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COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 1911.

WHIPKEY PRINTING COMPANY.

FINE TOOLS MAKE GOOD GARDENS



How does your garden grow?

That depends on the kind of hoes, spades, forks and rakes you use.

We sell garden tools which it won't break your back to use and make gardening a joy. At the same time they themselves won't break, but will give good long service.

Nor will we "break you" when you buy your garden tools and hardware from us.

Doss & Johnson

Colorado Ice Company

TO ICE CONSUMERS:

This is to advise you that we will start our ice business for the season beginning with tomorrow when our wagons will begin making daily deliveries to all customers.

We have engaged the services of Mr. T. A. Griswold, who will have charge of the local business at ice house—office phone 296—and who will issue and collect for all coupon books.

It will be our aim to render a prompt and satisfactory delivery service AT ALL TIMES, and if you don't get it we would appreciate it very much if you would IMMEDIATELY phone in your complaint to Mr. Griswold and he will see that you do get it. Also notify him promptly of any inattention or lack of courtesy on part of drivers.

Our price on ice from the beginning, and continuing until further notice will be at the rate of

30 CENTS PER 100 POUNDS

regardless of quantity taken at each delivery.

Also please remember always that **WE POSITIVELY WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD BY ANY COMPETITOR**, and that this reduced price of 30 cents per 100 lbs. will be still further reduced when, and as, same may be necessary.

Your credit is still good with us.

Yours very respectfully,

COLORADO ICE COMPANY

(Operated by Colorado Salt Company)

March 31, 1911.

KICK AGAINST FREE HIDES

Cattle Raisers' Association Condemns Effort to Put Hides on the Free List.

San Antonio, Tex., March 22.—Resolutions were adopted by the Cattle Raisers' Association today condemning the action of congress in placing hides on the free list while retaining a duty on leather; opposing the enactment of the Canadian reciprocity treaty; favoring the immediate enactment by congress of laws for the valuation of railroad properties; urging upon congress to enact laws compelling railroads to furnish sufficient cars within a reasonable time after notice has been given for movement of cattle and to fix penalties for the failure of the railroads to do so; giving the shipper the right to recover in the courts of any state or territory his damages for failure to perform such duties; that breeding cattle be not admitted for exhibition purposes unless they have been tested for tuberculosis, showing them to be free from that disease.

The Texas to the Junk Heap.

In the Chesapeake bay the battleship Texas, which cost \$5,000,000 a few years ago, is being made the target for heavy projectiles from the battleship New Hampshire.

It was a test greatly needed, according to naval officials to demonstrate the effect of armor piercing shells on the intricate mechanism of a battleship.

Disavowing any attempt to criticize this detail of naval development, the incident serves to direct attention to the tremendous waste involved in naval expansion.

The nation spends \$10,000,000 on two battleships which in a decade, are sent to the junk heap. Today the size of Dreadnaughts has been increased to 25,000 and 30,000 tons, costing from \$8,000,000 to \$10,000,000. Before the next decade, bombs from air ships may in turn be used to test the resisting power of these new engines of destruction.

With all the world clamoring for more friendly international relations, the stupendous annual expenditure for armaments continues.

The most civilized nations are the ones taking the lead in this amazing competition.

America is spending on its army, navy and pension list more than half of its annual revenues. Great Britain is spending \$312,000,000 yearly on the maintenance of its army and navy; Germany, \$216,000,000; France \$222,000,000, and Russia \$285,000,000.

This competition constantly lays fresh burdens upon the backs of groaning taxpayers. It diverts from works of construction money that might be used to benefit agriculture, science and industry.

Suppose the cost of one \$10,000,000 battleship annually should be diverted to the construction of good roads. At an average cost of \$5000 per mile, a splendid highway could be built from Atlanta to New York and from New York to Chicago, a distance of a little less than 2000 miles.

The prospects of such internal improvements opens up possibilities of development that stagger the imagination.

Granted that it is necessary to build battleships. If at least a part of the amount of money so expended should be put into good roads, the vastly greater wealth that would follow would place the nation in better position, through its increased resources to meet the demands of future wars.

Good roads help everybody, stimulate all industry; weld the country closer together; and, in times of necessity, would expedite the movement of troops.

A policy that at least balances appropriations for peace would meet wide approval.—Atlanta Constitution.

LASATER HEADS CATTLEMEN

Falfarras Man Succeeds Jas. Callan of Menardville; Panhandle Man Made a Vice President.

San Antonio, March 23.—The Cattle Raisers' Association elected Ed C. Lasater of Falfarras President, A. B. Robertson of Lubbock and J. D. Jenkins of Alpine vice presidents, today. Bro. Robertson a former Coloradoan will be made president next year no doubt.

Patents Issued to Texans.
W. F. Cranford, Colorado, Texas, vermin exterminator for poultry.

About Texas.

Williamson county has let a contract for building macadam roads at \$2,000 per mile. The farmers of Williamson county know how to increase farm values.

Menard citizens celebrated the extension of the Frisco from Brady to their city last week. The Menard valley has just had a prosperous rain and they are now doubly blessed.

Harris county voted a bond issue of over \$2,000,000 for the improvement of Buffalo Bayou. It is estimated that this amount will give a sufficient depth of water to float ocean going vessels at the Houston wharves.

Inch of Rain at Waco.

Waco, March 22.—Nearly an inch of rain fell here this morning.

Prohibition Election Ordered.

Larkin, March 22.—A local option election was today ordered for Angelina county April 15.

Lightfoot's Assistants Resign.

Austin, March 23.—Assistant Attorney Generals L. A. Dale and S. D. Snodgrass tendered their resignations today to enter private practice.

Phillips Found Not Guilty.

Dalhart, March 23.—Hicks Phillips, charged with the murder of Floyd Tandy was found not guilty by the jury last night.

Predicts Sweeping Victory.

Ball predicted a sweeping victory for prohibition in the election in July and says the ants have already seen the "handwriting on the wall."

Coloradoans at Society Wedding.

In Fort Worth on Wednesday there was a big society wedding in which Miss Virginia Knott and Miss Isla Bess Looney were bridesmaids and quite a lengthy notice is given in the society columns of the dresses they wore and the flowers that were in boundless profusion.

CATTLEMEN GO HOME IN 1912.

Fort Worth Captured the Convention at San Antonio.

San Antonio, March 23.—Fort Worth won the next annual convention this afternoon after a spirited fight with Oklahoma City and El Paso, El Paso was the real contender.

Nat M. Wachter of San Antonio, a former resident of Fort Worth, placed Fort Worth in nomination and Mayor Davis of Fort Worth made the seconding speech.

Senator Bailey to be Here Later.

The following telegram was received from Senator Bailey yesterday by a personal friend at Fort Worth:

Washington, March 24.—Another meeting of the monetary commission has been called for next Wednesday and I do not therefore think it possible for me to reach Texas before congress reconvenes. The first two weeks of the next session will be without any important work in the senate. I shall try to come then. J. W. BAILEY.

To Advertise Waco.

The plan is to get one hundred real estate men or men interested in real estate heavily to contribute \$5 a month to a fund to advertise Waco, this is to be supplemented by a like sum monthly from one hundred business men, making a thousand dollars a month to advertise Waco in Texas and out of Texas.

It is the plan to run page and half page ads in all the magazines about Waco and also use the large bill boards in the big cities.

4,407 Births, 2,157 Deaths.

Austin, March 24.—The February vital statistics show 4,407 births and 2,157 deaths. There were fifty two sets of twins and four triplets.

Randell is Busy.

Waco, March.—Congressman C. B. Randell of Sherman will open his campaign here for United States senator. A telegram to this effect was today received from Mr. Randell. The date and other details will be arranged by correspondence. Mr. Randell will speak in the Cotton Palace auditorium.

