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LEGISLATURE MAY SOON COME TO END

Likely to Adjourn Latter Part of the Month.

FEW MEASURES ENACTED

Decided Feature of the Past Week the Voting of the "Daylight Saloon Bill"—Budget for Next Two Years Agree Upon.

(Special Correspondence.)
Austin, Texas, March 6.—From the great activity displayed by the legislature last week, it is apparent that a determined effort is being made to finally adjourn the present session during the latter part of this month. As stated in a previous letter, the house has already adopted a sine die adjournment resolution for March 11, the program of the senate is to hold the resolution until a sufficient number of important and local measures have been passed and then amend the resolution making the final adjournment about March 17.

Comparatively few measures of a general interest have thus far passed and reached the executive department, which, however, is pleasing to the governor whose policy is "fewer and better laws" and legislative rest. This was not the reason, however, that very little has been accomplished by the lawmakers, the real cause being due to the prohibition question, which is apparently to be kept up until after the state-wide amendment is voted on next July.

Realizing that there was much yet to be accomplished in the house an effort was made the past week to recall the sine die resolution from the senate, but this failed by a decisive vote. It appears the pros are the ones that are willing to adjourn at the present time. As far as the senate is concerned, the pros have the situation well in hand, and can adopt or reject the sine die resolution at will.

"Daylight Saloon Bill" Vetoed.
One of the features of the past week was the expected action of the governor on the "daylight saloon bill." The governor, as was indicated heretofore in these articles, vetoed the measure. He took, however, the full ten days in which to do it. His reasons for disapproving the bill was that it is unconstitutional. First, the governor finds the bill contains two subjects, in that it seeks to regulate the occupation of a liquor dealer, and second, it seeks to prohibit a particular class of persons from making contribution for campaign purposes. The governor says the first makes the act unconstitutional and he does not believe that any self-respecting prohibitionist having due regard for his oath of office, and desiring to see a valid law passed, would approve the measure. The governor maintains that the passage of such a law at this time is a deliberate act of a partisan spirit which is seeking to bolster up "political issues in this state, which are seemingly melting away in other sections of the country."

ITEMS FROM UNION.

I am very glad to note the fact that everything in this community is moving along quietly and seemingly on the upgrade.

The general health of the community is good.

Mr. Marvin Dorn, one of our highly esteemed citizens, was attacked a short time ago with appendicitis and made a trip to Abilene to Dr. Alexander's Sanitarium, where he underwent an operation and he is now back at home doing well, much to the delight of his homefolks and neighbors.

Well it seems now that winter has passed and spring time has dawned upon us, with rather bright prospects. Good season in the ground and the farmers well up with their work.

The green grass is springing up and will soon have the appearance of a green carpet spread over the mother earth.

The school and church interests seem to be on the upgrade.

Now, Mr. Editor, let me tell you: Last week some of our young men made a tour through the community in the interest of organizing a rabbit killing club and met with such encouragement that they met on last Wednesday night and organized with 23 members. They took their first hunt Saturday evening and murdered about forty. They will go again next Saturday evening. Let's all take an interest in this, for it is an actual necessity and the important part is for everyone to pay in a small mite to invest in prizes for the boys. So everybody be on the look out. Even Colorado and Westbrook will be called upon to help push this matter, for the more rabbits we kill, the better crops we make; the better crops we make, the more money we have to spend; the more money we have to spend, the better off our townfolks will be.

I have unofficially learned that W. T. Loudermilk will meet with Mitchell County Union on the third day of April. If it is a surety there will be an ad forthcoming next week.

CISCO MILL BURNS

Cisco, Texas, March 5.—About 1 o'clock this morning the Cisco Milling Company's building was discovered to be afire.

They had just unloaded five cars of corn last week. The building contained about ten cars of grain and was insured for \$5,000 and the loss amounted to about \$13,900.

THE WEST TEXAS NORMAL

Abilene won the first fall in the normal wrestling bout at Austin, when she secured a favorable report from the committee on the bill introduced to locate the new West Texas Normal at Abilene.

The vote stood 5 to 4, the minority voting to leave the selection of the site to a committee composed of the governor, the superintendent of public instruction, and the four presidents of the Normal schools.

The Senate committee on educational affairs made a favorable report on the house bill to locate this new institution at Abilene and appropriating \$75,000.00 for the institution. Adverse report was made by Senators Austin and Hume.

The introduction of this bill before the house some days ago occasioned the presence of a large delegation of Westerners at Austin while the measure was pending, and members of West Texas thought the senate committee would report unfavorably on the bill, and that probably an amendment would be offered that would leave the location of the school to a board that would locate it in either the 26th and 28th senatorial districts. A committee amendment to this effect was voted down by the committee, but the representatives from Brownwood, Colorado, Sweetwater and San Angelo will continue to urge that the Senate pass the bill with an amendment so providing. The delegations from the other towns ask only that Abilene grant them fair play and that they be given a chance to secure the school under equal conditions.

Private dispatches say that there were some warm scenes pulled off in the committee room.

W. J. Cunningham returned to Abilene yesterday afternoon from Austin, where he spent a month in the interest of the Abilene Normal bill.

"The Normal Bill is still pending in the Senate," said Mr. Cunningham, "the only thing necessary is to get it before that body. I am confident the Senate will finally pass the house bill, locating the institution at Abilene. Wednesday and Thursday are house bills days in the Senate. No other bills will be considered. Our bill may be reached."

Opponents Still Vigilant
"Abilene's opponents are still vigilant. This city is up against a solid combination. Every town in West Texas is fighting us, but we are far from downed. I feel confident that the Senate will vote favorably for us."

No Early Adjournment.
Mr. Cunningham does not look for an early adjournment. He looks for the Legislature to be in session thirty or sixty days longer.

The Latest.
Austin, March 8, 3:16 p. m.—No action has been taken on the Abilene normal bill in the Senate today.

Judge Coe is still in Austin wrestling with the legislators about the normal bill.

20,000 SOLDIERS TO TEXAS

Four of Standing Army of United States Ordered to March South.

Washington, March 8.—Within five days, twenty thousand troops comprising one quarter of the United States standing army will be concentrated in the Department of Texas. A fleet of Warships will assemble off the Texas coast.

This general order, issued from the War department this morning, is believed to be preparatory to maneuvers on a grand scale. Thirty-five hundred coast artillerymen will mobilize at Galveston. United States troops stationed in the interior, particularly at army posts of the West and Southwest have been ordered South. The movement created much surprise here and in military circles rumor is rife.

Refute Insinuations.
Quick flashed orders to move on Texas last night created a tremendous sensation here and all sorts of wild rumors are flying promiscuously about. For only the President, the Cabinet and general staff know the causes of moving one quarter of the fighting force in five days to the borders of another nation.

Solely for Maneuvers.
The Cabinet meeting today announced that the sending of troops to the Texas and California borders of Mexico is solely for maneuvering purposes.

The Real Reason.
It is rumored that the real purpose of sending so many troops to Texas

is on account of Mexican disorders and dangers to foreign property in Mexico.

LORAINNE NEWS. Ball Team for Loraine.

The local fans are beginning to take steps toward organizing a good base ball team for Loraine this season. There are several uniforms in town and those who have them will please turn them in at the Pratt Hdwa. Co or the Loraine Mercantile Co. Do this at once.

We certainly hope that Loraine will be able to show the fastest amateur team in this section this year. It will mean a splendid advertisement for the town. Every game is a boost.

Mrs. Dees and daughter, Miss Daisy visited Mrs. Byrd at Roscoe this week. Frank Miller of Colorado was a visitor in Loraine Monday.

Clint Seymour has returned from a trip to Dallas.

Charlie Rose of Cisco, was a visitor in Loraine last week.

Jess White, who is attending the Polytechnic College at Fort Worth is at home for a week's vacation.

Mrs. E. J. Leggett was in town from the farm this week. This is the first time since recovering from her late illness, the beginning of which dates back to last October.

The Colorado young folks came en masse to the track meet in Loraine last Saturday. They came on both passenger and freight trains, in autos, buggies, wagons, on horse back and on bicycles, and is has been said that some even walked over to see the fun.

Miss Marie Marlar was taken suddenly ill last Monday night, but is reported improving.

Miss Eva Terry visited in Colorado last week, returning Tuesday.

J. G. Anderson was in this city Monday on business.

John T. Johnson of Sweetwater and Fred Baker of Abilene visited Loraine last Saturday.

Misses Isla Bess Looney, Elenor Van Tuyl and Byrd Adams, of Colorado attended the track meet here last Saturday. Their car was tastefully decorated with the Colorado colors.

Forrest Payne, Edgar Majors and Will Clayton, autoed it over to the track meet last Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. McIntyre and Miss Merrill visited Loraine last week from Colorado.

D. M. Vinson is reported sick. He has an attack of appendicitis.

Bob Cooper and wife of Colorado, were visitors to Loraine last week.

S. E. Brown has received his new auto. He says as soon as he becomes familiar with its antics and actions he will give ye editor a ride. We hope he will soon master the machine.

Mrs. Arbutnot and daughter, Mary, of Colorado were visitors to Loraine last week.

Mrs. John Person and Mrs. Hamilton were among the Colorado visitors to the track meet.

An automobile party consisting of Mrs. Fred McKenzie and daughter, Hazel; Misses Lucille Stonerod, Pauline Payne and Winnie Davis Crockett, all of Colorado, honked over to the track meet last Saturday.

Misses Annie Gregg and Maggie Joyner, two of our rural school teachers, were visiting the home folks on last Saturday and Sunday.

Tom White has purchased the residence formerly occupied by D. C. McRae, and has moved into it.

Mrs. Dell King visited in Roscoe this week.

Mrs. Robert Brennan and Miss Fannie Miller of Colorado attended the track meet in Loraine Saturday.

L. W. Sandusky of Colorado, came in from Sweetwater in the Brown car Saturday and after spending a few hours pleasantly here, returned to Colorado on the night train.

W. L. Edmondson's little baby was on the sick roll a few days this week with cold.

Mrs. J. A. Land left for Palestine last Friday night, in response to a message that her son was very sick. She returned this week bringing the young man with her, where he can have attention at home.

Harry Hall and wife left Saturday night to attend the meeting of the Grand lodge and Rebekah Assembly, I. O. O. F. at Waco. Mrs. Hall is the delegate from the local Rebekah lodge and Harry goes as a spectator.

Miss Libby Lee has returned from her trip to Dallas.

Robert Henthorne left for Sweetwater last Monday where he will enter the business college for a commercial and Spanish course.

G. C. Farris left last Saturday for Center point in Howard County, where he preached Saturday and Sunday.

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Colorado Dry Goods Co.

DRY GOODS—CLOTHING—SHOES

A. J. Payne Old Stand

returning Monday.

J. H. T. Johnson, Jr. returned this week from Sagerton, with his little son, who has been dangerously ill. The child is now out of danger.

Miss Georgia Menshaw has recovered from her recent attack of tonsillitis and has resumed her work in the South Champion school.

The District Singing Convention will meet at the Zellner school house, the third Sunday in this month, it being the 19th, at 2 o'clock p. m. Everybody is invited.

Are You a Baptist?

Are you a Baptist? Are you a member of the Baptist church? Do you attend prayer meeting? Are you a member of the Baptist Sunday School? Oh, we wish you would come to the Bible class each Lord's day morning and study God's word with us. And "forsake not the assembling of yourselves together", the more you come to church, the more you want to come, and the more you stay away, the less you care about the services of the church.

And, last, but not least, you do not know what you miss in the way of food for the soul by staying away from the Wednesday night prayermeeting.

If you have not been coming, come out three nights and see how the desire for spiritual food you get there grows on you.

Hoping that every Baptist who reads these lines will come out and help us and that any one who are not Baptists and feel disposed may come also.

A REGULAR ATTENDANT.

Last week the Record had W. W. Porter sold out and gone, which was an error. In putting in an ad for Collier, the float man, we made his ad say he had bought out Porter, which was not the case. Collier bought out only certain baggage hauling and Porter is still very much in business hauling, and with wood, coal, storage and oil, etc. The error was made unintentionally and is thus corrected as best we can.

