between the Camp Bullis. The Camp Travis half ages of ten and eighteen, I wish to replaced them after nine days campacre to one or more of the following W. F. Lee, Carl West, A. C. Olin, crops: Milo, Feterita, Kafir, Peanuts C. C. Morrison, R. J. Walker, W. Cotton or corn. Also, you are ask. W. Walker, R. H. Roberson, J. A.

pig; to feed a calf, a lamb or raise Private Robert J. Walker, Battery boys and girls of this county to en- is, has returned from the hospital our home people, but to help Win pneumonia for the past three weeks. date. He is entirely recuperated and shows

and White Plymouth Rock chickens, Field Artillery are attending the Board, care County Judge, by writoffers as a prize to the boy or girl Cook's and Baker's School, Camp ten petition, on or before March 30,

prize worth working for. Mr. Ap. is just about to be opened. Every pleton gets \$10.00 each for them Battery in the 345th Regiment Field and you will find no better in the Artillery is digging out their balls state. Mr. Appleton is a practical and gloves, preparing for the great up-to-date farmer, applying many of American sport. Battery C. who the methods already proven at the never lost a game last season, will

The smell of exploding powder, the sing of steel bullets, and the trials and tribulations of army life "in the Brigade, have had recently during their ten days of campaigning in and around Camp Bullis Target Range,

Sergts. Robert L Clinton and Robt. Kuykendail of Callahan county are members of the 40th company which is commanded by Capt Lucius O'Bryan, formerly of San Benito, and had a full share, in the target range maneuvers. They received instruction in rifle practice at all ranges, including slow fire at 100, For Tax Assessor: Some is as dry as when put in the 200, 300, 500 and 600 yd ranges, and rapid fire at the shorter ranges. And a good stand of wheat we never Later when they fired at the same ranges for a record, they made scores that forbodes evil for Kaiser Bill and his vassals. Sergt, Clinton is Supply Sergeant of the company and had charge of all rifles and amuni. tion.

In addition to shooting on the rifle range, members of the 40th company received their first taste of of combat firing. Well camouflaged For Tax Collector: targets in the bills and ravines around Camp Bullis, were discovered by members of the company during practice marches "Under War Conditions" and all the "enemy targets" fell victims to the hail of hos. tile fi.a from the "Fighting Fortieth"

For many of the men, it was then have been not less than 20 miles held on the Baird Public School first long "hike" across country and proved a novel and exhausting experience as they marched 21 and the fear of some antis that these and Declamation, etc., will be held miles in less than eight hours towns will remain dry after the war, in the School Auditorium Saturday to Camp Bullis. There was considerable singing during the earlier hours of the march that gave way

And hungry? Between 11 and less after the war is well founded, contestants and all teachers of 12 in the morning every man in the column was ready to swear that his wide prohibition will likely be in while they are in Baird. Also for throat had been cut. At least every. one's stomach had retreated to his backbone and was crying for food, and it is no use grieving over spilt Junior Red Cross will serve sand. It goes without saying that the pro- For County Treasurer: vision train, which finally came along the road loaded with sandwiches, was welcomed like a long lost brother.

shout went up from the head of the long khaki clad column that was winding like a enake through the rocky hills near Camp Bullis. The reason for the shout-smoke and the tops of new tents had been sighted in the valley ahead and the day's march would soon be ended. All the men seemed to enjoy their participation in the war maneuvers and marched the 21 miles back to Camp Travis like old veterans.

Division of Publicity,

By authority vested in me as say that I shall at once organize ing. This was the longest hike this County Judge of Callahan county, we are again and we feel greatly enagricultural clubs. Several cash Battery has made and each of the Texas, I, W. R. Ely, hereby order couraged as we received a good rain agricultural clubs. Several cash Battery has made and each of the Texas, I, W. R. Ely, hereby order prizes of ten dollars or more have 20 mile hikes was made without the been put up for the winner. You least difficulty. Those from Baird day of April, 1918. in all rural am afraid it is too late for wheat, will be asked to plant at least one who hiked were: Corpl. C. C. Wright school districts situated in County but we can plant maize and feed of acre to one or more of the following W. F. Lee, Carl West, A. C. Olin, Commissioners' Precincts Nos. 1, 2, and 5 in said county, for the pur-pose of electing One County School pose of electing One County School garden stuff raised than ever before.

Trustee for each of said CommissionWe are going to raise our living at ers' Precincts, said election to be home and help win the war. poultry. Our President calls on the C. 345th Field Artillery, Camp Trav- held by Managers and Election Offiheld by Managers and Election Offi-cers holding elections for Common county and there will be a large crop gage in this work not only to feed where he has been confined with School Trustees on the above named of them planted this year. I find our home people, but to help Win preumonia for the past three weeks.

County School Trustees of the above crop. of the pig club, Mr. Wil Appleton, Privates Wm. F. Lee and H. Commissioners' Precincts shall be breeder of fine Poland China hogs Welgehausen, Battery C., 345th submitted to the County Election From Cottonwood where he has been weighted. next, as provided by law.

W. R. Ely, County Judge, 15.1t. Callahan County, Texas.

CHURCH NOTICE.

American sport. Battery C. who convert lost a game last season, will soon be ready to play any team in You will be advised in regard to the camp. The players are: Sgts. o'clock for the purpose of confirming the cultural methods and the care and feeding of your stock by the Extention Department of the A. & M. College of Texas.

