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CONGRESS WILL DECLARE WAR EXISTS WITH GERMANY

Socialists in Reichstag Urge Republic For German Nation

AMSTERDAM, April 1.—Establishment of a German republic was urged and predicted by Socialist deputies in the reichstag Saturday. Dr. Eduard David, a Socialist leader, said:

"My party has addressed an appeal to foreign Socialists for peace without annexation. It has been rejected. The French want absolutely to annex Alsace Lorraine."

David then urged the establishment of a constitutional democratic state. He said the military censorship had asked the newspapers to print nothing that might appear as approving the revolution in Russia, and yet the chancellor in his reichstag speech had heartily indorsed the overthrow of the monarchy.

AUTO WRECK SATURDAY

What came near being a fatal automobile wreck was that last Saturday afternoon about 3 o'clock. Joe Bronstein was driving his Chalmers car with a party of four young ladies and one other young man from here to Lampasas. Going down the grade just beyond the residence of J. R. Owen at Red Bluff the car left the road, ran into some boulders and turned turtle. Mr. Bronstein and two of the young ladies were pinned under the car. Three others were thrown violently to the ground, the clear of the car. Misses Callie Edmondson and Ophelia Lundy were severely bruised and hurt about the face and body. Miss Edith Shanks and Mr. Bronstein were slightly hurt.

The site of the wreck is nine miles from town. The hurt parties had to wait until a jitney could be sent out from town to bring them in when physicians were immediately summoned and the wounds all dressed.

Methodist dinner, Friday, April 20.

Joe Hamrick, wife and daughter of Mercury are visiting daughter and sister, Mrs. Mitch Johnson, and other relatives here.

Mrs. J. H. Martin is in Temple this week to consult a specialist. She is accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Alph Collins. They were accompanied on the way as far as Lampasas by Rev. and Mrs. Z. V. Liles and Mrs. A. B. Kirkpatrick.

SCHOOL MASS MEETING

The mass meeting called at the high school building for Monday night was well attended and was decidedly the most unanimous and hearty meeting of patrons for many years. The condition and progress of the school is the theme of universal comment in the town. There has not been a jar this year. Superintendent Hart was present and gave the patrons a somewhat detailed report of the improvements which have been completed in the way of fitting up the extra rooms of the building, installing the septic tank and installing toilets in the basement.

The meeting was called to order by U. M. Sanderson, president of the board. On motion of R. W. Burleson, Mr. Sanderson was elected chairman of the meeting. W. A. Smith was elected secretary. Messrs U. M. Sanderson and John Seiders, president and secretary of the board, announced that they would not stand for re-election and asked their names be not considered at this meeting. F. B. Hall, A. Woods and R. W. Burleson were appointed tellers. The following were nominated as candidates to be voted on in the election Saturday: W. H. Hinyard and B. D. Sullivan to succeed themselves. B. T. Rich and W. H. Kimbrough to succeed Messrs. Sanderson and Seiders.

Mr. Sanderson has served as president of the board for the past two years and has served well and faithfully. Mr. Seiders has served as secretary of the board for a longer period and is one of the most efficient secretaries anywhere.

The mass meeting one year ago endorsed and called for an election to complete the building and make the improvements mentioned in the first part of this article. These men had remained on the board to the successful completion of that work. Judge Seiders was a member of the board which planned and erected the present magnificent building for the children.

In appreciation of the work of the board and of the superintendent the following resolution was offered by Mitch Johnson and unanimously adopted:

Resolved that we, the patrons of the San Saba Independent school district, congratulate the school board in the successful consummation of the plans for future work and the completion

President Wilson Addresses Congress, Details Crimes of Germany

ROOSEVELT PRAISES PRESIDENT

Washington, April 3.—The way was cleared on both sides of the capitol today for prompt enactment of the administration resolution declaring a state of war exists with Germany and directing the president to prosecute it with all the nation's resources to a successful termination. Balked by Senator La Follette in their effort to have the resolution taken up immediately after it had been presented from the foreign relations committee, leaders decided to begin tomorrow at 10 o'clock a session to continue until a vote had been taken.

Colonel Roosevelt, standing in the midst of a great crowd at the railroad station here, dictated the following statement:

"The president's message is a great state paper, which will rank in history among the great state papers of which Americans in future years will be proud.

"It now rests with the people of the country to see that we put in practice the policy the president has outlined and that we strike as hard, as soon and as effectively as possible in offensive war against the government of Germany.

"We must send troops to the firing line as rapidly as possible. Defensive war is hopeless. We must by vigorous offensive warfare win the right to have our voice count for civilization and justice when the time for peace comes.

"I very earnestly hope that I may be allowed to raise a division for immediate service at the front. I guarantee that no better body of fighting men could be gathered than there would be in that division, but, of course, the men to whom this applies will come forward only if it is understood that the division is to be sent at the earliest practicable moment into the firing line.

of the high school building in detail. We further commend the unity, good will and harmonious work of the school and especially the splendid and efficient work of Supt. Hart. To him and to the school board we say, "will done thou good and faithful servants," may you continue to enjoy the hearty and unanimous confidence and esteem of the people whom you have served and are serving so well.

W. J. Lincoln of Dublin has been a guest of J. R. Daniel near town this week. Mr. Daniel returned from Dublin and Comanche Monday and reports a considerable storm damage at Dublin Saturday night.

R. O. Harris In Hospital

R. O. Harris was taken to a sanitarium at Temple last week. He was accompanied on the trip by Dr. H. H. Taylor.

Monday Mrs. Harris went to be with him and it is understood that he will submit to an operation as soon as his condition will permit.

Mr. Harris has been a member of the city council for the past six years and was re-elected for another term at the election Tuesday. He is a member of the firm of Ellis-Kirkpatrick-Harris Co., furniture and hardware and one of the most public spirited citizens of the town.

A LIFE OF SERVICE

The man who lives a life of service for his fellowman lives not in vain, no difference how fickle fortune may deal otherwise with him.

Such a life has John Seiders lived in San Saba. For fifteen years he has served as a member of the local school board. The greater part of this time he has performed the duties of secretary of the board. To the highest interest of the school and the town he has given freely of his time and energy—given it loyally, without stint and without price. Always ready, always willing, sincere, loyal and ambitious for the highest ideals of a school of the first rank.

After this long and faithful service he voluntarily retires from the board and in his retirement the school and the community sustain a distinct loss. One of his life's ambitions was to permanently affiliate our school with the State University and place it in the front rank of high schools. His efforts have been crowned with success. The school is now affiliated in 15% units and has recently been given the A1 classification by the state department of education.

It has been the writer's fortune and pleasure to serve with Mr. Seiders on the school board and to observe his work and interest in the school. His fidelity to the school has been as constant and true as the needle to the pole, or as the dial to the sun. The sincerity of his labors are fittingly expressed in the words of the gifted Shakespeare thus: "His words are bonds, his oaths are oracles; his love sincere, his thoughts immaculate; his tears pure messengers sent from the heart; his heart as far from fraud, as heav'n from earth."

Miss Lucile Ketchum closed her school at Jim Ferguson Friday is at home. The school closed with a picnic and fish fry on the Colorado Friday and a great and pleasant day is reported. The patrons of the school turned out liberally and exhibited a splendid school and community interest.

The many friends of the family will be pleased to learn that Gov. Ferguson last week issued a complete and unconditional pardon to Emmett Phillips, who is serving under a sentence from the last term of the district court in this county. Emmett has been sick for several weeks and is not yet able to leave the state hospital.

\$159,000 CATTLE DEAL

Decidedly the largest cattle deal reported from this county for a long time was closed last week when Asa Huffstutler of Georgetown and Tom Huffstutler of Lometa sold to a Mr. Hudgin of Matagorda county 3000 head of 3 year old steers at \$53 a head. This totaled a consideration of \$159,000 for the lot.

These cattle are all from the Edwards and Green ranches in the southeast part of San Saba county. It is said to be a splendid bunch of stuff. The delivery is to be made about April 15th.

CITY ELECTION

In the election Tuesday for Mayor and two commissioners the administration was given a practically unanimous endorsement. There was no opposition ticket put in the field. 91 votes were polled. For Mayor W. A. Smith received 81 and for commissioners W. F. Sullivan 87 and R. O. Harris 84. This is taken to mean that Dave Chadwick will continue as City Marshal and Street Superintendent and Burney Braly as City Clerk. Also that the campaign to replace all wooden culverts with concrete structures and the other street improvements will be continued.

The Frisco Exposition Shows are exhibiting here this week under the auspices of the fire-boys. There are ten big shows all located on the Cameron lot north of the public square. This is decidedly the largest aggregation of show people that has made the town for quite awhile. The war path is a very busy scene every evening and night, thronged with merry, happy faces who have forgotten dull care and are seeing, for a time, the bright side of life.

Baptist Church

Next Sunday is Missionary Day with our Sunday School. A special program will be given at the eleven o'clock hour in lieu of the usual sermon at that hour. Preaching at 8:00 p. m. as usual. A special feature of these services will be the singing.

Remember that our protracted meeting begins April 22nd. Rev. W. B. Sansing of Stephenville will be with us.

G. W. Light, Pastor.

We have our oven now completely installed at the new stand and have fresh bread, pies and cakes. The Model Bakery.

Free! "PATRIA" Free!

FEATURING

MRS. VERNON CASTLE

AMERICA'S BEST KNOWN, MOST GRACEFUL, AND BEST DRESSED WOMAN

THE PICTURE OF THE HOUR

Monday,
April 9th

School Children's Matinee, 4:30 p. m., Night 8 and 9 p. m.

MAJESTIC

Monday,
April 9th

CASH

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Cane, Millet, Mazie and Feterita Seed

We have just unloaded a car of these seed, prices high, but will likely be higher soon. Don't delay buying.

We have a few seed potatoes left. Our Grocery stock is complete, as usual. Service good and prices right. Try us on your next bill.

W. R. Harris

San Saba

At the late meeting of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas in Fort Worth, Dayton Moses was reappointed attorney for the Association and S. C. Rowe of Fort Worth, for the past four years district attorney for the Frisco Railroad, was appointed attorney. These gentlemen have formed a partnership for general practice of law under the name Moses & Rowe with offices 405-406 Burke Burnett building, Fort Worth. Mr. Rowe practiced law at Mason and Menard before moving to Fort Worth and is regarded as a lawyer of splendid attainments.—Burnett Bulletin.

Look for the Baby Rice brand on the sacks and take no other. Sold only on the Big Roaster.

"Patria" Free at the Majestic Monday, April 9th, 3 performances—School Children's Matinee 4:30 and at night at 8 and 9 o'clock.

Highest price paid for Butter and eggs. The New Cash Store. Will Ashby.

Eldorado Courthouse Burns

News has been received here of the destruction by fire of the Schleicher county courthouse, at Eldorado, last Saturday night. The courthouse was an old structure and was practically worthless. A singular incident is that a bond election for \$60,000 with which to build a new courthouse was carried Saturday before the old home was burned that night. It is believed that the fire was of incendiary origin and the officers will make an investigation.—Brady Sentinel.

Mrs. Amanda Inglet, aged 86, died at the home of her niece, Mrs. R. M. Williams, on the B. R. Russell ranch two miles south of town Thursday. The body was buried in the Odd Fellow Cemetery Friday. Rev. G. W. Light, pastor of the Baptist church, conducted the funeral services. Mrs. Inglet had been a member of the church for the greater part of her life and was a consecrated christian and "Mother in Israel."