Many a man has said during the local option campaigns that he was not a local optionist, but a state wider. Now they are going to have a chance to show whether they are or not. What will they have this time for an excuse to not vote against the saloons?

SOCIAL CLUBS CLOSED.

State Legal Department Takes Very Prompt Action in San Antonio Social Club Matters.

San Antonio, March 27.—The legal department closed seven social clubs of San Antonio today, alleging that they sold liquor without a state license. Attorney General Lightfoot says the campaign against the so-called social clubs will be carried on wherever such clubs exist until the law is rigidly enforced in every particular.

From Washington.

Washington, D. C., March.—Unstinted praise is being showered on General J. H. Aleshire, quartermaster general of the army for the masterly manner in which the troops now on the Mexican border were mobilized, together with the impediments necessary for the care and comfort of 20,000 men. The celerity which characterized the transportation of the troops; the entraining and detraining of the men; the movement of supply trains, with necessary stores for a three months campaign, proved in a most practical way the strength of the position taken by General Aleshire when he became quartermaster general that complete success of his branch of the service depended upon the co-operation of the departmental quartermasters and those in charge of quartermaster's depots, rather than have everything centered in Washington. On assuming office, General Aleshire inaugurated a radical reform by calling upon all his subordinates for an inventory of stock on hand and the needs of the several departments to increase their efficiency. As a result of systematic effort the quartermaster general was enabled to prepare a book of quartermaster's stores and their several locations. When orders came to mobilize the troops for maneuvers along the Rio Grande it was but a matter of a few hours to get everything in readiness to move as he knew exactly by consulting the "little red book" where particular supplies were to be had and the amount on hand. The months spent in preparing this most comprehensive inventory had been justified and naturally General Aleshire is elated over the complete success of decentralization.

The fourteen members of the Ways and Means Committee, charged with the selection of the majority chairmanships and the composition of the majority places on committees of the 62nd Congress which convenes in extraordinary session on April 4th, have about completed their work and will report their conclusions to the democratic caucus Saturday evening April 1. It is generally agreed that Representative Fitzgerald of New York, who is the ranking democrat on the appropriations committee will become chairman of that most important committee although Congressman Burleson of Texas, made a hard fight for the place. William C. Adamson of Georgia, will be chairman of the committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, while John A. Moon of Tennessee, will be chairman of Postoffices and Postroads. It is still undetermined who will become chairman of the very important committee of Rivers and Harbors, both Stephen M. Sparkman of Florida and Joseph E. Ransdell of Louisiana being candidates for the place. If the Ways and Means committee decide to promote ranking members of committees to chairmanships Mr. Sparkman would succeed to the position but hundreds of letters have been written to the Ways and Means committee, it is understood, in behalf of Congressman Ransdell, who is president of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, the most militant association of waterway enthusiasts in the country, whose campaign of education for a yearly river and harbor bill, with appropriations of sufficient amount to accomplish the completion of projects within limited periods, has worked radical reform in river and harbor legislation, and no man in the country has been a more enthusiastic advocate of a comprehensive system of waterway improvements than Mr. Ransdell.

Public enterprise promoters of Baltimore are going after the National Democratic convention for 1912 and have guaranteed a fund of \$100,000 to entertain the delegates. The first national political convention was held in Baltimore in 1831, when Henry Clay was nominated by the Whigs and it also saw the first National Democratic convention when, in 1823, Andrew Jackson was nominated for his second term. The Democrats continued holding their national conventions in the Monumental City until 1856, when James

Buchanan was nominated at Cincinnati, the same year that the first National Republican convention was held at Philadelphia, nominating John C. Fremont. The Republicans nominated Abraham Lincoln at Chicago in 1860 and have ever since mainly favored that city. It is thought highly probable that if the democrats select the east for their convention the republicans will go west.

The Republican majority of the House of the Sixty-Second Congress having been changed into a minority leadership of the party rises conspicuously and gravely for the first time in sixteen years. In the Fifty-Second Congress, when the Democrats had captured the House, former Speaker Thomas E. Reed was accorded the leadership without question. This time it is evident that former Speaker Cannon will have opposition, if it is undertaken to make him the minority leader. This is manifest from the discussion of other House Republicans for the post. Among those mentioned with more or less insistence are Representative James R. Mann, of Illinois, and Marlin E. Olmsted of Pennsylvania.

It is just possible that Ex-Speaker Cannon will solve the problem by declining to be a candidate, in which event it is thought Representative Mann will be selected.

MITCHELL COUNTY EXHIBIT AT THE DALLAS FAIR

We Need More Farmers and a Dallas Fair Exhibit Will Get Them.

What Colorado and Mitchell county needs is more good farmers. More than half our land is not in cultivation and too many farmers are trying to handle too much land. What we need is more farmers. If we could put a good farmer on every 80 acres and 160 acres of land in the county the town would take care of itself. A wonderfully large immigration is coming to Texas. It has already started and what will Mitchell county do to get her share. The Record has two plans to offer one of which is to get ready and prepare a splendid farm exhibit at the Dallas Fair this fall. The fair will be larger and better this year than ever. Many counties in West Texas will have fine exhibits there and so should Mitchell county. It is now a conceded fact that we are almost certain for a big crop this year and a good exhibit could be gotten together and used here at home until fair time and even after the fair returned here as a big advertisement for Mitchell county. We have figured that a fine showing can be made at a cost of only \$500 and it will be worth many times that amount to the country.

Let the business men come together and get this move started. It is not too early as some men must be employed to get a good sample of every crop as it matures, get it together and put it on display at the depot or in some suitable building and add to it all the summer as the crops come. He can get a fine selection of oats, wheat, broom corn, peanuts, maize, Kaffir, cotton, melons, all kinds of fruits, vegetables, corn and in fact something of everything raised in the county. The club could offer small prizes to the farmers to bring in samples of their crops. The details can all be worked out, let us get together, appoint two good men to raise the \$500. Judge Earnest says he will give \$25 and we believe 20 men in town can be found that will give \$25 which can be subscribed in one day. Let us not delay this matter but get together and do something.

The Western Light at Snyder says: People who have heretofore felt that they had lost money they paid for Plateau town lots, may yet be able to realize on the investment. The new county of Culberson, lately created, includes the Plateau townsite, and there is said to be a probability that Plateau may be the county seat.

Oil development is becoming more active in different sections of the state and local capital and independent operators are becoming actively interested in the development of this industry. Reports from the Pecos country say that much prospecting is going on in that section; wells are also being drilled inside the city limits of Longview. In the San Antonio fields much progress is being made and additional wells are being sunk. Reiser is a new gas and oil center lately opened up.

Ben Morgan has opened up the City Cafe.

E. BERRY

Laundry Gossip

No. 4

Many of our local patrons seem unaware of the fact that we have been handicapped recently by having to move into our own new quarters and get things straightened out again. But this has been the reason our service has not been fully up to its former standard, both in quality and promptness.

Everything is now running smoothly, and we are turning out the very best quality of LAUNDRY WORK ever given the people of West Texas.

Our out-of-town patronage is increasing weekly, and even with our increased force, find difficulty in turning out the orders promptly.

We extend a special invitation to all our local patrons to drop in at any time and see how the Colorado Steam Laundry turns off its work.

CHILDREN. LOOK FOR THE PRIZES NEXT WEEK

Colorado Steam Laundry
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LORAINE LOCALS

Brief Mention of the Week's Happenings at Busy Town of Loraine.

