

Economy makes happy homes and sound nations. Instill it deep.—George Washington.

# THE SAN SABA STAR

A great deal of talent is lost in this world for want of courage.—Sidney Smith.

W. D. COWAN, Proprietor

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### MEMORIAL SERVICE

The memorial service at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning in memory of the late Lieutenant Wiley Murray, who died of wounds, in France on November 21st 1918, was attended by a large concourse of friends of the deceased.

The Guard of Honor, composed of Lieut. R. W. Kuykendall, Lieut. W. L. McConnell, Sgt. T. E. Gaines, Lieut. R. S. Miller and Lieut. G. W. Horton, preceded the ministers and orator of the occasion. Invocation was offered by the pastor, Rev. Greer, Mr. J. H. Baker delivered an appropriate address. Rev. Lawless of the Methodist church read the scripture lesson. The memorial service was delivered by the pastor, Rev. Greer. Mrs. J. H. Baker sang a solo, which touched every heart. The song service was conducted by a quartette, composed of Mrs. J. H. Baker, Miss Sarah Ramsauer, Rev. B. D. D. Greer and W. N. Ellis. Mrs. Greer presided at the piano. The church was appropriately decorated with a Service Flag which contains six stars—1 gold and 5 blue stars, the national colors, flowers and evergreens.

### OIL NEWS.

From the following items it will be seen that activities in the oil game is picking up in Lampasas County. Oil prospects have had a severe case of "cold feet" administered to development in this County by some one, but the land owners are still "firmly grounded in their faith" that there is oil here, and instead of looking for oil, they are seeking which chip the bug is under. If the land owners of this County want deep well development the only way to get it is to pool their holdings in sufficient acreage that will induce reliable companies to drill. Where lands are checker-boarded, the leases are generally in the hands of speculators, who never intend to drill, but traffic in leases.

Chas H. White has sold the lease on the S. J. Smith ranch to eastern capitalists at a consideration of \$140,000.00.

Messrs. Key and Harris of Wichita Falls are building a seventy-four foot derrick on the S. A. Baxter farm three miles east of Bend in Lampasas County. They are to go 2,000 to 2,500 feet with a standard string of tools.

Judge Ed Sewell of Dallas, is building a 112 foot derrick on the J. C. Brazil ranch on the San Saba side of the Colorado river just opposite the town of Bend. The Judge expects to operate both rotary and a standard string in the test. The tools are expected to reach here this week. He will drill two or more holes and expects to go 2,500 or more feet.

### BACK TO FARM, SAYS U.S.; NOTHING DOING, ANSWERS SOLDIERS

"Back to the farm" is what Uncle Sam tells his soldiers. The Government is now making efforts to place as many discharged men on the farm as possible.

W. H. Robb of the U. S. Employment Bureau and E. A. Turner of the Camp Bowie Employment Bureau, are trying to get all who came from the farm to go back there and are trying to get others to go on farms too. But the men don't want to go back to the farm. Out of one company composed entirely of Michigan men who had been farmers, E. A. Turner states that not one wanted to go on the farm. They all wanted to be mechanics or enter stores.—Star Telegram.

They might permit German delegates to sit at the peace table, but you can bet that openers will not be dealt to a mother's son of them.—Temple Mirror.

## WE WILL WELCOME THEM HOME.

Genie Griffin DeWolfe

We are glad the war is ended and our boys are coming HOME To enjoy what they defended; and we hope they will not roam. Where Death's greatest forces battled they have filled a soldier's place.

There the shell and shrapnel rattled, poison gases rolled apace.

Where were Prussian war-lords preening for old Bill's autocracy There they learned the truest meaning of the word DEMOCRACY Having learned a lofty lesson of the "Brotherhood of Man," As civilians they will press on till the world is but one clan!

They have broadened out their vision to encompass, Life and Death.

They have learned to make decision of great moment in a breath! They have shorn Life of its trifles and revealed its basic laws; Pierced its shams while firing rifles at close range with Death's red jaws.

Many of them met Death bravely, so our heads we sadly bow, Paying them a tribute, gravely, wondering where thy died and how,

But we know they died not vainly, and their death will live to show

That 'tis not the dying, mainly, but the thing for which they go!

Welcome from the fields of Flanders! Welcome from the training camps.

From where Industry ne'er panders to the day, but lights its lamps.

We will welcome, Welcome, WELCOME, with an ardor unexcelled You who will from Europe's hell come, where Hun carnage has been held.

WELCOME HOME. We'll gladly aid you back into a peaceful life Love, not pity, will be paid you. Turn your sword to pruning knife!

Coming, not to pose as heroes, coming back as man to man; Coming not to act as zeroes, but as leaders in the plan.

Reconstruction we are facing for old things have passed away And the new-born world needs bracing with your youth, fresh from the fray!

Then will Peace and Plenty follow for earth's peoples as a whole Victory's a mock'ry, hollow, if we lose our Nation's soul.

WELCOME, from your wives and mothers and your sisters, sweethearts true,

WELCOME BACK, comes from your fathers and your friends and brothers, too.

Words of WELCOME from each Nation, if in one joy-phrase were pressed

Then in paean proclamation could our WELCOME be expressed!!

