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## We Appreciate Your Business

The highest class of service consistent with sound banking is always at the disposal of our customers.

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## First National Bank of HANSFORD.

### Murray Clifton Douglas

The subject of this sketch was born in Collin county, Texas, near Farmersville, on April 25, 1883. There he spent his early boyhood days, living at the place of his birth about six years. In 1902 the family immigrated to Greer county, Oklahoma, where they resided until 1904, coming from there to Hansford county. The family have been highly respected residents of this community for the past 18 years. In his youth, boyhood and young manhood Murray enjoyed good health; was active and vigorous. About two years ago he was injured in an automobile wreck, from which he never recovered, and which finally resulted in his death on October 28, 1919. During those two years of illness he seemed to be content, not having a disposition to complain. Just a short while before his death he said that if he could not recover completely from his injuries, he would rather die, as life was miserable as it was. Then, as he approached death a door he said, "I do not mind dying, oh, well, everything is for the best."

Allen & Allen, attorneys of Perryton, were looking after business matters here Tuesday.

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### Good Roads Meeting

A number of Hansford-Spearman business men, members of the Hansford County Chamber of Commerce, went out to the Wilbanks school house, three miles east of Spearman on Monday night of this week and met with the farmers of that settlement to discuss the matter of a better road from Hansford to the east line of the county. The meeting was not as well attended as it might have been, but those who were present were enthusiastic in their praise of the work now being done by Messrs. Buchanan and Dacus on the Hansford-Spearman road and were unanimously in favor of keeping these men busy with the new road building machinery recently received until cold weather puts a stop to the work. There is not sufficient money in the county road and bridge fund to do much in the way of road building. This was explained by Judge Townsend, who also told the audience how the machinery had been purchased by our county commissioners with warrants, in order that a start might be made toward building roads in Hansford county. He also made it clear that only a just and equitable portion of the county funds could be used on any one road and that if this road from Hansford to the east county line running through Spearman, was graded this fall, the expense thereof would have to come from other sources than the county. The Chamber of Commerce then took the matter in hand and President Thayer asked for volunteer subscriptions to the road building fund. The estimated cost of grading a road on the flats with the county's present equipment is \$40 to \$60 per mile, and it was decided to raise at least \$600 and apply the same or as much thereof as is necessary, to completing this road. Those present at the meeting pledged \$250 and President Thayer appointed a committee composed of Hicks L. Wilbanks, A. J. Wilbanks and E. H. Barber to canvass the community adjacent to the road and raise the remainder of the amount. Hicks L. Wilbanks informed the Headlight Wednesday night that the committee had almost the required amount pledged and that it would be no trouble to get the remainder. Land owners along this important highway seem to be thoroughly alive on the good roads subject and are donating liberally toward this fund. Now that our board of county commissioners have made it possible, by the purchase of the proper machinery, to build roads so cheaply, nothing but bad weather should stop that machinery. It should be running every day in the year that the weather will permit. Of course there are those who will be benefited by the good roads but will not donate one cent. Very well. The short-sighted, narrow contracted baronies we have with us always. Every town and community is thus afflicted, but what of it. A few fleas are good for a dog. They keep him busy, and he has no time to grieve about being just a dog. This insures one stretch of good road for Hansford county and will start the ball rolling. Again we say, on with the good work until every public road in Hansford county is a good road.

Miss Bossie Barkley entertained a number of her friends at a hallow'een party last Friday night. Judging from the noise they made the little fellows must have had a royal good time.

F. A. Shapley was in from the north flats Tuesday and went out east to see the county's new road machinery in operation. Mr. Shapley's family is in Guyton, where the children are attending school, and he has rented the farm and intends to join them there for the winter.

The Headlight printed a nice order of stationery for the Panhandle Lumber Company, Spearman, this week. Abe Green, their local manager at Spearman, was formerly with the Panhandle Lumber Co. at Miami, where he met many Hansford county people, and he invites his old friends to call and see him.

