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RAILWAY BUILDING

Considerable Under Way, More to Follow.

SANTA FE CUT-OFF MOST.

Exact Total of Mileage Agreed Upon and Portion of Which is New Under Way Fought Up Seven Hundred and Forty-Four Miles.

Austin, Sept. 18.—Nearly one thousand miles of railroad are under construction in Texas now, or will be as the propositions can be reached. The exact total of mileage agreed upon and part of which is under construction is 744 miles. The figures for each road follow: The Santa Fe cut-off from Coleman to Texico, 319 miles; the Santa Fe's San Saba Valley line from Loneta to Brady, 45 miles; Santa Fe's extension from San Angelo to Sterling City, 38 miles; Santa Fe line from Longview to Red river, which must be completed by July 12 of next year in order to save the benefits of the act authorizing the line to absorb the Texas and Gulf, 100 miles; Rock Island, from Arden to state line, 38 miles; Timpson and Henderson, from Ragley to Henderson, 30 miles; Enid, Ochiltree and Western, Dalhart to Ochiltree, 108 miles; a line already ballasted from Plainview to Floydada, 27 miles; Gulf, Texas and Western, Loving to Jenette, 17 miles; Bartlett-Florence railway, Bartlett to Florence, 23 miles; Quanah, Acme and Pacific, to Paducah, 38 miles. In one or two instances the distances given are probably less than the actual mileage will be. The foregoing extensions are absolutely a surety and will be built as soon as possible. The Orient is also building from Sweetwater to San Angelo.

In addition to the above there are many hundred miles projected for Texas, some of which are regarded as certain, while little or nothing is known about several propositions.

Not Likely to Be Hostess.

San Antonio, Sept. 18.—Information reached here to the effect that Mrs. Joseph E. Green of Gregory, who was to be the hostess of President Taft during his visit to Texas, is ill with typhoid fever in San Francisco and will not be able to act in that capacity. Accompanied by her husband, who is manager of the Taft ranch, she was en route to the Seattle Exposition when stricken with the dread disease. She left the train at that point and has since been in the hospital. Her husband, who expected to have been back at La Quinta some time ago to personally superintend the preparations for the president's coming, has remained at her bedside. While it is not thought that the fever will have a fatal effect, it is certain that Mrs. Green will not be able to be at the ranch in time to receive the president. Before her marriage Mrs. Green was Miss May Nichols of Rockport.

Barstow Sued.

El Paso, Sept. 18.—In the Federal court here a suit was filed by T. W. Crouch, Edward Hadden, E. P. Melson of St. Louis and A. N. Edwards of Kirkwood, Mo., against George E. Barstow, asking that he be restrained from bringing suits against them and that a receiver be appointed for the property of the plaintiffs and the defendant, to-wit: The Barstow Irrigation company, the Hillside Land and Irrigation company and the Pecos Land and Irrigation company. Recently a receiver for the Barstow Irrigation company was appointed upon petition of George E. Barstow.

School Land Lease Opinion.

Austin, Sept. 18.—Special Assistant Attorney General Dale answered in the affirmative the question of County Judge Yellott of Borden county as to whether the commissioners' court of that county had the legal right to give the lessees of the school land of that county the preference right to buy the land at the termination of the lease provided the lessee would give the county as much as any one else, provided the price suited the county, and that the county wished to sell the land.

Profitable Potato Raising.

Weatherford, Tex., Sept. 18.—T. O. Bell, a farmer who lives in the Annetta community, planted seven acres of his land in sweet potatoes this year and he is now selling them readily at \$1.75 per bushel. Mr. Bell states that the seven acres will yield about 600 bushels. They are of the pumpkin yam variety and were raised without irrigation.

Negro's Corpse Found.

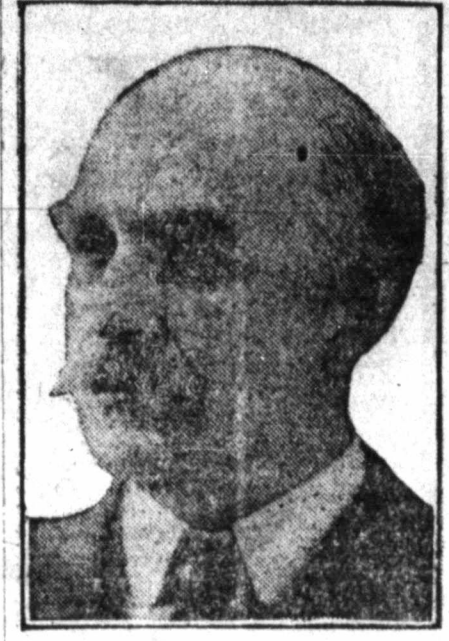
Atlanta, Tex., Sept. 17.—Section Foreman A. J. Harris found the remains of a negro man about fifty yards from the Texas and Pacific track, three miles south of Atlanta. The body was too badly decomposed to be recognized, nor was there anything about him to identify him. The skull was crushed in and Judge W. F. Cameron decided that the negro was killed by unknown parties.

For first-class tailor work see Altizer & Co. tailors.

HARMON COMING.

Ohio Governor Will Attend the State Fair of Texas.

Austin, Sept. 18.—Governor Campbell has received a letter from Governor Judson Harmon of Ohio, accepting the invitation to visit the Texas State Fair and naming Oct. 16 as the day. Governor Harmon, who is a Democrat and who has been mentioned as a



GOVERNOR HARMON.

possible president candidate, will make an address at the State Fair on Oct. 16. Governor Campbell will go to Dallas for the day. He will be there for the opening of the fair.

CASTLES FORMER TEXAN.

Brought Up on a Farm Near City of Waxahachie.

Waxahachie, Tex., Sept. 19.—John W. Castles, who succeeded in New York, was brought up on a farm near Waxahachie. His father was a physician

HURRICANE HITS HARD.

Equinoctial Storm Rages With Terrific Violence.

GREAT DAMAGE RESULTS.

New Orleans Mobile, Jackson and Other Cities in the Pathway. Steamship, Brazos Tossed About Considerable Length of Time.

Galveston, Sept. 23.—After being buffeted by the wind and tossed by waves for forty-hours during the equinoctial storm which raged from Florida to Texas the steamer Brazos of the Mallory line arrived here with ninety-two passengers. Her captain reports the trip a thrilling one. Waves washed over second deck and into the rooms of the passengers. The barometer went down to 29.40 and the wind blew sixty miles an hour. For four hours the steamer heaved to.

Advices from New Orleans, Mobile and Jackson tell of great damage and of four fatalities at New Orleans and a couple at Jackson. Telegraph service was badly crippled. Crops in Mississippi suffer much destruction. Losses foot up many thousands of dollars.

In Louisiana the injury to crops is also great. With greatly diminished force the storm ceased at Nashville.

Along the Mississippi coast shaves were swept away from Pascagoula to Bay St. Louis. Loss is heavy. Glass in dome of state capitol at Jackson was smashed in and upper part flooded. City was in darkness, smokestacks of lighting plant being blown down.

Fraternal Order Picnic.

Dallas, Sept. 22.—Saturday at the fair grounds the North Texas Fraternal Picnic association will give first annual picnic. Automobile and also motor cycle races will be features. The speakers include United States District Attorney Atwell, Mayor Hay and President Rice of the association. The following orders will participate: The

GOVERNOR JOHNSON DIES.

Chief Executive of Minnesota Taken by Death.

Rochester, Minn., Sept. 21.—Gov. John A. Johnson died shortly after 3 o'clock this morning.

The late Governor Johnson, who his third term was serving, was a leading western Democrat. He was born at St. Peter, Minn., July 28, 1861. His parents were Swedes and poor and at



GOVERNOR JOHNSON.

the age of twelve had to seek work. In a newspaper office a position was soon secured and his success in that line was most marked.

Last year Governor Johnson's name was presented to the Democratic national convention for the presidential nomination. He died conscious.

ANSWER OF BRYAN.

Senator Bailey, He Says, Does Not Meet Arguments.

El Paso, Sept. 21.—While here on Monday Hon. W. J. Bryan referred to Senator Bailey's Dallas speech. Mr. Bryan said Senator Bailey had made an able presentation of his position, but did not answer arguments. Mr. Bryan said: "He does not attempt to meet several of my arguments and some of the others he does not fairly present. His misrepresentation of history is surprising. He says that we were defeated in the congressional elections of 1894 because the doctrine of free wool was embodied in the Wilson bill. He certainly has not forgotten that the defeat in 1894 was due to the fact that the silver question divided our party at the time and that a majority of our party opposed the position taken by the Democratic administration on the unconditional repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman law. And further, if he will examine the election returns of 1894 he will find that about the only districts we carried were the districts in those portions of the country in which he says the people resent the doctrine of free raw material while we lost the districts in those portions of the country where they have practically no raw material to protect.

"He also overlooks the fact that in 1892 we elected a Democratic president and secured a large Democratic majority in congress on a platform which endorsed the doctrine of free raw material, and he will remember, also, that we won that victory after the house of representatives of the Fifty-second congress had passed several free raw material bills, for which he and I both voted. Is it necessary to overlook a national victory and to misrepresent a congressional defeat in order to find support of the senator's theory?

"He says that the national platform of 1896 was in harmony with the Texas platform of that year, and he demands the right to construe the tariff plank on the ground that he wrote it. That is the position taken by the Aldrich Republicans in regard to the last Republican platform. They demand the right to construe the word 'revise' because they inserted it in the platform, but so western Republicans insist that they also have a right to construe the word 'revise,' and they construe it as a promise of reduction.

"The words which Mr. Bailey inserted in the Democratic national platform of 1896 do not appear in the Texas state platform, neither do the words, 'raw material,' which were in the state platform, appear in the national platform. He construes the platform as an attack on free raw material, but it was not so construed in other parts of the country.

Mr. Bryan, relative to the binding force of platforms, says the senator did not meet the "proposition I presented." Mr. Bryan says an official is bound by his platform, "but Senator Bailey, if I read his speech right, does not express an opinion on the subject."

Plymouth Rock Cockerels for Sale.—I have for sale a limited number of fine, young, serviceable barred ringlet Plymouth Rock Cockerels, hatched from eggs direct from Thompson.

E. J. HAMNER.

Teachers' Institute.

The teachers of the Colorado public schools met in the High school building, Monday, Sept. 6, at 9 a. m. in Institute.

In the absence of Judge Coe, who was to make the welcome address, Principal Newlee gave to the new teachers a most hearty welcome. Later the Judge appeared and made an address full of wise and timely suggestions for the teachers. Following this Supt. McDonald outlined the work for the ensuing school year and in a general way informed the teachers what was expected of them. Among many other interesting facts, he informed us that the Colorado public school was practically assured of a nine months' term. We are sure that this is good news not only to the teachers, but to the patrons and pupils as well. It means more work and better work.

