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SCHOOL NOTES

The News Editor has kindly consented to give each week a column to the school to be prepared by the students and to contain the news and affairs of school and school life. For this opportunity of expression we, the students, are sincerely thankful, and pledge to him our best efforts.

The following staff has been selected:

Editor-in-chief—Wilfred Barclay; News Notes—Mary Quinn; Society—Esther Lawlis; Foolishness—Willie Wilson.

One of the most important factors of Community life is the school. Here the elements of character are being moulded, and the foundations of good, honorable, American manhood and womanhood are laid. Patriotism, personal worth, honesty and piety are more developed in school than in any other environment. The school is also a potent force in the shaping of public thought.

It is a regrettable fact that a community often pays little attention to the school, beyond being assured that one exists. This is caused by a lack of understanding of school life and progress. It could be easily remedied by activities on the part of the students which would draw the attention and interest of those outside.

Our prime purpose is to bring school and home closer to each other. If we succeed in this our efforts will be far from wasted. We shall strive to turn in interesting material and to create enthusiasm for the most excellent school with which San Saba is blessed. Watch our column. We promise not to disappoint you.

—Editor-in-Chief.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Mass Meeting Elects Committee

At a meeting held Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock in the Club Hall, composed of the business men. The following committee was elected to meet a special committee of three directors of the Oklahoma & Texas Southern Railway Co. in consultation at an appointed time which will be set for a later date:

T. C. Henry Chairman, John F. Campbell, W. H. Kimbrough, W. H. Hinyard, R. R. Low, T. A. Murray, J. T. McConnell, S. E. W. Hudson.

This Railway Company has not decided route to be taken through San Saba County, or what point they will pass through Llano county. This may be an important movement and may terminate into something good for San Saba County.

Hon. P. M. Faver of Oklahoma City, was here this week on business and shaking hands with his many friends.

W. M. Moore came in Monday from Camp McArthur. He has his discharge from the army and will go from here to Sunnyside, Arkansas to be with his folks.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Miles W. Beck and family from Denton, Texas are here for a visit to Mrs. Beck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller.

Two Victory Huts To Be Named For Texas.

Two victory huts to be built somewhere in the foreign field where American troops are stationed have been designated to the State of Texas in over-subscribing its quota in the United War Work Fund campaign. The huts will be called "Texas Huts."

L. A. Coulter, State director of the campaign, received the following telegram yesterday morning from John R. Mott, national director of the campaign committee of New York, which reads:

"Glad to announce officially that Texas is entitled to name one victory hut, as it was one of the group of States to exceed its quota first. Your State stood third highest in per cent of over-subscription by midnight last Wednesday, and is therefore entitled to name second victory hut. Most hearty congratulations."

In explanation of this telegram, Mr. Coulter said, yesterday, that as originally planned, the first ten States to reach their quota would win the victory huts, and that in winning this hut, Texas was among the first ten to reach its quota. Furthermore, he explained that due to the fact that Texas ranked third highest in the amount of over-subscription the second hut had been won.—Dallas News.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Bud Crawford For Night Watchman.

In the election for night watchman that was held Saturday, Bud Crawford received 23 votes, Button Brown 14 votes and J. S. Seago, 1 vote.

Mr. Crawford has taken up his duties and wishes the co-operation of everyone in helping him perform the same to the satisfaction of the whole town. He is under the supervision of Dave Chadwick, City Marshal.

We feel that a night watchman means much to the safety of our city, not only from fire, but burglary and other things.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Both Tom Green And Williamson Are Voted Dry.

San Angelo, Dec. 1.—In the local option election held here today the Prohibitionists won their first victory by a vote of probably two to one. The complete returns of the city of San Angelo show a big majority and only four boxes remain to be counted, all small ones, that cannot possibly change the results.

Georgetown, Texas, Dec. 1.—Returns from the principal voting boxes in the County Saturday night indicate that the County had gone dry by a majority of probably two to one. Taylor gave only a majority of about 100 to the Anties. Granger, Bartlett and Georgetown give a big lead to the Pros. The vote was light.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

JOHNSON FREEZE PROOF
Will keep your cars from freezing. For sale by—G. A. Arhelger.

Lieut. F. A. Bass came in Monday from Camp Mabrey, Austin, Texas and returned Tuesday.

Kansas Winter Wheat Crop is Setting Record

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 27.—This year's Kansas winter wheat crop is the greatest ever planted by any state in the United States, according to an announcement today by the State Board of Agriculture, which estimates it at 10,825,631 acres.

The average condition of the crop is 96 per cent—26 points above conditions a year ago, and only one point below 1913, which gave the State her record crop of 181,000,000 bushels in 1914 from a planting of 9,062,000 acres.

W. S. S. Pledges Are Due— ON ACTIVE SERVICE IN FRANCE

Nov. 5, 1918

The News—
Look for all San Saba County boys home soon.

This big show will soon be over. With best regards for all your readers and friends.