Dr. Joseph C. Jones returned Tuesday from Milwaukee, where he spent several days looking after business matters. Dr. Jones informs the Headlight that he is arranging his affairs to move to the city of Milwaukee in the near future, where he will practice his profession. He has secured the position of surgeon for the Milwaukee and St. Paul railway.

B. F. Wallin was in the city Wednesday settling up his business affairs preparatory to moving to Clarendon, where he recently bought a home. He will start an emigrant car from Texhoma Saturday. Mr. Wallin is planning to hold a big auction sale of live stock and farm implements at his old home in the near future. When the date of the

### C. of C. Doing Good Work

Had you stopped to think of the good work being done by the Hansford County Chamber of Commerce. If you need something to remind you that there is such an organization and that it is on the job day and night, working earnestly and faithfully to make this a better section of country in which to live, we would respectfully call your attention to the well at Spearman now being drilled by Wilbanks and Son; the road from Hansford to the east line of the county, now being graded by Buchanan and Dacus, and the betterment of conditions in regard to the car shortage situation. A part of the last mentioned work of the Chamber of Commerce, we are fortunate in having in our county a member of the executive board of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce, and doubly fortunate in that this man is willing to devote his time and energies to the good of the community every time an opportunity presents itself. That man is Judge A. E. Townsend and he has been putting in some telling talks, in conjunction with the higher officers of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce, toward getting the facts before the government railway officials in regard to the scarcity of cars and the great injustice being done our farmers in letting their wheat lie on the ground and rot. Freight cars are being rushed to the Panhandle from all directions and Spearman is getting its share. Cars are being loaded with wheat at Spearman and the outlook grows brighter every day, as is evidenced by the following telegram received Nov. 1 by F. R. Jamison: "Railway officials advise has arranged ships for seven million bushels wheat at Galveston. Both British and Swiss ships diverted to Galveston. During last ten days 37 per cent of all wheat leaving this country has left through Galveston port and that they can now handle all wheat through that port without further delay." This telegram was sent from Washington by Congressman Marvin Jones, and is self-explanatory: Had it not been for the efforts of the Panhandle-Plains C. of C. and their loyal band of executive committeemen throughout this territory much of this wheat crop would have rotted in the fields.

But, getting back to the subject, much good is being accomplished by the Hansford County Chamber of Commerce. If you are not lined up properly you should be. Get in the game and help boost.

B. O. Cator was here from Stratford Monday and went out to Spearman to see about a location for an elevator.

Rev. Ira B. Sanford will leave Monday for Lubbock to attend annual conference, which meets in that city on Wednesday, November 12.

M. C. Head spent a couple of days in Guyton the front end of the week. Mr. Head is rapidly getting things in shape to open up a grain, coal and feed business in Spearman.

Jesse E. Hays returned Monday from New Orleans, but again failed to secure a proper fit in an artificial hand. Jess intends to keep trying until he finds one that does fit.

Romey Tomlinson is in Hutchinson this week under the care of a throat specialist. Romey has been troubled with tonsillitis for several days and decided to go to a specialist and have the trouble removed.

A. H. Richards was in from the Swenson ranch Tuesday, looking after business matters. Mr. and Mrs. Richards will leave the first of next week for Udall, Kansas, where they will spend the winter.

One of the most enjoyable social events of the season was the Hallow'een party, at the W. B. Hart home, 12 miles west of Hansford, on Friday night of last week. A number of the Hansford young people attended and all report a most pleasant evening.

The Headlight is informed that Rev. S. Walsh Franklin, on his return from France, joined an Oklahoma conference and has been sent to Texhoma, to serve as pastor of the Methodist church there. The people of Texhoma will find in Bro. Franklin an able minister, a splendid citizen and loyal friend.

Ralph T. Bucy and Miss Grace Richardson motored to Amarillo last Sunday for a visit with friends, and returned Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Kelly Bennett and P. A. Lyon. Mrs. Bennett will visit several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Winder, and Mr. Lyon, after a stay in Amarillo. This during his duty.