Aged Lady Dies.
Miss Ann Steele died at the home of her niece, Mrs. C. W. Thompson of this city last Sunday morning. She was born in North Carolina January 25th, 1818, and was 93 years, two months and ten days old at the time of her death.

During her life she had always enjoyed remarkable health and vitality and only for a short time before death was she confined to her bed. In early life she moved from North Carolina to Georgia and later to Tennessee; from Tennessee she moved to Arkansas and from that state to Texas, settling at Hico. About four years ago she moved to Loraine. She was a grand-sunt of W. F. and M. A. Altman and Mrs. I. J. Pierce of Hamlin.

John C. Prude of Colorado was a visitor here this week.

The concrete culvert at the crossing of Main and Colorado streets is almost completed. Now if our city dads will make the railway company open up a drainage across their tracks, much of the sand that now banks at the foot of Main street will be drained off and conditions greatly improved.

Farmer Dunnahoo says the farm sure looks good.

Ross Gregg is going to farm with comfort at least. He has attached a large wagon umbrella to his cultivator.

Mr. Robert Coon, who has been quite ill is reported much improved.

Mr. W. F. Altman and Mrs. T. R. Stett accompanied the remains of their aunt, Miss Ann Steele to Carlton Texas for interment.

Mrs. Hale who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coon, returned to her home in Longview this week.

Mrs. Willie and little son of Eastland are visiting her mother Mrs. McCaghran this week.

Mrs. H. Toler has returned from a visit to Sweetwater.

Rufus White and wife left last Friday night for Roswell, N. M. where they expect to make their home.

W. H. Hurd made a business trip to Colorado last Tuesday.

Mrs. V. D. Payne is visiting relatives in Colorado this week.

J. F. Vernon and wife were in from Lonsewolf this week the guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. L. Long.

County Tax Assessor Jack Smith was in Loraine paying his respects to our people.

Mrs. B. F. Chambers has returned from a visit to her mother in Tyler.

W. C. Farrar's little girl is reported on the sick list this week.

Tom Burrus is reported improving. He has had considerable sickness in his family recently, but all are now convalescent.

A. J. Payne and wife of Colorado, spent the day here Sunday the guests of V. D. Payne and wife.

Chiff Dortsch of El Paso was a visitor here this week the guest of V. D. Payne.

G. C. Farris preached at the Mesquite community Sunday morning and evening. He reports large crowds at both services.

The Mitchell County Singing Convention, Eastern division, will meet in Loraine the third Sunday. Both the Eastern and Western divisions will hold a joint annual meeting in Colorado May 1st.

Jas. W. Hutton of Elmer, Okla., has located in Loraine and accepted a position with the Farris Drug Co.

Miss Ida Hale visited friends in Colorado last Sunday.

Grandma Gregg and J. H. Gregg left for Valley Mills Sunday night to visit relatives.

J. E. Stowe made a business trip to Colorado Monday.

Mrs. Lora Smith and Miss Allie Hall of Temple are visiting their parents M. F. Hall and wife this week.

Mrs. B. F. McDaniel, of Uvalde visited her parents, M. F. Hall and wife of Loraine this week.

Joe Hall and wife of Stanton were visitors to Loraine this week, the guests of their parents, M. F. Hall and wife.

W. L. Long made a trip to the country last Tuesday.

Mrs. J. I. Pierce of Hamlin, returned home Sunday night after a brief visit to relatives here.

W. B. Wimberly has returned from a trip to Terrell and other points in Kaufman county. He says water is still scarce in eastern Texas.

Miss Lybbie Lee and mother returned last Saturday from their trip to Louisiana.

Mrs. M. E. Wharton of Roscoe visited her daughter Mrs. W. F. Altman last week.

Mrs. W. L. Petty entertained informally, a few guests at luncheon last Sunday. Those present were, Misses Mary Gregg, Annie May Wallis, Isophene Toler, Daisy Dees and Lucile Henthorn.

Elder McGraw of Robert Lee preached at the Christian church here last Saturday and Sunday. He left Tuesday for Hermligh.

DECIDE YOURSELF

The Opportunity is Here, Backed by Colorado Testimony.

Don't take our word for it. Don't depend on a stranger's statement. Read Colorado endorsement. Read the statements of Colorado citizens.

And decide for yourself. Here is one case of it: Miss Jennie Hooks, Colorado, Texas, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills lived up to representations in my case. I suffered severely from pains through my kidneys. I had but little control over the kidney secretions and the pains through my back caused me intense misery. Reading about Doan's Kidney Pills and the beneficial results that had followed their use in similar cases I was led to try them. They removed the pains and soreness across my back and strengthened my kidneys. I am glad to recommend this remedy to other persons suffering from kidney complaint."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.
In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, at Abilene.

In the matter of Colorado Drug Company, Bankrupt.

No. 248 in Bankruptcy.

Office of Referee, Abilene, Texas, March 28, 1911.

To the creditors of Colorado Drug Company, a corporation of Colorado in the county of Mitchell and District aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of March A. D. 1911, the said Colorado Drug Company was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of its creditors will be held at my office in Abilene, in Taylor County, Texas, on the 10th day of April A. D. 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such

other business as may properly come before said meeting.

K. K. LEGETT, Referee in Bankruptcy.

Goes to Monday.

C. L. Norris of Ira left Monday for Munday, Knox county, where he goes to engage in business. Mr. Norris has been in business, at Ira for several years and was one of Scurry county's best citizens. We learn that Mr. Norris retains his business interests at Ira and we predict he will soon be returning to his first love.—Snyder Signal.

Charlie Norris has many friends in Colorado who regret to see him leave Ira.

Hon. George W. Carrol of Beaumont, the one time candidate for vice president of the United States on the prohibition ticket and twice for governor of Texas on the same ticket, was in Houston yesterday and expressed himself as being optimistic as to the success of the prohibition cause at the coming election.

"If people are really tired of having this question agitated," said Mr. Carrol, "then this is the best opportunity in the world to put an end to the agitation. If prohibition is made constitutional it will settle the matter in Texas for many years to come, and business interests will cease to be disturbed by agitation. Business men will see it in this way, and by settling the matter right get rid of it as a public question."

"Until it is so settled, however, the agitation will continue each year. Local option is a good thing and has accomplished much, but either side can force an election in local option territory at short intervals and the matter is thus never definitely settled in that way so as to be free from agitation on the part of one side or the other and especially is this true where local option carries or is lost by small majorities."

WESTBROOK WAIFS

Local and Personal News Tersely Told. by a Special Record Man.

Miss Mable Jefferies of East Texas is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Barnes of this place.

F. C. Van Horn left last Friday with his car of household goods enroute to Cristovel, his future home.

Rev. Ledger is visiting in Hamlin this week.

G. W. May has opened up an ice cream parlor and confectionary store in the Barley building and wants all his friends to call on him there.

Alonza Roy and Robert Smith were Colorado visitors last Saturday evening.

L. E. Lasseter of Colorado was a Westbrook visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hastings of the Roger community attended the union in Westbrook last Sunday evening.

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"MONEY BACK."

Although common in other lines, most manufacturers of cooking fats dare not sell their products—"Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded." Their goods are usually put up in loose-covered pails or tins, which cannot—and do not—keep out the air, dust and odors, and the goods soon spoil.

The N. K. Fairbank Company guarantee Cottolene no matter how long it is kept on the grocer's shelves. They are able to do this because Cottolene is packed in pails with covers of special design, making the package absolutely air-tight and insuring freshness of the product indefinitely.

Texas Methodist State Sunday School Conference.
The Methodist Sunday School Workers of the state are called to meet in conference at the First Methodist Church, Dallas, April 11, 12, 13, commencing Tuesday night and closing Thursday night.