March 11th is clean up day.

Rev. A. D. Leech comes in and sends the Record to a brother at Snyder. Bro. Leech says he thinks the Record is the best local paper in the West.

The next installment of the W. E. Berry story will begin next week. Read it.

J. H. Gregg of Loraine was a visitor to Colorado yesterday.

Special Train to San Antonio for Cattle Raisers

via Santa Fe

MARCH 19

Leaves San Angelo 8 p. m.

NOTE: Special Train will not stop at points east of Brownwood. Passengers at Zephyr and points east will be accommodated on regular train 78.

Meeting Cattle Raisers Association March 21-23

Tickets on sale March 19 and 20, and for trains arriving San Antonio morning 21. Tickets limited to March 20, 1911, for final return.

Ask any Santa Fe Agent for particulars or address W. S. KENNAN, C. P. A. GALVESTON

Laundry Gossip

No. 2

Read this account of a "wash day" accident from Robert Lee:

"Mrs. Beach Green was painfully burned yesterday about 12 o'clock. The deplorable accident occurred while she was doing the week's washing. Her dress skirt caught from the fire under the wash kettle and nearly all of her clothing was burned off before the flames could be extinguished. Mr. Green had his hands severely burned in trying to extinguish the flames, which was finally extinguished by her jumping in a barrel of water.

Why not let us take all the risk; and give you satisfactory work? This is our business.

Colorado Steam Laundry
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THE PERSONAL FACTOR IN LIFE'S EQUATION.

(At the request of the Senior Class of the Colorado High School, and several others who heard it, the following address by Dr. A. H. Weston before that body, on last Friday afternoon is published.—Editor)

Mr. President and Members of the Senior Literary Society:

The whole purpose of creation and education is to awaken human beings to the consciousness that they have in themselves, infinite possibilities and powers, which can only be utilized by their development, along the line indicated by nature. There are no conditions, no obstacles, no environments which can prevent the ultimate attainment of honest, wholesome human desires, if the will be strong enough—the hope unswerving—the effort persistent and in the direction of ones individual talent.

Health and happy success are the rightful heritage of every created soul; but these blessings can only be attained by development under the law of one's own personality. They cannot be bought or sold; belong to no class or condition; can not be handed down from father to son; nor let it be forgotten that the man who can not be happy when unsuccessful, can not be happy when he is. The very essence of success is to be able to fail and fall again, and still keep faith with self and sweet with the world. God made all things to praise him, and thus laid us under an obligation of happiness. The singing and sighing winds, the tossing of the forest's mane, the bursting of the buds, and the ripening of the fruit, the perfume of the flowers, the ingenuous joys of childhood, are all but expressions of happiness and praise to their great Creator. Disease and misanthropy are sins as well as drunkenness, gluttony and profanity. Joseph Addison has beautifully expressed this adoration by nature in his famous hymn:

"The spacious firmament on high,
With all the blue ethereal sky,
And starry heavens, a shining frame—
Their Great Original proclaim.
The unwearied sun from day to day,
Does his creator's power display,
And publishes in every land
The work of an almighty hand.
Soon as the evening shades prevail
The moon takes up the wondrous tale
And nightly to the listening earth,
Repeats the story of its birth.
And all the planets in their turn;
With all the stars that round her burn,
Confirm the tidings as they roll,
And spread the truth from pole to pole.
What though no real voice or sound,
Amid these radiant orbs be found—
What though in solemn silence all
Roll round this dark terrestrial ball—
In reason's ear they all rejoice,
And utter forth a glorious voice,
Forever singing as they shine:
"The hand that made us is divine."

The object of education, the true end and meaning of these school days should be more to discover one's temperamental bent, than to develop it; the latter is the work of a life time. So well is this beginning to be recognized by even the world at large, that it seeks men in every line of human activity to serve it, who have a peculiar fitness for the special feature of work to which its needs appeal. This has become an age of specialists. The field of every profession is so comprehensive that no one can cover it all. Special skill in some one phase is what the world is demanding; and so successful has this specializing been, that the skill of the mechanic of only one tool and the accuracy of the lawyer of but one book, have long since waxed into a proverb.

No two minds investigating the same subject view it from the same standpoint, or get out of it the same

conclusions. One of them will give unusual importance to one aspect, while the other will stress a different one. Of two people looking into the same pool of water, one will see all the beauty of the sky reflected, while the other can discern only the mud and leaves on the bottom. In the sanctuary of the ancient temple, the devout high priest entered once a year and found Jehovah; Pompey, the Roman general, striding into the same place, sword in hand, found nothing; an impious and irreverent king, presuming to go too near the holy place went therefrom a leper. It wholly depends upon what you seek in this life, and the spirit in which you pursue it.

Even in the church, no two find the same ideals; it all depends on what one seeks. No two of the disciples of the great Nazarene found in His life and Passion, the same perfections, but each found the ideals of his own temperament. Matthew, the lowly and despised tax gatherer, found in His Master, the "friend of publicans and sinners." Mark, the man of accurate business affairs, saw in His Lord, the highest expression of diligence and strict economy of resources. Luke, the physician, saw in Him, first of all, the Great Healer, who unstopped the ears of the deaf; opened the eyes of the blind, made the impotent strong; the halt to run, and ministered first unto the poor. John, the sensitive, gentle disciple, who was nearest Him, of them all, was amazed before all else at the inexpressible love, that impelled the gift of the Son. The great apostle of the Gentiles, Paul, found in Christ, the epitome of all earthly wisdom, while Judas consumed by avarice could find only thirty pieces of silver!

So, in education and after life, each one must find in it the talent of his own temperament or personal bent, and give it the full power of his mind, soul and energies. Therefore, I cannot imagine a more timely and helpful subject for a brief consideration, than "The Personal Factor in Life's Equation," or that success and happiness are easiest attained through the development of one's individuality.

Riddle of the Sphinx.
There is a fascinating and familiar legend, that long ago, a sphinx put to the frightened inhabitants of Thebes, a puzzling riddle. Immediate death was the portion of all who failed to answer it correctly. After much bloodshed, a valiant and noble prince solved the problem; the sphinx destroyed herself, and the grateful people made the prince their king and ruler.

This tragic legend pictures the test that life brings to all; for life presents to us a riddle, no less difficult—no less tragic than that propounded by the fabled sphinx. If we solve it we inherit a crown; if we fail, a fate of eternal woe awaits us. It were well therefore that we learn the meaning of life and its ultimate destiny.

Success and happiness are the goal of every reasoning being in God's universe. But what of this elusive goddess, Success, and her twin sister, Happiness? Who are they and where are they to be found? Napoleon, Alexander, Hannibal and every other great warrior, sought them in force. But the innocent blood of millions of blind and patriotic followers, the anguish of as many women and as many more children, attest the falsity of their ideal.

Do they dwell in fame? Accept the universal testimony of those who have relieved the empty bubble by various means, to find that it turned to ashes upon the lips, like the apples of Sodom.

Does the way to their dwelling lie through preferment among our fellows? Let us hear the testimony of three of our greatest and best Chief Magistrates—Washington, Lincoln and McKinley. Surely they can speak to us from the very summit of such attain-

ment. The experience of one is but the echo of them all. Said Washington on the occasion of his second nomination: "I thought it would be the happiest and most contented moment of my life, when I entered upon the discharge of the duties of the high office of president for the first time. But when I began to solve the great problems that confronted the country, to measure lances with the keenest trained intellects of the world, I stagger under the load of responsibilities and realized as never before, the utter emptiness of worldly honors. Gladly would I have changed places if possible, with the gardner cutting grass just without my window; and I sighed for the care free life and contentment that seemed to radiate from the face of the laborer."

Can they be bought with wealth? The Captains of Industry, the masters of millions, who have bartered in the Pawn Shop of Prosperity, their health, the confidence of friends, who have thrown into the melting pot of Mammon the priceless jewels of their souls; would gladly give all they possess, in the declining years of their lives, to redeem these pledges. But they cannot. The man who has nothing but money, had he the touch of King Midas, would be the poorest creature on God's earth.

Are they to be sought in the fierce competition of business? By far the greatest per cent of all economic ills that afflict this land, are the direct result of the principle that "might makes right" and the struggle becomes merely a survival of the strong and brutal. This tragedy of competitive life has been set forth by Carlyle, in a single sentence of such vividness and strength, that it burns into the memory like a hot iron:

"Some arrive; a glorious few; many must be lost;
Go down with the floating wreck,
which they took for land."

This saying, in its pathos and power, seems to me to surpass all other sayings in the literature of the world. The last clause—"which they took for land"—who can measure the depth of its significance? In these five fateful words we plunge into the bottomless pit of utter despair and failure! And this thought touches the very heart of my remarks this afternoon.

The solving of the riddle of life consists in discerning between the "wreck" and the "land." In getting a sure foundation, in the right track, and developing one's forces and talents along the lines of aptitude and enthusiastic work. In following nature's lead.

Personality
The charm of every life is found in the natural expression of personality. As individuality has a value of its own it should not only be preserved as the most sacred of human rights, but so educated as to bring out the loftiest and best—the peculiarities of mind and character. We should develop ourselves along the lines of our "bent" and natural temperament. The thing in the individual, which we call personal "charm" and most love or admire is not the knowledge nor the culture, the wealth, social position, bodily grace or comeliness; but that subtle flavor and tang which no other person possesses—personality.

"Variety is the spice of life," and society is interesting solely because it presents to us "many men of many minds." The charm of personality is destroyed by imitation and artificiality, which rob the man or woman of distinctiveness. God had an idea in mind when he created each of us different from all others. Says George MacDonald, the great and successful teacher of children: "I want to help you to grow as beautiful as God meant you to be when He first thought of you."

Nature is trying her best to make us unlike, and while preserving the type, she gives to each a differentiated character. Society with its tyrannical customs and conventionalities, tries to cast us all in the same mold to make us not only act alike, but to think, dress and even sin and worship alike. And if you do not conform, your hide is soon on the fence. Its slogan is: "Agree or we will eat you." The weaker ones elude the social and external forces by which they are surrounded to rob them of individualism and make them part of the common mass.

They live along the line of the least or no resistance. Contentment, Happiness and Success are possible only when personality finds its easiest and highest mode of self-expression. It has been said that one of the most delightful things about Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, was his "delicate enjoyment of himself." If it be true that "everyone has his work born with him," then, the delicate enjoyment of self, is the discovery and well doing of that work.

"Blessed is the man who has found his work" says Carlyle. Whether the task be great or lowly, such an one performs it with cheerfulness and joy. Perhaps he who is at his best, may be unconscious both of his joy and his power, but the pleasure is there,

nevertheless. The idea has been expressed in an original way by Sam Walter Foss:
"When Chaucer was a-Chaucering
He Chaucered on unknowing;
And Edgar Allen Poe poed on
And knew not he was poeing.
Unconscious Poe worked poeingly
And Shelly shelled unknowingly
And Kant worked on for all his days
and knew not he could Kant.
While Dante danted all his life and
knew not he could dant."

All the recorded pages of the history of the human race would not contain the tragedies of lives whose enthusiasms and powers are held down by the fettering chain of the circumstance; which cannot break their "birth's invidious bars" but fret and chafe inwardly, if not outwardly, at self repression. Experts in nervous diseases, assure us, that the chief causes of nervous invalidism, is the lack of self expression, and that the more vigorous and energetic the vitality, the more dangerous is its suppression.

The Power of One's Life
consists in the full and wholesome expression of that life's personality. Imitation of others is at the same time the weakness and degeneracy of man kind. He who is true to his own individuality, following the special bias of his own mind, produces original work. There is some particular thing every man can do better than he can do anything else. In the performance of this work he is at his best. It is the development of his special aptitude, whether it be painting a picture or a house; carving a Venus de Milo or a turkey; writing an epic or a valentine; commanding an army, ruling an empire, trying to boss a wife or whitewashing the back fence; he does his highest and best work only when he is proceeding along the lines of his individual bent. A lawyer can never be made out of a naturalist, a poet out of a merchant, a teacher out of a farmer, a farmer out of congressman, or a man out of a dude—any more than a silk purse can be made out of a sow's ear. The elements will not justify.

