

# Colorado Record

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COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER, 25, 1909.

WHIPKEY PRINTING COMPANY.

## New Goods New Firm New Prices

This is the place to get your genuine JOHN DEERE plow points

Don't overlook us when in need of  
**HARDWARE**  
of any kind or the most approved  
**IMPLEMENTS**

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HEATING and COOKING. We have them in great variety and at marvelous prices.

We solicit your patronage on the basis of the Best Goods, Lowest Prices and most Equitable treatment.

### DOSS & JOHNSON

## Mrs. Jas. DeMoss

Mrs. Ratliff's Old Stand.

## Thanksgiving

AND

## Holiday Goods

COAT SUITS, ONE-PIECE DRESSES, CLOAKS, CAPES, WAISTS, SKIRTS, UNDERWEAR, GLOVES, COLLARS, FURS, SCARFS, BELTS, COMBS, PINS AND ALL UP-TO-DATE NOVELTIES.

All kinds of Perfumes, Toilet waters, Cold Creams, Talcums, Tooth Powders, etc.

## Hats, Veils, Auto Hats, Etc.

Also Christmas Goods and Wedding Presents, etc.

Newest Things in Novelties  
Large Assortment of Toys.

CALL AND SEE US

### MRS. JAS. DeMOSS

Mrs. Ratliff's Old Stand.

## BANKRUPT SALE

The Drug Stock of C. A. Arbuthnot was sold at auction last week. Store has been reopened. Big bargain are offered in

**JEWELRY, CUT GLASS, SILVERWARE, CHINA, PICTURES and the entire stock of SUNDRIES.** : : : :

Call and see us and save money on your purchases.

### H. V. JOHNSON

C. A. Arbuthnot, Mgr.

#### Herbert Hints.

Sunday school was very well attended. We wish everybody would come out. It will do you good. There will be preaching Friday night, Saturday and Sunday Hull and another preacher from Big Springs.

The fruit supper given at Mr. and Mrs. Moss Hart's Saturday night was largely attended and all report a nice time. Quite a number of Union young people were there.

Young Mr. Harris of Loraine, was a pleasant caller at Mr. J. D. Falkner's Sunday.

Mr. W. M. Welch and family, L. L. Welch's brother, who has been visiting them the past week, left Saturday for New Mexico to visit relatives in that territory.

The health of our community remains good.

Mr. John Alexander and two sisters, Misses Anna and Ida, went to Dunn Saturday to visit relatives.

The farmers are breaking land getting ready for another year.

Mr. J. J. Griffin left last week for San Angelo where he will work on the San Angelo and Sterling City railroad as a contractor.

Mrs. Sim Ward has returned from Stanton where she has been visiting relatives.

Best wishes to the Record and its readers.

#### SWEET SIXTEEN.

S. W. Jordan can sell anything you bring him—just try him once.

#### The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Almanac for '10.

Ready November 15th, 1909, a splendid year-book, on astronomy and meteorology, the only one containing the original "Hicks Weather Forecasts." By mail, postpaid, 35c. on newstands, 30c. One copy free with a year's subscription to Word and Works, the Rev. Irl R. Hicks Monthly Magazine, the best \$1 monthly in America. Discounts on Almanacs in quantities. Agents wanted. Remember, the genuine "Hicks Forecasts" are not published anywhere else—you get them only in his own publications. Word and Works Publishing Co., 2201 Locust St. St. Louis, Mo.

You can't down Arizona with earthquakes. Teddy? Sher, man, listen to this: "Buffalo Jones," who is now cross-breeding buffalo with cattle for the government in Arizona, says he is going over to Africa and make everything the Terrible One did look like a passel of old ladies trying to raise a rough house. He will catch and tie with his own proper hands every sort of living, creeping, fighting and biting thing the jungles can furnish and lead 'em home by the tail."

The new story, White Magic, by David Graham Phillips, will appear in the Saturday Evening Post. Stansall Whipkey will deliver it to you each week, 5 cents a copy.—Read it.

Why waste time seeking it elsewhere?—Shepperd has it and at prices that are right.

## Attention Ladies

We are very anxious to beautify our streets by setting out trees on the curb line. Won't you help? The trees will not cost over 50 cents each and one tree every twenty feet is right. Mr. Harness or Mr. Culpepper will take your orders. Please don't delay. It ought to be attended to at once. If you will do this we will have beautiful streets in two years. Please do it now.

COLORADO COMMERCIAL CLUB  
Robt. M. Webb, Pres.

Hurrah! Jakey, Ikey and Mikey will be here again Friday night Nov. 26 with their merry bunch of dancing girls. "Welcome to our city" is the remark throughout the town (and many a smile has passed across the faces of those who were fortunate enough to see the show on its last trip to Colorado). When the advertising matter of the \$10,000 beauty with those three really funny comedians was being distributor or tacked on poles and on the billboards, the seats are going like wild fire and if you are going to see these show you will sure enough have to hurry. If you want a good seat. Seats now on sale at Colorado Drug Company's Store.

#### Read This.

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

Try Bishop's California preserves—Shepperd has them.

"There are people," says the Lamar (Missouri) Democrat, "who would rather poke into other people's business than to have a lucrative business of their own. Drought, famines and plagues may come and go, but they don't especially interest them. What they want to know is what made that funny noise over in Jones' back yard last evening; why it is that Mrs. Brown keeps the doors shut and the blinds down when her husband's away; what the woman just across the street has done with her winter-before-last coat, and how on earth it is that the Snooks seem to live so much better than the Blanks, when Snooks only gets sixty-five dollars a month, while Blank gets sixty-seven and a half."

For Sale—Three horses, harness, two buggies and one surry cheap for the cash. See Dr. Willis B. Smith.

Sam Jordan will sell or exchange anything you have and don't want, for what you want, but haven't got.

Bring your fat hogs, eggs and butter to the Palace Market for the highest cash prices.

# FARMERS!

Now is the time to lay in your supply of FLOUR. You are aware of the fact that FLOUR has been advancing all the fall and you will save money buy buying now. We have just unloaded a fresh car of FLOUR and MEAL that we can sell you cheap for the ASH.

Be sure and let us figure your bill when you get ready to buy.

## NETTLES @ JARNAGIN



# Off for Iatan

All woolen Dress Goods, Silks and Linings to be closed out at

## Actual Cost

Sale lasts until we move to Iatan.

**H. A. Bass & Co.**

### LOCAL NOTES

If you are not going to make any special preparation for dinner on Thanksgiving Day, take your dinner with the ladies of the Episcopal church at the Shepherd building.

We have a fine line of rockers. H. J. Hutchinson.

Owen Neal will go to Sweetwater with the Western Windmill Co., where he will continue to work for them.

Thinking of giving a Christmas present to some friend at a distance? Why not send the Saturday Evening Post or Ladies Home Journal?

Jim Riley will go to Abilene about January 1st, where he will in future live.

Burwell Cooper repairs typewriters.

The grand lodge of Masons will meet at Waco December 7th.

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

Mrs. Morrow, who is a daughter of Sam Houston, and who has held the Abilene postoffice for many years, will retire on January 1st. To date there are only three applicants for the position.

Bring us your pictures to frame, and if they suit you, show them to your friends, if they do not suit, tell us. J. H. Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre of Dallas, parents of R. B. McIntyre, who has a ranch down about Sterling City, came out this week for a visit with their son and went out to the ranch.

Lost—Between the east side Presbyterian church and the Odd Fellows cemetery, a pillow, blanket, quilt with initials A. H. W. on it, and a lady's dress coat. Return to H. F. Wheeler, Colorado, Texas.

The Thanksgiving dinner to be given by the ladies of the Episcopal church will be spread in the Shepherd building next door to Burns & Bell's dry goods store. A first class dinner will be provided and the ladies should be encouraged in this laudable work. The proceeds will go to further some enterprise fostered by the church, and they deserve a liberal patronage. See that they receive it.

We have samples of beautiful Christmas and New Year cards. Call and see them at the Record office.

The band boys who attended the opening of the new town of Baracho last week, participated in the drawing and secured five acres within a short distance of the principal business streets.

You furnish the girl, we will furnish the house on the easy payment plan. J. H. Greene.

The Baptist ladies served tea Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McKenzie and all present enjoyed a social time as well as refreshing the inner man. These teas are certainly the most pleasant features of any of the church work of the town.

Remember we hang your shades without extra charge. J. H. Greene.

**\$1.75**  
Gets the Record and Dallas Semi-Weekly News both one year.

**Wanted.**—Information as to heirs of Charles White, and of C. M. Tifford. Both lived in Mitchell county in the '80s." Address T. P. Adams, Floydada, Texas. 12-10p

Owls sleep but the proprietor of the one price tailor shop, Jim Coughran, never does if his customers need work. Phone 154.

Professor George McComas, Mrs. H. E. Love and Miss Margaret McComas, all of Huntington, West Virginia, are visiting the family of Mr. John C. Prude. Prof. McComas and Mrs. Love are brother and sister of Mrs. Prude and will spend several weeks in the delightful climate of west Texas.

Prof. McComas and Mr. Prude left this week for the latter's ranch in the Davis mountains. The Record hopes their stay in the west will prove as beneficial as it will doubtless be pleasant.

**The best goods we could buy. That's the kind you will find in our place. Let us make your suit by Thanksgiving. Manuel, the Home Tailor.**

Stansil, Whipkey is working to win a Shetland pony and cart given by the Saturday Evening Post to its agents who takes the greatest number of new subscribers during a month. Stansil now stands at the head of the list for towns the size of Colorado, and has a fighting chance to win the pony and cart. His friends are helping him in securing subscriptions and if he can do as well from now until Christmas, as he has done so far this month, he will win out. He will greatly appreciate your help; only five cents a week till Christmas may give a boy the happiest Christmas that will ever come into his life. Can't you help him?

You have tried the rest, now try the best. J. H. Greene.

You'll find it at Shepperd's—if it's to eat and the best.

To show our line of window shades means a sale. H. L. Hutchinson.

The U. D. C. Monday sent a nice box of clothing and goods to the inmates of the Confederate Woman's Home at Austin. This was sent as a Thanksgiving remembrance.

We are exclusive agents for the famous Macey Sectional Bookcases. J. H. Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ruddick announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Nell, to Mr. James Harper Greene, on Thursday Dec. 2, at 8 o'clock p. m. at their home in Colorado. These popular young people, are being congratulated by the host of their friends.

Tommie Hughes and Homer Patterson, having sold their tailor shop are on the lookout for another location. They have the growing town of Lubbock in view just now and will likely go there to prospect. Wherever they go, we predict for them success. They not alone know their craft, but are exemplary young men as well.

Let us make you a box couch, satisfaction guaranteed and prices reasonable. J. H. Greene.