Hugh Henry.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

OFFICIAL CALL FOR W. S. S. PLEDGE PAYMENTS

Official call for the complete liquidation of all War Savings Stamp Pledges before December 31 has been made by the Government. The call advises all persons who have made pledges to the United States Treasury Department to invest in these Government securities that they immediately buy War Savings Stamps to equal the unpaid amounts of their pledges or make arrangements to complete their pledge by December 31.

War Savings Stamps may be purchased at any postoffice or bank and from almost any business establishment. All United States mail carriers are representatives of the Department in the sale of War Savings Stamps.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

RED CROSS

The San Saba County chapter has received the yarn for sweaters and socks, for the chapters quota.

We are asked to speed up the knitting as the need is urgent. Let all Red Cross mothers do their "bit".

See Mrs. S. E. W. Hudson or Mrs. B. T. Rich.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Honoring Mrs. S. Z. Park.

Mrs. Edgar T. Neal was hostess to ladies of the Christian Church Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. S. Z. Park who leaves this week for Brownwood, where Mr. Park has recently engaged in business.

Scripture reading and pleasant conversation filled the hours from 3 to 5 o'clock. Refreshments included a salad course with sandwiches, hot chocolate and wafers. Mr. and Mrs. Park will be greatly missed from the church and social and business circles of San Saba, and the best wishes of a host of friends follow them to their new home.

Mrs. Mitch Johnson Hostess to Eastern Star

Mrs. Mitch Johnson, worthy matron of San Saba Eastern Star, extended the hospitality of her home Tuesday afternoon to the members of the chapter, honoring Mrs. S. Z. Park upon the eve of her departure for her new home at Brownwood.

This was a charming hospitality, and the painstaking hostess left nothing undone to make it one to ever be pleasantly remembered by those participating. While much regret was felt at the loss of a loved fellow member the afternoon's converse and association added a link to memory's chain that will long be cherished.

Music by Miss Johnson, Misses Eunice and Bertha May was a feature of the occasion and dainty refreshments were served to the following ladies: Mrs. Park, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. E. A. Murray, Mrs. Hinyard, Mrs. W. A. Martin, Mrs. Dismuke, Mrs. W. A. Smith, Mrs. H. Hopkins, Mrs. Edgar T. Neal, Misses Eunice and Bertha May, Miss Johnson and the hostess.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Board of Equalization

The Board of Equalization of the San Saba Independent School District, Messrs S. E. Kelley, Wm. Scott and S. W. Walker will meet in the Commissioners room at the Court House at 10 A. M. Monday, December 16th, 1918 for the purpose of hearing any complaints and answers to notifications sent out by the Board on tax renditions for said District.

John Seiders, Secretary.

Attention People.

You can buy salt peter, any quantity from us now. No restriction to limit.—Simmons Drug Store.

This is the first war in the History of the world that you can see with your own eyes. Each government involved has kept expert cameramen on the job continuously making moving pictures of the battles that the folks back home might know what war is. Saturday night, December 7th, the Majestic will show "Italy's Flaming Front," a picture showing air, land and Naval battles. You can't afford to miss an opportunity like this. Children 10c, Adults 20c.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Mrs. Geo. Harris returned Saturday from Marlin where she spent several weeks visiting her son, G. L. Harris and family.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

FOOT BALL AT FAIR GROUNDS

San Saba-Llano

Saturday, Dec. 7, 25 Cents.

This promises to be the hottest contest ever pulled off on this, San Saba's gridiron. The boys expect you to be on the hurrah line to enjoy this game.

TWO HEARTS MADE GLAD

You will be glad you came and so will we. We have what you want. Presents for—

Father, Mother, Sister, Brother, Husband, Wife and Sweetheart, and last but not least

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for the Children.

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We appreciate your patronage.

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A CALL OF LOVE AND MERCY

The war is over. How well we have fought the events of the last eighteen months tell. We have heard the call to arms, and nobly have we responded. We fought not for conquest, nor for commercial or territorial aggrandizement, but that all men and nations might enjoy that freedom of self government, liberty in thought, action and in religion that we that live in grand Old America have long enjoyed. The enemy have been overcome on the field of battle, and yet our work is by far uncomplete. For four and a half years the demon of war has stalked back and forth over bodies of the little nations of Poland, Belgium, Serbia, Rumania and Western and Southern Russia, burning devastation and laying waste the fair fields and homes of these lands, murdering, raping and torturing their citizens, leaving them stripped of all their worldly goods, their homes destroyed, without clothes and without food—a naked, destitute and miserable people.

From across the mighty deep comes the despairing cry of millions of voices, crying "come over and help us or we die." What will the answer of the American people be? Never in the history of the world has a nation been blessed with abundance of wealth like America. The God of nations has not bestowed this wealth without a purpose. Nations, like individuals, to whom much has been given much will be required. The destiny of this nation hangs on, the way to which our wealth is put. We have riches untold—shall we deny those that are starving and freezing apart of our plenty?