W. E. Hawkins, field worker of North Texas Conference has charge of the arrangements and will have his headquarters at 1208 Commerce St. Six thousand programs and circulars are being mailed out this week. Rev. E. B. Chappell, Sunday School Editor; Rev. Chas. D. Bulla, Superintendent of Wesley Adult Bible Classes and Rev. E. H. Rawlins, Missionary Secretary will be the out of state speakers on the program, and leading Texas workers will be prominent in the discussions.

The peach growers of East Texas recently sent peach branches and buds from different orchards in that section to the Missouri State Horticultural headquarters at Columbia, Missouri for analysis and received the information that 75 per cent of the buds would bear fruit. It was feared that in some sections of the state that the peach crop would be injured by the recent cold weather, but the report of the Missouri Horticultural Board has satisfactorily settled the question so far as East Texas growers are concerned. East Texas has achieved a nation wide fame for the growing of peaches and the 1911 crop it is reported, will excel that of all former years.

The Government Census Report on cotton ginned places the 1910 crop for the United States at 11,254,115 bales against 9,787,592 bales for 1909, making an increase in production of 1,466,523 bales and of the increase in production we show 534,650 bales.

A well equipped department of domestic science will be ready for the women students of the University of Texas at the opening of the next session. Probably two professors in this department will be employed. A friend of the institution has given six thousand dollars annually for the support of this much needed school.

Popular interest in road building has reached the acute stage in Texas and all sections of the state are vying with each other in the matter of building good roads.

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Although common in other lines, most manufacturers of cooking fats dare not sell their products—"Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded." Their goods are usually put up in loose-covered pails or tins, which cannot—and do not—keep out the air, dust and odors, and the goods soon spoil.

The N. K. Fairbank Company guarantee Cottolene no matter how long it is kept on the grocer's shelves. They are able to do this because Cottolene is packed in pails with covers of special design, making the package absolutely air-tight and insuring freshness of the product indefinitely.

Texas Methodist State Sunday School Conference.
The Methodist Sunday School Workers of the state are called to meet in conference at the First Methodist Church, Dallas, April 11, 12, 13, commencing Tuesday night and closing Thursday night.

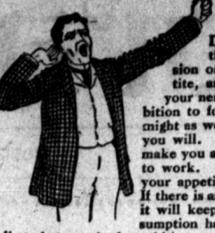
W. E. Hawkins, field worker of North Texas Conference has charge of the arrangements and will have his headquarters at 1208 Commerce St. Six thousand programs and circulars are being mailed out this week. Rev. E. B. Chappell, Sunday School Editor; Rev. Chas. D. Bulla, Superintendent of Wesley Adult Bible Classes and Rev. E. H. Rawlins, Missionary Secretary will be the out of state speakers on the program, and leading Texas workers will be prominent in the discussions.

The peach growers of East Texas recently sent peach branches and buds from different orchards in that section to the Missouri State Horticultural headquarters at Columbia, Missouri for analysis and received the information that 75 per cent of the buds would bear fruit. It was feared that in some sections of the state that the peach crop would be injured by the recent cold weather, but the report of the Missouri Horticultural Board has satisfactorily settled the question so far as East Texas growers are concerned. East Texas has achieved a nation wide fame for the growing of peaches and the 1911 crop it is reported, will excel that of all former years.

The Government Census Report on cotton ginned places the 1910 crop for the United States at 11,254,115 bales against 9,787,592 bales for 1909, making an increase in production of 1,466,523 bales and of the increase in production we show 534,650 bales.

A well equipped department of domestic science will be ready for the women students of the University of Texas at the opening of the next session. Probably two professors in this department will be employed. A friend of the institution has given six thousand dollars annually for the support of this much needed school.

Popular interest in road building has reached the acute stage in Texas and all sections of the state are vying with each other in the matter of building good roads.



Do You Feel This Way?

Do you feel all tired out? Do you sometimes think you just can't work away at your profession or trade any longer? Do you have a poor appetite, and lay awake at nights unable to sleep? Are your nerves all gone, and your stomach too? Has ambition to forge ahead in the world left you? If so, you might as well put a stop to your misery. You can do it if you will. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will make you a different individual. It will set your lazy liver to work. It will set things right in your stomach, and your appetite will come back. It will purify your blood. If there is any tendency in your family toward consumption, it will keep that dread destroyer away. Even after consumption has almost gained a foothold in the form of a lingering cough, bronchitis, or bleeding at the lungs, it will bring about a cure in 98 per cent. of all cases. It is a remedy prepared by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., whose advice is given free to all who wish to write him. His great success has come from his wide experience and varied practice.

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ALL about SPERO, MICHAEL & SON "New York Made" clothes. We want to impress on your mind the fact that we are selling better clothes price considered, than any other store. Our Spring and Summer assortments are characterized by an exactness of fit, good tailoring, correctness of style and superiority of quality of materials and workmanship.

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The Model Love Letter.

My dearest everloving Kate, Every time I think on you, my heart flops up and down like a churn dasher. Sensations of unutterable joy caper over me like young goats on a stable roof and thrill through me like Spanish needles through a pair of tow linen pants. As a gosling swimeth with delight through a mud puddle, so swim I through a sea of glory. Visions of elastic rapture thicker than the hairs on a blacking brush and brighter than the hues of a humming bird's pinons, visit me in my slumbers, and borne on their invisible wings I say amen for joy. Your image stands out before me and I reach out to catch it like a pointer snapping at a blue bottle fly. When I first beheld your angelic perfection I was bewildered my brain whirled around like a bumble bee under a glass tumbler. My eyes stood open like two cello doors in a country town and I lifted up my eyes to catch the silvery accents of your voice. My tongue refused to wag and in silent adoration, I drank in the infections of love as a thirsty man drinketh a tumbler of hot whiskey punch. Since the light of your face fell upon my life, I sometimes feel as I could lift myself by the boot straps to the top of the church house steeple and ring the bell for Sunday school. Day and night you are in my thoughts. When aurora's blushing bride rises from her saffron couch, when the jay bird pipes his tune, when the spring house, breathes the coming morn, when the awakening hog arises from his bed and grunteth and goes forth to his morning refreshments; when the drowsy beetle steals to his droning flight at sultry noontide and when the towing herd comes home at milking time, then I think of thee, and like a piece of gum elastic my heart seems stretched clear across my breast. Your hair is like the mane of an old sorrell horse powdered with gold. The same hair we used to find in the hash. As I would gaze upon it, it filled me with unbounded awe. Your forehead is smaller than an old coat and your eyes are glorious to behold. In their liquid depths I see little cupids bathing like a cohort of ants in an old army cracker. When their fire hit me on my manly heart it penetrated my whole anatomy as a load of bird shot through a rotten apple. Your nose is from a chunk of Persian marble and your mouth is puckered with sweet-

ness. Nectar hangs on your lips like honey on a bear's paw and millions of unfledged kisses are there ready to fly out and light somewhere like blue birds out of their parents nest. Your laugh rings in my ears like the wind harp strain or the bleat of a young lamb on a bleak hillside. The dimple on your cheeks are like flowers in a bed of roses or holes in home made sugar. I am dying to fly to thy presence. I would ball dry the Atlantic ocean for the choicest pearls; I would dig four everlasting artesian wells in Colorado, or I would turn over the black Hills for the bright shining gold; I would tunnel from New York to California for the choicest diamonds for thee. Away from you I am melancholy as a sick rat. Sometimes I can hear the June bugs of despondency buzzing in my ears and feel the cold lizzards of despair crawling down my back. Uncouth fears like a thousand minnows nibble at my spirits and my soul is pierced with doubts like an old army cheese bored with skippers. My love for you is stronger than Colorado Creamery butter or the kick of a young cow and more unselfish than a kittens first cat a wail. As a song bird hankereth after the light of the day, the cautious mouse for the fresh bacon in the trap; as a mean pup likes sour milk, so I long for thee. You are fairer than a speckled pullet with that new dress on from Charlie Adams' store. Sweeter than a yankee doughnut fried in sorghum mollasses from Lasky. Brighter than a top not plumage of a Muscovy duck bought from Glovers store. You are candy kisses, raisin pound cake and sweetened toddy altogether. If these few remarks will enable you to see the inside of my soul and me to win your affections, I shall be as happy as a wood pecker on a cherry tree or a state horse in green pasture. Now if you cannot reciprocate my thrilling passions I will pine away like a poisoned bed bug and fall away from a flourishing vine of life, an untimely branch and in the coming years when the shadows grow from the hills, when Bailey gets the presidents chair, Bryan gets his free coinage of silver and Poindexter the governors seat, when the philosophical frog sings his cheerful evening hymns, you happy in a neighbors love come drop a tear and catch a cold upon the everlasting resting place at Westbrook where your faithful lover resides