We carry a nice line of Queensware. H. L. Hutchinson.

Tuesday afternoon the ladies prayer meeting met with Mrs. George W. Smith, with Mrs. Gilmore Smith, leader, the subject being Thanksgiving. The talks by the leader and other members certainly helped all to appreciate and be thankful for all the gifts God has bestowed.

Its so if you saw it in the Record.

Go to Shepperd's for anything in the good eating line—he keeps it.

In publishing the list of business firms signing the agreement to close their stores on Thanksgiving Day, the name of Hubbard's was omitted by error. It was first on the list. Their ad announces that the store will be closed on that day. The mistake was the Record's.

Cleanliness is next to godliness, so if you can't be godly you can keep clean by bringing your clothes to the one price to all tailor shop, Jim Coughran, in the Alamo Hotel building.

Sam Jordan's got it if its second hand.

A splendid company headed by Andrew Robson, a resourceful actor, who will be remembered for his fine portrayal of "Richard Carvel" a few seasons ago, has been especially engaged for "The Wolf." Here Dec. 16.

Fresh fruits and vegetables delivered at your door—by Shepperd.

Jim Coughran has purchased the tailor shop of Hughes & Patterson and is now regularly in charge. Jim is a worthy, deserving boy and we predict that he will do well in his new business. We'll try to teach him the value and attractiveness of printer's ink in any business.

If you are a reader of the Saturday Evening Post, see Stansil Whipkey, who will deliver it at your house or office every week.

Gather up all the second hand things about the house you have no need of, and Sam Jordan will either sell them for you or trade them for something you do need. He does it for others, why not for you?

Hogs again passed the 8 cent mark on the FPort Worth market last week.

Owing to the fact that Thanksgiving Day falls on the day the Record goes to press, and wishing to give the office force an opportunity to enjoy the day as its institution contemplates, the paper is issued on Wednesday afternoon this week; hence we had to anticipate some of the items of news and happenings. If they do not come off according to program, it can not be laid to us. Like the law, whatever should be done, is presumed to have been done.

Try Nectar Bullion—Colorado Drug Store.

"The Wolf" which will be seen at the Colorado opera house is a powerfully written play of the Canadian wilds, beautifully staged, and finely acted.

Rev. W. M. Elliott returned last Friday from quite a missionary journey to Toyah and Aspermont. The policy of the presbytery is for the pastors to exchange appointments with the Presbyterian missionary, Rev. J. Gilmore Smith.

**She Can Eat Pie Now.**  
A lady recently visited a friend in Keene, N. H., whose husband was very delicate, and yet she noticed that he could eat all the pie he wanted. She began to wonder how it was that he could do it, when she had to give up this delicacy because of disagreeable after effects. She writes as follows:  
"I found it was because the pies were made with Cottolene; and as I am a great lover of pie, I began using Cottolene, and have never had a bit of lard in the house since that time. I now enjoy my pie, as it does not give heart-burn as formerly."  
Cottolene makes crisp, flaky, "digestible" pie-crust, that tastes good, and does good—lard does you harm.

The Opening at Baracho.

The band boys returned from the Baracho lot sale Sunday morning and report a splendid time for themselves and a successful sale for the promoters. Quite a large crowd was present and the buying brisk and the prices good. J. W. Woodard is a veritable prince among the town promoters of the southwest. He has given to west Texas several growing and prosperous towns, the sites of which, but for his energy and faith in the ultimate ascendancy of west Texas, would today be the feeding ground for cattle and the peaceful habitat of the prairie dog and coyote. He has been a prominent and persistent factor in the settlement and development of western Texas; has given opportunities to thousands that did not before exist; has put wealth in the pockets of many land owners who had been waiting for years to unload at \$15 to \$20 per acre. The Record is glad that Mr. Woodard is satisfied with the beginning of the town of Baracho and hopes that it will grow and grow and grow to the proportions of a west Texas county seat—every one of which is positively the very best town in the state, in many instances—in the world.

We want you to call and inspect our rockers. H. L. Hutchinson.

### CONSTIPATION.

Its Cause and How to Cure it.

Eat too much,  
Stomach feels bloated,  
All out of sorts,  
Don't feel like work to-day. Guess I've another case of biliousness.

"Take anything?"  
"Yes; some pills, but no results; suppose I'm getting ironclad. Sometimes I double the dose, then they physic me so hard I'm too weak to work. Think I'll have to try something new."

"Ever try Prickly Ash Bitters?"  
"No; I've heard a good deal about it, but never tried it."

"Well, you'll be pleased with the results."  
The purgative action of Prickly Ash Bitters not only removes hard impurities, gas and impurities, but it strengthens the muscular action of the bowels which causes them to move regularly.

Prickly Ash Bitters is a bowel tonic and regulator in the truest sense. It promotes daily evacuations, establishes healthy movements and is the best known remedy for disordered digestion, flatulence and a constipated habit.

D. M. Blackwelder, of Litchfield, Ill., says in the Litchfield News: "I am perfectly willing, in fact glad to testify to the value of Prickly Ash Bitters as a medicine for the kidneys, stomach and bowels. I have used it whenever I needed anything of the kind for the last fifteen years and it has always given satisfaction."

Get the genuine with the figure "3" in red on front label.

Sold by druggists. Price \$1.00.

**Dissolution Notice.**  
The partnership heretofore existing between J. L. Richardson and D. S. Nettles under the firm name of Texas Produce & Grocery Company, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All the accounts and obligations being assumed by the latter.

Colorado, Texas, November 12, 1909.

GRINDING, THRESHING, ETC.

My grist mill will be grinding next Saturday and will run on every Saturday thereafter. Threshing will begin on next Monday and continue through the season. Bring me your grain of all kinds. Am prepared to handle it in most up to date manner.  
A. L. SCOTT, Elevator Man.

DR. W. W. CAMPBELL

—Dentist—

Successor to Dr. Neal at his old office. Office Phone 87. Colorado, Texas.

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We can save you money.

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### FACTS

- ☞ The news items of the home community.
- ☞ The things in which you are most interested.
- ☞ The births, weddings, deaths of the people you know.
- ☞ The social affairs of our own and surrounding towns.

These are the kind of facts this paper gives you in every issue. They are certainly worth the subscription price.

**DIAMONDS**

**WATCHES RINGS**

**CUT GLASS**

**CHINA SILVER**

**OPTICAL GOODS**

**J. P. MAJORS**  
JEWELER OPTICIAN

## Burton-Lingo Co.

**LUMBER and WIRE**

See us about your next bill of lumber, we can save you some money.

Colorado, Texas

## Insurance Sense.

At the present low cost, why not carry a Tornado policy on your residence, business house or barn? It will cost you only \$2.00 per thousand. We represent all old line Fire and Tornado Insurance Companies. Also the Union Central Life will sell you a contract that is not equalled by any Life Insurance Company.

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FIRE, TORNADO, LIFE, ACCIDENT, and BONDING.

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### THE SEMI-WEEKLY RECORD

Fort Worth, Texas.

In addition to subscribing for your home paper, which you cannot well afford to be without, you must have a high-class general newspaper.

As a trustworthy family paper, The Semi-Weekly Fort Worth Record has no superior. It isn't for any limited set of people; it's for every member of every family. If you don't find something of interest in a particular issue—well, the editor looks on that issue as a failure. In addition to printing all the news of the day in concise form, The Record has special features for each member of the family. The remarkable growth of The Record is the best evidence of its merits.

By subscribing through this office you can get The Fort Worth Semi-Weekly Record together with the Colorado Record, both papers one year for only \$1.75 a year. Accept this remarkable offer today.



# BIG REDUCTION SALE

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## Hardware and Furniture



LOOK OVER

Our fine array of dinner sets of many pretty shapes and handsome designs. Just to single out one instance, here's a complete set of dinner plates, 6 pieces, priced today at 35c. Type won't portray their full beauty—you must feast your eyes upon them. Welcome.

**Begins Sat. Nov. 20th**  
**Ends Sat. Decemb'r 11**

Tell your friends. Cash wows wonders here. We have the goods and the prices. We want your business, and if prices talk to you, we will have it. Don't fail to read these prices. They mean dimes to you. Don't fail to attend the first day. It means dollars to you. Tell those you see. Send others word.



RUMMAGING

through our stock of hardware we find that we have too much on hand, so we are offering the surplus at small prices to make room. We have anything in the line of hardware, kitchen utensils, builders' hardware, mechanics' tools and farm supplies that are the highest quality, and which offer special inducements to mechanics and builders.

8 pounds of nails or staples, your own selection for  
**25 Cents.**  
 HOW ABOUT THAT?

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Each and every one visiting our store during the sale will please write your name and address on a slip of paper provided for the purpose. These will be dropped in a box and at the close of the sale a disinterested person will draw out a ticket. The party whose name and address is on the ticket will be given their choice of any rocker in the house FREE OF CHARGE. If party lives at a distance, the chair will be delivered free.

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Red Top Axle Grease  
 the Best Made for  
**5 cts.**  
 HOW ABOUT THAT?

### FURNITURE

Full size Iron Bed.....	\$2 00
Regular \$15.00 Kitchen Cabinet.....	11 00
Regular \$12.50 Kitchen Cabinet.....	10 00
Regular \$2.00 Rocker.....	1 50
Regular \$4.00 Rocker.....	3 25
Regular \$4.50 Rocker.....	3 50
36 X 72 Axminster Rug.....	3 00
27 X 54 Axminster Rug.....	2 00
Regular \$7.50 Iron Bed.....	6 00
Solid Oak Sideboard worth \$25.00 for.....	19 00
Cane Seat Dining Chairs each.....	65c
\$18.00 Chiffonier.....	12 50
\$15.00 Mission style, Solid Oak Library Table.....	12 50
8 foot round claw foot, Solid Oak Dining Table.....	15 00
40 pound all felt art tick Mattress.....	7 50
30 pound Cotton Mattress.....	4 00
Cotton top and edge Mattress.....	2 00
30 cent Matting.....	20c
35 cent Matting.....	25c
40 cent Matting.....	27½c
Kitchen Safes each.....	3 00
Kitchen Safes larger.....	5 00
Odd Dressers.....	7 50
Good 3 piece Suit.....	20 00



### HARDWARE

No. 40 Bachelor Heater.....	\$ 3 95
No. 7 Cook Stove.....	6 50
No. 18 Airtight Heater.....	1 50
Stove pipe 2 joints.....	25c
Nitro Steel Shot gun worth \$10.00.....	6 99
Stevens Shot gun.....	4 95
Stevens Favorite Rifle.....	4 95
Stevens Crack shot Rifle.....	3 40
New Club Shells per box.....	45c
Best Axle Grease per box.....	5c
10 X 14, 10 oz Duck wagon Cover.....	2 75
Padgitts Wool Face Collar.....	2 75
18 ft. 1½ inch double Lines.....	3 00
16 ft. 1 inch double Lines.....	2 50
Heavy double team Harness per set.....	12 50
Good large dish pan each.....	23c
Heavy zinc wash board each.....	38c
Nails and Staples 8 pounds for.....	25c
DeVoe's Paint per gallon.....	1 45
Neal's Carriage Paint per can.....	30c

SALE BEGINS  
**Saturday**  
**Nov. 20.**



MOVING DAY

brings tribulations to the best of us. Our larses and penates are bound to suffer. Things will drop and smash. Some compensation, though, to know you can buy crockery, glassware, china etc. here surprisingly cheap. We've had a drop in our wares. Nothing broken, however, but the prices—they're smashed beyond belief. Astonishing values in dinner sets and odd pieces. Like finding them.