### The Snow, The Beautiful—Biff!

We started to write a "pome" on the beautiful snow, but Dick Sullivan came in as we began to get chummy with the muses and laid us out with a solar plexus blow. He said that any one who even thought of writing poetry on such weather ought to be in the bug-house, that such weather, was not only bad on old poverty-stricken cows, but it messed up the roads so a fellow couldn't go where his heart yearns to go. Up to the time of going to press we have had 36 hours of snow, and it looks as if it might continue falling until spring. There has been at least 5 or 6 inches of snow. The rain which preceded it ad the high temperature has caused most of it to melt, though enough remains on the ground for youngsters and sportive inclined old people to snow-ball to their hearts content. When a fellow sticks his head out of the door he is bombarded by a machine gun fire of snow balls.

### HOW LIVING INCREASED

New York, Jan. 11.—The cost of living in New York state has increased 62 per cent since 1914, according to figures made public last night by the consumers' league of New York. The figures taken from records of actual living expenses of 1,760 women, showed an average weekly budget of \$14.62, including room, and board, \$6.67; clothes, \$4.60; carfare, medical care and incidentals, \$3.35. The average weekly budget for a working woman in 1914 was \$9. Women's clothing has increased 112 per cent; food, 65 per cent; fuel and light, 25 per cent, and incidentals 62 per cent.

Attorney General, T. W. Gregory has tendered his resignation to the President to take effect March 4th.

### BEN LEWELLEN

The death of Ben Lewellen aged 26 years, a former resident of Temple occurred Friday at Denton from influenza-pneumonia. He was a son of W. T. S. Lewellen, one of the oldest and best known residents of Temple and lived here from his infancy until the days of manhood, departing two years ago for Denton, where he was superintendent of the Gulf Refining Company's station.

He is survived by his wife and parents, also by five brothers, viz: Tim of Brownwood, Andrew, Less, Sam and Fred of Temple, and two sisters, Misses Jessie and Maggie of Temple.

The body was brought here for interment arriving Saturday on the M. K. & T. Ry, and funeral services were conducted upon arrival of the train, Rev. B. A. Hodges officiating.—Temple Mirror.

Mr. Lewellen was well known here. He married Miss Tollie Chamberlain of this place several years ago.

### SUTTON COUNTY DRY.

San Angelo, Jan. 11.—Sutton County went into the dry column today in a local option election. Final returns for five boxes gave the pros 114 and antis 35. Sopora went dry four to one. This is the prohibitionists' first victory in that County.

### Preaching at Sloan

Sunday at 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. Sunday school at 10 a.m.

"Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it holy." Let's meet in God's House to worship Him. Come and invite your friends to come with you.

B. D. D. Greer, Pastor.

Judge C. M. Ellis of Crockett, Joe H. Foster of Hereford, Fitzhugh Girvin and Chas. P. Brady of Georgetown were here this week looking over conditions.

### MEETING OF FAIR

#### STOCKHOLDERS

The regular annual meeting of the San Saba County Fair Association was held in the County Court room last Tuesday evening. The following directors were elected to serve during 1919. T. A. Murray, Jno. Seiders, T. C. Henry, A. Woods, W. A. Smith, W. V. Dean, E. E. Fagg, A. V. Riley, R. W. Bursleson, J. F. Campbell and J. T. McConnell.

The directorate was organized by the election of the following:—

R. W. Bursleson, President; John F. Campbell, Vice-president; Jno. Seiders, Secretary; T. A. Murray, Treasurer; G. A. Walters, Attorney. The directors set August 12, 13, 14 and 15 for the annual Fair and Encampment.

Prospects for an enlarged exhibit this year are good. The Fair was called off last year, but we're going to have a double-header this year.

### SOLDEIRS NOTICE

The Star intends in a few weeks to publish a complete roster of all the soldiers of San Saba County. The Local Exemption Board has a list of those coming under the draft and we will appreciate the kindness if all of our readers who had relatives who volunteered will send in their names. This is the only way we have of securing a complete list of the volunteers.

If Germany is to pay our damages in limburger cheese, then we are in favor of showing as much mercy as possible.—Temple Mirror.

### RANGERS INDICTED

#### FOR RANGER KILLING

Eastland, Jan. 10.—John Bloxom and Berry Nalls, Texas Rangers stationed at Ranger, were indicted by the Eastland County Grand Jury on a charge of murder growing out of the killing of E. W. Richburg, a Ranger merchant, in the town of Ranger, December 19.

By agreement Bloxom's case was transferred to Taylor County for trial and set down for Feb. 17. A special venire of sixty men has been ordered summoned.

Nalls will be tried here Jan. 23 a special venire of 100 men having been ordered summoned by District Judge Joe Burkett.

Both Bloxom and Nalls were placed under bond in the sum of \$10,000 each, which they readily gave.

### TEACHERS EXAMINATION

There will be held on Friday and Saturday January 24th and 25th a Special Teachers' Examination for State Teachers Certificates of second and first grades.

Applicants should notify me as soon as possible, and report at the County Superintendents Office by 8:30 Friday morning.

Board of Examiners; Mrs. J. M. Baker, J. W. Ross.

Respectfully,  
W. N. Ellis, County Supt.

Hon. T. J. Beasley of Mercury passed through the city last Saturday on his way to Austin to be present at the opening of the legislature, on Tuesday. While here he gave the Star office a fraternal call.

