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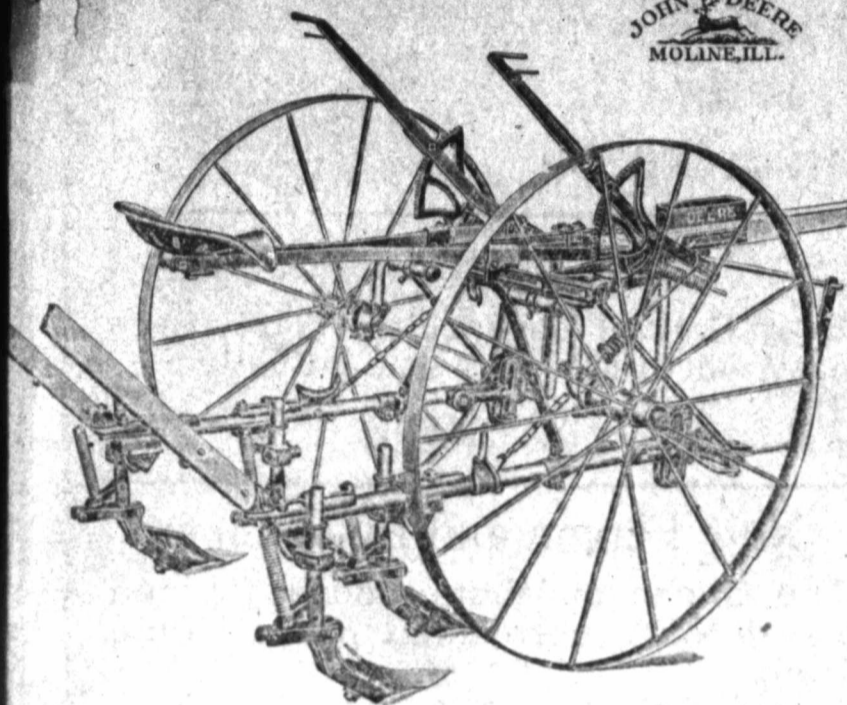
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COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 1910.

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THE "MAG" IS OUT.

The West Texas Magazine Company has announced the issue of the fifth number of the West Texas Magazine this week. Besides the subscribers, a copy of this number will be sent to many representative citizens of this section and the press of the state.

This is not the first of many efforts made to establish such a publication in this state; indeed, the difficulties in maintaining it have well-nigh come to be regarded as insuperable, without the bank account of a millionaire behind the enterprise.

The publishers of this magazine have behind them only, as capital, a well equipped printing plant, thirty years of experience in the publishing business, and an unshakable faith in the loyalty and appreciation of the people of west Texas. They have never yet failed to rally to the support of any enterprise, laudable in its ambition, clean in its methods and devoted to the upbuilding of their section.

Give the publication your sympathetic support and patronage, if you think the effort deserves it; if it does not, the law of the survival of the fittest will soon efface the mistake of the promoters. If the press of the state will spend their opinions and send a marked copy to this office, the favor and space will be greatly appreciated. Express your judgment, brethren; don't hand so serious an undertaking ingeniously worded "guff." Judge the publication in the light of your experience in the print shop, not by the standards of New York and Boston publications.

THE PUBLISHERS.

The Proposition Is Endorsed.

The Record holds that a newspaper has a duty to perform to the people among whom it is published and to its clientele. To this end it manifestly its duty to give the people the benefit of its more extensive range of reading. The fact that the superintendent of the dairy industry of the A. & M. College was out in a bulletin warning the people of the state to look cautiously into any proposition made to them by strangers seeking to establish fully equipped creameries among them; that there were in the state now parties working this graft, who after securing stock subscriptions to the amount of \$4,000 to \$5,000 were unloading a lot of new anti-

quated machinery upon them, which was utterly unfit for any purpose whatever and to let such severely alone; in view of this fact, the Record directed the attention of one of the stock soliciting committee to the above mentioned circular.

The Record is glad to say, the committee made a full investigation, and a letter to the superintendent of the dairy industry at College Station unequivocally endorses the work and house of Mr. J. Leslie Williams, who is here in the interest of an ice factory and creamery. The Record is not a knocker in any sense, but is opposed to rushing into any enterprise, without due investigation. The safer an investment is, the smaller, as a rule, are the dividends. Again, it's only the smart people who can be lured. They pit their own wits against the sharper, and have the card crimped for them while dealer's back is turned, or they see the ball under the shell when the dealer seems to fumble. A majority of the necessary stock has been subscribed by many substantial citizens and the enterprise seems well on towards accomplishment.

Readers of the Home Journal

To the Ladies of Colorado:—I have just made a contract with the Curtis Publishing Company for the exclusive wholesale selling agency of the Ladies Home Journal and the Saturday Evening Post. I will deliver either or both of these magazines to you at your residence or place of business. Promptly on day of issue. The Journal is a monthly magazine (the best and largest in the world), price 15c. The Post is a weekly publication with over a million and a quarter circulation and sells for 5 cents. Let me have your order for one or both these splendid publications, and I will guarantee that you will not miss a copy. I have gone into this as a business as I am under bond, and a contract for a year. I ask that everybody in Colorado who buy either of these magazines, to give a boy who means business, a chance.

Yours truly, STANSEL WHIPKEY
Ladies' Home Journal and Saturday Evening Post sold by Stansel Whipkey or at the Record office.

For Sweet milk Phone 264.

THE PROSPECT PICKING UP.

Various Expressions From Interested Parties Showing the Spirit and Purpose Behind the Colorado & Concho Railroad.

Robert Lee is Determined to Move in the Matter.—Will Colorado Stand by Her at the Bridge?

The editorial in the Record last week incorporating the fable of the lark in the wheat field, was but a figure, but it was a reflection of the spirit of the people who are behind the proposed railroad from Colorado to Robert Lee, and their determination to ultimately build it. Why give absolutely enough money to build the road to any man or set of men, to allow them to build it. It is on a parity with the kind-old lady who told the little beggar girl who applied to her for assistance, that if the little girl would find a basket and go out begging, she, the charitable old lady, would give her half she got. The people of Robert Lee are beginning to see this very point. Read these excerpts: "Tired of waiting fruitlessly the action of promoters in starting active work on the Colorado & Concho Railroad, the citizens of Robert Lee held a rousing mass meeting Saturday afternoon and decided to put it up to E. G. Hammock and his associates right-away and if they did not choose to move with dispatch, that work would begin anyway with the citizens of Robert Lee and Colorado City doing the work on their own hook.

It will be remembered that several months ago the citizens of Robert Lee subscribed a bonus of \$50,000 and Colorado City also came in for a large amount of the construction of a railroad from Colorado City on the Texas & Pacific to Robert Lee, thus giving the Coke county metropolis an outlet to the marts of commerce of the outside world. This was done at the instigation of E. G. Hammock, who purported to be ready for action at once. The matter has dragged along and nothing been done by the promoters and the citizens of the towns are at last wearied of dallying, and are figuring on doing a little empire building themselves.

The proposition as it now stands, in case the promoters don't wake up and get busy, is to issue stock to the amount of \$200,000 and get down to business. The citizens of Robert Lee are right in line to do their part of the building and it is understood practically the same view of the matter is held by Colorado City.—San Angelo Standard.

Mass Meeting at Robert Lee.

The people were called together at 2:30 o'clock Saturday and a good crowd of enthusiastic citizens were present. J. H. Burroughs called the meeting to order and stated the object was to deliver the guarantee to the Railroad company which was done without a dissenting vote.

The committee appointed one from the railroad corporation and one appointed by the bonus committee, selected a third member and placed the land bonus at \$16,125.00. This committee was composed of Dr. W. J. Adams, M. B. Sheppard and Geo. Cowan.

The total money and land bonus raised is \$58,278.50.

Mr. Hammock has until the first of June to place the road with a company to build it and should he fail the people will be again called together and other steps taken towards securing the road. The people are determined to succeed.

Colorado is a unit we understand on the building of this line and together the two towns can and will be successful.

The men that are behind the move are in it to succeed and they will. Mark what we tell you, the Colorado & Concho will be built.

San Angelo's Opinion.

A correspondent to the San Angelo Standard, who has been to Robert Lee and talked with the representative citizens of that nifty town, has the following to say of the railroad spirit there:

The Colorado & Concho railway company, composed exclusively of citizens of Robert Lee and Coke county, was organized, right of way along the entire line of the proposed line extending from Robert Lee to Colorado City—forty-five miles—secured, besides acreage for two townsites—in all valued at \$250,000.

Angelo rejoices over her brilliant prospects; and when it becomes known as an assured fact, that the

Colorado-Concho road is to be extended hitherward, San Angelo's good right hand will reach across the intervening 35 miles and pour into the company's coffers her share of the wherewithal with which to link with bands of steel the destinies of the Queen City of the Conchos with Robert Lee, the gem of the Colorado.—Standard.

It is evident from the above extracts that the people of Robert Lee are determined to have a railroad; with them it is an act of self preservation. Is it any less so with the town of Colorado. Like Ephraim of old, the town and its "getting-ready-to-get-ready" spirit, has waxed into a proverb among its more aggressive neighbors, but the time has come in the development of West Texas when the good things don't come for the asking. Unless an enterprise is met half way, and with assurances of safety and encouragement to foreign capital, it refuses to locate.

As the Record sees it, it were the part of wisdom and sound business principle, to hold everything else in abeyance and go after this road with all the material and sympathetic help the town is capable of exerting. One thing seems sure; the people of Robert Lee are going to have a railroad. The town prefers an outlet to Colorado but if we do not meet its interest and zeal on common ground, there are other places on trunk lines more than ready to do so. These suggestions are well worth careful consideration. The Record had rather see this road built and by the people of the counties of Coke and Mitchell, than any other possible acquisition to the material welfare of the town of Colorado. This opportunity means an epoch in the development of the town and county.

The man in a community who, though possessing not a dollar to invest in any material business or enterprise, but has an overflowing measure of good spirits, encouragement for the disheartened, patience for the tardy, a good word for the discouraged, and is willing at all times to cast into the "treasury of the Lord" out of the abundance of his poverty, invests a capital in that community, which in times of trouble, when the things that mere money cannot buy are in urgent and immediate need, outweighs all the dollar-and-cent services that can be rendered. The things that alone will meet the need in personal crises, are the things that money cannot buy—sympathy, respect and confidence, and the man who brings these jewels up in the pawnshop of Prosperity cannot redeem them when he has all the money he wants. Be careful how you cash them in.

For the first time for decades, if not centuries, England will have a King who speaks idiomatic English. George I hardly spoke a word of the language and George II was little better. George III was born in England, but he knew French and German better than he did English, which he always spoke badly and wrote worse. His son, George IV spoke and wrote better English, but it still had a decided German twang, which was also true of his brother, William IV, who succeeded him. Queen Victoria spoke English with a decided German accent, and her son, the late king, was not free from this. German tutors have always had the preference in the households of the Hanoverian sovereigns, and their pupils have been infected with their Teutonic mannerisms. George V is, however, a thorough Englishman, even in his insularity and pride of nationality. In his youth he disliked all foreigners in a thoroughly British feeling of superiority. Probably he is now entirely over this defect, but he will at least speak and write the language of his country better than any of his forbears.

Here's What That Road Means.

The Pecos Valley and Southern Railroad is moving along toward the Davis Mountains and will mean \$3 additional per ton to the price of alfalfa at Saragosa and Balmorhea. About twelve miles of track have been laid and the camp has been transferred to Hoban, about eighteen miles southwest of Pecos, to which point the track will be completed within ten days, and Saragosa by July 1st.—Pecos Times.

This railroad was inspired by just such condition as exists between Colorado and Robert Lee, but the people did not tie onto the skirts of outsiders and beg to let them pay them to build a road where it would pay dividends from the first train. Not much. They got together, raised as much money as Mr. Swenson would give, and went to work. The ladies clubs and associations of the town of Pecos obligated themselves to give \$2,000 and even the school children promised \$800 instead of begging someone to help them, they helped themselves. Almost a perfectly analogous condition exists at Colorado today, god father and all. Will we do likewise?

Attorney L. W. Sandusky went to El Paso Saturday night to attend to a case in the district court at that place.

Mr. Bryant, an architect from St. Louis, is here this week to submit plans for the new school building.

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C. A. Arbuthnot

The annual pitchforking into Texas of the surplus of nameless waifs from the founding "retreats" of New York City, is announced as due, and those who have agreed to adopt them have been notified to meet the train on a certain day prepared to get what's coming to them. Why send to the slums of New York for an orphan child, whose parentage, temperament, prenatal influences, and all the elements of heredity that determine to a large extent, its destiny; when there are thousands in Texas in need of the same care and help? Children too, whose parents made things as easy as they are for the present generation, who earned something from posterity to their children. The lesson of the serpent's egg, has hot lost its force in this latter day.

More Free Advice.
After a long and pleasant rest from that kind of foolishness the South again sits up and takes notice when Clarence E. Darrow, the Socialist lawyer of Chicago, urges miscegenation as the solution of the race problem. There is no use in tearing our hair and telling Mr. Darrow in long reverberating syllables just what every Southern man admits. He is trying to mix the negro problem with the labor problem, when as a matter of fact, they have no connection in the relation which he suggests. He has made a bad mistake, that's all. His remarks will be given widespread attention, especially in view of the recent court decision on the miscegenation law in Louisiana disturbing the will of the people of that state as passed by their last legislature. The South is doing its best with the race problem. All it asks is that no additional obstacles in the form of advice from persons who don't know what they are talking about be placed in their way.—San Antonio Express.

Seven Wells.
The picnic at Seven Wells last Saturday was well attended. The crowd gathered until 12 o'clock.

A ball game was played between the Seven Wells boys and East Colorado. The county candidates were there shaking hands and smiling. At 2 o'clock a bounteous dinner was spread, which showed that the ladies of Seven Wells community know how to prepare a dinner.

After dinner all repaired to the arbor, where the candidates poured forth their claims for the respective offices, beginning with County Treasurer Patterson, and ending with Prof. Hood, candidate for county judge. At 3:30 a ball game began between the Seven Wells boys and the Creeks. The winners being the last named.

Fred Mayer has given his dog its annual shearing; but varied the usual procedure by using a pickaxe this time instead of a grubbing hoe.

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50 and 75c.

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DRY GOODS, GROCERIES AND HARDWARE.

LOCAL NOTES

C. C. Graves will sell you bees and bee fixtures.

Little Miss Emma Morgan is visiting friends in Sweetwater this week.

Mrs. S. E. Winfree is packing her household goods this week preparatory to removing to Sweetwater, where she will again embark in the hotel business. Mrs. Winfree has been in that business for several years at Colorado and during that time has established an enviable reputation for her house. It is with regret the Record sees her leave. She will be an acquisition to Sweetwater.

Mrs. Ed W. Smith and son Kennedy, are visiting relatives in Fort Worth.

Claude Gill of Abilene was circulating among his multitude of friends here this week.

The West Texas republican clubs met at Sweetwater Thursday of last week, and had their usual festivities. Col. Ben S. Van Tuyl upheld the dignity and prestige of Colorado on the occasion.