Had Columbus listened to the experience and wisdom of age, he would have never discovered America. Had Napoleon regarded precedent and military usage, he had never made war in winter. Shakespeare, "the greatest mind that ever touched this earth; in whose mind were garnered the fruits of all thought past and the seeds of all thought to be; that intellectual ocean toward which all rivers of mentality ran, and from which today, the continents and isles of thought receive their rain and dew"; whose own great works came so spontaneously and naturally they are called "plays," sums up the matter in these words:

"Study what you most affect."
Would you give to your life its sweetest charm, and in the exercise of your powers find the greatest happiness and attain the only success that brings contentment with honors? Then "stir up the gift that is in thee." Educate your personality. Discover your limitations as well as your possibilities, and then develop and use what you have to the utmost; never trying to copy another; never deserting your own line of talent.

Let Tommy keep on tommying
And try not to Shakespeare;
Let Sally keep on sallying,
Nor try to Meyerbeer.
Let Sweetie keep sweetering,
And Peter keep a-petering.
For in somebody-elseing there is no fame or pelf;
So each girl go yourselfing, and each boy be himself.
While in the heathen city of Brundisium, the great Roman general, Pompey, saw inscribed on an arch above a temple door, this injunction:
"Know thyself a man, but act the god."

The Saving Salt.
But mental training and activity, even combined with the most perfect moral rectitude, is not the end of education, nor the most essential factors in happiness and success. To reach one's best, there must be the conscious need and reception of that divine increment of Life, that constitutes us "sons of God" and partakers of His nature. That element which makes all our powers and accomplishments a blessing instead of a curse.

Your personality is powerful for the betterment of self and the world, only when you can say: "I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me." God, who alone knows the possibilities of the soul, will enable him, who sets all the faculties of the mind and soul, to be filled with the divine fullness, to exert a moral power, and accomplish that work which would otherwise be impossible.

The riddle of the Sphinx, propounded to each one of you today, is: "What will you do with the life, God has given you?" The wisest man on earth can not answer this riddle for you, or make of your life what you do not desire it shall be. Upon the solution of this question depends the laurels of success and the crown of happiness as well as a deluge of failure and an etern-

ity of regret.
The only sure and safe source of help is a prince, far more valiant and noble than he of ancient Thebes. He has solved this bloody riddle for us, and the least that we can do, is to acclaim Him King and accept His rule. Hear His proclamation:

"Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in spirit, and ye shall find rest unto your souls."

In that haven of rest, you and I shall find eternally anchored, all our Golden Argosies of Peace, Happiness and the realization of every wholesome dream. That is Success.

"Then have loyal hearts; have spirits brave,
And souls that are pure and true;
And give to the world the best you have
And the best will come back to you.

"Give love and love to your life will flow—
A strength in your utmost need;
Have faith and a score of hearts will show
Their faith in your word and deed.

"Give truth and your gift will be paid in kind
And honor will honor meet;
And a smile that is sweet will surely find
A smile that is just as sweet.

For Life is the mirror of king and slave,
'Tis just what we are and do;
Then give the world the best you have,
And the best will come back to you."
—A. H. WESTON.

OBITUARY

Mr. Samuel Stuart Shepperd died Thursday at his home in north Colorado, after a lingering illness.

The funeral was held Saturday morning by Mr. Shepperd's pastor, Brother Dunning, assisted by Bro. Lyon, and took place from the home. Mr. Shepperd was 59 years old and had been for a number of years, a resident of our town.

His wife preceded him to the heavenly home. This family of two boys and two girls was practically raised here. The eldest son, J. W. Shepperd, is one of our best known and most prosperous grocerman and the daughters and son who remain at home are popular and well liked members of the church and society.

All have the sympathy of their many friends in the loss, which leaves them orphans indeed.

May they so live that they will meet the father and mother in the great home over there and be once more, a reunited family, where partings nor sorrows ever come.

We are receiving letters every day from eastern parties wanting Western lands—don't fail to see us if you want to sell or trade.

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THE ALARMING INCREASE OF BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

"He died of Bright's Disease." Hardly a week passes that this statement is not made in reference to some prominent citizen.

The increasing prevalence of this disease makes the present time seem most opportune for discussion in the hope that some who are unconsciously afflicted with this dreaded disease may receive timely warning.

A prominent citizen residing in a nearby town informs us that he suffered for nearly a year from Bright's Disease, but that he recently affected a complete cure.

"What seemed to be the first indications of the trouble," was asked.

"They seemed hardly worth noticing. My digestion bothered me at times, my stomach seemed out of order, and I had occasional backaches, but I thought it was due to too much work."

"Did you take anything?"

"I did not. Later, my strength failed me, I had severe pains in the back and noticed some irregularities of the urine, I couldn't sleep well at night. I then used some simple remedies, but without benefit."

"Did you realize that your trouble was Bright's Disease?"

"I never thought of such a thing. Finally, my condition became serious. My back ached all the time, I had shooting pains in my joints and a weak tired feeling at the knees, a little work played me out completely. I then began doctoring for kidney trouble but did not improve very much."

"Did you have any trouble with your heart?"

"Yes. I had spells of heart throbbing and a nervous faint feeling. I thought I had heart disease and treated awhile for that. Nothing seemed to help me. I had to give up trying to work."

"How did you affect a cure?"

"A friend of mine persuaded me to try Prickly Ash Bitters. I bought a bottle of my druggist. After taking it a week I began to feel some better, my urine became more natural and there was a gradual lessening of my misery. I kept on taking Prickly Ash Bitters for several weeks and I could feel my strength returning—slowly at first—but increasing daily. I am now entirely cured of my trouble and able to do a full day's work without the least fatigue. I consider Prickly Ash Bitters the greatest kidney medicine in the world."

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PHONE 8
MATT COLLIER

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CONGRESSMAN SMITH'S SPEECH ON THE TARIFF

"True Doctrine Laid Down by Him--- Democracy Undeified."

Coke Was Quoted on Untaxed Raw Materials and Machinery—Comparisons With Other Speeches.

(The following tribute to Congressman W. R. Smith and the speech he recently delivered in the U. S. House of Representatives, is from the pen of "Savoyard" the most eminent Washington newspaper correspondent since the days of "Gath". For many years he has been a resident of Washington, an attache of the Federal Government, and has an insight to the true inwardness of things and an estimate of men, attained by few, even of that favored guild, known as "special Washington correspondents."—Editor.)



BY SAVOYARD

"A plain, positive, irrepressible, inexorable issue is presented to the Democratic party, and it may be called Ben Tillmanism and expressed thus: 'As long as there is any stealing going on, I want to get South Carolina's share. Opposed to that is Champ Clarkism and it may be stated this way: 'If there is any stealing going on, I want no share of it for Missouri.' That is the kittle of fish set

before the Democratic party. Carried to the inevitable conclusion, the idea of Tillman would banish every honest man from Congress. Followed to the unavoidable sequence, the idea of Clark would cleanse Congress of its every grafter. There is no half way ground. The party must be one or the other—for honest tariff or for knavish tariff.

"What would you think of a church that would grant each member indul-

gence to harbor a pet sin? Heaven would register Anathema against it, and hell would chuckle over it. One worshiper would claim the exercise of the sin of covetousness; another would practice the sin of blasphemy; another would abolish the Sabbath day; another would harbor malice, another would steal; another would bear false witness, and so on and so on.

All of them would be regular saints except in one particular. And so also with some of our Democratic friends—all sound on the tariff, except that each one has a pet industry to take care of. It is such a harmless, innocent, poor little thing, generally in the raw material line."

Speech by Texan.

The foregoing reflections are drawn from the speech of William R. Smith of Texas, delivered in the National House of Representatives early in the present session, and so able, so thorough, so conclusive of the question it is that I set about inquiring as to the antecedents of this admirable man and am sorry that this entire country cannot meet him and profit by the contact. His speech is devoted to the subject of raw materials and he treats it from the standpoint of the true Democrat, which is, that it is impossible to exercise the demon of protection, if the American manufacturers are not put on equal footing with the foreign manufacturers of England and Germany, who have free raw materials.

Scratch a stand pat Republican and he is for tariff on raw materials for he will know that it is the very foundation stone of his edifice of tariff graft. Put raw materials on the free list and protection will die. Keep raw materials on the duty list and protection will survive. I will return to this later.

Biographical Sketch.

William R. Smith is a native of the magnificent and imperial State of Texas, born in 1863 of Georgia parents, who went down to the Lone Star State in 1858. His father, Samuel A. Smith, and five of his father's brothers were soldiers in the Confederate army, and remarkable to relate the representative had five maternal uncles also in that army. Thus he is of a soldier race, and that square forehead, that iron jaw, those firm lips, those splendid eyes, show him to be the very highest product of that highest of the races, Anglo-Saxon.

The elder Smith was a farmer and the son is a child of the soil, toiling in the field from sun to sun, the crop season and attending to the country school after harvest. So diligent was

the youth that at the age of 18, he was himself, a teacher and at 19 he entered the Sah Houston Normal Institute at Huntsville, where he was graduated the following year. Then he began the study of law in the office of a leading firm of which the late Gov. Hogg was a member at Tyler. When just old enough to vote the young student was admitted to the bar and practiced his profession at Tyler two years when he moved to Colorado City, where he has resided ever since.

First Public Position.

In 1897, the Governor of Texas appointed Mr. Smith, District Judge and twice he was elected to that office by the people, having no opposition for either term. In 1902 he was returned to the Fifty-eighth Congress and resigned from the bench. Judge Smith has been repeatedly re-elected to Congress and is now serving his fourth term and he will have a seat in the 62nd Congress also. His public career has never been spectacular. Gifted with ample physical strength, a hardy physical constitution, robust physical health, a love of physical and mental labor, a passion for research and accuracy, with a calm, sedate, judicial mind and equable temper, Judge Smith is an ornament to the American Congress. His reputation for integrity is of the highest and his counsel is always received with respect.

He is, who secured the legislation authorizing and setting on foot a gigantic irrigation project on the Rio Grande that will subject to the husbandman 20,000 acres of the richest land in the hemisphere. This work is now in process of construction and when completed will be of incalculable benefit to the future mighty Empire of Texas.

The True Doctrine.

I would love to quote copiously from the admirable speech of Judge Smith in the advocacy of free raw materials; but the entire speech is quotable and I hope it will have a wide circulation, not only in Texas, but throughout the country. Here is the true doctrine laid down by Judge Smith and it is Democracy undeified:

"Mr. Chairman: There is an imperative reason why raw material should be admitted into the country free of duty if only a revenue duty is to be levied upon manufactured products, and that is because practically all other manufacturing countries admit raw material free. If we levy a tariff on raw material, we would to the extent of the tariff, increase the cost of the manufacturers' products into which such raw material is made, and we would thereby handicap the home

manufacturer in foreign markets. Indeed the tendency and effect of a tax upon raw material would be to greatly impair and in a great measure destroy the export trade of our home manufacturers.

Moresover, it would give the foreign manufacturer an advantage over the home manufacturer in our own home markets, unless a compensatory duty were levied, the cost to the consumer would be increased to that extent."

"Other very disastrous consequences would follow the curtailment of our export trade. The demand for our raw material would be thereby correspondingly curtailed and the demand for labor greatly diminished. Every duty levied upon the raw material of manufacture operates as so much protection in favor of foreign manufacturers against our manufacturers at home and abroad.

"On the other hand, the advantages to be derived from free raw materials are many. If our manufacturers were not burdened by a tax upon their raw materials they would need no protection and the duty upon their products could be reduced to a revenue basis. They could go into foreign markets and meet the competition of the world. They could expand their export trade and thereby enlarge the demand for raw material at home, thus giving the producer of raw material a steady market for his product. They would be enabled to sell to the consumers of this country more cheaply and under the reduced tariff would be compelled to do so."