Following these preliminaries, the regular work of the Institute was taken up and the program as printed was carried out. The program was very practical as well as interesting and instructive, as may be seen from the following subjects which are a few of the various ones discussed:

A discussion on "How to Discipline Pupils at Play Time" was to have been led by Miss Dry, but in her absence the Institute as a whole discussed the subject and it was discussed very thoroughly. "How Should Reading be Taught in the Lower Grades?" Miss Helen Komard. "Nature Studies in the Lower Grades?" Miss Pearl Graham. "Remedies for Tardiness?" Miss Stella Routh. "Ventilation, Proper Seating and Conduct in the Rooms?" Miss Mamie Riordan. "The Art of Questioning?" Miss Julia McClure. "Enabling the Child to Secure the Best Results from the Study Hour?" Miss Best. "The Duty of a Teacher to Her or His Profession?" Supt. C. L. McDonald. "What Should be Done With an Overhearing Student?" Miss Fannie Miller. "Why Should Teachers be Firm with their Pupils?" Miss Abby Perkinson. "Why Does the Parent not Sympathize with the Teacher More?" Miss Nannie Ellis. "Should Corporal Punishment Ever be Used in the High School?" Frank H. Nowlee. "Physical Training?" H. F. Lowry. "The Use of Analysis in Teaching Arithmetic?" W. A. Payne.

As was stated above these topics were discussed in an interesting manner and the whole program for the entire week, was full of value and profit to the teachers. But we are very glad to state that the leaders were not left alone in this good work. For the education and enlightenment of school children of Colorado, many visitors were with us and they took part very freely in the discussions under way. In this way the teacher and a few of the patrons come to understand each other much better than could have been accomplished elsewhere than in an Institute. We are sorry that space forbids us to mention all of those who felt enough interest to honor us with their presence. We can assure them that we were glad indeed to have them.

It was the voice of the entire teaching force that this was the most interesting and profitable Institute ever attended by them. We can say, without boasting that we all did our very best in what we undertook, and now we feel quite well prepared for the work that is to be done for the next nine months.

By COMMITTEE.

BAILEY ANSWERS BRYAN.

Makes Reply to Recent Speech of the Nebraskan.

JUMPING OF PLATFORMS.

Senator Asserts Former Presidential Nominee Advocates Ideas That Are Not Democratic and He Defends Texas Declaration.

Dallas, Sept. 20.—Fair park auditorium could not hold the people who gathered Saturday night to hear Senator Bailey reply to the speech of a few days before made here by Hon. W. J. Bryan, in which the latter criticized the Texas Democratic state platform of

1896. Many persons from out of town were also in attendance.

Senator Bailey referred to Mr. Bryan as "that distinguished citizen—perhaps the most distinguished living Democrat." Each mention of the Nebraskan's name was cheered. Senator Bailey defended the Texas Democratic platform of 1896, mentioning the late Judge Reagan as one of its framers. He declared if its tariff plank had not been written then it should be now. He took up Mr. Bryan's statement, which he declared true, that the tariff on raw material might embarrass manufacturers in producing for export. He continued: "I am willing to take the tax off raw materials so that the manufacturer may compete in the markets of the world, but I insist also that he shall be willing to admit finished products free for the benefit of our people." This declaration evoked great cheers.

Referring to Mr. Bryan's assertion that where a duty is collected on raw material a compensatory duty must be allowed the manufacturer he declared that the compensatory duty was a Republican invention to enable the manufacturer to collect from the people the taxes he has to pay the government.

"I protest against any man calling himself a Democrat advocating such tax," he said. "No Democrat but Mr. Bryan has proposed that laws should be passed to assist the manufacturer to take from the pockets of the people the taxes he pays the government."

The senator said Mr. Bryan had not always supported the platform of the party; that while a congressman he voted against repealing the tax on state banks. He declared that if Bryan had a right to do that in 1892, when it was demanded by the platform he then senator had a right to vote against repeal of the wool pulp tax.

"Listen, what is wool pulp?" was asked by Senator Bailey.

Speaking of his lumber tariff he was willing to assist students but not his step-cousin appearing upon any people who will take time to my people."

As the senator was coming back he remarked: "Mr. Bryan, if he will, if he comes to my office."

RANDELL FOR IT IS NOT TO BE SOLD UNDER THE

Wants Matter, Catch, Can't, the Loser to Her.

Washington, Sept. 20.—Representative Randall of Texas addressed open letter to Senator Bailey, charging him with responsibility for attacks on former because of his effort to secure passage of Randall measure prohibiting state legislators, congressmen and senators taking gifts or employment from corporations.

Mr. Randall wants the senator to agree to submit the question to a primary vote of Mr. Bailey's old district or a state primary, the loser to resign. Several spy telegrams are included in the Randall communication.

Try a sack of our cheap flour—it is good.—Shepherd.

Jim Sherwin is going on a flat wheel this week. In getting into his delivery wagon Tuesday evening, he picked up the whip before getting in, which frightened the horse into starting. Jim was knocked down, kicked, run over and otherwise maltreated—hence his crutches.

A letter from Rev. Holmes Nichols, who has been conducting a very successful revival at Carbon, Texas, the past two weeks, announces that he will fill his pulpit at the Baptist church next Sunday.

PHONE 56
MANUEL The Home Tailor

The weather since the rain Sunday night, has been ideal; the more highly appreciated in view of the long, hot and dry summer. There is a tonic in the air that puts iron in the blood and energy in the muscles. There may be more delightful climates than west Texas, but we've never enjoyed them. We've been below sea level and on top of Pike's fourteen-thousand foot peak, and was disgusted with both. Colorado with its 2107 altitude, is the delightful middle ground, where every normal man, woman and child feels like a thoroughbred from the first of January to the last day of December.

Postmaster Baker of Loraine, was in Colorado Tuesday, a witness against the fellow who burglarized the postoffice there Monday night.

Lyceum Course.

We have booked the following attractions, at our own expense, to be held at the OPERA HOUSE at the dates below. These concerts we can recommend, knowing they are clean and first class. We trust the people will lend their support.

- Oct. 9th. Luther Manship, Negro Dialect, Slavery Times.
- Nov. 6th. Orphean Musical Club. The best on the road.
- Dec. 22nd. Italian Boys, A Night in Venice. Very fine.
- March 16th. The Floydes Co. Magicians.

Single tickets 50 cents, Full course \$1.75

Some one will wait on you Monday with the subscription list. Tickets payable January 10th next.

and farmer and was one of the early settlers of the county. In 1880 he went to Waco and engaged in the drug business with Dr. Morrison. The firm was known as Castles, Morrison and Co. Mr. Castles was also a member of the wholesale grocery house in that city of Cameron, Castles & Storey and later was connected with the wholesale drug firm of Behrens & Castles.

About 1891 Mr. Castles went to New Orleans, where he was a member of the wholesale grocery firm in the Crescent City of Cameron, Castles & Storey. When he retired from that firm he assumed the presidency of the Hibernia National bank and since that time his rise in the financial world has been little short of marvelous. He retained the presidency of that institution until 1903, when he went to New York to become head of the Guaranty Trust company. This position he vacated to become president of the Union Trust company, which position he held at the time of his tragic death.

Falls in Tub, Drowns.

Tulpa, Tex., Sept. 18.—In this (Coleman) county, the eighteen-months-old child of T. W. Ray fell in a tub of water and drowned.

Greenville's Big Blaze.

Greenville, Tex., Sept. 18.—Fire in the business section did \$75,000 damage.

Its so if you saw it in the Record

Ancient Order of United Workmen, Royal Neighbors of America, Tribe of Ben Hur, Knights and Ladies of Honor, Degree of Honor, the Modern Woodmen of America, Modern Brotherhood of America, Fraternal Union of America, Modern Order of Praetorians, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, Trinity Life, Fraternal B. H. of Los Angeles, Woodmen of the World, Maccabees and National Protective Legion. This association was organized at Dallas about a month ago.

Explorer Cook Returns to Home.

New York, Sept. 23.—Dr. Cook has returned home. His family and friends gave him a hearty greeting. Said the doctor: "I have come from the Pole. I have brought my story and my data with me. I have not come home to enter into arguments with one man or with fifty men, but I am here to present a clear record of a piece of work over which I have a right to display a certain amount of pride.

"I am perfectly willing to abide by the final verdict of this record of competent judges. That must be the law, and that alone can satisfy the public. Furthermore, not only will my report be before you in black and white, but I will also bring to America human witnesses to prove that I have been to the Pole."

We have just received another shipment of Queensware.

HOMER L. HUTCHINSON.

The Cheap Cash Store sells it cheaper.



DIAMONDS

WATCHES RINGS

CUT GLASS

CHINA SILVER

OPTICAL GOODS



J. P. MAJORS

JEWELER OPTICIAN



PROUD OF STATE FAIR.

Texans Declare Growth Typical of Their State.

"LAND OF OPPORTUNITY"

Coming Exposition, Which Opens at Dallas October 16, Will Illustrate Greatness of the Southwest.

Texans are proud of their great State Fair and declare that the marvelous growth of this great institution is but typical of the growth and development of the Southwest. And they are right in this for no feature of the state of Texas could better illustrate the growth of the state than the State Fair of Texas. And at the coming exposition, which opens in Dallas Saturday, October 16, and continues sixteen days, will be exemplified, as never before, the wonderful agricultural and industrial progress of the state. In addition several new departments will furnish an opportunity of exhibiting industries of the Southwest not represented last year.

In fact the twenty-fourth annual exposition will prove beyond a question of doubt, that Texas produces more different kinds of farm, orchard and garden products than any state in the Union, and stands pre-eminent in herds, flocks and studs; that it ranks first from the standpoint of mineral resources, which wealth has been estimated by experts to be \$300,000,000; and that it is steadily forging ahead in a manufacturing way. In every way the Fair will exemplify the fact that Texas is the "land of opportunities" for the rich and the poor, for the farmer and the mechanic, and for the young men and young women of the thickly populated sections of the North and East.

Carrying out the expectations of the people of the Southwest the management, in preparation for the coming exposition, is enlarging every department and adding many new features. The net receipts of last year, totalling \$105,000, are being expended in improvements. The Coliseum, costing \$100,000, is the first in importance. Of this sum citizens of Dallas subscribed \$60,000, and the Fair association \$40,000. This splendid structure will be 150x250 feet in dimension and will be constructed of brick, stone and steel. It will have a seating capacity sufficient to accommodate ten thousand people, and will be applicable for both large conventions and livestock shows.

Other improvements made consist of the completion of the toilet and sewerage system; the erection of a fine park wire fence around the grounds and around the race track; also the erection of a building for the kennel show; the building of additional rest cottages and the beautification of the grounds proper.

In its general plan of improvement the management looks well to the comforts of its thousands of patrons from over the state. This has led to the finest system of driveways and walks in America; to the setting out of hundreds of shade trees and the placing of comfortable benches beneath; to the placing of many drinking fountains about the grounds and last, but most important, the erection of several rest cottages, where women and children may go and where courteous caretakers see that they have every convenience.

Premiums this year will exceed \$90,000. Between \$45,000 and \$50,000 will be hung up in purses and stakes, and \$40,000 will be distributed in premiums and awards in the various departments of the Fair. The racing events promise to add brilliance to the history of the Texas turf, and the exhibition of fine cattle, horses, hogs, sheep, goats, jacks, mules and jennets will be the greatest, not only from standpoint of number, but of quality.