Spur will hold an election on April 3rd to vote for school bonds to the amount of \$18,000.

The Numbers Three and Seven.

The prominence that these numbers held over others has been remarkable in all ages. In the Bible as well as heathen lands. In the works of ancient and modern poets, and on the statute books and codes of both the new and old worlds abound in instances of their preferment. "The third time's the charm." Dreams were verified in three days. Jonah was in the whale three days. Peter denied the Saviour three times. "Our Saviour asked Peter three times if he loved him." "On the third day our Saviour arose from the dead." The world is made of three substances, land, sky and water. Three lights were given the earth, the sun, moon and stars. There are three persons in the God-head, or Trinity, the Father, Son and Holy Ghost. There were three Patriarchs Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. For praying three times a day Daniel was thrown in the lion's den. "On the third day the commandments were given." There are three articles in religion, faith, hope and charity. "Elijah bowed three times before the dead child." There are three graces. Cerberus had three heads. "Man has three eras, birth, life and death." The day has three periods, morning, noon and night. There are three genders, male, female and neuter. Three days grace are given on bank paper. Our government has three heads, the executive, legislative and judiciary. For animal substances we have three kinds fish, flesh and fowl. Three meals a day is the usual custom. The trees of cloves leaves in threes. "Three wise men came from the east and brought three costly presents gold, frank incense and myrrh." Three Hebrew children were cast in the fiery furnace. "On the third day God came down on Mount Sinai." The most patient man in the Bible was Job, spelled in three letters. The "allwise Ruler of this world" spells his name with three letters, "God." Three letters spell the word ice, a very small word, but small as it is he has caused the death of 753 persons up near the North Pole. Three decades is the average of life and a dread of terror is always before us, the laws of our country, God's judgment and everlasting punishment.

In the Bible the number seven is quite as conspicuous as the word three. There are seven sacraments, baptism, confirmation, eucharist, penance, extreme unction, holy orders and matrimony. There are seven pen-

itential Psalms and seven day prayers and seven deadly sins, pride, avarice, envy, impurity, gluttony, anger and sloth. Seven times seventy constitute many. In the Lord's prayer there are seven petitions expressed in seven times seven words. Solomon was seven years in building the temple and feasted seven days when it was finished. "On the seventh day God rested from his work." On the seventh day of the seventh month the children of Israel went into their tents to feast seven days. In the seventh month the ark landed and seven days after a dove was sent out. Every seventh year all bondsmen were free. In the tabernacle the golden candlestick had seven branches and there were seven lamps besides. Our Saviour spoke seven times from the cross, where he hung seven hours and after his resurrection he appeared seven times. Naaman washed seven times in the Jordan river. At the destruction of Jerico seven priests spent seven days and carried seven trumpets. On the seventh day they surrounded the walls seven times and at the seventh time the walls fell. Abraham pleaded seven times for Sodom. Jacob served seven years for Rachel and mourned seven days for Joseph and was pursued seven days by Laban. Pharaoh's dream foretold a plenty of seven years and a famine of seven years. In his dream there were seven fat and seven lean and seven full ears of corn and seven blasted ears. Seven churches in Asia. Seven stars, seven trumpets, seven plagues, seven thunders, seven vials, seven angels, and a seven headed monster spoken of in Revelations. There are seven stars in the Pleiades, seventy years are allotted to man. At seven years we arrive at the age of reason. The seventh son of the seventh son was supposed to have healing power. At three times seven we arrive at the age of manhood. And every seventh day the moon changes. Nebuchadnezzar eat grass for seven years. "And every seventh year the land rested. Every seventh year the human system changes. "And the seventy years I have allotted to man I have divided into seven thus; seven years in childhood sport and play, seven in school from day to day, seven at a trade or college life, seven to find a place and wife, seven to pleasure folly's given, seven to business hardy driven, seven for some wild goose chase, seven for wealth ofttimes a bootlers race, seven for hoarding for an heir, seven in weakness, old age and ere."

W. E. BERRY.

Notice by Publication of Final Account.

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County--Greeting:
Mrs. Louise A. Bailey, Guardian, of the Estate of A. A. Bailey, having filed in our County Court her Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said A. A. Bailey together with an application to be discharged from said Guardianship.
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That by publication of this Writ for Twenty days successively in a Newspaper regularly published in the County of Mitchell you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the April Term, 1911, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the City of Colorado on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1911, when said Account and Application will be considered by said Court.
Witness Jesse H. Bullock, Clerk of the County Court of Mitchell County, Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office, in the City of Colorado, this 23rd day of March, A. D. 1911.

JESSE H. BULLOCK,
Clerk C. C. Mitchell Co.
A true copy, I certify:
G. B. COUGHRAN,
Sheriff Mitchell County,
By PRESTON SCOTT,
Deputy Sheriff.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

(Real Estate.)
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bexar County, on the 13th day of March A. D. 1911, in the case of Abraham Schraeder versus Clint Roberts No. B-1544, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 24th 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 May A. D. 1911, at being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door of said Mitchell County, in the town of Colorado, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which Clint Roberts had on the 7th day of February A. D. 1911, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit: situated in Mitchell County, Texas, being one hundred and ninety acres of land patented to the S. P. R. Co., July

the 20th, 1873, No. 409, Sur. 1, Abstract No. 281, which deed of trust is of record in Vol. 8, pages 325 et seq Records Mitchell Co., Texas, said property being levied on as the property of Clint Roberts to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$204.08, in favor of Abraham Schraeder interest and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 24th day of March, A. D. 1911
G. B. COUGHRAN,
Sheriff Mitchell County, Tex.,
By PRESTON SCOTT,
Deputy.

Notice of Trustee Election.

In accordance with Sec. 137 of the School laws of Texas, I hereby order an election to be held at the following places for the purpose of electing school trustees for the ensuing year; and the following named persons are hereby appointed presiding officers to hold said election. Said election to be held on Saturday, April 1st, 1911.

- Dist. No. 1, Longfellow, G. L. Carpenter, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 2, Zellmer, W. R. Clark, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 3, Iatan school house, G. E. Suthpens, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 4, Oliver school house, J. H. Airhart, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 5, Lone Star school house, Bert Wheeler, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 6, Cuthbert school house, G. W. Womack, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 7, Rogers school house, W. H. Pond, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 8, Plainview school house, G. D. Bynum, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 9, Herbert school house, R. F. Hargrove, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 10, Buford school house, W. T. Rogers, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 11, Seven Wells school house, C. C. Roach, two to be elected.
- Dist. No. 12, Looney school house, J. B. Story, two to be elected.