Soon be ready to play any tests in Sanday morning, March 111 o'clock for the purpose of confirming or rejecting the action of the session in accepting the resignation of the pastor; and to elect a Commissioner to appear at the next meeting of the Abilene Presbytery which meets at We want at least three hundred in this club work this year. Write me for further information.

I. B. Cupp,

Emergency Demonstration Agent.

Baird, Texas,

Camp Travis, Texas, March 11th.

B. H. Williamson, second base; Ablene Presbytery which meets at Strawn, Texas, April 9th to represent the church in desolving the pastoral relation between the 1st Presbyterian Church of Baird, Texas, and H. M. Peebles, the Pastor.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce field" are experiences that members the following named candidates for of the 40th Company, 165 Depot office subject to the action of the Democratic primary:

DISTRICT OFFICES

For District Attorney: W. R. Ely of Baird

For District Clerk: Thos. Il. Floyd,

> Mrs. Katie Burkett-Grubbs Clyde

COUNTY OFFICES

C. W. Conner

Baird Jack Jones

Baird Melvin G. Farmer re-election

W. R. Robbins, Cottonwood

V. L. Fulton Cottonwood H. C. (Claud) Norsworthy

of Clyde

W. P. Ramsey Baird Roy Kendrick

Denton W. A. Everett

of Cottonwood For County Clerk: Chas, Nordyke

re-election For Sheriff:

C. H. Corn of Putnam Geo. W. Williams of Clyde

Pete Fulcher of Baird S. B. Stansbury

Atwell For County Judge: R. L. Surles of Baird J. R. Black

of Admiral J. S. Yeager

of Putnam W. C. Martin Admiral

Shortly after 4 o'clock a mighty For Superintendent Public School: S. Ernest Settle

Re-election For Commissioner Precinct No. 3. J. B. Eubank

For Commissioner Pre. No. 2. H. Windham

Tecumseh For Justice of the Peace Pre. No. 4. H. Windham

CITY ELECTION

For Marshal; W. L. Ashton

EULA LOCALS.

Mar. 3 .- Well, Uncle Billie, here

All nominations of candidates for we will show up an all round food

W. B. Ferguson made a business trip to Putnam this week. R. H. Smith has been on the sick

list the past week. Miss Gertie Harris spent a few days in Clyde this week the guest of Mrs. Bowman and Miss Smith.

Jim Burr was in Eula trading J. F. Hampton is in the market

for a car of cattle Bill Whitley of Denton was in

Lloyd Farmer was able to be at his barber shop at Eula Saturday.

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F. E. ALVORD

BAIRD, TEXAS

GEM THEATRE

PROGRAM, WEEK BEGINNING SATURDAY, MARCH 16th

Triangle presents Margery Wilson in

"WITHOUT HONOR"

Also "Counterfeit Scent" and the "Widow's Might" Comedies.

MONDAY:

"DIAMONDS AND PEARLS"

a charming Wm. A. Brady Feature. "You Know Me All" Base Ball Comedy

TUESDAY:

"NUTIE THE GET ME"

A thrilling Triangle Western Drama, "A Birthday Blunder" Comedy

WEDNESDAY:

Eddie Polo, "Pedro" in

"THE BULL'S EYE" The Greatest of all Western Senals. Also Four other good

THURSDAY.

reels, Comedy, etc "THE RISE OF SUSAN"

A gripping New Brady.made feature, A Harold Lloyd Pathe . Comedy and "The Ford Weekly"

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J. W. Turner, Asst. Cashier
J. B. Cutbirth.

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F. L. Driskill, Asst. Cashier nhill C. C. Seale

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Sunday, March 10, 1917. Baptist Sunday School Number present -Collection -Methodist Sunday School. Number present

Number present

Martin Barphill, Baird,

Forgot What He Needed.

From the Republican. Mt. Giliad. Ohio: The editor had an interest-ing experience some time ago, when a young gentleman came to this ing experience some time ago, when a young gentleman came to this office and asked for a copy of the Morrow County Republican. He scrutinized it carefully when a copy was handed to him, and then said: "Now I know!" he what is it you are looking for," re inquired. "My wife sent me after a bottle of Chamberlain's Couch Remedie and I for. berlain's Cough Remedy, and I for-got the name. I went to several stores and the clerks named everything in the line on the shelf excep "Chamberlain's." I'll try again

Presbyterian Sunday School Tolal Attendance

Diamond Lost, Reward. - Diamond shirt stud, lost in Baird, February 23d. Good reward for return-

Fresh Fish and Oysters on meat less days. B. L. Boydstun 13-2

Never before in the history of the Millinery business in Baird has there Millinery business in Baird has there been a greater showing of pretty the Baptist Sanitarium, Dallas. Mr was then furnished a pencil and hats for ladies and misses as you Chambers has been suffering with paper and asked to write a recipe, will now find at B. L. Boydstan's some spinal trouble for sometime and their opinion of the bride, which store.

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thing in the line on the shelf excep "Chamberlain's." I'll try again, and I'll never go home without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." The Republican would suggest to the proprietors of stores, that they post their clerks, and never let them substitute. Customers lose faith in stores where substituting is permitted, to say nothing of the injustice to the makers of good goods and the disappointment of customers. For sale by all Druggists.

H. Ramsey, was killed in the freight yards at Fort Worth, on Saturday, March 2nd. Doc received a telegram announcing bis death too late to catch the night train, so decided to make the trip in his auto. e left Baird at 2 a. m. and reache Fort Worth at 9 a. m. in time for the funeral. Claud's parents returned home with Dr. Ramsey and spent for a good milk cow.