## A Word to the Wise

A wise man would not think of being without a bank account—large or small—any more than the wise little squirrel would think of going through the summer without storing up nuts for the winter.

We should all be wiser than the squirrel. Think it over—then act.

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### Jones Roasts the Reds

Washington, Oct. 28.—Pleading eloquently for the Congress of the United States to let it be definitely known that its membership stand for law and order at any cost, Congressman Marvin Jones of the eighteenth Texas district, today sounded a key note in the house of representatives that brought cheers from both the democratic and republican sides of the chamber. The Texas congressman made it plain that he is a friend of any man who toils, but an enemy of anything un-American, whether it is in the ranks of capital or in the ranks of labor. Interrupted by Congressman Parrish of Texas, who asked if the restriction of undesirable immigration would not be an aid to Americanism, Congressman Jones said, "nobody believes in that more than I do; but when a man comes to this country from some other country—or even when born in this country—and defends the doctrine that if he cannot convince by persuasive methods, the people of the United States that his doctrines are true, he is going to take a bomb or some other sort of missile and force an unwilling people to accept his doctrine, he is unpatriotic, un-American and an undesirable in this country. And I believe he ought to be deported, along with all others of his class, and given a chance on some island or somewhere else, where such characters can live together and try out their absurd doctrines on one another, and not be left in a country that has grown great and powerful in recognition of law and constitutional rights." Congressman Jones, replying to Congressman Newton, republican of Minnesota, who intimated that the Wilson administration is not doing all that should be done to root out anarchy, said that if the republicans would back up the administration instead of criticizing it, something worth while might be accomplished. "There has never been a time in the history of this government when so many radical and revolutionary doctrines were being taught as now, Congressman Jones said. "These are being taught by men who believe in no flag except the red flag and in many instances by foreigners who do not believe in our form of government, if, indeed, they believe in any form of government. May God protect our country from looking on their doctrines with the least degree of allowance."—B. N. Timmons, Washington correspondent Houston Chronicle.

### Yes, We're Happy

Oran Kelly, editor of the Hansford Headlight, is happy. The new railroad has been built into Spearman, the new town in Hansford county. The old town of Hansford will move to the new town, which is only a few miles distance, and about the only thing that will be left in the old town will be the court house and county officials.—Panhandle Herald.

Indeed we are happy, Bro. Satterwhite, and have cause to be. The new railroad is here and is bringing in our cake and coal and taking away our wheat; a brand new modern equipment is in operation, grading a public highway across the county; crops are good; cattle are fat and the geese honk high.

The Greatest Mother in the World needs you. Do not fall her. Join the Red Cross, November 2-11.

Mrs. Sophi Martin and children left on Wednesday for Rule, Colorado, where they will spend the winter.

A crowd of the young folks gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hays in Hansford on last Monday night and spent a very pleasant few hours in games and dancing.

## Blackleg

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## RED CROSS GIVES FULL ACCOUNTING

War Council Tells How Millions Contributed by Public Were Used For Relief.

BIG TASK IS DESCRIBED

In Twenty Months \$154,000,000 Was Spent Overseas and \$119,000,000 in the United States.

Washington. (Special.)—Through a complete report of the work of the American Red Cross in the war by Chairman Henry P. Davison, on behalf of the war council, the organization on the eve of its annual enrollment of members during the Third Red Cross Roll Call, November 2 to 11, has rendered an accounting of the many millions given it by the American people to help our fighting men and our allies. The statement is, in part, as follows:

"The war council of the American Red Cross is now prepared to make a complete accounting to the American people of money contributed and expended, as well as the work done by the American Red Cross during the period in which the war council was in control of its affairs. The war council was appointed May 10, 1919, and went out of existence February 23, 1919.

"It was the practice of the war council to give complete publicity to its policies and finances, but it is only now that a picture of the war period as a whole can be presented. It is the feeling of the war council that a report in this summarized form should be made directly to the public which provided the money and gave the effort which made the American Red Cross a success.