Then he quotes Texas' grand old man, Richard Coke, in favor of untaxed raw material and a untaxed machinery.

Heard Pig Iron Kelley's Speech.

Taxed raw material in Republican doctrine. I heard Pig Iron Kelley make an elaborate speech in that behalf and his proposal was that any product that had resulted from a single stroke of labor was entitled to what he called the benefits of the "beneficial policy of protection." He knew that if the manufacturer was taxed for his material, he would be protected in his finished product. Senator Aldrich is for taxed raw materials, and well he knows that the infamous temple of protection will topple and fall when the manufacturer can no longer put in the plea that in as much as he is taxed for what he must buy, he must be protected in what he has to sell. Speaker Cannon is for taxed raw material, and he knows that if it is the strongest stuff, protection has to lean on. Payne, Dazell, Smoot, Penrose

and all the other standpatters to a man, are against free raw materials.

"Oh, but," says some Democrat "free raw material would be an additional protection to the manufacturer."

That is precisely what every stand pat Republican wants every Democrat to think and what he wants every Democrat to say. As long as the Democrats hold to that idea protection is safe from Democratic assault. If free wool is what the manufacturers want, why was that troop of wool manufacturers representing \$500,000,000 here the other day protesting against free wool? They know that the day wool goes on the free list, the tariff on their goods will be reduced more than one half and the clothing and blankets of the American family will cost less than one-half what they cost now. Hence Senator Warren, the wool raiser is for 100 per cent tax on blankets and the man who makes the blankets is for high tariff on Senator Warren's wool. It amounts to a combination in restraint of trade against the baby in the cradle and the corpse into the coffin to make Warren a multi-millionaire along with the men who spin and weave his wool.

Nobody will dispute that the four greatest Democrats who ever held the office of the Secretary of the Treasury were Albert Gallatin, Robert J. Walker, James Guthrie and John G. Carlisle—all favorable to free raw material. It is true that Walker did not put tariff of 1846, but he, the greatest doctor of political economy the Democratic party ever produced, lived to say that this bill would have been better had raw materials been untaxed.

Morrison and Mills, William L. Wilson and James B. Beck, Grover Cleveland and Wm. J. Bryan, Champ Clark and Judson Harmon—these all favored free raw material, as did the great Democratic Secretaries of the Treasury I mention. On the other hand, Pig Iron Kelley, and Nelson Dingley, Nelson W. Aldrich and Joseph G. Cannon, John Dazell and Seneca E. Payne, the steel trust, the wool trust, the lumber trust, the coal trust and other monopolists oppose free raw material. The beef trust, the egg trust, the butter trust, the sugar trust are all for taxed foods.

Men of the south, choose your company. When the demon of protection hoists the signal of distress, will you launch the life boat, Tariff-on-Raw-Material, and go to the Rescue?

We shall see. That is what you did when the Payne-Aldrich monster was hatching.

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COLORADO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1911.

Milady tilts along the street,
In skirts cut harem-scarem;
While hubby has the bills to meet,
And has to set and bear 'em.

The Record devotes considerable space this week to the speeches of Hon. W. R. Smith and Dr. A. H. Weston. Two prominent men now in the public's eye. Congressman Smith's speech is a forceful, logical and unanswerable argument on the Tariff, while Dr. Weston treats on educational matters and is a gem of oratory, which was delivered last Friday before the Senior class of the public school.

Oh, you Democratic party! How many holy shows are pulled off in thy name? The country is now enjoying the rare spectacle of the Republican party appropriating democratic doctrine and forcing the democrats to retire from their position. Can it be true, as the republicans allege it is, that the view points of the north and south are being reversed? Is the south growing more to favor protection by reason of the development of manufacturing, and is the north leaning more towards free trade?

A Record representative has made several excursions into the surrounding country the past week, to view the agricultural promise of the community. Everywhere things were fairly humming; new land was being put under the plow; farmers whistling at their work, while confidence was written large on the face of everything. The farmers are working with an assurance that their labors will not be in vain; and they are making every edge cut. It is certainly good for the blues and the chronic belly-ache to take a good long ride a-field these stirring days of budding spring. Just try it, old Grouch!

This redistricting business promises to be somewhat of a boomerang, to certain west Texas erectors of political lightning rods. "Our Bob" is the Coridan knot to at least two of them; each of whom wants the other fellow to cut it. If the aspirant in the West part of the district can get Judge Smith jerry-mandered into the east part of the district where the other fellow may run, then he wants the Jumbo cut in twain. And if the fellow in the east part of the district can segregate the Judge into the other's part of the district, why "Barkis is still willin'" Each wants the other to tackle the "Judge." But we charge ye fellows; better fling away such ambition. Better goats than you, have tried to butt a locomotive off a bridge.

To Our Readers

It is with sincere regret that we announce that for lack of support, caused by a two year's drought, we are compelled to discontinue the publication of the Mitchell County News with this issue. We have held on for the last year—not even paying expenses—with the hope that times would get better, but see no hope until the next crops are gathered.

We have given our best efforts for nearly three years to the upbuilding of Westbrook and Mitchell county, and feel that we have been some benefit towards its advancement.—Westbrook News.

The Record regards the removal of Frank Van Horn from Westbrook to Christoval, and the suspension of the News, as nothing short of an economic tragedy, saying nothing of the loss of the personal influence of Van Horn and his estimable family, in former community. No citizen of Mitchell county has been more zealous than Frank Van Horn in efforts to build up and develop this county and it required the spirit of the Spartan to cheerfully continue at a task with little evidence of his sacrifices and labors being appreciated. Mitchell county could have better spared several of its more affluent citizens, than this public spirited commoner. We wish for him the fullest measure of success, that he may crown a manhood of labor with an age of ease.

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

March 11th, Clean-up Day.

The State health officer, the Governor, and nearly every mayor in Texas have issued proclamations, setting apart March 11th, as Clean-up day and nearly every town, little and big are preparing to work on that day cleaning up the premises, back alleys, burning and hauling off all the cans, hoops, wire, bones and such other accumulations as are common about a place. Of course, Colorado with her nice clean streets and beautiful shade trees can be made a beauty spot with just a little work.

Let every body get busy tomorrow, March 11th, and clean up.

Just sit on the fence, ye web-footed denizens of the malarial bogs and fens of effete East Texas, and see the triumphal procession of West Texas "coming back" next fall. It will make you feel lonesome. Adzooks! Head us, somebody!

Next Friday will be Saint Patrick's day and divil-a-bit 'o shamrock to be had. Just think of the marching and free doings that'll be had in Fort Worth and Dallas! And us missing 'em all.

Colorado's graded streets, her numerous shade trees and inexhaustible supply of good water attracts the attention of all visitors and are the three best drawing cards of any town in west Texas.

It has always been easier to believe that some men descended from apes than ascended from them. For instance—

To become railroad mad, is a worse disease for a 2x4 west Texas town than plain hydrophobia. There is an anti-toxin for the latter, but nothing save bankruptcy can help the other malady.

Creamery and Ice Company.

The Creamery and Ice Company are now running all the time and have a large amount of ice on hand ready for the public and of course they are ready to receive all the cream that they can get.

A meeting of the directors was held this week and the affairs of the Company were discussed and all arrangements made to take care of the ice customers this season. A wagon will be put on as soon as possible.

The city election is coming soon and there are to be four aldermen elected to succeed Aldermen Burns, Earnest, Wheeler and Bird; also a Mayor, to succeed, C. M. Adams. As yet, no one has offered for either place.

It is generally understood that these gentlemen are to be re-elected, as the public are so well satisfied with the present administration that no opposition is offered. The city finance is in good shape and good work is being done and the public are unanimous in their praise of the present city government. Of course these men will be re-elected, all except Mr. J. W. Bird, who has moved to the country.

March 11th, is clean up day. After that date you are expected to keep your premises—and back alleys clean. Don't forget it and get tangled up with the courts.

Easter comes on April 16th, which indicates a late spring and also that it is time for jokes on easter hats, but indications are sometimes very misleading on the weather especially in West Texas where all signs fall and the oldest inhabitant cannot forecast without being doubted.

If lightning, earthquake or any other cataclysm of nature should raze the city of Austin, Texas, just now, there would be destroyed three-fourths of the egotism and one per cent of the common sense of the state. Lord have mercy upon us, and hold such a calamity far from us.

The Colorado Steam Laundry has moved, and is now located on Oak Street, the principal street of the city. We do business on this street.

College Track Meet.

On Saturday, March 5th, at Loraine, in the presence of four or five hundred people, Loraine defeated the Colorado High School in a field meet, the score being 61 to 56.

Many people from both towns inquire why it is that the Colorado School boys allow Prof. Muns, Principal of the Vallowiew school, Professor Bailey of the Longfello School and Mr. White, a bona fide student of Polytechnic University at Fort Worth to enter as Loraine contestants. The answer is that Loraine will not meet us and play by any known athletic rules. The rules of every athletic association in existence, requires a contestant to be in actual attendance at school and taking a full course of study.

These men did attend for the purpose of reviewing before their schools opened. When Professor Hamilton went to Loraine to persuade the Loraine boys to contest with us, we had to agree to everything under the sun, in order to get a meet of any kind.

We did not mean to accuse Loraine of being the least unfair when we explained to the public how it was that Loraine came so close to us in the first meet. We wanted everybody to know that it was Professor Muns that did the playing and not the bona fide students of the Loraine school.

As to playing our "dads" we will state that they were present, but it did not take the Colorado boys long to realize that they could beat the Loraine "dads", "lads", "professors" University students" and all.

Having lost Mack Watson, our star athlete, we were taken back when we arrived and found that Mr. White, a well known Polytechnic athlete had happened (?) to visit home, just in time to enter the meet.

If he had not entered, any one can see that we would have won the meet. By taking 4 points from 61 and adding it to the 56, we have 57 to 60 in our favor.

Add together the 29 points made by Prof. Muns, the one point made by Professor Bailey and the 4 points by Mr. White of Polytechnic, and the 10 points by Mr. Kelly, who is not now a student of the Loraine school, we have forty-four points, not one of which would be legal in any athletic association. Subtract these from 61 and we have seventeen points that were actually made by bona fide students of the Loraine school, leaving 100 points to the Colorado boys, all of which were made by bona fide students from the Colorado school.

However, we agreed to let these enter to get the meet, hence Loraine has done nothing wrong, but we want it understood that it was not Loraine that did it.

If Loraine denies this, then we challenge them to name a time, a place, a set of events and the order in which they want them to come and let us know and Colorado will be there and if we cannot beat them two to one, playing actual students, we will give them the meet.

The following are the records of Saturday's contest:

- 1.—Shot Put: Prof. Muns, first; C. Muns, L. H. S. second; R. Shepherd, C. H. S. third. Distance: 30 ft. 5 in.
- 2.—Half Hammer: Kelly, L. H. S. first; Lyons, C. H. S. second; Shepherd, C. H. S. third. Distance 29 feet, 8 inches.
- 3.—Hundred yards: Prof. Muns, 1st. E. Calloway, 2nd. C. Smith, third. Time: 11 seconds.
- 4.—Standing Broad Jump: Kelly, L. H. S. first; Lyons, C. H. S. second and Professor Muns, third. Distance 9 ft. 8 inches.
- 5.—Standing High Jump: Professor Muns, first; C. Smith, second; E. Lyons, third. Height, 4 feet, 5 inches.
- 6.—Running Broad Jump: Professor Muns, first; Shepherd, C. H. S. second; Lyons, C. H. S. third. Distance 18 feet, four inches.
- 7.—Relay Race, 440 yards: C. H. S. first; L. H. S. second; C. H. S. third. Time 47 seconds.
- 8.—Running High Jump: Professor Muns, first; Shepherd, second; White of Polytechnic, third. Height 5 feet 3 inches.
- 9.—220 yards: Calloway, C. H. S. first; White of Polytechnic, second; Farris, L. H. S. third. Time 25 seconds.
- 10.—Mile race: C. Muns, L. H. S. first; E. Simon, C. H. S. second; Smith, L. H. S. third. Time 5 minutes and 55 seconds.
- 11.—Vaulting—Lee Phenix C. H. S. first; Shepherd, C. H. S. second; C. Muns, L. H. S. third. Height 8 feet, 10 inches.
- 12.—440 yards: E. Lyons, C. H. S. first; Prof. Muns, L. H. S. second; E. Simon, third. Time 59 seconds.
- 13.—One-half mile: Calloway, C. H. S. first; C. Muns, second; Burrows, L. H. S. third. Time 2 minutes and 22 seconds.