**Remember** that our entire stock is offered at greatly reduced prices. As this is the season for you to buy your Stoves, General Hardware, Furniture and House Furnishings, you will save money by coming to see us.

**DON'T FORGET THE DATE. DON'T FORGET THE PLACE.**

SALE CLOSES  
**Saturday**  
**DEC. 11**



IT DOESN'T NEED AN AXE

to convince intelligent people that we are in the position to supply all needs promptly, carefully, courteously, for most people in Mitchell county know that we have a good stock of tools, nails, screws, and every other little and big thing they have a right to expect to find in a first class hardware store, which ours is.

🌿 **Begins Sat. Nov. 20th.** 🌿

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## LORAINNE, TEXAS.



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COLORADO, TEXAS, THURSDAY, NOV. 25, 1909

### It Helps Some.

A government statement is to the effect that prohibition cut off the sale of whiskey last year in prohibition territory to the amount of \$79,059,723.40; during the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1909. The comparison was with the sale of liquor during the previous year. The falling off in the sales was 4,828,268 gallons, being more than 3 per cent of the previous year's production. Your Uncle Sam lost more than \$8,000,000 in taxes, but the people are nearly \$80,000,000 to the good, which can now be applied to buying the things necessary to the comfort and pleasure of themselves and their families. Think how many Thanksgiving dinners this enormous, unthinkable sum of money will provide; how many pairs of shoes it will supply for little feet that would have felt the cold; how many pairs of blankets it will make possible to the old and feeble who have shivered nightly with the cold; how much of hope, manhood, respectability and virtue it will add to the strength of our nation.

If it could be true that "more liquor is consumed under prohibition," the moonshiners must have ponds and rivers of it that have escaped the eye of the revenue collector. But it is the claim of increased consumption that is "moonshine," and everybody who is open to conviction, well knows it. The liquor traffic is under the ban of respectability; no one engaged in the business is eligible to membership in any organization that has as its object the betterment or help of the human race; the financial and commercial interests of the nation are against it; the tears and heart aches of every drunkard's wife, the dumb fear in the eyes of every child as its father reels home like a beast to its lair; the blood of every man killed in drunken brawls, cry out against it. The only leg the saloon has to stand on is the profit of the business, and this is made possible only by the partnership of our federal government—to its eternal shame. This nation is too great, too strong, too rich in manhood and material resources to need the blood money that is debauching its manhood and depleting individual wealth. If the government would withdraw its support and protection, the traffic would not survive one year. If prohibition can prevent \$80,000,000 from going into its avaricious maw in one year, what would it do in ten years? Keep up the fight until there is no longer a spot where the accursed stuff can be sold legally. We know how to deal with the moonshiners.

One reason why young people do not like to go to church is because they hear their parents make so many (reasonable) excuses for not going themselves. If parents would go as a duty, the children would go.

Liquor to the amount of 150 cases or 5,400 bottles, valued at \$2,250 was captured by the sheriff of Potter county at Amarillo last week. We thought the rangers had broken up the bootlegging business in that place.

The purchase of the stock of the Western Union Telegraph Company by the American Telephone Company, can mean but one thing—the absolute control of all the wire service in the United States. If that ain't a trust, then we'd like to know.

Unless the Board of Trade of that city pays rent for headquarters of the Texas Cattleman's Association, by January 1st, it is quite likely the headquarters will be removed either to Dallas, San Antonio or San Angelo all of which cities want it and will pay the rent for its offices.

It looks like your Uncle Sam will be compelled to take a hand in Central America yet. Those little states are continually splitting at each other, while a revolution breaks out with every change of the moon. President Zelaya had two American citizens shot without a trial, even a Nicaraguan court martial.

The Wells-Fargo express Company has increased its capital stock from \$8,000,000 to \$24,000,000.

The world's production of gold last year was \$450,000,000, more than \$15,000,000 over the output of the year before.

Fully 5,000 men, 2,000 horses and \$30,000 per day are being employed by the Santa Fe railroad company on its cut-off between Coleman and Lubbock.

Congressman Morris Sheppard and Miss Lucile Sanderson will be married at Texarkana, December 1st proximo.

The contract for building the San Angelo postoffice has been awarded to a construction company in Virginia for \$1,332,194.03.

Plainview has solved the problem of a market for the broom corn raised by the farmers in that locality, by building a factory.

The ordinance regulating weights and measures and appointment of an inspector, went into effect Sunday at Dallas and there will be a general turning about and buying of new weights and measures among the people by pint and pound.

The Midland Live Stock Reporter came out last week in brand new bib and tucker, from head line to eighth page foot slug. The Reporter has always been a good paper, neat, mechanically and clean editorially, but Watson thinks nothing too good for the appreciative people of Midland. They have been good to him and he has shown that he deserved the treatment. Here's greater success for it than it has ever known.

The United States senatorial Irrigation committee, headed by senator Carter of Montana has just visited the site of the Elephant Butte dam and will urge an immediate completion of that great project. It will cost about \$8,000,000 and irrigate 180,000 acres of as fertile land as ever the Nile did. The lake formed by the dam will be 40 miles long, 350 feet deep, and will impound three years flow of the Rio Grande river.

The business of the cranberry merchant has been from time out of mind a proverb of bustling activity and a synonym of small but sure profits. As the time for putting in concrete walks closes up, the contractors for this work are working on hot-box schedule. If there are not found enough hours in the day wherein the contracts can be closed and thus escape the penalty, one enterprising firm assures his patrons he will put on a night shift and make things hum.

We have received a four-page circular with picture as front-piece, from R. V. Davidson, candidate for the office of governor of the state of Texas who will hold in abeyance pending the "most malnest" part of the contribution, which he evidently overlooked. Recently we received a postal card on which the record in postal card writing was exceeded, not counting the picture, with the request that we run it. We did run it—in the waste basket and it is still yawning for more contributions like the above pair.

Along with the process of elimination of candidates for governor, the situation seems to become complicated. Colquitt stands as the clear-cut representative of opposition to state-wide prohibition, and may be regarded therefore as the head and front of the anti side of the issue. Cone Johnson, we take it has about as much chance as a paper shirt on a wild cow. Davidson, while an anti in principle, is in favor of submission, and of the three—Davidson, Johnson and Poindexter—expediency would demand consideration of Davidson's claims by the Prohibitionists. Politics would counsel Davidson who can beat Colquitt, but principle inclines to Johnson who is weak. Which will it be?

### The Fourteen Errors of Life.

The fourteen mistakes of life, Judge Rentoul told the Bartholomew Club, are:

- To attempt to set up your own standard of right and wrong and expect everybody to conform to it.
- To try to measure the enjoyment of others by our own.
- To expect uniformity of opinion in this world.
- To look for judgment and experience in youth.
- To endeavor to mold all dispositions alike.
- Not to yield in unimportant trifles.
- To look for perfection in our own actions.
- To worry ourselves and others about what cannot be remedied.
- Not to alleviate if we can all that needs alleviation.
- Not to make allowances for the weaknesses of others.
- To consider anything impossible that we cannot ourselves perform.
- To believe only that our finite minds can grasp.
- To live as if the moment, the time, the day were so important that it would live forever.
- To estimate people by some outside quality; for it is that within which makes the man.—London Evening Standard.

### Extra Jurisdictional.

Next to a kid with a target rifle, his brother with a sling shot or "nigger shooter" takes the delapidated linen from the shrubbery. In Colorado there seems to be no ordinance specifically aimed at this nuisance, but that more comprehensive ordinance of good sense and public safety decrees that a kid armed with one of these devices of the devil and a pocket full of gravel, going around shooting at everything that has feeling and the power of locomotion is a nuisance yea, an abomination that should be incontinently abated; if not by the plain statute or specific ordinance, then by the summary and kindly hand of some offended citizen, outspread and vigorously applied to the lower expansion of the spinal column, until that particular kid would per force of hypersensitiveness of the place whereupon he sits down, have to eat his meals off a shelf for the space of a week, at shortest.

All of which was suggested by the shooting of the horse that pulls the express wagon, one day this week, as he stood peacefully eating his oats at his accustomed place, attending to his own business and bothering no one. Such liberty with his person, unwarranted and unprovoked, came as a surprise to his dignity, and with a snort and a lunge, he broke loose and tried to make a thirty degree turn with the wagon just on the brink of the lake hard by the express office, with the result that the wagon was upset in the turbid waters, given a coating of mud, the shafts broken out, and the quiet, well behaved horse given the turn of his life. Again we say, in the absence of any law in the premises, the fathers and mothers of boys carrying these sling shots should be apprised of the fact and given first chance to correct the habit; but failing in which, they should read up on "first aid to the injured." A wise to the hint etc.

### Both Good and Bad.

What a tremendous mistake we make when we rate men as either wholly good or wholly bad. A human being is both good and bad. In the heart of the holiest saint lurks some phase of sin. In the heart of the most hardened criminal dwells a spark of the divine. Said an eloquent pulpit orator, "Within each one of us is a horrible demon, with hideous claws. Within each one of us is a beautiful angel with folded wings." To follow habitually the prompting of the demon is to be dragged down to destruction. To obey habitually the mandates of the angel is to be raised to heavenly heights.—Texas Freemason.

The fact that convicts in the penitentiaries are bad, dangerous men—that they were criminals before they were sent there, is no excuse for making them infinitely worse; is no reason that the breaker of one law should be made the breaker of a dozen laws. Above every other consideration, they are human beings, at the discretion of officers backed by the state government, and an obligation, higher and more binding than all state laws, demands they should be treated as such. The fact is notorious that keepers and guards of convicts, in time become as brutalized, cruel and inhuman as the convicts they pretend to reform. We need a reformatory for keepers and guards as much as for criminals.

Governor Campbell has appointed Jewell P. Lightfoot to succeed R. V. Davidson as attorney general of Texas, effective January 1st.