"A statement of the American Red Cross effort and finances since the war council relinquished its control will be made to the public through the executive committee, and it is important, therefore, that the fact that this report covers the period only until March 1, should be carefully noted."

Following are certain round figures covering American Red Cross participation in the war, as revealed by the war council's report:

Some Outstanding Figures.	
Contributions received (material and money)	\$400,000,000
Red Cross members:	
Adults, 20,000,000	
Children, 11,000,000	31,000,000
Red Cross workers	8,100,000
Relief articles produced by volunteer workers	371,577,000
Families of soldiers aided by Home Service in U. S.	500,000
Refreshments served by canteen workers in U. S.	40,000,000
Nurses enrolled for service with army, navy or Red Cross	23,822
Kinds of comfort articles distributed to soldiers and sailors in U. S.	2,700
Knitted articles given to soldiers and sailors in U. S.	10,000,000
Tons of relief supplies shipped overseas	101,000
Foreign countries in which Red Cross operated	25
Patient days in Red Cross hospital in France	1,155,000
French hospitals given material aid	3,780
Spillings supplied for American soldiers	294,000
Gallons of nitrous oxide and oxygen furnished French hospitals	4,340,000
Men served by Red Cross canteens in France	15,376,000
Refugees aided in France	1,726,000
American convalescent soldiers attending Red Cross movies in France	3,110,000
Soldiers carried by Red Cross ambulances in Italy	148,000
Children cared for by Red Cross in Italy	155,000

Of the \$400,000,000 in money and supplies, contributed to the American Red Cross during the twenty months the war council was in existence, \$263,000,000 was allotted to national headquarters, while \$137,000,000 went to the chapters to finance their activities. Expenditures in the twenty months totalled \$273,000,000, divided as follows: By national headquarters in France, \$57,000,000; elsewhere overseas, \$64,000,000; in the United States, \$48,000,000; by chapters in the United States, \$43,000,000; cost of chapter-produced articles distributed in France, \$25,000,000; elsewhere overseas, \$8,000,000; in the United States, \$28,000,000, making total expenditures in France, \$82,000,000; elsewhere overseas, \$72,000,000; in the United States, \$119,000,000.

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SPEARMAN, : : : TEXAS

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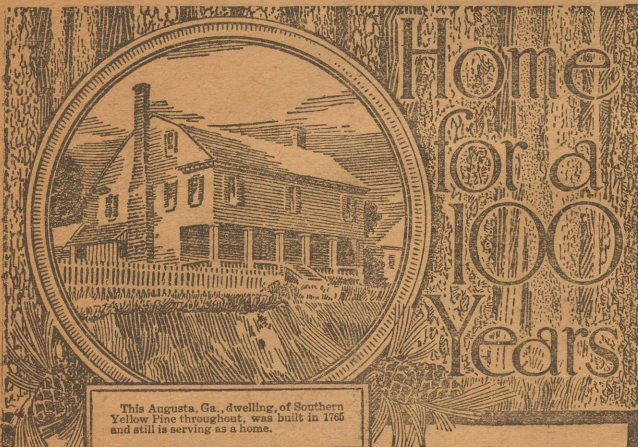
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EAST SIDE

J. E. CLOSE

## Little Mother

By GENEVIEVE ULMAR

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Somewhere Lucia Willard had read a story where a poor and humble girl had patiently endured all the sufferings and deprivations of poverty, to emerge into a higher condition and finally become the bride of a man of wealth and position who, in reverence for her gentle ways and pure, innocent mind, adored her through all of a happy, contented life. It was a rare romance of the old school and she had reveled in its sweet, wholesome development.

"Only a dream!" she sighed resignedly. "What can come to Winston Flats to me like the story book tells?"