School of Geology Will Have Summer Camp At Bend, Texas

The University is going to establish a summer camp at Bend, Texas, for the purpose of studying field geology. Prof. H. P. Bybee, who is to have charge of this camp, says the University has long needed a course of this kind. Actual experience in the field is of great benefit to the student. This course will be given purposely for those students who intend to make geology their life's work.

"Do you know," said Prof. Bybee, "that the present demand for oil Geologists is so great that the universities cannot turn them out fast enough?"

Prof. Bybee will be glad to give more detailed information about this course to anyone interested in it.—Austin Daily Texan.

If your Ford car needs repairing come to Elmer Phillips, Bowser Texas. He will do your work cheaper than any other garage.

CHAUTAUQUA
INDORSED BY
GREAT AMERICANS

Chautauqua "the Most American Thing In America."

Dr. George W. Truett says, "I believe thoroughly in the proposed cooperative Chautauqua movement, both for its educational and inspirational features."

Elbert Hubbard said, "Had my foresight in 1880 been equal to my hindsight in 1909 I would have dedicated my life to the Chautauqua idea."

Thomas Edison graduated in the literary work of the Home Chautauqua and kept on reading until his diploma is well nigh covered with seals.

William Howard Taft last year gave a large part of his vacation to the Chautauqua platform, to his own personal delight and to the betterment of his audiences.

William Jennings Bryan in one Texas town drew enough receipts at the gate to pay the whole expense of the Chautauqua.

Theodore Roosevelt said, "The Chautauqua is the most American thing in America."

President Wilson, Vice President Marshall, Champ Clark, Opie Read, Henry van Dyke, Senator La Follette, "Billy" Sunday and many others who may be properly listed as "Great Americans" have graced the Chautauqua platform and given the movement their unqualified support.

CHAUTAUQUA AN ALL
AMERICAN INSTITUTION

Indorsed by Nation's Great Men
and Nation's Citizenship.

"It is not an institution with a formulated creed or a peculiar propaganda. It is in its essence a method by which the productions of great brains and the contagion of great spirits can be brought to every American community from the crossroads village to the greatest city. It is the guardian of a free platform, on which men may speak without the hamper of tradition or the blight of intolerance. It is today the most effective instrument yet devised for the molding of public opinion. It is a pulpit from which the prophet may deliver his message unmenaced by tribunal or fagot. It is the people's university, where teaching is not restricted to partisan politics, dogmatic religion or selfish philosophy. It is one of the few forces in our democracy that wealth does not control."

Clear Your Skin in Spring

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



A FARMER SAID

recently: "Why, Bell Telephone comes in mighty handy when I find myself short handed. When anything breaks during the busy season, we can order a new part shipped from the city the same day, by telephone."

"We depend on Bell Telephone Service for many things and use it forty times a day."

The farmer appreciates his Bell Telephone.



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Invites the accounts and patronage of the public in this vicinity, assuring the public of generous and liberal treatment and Service that Serves.

Capital Stock \$100,000.00

T. A. Murray, President

R. W. Burleson, Cashier

State Secretary L. A. Coulter, of the Texas Young Men's Christian Association, returned to his office in Dallas on Monday and makes the statement that the First Statewide Efficiency Week conducted by the Texas Young Men's Christian Association, was in every respect very successful. The hearty co-operation of more than one hundred workers in different sections of the state, it is stated, made the Campaign a success. From the office of the State Committee, we learn that thousands of persons have been informed concerning the all-round work of the Young Men's Christian Association, as it ministers to young men in cities and Railroad points, and among the soldiers in camps; moreover, as it serves the students in the colleges and through its work helps thousands of high school boys. The Chairman of the State Committee, Mr. H. H. Simmons, with several other busy men, gave much time to the Campaign and Mr. G. S. Bilheimer, representing the International Committee, had general direction of the movement throughout the State.

Stop Left Over Coughs

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

A. B. Wilson, L. B. Williams, Young Pierce and Lewis Pierce attended the biannual meeting of the Head Camp, W. O. W., at Waco last week. Messrs Williams Young Pierce were the delegates representing Cedar Camp. Dave O'Neal was the delegate from Locker camp and they all went together.

San Saba Defeats Cherokee

The San Saba and Cherokee base ball boys crossed bats on the latter diamond Saturday. With Neeper and Jones as batteries our boys got down to business and closed a pretty game with a score of 6 to 2 in our favor.

The Cherokee boys treated them handsomely and all enjoyed the game. All our boys need is the efficiency of team work and this will come with practice. Capt. Iva McKinney is pleased with the work the boys are doing.

"The Lass of the Lumberlands" every Friday night at the Majestic.

Say friends, if you have any butter bring it in. Will Ashby wants it at The Cash Store.

A \$500 Hog

Harper Perry is one of the San Saba county farmers who practices diversified farming. Mr. Perry owns one of those good farms in the China community, he lives at home and boards at the same place. He has been to town very few times the past three years without bringing something to sell and always goes home with some change or a bank deposit slip in his pocket instead of meat, lard, and vegetables all wrapped up in paper sacks.

Mr. Perry somewhat specializes in good hogs. He likes the big-boned Poland China and says the bigger the better. He was in town one day last week and told the News man about one particular sow—a brood sow. Within the past thirteen months from this one sow he has sold \$115.00 worth of pigs and has now seven beautiful pigs left. During her life he is satisfied he has sold more than \$500 worth of pigs and shoats from this one sow.

Besides this one he has other good hogs and keeps a record of all his farm work. He has some good horses and mules and cultivates something more than 150 acres of farm land. Some good cows make milk and butter and some faithful hens keep the family in eggs. The garden furnishes vegetables. Mr. Perry counts that day lost whose low descending sun finds on his farm some piece of work not done.

Col. R. E. Woods was down from the ranch Friday and Saturday attending the meeting of Camp W. P. Rogers. He informed the News reporter that his old friend, N. T. Fincher, died on March 23, at Tioga, in North Texas. Mr. Fincher was a soldier in the Confederate army and among those who escaped to Old Mexico. Returning after peace was restored he stopped to work for Mr. Woods. He continued to live with him for 19 years and was well known to all the old settlers. He was about 80 years old.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

OF NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL usually stops a stubborn cough or chest cold when ordinary specifics fail.

It helps strengthen the lungs and throat—adds energy to the blood—and gives the system the force to help resist disease.

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AUTO Casing And Tubes

The largest shipment of Auto tubes and casings ever unloaded at San Saba was received last week. You should see them piled high at our garage. We are now headquarters for high grade

Automobile Supplies

When you buy from us you get our guarantee of perfect Satisfaction. We are your home people and are here to repair and assist in the up-keep of every article purchased from us. It means something to you to buy from home people who know how to do it and are willing and anxious to furnish new parts or repair old ones.

The Racine is one Auto tire that you can rely on giving the best tire service.

San Saba Mfg. Company

G. A. ARHELGER, Manager.

No Eggs, Milk or Butter

The following recipe shows how an appetizing, wholesome cake can be made without expensive ingredients.

In many other recipes the number of eggs may be reduced one-half or more by using an additional quantity of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

EGGLESS, MILKLESS, BUTTERLESS CAKE

1 cup brown sugar
1 1/4 cups water
1 cup seeded raisins
2 ounces citron
2 cup shortening

1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 cups flour
5 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder

The old method (fruit cake) called for 2 eggs

DIRECTIONS—Put the first eight ingredients into saucepan and boil three minutes. When cool, add the flour and baking powder which have been sifted together; mix well. Bake in moderate oven in loafpan (round tin with hole in center is best) for 35 or 40 minutes. Ice with white icing.

Booklet of recipes which economize in eggs and other expensive ingredients mailed free. Address 1001 Independence Boulevard, Chicago, Ill.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Sixty Years the Standard

Made from Cream of Tartar, derived from grapes.

No Alum No Phosphate

Renewed Testimony

No one in San Saba who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this grateful man's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no San Saba resident can doubt.

J. C. Fulton, stone mason, Goldthwaite, Texas, says: "I was taken down in bed with a severe pain in the small of my back. The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage and painful and unnatural. After using two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, I was able to go back to work."

(Statement given October 24, 1911.) No trouble since.

On April 26, 1915, Mr. Fulton said: "I still think well of Doan's Kidney Pills. I have had none of a kidney medicine since using them."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy, get Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Fulton has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Doctors Agree On Eczema Remedy

Confirm the Statements About
D. D. D. Prescription

Geo. T. Richardson, M. D.: "In my opinion, D. D. D. should be applied in all cases of skin disease—in immediate relief to the itch, a calm to excited nerves, soft, soothing, yet a powerful agent, a strength to the general system."

Dr. Unna, Holmes: "D. D. D. is as near a specific for eczema and the dreaded psoriasis as is quinine for malaria. I constantly prescribe D. D. D. also for salt rheum, tetter, barber's itch, pimples, all forms of itching eruptions, scales, sores."

Dr. Ira G. Gabbert: "I freely admit that D. D. D. reaches most cases of eczema and permanently cures them."

Dr. Gabbert of Caldwell, Kansas, is one of the best skin specialists in the state. Write and ask him about D. D. D.

Druggists are glad to recommend this soothing, cooling liquid—25c, 50c and \$1.00. Come to us and we will tell you more about this remarkable remedy. Your money back unless the first bottle relieves you. D. D. D. Soap keeps your skin healthy. Ask about it.

CALOMEL IS MERCURY! IT SICKENS! ACTS ON LIVER LIKE DYNAMITE

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Starts Your Liver
Better Than Calomel and Doesn't
Salivate or Make You Sick.

Listen to me! Take no more sickening, salivating calomel when bilious or constipated. Don't lose a day's work! Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile, crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and "all knocked out." If your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone on my guarantee.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful tonight and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous by morning I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick. I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

Governors

A gentleman who writes a very legible and business-like hand, and who proceeds to business without beating round the bush, writes in to solicit the assistance of State Press in electing a certain prominent business man of Western Texas to the governorship in 1918. Of course S. P. is always willing to oblige, and of course he considers that there are two few competent business men in political service. But it is too long between this time and next election to begin boosting anybody for Governor. In fact State Press, for one, would be willing to try it awhile without any Governor. This State has a Governor at present who is very popular with some and very unpopular with others of his constituents, which difference occasions considerable rancor and prejudice and bitterness, sometimes between even close neighbors. Besides, it has just about gotten so in this State that no Governor can live on his gubernatorial salary, wherefore he gets his own and the State's grocery bills all balled up, and sometimes even a chartered accountant can hardly separate the things the State ought to pay for from the things the Governor ought to pay for. Of course, to some of us it may seem that any man who is rich enough to spend fifteen or twenty thousand dollars in a short campaign for election ought to be able to pay his household and kitchen expenses after election, aided and abetted by the four thousand dollars per annum duly and freely provided for gubernatorial upkeep. As for that, if the governorship has become merely a luxury meet for rich men, it might be advisable to abolish all salaries and perquisites appertaining to Governors, thereby throwing them on the same resources after election that they so freely dispense prior to the election. If only a capitalist is worthy to be Governor of Texas, or can become Governor of Texas, why not choose one who is as able to spend fifteen thousand dollars for his living as to spend that much money on his election? Anyhow, why anybody should want to be Governor is more than State Press can figure out. It is hard work, thankless work, and no particular credit to the worker. Most governors retire more embittered than spiritualized by their experience. Some of the best brains in Texas are those lodged in the skulls of successful business men, but one reason why successful business men do not aspire in larger numbers to public office is because they have got too much sense to harbor such aspirations.—State Press in Dallas News.