Given under my hand and seal of office, the 4th day of March, 1911.
A. J. COE, County Judge,
Mitchell county, Texas.

Fifteen thousand nine hundred pounds, or seven and one half tons of fish were shipped the other day from Brownsville to Northern markets. The fish and oyster industry is assuming increasing importance in Texas and with the modern methods of packing and shipping, the products of this industry find their way to distant markets in good condition and command the highest prices.

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

COLORADO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 1911.

The Record weather forecaster predicts no more cold weather. The mesquite trees are beginning to leave out.

If the United States should annex Mexico we suggest that it be added to Texas and called Mexico county. Nothing small about that.

These bright spring days give us that longing desire to be on the banks of some creek listening to the singing birds and feeling the fish nibbling at our hook.

The purpose of a commercial club is to promote the prosperity of a community, and no city is up-to-date unless it can boast a live commercial club.

When the railroad construction now under way is all completed there will yet be 25 counties in the state without a mile of railroad. Texas needs railroad builders.

The meadow larks are larking, the fields are greener than the people, the ground is getting wetter, the fish are now biting, the people are happier. Come to Mitchell county.

Every boy that is old enough to do farm work should have a plot of land to cultivate in whatever crop he prefers and the proceeds to use as he desires. Start your boy upon an independent and profitable career by giving him an opportunity on the farm. He may become a better farmer than his father, but that should be to your credit.—Farm and Ranch.

Two news items appearing simultaneously in the February press of the state announce with force the greatness of Texas and the wonderful diversification of our natural endowments. One dispatch from the southern part of the state tells of strawberries being shipped by the car load to northern markets and the other of trains that are snow bound in the Panhandle. Harvesting berry crops and running snow plows on the same day is a novel experience that few states can boast.

Mitchell County Road Bonds.
Exceptions were taken by Judge Coe to our article in last week's Record about the Mitchell county road bonds. We intended no reflection on Judge Coe or Commissioners' Court. We suggested that the commercial club appoint a man to help sell these bonds as we thought the court would be glad to accept any outside assistance that could be rendered but we were very emphatically informed that they desired no assistance and that it was wholly within the province of the court to sell the bonds. We were also informed that every effort had and was being made to sell them and that they would be sold in plenty of time to begin work on the roads by the time the farmers had laid by their crops. The article last week was suggested by several business men and was not intended to insinuate or reflect anything or on any one but to bring out just what it did bring, so the public might know that the bonds were being looked after and would be sold in due time.

We might also add that we tax payers paid taxes on certain school bonds and the public is desirous of some information about these but for the present we will ask no questions about the school bonds.

Signs of Spring.

The grass is green, the trees are in leaf, wheat and oats show an almost marvellously luxuriant growth and many of our progressive farmers have some feed up to a good stand and looking good; some cotton planted. Another refreshing shower has fallen since our last issue and there is an abundant season in the ground. Our farmers are happy and there is an optimistic sentiment exhibited in our business circles. Our good prospects create confidence and this makes for better business and trade conditions.

Read the ad of the Star Market this week.

OH, WE DON'T KNOW!

If There's Anything Doing in This Line, Colorado Can Take the Job.

The following straw which blew in from the Big Springs Herald, merely shows the lay of the wind, but is well worth considering:

Willing to Donate \$100,000.

Mr. Elwood, a capitalist from Illinois passed through the city this week enroute to his ranch in the Plains country. In conversation, he stated he was anxious to see Big Springs secure a road from here to Hereford and in case the proposition is put under way would be willing to give \$100,000 and right-of-way through his lands. He further stated that it would not require much effort to insure this line of railroad if we would get in behind the movement.

The Record has always dreamed of seeing the Ellwood lands in Mitchell county cut up and put upon the market for small farmers. These lands comprise nearly one fourth the area of the entire county, and comprise as good agricultural opportunities as any already cultivated. If the Elwood holdings were settled as densely as other portions Mitchell county and the land assessed at the same rate, 'twould add at least 2,500 to our population and \$2,000,000 to our taxable values. With this accomplished, a thriving town could be supported by the increase in population and wealth on those lands alone. Of course, Mr. Elwood may never need the money that would come to him by such an enterprise, like he had found it in the road, but the spirit that would inspire the growing of a thousand blades of grass, where before only one struggled for existence should be worth much to a man of his power and opportunity.

We shall never pass the "great divide" in peace and a shred of satisfaction until we ride on a train from San Angelo to Snyder, via Colorado and Rober Lee or Sterling City. The conditions are ideal. Natr.e has more than met human enterprise half way, while Cxkvel Opportunity gives the "hunch," 365 days in the calendar year.

Our neighbors on the south, Robert Lee or Sterling City, would doubtless join in the promotion of such an enterprise and it goes without saying it in print, that Colorado would do equally well by this as it did by the proposed Robert Lee road. When the first effort was made to promote a road from this place to Robert Lee, the whole of West Texas was tinged with fear of the impending drouth. Now the prospects were never brighter and more—the country has demonstrated the certitude of coming back. It would be easier to raise \$100,000 this fall than it was then to raise one-tenth that amount.

We doubt not that if Mr. Elwood will give \$100,000, put his land on the market and give to the project his sympathetic support as well, that a like amount could be raised by San Angelo, Colorado, Robert Lee and Snyder. And fellow citizens, a railroad from San Angelo to Snyder along the route indicated, would be cheap to Colorado, AT ANY PRICE. It is self-preservation. Let's stir the thing up and that soon.

Next week we will begin the publication of Bro. W. E. Berry's story of his trip around the world. He tells of his travels, what he saw and how the people live in the different countries. This is a true story and will be read with interest.

San Patricio county, of which Aransas Pass is the county seat, has voted \$100,000 worth of bonds for good roads, \$20,000 of which is to be used on an automobile road from Aransas Pass to Ingleside, six miles south.

Use the School House.

"The idea that the school house is too sacred for use except by teachers and children is rapidly vanishing," writes the Texas State Superintendent of Schools in Farm and Ranch. "The belief that the schoolhouse of the community should be the social center for the entire community is now accepted by intelligent students everywhere."

Proselyting.

The newspapers of West Texas are shouting frantically about the prospects for a good crop this year. This is all well and good if it did not call to mind the fact that good crops in that unfortunate part of the continent are few and far between. However, few people in central and eastern Texas will be taken in by the noisy game, as West Texas, with its rattlesnakes, sand storms, hot winds, bare prairies, windjamming liars and continued crop failures is becoming rather too well known.—Carlton Citizen.

This is the most unkindest cut of all, coming as it does from one who once lived at Loraine and ran a newspaper there, boosted the country and wind-jammed about the glorious west and its wonderful opportunities.—Roscoe Times.

The trouble with Bro. Porter was that he tried this bully country and could not make good. He had none of the stuff in him that goes to make a prosperous citizen of West Texas.

When Porter edited (?) the Loraine News he quite frequently referred to this country as "The garden of Eden," "The Golden West," "The elysian fields of peace and plenty where the gentle zephyrs fan maidens' cheeks into American Beauty roses." Now he calls them "sand storms." The fact is Porter failed in the west and it is purely a case of sour grapes in which he calls us all wind-jamming liars including his father-in-law who still lives at Loraine. He has gone back to old Hamilton county and that country has some good land and good people, in fact there is good country in all Texas but none can compare with West Texas, where the ozone is pure as a maidens blush and the horn of plenty pours out its contents to those who stick and have all the elements of a man. Mr. Porter has proven a chronic knocker and the chronic knocker is worse than a wart on the public nose. He is a cancerous growth upon the face of social beauty. He is the tuberculosis of life. The string-halted, balky horse in the team. The knocker like the banana skin, lies in wait to trip up some innocent passer-by. And, like the banana skin, you can tell him by his yellow streak.