Not but what Lucia deserved all that a reward for truth, sacrifice and uncomplaining hard work could give an orphan, her only living relative, her grandmother. The two of them worked at the cheapest grade of sewing, gaining a mere subsistence. Their living quarters were mean and lowly, but kept exquisitely neat and clean. It was often invaded by those less particular as to rags and dirt, little children of the neighborhood. A strong maternal instinct in Lucia attracted her towards them, and the only break in the monotony of her dull existence was when she gathered in the little outcasts, washed them clean, combed out their tangled hair, mended up their tattered clothing and gave them a little treat in the way of popcorn or candy.

"If I only got to what the heroine in the novel reached," Lucia told her grandmother. "I would just fill my home with these poor little dear children."

Grandma often scolded at the impetuous philanthropy of Lucia, yet secretly her heart was touched at the kindly motives of her last living relative. One day, however, she felt that Lucia had exceeded the limits of tolerance and charity. She had burst in upon her bearing in her arms a tattered, half-dressed baby girl covered with mud and grime, crooning out pity and love and tenderness for the tiny outcast. Lucia hugged it close and the child nestled in her arms as though it realized a rare kindness and care.

"Just think of it," scolded Lucia "left alone in the back lot to wander into all kinds of trouble. The poor tiny mite! She lay flat in the mire where she had fallen. Oh, grandma—look! look at the sweet darling face!"

For Lucia had run to the sink and, washcloth in hand, had cleared the mud-mottled face of the child.

"What are you going to do with her, Lucia?" questioned grandma.

"I am going to keep her, I am going to adopt her," replied Lucia with settled resolution and defiance. "Do you know who she is? One of the half-starved babies that Mrs. Woods took care of. Actually when she went away she left this one on the doorstep of a neighbor, who has hardly enough to feed her own little ones, and no time to care for this stranger. She said she would have to send her to some orphan asylum. Oh, grandma! she shan't, shall she? I'll work doubly hard to care for someone I love, and—you sweet pet! you shan't be taken away from me."

And little Evaline, as they called her, wasn't. And at the end of a month even grandma would have barricaded the house in a state of siege if anyone had hinted at despoiling the happy household of its now cherished idol. Baby Evaline entered upon an experience of love and care that kept her babbling prettily and smiling and crowing through all her waking hours.

Lucia looked up from her sewing fairly aghast one day, when a police officer came into the house with a kindly faced, but serious-looking young man, pointed to the chattering Evaline and said:

"I guess there is no mistake, Mr. Barton. The trail ends here and there is your dead sister's child."

The heart of Lucia chilled and she began to cry as the young man told the story of a sister who had eloped with a favored lover. He had died later, and only now after a long search had the sorrowing brother surely found the little orphan. He placed a dozen bank notes on the table, but Lucia pushed them away and wept only the more bitterly. Her genuine emotion affected him greatly. The baby began to cry in sympathy with her second mother and grandma joined in the general sorrow and desolation.

"I haven't the heart to separate them," Gerald Barton whispered to the officer. "Don't take on so, miss. You shall not be troubled about the child until I think of some way of arranging all this."

He came the next day, alone. It was to ask Lucia if she would be willing to come to his home and devote her time solely to the little one. Oh, so gladly, "provided grandma could come, too." And Lucia's eyes sparkled as Gerald Barton described the lonely, but beautiful country paradise to which he invited them.

So part of the story book romance came true, and a little later, pulsating with a new affection and the crowning joy of a peaceful head lay on one of the darling baby's one.

# YOUR GOOSE IS COOKED

In more ways than one if you are still using the old-style stoves. If you still burn one and "lose only 5 cents a day, it amounts to \$18.25 per year." Hence these is nothing gained by sticking to the heavy, slow heating, cook stove, range or heater.

A cook stove or range does not burn out—it rusts out, and it rusts from the inside, too. You are burning up your money, even if you do not know the reason why. We can show you the **why?**

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Early in the participation of the United States in the world war, the American Red Cross perceived the value of mobilizing the school children of the country and the Junior Red Cross was organized. Before the war ended nine million children were enrolled and helped in the war fund and membership campaigns, in chapter production of relief supplies and manufacturing furniture for the refugees whose homes and household goods were destroyed.