Sale by all Druggists.

H. Ramsey, was killed in the freight yards at Fort Worth, on Saturday, bunch was served and the following toasts given: "To the Mother."—Mrs. Jno. Estes, "To the Mother."—In with the girls left behind"—Bride-to-be.

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PERSONALS

John Stuart, of Rowden, was in

Alex McWhorter, from the Bayou is in town, yesterday.

Rev. W. Y. Switzer has returned from a visit to Fort Worth.

Quite a number from Baird attend-the Fat Stock Show this week.

A. G. Hobbs, N. A. Smedley, of Rowden weresin town, Wednesday.

Born to Mr and Mrs. R. L. Elliott n Friday, March 1st, 1918, a boy. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White have

eturned from a trip to Fort Worth. Andy Gist and little children left the first of last week for Taylor.

C. L. Dickey, and his brother, L. W. Dickey, made a business trip to Abilene last week

where they will make their home.

Charlie Young of Camp Bowie, is issting his mother, Mrs. F. M. Young, living west of Baird.

Misses Ruby and Veda Dickey left Sunday evening for Abilene where they will attend Draughon's Business College.

Monroe Dawkins of Fort Worth, visited his mother, Mrs. R. C. Dawkins at Admiral the latter part of

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windham and daughters, Miss Winnie and Mrs. Charley Straley of Oplin were in Baird, Monday.

Sam Cutbirth, Jr. of Stiles, spent Tuesday here with his son. Brownie. who is attending school here. Sam was on his way to Fort Worth to attend the Fat Stock Show.

Lieutenant Farley S. Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bell, of Baird, "somewhere in France" according to news received by his parents a few days ago.

H. C. (Claud) Norsworthy, living south of Clyde, annouces this week as a candidate for Tax Assessor. Mr. Norsworthy has lived in this county eighteen years and is a worthy young man.

Mrs. J. Y. Gilliland of Belle Plaine, accompanied by her niece, Miss Rexie Gillaland of Baird, spent \$ 3.09 a few days in Fort Worth last week with Mrs. Gilliland's son, Royce, 90 who is stationed at Camp Bowie.

Pete Fulcher, candidate for Sheriff is carrying his left arm in a sling \$ 3.04 since last Friday when a mule kicked him, breaking his arm between the wrist and elbow. He had to have it reset Wednesday morning and it is rather painful.

> son, Rob, who has been sick with H. H. Ramsey Jr., was solemized pneumonia. Rob's many friends Sunday morning, March 10, 1918, will be glad to know that he is now at 10:30 o'clock. After the guesta able to be out again.

and goes there for treatment. He was accompanied by his son, Alba Chambers and wife and Rev. R. A. Miss Lora Franklin gave a few piano Scranton.

Mrs. Willie Barnhill received a letter from her brother, Claude Flores who is with the Amirican army in France, saying that he is rapidly recovering from his recent illness and guest told her to find her fortune, would be discharged from the hospi. and at the end of the ribbon would be discharged from the hospi.
tal in a few days. Claude was ta.
found a large basket filled with thoroughly. Eat but little meat and many beautiful gifts which were adstill troubled with sour stomach take ken to the hospital some weeks ago many beautiful gifts which were adwith a servere strack of pneumonia.

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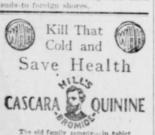
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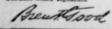






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TEN-MILE ZONE BILL PASSED BY SENATE

AMENDMENT IS ADOPTED PRO-VIDING ACT SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE APRIL 15.

MUST GO BACK TO HOUSE

Bill to Vitalize Reclamation Amend ment is Introduced by Senators McNealus and Alderdice.

Austin.-With the final passage of the ten-mile zone bill by the senate Thursday, all of Governor Hobby's war regulation measures have received the approval of both houses. However, the zone measure was amended and must be returned to the house for concurrence or request for conference committee. The amendment of prime importance is that ment of prime importance is that changing from April 1 to April 15 the time the bill shall become effec-tive. M. H. Wolfe of Dalias, head of the prohibition executive commit-tee, said that the 15 days' difference in time was too trivial to cause a As a result, the house may

The house occupies an advantageous position. If it concurs, the sen-ate is on record with the necessary two-thirds vote to put the bill into effect earlier than 90 days after ad-journment, but if it should refuse and force a conference which would recommend April 1, the senate mi-nority might muster sufficient votes to prevent the bill becoming effective before 90 days after adjourn ment. There are some who think that if the proposition is put to the senate in a conference bill calling for April 1, the necessary 21 votes will materialize and make the bill effective as of that date.

No Action on State-Wide Bill.

No action was had with regard to
the state-wide dry bill which passed the house. It has been engrossed in the house. With 23 votes for it and one against, the senate passed finally the bill creating dry zones about army camps and cantonments. The chies amendment, which was a committee amendment, fixed the date of effectiveness as April 15. The house bill made it April 1.

Reclamation Bill Introduced.

The bill introduced by Messrs. Me-Nealus and Alderdice in behalf of levee interests to vitalize provisions of the amendment to the constitution adopted last August re-enacts existing law to make it conform to the amendment. The bill permits organ ization of reclamation districts that nbrace territory in more than one county. It reduces by half the amount of fees payable to county udges and county treasurers for their services in the organization of districts. It provides for special tax collectors for levee taxes.

Deficit of \$315,000 on August 31.