In the history of the South the premiums that will be awarded in the livestock department total \$25,000. Of this amount beef and dairy cattle will receive \$10,500, horses \$6,000, swine \$4,500 and sheep \$1,000 in cash premiums. Rich gold and silver trophies will be awarded by the different livestock associations. In addition to special cash prizes. The prizes for Herefords amount to \$2180; for Shorthorns, \$2070; for Red Polled, \$1115; for Polled Durhams, \$1265; for Aberdeen Angus, \$760.

In the swine division, in addition to special prizes and trophies, eight breeds—Berkshires, Poland-Chinas, Essex, Duroc-Jerseys, Chester-Whites, Tamworths, Hampshires and Yorkshires receive \$416 respectively. Offerings in the horse department are: Carriage and buggy horses, \$125; roadsters, \$455; standard bred trotters and pacers, \$350; thoroughbreds, \$350; Suffolk horses, \$155; Shetland ponies, \$125; saddle horses, \$2000; coach horses, \$800; jacks and jennets, \$205; mules, \$260.

In the richness of its poultry prizes the State Fair of Texas leads. The first premium prize will be \$7.50 and the second \$4. Four special pen classes, with \$25 first and \$12.50 second prizes, will be special features. Entries indicate that the display will be much larger than last year and superior in quality.

Verily, the twenty-fourth annual meeting of the State Fair of Texas, which begins at Dallas, Saturday, October 16, and continues sixteen days, may well be termed the "Southern Feature Fair." The very cream of American and European attractions has been secured by the management. With the \$100,000-pair, Dan Patch and Minor Heir, racing for the world championship, Strobel's airship making daily flights, Liberati's band in the Music Hall, Pain's fireworks at night, and automobile races that will make the State Fair the southern event, it seems that visitors this year will have one round of entertainment and amusement. And the management of the State Fair is correct in making these preparations, for Texans appreciate attractions of the right sort and attend each annual meet not only for education but for amusement and entertainment.

Important Notices.

The General Passenger Agent of the Texas & Pacific Railway, says in a communication to Agent Crowder that the engineers of the road are expected to whistle to scare cattle off the track, but that it is asking too much to whistle to keep people out of the way of the trains. More than once when the trains pass here at night, the people crowd upon the track and in the way of the trains, so the engineers are compelled not only to whistle, but slow up and wait until the people can be gotten off the track, before the train can be brought to its stopping place. This practice is not only exceedingly dangerous, but is a trespass upon the Company's property, as well, and unless it is stopped, some one or more will be hurt or killed. The only safe way is to keep off the track, until the trains pull up and stop.

Epworth League

Program for Sunday evening, Sept. 26th.
 Leader—Alice Shuford.
 Reading of lesson.
 Prayer.
 Subject:—Faith Paralyzed by Fear.
 Introductory remarks by leader.
 Song.
 Fear of Want and Poverty—Shell Merrell.
 Fear of Temptation—Omeira Terry.
 Fear of Failure in Christian Work—A. C. Ozmer.
 Sentence Prayers.
 Song.
 How may we live so that our faith may overcome our fears—General discussion, led by J. H. Basden.
 Song.
 Benediction.

Rally Day

At the Baptist Sunday School, on Sunday, Sept. 26th. All the friends of the school are invited to attend this Rally Day service. A fine program, and a good time is promised. Robt. M. Webb, Supt.

There are dogs and dogs, as there are folks and folks. Some dogs ain't worth killing, some ought to be killed, while others have earned their right to live. No doubt there has been a supply of the second kind of dogs in Colorado far above the demand, but there have also been many which have earned their right to live by good behavior, compliance with the law, and affection of their owners. The recent indiscriminate killing of dogs has been too drastic, in that several dogs have been killed that paid their taxes, lived peaceably, and were harmless, and a man is not a normal creature who will not resent the killing or kicking of his dog, as he would an affront to himself.

Maxfield & McKinney, proprietors of the City Cafe, are making quite extensive improvements in the arrangements and capacity of their restaurant department. In view of the oyster season, they have made a door in the rear of their parlor and the cooking department will be entirely separated from the other departments of their business—giving more room and greater convenience. They will begin the oyster season Saturday. Watch for their announcement.

The New Band.

The brass band organized some weeks ago is now settling down to hard and regular work. All the instruments have arrived and been assigned as follows:

Professor Lee Jones, Instructor; Oscar Majors, Clarinet; Milburn Doss, Clarinet; Bob Cooper, Clarinet; Carlock Annis, Clarinet; Howard Cooper, Clarinet; Bolden Ellis, Piccolo; J. B. Annis, Cornet; Sam Majors, Cornet; W. E. McKinney, Cornet; Chas. McGuire, Cornet; Orion McCreeless, Corret; S. H. Witten, Cornet; Cecil Watson, Alto; Forest Payne, Melaphone; Tyson Gilbert, Melaphone; Ray Dozier, Valve Trombone; A. C. Jones, Valve Trombone; Austin Altizer, Slide Trombone; Ed Jones, Baritone; John Witten, Baritone; Bennett Scott, Base; J. H. Greene, Base; Ed Majors, Snare Drum; Will Clayton, Base Drum.

Several Sir Knights made a crusade to Big Springs Wednesday to witness the "knighting" of T. H. Roe and Will Morrison of this place. Sir Knights Reese, Billingslee, Cook, Morgan and others whose names we failed to get, attended the conclave.

MR. BURKS' Money Saving Prices

Coal Oil per gallon	10c
Gasoline per gallon	15c
Best Flour, per sack	\$1 70
Meal per sack	70c
Arm & Hammer Soda 4 p'kgs for	25c
25 oz. K C Baking Powder for	20c
2 5 cent sack Salt for	5c
Fancy Table Syrup per bucket	45c
Or the small Sorghum	25c
Large can Tomatoes	10c
Corn 3 cans for	25c
Blackberries 3 cans for	25c
Muscat Grapes per can	15c
Apricots per can	15c
Hominy per can	10c
Salmon per can	10c
Strawberries per can	10c
Potatoes per lb.	2c
Onions per lb.	3c
Lemons per dozen	20c
Oranges per dozen	25c
A 30 cent grade of Coffee	20c
4 Boxes of Axle Grease	25c
Machine Oil and Can	10c
7 nice Pickles for	5c
A good Broom for	25c
Crackers 9 cents per lb or 3 lbs for	25c

If I cannot sell Groceries to the trade I can at least make it so you can buy them right elsewhere.

And if every article that he weighs lacks one ounce weighing what he says it does he will give it away.

Mr. Burks is after the heart of the people. He wants to give them their moneys' worth when they buy from him and not only that if the people will trade with him and help him to build up his business he can sell cheaper than he does, and he certainly appreciates even 5 cent that any body spends with him.

Your well wishes desired.



"TOM, TOM THE PIPER'S SON stole a pig and away he run." Tom probably yielded to an uncontrollable desire for a taste of fine pork. For lovers of choice pork products we have a toothsome and tempting array at all times, that includes delicious young roasters, fine chops and loins, fresh hams and finely flavored sausage, besides spare ribs at bed rock prices.

Broaddus & McGuire.


CONTRACTORS and BUILDERS

You will do well to give me a chance to figure on your **avel and Sand** prepared to furnish in any quantity desired. I of the finest pits ever opened on the river. **ERS FILLED PROMPTLY.**

Frank Williams
ONTRACTOR and SHIPPER.
ADO CITY TEXAS

Special Music

Miss Lucile Stoneroad, who is taking a special course in music in the **CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC at Chicago** announces that she will open her music class in Colorado about September 1st. She asks for all her old pupils and as many new ones as possible. Will teach at the A. L. Whipkey, residence.



HUG ON TO YOUR MONEY

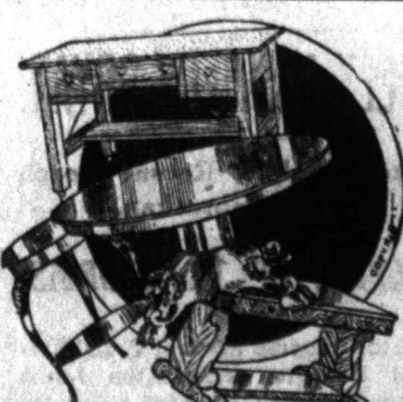
rather than spend it for poorly made furniture. You might as well have none as to have some that is no good except to look at.

Our Furniture is for Use

as well as looks. Our bedroom, parlor and dining-room sets are as pretty and graceful as can be. But their chief merit is their honest construction which means long service. That and low prices are our claims to your consideration.

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Peruna Tablets good body used them enough they will do? Read the and see. If you have to the genuineness of the to Mrs. Lohr, enclose a reply, and see whether her is genuine or not:

FOURTH RAVENNA, MICH., June 16, 1908.
Ravenna Drug Co.

Regarding the Peruna Tablets, I used about ten boxes in all. While I was in Chicago my oldest daughter was bothered with a cough all the time. She has had it for four years. Sometimes it would go away, and in the winter time it was so bad that the doctors and professors said that she had consumption, and the only way to give her any relief was to perform an operation.

I spent so much money for different medicines, and for doctors also. Nothing seemed to help her. So I saw the Peruna Tablets advertised in the paper, and I got a box and tried them. She could get some sleep by taking them. She would be up all night and cough. So I bought six boxes, and never was bothered any more.

I will leave this for any one to inquire at our old residence, where we lived in Chicago. All our neighbors would say that she could not live with such a cough. You don't know how thankful I am. She is eighteen years old.

My oldest son also was bothered with his stomach, throwing up, and his bowels so loose all the time. He was all run down for four months. I also doctored with him. One would say this and the other something else. I started in to give him the Tablets, and now he is all right, and healthy looking. He took four boxes. That is all he wants to take whenever anything ails him.

So I praise your Tablets just as high as I have your Peruna. That is all the medicine that ever comes in my house. Whenever I travel I take some with me. I have had three of my children sick with scabies for two months ago, and that is all I used, was the Peruna and the Tablets. I did not lose any of them.

If there is any more information you want, why just let me know and I will be glad to do so. Yours truly,
Mrs. L. LOHR, Ravenna, Mich.

Special Notice.

After Sept. 11th, all barber work will be strictly cash. We have no customers that we wish to lose, but are just compelled to raise some money. "Equal rights to all, special privileges to none."
Very respectfully,
JONES BROS

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WANT CONCRETE WORK.

In view of the recent ordinance passed by the City Council, you will doubtless want some concrete work done. If so it will be to your interest to see me before making a deal with anyone. I am prepared to do any kind of concrete work on the shortest notice and according to the latest and best methods, and as cheap as is consistent with first class material and good workmanship. In any event see me before closing a deal for your work.
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Attention Sidewalk Builders.

In consideration of the recent ordinance passed by the City Council, I wish to say that I have just received a fresh car of cement and am prepared to put down your sidewalks as cheap, if not cheaper than any other builder. I guarantee the very best of work, materials, etc. and can give you three to six months time at a low rate of interest. For further information, write or see J. B. Reese Colorado, Texas.