The union Sunday school picnic of last week occurred on the day the Record went to press. Although there were not as many as might, and perhaps should have gone, still quite a good crowd of children and a few others were there, and all of them report a splendid time.

With skin troubles, chaps, pimples, black heads, eczema or sores. When one 25c box of Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salva will cure you. Try it once.

The friends of Miss Birdie Waddell will be interested to learn that she married at Fort Worth on May 25th. The name of the fortunate gentleman, we failed to learn.

HOUSES TO RENT—Large and small, cheap and cheaper, far out and close in. Phone 77 or 32. E. KEATHLEY.

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For skin troubles, sores, ulcers, eczema, chaps, black heads, pimples and all eruptions. Use Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salva and you get the best. We guarantee it. 25c a box everywhere.

Mrs. E. B. Hornuff, who has for some time been the salesman and collector for Peter Fenelon Collier, of book fame, in this section, has resigned that position and assumed the business management of Roberts Business College at this place. He has entered upon the discharge of his new duties with an enthusiasm that is a prophecy of success. He is well acquainted over West Texas, and will no doubt be able to secure many new pupils for the school. His headquarters will be at Colorado.

Prof. Wilbur C. Smith of New York, who came to assume the principalship of Roberts Business College, has resigned his position and will go elsewhere. Prof. Smith is not only a gentleman of education and refinement, but gives evidence of thorough efficiency in his specialty, and the Record regrets that Colorado will lose him.

Granulated Eyelids.
Can be cured without cauterizing or scarifying by the use of Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salva. We guarantee it to cure. 25c everywhere.

Dr. Radliff is not so much an exponent as a coefficient of the doctrine of anti-race suicide. Through his kindly ministrations in that dark vale beneath the shadow of death, about a dozen citizens and citizenesses have been added to the growing population of Mitchell county during the past week, and his same have been spoken for another anticipated dozen. The race suicide cult finds cold comfort in Mitchell county. On with the crop.

W. H. Moesser has just installed a pipe threading machine in his tin sheet metal and plumbing shop.

Mrs. J. K. Foster, at the Alamo hotel has been quite ill the past week, but is now recovering.

LOST—On Second street Saturday, a red pocket book, two first pages had list of Colorado citizens. Big Springs and Midland lists in back part. Reward for return to this office. 6-3p

For Butter milk phone 264.

Sam Wulfjen is erecting a neat little cottage up on the hill, next the home of J. O. McCreless. Asked if it would be a rent house or occupied by himself—and—other-s, he side stepped the question and said, "What's the matter with you? Can't a man build a house without getting married?" We leave the answer to this query to the people who know most about the affair, but reserve our own opinion.

The Best Remedy
For all kinds of sore eyes is Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salva. It is a creamy snow white ointment and would not injure the eye of a babe. Guaranteed. 25 cents.

Rev. W. M. Elliott left for Stanton Monday morning where he will hold a meeting for ten days.

Don't Experiment With a Cough... When Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey has been used by millions of people for sixteen years with a steady increasing demand. Look for the Bell on the Bottle.

No Danger
In taking Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey for Coughs and Colds. It contains no habit producing drugs. Look for the Bell on the Bottle.

Bennett Scott went to Amarillo last week, where he will work in the Santa Fe round house.

The brick work on the Dulaney building is all finished and the masons have gone. It will be taken in hand now by the carpenters, after which the plasterers and decorators will take it over.

Rev. Holmes Nichols returned Monday night from his trip north much refreshed and strengthened for his summer's work. He says he had the time of his life.

Judge F. P. Brewer has moved his office, and is now connected with the Hastings Land & Abstract Company, where he can be found by those wishing his services. The Judge impresses us as a gentleman by birth and practice and we hope he may do well in his present surroundings.

If you want to be sure of catching your train, call Woods Livery Stable. He never misses a train. 5-6c

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

En route home from attending the Southern Baptist convention at Baltimore, the National Sunday School convention at Washington, and a trip to New York City, Rev. Holmes Nichols came by Vernon, where he has often been invited to preach. This being his first convenient opportunity, he availed himself of it.

Miss Elsie Hooper, left this week for Belton, where she will attend a reunion of her class, of Alumnae of Belton Female College.

This is one of the most important committees of the house of representatives, and a place on which is only given after years of service or signal ability. The longer Judge Smith serves this district in congress the more power he will have and the more can he do in a material way for his district. Let's keep him going.

Rev. Norman Fitz-Hugh Marshall spent a few days at Pecos City last week, at which point he serves the Episcopal church.

Mrs. A. B. Robertson and the children came over from Fort Worth in an auto this week and after an extended visit with Colorado friends, will go up to Bresford, and spend the summer on their ranch.

A card from W. E. McKinney at Rotan asks that the Record be sent him forthwith immediately; he can't be content without it.

Geo. S. Manuel, brother of our home tailor, R. T. Manuel, of St. Louis, is visiting his brother, mother and sister. Mr. Manuel is a trusted employe of the Carleton Dry Goods Company of that city.

If you doubt Mitchell county is adapted to hog culture just go and look at some of the swine Clarence Grable has on his farm north-east of town. He has the registered Duroc-Jersey and the Listens, all pretty as pictures.

The Palace Market has on hand 1/2 barrel of the best mackerel which they will sell at 5 cents a mackerel until all are sold. Get a 25 cent bucket of the best Veribest Mince you ever ate. Our lard cannot be equaled for quality.—Palace Market.

A three days picnic for Colorado, June 30, July 1, and 2nd.

CRYING FOR HELP.

Lots of It in Colorado, But Daily Growing Less.

The kidneys are crying for help. Not an organ in the whole body so delicately constructed.

Not one so important to health. The kidneys are the filters of the blood.

When they fail the blood becomes foul and poisonous.

Backache is one of the first indications of kidney trouble.

It is the kidneys' cry for help. Heed it.

Doan's Kidney Pills are what is wanted.

They strengthen and invigorate the kidneys; help them to do their work; never fail to cure any case of kidney disease.

G. E. Ward, photographer, Opera House Building, Abilene, Texas, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills rid me of a pain in the small of my back which had caused me considerable suffering. As I used no other remedy at the time, I gave Doan's Kidney Pills the entire credit for bringing this relief."

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.

Miss Reaville's Pupils Recite.

At the parlors of the St. James hotel Monday night, the pupils of Miss Clara Reaville, assisted by the ladies of the Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church, gave a musical recital, interspersed with readings, recitations, etc. The piano music was furnished by Miss Reaville herself which was a guarantee of its excellence. The program was intently listened to by as many as the parlors could seat while many stood in the halls. As souvenirs of this pleasant occasion triangular announcements, ornamented with lyre, date and occasion were presented to each pupil and auditor. It was a pleasant occasion and but emphasizes the hold Miss Reaville has upon the confidence of the public as a teacher, and the esteem in which she is held socially.

Work on the Abilene-Hamlin-Anson railroad is being pushed as fast as men and mules and scrapers can do it.

Flour, Flour, Flour

I will make a special cut price on flour for the next

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If you want to lay in a supply NOW IS THE TIME.

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YOU WILL FIND CHARLEY FRANKLIN WITH ME, WHOM EVERYBODY KNOWS TO BE AN EXPERT AT WINDMILL WORK, READY TO SERVE YOU.

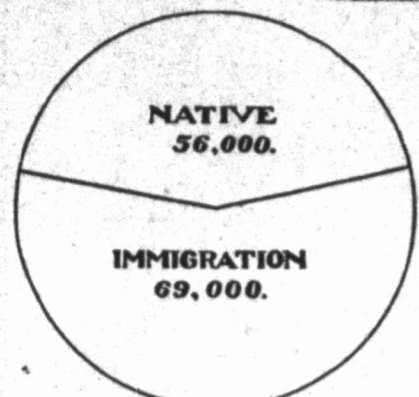
COME TO SEE US AT THE SECOND DOOR NORTH OF HUBBARD'S ON OAK STREET.

C. C. GRAVES,

Saturday Evening Post at this office, also back numbers.

One Million Daily.

There is no more progressive citizen on the globe than the native Texan, and he is by nature a builder, but the task of developing the State is far too great for the present generation to see completed. To acquire the population that Massachusetts now has per square mile, we would have 110,000,000 people instead of 4,000,000. If all the people of the United States were to move to Texas our population would be less per area than that of Massachusetts. All the money in the world could find profitable investment in Texas. The figure below gives a comparison of the work of the stork and the immigration agent.



Increase in Population.

The stork gives us an increase of 56,000 per annum and the immigration agent 69,000 per annum. The natural born citizen brings no property into the State. In fact, 30 per cent of our native citizens leave the State and actually take property away with them. It is fifteen years before the child becomes a revenue producer, and during that period he is an expense to the community, but the immigrant brings wealth into the State, and immediately upon arrival becomes a revenue producer. There is approximately one million dollars per day coming into Texas and making permanent investment in railroads, factories, farms, mines and other industries.



Money Coming to Texas.

We can not develop our State with home capital. A farmer may sell his farm in one section of the State and buy in another section; he has merely changed his location and has added nothing to the State's wealth. A man may sell his farm and buy a factory; he has simply changed his occupation, but has added nothing to the wealth of the State. If this generation proposes to develop Texas, says the Commercial Secretaries' Association, we must get men and money from the outside, and the invitation to homeseekers and capitalists can be cordially extended through an improved system of public highways. A community may not be able to build railroads and factories and other large industrial enterprises, but every section of the State can improve its public highways.

Houston, May 28.—Stockholders of the Texas Company in session here this morning voted to increase the capital stock from eighteen to thirty-six million dollars. This makes the corporation the largest in Texas. Judge R. E. Brooks, treasurer of the corporation said that all reports of a merger with the Standard Oil Company were unfounded and that no such arrangements exist or is contemplated. "And when you report this," said Mr. Brooks, "You cannot make the statement too strong."

J. C. Northcutt of the Herbert community, stopped in Monday just long enough to say that he had 27 acres of cotton with nine and ten leaves, which by now, doubtless is putting on squares. Another farmer in town Monday told us he had fifty acres, not so far advanced quite, as Mr. Northcutt's, but as fine for the time and season, as he ever saw. And these, brethren, are but two of many who tell the same tale. Provision only for today is promised; in the economy of nature there is never more given than can be used to the best advantage. The crops are doing well now; how useless to worry over what we may not get next month.

To be sure, a rain is like money, in west Texas; it never comes too late to come in good time. It is always in order. In fact, it is a rather difficult matter to give west Texas too much on an average. While the crops are not now suffering for need of rain, yet a good shower would be most opportune before the cotton begins to put on squares. There was evidently rain to the west of us Monday night. The two preceding days had been oppressively hot. A cloud gathered in the west about 9 o'clock, with vivid lightning, and a light sprinkle in Colorado. Be patient; our time will come when we need the showers.

Mr. M. A. Dry Gone Home.
"Out of a land whose bowers,
Perish and fade all the flowers,
Out of the land of decay
Into the Eden where fairest
Of flowerets, and sweetest and rarest
Never shall wither away."

Into the world that rejoices,
World of bright visions and voices,
Into the world of the glad,
Where there's a Father to love us
Into our Home—Sweet Home!

Just as the day, Wednesday, May 4th, 1910, was ebbing out into a boundless eternity, never to be present again,—with it was being borne the spirit of our loved one. With a gentle laugh, a graceful smile, a tender hand-clasp, the last goodbye had been said as noiseless as the snow shower's drifting and the newly ushered-in day found his gentle spirit had wended its flight to the God who gave it and only his manly, noble, placid clay remained—not a trace of the intense suffering he had so patiently and heroically borne for two days and to be seen. The angel messenger had come to him in pity for his pain, and God in His tender love had taken the frail body home to the beautiful city not made with hands.

In the midst of loved ones and friends, sweet memorial service and solemn strains of his favorite hymn lay, 'mid the fragrance of flowers on a fern and rose bedecked couch as in a peaceful slumber.

Michael Alfred Dry was born at Mt. Vernon, near Salisbury, N. C., January 15, 1829, to Nelson and Margaret Eve Dry. Here he lived until grown, being the eldest of five children, who preceded him to the better land.

He was converted and joined the Presbyterian church September, 1855, at Rocky River church just after attending a meeting held by the immortalized Daniel Baker. He was always devoted to his church and pastor. This was manifested in his last hours, when he called for him and talked freely with him regarding his God, in Whom he had so long trusted and the Eternal Life.

He joined the Masons in 1854—he loved and was ever true to the tenets of the order. This Masonic building was captured and burned during the civil war.

At the age of twenty-three (after struggling hard to obtain an education) he began teaching and taught four years near where he was raised. At Beaufort Bay, in 1856, he, with other teachers, framed the first public school laws of the state. Three delegates having been sent from each county. On account of ill health he quit teaching and bought an art gallery at Davidson College. From this place he went to Rock Hill, S. C., where he held a responsible position with a large dry goods firm until the spring of 1860, then started with quite a party of friends by land to the frontier of Arkansas. Arriving in May, he taught a summer school, and in the fall went into the civil war, where he did active service the whole four years, filling the place of orderly sergeant. He was too retiring to accept promotions repeatedly offered him and which he so richly deserved. First under Kirby Smith, then under Price, in the western division, in company B, 45th Arkansas regiment of scouting cavalry. After the surrender he came to Swifton, Arkansas, heavy hearted, but not discouraged. Broken in finances, he taught in order to better equip and run his farm. Here he was married to Annie Eliza Swift (she recently coming there with her parents from Shelbyville, Tenn.) In the spring of 1873 they moved overland to Texas, being on the journey six weeks. They settled in West Texas, Comanche county, and started building the village of Sipe Springs, to whose bubbling, crystal water the savage red man was a frequent visitor.

He lived on his farm five years, then afterwards was successfully engaged in the mercantile business until the spring of 1895, whence he moved with his family, wife and two daughters, Mozella and Jo, to Colorado, Texas. The sainted wife and mother passed away a year and a half later. Here the broken family of three have since resided. He never fully recovered from the irreparable loss of his companion.

Pathetic it was in the extreme to see him make the brave struggle (like the ship in the tempest with the main mast shattered) to fill the place of both father and mother. And like unto the perfect man in the 37th Psalm, "Behold the upright for the end of that man is peace." He was even proud of the fact that not one of his name as far back as there were records, had ever brought a shadow of dishonor on the good name. His motto, always temperate in all things, morality and right. This correct living of his family for generations gave him that unflinching strength that enabled him to battle victoriously with the many serious attacks of physical infirmities to which his body had fallen heir. Here too, he exercised the

same indomitable will power which characterized his whole life up to the end. He never knew the meaning of the word fail, hence it was hard for us, whose hearts strings were so firmly entwined around him to realize that "Father Time" was slowly claiming his body, and that his earthly sun was soon to set, just as he reminded us the last day of his life.

He was a loyal and devoted husband, an affectionate and indulgent father, a faithful friend and a consecrated Christian. Ever modest and retiring, and chaste his language as pure gold, just as his character had been throughout life, the true secret of his influence over the wayward.

How many times had he faced the cannon's mouth and taken part in the strongest conflicts, coming, out unscathed, though with the Christian's fortitude and armor he conquered the last foe, won the last grim battle with such ease, that 'twas hard to realize, he had ever had a struggle, for he answered the last roll call with a "peace that passeth all understanding."