If its good to eat—Sheppard has it.

### Thankful Just the Same.

Today we as units in a great nation of freedom of thought, word and action are going to give thanks to an all seeing Father for this great blessing. If we, as units, do not happen to possess worldly treasures can't we truly be thankful just for the privilege of saying—

"Our fathers were high-minded men who firmly kept the faith, To freedom and to conscience true in danger and in death, Nor should their deeds be e'er forgot, for noble men were they, Who struggled hard for sacred rights, and bravely won the day."

"And such as our forefathers were may we, their children, be, And in our hearts their spirit live, that baffled tyranny, Then we'll uphold the cause of right, the cause of mercy too; To toil or suffer for the truth is the noblest thing to do."

### An Overflowing Cup.

"My cup runneth over."—Ps. 23:5. "Gratitude is the memory of the heart." In its exercise the heart recalls its mercies and records them as so many items of the debt to be discharged. It differs from the memory of the mind. The mind is a day book in which the entries are temporary and immediate; but the heart is a ledger into which the day book entries are posted for permanent preservation. How many of life's mercies never get into the ledger of the heart at all. The item was never posted. More to be coveted and cultivated than the memory of the mind, with its cold, dry chronicles, is the memory of the heart, with its warm, throbbing remembrances of God's daily benefits.

A grateful heart is like Noah's ark, full of living memories rescued from destruction and borne over the whelming flood of Time and landed on the Ararat of the skies. How much America has to be thankful for! We have resources of soil and sea, of mine and forest, of manufacture and commerce unsurpassed by those of any country under the sun. Look, for example, at our abundant harvests. And yet these are no more than "the gleanings of the grapes of Ephraim" in comparison with the potential wealth which these foreshadow. America is the pet of Providence—the darling of Deity. It is the Joseph among the nations; and as a mark of our Father's favor the land is clothed every year with a new coat of many colors in the thousand hues of harvest and the gorgeous tints of autumn.

Added to our material prosperity are our civil and religious liberties. Life and property are sacred. Conscience knows no chackles. Every man is free to do right and to help his brother man. Religious denominations have ample elbow room. In the field of philanthropy, education and every Christian enterprise, effort is un hindered. The best land to live in is America. And the best route to Heaven is via the United States.

An overflowing cup calls for an overflowing heart. A laden table demands a large generosity. Just as even an arctic current finds vent at its open mouth, so on Thanksgiving Day the frozen heart should flow in a tide of gratitude to God and in a torrent of helpfulness to man.—New York Observer.

The Union Thanksgiving service will be held this year at the Presbyterian church. The union choirs will furnish the music and an interesting program will be rendered. Don't forget to attend this service instead of going hunting. There is a patriotic purpose in having these services and every citizen who has the good of his country at heart and appreciates the protection of the greatest government on earth, who is sensible of the blessings of life, liberty of action, speech, and the comforts and conveniences of civilization, should devote at least a part of the day in expressions of thankfulness in the spirit of praise.

Treasurer Warriner of the Big Four railroad evidently took for his model, the former treasurer of the Katy, who was found out in 1904. He it was who invented the "Katy Girl" in honor of a mistress he had been supporting in luxury at the expense of the company and to the neglect of his family. High flying got them both.

It is reported that Governor Creel of the state of Chihuahua, will enter President Diaz's cabinet about January 1, as one of his chief advisers. Also that Vice-president Corral is to become acting president, and relieve Diaz of the burdens of state, tho the latter will retain his title and office.

Governor Haskell and five other defendants, charged with conspiracy to defraud the federal government in the Muskogee town lot frauds, will have to face a jury, by the overruling of their demurrer by federal judge, Marshall.

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Married and Unmarried, Praise the Buckeye Remedy, Pe-ru-na.



**Internal Catarrh.**  
Miss Nora Kelley, R. R. 1, Box 121, London, Ohio, says:  
"I write to thank you for the wonderful good your Pe-ru-na has done for me. I was a sufferer from kidney and other internal trouble for twenty-two years. Two years ago I began to take Pe-ru-na and I only took about three bottles and to-day I can say I am a well person."  
**Could Not Eat Without Suffering.**  
Mrs. H. A. Weaver, Somerset, Ohio, writes:  
"I can safely and truly say that Pe-ru-na has been a blessing to me. I had had catarrh so badly that I had lost the sense of smell and taste. I had stomach trouble so bad that I could not eat anything without suffering afterwards. My friends advised me to try Pe-ru-na. I bought one bottle and was greatly benefited by it, and so I bought one-half dozen bottles, and will say that I am completely cured of stomach trouble and catarrh. I cannot say enough for Pe-ru-na."  
**Pe-ru-na Brought Appetite.**  
Mrs. Selina Tanner, Athens, O., writes that Pe-ru-na relieved her of stomach trouble and brought her a good appetite.

**Now Has Best of Health.**  
Mrs. Victoria M. Pickel, 130 E. Mound St., Columbus, Ohio, writes:  
"I have been using Pe-ru-na for catarrh, having had a very aggravated case, so bad that it clogged the nasal organs. When I did get the nasal organs opened, the mucus would drop into my throat and make me very sick. A friend advised me to take Pe-ru-na, and after using four bottles I was cured. I have no trouble now, and am happy to say that I am enjoying the best of health and attending to my lodge duties, being a member of the Rebecca Lodge of Odd Fellows. I would recommend Pe-ru-na to those suffering with the same obnoxious trouble."  
**Catarrh for Several Years.**  
Mrs. Alice Bogle, 803 Clinton St., Circleville, Ohio, writes:  
"I want to inform you what Pe-ru-na has done for me. I have been afflicted with catarrh for several years. I have tried different medicines and none seemed to do me any good until I used Pe-ru-na. I have taken six bottles and can praise it very highly for the good it has done me. I also find it of great benefit to my children."

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## His Reading Makes the Boy.

The evils resulting from reading debasing and lurid literature have been forced upon the public mind within the past few days in the awful crimes of two boys, each seventeen years of age, one in Kansas and the other in New Albany, Indiana. In both instances these mere boys attempted to rob banks, and committed murder. Sure and swift capture followed their attempts. One committed suicide, while the other languishes in a cell with a certainty of the fullest penalty of the law being visited upon him. There are laws for protecting the purity of the food we eat, but the sale of poisonous literature is allowed by the laxness of our laws. The publishers of literature that poisons the minds of the youth of our country are enemies of the home and of the nation. Laws should be enacted providing severe penalties for the publication and distribution of such literature. Boys are imitative creatures, and the reading of exciting, implorable stories of the "dare-devil" type awaken in their minds an impulse to imitate the so-called "heroes" of such tales. Parents should guard diligently their children from the pollution of such literature, and the press of our land may render a large service by refusing to publish in all its details the harrowing stories of crime. One of these boy criminals acknowledged that he had read in a newspaper a minutely detailed story of a bank robbery and imitated it very closely. A safeguard must be thrown around our boys by the prohibition of vile literature, and the supplying of a wholesome, strengthening type of literature for them.—Observer.

## What Would Rockefeller Do?

If John D. Rockefeller produced three-fourths of the cotton of the world what would he do? Would he sell it at less than the cost of production and then howl because the price was too low? He would put up the price so that there would be a good price in growing it, and then hold until he received that price. And it would be the logical idea to do. Horace Greeley once said that "the way to resume is to resume." That advice applies equally well to the cotton situation. The way to hold is to hold, and the way to get a better price for cotton is to get it and hold it until you do get it. Organization and the establishment of some substantial business agencies or corporations is necessary in order to finance and dispose of the cotton. These can be just as well established by the cotton growers as by the speculators. That is just what the Farmers' Un-

ion is doing and every cotton grower should fall into line. Whoever holds back plays just that much into the hands of the receiver. No cotton grower ought hesitate for a moment to join this great movement.—Home & Farm.

## El Paso and Silk Hats.

Texas is not yet prepared to admit that the plug hat and the frock coat are the apotheosis of an advanced and still advancing civilization. This, notwithstanding compulsory abnegation during the Diaz-Taft function, of Texan convention "to the best form" sartorial obtaining in the "centers of culture and refinement." The Texan on that august occasion was in the role of host to the multitude of those that assembled to participate in the great international event, and he was compelled to array himself in the bib and tucker of the best society outside of the long horn area. The Texan is nothing if he is not polite to his guests; even in his local social intercourse he "says it with a smile," except when he is sure that he has ample provocation for the "draw." Hence, his willingness, nay his eagerness, to scurry around in pursuit of the condemn plug and frock that is disdained by even the acclimated Texan anywhere between the hot sands of the Gulf coast and the desert stretches of the Llano Estacado.

It is reported by those who were there that the unaccustomed plug loomed amid the other decorations of that memorable and ever auspicious function as the palm of the Saharan oasis lifts its plumed crest above the waste of sand casting its welcome shadow athwart a dreary land; it is the tale of the traveler that Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed as were the Texans after they had put on the frock coat and the lofty plug of an effete and degenerating social convention absolutely exotic to Texan habit and wholly outland to Texan tradition.

In all fairness to the Texan we must admit that the consensus of opinion of those who saw him in his abnormal guise was unanimous to the effect that he didn't feel at ease in his raiment and was not ashamed to say so. Some of him had never worn the "funeral garb," and all of him was free to confess that he had long regarded the habitual wearers of the frock and the plug with much scorn and not a little contempt, which he had never, until that humiliating moment, even attempted to conceal. For no self respecting Texan could bestride a bucking bronco garmented in a frock coat; a cowboy or Texan ranger afield on his mustang surmounted by a plug hat would inevit-

ably serve as an irresistible target for every pistol in the township. And even afoot, how would it be possible to achieve the drop with celerity, hampered and trammelled by the voluminous folds of a coat that not only covers as with a large zarape the obsolete "hip pocket, but interferes fatally with the sudden reach for the left-side holster?

Texas feels that she has conceded more than was necessary in "making a monkey of herself" to promote the gaiety of a Texan holiday. It will take a long time to forget it—Thermopylae had its messenger of defeat, the Alamo had none, and now Texas is wondering wherein lies the glory of it all, since it had come to the ignominious pass of the plug hat and the frock coat.

## Drunkenness and Crime.

The relation of drunkenness to crime was a subject that received much attention at the congress. The Chief Justice of England, Lord Alverstone, announced that in his belief 90 per cent of the crimes passing under his observation were due to drink. Judge W. F. Pollard, of St. Louis, Mo., declared that of the cases passed upon by him fully 85 per cent of those convicted could charge their degradation to the use of alcohol. Lieut. Col. McHardy, of Edinburg, Scotland, coincided with Judge Pollard as to the percentage of crimes occurring in the former Scotch capital.

