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Mr. C. O. Edwards, of Fort Worth, is spending several weeks on his ranch, the T-Bar. Mr. W. T. Petty, who has been the ranch manager for years has resigned his position and Mr. T. B. Preston has accepted the position which he is so eminently fitted to fill, he having worked on the ranch a long time. Mr. Petty will likely take a trip to California right away for Mrs. Petty's health.

Just received, Alley Company West Side Square, Extra High Patent Flour and Pearl Corn meal.

Sister Fisher preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning and night. Mrs. Fisher has a clear penetrating voice and preaches good straight gospel.

The Tahoka Hardware has tire-ware of all—Well we are not going to try to tell you about it—You will just have to come in and see for yourself.

## The White Fly

E. E. Scholl of the Department of Entomology of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas has had many inquiries regarding the White Fly of citrus fruits, and in reply to those who are annoyed by this insect pest, the following special bulletin has been issued by that Department:

The white fly first attracted the notice of entomologists in 1878, when it was observed in the orange-ry of the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, and since that time has appeared in Florida, Louisiana, Georgia, North Carolina and Texas, occurring on all varieties of citrus fruits, and the Chinaberry tree, Cape jessamine, Japan persimmon, California privet, Golden privet, Mock Orange. As an adult it is a small insect with snow white wings, and is found chiefly on the under side of the leaves from March to November. The eggs are laid mainly on the under sides of the leaves in very great numbers. In the fall of the year they hatch into the larvae, which live upon the under sides of the leaves over the winter, reaching maturity in the early spring and transforming to adults in March and April.

It is during the winter months of January and February that this insect can be best controlled. For small growers the best method is, perhaps, the use of the resin spray, applied once in December and once in the latter part of January or in the early part of February. In experiments against the white fly made by Prof. Glenn W. Herrick, formerly of this department, good results were obtained with the resin mixture at Port Arthur, Texas. This wash is made as follows:

Pulverized resin	20 lbs.
Crude caustic soda	78 per cent pure
	4 lbs.
Fish oil	2 1-2 pints.
Water	100 gallons.

The manner in which this mixture is prepared is of the very greatest importance. Provide two iron kettles, one holding 30 gallons or more of water, and the other holding 15 gallons. In the larger kettle put the ingredients, resin, soda and oil, in 13 or 14 gallons of water and boil for two or three hours. In the smaller kettle keep a quantity of water hot but not boiling. If the larger kettle tends to boil over add a pint or so of warm water from the smaller, never cold. By taking warm water from the smaller kettle and pouring into the larger, gradually increase the amount in the latter to 30 gallons. Before using dilute this 30 gallons to 100 gallons. One should use a Seneca or Bordeaux nozzle, and take care to direct the spray upwards so as to beat the under side of the leaves.

## Our Austin News Letter

### A REGULAR WEEKLY REPORT

Austin, Texas, September 13. When it was announced recently by the state department of education that because of the depletion of the permanent school fund few if any independent or common school bonds would be purchased by the state for some time to come, some fear was felt that the building of new school houses in the state would have to be curtailed unless a new market could be found for the bonds. Heretofore such bonds as the state did not buy the Texas bond dealers have easily disposed of, but the inability of the state to take any more for sometime might, it was feared, make Texas bonds somewhat of a drag on the market. However, a Denver, Colorado, firm of bond dealers has written that it has a good field for and wants to buy Texas school bonds and letters asking for information about them have come from St. Louis and Chicago, so it is evident the Texas school bonds will not lack for purchasers.

The educational department has finished compiling the results of the scholastic census, and finds 949,006 scholastics in the state. This is an increase of 34,378 over last year. The white children number 756,770. The report shows over 100,000 each of the ages of seven and eight years, decreasing slightly with each succeeding year until only 77,503 are shown of the age of seventeen years. The defectives in the state number 567, of which number 82 are blind, 238 are deaf and 253 are feeble minded.

The number of blind children in the state being comparatively small all of them can be accommodated at the institute for the blind, but the deaf are more numerous. The census report as to the number of deaf defectives appears to be inaccurate, for applications have been received from 650 deaf children in the state, which, upon investigation, are proved to be entitled to admission to the institution. Because of the limited dormitory quarters, State Health Officer Brumby having advised the Governor that they are entirely inadequate and cause the children to be crowded together in an unhealthy manner, only 450 of those who have applied can be taken.