Friends, no more will he go hunting and fishing with you in the spring-time, nor tell you little boys interesting war stories, which you loved so to hear, or act as your Santa when the "Yule tide" comes around.

No more will he loiter on the river banks to gather the prairie blossoms for us, or place them in his room just as he had on his last walk—aye many previous ones.

No more will he write sweet and interesting letters to his relatives and friends.

No more will he steal into the parlor and gaze at the portrait of mother's sainted face.

No more will he soothe "Josie's" aching brow with a never tiring hand.

No more will he be seen wending his way to Sabbath school and church.

No more will he fall asleep over his favorite chapter, while picturing the beautiful Beyond.

No more will he battle against pain and fatal disease, for now all earthly fetters are broken. What a glorious arrival it must have been to him! For he is in reality with mother around the Great White Throne dreamed of. Where everlasting flowers bloom, and innumerable children and many loved ones gone before join in the sweet chants with that "Choir Invisible" of a life eternal, and all the Heavenly hosts join in the sweet refrain of welcome home!

"There is no death; the stars go down To rise upon some fairer shore, And bright in Heaven's jeweled crown They shine forevermore, And ever near us 'tho unseen, The dear immortal spirits tread For all the boundless universe is life; There is no dead."

MOZELLA AND JO DRY,
His Daughters.

Resolutions of Respect.

When that great warrior, Stonewall Jackson, heard the voice of the Great Supreme Commander of the Universe (our Creator) calling him hence, his reply was: "Tell Hill to prepare for action," and in a sweet, silvery voice, he said, "let us pass over the river and rest under the shade of the trees." So, when that same voice came to our comrade, M. A. Dry, he turned to those loving daughters, to whom he was devoted, and said: "What are you going to do?" then in a whispering voice—"I trust all to God," and passing over the river, is now resting under the shade of the trees.

Comrade Dry was a member of company D, 45th Arkansas regiment, and was a true soldier, while fighting under Price in the western army. He was born on the 15th day of January, 1829, at Mount Vernon, near Salisbury, N. C. He entered the Confederate army in Arkansas the fall of 1861. Joined Albert Sidney Johnston Camp No. 613, U. C. V., at its organization. Was a consistent member of the Presbyterian church and a Mason. The camp loses a comrade, the church and lodge an exemplary member, the community a useful citizen. But those two daughters feel the blow more heavily; their loss can not be replaced—a father a protector, a guide and adviser through life.

Resolved, that this Camp extend to the daughters of our Comrade, its protecting care, and advice, at all times; (and may we consider them as our daughters also.)

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Comrade Dry died May 6th, 1910, and was buried in the Odd Fellows' cemetery May 6th, with Masonic honors, aged 81 years and four months.

Adopted by Albert Sidney Johnston Camp, No. 613, U. C. V., May 29th, 1910.

B. Z. COOPER,
J. R. GRAVES,
Committee.

Eastern Star Resolutions
Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst our friend and brother, M. A. Dry, and Whereas, Brother Dry has ever been a zealous and consistent member of our order, from his early life to the end of a life of full years, he exemplified the tenets of our order and by a devotion to the Star of the East he pointed all with whom he came in contact to the higher and better life beyond this realm of tears.

Therefore, be it resolved, That in the death of Bro. Dry Colorado Chapter, No. 50, O. E. S., has lost one of its most zealous and devoted members; our city and county one of its best citizens.

That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family of the deceased brother, and same furnished the Colorado Record for publication.

J. E. HOOPER,
MRS PORTER
MRS. DUPREE
Committee

Card of Thanks.
Out of hearts full of gratitude we went to thank the many friends, the minister, the physicians who so tenderly and untriflingly assisted us in caring for our beloved father during his last illness, and those who have done all in their power since to soothe our bleeding hearts. May they, each, find such friends to administer unto them when called upon to slip the dregs from sorrow's cup. And in the end, hear God's blessed words of "Well done"—"come up higher for thy blessed reward." Gratefully,

MOZELLA AND JO DRY.

Notice of Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge.

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas.

In the matter of J. D. Norman, Bankrupt, No. 195, in Bankruptcy. Office of Referee, Abilene, Texas, May 31st, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that J. D. Norman of the County of Mitchell, and District aforesaid, did, on the 31st day of May, 1910, file in the Clerk's office of said Court, at Abilene, a petition setting up that he has been heretofore duly adjudged a bankrupt under the act of Congress approved July 1, 1898; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy, and praying for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate in bankruptcy, save such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

On considering the above mentioned petition, it is ordered that any creditor who has proved his claim, and other parties in interest, if they desire to oppose the discharge prayed for in said petition, shall, on or before the 17th day of June, 1910, file with the Referee for the Abilene Division of said District, a notice in writing of their opposition to a discharge in the above entitled case.

K. K. LEGETT
Referee in Bankruptcy.

We hang your shades free.—J. H. Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Russell, of Dallas are here on a visit to the family of Mrs. Russell's brother, A. B. Spain.

Let us refurbish or reupholster your old furniture. Make it as good as new.—J. H. Greene.

At the Baptist Church.
Services at the Baptist church Sunday at usual hours. At the morning service Pastor Nichols will give an account of the work of the Southern Baptist Convention, which he recently attended in Baltimore, and at the evening service, he will give an account of the World's Sunday school Convention, which he attended in Washington. In the afternoon meeting he will speak to the "Brotherhood" at the tavernacle about his visit to the slums in New York City. Strangers welcomed.

A. L. Wasson and family have removed to Big Springs.

Methodist Church.
The usual services will be held next Sunday morning and evening. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.: Sunday school at 9:45. Juvenile Missionary society at 3 p. m. Senior Epworth League at 7:30 p. m. Special opportunity will be given for receiving members into the church at the morning and evening services.

W. E. LYON, P. C.

J. H. Greene informs us that he has secured the services of Mr. Geo. A. Christian as an embalmer and funeral director. Mr. Christian needs no recommendations that the Record can give, as his ability as a workman, and as a gentleman of honesty and integrity cannot be called in question.

Order for Bond Election.
The State of Texas, County of Mitchell.

On this the 30th day of May, 1910, this court being in special session, came on to be considered the petition of W. W. Watson and 128 others, praying that bonds be issued within the hereinafter defined district in Mitchell County, Texas, in the sum of thirty thousand dollars, bearing five per cent rate of interest, per annum, maturing forty years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof. Said district within said Mitchell County, being defined by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of survey No. 13, in block 26, of the T. & P. Ry. Co. survey.

Thence N. 77 degrees w. along the N. boundary line of said survey 13, aforesaid, and surveys 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 in said block 26, and along the northern boundary line of surveys numbered 13, 14, 15, in block No. 27, of the T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, to the N. W. corner of said survey No. 15, block 27, aforesaid.

Thence S. 13 degrees E. along the W. boundary lines of surveys 15, 22, 27, 34, 39, 46, 51, 58 and 63 of said block 27, of the T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, to the S. W. corner of said survey No. 63, block 27, aforesaid.

Thence N. 77 degrees East, along the southern boundary line of surveys 62, 63 and 61, in block 27, of the T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, and the southern boundary lines of surveys, 66, 65, 64, 63, 62 and 61, in block 26, of the T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, to the S. E. corner of said survey numbered 61, block 26, aforesaid.

Thence N. 13 degrees W. along the eastern boundary lines of surveys 61, 60, 49, 48, 37, 36, 25, 24 and 13, in block 26 aforesaid, to the place of beginning being an area 9 miles square of said Mitchell County, with Colorado as practically the center, which said defined district shall hereafter be known as "Road District No. One, of Mitchell County, Texas."

And it appearing to the Court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax-paying voters of said Road District No. One, and that the amount of the bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such Road District No. One.

It is therefore considered and ordered by the court, that an election be held in said Road District No. One of Mitchell County, Texas, on the 9th day of July, 1910, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. One, of Mitchell County, Texas, shall be issued in the amount of thirty thousand dollars, bearing five per cent rate of interest, per annum, and maturing forty years from date thereof; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Road District No. One, of Mitchell County, Texas, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds, and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published in Mitchell County, and in said Road District No. One, for four successive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto, there shall be posted notices of such election in three public places in said Road District No. One, one of which shall be at the Court House door of said Mitchell County, for three successive weeks prior to said election.

Said election shall be held at the County Court House of Mitchell County, Texas and J. W. Bird is hereby appointed manager of said election.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of the Road District Act passed at the First Called Session of the Thirty-first Legislature, and only qualified voters who are property taxpayers of said Road District No. One, of Mitchell County, Texas, shall be allowed to vote, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For the issuance of Bonds and Levying the Tax in Payment therefor," and those opposed, shall have written or printed on their ballot the words, "Against the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying the Tax in Payment therefor."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State governing general elections.

A copy of this order signed by the County Judge of said county shall serve as a proper notice of said election, and the County Judge is directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper published in said Road District No. One, of Mitchell County, Texas, for four successive weeks next preceding said election, and cause to be posted a notice thereof at three public places in said Road District No. One, of Mitchell County, Texas, one of which shall be at the court house door

of said Mitchell County, for three successive weeks prior to said election.

A. J. COE,
County Judge Mitchell County, Texas, County of Mitchell.

J. J. Bullock, Clerk of the County Court and ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County, Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an election order passed by the Commissioners' Court of the County of Mitchell, Texas, on the 30th day of May, 1910, at a special session of said court, a quorum being present, which order is of record on page 14 of book 3 of the minutes of said court, which said minutes have been duly signed by the County Judge.

Witness my hand and seal of the Commissioners' Court, this the 30th day of May, 1910.

JESSE H. BULLOCK,
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

Hats off to the Hen.
During the year 1907 poultry products of the United States were worth \$600,000,000. This was \$100,000,000 more than the value of the wheat crop that year, and exceeded the value of the combined oats, potato, rye and flaxseed crop by \$1,000,000. The only crops worth more in 1907 than the poultry crop were corn, cotton and hay. Answering the question, whether this enormous crop is produced at a loss, the Maryland state experimenter, in a bulletin, reaches the conclusion that there is profit in poultry raising. Mr. C. L. Opperman, a Storer writer of the bulletin, says, "I'm willing to admit that there are failures in the poultry industry, but I think are due to bad management rather than to the hen. Do not in a hurry to get rich from poultry. Do not be misled by gilded advertisements. Make your start with old hens and study them carefully. Do not be discouraged by the views of others. There are many who are making a success, and their success is due to a careful study of the industry, hard work and good business sense. To those who are wishing to proceed slowly and carefully there is no branch of agriculture that offers greater inducements than the poultry business."

Mrs. A. B. Spain leaves Monday for Fort Worth, where she goes to have her eyes treated.

Bring me your pictures to be framed.—J. H. Greene.

Hurrah for the Colorado base ball fans. They actually beat the Coahoma boys Wednesday in a very loose jointed game, 12 to 11. No one has yet been able to explain how the accident happened, but the consensus of expert opinion in ball-dom is that Marcus Jones the short stop was in a manner to blame. Hit it up boys, so that by June 31st, your game will be worthy to attract good opponents and draw crowd.

A special sale on hammocks at the Racket Store.

Mr. R. E. Morris and child have returned from Wichita Falls, where Mr. Morris is at work.

Dr. J. H. Vaughan, brother of D. Vaughan, who has been employed in the T. & P. hospital at Marsh, has resigned his position, and paid brother a visit before settling in W. Lamson county.

S. D. Vaughan spent a day in Stillfort and Hamlin this week, seeing sights.

Be sure you see the "Queen of the Pantry" cakes at Burns & Bell's Saturday, and buy one for your Sunday dinner.

CAKE SALE.
The Baptist ladies will have all kinds of cakes for sale at Burns & Bell's grocery store Saturday. They would very much appreciate your patronage.

Hammocks at bargain prices at the Racket Store.

Buy your Sunday cake from the ladies at Burns & Bell's Saturday.

Try a cake made from pure Cotto-lene—the Baptist ladies will have them on sale Saturday at Burns & Bell.

Rev. H. C. Ford of Big Springs will preach at the Christian church next Sunday morning and at night. He has been engaged as supply for the church here on the first and third Sundays in each month.

Ladies' Home Journal and Saturday Evening Post sold by Stansel Whippley or at the Record office.

Phone us or tell us the local news

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"Great is Mitchell County, and The Record is its Prophet!"

COLORADO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 1910

The county of Cooke voted last Saturday to remain dry, while Palo Pinto said she'd continue to take a "wee drop iv the crayther" in hern.

On the Blair ranch, near Delhart, the buffalo herd is increasing. On January there were 38, today there are 42, eleven calves having been born.

No sooner have the ladies gotten over the leprosy scare from wearing hats, than they are thrown into another panic by the frequent swooping down of hawks on their "chantecler hats."

The lunar eclipse came off on schedule all right, and for awhile diverted attention from the comet. But the comet is still doing business, though a very noticeable increase of warmth and ardor.

Stamford is contemplating a street railway. Pshaw, Colorado had one way back in 1884, but long since repudiated it for automobiles. The thing may do for a slow town, but for give us the buzz wagon.

The sheep industry in west Texas has not been so prosperous since the general collapse back in the eighties. The sheep men of the Concho country have fared well and waxed pithoric with the current coin of the realm the past and present year.

Adolph Busch in conjunction with Waco capitalists, proposes to build a fifteen story hotel in that city. Are we to understand this to be a bribe by the whiskey and beer trust? Will this proposal stand good if the people get a chance to vote on statewide prohibition. We wonder if it will.

The voting strength of Texas the coming election will be 551,488, with but three small and inconsequential counties not counted. Dallas leads with 17,872, Tarrant is second, Harris third, Bexar fourth, Grayson fifth, McLennan sixth, and Cochran last with only 10 votes.

The corner stone of the West Texas State Normal College was laid at Canyon City last week with Masonic ceremonies. O, it didn't put a green taste in the mouth to chronicle this fact. We're glad they got it.

Mr. Roosevelt has accepted an invitation to speak at the banquet to be given by Collier's, which affair is understood to be in the interest of the urgent element in congress. This is taken to signify that the Strenuous One has decided to line up with the opponents of Bro. Joe Cannon, and that his name will no longer be Joseph but Mud.

The county jails of the state have been cleared of insane persons, black and white. This is a long step in the right direction. Now if the coming legislature will only abrogate the convict lease system, reform its criminal trial system, not only can the newspapers harp a trifle louder on the "Grand Old Texas" racket, but it will decrease the census of the "Third Estate."

Before leaving for the north Mr. Post ordered that twenty new residences be built in his city. There will also be erected immediately, a \$12,000 stone school building, a steam laundry, additional store, grain elevator, another big reservoir, telephone exchange and 10,000 more trees set along the streets.

The country is surely going "nuts" about microbes. Uncle Sam is now going to collect all the money in the country at Washington, wash its face, give it a good ironing and disinfection then send it back to the owners or give them new bills. If he can take the taint off the Standard Oil "squid-fum" the common run of the people will risk the microbes, all right.