Apparel and the Man.

On one's personal appearance often depends success. Of two applicants for a job, all else equal, the neatest dressed one gets it. Neat dressing is a prophesy of success. It pays to look well.

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We keep you looking up to the point, "fit as a king." Come round and talk it over with us.

Altizer & Company.
Opposite New Depot.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. V. D. Payne entertained a few of her friends with one of the most pleasant 42 watermelon parties that it is possible to imagine. The score cards were cute little green watermelons, and the game was played with a will from the beginning. At the close the largest number of games had been won by Mrs. Raymond Johnson, and all who had the second most cut, there being four who had the same number. Mrs. R. D. Ingram was the lucky one in this. Both received big lucious melons as their prizes. The same delicious fruit was served to the guests by Mrs. A. J. and V. D. Payne and Mrs. Radford. After all had been served, Mrs. Payne announced that it was Mrs. E. E. Radford's birthday and a special kind of melon had been prepared for her by her friends. This melon proved to be filled with dainty and pretty gifts for both Mrs. Radford and Mrs. Payne. This was the surprise of the afternoon for the hostess, a number of her friends remembering that Sept. 14th was her eleventh wedding anniversary. Her surprise was certainly complete as all the packages were turned over to her and placed in Mrs. Radford's melon, and it was only known to whom they belonged by opening them. Both got a number of pretty little remembrances and the guests had the pleasure of a delightful afternoon.

Wimberly-Matthews

One of the prettiest home weddings that has occurred among Ravenna's young people in some time, was solemnized Wednesday night at the home of the bride's parents a few miles from town. Rev. Irvin performing the ceremony.

The contracting parties were Mr. Cornette Wimberly and Miss Lucy Matthews. The groom needs no introduction from us, as he is one of the leading young business men of the town, being connected with the J. E. Stone Drug Co., and is a young man of fine qualifications and has that pleasing manner which adds everyone to his list of friends. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Matthews and the family is one of the most highly respected in the county. She has many womanly traits that makes her beloved by all who meet her.

The parlor was beautifully decorated with flowers and evergreens, artistically arranged. After the ceremony the guests enjoyed a wedding supper.

A large number of admirers from here and Colorado attended the nuptials and all joined in wishing the happy couple God-speed. They were the recipients of many beautiful and valuable gifts.

The News extends congratulations to these popular young people, and wishes for them a happy wedded life.—Lorraine News.

Marriage License

Besides those already reported, the following marriage licenses have been issued during the past two weeks:—Leslie Smith and Miss Lena Hall; E. A. Hunter and Miss Myra B. Carley; W. J. Jackson and Mrs. Stella Barron; J. D. Westfall and Miss Berta Steakley.

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Frank Polacek, of Big Springs, Colo., says: "It was two years ago that I first used Doan's Kidney Pills. I was then working in the shops and from continual drinking of too much ice water, my kidneys became disordered. The most severe pain darted thru my back, causing intense misery. The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage and annoyed me greatly. I was unable to get anything that would relieve me until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills. After taking the first few doses I felt better and two boxes made me as well as ever. Whenever I have the least symptoms of kidney ailment, I use Doan's Kidney Pills and am soon all right."

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Wilsfox-Gross

Mr. Will Wilsfox and Miss Lois Gross were married Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gross, Rev. Garvin officiating.

They left on the afternoon train for Dallas and other points where they will spend their honeymoon. After their return they will make Snyder their future home.

Mr. Wilsfox is at present manager of the Variety store, and is one of Snyder's promising young business men, and his bride is one of our most popular young ladies, and is a favorite with the Snyder people.

Billie is to be congratulated on winning for his life partner so winsome a bride.

The happy couple have the best wishes of a host of friends and acquaintances for a long and happy married life.—Western Light.

Postoffice Burglary.

Never in the history of West Texas has there been as many robberies and petty thefts, as have occurred the past few months. Twenty years ago, some near sighted but otherwise good citizen would now and then fail to make out the right brand on horse or cow, by reason of his inability to read the sign language, but petty crimes were practically unknown in all west Texas; now, however, we have to contend with that peculiar phase of high civilization, which with difficulty, discerns the dividing line between mine and thine.

The most recent case in point, is the burglary of the Lorraine postoffice last Monday night. Postmaster Baker and Assistant Phillips had gone to supper and on returning to the office ran upon the burglar red handed. He made a dash for the door, but was grabbed about the neck by assistant postmaster Phillips, whom he bit on the arm, and postmaster Baker coming to his assistant's help received a slight bite on the hand. The thief was finally captured and turned over to the authorities and brought to Colorado, whence he was taken to Abilene and turned over to the federal authorities.

After getting a light, Postmaster Baker found that the burglar had filled the cash drawer of about \$100. He had taken the money from the safe, but was interrupted before he could conceal it on his person, and it was found scattered on the floor. We failed to learn the amount of money in the safe at the time.

The burglar had stopped at the hotel the night before and gave his name as Burrus. He will be given ample time by the U. S. court to reflect on the hardness of the transgressor's way and the mutability of human affairs, in the safe seclusion of the pen.

He was bound over to the action of the U. S. court at Abilene in the sum of \$1,000, by his Honor, Justice Fred Meyer.

The mill of justice has been grinding in Esquire Fred Meyer's court intermittently through the week. The boys pay the freight.

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COLORADO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, SEP. 24, 1909

Nothing is made perfect in this world except a perfect fool.

A stray vote at the insane asylum at Terrell, as reported to a local paper regarding the real discoverer of the north pole, gives Bascom Thomas a majority of one over Dr. Cook.

If you have not read the latest article of C. W. Post, inveighing against the "union label" and labor trust, do so. It is running in most of the big daily papers under the caption: "Pass the Word Along."

It seems that Eugene V. Debs, (whose picture is an ideal likeness of Mephisto) has made Socialism pay about as well as Mr. Bryan has democracy, and is now according to reports, pretty well fixed in this world's goods.

The idea that Colorado county are any other part of the drouth this year, but enough will tide all classes over the harvest.

Acquiring physicians births and deaths, is failure to do so is the statute. The and serves a should be en-

nce the poor white man or can have a case of appendicitis and afford an operation, the lists have rustled a new disto to meet the demands of the waiting patients. Its pellagra unidentified wraith of corn.

"Get in on the band wagon for the Red to Rio Grande road" advises the Waco Times-Herald. The Record clomb in before the horses were fairly hitched up, and has never failed to preach the gospel in every issue. This State pike and broom corn for west Texas, is the Record's most mainest text, in print and out. Keep hitting it up, Brother Robinson.

Albert Patrick has made another appeal from the last decision of the appellate court of New York, which denied his application for a writ of habeas corpus, on the grounds that Governor Higgins had no right to commute his sentence from death to life imprisonment; that he should have been electrocuted or acquitted.

We have read every single "pome" of the staff postaster of the Dallas News since the first one. We have also read every one of Uncle Walt's denatured madrigals in the El Paso Herald and much admire them both. But if Uncle Walt or the Herald artist would, instead of the countersunk head at the side, use the illuminated initial like the News' staff man, it would help catch the idea. This is purely gratuitous.

One of the most potent factors in the final evangelization of Japan will be the fact that the nation has given up an all-rice diet and has taken to eating meat, in order to prevent the disease of beri-beri, and in the hope of increasing their stature. In order to do this, the national religion must also be given up, as Buddhism and Hinduism teach that meat eating is cannibalism, since the souls of mortals pass into animals after death.

Have your winter clothes put in shape. Phone 56. MANUEL the Home Tailor

There was a time when the death of such a man as Harriman would have so disturbed the stock values that the shrinkage would represent millions of dollars, and probably many people ruined. But that time is gone. Today the commercial world is so steadied by the laws of sound business, that a half dozen of such men might pass and there would be scores of well trained men to step into their shoes and hold the market steady. A successful man was formerly one in ten thousand; now they run in droves.

Now is the time to buy west Texas land, if you ever intend to do so. There is no safer investment in the great southwest today none more profitable, than west Texas dirt. It will never be as cheap again as now. A dry year or two can only retard the settling up of the country; it will not depreciate the value of the land. It has been amply proven, and under like conditions, will do better than sections where the excessive rainfall continually leaches the fertility of the land. One can make no mistake by planting money in Mitchell county land.

The rise of "Bob" Lovett from "pore white trash" of East Texas to the head of the greatest railroad combination in the world, as the other self of the greatest financial magnate of America, should be an incentive to every boy in Texas. He climbed to this height of trust and confidence, simply because he was able to "make good" in every position in which he was tried out. There were thousands struggling for the same advancement, who were given the same chance young Lovett was given; they fell out, because the stuff was not in them.

In the death of Governor Johnson of Minnesota, the nation loses one of its highest examples of citizenship, democracy one of its cleanest and ablest exponents, and christian manhood, one of its heroes. The son of a wash woman, his devotion to his mother, fired a patriotism nobler than party lines, which placed him in the highest office in the state. His life was an inspiration to every aspiring boy of this nation, and his example a benediction to the manhood of the world.

We may have said a word or two about the matter before but its repetition won't hurt anyone's feelings. Three are lights are badly needed on Second street, at the principal crossings. True, they would cost \$8 or \$10 per month each, but the convenience of them to the public would outweigh their cost.

Nine hundred and fifty thousand school children in Texas.

The first month with an "r" has arrived, in which months only, the succulent oyster is supposed to be "fitten" to eat. Signs to that effect are displayed for the delectation of the "horngrny."

The Holiness denomination of Texas, has closed a contract with the citizens of Hamlin, whereby the church college is to be located at that place. It is to cost \$100,000 the citizens of Hamlin to donate \$25,000 of his amount and 80 acres of land adjoining the townsite on which to locate the buildings.

The Orient road is now completed between Sweetwater and San Angelo. About October 1st, double daily passenger service will be inaugurated between the two towns and on to Wehita, Kansas.

Sept. 16th was the 99th anniversary of the independence of the republic of Mexico.

The Record office has been hard at work the past week on the delinquent tax list of Nolan county. It is a prodigious task—so much composition, besides that which must be done for the paper. Without a linotype, such a job of composition could not be done at one time in any printing office in west Texas. It requires about 12 six column pages of solid brevier type.

Many of the farmers of Mitchell county are even now getting their land in shape for the next crop by plowing, in order to catch all the moisture that may fall between this and planting time next spring.

Last Friday's Star-Telegram contained a cartoon on the Cook-Peary controversy, drawn by Jim Green of Big Springs, that is so far ahead of anything appearing in Texas papers, that it stamps him with the highest talent. Not only the conception, but the artistic technique were those of a veteran professional. There was nothing amateurish about it.

An epidemic of bank robberies has prevailed in Oklahoma and southern Kansas the past year which the authorities seem unable to break up. In 17 months \$82,000 have been so secured by cracksmen

The deadly harvest of the humble set screw in line shafts, has begun. Already three deaths have been reported directly due to the set screw in revolving shafts, and of all forms of death this is the most horrible. This writer has seen four men, in his time, in stooping under, and stepping over shafts, have their clothing caught by a coupling screw and every bone in their bodies broken. There surely ought to be a law compelling manufacturers of machinery to countersink all set and coupling screws on revolving shafting. Many a good man's life would be thereby saved.