It Rained Again.

It rained all last week, rained nearly every day, in fact it has rained so much of late we pay no attention to it when it does rain.

Thursday, however, it became a bit warmer about noon and a slow, steady rain began to fall, continuing throughout the afternoon, and occasional showers fell during the night. While the government register showed but one inch, from the moist condition of the ground it seems that every drop counted and it did as much good as two of three or more of dashing rains would have accomplished.

From reports received this rain has been general all over the state, while west of here it was much heavier, at Pecos and Toyah from one to two inches being reported with some snow further west.

It certainly came in a fine time and those having feed crops planted, some of them up, are feeling pleased.

Taken altogether, March of this year has proved a deceiver; instead of being the disagreeable blistering month we were expecting it has been one of the mildest on record; there has been but few windy days, the greater portion of the month being warm and pleasant, and the coming of the welcome rain causes a belief that March does not deserve the hard record it has been charged up with.

All signs point to plenty of rain throughout the season and with the excellent conditions existing, enabling crops to be planted under ideal conditions there is no reason why the Colorado country should not make a most flattering record this year.

Little Crooks to the Pen; Big Ones to The Senate.

Judge Lindsay of Denver, Colorado, one of the most prominent men of the country engaged in juvenile court work, made an address before the students of Yale University last week on "American Social Conditions." Among the many trenchant things he said, the following touching the recent senatorial scandals, is worth considering: "While we send small crooks to prison in stripes we often send the big ones to the United States Senate."

Again: "While I am not cynical, I would like to inquire why the universities are sending out so many crooks. The universities send out many good men, some of the best there are, to fight for righteousness. But the biggest crooks I have ever known are men out of the universities. They are equipped with great intelligence, and are dot the bones which attracted the dog on guard under the apple tree. They find the bones. In some cases it is a Judgship; in others it is the United States Senate."

The railroad people have advanced the price of homeseekers tickets 20 per cent.

Send Your Local Paper Back East.

Our plan for the commercial club to subscribe and pay for one hundred papers four month and send free to the farmers in East Texas is a good one. We propose to secure the names of 100 good farmers in East Texas and send the Record four months to each one of them for 25 cents each. There is absolutely no profit in this to us except the advertisement we would get out of it and we believe if 100 names is added to our list for four months that 25 per cent of them will become permanent subscribers and 10 per cent of them will become Mitchell county farmers. There is certainly 50 men in Colorado that would give 50 cents to try this plan.

All this summer the Record will be telling wonderful stories about the big crops and what this man has done and what that one has raised and if this is put into the homes of East Texas farmers it will beat any kind of advertising matter you can send them. They all have their eyes on West Texas and will read every line of a local paper published in the west.

Learning to Keep House.

After the girls have learned how to cook all kinds of food, their composition, nutritive values, etc., says a domestic science teacher, the subject of sewing is taken up. This is always enjoyed by all of the class. The pupils have their formal and informal luncheons and dinners. Let me illustrate: of a class of 12 girls, six will cook a dinner, and the other six have the dining room. One girl acts as host, another as hostess, and the other four are guests. The girls in the kitchen, each in turn plays the part of waiter, and follows out the instructions of which guest to go to first, which side to serve from, and many other instructions.

Take Time to Live.

"Women do not work like men," says the "Household" editor in Farm and Ranch for March 18. "They rush feverishly into their work, work with every muscle taut, every nerve strained and from one duty to the next, as if there would never be a tomorrow, never another opportunity; this is why so many break down, 'become old before their time,' become slaves to duty, making it constant drudgery. 'Let's call a halt and rest; take time to live as well as work; to recreate and read; to visit occasionally, and let someone else help to run the ship, that the voyage may be brighter and last longer.'"

A True Optimist.

J. P. Wood, living on Bluff creek in the southwest corner of Taylor county, when interrogated by the Pavement Perigrapher as to conditions of crops in his district he said, "I have lived on Bluff creek thirty-five years, and have seen just as good prospects for crops at this season of the year as we now have, but a big majority of our farmers have their lands in better shape than ever before, and I look for good crops. It is said that when the mesquite buds begin to burst all danger of frost has passed, but during my 35 years here I have known Jack Frost to kill the mesquite buds twice. But I'm going to risk it, however, and plant cotton next week. I bought 100 bushels of improved seed for which I paid \$100, but I buy improved seed every two or three years, and find that it pays me well."

Breaking Land for Corn.

The roots of the corn are the feeders for the stalk and they can't go down in the soil and gather food to support the stalk in land that is unbroken. You need a deep, firm seed bed, but not a hard, unbroken seed bed. "Putting up land with a buster" is not properly preparing the land; it's only going through the motion. If you will examine the roots of corn when it is about matured on land that has been properly prepared, you will be convinced that the roots could not go the proper depth to gather the food from the soil to support the stalk in land that has not been broken.

If you will take a hoe and scrape the dirt off of one of your beds made with a middle buster and look at it good, and apply common sense to the case, you will never make another one.

West Texas is coming into her own this year. Mr. Hastings tells us he has received more inquiry about land the past two weeks than ever before. A real buyer was here last week and a trade will be closed. One man came from the east and bought a section of land just north of Iatan and will improve it at once. Come to Mitchell county.

Texas land is the cheapest land in the world today considering its productive capacity, but its value is steadily increasing and the opportunities for land investment are growing less and less as the state develops.

After The Grippe
"I am much pleased, to be able to write and thank you for what Cardui has done for me," writes Mrs. Sarah J. Gilliland, of Siler City, N. C.
"Last February, I had the Grippe, which left me in bad shape. Before that, I had been bothered with female trouble, for ten years, and nothing seemed to cure it.
"At last, I began to take Cardui. I have taken only three bottles, but it has done me more good than all the doctors or than any other medicine I ever took."

Take CARDUI
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For the after-effects of any serious illness, like the Grip, Cardui is the best tonic you can use. It builds strength, steadies the nerves, improves the appetite, regulates irregularities and helps bring back the natural glow of health.
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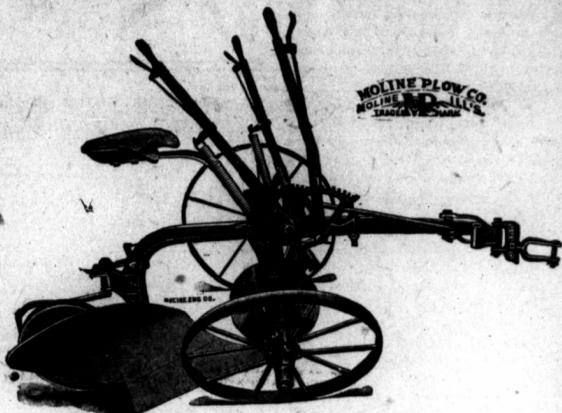
Corn Chops, per cwt.	\$1.20
Bran, per cwt.	\$1.35
Oats (to arrive) bushel	.45
Corn, clean No. 2	.67
Cotton Meal, per cwt.	\$1.35
Cotton Seed Hulls, per cwt.	.60
Best Oklahoma Prairie Hay (extra heavy bales) per bale	.65
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While this is primarily intended to get new business, my old patrons are equally welcome to take advantage of the concession. City deliveries will be charged 25c.

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Hobbies of the Rich.
The number of outdoor hobbyists are legion, says Hoiand's Magazine for April, in a delightfully humorous article on the hobbies of the rich. One of the most ardent of the outdoorsists is Charles P. Taft, who has a brother prominent in Washington.