Owls sleep but the proprietor of the one price tailor shop, Jim Coughran, never does, if his customers need work. Phone 154.

The old man was lecturing his son on the evils of getting up late in the morning.

"Remember," he said, "that it was the early bird that caught the worm." "But how about the worm, dad?" queried the youth. "Where did his reward for getting up early come in?" "I am informed," replied the old man, gravely, "that the worm was on his way home—hadn't been in bed at all."

And there being nothing more to say, the young man said nothing.—Chicago News.

The Bazaar to be conducted by the ladies of the Baptist church will be held on December 10th and 11th. Save your Christmas orders and give them to the ladies. Others may place articles in this bazaar to be sold on a small commission. Remember the dates.

"Oh you Turkey, November 25th. Order your Thanksgiving clothes now. Mannel, the Home Tailor.

## Program.

Thanksgiving services to be held at the Presbyterian church, Thursday, November 25th.

Doxology.  
 Anthem.  
 Hymn.  
 Scripture reading, 103 Psalm—Rev. E. V. Bond.  
 Prayer—Rev. Holmes Nichols.  
 Two Proclamations—A. H. Weston.  
 Hymn and offering.  
 Sermon—Rev. W. M. Elliott.  
 Prayer.  
 Hymn.  
 Benediction.

Don't throw it away; take it to Sam Jordan, the second hand commission man—he'll sell or trade it sure.

## A Bit of Texas History.

In 1686, LaSalle landed at a point near the present town of Matagorda, and in 1691 an attempt was made by the Spanish to settle Texas. San Antonio, the oldest European settlement in the southwest, was founded in 1693. The foundation of its celebrated Alamo, the cradle of Texas liberty, was laid in 1744. For 161 years Spanish domain held sway, and it was not until 1822 that Texas owed allegiance to the Mexican Government. In 1823, Steven F. Austin, with a colony of three hundred families, settled at San Antonio. From this time a desire for liberty and a free and independent government lived, culminating March 2, 1836, in a declaration that the Republic of Texas would thereafter maintain a free and independent government. This declaration brought on hostilities with Mexico. General Santa Anna, the Mexican President, with a large army invaded Texas. The decisive battle of the war was fought on April 2, 1836, at San Jacinto, about twenty miles southeast of the present city of Houston, resulting in a decided victory for the Texas forces, commanded by General Sam Houston. The Mexicans discontinued hostilities, leaving the Texas Republic in the hands of the valiant pioneers who fought so nobly and strenuously to victory against vastly superior numbers. As a Republic, Texas flourished from 1836 to 1845, in which year it was admitted to the Union, forming the twenty-eighth star added to the galaxy of States.

## 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.

## Division and Silence.

"We can't stop the graft, therefore let's get our share," "we can't prevent the granting of privileges, therefore why not get some privileges?" This the logic of the Democratic protectionist. He is at the half-way station between a revenue tariff and ultra protection—more than half way toward the protectionist's camp. He is useless as a tariff reformer because he has to spend all his time getting what he calls his share, and when he has secured his share he cannot conscientiously object to other people having their share. The only motto that he can permanently have is "division and silence."

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**Gubernatorial Gossip.**

It is about settled, judging from outward appearances, as to who will be the main if not the only candidate of those who are opposed to State-wide dryness, being none other than Oscar Branch Colquitt. This gentleman goes the full length in opposition to prohibition, holding it to be contrary to sound Democracy. He is opposed even to submitting the question to the electorate, basing this position on the contention that a wrong principle in government should not be given any sort of countenance. Mr. Colquitt will have the backing of the Houston Post, and that means acquiescence, if not active support, on the part of Senator Bailey. The latter would prefer Judge M. M. Brooks, for then he would have a friend indeed in the White House at Austin. But Brooks hasn't the ghost of a chance to win; the only purpose his candidacy could serve would be to corral certain votes which otherwise would go to the favorite of the prohibitionists. Colquitt is the main man on that side of the house.

The prohibitionists seem to be milling. It is quite plain that they are lacking in leadership, or else they prefer to wait until the last moment ere exposing their hand. When it was questioned as to Johnson or Poindexter, the former evinced the greater strength and was generally regarded as the one on whom the crown was to be placed. But Brethren Strong and Rankin and the others held their peace, and now they have another factor to consider.

Attorney General Davidson has announced his candidacy, and he tells the prohibitionists that he is with them for submission. Davidson has a considerable following, and this is the question which the prohibitionists are bound to put to themselves, "Will we take an 'ant' who is a submissionist and thus insure the defeat of Colquitt, or will we fight it out without compromise under Johnson?" If they are politicians, they will take Davidson; if they are prohibitionists regardless, they will defer Johnson.

With the backing of the prohibitionists, Davidson can win in a walk; without that backing, as we view the situation, he will be the third man in the race.—Waco Times-Herald.

**Turn On the Light.**

The Waco Times-Herald reproduced the Dallas Times-Herald's editorial, "Turn On the Light," with the following approval.

"That's the right talk. The conditions are bad—very, very bad—or some mighty good men have been fearfully and wonderfully deceived. Why did Governor Campbell sign the bill making possible this investigation by a legislative committee? Did he expect the members of that committee to go abroad armed with whitewash brushes? Turn on the light.

Correct. Turn on the light. Give the people all the facts, no whitewashing and do justice to all concerned. The people pay the freight, the people stand for the square deal principle even in dealing with a convict and the people demand the abolishment of the bat and the bull whip and the removal of all men implicated in the scandals and horrors developed by the prison probers.

Friday, November 26th. Jakey, Ikey and Mikey coming. Bigger, better and funnier than ever. The one show of all that the manager positively guarantees as "a laugh a minute show." You laugh, you yell, you scream, when those funny fellows unload their stock of side-splitting comedy and as far as the remainder of the company, dainty Marjorie Lake will sing and dance herself into your favor with her prize beauty dancing girls and after each and every one of the musical numbers you hear that remark which means a whole big heap. That's going some. Seats now on sale at Colorado Drug Company's Store.

Don't miss \$10,000 Beauty with Jakey, Ikey and Mikey.

At St. Louis last Saturday, the federal court ordered the Standard Oil Company dissolved branding it as an illegal combination, operating in restraint of trade. This is a most sweeping victory for the government and the people and brings the arm of the law within striking distance of that control over corporations it has sought for many years.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

Oath having been made as required by law, you are hereby commanded to summon E. B. Wever, 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 a regular term of the Justice's Court of Precinct No. One, Mitchell County, to be held at Colorado in said Mitchell County, on the 27th day of December, A. D. 1909, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 19th day of November, A. D. 1909, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2270, wherein the Burton-Lingo Company, a corporation, is Plaintiff, and E. B. Wever is Defendant, and said petition alleging, that heretofore, to-wit, on May 20th, 1901, the Defendant for a valuable consideration made, executed and delivered to the Plaintiff his certain promissory note, dated May 20, 1901, for One Hundred Twenty-eight and (80-100) dollars, (\$128.80) due sixty days after date, waiving grace, protest and notice, payable to order of Burton-Lingo Company, for value received with interest from date at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and containing stipulation that if said note was placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or suit was brought on the same that he, the said E. B. Wever, agreed to pay ten per cent on the amount due as attorney's fees, and also stipulating that same was payable at their office in Colorado, Texas, which said note was signed by the defendant, E. B. Wever. That Plaintiff is and has always been the legal owner and holder of said note. That although often requested, the Defendant has failed and refused and still fails and refuses to pay said note or any part thereof, except the sum of \$50 which was paid by him on July 18th, after the execution of said note, and that the remainder thereof is due and unpaid. That Plaintiff has been compelled to and has placed said note in the hands of an attorney for collection and has brought this suit on same to enforce its collection and thereby rendered itself liable to pay said attorney, the reasonable value of his services which Plaintiff avers to be far in excess of ten per cent on the amount due whereby by the terms of said note the defendant promised and became bound and obligated to pay the additional sum of ten per cent on the amount due as attorney's fees, and for which Plaintiff sues him.

Plaintiff avers that the Defendant is now and has since about the 1st of September 1901 a non-resident of

the state of Texas. Plaintiff has applied for writs of garnishment ancillary hereto directed to and against Z. F. Samples, H. P. Welborn and J. R. Maury, who reside in Scurry County, Texas.

Plaintiff prays for judgment for the amount of principal and interest and attorney's fees due on said note for its costs and general and special relief, etc.

Herein Fall Not. But have you before said Court, at its aforesaid regular December term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Fred Myer, Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. One, Mitchell County.

Given under my official signature, at office in Colorado, this the 19th day of November, A. D. 1909.

FRED MEYER,  
Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1, Mitchell County, Texas.

**For Sale or Trade.**

I have for sale or trade 640 acres of good tillable land in Borden county, 25 miles east of Lamesa. No improvements but every foot good tillable land. One mile of good school and postoffice. I will trade for land in Mitchell county and will give a bargain. Come to see me if you want to trade or write G. W. White, Route 1, 4 miles east of Colorado. 12-3-p

The Palace Market will buy your eggs at 25 cents per dozen.

**Family Washing.**  
Don't fool with wash women, burning up your work, etc., when the Colorado Steam Laundry will do your family washing rough dry and return your linen ironed at 35 cents per dozen.

Special bargains in remnants of wall paper at Doss'.

**FINANCIAL NOTICE.**

We are in the market for first lien notes and will pay the top prices for same. We can get you a loan with ten annual payments with five year option, at nine per cent interest. You don't have to wait a life time; we push the proposition.

HASTINGS LAND CO.

**For Sale or Trade.**

Good residence in Snyder, also a good home in Colorado, for sale, small cash payment, balance long time. Will take good team. See or write A. J. Herrington, Colorado, Texas.

**Fresh Fish and Oysters.**

From this date during the season, the Palace Market will receive a shipment of fresh fish and oysters every Friday—Red snapper, cat and trout. Remember the date and leave your orders at Palace Market.

Bring your fat hogs, chickens, and eggs to the Palace Market and get the highest cash price for them.

of the Quarterly report of the County Treasurer, Mitchell County, Texas, and of the Commissioners of said Mitchell County, Texas, November Term, 1909, on the 9th day of November, A. D. 1909.

designated, Commissioners of said Mitchell County, Texas, and A. J. Coe, County Judge, of said Mitchell County, Texas, as the Commissioners Court, and each one of us, do hereby, upon oaths, that on the 9th day of November, A. D. 1909, and upon finding same correct, have caused an order to be entered upon the Minutes of the Commissioners Court of Mitchell County, Texas, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court, and during the time covered by this report, and the balance remaining in each fund on the said 9th day of November, A. D. 1909, and have ordered the proper entries to be made in the accounts of said Treasurer, in accordance with said order, as required by Article 567, Chapter 1, Title 1, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, as amended by an Act of the Twenty-fifth Legislature of Texas at its regular session.