The next meet will be in Colorado on April 8th. In this meet, the following schools will take part: Midland, Big Springs, Colorado, Loraine, Sweetwater, Abilene, and Snyder.

The winning team will be allowed a

free trip to College Station for six men. Any athlete who makes as many as 12 points in this preliminary will also get a free trip, with the six from the winning team. At College Station they will compete for first place in the State of Texas.

COLORADO SCHOOL BOY

A HOME WEDDING.

Dimmitt-Vaughan

"I saw two lives at morning's dawn
Fresh in the hope of blooming youth,
At 'eve they met
And blushing, blended into one."

One of the most interesting happenings of the week was the marriage of Miss Lola Vaughan and Mr. L. J. Dimmitt, on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Grantland.

This was a very quiet affair, but nevertheless the many friends of the Vaughan family were all very much excited and interested in the event, not alone, because all the town loved Miss Lola, who has grown from babyhood to girlhood among us and in our eyes was still only a little girl, when though, the beautiful shower given here last week it was publicly announced that she was to become a matron.

Her family and her friends as well, were most anxious that the wedding be postponed until the beautiful new bungalow be completed that the house warming and wedding occur at the same time. But the interested parties had other plans. Carpenters and house furnishers were entirely too slow for them to wait on, so Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan gracefully gave in.

Their daughter's happiness was more to them, than even the pleasure of having their friends enjoy with them the consummation of the happy event. The dainty little home of Miss Lola's cousin, Mrs. Grantland, was offered and accepted and at 8:30 o'clock in the presence of the immediate family of the bride, the ceremony was performed by Rev. W. E. Lyon, her pastor. The house had been prettily decorated in white and green, the bridal party stood under a white bell hung from the center of the doors between the parlor and dining room. They were supported by Miss Ethel Stokes and Mr. Marcus Snyder, the former being a chum of the bride, the latter, a close friend of the groom.

The bride was attired in an elegant travelling dress of tan with hat and gloves to match and never did she appear more charming or bewitching.

Miss Stokes had on a chic little gown of gray.

The party left at once for Toyah, where the groom has a position with the Toyah Oil Company. As soon as his business affairs are arranged, they will visit in Fort Worth and San Antonio and settle in Georgetown, the home of Mr. Dimmitt's mother.

As was said before the bride is one of our own girls, having been born and reared here. She is a charming girl, beloved by all and Mr. Dimmitt is to be congratulated upon winning one of our most winsome young ladies. Her father is one of Colorado's earliest settlers and has always been identified with the interests of the town. He is one of the highest Masons we have. Mrs. Vaughan is also a lodge woman of note, having held the highest office in the Eastern Star, Rebekahs and Woodmen Circle. Both are also prominent in church and Sunday school work.

Mr. Dimmitt is a young man of business ability and a scion of one of the leading families of Williamson county. Of the strictest moral probity, genial disposition, he is in everywise thoroughly qualified to achieve the greatest success in any line of business he may see fit to enter. He has extensive land interests in Williamson county and is largely interested in the oil lands around Toyah.

Miss Lola was reared in Colorado and is known to all as a sweet and estimable girl, who has the heartiest good wishes of every one who knows her. She is the daughter of our fellow townsman, John S. Vaughan, than whom no better or more reliable citizen lives in Mitchell county. The family is one of the pioneer families of the county, and have done more than their part in its development.

To these two young people starting out under such happy circumstances only the happiness and joys of life are wished for. May their journey through life be along paths strewn with roses. May the rosy tints of life never fade, but grow stronger as the years go by, as the wish of their friends here and elsewhere.

The Record, in common with everyone, who knows the contracting parties, congratulates both on the choice of a life partner, and prays the richest blessings of heaven on their united life.

FOR RENT.

We have for rent, a good farm 2 miles north of Colorado of 150 acres in cultivation, good well, windmill and tank. For particulars, see J. J. McLure or J. R. Sims.

A Good Example

"I am a good example," writes Mrs. R. L. Bell, of McAlester, Okla., "of what Cardui will do for suffering women."

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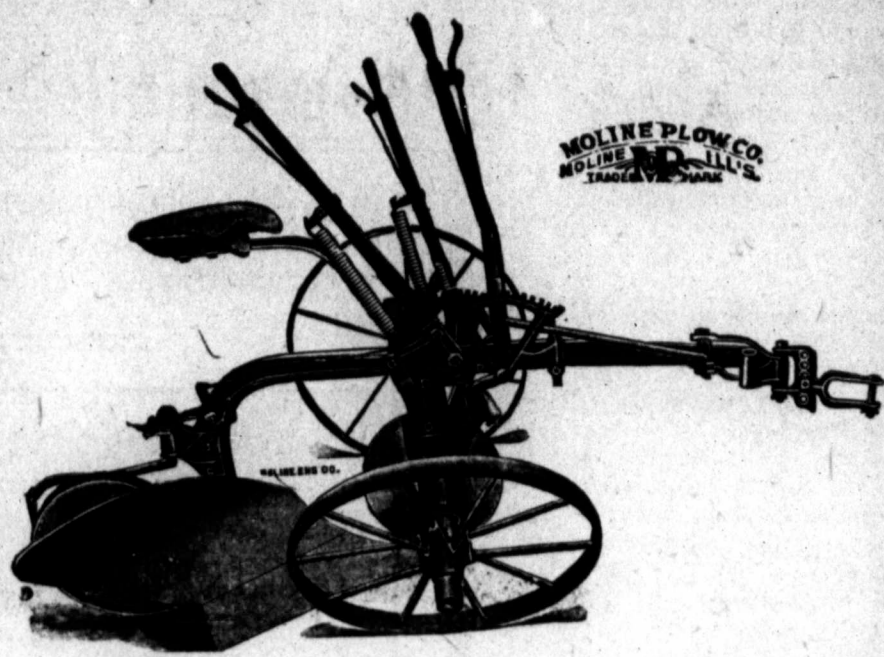
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Pre-nuptial Event.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Grantland gave a beautiful pre-nuptial shower to Miss Lola Vaughan, who on Monday evening became, Mrs. Dimmitt. In the house party, assisting Mrs. Grantland were Mrs. M. K. Jackson, Misses Wulfjen, Majors, Lula Merrill and Sallie Herrington. The guests were first given white hearts, tied with red and told to make as many words as possible out of the two names, Vaughan and Dimmitt. Everyone was awfully busy and it was, oh! for a word! Mrs. Stone succeeded in making fifty words of the two names and was given a pretty little bark basket, filled with rice and told to shower the bride when she arrived. Mrs. Shaw brought a dainty register, painted in pink roses with a verse about the rose petals, which was read by Miss Majors, who invited all to register that the bride might not forget her friends, when far away.

The blushing bride-to-be now appeared on the scene and as she entered the door was handed a big white heart by Mrs. Jackson.

This proved to be a telegram from Cupid, who told her to follow the cord to which it was attached and there would be a gift for her. The cord led into the dining room in the center of which stood a table, piled up with interesting loving packages. As the bride took her stand, a shower of rice came down upon her from the ceiling. The packages were opened and the rhymes read by Mrs. Annis, while all admired the beautiful gifts of hand embroidered linen, silk hose, china, silver and the many odds and ends that help to make a bride feel that she is really getting married.

When all had been sufficiently examined, a delicious refreshment course of salad, coffee, crackers and pickles was served by the house party. It was late before the party closed, as all were enjoying the hostess' first party and here delightful hospitality. Mrs. Johnson of Vernon and Mrs. Towle of Snyder were the only out-of-town guests.

Mrs. Nelson, sister of Mrs. Vaughan came in Sunday to be present at the wedding.

The Juvenile-Missionary Society met Saturday in an open meeting at the home of the president, Nora Blandford. A good crowd of members and several mother were present.

After a prayer, a short talk was given upon our money and who it really belongs to and a chart was shown which exhibited the way we give and the way the foreign Christians give. Our part was a little space four inches square and theirs a space twenty-eight by twenty-four inches. The children had a recitation, telling how they earned their pennies. In this were, Alice Majors, Charlie Blandford, Gressett Collier, Lillian Mayrie, Carllock Annis, Ruth Davis, Ford Merritt, Ima and Lovee King, Ada Shaw.

Mary Jackson sang very sweetly: "Open The Door For the Children." Gressett Collier said a nice speech and then the mite boxes were opened and the pennies, nickels and dimes amounted to five dollars. Then Mrs. Shaw drew the nicest picture for everyone. Then cake and chocolate was served and several new names added to the roll.

Sunday afternoon these Juveniles held their yearly election of officers at the church.

Esjher Ayers was made president; Mary Lyon, First Vice President; Neppie Branch, recording Secretary; Lillian Jenkins, recording Secretary; Nora Blandford, treasurer; Eiril King, delegate; Mary Lyon, alternate. Collectors, Eva Davis, Ruth Davis and Lorena Smith.

The Society has raised a fifteen dollar pledge money and sent \$4.00 to the Saichon, China kindergarten.

King's Daughters, Methodist S. S.

Motto: "We are in the King's Business."

Sunday School Class No. 2. Organized, Feb. 11, 1910. Teacher for 1911, Mrs. Van King. Assistant, Mrs. C. C. Blandford. President, Mrs. McCall. President, vice, Mrs. Merritt. Secretary, Mrs. R. W. Hester. Secretary, assistant, Mrs. E. E. Radford.

Treasurer, Mrs. Q. D. Hall.

Committees—

Membership:

Chairman, Mrs. A. Cooksey; Mrs. S. Dyas; Mrs. Fulkerson, Mrs. Coursey; Mrs. Jenkin; Mrs. Allison.

Devotional: Mrs. J. T. Davis, chairman; Mrs. J. O. McClellan; Mrs. J. D. Wulfjen; Mrs. Q. D. Hall, Mrs. C. C. Blandford; Mrs. R. W. Hester.

Social Committee: Mrs. E. E. Radford, chairman; Mrs. Harry Smith;

Mrs. M. Carter; Mrs. Nellie Schroeder.

Lookout Committee: Mrs. J. G. Merritt, chairman; Mrs. J. B. Annis, Mrs. Collier, Mrs. W. B. Crockett.

The Christian Ladies held a market Saturday at the Colorado Mercantile and had all kinds of good things to eat on sale. Besides the chicken's, cakes, pies, bread and salads suitable for Sunday dinner lunches of pie, sandwiches and hot Chase and Sanborn coffee was served to those who were hungry. The ladies cleared about \$13.00 on this. Mrs. Coe had the market in charge and was assisted by Mesdames Broadbuss, Pond, Majors, Jones and others.

Mrs. Buchanan's Sunday School class met with her last Wednesday evening at 6:30 to organize. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Ernie King; Vice President, Miss Zella Williams; Secretary, Miss Lona Herrington; Treasurer, Miss Eva Davis; Program Committee, Miss Mary Lyon and Miss Katie Buchanan; Press Reporter, Miss Rowena Hester.

We decided to call it the F. O. G. and blue and pink were selected as the class colors. After the business was over, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. Miss Eva Davis will entertain next Wednesday.

Track Meet.

Saturday morning, a gay crowd of athletes, fair girls, wise looking teachers and yelling kids started for Loraine to the track meet. They were in wagons, buggies, on bicycles and on foot.