### PLENTY TICKS—NO MONEY

The tick question has our Commissioners Court figuring and scratching their heads. They are uncomfortable, not that they are "ticky," but there is not a financier or mathematician on the Court who can figure out how this county is going to build \$20,000 worth of dipping vats, with not a cent to commence operations. The Court has deferred the matter until next week and in the meantime Judge Dean is going to Austin where a state meeting of County Judges will be held who are in the same financial condition this County is. Compulsory dipping will commence the 1st of March and to say the least, there is going to be some financing and headwork done to solve this knotty problem.

An investigation of the Y. M. C. A. war activities is now under way as the complaints of soldiers are being made with the end of the war. People thought in contributing to the "Y" War Work that they were donating comforts for the soldier boys but it turns out that there were lots of high salaried guys to eat up the money and only the Salvation Army, Red Cross and K. C., provided the fighters with free sandwiches, hot chocolate, cigarettes, doughnuts and such luxuries.—Temple Mirror.

If George Waverley Briggs has the proper fraternal feeling, he will fix it so a newspaper man can over-draw at a bank at least to the amount due by his delinquent subscribers.—Temple Mirror.

## M'CALL'S PATTERNS

### New White Goods

JUST ARRIVED

NAINSOOK, LONG CLOTH, MERCERIZED BATISTE, PAJAMA CHECKS, PIQUE SKIRTINGS, FLAXONS, ORGANDY.

Now is your chance to get your choice before the pattern you want is gone.

Our stock of white goods will be bigger than ever this season. Every piece is the famous Bridal Line. This brand is your PROTECTION.

# A. R. Mosley

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GOSSARD CORSETS  
EIFFEL HOSIERY.

WICKERT SHOES

## THE SAN SABA STAR

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### Subscription Rates

One Year ..... \$1.00  
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## The Velvet Hammer.

And we will beat our swords in plowshares, and our corkscrews into hat pins and our beer openers into button hooks.

The legislature met in Austin last Tuesday with so much harmony prevailing that it was a veritable love feast. May the Lord watch over and protect the taxpayers of Texas.

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram's increase in circulation the past six years has been 270 per cent. There is a reason as the breakfast food man would say: When all the other dailies in the state cut off the country weekly exchanges, the Star-Telegram continued sending their "Country Cousins" the S-T.

The Wielder of the Hammer predicts that the legislature will pass the resolution submitting state-wide prohibition, and he also predicts it will carry by almost as big a majority as Hobby got in the "Lady Primary" last summer. He will give the reason for the faith that is in him, in some future issue. So mote it be.

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram says the party in power in Petrograd intends to compel all women from 18 to 40 years old to marry, and sagely remarks that it is good for the "old maids, but tough on the chickens." Instead of shooting democracy into that conglomerate of humanity, a code of morals is what they need.

The big dailies have been spending a good deal of time for the last week telling us all about the \$75,000.00 sable coat a northern steel magnate bought for his wife. If the Hammer man's business had been as flourishing during the war as the steel magnates he would have bought his old lady a coat that would have made the steel magnate's coat look "cheap" and would throw in an aviation cap and muff for good measure.

Henry M. Hyde, one of the star European correspondents for the big dailies in this country says: "Whatever our motive in entering the war, European opinion, though too polite to say so publicly, declares it was to save our own skins." A poor devil, who was a preacher and supposed to be a servant of God, gave utterance to practically the same sentiment in Seguin, Tex., and he was jailed for it. He compromised the matter however by committing suicide. It is now a "closed incident."

Bob McKinley of the Wage Earner says that since booze has been banished from Austin the statesmen and the near statesmen gathered at the State Capitol will now turn their attention to playing poker and making goo-goo eyes at the beautiful stenographers. There is one other pastime you overlooked Bob, Senator McNealus is the "nestor" or "fan" (which ever is proper) of the indoor sports as indulged in by the statesmen, and that is drinking buttermilk in ones sock feet. The venerable Senator says it tastes better that way. Then there is "John Smith of Lado- nia" in the House, he will make an ideal chaperone for the gay and festive inclined.

Fort Worth organized a West Texas Chamber of Commerce for commercial purposes. Houston got into the game last week and organized a Texas Chamber of Commerce for political purposes. The latter organization "whereased and resolved" as

a barrage fire for the legisla- ture, on the following subjects:

Declaring against Government ownership of the railroads and outlining in detail a recommenda- tion for their return.

Urging amendment to the homestead law.

Suggesting the time for a constitutional convention.

Urging that the telegraph, telephone lines and express com- panies be returned to their own- ers.

Favoring compulsory arbitra- tion of labor disputes.

Declaring for a marketing system and suggesting that such work of the Food Admini- stration which is valuable under peace conditions be continued.

Asking for regulation of pub- lic weights and measures, with special reference to farm prod- ucts.

Asking the Legislature for a pure seed law that shall protect all buyers.

Asking for adequate appropri- ations for forestry work in Tex- as.

Urging strengthening of the public health laws of the State.

Suggesting that employers give the preference to soldiers in employing men, whether these soldiers were former em- ployees or not.

Urging liberal appropriations and careful attention in the interest of better public schools.

Recommending the budget system for the State Govern- ment.

Urging the necessity for equalization of the State's tax- ation.

Recommending the establish- ment of a State experimental apiary.

Recommending the mainten- ance of an adequate standing ar- my as recommended by the Sec- retary of War.

Favoring the passing of the Federal 50 per cent parcel post motor route bill.