And we, each of us, further certify, upon our oaths, that we have actually and fully inspected and counted the amount of money in cash and other assets, in the hands of the said Treasurer, belonging to Mitchell County on the said day and date, and found the same as follows, to-wit:

Cash on hand belonging to Mitchell County in the hands of said Treasurer, \$1,534.73.  
In addition to the above of money as actually and fully by us in possession of said Treasurer:

County School fund in Joe Bonds	\$1,600.00
County School fund in Commercial	7,856.00
Permanent	8,856.00
vested in	

Permanent Money and hand, Note \$10,390.73  
Total hands this 9th day of November, 1909.

A. J. COE,  
Grand Treasurer Mitchell County Judge.  
Assets of W. H. GARDNER,  
Witness of Commissioner Precinct No. 1.  
W. M. GREEN,  
Commissioner Precinct No. 2.  
J. S. BARBER,  
Commissioner Precinct No. 3.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by A. J. Coe, County Judge, and W. H. Gardner and W. M. Green and J. S. Barber, County Commissioners of said Mitchell County, each respectively, on this, the 9th day of November, A. D. 1909.

(Seal.) JESSE H. BULLOCK,  
Clerk County Court, Mitchell Co. Tex.  
By W. S. Stoneham, Deputy.

**Peanuts Pay.**

Peanuts are selling at over \$1.00 a bushel.

Peanut hay is selling at \$15 a ton. Peanuts yielded twenty-five bushels an acre on Tarrant county land where not a bushel of corn could be raised this year.

Peanut oil is already consumed in great quantities, and making its way into new fields of domestic utility.

Two million bushels of peanuts were imported to the United States last year.

Peanut oil is worth \$1 a gallon and can be manufactured in cotton seed oil mills without extra expense.

Thirty pounds of peanuts in the hull will produce one gallon of oil; it takes sixty pounds of cotton seed to make a gallon of oil.

Peanut cake analyzes 20 per cent more in food value than cotton seed cake.

Peanut hulls, ground fine, are equal in food value to wheat bran.


Peanuts furnish food for people and all domestic animals.

Peanuts are the only universal food.—Ft. Worth Star-Telegram.

**The Cost of Sin.**

It never pays to sin. Men think that devil will keep his promises and prove a good paymaster, but he never settles with his dupes by payment of anything that has real value. The cost of sin are tremendous. If the secrets of every heart were confessed the world would not find tears enough to shed over the terrible devastation and ruin wrought by the total sin of mankind.

\$1.00 for cleaning your watch. COOPER.



# The Store of "Quality"

## CHAS. M. ADAMS

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes and Hats

# Fall Arrivals

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.

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**Come Early and Make your Fall Selections**

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The Royal Worcester, Bon-Ton and Adjusta Corsets  
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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We Not Only Recommend

**SIMMONS  
KID GLOVES**

But agree to keep them pressed,  
shapely and mended forever


**FREE OF CHARGE**

ASK US ABOUT IT

# C. M. ADAMS

## The Store of "Quality"

Colorado, Texas.



THE PRESENT  
**"Nufangl"**  
TROUSERS



# HAMMERING 'EM DOWN

You were never able to buy  
**A GOLD DOLLAR FOR 59c**

It's about the same thing when you can buy Men's \$2.00 Hats for 93c. Seven dollar Coat and Vest for \$2.48. Williams' Shaving Soap for 4c cake. Pins 2 papers for 1c. Ladies' 25c and 35c Belts for 9c each. \$5.00 Skirts for \$2.48. Men's \$5.00 and \$7.50 Overcoats for \$3.98.

**COME A RUNNING.**

Never Such a Sacrifice!

**FOR 15 DAYS MORE**

We Shall Make

Only a short time left

**Bear in Mind**

that this Sale closes Saturday, December 11th. The next 15 days will be hummers - days to be remembered by every one who attends this sale. **COME NEXT WEEK** Come any day but don't put off the coming. It will pay you. You will find

**BIG BARGAINS FOR ALL**

## Prices that will Shake the Town

We are going to raise the roof if necessary and let in the sunshine that we propose to pour out to the people for the next two weeks. Last Saturday and every day this week this store has been a seething mass of humanity. Forty clerks could not wait on the multitude. It is low prices for good goods that does it. The Loraine Mercantile Company holds the whip hand and is delivering more goods to the people for **KOLD KASH**, at less money than was ever seen in Texas before. This unloading sale has stormed the forts, brought thousands to this city who have not been here before. They are telling the people that the Loraine Mercantile Company is selling goods for less money than they ever bought them for in the history of the county and that they will lose thousands of dollars during this 20 day era of **CUT AND SLASH**. We can't help what they say. We don't talk but just saw wood; selling goods to the people at prices that is bringing them from every nook and corner of the **ENTIRE COUNTY**. We advertise this sale to unload and we intend to make this sale the greatest event that ever happened if low prices will do the work. Take a day off and get your needs in

## Clothing, Dry Goods and Shoes

### THE SHOE SALE

is a revelation and a dollar saver to you. They are piled out in bins and boxes. Shoes for Children at 43c, 69c, 89c and 98c a pair, that would cost you double elsewhere. Men's dress shoes at \$1.29, worth a two dollar bill. Bootees at \$3.98 that are easily worth \$6.00. Marvelous bargains in ladies shoes and slippers. Some at 98c, \$1.19 and \$1.48 that are values not to be met with again. Wonderful

### BARGAINS IN HOSIERY.

Childrens fast black ribbed hose, all sizes, at 7c a pair, regular 15c quality. Ladies' fast black hose for 7c pair. Children's 20c hose for 12c pair; 25c grade for 16c pair. Ladies' fleeced hose worth 20c for 14c pair. Men's sox 4c, 6c, 7c, and 14c, worth double. Everything in wool hose and sox cheaper than the cost of material. You'll all want to buy

### DOZENS OF HANDKERCHIEFS

at our sale prices. Ladies' handkerchiefs at 2c each; who ever heard the like? Men's handkerchiefs at 4c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 11c, and 14c, worth double in gold. Ladies' 15c handkerchiefs go at 6c, 7c, and 9c each; 25c handkerchiefs for 17c each. Get a supply now. Barrels of Ribbons at 4c, 7c, 11c and 14c per yard; all silk Taffeta ribbon at less than half regular prices. Everything in Ladies neckwear at sale prices. Some big bargains in Lace Curtains, Napkins and hundreds of short length

### TABLE LINENS

at such bargains you will be compelled to buy now. Dollar bed spreads for 69c each; \$2.50 counterpanes for \$1.48. Ladies' belts worth 25c and 35c for 9c each. Ladies' Golf gloves at 23c and 43c, worth 35c and 65c. Get your winter

### MILLINERY

while the sale is on. Everything in the Millinery line goes in this great sacrifice to get cash. If you ever wanted Laces and Embroideries get them now. Our whole stock is knifed to a finish. We've got 'em in all widths. On each and every piece we save you a cool 40 to 50 per cent on embroidery. We are not in the trust and you buy Kings famous thread 2c a spool. Hundreds of dozens of

### TOWELS

go at sacrifice prices; some at 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 9c, 11c and 14c each, all extra big values and still they say cotton is higher than a cats' back. No matter what you want get in line. The Loraine Mercantile Company is making it so the poor as well as the rich can enjoy some of the good things of this world.

## If You Haven't Been Here Why Haven't You?

If you havn't been here its a certainty we want you to come. If you havn't written to your friends please write them and send them one of these papers. Tell them that the Loraine Mercantile Company Carries high grade **DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES AND GROCERIES** and is offering the entire stock at wholesale prices and less on many articles. Tell them they can buy **DRESS GOODS** from 25 to 50 per cent less than other stores charge. Tell them in this sacrifice, cash getting sale we are selling **MEN'S SUITS OF CLOTHING** worth \$6.50 for \$2.98; others that would be cheap at a ten dollar bill for \$6.69; \$22.50 suits for \$14.89. **MEN'S HATS** worth \$2.00 for 98c; \$3.00 values for \$1.48; 75c dress shirts for 39c each. **DOLLAR SHIRTS FOR 69c**; 25c suspenders for 14c pair; 50c suspenders for 29c pair. A big lot of caps worth 50c for 23c; **DOLLAR CAPS FOR 69c**. If its anything in the staple line you want, we beat the world. Nine quarter sheeting, worth 30c only 23c a yard. Apron check gingham worth 8 1-3c for 6c yard; 10c **DRESS GINGHAMS** 7 1-2c yard. **STANDARD BRAND CALICO** 4c yard; 10c bleached muslin 7c yard; a good one for 5c yard. Pearl buttons, 3c dozen; genuine Menens Talcum Powder (sold for 25c the world over) 14c can. Pins, 2 papers for 1c; safety pins 2c card; Williams shaving soap, (worth 10 cents,) 4c cake. Tell your friends about this great saving in values.

Tell them that this great sale lasts until Saturday night, December 14th  
Only 15 days left in which to do the work.

### UNDERWEAR

is a proposition just now. It wont cost much to keep warm this winter if you take advantage of the big bargains waiting you here. Men's heavy fleeced underwear that costs regularly 50c and 65c goes for 39c garment; 75c quality for 48c garment. Boys' heavy fleeced underwear only 27c garment, you know what it is worth. Ladies' 35c vests for 23c; 65c vests and drawers 43c garment; Ladies' Misses' and Children's union suits go in the same low way.

### BLANKETS AND COMFORTS

don't cost much. Wool blankets worth a five dollar bill for \$3.89; \$2.00 cotton blankets for \$1.39 pair; some at 67c, 89c, and 98c pair, that couldn't be duplicated for double the money. Shawls and fascinators cheaper than you ever bought them. Great reduction in gloves and mittens. Fascinators worth 40c for 23c; children's caps only 13c each. Its a great

### SLAUGHTER IN DRESS GOODS

when you can buy 75c grade Brilliantines for 39c yard; fancy wool suiting worth an even dollar, for 59c yard; 10c outing for 8c yard; 10c percale for 6c yard; calico worth 6c and 7c for 4c yard. Silks have all got the red mark of destruction that means profit to you. Every lady and girl will want to get fitted out in

### CLOAKS, SKIRTS AND SUITS.

Children's cloaks for 98c; Bearskin coats, worth \$3.00 for \$1.98 each; Ladies cloaks worth \$5.00 for \$2.48; Ladies \$10 cloaks for \$5.89; \$2.50 skirts for \$1.39 each; \$5.00 skirts only \$2.48; some handsome coat suits going for a mere song. Its the chance of a lifetime to fit out at these prices.