Some ancient philosopher said in substance that it is impossible to be just if one is not generous. Yet there are some old tight wads, who will take advantage of their best friends in a trade—skin them if they can—and then by donating a part of the unjust gains to some charity they satisfy themselves that they are men of great generosity. There is a great yawning place for people of this character.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Monday was a national holiday, and the banks and federal buildings were closed. All over this land, from the Canadian border to the Rio Grande, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, a reunited and loyal people made common sorrow and reverence for those brave men of the blue and the gray, who have equal honor in shedding their life's blood in the settlement of a mooted question, which thank God, will never disrupt our country and alienate brothers again in fratricidal war. This annual recalling of their deeds and doing honor to their memory is one of the highest and most patriotic aspects of citizenship.

The brand of democracy we are now experiencing in the great commonwealth of Texas, is tamely insipid compared to the robust and revolutionary article just now on tap in Tennessee. At a mass meeting in that state over 5,000 delegates repudiated the action of the state committee as "undemocratic, arbitrary, tyrannical and guilty of gross usurpation of power, and not entitled to the support of any democratic voter in Tennessee." This meeting was a protest to Patterson and his politics. He was bitterly assailed by dozens of fiery speakers, whose denunciations were cheered to the rafters.

Poor Mr. Taft. Congress refused to allow any more money for his "traveling expenses," and he will have to fall back upon that measly pittance of \$150 per day and for the rest of the summer, while the free and unbought American citizen is skedaddling around to the fishfrys, picnics and other free doings, that poor man may have to stay at home, shave with a safety, shine his own shoes and churn in the cool of the evening in the back yard. No siree; no presidency for us, if congress is that short.

As an evidence of the growth and rapid development of West Texas, many other towns besides Colorado are suffering from a dearth of postoffice lock boxes. All over the plains country, there seems to be an inadequate number of lock postoffice boxes. Not only is this indicative of an increasing population, but of business institutions as well. There can be no surer index to a section's growth than this. There is no newspaper wind or land shark gall in such statistics; they are the kind of figgers that will not and cannot lie.

Go. Hughes's career must be the dairy industry at College Station, unequivocally endorse the work and greatest inspiration to other men who want to rise in public favor. He won by absolute honesty of purpose and conviction and fearlessness in maintaining his ideas against the most powerless political machine in the country.

That some men build better than they knew, finds exemplification in the gilt-edge advertising the Russell-Balley letter gave to our neighbor to the north—Plainview. That little 'pistle which he printed at Brer' Bailey, for the space of one week, scrouged the gyrations of Teddy Stenuous and the speculations on Halley's comet on the wall. The publicity committee of Plainview know their business, whether the identity of Russell is known or not.

Woods meets all trains, day and night. Service sure and prompt. Phone the Livery Stable. 5-6c

Notice to Advertisers and Correspondents.

The business of this office has now grown to that stage when systematized routine becomes a question of self preservation. In order to turn out the business we must do certain things at fixed times, or disappoint our customers. To this end, copy for advertisements will not be accepted for the paper later than Wednesday noon.

Correspondence must be in the office by Tuesday morning, or it will not be used, and we reserve the right to "boil" out all but the news—and then some. We want the news, but not rhetoric and compliments. We have an 80-horse power mill for these commodities in the cellar.

We will again repeat (as we have done from time to time) that all cards of thanks, obituaries and lodge resolutions, are paid matter, and will be charged to the lodge or individual sending them in.

Please do not regard this notice as an idle statement; the rules will be strictly adhered to. Of course news of an important local nature will find room as long as the columns are open (Thursday noon). There is enough copy every week, to fill three issues of the paper; besides we keep on tap enough good matter to meet any emergency. When you send in anything, boil it down, then read it over and bile again. It will help the copy.

The Record party has read much and heard more about the city of Stamford, its unequalled progress, paved streets, overflowing prosperity, generous hearted citizenship, etc., etc. It is now his purpose to attend the meeting of the Texas Press Association which convenes there on the 8th-11th insts., and will be glad of the opportunity to make his observations, estimates and conclusions. The town must indeed be a stemwinder to make good its claims and importance. But we shall see.

Speaking to the New York Press Club banquet, Henry Watterson said in part: "There is in journalism, as in cooking, an art. A fine ruddy murder, like a fair loin of beef, may be ruined in the roasting, and a scandal, fat and juicy, blonde and frowsy, wholly spoiled by a figurative excess of oil and garlic. I draw the line at straight lying. A newspaper should be a keeper of the public conscience, the friend of the general public. I hope there is none of you who will print anything of a man which you would not care to say to his face. Look well and think twice before consigning a suspect to the mercy and ruin of printer's ink."

Sacred Harp Singing.

Our Free Will Baptist friends enjoyed an all day Sacred Harp singing out at Zion's Rest Sunday, with dinner on the ground. Charley Key is our authority for the statement that it was the best one he ever helped devour and he's some hand at an all day eating himself. We used to live in Van Zandt county, where the people have picnics for steady employment and farm for recreation, and believe we know an all round, tasty type of picnic when we meet it, but the people of Mitchell county pull off their picnics so much after the Van Zandt style, that it makes us home sick to attend one of these pie-eating contests anywhere else.

Here's Sense.

If a man tells you that Sterling is the "garden spot of the world" shoot him on the spot, for he is a liar. If he tells you that Sterling is on a boom, swat him, for he is one of the town's fool friends who points an "empty" gun at it.

Sterling is not the "garden spot of the world," neither is she on a "big boom," but she is in a mighty good country to live in, and the town has all the spare men she can lay hands on at work, trying to build houses in which to do the business that is coming. Not on a boom by a jug full. Just enjoying the things that are naturally coming to her—that's all.—Sterling Record.

It is said that the democratic national committeemen are convinced that no New York democrat will be nominated for president in 1912, for the reason that New York and New England have forever lost control of the democratic party. McClellan, Seymour, Greeley, Tilden, and Hancock were all eastern democrats. Then came Bryan with a return to the past when Alton Parker was nominated. In the old days, the democrats could go into a national convention and say that no candidate could be nominated without the vote of New York. This is no longer the case, and the sceptre of political power is now west of the Alleghenies.

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FRUIT OF THE SALOON.

Mrs. M. J. Annable, of Brooklyn, N. Y., vouches for the record of one woman who, having been reared in the atmosphere of the saloon and the lowest form of immoralities, died a few years ago, at the age of 51. Her descendants were traced from 1827 to 1902 and numbered in all 900, 700 of whom were criminals, 347 were confirmed drunkards, 127 were immoral women (prostitutes), and 57 were murderers, and they were executed for their crimes. This woman, through her progeny, cost the United States \$2,900,000.—Civic League Record.

These are astounding results! They almost stagger one's thinking powers. That there have been numberless other cases more or less like this one there is no reason to doubt. New York, through the saloon system, debauched one woman and paid \$2,900,000 for its folly—worse hellish sins! Texas is doing the same work of debauching and paying for it with money, taken from the pockets of non-drinking taxpayers.

The man who stands for this enormous economic waste, to say nothing of human debauchery and damnation, is unworthy of the vote of any decent man for the most insignificant office, much less that of legislator or governor. It is an unspeakable shame that a wisely directed effort to stop this waste and human debauchery must be hampered by a play of politics in the interest of a few men.

Every man who votes for saloons or saloon candidates contributes to such results, because they are the legitimate consequences. The man who voted for the New York saloons that debauched that woman, and produced those 700 criminals, with the attendant expense of \$2,900,000, voted for all those things. Don't say they were fools—if you are doing the same thing—voting for the liquor interests.—Exchange.

A Danger Signal.

A mistake is often made by those who do not go deep enough in their reflections concerning human nature as to the importance of corruption in politics. "Parity in politics is an iridescent dream," said the late Senator Ingalls. It might be added that so is any other kind of purity. Parity is a dream, iridescent, indeed, which must be made to come true. Where purity exists good men thank God for it, where it does not, they must go on striving therefor with all their might at their peril. Political corruption, like other kinds of corruption, spreads. It does not stop with politics, but it festers on until it affects politics, business, the old politician grafts, and the young business employe follows the evil example. The crooked campaign contribution threatens the cash register and the safe.

Consider the recent report concerning the Illinois Central railroad being made the victim of dishonest practices on a wholesale scale in the purchase of supplies. Every day's paper contains the record of petty pilfering of grand larceny, of embezzlement, of gigantic graft, or small swindling with regard to corporations or business firms. The corrupt politics which our people have tolerated are largely responsible for this.

The foregoing is clipped from a very thoughtful editorial in a recent issue of the Houston Chronicle. It is commended to the thoughtful consideration of the reader, especially the last paragraph.

One of the most colossal pieces of folly is the notion that we can have corruption and deep-dyed villainy in political life and maintain a high standard of morals in social life. Every man who thinks soberly, knows that the rascal in politics is the rascal anywhere else he may be found.

As indicated by the Chronicle, the country is suffering untold injury in its business and social life on account of the tolerated venality and self-seeking in official life. It is not said that all public men are corrupt, but it is affirmed that enough of them are so to bring suspicion on almost all public men.

As a matter of fact, is it any worse for an employe to steal from an incorporation, than it is for the politician to win the confidence of honest voters, get into office, and use that office as a private asset to promote his own financial or political fortunes at the expense of those who have trusted him to look after their business. That same man will say that there can possibly be but one answer to that question. /The employe in a business concern who takes advantage of his position to hurt his employer's interest, to advance his own, is as thoroughbred a gentleman as the politician who traffics in the morals of the people in his own interest, or that of any special set of friends.

Sooner or later, we will face the fact that there will be all sorts of petty thieving, breach of trust, and the

like as long as we tolerate the corruption of double-dealing in our political life. One strong, vigorous rascal in politics will tone down the whole moral sentiment in its community, and possibly in the entire state. Little rascals always justify themselves with the conduct of big rascals.

Begone forever the silly notion that we can have shrewd rascals in political life, who are gentlemen in social, business and religious life. The insincere, unscrupulous, trick-playing politician is the same kind of a fellow anywhere else you find him. If he be extra smart and influential, it is all the worse for the people, in every sphere of life.

J. H. GAMBRELL.

A Sad Death.

One of the saddest deaths that ever occurred in Colorado, was that of Mrs. Laura Stricker, wife of Mr. W. W. Stricker, who is employed as salesman by the Colorado Mercantile Co., last Monday morning about 4:30 o'clock, at their rooms at the Alamo hotel. They had recently come to Colorado from Waco and had secured rooms at the hotel, where they were light house-keeping. On last Thursday for dinner, they had a can of asparagus, of which they both together with their little son, ate. That night she was taken violently ill with some stomach disorder, and Mr. Stricker himself, was ill to less violence. She grew rapidly worse and a physician was called, but failed to relieve her condition. Another physician being called to consultation, the case was diagnosed as ptomaine poisoning with malarial complications. At no time, from this was she better or less distressed, except from the influence of hypodermics. On Saturday morning the physicians pronounced the case a most desperate one. Growing constantly worse, death supervened Monday morning to relieve her suffering.

Mrs. Stricker had been in Colorado but a short time, yet by the gentleness and sweetness of her nature as well as her personal charm, had made admiring friends of all who came within the radius of her personality. She leaves an inconsolable husband and little son to mourn her loss and revere her memory. Her mortal remains were taken to her old home at Waco Monday morning, where they will rest until the quick and the dead shall be marshaled before the Great Judge who shall wipe all tears away. Her daily life and habit emphasized to a marked degree, the truth that "Good name, in man or woman, is the immediate jewel of the soul."

Waco papers please copy.

Shoeing Stock.

W. H. Cooper, the expert Farrier, has installed a shoeing stock with all the appurtenances for shoeing anything. Bring in your outlaws and have them shod with neatness and dispatch. He's onto his job ten hours a day.

Factories

We have discussed methods of reducing the cost of transportation entirely, or at least reduce to a minimum the distance the freight is carried, by building factories. The factory is the farmer's market house, and he must travel at his own expense until he reaches the factory, no matter where it is located. It costs \$5 per head to ship cattle from Texas to the Chicago packing houses.

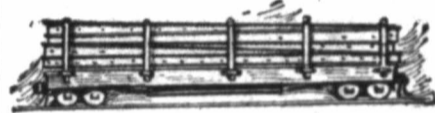


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By bringing the packing house to Texas we will add \$5 per head to all the cattle within the State as well as to future production. We have 8,917,000 head of cattle, and by building packing houses we can add \$40,000,000 to their value. It costs approximately \$10 per bale to ship our cotton to England and return the finished product to Texas, and by building cotton mills in Texas we can add \$10 per bale to our cotton crop.

Mines.

Opening our mines will eliminate the cost of transportation on iron, coal, brick, marble, petroleum and other minerals. It costs \$400 per car to ship iron from Pennsylvania to Texas.



Freight \$400.

We have a sufficient variety of minerals in Texas to supply all of our needs and the development of our mineral resource will save millions of dollars in freight bills annually.

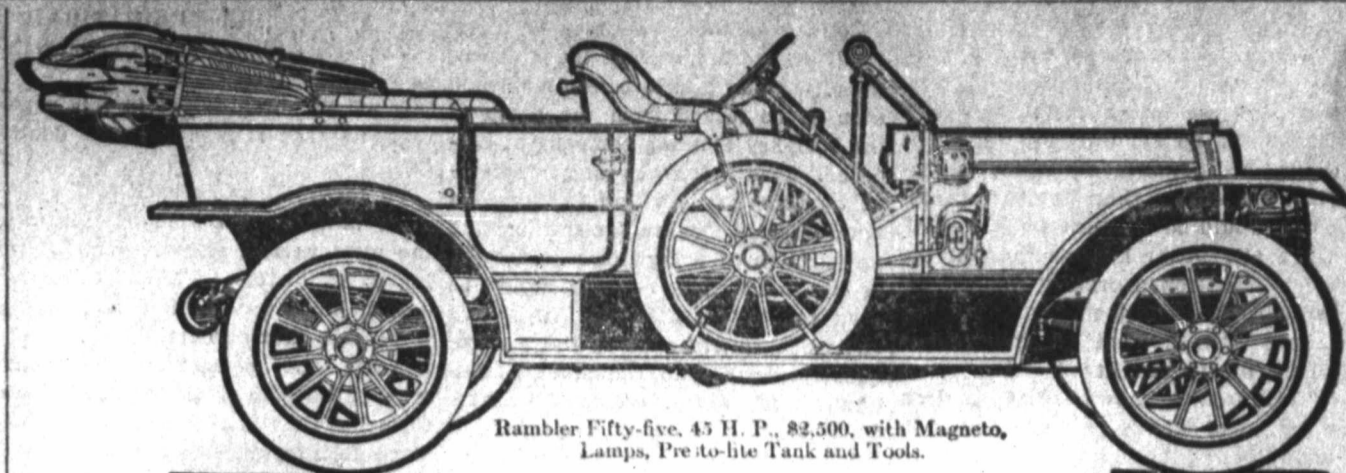
Cities.

The building of cities will eliminate the cost of transportation, as all citizens are consumers, and the Texas producer must pay the freight on shipments to the large cities of the North and East.



To reduce and eliminate our transportation expenses to the minimum we will have to improve 120,000 miles of public highway, build 50,000 miles of railroads and a network of interurbans, improve 10,000 miles of waterways, traverse the State with pipe lines, encourage aerial navigation, open our mines, invest millions of dollars in factories and build a thousand cities, and this is the work the Commercial Secretaries have undertaken to do for Texas.