Prof. Hart in khaki uniform, was mounted on a prancing steed and looked very gallant and handsome. The procession was a blaze of color, a blare of sound and altogether a joy-ride. Lunches had been prepared by the girls and at noon a picnic dinner was eaten. The Loraine crowd began to gather soon after and the stunts came off, and Colorado was beaten, not very bad, but beaten just the same. But their good spirits remained and the return was made almost as joyous as the trip down. Supper was eaten on the way home. About nine o'clock, the tired, hoarse boosters, the defeated athletes and the worn out teachers reached home.

There is to be another meet soon and Loraine is coming to us and we must get ready to lick them good. The honors seem to go to the town

entertaining but we must take no chances, but all get interested and help the teachers to boost the pupil, for these meets are but the beginning of greater things and will do much to put new life and interest in our school work.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church held its yearly election of officers Monday with the following result:

President—Mrs. D. N. Arnett.

First Vice President—Mrs. W. B. Crockett.

Second Vice President—Mrs. M. K. Jackson.

Third Vice President—Mrs. J. G. Merritt.

Rec. Secretary—Mrs. C. C. Blandford.

Cor. Sec.—Mrs. J. R. Collier.

Treasurer—Mrs. A. J. Payne.

Delegates—Mrs. Arnett and Mrs. Lyon.

This society raised \$125.00 to help pay the salaries of the two missionaries, supported by the north-west Texas conference. \$5.00 was given on a scholarship in Saltillo, Mexico, besides all dues and extras being paid up. A record of which the society is very proud.

The Baptist ladies are this week observing their week of prayer at the church. A very interesting program is being carried out under the leadership of Mrs. A. L. Whipkey. With bible readings, prayer and special topics for each day the work is most interesting and helpful.

On Monday there was a general survey of Home work. On Tuesday, the other churches were invited and the subject was Port Missions. Mrs. Whipkey gave out Bible topics on work and Mrs. Greenwood read a Psalm. Some beautiful songs were sung with Mrs. Terrell at the piano. Then each church had a lady give a paper upon the work done by them at the various posts of entry. Mrs. Merritt read a paper upon the work of the Methodists; Mrs. Van Tuyl told most interestingly of the work of the Presbyterians; Mrs. Harness for the Christians, while Mrs. Gustine spoke for the Baptists. Mrs. Olin Hardy gave a solo.

On Wednesday the topic was City work; on Thursday, the call of the West and on Friday the Youth of the Mountains.

Each subject was so full that one afternoon's discussion of it while proving both helpful and instructive could not deal with every phase. Yet those present got a larger vision of the great work the church has to do and also learned new ways of doing it, while both these were lost to the one who remained at home.

The boys of the Knights of King Arthur Lodge are busy this week converting the Presbyterian church yard into an athletic field and gymnasium. They are putting up all kinds of things to practice on in the day time, while they continue their lodge work on flag and a very beautiful one on Friday night. A very handsome silk flag and a beautiful banner have lately been purchased by the lodge to use in their secret work. The boys are exceedingly proud of both the banner and the flag.

CLUBS MEET.

The Bay View Club met Friday with Mrs. Blandford. The Hesperians with Mrs. Stonerod. Planting trees around the Tabernacle came up in both clubs and both decided to give one tree for this.

The Hesperians enjoyed a delayed story by Mrs. Broadbuss. This was original and quite good enough for any magazine, so it was decided. She also gave some Spanish music on the guitar. The program was all upon Mexico and a drill upon Mexican and Texas history was conducted by Mrs. Merritt.

WE ARE RECEIVING DAILY

The Following List of Fresh Vegetables

White Celery	Crisp Head Lettuce
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W. M. DEBUSK

REQUIES—CAT.

O'er Tommy's grave
The blue flies wave—
But there's nothing strange in that—
For by-and-by,
All flesh must die;
(There's no exceptions for a cat)

Sleek and fat,
This old Tom (?) cat
Laid 'round the stove and dozed all day,
At fall of night
Right out he'd light
And hit society for fair, (they say.)

This strenuous life
of fight and strife
Told on his feline nerves at last,
Will illness brief—
(Strychnine in beef)
From the haunts of man last week
he passed.

All which means that Tommy, alias Billy, the sagacious and well-mannered cat, which has long been the mascot at Doss' Drug store, hit the long trail for that feline paradise where mice can't get out of the way, no dogs disturb its felicitous and pans of warm milk set around promiscuously. If there be such an Elysium for cats, Tom is there today, or something is out of harmony. The remains were embalmed and lay in state in the alley

back of the drug store for one day and were viewed by a large number of friends who appreciated his good manners and qualities in this transitory existence. At the burial service, many of his lady friends offered tributes, in songs, floral offerings of 'catnip and cat tails. It was by far the swellest funeral that ever occurred in the upper circles of Catdom, and this obituary was not paid for by fraternal relatives. Sic transit gloria mundi.

Miss Grace, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, celebrated her birthday Saturday evening with a "42" party. There were four tables and the merry party of young people enjoyed the popular game until a late hour, when all were invited into the dining room to partake of a delicious birthday cake. Delightful instrumental music was furnished by some of the young men. It was close to midnight when the happy party broke up and each one in departing left their best wishes for the charming and popular young hostess and many returns of the day.

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We have for sale, Typewriter ribbons for all machines. Guaranteed to be the best at only 75 cents.

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WELCOME WORDS TO WOMEN

Women who suffer with disorders peculiar to their sex should write to Dr. Pierce and receive free the advice of a physician of over 40 years' experience—a skilled and successful specialist in the diseases of women. Every letter of this sort has the most careful consideration and is regarded as sacredly confidential. Many sensitively modest women write fully to Dr. Pierce what they would shrink from telling to their local physician. The local physician is pretty sure to say that he cannot do anything without "an examination." Dr. Pierce holds that these distasteful examinations are generally needless, and that no woman, except in rare cases, should submit to them.



Dr. Pierce's treatment will cure you right in the privacy of your own home. His "Favorite Prescription" has cured hundreds of thousands, some of them the worst of cases.

It is the only medicine of its kind that is the product of a regularly graduated physician. The only one good enough that its makers dare to print its every ingredient on its outside wrapper. There's no secrecy. It will bear examination. No alcohol and no habit-forming drugs are found in it. Some unscrupulous medicine dealers may offer you a substitute. Don't take it. Don't trade with your health. Write to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, President, Buffalo, N. Y.—take the advice received and be well.

Banqueted.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wulfjen gave a banquet on Friday night, the third, under the auspices of the Wesley Adult Sunday School class, a class composed of young men only, and we might add that this was also a men's banquet only, for the reporter didn't even see a lady on this happy occasion.

The banqueters were composed of the class (members seventeen), the pastor, Rev. Lyon, Superintendent of the Sunday school, J. H. Basden, and M. K. Jackson, and the guests of the class, each member inviting one.

We were greeted at the door by the whole soured hand shake of our congenial friend Sam Wulfjen and by the aforesaid handshake, a slap on the back and a smile we were made known we were welcome and that his home was ours.

The program was rendered as follows: first, written demands to be performed by those that the demand were made, act; and second, the feast was spread consisting of such eatables as only the best cooks are able to prepare; third, a speech by Rev. Lyon on the object and work of this new class movement, together with some good and timely advice to the young men which was highly appreciated, next was a speech by Bro. J. H. Basden, which of course is always meat for thought, followed by Bro. M. K. Jackson who is at all times ready to serve when called upon delivered a very spirited address upon Being What You Are and Stand There. After the above program was carried out as billed, Toast Master, Mr. Earl Jackson, called on members of the class for a few remarks for the good of the order and class, and Prof. Jones responded in a few well chosen words, also J. J. Patterson, but said that he would not be able to say much for his program was already full.

Then as it was nearing twelve o'clock and after all had expressed their thanks for the royal reception tendered them by Mr. and Mrs. Wulfjen, they were dismissed by a word of prayer by Rev. Lyon.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

(Real Estate.)

By virtue of an order of sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1911, in the case of Charles Adams and W. L. Edmondson versus W. R. Grice, No. 1274, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied and delivered upon this 6th day of March, A. D. 1911, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1911, it being the fourth day of said month, at the Court House door of said Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which W. R. Grice had on the 17th day of January, A. D. 1911, or at any time thereafter, of, in, and to the following described property, to-wit:

All the South-east one fourth (S. E.

1-4) of section No sixty-four (64) in Block No. twenty-five (25) in Mitchell County, Texas, as surveyed and located by the Texas & Pacific Ry. Co. by virtue of Certificate No. 2-1336, and set apart to the benefit of the Public Free School Fund of the State of Texas, said survey containing 160 acres of land.

Said property being levied on as the property of W. R. Grice to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1567.57, in favor of Charles Adams and W. L. Edmondson, interests and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 6th day of March, A. D. 1911.

G. B. COUGHRAN, Sheriff, Mitchell County, Texas. By Preston Scott, Deputy.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

(Real Estate)

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1911 in the case of Higginbotham, Harris & Co. versus E. F. Tiptple and T. C. Bounds, No. 1279, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 6th day of March, A. D. 1911, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1911, it being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest, which E. F. Tiptple and T. C. Bounds had on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1910, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

Lots 4 and 5 in Block No. nineteen (19) in the Texas and Pacific resident portion of the town of Loraine, Mitchell County, Texas, said property being levied on as the property of E. F. Tiptple and T. C. Bounds, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$284.95, in favor of Higginbotham, Harris & Co. interests and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 6th day of March, A. D. 1911.

G. B. COUGHRAN, Sheriff, Mitchell Co., Texas. By Preston Scott, Deputy.

Election Notice.

Office of Mayor, City of Colorado, Texas, March 1, 1911:

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the court house in the city of Colorado, Texas, on Tuesday, April 4th, 1911 for the election of a mayor, a city secretary, three aldermen to take the place of F. M. Burns, C. H. Earnest, H. F. Wheeler and one to fill the unexpired term of J. W. Bird.

J. R. Sheppard is hereby appointed presiding officer to hold said election. F. M. BURNS, Mayor, Protem.

Attest: Ernest Keithley, City Secretary.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.

HERBERT HINTS

Sunday school Sunday morning and evening was well attended, also prayer meeting Sunday night. There will be preaching next Sunday at the M. E. church by the pastor.

The Ladies' Aid will meet next Saturday at the Baptist church.

Mrs. L. L. Welch and two of her children Polk and Virgie went to the McKenzie ranch last Friday to visit her daughter, Miss Lizzie Welch. We are sorry to learn that Miss Lizzie has been quite sick but glad she is better now.

Miss Rosa Lane left Sunday for Coahoma to visit her uncle and family. Mr. Jeff Hood visited homefolks on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. U. D. Wulfjen passed through here Monday on his way to the H. S. ranch to receive some cattle.

Messrs. Mosshart, Browne and J. S. Barber are repairing the bridge over Beal creek, this week.

Mr. J. D. Falkner went to Loraine Saturday. His wife returned with him she having been with her daughter, Mrs. T. W. Farris for some time.

Mr. R. B. Hood visited relatives in this community Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Stella Welch and Mary Barber visited Misses Elsie and Pearl Falkner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Welch and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Barber on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill White and family visited Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Ward and family Sunday.

The farmers are ready to plant when time comes.

Mr. and Mrs. Mosshart visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Browne, Sunday.

SUN FLOWER

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

(Real Estate)

By virtue of an order of sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, on the 27th day of February, A. D. 1911, in the case of Canda, Drake and Kloh, versus J. B. Barkley, et al., and Fred Morris in re-convention in same suit, vs. S. L. Baggett, et al.