The guaranty fund plan of the new bank guaranty law appears to retain its large lead in popularity. All of the state banks must determine by October 1, whether they wish to adopt the guaranty fund plan or the bonding system; only about one-third of them have made a selection thus far. Of these 205 have accepted the guaranty fund plan and only six have decided that they want the bonding system.

To attend the Lakes to the Gulf Deep Water convention which is to be held in St. Louis during the latter part of October, when President Taft will be present and make an address; the governor has named sixteen delegates from Texas as follows: J. M. Terrell, Texarkana; S. Smith, Beaumont; Oscar McFarland, Tyler; James P. Haven, Denison; C. M. Cureton, Meridian; T. S. Henderson, Cameron; William Broyles, Palestine; Thomas Ball, Houston; T. F. Duncan, La Grange; J. A. Thompson, Taylor; Church Bartlett, Marlin; Phil W. Allen, Cleburne; R. W. Hall, Vernon; L. J. Hart, San Antonio; R. M. Miller, Corpus Christi; W. M. Burgess, El Paso.

A ruling has been announced by

the attorney general's department that it is unlawful for a fraternal beneficiary society to issue certificates of policies of insurance to any who has not qualified himself as a member of such organization, according to the fraternal beneficiary act of the Thirty-first legislature, by being initiated in due form and ceremonies as prescribed by the constitution and by-laws of such society, and that a continuance of this practice will subject the offending society, to a forfeiture of its charter, by proper action of the state. But where such a policy has been issued and delivered without such an obligation and where the assessments have been regularly paid, should the death of the holder of such certificate occur, the society would be liable on such policy of insurance. The society is stopped from setting up failure of the member to be initiated as a defense.

The agricultural department has announced the result of the ginners' reports for the month of August, showing 196,069 bales of cotton ginned by 2319 out of a total of 3750 gins. In August of last year the total number of bales ginned was 202,564 and considering how many gins have failed this year to report the decrease does not seem to be very large. Williamson county leads the list

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### The Texico Fire.

Last Saturday morning at an early hour a fire broke out in the business section of Texico and before it could be gotten under control about one-fourth of the business section was totally destroyed entailing a loss of about \$60,000 with insurance reported to the amount of nearly \$30,000. The origin of the fire is not known but many of the people of that city think it was of an incendiary origin. The Texico Trumpet, the local newspaper, lost its entire plant without any insurance.—Randall County News.

### Specialist

I treat all Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat and also have Glasses and pay Special attention to Fitting them.—Consultation and Examination Free.—Tahoka Sept. 22. I. E. SMITH M. D., Weatherford, Texas.

### Few Heard Fine Sermon Sunday.

Rev. J. T. Howell, the Methodist pastor hearing that the Holiness meeting had closed; came in Saturday on the hack from Draw, and preached Sunday morning to a small but appreciative congregation. He took for a text, the first part of the 27th verse of the 33rd chapter of Deuteronomy: The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms. It was nothing but just and right that the faithful few, should have the pleasure and profit of hearing one of Bro. Howell's best efforts. He showed that the very fact that God is eternal gives him all knowledge, and as knowledge is power, and that power is for the christian; for, "Underneath are the everlasting arms."

Irvin Burk is moving his short order lunch business from the old stand next the West Texas office, down the street east into the Wise building, next door to the City Bakery. This puts our two short order lunch stands next door to each other.

No need of that pain in the stomach why writhe, groan and suffer? Take GRAND MA'S DIARRHEA REMEDY. It affords quick relief and is a positive cure for Diarrhea, Colic, Dysentery, Bloody Flux and relieves vomiting and purging.

We had a three days north-east wind this week that pretty cool and crisp. Today is cloudy with a few indications of the rain that is so sadly needed.

Mrs. W. L. Davis is visiting with Mrs. J. F. Millman this week.

Mrs. R. J. Roberts spent Wednesday night with Mrs. W. T. Petty at the T-Bar headquarters.

Mr. J. L. Ladd, a reformed newspaper man from San Angelo, paid The News a pleasant call this, Friday morning.

Rev. H. S. Hatcett, of Lynn, was transacting business in Tahoka Wednesday.

Miss Meda Clayton commenced teaching school at Bresford last week.

T. M. Bartley returned last Saturday with his new auto which is Cadillac and is a regular dandy.

Mr. S. C. McCarley returned Wednesday evening from a visit to his old home in San Saba county.

Hassel Ousley left Wednesday for Dallas where he goes to school this winter.

Mr. M. M. Redwine came in Wednesday evening and spent the night with his son Ed.

Mr. Gray of the north west part of town is on the sick list this week.