Dock Pegues, a noted Baptist Sunday school worker, died at San Antonio last week.

By the terms of the late Mr. Harriman's will, it is thought that Mrs. Harriman will supplant Mrs. Hettie Green as the richest woman in the world. Until the terms of the will are made public, her wealth has been estimated at \$10,000,000 at the very lowest.

Of course the women had to do the same thing. Miss Peck claims to have climbed to the highest mountain height in the world, Mrs. Workman, some climber herself, says Miss Peck is faking, pure and simple. That she, (Mrs. Workman) had done that very thing, going up by actual measurement 23,300 feet. So there you are.

Colorado Needs It.

Mrs. Cole, wife of L. S. Cole living in the northeast part of the county, was brought to town last week and operated on by Dr. N. J. Phenix last Saturday. It was quite a major operation and its success was a tribute to the surgical skill and growing reputation of Dr. Phenix. The Record has from time to time urged the necessity of a well equipped sanitarium in Colorado, where patients could receive proper surgical treatment without the exhaustive trip and expense of going to Dallas or Fort Worth. Such an institution in Colorado would not only be a great convenience to the physicians of Mitchell county and their surgical patients, but would without doubt attract patients from many of the neighboring counties which lack such advantages.

Again—Every town the size of Colorado, and many smaller ones can well afford one or two trained nurses. There is hardly a week but that some case demanding skilled and constant nursing, does not exist in Colorado. With the skilled services of a trained nurse the services of the physician become more satisfactory, while the termination of the case becomes much more favorable. Why not a sanitarium for Colorado?

Correct service by the Palace Market.

Fine Fruit and vegetables at Shepperd's.

If you want it, you can get it for much less at the Cheap Cash Store.

Chas. Lasky Moves.

For the past ten days the force over at Chas. Lasky's store has been very busy, changing, arranging and moving. He is vacating the corner store room and moved the grocery stock into the middle room, which gives more than twice the area he had in the corner store. The entire inside of the new grocery department has been painted and beautifully papered, as well as most conveniently arranged and fitted up for the most up to date handling of his large trade.

The north store room will be arranged and equipped for handling all kinds of grain and seeds. When these arrangements have been completed, there will not be a business house in west Texas that will surpass it in convenience, modern equipment or efficiency of management. Mr. Lasky will carry groceries, hardware and grain, and it is needless to say that no stock in either line in all this section will compare with it for fullness and variety. If you cannot get it of Chas. Lasky, you'll have to send to the factory for it.

For more than a quarter of a century—almost an average span of human life—Chas. Lasky has been an active and aggressive feature in the business circles of Colorado. Beginning in a modest way, he has by unremitting industry and superior business judgment, no less than by his uniform system and "square deal" policy, built up a business that has become not only one of the institutions of Colorado, but of west Texas, as well. Mr. Lasky's success emphasizes the fact and principle that untiring industry, sound common sense and a square deal will not alone deserve success, but will command it. Colorado is justly proud of such an institution, and loyally supports it. It is perhaps the most complete retail establishment west of Fort Worth.

The offices have been put in the rear end of the store, where the bookkeeper has better light and greater room. The stock has been replenished in all the lines carried, and one must indeed be fastidious in taste who cannot have his wants supplied from this comprehensive stock.

The finishing touches will be put on the arrangement of the stores this week, and Mr. Lasky will be glad to have his friends and customers visit the store and see how well he is now prepared to serve them.

The Whist Club was delightfully entertained Wednesday by Mrs. Douglass Furguson.

Your ad in the Record will get results.

George Runyon blew in from Big Springs Wednesday night, just to get his laundry.

Lithographed vendor's lien notes for sale at Record office.

Homer Patterson and Preston Scott are the two most recent additions to the band, which, by the way, is getting along splendidly. The public will begin to expect a street concert soon.

Rubber Stamps—All kinds and styles at the Record office.

Mr. M. T. Crawford will address the mens' meeting Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Every man and boy in Colorado is invited.

Lithographed vendor's lien notes for sale at Record office.

Miss Pearl Pharr of Waco is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. N. J. Phenix

Get prices on groceries at Shepperd's.

D. N. Arnett and family enjoyed a barbecue at Rendrebroke Friday.

Candy! Candy! Candy! at The Racket Store.

Mrs. S. Shaw and Mrs. A. J. Payne went to Big Springs Wednesday to attend a rally of the Methodist Home Mission Society; Mrs. Bloodworth, the State President, being present. Mrs. Towle of Snyder was also of the party.

Give us your patronage, if it is only a nickle a week, we will appreciate it.—Independent Ice Co.

The interior decoration of Lasky's new store room is an artistic piece of work and adds much to the appearance of the store. It is the handiwork of Frank Lupton and the Taylor Brothers. When it comes to spreading canvas and paper on wall and ceiling, the Taylors not only take the cake, but the whole bake shop as well; 500 yards a day being nothing unusual

"My Young Sister"

writes Mrs. Mary Hudson, of Eastman, Miss., "I took my advice, which was, to take Cardui. She was staying with me and was in terrible misery, but Cardui helped her at once.

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It Will Help You

"Last spring," Mrs. Hudson continues, "I was in a rack of pain. The doctor did no good, so I began to take Cardui. The first dose helped me. Now I am in better health than in three years."

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Removal Notice.

I have moved my business to one of the Simpson houses, opposite the City National Bank, and now have the best equipped shop for a town, the size of Colorado, in the state of Texas, and carry a large and varied assortment of the same grade of goods as are carried by tailor shops in the large cities.

All the work is done at home, and by patronizing my shop you encourage a strictly home industry.

The Public is cordially invited to come inspect my work and methods.

R. T. MANUEL
The Home Tailor.

You Don't Need a Town Crier



to emphasize the merits of your business or announce your special sales. A straight story told in a straight way to the readers of this paper will quickly reach the ears of the thoughtful, intelligent buying public, the people who have the money in their pockets, and the people who listen to reason and not noise. Our books will show you a list of the kind of people you appeal to. Call and see them at this office.

STILL IN THE MARKET

We are in the market for all the CHICKENS, EGGS, BUTTER and other country produce, paying the topmost price. We pay for

Eggs..... 16c per dozen
Chickens..... \$3 per dozen
Butter..... 25c. per pound

We further wish to say to our customers, that we will meet any prices on Groceries and Country Produce.

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Texas Produce and Grocery Co.

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Sand-Cement
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Make your own brick. Build your own house. Be independent. Write for prices and circulars describing how it can be done. 303 Commerce Street Dallas, Texas.

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Good Meal for 25 Cents

Short Orders at all hours

COLORADO - TEXAS

The emporium of fashion, style and "smartness" is the Vogue, over Burns & Bell's Dry goods store. Remember the place when you purchase and see what it has to offer—only the most correct.

Dr. Theo. C. Merrill left Wednesday night for a short stay in New York. He will attend the Post Graduate Medical school there.

The Independent Ice Co. is here to stay. Phone 385.

Try the Palace Market for a juicy steak or a prime roast. It is fattened specially for this market.

Still the concrete walks go down. The most recent improvements have been put down by Messrs Earl Jackson, Jim Sherwin, R. D. McMurry and J. R. Maxfield.

Fire Protection Contract

At a called meeting of the City Council on Tuesday night, Sept. 21, to make a contract with Robt. M. Webb, as manager of the Colorado Water Co., to furnish water for fire protection, there were present, Mayor C. M. Adams, Councilmen F. M. Burns, W. H. Moeser, T. J. Radliff and H. F. Wheeler.

The Council agreed to pay \$450 for fire protection from Sept. 1909 to February 1910 inclusive, provided the Colorado Water Co. would have a total of 20 fire plugs installed and ready for service on or before March 1st, 1910. All new plugs installed are to be placed by the direction of the Council and to be paid for by the Colorado Water Co. and at least one new plug must be installed per month from now until March 1910.

Beginning on March 1st, 1910, the Council agrees to pay \$5 per month in advance for each and every one of the plugs which is ready for service on the dates the monthly payments fall due.

R. M. Webb agrees to execute a bond in the sum of \$200, guaranteeing to have the twenty fire plugs ready for service as above stated.

R. M. Webb offered a ten percent discount on the \$450 above mentioned, if paid at once, and the Council accepted the offer and ordered a warrant drawn for \$450.

C. M. Adams, Mayor.
E. Keathley, Sec.

Dairy Wagon.

On Monday morning, Sept. 26, the Gill and Payne Stock Farm will put in operation a thoroughly equipped, perfectly up to date dairy wagon, which will deliver milk, guaranteed absolutely pure, put up in sanitary pint and quart bottles, to any part of the city. Those desiring milk left at their house will please phone 119 before Monday morning. 9-241f

\$1.00 for cleaning your watch.
COOPER.

High grade pickles and catsup at SHEPPERD'S.

Bring us your old clothes and we will make them look new. Altizer & Co., tailors.

Coming!—The swellest line of corsets you ever saw at Mrs. Jas. DeMoss.

The ladies' prayer meeting met Tuesday with Mrs. G. W. Smith.

Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stoneroad, Miss Arnett and Mrs. Stoneroad entertained at cards in honor of Miss Adams of Galveston. The Card Club and a number of outside friends were the guests. The game was euchre. At its close the prize, a cut glass nappey, went to Mrs. Austin Rountree the lone hand prize, a fan, to Miss Terrell, and the guest of honor received a pair of pink silk hose.

The other guests cutting for their prize (white silk hose). These were won by Miss Maggie Smith. Grape ice and macaroons were served most delicately. Thursday Miss Arnett and Mrs. Stoneroad again entertained. This time the young ladies club and a number of friends, who played at 42. There were nine tables and a most enjoyable afternoon was spent. Prizes were given the winners, and an ice and cake served.

A. L. Scott is working on the rearrangement of the Graves' lumber shed property, converting it into a grain elevator and mill. It is Mr. Scott's purpose to have the spur running to the rear of Radford's storehouse, extended across the street and alongside his building, so that all kinds of grain and other merchandise may be easily handled.

Remember in order to get the Independent Ice Co. to remain here always, you must help them along with your valued patronage.

The most refined appreciation of fashion is not pronounced extremes, regardless of varying types but to dress so as to indicate that you know the demands of style, but prefer a modest medium. This is the guiding policy of the Vogue.

When you get your millinery of Vogue, you need have no fear of meeting a dozen ladies, wearing the same.

The Palace Market is giving its customers specially feed beef. No better can be had in this section.

The 21 Club met Wednesday with Mrs. Joe Humphries. There were nine tables of players, a number of guests being present. The score cards were dainty autumn leaves. The game was most entertaining and at its close delicious cream with black and white cake was served. The club meets in two weeks with Mrs. G. W. Donaldson at Mrs. A. J. Payne's.

HERBERT HINTS

We had a nice rain here Sunday evening.

The young peoples' Union met Sunday evening after Sunday school.

There will be preaching next Saturday and Sunday at the Baptist church, by the pastor, Rev. Gibbs.