No. 1197, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 27th day of February, A. D. 1911 and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1911, it being the fourth day of said month, at the Court house door of said Mitchell County in the City of Colorado proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right title and interest which the said Fred Morris, S. L. Baggett, L. B. Cope, J. J. Garrett, E. M. Smiley, J. F. Porter, J. B. Barkley and W. D. Hayes had on the 16th day of Jan., A. D. 1911 or at any time, thereafter, of, in and to the following described property to-wit:

All of lots, Nos. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, in Block No. 12 as per the map of the town of Loraine, in Mitchell County, Texas, recorded in Volume 16, at pages 662 and 663, of the Deed Records of said Mitchell County, the said above described property being situated and located in the said town of Loraine in Mitchell County, Texas; said property being levied on as the property of the said Fred Morris, and any and all interest the said S. L. Baggett, L. B. Cope, J. J. Garrett, E. M. Smiley, J. F. Porter, J. B. Barkley and W. D. Hayes have in said property, as aforesaid to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$228.89, in favor of Chas. J. Canda, Simons J. Drake and Alfonso Kloh; Fred Morris over against the other defendants and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 27th day of February, A. D. 1911.

G. B. COUGHRAN, Sheriff, Mitchell County, Texas. By PRESTON SCOTT, Deputy

Plenty of It.

J. B. Annis announces the receipt of a big shipment of sole leather. Plenty of it now.

Assault to Murder Cases

On the docket for trial at Abilene are three companion assault to murder cases from Howard county in all of which Clayton Black and Shandra Johnson are the defendants. The cases grew out of a shooting affair at Coahoma last summer. There have been two trials at Big Springs and Eastland and two acquittals. The State is represented by the District Attorney, J. F. Cunningham, L. W. Sandusky of Colorado and County Attorney L. W. Devendorf of Big Springs and the defense by Brewer and Crockett of Colorado, Scott and Breilford of Eastland and Dallas Scarborough of Abilene.

More than one hundred witnesses have been summoned to testify, including State Ranger Moore of Teleta, who was called to Coahoma during the feud.

Taking the testimony in the case of Clayton Black and Shandra Johnson, charged with assault to murder began at ten forty-five o'clock this morning. This indictment charges the defendants with an assault upon Bill Echols. In two companion cases the alleged victims of assault are Price Echols and Cal Fletcher.

The jury in the case is as follows: John R. Powell, T. C. Cunningham, J. H. Ashby, Ben F. Jones, Emmett Childress, F. A. Knott, J. W. Rogers, J. T. Haney, Earnest Graham, J. E. Casey, Alf White and W. H. Free.

But two witnesses, Bill and Price Echols had testified up to 3 o'clock this afternoon.

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A New Back for an Old One. How it Can Be done in Colorado.

The back aches at times with a dull, indescribable feeling, making you weary and restless; piercing pains shoot across the region of your kidneys, and again the loins are so lame to stoop is agony. No use to rub or apply a plaster to the back in this condition. You cannot reach the cause. Exchange the bad back for a new and stronger one. Colorado residents will do well to profit by the following example.

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The U. D. C's. will meet Monday with Mrs. Carter at three o'clock. The program has not been turned in to the reporter, but we presume that it will be prepared. There is business of importance to all the members and a good meeting is asked for. The Methodists are planning to clean up and repair their church before the numerous meetings which are to be held here this spring.

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Notice

WE have opened an office in the front part of the J. B. Annis Real Estate Shop for the purpose of doing a general Real Estate, Abstract and Conveyancing business, and will appreciate a portion of your business. We guarantee prompt and faithful attention to all business entrusted to our care. List with us of any property you may have for sale or exchange.

H. W. Stoneham & Co.
 COLONIAL BLDG. No. 358
 COLORADO, TEXAS

LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

The Chronic Ananias Club, composed of the incurable fishermen of the community held a called meeting this week to organize for the coming spring. The committee on rules submitted a temporary report, recommending that assafoetida be eschewed, but the old timers, or "nigger" fishermen, protested and broke up the meeting with a riot.

New Wall Paper at Doss' from 10c to \$1.00 per roll.

Miss Ethel Stokes came over from Stanton Sunday to attend the Dimmitt-Vaughan wedding and returned to her school on Tuesday morning.

For prompt and efficient abstract work—C. R. Earnest, over Colorado National Bank.

The Christian Aid met last Thursday with Mrs. Harness and had a very good meeting indeed.

Doss' Liver Regulator; if not satisfied, return and get your money.

Misses Alma and Willie Wyatt and Mrs. W. R. Eudy visited Mrs. M. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wyatt in the Union Community on Sunday.

For Rent.—Three places—One 2-room house, one 4-room house and one 5-room house, with 100 to 400 acres of land to go with them. Renter will be required to furnish himself; and must give good references. C. P. CONNORWAY, Westbrook, Texas.

Everybody is making garden and even the editor has planted water-melons.

Wood and Posts
 I have several hundred cords of Mesquite Cord Wood to sell at \$2.00 per cord on the ground, also 1500 mesquite fence posts at prices from 5c to 20 cents each. Am on the May ranch, 12 miles Southwest of Colorado.

W. C. CLARK, Spade, Texas.

Methodist Church

The usual services will be held on next Sunday.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Junior Epworth League at 3 p. m. Sermon: Subject at 11 a. m. "Keeping Diligent Watch Over the Heart" Prov. 4:23.

Subject at 7:45 p. m. "The Foot of a Captain on the Neck of a King." Joshua 10:24.

W. E. LYON, Pastor.

THE SWINE OR THE FLOWER?
 Ah me! I saw a huge and loathsome sty, wherein a drove of wallowing swine were bared,
 Whose banquet shocked the nostril and the eye;
 Then spoke a voice, "Behold the source of lard!"
 I fled, and saw a field that seemed at first One glistening mass of roses pure and white,
 With dewy buds 'mid dark green foliage nursed;

And, as I lingered o'er the lovely sight, The summer breeze, that cooled that Southern scene,
 Whispered, "Behold the source of COTTOLENE!"

Mrs. L. C. Dupree and her two daughters, Mrs. Shipman and Miss Ellnor are visiting in Big Springs this week.

List your land with J. J. McLure & Company.

D. F. Glisson is off in the Eastern Markets this week buying new goods.

For prompt and efficient abstract work—C. R. Earnest, over Colorado National Bank.

Mrs. Arnett and Nell Ruth made a fying visit from Renderbrook, coming in Sunday and returning Tuesday.

TYPE WRITER RIBBONS
 We have for sale, Typewriter ribbons for all machines. Guaranteed to be the best at only 75 cents.

Mrs. Howard Towle, visited her mother, Mrs. Ruddick the first of the week.

TAKE NOTICE
 Those who have been passing through my place going to and from the race track will please discontinue doing so as I have planted my crop and do not want it run over.

R. G. ANDERSON.

Mike Ratliff went out to Odessa this week to tell them of the wonderful Mitchell county and Colorado country.

Buy your type-writer ribbons at the Record office.

Judge Crockett, Judge Brewer and L. W. Sandusky were the leading lights in the Abilene courts this week.

We are in position to find you a buyer on short notice.

J. J. McLURE & CO.
 Office Dulaney building.

Lester Hazard, ass't postmaster at El Paso came in this week on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hazard and is greatly enjoying his visit to others that we know of besides his parents.

TYPE WRITER RIBBONS
 We have for sale, Typewriter ribbons for all machines. Guaranteed to be the best at only 75 cents.

Mrs. P. A. Hazard is enjoying a visit in Fortworth, attending the State Sunday School convention.

FOR RENT.

I offer for rent, my place in East Colorado. Good house and one acre of land, irrigated garden and orchard. Will rent cheap to some good family. See, Mrs. W. C. Culp. 3-10-p

Cliff Dorch of Clovis, New Mexico was here this week meeting old friends and arranging for his annual summer fishing trip. Cliff missed Gorge Odenholz more than anyone else.

First Christian Church.

Sunday School, 10 a. m. W. A. Crowder, Superintendent.

Communion service and preaching at 11 a. m.

Theme: "The Soul's Desire for God"

Evening Service begins promptly at 7:40 p. m.

Theme: "Ashamed of the Gospel."

Our choir is giving some splendid music, the solos by Miss Mary Coe are always enjoyable and greatly appreciated. She will sing next Sunday morning: "Nothing but Leaves."

You are cordially invited.

M. S. DUNNING, Pastor.

Lillian Jenkins went to Westbrook Saturday.

Baptist Church Services.

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

Preaching by the pastor, 11 a. m.

Theme: "Everlasting Burnings or How to Dwell in the Fire of God."

Preaching by Pastor at 7:45 p. m.

Theme: "What Crouches at the Door."

Come and bring your friends. A cordial invitation to all visitors among us. Let all the membership of the young men's Baraca Bible class make it a point to be present. Bring your friends and visitors with you.

Record and Dallas News \$1.75.

Special Notice.
 I am better prepared than ever to polish ladies' shoes. Have a full line of polish, in white and black suede, gun metal, patent leather and vicid kid dressing. Absolute satisfaction guaranteed or no charges. Leave your shoes at Jones & Harris' Barber Shop.
 ARTHUR TAYLOR, (FRIDAY.)
 Boot Black.

Miss Maude Hunt of Dallas has accepted a position with the Mills millinery establishment as head designer and is meeting with universal satisfaction. Miss Hunt is an expert, having held positions in the leading fashion emporiums in Dallas and will no doubt be quite popular with the Colorado ladies from now on until Easter.



Beech-Nut Sliced Bacon.
 Try it and you will use no other. Cheap as regular Bacon. No waste.
 COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

Mrs. Hazzard is visiting her sister in Fort Worth and enjoying the Sunday school convention at the same time.

We manufacture all kinds of harness from the cheapest to the best. Both in light and heavy. J. B. ANNIS.

W. G. Goode, of Colorado, was here the latter part of last week, visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. C. Tatum and meeting old friends.—Roscoe Times.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.

W. H. MOESER

TINNING, PLUMBING

WINDMILLS

CASING, - PIPE - AND - FITTINGS

Water Supply Materials, Etc

WASH THAT ITCH AWAY
 It is said that there are certain springs in Europe that give relief and cure to Eczema and other skin diseases. If you know that by washing in these waters you could be relieved from that awful itch, wouldn't you make every effort to take a trip to Europe at once? Would you not be willing to spend your last cent to find the cure?
 But you need not leave home for these distant springs. Relief is right here in your own home town!
 A simple wash of Oil of Wintergreen, Thymol and other ingredients as compounded only in D. D. D. Prescription will bring instant relief to that terrible burning itch, and leave the skin as smooth and healthy as that of a child.
 If you have not already tried it, get at least a 25-cent bottle today. We assure you of instant relief.
 W. L. DOSS.
 Floyd Beal of Sweetwater was here Thursday and again Sunday on business.

We are manufacturing an up-to-date line of single harness, at reasonable prices.
 J. B. ANNIS.
 Record and Dallas News, \$1.75.

Corn, Corn, Corn.
 Good, sound, dry ear corn in shuck at 70c per bushel. Two cars just arrived and on track.
 No. 2 re-cleaned mixed corn at 67c per bushel.
 Ko-Pres-Ko Cotton Cake, \$1.30 per hundred.
 High Patent flour, \$2.55 per hundred.
 Extra fancy patent flour, \$2.75 per hundred.
 Extra Fancy Highest Patent Flour \$3.00 per hundred.
 We sell bran, corn chops and oats and solicit a part of your trade. We do not deliver and every thing is spot cash. See W. H. GARDNER, Manager Farmers Union Warehouse Company.
Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.
FOR RENT.
 We have for rent, a good farm 2 miles north of Colorado of 150 acres in cultivation, good well, windmill and tank. For particulars, see J. J. McLure or J. R. Sims.

FOR SALE
 Roses, Ferns, Geraniums and Evergreens.
 I now have for sale a fine lot of 2 year old roses, ferns, geraniums, verbenia, Plumbagoes, flowering shrubs and evergreens. All my plants are fine and I meet any catalogue prices. Buy your roses and plants at home. Phone No. 150 or come and see them.
 MRS. JIM SMITH.

Are you reading the W. E. Berry story running in the Record.
 L. E. Lassiter, A. J. Harrington, S. D. Vaughan, J. E. Hooper and wife of Colorado, came up in an auto Thursday and spent several hours looking at our little city. They were favorably impressed with the looks of everything and of the opinion that this "neck of the woods" has a bright future before it.—Fluvanna Tribune.