Our leaders in Washington have heard despairing cry of the millions in Europe that are starving, and is-

sued a world wide call, especially to the American people, to heed this cry, and to bend all of their energies towards the production and conservation of food and clothing. Mr. Herbert Hoover, United States Food Administrator, has been placed at the head of this work, and today in every county, city, town and state in the United States, he, through representatives, is calling upon the American people to answer this call and they have heretofore answered his call to save food for our armies and allies.

In this new work we haven't the incentive that we have heretofore had, our love for our boys, the cause for which they fought and our country, but we have an incentive equally as noble and as pending, and that is the love we hold for our fellow man, when we find him naked, hungry and in destitute circumstances. It is a call of love and mercy. We can fight, but can we do that which is sometimes harder, deny ourselves in order that others may enjoy with us our plenty.

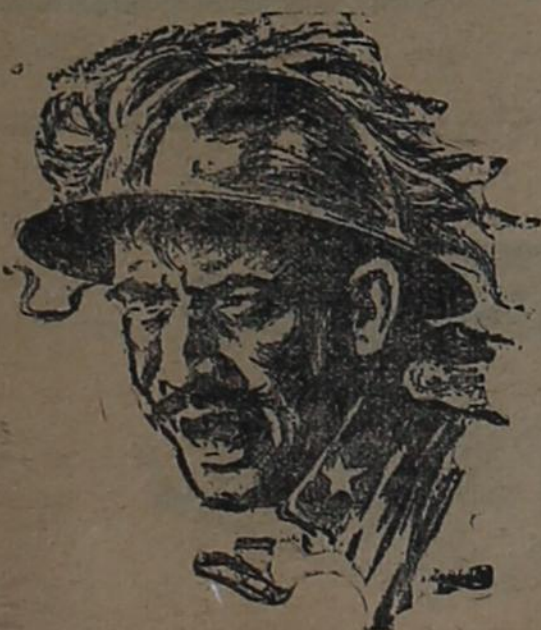
I appeal to every loyal American citizen—to every lover of his fellow man, to hearken to this call, and to put forth every effort to produce more food and feed stuff; to save and conserve; to waste nothing. To take no more on your plate than you can eat, or to throw away good food is criminal—this food would save the life of a little child. Our slogan has heretofore been Food Will Win the War, but we have changed it to "Food Will Save the World."

A great work indeed—will you do your part?

N. C. Walker,
County Food Administrator.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

J. R. McAtee was down Monday and Tuesday from Richland Springs on business.



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YOU CAN NOW SEE A GREAT BATTLE!

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BEND
(By Red Jacket)

On this beautiful day, as a spring day, everything looking green.

Our preacher of the M. E. Church preached Sunday night. All enjoyed the preaching.

Bro. Searcy is preparing to move down to the parsonage. Several wagons have gone to town today.

Mr. Jona Gage went to Lometa Monday with a car of hogs. There were seven wagons went. They were fat hogs ready for the market.

Mr. Herbert Hooten and wife are visiting Mrs. J. M. Gage this week. Mrs. Ella Hunter is spending a few days with Mrs. Rosa Wilds.

Mr. Sol Howard is preparing to leave his babies with Mr. Sutton to attend the Masonic Lodge at Waco. Mr. Howard has several babies to leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Haygood were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sunday.

Mr. Lee Chambers has a discharge from Camp Travis. He says he is glad to get home. He likes camps, but likes home better.

Mr. Will Chambers is preparing to move from Lometa back to his old home on the river, near Bend.

Mrs. Nora Gorman has moved to the little town of Bend.

Mr. Edd Hooper has moved to the John Lewis place.

Mr. and Mrs. Elder moved near Mr. Bob Lewis' place where he will farm.

Mr. Bill Millican, wife and daughter went to San Saba Monday.

Mrs. Annie Millican is fattening a big turkey for her son, Wille Elder, when he comes in from France.

W. S. S. Pledges Are Due— STRONG EVIDENCE

Is The Statement of This San Saba Woman.

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W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

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W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—
SEWING—Sewing of all kind done by Rachel Harris at Doc Williams residence. Satisfaction guaranteed.

W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—
MILLINERY SALE
Saturday December 7th and Monday December 9th. On these two days I offer all hats at 1-2 price. Up stairs T. C. Henry's—Mrs. S. J. Bross



FAIRVIEW (By Will)

Pretty weather prevails at this writing, though we certainly have had some rain, snow and sleet, considerable winter for November.

Leslie Jones left Saturday for Dallas to attend a business school.

N. W. Haley's mother and sister are paying him an extended visit.

School is progressing very well. Farmers will get busy breaking as soon as the ground gets dry enough. Grain crops are looking good.

Many farmers will save feed bills by grazing wheat and oat crops.

W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

BEND (By Gimlet)

By mutual agreement your scribe has obtained an assistant correspondent for the News so if we don't appear the new correspondent will. And in this way you will hear from your old home every week. We appreciate the courtesies shown us for the past twenty years and hope it has been equally with the editors. While we sometimes don't get all the locals or cross all T's, but it is not our intention to miss your name or miss-spell some things. It is not possible for us to hear the locals till it is old. The telephone service is not the best. We hope the people will set their heads for contributing a better service.