The Hammer man endorses all of the above recommenda- tions except "urging amendment to the homestead law" "suggest- ing the time for a constitutional convention" and "recommending the budget system for the state government." These three con- stitute the "meat" of what this "Texas Chamber of Commerce" was organized for. The first is to amend the homestead law— this fight has been going on for years daddied by the Dallas News, the second, that of "sug- gesting the time for a constitu- tional convention" is to give the solons at Austin a stiffer back- bone in voting for the resolu- tion to call a constitutional con- vention and the third "recom- mending the budget system for the state government." This is to let down the bars so the Uni- versity bunch can wade into the treasury up to their eyes. The "Budget System" is what the University bunch has wanted for four years. The "Budget System" means more and easier money for the High-brows and "Professors." Give them the "budget system" and their fi- nancial ailments will all be at an end. Another thing, hold a con- stitutional convention and the University lobby will have a law enacted whereby they will get their revenues from taxation and with a tireless lobby in each county, it will be "good night nurse" sure enough. They'll get all they want and then some.

The Carefree Farmer.  
From the Paris (Mo.) Mercury.  
Every time the farmer steps out of his front door he doesn't have to duck back because some individual looking like a chicken with the roup and sneezing with the rapidity of a machine gun happens to be passing on his road home or to hallelujah. If he takes the thing to himself he can cough all over the calf lot at will or without fear. He can sneeze up one row and down another and the malignant bug ascending into the yellow circumambient of the late autumn will get no farther than the neighbor's back forty, where, in contact with the sheep dip or the mortgage, will languish unto death its malevolence merits. Between the farmer—blessed men—are wide breathing spaces and "elbow room" Thoreau de- clared were necessary.

The most independent woman in the neighborhood is the one who has enough spoons and dishes to entertain company without borrowing from the neighbors.

## LONDON TIMES ESTIMATES 6,000,000 PERISHED FROM INFLUENZA IN 3 MONTHS

London, via Montreal, Dec.25. The Times medical correspon- dent says that it seems reason- able to believe that throughout the world about 6,000,000 per- sons perished from influenza and pneumonia during the last three months.

It has been estimated that the war caused the death of 20,000,000 persons in four and a half years. Thus the correspondent points out influenza has proved itself five times deadlier than war, because in the same period at its epidemic rate influenza would have killed 100,000,000. Never since the black death has such a plague swept over the world, he says, adding that the need of a new survey of public health measures have never been more forcibly illustrated.

## WATA DO U TINKS

Poor pay is dead. Bad trust killed him. No business can hope to succeed with a loose system of credit. Prompt collections are necessary if I am able to pay my helper. I have to pay cash for my fuel and material. It is a duty I owe my family and myself. It is hardly fair that my debtors live in comfort on my money while myself and family are doing without necessities. But that is what long credit amounts to until I make an heroic attempt for betterment they will continue so I insist on prompt payments then buy for cash it pays and easy lies the head with no debtors. Therefore and after all time to come all work is strictly cash at FRANK HARDISTER'S SHOP.

## LUKE M'LUKE SAYS

When a man has a wife and a cheap automobile he never knows just what either of them will do next.

The reason why single men imagine they know so much is because they haven't any children to ask them questions.

A lot of people wouldn't think of reading a book but for the fact that it was barred from the libraries as obscene.

The old fashioned man who drank to excess and died of the D. T.s. now has a Prohibition son who eats to excess and dies of acute indigestion.

Some men remind you of the Chinese Government. Let them have \$10,000,000 on Monday and they'll be back on Wednesday trying to borrow \$10,000,000 more.

If about this time of year you run up against a man who smells like a Perfect Lady, don't imagine that he is that kind of a feller. Maybe he has been dipping into the perfume he bought his wife for Christmas.

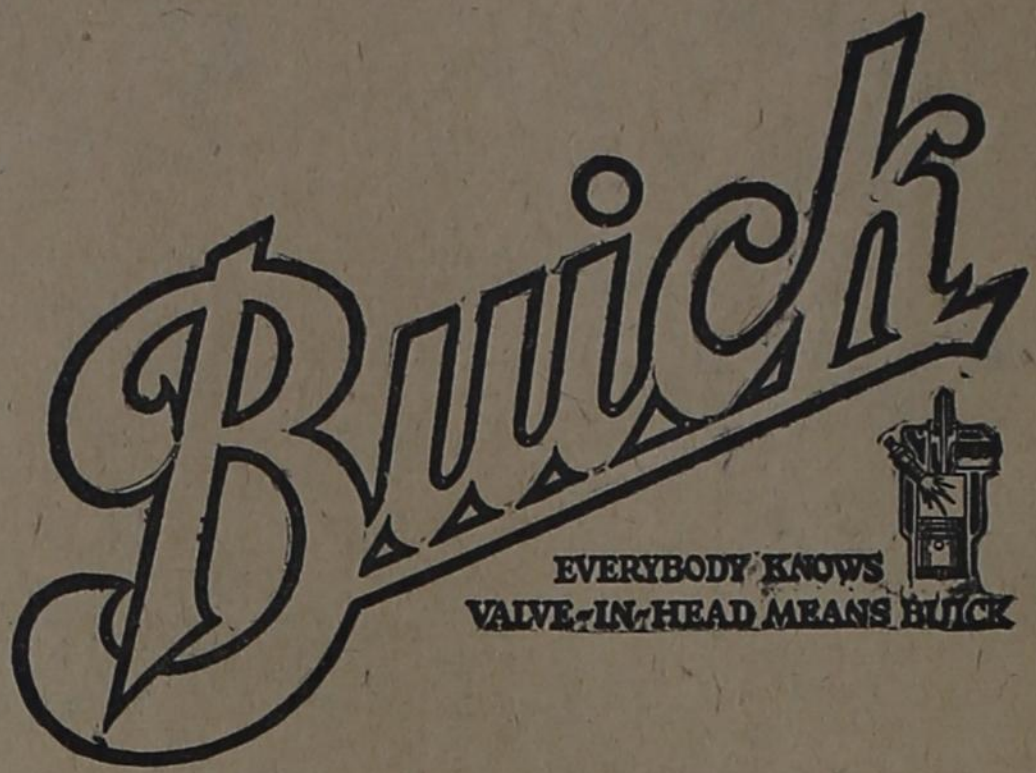
This is a great country. As long as a man drives a truck we call him a truck driver. But if he runs for the State Legisla- ture and is lucky enough to be on the winning ticket we quit calling him Truck Driver and call him a Statesman.