Geo. B. Clark has returned from a business trip to inspect the San Saba Oil Co. holdings at Humble oil fields and also at Apache, Okla. Mr. Clark found the work of drilling going rapidly at both places. This company has some producing wells at Humble and the holes which recently blew out with gas pressure are being put in shape with the brightest kind of prospects for a successful come-in. The Oklahoma fields are being opened and work is progressing satisfactorily.

CLIP THIS AND PIN ON WIFE'S DRESSER

Cincinnati man tells how to shrivel
up corns or calluses so they
lift off with fingers.

Ouch ! ! ! ! ! This kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called freezone when applied to a tender, aching corn or hardened callus stops soreness at once, and soon the corn or callus dries up and lifts right off without pain.

He says freezone dries immediately and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. A small bottle of freezone will cost very little at any drug store, but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Millions of American women will welcome this announcement since the inauguration of the high heels. If your druggist doesn't have freezone tell him to order a small bottle for you.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Long of Llano are guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. R. Meacham, this week.

Trucks Trucks

If you want to do light or heavy hauling, don't fail to see our Republic Motor Trucks, saves time and horse feed.

G. A. Arhelger,

Notice to Stock Owners

Owing to the enormous advance of medicines and veterinary supplies I will be compelled to require CASH for all professional services after April 1st unless satisfactory arrangements are made otherwise.

Dr. O. M. Walters, V.S.,

DR. H. W. SEARS.



Dr. H. W. Sears, sometimes spoken of as "The Taffy Man," "The Laughing Philosopher," is one of the most popular and best loved men on the public platform. It has been reported that his lectures are a "remedy for dyspepsia, despondency, worry—in fact, for almost every human fault, and that the medicine is as palatable as ever mortal swallowed." To hear him is to discover that life is worth living, that joy can be found in everyday life no matter where we may be and that there is a place for everybody. Dr. Sears will lecture on the third day of the Chautauqua.

San Saba, April 14, 16 and 17

Farm Co-operation

The following article is taken from The Farm Educator, the official organ of the Wichita District farmers union. It is reproduced here for the interest it contains to farmers on the questions of real co-operation.

O'Brian, Texas, Mar. 5, 1917.
Mr. Geo. E. Courtney,
Dear Sir and Bro.

I have spent to-day attending the annual stock-holders meeting of the Farmers District Union Gin Co at Munday, Knox county, Texas, and I must say it was a great meeting, and it did my soul good to spend a day with these noble workers, and I wish you could have been with us in the great feast, and breathed a little of the great fragrance of pure co-operation, which was the spirit that dominated the meeting throughout the day.

There were about 150 members present. The gin plant is owned by two locals, and there are about 400 members in the two locals owning the plant. The gin made clear of expenses \$5,800.00 this last season, and of this amount they paid to the members to-day \$4000 in spot cash, keeping \$1,800.00 in their treasury for repairs and to start business on another year. Can you beat it; did you say there was nothing in co-operation? I am at a loss to understand why some locals will not even try co-operation in their community after so many district union business institutions in the Wichita Valley District have passed the experimental stage and have proven a success beyond any doubt.

I have attended four meetings of this kind, and it was a great consolation to me as I sat to-day and watched the men step up to their own Secretary's desk and receive the spot cash, and which rightly belongs to them having been earned by their own toil from Mother Earth, and correctly distributed back to them by true co-operation or in other words it was the saving of products produced by the sweat of their face, by honest co-operation in the gin business and which business naturally belongs to them.

I was naturally proud to see this business making such great success for it was through my efforts that this business had been established, yet it was sad to me, to see men whose heads were frosty with many winters, walking up and receiving the cash for the first time in life, which was returns brought them through honest co-operation with his farmer brother, and if the farmers had been receiving this amount so justly due them each year of their lives, the amount would have long since grown in to many millions and beyond

Mmes. Boon Christy and T. R. Woods of the post oak section were in town Thursday and called at the News office to see our new motor and for a fraternal visit. Master Seth Woods, the happy young son of Mr. and Mrs. Woods, accompanied them. He is a bright, happy faced youngster and may be a printer himself some day.

J. K. Rector, Jr., returned Sunday from an auto trip to San Angelo. He reports that western metropolis prospering and a great rain all over that section Saturday night. In fact the rain extended all over the country between here and San Angelo, without the heaviest part in the latter section.

Money! Money! Money!

Plenty of Money to loan on Farms and Ranches. 7 per cent, 7 1-2 per cent and 8 per cent interest, long time to pay, with options of earlier settlement.

Rate of interest depends on size of the loan and value of the land offered.

My contract is a plain, straight Contract—one that you can understand, so you will know just what you are doing.

No Commission Charged

E. E. FAGG

comprehension, which amount has always went to enrich the speculator, and the farmers of today are still sending millions and millions of dollars through the same route.

I hope the time is near when the farmer will come into his own.

With best wishes to the Farm Educator and its editor, and the great organization which they represent, I remain

Yours truly,
J. N. Hudson.

The Overt Act

What more would you have them do?

Thou, my flag, red white and blue, Soaked in blood, and slandered through—

And are you brave?
Sinking thus in bloody slime,
What more constitutes a crime?
Flag of Concord, call her time!
Or cease to wave!

Patient lover of the right,
Foes have dared your silent might
Outraged on the sea at night—
And did you sink?

Or shall you rise upon your mast?
And bellow forth a burning blast,
Till warring hell-hounds stand aghast,
On death's cold brink?

Immortal colors of the skies,
Thy hope is where thine honor lies;

Remember this, and then arise
From sleep's embrace!
Awake! The overt act is done,
The gauntlet of thy mercy run,
Peace now would shame each native son

To hide his face!
—Oliver Allstorm.

To cleanse the blood, strengthen the kidneys and regulate the stomach, liver and bowels, Prickly Ash Bitters is a remedy that has proved its worth. It promotes activity in body and brain. Corner Drug Store, Special A-1.

Letter From Colorado

Helo, Mr. Editor. Should you think this worthy of a place in your columns I will drop an idea as I am at the home of J. F. Hicks in Colorado and find him enjoying life. I think this a healthy country and a stock country. Tho if any man wants to farm don't ask me much on that line. I couldn't encourage it. The public land in this immediate part is gone. There is land for sale reasonable. I meet apparently fine people. I am not far from the New Mexico line. A long distance from the Rockies tho could see them if the snow was off. The snowy range of New Mexico isn't far away. Some snow yet in the mountains. It is unusually dry here now. The stock has done well so far, many are making it fine without feed. The people don't say anything of being sick here. The wind has been blowing most all the while I've been here. I think I will give the country a fair trial before I say much of it either way.

If anyone wishes to ask me any questions I would gladly give my views.

Success to the San Saba News,
J. R. Smallwood
Trinchera, Colorado.

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A bank account helps in many ways. It not only makes it easier to handle your financial affairs, but creates a desire to increase your balance from month to month. Be modern in your methods. Pay your business and personal bills by check. Make it a rule to save a part of every dollar you make and deposit it in the First State Bank where it will be absolutely safe.

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The First State Bank Cherokee, Texas

H. L. Behrns, President

A. B. Taff, Cashier

The San Saba News

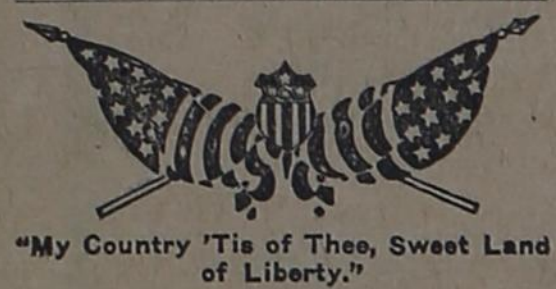
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Sun-of-a-Gun

THE FIREBOYS BANQUET, gentlemen of the jury, the fire-boys banquet. That's the question.

THE GREAT HENRY FORD plant and the Bethlehem Steel plant have been voluntarily offered to President Wilson in case of war necessity. How many brewery plants have been offered?

SOME YEARS AGO WE HEARD a populist orator say that "all the patriots are dead." We didn't believe it then; we don't believe it now.

THE LLANO SEARCHLIGHT makes the pertinent observation that if "even nothing worse transpires, some traitors in this country are likely to be taught the value of respect for the flag under which they get their bread and butter."

THERE WILL BE SOMETHING doing at six or seven of the churches in town next Sunday morning. There is a glad hand for you, my man, at every one of them. There's no excuse for hanging around on the streets when you can go to church, meet your friends and get a spiritual up lift that will make life brighter and the world better for all the week.

PREMIER LLOYD-GEORGE England's great big man to-day, and ex-premier Asquith have both declared for woman suffrage. This in recognition of the fact that women have saved Britian in this war, the greatest war in English history. This gigantic war is liberalizing and purifying every government on earth.

A MODERN DUDE WITH A NARROW striped clothes, saddle colored shoes, a loud necktie, hair parted over his nose, and smoking a cigarette, addressed his best girl thus: "If you was me and I was you, what would you do." She hesitantly said with a smile: "I would take off that hideous tie, put that cigarette in the stove, part my hair on one side, then pray to God for more brains.—Llano Searchlight.

THE UNITED STATES HAS NO quarrel with the German people. The German people, we refuse to believe, have any war to make on the people of the United States. It is the Hohenzollern dynasty and Prussian militarism—the divine right of Kings, which is causing all this trouble. Kaiser Wilhelm is the Attila of the twentieth century. And like the first Attila, the Kaiser need have no fear of President Wilson, but the man behind the President is the avenging force.

AN ARKANSAS NEWSPAPER once printed some cloth hand bills for a traveling show. The show went broke and these bills were never called for, so the thrifty wife of the editor used the cloth to line little Johnny's pants. As months rolled by the pantaloons grew threadbare and at school one day he accidental-

ly tore the seat out leaving about one foot of lining in sight, and the boys were surprised to read the following words standing out in plain type: "Doors open at 7:30; performance begins at 8."—Swiped.

JOHN E. DAVIS OF DALLAS county is a member of the 35th legislature but has some rather severe criticism for that body. He says Texas is 71 years old as a state. The legislature was in regular session 71 working days. In that 71 days the legislature established as many new schools and eleemosynary institutions and created as many new places for jobs as all the 71 years of the state's history prior to this. John calls it "extravagance run riot." He predicts that the constitutional limit if high taxes next year will not meet the state's expenses.

THE NEWSPAPER FORCES OF Texas fought hard in the legislature for a fair and just publicity law giving to the people of each county information concerning all matters of public interest, such as orders of sale of real estate for debt, of proposed bond and other elections, of orders of city councils, commissioners' courts, mayors, judges, etc., that are now posted on bulletin boards. Some former county officials, who have been accustomed to hanging around the court houses, the pawnbrokers and money-lenders defeated the full accomplishment of the purposes of the newspapers and their friends, but the newspapers will make a note of those who voted to amend and defeat a just and righteous publicity law and will keep a list of their names for future reference. Although the law as passed is better than nothing, it is far short of what it should be owing to the fight made against it in the lower house.—Hamilton Herald.

IT IS ALL IN THE VIEW POINT. Times change and we change with them. The Banner knows people who, less than three years ago, got as mad as old Nick when ever they saw a fellow driving an auto. These fellows are either now riding in cars of their own or planning to purchase cars before the year is out. That reminds us of the story of the backwoodsman who was going down the road with a gun on his shoulder. He was overtaken by a man driving a car. To think that he was walking and the other fellow riding made him so mad that he would not give any part of the road. Finally the autoist was forced to slow down and stop his car. But good naturedly he asked the hunter to ride with him. In a little while they came up behind a man driving a big load of hay. Likewise this man refused to allow the autoist to pass. After following along behind for a mile or so, the hunter, now in a new environment, or at least with a changed view of things, said: "Mister, if ye'll jist stop this here car long enough for me to git a bead on that po devil, I'll kill him." It is all in the way one looks at things.—Troupe Banner.