For fear we spoil the new correspondent's writeup we will close.

Ever remember we have not quit and we reserve our space in the columns of the San Saba News.

W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Air, Land, and Sea fighting shown in "Italy's Flaming Front" at The Majestic Saturday, December 7th. Children 10c Adults 20c

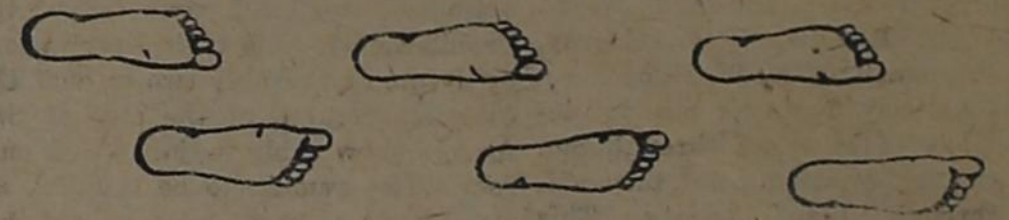
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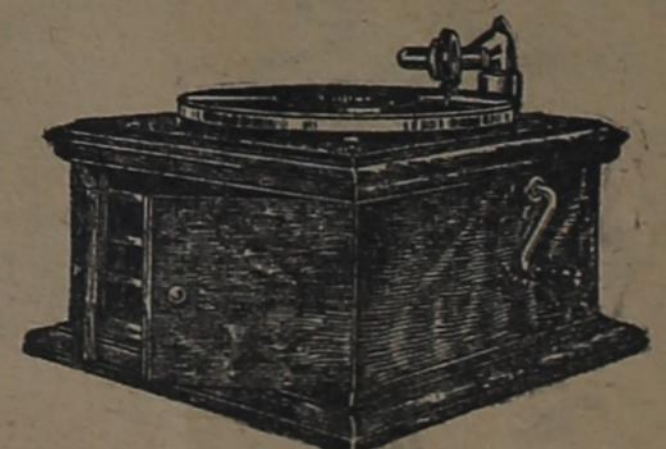
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MILLINERY SALE
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**ALLIES ARE FED
BY SELF DENIAL**

**Generous Doing Without in
America Supplied Food
to Europe.**

Exports from this country since it entered the war have kept starvation from Allied Europe and have maintained the health and strength of those who have been bearing the brunt of our battles, so that they could hold out to victory. Now that hostilities have ceased we must assume the added burden of keeping starvation from increasing its toll upon the millions who have been liberated from the Prussian yoke. Famine would undo the work which has been accomplished in freeing the world for democracy. No stable government can be established and maintained by a nation harassed by hunger. A starving people turns to rioting and anarchy. Food has given strength and courage to the nations fighting for democracy; it must now give the nations strength and tranquillity to re-establish themselves in freedom and democracy. Without our help it would have been absolutely impossible for the Allies to maintain a living ration. Since our entry into the war we have been contributing largely to the support of one hundred and twenty million people whose normal food supplies have been cut off, whose production has fallen almost to the vanishing point, whose fields have been devastated by Germany. The food exported from the United States in the past year has been sufficient to supply the complete ration of twenty-two million people. It is hard to grasp the magnitude and significance of the assistance which has been lent the Allies by the patriotic, voluntary service of the American people. The food we sent abroad last year would have been sufficient to feed one-fifth of our population. And this was done in spite of the fact that we entered the year with short crops. Our surplus was practically nothing. An overwhelming proportion of the food that left this country last year was saved out of the normal home consumption of our own people. In spite of difficulties met in internal transportation and shortage of ocean tonnage our food exports last year amounted to a figure that a few years ago would have been unbelievable. Even the most optimistic element of our population faced with anxious consternation the prospect which opened before us with the beginning of the 1917 harvest year. The American people have not been compelled to save. They have been appealed to on the basis of humanity and of patriotism. They have responded voluntarily.

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THE FAMOUS BARGAIN STORE

**RICHLAND SPRINGS
"C"**

Mrs. M. E. Hamrick received a telegram Monday afternoon from her son-in-law, C. T. Coles at Breckenridge Texas stating that his oldest son, Bernice Coles was killed in action in France November 5th. A cablegram had just reached him of the death. Bernice was reared here by his grandmother, Mrs. Hamrick, his mother having died when he was a small boy, leaving him and two younger brothers and the father. His only close relatives here to mourn his death is Mesdames Ellen Crane and H. A. Graham, and they certainly have the sympathy of the entire community at this time in having to give up one in the foreign fields where the loved ones could not assist or do something for him in his last hours. Bernice was a member of the First Christian church at this place, having joined several years ago before moving to Breckenridge with his father.

Robert Smith left here Tuesday for Arizona where he goes to accept a position.

Henry Roberds has sold his teams and dray wagon to Mr. Archer of Hall Texas.