Funny how marriage gives a woman control over man. A big husky who can whip a dozen men in a rough and tumble fight will be scared blue be- cause he was out with the boys until one or two in the morn- ing and is afraid to face his wife.

Cotton Ginned Prior to Dec.13. of crops of 1918 and 1917 as given out by the government Following is the number of bales ginned in this and adjoining counties for 1918:  
San Saba 3,769  
Mason 859  
Burnet 2,512  
Llano 596  
There were 2,416,359 bales ginned in the state during the year 1918.

DAIRYMEN SAVE BY SCIENTIFIC FEEDING  
Through co-operative buying of feed and scientific feeding during the last three months, Tarrant County dairymen have saved more than \$10,000, accord- ing to H. M. Means, county agricultural agent.—Star-Tele- gram.

A lot of married men are go- ing to miss the saloons when they close. A man can exercise his Personal Liberty in a cafe because his wife isn't there to make him go outside every time he wants to smoke.



## Revised Prices

The assurance of material for quantity production of Buick cars enables the Buick Motor Company to establish the following prices on the various Buick models, effective January first, 1919. These prices will not be changed during our present dealers' selling agreements.

Three Passenger Open Model H-Six-44	\$1495
Five Passenger Open Model H-Six-45	1495
Four Passenger Closed Model H-Six-46	1985
Five Passenger Closed Model H-Six-47	2195
Seven Passenger Open Model H-Six-49	1785
Seven Passenger Closed Model H-Six-50	2585

Buick Motor Company, Flint, Michigan  
Pioneer Builders of Valve-in-Head Motor Cars

G. A. ARHELGER, Agent  
San Saba, Texas.

## SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF SAN SABA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of San Saba County, on the 7th day of January 1919, by Jno. H. Moore, Dist. Clerk of said San Saba County, Texas, for the sum of Four Thousand Five and no-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of Mrs. Clyde Thomas in a certain cause in said Court, No-2188 and styled Mrs. Clyde Thomas vs. C. R. Green, placed in my hands for service, I Edgar T. Neal, as Sheriff of San Saba County, Texas, did, on the 7th day of January 1919 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in San Saba County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Block No. 6, of the Old Town of San Saba in San Saba County, Texas as shown by the plot of said town, and levied upon as the property of C. R. Green and that on the first Tuesday in February 1919, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door, of San Saba County, in the town of San Saba Texas, be- tween the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said C. R. Green.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the San Saba Star, a newspaper published in San Saba County.  
Witness my hand, this 7th day of January 1919.  
EDGAR T. NEAL,  
Sheriff San Saba County, Texas.

The reason why the Other Fellow always advises You to take Castor Oil when you are feeling badly is because you couldn't get him to take a dose of the stuff for \$50 when he is feeling badly.

Heartburn, indigestion or dis- tress of the stomach is instan- tly relieved by HERBINE. It forces the badly digested food out of the body and restores tone in the stomach and bowels. Price 60c Sold by—THE CORNER DRUG STORE.

Joints that ache, muscles that are contracted should be treated with BALLARD'S SNOW LINI- ment. It penetrates to the spot where it is needed and relieves suffering. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by—THE CORNER DRUG STORE.

## Reasons!

Why you should use Cardui, the woman's tonic, for your troubles, have been shown in thousands of letters from actual users of this medicine, who speak from personal experience. If the results obtained by other women for so many years have been so uniformly good, why not give Cardui a trial?

## Take

# CARDUI

## The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Mary J. Irvin, of Cullen, Va., writes: "About 11 years ago, I suffered untold misery with female trouble, bearing-down pains, head- ache, numbness... I would go for three weeks almost bent double... My husband went to Dr. for Cardui... After taking about two bottles I began going around and when I took three bottles I could do all my work." E-80

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## W. H. ADKINS

Lawyer  
Notary Public  
Lampasas Texas

## NOTICE TO AUTOMOBILE OWNERS

The Highway License, expire Dec. 31 1918.  
The Highway License are due and payable Jan. 1st 1919 on all Cars, Trucks, Motor Cycles etc. Payable at this office.  
W. W. Skelton, Tax Collector.

## FOR COLD WEATHER

We have Mens Shirts, Sweaters Caps, Heavy Underwear.  
For Ladies we have Winter Underwear, Sweaters Wool Cloaks the same for Misses and Children.  
Prices very low. Come and C.