SUN-OF-A-GUN HAS GONE AND got his foot into it. He is caught between the nether millstones, as it were, and this all innocently, unintentionally, with no malice aforethought, no premeditated designs whatever. In one paragraph last week we tried to compliment President Wilson and assure him that no president was ever blessed with such a unanimous public sentiment. In our blundering, feeble way this was jumbled up with a mild indictment of the Kaiser for murdering American citizens and dishonoring the American flag. Some of the President's warm friends read between the lines and found in clear, bold imagery a veiled criticism of Mr. Wilson. In another place we merely call-

ed attention to a pithy paragraph in the Dallas News about the republican party, and one of that ancient and historic tribe calls our hand. Now what are we to do? Is it possible that we can't talk kindly of the President, frankly of the Kaiser nor pleasantly of a has-been political party without being called down. Here is what we were trying to say, and its a tribute to all of them. We are with the President, the Kaiser is playing the game to a finish and the republican party is in position to render better service to the country than for most half a century.

NO BALM IN GILEAD IS THE way Editor Schwenker of Brady Standard heads a discussion of the print paper trust busting which has been so widely heralded of late. Sun-of-a-Gun recently observed that news print is still billed out at the same old highwater price. But hear the Standard soliloquize:

"Were the matter of high-priced paper not so serious, the results obtained by the Federal commission might be considered a joke. We, too, built high hopes when the commission recently announced that an agreement had been reached whereby print paper in rolls would now be supplied at 2 1-2 cents per pound. We figured that ought to give us the flat sheets at about 5 cents per pound, which is a considerable saving over 7 cents and up.

But the paper drummers can't see it that way. They say the Federal commission's findings were immediately accepted by two paper manufacturers, who very generously agreed to accept the 2 1-2 cent rate. Investigation, however, develops the fact that both these paper manufacturers have already had their entire output for the next year or two contracted, so unfortunately, they will not be able to supply any of the low priced paper for some time to come.

"So the publishers may as well tighten up their belt another notch and prepare to shell over the coin at a rate of 2 1-2 times the old speed, just to keep themselves supplied with blank paper. As a price-reducer, the Federal commission is a great joke!"

Methodist dinner, Friday, April 20.

FOR SALE

- 3 good farm work horses
- 1 set double work harness
- 2 sets single harness
- 1 almost new surrey
- 1 2-horse power gasoline engine
- 1 top ice wagon
- 2 delivery wagons
- 1 heavy farm wagon

San Saba Light and Ice Co.

HONOR ROLL

Gradually our friends are helping us and encouraging us by getting square on the books and setting their dates on ahead. This honor roll has been crowded out for several weeks, and we are starting a new roll. These new and old subscribers have enrolled recently.

Mrs. Gardner Thomas, Galveston. J. B. McCoury, Portland. Jno. Bennett, San Saba. W. H. Towerton, Maxwellton. R. B. Singleton, San Saba. Enno Behrens, Eden. L. H. Creamer, San Saba. Thos. Thaxton, Marfa. O. M. Walters, San Saba. T. C. Rainey, Tree Rivers. J. J. Harris, Chappel. Mrs. M. C. Elkins, San Saba. Mrs. S. C. Ward, Asherton. J. A. Gaddy, Algerita. Will Hardy, San Saba. G. R. Armentrout, Holt. Mrs. Lucy Harrison, Guion. R. E. Woods, San Saba. Jno. Beasley, Summer. New Mexico. J. T. Taylor, San Saba. H. M. Hughes, Brownwood. Mrs. E. W. Lincoln, Alston, Mass. G. W. Isham, Jr., San Saba. J. A. Funderburk, San Saba. R. B. Creasy, Balingier. J. F. Coffey, Locker. Rev. C. A. Lehmborg, Cherokee.

RICHLAND SPRINGS

After several weeks illness with measles and pneumonia, Blanche, the little five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Alford died Saturday and was laid to rest in the cemetery here Sunday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. T. J. Powell.

Jasper Hall and Jim Collins left Sunday with their teams for Brownsfield to join Noal Taylor in railroad work.

Messrs Melsen and Sloan Ransom were passengers to Dallas Sunday where they go to secure work, and Melsen to finish his course at a barbers school.

Dave Terry and family of China Creek came over Saturday and spent the week end here with her relatives.

Mrs. T. B. Collins received a message Saturday from Waco stating that her brother, Miller Winton, had died at his home there.

Mrs. Arlie Stark Ludwig of Temple came Saturday and will spend a week with her parents at Shiloh.

D. C. Williams is home from a weeks stay in Waco where he attended the W. O. W. convention.

Jno. Wilton went to San Saba Friday after his sister, Miss Bessie, and she was accompanied home by Miss Winkle of Llano for a few days visit.

Plumer Bedine came home Thursday from Eldorado.

A. J. Wise and J. B. Miller left Tuesday in the latter's car for a several days trip to west Texas.

Miss Betty Itsen of Brown county is the guest of Oliver Hall and wife near Bowser. They were here shopping Saturday.

E. B. Snowden and wife from Eden came over Monday to visit her uncles, Messrs. Sud, B. J. and Clabe Locklear.

Arthur Sparlock arrived Sunday from Zephyr to visit his brother, C. W. and, mother Mrs. Rister, who is here visiting.

Mrs. Harrison Murray and children visited Mrs. Elmer Gary at Brady Saturday.

Hugh Taylor and wife returned to their ranch home in Sutton county Monday, after having spent several weeks here. They were accompanied by Ben Lewis Misses Etoil and Cleo Brown.

Miss Dora Chadwick of San Saba is here to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Ira Stone.

W. B. Crane and family visited their daughters, Mrs. Clay Wilson at Bront, last week.

B. J. Locklear has sold his residence in the eastern part of town to Jake Miller. Mr. Locklear and family will move to their new home near Voca.

Rev. T. J. Powell has put in his resignation as pastor of the Baptist church.

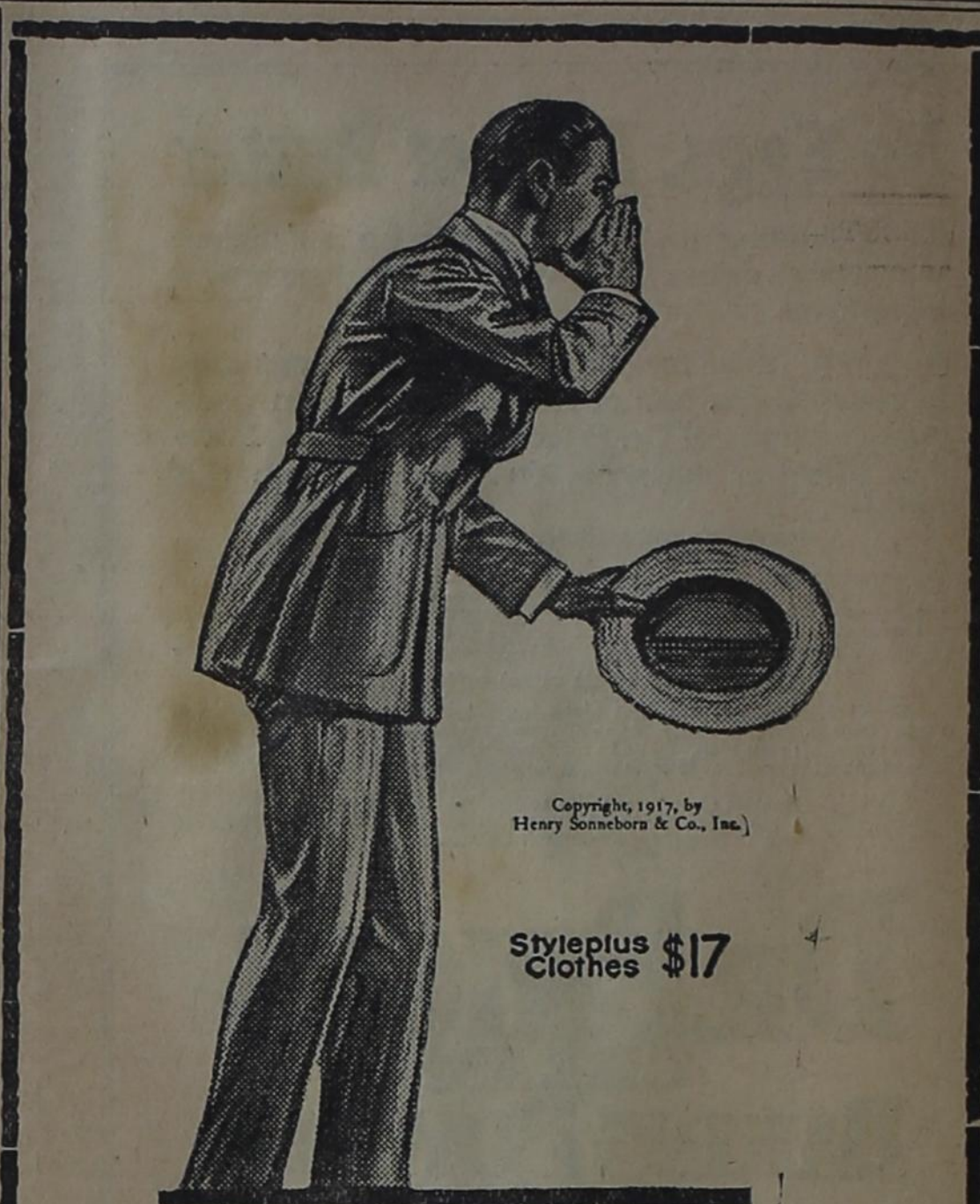
Mrs. Ed Bright is home from Temple where she has been for several weeks in the sanitarium.

Mrs. J. R. McAtee arrived home Sunday from a weeks visit in Galveston with her daughter.

Miss Reuby Sparlock returned to Brownwood Thursday to re-enter Howard Payne College.

Dr. E. M. Bursleson and brother, J. L., were called to Austin Saturday, to see their brother, Jim Bursleson, who was dangerously ill with typhus fever. Mr. Bursleson died Sunday night and was buried in Austin Monday. His wife and three daughters who are home will probably come here to visit.

Misses McCarty, Oliver and Rogers entertained the Seniors of the school Friday night of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McAtee. Special music was furnished by the string band. The decorations were beautiful, being in class colors, black and gold. "42" and other interesting games were played and all spent a delightful



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In The Easter Dress Parade

The joyous spirit of Easter time makes you want to look your best.

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Biggs & Clark

evening. This is the last week of free school, but Mr. Price, Mrs. McElroy and Mr. Haynie will teach another two weeks in order to complete the required work for Seniors.

D. Pliner who has been here several months manager of the Boschow Salvage Co's-store, entertained his friends Thursday night at the Cozy Theater, progressive 42 being played until a late hour. Mrs. J. B. Coffey and T. L. Price having won high score, Mesd. Dick B. Taylor and Mrs. J. E. Gibbons low. The "Buby" prize being awarded to Mrs. Gibbons, which was a large red stick of candy.

Very pretty and unique score and table cards were used, and special music throughout the evening, by home boys on stringed instruments, and several piano solos.

Delicious cream and cake were served to all. And one of the

most pleasant evenings of the year was spent, there being about eighty present to participate in the evenings pleasure.

Buy your Easter togery of Gaines & Fagg.

Methodist dinner, Friday, April 20.