Sunday afternoon G. W. Brown of Lakeview and Miss Ethel Wood of the same community came here to the home of Bro. Wm. Chapman and had him perform the marriage ceremony. Miss Wood is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Wood and we personally do not know Mr. Brown. His acquaintances say he is an industrious young farmer. Best wishes to this couple.

A. J. Wise went to Comanche county Monday in his car on business. He will probably go from there to Moran Texas before returning home.

Bro. C. O. Boatman of Cherokee came over Saturday night, and went to Vargas Chappel Sunday morning, to fill the appointment there. He was accompanied by Jno. Kavanaugh and at the evening services he came and preached here at the M. E. Church.

O. A. Tombs has sold his Cafe on main street to Messers Henry Roberds and W. F. Miller.

Jack Bentley came home last week from Orange, Texas, where he has been working in the ship yards. He and Raymond Penn went to Brownwood on Saturday's train.

Vernon Chapman and nephew of Gorman came over Monday for a few days visit here with relatives. Vernon has quit work in Houston on account of his health, and probably locate on a farm near Gorman.

Mrs. Tom Brown and children of Voca came over and spent several days this last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Miller.

Wilbur Brown of Camp Logan at Houston spent Thanksgiving here with his folks, returning to Houston Sunday.

Mrs. R. M. Hanna of Bowser was here Saturday. She went to Belton on the afternoon train for a few days visit with her daughter, Miss Susie before going to California to spend the winter with her married daughter.

Miss Rosa Haynes has been confined to her bed the past week with high fever and cold, and isn't able to teach this week in the school.

Mrs. J. R. McAtee is home from a visit in San Antonio.

Bryan Burleson of Camp Bowie came Thanksgiving to see his mother having returned Saturday.

Miss Grace Carroll and Ann Walters of San Saba spent the week end here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Lewis returned to her home in east Texas Friday after having spent several weeks near Holt with her granddaughter, Mrs. Frank Griffith.

Misses Yrma Davenport and Mctor Miller of Howard Payne College Brownwood came home Thursday returning Sunday.

Jno. Miller who is in the U. S. Service spent a few days here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Miller. His sister Miss Willie Miller, and Misses Beatrice and Ollie-Maude Roberds took him to Rochelle Saturday evening so he could catch the Frisco to Ft. Worth, from there he went to his camp in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Harrison Murray and two children of San Saba spent Saturday and Sunday here with her father, A. J. Duncan.

The eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Tally of Neal died Saturday after a weeks illness with the Influenza, and was brought here and interment was made in the cemetery here Sunday afternoon.

Charlie Coughran returned to Brownwood Sunday where he is attending school at Howard Payne College.

Tom Carter is expected here the latter part of the week from Camp Mabry, all the men in the mechanical department have been released since the Armistice was signed.

Miss Ima King after spending ten days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. King, went to Temple where she will resume her studies in nursing.

Mrs. P. N. Johnson of Houston was here a few days last week seeing after her home, and other business matters. She will make Houston her home for awhile as Hubert, the son has a good position there.

Miss Ona Lancaster of Teague, Texas arrived Sunday to visit her friend, Miss Nora Richmond near Shiloh.

Little Miss Jewel Smith went to San Saba and spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Ledbetter.

Messers Sam and Clyde Coles of Breckenridge arrived here Tuesday evening for a visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Hamrick.

Miss Ethel Davenport was called to Brady Monday to nurse her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Branscum who has the Influenza.

MILLINERY SALE

Saturday December 7th and Monday December 9th. On these two days I offer all hats at 1-2 price. Up stairs T. C. Henry's—Mrs. S. J. Bross

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—
Pecans—Pecans—Pecans

The season is about over but we are still buying. If you have any bring them to us—large or small lots. —J. W. McConnell & Sons.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

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 5th day of December, A. D. 1918. 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.

**Meeting of Woman's
Missionary Society.**

There was an enthusiastic meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church on December 2. The following officers were elected for the new year: President, Mrs. E. A. Murray; First Vice President, Mrs. Paris Walker; Second Vice President, Mrs. R. S. Crain; Superintendent of study and publicity, Mrs. T. F. Dimmitt; Superintendent Social Service, Mrs. A. R. Hill; Superintendent Supplies, Mrs. G. A. Arhelger; Superintendent Ways and Means, Mrs. John Seiders; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. John Campbell; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Sam Walker; Treasurer, Mrs. Huts Owen; Local Treasurer, Mrs. T. C. Henry; Agent for Missionary Voice, Mrs. E. M. Dickerson; Pianist, Mrs. Rheube R. Low.

All the ladies of this church are urged to come and join the society and enjoy helping in the good work being done. There will be something interesting at the church next Monday, December 9th, from 4 to 5. All ladies welcome.

Mrs. T. F. Dimmitt, Supt. Pub. —W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

AT CATHOLIC CHURCH
Father Gannon will be here and say Mass, Sunday, December 8th at 10:00 o'clock.

JOHNSON FREEZE PROOF
Will keep your cars from freezing. For sale by—G. A. Arhelger.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—
ALGERITA
(By Petra.)