Austin.—Governor Hobby sent a special message to the legislature transmitting statements from the state treasurer and the comptroller showing the financial condition of the various state funds. According to State Treasurer Edwards' figures the net deficit in the general reserve fund on Aug. 31, 1918, the end of the fiscal year, will be approximately \$315,000. In reaching this conclusion e advises that it will be necessary he advises that it will be necessary to refund about \$600,0000 on liquor licenses in counties and cities which have gone dry and to saloons which will be closed by the new zone law.

Rangers Kill Five of Robber Gang. Corpus Christi.—Five of 30 Mexi-can bandits who raided the Tom East ranch, south of Hebbronville, were killed by posses headed by Texas Rangers, and 13 others of the band were located and "accounted for," according to a message received here from Hebbronville. None of the possemen were injured. semen were injured.

Approve Reserve Bank for El Paso.

Dallas-Judge W. F. Ramsey, chair-nan of the board of directors of the Federal Reserve bank of Dallas, re Harding, approving the plan submitted by the Dallas board for the establishment of

Petrograd.—Leon Trotzky in an ad-dress at a meeting of the Maximalist party announced that he had resigned as minister for foreign affairs. His duties now will fall upon his deputy, M. Tchitcherita, A decree deputy, M. Tchitcherita, A decree the evacuation of the state institu-tions at Petrograd. The People's commissioners are leaving for Moscow, which is to be the new Russian

13 Killed and 50 Hurt in Paris Raid Paris -- it is reported officially that 13 persons were killed and 50 ved in Friday night's air raid. or 12 squadrons of bombing airplanes participated in the raid, according to official information. One of the raiding machines was destroyed. An of-ficial statement says that an airplane of the Gotha type was found in the forest of Complegne, where it had fallen while returning from the raid. The machine had been demolished and its crew of four burned to death.

Texas News

Houston will entertain the state

Elks' convention on May 20-23.

West and Northwest Texas have had good rains of late, which will help the wheat yield.

The annual convention of the Texas

Cotton Association is in session at Gal-zeston this week.

The monthly meeting of the rate lerks of Texas railroads was held in Galveston last week.

The South Texas Teachers' Associa tion will hold their convention in Go liad on March 29 and 30.

The thirty-second annual convention of the Lumbermen's Association of Texas will be held at Dallas April 9. Much interest is manifested in canning club work by the girls' clubs of

Bastrop county, as many are planting large plats to tomatoes. The tax rate for the city of Luling for the year 1918 has been fixed at \$1.10 on the \$100 property valuation. a reduction of 10c over the previous

During the past month twenty new dipping vats for the eradication of the tick have been built in Harris county, and with the ninety-three previously built Harris county now has 113 vats.

Farmers of Coleman county are busy

planting large acreages to oats and heavy feed crops. Many landlords re-quire their tenants to plant 50 per cent of their acreage to maize and other

Beeville business men have agreed as a help-win-the-war measure to close their places at 6 o'clock every afternoon, Saturdays excepted, that employes and employers may cultivate war gardens,

The city council of Temple has mo The city council of rempie has mos-ified the city ordinance relating to the raising of pigs within the corporate limits and adopted restrictions under which a limited number may be kept on private premises.

During the month of February the local creamery at Falfurrias, Texas, purchased 25,730 pounds of butter fat from darymen, paying them 62c per pound. The total amount received by dairymen was \$15,952.60.

Engineers of the state highway department are making an inspection of three proposed routes between Cuero and Gonzales, and will decide which shall be designated as a portion of the "middlebuster" state highway. 'The Orange County Irrigation Canal

Company pumping station No. 2, near Orange, destroyed by fire a few months ago, is being rebuilt to be used months ago, is being rebuilt to be used for the new rice crop. Two gasoline engines of 125 horse power each and one 75-horse power steam engine are used in this large plant, which is housed in an ironclad building.

County Demonstrator C. W. Lehm-

berg has received the two carloads of government seed which were ordered by the farmers of Wilson county and on one day last week vehicles of all on one day last week vehicles of all kinds from all parts of the county were lined up at the depot where the distribution was made. The total order amounted to nearly \$12,000 worth of various kinds of seed.

At a meeting called by the wheat

flour millers, jobbers and bakers by the federal food administrator or Thursday at Houston, Texas, it de veloped that the shortage of flour in certain sections of Texas had been caused by the large number of troops of the United States army and their relatives—an estimate of which being 500,000, all taken care of under the allowance of flour apportioned these sections of Texas.

The attorney general's department has approved the following bond issues: Collin county common school district No. 50, \$3,000, twenties, 5 per Collin county common set district No. 69, \$2,000, twenties, 5 per

Beginning March 25 and continuing through March 30, the boys and girls of Harris county will make an agricul-tural survey of the county for the de-partment of labor statistics of the state. The children will be supplied with blanks and each child will be given a certain number of farms to visit. The work will be supervised by the teachers in their respective locali-

As a result of a conference of representatives of the war department, the Texas social hygiene association and members of both houses of the legislature held in the senate chamber Saturday at Austin, legislation will be recommended during the special session to add in batterian personal health. sion to aid in bettering personal health conditions, especially with reference to the communities where army camps and posts are located.

Peanuts bid fair to rival cotton as a cash crop to the South and last seas the market for them was as ready and more stable than the cotton market. more stable than the cotton market While cotton is a dry-weather crop the goober has it beaten as a drouth resister, and in East Texas last season with sandy soils can make no mistake in planting peanuts and they may be planted so late in that section as to follow other early maturing crops,

ENORMOUS WASTE IN WINTER

Minnesota Dairy Expert Makes Start-ling Statement as to Amount of Milk That Is Wasted.