Checks R Good Receipts

If U-O,me send check. If I-O-U Send Statement. Let us get our Books Straight. When U-R Paper Reads Right U will Bhappy so will Bob. Please don't forget the Place and Date.

Yours for Insurance Vot Is, R. L. Seiders, Agent.

Best Washing Fluid

I have the agency for the 1917 Washing Fluid. No rubbing, no boiling everything nice and clean. You can get this fluid at W. R. Harris' grocery store. 3-15 Dane Brown.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST:—Four side curtains for automobile. Finder please return and get reward.

John Behrens.

John French

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W. B. Bennett.

Notice To Breeders

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POSTED—Positively no hunting, fishing or camping will be allowed on my premises near Double Ford. This means YOU.

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M. O. Patton.

We sell San Saba Maid flour home grown and home-made.

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Will Ashby.

FOR SALE—fresh car of Millet seed and Cane seed, by A. L. Hamrick. O. K. Wagon Yard.

Wanted—I buy hides, furs, poultry and eggs. See me before you sell.

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I have just received a line of the newest shapes and latest models for ladies and Misses. I would like for you to come and see them before you buy your Easter hat.

Mrs. Della Willis.

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Apply to C. R. Green.

The Marble man

Call early or you will miss a good thing.

FOR SALE—One hammock seat, six-plow cultivator. And also all sorts of sweeps. Only this cultivator left. First comes gets it.

W. N. Rylander.

For Sale—one good work mare and a good surry and harness.

G. A. Walters.

For first-class service try the New Restaurant.

Callaway & Hartley, Props.

Try one of those nice loaves of bread from the oven of

The Model Bakery.

LOST—folding cot, between Harkeyville and Double Ford. Finder leave at the News office and get reward.

For Sale—Full blood Rhode Island eggs for setting, 15 for \$1 at the pen. Mrs. B. H. Lewis, Richland Springs, Texas.

FARMERS PATRIOTIC MEETING.

An enthusiastic meeting of farmers was held at the court house last Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was called to order and presided over by County Commissioner Joe A. Williams, who stated the object of the meeting. He told them that it had been found that there was a very great shortage of provisions and feed for animals in the United States as compared with former years and the meeting was called to impress upon them the importance of planting more crops for feeding people and stock. He then introduced Mr. J. L. Quicksall, District Agent of the Extension Department of the A. & M. College and United States Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Quicksall began speaking by stating the conditions and prospects of war. He told them that it was just as patriotic to feed the nation as it was to fight in the trenches and reminded them that a shortage of food was staring us in the face even in peace times. Statistics showed that other grain crops were more than 1,250,000,000 bushels less in 1916 than in 1915. He called attention to the present high prices of meat of all kinds because of the scarcity and urged all present to plant more crops for man and beast in order to be able to meet the situation if war was declared on Germany. He pointed out that all grain and food crops were to bring high prices and showed them that there was very likely to be more money made on feed crops per acre than on cotton although the price remained at the present high figures or even advanced. His talk was eagerly listened to and was well received.

Mr. R. P. Elrod, county agricultural agent, who recently came here and succeeded J. W. Griffin was next introduced. He spoke of the boast of Germany and of England as well as other European countries at the outset of the present war when they boasted that their resources for food and feed for animals was inexhaustible. He pointed out that Germany was now suffering from shortage of food and England was beginning to feel it also. If these great countries could so soon be brought to want it was certainly the duty of the people of the United States to begin and plant food crops in self defense. In a financial sense he urged that it was best to plant more food crops than had formerly been done.

Mr. Griffin who has been transferred to Comanche county and County Agent Cotton, of Llano, both made short talks and several farmers joined in the discussion.

Before the meeting adjourned the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS there exists today, a shortage of food crops in the United States of America as compared with former years, and

WHEREAS our country will presently be involved in war with Germany, thus creating an exceptional demand for farm products, we the farmers of San Saba County, Texas, in a called meeting to discuss the food problem, realize the importance of having an abundant supply of food for an army and for our civilian population ehreby resolve.

RESOLVE that we urge and recommend the planting of feed and food crops for both man and beast.

RESOLVED further that we endorse President Wilson and his cabinet in the action already taken in he German American issues and pledge our patriotic support of any and all measures the Administration may deem necessary to maintain the dignity of our government, to protect the rights of American citizens, and to require obedience to establish International law.

L. E. Hicks, C. A. Sauer, R. S. Crain, J. G. Holder, Carnitte.

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1. Because they have been doing business in this county for 34 years.
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4. Because you can get money for 3, 5, 7 or 10 years with OPTION to pay as much as one-fifth or less annually, but are not REQUIRED to pay anything but interest.
5. Because you can borrow as much money on your land as its real market value will justify, on a fifty per cent basis.
6. Because BROWN BROS. do not want your land; all they want is interest. You will therefore be given every reasonable opportunity to pay off your loan to them.
7. Because BROWN BROS. know practically all the farmers in your county. They have many friends among them and feel a warm personal interest in their success.
8. Because many borrowers wish to make changes in their loans before maturity; such as partial releases, readjustments, extensions, etc. You can get better accommodations along this line from BROWN BROS. than any other company.
9. Because BROWN BROS. appreciate your business and are always glad to consult with their customers and advise with them about their business, their lands, titles, or help them in any way possible and consistent with their business relations.
10. Because no other company has loaned anything like as much money in this county as BROWN BROS. have, to help the citizens improve their lands and build homes.

BROWN BROS. are well qualified by long experience to give valuable advice and assistance in connection with matters of land values or land titles. If you are a customer of BROWN BROS. you are always welcome to visit them and get the full benefit of such aid as they can give.

W. V. DEAN,
Local Representative,
San Saba, Texas.

PECAN GROVE PIG CLUB

The new county agent, Mr. R. P. Elrod, went out to Pecan Grove school the other day and talked to the people of that community. As a result a live and enthusiastic club of 14 members was organized. Mr. Elrod has the record of being one of the most successful club workers and organizers in the state. He will begin at once the organization and preparation for the club exhibit for the fair and encampment next summer.

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J. J. Urquhart is confined to his room this week with an attack of pneumonia.

Miss Josie Gay of Cherokee, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Maultsby.

Miss Mabel Wilson received a letter Tuesday from her cousin, Pal Ballard, who is in the U. S. Navy. He is now at Hampton Roads, Va.

W. M. Whitt of Cherokee is visiting relatives in the city this week.

Just received a beautiful assortment of neckwear for Easter. Gaines & Fagg.

More Goods
Better Quality
Less Price

THE Famous Bargain STORE

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Better Quality
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This Store Is Prepared to Promptly Take Care

Of the Easter needs of the entire family. We have a house of Spring Merchandise with economy prevalent everywhere. Come in and save money on your Easter purchases.

EASTER SHOES

Our stock of Shoes for Easter will cause you real delight, both as to style and prices.

Men's and Boys' Suits

You will find when looking at these suits that you have been paying several dollars more for garments of which the quality of material and workmanship do not approach these values. Palm Beach, Kool Cloth, Serges and Worsteds ---unusually attractive patterns.

The Famous Bargain Store

City of Peace May Again Be Freed From the Rule of the Turk

Transfigured by the lured light of its eventful history," wrote the historian years ago, "the name Jerusalem, or the 'City of Peace,' might seem to have been given to it in Irony." Recent developments in Palestine, where the British are within a few miles of the Holy City, with every prospect of once more delivering the Holy Sepulchre from the impious hands of the Turk, add a twentieth century emphasis to the suggestion that, of all the cities in the world Jerusalem is the least entitled to this appellation. The "City of Seiges" would still seem to be the appropriate title, for it is one of the most distinctive facts about Jerusalem that it has sustained more terrible and destructive seiges than any other city upon the earth.

The Kaiser's spectacular pilgrimage to the Holy Land seems doomed to take its place in history with the equally spectacular retreat of Von Kluck from before Paris. Scarcely had the war begun when Turkish armies, inspired by Germany, struck across the desert with the purpose of wrecking the Suez canal and possibly raising the standard of revolt in Egypt. That enterprise failed. The British in turn became the invaders and entered Palestine, and a few days ago were reported to be close to Jerusalem, thereby awakening in the imagination recollections of Richard the Lion

Hearted, Godfrey of Bouillon, Ivanhoe, Peter the Hermit, and the countless knights and men at arms who made up the armies of the seven great crusades, from 1096 to 1272. Wearing the badge of the cross, they pledged themselves to rescue the Holy Land and the Sepulchre of Christ from the grasp of the unbeliever. If they choose to become soldiers of the cross, then salvation was achieved.

Jerusalem withstood for months many of the finest armies of antiquity; and, when compelled to yield, the pertinacity and valor of its defenders were punished by an amount of cruelty and bloodshed unsurpassed in history.

Listen Folks I am not selling hardware, neither am I selling dry goods or drugs. Just selling you the best Pop Corn and Pea Nuts in the world, take no other but the Baby Rice Corn, the brand is on the sacks. A. R. Dockray.

Methodist dinner, Friday, April 20th.

Miss Bertha May is visiting relatives at Cherokee this week.

See our assortment of Straw Hats, Silk Shirts, Soft Collars and Summer Underwear before buying. Gaines & Fagg.

Blacksmith Notice

We have bought the blacksmith shop just east of the San Saba Hotel and will thank you for a share of your business. Only first-class work done.

Dane and Bud Brown.

I am selling 20 lbs. of nice clean rice for \$1.00. The New Cash Store.

Will Ashby.

Some Turkey

A. J. Reavis of the north-Locker section was in town Monday and brought with him a mammoth turkey gobbler. He sold his majesty to H. W. Bolton at 15c a pound. He weighed 42 pounds and netted his owner exactly \$6.30. This is more than Mr. Reavis sold his yearlings for a few years ago.

BEVO is always ice cold at Dockray's.

The Victrola

Is in a Class by itself . . .

Victor Records

New supply just received

Base Ball

Mits, Bats, and all other Supplies.

Corner Drug Store

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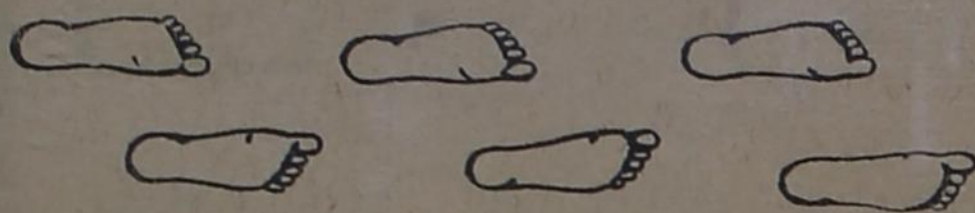
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Ladies' and Men's Clothes made to order--Misfits made to fit--Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Fine Hand Work. No pressing machine here.

We Cater to the Fine Trade.

Phone 15 Martin.

Ab's



Let us abstract the title
to your lands before you
lose by sleeping on your
rights.

Walters & Baker

Citation by Publication

To the Sheriff or any Constable of San Saba County—Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to summon S. Avery and the unknown heirs of S. Avery and Augustus Bernou and the unknown heirs of Augustus Bernou by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of San Saba County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in San Saba on the 3rd Monday in April, A. D. 1917, the same being the 16th day of April A. D. 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1917 in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 3005, wherein John Schneider is plaintiff and S. Avery and the unknown heirs of S. Avery and Augustus Bernou and the unknown heirs of Augustus Bernou are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple and in possession of the following described tract of land, situated in San Saba County, Texas.