### MEN'S OVERCOATS

are out on sale. \$7.50 coats for \$3.98; \$10.00 coats for \$6.89; \$12.00 and \$15.00 values for \$7.48. Everything in men's clothing is knifed to a finish. One lot, \$7.50 to \$10.00 values in coat and vest to close at \$2.48; \$8.00 and \$9.00 suits

suits for \$3.89; Men's odd pants as low as 89c pair; some at 98c, \$1.19, \$1.48 and \$1.98, worth double. Its a chance for the boys.

### BOYS' CLOTHING.

\$1.75 suits for 89c; \$5.00 suits for \$3.48; some at \$1.48, \$2.29, \$3.89 and \$4.23 that are bargains not to be had again. Knee pants at 39c and 69c, worth 50c and \$1.00 wherever you go. Boys' caps at 13c, 23c, and 43c. Warm things in leg-gins, mittens and scarfs for little money. Get them now. Great values in

### WOOL OVERSHIRTS

Jackets and Sweaters. One lot boys' and men's sweaters \$1.25 values piled out at 89c each; 75c sweaters for 49c each; in fact its a bonanza for the people throughout the house.

### REMEMBER, GROCERIES ALL GO

back up the wagon and lay in your winter supplies while the sale is on. Saturday night, December 11th, winds up this our opportunity of a lifetime. Take advantage of it.

## Big Snap in Ladies Cloaks, Skirts, Waists, Suits

FREE!

FREE!

FREE!

FREE!

To make it more interesting for the next 15 days we shall give away **ABSOLUTELY FREE OF CHARGE** a beautiful oil picture framed in an ornate gilt and oxidized frame to each person making a purchase in our Dry Goods Department of \$25.00. These pictures would be an ornament to any house; are worth \$3.00 and \$3.50 each and will be given away **FREE OF CHARGE** on each purchase of \$25.00 in Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Notions, etc, etc. **GET YOUR CHOICE EARLY.**

DON'T HESITATE

COME OFTEN

COME EARLY

STAY LATE

# Loraine Merc. Co.

LORAIN, TEXAS.







# Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats Will Fit You and Your Purse!



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The House of  
Kuppenheimer  
Chicago

## Spend Your Clothes Money Here.

The Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats are designed for men who know. They are distinctive and will please you from the day you put them on until the day you discard them. Clever designing and expert tailoring have placed Kuppenheimer suits and overcoats at the top of the list.



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Chicago

## Burns & Bell

### LORAINE LETTER

(Miss Lillian Davis)

J. M. Dorn is visiting the family of T. J. Coffee this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornet Wimberly visited in Colorado Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Davis returned last Tuesday, having visited Haskell, Stamford and Abilene. They report the country having developed wonderfully since their last trip through that section. Notwithstanding the shortness of crops the country shows signs of activity. Haskell has a population of 5,500 and Stamford 8,000.

In their rounds they took in the annual conference of the M. E. church, South, at Stamford. Heard Bishop Key preach on Sunday. They report the bishop a hale and venerable octogenarian. He gave an exposition of the Scriptures, Matthew 13th. Some of the central thoughts were that the enemy spoken of, who sowed the tares, is a real person, though disembodied his disembodiment being a part of the curse of the fall and has ever since his fall been trying to embody himself. In support of this view he cited the scriptures where the devil entered the swine. The swine were drowned, but the devil and his cohorts are alive today seeking whom they may devour. He is no respecter of persons; he strikes at the blushing maiden, tackles the strong and robust and deals a blow at the weak and aged, even tempted the very son of God. Other thoughts were that this enemy was the avowed opponent of God and is ever seeking supremacy in the human heart, and the only assurance is ever to have the Spirit of God dwelling in the heart. Another thought was that our sins will be bundled together and stand out before us as a remorse.

The conference was divided without a dissenting voice. The territory embraced in this. The Northwest Texas Conference, having become so large a division was necessary. We are still in the Northwest Texas, and the other is The Central Texas Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Long, R. Es-

telle and family visited Mary Neal Sunday.

Miss Irene Garland, accompanied by a friend from Roscoe, visited in Loraine Thursday. Miss Irene has many friends here who are always glad to welcome her presence among them.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zellner came in to spend the Sabbath and attend church.

Rev. J. A. May will hold Union Thanksgiving services at the Baptist church Thursday.

Mrs. Looney and Mrs. Prude of Colorado visited Mrs. A. J. Blume one afternoon last week. Mrs. Blume returned with them to Colorado to attend a house warming and family reunion at the elegant new home of her sister, Mrs. Prude.

The W. O. W. lodge of this place went to Roscoe Sunday to attend the unveiling. There were also quite a number of young people who went from here.

Mrs. W. A. Adams was painfully burned about the hands and face Sunday from starting a fire with kerosene oil.

Mr. Clint Seymour and Miss Emma Holly of this place were united in marriage in Colorado last Saturday evening. We wish for them much happiness and prosperity as they embark on the matrimonial sea.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Evans of Sweetwater were pleasant visitors at the home of H. Looby Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Mitchell Wallace has bought an interest in the Stove drug store. He will be pleased to welcome his friends there at any time they may call.

Quite a number of young people from Colorado were driving on the streets of Loraine Sunday evening.

The Woman's Home Mission Society had a call meeting at the home of Mrs. W. L. Edmondson Monday afternoon. They expect to give a box supper sometime in the near future and will also have an interesting program in connection.

The ladies prayer meeting will be held with Mrs. J. H. Johnson, Jr., next Thursday evening.

Mr. Oscar Moore and Miss Berta Richardson who live two miles north of Loraine were married at the home of the bride on last Sunday. Rev. Lawrence officiating.

Mr. Ed Garrett and family will leave for Toyah in a few days.

Ernest Phillips of Abilene, is visiting A. M. Jackson and Earl Jackson of Colorado this week.

We are glad to state that Mrs. J. M. Baker whose health has not been good for some time is some better at this writing.

Misses Clara Harmon and Gayelle Dunnam of Sylvester are the guests of Mrs. Henthorn this week.

Dr. A. J. Wimberly and wife of Sweetwater visited in our town this week. They were entertained at luncheon Sunday at the home of their brother Cornet Wimberly. Mrs. Cornet though a young housekeeper is well versed in the culinary art, and one is sure when invited there, of partaking of a delightful menu which she so well knows how to serve. Other members of the family were also present and all spent a pleasant day long to be remembered.

T. J. Clark, two miles southeast of Laraine sold his farm to J. C. Muns of Freeman, Texas, brother of J. S. Muns. He will take possession of his new home in the near future. We are glad to welcome such people to our community.

Loraine has new students enrolling in her school each day. The enrollment of those over scholastic age, numbers thirty-six; fourteen girls, twenty-two boys.

Thanksgiving programs have been prepared in all the rooms to be rendered Wednesday afternoon before Thanksgiving. All parents and friends are cordially invited to attend.

There will be a special musical program at the opera house next Wednesday evening. This program has been gotten up by Mrs. Dell King's music class assisted by pupils from the higher grades. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged to cover expenses. All funds left over will be used for the benefit of the Library. Come and enjoy an interesting program.

There will be no school on Thursday and Friday this week. Thursday we will observe Thanksgiving. Friday the teachers will attend the T. & P. Teacher's Association at Roscoe.

### Glad Hand Meeting.

The United Brotherhood observed Thanksgiving with an open meeting Thursday night at the tabernacle, to which every man in the town of Colorado was cordially invited. The object of the meeting was to get better acquainted with the men and boys the organization is trying to interest; to show them that the Brotherhood has a living interest in their welfare and a willingness to help them in their associations, ambitions and aims; to encourage them to live a clean, spiritual life.

There was a short program, consisting of singing, a few short talks on the objects of the Brotherhood, the best methods of obtaining them, and a general discussion for the good of the order. Afterward, light refreshments, consisting of delicious sandwiches, pickles and coffee were served, amid general conversation and handshaking.

Everyone is agreed that the meeting was a success and did much to acquaint the public with the importance of the work the Brotherhood is doing in the community; its recognition as a potent factor for good, for clean living and an incentive to a higher sense of patriotic citizenship. It was also agreed that a repetition of the meeting on some other public occasion would do a like amount of good.

Your ad in the Record will get results.

Phone us or tell us the local news.

**FOR OUT DOOR WORK IN THE WETTEST WEATHER NOTHING EQUALS**

**TOWER'S**

**FISH BRAND WATERPROOF OILED GARMENTS**

THEY LOOK WELL - WEAR WELL AND WILL NOT LEAK

LONG COATS \$3.99 - \$3.29

SUITS \$3.29

SOLD EVERYWHERE CATALOG FREE

A. J. TOWER CO. BOSTON, U.S.A.

TOWER CANADIAN CO. LIMITED - TORONTO, CAN.

### 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.

**GREEN DELANEY**  
Colorado, Texas.

Stancil Whipkey is now the local agent for the Saturday Evening Post and will deliver it to any one who wishes it. Orders can be left at Record office.

### DOZIEK BROS.

Leading Barber Shop. Hot and cold baths. All modern appliances.

### WHICH IS THE BEST

Why, **JONES BROTHERS** of Course.

Not only the Best but the **Oldest Barber Shop in Colorado**

### WILLIS E. SMITH

Physician and Surgeon

Office in Gymnasium Colorado, Bldg at Fire Hall Texas.

It's so, if you saw it in the Record.

## A Beautiful Art Picture Free

With purchases of "Mutual Products"

For this and next week we will issue with each and every purchase at our store a trade check, this check will be accepted at our Mutual Product department at face value when accompanied by an equal amount of cash.

**Mutual Products are a High Class Toilet Articles**

SUCH AS TALCUM POWDER, TOOTH POWDER, SACHET POWDER, TOOTH WASH, ALMOND CREAM, MASSAGE CREAM, HAIR TONIC, MOUTH WASH, BEAUTIFIERS, FLESH FOODS, EGG SHAMPOO, FOOT POWDER, TOILET CREAMS, TOILET WATER AND PERFUMES OF ALL OTHERS.

### CERTIFICATE OF PURCHASE

THE MUTUAL MFG. CO.

This is to certify that the person whose name appears below has purchased from us an article of your manufacture and is entitled to Art Picture named as per conditions appearing hereon.

Ask for Certificates of Purchase.

If it is used or sold in a Drug Store we have it.

**Colorado Drug Company.**



# Closing Out

## Our Line of Ladies Cloaks and Skirts

Our entire stock of these lines will be sold at enormous reductions. As we wish to use the money for something else. Examine the goods and prices.

Store closed all day Thursday

### THANKSGIVING DAY



Claud Jackson of Loraine was shaking hands with Colorado friends Saturday.

See Ernest Keathley for city realty and houses to rent. He knows.