Three and one-half billion pounds of milk are practically wasted in the dairy states every winter. This makes 21,000,000 pounds every day. The foregoing is a startling statement, but R. M. Washburn of the division of dairy husbandry, Minnesota College of Agriculture, says it is true. The farmer feeds most of his skim milk to hogs. This milk, fed to hogs, produces only 20 per cent of its energy value in edible pork. Eighty per cent of its energy value is lost. Mr. Washburn says, though, that some milk is necessary to start pigs off strongly.

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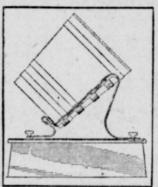
Much more of the energy value of the skim milk will be saved if it is made into cottage cheese. Every 100 pounds of skim milk, says Mr. Washburn, is equivalent to 20 pounds of ordinary ment, and will make 15 pounds of cottage cheese. The cheese contains about one-third more protein and one-third less energy than meat, and is therefore essentially equivalent. and is therefore essentially equivalent

DEVICE ON BUTTER SCALES

Resilient Support Absorbs Most of Shock When Tub Is Thrown Has-tily on Platform.

The Scientific American in illustrat-Ing and describing an attachment for scales, invented by F. D. Shea, 164 Chambers street New York, says:

This device is adapted particularly for the weighing of butter. It consists of a resilient support secured to the platform of the scales, which will absorb most of the shock when a tub of butter is thrown hastily thereon,



thus relieving the scales of jar and making it possible to ascertain the weight of a tub of butter more quickly.

OPEN SHED IS SATISFACTORY

Experiments Conducted by Depart ment of Agriculture on Government Farm at Beltsville.

(Prepared by the United States Depart-ment of Agriculture.)

In experiments at Beltsville, Md., by

In experiments at Beltsville, Md., by the bureau of animal industry, United States department of agriculture, a warm barn, commonly deemed essen-tial for large milk production during the winter months, proved to be some-what less satisfactory than an open shed. Experiments extending over three years showed that cows housed in the open shed consumed a little in the open shed consumed a little more feed, required more bedding and slightly increased labor cost, but be-cause more milk was produced and on account of the lower cost of housing, the open shed was found to be some-what more economical.

BEST GRASSES FOR PASTURE

When Sowing Make Up Mixture So That Some of Plants Will Be Growing at All Times.

It is possible for pasture to be scant that the cow uses up all her energy in securing enough nutrients from it to maintain her body. When sowing for pasture make up a mixture of grasses such that some one of the grasses will be green and palata-ble at all times of the growing sea-

REAL SUCCESS IN DAIRYING

End Can Be Brought About By Partnership Between Good Co Intelligent Feeder.

Real success in dairying comes from a partnership between the good cow and the good feeder. Many a good cow fails because never given a chance to prove her ability. If one would be a successful dairyman he must study the business, learn how to know cows and how to feed them.

Building Up Dairy Herd.

A good dairy herd is built up only after years of constructive breeding and selection. To sell these herds for beef would be to undo much of the effective work which has been done.

Keep All Milk Cows.

Don't dry up the milk cows. They are going to be searce and high priced next year.



PLANS TO DESTROY INSECTS

Paper Bags May Be Made Use of to Protect Choice Fruits From Rav-ages of Little Pests.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Choice fruits, especially grapes, may often be protected from insect pests by the use of paper bags placed around the bunches and securely fastened by twine to the supporting shoot or cane. This method is suitable for small vine-yards and arbors in reducing injury from the grape-berry moth, the rose chafer, and the green June beetle, but it is too expensive for use on a commercial scale. Bags may be put in place as soon as the blossoms have fallen.

tent caferpillar, fall webworm, and others, can be destroyed in their nests by means of a torch. A handful of

Picking Grapes in Michigan.

rags fastened to a pole and soaked in

kerosene will serve for this purpose. The nests should be burned early in the morning while the caterpillars are

at rest within, care being taken not to injure the larger limbs and branches. Egg masses of the gypsy moth and of

other insects, deposited on stone walls and similar situations, can be de-stroyed by burning with suitable blast or other torches. Cranberry bogs are

stroy certain insects, such as the cran-berry girdler. This is usually done by specially constructed torches. Leaves

berry girdler. This is usually specially constructed torches. Leaves and trash in orchards, which frequents the special pages, should be

ly harbor injurious insects, should be well plowed under to add to the humus

in the soil, or raked up and burned dur-

ing the fall, winter or early spring.

It is a well-known fact that certain

insects are attracted at night to lights, and in an effort to take advantage of this habit insect light traps have been

recommended at various times for the capture of injurious species. Some of

the traps developed are very simple and others are more elaborate patented

contrivances. The small forms con-sist of an ordinary lantern placed over a basin containing water which is covered by a thin film of kerosene or

about the light fall into the oil and

are destroyed.

Careful experiments with light traps
in orchards have demonstrated fully
that these have only slight, if any,
value in orchard-insect control. The

value in orchard-insect control. The light traps capture some injurious forms, but at the same time destroy a good many beneficial parasitic and predacious species. Many orchardists have been induced to purchase light traps which were guaranteed to capture the codling moth. This insect, however, is very little, if at all, attracted to light traps, and these are therefore useless in its control.