Six hundred and forty acres of land known as survey No. 483 1/2, about 12 miles N. 5 E. from San Saba, patented to Charles Rolling, assignee of A. J. Shelby, by patent No. 181, Volume 9, and described by field notes as follows:

Beginning at the S. W. cor. of C. C. Schutz, 320 acres, survey No. 483 at a stake a P. O. brs. N. 25 E. 14 vrs. an Elm brs. N. 77 E. 4 1/2 vrs.; thence, E. 1900 vrs. to the S. E. cor. of said Schutz survey, a stake, a P. O. brs. S. 30 E. 5 vrs. do. N. 16 W. 8 1/2 vrs.; thence, South 1900 vrs to a stone mound; thence North 1900 vrs. to a stone mound; thence North 1900 vrs. to the beginning.

That the said Avery appears from the record of San Saba County to have an interest in said land, through a tax title which is invalid and conveyed no title, and the said Augustus Bernou and the unknown heirs of Augustus Bernou appear from the records of San Saba County to have some interest in said land under deed from the administrator and heirs of Charles Rolling.

Plaintiff represents that he and those whose estate he has claiming the same under deeds duly registered have had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of said above described land and premises, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes due thereon for a period of more than five years before the filing of this petition and this he is ready to verify.

Plaintiff further states that he and those whose estate he has claiming to have good and perfect right and title to said land described in this petition, has held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the same and having it enclosed in a fence for more than ten years prior to the filing of this suit, and this he is ready to verify.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited by publication to answer this petition and upon hearing hereof, he have judgment for the title and possession of said land and premises and for such other relief, special and general as he may be entitled to in law and equity.

Herein fail not, but have before said court at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under by hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in San Saba, this the 19th day of February, A. D. 1917.

(L. S.) Jno. H. Moore,
Clerk, District Court,
San Saba County.

Algerita Happenings

By "Sallie."

For a day or two the heavy clouds have been hanging over head and our farmers and stockmen have been anxiously looking for a regular "down-pour", but so far we have received only the light shower, that fell Saturday night.

School is progressing nicely, the coming week is examination week, and of course this means extra work for both the pupil and the teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Halden and daughters, Clara, Genevieve and Margaret, spent from Saturday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McNatt.

Messrs D. J. Jones and O. O. Graham motored to Locker Sunday.

The young people of Algerita attended a party Saturday night at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Graham. A large crowd was present and each one expressed himself as having a "grand time."

Miss Elsie Long and Mr. Joe Ascue motored to San Saba Sunday.

The San Saba high school baseball team came over and played the first game of the season with Algerita Saturday. It was an interesting and a clean game. The score stood 4 and 8 in favor of Algerita.

Mr. Dickerson and Miss Reba Carson of San Saba were in Algerita Saturday. Mr. Dickerson was attending to business in behalf of the telephone company.

Little Miss Monteray Hendrick received to-day the "Big ten-dollar Stick of Candy," given away by the Algerita Mercantile Company to the child who received the greatest number of votes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie McNatt spent the week end with the latter's father, Mr. F. B. Mathews of Indian Creek.

They play entitled the "Daughter of the Desert," (A typical western romance,) which won so much praise at Algerita, will be played by the home-talent club at Locker April the seventh. The public is cordially invited to be present.

Obituary

Roberts—John Henry Roberts was born in Kaufman County, Texas, Dec. 28, 1883, and died March 10, 1917, at the age of 33 years. He was married January 29, 1908 to Miss Amanda Matha Grumbles at Cleburne, Texas. To this union were born four children, two girls and two boys, of whom all survive. He also leaves a father and one sister and a host of friends at Wills Point, Texas, to mourn their loss. Deceased and wife were both born and reared in Texas. About two years ago they moved to Kansas and were living at Wichita at the time of his death, which was caused by a railroad accident at that place. His remains were laid to rest in the Hillside cemetery at Wichita, Kansas. Mr. Roberts led a quiet, sober life and was a kind and loving husband and father. The bereaved wife and children are now at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Grumbles, near San Saba where she has a host of relatives and friends who are sorry to learn of her sad bereavement. A Loved one.



War or no war, we sell you cheap groceries and thank you for the business. The New Cash Store. Will Ashby.

Letter From Panama Canal

(The following letter will be of interest to many News readers for the reason that it is from an old San Saba boy to a San Saba boy. It comes from the U. S. navy and that fact makes it of interest at this particular time.—Editor.)

Colon, Panama Canal,
March 19, 1917.

Mr. Raymond Estep,

Dear (Chick) Ray:—

I received your letter at Berton, Washington, and we were coaling ship and beat it to Mexico the next day. After we arrived at Manzanillo, Mexico, and were getting a little rest and could write a few letters. However, we received a wire from D. C. to get under way for the Canal Zone as soon as possible, nothing less than 18 knots speed, so we left on the 13th of March and arrived here the 17th, over 2000 miles in four days, so you can realize that I am not in the mood for a little comic. (Pal is on the Albany, one of the fastest ships in the U. S. navy.) The Canal is 30 miles long and has three different set of locks. Each lock has five gates 400 feet apart. We came through the canal Sunday, 18th, to this place and coaled ship again today—over 4000 miles on 500 tons of coal. We broke the record. So, kid, I'm an east coast sailor, so beware. I may have a chance to come on a visit since we come over here.

We leave Wednesday at 7:00 o'clock for New York. We will be away from this place just two weeks, another fast trip. We will then patrol the coast and guard the Canal, so we will be on the go for awhile. Believe me, the tides are not like they are on the west coast—about 500 feet higher so I will have to be easy on my eats.

Your devilish friend,
Pal Ballard.

"Liberty," a thrilling serial of Mexican Border Troubles every Wednesday night at the Majestic.

Backache

Miss Myrtle Cothrum, of Russellville, Ala., says: "For nearly a year, I suffered with terrible backache, pains in my limbs, and my head ached nearly all the time. Our family doctor treated me, but only gave me temporary relief. I was certainly in bad health. My school teacher advised me to

TAKE

Cardui

The Woman's Tonic

I took two bottles, in all, and was cured. I shall always praise Cardui to sick and suffering women." If you suffer from pains peculiar to weak women, such as headache, backache, or other symptoms of womanly trouble, or if you merely need a tonic for that tired, nervous, worn-out feeling, try Cardui.

John Deere Implements

If in need of a good Planter, Cultivator, etc., buy the old reliable John Deere and take no chances.

San Saba Mfg., Co.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1888.
A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

"Patria," Monday 9th, Free!

New Spring Goods

Just Arrived

Dress Goods, Embroideries, Laces, Hosiery, Ladies' Skirts, Shoes.

NOTIONS

Goods and Prices Guaranteed.

Also have a full line of Groceries and Drugs.

Bring us your Chickens, Butter and Eggs. We'll give you cash or trade.

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BEND, TEXAS

Child Bitten By Mad Dog

Mr. W. H. Linkenhoger's little 6 year-old son was bitten by a stray dog Monday afternoon and was carried to the Pasteur institute at Austin Tuesday to be treated as a precaution. The child was in the yard at the family home in the northern suburbs of this city when the dog passed thru and bit the little fellow on the arm. Mrs. Linkenhoger was nearby and drove the ferocious brute away, but was unable to rescue the child before the injury had been inflicted. The dog was killed and its head was sent to the Pasteur institute and after examination there the parents were advised to have the treatment administered to the child as a precaution against hydrophobia.—Goldthwaite Eagle.

Mrs. John Seiders, census enumerator for the San Saba Independent school district, has completed the work and is now busy making the consolidated rolls. The number of scholastics this year will exceed those of last year quite a little bit. The enumeration for last year was a total of 699 and the increase will carry it considerably past the 700 mark

The Turnpike Era.

Between the years 1780 and 1840 innumerable plans were made for the creation of turnpikes in the United States. There had been one great success, the Lancaster turnpike in Pennsylvania, and then came countless other projects. In 1811 New York had 137 chartered roads, with a total length of 4,500 miles, and the sum required to build them amounted to \$7,500,000. An era of canal digging and then of railroad building followed this period, but the canal promoters and railroad men had great difficulty in advancing their schemes. They were considered insane when they insisted that the mountains and plains could be conquered by these means of transportation.—Exchange.

Dockray wants your BEVO trade.



Mrs. Amanda Roberts and children arrived last week from Wichita, Kansas, and are now at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Grumbles, in the Pecan Grove community. Mr. Roberts was killed in an accident on the railway yards of Wichita several weeks ago, an account of which appeared in the News at the time.

BEVO is the "bone dry" drink in San Saba. Served in bottles by Dockray.

Manager, W. C. Dofflemeyer, of the Majestic Theatre is placing this town on the map as a movie town of the first rank. His announcement this week shows that he is getting the best that is to be had in the movie world. And this is nothing new. It is in keeping with the standard which he has maintained for some time of getting the latest and most popular movie actors for San Saba people. Manager Dofflemeyer is to be congratulated and the patrons of his show are to be congratulated on the featuring of Mrs. Vernon Castle in a town of this size at such an early date.

Lodge Directory.

San Saba Lodge, No. 612.
A. F. & A. M.



Regular Meeting, Saturday night on or before the Full Moon.
W. H. Hinyard, W. M.
T. A. Gose, Sec.



Alpha Lodge No. 204, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, meets every Thursday evening at Odd Fellows Hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend. I. D. Brumbelee, N. G.
John Seiders, Secretary.

Wagons Wagons

We have a good stock of wagons on hand, light draft, and the very best of material throughout, see
San Saba Mfg. Co.,

Stop That Bark

Use PENSLAR White
Pine and Spruce.

Guaranteed to be the best
Cough Medicine sold.

Simmons Drug Store

Table Showing How Flies Multiply

	Eggs.
June 1—One fly lays.....	120
June 10—60 flies lay.....	7,200
June 20—3,600 flies lay.....	432,000
June 30—216,000 flies lay.....	25,920,000
July 10—12,960,000 flies lay.....	1,555,200,000
July 20—777,600,000 flies lay.....	93,312,000,000
July 30—46,656,000,000 flies lay.....	5,598,720,000,000
Aug. 9—2,799,360,000,000 flies lay.....	335,923,200,000,000
Aug. 19—167,961,600,000,000 flies lay.....	20,155,392,000,000,000
Aug. 29—10,077,696,000,000,000 flies lay.....	1,209,323,520,000,000,000
Sept. 8—604,661,769,000,000,000 flies lay.....	72,559,411,200,000,000,000
Sept. 18—36,279,705,600,000,000,000 flies lay.....	4,353,564,672,000,000,000,000
Sept. 28—4,353,564,672,000,000,000,000 flies.....	

SWAT THE FLY!
STARVE THE FLY!
CATCH THE FLY!

**DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS;
SWAT THE FLY TODAY!**

NOW is the time to begin to swat the fly—right today. Don't wait until tomorrow. Perhaps you've noticed on mild afternoons when the sun is bright that one or two buzzed their deadly song about your ears. They're here. But there are only a few now. Maybe there was only one in your home. But did you swat it?



Get out the swatter that you used last year and kill the flies before they multiply. The fly is born in filth and lives in filth. It can't be blamed, then, because it carries a supply of bacteria constantly. Physicians say every fly that escapes the swatter now means several million equally evasive germ carrying insects in a month or so. To eliminate the housefly effectively you must eliminate it early in the season, before it has time to hatch its eggs. Get your screens ready. Bar the fly from the house. But if it slips by you—swat it.

SWAT THE FLY!

One of the first guns of preparedness in the fly crusade is a swatter.

Have you your fly swatter ready? If you haven't one get one.

If you have one don't let that deadly fly get away! Smash him now! Swat the fly!

Just a Few Ifts.