Farmers are elated over the bottom season in the ground and prospects for a bumper crop in 1919.

Joe Eckert left Saturday for Garland, Texas to get a location.

People are talking road tax and road bonds.

Ervin Barnett has been discharged from army service at Camp Travis, and has returned home.

Sherman Shoemaker visited Sunday at Barnett.

M. J. Lane and family visited Sunday at F. E. MacGregory's.

Dock Jones who has been confined to his bed is able to be up.

Mrs. P. N. Johnson of Houston is here visiting relatives and friends. The late frost has killed our top crop of cotton.

Bob Brown and wife in answer to a telegram came in Friday to the bed side of his father, who was dangerously ill.

F. A. Swails received a cablegram that on September 22, his son, Tom in France while in action was seriously wounded. Tom, Emmitt Hall and Burnice Coal all went over the top at the time Tom received his wound but we predict that Tom got his share of the Germans as he was brave and a crack marksman.

The News is growing better all the time.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—
"ITALY'S FLAMING FRONT" at The Majestic Saturday December 7th. Children 10 cents Adults 20 cents.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—
Joe Clark, has returned home from Austin and has his discharge from the army. He has been connected with the Motor Transport.



**An International Service Built
on Tiny Profits Per Pound**

Some industries have been able to get in step with war demands more quickly than others.

In many cases mighty plants have sprung up—but at a prodigious cost.

The packing industry was able to adapt itself to unheard of demands more quickly, perhaps, than any other industry. And this was because the vast equipment of packing plants, refrigerator cars, branch houses, etc., had been gradually developed to its present state of efficiency, so that in the crucial hour it became a mighty international system for war service.

And how had this development taken place?

Not by making vast inroads into the capital wealth of the country, but largely by using, from year to year, a portion of the profits, to provide for expansion.

Swift & Company's profits have always been so tiny, compared with sales, that they have had practically no effect on the price of meat (amounting to only a fraction of a cent per pound).

And yet the owners of the business have been content with reasonable returns on their capital, and have been able, year after year, to put part of the profits back into the business to provide for its expansion.

These fractions of tiny profits have been repaid to the public many fold in the form of better service, and better and cheaper meat, and made it possible for Swift & Company to meet, undaunted, the sudden cry for meat for overseas.

Could any other method of financing a vital industry involve less hardship to the people of the country? Could there be a better instance of true "profit-sharing" than this return in added usefulness and in national preparedness?

Swift & Company, U. S. A.



LODGE DIRECTORY

Alpha Lodge No. 204, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, meets every Thursday evening at Odd Fellows Hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend.

M. G. Estep, N. G.

J. B. McDonald, V. G.
W. W. Skelton, Rec. Sec.
John Seiders, Fin. Sec.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

METHODIST CHURCH

Services Sunday Dec. 8th.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday 7 p. m.

The people are invited to these services especially will you be welcomed Sunday morning.

J. F. Lawlis, Pastor.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Miss Lucy Rector spent Thanksgiving in Temple with friends and relatives. She returned Tuesday.

Geo. Horton and wife came in Wednesday. Geo. has been in the army, and was stationed at Little Rock, Arkansas.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Burleson have returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Worth Price, at Waco, Texas.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

The benefits of our food-saving campaign that was a vital factor in the winning of the war were not all to these we fed. We have at home a new appreciation of food that will prevent it ever being wasted again by those that have come to understand the religion of saving and the place that food occupies in our new, world-wide human relations.

Out of empty granaries to draw 141,000,000 bushels for export—the will of a free people accomplished that marvel.

Do you remember when food control by voluntary action was deemed a daring adventure in democracy?

FEED—FEED—FEED

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

O. K. WAGON YARD
J. H. HAMRICK, Prop.

BIG SALE AT LOW PRICES

200 pairs of Ladies Shoes, small sizes, from 2 1-2 to 4 to close out at cost.

Winter Underwear for ladies and children to go at cost in this sale.

MEN'S AND BOY'S SUITS

Here is your chance to get that Xmas suit at a very low price.

Ladies Skirts of the finest grade Many beautiful styles, all go at low prices.

A big lot of Men's hats, all sizes, to close out.

Middie Blouses, Corset Covers, Handkerchiefs, Christmas socks and suspenders, Notions of all kinds for Xmas presents.

BIG SALE STARTS TODAY

You cannot afford to miss buying these special named articles as I am closing them out.

All I want is for you to come, see and price them and you will be convinced that we are selling at low prices.

YOUR FRIEND
T. C. HENRY

Headquarters For Santa Claus.

Candies of all kinds, nuts, apples, oranges, anything you want. I have a large stock of Christmas goods, lots of toys for the children. My prices are guaranteed to be very reasonable. Come early if you expect to get what you want.

R. A. Sears.
—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Have you paid your November account—It is now past due—J. W. McConnell & Sons.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

We always buy hens, frying chickens and turkeys at the highest cash price—J. W. McConnell & Sons.