LOW-HEADED TREES FAVORED

Care Should Be Taken in Forming Head to Have Branches Disposed

of Along Body. (From the United States Department of

Modern orchardists have come to look upon the low-headed tree as more desirable than those headed high. A

desirable than those headed high. A head which is 2½ to 3 feet from the

ground is at present considered more desirable than one which is 6 feet or

desirable than one which is 6 feet or more from the ground. The latter height was formerly frequently used. In forming the head care should be taken to have the framework branches disposed at different heights along the body of the tree—say from 3 to 6 inches apart, and distributed as evenly as possible around the body as a central axis; that is, when viewed from above the picture presented would be that of a wheel, the hub being the central axis of the tree and the framework branches representing the spokes.

The insects in fluttering

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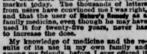
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SUNDAY SCHOOL

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LESSON FOR MARCH 17

JESUS SENDING FORTH THE TWELVE.

(May be used with missionary appli-

cation.)
LESSON TEXT-Mark 6:1-21.
GOLDEN TEXT-Freely ye have received, freely give.-Matt. 10:8.
ADDITIONAL MATERIAL FOR
TEACHERS-Remans 10:13-15: 1sa. 40:3-5;
Matt. 23:16-29; Acts 1:6-8; 2:1-4: 16:3-16.
PRIMARY TOPIC-Jesus feeding the
hungry. hungry.

MEMORY VERSE—Give ye them to eat.

Mark 6:37.

Mark 6:37.

JUNIOR MEMORY VERSE—Isa. 52:7.

INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—Messengers
of Christ.

JUNIOR AND ADULT TOPIC—The
power of the Gospel of Christ.

The time of this lesson was autumn,

D. 28; the location Galilee.

I. Marvelous Unbelief. (vv. 1:1-6a). Jesus is rejected the second time at Jesus is rejected the second time at Nazareth. He entered into the synagory on the Sabbath, as was his custom, and the people were astonished at his doctrine. His application of the scripture was similar to that of nis first rejection. The significance of this visit is found in verses 5 and 6 the highlighting of the mighty Christ -the limitation of the mighty Christ through unbelief by those who knew

II. The Mission of the Twelve. (vv. 6a-16). From the parallel account we find why Jesus sent forth these disciples (Matt. 9:36)—because the peoples (Matt. 9:35)—because the peo-ple were scattered as sheep without a shepherd. In the tenth chapter of Matthew we find the names of those whom he sent out (vv. 2-5)), the fifth verse of which designates that only Jews were included in this mission. We need to remember that these dis-ciples were sent out before his cruciciples were sent out before his cruci-fixion. Their pilgrim character is shown in Mark 6:9, and the solemn manner of their dealing with those shown in Mark 6:9, and the solemn manner of their dealing with those who reject them is indicated in verse eleven. They were being sent forth as sheep in the midst of wolves. They were to be delivered up to the council and haled before the rulers of the synagogues, but with them was to go an enabling power (Matt. 10:20). Meeting persecution was to be a part of their program. They anticipate the persecution with which Christ is identified, for he exhorts them (Matt. 10:28-31), to be of courage and to fear not, for are they not "of more value than the sparrows?" Their going forth was to bring divisions (Matt. 10:48-42). Notice their obedience (Mark 6:12-13), and their achievements as the visible evidence of the power they had received. III. Malignant Hate. (vv. 14-29). Mark gives us the most complete account of the death of John the Bantist.

Mark gives us the most complete account of the death of John the Baptist. It is not a lesson that we need to emphasize to the scholars of the younger grades, but it has a deep significance to those of the more advanced departments of the Sunday school; and if we are going to get the scope of the we are going to get the scope of the whole Epistle of Mark, it must be con-sidered. Herod thought he had tri-umphed, but he was defeated. Thus it umphed, but he was defeated. Thus it is with the sinner always—he overshoots the mark. Germany's hatred of
England stands in the way of its complete domination of Europe, and it
was Germany's pride which caused it
to make those military blunders which
prevented it from capturing Paris. So
it is with Satan and the sinner; just prevented it from capturing Paris. So it is with Satan and the sinner; just when the victory seems to be complete God Intervenes, "They that be for us are more than they that are against us." The counteracting power of God offsets the devil's hatred so that we are made "more than conquerors through him that loved us."

It was because Jesus sent forth these disciples that they were called apostles, literally "sent ones." They had been called unto him (Mark 6:7), then sent forth, not singly, but by twos, so today the Ionely servant has with him the Holy Spirit. Our mes-sage is "peace," but we must have peace ourselves if we are to impart it

the amount of light one sins against, the heaviest punishment must rest upon those in America and England who know the gospel but reject it. It is evident that the disciples received great power (vv. 12, 13) as suggested by their return (v. 30). They acted wisely in telling Jesus "all things," both what they had done and taught. Although sent forth, they were not to spend time in visiting and entertaining, nor in seeking the hospitality of the rich. They were to be wholly dependent upon God, taking nothing with them in their journeyings, but staff and sandals, betokening their pilgrim character. The gospel of Mark gives us the picture of the ideal Mark gives us the picture of the ideal

There are more temptations to break the commandments than there are en-couragements to keep them. Resolve to help break the temptations and to help make the encouragements.

In material things it's not what we want but what we get that counts. In spiritor, it's not what we claim but what we've got.

Faith is the practical exercise of the spiritual eyes. Spirit is the only true substance. The spiritual body is the real man.—Henry Wood.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

has been a household remedy all over the civilized world for more than half a century for constipation, intestinal troubles, torpid liver and the generally troubles, torpid liver and the generally depressed feeling that accompanies such disorders. It is a most valuable remedy for indigestion or nervous dyspepsia and liver trouble, bringing on headache, coming up of food, palpitation of heart and many other symptoms. A few doses of August Flower will immediately relifey you. It is a gentle laxative. Ask your druggist. Sold in all civilized countries.—Adv.