If you kill the first fly of spring, the second one and a few others no more flies will bother your premises all summer.

If you screen the house; if you protect all food-stuffs, including baby's milk.

If you keep the lid on the garbage can.

If you can keep the back yard clean.

If you do a few other things occasionally that you know should be done, but just as often forgot.

If you do these things flies will not die of old age upon your premises, but rather "pine away" and "drop off" in their early youth of inanition. That is a polite term for starvation, but starvation is good enough for a fly.

Clean, screen, kill and starve 'em early.

Swat the fly!

Fly Guilty of Murder.

Dr. Crumline of the Kansas state board of health discovered the murderous character of the fly in keeping a monthly record of infants who died from diarrheal diseases.

He found that deaths increased as flies multiplied.

In January, the season of no flies, deaths were only thirty-five, while during July and August, the season when flies swarm in greatest numbers and carry most filth and germs to the baby's bottle and the baby's lips, the deaths of little children soared to 176.

There is a call for such action NOW as will stop flies from breeding.

Will you heed that call now or wait until your own baby dies?

TEACH CHILDREN TO SWAT THE FLY.

GIVE your children the fly swatter and teach them to use it. Teach them to shun flies as you teach them to run from automobiles. The little tiny silent flies are more dangerous. They are killing a great many more children than the great big, noisy automobiles. Besides, teach your children to look for the flies, as one or another may stealthily sneak into your carefully screened house. Give a prize of a penny a dozen for all dead flies, and teach the children not to touch them, as they are dirty and may be carrying disease.

**EVERY ONE CAN HELP IN
SWAT THE FLY CAMPAIGN**

EVERY one should exert himself and help in these anti-fly campaigns. Start by keeping flies out of the homes. Inspect every nook and corner in the house and make it a point to see that everything is clean. The kitchen should be kept scrupulously clean, and the result will be fewer flies and less disease.



This inspection should take place once a week. Every Sunday morning English ships are carefully examined by the captains and other officers. If this were done in every household there would be better health for all.

There should be an organization against these insects, and this could be accomplished if people would inform their neighbors of the danger of houseflies. It is also essential that children should know the danger of flies and how to guard against it. Children should be taught by their teachers the importance of a clean school. Much illness will be prevented, doctors' bills will be reduced, the health of all improved, if homes are kept sweet and clean.

Do it now!
Delays are dangerous!
Swat that fly!

Preparedness is the big word of the country today.

Are you prepared for the fly invasion? There's an old saw that "an ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure."

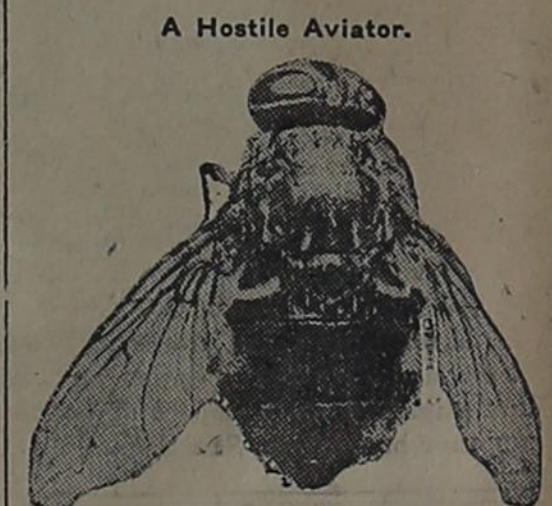
Here are some ways to prepare for the fly campaign:

Garbage.—This is food waste only. Always keep it in a metal can with a tight cover. Do not let flies get into it.

Rubbish.—This includes ashes, bottles, tin cans, junk and house sweepings. Always keep it in boxes or barrels of average size.

Waste Paper.—This should be kept from rubbish. Always keep it dry. Put it in burlap bags or tie it up in bundles. If kept in the basement it should never be near the furnace nor under the stairs.

Vacant Lots.—The owners of vacant lots are responsible for keeping them clean. Do not throw your rubbish or garbage in these lots. It is not good citizenship and is a menace to your health. Try to get them cleaned up and see if you can put in a garden.



A Hostile Aviator.

The housefly is a hostile aviator dropping bombs of disease upon the unsuspecting public.

FLY DANGEROUS AS TIGER.

IF a lion or tiger got loose from the circus mothers would take great care that their babies would not be found asleep in the path of these vicious animals. Now, most mothers know that flies bring germs and a great many know that the fly can bring the paralysis germ, and still they leave their helpless infants exposed to these terrible animals. A fly is just as dangerous as a tiger.

SWAT THE FLY!

Mrs. John O'Conner Gains Eight Pounds

Suffered from Stomach Trouble And Catarrh Five or Six Years—Regains Health Taking Tanlac.

Mrs. Jno. O'Conner, who lives at 338 East Oldham Street, Knoxville, Tenn., called up the Kuhlman-Chambliss Drug Co., recently and said she wanted to speak to the "Tanlac" man. When Mr. Willis answered the telephone, Mrs. O'Conner made the following remarkable statement:

"I just wanted you to know, and everyone else to know, what that Tanlac medicine has done for me. Why, I have gained eight pounds already, and have only been taking it for ten days. I have just finished taking the first bottle and have sent Mr. O'Conner back to the store this morning for another bottle. This Tanlac certainly does just what you say it will do. I began to eat better, sleep better, feel better from the very first dose, and the change in my condition has just been wonderful. I had a good doctor before I began using Tanlac, but he didn't seem to understand my case, and his medicine did not seem to do me any good, so I just set it aside and quit using it.

"For the past five or six years I have been in a run-down condition—nervous, weak and at times very dizzy. I had nervous headache and indigestion perfectly awful. My stomach was so weak I couldn't digest the lightest kind of food. I was nervous and depressed and slept very little. I had become so despondent over my condition I thought nothing could help me. It certainly was lucky for me when I heard of Tanlac. It is not like any other medicine I have tried—it seems to soothe my stomach, and is a fine tonic, too, because my appetite is good now, and I digest what I eat. If any one had told me there was a medicine on earth that would make me gain eight pounds in ten days, I would have thought them crazy.

"I don't believe there is another medicine on earth like Tanlac. My catarrh is also a great deal better—in fact, I hardly notice it any more."

Tanlac, the wonderful medicine that accomplished such remarkable results in Mrs. O'Conner's case, is sold in San Saba by The Corner Drug Store, in Locker by J. F. Coffey, in Richland Springs by D. J. Chapman and in Cherokee by Cherokee Drug Company.

Instant Action Surprises Many Here.

This grocer's story surprises local people: "I had had stomach trouble. All food seemed to sour and form gas. Was always constipated. Nothing helped until I tried buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka. ONE SPOON-FUL astonished me with its INSTANT action." Because Adler-i-ka flushes the ENTIRE alimentary tract it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICKEST action of anything we ever sold. The Corner Drug Store.

Miss Mary Hasty of Brownwood, district deputy for the Royal Neighbors of America, spent a part of last week with the local camp in a campaign for new members. She was, decidedly successful and quite a bunch of new candidates will be initiated at the regular meeting next Saturday night.

BEVO made by Anheuser-Busch Co. is bone dry. Get it at Dockray's.

Mr. Gibson of the Frowley Motor Co. of Dallas spent a part of last week with Raymond Estep exhibiting the merits of the Dort car.

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SAN SABA, TEXAS

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Law, Land, Loan and Abstract Office
SAN SABA, TEXAS

Star Meat Market

BEEF, PORK AND SAUSAGE
OLD FASHIONED BARBECUE
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THE UNDERWRITER AGENT
Writes Insurance
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SAN SABA, TEXAS

DRAYAGE
Good Teams and Wagons—Haul Anything Anywhere
Alex Casbeer

Repair Anything
Except Watches and Clocks
Prepared to do the work and give satisfaction. Agent AERMOTER Windmills and Gas Pumps.

W. H. JOEKEL

B. T. RICH
Wholesale Grain Dealer
Office in Murray's Drug Store
SAN SABA, TEXAS

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Feed, Feed
POULTRY, EGGS, HIDES AND BEESWAX.

Always call on me before you sell
H. W. BOLTON

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Dentist
Rooms 14 to 16 Clark Bldg.
Both Phones.

MODEL MARKET
Choice Meats and Sausage.
Polite attention and Prompt Service

H. W. BOLTON.

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



ATEXAS WONDER

THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hill, 2236 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

Feed - Feed - Feed

I have in Stock the best line of Feed to be had. Home ground pure mill run Bran. Some ground pure Corn Chops. The best Alfalfa, Johnson Grass and Prairie Hay on the market. I handle Meal and Hull and Nutraline in car loads. Free delivery any where in town.

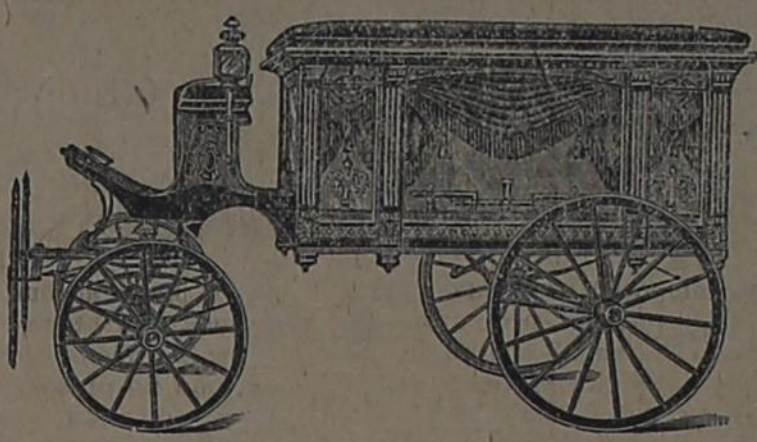
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MARTIN PHONE

At The Chocolate Shop

You can get the best chili, ham and eggs, steak and eggs, oysters, short orders.

Candies, cold drinks of all kinds and full measure. I get my ice cream from Waco, which is said to be the best in the state. Also I have a nice line of good jewelry and do all kinds of jewelry repairing. I have now in stock school supplies such as tablets, pencils and all kinds of nice stationery. You get everything first class at the Chocolate Shop. Don't fail to visit while in town.

Jones Can Fix It.



Wm. KAISER

Undertakers' Supplies

COFFINS AND CASKETS

The Model Bakery makes those handsome "butter crust" loaves. Try one and you'll be pleased.

We thank you for the nice patronage the people have given us at
The New Cash Store,
Will Ashby.

Chickens
Full Blood Brown Leghorn eggs, for sale at \$1.00 or prepaid for \$1.25 for 15 eggs from pen of selected stock. Cockerels imported Stock from Colorado and Nebraska. W. A. Jones, San Saba, Texas



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Hunt's Cure is especially compounded for the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ring worm, and Tetter, and is sold by the druggist on the strict guarantee that the purchase price, fifty cents, will be promptly refunded to any dissatisfied customer. Try Hunt's Cure at our risk. For sale locally by
Corner Drug Store

I am prepared to make special price on cases of BEVO, Dockray.

John Stribbling and Temple Bowen of Llano were visitors here Monday. The latter will return next week and accept a position with the Whitt Motor Co. Ice Cold. Dockray.

A Quiet Little Corner

The World is in a History Making Epoch. Momentous Events are Transpiring around the Globe, and in our own country as well.

Way off in an agricultural section of a border state, we are sheltered from the Tragedies which have never been equaled in the World's Experience. Way down here there is but a ripple of the upheavals which have Nations and Peoples engulfed—we are so far permitted to Marry and Give in Marriage, to Sow and to Reap—to Enjoy the Benefits of a Civilization which is On Trial for its very existence.