Children everywhere in the United States responded to the call to service sounded by President Wilson as head of the American Red Cross. This photograph is that of an enthusiastic young Japanese member of the Junior Red Cross of Spokane, Wash., starting out on the ambitious undertaking of collecting "a mile of pennies" for war relief. A comprehensive peace program is now being worked out for the Junior Red Cross, which is being held intact.

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## "World Statesmanship Will Be Sorely Tried in the Next Few Years"

By ROBERT LANSING, U. S. Secretary of State

Undoubtedly there is a great danger in the world today. Western civilization is still dazed by the shock of four and a half years of destruction. Industry and commerce are not yet restored. All of Europe is impoverished; parts of it are starving. Its whole political fiber has been shot through.

World statesmanship will be sorely tried in the next few years. Two things are essential: first an alert, intelligent, interested public opinion; and second co-operation of the nations.

The former is needed both as a check on any sinister purposes that may crop up, and as the great support for common action. The second is essential, unless the nations are to return to a selfish particularism which can only breed the most dangerous dispute.

The peace conference has been history's greatest instance of a unified world statesmanship directing the moral and material resources of the world's family of nations. To allow the spirit behind it to disintegrate at this moment of emergency, when united action is imperative, would be fatal to all the hopes of permanent peace with which we entered the war.

If it is true that one nation can destroy the equilibrium of all it is all the more true that each nation is bound by its own law of self-preservation to co-operate with the others to check troubles before they get their headway.

So I come home pleased but not complacent with the outcome of the past six months and hopeful but not in the least unmindful of the problems of the next few years.

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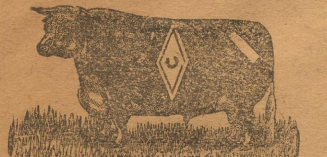
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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford county, greetings:

You are hereby commanded to summon Walter McKean and Hume McKean by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 31st judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 31st judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Hansford county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Hansford, on the 3rd Monday in November, a. d., 1919, the same being the 17th day of November, a. d., 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of October, a. d., 1919, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court number 191, wherein Geo. N. Grimes, Isaac Medlin, J. M. Medlin, Mrs. J. A. Mulkey, Mrs. Laura A. Fariss joined by her husband T. H. Fariss, Rebecca Medlin, Mrs. Malissa Atkinson, Mrs. Susan Kearns, Mrs. Lula House, Larkin Wade, J. Driver, Oran Driver, Harriett Driver, Mrs. A. C. Cordiner, Mrs. J. A. McDonald joined by her husband J. A. McDonald, P. E. Medlin, Mrs. J. A. Delameter joined by her husband J. A. Delameter, Iola B. Medlin, Mrs. Maud B. Rosenberger joined by her husband Thos. H. Rosenberger, plaintiffs, and Walter McKean and Hume McKean are defendants, and said petition alleging that other than the plaintiff Geo. N. Grimes, together with the defendants herein, are the heirs at law and only heirs at law of L. L. Medlin deceased; that the said L. L. Medlin, on the 5th day of September, 1917, entered into a written contract with F. N. Payne, wherein he agreed upon conditions stated in said contract to be performed by the said F. N. Payne, to convey to the said F. N. Payne all of section No. 134, block No. 45, Certificate No. 46 6336, H & T. C. Ry. Co., original grantee, containing 640 acres of land, situated in Hansford county, Texas; that the said F. N. Payne has conveyed said land or has agreed to convey said land to the plaintiff Geo. N. Grimes, and has complied in all things with said contract and is ready to receive said deed of conveyance, and thereafter to convey title thereto to the said Geo. N. Grimes, but that there is no person authorized to convey said land to the said Payne, to carry out the terms of said contract, the said heirs of L. L. Medlin, deceased, being unable to do so because the residence of the defendants herein, are unknown.