AT MY OLD STAND

Buying FURS. Highest prices paid. See me before you sell.—G. W. Edmondson, South of Square.

Miss Bertha May returned Tuesday from Denton, Texas where she has been for the past several months. On her way home she stopped at Ft. Worth to hear Billy Sunday preach.

Mrs. W. A. Smith and son, William Baxter returned Tuesday after a months stay in San Antonio.

"The Kaiser, The Beast of Berlin" at The Majestic Xmas day, Matinee and night.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

JOHNSON FREEZE PROOF
Will keep your cars from freezing.
For sale by—G. A. Arhelger.

Mrs. Piety Biggs and Mrs. G. A. Arhelger were called to Lyons this week to be with Mrs. Biggs' daughter, Mrs. Harry Wayland, who is very sick.

PURPOSES OF FOOD ADMINISTRATION THE DAY OF ITS BEGINNING.

The hopes of the Food Administration are threefold: So to guide the trade in fundamental food commodities as to eliminate vicious speculation, extortion and wasteful practices and to stabilize prices in essential staples.—Herbert Hoover, August 10, 1917.

SEVEN LOAVES OF BREAD FOR EVERY PERSON IN U. S. SAVED FROM WASTE

Farmers and Threshermen Patriotically Respond to Call of Food Administration.

From information received by the U. S. Food Administration from the principal grain growing states, it is now possible to announce with fair accuracy the amount of wheat saved last harvest by improved methods of handling. According to official calculations, efforts toward cleaner threshing saved fully 16,000,000 bushels of wheat with corresponding savings of other small grain harvested and threshed in a similar manner. In addition, other states, though unable to furnish figures, reported greatly reduced harvest losses.

The figure for wheat alone is equivalent to seven one-pound loaves of bread for every person in the United States and represents food that formerly was either an absolute loss or was recovered to only a slight extent by poultry and livestock. While opportunities in this branch of conservation were large, the quantity of grain recovered surpasses early expectations. It is noteworthy also that results were secured principally through voluntary co-operation.

No conservation measure of the Food Administration, it is declared, has received more wholehearted support than that pledged and rendered by farmers and threshermen toward reducing grain waste at its source.



Mrs. Henry Ketchum was taken to Temple Tuesday for an operation. She was accompanied by Mrs. U. M. Sanderson, Mrs. Worth Doran and Dr. H. H. Taylor.

Business Directory

MESSRS. RECTOR & RECTOR
Lawyers and Real Estate Agents
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G. A. Walters J. H. Baker
WALTERS & BAKER
Law, Land, Loan and Abstract Office
SAN SABA, TEXAS

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Beef, Pork and Sausage
Old Fashioned Barbecue
Martin Phone 23 Texas Phone 33
Carroll & Dickerson, Props.

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SAN SABA, TEXAS

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SAN SABA, TEXAS

DR. G. A. WILSON
DENTIST
Office in Clark Building
Suite No. 6

WALKER & BURLESON
LAWYERS
Practice in all courts of the State
Notary Public in Office
SAN SABA, TEXAS

G. H. HAGAN
Real Estate—Loans—
Fire Insurance
Abstracter

MILLINERY SALE
Saturday December 7th and Monday December 9th. On these two days I offer all hats at 1-2 price. Up stairs T. C. Henry's—Mrs. S. J. Cross—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

To Avoid and Relieve Influenza

BY DR. FRANKLIN DUANE.

Many people have been frightened by what they have read or heard of influenza. The more you fear the disease, the surer you are to get it. Go right about your business and forget it. As the disease is spread principally by contact thru sneezing, coughing or spitting, many health authorities have advised that everyone wear a gauze, which is daily washed and saturated with a one to five hundred solution of zinc sulphate in water, and then dried before wearing over the nose and mouth. You should avoid crowds, common drinking cups and public towels. Keep your strength up by taking lots of exercise in the open air and plenty of nourishing food.

If you have any of such symptoms as chilliness, nasal obstructions, flushed face, headache, feverishness, restlessness, weakness, or irritating cough, give up work at once and go to bed. This will save your strength to help overcome the disease. Put your feet in hot water for fifteen minutes. Thoroughly loosen the bowels with some such mild and non-irritating physic as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Drink principally of hot lemonade and then cover up with plenty of clothes in bed so as to get a good sweat. When sweating is free and the fever reduced take a dose of two Anurie Tablets every four hours, followed by drinking at least a glass or two of hot water. Anurie Tablets help quickly to relieve the soreness of the muscles and bones from which most patients complain and help the kidneys flush out the poisons.

To relieve nasal obstructions and excessive discharge from the nose, probably nothing is better than such a mild, soothing, antiseptic wash as Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. It will give great relief. Employed as a gargle, in same strength as made up for use in the nose, and as hot as can be borne, it quickly arrests soreness and dryness in the throat.

Influenza weakens the patient's resistance to disease, so that there is danger of bronchitis and pneumonia developing. To combat this tendency and fortify the patient's strength insist that he keep in bed at least two days. Probably nothing will at this stage hasten the recovery and strengthen the patient more than an Iron tonic tablet called "Ironite" or that well known herbal tonic, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which has been used by thousands in the past two generations.