Sooner or Later the Ripple will become a Wave—What are we doing to Fortify Against Evil Times?

Are we Making the Best of our Present Opportunities?

START A BANK ACCOUNT TODAY

The First State Bank
RICHLAND SPRINGS

J. L. Burleson, Pres. J. B. Miller, Cashier.

PRAY FOR PEACE

But if we must have

WAR

Then go after victory

Just before you start VISIT THE DRY WEATHER STORE and C your Friend

T. C. HENRY

The Hinshaw Conservatory Party



THIS company is composed of a mixed quartet and a piano accompanist and presents a full concert program in the afternoon and scenes from the popular opera "Mikado" in costume at night on the opening day of the Chautauqua. This is an "all professional" company, and its presentations will prove one of the most enjoyable events of the whole season's music.

San Saba, April 14, 16 and 17 on Campbell Lot.

M. M. M. Club Entertains

The three Ms club was delightfully entertained last Thursday at the pretty home of Mrs. C. T. Jones. The rooms were beautifully decorated with blue birds swinging from the chandelier, window curtains and door ways in a most artistic way. The score cards were blue birds. "500" was the game and in a cut with Mrs. W. A. Martin and Miss Mamie Hagan the club prize went to Mrs. Sloan Kirk, a beautiful pair of silk hose in a blue bird box. The guest prize went to Mrs. E. S. Laird of Richland Springs. Delicious sandwiches were served in baskets tied with blue bows.

Club members and guests present were: Meses. J. A. Collins, Clarence Gosch, A. Hill, W. A. Martin, Sloan Kirk, D. R. Keenan, A. R. Mosley, Jas. H. Baker, Gordon Mackey, C. T. Jones and Mrs. S. E. Laird of Richland Springs, Misses Mamie Hagan, Gertrude Hill, Carrie and Mary Sanderson, Lucy Rector.

ATTENTION PIG CLUB MEMBERS

Mr. Griffin your former county agricultural agent, arranged to buy 50 registered Duroc Jersey pigs for boys of the pig club and let the boys have them giving their notes for same to any bank in the county.

Those that have not made definite arrangements for these pigs must in order to secure one one as they nearly all taken. They will cost \$10, and well worth \$20, but have been secured for \$10 by taking 50 of them. Any boy or girl who wants one can have it as long as they last by making arrangements for same. If not a member now they can join by making application.

You address me in San Saba or perhaps see me. I will have an office as soon as I can secure an up-town.

Yours for better pigs
R. P. ELROD,
County Agricultural Agent.

Read the notices in this issue of the News from the farm demonstration agent. Mr. Elrod comes from Gatesville, where he has been quite successful in this noble work. Last year his club membership lead the state in work and reports. He has been in the work for several years and brings all his former experience with him to San Saba county work. Mr. Griffin, who has been here for three years, goes to accept the work in Comanche county.

Trustees Sale

The State of Texas)
County of San Saba. }

Whereas, by virtue of authority vested in me, R. W. Burleson, as trustee, named and appointed in a certain deed of trust executed by the San Saba Cotton Oil Company, a private corporation, duly incorporated and existing under and by virtue of the Laws of the State of Texas, recorded in the Deed of Trust Records of San Saba County, Texas, in Vol. "O," pages 104, et seq., executed and delivered to me on the 9th day of July, A. D., 1915, by the said San Saba Cotton Oil Company, for the better securing of two certain promisory notes made, executed and delivered by the said San Saba Cotton Oil Company, to-wit:

One note for the sum of \$27,552.77, dated the 9th day of July A. D., 1915, due February 9th, 1916, after date, bearing interest from maturity until paid at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and with the further provision that if said note is not paid at maturity and is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, an additional 10 per cent on the amount of principal and interest should be added as collection fees.

Also one note for the sum of \$7181.68, dated the 9th day of July, A. D. 1915, due February 9th, 1916, bearing interest from maturity at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and providing that if said note was not paid at maturity and is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection an additional 10 per cent should be added as collection fees.

Both of said notes being payable to Ward, Murray & Co., Bankers, at San Saba, Texas, and being signed by San Saba Cotton, Oil Company, by R. G. Coryell, president, and attested by S. H. Walker, Secretary.

Said deed of trust conveying to me, R. W. Burleson, as trustee, for the better securing of said two notes, principal, interest and attorney's fees, the following described tracts, lots and parcels of land lying and being situated in the county of San Saba, State of Texas, to-wit:

First: 2.96 acres of land, being part of the O, Wilcox Sur. No. 38, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a "hub" set in the ground at the intersection of the North line of the right-of-way of the San Saba Extension of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe with the West line of a high-way sixty feet wide extending in a North and South direction along the West side of the Riverside Addition to San Saba Town; thence North along the West line of said sixty foot highway a distance of 389.9 feet to a stake for corner, which stake is set sixty feet West of the Northwest corner of Block No. 5 of said Riverside Addition and in the South line of third street of said Addition prolonged West sixty feet; thence West 360 feet to a stake; thence South 328.3 feet to a point of intersection with the North line of said Railway right-of-way; thence S. 80° 18' East with the North line of said Right of-way 365.2 feet to the place of beginning.

Second: All that certain lot or parcel of land designated as Lot No. 1, in Block No. 2, of the Seiders Addition to the Town of San Saba.

Third: All that certain lot or parcel of land designated as lot No. 1, in Block No. 4, of the Seiders Addition to the Town of San Saba.

Fourth: All that certain tract, lot or parcel of land, consisting of one acre, more or less, and being out of Sur. No. 37, originally granted to R. D. McAnnelly, and particularly described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of a tract of 1½ acres of land conveyed by John Seiders to R. B.

Creasy, C. M. Moore and J. W. Longley, by deed dated March 24th, 1900, recorded in Vol. 35, page 114, deed records of San Saba County; thence West 175½ feet to a stake in the South line of said Creasy, Moore & Longley tract; thence South 223 feet to a stake in the North line of a sixty foot street for the Southwest corner of this lot; thence East 175½ feet to a stake; thence North 223 feet to the place of beginning.

Fifth: All that certain tract or parcel of land, containing 4 acres of land, more or less, located about 1 1-2 miles East of the town of San Saba, and being out of the E. Gillman Sur. No. 35, and being particularly described as being all that tract of land lying North of the Main track of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railroad, out of the 45 acre tract of land conveyed by B. Thornton and wife to C. G. English, by deed dated the 15th day of October, 1912, recorded in the Deed Records of San Saba County, Texas, in Vol. "56," page 302 and 303.

Said Deed of Trust and the record thereof being hereby referred to for a more particular description of said above described notes and the above described tracts of land.

AND WHEREAS, T. A. Murray, R. M. Ward, Mrs. Adda Ward, Mrs. Popie Ward, Mrs. May Holman, Mrs. Ada Nason, Mrs. John A. Phelan, Mrs. D. W. Saunders, Mrs. W. A. Forster, Mrs. Effie B. Fentress, L. W. Lidstone, N. K. Lidstone, Mrs. N. D. Lidstone, Miss Leslie Lidstone and Mrs. Carribe Drouilhet, are the owners and holders of said above described notes, and the said San Saba Cotton Oil Company has made default in the payment of said notes, and that the same are long past due and unpaid, principal, interest and attorney's fees, said owners and holders of said notes having placed said notes in the hands of

Walker & Burleson, attorneys of this bar, and have contracted to pay them the ten per cent stipulated in said notes as attorney's fees; and whereas both of said notes are long past due and unpaid, now aggregating principal, interest and attorney's fees, the sum of \$42,356.90; AND WHEREAS, I have been requested by the above named owners and holders of said notes, to enforce said trust, I will offer for sale, between the legal hours thereof, to-wit: between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the first Tuesday in May, 1917, the same being the first day of said month, at the Court House door in the City of San Saba, San Saba County, Texas, the above described property, with all of the rights, members and appurtenances thereto belonging.

Witness my hand this the 3rd day of April, 1917.

R. W. Burleson,
Trustee.

Methodist dinner, Friday, Apr. 20.

PECAN SPECIALIST COMING

Mr. J. A. Evans, pecan specialist from the extension service of the A. & M. College of Texas will be here next Wednesday April 11th for the purpose of making a demonstration in top working and budding pecans. The demonstration will be made on the farm of G. W. Edmondson one mile north east of San Saba and every one is invited to be present and be taught how to do the work. It is free

R. P. ELROD,
County Agricultural Agent.

Mrs. E. W. Linn and children of Lometa and Mrs. Palmer of Kempner were in San Saba last week. The former was visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Holder, and Mrs. Paul Lehman, while the latter went to Wallace creek to see her brother, J. G. Atkinson. Mrs. Holder and children accompanied her mother home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bush Williamson of Gatesville, visited their daughter, Mrs. Oscar Whitt, last week. They were accompanied by their son, Lloyd.

Patriotic Rally in Chicago Shows Temper of Nation

CHICAGO, April 1—The voice of Chicago, speaking for its own millions and echoing the cry of the Middle West, spoke to the world Saturday. It told Germany that there is no divided sentiment here. It told President Wilson, congress and the entire nation that the day has come when America must protect its citizens on land and sea. It pledged all the people, regardless of party, race or station in life, to stand by the President. It declared the nation to be on the verge of war but met the issue unafraid and ready to give its sons, all its resources to uphold the honor of the nation.

The day closed with a fitting climax when thousands attended a great patriotic rally in the auditorium. Long before the hour of meeting the streets around the building were cheering throngs. The crowd sang the "Star Spangled Banner," "My Country 'Tis of Thee," "Dixie" and other patriotic songs. Bands blared forth soul-stirring melodies and martial airs. The multitude carried flags, the more youthful shouting and some with gray hairs weeping. Soldiers of all branches of the service swung along with measured tread. The city rested under a canopy of "red, white and blue."

WHOLLY AMERICAN CROWD

It was an American crowd. Men and women who recalled their childhood days along the Rhine touched elbows with the sons and daughters of France and the Latin and Slavic countries. Those from the great North countries sang only of the land of their adoption.

The melting pot of the nation had transformed all into worshippers of one flag.

So great was the throng seeking to attend and take part in the patriotic rally that overflow meetings extending for blocks along the lake front in Grant Park were quickly organized. Millionaires cheered along with laborers. Captains of industry joined with their employes in paying tribute to the flag and in pledging loyalty to the country. In the auditorium those present adopted a stirring set of resolutions advocating universal military training and pledging the support of the country to the President in whatever way he decides to protect the honor of the country.

Belief in the loyalty of all citizens of whatever nationality was expressed by all the speakers. There was no doubt about the war temper of the crowd. It was for war and war before our enemies are given opportunity to strike. The need for preparedness was accentuated and the government urged to force all classes to take up arms in defence of the country.

A beautiful assortment of fancy hosiery at Gaines & Fagg's.

F. E. Thompson of Winchell was a business visitor Thursday. He is with the Shelton Mercantile Co. who operate several big retail stores in Brown Mills and Coleman counties and was investigating the prospect of opening another business in San Saba.



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W. V. DEAN, Agent,
For Brown Bros Austin, Texas.

The News was in error last week in stating that 35 of the pigs for the pig club boys had been received. What we should have said was that this many had been spoken for already. They will be delivered some time later. The club members will be notified of the date.

Mr. and Mrs. Cobb of San Saba are spending a few days in beautiful San Saba. Mr. Cobb is a dry goods drummer. If we had a modern hotel lots of traveling men and their wives would spend many weeks here. In fact this would be the popular place for their summer vacation.

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