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

Announcements

We are authorized to announce the following named candidates subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 23.

REPRESENTATIVE 101 DISTRICT.
J. J. DILLARD, of Lubbock County
T. J. O'DONNELL, of Lynn Co.
FRANK A. JUDKINS of Ector Co.

COUNTY JUDGE.

A. J. COE.
R. B. HOOD.

COUNTY ATTORNEY.

W. P. LESLIE.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

JESSE H. BULLOCK.
MISS ZILPHIA FOX.

SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR.

G. B. COUGHNAN.
L. A. COSTIN.

TAX ASSESSOR

EARL JACKSON.
JACK SMITH.
A. C. (AI) JONES.
W. H. GARDNER.
BUELL BRADFORD.
RUPERT WOMACK.

COUNTY TREASURER.

SAMUEL GUSTINE.
J. J. PATTERSON.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

FRED MEYER, Precinct No. 1.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

A. A. TYLER, Precinct No. 1.
W. B. WIMBERLY, Precinct No. 1.
LAY POWELL, Precinct No. 1.
W. M. GREEN, Precinct No. 2.
J. S. BARBER, Precinct No. 3.
U. D. WULFJEN, Precinct No. 4.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.

R. H. CRUMP.

PUBLIC WEIGHER.

J. W. DAVIS.
C. E. FRANKLIN.

CONSTABLE.

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means the arrival of Spring-lamb, all its delicious and appetizing deliciousness, and at no other place it is had in greater perfection than Colorado Cold Storage's meat market. For we give our patrons the benefit of the real, genuine thing. Spring lamb that means Spring lamb and not a poor imitation. A. L. LOVELADY.

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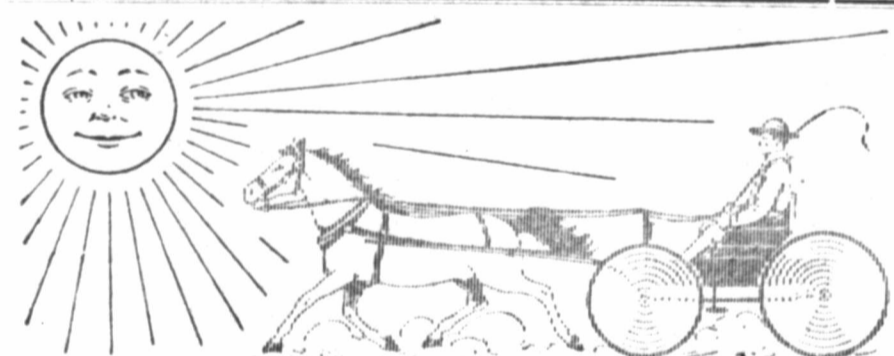
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Whenever you see an Arrow think of Coca-Cola

Making a Governor.

If you see two, three, four or more men on the street talking loud, gesticulating and otherwise acting as if they were about to fight, don't be alarmed. They are only trying to convince the others that statutory prohibition would be un-corn-sti-too-tion-al, that's all. After half an hour of the most impassioned oratory Sunday afternoon, the fellow on the other side, asked: "Well, what do you know about constitutionality?"

"What do I know? Not a darn thing, and that's as much as you know."

"You just think so."

"That's all right; that's more than some do. They think they think, when it's only their mouth rattling."

And so the making of a governor of the great commonwealth of Texas was on.

AILSA PAIGE.

A New Serial Love Story by Robt. W. Chambers, will Start in the Saturday Evening Post, June 18.

Robert W. Chambers is perhaps the most popular writer of fiction in America today. Millions of people read his stories and are constantly on the lookout for the announcement of his next work.

In view of these facts, the announcement that Mr. Chambers' new serial will be published, means much to the readers of the Saturday Evening Post. Mr. Chambers, you will remember is the man who wrote The Fighting Chance, The Firing Line, and The Tiger Mark—the three record-breaking novels of his last three years. Now comes Ailsa Paige—more fascinating than any of the others. It will be the talk of the country within a week after the first issue reaches the public. Ailsa Paige is the name of a young widow, beautiful and rich. Her love for the wayward and impetuous Berkeley is the basis of the story. Mr. Chambers uses the Civil War as the time of his story, and deals largely with New York society people of that period. The plot is dramatic and along entirely new lines.

Stansel Whipkey is the agent for the Saturday Evening Post in Colorado and he will be glad to deliver it to you while this story runs, or as long as you want it. Or you can get a copy at the Record office. Each week it goes on sale Thursday morning. Why wait and pay \$1.50 for Chamber's new story in book form, when you can read it now for five cents a week. Besides you get a number of other good short stories as well as interesting articles of every description. See Stansel Whipkey and order the Post for this story, or prone the Record office and it will be delivered to your home or office promptly every week. Be sure to read this new story. Remember it begins in the issue of June 18th. Don't miss the first number.

District Court.

The district court grinds its length along. No cases of major importance have been tried this week, and everything is running smoothly. There is not a murder case on the docket, not even on change of venue. The criminal docket will be taken up next Monday with the following apportionment:

- No. 1452—State of Texas vs. O. C. Baker. June 6, at 10 a. m.
- No. 1552—State of Texas vs. Bob Cooper. June 6.
- No. 1553—State of Texas vs. Bob Cooper. June 6.
- No. 1554—State of Texas vs. Bob Cooper. June 6.
- No. 1609—State of Texas vs. T. C. Crane. June 6.
- No. 1634—State of Texas vs. J. A. Fore. June 7.
- No. 1636—State of Texas vs. J. A. Fore. June 7.
- No. 1651—State of Texas vs. John Guitler. June 8.
- No. 1654—State of Texas vs. John Guitler. June 8.
- No. 1655—State of Texas vs. John Guitler. June 8.
- No. 1664—State of Texas vs. George Dunn. June 9.
- No. 1665—State of Texas vs. Jim Fulkerson. June 9.
- No. 1673—State of Texas vs. Will Morrison. June 9.
- No. 1679—State of Texas vs. N. T. Smith. June 11.

The Record is glad to announce that Hon. R. V. Davidson will speak in Colorado on Thursday, June 30th, at 2 p. m. Mr. Judkins, candidate for representative will also be here on that day and will speak at some hour. This of itself, will be a strong drawing card for the first day of the carnival.

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For pure cream phone 264.

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

"Praise from Sir Herbert, Etc."

Courier editor welcomes with no small degree of pleasure the prospect of the new Southwestern Magazine soon to be issued from the press of the Whipkey Printing company at Colorado. This writer has long maintained that there is a virgin field in this Southwestern Empire for the burning and growth of a high class magazine of fact and fiction; one that would be open to the contributions of every virile pen, untrammelled by the too frequently absurd and ridiculous limitations of literary technique. Editor Weston of the Colorado Record, himself a writer of smooth and scholarly English, will be in his element as the new magazine's guiding genius; a well equipped printing establishment will insure a superior mechanical output; one of the most enterprising commercial organizations in the west will see to the strengthening of every financial sineu, and the people of Mitchell and adjoining counties will constitute a local environment of culture and refinement that will enthusiastically start the new venture far on its successful way rejoicing.—Coahoma Courier.

For years Easterling has also had the "magazine bug" in his head, and is not only aware of the multitude of difficulties that beset such an enterprise, but appreciates the fact that much first-class literary ability is going to waste in this great section for lack of a medium of publication. Unless one is "on the inside" of the guild and his or her work is up to a certain standard, it can never reach the final tribunal in the literary court. In short, there is no magazine open to the promising beginner. One of the aims of the West Texas Magazine is to exploit the literary as well as the material resources of this great section.

WATCH YOURSELF GO BY.

Just stand aside and watch yourself go by;

Think of yourself as "he" instead of "I."

Note, coisely as the other men you note,

The bag-kneed trousers and the seedy coat.

Pick flaws; find fault; forget that man is you.

And strive to make your estimate ring true.

Confront yourself and look you in the eye—

Just stand aside and watch yourself go by.

Interpret all your motives just as though

You looked on one whose aims you did not know.

Let undisguised contempt surge through you when

You see you shirk, O commonest of men!

Despise your cowardice; condemn whate'er

You note of falseness in you anywhere;

Defend not one defect that shames your eye—

Just stand aside and watch yourself go by.

And then, with eyes unveiled to what you loathe—

To sins that with sweet charity you'd clothe—

Back to your self-walled tenements you'll go

With tolerance for all who dwell below.

The faults of others will then dwarf and shrink,

Love's chain grown stronger by one mighty link—

When you, with "he" as substitute for "I,"

Have stood aside and watched yourself go by.

—S. W. Gillilan in Penberthy Engineer.

Still Pulling for Brother Nichols.

Not long since Rev. Holmes Nichols declined a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Quannah, and now comes the Baptist church at Vernon, and extends to Bro. Nichols a hearty and "nanimous call to become their pastor. The Vernon church is one of the best in the west, having a membership of over 400, a new and modern church building, a commodious manse, and a united membership, and is indeed an inviting field for any minister. Brother Nichols has not yet accepted, but has the matter under consideration, and whether he accepts or declines, the call is a compliment to this energetic pastor.

Be Sure to Come.

On next Sunday afternoon, at the Union Tabernacle, Rev. Holmes Nichols, who has just returned from New York, will speak on what he saw on the occasion of his visit to the slum missions of that city. He went to the Water street night services, and was so much impressed with the work he saw being done there that he wants to tell the people of Colorado about it. So come out to the tabernacle Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock and hear him tell of all he saw.

ARE THE PLAINS SUSCEPTIBLE OF SUCCESSFUL IRRIGATION?

Can and will our plains country be successfully irrigated? It will be our province in this paper to show that it is not at all doubtful.

To begin, let us go back to the creation of man. We find at this time the most perfect and scientific farming in all history. The Lord planted a garden and watered it in a scientific way. Our first parents' labor was not irksome, but pleasant. Everything grew to perfection. But man fell away from his first estate and he has ever since been trying to regain the Edenic state, both in a temporal and spiritual way.

The next account we have of irrigation is in the valley of the Nile. Here the flood waters spread out over the delta, and agriculture was a great success. Thus we have two plans or patterns in the early history of man where he might cause the necessary crops to grow without the showers from above. The latter plan has generally been the one adopted by man, though laborious and unscientific.

In answering the first question, can our plains be successfully irrigated? We will answer yes. We find here conditions for a successful irrigation after the Edenic plan. We find a soil that is rich and responsive to the magic touch of water. A subterranean stream flows beneath its surface. It only awaits the inventive genius of man to raise this water to the surface and apply it in a scientific manner to make these plains blossom as the rose.

The Nile plan of irrigation, that is, flooding the surface, can never be practiced profitably on our plains save only in some favored nook, but must be pumped from the depths below and applied in a scientific way after the Edenic pattern. We will mention here in this connection for the benefit of the reader that the garden of Eden was sub-irrigated. The same principle of nature existed then as does now. Incrustation of the soil would have taken place after each irrigation and much hard labor would have been entailed upon by, had it not been sub-irrigated.

Relative to our own experience in the west as an irrigator, will state that it has covered a period of twenty years in Mitchell county. We have dealt solely with the well problem on the high and rolling prairies where natural facilities did not exist for impounding water. We have had some successes and many failures and who has not had plenty of the latter?

We have experimented with irrigation in many ways and have found the flooding plan to be very expensive and limited in area, by reason of large quantities of water required; and every attempt to sub-irrigate with the perforated pipe or tiling has been a failure, because of the openings becoming clogged with the roots of the plants. We have grown and fruited some of all the fruits adapted to our climate by intensive culture, and have succeeded fairly well, and could we have had a plan of irrigation by which a little water could have been applied in time of a crisis our success would have been great. We have grown a good apple by intensive culture and it is our honest belief that good and profitable crops can be raised with a little irrigation at time of crisis. We have grown the strawberry and blackberry successfully, only giving water in time of a crisis. All garden vegetables have been raised, but required some irrigation.

During these twenty years in the semi-arid region we have tilled the soil for a livelihood. Have never failed to raise forage crops or cotton when planted.

Will our plains be irrigated? Again we answer yes, for necessity demands it. The teeming millions of the earth are steadily increasing and our lands do not increase. The cost of living is becoming greater because the earth's supplies are inadequate to the demand, our acres are becoming more valuable and must of necessity be made to yield greater returns.

We wish to be practical above all things, but we cannot refrain from painting a little picture we have in our mind's eye, of the future greatness even of these wind swept prairies. Ten years hence will be found, where now stands the lone cabin, with not a tree or shrub, save the thorny mesquite, groves of trees with foliage green, flower bedecked yards, and gardens with hedges grown, abounding with vegetables and orchards bending with their luscious fruit, the verdant alfalfa patch supplanting the frisky pigs and the meek-eyed Jersey, the cackling of the hen will mingle with the song of the bride, and many of the good things of the earth will grace the table of the farmer, even the delicate and delicious fruits such as the strawberry.

I is said that figures do not lie, and we will give some of the possibilities of a wind well with a pumping capacity of six gallons per minute. A pump

of six gallons per minute working twelve hours per day and one hundred and eighty days per year, will cover one acre of ground over twenty-eight inches deep in water, making no allowance for evaporation. Let us divide twenty-eight by four and we have seven inches for four acres. Assuming that one gallon of water applied under ground equals four on top, we have twenty-eight inches in effect for four acres.

In our experience three inches of water properly applied will insure a crop. At these last figures we would have over nine acres that one pump of the above capacity would supply, and these acres properly farmed would make a handsome living for a family. Under intensive cultural methods good crops have been grown where the rainfall did not exceed seven and one-half inches.

This is an age of progress and invention. Many important events many problems have been solved and may be put down in the great book of history as belonging to 1909. The monorail car, the airship, wireless telephone, and an anesthetic that deadens the pain, yet leaves the mind conscious.

Some man will solve the problem of irrigating these fertile prairies and make one gallon of water do the work of ten as now applied. Behold a man is now knocking at the door of the patent office and in the near future will have a man in the field to demonstrate that the above is true.

The future irrigation of our plains must necessarily be a departure from the Nile plan back to the Edenic. The water will be raised from the subterranean streams and stored in cement tanks with covers to prevent evaporation, and piped to the lands and deposited beneath the soil right at the roots of the trees.

T. J. DAVIS.

Loraine, Texas.

All Our Eggs in One Basket.

The injunction to "seek ye first the Kingdom of Heaven, and all these things shall be added unto you," is a sound principle in material affairs as in spiritual; it obtains with equal force and application in business as in religious economy. If Colorado would concentrate its every energy, dollar and hour of time, in securing the building of the Colorado & Concho railroad, all these side and less important enterprises would be attracted to the town instead of having to be bought. They can not help secure the railroad, but weakens our resources and divides our energies; whereas the road secured first, the town would be in position to dictate instead instead of beg the location of other industries. Water and transportation facilities are of themselves capital, which is regarded by all manufacturing enterprises as a large and vital part of their equipment. Let us provide ample water and transportation facilities first, then the other things will look this way. Let us put all our eggs in one basket and watch the basket closely.

Is it because Sweetwater is in itself a better town than Colorado that enterprises crowd each other to get location there? Hardly, Mary Jane. Its transportation facilities alone—for it hasn't the water,—attracts them.