Wetproof Steel Lined Shot Shells

DOUBLE your duck hunting luck in rough weather with the right shotshells—Remington UMC Smokeless "Arrow" or "Nitro Club" Wetproof Steel Lined "Speed Shells," made to stay dry and firm as a bullet no matter how wet the pocket that contains them, and shoot right.

With the right shells in your Remington UMC Pump Gun or Autoloading Shotgun there will be no hitch at the critical moment—no gun jammed with a water-soaked and swelled shell—no fizzled shots from mushy turn-overs of the shell ends.

Remington UMC Smokeless "Arrow" and "Nitro Club"

Wetproof Steel Lined "Speed Shells" are completely proofed against wet by a wonderful and exclusive process, which it took three years to perfect. This improvement costs you nothing.

Just buy the same favorite "Arrow" or "Nitro Club" brand, as usual, at the regular price. You will get the Wetproof improvement extra,

In black powder shells, buy the old reliable "New Club," now Wetproof sealed at turnover and top wad.

Sold by Sporting Goods Dealers in Your Community
Clean and oil your gun with REM OIL, the combination Powder Solvent, Lubricant and Rust Preventer

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without charge. You will not be able to see this improvement but you will know it is there when you put it to the test of shooting under conditions which only Wetproof shells can stand.

They will stay hard and smooth as usual, with the turned-over end entirely firm and top wad flat. If you can detect any difference in the results in shooting them when they "ought to" be good and wet, you will be the first to succeed in doing so. The same highest dependability and performance qualities as always



Keep Well

Do not allow the poisons of undigested food to accumulate in your bowels, where they are absorbed into your system. Indigestion, constipation, headache, bad blood, and numerous other troubles are bound to follow. Keep your system clean, as thousands of others do, by taking an occasional dose of the old, reliable, vegetable, family liver medicine.

Thedford's

Black-Draught

Mrs. W. F. Pickle, of Rising Fawn, Ga., writes: "We have used Thedford's Black-Draught as a family medicine. My mother-in-law could not take calomel as it seemed too strong for her, so she used Black-Draught as a mild laxative and liver regulator. . . . We use it in the family and believe it is the best medicine for the liver made." Try it. Insist on the genuine—Thedford's. 25c a package. E-75

School Taxes Due

The taxes for the San Saba Independent School District are now due and we are ready to give receipts for payments made. Inquire also about delinquent taxes for former years, and save costs of advertisement.

As Assessor of this District, the undersigned will be in his office over W. R. Harris' store for the next ten days for the purpose of completing the listing of property and taking renditions for 1918, and correcting mistakes, if any, for we find that several parties are paying taxes on the wrong lands and lots while their property is being placed on the "Unknown" and "Unrendered" lists.

JOHN SEIDERS,
Assessor and Collector.
—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

Did you pay your account with us on the first? It is due, we cannot carry it for you. Please do not compel us to ask you for it the second time.—J. W. McConnell & Sons.

It has been decided by the ladies of the A. E. S. to organize the Eastern Star sewing club, the first meeting to be held Tuesday December 17, with Mrs. G. A. Arhelger.

To The People of San Saba Circuit.

I am now living at the parsonage at Chappel and the appointments will remain as they were last year. Will be on hand at the regular day and hour. Let everyone come to church.

A. C. Searcy P. C.

—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—
A big one—"Italy's Flaming Front" at the Majestic Saturday. Children 10 cents Adults 20 cents.

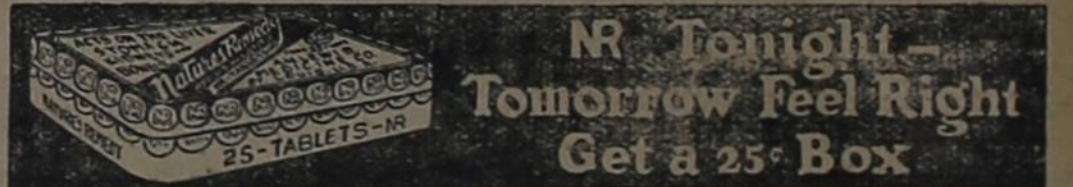
—W. S. S. Pledges Are Due—

NOTICE

All my pastures in Llano and San Saba counties are POSTED and this is to notify all parties that hunting and trespassing of any character whatever is absolutely forbidden and anyone violating this rule will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. I do not want to give anyone any trouble but I must protect my pastures from trespassing of any character and will not hesitate to do so.

A. A. Hufstutler.

Monk Ballew, Lewis Ballew and Boyce Lawson, were here Sunday from Brownwood, returning Sunday night.



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IS TO HAVE A BANK ACCOUNT

These are days of co-operation, organization, and team-work.

Man can no longer succeed all alone, unhelped and unhelping—nor does he wish to.

Real success now means increased usefulness. A Bank account will make you more useful.

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