T. C. HENRY.

# THE SAN SABA STAR

## ADVERTISING RATES

1 page, one issue	\$12.00
1 page, two or more issues, per issue	\$10.00
1/2 page, one issue	\$7.50
1/2 page, two or more issues, per issue	\$6.00
1/4 page, one issue	\$3.75
1/4 page, two or more issues, per issue	\$3.00
All ads of less than one-fourth page, per inch	12 1/2c
All ads of less than 15 inches one issue, per inch	15c
All ads less than 15 inches, two or more issues, per inch	12 1/2c
All local readers and reading notices, per line, per issue	5c
Black face readers, per line, per issue	10c

All notices for entertainments where an admission fee is charged, inserted at regular advertising rates. All obituary notices over ten lines will be charged for at regular rates. The last forms of the Star go to press at 4 o'clock Thursday evening and to get position all ads should be in as early as possible.

## LODGE DIRECTORY

Alpha Lodge No. 204.  
I. O. O. F.



Meets every Thursday evening at Odd Fellows Hall. All sojourning brethren are cordially invited to meet with us.  
M. G. Estep, N. G.  
J. B. McDonald, V. G.  
W. W. Skelton, Rec. Sec.  
John Seiders, Fin. Sec.

# County News

Items of Local Interest  
Gathered by Star Correspondents.

## To Our Subscribers

If you do not find a letter from your locality it is a disappointment to you as well as to us. We would like to have a correspondent from each locality in the county. Write us for stationery, and get your letter in by Tuesday. We will pay you 50cents per column for your correspondence.

## BEND ITEMS

Farmers are anxious for the weather-man to clear the sky and send warmer days in order to prepare their land for another crop.  
Pvt. Fritz Underwood of Camp Travis arrived here Saturday to visit relatives and friends.  
Relatives of Pvts. Bill Mullenhouse and Roy Baxter received letters stating they would probably sail for home soon.  
Miss Joda Gibson was the guest of Miss Mittie Pearl Smith Saturday.  
Misses Jollye Moore and Ruby Lewis were week-end visitors of Miss Effie Morris.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morris and J. C. Morris went to School Creek Friday, returning Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fry and children moved to the Alexander residence Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lewis and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Morris.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Millican and daughters Misses Betsy and Veo went to San Saba Saturday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gage on Simpson Saturday night.  
D. F. Moore and W. J. Millican went to San Saba Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Baxter had as guests last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baxter and daughter, Miss Olga; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Morris and children; Mrs. Arden Moore and son, Grady and Mr. and Mrs. Luther A. Baxter; the latter is at home on a furlough from Camp Travis.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Moore spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Millican.  
Mdms. Rosie Wild and Ella Hunter visited Mrs. John Baxter of Little Bend Sunday.  
Miss Annie Laurie Hughes has returned from Atherton, having dismissed school for a week on account of the "flu."  
Oil prospectors are contemplating drilling a well on S. A. Baxter's place in the near future.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morris and son, W. J. went to San Saba Monday.  
W. F. Lewis and son Cecil and William Carter made a business

trip to San Saba Monday. Mr. Carter who has been visiting Cecil Lewis left for Oklahoma on the afternoon train.  
Miss Lena Cate was here shopping Tuesday.  
Lumber is being hauled to erect a derrick on the C. Brazil place where a well will be sunk prospecting for oil.  
Miss Lennie Parks of Colony was here Tuesday.  
Miss Nona Henderson of Kempner has position with the local phone office.  
Mrs. Ed Jackson and son, Wilbern spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. Roberts.  
Luther A. Baxter returned to Camp Travis Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Kirby of Lometa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson Thursday.  
Miss Mary Rodgers has returned from Lometa where she spent a few days visiting relatives.

Brady Morris came in from Huffstetler ranch for supplies Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Scott of Lometa were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Millican Sunday.  
Dr. James Doss and daughter, Miss Bruce spent Sunday with relatives here.  
Mrs. Earl Moore and son, spent Sunday with Mrs. M. Jester.  
Prof. King and wife and father went to Chappel Sunday.

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## CHEROKEE

Mrs. Laura Barber, Hollis, and Lucile were in San Saba Wednesday.  
Robt Daugherty and Herbert Randolph made a business trip to Llano Tuesday.  
Misses Kate Gay and Hettie Randolph came in Friday from Bethel where they have been teaching, their school was suspended on account of the "flu."  
Mrs. Wiley Kuykendall returned Friday from Mason where she had been with her mother, Mrs. Andrews, who has been very ill.  
Dim Kuykendall was here Thursday visiting relatives and friends.  
Mark Sessions made a business trip to Llano Tuesday.  
Mrs. Ernest Walker moved to the Foster Tom place Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Randolph left Friday for Temple where the former went for an operation.  
Rev. J. C. Sirmons of Fort Worth spent the week with his family.  
A. B. Smith and family have moved to the Ed Brown place in town.  
Ross Cavness came in Saturday from Burnet.  
W. W. Skelton of San Saba was here Saturday attending to business.  
Mrs. R. S. Senterfitt was in San Saba shopping Saturday.  
Mrs. Will McKneely of Babyhead was here Friday visiting her daughter, Opal who is attending public school here.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walker and daughter, Miss Fanny and son, Eugene were in Llano Saturday.  
Rev. and Mrs. Hillman received a letter from their son, Ray, stating that he was well. Ray is one of our Cherokee boys who went "over the top."