C. M. Taylor and wife arrived from New Orleans last week and are at the St. James hotel temporarily. Mr. Taylor is the bench workman at J. P. Majors' jewelry store.

The wife and children of District and County Clerk Jesse H. Bullock, are visiting relatives in Bryan and other points.

The arrangements for the carnival go steadily on. The different committees have gotten to work and are bringing things to pass. Some of the speakers invited to be here have responded, and it is certain an attractive program of eloquence and patriotism will delight the crowd. Prof. Phillips of Waco, an expert balloonist, will be here and make daily ascensions on the grounds. He will also let off pyrotechnics while in the air hundreds of feet. All in all, the affair promises to be all the management hoped to make it. Tell your neighbors about it, induce them to come, and be sure you come yourself.

Marshall Nichols has accepted a place with Nettles & Jarnagin, and is preparing himself to sing with Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B.:

"When I was a lad I served a term; Of apprenticeship in a grocery firm; I delivered goods and brushed the floor And cluttered up the walk in front of the door. And this sort of thing so suited me That now I'm—not so smart as I used to be."

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Sanitation Supplement to Sanitary Code.

The Advisory Code recently adopted by the State Board of Health for uses of city and county authorities, makes provision for the regulations by local health authorities of garbage offfal disposal, abatement of nuisances detrimental to public health, removal of sources of filth and prevention of causes of sickness. Sanitary disposal of night soil, prevention of pollution of the soil and contamination of water supplies, and the proper drainage of premises provided for.

Interment, disinterment and the transportation of the dead is regulated, and permits from local health officers in many instances required.

Slaughter Houses.

Slaughter houses come under the ban and several good and wholesome sanitary requirements are imposed. Adequate water supply, water-tight floor, thorough washing of floors and sidewalks of house, sidewalks white-washed or painted at regular intervals, house screened against flies, all utensils, machinery, receptacles, etc., to be thoroughly cleansed daily if used, ice boxes kept sanitary, offfal and refuse removed promptly after each day's killing, pens and enclosures kept in sanitary condition. No slaughtering to be done in buildings not designed for such purpose, nor outside a building except in rural districts. When provision is made by local authorities for inspection service, no meat is to be sold unless inspected.

Meat carts are to be washed daily, and meat and filth must not be conveyed through the streets unless protected from dust and flies.

Meat and fish markets and butcher shops must be completely screened against flies, floor scrubbed at frequent intervals, refrigerators kept sweet and clean, and the market must be maintained in a thoroughly sanitary condition.

Dairies.

Dairies must be inspected frequently by local health authorities and milk-room, barn and premises are to be kept clean; barn to be whitewashed every twelve months or painted every two years; premises are to be well drained, and accumulation of water or manure not to be allowed to collect thereon; fresh pure water must be supplied in sufficient quantity for the cows; milk room must be built separate and apart from the barn, it must be screened against flies and supplied with pure water and suitable facilities for straining and storing milk and sterilizing utensils and milk bottles, etc.; all cans, bottles, or other receptacles for handling milk must be sterilized (scalded with boiling water or live steam) daily and protected from flies. Many matters of detail in a sanitary way are set out, but not unreasonable in their requirements.

Tuberculosis Cattle Branded T. B.
All owners of dairy herds are given 90 days in which to have their cattle examined by a reputable veterinary, or under the supervision of the local health authorities, for tuberculosis, and any found infected are to be branded T. B. on the left shoulder in letters four inches in height, and isolated from the herd. Veterinary surgeons required to report infected cattle to local health authorities.

There are several methods of disposal of these branded cattle; first, after being placed upon separate pasturage, they may be used for breeding purposes, and milk, after pasteurization, fed to calves or hogs; second, they may be fattened and killed (under proper inspection service) and if only one set of glands are involved, these are extirpated and balance used for beef—this to be permissible under our present federal inspection; third, if cow is found to be in advanced stages of disease, it must be killed and carcass destroyed.

This branding of infected cattle settles a serious problem which many health authorities of other states have had to face. No provision is made for repaying dairymen for cattle killed. This usually results in local complications and opposition on the part of dairymen, the claim on their part being the confiscation of property. This is obviated in this instance by giving the owners the above alternative and in no event can the infected cow be kept with the healthy herd, or any other daily products be used for human consumption.

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Some Fine Fruit

Mr. H. J. Free, living a few miles southwest of town, brought to the Record office Saturday a quantity of as fine fruit as one need want to see. There were early peaches, apricots and magnificent dewberries. He says he will have an abundance of the finest fruit, and reports much such among his neighbors. Mitchell county is becoming quite a fruit producing section, and the sale of fruit trees goes on in greater quantities each year.

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What Is the Devil.

One day recently a question concerning the devil came up in the Cameron public school, and in defining the old fellow one of the fair teachers explained that in a printing office it means a man who sets type and writes. One of the charming girls of the class having asked the editor of the local paper if this was correct, he was forced to answer in the negative. That no one will go amiss on the subject we will give the young scholar the proper definition.

The devil is a beginner or apprentice in a print shop, and presides over the "hell box," a box in which all the printers dump their "pi" when too tired to put it in the case. It is the business of this "imp of darkness" to sort out the letters and place them in the proper cases and boxes, and as the p, b, d, q, are very similar he is told to mind his p's and q's. The de-

vil's occupation is to sweep out, build the fires, smear ink all over his face, keep the printers in an uproar, "pi" cases, borrow "italic spaces" kill "type-lice" and visit the harness shop for "strap oil" for the foreman, and all the printers feel it their especial privilege to cuss the devil and blame him for all the ills and accidents that befall the office, and on Saturday evening after the printers have been paid off, (or stood off) and the editor finds himself with only one lone quarter left, he recollects that "there is the devil to pay," and that is how the phrase originated. No, the devil is not a writer or printer, but printers are sometimes the devil.—Texas Broncho.

The Colorado pic-nic has been decided on and arrangements are being made for a three days affair—June 30 and July 1st and 2nd.

At Seven Wells Saturday.
The closing exercises of the Seven Wells school Saturday, was likewise the occasion of an all day picnic and spellbinding by the various candidates for county offices. The feature of the day aside from the school exercises was the gladiatorial contest between A. J. Coe, the present incumbent and R. B. Hood the opposing aspirant for the office of county judge. In the language of an auditor and spectator, "they simply chewed on one another," but the debate was conducted with fairness and in a spirit of friendly rivalry. As this was Mr. Hood's first plunge into the devious labyrinth of politics, and there was curiosity to know how he would fare in a rough and tumble with so seasoned a veteran as the Judge. To be sure, the friends of Mr. Hood thought he made ducks and drakes of the Judge's record, while the supporters of the latter were sorry for the terrible mutilation of the Professor. And so it goes. Other candidates urged their claims to a seat at the pie counter, not excepting Miss Zilpha Fox, who made a neat little talk to the mighty holders of the poll tax receipt. By the time the primary is here, she will have developed into a regular spellbinder. All in all it was a pleasant day for all who attended, and doubtless is but the beginning of that series of picnics and what-nots that are so dear to the purring candidate's heart. On with the hilarity, for his devil as a wake will we have in July.

Mrs. J. Morgan.

Health is a valuable asset for rich or poor. Mrs. J. Morgan of Neosho Falls, Kan., says she would not take \$500 to go back to where she was before taking Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. She suffered from chronic indigestion for fifteen years and last winter she thought she would surely die, but she took this great herb laxative compound and was cured. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claim-

ed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00 a bottle.

Closing Exercises Stamford College.

The closing exercises of Stamford Collegiate Institute will begin Thursday, June 2, and extend to the 7th as follows:
Thursday, June 2, P. M.—Entertainment by Primary Department.
Friday, June 3, P. M.—Recital, Music and Expression Departments.
Saturday, June 4, A. M.—Oratorical Contest.
Saturday, June 4, P. M.—Recital, Piano Department.
Sunday, June 5, 11 A. M.—Commencement sermon by Bishop E. D. Mouzon, Georgetown, Texas.
Sunday, June 5, P. M.—Sermon by Rev. J. W. Sherman, Merkel, Texas.
Monday, June 6, A. M.—Literary Address, Hon. R. S. Bowers, Stamford, Texas.
Monday, June 6, P. M.—General Students' Reception.
Tuesday, June 7, A. M.—Graduating Exercises.
These exercises will all take place at the college auditorium. The public generally invited.

M. PHELAN

In An Emergency.

Where many people dwell together, as in a family, scarcely a day or a week passes that some member of the family does not become constipated or has indigestion, sick headache, heartburn, flatulency, etc. It is then that you need a remedy like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which cures these diseases. Every family should have a bottle always at hand. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1 a bottle.

Failed in Health

"My mother died six years ago," writes Miss Ruth Ward, of Jerseyville, Ill., "and left me to care for six children. I had never been strong; and this, with the shock of her death, was too much for me."
"I failed in health. I was tired all the time and did not want to go anywhere, nor care for company. I had the headache all the time and such bearing-down pains."
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Don't wait, then, but begin to take Cardui today, for use, no matter how prolonged, cannot harm you and surely do you good.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free.

List of Committees for Carnival.

The committee that has the Midsummer Carnival celebration in hand, has been working steadily since the last issue of our paper. They have secured the ground from Judge Hamner laying west of town, commonly known as West Colorado. About one hundred acres or all the tract laying north of the public road after you cross the bridge going west and will be entirely fenced. This will exclude all wagons and horseback riders and make it perfectly safe for ladies and children on these grounds during our celebration. All the ground lying south of the road over to the railroad track will be used as a camp ground, which will be large enough to accommodate thousands of campers.

Mr. Van Tuij has taken the light proposition in hand and promises that the entire place will be illuminated with electric lights each night.

The committee has arranged with Mr. Graves to lay a two-inch pipe line from the city water mains across the bridge to four large water tanks, which will be furnished by Mr. Crawford, and we can say that there will be abundance of water for all the public, well fed.

This celebration is being well advertised and already 50 per cent of the different privileges have been sold, mostly to people of Colorado, although parties as far as Dallas have purchased privileges for these dates.

Prof. M. H. Phillips of Waco, Texas, a professional balloonist has already contracted with the celebration committee to make one balloon ascension each day. Prof. Phillips has followed this business for the past twenty-three years and has made nearly two thousand successful ascensions, and we are sure that we can promise you three successful balloon ascensions on these dates.

The Brotherhood have taken upon themselves to arrange for a gentleman's rest room on the ground and general bureau of information. This will be one of the main features of the occasion and will assure us to make friends with all strangers who may come. As the Brotherhood will give them the "glad hand" and make them feel entirely at home while they are with us.

The Ladies' Aid societies of Colorado will have charge of a like feature and they will maintain a ladies' rest room which will be furnished and taken care of in a way befitting the ladies of our town.

The committee still has five weeks to complete this work, which they feel is ample time, still this celebration cannot be carried out successfully without the co-operation of every man, woman and child in Colorado. Many committees are yet to be appointed and many favors are still to be asked for. Let every citizen of this town consider themselves a committee of one to help make our Midsummer Celebration the very highest degree of success.

- Privileges yet for sale:
- Electric theater.
 - Vaudeville theater.
 - Snake show.
 - Crazy house.
 - Wild animal show.
 - Duck pond.
 - Button photographer.
 - Mellon stand.
 - Post card privilege.
 - Fruit stand.
 - Restaurant.
 - Hamburger.
 - Barbecue.
 - Chile and Tamala.
 - Candy.
 - Candy floss machine.
 - Cigars and tobacco.
 - Bread, cake and pies.
 - News and magazines.
 - Wagon yard and feed.

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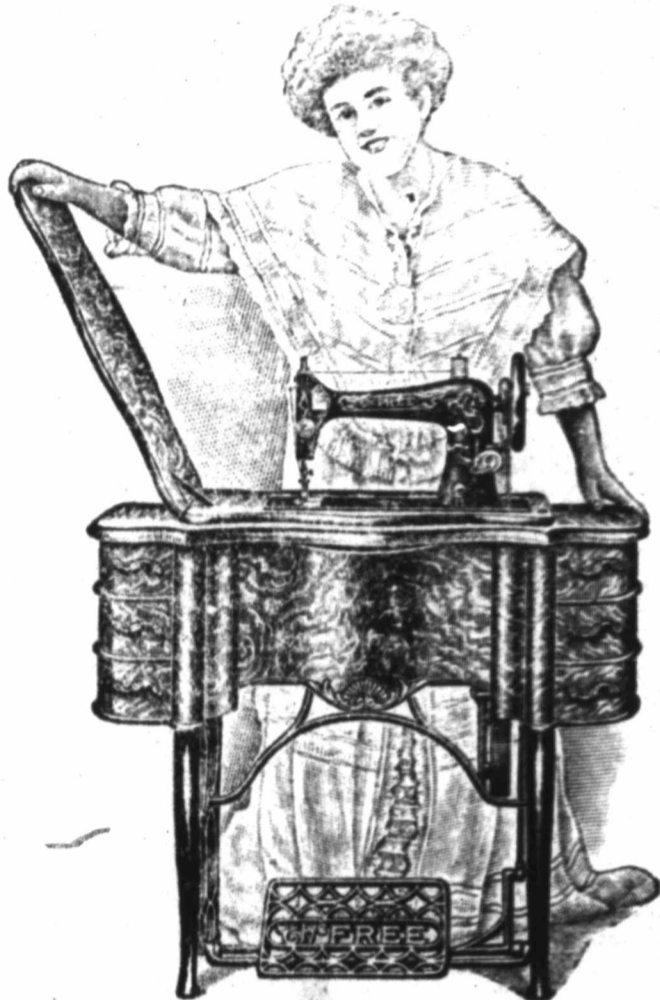
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LORAIN LETTER

Quite an air of desolation pervades the school bell is silent, the joyous shouts and merry laughter echoing from the play ground are no longer heard and we miss the happy groups of school children passing on their way to and from school.

There are also a number of forlornachelors in our midst this week. W. Edmondson, H. M. Perry, Abonzo Phillips and others.

Mrs. J. C. Helm, Misses Gregg, Maggie Joyner, Ida Nelson, Susie Reynolds, Bettie Bird, Myrtle Norman, Belle Gandy and Messrs. Roy Muns, Joe Jackson, Willie Locker and Lottie Adams left Sunday morning to attend the Summer Normal at Snyder.

Mrs. W. A. Adams, who has been at Fort Worth with her mother, Mrs. Middleton, for some time, will return home Friday night, accompanied by her mother, and daughter, Miss Juanita, who was a pupil of Polytechnic past session.

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The children of Rev. A. R. Lawrence have been quite sick with measles but are now convalescing.

Ernest Harris of Colorado, brother of Mrs. I. W. Baker, spent Saturday night in Loraine, the guest of his sister.

On Saturday evening a few special friends spent a pleasant social time at the home of J. M. Smith. Refreshments of cake and cream were served the guests before departing.

Victor Payne and wife, formerly of Colorado, now of Abilene, are here selling out the bankrupt stock of J. D. Norman.

Mrs. J. W. Wimberly of Montgomery, Ala., sister of W. A. Adams, will accompany Mrs. Adams on her return home Friday night.

Last Sunday Rev. G. C. Farris attended the fifth Sunday meeting at Merkel and reports a great crowd and a great meeting.