### Pay Up Or Quit.

Every one knowing themselves indebted to The Tahoka Hardware Company for any amount are very earnestly urged to call around and settle same by the first of October. We have accounts on our books that are not reduced, but grow steadily larger month after month, until forbearance has ceased to be a virtue, and we are forced to say don't ask us to charge another thing until you have paid up your old account. We want your cash, or at least part of it once in a while anyway.

FOR SALE—Match buggy team, four years old, weight 700 lbs. each, \$125 takes the team. Work team, weigh 1200 each, iron gray, well matched, \$300. One Peter Schuller wagon, 3 inch with 3 inch tires, all complete for \$80.—W. S. Bell, Tahoka, Texas.

### Santa Fe People Seem Interested.

For some time past a railroad direct from Cleburne to Coleman has been agitated. The people of Dallas and Ft. Worth have for sometime been interested in this line. They claiming that the present round about way of reaching this territory, cuts out the possibility of shipping perishable goods from Fort Worth and Dallas, and is also a great drawback in making quick shipments in other lines, often causing much loss and annoyance to both shipper and buyer.

The Santa Fe people now seem favorably disposed to this proposition and with proper effort the road may be put through at an early day.

The proposed road would run from Cleburne to Glen Rose, thence to Stephenville, De Leon, Rising and terminate at Coleman, making this place and Cleburne ends of division. Push it along, the road is needed.—Coleman News.

Will Humphries came in Wednesday from Big Springs.

GRAND MA'S TEA is a most pleasant vegetable laxative. Cures Constipation, Purifies the Blood, Cures Sick Headache and Biliousness. It will quickly remove pimples, beautifying the complexion and giving the skin the freshness of youth.

## The Deeds Recorded

### SINCE OUR REPORT LAST WEEK

Sept. 6th B. L. Shook and wife to H. J. Coughran lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, block 43, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5-6, block 42, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5-6 block 53, and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11-12, block 52, Shook 2nd addition, consideration \$3,200.

Aug. 30th Ora Lee Vire and husband to C. E. Brown lot 8, block 20, consideration \$140.

Sept. 9th A. N. Addison and H. B. Howell to York Skinner and T. B. Preston lot 4, block 38 and garage, consideration \$1,650.

Sept. 3rd Sumner Clayton and Perry Clayton to W. S. Bell lots 5-6, block 8, Shook Addition, consideration \$150.

June 15th W. B. Beach to T. J. Blankenship South 1/2 of Sur. 3, block D-20, consideration \$1,600.

June 15th W. B. Beach to T. J. Blankenship south 1/2 of the north 1/2 of Sur. 3, block D-20, consideration \$1,600.

June 15th W. B. Beach to T. J. Blankenship north 1/2 of Sur. 3, block D-20, consideration \$1,600.

Sept. 8th J. C. Roberts to C. T. Shook lot 6, block 67, consideration \$65.

Sept. 8th J. C. Roberts to C. T. Shook lots 1-4, block 68, consideration \$150.

Sept. 8th J. C. Roberts to C. T. Shook lot 2, block 67, consideration \$65.

Sept. 8th J. C. Roberts to G. R. Milliken lots 2-7, block 66, consideration \$130.

Sept. 8th J. C. Roberts to E. T. Payne lot 4, block 67, consideration \$75.

Sept. 8th J. C. Roberts to E. T. Payne lots 5-6, block 88, consideration \$100.

Sept. 8th J. C. Roberts to T. C. Leedy lots 1-2, block 115, consideration \$70.

Sept. 7th J. F. McManis and wife to B. L. Shook south 160 acres out of Sur. 18, cert. 477, consideration \$1,400.

Sept. 7th B. L. and wife to J. F. McManis all of block 40 Shook 2nd Addition consideration \$1,200.

Aug. 18th H. M. Larkin to Sumner Clayton and Perry Clayton lots 7-8, block 8, Shook Addition, consideration \$140.

Sept. 6th H. J. Coughran and wife to B. L. Shook 320 acres of Sur. 6, block C-40, consideration \$3,200.

Sept. R. P. Terry and family came in Tuesday noon from Taylor county and sold to J. C. Mosley the southeast 1/4 of Sur. 459, block 1, Cert. 452, consideration \$1,400.

Sept. 15th J. O. King and wife, Minnie King, to W. T. Petty 200 acres out of Sur. 5, block C-40.

April 10 Rebecca Rockhill and husband to Charles E. Turner 320 acres north 1/2 Sur. 9, block 10, consideration \$3,200.