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McDonald of Llano were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hanna last week.  
John Mitchell made a business trip to San Saba Tuesday.  
W. E. Yarbrough was here Saturday doing duty as assessor.

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## PECAN GROVE

Aunt Jane.  
We are having one of the prettiest snows of the season after a whole week's sunshine. J. T. Oliver and other appraisers were busy appraising land for the Farm Loan Association.  
Ray Senterfitt spent the past week with his parents, the school at Bethel having been suspended on account of the "flu."  
Carlos Nevins of Harmony Ridge was here Thursday.  
Dr. and Mrs. Doss and daughter, Miss Bruce, were weekend guests of Mrs. Doss's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Curry.  
W. T. Walker of Colony was here Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fox and children visited in Shaw Bend Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Huffstetler who have recently moved from Darnoc to a farm in the Plainview community, spent Saturday night with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Huffstetler.  
Wesley Terry and David Edmondson of Live Oak are digging a tank for G. W. Edmondson.

Young Pierce was a visitor in the home of his son, Lewis Pierce, last week.  
W. N. Ellis, County Supt. visited our school Thursday.  
Community Singing was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Owen Sunday night.  
Miss Beulah Smith the popular teacher of the Harmony Ridge school was a guest of Miss Opal Senterfitt Tuesday night.  
Buck Brister and family of near Lometa visited Mrs. Mollie Fox Sunday.  
Mrs. Jim Faver visited Mrs. Harvey Tomlinson at Fairview Sunday.

Mrs. Newt Brown and son, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones at Fairview.  
R. J. Edwards went to Lampasas Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson of Live Oak visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lackey Sunday.

Logan Hardy and family of Harmony Ridge were visitors here Sunday.  
Miss Gertrude Fox left Sunday for a visit with relatives in Hidalgo County.  
S. J. Bross, county surveyor was at work here last week.  
Emmet Terry and Ed Huffstetler attended the party at Ed Whitman's at Live Oak Friday night.

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## SHILOH SAYINGS

Bethel School has been suspended on account of influenza.  
The Stockholders of the rural phone line No. 59 held a business meeting at H. C. Holcomb's home last Friday night.  
Messrs. W. D. Wright, H. C. and J. K. Reddock of McCulloch County brought the Inspector of that county last Monday to see the cows which they anticipated driving into that county. He granted permits to pass them without dipping.  
Leslie Davenport was doing business at San Saba Thursday.  
J. G. Dismukes did some surveying for W. L. Pearce and H. C. Holcomb last week.  
Miss Jewel Ford spent last Saturday and Sunday with Miss Elisabeth Holcomb. Both returned to San Saba Sunday afternoon to resume their duties in school.  
Last week when Clinton Holcomb was absent from school he was out at Orchard Hill Farm wrestling with a light case of influenza.  
R. W. Reddock and little daughter Clova returned last Sunday from a weeks visit with relatives at Cherokee.  
Jesse Bodine and family and sister, visited relatives at Eldorado last week.  
Ben Rogers was prospecting in our community last Sunday.  
James F. Campbell sold his

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home place to D. R. Terry last week and Mr. Campbell now occupies the old Johnson home place which he bought last year. We consider that business exchange was generous toward us, for while we regret very much losing Mr. and Mrs. Campbell from our midst, we heartily welcome Mr. and Mrs. Terry.  
Something like 3,000 Elberta and Henrietta peach trees are being planted out in our immediate community this month.  
A crop from these trees will bring a neat little income to these farmers.

**ELM GROVE**  
The farmers are busy breaking land, and getting ready for that "bumper crop."

Carl Taylor made a business trip to Mercury Tuesday.  
Carey Whitehead went to Brady Tuesday.  
Clay Parker returned from Brownwood Monday where he had been visiting his brother, Emmet who is there for treatment.

Buford Winkler was in Mercury Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Owen Boatright visited relatives on Deep Creek Saturday night and Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Massey and sister, Martha, returned from Bowser Tuesday where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Boyd Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell went to Deep Creek Sunday to visit their brother, Jim, who has been mustered out of the army.  
Mdms. Parker, Massey and Elliott were guests of Mrs. Minnie Taylor Tuesday.  
Curtiss Reynolds was in Mercury Saturday.  
Ivan Elliott of Rochelle visited his brother, Curtiss Elliott Monday night.

Chas. Reynolds and Jim Chamberlain left Monday for the wild and woolly west on a trapping tour.  
C. C. Reynolds made a business trip to Richland Springs Monday.  
Frank Smith has returned from his hunting trip. He reports game scarce.  
Mr. and Mrs. Barney Treadway were guests in the home of Wess Treadway Sunday.

Miss Annie and Inez Dobbs entertained their friends with a party Friday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCurdy went to Holt Monday to spend a few days with their son, Baxter.  
Little Lena Mae Elliott has been suffering from very painful bruises on the head and face, caused by falling on a rock.  
Lloyd McCurdy of Holt visited relatives here Saturday.  
Messrs. Powell and Boatright made a business trip to San Saba Friday.

Miss Ruby Bush was a guest of Miss Annie Dobbs Thursday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clay Parker were in Mercury shopping Tuesday.  
Mrs. Minnie Reynolds and children visited in the home of Walter McCurdy Sunday.  
Messrs. Smith and Bohannon were business visitors in Mercury Saturday.  
S. M. Dobbs was in Mercury

Friday.  
Community Singing was enjoyed at the home of Will Parker Sunday night.  
Sy Dobbs went to San Saba Saturday.