Plaintiffs pray for citation by publication against the defendants herein; that upon a hearing said contract with the said F. N. Payne be confirmed and that commissioners be appointed by the court and empowered to convey said land according to the terms of said contract, and to collect the moneys due thereon and to distribute the same among the heirs of the said L. L. Medlin, and be further empowered to release all liens upon said premises and for general relief.

For a more particular statement of the plaintiff's cause of action and the relief prayed for, see plaintiff's original petition now on file in said cause. Herein fail not but have before said court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Hansford, Texas, this 13th day of October, a. d. 1919.

R. L. McLELLAN, Clerk,  
District Court, Hansford County, Texas.

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House-to-House Canvass Now Under  
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Encouraging Reports Are  
Being Reported.

Vim is being added to the Red Cross drive for memberships now being conducted, by the diligence of booth workers, teachers, women volunteer canvassers, Boy Scouts and many returned soldiers, sailors and marines, who have rallied to the aid of the campaign, reports show.

Campaign officials in charge of the drive at Southwestern Division headquarters at St. Louis announced that while a few communities have fallen below the mark set for them, in general, enrollment in the Red Cross has been heavier than had been expected. Thousands of persons in all parts of the Division—Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma—applied for membership yesterday. The drive which opened Sunday, November 2, closes Armistic Day, November 11.

Chance of the Southwestern Division equalling or exceeding its quota of 2,000,000 members, set as the number the Division is expected to raise, is very bright, officials of the campaign declared. Edward Hidden, Division Roll Call Director, said that people were responding with a cheerfulness and a unanimity that made the success of the drive seem assured.

### Women Hard Workers.

Reports indicate that from the outset women have been enthusiastic, indefatigable workers. That every woman and child in every community in the Division will be given an opportunity to enroll as a member up to and including November 11, is a late announcement from drive headquarters. House-to-house solicitation is now under way in most communities and encouraging results are being announced daily from each state headquarters.

"Our responsibility," Chairman Hidden said, "is to see that not one available person fails to get an invitation to join. We believe that obligation is being fulfilled and that every man, woman and child who is able to comprehend what the program of the Red Cross means, knows that they are not only welcome to the Red Cross fraternity, but that it is a privilege as well as a duty to link up with its membership. The Southwestern Division," he continued, "has always set the pace and the enthusiasm being shown indicates that we may lead the other divisions again. I know of no greater honor and privilege than to be a member of the American Red Cross.

### Clergy Endorse Roll Call.

"Clergymen all over the nation have endorsed the Third Roll Call in unqualified terms of approval. Their co-operation is regarded as vitally essential to the success of the drive. The church has the equipment in organization, in buildings already furnished, and in men and women already trained in tasks demanding service and sacrifice. The high standard set by the church itself and its splendid record of work already accomplished impels the Red Cross again to appeal to it to help make the Third Roll Call the finest thing the American people have ever done. The organization is, without doubt, the greatest, the most inclusive and the most efficient charity the world has ever known.

"Not all can volunteer for the actual distribution of relief, but all can have a part. All should be members of this glorious army of armies. The membership fee is only \$1. There is no one too rich or too poor, too old or too young, too proud or too humble, to become a 'Red Crosser' and wear the tiny emblem badge of such as love their fellow men.

The President Issues Summons.  
"The President of the United States has asked every American to respond and to his call has been added those of every state governor and every other high official in the country. The necessity for the success of the Roll Call is not underestimated by these men, who know what the organization has accomplished and what it must yet do.

The newspapers have performed immeasurable service in presenting the Red Cross message to the public and that service has been reinforced by faithful endeavors on the part of men, women and children workers. We are gratified very much over the work of these agencies and are very proud that our organization has had the good fortune of commanding such devotion and loyalty.

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I will sell wood for \$5.00 per four-horse load. It will be necessary to either phone or come to headquarters before getting the wood, otherwise you will be treated as trespassers. Positively no hunting allowed.  
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