Sept. 3rd Mrs. R. J. Roberts to S. N. Weathers house and lot 2, block 36, consideration \$850.

Sept. 8th G. W. Small and wife to C. W. Slover north 120 acres out of northwest 1/4 of Sur. 502, block 1, Cert. 474, consideration \$1,760.

Aug. 24th W. E. Reed and wife to P. B. Hall undivided 1/3 interest in lot 4, block 9, consideration \$600.

Aug. 24th W. E. Reed and wife

to P. B. Hall lots 5, 6, 7-8, block 3, consideration \$1,600.

Sept. 4th E. D. Skinner to J. F. Merritt lot 3, block 30, consideration \$100.

April 1 O. B. Atkinson and wife to I. M. Draper Sur. 15, block 8, Cert. 658, consideration \$5,000.

Aug 28th G. M. Clayton and wife to T. J. O'Donnell and C. H. Doak 426 2/3 acres south 2/3 Sur. 53, block 8, Cert. 667, consideration \$4,600.

Aug. 28th Louis T. Ward and wife to W. V. Childers and E. A. Childers south 1/2 Sur. 99, block 9, Cert. 192, consideration \$4,859.97. West 1/2 section 213, block 4, Cert. 231, consideration \$4,859.97. East 1/2 of section 213, block 4, Cert. 231, consideration the same.

Sept. 4th A. N. Addison to J. H. Henderson lots 3-4 block 4, consideration \$1,050.

## Dry Farming

Elberta peaches the size of a teacup are reported by John M. Howell of Parker county, Texas, who attributes his success as an orchardist to the practice of dry farming methods. In an interview, Mr. Howell stated that his peach trees did not have a drop of rain for three months prior to the picking of his crop.

"Dry farming, or scientific soil culture," said Mr. Howell, "will mean a great deal for our agricultural interests. It is practiced successfully in sections of the country that have far less rainfall than we have in Parker county and there is no question but that it will do the work if the proper methods are followed.

"On my orchard tract there has been practically no rain for three months. I broke the orchard land between the trees in the spring with a disc harrow. Since that time I have cultivated the soil both ways with a section harrow every week and the result has been astonishing. There is a fine dust mulch four or five inches deep over the ground and the trees are growing as nicely as if there had been plenty of rain. The fruit has grown and matured without rain and is now ripening into as perfect specimens as any one could desire."

Mr. Howell has been invited to send a sample of his peaches to be exhibited at the international Dry Farming Exposition at Billings, Mont., October 25-26, and to tell the Dry Farming Congress about his success when that organization meets in fourth annual session at Billings October 25-26.

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Mr. Bert Ramsay, surveyor, of Big Springs, came in last week and has surveyed and plotted the Chambers addition and is now working on the Bartley addition. Mr. Ramsey's card will be found in our professional column.

BARGAINS in Knives at The Tahoka Hardware Store where you can get any kind of a knife for any purpose and at any price.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hampton, Bob and Miss Nora spent Friday night with Mr. S. N. McDaniel. They were on their return to Merkel after spending a week in Lubbock.

Howard Henderson moved to Tahoka Monday from his place 16 miles south of town and will occupy the Williams house where York Skinner has been living, and York has moved to the Proffer house north of the school house.



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**FRIDAY, SEP. 17, 1909.**

For many years the discovery of the North Pole has been the ambition of many adventurous scientists. A vast amount of money, and many valuable lives have been sacrificed in the endeavor to achieve success—and all in vain.

Now, however, two men, both of them Americans, lay claim to the honor. One, a Brooklyn, N. Y. Physician, Dr. Frederick A. Cook, has five times gone on this hazardous quest; twice being with an expedition of which Lieutenant Peary was leader. The other, Lieutenant Peary, an officer of the U. S. Navy, on leave of absence, for the especial purpose of going on this quest.

Dr. Cook's claim of priority must, if substantiated, be a great disappointment to Lieutenant Peary, who has hazarded his life so often, and so eagerly and bravely gone forth in this same search. But to an unprejudiced observer, it would seem that the better course for him to take would be to quietly make his own report and wait in patience for Dr. Cook to prove his statement true, instead of trying to defame him, and pronounce his claim unfounded.

Of the two men, Dr. Cook has apparently taken the wisest, and certainly the most gentlemanly course in saying nothing unkind of his competitor.

It looks as one editor has said, as if "Dr. Cook discovered the pole, and Peary found it."

However it may be in the end, there is one thing of which any American may be proud, the man who did discover the North Pole, is an American.