## FINDS AIRMEN DEVELOP SEVENTH SENSE

New York, Dec. 25.—A seventh sense—the "motion sense"—discovered by tests to which American army aviators are subjected was described before the New York Academy of Medicine last night by Major Lewis Fisher, an examiner at the Mineola flying field.  
Major Fisher said that the "motion sense," which is located in the cells of the ears, enables a flier to maintain equilibrium without the aid of vision. Tests of deaf mutes who have applied for the aviation service, Major Fisher added, disclosed that deaf persons do not have the "motion sense." The "motion sense" in fliers, he said, is second in importance only to vision.

## AMBITIOUS YOUNG FOLKS

Had it ever occurred to you that you had as well try to be a successful physician without attending a medical school, or a successful lawyer without attending a law school, or a successful minister without attending a theological school, as to try to be a successful banker, or merchant, or business man of any kind without first being trained for business in the Tyler Commercial College. You

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Scholarship from the Draughan Business College of Fort Worth for sale at the Star Office. Everybody is taking a business course. Get in line for a position to serve Uncle Sam.

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## WILL NAVIGATE AIR BY JUNE FIRST ON COMMERCIAL BASIS

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Capt. B. B. Lipsner, former head of the proposed air mail service between New York and Chicago announced today that the Aero Navigation Company of America is in progress of formation. The company composed of New York and Chicago capitalists, he said, expects to have three \$70,000 airplanes in operation on a commercial basis by next June.

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Otto Ebling of Austin, one of the Farm Loan Bank appraisers was here this week on business.

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Mr. T. G. Marks of the State Agricultural Department met with a number of farmers in the County Court room last Monday evening and discussed marketing problems as applied to the farm.

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**Gasoline Engine For Sale.**

One three horse power gasoline engine for sale. Can be seen at this office.

**9 STATES RATIFIED DRY AMENDMENT DURING PAST WEEK.**

Washington, Jan. 11.—In the past week nine states have ratified the nationwide dry amendment, bringing the total to twenty-four.

In the next week, twelve more are expected to take affirmative action and by the end of this month forty-one and possibly forty-three state legislators will ratify it, drys anticipate.

West Virginia, Maine, Michigan, Ohio, Oklahoma and Tennessee. The states which ratified this week are:

Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, The Senate's of California and Illinois also passed the amendment.

The only states, which according to the drys, will not ratify, are New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Connecticut, Rhode Island and perhaps Missouri and Illinois.

Although the dry amendment is not effective for a year after ratification by the thirty-sixth state, drys will seek to pass at this session of Congress a measure carrying stiff penalties for violation of the amendment and additional Federal machinery to hunt down violators.

Representative Barkley, of Kentucky, introduced a bill providing for a prohibition commission under the internal revenue commander.

**AN APPRECIATION**

Editor Star:—

I desire to extend thanks and appreciation to the Circle of the W. O. W. for courtesies and the honor shown me last night, the 10th inst, at the regular meeting. The program rendered and the banquet given me is appreciated as one who has often attended with my husband and enjoyed ourselves with our many friends, I feel highly honored. May the Circle still grow as it has since my last attendance. I consider it one of the grandest orders in existence. It lends a helping hand and words of cheer to the dependent as well as to the wealthy.

I can never forget the time the W. O. W. and Circle were so consoling to me. My mind reverts to my home in San Saba and past happy associations. I am loyal to the order—believe in its by-laws and constitution. To demonstrate my belief and confidence, I have all my children from the oldest to the youngest insured. I hope to live and bring them up to love their God supremely and the W. O. W. next. I would have liked so to have expressed myself personally to you, but my heart was so full of past memories and appreciation I could not.

With best wishes for a prosperous and happy New Year to one and all, I am

Fraternally yours,  
Mrs. L. B. Williams.

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**Undertakers and Physician who are Accused of Shipping of Booze Coffin in U. S. Toils.**

With the arrest of a physician, an embalmer and an undertaker at Monroe, La., and an undertaker at Waco, the mystery surrounding the shipment of the coffin box filled with booze that was picked up in Fort Worth in the early part of December has been cleared away, Federal officials believe. All the parties are negroes.

Department of Justice officials have been working on the case since the "corpse" was received at the Texas & Pacific station. Because it was predicted that the guilty persons would "get away with it," special agents exerted unusual efforts to round up every clue. A special investigator was sent to New Orleans, Monroe and Shreveport.

**Charges Filed.**

Charges of conspiracy to violate the Reed Amendment were filed before United States Commissioner Mitchell Monday against Robert Cook, negro embalmer, Arthur Cook, negro undertaker, John Miller, negro physician, all of Monroe, and H. A. Dixon, negro undertaker, of Waco.

It is alleged that the two Cooks and Miller were responsible for consigning the box, which was supposed to contain the body of "Lula Crawford" to Waco from Monroe. The Cooks

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looked after the preparation for shipment and embalming of the "body" and Miller, it is said, furnished the necessary physician's death certificate. Dixon was to have taken charge of the "corpse" at Waco.

**Successful Once.**

It developed in the course of the probe made by the Department of Justice that in November the "body" of "Victor Hugo" who died of "influenza" in Monroe had been shipped to Waco and had gotten by without being molested. "Victor Hugo" was nothing more or less than numerous quarts of whiskey.



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