Mr. Hood and family left this week to pick cotton.

Mr. John Browne and Miss Lizzie Welch spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emery Enyart. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Northcut and family visited relatives on the plains last week.

Mr. J. S. Barber went to Colorado Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Browne visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Barber Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Browne Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Wele is spending this week with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Browne.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Browne visited relatives on the plains last week.

SWEET SIXTEEN

Mr. Sandefer, President of Simmons College at Abilene, Filled the Baptist pulpit Sunday morning and night. He also spoke to the men at the tabernacle at 4 o'clock, in a very appropriate address. On his way from Abilene here Saturday night, he got off the train at Roscoe to get something to eat, and was run down by a vehicle and knocked unconscious for more than an hour. He is only a layman but he never lets pass an opportunity to present the importance of thorough christian training and education. Abilene is fortunate in having such a power for good in its midst. He made a very favorable impression upon the people of Colorado who will always accord him a cordial welcome and an attentive hearing.

Did you notice the planet Mars last Wednesday night? It was many million miles nearer us than it will be in cons of years.

For Trade:—My residence here for unimproved land, stock, or will sell on long time. 9-24 C. S. KNOTT.

Remember, if you will patronize the Independent Ice Co. you will always get your ice very reasonably.

Mortgage notes at The Record of

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon William Cheek, Samuel Cheek and Thomas Cheek 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 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mitchell County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Colorado on the first Monday in January A. D. 1910, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 19th day of August A. D. 1909 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1212, wherein Hardie Caesar individually and as Executor of the last Will and Testament of Maria Caesar, deceased, is Plaintiff, and William Cheek, Samuel Cheek, Thomas Cheek and Mary Robb are defendants, and said petition alleging: That Plaintiff's testatrix was the owner, and Plaintiff as the Executor of and sole beneficiary under her last will and testament is now the owner of an undivided one-half interest in and to a certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being situated in Mitchell County, Texas, known and described as all of Lot No. Ten (10) in Block No. Thirty-five (35) of the town of Colorado, the value of said whole tract being Six Hundred Dollars (\$600.00) That the Defendants William Cheek, Samuel Cheek and Thomas Cheek, are the owners of an undivided interest in said property, which Plaintiff believes and alleges to be an undivided one-eighth each, and that the defendant Mary Robb, Plaintiff believes and alleges to be also the owner of an undivided one-eighth interest therein, while Plaintiff is the owner of an undivided one-half interest therein. That said property was the community property of Richard Cheek and Maria Cheek both deceased. That said Richard Cheek died intestate leaving the following children, William Cheek, Samuel Cheek, Thomas Cheek and Sallie Garcia, wife of Martin Garcia, who thereby under the statute of descent and distribution each became the own-

ers of an undivided one-eighth interest in said property. That said Maria Cheek, afterwards Maria Caesar, as the surviving wife of Richard Cheek became the owner of an undivided one-half interest in said property and died, testate, as alleged, bequeathing all her right title and interest in said property to plaintiff. That the Defendant Mary Robb became the owner of all the right title and interest of her mother Sallie Garcia in and to said property by a certain deed of gift from said Sallie Garcia and her husband, Martin Garcia, dated June 29, 1909, and recorded in Vol. 29, pp. 91-92, Deed Records of Mitchell County, Texas.

That said property is not susceptible of partition in kind in a fair and equitable manner.

Premises considered Plaintiff prays that the several defendants be cited in terms of law to appear and answer this petition, and that on final hearing the court do ascertain the respective interests of the plaintiff and the several defendants in said realty, and mine whether or not said property is capable of fair and equitable partition in kind, and if it be not found so, that the same be sold through a receiver as ordered by law at either a public or private sale and the proceeds of such sale be divided, or, in the alternative, if the said property can be partitioned in kind that same be done, and for a decree which will afford Plaintiff such other and further relief both general and special legal and equitable as he may be entitled to, for an equitable taxation of the costs hereof as in duty bound he will ever pray.

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

Witness, Jesse H. Bullock, Clerk of the District Court of Mitchell County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado this 19th day of August, A. D. 1909.

JESSE H. BULLOCK, Clerk
District Court, Mitchell County,
By A. S. Stoneroad Deputy.

FIRE—FIRE—PAID—PAID

My first loss occurred on Feb. 9th and was adjusted Feb. 10th. Prompt and careful attention given to all business entrusted to me.
ERNEST KEATHLEY, Agt.

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Yes, I am selling lots of it, and my customers are my best advertisement. ASK THEM ABOUT US. Are you going to build a chicken house, a barn, a room, a rent house, or a residence? I want to sell you the lumber. Don't fail to see me about it.

It Will Pay You

I have pleased thousands of people and know I can please you. If you are one of my customers you know this is true; if you are not, I want to prove it to you. COME AND SEE ME.

Colorado
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Lumber and
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CHAMPION CHIMES.

Health of the community is very good at present. We had a good rain Sunday night. Quite a crowd attended preaching at Zion's Rest Sunday. Mrs. J. G. Norrell and family visited in Wastella Sunday. Fred Ison returned Saturday evening from a long stay on the railroad at Snyder. John Tyler of Big Springs was visiting at Mr. W. A. Kennedy's Friday and Saturday. Mr. Hodge of Navarro county, visited W. R. Blackman last week. Mr. Will Owens and family were visiting in our neighborhood last week.

BRIGHT EYES.

Van Tuyl Ranch.

A good rain fell in our community Monday which was greatly needed, especially on late feed stuff, but was most too late to do cotton and early feed any good. Sam Hale and family returned home Tuesday evening from a visit with relatives in Taylor and Runnels counties. Mrs. Eva Powell and children spent Wednesday night at Harry Langford's. Misses Carrie and Willie Bailey visited Mrs. Emma Powell Thursday evening. Mrs. Eva Powell and children visited at Sam Hales' Thursday. Mr. Sam Hale gave a candy pulling Friday night which was well attended and all who were present had a nice time. Mr. S. S. Gardner and family visited Lorraine Saturday and Sunday. Mr. A. P. Moore and family visited in Coke county Saturday and Sunday. A good rain fell Saturday evening—it was welcome. Mr. Louder and wife of Colorado were the guests of Mr. J. M. Bailey and family Sunday. The guests of J. A. Powell and wife Sunday evening were Sam Hale and family, Clarence Bagwell and family, Mrs. Eva Powell and children and Emmet Boatright. W. B. Powell was at Mr. J. M. Bailey's Sunday. A rain fell Sunday night which will complete a pretty season. The health of the community is very good.

UNCLE ANDREW.

PLAINVIEW POINTS.

We had a very nice rain Sunday which everybody was glad to see. Sunday school attendance was small Sunday morning. A good crowd attended preaching Sunday evening. On account of the rain prayer meeting was not very well attended Sunday night. Mr. A. C. Costin made a business trip to Lorraine Monday. Cotton is beginning to open in this community. People will soon have to begin work picking cotton and cutting feed. Miss Vera Costin has returned from Coahoma where she has been visiting her grandmother. Miss Cleo Franklin spent Sunday night with her. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hale and Mr. Holford and daughter of Coahoma spent Thursday night with H. J. Free and family.

Mr. Denny and son-in-law, Mr. Cashmere, spent Tuesday with H. J. Free and family. Mr. A. T. Donaldson of Westbrook, was a pleasant visitor at H. J. Free's Tuesday. School is progressing nicely at this place. We have an enrollment of 40 pupils and expect more. We think the teacher is able to manage the school without help, by obeying her rules. Ewell Gary who got her arm broken not long since, is improving rapidly. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Winchester have moved to Colorado the past week.

SI HAYSEED.

Coloradoans Abroad.

Fred Miller of Colorado who had been here during fair week in his two cylinder Mason automobile has returned to his home. J. L. Overton of Colorado who had been here the past few days has returned to his home. He drives a four cylinder Rambler. Carl Phenix, driving a four cylinder Rambler has returned to his home in Colorado after spending last week here attending the fair. Oscar Majors of Colorado was attending the Chautauqua here this week. Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Ponds of Colorado were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Z. Mullins last week. Miss Olivia Edwards of Colorado arrived Thursday morning on a visit to friends, the guest of M. A. Churchill and family. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Majors of Colorado were among the party attending the Bryan lectures here Thursday. Miss Juanita Shropshire of Colorado was among the visitors here Thursday. Miss Sadie Mae Hughes of Colorado arrived Thursday morning to attend the Chautauqua and visit relatives, the guest of W. R. Daves and family. Mrs. F. E. McKenzie and daughter Hazel, of Colorado arrived on Thursday morning to attend the Chautauqua and visit relatives, the guests of W. J. Inkman and family. William Jennings Bryan was the guest of honor at a 6 o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Morrison Thursday evening. Those present were Hon. W. J. Bryan, Hon. W. R. Smith and wife of Colorado, Judge and Mrs. M. H. Morrison, Mrs. B. Reagan.—Big Springs Herald.

Farmers Union Notice.

The Farmers Educational and Co-operative Union of Mitchell county will meet with Herbert Local, on Colorado and Sterling road ten miles south-west of Colorado Texas, Friday, October 1st, 1909. All local unions in the county are hereby notified to send delegates to represent them in this meeting. Business of much importance to the interest of the Union will be brought up. Be sure to come. W. H. GARDNER, Sec.

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D. S. Kirk will furnish the very best of white river sand and gravel in car load lots or by the wagon load. All kinds of concrete work done. Sidewalk work a specialty. Let me figure on your concrete work. Phone 336 T. & P. Phone. D. S. KIRK, Colorado, Texas.



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Our new Fall goods are arriving daily and are being opened fast as they arrive. The markets of the east have been called on to contribute their best for our money, and the goods speak for themselves. Never has Colorado had the opportunity to make selections from so large, so varied, and up-to-date a stock as we are now showing.

Come Early and Make your Fall Selections

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The celebrated Francis T. Simmon Kid Gloves
The World renowned Hart, Schafner & Marx Clothing and "Nufangl" Trousers
Edwin Clapp and Walkover Shoes for Men
Ultra and Brockport Shoes for Women.