Old-Time Girl and New.

The girl of the old time would say,
"I have nothing to wear," and then
rig out in chemises, pantalets, three

however. The judge then proceeded to give him twenty years."—Louisville Courier-Journal,

Spring Run of Distemper MAY HE WHOLLY AVOIDED BY USI
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preventive if you use it as per directions. S
and sure. The II size is twice the quantity an
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for late spring and summer. All druggists, ha

nake them sick.

or dealer sells you a son's Liver Tone for a your druggist about me.—Adv.

Modest.

The blushing bride was very newly wed and very shy, and very modest. However, it was essential to get some-However, it was essential to get something for dinner, and she braced her-self up to the extent of invading the local butcher's shop for the first time.

"What would you like, madam?" in-quired the obliging tradesman.

Ah! Here came the difficulty. She knew, but how could she say?
"I think," she faltered at last, "you

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will cure catarrh. It is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Muccus Surfaces of System. Else of the constitution of the System of the constitution of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Druggiets 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

In your flat?"
"The solar system just at present."

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 4 oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for mak-ing and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. R will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy, It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

In the year 1917 the United States our chased pineapples worth \$3,372 in he Isle of Pines.

IEADACHES

This distressing Allment should be elieved at once and save strain on Nervous System. CAPUDINE gives quick relief. It's a liquid-Pleasant to take -Adv.

Some men never do things by halves. They go out to have a tooth filled and ome back full all over.

or, B. F. Jackson, Celebrated Physician, anded down to posterity his famous rescription for female troubles. Now old under the name of "Femenina." rice 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

About 90 per cent of the German asons and helpers are in military

Place to Get It.

chan nasty calomel; it you sick and you can eat you want without being sali-Your druggist guarantees that

spoonful will start your liver, an your bowels and straighten you

up by morning or you get your money back. Children gladly take Dodson's Liver Tone because it is pleasant tast-

ing and doesn't gripe or cramp or

I am selling millions of bottles of Dodson's Liver Tone to people who have found that this pleasant, vege-

"Then, why not join the aviation

******************* Girls! Use Lemons! Make a Bleaching, **Beautifying Cream**

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quarter pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordi-nary cold creams. Care should be taknary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, weathers and beautifier.

smoothener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fra-grant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It naturally should help to soften, fresh-en, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is simply marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands Adv.

Physical impossibility.
"You can't hang up your hat in this house, young man."
"I know I can't sir; you're sitting

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infasts and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Cathellitations.
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoris.

If wives would continue to be sweet-hearts lots of husbands would cease to pay their club dues.

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if each of our 22,000,000 families use this recipe instead of white bread.

One loaf saves 11,000,000 pounds; three loaves a week for a year means 1,716,000,000 pounds saved!

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New Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many of recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods, mailed free. DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER 1013 Independence Be

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Life Was a Misery

Palmer, Okla., writes: "From the time I entered into womanhood . . . I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I adually got worse. . . othing seemed to help until, one day, . .

TAKE

The Woman's Tonic

"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can thfully say that I have

not a pain. . . "It has now been two years since I took Cardui, and I am still in good health. . . I would advise any woman or girl to use Cardui who is a sufferer from any female

If you suffer pain caused from womanly trouble, or if you feel the need of a good strengthening tonic to build up yourrun-down system, take the advice of Mrs. Jones. Try Car-dul. It helped her. We believe it will help you.

All Druggists

For a Bad Cold.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE

The State of Tex County of Callahan.

Notice is hereby given that as election will be bein on the 30th or harch, 1918, at the School House, in Common School Dist. No. 49 (Opin) of this county as established by county, of date the 15th day of May 1906, which is of record in Book (pages 222 and 224, of the Minutes said court, said district boundar, established by the County Board of Trustees of said county of date the 6th day of March, 1918, which is of record in book designated "Records of School Districts," page 9 to de termine whether a majority of the tegally qualified property taxpaying voters of that district desire the issunne of bonds on the faith and credit of said Common School district in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00,) the bonds to be of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) each, nur bered consecutively from one to twenty, both inclusive, payable twen ty years from their date, and bear ng five (5) per cent interest per cum, payable annually on April of each year to provide funds to expended in payment of accounts ally contracted in constructing and quipping a public free school build ing of brick or wood material, and purchasing a site therefor, within said district, and to determine wheth er the Commissioners' Court of this county shall be authorized to levy assess and collect annually while said bonds, or any of them are outstand ing a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current intesest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient

to pay the principal at maturity All persons who are legally quali fied voters of this State and county and who are resident property tax payers in said district shall be en titled to vote at said election.

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this county by or-der made on the 7th day of March, 1918, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated the 7th day of March, 1918 J. A. Moore, Sheriff, Callahan County, Texas.

Bad Taste In Your Mouth.

When you have a bad taste in your mouth you may know that your di-gestion is faulty. A dose of Cham berlain's Tablets will usually correct the disorder. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels. You Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has stood the test of time
end can be depended upon. For sale
by all Druggists.

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Draggists.

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NOTICE.

No. 491. Guardianship of Raynond Sprawls, et al, Minors.