Mrs. A. S. Dees and daughter, Mrs. Dell King, and little Frances, paid Colorado a visit last Saturday.

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Eugene Habler was a Loraine visitor Tuesday.

Uriah Duncan, who has been at Fort Worth for several months returned home Saturday. Albert Duncan is quite sick with measles.

Union Scribbings.

For Mr. Citizen's satisfaction I decided to send you in a scrip this week and if he does the same thing, choose for the best and give it to your readers, who are always looking and expecting something good. And right at this time the people of this section (and we hope all others who need it) are being made feel good and cheerful on account of the gradual showers of rain and we hope for a sufficient season ere it quits.

The health of this community is still good.

No strange happenings have thus far appeared on the 18th, not even the comet. However, some might have been so snugly domiciled in their storm pits as not to have seen it had it passed by.

A goodly number of our citizens met at Mr. Charlie Goodwin's this morning with teams and cultivators to assist in advancing his crop. Mr. Goodwin is still at Mineral Wells undergoing treatment for rheumatism. We learn he is improving, but slowly. His neighbors all wish for him a quick turn for a speedy recovery.

Last Monday was quarterly meeting day at Westbrook and many of the Unionites attended and were well paid for the trip. Bro. Shaw was in good trim and did some good preaching, and the different reports from over the charge seemed to be satisfactory. Let's all be on the alert looking for something good to turn up and if it don't turn up, let's turn up something good ourselves. I feel sure the editor will help us.

Now, Mr. Editor, you know it is always in line for a town man to be giving good advice, so I say to the farmers, plant plenty of feed stuff and some to spare. This would be a good motto to write on our door posts.

This brings us down to the Farmers' Union. We have a good one at Union. With a few good, strong faithful members fighting the battle for a three-fold membership of farmers who are following a far off, come up nearer, brother farmers, and let's pull to-

gether for our common good and that of our families, and not hurt anyone who is willing to work, and earn an honest living.

I now want to refer to the fourth of July picnic question spoken of in the Record. This I heartily favor. Hope all classes of good citizens will come to your relief and that the farming class will so participate that they will be given a place on the program for a farmer's union speaker.

Well, well, Mr. Citizen; that long time ago question, and I want you to understand that I am somewhat of a knowing fellow myself, as well as your Uncle Rufus. I know you don't think I know what the filling is, but I do; our old-time folks carded the rolls, spun the thread on the wheel, then wound it on little quills, which made it ready for the shuttle which begins to fly from right to left, finishing up that piece of cloth that you got ready for the loom last week.

Citizen, let me tell you, that old loom in operation as it used to be a long time ago, would be no little sight for the rising generation of today.

PLUNKET.

Smith on Ways and Means Committee.

As an indication of the respect and confidence in which Congressman W. R. Smith is held as a federal legislator by his associates, the following dispatch from Washington may be interesting:

His colleagues on the Interstate Commerce Committee were especially jubilant at his success, though regretful of the loss of his services on that important committee. Members of the Texas delegation have already representative W. R. Smith of Colorado started a movement in behalf of Republic, to succeed Representative Russell on the Ways and Means committee. Judge Smith ranks among the best lawyers on the democratic side of the house.

Farmer's Union Notice.

In answer to a request by the Farmer's Union headquarters I hereby call a meeting of the county union to be held at the court house in Colorado on the second Saturday in June, the same being the 11th day of June, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., to consider important matters to come before the county union. All the locals are earnestly requested to send delegates and all other members who can are earnestly solicited to be present.

G. L. SELVIGE,
Pres. Mitchell County Farmer's Union.

Card of Thanks.

While we have no words to express our gratitude for the many kindnesses shown us (in our late affliction) by kind friends and relatives, and the general public, both in our community and Colorado, certainly no one could had better attention or more sympathizers than we, for which we feel very grateful.

E. M. MCCRELESS AND FAMILY.

SHEPHERD.

The farmers are beginning to look sad on account of the dry weather, but we hope a smile will replace the frown in a short while.

A crowd of the Shepherd young folks attended the singing at Zion's Rest Sunday and reported a good time and lots of dinner.

Mr. Charley Davis from Plainview was a visitor at Mr. Tompkins' Saturday night and also at Mr. White's on Sunday.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely. Bro. Oats is the Superintendent.

There will be a box supper Tuesday night, June 7 at Shepherd. Everybody is invited to come and have a time.

The party at Mr. Kirkpatrick's was well attended Friday night.

We regret to say that Prof. Claud Calloway left Monday night for Huntsville. We hope to have him back again in the summer to teach a summer school. The school he has just closed will be long remembered by his pupils and their parents.

Mr. Johnie Garland is talking of buying a crop. We wonder why.

Mrs. Simpson's mother and sister have been visiting her for several weeks, but returned home last week.

There will be preaching and singing at Shepherd the second Sunday in the morning and afternoon.

JEHAZADAK.

Seven Wells.

Crops are looking well since the rain which fell last week.

The health of our community is very good this week.

The exhibition at the Seven Wells and Payne schools Friday night was fine and was attended by a large crowd.

The picnic Saturday was also a grand success. People from almost every part of the county were present and a good time enjoyed by all. Candidate speaking and baseball games were the main features of the

day. In the morning the home boys crossed hats with the East Colorado boys and won the game by a score of five to two, but the Creek boys were not so easy for they carried off the honors with a score of 14 to 2.

Misses Lida and Minnie Hood of Taylor county were guests of the Misses Knights the last of the week.

Mr. Harris Gardner and his sister, Miss Annie, visited in our community last week.

The party at Mr. Hooper's Saturday night was well attended and every one reports a pleasant time.

Mr. Pat Dodine of Buford was a pleasant visitor at Mr. Hale's Sunday evening.

Singing at Mr. Walker's Sunday evening was well attended.

Mr. Artie Bailey and wife made a business trip to Colorado Monday.

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Notice to Drivers.

Aside from the fact that it is against all municipal law to drive across bridges at greater speed than a walk, it becomes doubly the duty of every one driving across the west bridge during the progress of the coming carnival and picnic to heed this rule, whether in automobile, wagon, buggy, hack, on bicycle or flying machine. There is no other access to the ground by vehicles than over this bridge and its narrow passageway renders fast or careless driving exceedingly dangerous. A fatal or serious accident to anyone during the carnival would not only destroy all interest, but would react upon the managerial ability of the town of Colorado, and throw distrust upon any further like occasion.

It is, therefore, the urgent request not only of the management of the carnival, but the municipal authorities, that everyone crossing the bridge to the carnival grounds drive over the bridge at a walk, and that when meeting on the bridge, everyone turn to his or her right. This is not only the rule in large cities, but a necessity where large crowds gather and mingle.

Arrangements will be made to have someone with a counting machine at the east end of the bridge to keep a correct record of the daily attendance. The management asks the co-operation of everyone to the end that the liability of accidents may be reduced to a minimum. Don't forget about the fast and careless driving.

For Twenty-Six Years

Mrs. Lamaster, of Kentucky, Suffered with Internal Catarrh and was Finally Relieved by Peruna.



MRS. W. W. LAMASTER.

"I SUFFERED for twenty-six years with bladder and kidney trouble, and being advised to give Peruna a trial, I did so, and am thankful to say that eight bottles of Peruna and three bottles of Manalin entirely cured me of that trouble, and I am as well as ever."—Mrs. W. W. Lamaster, 3127 McAtee Ave., Louisville, Ky.

Catarrh Causes Kidney Disease.

Catarrh is a frequent cause of kidney disease. The pelvis of the kidneys, as well as the tubules, is lined with mucous membrane, and is therefore subject to catarrhal congestion. Sometimes the catarrh is so slight as to cause no attention. Other times it leads up to very serious conditions.

Any remedy capable of mitigating the catarrh is a much more rational treatment than to give palliatives that only relieve the patient of one or more disagreeable symptoms.

It is claimed for Peruna that it is an internal systemic catarrh remedy, and reaches the catarrh in whatever organ it happens to be located.

"I was cured of a severe attack of inflammation of the bowels by taking Peruna. I am glad to recommend Peruna to any one."—Mrs. J. J. Cross, 563 Water St., San Antonio, Texas.

For Man AND Beast

Our lap robes and blankets give greater warmth, give better wear, look neater and give more genuine satisfaction to the user than any yet put on the market. You cannot do better than to make a selection from our elegant stock.



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

Colorado, Texas.

THERE IS THE BIGGEST LITTLE THING IN TEXAS

The Diamond Arch Support.

A corrugated steel support that holds up the arch of the shoe, preserving the shape of the shoe and thereby making it look smaller. It adds to the life of the shoe and at the same time relieves foot ills. If your feet trouble you or tire easily, try this shoe, either in oxfords or in high shoes, by all means. Ask for Peters' Diamond Arch Support Shoe.

We own the patents and no other manufacturer can make a shoe of this kind. If not sold in your town, write us.

Peters Shoe Co.
ST. LOUIS.

Mitchell County Land FOR SALE.

We write Fire Insurance on
FARM HOUSES,
FARM BARNs
and CITY PROPERTY.

No. 0.

320 acres of fine agriculture land 8 miles northwest of Colorado. Well grassed and one of the best surface tanks in the county. Heavily timbered with large mesquite. This tract is practically all tillable land is unimproved, except well fenced. Lies on a good public road and within one and one-half miles of school, and will make an ideal home for some one who wishes to find a good farm.

Price, \$16.00 per acre, cash. Might accept some trade, but trade would have to be put in at actual cash value. 25 per cent down and terms on balance.

No. 201.

FOR SALE—320 acres of fine Lone Wolf creek bottom land, every acre tillable, with 250 acres under the plow. This place belongs to Mr. W. A. Kennedy and is located six miles north of Lorraine, Texas. Improvements consist of one five-room and one three-room house, good barn, lots, etc. Two good wells of good water. Price \$23 per acre.

No. 202.

A well improved one-fourth section in the Herbert country, for sale or trade.—The south-west one-fourth of Section No. 89, Block No. 27, Texas & Pacific Railway Co. survey, being located 1½ miles East of Herbert in Mitchell county, Texas. This place has two three-room houses, two sets of barns, an everlasting tank of water and within ¼ mile of Liberty school house. Every foot tillable, 90 acres in cultivation. The soil is mixed sandy or cat-claw sand, does not blow. Price \$21.00 per acre. Will exchange for desirable residence property in Colorado See J. A. Hood or Western Trade Exchange.

No. 203.

Good Mitchell county farming land for sale at \$10 per acre and on easy terms. 270 acres of the north ¼ of a fractional section No. 17, Block No. 19, Lavaca Navigation Co. survey. Ten miles south of New Lattan in Mitchell county, for sale at \$10 per acre; \$500 cash balance in eight equal annual payments. There is 200 acres of the best grade, tillable on this place. 20 acres now in cultivation; fenced. There is a tank of everlasting water on the southeast corner of this place and well water can be obtained at 20 feet that is good drinking and has an inexhaustible supply. This place is owned by C. H. Wilson.

No. 204.

170 acres of fine farming land, not one acre of this place is shiner, 90 acres in cultivation, 130 tillable, balance good grass, well watered; 4-room house with 2 galleries, good cistern, water can be got at 15 or 20 feet. This is strictly a Colorado valley farm and the right place for the right man. Located as follows: Subdivision 21 in section 3, block 27 T. & P. Ry. survey, 9 miles up the Colorado river from Colorado City, belonging to S. N. Palmer.

No. 205.

160 acres of as fine mixed sandy loam as there is in Mitchell county for sale at \$22.50 per acre. The place belongs to Mr. W. L. Waggoner and is the northeast quarter of section 89 in block 27, T. & P. railroad survey, lying about 10 miles southwest from Colorado on the Sterling City road. Improvements consists of 80 acres in cultivation, every acre tillable, 2-room house, small barn, all fenced and cross fenced, tank of everlasting water, and in one mile of the Liberty school house.

No. 206.

62 and ¼ acres of land in Grimes county, Texas, 2 miles northwest from Singleto, a station on two railroads. This place is all tillable except about two or three acres which is taken up by a running branch of water. This place belongs to Mr. J. H. Lambert here in Colorado and he wants to trade it for some Colorado property of about the same value. Mr. J. L. Dreher, postmaster at Singleton, knows this place and will describe it to you if you enclose stamped envelope for reply.

No. 207.

FOR SALE—160 acres of fine farming land, every acre tillable, 70 acres in cultivation, all fenced and cross fenced, 2 everlasting tanks of water; soil a mixed sand and tight loam, color is red, dark and black; 2-room house, small barn, one acre in orchard fenced hog proof. This place belongs to Mr. J. W. Free and is the northwest quarter section 89, in block 27, T. & P.

survey; 10 miles southwest from Colorado on the Sterling City road. Price \$23 per acre.

No. 208.

The northwest quarter of section 63 in block 27, T. & P. survey, belonging to Mr. J. H. Posey. Located about 5 miles southwest of Colorado on the Sterling City road. 90 acres in cultivation, 135 acres tillable, balance good pasture, with Morgan creek running through the northwest corner. All fenced and cross fenced, 3 acres in bearing peach trees, 5 room house, well of fine water and a good cistern, barns, etc. About 30 acres of this place can be made subject to irrigation with only a little expense, and alfalfa could be grown without the least doubt of failure. Price \$26.50 per acre.

No. 209.

For Trade for Mitchell County Improved Farm Land.—Eight sections of smooth open prairie land in the center of Terrell County, Texas, with railroad station of Eldridge located upon this tract of land. Will trade for well improved Mitchell county farm land. Price of Terrell county land \$3 bonus, 97 cents due the State.

No. 210.

50 acres of good tillable land in Hardin county, Texas, unimproved pine timber land, 3 miles from railroad station. Price \$25.00 per acre, will trade for Mitchell county property or property in Colorado. There is no incumbrance whatever on this land. Will put it in as first payment and assume difference.

No. 211.

Four quarter sections of the best sandy land in Mitchell County to trade for stock of dry goods. This land is well improved and lies inside of two miles of the city of Colorado, Texas. Price \$25.00 per acre. Goods must be first-class stock or a per cent allowed off from invoice price.

No. 212.

FOR SALE—2-room box house with one acre of land, small cow barn, hen house, ¼ acre in garden, fenced with Ellwood garden wire. This place is at the Salt Works west of town and belongs to J. W. McCann. Price \$350, terms, \$150 cash, balance \$10 per month at 8 per cent interest.

No. 213.

FOR SALE—4-room house on lot 5 in block 28, west of the court house. This place is new and in A-1 condition. Price \$940. See G. T. Waller or the Western Trade Exchange.

No. A.

For Trade or Sale.—320 acres of as fine mixed black, tight and sandy soil as there is in Mitchell County, located 7 miles north of Westbrook. All fenced and cross-fenced, 200 acres in cultivation; good four-room house, small barn, lots, etc. Good well and surface tank. Will trade for land in Garza county lying along the proposed new railroad.

No. B.

One quarter section of fine agricultural land, well improved; a well of the best water in the county only 18 feet deep, good mill. This place is 9 miles from the nearest railroad station and right at a school. Price \$22 per acre, \$1,500 cash, balance to suit.

No. C.