Family washing done by Colorado Steam Laundry.

W. H. Cockeroff of Stonewall county spent part of last week here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. C. E. Franklin, and was well pleased with Mitchell county.

**Wanted to Buy**—Old clothing and shoes of all kinds. Highest prices paid for same. See me at John Hay's barber shop. Frank Jesper.

Going to paper? See the bargains in beautiful remnants at Doss' drug store.

W. R. Witt of Moody, Texas has bought the Solvidge farm in the Union settlement. He has brought several fine Jersey cows and hogs and horses with him. We welcome Mr. Witt among us.—Mitchell County News.

Manicure specialties are a bargain if gotten at Doss' drug store.

**Manuel's phone is 56**—Your clothes called for and delivered.

Misses Maud and Blanche Barriek, of Big Springs are guests this week of their uncle, J. E. Barriek and are having a nice time while here.

Thanksgiving is over and turkey grease on your Sunday clothes can be removed with out injury to the goods if you will bring it to the one price tailor shop, Jim Coughran, successor of the Hughes & Patterson shop in the Alamo Hotel. Phone 154.

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

Much fall plowing is being done by the farmers since the rain.

Saturday evening Post for sale at Record office. Back copies can always be secured.

Mr. Scott Green and wife, Rev. Holmes Nichols, wife and little "Marfy" and Mr. Harrington, the auto man, made a flying trip to the Green ranch at Vincent last Monday. Bro. Nichols reports a delightful trip with quail for dinner.

Try the Steam Laundry with your family washing. Rough dry and linen ironed for 35 cents per dozen. Positively everything guaranteed.

Anyone wishing to send the Ladies Home Journal for a Xmas present please send the money to me before December 6th and I will see that the January number reaches the one to whom it is sent on Xmas day with a beautiful card with the donor's name on it. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey. Phone 157.

The pastors of the other congregations called in the appointments Sunday night and all joined with the Methodist in hearing the last sermon by Rev. J. R. Henson before leaving for his new station at Quamah. A splendid audience was present and he preached an unusually feeling sermon. At the close of the services, three young ladies came forward with resolutions of living more spiritual lives.

Thanksgiving is over and turkey grease on your Sunday clothes can be removed with out injury to the goods if you will bring it to the one price tailor shop, Jim Coughran, successor of the Hughes & Patterson shop in the Alamo Hotel. Phone 154.

Agent Place of the Pacific express company is off on a vacation, and Mr. Foster is holding down all the duties of the position, save its social ones.

Invitations from the Big Springs Commandry, Knights Templar, has been received by the "Horse Masons" of Colorado, to attend a banquet in honor of C. L. Aldeman of that city, who was recently given the 33 degree, Scotch rite, at Washington.

Mrs. J. E. Pond went over to Big Springs to spend Thanksgiving with Eugene.

Mrs. Ed W. Smith and little son, Kennedy, are spending the Thanksgiving holiday with friends at Big Springs.

What could make a nicer Xmas present than the Ladies Home Journal?

The Palace Meat Market sells the best meat Mitchell county affords. Fish and oysters on Fridays. Fish 17 1-2c per pound; oysters 15c per dozen. We handle the best brand of bacon and hams the market affords. You get service and courteous treatment.

Dr. W. W. Campbell, a graduate dentist, has acquired the office in the gymnasium building, formerly occupied by Dr. Neal, and is ready to serve the public. The Doctor comes to us highly endorsed as to his professional skill and standing, as well as to his moral worth as a cultured gentleman. In behalf of the people of Colorado, the Record bids him welcome and wishes for him a generous share of patronage.

Mr. L. E. Seaman, a former resident of Colorado, but now of Mineral Wells, was visiting old friends this week. He is a stockholder in the City National Bank and was recently elected to the directorate. Mr. Seaman is still a property owner here and has a lively interest in the welfare of the town. He believes Colorado is the equal of any town in west Texas, of its size and it only needs a united and persistent effort by its citizenship to have it forge to the front.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 4th day of December, A. D. 1918.

Cleanliness is next to godliness, so if you can't be godly you can keep clean by brightening your clothes to the one price at all tailor shop, Jim Coughran, in the Alamo Hotel building.

Our friend H. F. Wheeler, like the rest of us poor mortals, is not exempt from accidents. While accompanying his son, R. O. Wheeler out to his place near Buford, last week, with a load of coal, the team became unmanageable and in the shake-up, he had his ankle dislocated and otherwise bruised. His wife reports that he is evidently improving, as he is cross as a grizzly bear with a sore tail.

Read White Magic in the Saturday Evening Post. Stansil Whipkey, agent.

H. B. and J. C. Adams, who formerly ran a newspaper at Hamlin have purchased a plant and will at an early date begin the publication of a new paper at Sweetwater.

**Women's Woes.**

**Colorado Women Are Finding Relief at Last.**

It does seem that women have more than a fair share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity; they must "keep up," must attend to duties in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, bearing-down pains; they must stoop over, when to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from kidney ills. Kidneys cause more suffering than any other organ of the body. Keep the kidneys well and health is easily maintained. Read of a remedy for kidneys only that helps kidneys and is endorsed by people in this locality.

Mrs. Z. Mullins, near Court House, Big Springs, Texas, says: "I suffered from kidney trouble for several years and the doctor who examined me, pronounced it a severe case. However, I managed to drag along week in week out but no one knows what misery I endured from a dull bearing-down pain in my back. The secretions from my kidneys were also too frequent in passage and caused me annoyance. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised I procured a box and they did me a great amount of good. I believe that if I continue with the remedy it will completely cure me. I unhesitatingly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

**An Offering, Not Collection.**

Cash and pledges to more than \$1000 were secured for the prohibition campaign on the occasion of Mr. Fanning's visit to Colorado. The only objection we have heard of, connected with the visit and speeches of Fanning, was that he took up a collection on Sunday. We asked the critic how the expenses of the state-wide prohibition movement were to be met except by money and much of it, and who, else than the friends of the cause, could be expected to furnish it. The state committee has employed several of the ablest workers and speakers of the nation to come to Texas and speak in the cause of state-wide prohibition, and prohibitionist must foot the bills. This is right, and wherever these speakers go, on whatever day, an opportunity to contribute should be given.

Whatever tends to keep hopeless, helpless and Godless humanity to cleaner, and higher living, is worthy of being promoted and paid for, on Sunday and in a temple of the living God.

**"Little Crater" Oil Burners.**

This is to notify the public that we now have a supply of the "Little Crater" Crude Oil Burners and will sell them to all who want them. See or address Goodwin & Maxfield, agents, Colorado, Texas.

**I Want Your Work.**

I do the kind of work that brings the customer back to my shop with more. Prompt service, a square deal, and short settlements make long friendships. My prices are the "Live and Let Live" kind.

G. L. SELVIDGE, Loraine, Tex. The Leading Blacksmith.

**To the Farmers.**

You'll get more money at the Palace Market for your butter, eggs, chickens, turkeys, geese, ducks, hogs and fat stuff than anywhere else in Colorado. See them before you sell.

**For Rent.**

Furnished rooms just north of court house. MRS. ELLA SIMON.

**The Christmas Bazaar.**

The club rooms have been secured by the ladies in charge of the Christmas Bazaar they are to give on December 10th and 11th. Nearly all the different societies in town are co-operating to make it a grand success. Also quite a number of individuals will have exhibits.

The Mission Band will have the early booth, and of course it will be a sweet success.

The Methodist ladies will serve refreshments both days as well as their table of fancy home-made articles.

The Juvenile Society will have a table of dressed dolls.

The Christian ladies will make a specialty of doll clothing in connection with their other articles.

The Baptist ladies will have charge of a market both days and are are circling around to have something of everything else—dolls included. Save all your Xmas orders for the ladies and come and see the pretty things and have a good time whether you buy or not. December 10 and 11th.

**All W. O. W. Take Notice.**

As our next regular meeting on December 2nd is the regular election of officers for the incoming year, it is to your interest to be on hand. Whether you are a regular attendant or not, you should come that night and lend your vote for officers who have our great order at heart. Come one, come all. Ernest Keathley, Clerk.

**For Sale.**

Alabama Wonder Cotton Seed. I have for sale the famous Alabama Wonder cotton seed. The earliest large boll cotton in this country. 1,200 pounds of seed cotton gave me 539 pounds of lint this season. \$1.00 per bushel. For full particulars see me on the Harry Landers farm or leave orders with J. F. McGill.

**W. N. BURNS.**

Fresh mackerel, pickles and the best of kraut—at Shepperd's.

**DIRECTORY.**

**Railroad Time Table.**

9:15 a. m. EAST p. m. 9:08  
7:47 a. m. WEST p. m. 9:08  
Nos. 3 and 6 pass at Colorado at 9:08 p. m.

Sterling City mail leaves at 7 a. m., on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Cuthbert and Snyder hacks leave daily at 8 a. m.

Post office open from 8 a. m., to 6 p. m. 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. Gardner, W. M. Green, J. S. Barber and U. D. Wulfen, Commissioners.

**District and County Court.**

District Court meets 17th, Monday 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. H. Moeser, H. F. Wheeler, Aldermen; E. Keathley, Secretary and Collector; Joe Key, Marshal.

City Council meets 1st Tuesday night in each month in regular session.

**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, Chairman Board Directors.

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**

Services every Sabbath morning and night. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night—Rev. Holmes Nichols, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:45—Robt. M. Webb, Superintendent.

Onesiphorous Band meets every other Tuesday night—Dr. W. C. Neal, President.

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

**METHODIST CHURCH.**

Preaching every Sabbath Morning and evening. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night—J. R. Henson, 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. M. 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 Masonic Hall.

Mrs. C. A. Arbuthnot, Matron

**KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.**

Meets 1st, and 3rd, Tuesday nights at K. of P. Hall.

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

**PYTHIAN SISTERS.**

Meet 2nd, Tuesday afternoon and 4th, 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 Friday night. T. J. Ratliff, N. G. W. R. Morgan, Sec.

**W. O. W.**

First and third Thursday nights at Woodman hall.

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

**WOODMEN CIRCLE.**

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

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Lap robes, Driving Gloves, Navajo Blankets.

Saddles and Harness made to order by expert workmen.

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**FRANK WILLIAMS**

**"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.

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are cheap enough, but they will not answer for up-to-date business PRINTING. A business man is judged as much by the quality of his printing as by the quality of his goods. We can do the "quality" kind of printing for you at this office—the kind that stimulates business pride, and helps your credit with the outside business world.

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is necessary to BEAUTY and no woman can afford to lose its charm, for it is the complexion that first appeals to the eye.

**FRECKLEATER**

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 imperfections, leaving the skin soft, smooth and transparent, a condition very much desired and admired.

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