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### TEMPERANCE TIDAL-WAVE.

One-half of the counties of South Carolina were already dry up to August 17th when they had a local option contest in the remaining counties where the dispensary was in existence. In those elections fifteen counties voted dry and only six wet. It is expected that South Carolina, at the next session of its Legislature, will take its place with North Carolina as a prohibition State.

The drastic temperance legislation just passed by the Alabama Legislature killed the far-famed club life of the State. All the locker systems of the clubs, as well as the country clubs, golf and gun clubs, are dry as a desert. The Fuller Bill, one of the most rigid temperance measures ever offered to a Legislature, became a law. The bill makes it impossible for clubs to dispense liquors legally under any device that has yet been invented. Besides, there are these provisions; that any person hurt by an intoxicated man may recover damages from the person who sold or gave him the liquor; that no property can be rented save on the agreement that liquors are not to be sold in it; that no corporation can bring liquors into the State without losing its charter; that no man can drink if a train attaché of any kind; that storage of liquors is *prima facie* evidence of intent to break the law; and that an internal revenue license is also evidence sufficient for conviction. It also provides that any place under suspicion may be raided, and liquors found there destroyed; that cars containing liquors may not be stored on side-tracks in the State. Those breaking any of the provisions of this law are subject to a heavy fine and imprisonment with hard labor.

In the recent local option contest in Idaho the only three counties that have voted have gone dry. There is scarcely a State in the Union that is not steadily expelling the saloon from some town or county. The conflict against the American saloon is divinely ordained and maintained, and the soldiers of the cross are loyal and brave and victorious in the conflict. (Ps. 94: 16.)—Christian Herald.

Miss Mae Caldwell, a gifted elocutionist, of Dallas, arrived in Tahoka Friday morning. She will give a recital at one of the churches next week.

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### LOST IN TAHOKA.

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### CHURCH DIRECTORY

METHODIST—Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Junior League at 4:00 p. m. Preaching at 8:30 p. m. every Sunday. Prayer Meeting each Thursday at 8:30 p. m.

J. T. HOWELL, Pastor

BAPTIST—Sunday school 10:30 a. m. each Sunday. Prayer Meeting each Wednesday 8:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN—Church meeting 4:00 p. m. at the Baptist Church each Sunday.

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### NOTICE.

Those knowing themselves to be indebted to me for medical attention, will kindly come in and settle at once.

Business is business and this matter must be attended to at once.  
 Yours for cash,  
 Dr. J. H. McCoy.

### EVANGELIST ARRIVED.

Just as we go to press we get word that W. A. Boggess, the Christian State Evangelist, has arrived and will conduct services at the Methodist church the remainder of this week and part of next at 8:30. p. m.

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## Tahoka Saddle Shop

We have purchased the the Tahoka Saddle Shop and reopened it in the Cowan building on the West side square. Shoe and Harness repairing a specialty if you need any thing in our line you are cordially invited to call and see us on the West side square.

**TAHOKA SADDLE SHOP.**  
ELLIOTT BROS. prop.

## WE GIVE

you quality that is out of all proportion to price

Our tanks, pipe work, repairs of all kinds of tinware etc give satisfaction—we guarantee all kinds of work.

See us if you need anything in our line and we will make prices that will interest you. Yours to please,

### G.M. MILLIKEN & SON

Tin Shop—South of The Fair

GRAND MA'S COUGH REMEDY, is pleasant to take, instantly relieves that tickle in your throat, stops that hacking cough. With the first symptoms of throat or lung trouble buy a bottle of this celebrated Cough Cure and safeguard against that dread disease, Consumption.

### Our Austin News Letter.

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with over eleven thousand bales; Dewitt follows with over eight thousand; Fayette and Navarro, raising seven thousand; Lavaca, Caldwell and Milam, raising six thousand; Austin, Guadalupe and Limestone, raising five thousand; Travis, Brazos, Burleson, Kaufman, and McLennan, raising four thousand; Robertson, raising three thousand; Goliad, Wilson, Hays, Ellis, Hill, Nueces, Bell and Bastrop counties over two thousand bales.

Just received, Alley Company West Side Square, Extra High Patent Flour and Pearl Corn meal.

### Pie Supper a Success.

The Pie Supper last Saturday night was a grand success from every viewpoint. The ladies cleared \$13.30 and every one who participated seemed to have a splendid time. The Surveyors sent an immense cocoa nut cream pie, highly decorated and with the lettering: Compliments of the Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe. Ry. While the ladies had plenty and that in great variety too, they had little left over.