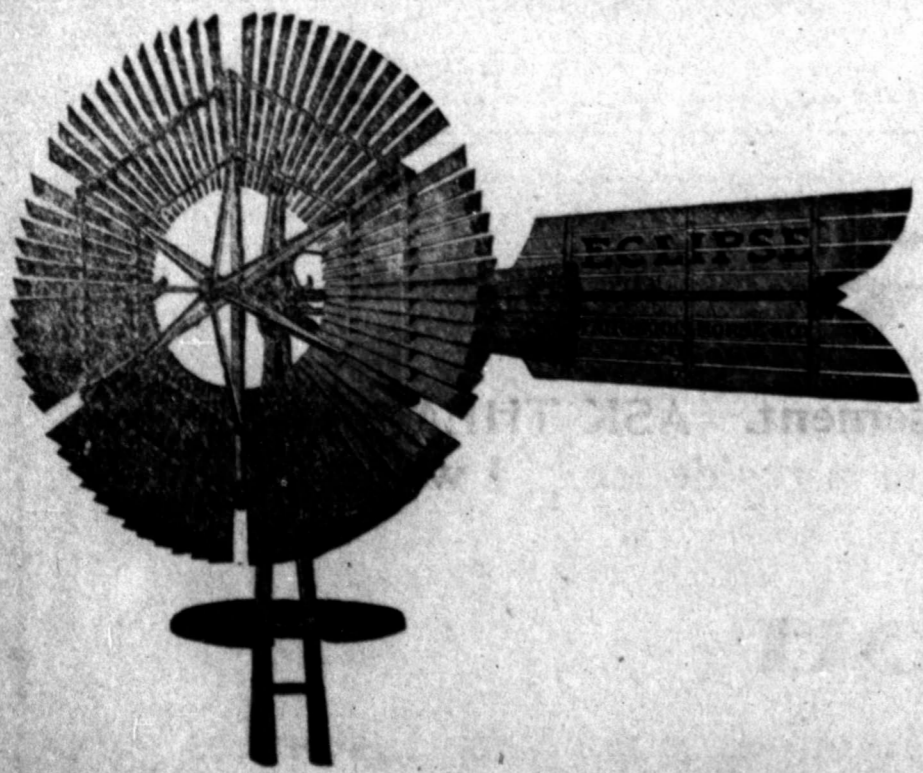
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... office open from 8 a. m., to 6
... P. A. HAZZARD, P. M.

COUNTY OFFICERS.
A. J. Coe, Judge; Jesse H. Bullock,
Clerk; G. B. Coughran, Sheriff; L. A.
Cosbin, Assessor; H. W. Stoneham,
Surveyor; W. P. Leslie, Attorney; J.
J. Patterson, Treasurer; W. H. Gard-
ner, W. M. Green, J. S. Barber and
U. D. Wulfjen, Commissioners.

District and County Court.
District Court meets 17th, Mon-
day after first Monday in September
and 15th Monday after 1st Monday in
January. J. L. Shepherd, Judge.

County Court meets quarterly, on
3rd Mondays in January, April, July
and October.
Commissioners' Court meets 2nd,
Monday in January, April, July and
December. A. J. Coe, Co., Judge.

CITY OFFICIALS.
C. M. Adams, Mayor, F. M. Burns,
C. H. Earnest, T. J. Ratliff, W. M.
Moeser, H. F. Wheeler, Aldermen; E.
Keathley, Secretary and Collector; Joe
Key, Marshal.

City Council meets 1st Tuesday
night in each month in regular ses-
sion.

FIRE COMPANY.
Meets on call of the President. A.
Cooksey, Chief; J. D. Sherwin, Sec.

The Commercial Club meets at the
call of the President—Robt. M. Webb,
President; Earl Morrison, Secretary.

UNITED BROTHERHOOD.
Meet every Sunday afternoon at 4
o'clock at Tabernacle—T. H. Roe
President, Dr. P. C. Coleman, Chair-
man Board Directors.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Services every Sabbath morning and
night. Prayer meeting every Wednes-
day night—Rev. Holmes Nichols, Pas-
tor. Sunday School at 9:45—Robt. M.
Webb, Superintendent.

Onesiphorous Band meets every oth-
er Tuesday night—Dr. W. C. Neal,
President.

Ladies Aid meets 1st, Thursday in
each month. Mrs. G. W. Smith, Pres.

METHODIST CHURCH.
Teaching every Sabbath Morning
and evening. Prayer meeting every
Wednesday night—J. R. Henson, Pas-
tor.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., every
Sunday—Jno. Pasden, Superintendent.
Epworth League meets
7:30 p. m., every Sunday—
H. E. Grantland, President.

Women's Home Missionary Society
meets every 1st Monday at 3 p. m.—
Mrs. Carter, President.

Women's Foreign Missionary Soci-
ety meets every 1st Thursday.—Mrs.
Arnett, President.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
Services every Sabbath morning and
evening. Prayer meeting every Wed-
nesday night—E. V. Bond, Pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., every
Sunday—W. A. Crowder, Supt.

CHRISTIAN END-AVOR.
Christian Endeavor meets
7:15 p. m. every Sunday.
Miss Ethel Maxfield, Pres.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Preaching every Sabbath by pastor.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night—W.
L. Elliott, Pastor. Sunday School
at 9:45 a. m., every Sunday—J. M.
Thomas, Supt.

ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER.
Meets 3rd, Friday night in
each month.

W. H. Moeser, H. P.
H. E. Grantland, Sec'y.

EASTERN STAR.
Meets Thursday night on or before
first full moon in every month at Ma-
sonic Hall.

Mrs. C. A. Arbuthnot, Matron
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.
Meets 1st, and 3rd., Tues-
day nights at K. of P.
Hall.

O. P. Ford, J. C.
Jas. S. ... K. R. and S.

PYTHIAN SISTERS.
Meet 2nd, Tuesday afternoon and
Thursday nights in each month.
Mrs. B. L. Cooper, Chief.
Mrs. N. C. Payne, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.
Colorado Lodge No.
280 meets every Fri-
day night.
T. J. Ratliff, N. G.
W. R. Morgan, Sec.

W. O. W.
First and third Thurs-
day nights at Wood-
man hall.

W. L. Doss, C. C.
Earnest Keathley, Clerk

WOODMEN CIRCLE.
Meets at Woodmen Hall every 2nd,
3rd and 4th, Tuesday afternoons.—Mrs. A.
Phenix, Guardian, Mrs. J. L. Ross,
Secretary.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS
and
PERSONAL MENTION

Hair ornaments and accessories
galore at Mrs. Jas. DeMoss.

Mr. E. C. Cullen of the Loraine
community, left this week for
Arizona, where he will locate. He
will prospect over the state before
settling down, and he ordered
the Record sent to him.

**Box of Shinola, soft polishing
brush and dauber for 20 cents at
The Racket Store.**

The new hose and ladder wagon
was out on parade Saturday af-
ternoon, and it certainly made a
brave show. The horses were
feeling their keep and the driver
deeply felt the dignity and respon-
sibility of his position. When the
horses are a bit better trained,
there should be no delay in getting
to a fire with ease and dispatch.

For the very latest things in jet
furnishing, call at Mrs. Jas. De-
Moss.

Rev. B. F. Tatum of Merkel,
has been called to the pastorate of
the Baptist church at Buford, and
was here last Monday. He visit-
ed his old friend H. F. Wheeler.

Burwell Cooper repairs type-
writers.

Misses Juanita Shropshire, Isla
Smith, Sadie Mae Hughes and Ed-
wards visited in Big Springs last
week.

For first-class work and low
prices see Altizer & Co., tailors.

Frank Gary of Midland and Dr.
Hardy Cuny of Reagan spent Sun-
day in Colorado.

**Monday, Sept. 27th, will be
"Ribbon Day" at the Cheap Cash
Store.**

A. F. Cuny and family of Mid-
land are visiting Mrs. D. N. Ar-
nett.

High grade millinery and court-
eous treatment at Mrs. B. F.
Mills.

Miss Ella Dry returned Satur-
day from a visit to Mineral Wells.

Picture framing done by an ex-
pert on short notice.
HOMER L. HUTCHINSON.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Green and
children are in Colorado for the
winter. They are occupying Mrs.
Homan's house.

**Half Gallon glass pitchers 30 cts
at The Racket Store.**

Mrs. Charley Hooper and child-
ren of Westbrook visited friends
the first of the week.

If you get your millinery of
Vogue, you need never apologize
for its qualities of harmony, style
or suitability—its the correct
thing stamped with the 'hall mark'
of exacting Fashion, herself.

Effie Warren left Sunday night
for Belton, where she goes to
school.

Miss Margaret Adams of Gal-
veston is visiting Miss Ophelia Ar-
nett.

Coming!—Gingham, Chambray
and all kinds of wash dresses for
the school children, at Mrs. Jas.
DeMoss.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moreland of
Fluvanna are visiting their sis-
ter, Mrs. D. N. Arnett.

Wanted:—A good medium size
safe, see H. A. Bass & Co.

Dudley Arnett of Galveston, is
visiting the home folks.

For Rent:—Farm six miles
north-east of town, to some one
who will also buy implements,
which are about new.
MRS. ELA SIMON.

Mrs. Bess Arnett of Rendre-
brook, visited friends in town this
week.

For Manicure specialties, go to
W. L. DOSS.

The first number of the Lyceum
course, The Rachel Stremman Con-
cert Co., is booked for this place
on Oct. 29th.

When you can't find just what
you want in the millinery and
dress making line elsewhere, come
to Mrs. Jas. DeMoss.

**IF YOU'VE NEVER WORN
SLICKER**
you've yet
to learn the bodily
comfort it gives in
the wettest weather
MADE FOR
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TOWERS CANADIAN CO. LIMITED, TORONTO, CAN.

Mrs. W. V. Johnson entertained
the Wednesday Social Club in her
most hospitable manner this week.

We will keep you neat. Bring
us your old clothes and have them
made new. Altizer & Co., tailors.

The Midland Lyceum course
secured by the Hesperian Club
will be put on at the following
dates:—Rachel Steinman Concert
Co., Oct. 29; Shungopair, Dec. 1;
Eureka Glee Club, Jan. 10; Den-
ton C. Crowl, Feb. 2; Dr. Thos.
McClary, Feb. 23. These are all
new and interesting entertain-
ments and will be enjoyed by all.
The Club has taken it for the ben-
efit of the public school.

Ladies' skirts for less at H. A.
Bass & Co. the Cheap Cash Store.

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do your windmill, pipe and pump
work. All work fully guaranteed.
Phone 319. 9-25p

Mrs. Sayles and Miss Roberts
returned to Abilene Friday, after
a week's pleasant visit with Mis-
s and Miss Bertner.

The Palace Market gives perfect
satisfaction with its new system
of keeping your account. You
know every day just what you
owe them.

An alarm of fire Thursday even-
ing about 9 o'clock, sent the boys
up the hill with the hose cart, but
the blaze was extinguished be-
fore their arrival. It was a ser-
vants house in the rear of the
Bertner home.

If its the most recent and ap-
proved thing in millinery, you'll
find it at the Vogue.

D. S. Kirk, the concrete man,
has returned from Midland where
he has been busy putting down
walks and coping for the past
month, and will resume the same
line of work here.

Rubber Stamps—All kinds and
styles at the Record office.

John Person has finished a splen-
did \$200 concrete walk around
his place, greatly increasing its
value.

We have two or three ice chests
which we will close out very cheap
for cash. Also one or two Refrig-
erators.

HOMER L. HUTCHINSON.

Mrs. J. H. White of Bryan, is
visiting Mrs. J. H. Bullock, her
daughter, and will remain about
a month.

**Best selection of Manicure sets
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Hubert Tolar and Ney Sheridan
two of Loraine's business men,
were in Colorado on business, and
report everything all right at Lo-
raine.

We have some beautiful dinner
sets in plain white, also decorated.
HOMER L. HUTCHINSON.

WASH GOODS

Our stock is complete. We call special atten-
tion to the following 10 extra ordinary values for
ten ordinary cents.