320 acres of land 7 miles northwest of Westbrook 140 acres in cultivation; all fenced; about 200 acres tillable; 1 1-2 miles of school house. A dwelling costing \$700.00 and barn costing \$25; watered by a good well; encumbered for \$240, due May, 1911; rate of interest 6 per cent; price, \$8,000. Will trade this tract of land for a well located cotton gin in Mitchell county.

No. D.

FOR SALE—Lots number 1, 2 and 3, in block 79, Colorado City proper. Improvements consist of a nearly new

5-room house, two galleries, double chimney, well finished, etc.; fine well and mill, good barn and out-houses, shrubbery, garden, on graded street, located on corner, east front. Price, \$2,900. This can be paid in installments or part can be paid in good trade or first lien note, balance at the rate of \$25 per month.

No. E.

No. 23—160 acres of land, 2 miles north of Colorado, every foot of this place can be put in cultivation and the soil is tight shinnery sand; 90 acres now in cultivation and will be planted as follows this year: 25 acres in cotton, 25 acres in pea nuts, 25 acres in corn, and the balance in feed. Five room house, small barn, good well of good water with windmill; about 75 fruit trees 1, 2 and 3 years old. The owner of this place is in good circumstances but will go to the north-west part of the United States for his wife's health, and wants all his possessions in money or good land notes. Price \$25 per acre, part cash, balance in notes to suit at 8 per cent.

Will take a house and lot in on this place if price is right.

No. F.

For Sale or Trade—1120 acres of rough, well watered, well grassed grazing land, three and a half miles South of Big Springs. Improved by being all fenced and cross-fenced, a frame house 16x16, small sheds, lots, etc., an everlasting well of good water with mill. Will trade for Colorado city property to the amount of \$4000 and give \$4000 time at 6 and 8 per cent. Price of land \$7.50 per acre.

No. G.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One of the best quarter sections in this county, four miles from Colorado, 160 acres, 140 in cultivation. Rented for this year on third and fourth. 115 acres to be planted in cotton, balance feed. One 5-room house and one 2-room. Barn, well and windmill, good water. Will take good house and lot in Colorado and give one, two and three years on balance. Price \$30.00 per acre.

No. H.

320 acres at Car, Mitchell county, Texas, school and postoffice on place. The living house cost \$1,500 to build and there is another house on this place with four good rooms. This place has good barns, lots, etc., 150 acres in cultivation and every acre of this tract can be put into cultivation; has small orchard, and an underground cistern, capacity 750 barrels; located 8 miles from Westbrook on the T. & P. railroad. Price \$25 per acre. Must have one-half cash, balance 8 years at 8 per cent interest.

No. I.

An 80 acre Mitchell County farm for sale. Located 5 miles South of Colorado. Every foot tillable. 55 acres in cultivation. Three room house. Small barn, a well of fine water and good mill. The soil is mixed sandy and does not blow. Has about 50 fruit trees bearing. Price \$26.50 per acre.

No. J.

One section of land in Nolan county, 10 miles south-west from Roscoe, 90 acres in cultivation; one 8-room house, one 2-room house, good barns, fences, good well water, everlasting spring, 425 acres tillable, balance fine grass. Price \$15 per acre. Will trade for western land if price is right.

No. K.

160 acres of as good farm land as is to be found in Mitchell county for \$22 per acre. 100 acres of this place is in cultivation, has a good 5-room house, small orchard, good barn, lots, etc., and in half mile of good school. \$1,500 cash will handle this deal.

No. L.

FOR SALE—Six-room house within one-half block of Baptist church. Price, \$1,500.

No. M.

FOR SALE—6-room house and 4 lots in one block of New School house. Price, \$1,600; \$200 cash and balance \$50 per month.

No. N.

FOR SALE—320 acres one and one half miles from New Lattan, all under fence, 65 acres in cultivation and all tillable. Good well and windmill, water at 14 feet. This is the best place in this country for alfalfa. Price \$20 per acre, and worth \$30, but party must have money now.

No. 214.

FOR SALE—160 acres 8 miles south of Lorraine, Texas; 90 acres in cultivation and every foot tillable. The soil is a black mixed sandy loam and has a good well of water with mill. This is the south-east one fourth of Section 93, Block 25, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey. Half mile of school house. Price \$20 per acre, \$1000 cash balance one to ten years at eight per cent interest. See S. H. Brooks, Lorraine, Tex. or Western Trade Exchange, Colorado.

No. 215.

A Callahan County Farm for Sale—160 acres in tract; 85 acres in cultivation; 100 acres tillable; soil a deep black sandy loam. Three miles southeast of Norman. Small three-room house, barn, etc., with good cistern. Creek running across one corner of place with everlasting water and a good well. Several nice pecan trees on place. Price \$20 per acre. See S. H. Brooks, Lorraine, Texas, or Western Trade Exchange, Colorado, Texas.

Western Trade Exchange

G. L. WALLACE,
Manager.

Colorado, Texas.

Office in Simpson Building
Second Street.

Colorado Property for Sale and Exchange.

Mitchell County Lands for Sale and Exchange.

A SPECIAL DRIVE IN IMPLEMENTS

We are prepared to offer to the farmers special inducements on all our Planters, Cultivators, Harrows, Etc. during the planting and cultivating season.

PLANTERS.

The Ledbetter one seed at a time Planter is not only of the best made, but the most economical--guaranteed to carry 4 horses.

Sweet William Planter is also a leading implement and does good work.

The Champion Jr. is one of our special implements and is now offered at \$22.50.

Section Harrows, 50 and 60 tooth, at special prices to clean up.

Go-Devils for cultivation of small stuff will soon be needed--we have them.

Come get our prices on these implements.

CULTIVATORS.

Of these implements we handle the best on the market and at prices you cannot duplicate.

The Racine Texas Special is unbreakable and adapted to all classes of work.

The New Texas Dandy is the lightest draft cultivator made and will give perfect satisfaction.

The Little Jap cultivator with body motion for crooked rows and hillside work, 4 or 6 shovel gangs, is an ideal implement.

Our Stock of Buggies and Wagons consists of the reliable Schuttler and Pekin--the later in oak or bois d'arc rim.

Colorado Mercantile Company

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

PERSONAL MENTION

Iron and Breedlove Smith, sons of Congressman W. R. Smith, who have been attending Austin College, Sherman, returned home this week on the vacation.

Direct special attention to the issue by Dr. J. H. Gamble, president of the Anti-Saloon League of Texas. It contains much thoughtful reflection by the people of Texas. It's a plea for clean and clean men in every office within the gift of the people.

New Blacksmith Shop. I have opened a blacksmith shop in connection with my wagon yard, with W. A. Whitley in charge, and solicit a share of the public patronage. I still pay highest prices for hines. WM. DENNIS.

The Eastern Star lodge had a public installation of officers Tuesday night and a banquet afterwards. We were unable to learn the names of the officers, but will give the roster next week.

Most Popular Place. My stock of confectioneries will be here in a few days, also a fine line of cigars and smokers' accessories. My amount is now in full blast. No pain will be spared to make the City Caf the most popular place in town. Come see me. CHARLEY THOMAS.

Mr. Dan McCuningham left yesterday for Fort Worth, whence he will go to Kansas to visit his family and stay about a month.

Messrs. C. H. Earnest, S. T. Shropshire, and O. M. Mitchell returned Tuesday night from an overland trip in an auto to the towns of Lubbock, Amarillo, Gail and Soash. They went to see what the crop prospects were and to acquaint themselves with the development of the country.

We Don't Have to you what it's for it's name tells. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is the best cough medicine and several million people already know it. Look for the seal on the bottle.

Doss' Kidney Pills--Guaranteed.

The Palace Market will sell you the best meats the market affords. They carry a complete line of the very best brands of bacon and hams.

Doss' Kidney Pills--Guaranteed.

Jack Mincer, the inevitable cotton man, was here this week. Asked what he thought of the crop prospects, he said, "for its advancement, I've never seen a brighter outlook." He will be with us again when the cotton season opens.

Latest reports from Mr. Charley Goodwin, who is at Mineral Wells, are to the effect that he is doing nicely and improving fast. What will no doubt hasten his recovery and return home, is the great desire to see that new girl who came to his home Saturday week.

In the last few days the Roberts Business College has had four calls for office help, one of these was placed in Big Springs at \$100 per month and two at Sweetwater at \$60, and one at Hamlin at \$75 per month. Young people, hadn't you better prepare yourself for one of these positions? There are plenty of them waiting for you.

Fifty-two scholarships enrolled during the first week is the record of the Roberts Business College in this city.

If you have a son or daughter, don't send them off to some commercial school. Right here in Colorado is as good business college as can be found in the state. Its guarantee is not so strong on getting the student a job, as in qualifying him to hold it--to make good.

Young man, if you are contemplating entering commercial life, qualify yourself by attending Roberts' Business College.

Do You Get the Best If you have a cough, cold, asthma, croup or any throat or bronchial trouble and use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey, you do. Look for the bell on the bottle.

Lame shoulder is almost invariably caused by rheumatism of the muscles and yields quickly to the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is not only prompt and effectual, but in no way disagreeable to use. Sold by all druggists.

Let Roberts Business College prepare you to battle with the commercial world.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will brace up the nerves, banish sick headache, prevent dizziness and invigorate the whole system. Sold by all druggists.

Why not attend Roberts Business College and prepare yourself for one of those good positions they guarantee?

"Doctor" Maurice Terrell was confined to his bed all of last week with quite a severe spell of illness. His recovery was doubtless hastened by the universal expressions of sympathy and equally frequent inquiries as to his progress by the young ladies, among whom Maurice is an easy favorite. He is now himself again and at his post of business.

Miss Jimmie Dillard, in the absence of Miss Belle Dozier, will attend to the dry goods wants of the buying public at the Burns & Bell emporium.

Now, that the public schools are closed quite a number are taking out their scholarships in the Roberts Business College with a view of preparing themselves for the commercial world.

Miss Lela Whipkey left Friday morning for Sweetwater, where she will visit Miss Mary Risinger, going thence to Hamlin for a visit with Mrs. T. J. Yoe.

Mr. C. C. Graves is an onion raiser for fair. Seeing a notice in the Record complimentary of some others, he brought down to this office this week a number of Bermuda whites, two of which weighed one pound and six ounces. The sets were planted last fall and grew against quite a drouth. As fine onions can be grown right here in Mitchell county as on the Rio Grande.

Mr. Bookkeeper, if you desire an increase in your salary why not attend the night session of Roberts' Business College!

If you are not satisfied after using according to directions two-thirds of a bottle of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, you can have your money back. The tablets cleanse and invigorate the stomach, improve the digestion, regulate the bowels. Give them a trial and get well. Sold by all druggists.

Claude Mitchell has returned from Abilene and will take a course in Roberts Commercial College.

As an evidence that the Roberts Business College is doing some good work, and that there is ample ability in Colorado, it may be interesting to note that one young lady who has not been taking short hand lessons over three weeks wrote seventy words from dictation one day.

Dr. N. J. Phenix received by express Tuesday night a beautiful Scotch collie pup, which is subject to registration. It was a present from his friend J. B. Slaughter, and was sent as a testimonial of the latter's appreciation for services rendered by the doctor.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is sold on a guarantee that if you are not satisfied after using two-thirds of a bottle according to directions, your money will be refunded. It is up to you to try. Sold by all druggists.

FOR SALE--Good buggy and single harness, cheap; will trade for Colorado dirt. Phone 356, W. M. Merrell 6-2c.

New pupils are being enrolled each night at the night session of Roberts Business College.

There were services at but one church Sunday--the Church of Christ. Quite a large congregation assembled to worship with this church and were pleased with the hearty and inspiring singing which they always have.

Improvements of one kind and another, go steadily on in Colorado. Not only the building of new homes, but the improvement and beautifying of the old ones. Many of our householders have discarded front fences and substituted concrete coping. Beautiful well trimmed lawns, flowers and ornamental trees grace the front yards of more Colorado homes than can be found in any other west Texas city of like size. As a residence town, Colorado is up at the forefront.

Van King returned from the town of Burnham, Garza county, last Friday, where he has been engaged in building the town. He says the roof is now on the hotel and it will soon be ready to receive guests from the arriving trains. He returned to his work there Sunday night.

Miss Hattie Barnhill is able to resume her duties at the telephone office, after quite an absence caused by measles.

Doss' Kidney Pills--Guaranteed.

"It cured me," or "It saved the life of my child," are the expressions you hear every day about Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. This is true the world over where this valuable remedy has been introduced. No other medicine in use for diarrhoea or bowel complaints has received such general approval. The secret of the success of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is that it cures. Sold by all druggists.

W. E. Owens is up and about again after a severe tussle with measles.

There is more catarrh, the secretion of the country than any other disease put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

See the advertisement of the most convenient and beautiful bungalow home in Colorado. This is the chance for one who appreciates a splendid home. Inquire about it at this office.

Doss' Kidney Pills--Guaranteed. Order for an Election.

Pursuant to an order of the City Council of the City of Colorado, Texas, an election is hereby ordered of the property tax-paying voters of said city, to be held in said city, at the county court house, on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1910, within legal hours prescribed by law, to determine whether said city shall adopt the provisions of Chapter IV of the Acts of the Second Called Session of the 31st Legislature of 1909, relating to imposing the whole cost of sidewalk improvement on the owners of abutting property, etc.

Resident property tax-paying voters within said city, only are eligible to vote at said election.

C. M. ADAMS, Mayor
ERNEST KEATHLEY, Clerk.

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I have room for a few more mares. My terms are reasonable. Call and see the horse at the livery stable of A. R. Wood. He is a registered French Coach horse.

D. H. SNYDER, Jr.

Standard Disinfectants.

Certain standards are prescribed and fixed for disinfectants, and their employment in proper quality and solution in the prevention and control of contagious diseases and as otherwise used under the requirements of the above regulations. A very wise precaution, for much harm has resulted from the careless use of the term disinfectant, as many agents so-called, are merely deodorants and incapable of destroying the power of infectious material. In consequence of their uses a false idea of securing against disease often exists.

State Fire Insurance Adjuster Wright of Austin, was in Colorado last week and made a thorough investigation of conditions here. A committee, consisting of his Honor, Mayor C. M. Adams, the City Council, and several of the local fire insurance agents, made a tour of the town in autos and visited the water works plant, making a special investigation of the pump, its capacity, etc. The final result was the information that the fire rates of the town would not be raised, and there is a possibility they may be lowered.

The bathing club has received these dozen bathing suits, all of which have been disposed of and there is a call for more. No physical accomplishment is more valuable than the ability to swim well; the lives of thousands of people might have been saved had they only been able to swim. A drowning man or woman is as great a danger to the rescuer as to the drowning.

J. C. Erwin, a prosperous farmer of the Link community, was in Monday to see about his Record figures, and in the course of his conversation, said: "Up our way, we would like not so much talk in the paper about bonds to build a new court house; our taxes are onerous now." We assured him that the Record would not say another word about spending a dollar on the present rookery or building a new one until the county was clear of debt. We have seen a light, and when the time comes shall steer steadily toward it. Our new hot air fan is now geared to whizz but one song--the Colorado & Concho Valley Railway.

The contract has been let to paint the dry goods store building of Burns & Bell to Frank Lupton, the paint man.

For pure cream phone 264.

LUMBER

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

It Will Pay You

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

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