### Pay Up Or Quit.

Every one knowing themselves indebted to The Tahoka Hardware Company for any amount are very earnestly urged to call around and settle same by the first of October. We have accounts on our books that are not reduced, but grow steadily larger month after month, until forbearance has ceased to be a virtue, and we are forced to say don't ask us to charge another thing until you have paid up your old account. We want your cash, or at least part of it once in a while anyway.

### KEEP RIGHT ON COMING TO THE

## Tahoka Blacksmith Shop.

J. N. McREYNOLDS, Prop

Horse Shoeing Is Strictly Cash

THE SAME SHOP THE SAME MEN YOU HAVE BEEN USED TO AND THE SAME GOOD WORK.

### GOOD CHANCE TO SAVE MONEY

CUT OUT this Add. SEND it and \$1.50 to us before Saturday September 4th and we will send you the Lynn County News and Any Other \$1.00 a year paper for one year. H. C. CRIE & COMPANY. TAHOKA, TEXAS

R. A. CHAMBERS, J. R. DILLARD,  
**TAHOKA REAL ESTATE CO.**  
If you are interested in Lynn County lands, write us for a list of genuine bargains, we have them, both for speculation and for the man who wants a home. Buy a home where you can make a good living and your land will double in value.  
We want to increase our list of bargains; if you have anything to sell; list it with us.

## City Bakery & Cold Drinks.

KEEP Fresh Bread always on hand  
All Cold and Bottled Drinks 5 cents straight  
Ice Cream 10 Cents guaranteed pure stuff

7000 Pounds of Ice Received  
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Your Old Sewing Machine For  
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Mrs. Helen M. Slaker, 244 Grand Ave., Aurora, Ill., says: "I cannot find words in the English language to express my appreciation to you for having sold me such a beautiful instrument. I really think it is the most beautiful case I ever saw, and the tone is simply grand. I shall be glad to give you any testimonial, as I think the Lombard should take the lead."

Rev. Geo. Doubleday, Pres. Corpus Christi College, Galesburg, Ill., says: "We are using the Lombard in our College work at Corpus Christi, and it is a pleasure to recommend it. It is a beautiful instrument with a deep, sweet, rich tone."

J. W. Parviance, Editor McNairy County Independent, Selmer, Tenn., says: "The instrument (Lombard Piano) fills our most sanguine expectations. It is not only a rare beauty in its outward finish, but the tone is round, full, rich and sweet. Your firm has proven to be prompt and reliable in its dealings with me."

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We send the Lombard Piano to any reliable party on 10 days' free trial. It may be paid for by easy monthly or quarterly payments. Credit will be given to suit any honest customer. A discount allowed for all cash.

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**HALE & HALE Proprietors Gail, Texas**

### WHAT'S IN IT FOR ME?

The saloon keepers may all be very nice men,  
But what is there in it for me?  
I blow in my money and wake in the Pen,  
So what is there in it for me?  
Of course, I'm as welcome as flowers in May,  
When I come to the Joint to squander my pay,  
But I wake in the cooler the very next day;  
And that's all there's in it for me.

All over the country we're swimming in booze,  
But what is there in it for me?  
The saloon keeper's kids are wearing new shoes,  
But what is there in it for me?  
The distiller's share is an automobile, A carriage, the retailer's share of the deal,  
But I'm wearing shoes that are down at the heel;  
And that's all there's in it for me.

The booze maker's wife may be dressed like a queen,  
But what is there in it for me?  
My wife hasn't duds that are fit to be seen,  
So what is there in it for me?  
The beer-brewer's son may be dressed like a dude,  
While I'm wearing garments exceedingly rude,  
And if we vote "wet," I'm afraid I'll go nude;  
And that's all there's in it for me.

My thirst costs me more than my clothes and my food,  
And that's all there's in it for me.  
The booze took my money, and did me no good,  
And that's all there's in it for me.  
The brewer is rich, he has gold by the peck,  
The bar-man gets paid, he's always on deck,  
But whatever I get, I get in the neck,  
And that's all there's in it for me.

Why should I vote that the curse may endure?  
For what is there in it for me?  
I'm bound to vote dry on election day sure,  
For what is there in it for me?  
A new self respect, and a chance for my life,  
New clothes for the kids, and a home for my wife,  
The beginning of peace, the end of all strife;  
And that's what there's in it for me.  
—John MacLeod Sutherland.

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Noby line fall hats for young men, soon to arrive.  
12 doz. pairs mens & boys pants, dress & work, bargain  
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