For prompt and efficient abstract work—C. R. Earnest, over Colorado National Bank.
 Carbon paper at the Record office.

Cottolene

Like Fleecy Summer Clouds

If you could see cotton growing in the field in all its purity—see the various processes by which the oil is extracted and refined—could be made to realize that *from Cottonfield to Kitchen* human hands never touch the oil from which *Cottolene* is made, you would realize why *Cottolene* is more wholesome and healthful than lard ever can be.

Cottolene is a cleanly, wholesome product—just as pure as olive oil—and makes food palatable, digestible and healthful. Lard-cooked food is bound to cause indigestion sooner or later, unless you have the stomach of an ostrich. For all shortening and frying purposes, *Cottolene* is without an equal.

COTTOLENE is Guaranteed Your grocer is hereby authorized to refund your money in case you are not pleased, after giving *Cottolene* a fair test.

Never Sold in Bulk *Cottolene* is packed in pails with an air-tight top to keep it clean, fresh and wholesome, and prevent it from catching dust and absorbing disagreeable odors, such as fat, oil, etc.

Made only by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY

LOCAL NOTES

Doss' Liver Regulator; if not satisfied, return and get your money.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Hardy will leave Saturday, for Cleburne, where the former has accepted a position as linotype operator on the Chronicle of that city.



Try an order of Beech-Nut Brand of Red Currant Jelly. The best on the market at Colorado Mercantile Company.

Judge Thurmond of Colorado spent a few hours here last evening while enroute home from a trip east.

M. C. Ratliff of Colorado was in town.

Judge Hamner returned to his home at Colorado Saturday night.

Geo. Moore, a popular young man of Colorado spent Sunday in the city with friends.

Judge Ed. Smith returned Saturday night from Austin, where he has been on legal business.—Sweetwater Signal.

Windmill Work, Plumbing and Repair Work.

If you want windmills repaired or plumbing done, or any kind of repair work, such as gasoline engines, water pipes or any old thing, see

NATHAN JOHNSON. Phone 319. Will keep windmill in repair and oil for 50 cents per month.

Miss Minnie Bellah, chief manager of the Telephone company in this city, visited in Abilene this week. Miss Minnie has the business down to a fine point and is a capable manager.

For Sale or Trade. My buggy and surry, also gray saddle pony. A. J. Payne at Colorado Dry Goods Co.

Geo. Oderholz left Monday for a show week at Midland, Will Singleton to Hamilton and P. T. Barnum (Altier) to Hamlin and all report a fine business with the 101 show.

Carbon Paper. Best non smut carbon paper made, for sale at the Record office only \$2.50 per box and guaranteed to be the best.

Mrs. Steve Baker a sister of Mrs. S. M. Pike was here on a visit from Midland and left for her home this week. She was well pleased with Colorado and was favorably impressed with our streets, water and trees.

For Rent. A good place about eight miles Southwest of Colorado, good water, grass and wood. Plenty of land to work. Apply to

A. J. PAYNE. At Colorado Dry Goods Company.

Mrs. Will Morrison is at home again from an extended visit to her old home at Brenham.

For Sale or Trade. A registered Jersey bull calf, one year old in May. Will sell or trade for heifers. See

RAYMOND JOHNSON. 3-17-c

Judge and Mrs. C. H. Earnest returned home last Saturday from a week's stay in New Orleans attending the Mardi Gras and report a good time and a splendid visit.

J. A. Buchanan and A. J. Harrington spent Monday in Sweetwater and were favorably impressed with that town.

The Record is the best local paper in West Texas.

HONOR ROLL

The school out at Looney is doing nicely and Miss Maggie Beckley, the teacher is giving satisfaction. Here is her honor roll for the past month: Albert Hiser, Thelma Casey, Edwin Story, Blano Morgan, Claud Jordan, Elgin Jarnagan, Myrtle Johnson, Ollie Jarnagan, Hester Stephens, Gladys Story, Inez Cary, Orlean Cory, Lola Jordan, Dessie Casey, Mirtle Jordan, Nannie Moore, Mabel Moore.

Notice Ex-Confederates.

All ex-Confederates, especially the members of, Albert Sidney Johnson, Camp No. 113 are requested to meet at Court House Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock sharp. Business of importance. By order of

L. H. WEATHERLY, Capt. Com. THOS. Q. MULLIN, Adj't.

Come Out and Help Us.

The meeting at the union Tabernacle last Sunday afternoon was the best we have had in a long time, and everyone present enjoyed the talks made. New interest and enthusiasm were aroused. A move was set on foot to put out trees around the building and otherwise improve the grounds. The ladies of the various clubs have volunteered to help us in this good work.

Our greatest need is a concrete floor in the building, and at some early day, ways and means will be devised to compass this end. There is no single institution in town worth more to the community than the United Brotherhood. It makes human life safer and property more secure, and is deserving the liberal support of every good citizen. In the mean time meet with us next Sunday afternoon. Mr. J. E. Mersereau will lead in the Bible reading on the Divinity of Christ, from a Lawyer's standpoint.

A. H. WESTON, Chm'n. Program Committee.

For Sale.

One good sound bay horse, 10 years old, perfectly safe for children, \$75.00.

One extra large bay horse, gentle and sound, \$150.00.

One automobile in good running order, \$200.00.

SIMEON SHAW.

To Col. Mullin.

To our dear battle-scarred comrade Col. T. Q. Mullin we extend our deepest sympathy and heart felt condolence, in this, his greatest sorrow, in the loss of the one, whose place can not be filled. The one who so lovingly and faithfully companioned with him for forty-five years.

Dear comrade let us share your grief and feel your sorrow as only comrades can.

Cheer up brother, God is King, and Jesus is Captain of the van and soon we will meet again the same sweet girls, whose presence was our cheer and whose cheer brought inspiration for the conflict. They were allotted to us and they are ours, and we will meet them again in the sweet by and by.

Signed:

COMRADES OF A. S. JOHNSON CAMP, U. C. V., Colorado, Texas.

Word comes from Mrs. R. F. Franklin that she is resting well and rapidly recovering. Mrs. Franklin, several weeks ago went to the Baptist Sanitarium at Dallas, where she was operated upon for gall stones and has stood the operation very well and will be at home in a few weeks.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed, you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH CURE. Send for circular, free.

J. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, etc. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Child Seriously Hurt.

One day this week the 18 months old child, of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Rogers, who live up near Buford, while playing in a swing was seriously hurt by the swing breaking and the child falling. Dr. T. J. Ratliff was called who found the child unconscious and he fears it is hurt internally.

Machines sold, rented, or repaired, by GREENE and ADAMS at J. H. GREENE'S Furniture Store.

Mr. W. J. Wingo a good farmer and a new comer in the Buford country came in this week and subscribed for the Record. Mr. Wingo is in love with the West and said of course he wanted his County Seat paper.

W. R. Eudy has tried ever since he returned from Oklahoma to do without the Record, but could not do it, so came in this week and enrolled his name.

WANTED—Three or four industrious girls to work in Laundry.

COLORADO STEAM LAUNDRY.

Sandusky at Abilene was called "Judge" all this week.

R. W. Mitchell has accepted a position in the Greene furniture store and is making good. All he asks is for his friends to come and see the immense stock and give him a chance.

Dan Beeman, E. L. Buchanan and others left early Tuesday morning on an overland trip through Brewster and El Paso counties in search of school lands. They had a big wagon loaded to the guards with guns, ammunition, fishing tackle and plenty of bait and expect to be on the road at least two months.

G. A. Christian and family left this week for Temple, where Mr. Christian goes into business for himself. Mr. Christian has been in Colorado for several years and leaves with the best of recommendations as an expert embalmer, furniture man and an all round Christian gentleman. He will be missed in the church and business circles, as he made many friends here and it is our loss and Temple's gain in his moving there.

Mrs. W. T. McAfee after a long visit to the old home at Kleithville, La., came back a few weeks ago as far as Winesboro in East Texas, and is now in Colorado for the summer. She had a nice visit and greatly enjoyed the Record while gone. They now think they will move to the Abilene country.

Hot Springs, Arkansas, are great springs, but the greatest ones in the world are in the Leggett and Platt bed spring for sale by J. H. GREENE.

Judge Coe reports that the road bonds are all approved by the Attorney General and are at the Court House ready for sale but as yet, he has had no offers that could be accepted.

Our old comrade and brother C. C. Graves has been quite sick all the week, but is reported as improving today.

THE PHILOSOPHER AND THE FROG

(By a Staff Correspondent).

Dr. Safford, for many years professor of chemistry in the Medical College of the University of Nashville, used to tell his students a fable—the moral of which was "prove it." Certain wise men were gathered together to ascertain the explanation of a statement that when two glasses of water of equal weight are balanced on the beams of a balance scale and a frog is then put in one of the vessels the balance remains the same, thus attempting to prove the assertion that a frog has no weight when immersed in water. Each wise man had his own explanation, and there was much heated argument and discussion. At length one of the wise men said: "But is your statement true? Let's prove it." Of course when it came to proving it, they couldn't.

So when you hear people say that Coca-Cola is injurious, just ask them to prove it. They can't. Nobody can, because it is not injurious. But on the other hand it can be proven that it is not injurious by chemical analysis. Or if you are not a chemist yourself, why not accept the verdict of every competent chemist who ever analyzed it? Eminent College and University Chemists, Commercial Chemists, Government, State and City Chemists—all have analyzed Coca-Cola and not one has ever been able to find anything injurious in it. The very next time you hear anyone say that Coca-Cola contains deleterious ingredients tell him to write the Coca-Cola Co., Atlanta, Ga., for a free copy of their booklet, "The Truth About Coca-Cola." In the meantime write for a copy for yourself—you will find it very interesting.

Our Commercial angels, Hooten and Waldo are working the country west of here this week.

W. E. Baker, one of the substantial farmers on the Looney place came in this week and renewed for his paper.

Birthday Party.

Friday was Jesse Temple Shaw's birthday and some of her little friends were invited in to play with her. The boys came in everyday costume, but girls were asked to dress for it. This they did, but long silk skirts and ostrich feathers in their hair, in no way interfered with climbing trees or jumping a running. Punch was served from a tiny punch bowl that Santa Claus had brought. Little biscuits and butter and cake was also a part of the refreshments that were served in courses. Every youngster had a good time.

Far more marvelous than any of Mrs. Shaw's other talents is her talent for amusing little ones.

FOR SALE

WILL SELL MY RESIDENCE PROPERTY AND MY OFFICE PROPERTY—THE MOST DESIRABLE PLACE TO LIVE AND THE BEST BUSINESS LOT IN TOWN—VERY CHEAP, AND WILL GIVE ABUNDANT TIME TO PURCHASER DESIRING SAME. ED. J. HAMNER.

Brother A. A. Bynum, who lives a way up at Knapp was in Colorado on Wednesday and of course called and paid for the Record and said he could not do without it. Mr. Bynum is a good farmer and is still elated over the February rain.

The shade of the old apple tree is nothing compared to the one made by the Victor Hand Made Window shade, for sale by J. H. GREENE.

J. B. Story, down on the Looney place came in this week and paid two years on his paper and also had it sent to his sister for a year.

Mrs. R. P. Price is off on a visit to the old home at Windom this week. R. P. accompanied her as far east as Fort Worth.

Mrs. John Nelson of Snyder, was here Monday for the Vaughan-Dimmitt wedding.

WANTED—Three or four industrious girls to work in Laundry.

COLORADO STEAM LAUNDRY.

Don't forget that March 11th is clean-up day.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McKenzie will leave today in his car for Fort Worth to attend the Fat Stock show at Fort Worth and will go from there to San Antonio to the State Cattlemen's convention and will be gone about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustine will leave this evening on an extended visit to Mineral Wells on a health seeking tour.

Judge Looney ran over to Abilene in his car and will return this morning.

If you miss any of the stock men from Colorado, you may know they are at Fort Worth attending the Fat Stock show.

Its so if you saw it in the Record.

DR. W. W. CAMPBELL

—Dentist—

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

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