Vicuna suiting in stripes,
checks and figures. Big
variety of colors 27 in-
ches wide for 10c

Armagh Suiting 34 in-
ches wide new colors and
designs suitable for coat
suits or dresses for 10c

Utility Gingham in fan-
cy and staple patterns
for 10c

Dress Duck in solid colors
Stripes and Dots. Big
values for 10c

Rexford Suiting patterns
and colors equal to 25
cent material for 10c

Lenox Sheveatt suitable
for knickerbocker suits,
shirts, and rompers
for 10c

Forest Percales 36 in-
ches wide, new fall colors
solid colors stripes and
figures for 10c

Good as gold domestic,
36 inches wide, medium
weight and soft finish
for 10c

New fall outing in light
and dark colors, stripes,
plaids and solid colors
for 10c

Manville Chambrays a
soft mercerized dress
material worth easy
12 1-2 for 10c

Stock Complete in all Departments.
BURNS & BELL

If you want good service in
undertaking and embalming go to
HOMER L. HUTCHINSON.

By an oversight, the Record
failed to chronicle the fact that
Uncle Sam Gustine attended the
Bryan lecture at Big Springs last
week. Uncle Sam was there all
right and had a good time.

Phone us or tell us the local
news.

Our colored Baptist population
had a public baptizing Sunday af-
ternoon, when about fifteen were
received into the church.

**Attend "Ribbon Day" at the
Cheap Cash Store, Monday, Sept.
27th.**

Mr. Stockton Henry of Stanton
bought the plant of the old West
Texas News and shipped it this
week to Post City, where he will
establish a weekly paper.

It costs more to get the best
but you can always get the best
at Doss' drug store. Anybody
can buy cheap imitation goods but
it takes money to buy the best and
the best is none too good for Doss'
customers.

Fine fruits at SHEPPERD'S.



A Perfect Complexion

It is necessary to BEAUTY and no woman can afford to
lose its charm, for it is the complexion that first appeals
to the eye.
FRECKLELEATER
is a scientific preparation for beautifying the complexion.
It removes the impurities and restores the skin to its
natural healthy condition. It removes Freckles, Tan,
Sunburn, Liver Spots, Ring-worms and all kindred im-
perfections, leaving the skin soft, smooth and transpa-
rent, a condition very much desired and admired.
It makes bad complexions good and good complex-
ions better. It is a dainty, delicately perfumed prepara-
tion of creamy consistency, and is wholly free from grease, fatty acids or alkalies.
At your dealers, 25 cents and 50 cents, or by mail postpaid upon receipt of price.
THE FRECKLELEATER COMPANY, Dallas, Tex.

Read Only the Best.

If you want your children to cul-
tivate a correct and elevating liter-
ary taste they must have access to
the best literature. They will read;
if not the good, then the vicious.
Give them a fair chance. The La-
dies Home Journal and Saturday
Evening Post stand at the head of
all journals of their different classes.
They cover the tastes of the entire
family. Once a reader, always one.
Mrs. A. L. Whipkey is the duly ac-
credited agent in Colorado, and will
be glad to call upon you and take
your subscription for one or both.
A phone to the Record office will
reach her.



**The Most Im-
portant Item.**

of the first meal of the
day is coffee. Are you
getting the best in the
market for the money?
If you are read no fur-
ther; if you are not, get
a sample pound here
and then—buy as you
like, where you like,
but our AMBER COF-
FEE at 25 cents the
pound is a great favor-
ite with our patrons.

R. T. Manuel, the "home tailor"
moved this week to one of the new
business houses just erected by C.
W. Simpson.

**For good flour phone SHEP-
PERD'S.**

On Sunday night about 8:30, a
splendid shower fell over this im-
mediate section. We do not know
how much water fell, but from the
amount standing in the pools next
morning, many contend that it
was the heaviest rain that has fal-
len in the immediate vicinity of
Colorado for practically one year.
It will do many things much good.
It will be the salvation of the
turnip patches, bring up the grass,
and otherwise provide something
of winter pasturage.

Read This.
Roscoe, Tex.:—This certifies I
have used Hall's Texas Wonder
for kidney, bladder and rheuma-
tic trouble, and I fully recommend
it, for it is the best I ever knew of.
Try it.—E. A. Street. Sold by all
druggists.

J. W. Shepperd
The Groceryman

A. J. Payne
DRY GOODS - CLOTHING.

New Arrivals

A large shipment of Red Seal Gingham the best and latest patterns and colors. In keeping with the reputation of this house for showing the most stylish and up-to-date goods.

REPS

A mercerized cotton goods in the very best shades: White, Grey, Old Rose, Lilac, etc. A beautiful fabric at 25c.



LOCAL NOTES

For Sale:—Good milk cow with young calf. Apply to Mrs. Wes Allen.

High grade canned goods of every kind at SHEPPERD'S store.

600 Sheets of special music at Doss'.

Mrs. Simeon Shaw went to Big Springs Monday to hear Captain R. P. Hobson in his famous lecture America's Mission to the World.

Ads show which way the trade goes.—Watch them.

Mrs. Robertson returned from a protracted visit to Abilene Wednesday.

The Independent Ice Co. sells ice at 35c in any quantity, delivered.

If you have a family dog, to which you or your children are attached, better keep it close, for there's "death in the pot" for rambling canines.

Ribbon Day.

At the "cheap cash store" will be Monday September 27th. We have ribbons from the tiniest to the widest and heaviest made. All sorts, colors and weights. On Monday we will sell ribbons for less than ever heard of in Colorado. See our window for a sample.

Ribbon Day Monday Sept. 27

H. A. Bass & Company,

Special Attention Ladies.

Maxfield & McKinney are preparing to have their restaurant department greatly enlarged and refitted with every accessory and convenience that will conduce to the comfort and convenience of their customers. The cooking department will be moved into another building and all the space heretofore occupied by the kitchen, will be made as a dining room.

These improvements and comforts will be made by the time the oyster season is with us and they will spare no pains or expense to give the people of Colorado, and particularly the ladies, an up to date, strictly private cafe, to which they can come at any hour of the day and at night, and be served in as much privacy as if they were at home.

Further announcements will be made when our first consignment of oysters arrive.

Sunday School Rally.

Next Sunday will be rally day at the Christian church and a great time is anticipated by officers and pupils. Every pupil is urged to be in place promptly. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

A Testimonial.

Miss Lucile Stonerod studied piano with me for a brief period during the past summer. She is a Pianist of advanced merit, and I consider her competent to teach the piano according to my methods of instruction.

I recommend Miss Stonerod's services to those who desire a thoroughly competent and conscientious teacher.

EMIL LIEBLINGG,
Kimball Hall, Chicago.

A Quiet Marriage.

Mr. Chas. Dickens and Miss Anice Shafer of Vincent came in Tuesday evening and taking their friends by surprise were quietly married. A few friends and relatives were present and Rev. Henson officiated.

Miss Shafer was the "pretty" and accomplished typewriter of the popular firm of Buchanan & Morrison in 1907. Possessing all the attributes of a sweet and lovable girl she made many friends while here.

Mr. Dickens is a prosperous and wealthy ranchman of Atchison, Kansas.

They left on the evening train for their future home.

Letter to Tom Stonerod.

Dear Sir: If a customer wants \$55.50 do you give him \$75.00?

Suppose you should hear of one of your customers doing a thing like that and not knowing it, what would you say next time he wants discount? We'll venture half your men are doing that everything without a suspicion. Men who paint any other paint than Devoe are paying \$75 for \$35.50 or some other such figure.

10 gallons Devoe is enough for a good sized house two coats; 15 or 20 isn't too much of another paint. There's \$8.75 or \$17.50 for 5 or 10 extra gallons; besides \$2 to \$4 a gallon for putting it on; that's \$10 to \$40. That's how half the houses, stores, factories, warehouses, shops, barns, fences are painted: \$50 for paint and labor; \$25 to \$50 more for not knowing what paint to put on.

The one to put on is the paint that takes least gallons and makes least bills for paint and labor.

Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOE & CO
P. S.—W. L. Doss sells our paint.

Market.

Circle No. 6 of the Baptist Aid Society will have a market Saturday at the home of their Chairman, Mrs. T. J. Ratiiff.

\$1.75

Gets the Record and Dallas Semi-Weekly News both one year.

A new Popular Novel.

Mrs. Humphrey Ward's new novel "Lady Merton" will begin in the October Ladies' Home Journal.

When it comes out in book form the price will be \$1.50. You can get the Journal for one year for \$1.50. Let me take your subscription to commence with that number and get a number of other good things.

MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY, Agt.
Phone No. 157.

Notice.

Miss Katie Warren has returned from Dallas where she has taken a thorough conservatory course in music and is now ready to receive pupils in all branches of music.

Millinery Extraordinary

We have the newest Millinery ideas from highest authority. There is nothing new that is to be seen in our stock. We have made this the greatest millinery season in our history, and to this end have exhausted every millinery resource.

Stylish Hats are now on Display at nominal Prices.

The most magic manipulation of wings and fancy feathers with marvels of jet trimmings are to be seen here.

See our Two-toned and Auto Veils

Hussar turbans and Hair Goods are special features of our new stock.

We have a special Hat for the taste of every lady in Colorado. And for less money than elsewhere.

BEFORE MAKING YOUR SELECTION, SEE WHAT WE CAN OFFER.

Mrs. B. F. Mills

Leading Milliner.

Special Music Notice.

Miss Reaville announces that she will open up her music class at the residence of Sam'l Gustine about Sept. 1st., and wishes to secure as large class as possible.

The Public School has eliminated the music department from the school and this class will be the Public School Music Department. Miss Reaville asks for all her old pupils and many new ones about September 1st.

Notice.

I will open a private school at W. M. Merrell's residence in North Colorado, beginning Sept. 20th, 1909. Tuition \$1.50 per month. Phone 356.

Money Loaned.

On farms and ranches in amounts from \$4,000 up to \$50,000, five to eight years on 9 per cent.

L. E. LASSETER.

McKinney Nursery Co.

J. T. Harness, Agt. Fruit trees, nut trees, shade trees and everything else found in a first class nursery. See him before you buy. 10-809.

Posted:—My pastures and farm lands, south of Colorado, are posted according to law, and all parties found hunting, fishing, hauling wood or otherwise trespassing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

A. A. BAILEY.

Well Drilling.

I am now drilling for the public and will drill in any part of the county.

I charge 50 cents per foot to 100 feet and 75 cents below. Your work solicited; see me or address me at Cuthbert, Texas. E. O. W. Oct 8. F. M. PIERCY.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The Colorado Drug Co., is prepared to furnish ice cream, sherbert, etc., in any quantities, delivered at your home at any hour on Sunday by leaving order for same on Saturday. This will solve the Sunday eating question.

A Union Central Premium Less A Union Central Dividend

Purchasing a UNION CENTRAL POLICY, containing UNION CENTRAL VALUES, makes an INSURANCE PROPOSITION which in the sum of ALL ITS BENEFITS is unsurpassed for net low cost and care of interest of all members.

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Surplus 12,000,000
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