Sarah C. Sprawle, Guardian. In the County Court of Callaban county, Texas, March Term, 1918. To all persons interested in the

Estate of Raymond Sprawls and Ruth Sprawls, Minors, Notice is hereby given that an ap plication has been made to the County Court of Callahan County, Texas by Sarah C. Sprawls, Guardian of

the estate of said minors, praying for an order authorizing her as such guardian, to execute an oil lease of the interest of said minors in the real estate owned by them jointly with their mother, Sarah C. Sprawls, which application will be heard before the Hon. W. R. Ely, Judge of said Court at the Court House at Baird, Texas, on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1918, at which time all persons interested in the estate of said minors may appear and con test the same if they so desire.

Witness my hand ibis the 11th day of March, A. D. 1918.

Lt. Sarab C. Sprawls, Guardian

mitted to headquarters, and to perform any other duties, concerning this subject matter, as maybe required of them

F. S. Bell, Co. Food Adm.

ADMIRAL NEWS.

Mar. 4th. - We are still having me windy weather, but no rain yet. The sipging at Admiral Sunday afternoon and night was well attended and enjoyed by all present.

Miss Winnie Davis closed her school at Admiral, Friday and will return to her home at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Martin of Tulia, Texas have moved back to Admiral, and we are glad to have ur old friends with us again.

Mrs. W. W. Cox and Mrs. Maggie Shelton left Friday for Fort Worth to visit their son and brother who is stationed at Camp Bowie.

Miss Linnie Cox of Turkey Creek is the guest of Misses Lola and Velma Shelton at Admiral this week.

Misses Linnie Cox and Lola Shelon were shopping in Baird Saturday Miss Velma Shelton spent Tues.

day night with Mrs. Mary Higgins. Ernest Higgins was a Putnam visitor Tuesday.

Quite a number of young people rom Admial attended the Literary at Rowden Saturday night

"Sunshine."

I have the agency for a splendid line of Monuments. If you are expecting to purchase anything in this line it will pay you to see my de-W. Y. SWITZER,

Baird Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas:

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County-Greeting:

You Are Hereby Commanded, That you summon, by making Pub-lication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Callahan if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then meany newspaper published in the 42nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the mearest district to said 42nd Judicial district, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, J. C. Wood whose residence s unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Callahan at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1918 then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 27th day of February A. D. 1918, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1599, wherein Lizzie Wood, Plaintiff and J. C. Wood, Defendant The nature of the plainoffs demand being as follows, to-wit: onafide inhabitant of the State of Texas for a period of 12 months, and has resided in said County of Calla-han where this suit is filed for a eriod of six months next preceed. ng the filing hereof, having become

in Callahan county, Texas,

guilty of no act which/ would cause to contribute to or support them for

Gowen: Cottonwood, Milton Houston property, and has continuously since Admiral, R. J. Harris; Atwell, C said 28th day of April, 1914, re-

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marriage, eight children, five of whom are minors, whose names and said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this, the 27th day of Fgby. A. D. o inhabitant of said . State and Gladys Wood, a girl 16 years of age; 1918 County about 5 years ago.

Second. That on or about Jan.

11th, 1892 plaintiff was duly and legally married to the defendant in the County of Trayis, in the State of Texas, and continued to live with the defendant as his wife until the 28th day of April 1914, at which the defendant, without cause or provocation left plaintiff near Ciyde, in Callahan county, Texas.

Giaays Wood, a girl 16 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Paulte Wood, a boy 7 years of age; Paulte Wood, a boy 7 years of age; Paulte Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 19 years of age; Milton E. Wood, a boy 10 years of age; Milton E. Wood as see has done in the past five years.

That at all times while That defendant is not able to bring matried to the defendant plaintiff up or educate said children properly has conducted herself with propriety for the reason that he was abandoned doing her duty as a wife; has at all plaintiff and his said children, and times treated defendant with kind has continuously remained away ness and forbearance, and has been from them and failed and refused

that the defendant be cited to answer

information needed, and if I am Fifth That during the marriage Writ, with your endorsement-there not informed the same shall be sub- of plaintiff and defendant, they have on, showing how you have executed

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A. R. Day, Clerk Dist, Court, Callaban County, Texas,

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I have opened a first class Bakery in connection with my Cafe and now have bread for sale at all grocers. Try one of my "Mothers of Cream" loaves and if you are not already a customer you will be for this bread is free from all adulterations aud is absolutely pure and wholesome. Phone your grocer or get it at the T. P. Cafe and be convinced

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I have a full line of Spring Hats for Ladies, Misses and Children in the very latest styles which have just arrived. Be sure to see my line before buying your Easter Hats. I also make and trim hats to order

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HOLMES DRUG CO.

Baird, Texas, March 11th—As chairman of the county food administration of the past five years: that plaintiff is and will be prudent toward said children, but defendant would not, and that it would be right and promitted for the past five years: that plaintiff is and will be prudent toward said children, but defendant would not, and that it would be right and promiting at the past five years: that plaintiff is and will be prudent toward said children, but defendant would not, and that it would be right and promiting, abandoned the plaintiff and left for with a large family of children in a helpless and desutute condition without means of support, on rented property, and has continuously since Gowen: Cottonwood, Milton Houston Admiral, R. J. Harris; Atwell, C. W. Bradley; Putnam, F. P. Shackelford and their duties are to advance and encourage the conservation of food, the enforcement of all laws and resolutions relative thereto, to report any violation thereof, to me, who in turn will report same to head quarters, to distribute to other members any papers sent by headquarters or by me, to request of me any information needed, and if I am