He is a fan of the deepest dye. He runs a paper just so he can get the latest scores without it costing him anything. During the summer season they deliver his afternoon mail at the ball park. Brother Bill is a baseballist, too, and when the two get together and get to comparing "Ty" Cobb and "Hans" Wagner the Senator in the reception room has to sit and twist his thumbs.

"Sunny Jim" Sherman, who is Taft's fireman on the Republican freight, is also a baseball bug. Only Jim is not content to sit in a box with his straw hat pulled down over his eyes, and tap his digits when a good play is pulled off. Not much, Jim, he gets right out on the firing line and scores the game. Whenever he comes in gunshot of a game he is called in to score it. By his willingness to do this he has cut down his baseball expense money quite considerably this summer.

Golf, of all the outdoor hobbies, has the biggest clientele. Of course John D. Rockefeller, who is more or less prominent in Standard Oil circles, is the leader.

That is really not John D's hobby. Wearing paper vests is his passionate, undying hobby.

J. Pierpont Morgan, who never had less than ten million dollars in his life, has the least expensive hobby of any of the rich 'uns. Of course he collects pictures and rides in taxicabs and all that, but when he gets right down to enjoying himself he plays solitaire. Most men could take the brain energy he spends on solitaire in a month and inside of a year be in Dun's in black face.

If a fire broke out in his home during a game of solitaire he probably wouldn't know about it until the fire company turned on the chemical extinguisher.

In Texas nature is quite a farmer and lines of industry are well developed without the assistance of man. Our native grasses compare favorably with the domestic variety; berries abound in the wild state throughout our entire area and our forests provide all nuts found on the market, but the latest adventure of nature as a farmer on a gigantic scale comes

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from Southwest Texas. It is reported that a volunteer crop of melons were recently discovered growing along the Rio Grande River and that melons ripe and ready to eat were picked from the vine the latter part of January. Texas has always been among the earliest states to market watermelons but this is perhaps the earliest crop ever grown in the United States and is another evidence of the productiveness of Texas soil and mildness of climate and gives Texas a record in watermelon growing that surpasses all other states in the Union.

Farmers in nearly every section of the state are preparing to plant the best seed the market affords, in order to make a good showing at the Fair next Fall and for demonstration purposes. The Industrial Agents of rail-

roads who have in charge the conducting of the demonstration trains making personal visits to farmers for the purpose of urging upon them the necessity for the planting of the highest quality of seed. The demonstration trains are now considered a permanent feature of the industrial department of a railroad and the industrial agents are adding agricultural experts to their corps who will be sent out among the farmers to preach the gospel of agriculture.

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.

Your ad in the Record will get results.

Here and There

Groveton the county seat of Trinity county is erecting a new court house at a cost of \$55,000.

The Brady Commercial Club is working for a \$75,000 road bond issue and a \$40,000 bond issue for city water works.

During the last decade we have built 89 new cotton seed mills making an increase of 87 per cent in establishment and showing a total of 191 mills to date of last report, Feb. 28 1911.

The Kansas City Packer estimates that 400 carloads of onions will be shipped from Laredo, Texas, during the 1911 season to the Northern markets.

Dr. Edgar Odell Lovett, President of the Rice Institute of Houston, will deliver the Baccalaureate address of the University of Texas on commencement day, Tuesday, June 13.

The Pecos Commercial Club has recently closed a deal with a Northern company for the erection of a pecking house at Pecos, and construction of the plant will begin at once.

Waco is constructing a twenty two story office building. The building will be equipped with every modern convenience and will be one of the tallest and most thoroughly equipped in the south.

The San Angelo Milling Company has completed plans and is receiving bids for the erection of a \$30,000 flour mill, to replace the mill destroyed by fire last winter. The mill will be equipped with the latest improved flour machinery and the capacity will be 200 barrels.

The McKinney Commercial Club has secured a soap factory which begun operations Monday, March 20th in that city. The plant will begin with an output of 50 cases per day with machinery sufficient to manufacture 100 cases or more as the sales demand.

Stamford will let the contract within the next few days for six blocks of paving, giving the city a total of thirty four blocks of permanent pavement.

Jacksonville has a good road bond issue on foot to bond the Jacksonville Justice precinct for \$100,000 for good roads; also there is an issue on to put in sewerages.

The second hot water artesian well has been sunk at Marlin and is now gushing 152,000 gallons daily with a temperature of 152 degrees, making it one of the hottest wells in the world.

The Nells Buck Company of Chicago has just purchased 10,000 acres of fruit land in Bee county, Texas which is to be cut up in small tracts and sold to settlers in the near future.

The County Court of Jefferson county has awarded the contract for the grading of a road leading from El Vista to Port Arthur a distance of about three and a quarter miles. The road is to be 20 feet in width and will require 32,000 cubic yards of earth to complete it.

Beaumont and Orange are to soon have a twenty-five foot channel to the sea, the counties of Orange and Jefferson dividing the expense with Federal Government.

The Texas Realty Journal estimates that 750 car loads of onions will be shipped from Asherton, Texas this year, compared with 56 car loads last year. This will bring the onion growers \$400,000 and the farmers of that section have large crops of other vegetables as well as a large acreage of cotton.

It is claimed that on one marble mountain in Brewster county, there is more marble in sight than could be moved in 100 years with all the men and machinery that could be put to it, and core drillings have proved that the deposit extends 100 feet below the surface.

The Beaumont Chamber of Commerce is exhibiting a new species of Texas grown grass, known as "Speltz" which was grown near that city. It is one of the most nutritious of winter grasses and has no superior as a food for stock. The grass on exhibition was grown in four weeks, to a height

of four feet. The Beaumont Chamber of Commerce is devoting lots of and money to the advancement

agricultural interests in that section and the encouragement and promotion of agricultural development is one of the leading features of their work.

Another industry has been added to Texas' list of accomplishments in the Sugarland Pulp mills in Brazoria county which opened up a plant in that section last week for the purpose of manufacturing wrapping paper out of sugar cane stalks. Sugar cane is one of the staple crops of the state and furnishes food for both man and beast, but the making of paper from the discarded stalks, after the sugarmaking properties had been deducted, is a new industry and one which will add its pro rata to the wealth of the state.

Several car loads of honey have been shipped in one week from Uvalde along to northern markets where it sells at top prices and is recognized as the best in the world. The number of farms keeping bees in Texas are 75,000 and there are 600,000 swarms in the state. The estimated value of swarms in Texas is \$5,500,000 while the annual honey production is estimated at 5,000,000 pounds and the annual production of wax is 275,000 pounds.

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five bushels per acre and the total amounting to about 24,325,000 bushels. More attention than ever is being paid to the oats crop by Texas farmers, and Texas ranks with the best oats producing states in the Union.

Seguin is extending and making improvements on their waterworks system, 9000 feet of new water mains is being laid and 20 new fire plugs are being installed.

A handsome fireproof building has been erected by the Texas City Electric Light Company. The plant has recently been incorporated with a capital stock of \$100,000.

The commercial club at Comanche is working up a sentiment for bonding the county for road building purposes. The farmers are co-operating in the work and the rural districts will line solidly in favor of progress.

Camp county farmers are preparing to improve their public highways and a proposition to bond the county for road building purposes will be submitted in the near future. The farmers of Camp county are both prosperous and progressive.

The recent rains in the San Antonio country have filled a twofold purpose, besides putting the ground in excellent condition they have emphasized the necessity for good roads and it is stated that more miles of good roads will be built in that section this year than ever before.

Texas affords the widest range of agricultural opportunities perhaps of any state in the Union. On account of its vast area and varied climate there is scarcely a product known to agriculture that cannot be successfully raised in the state.

Good roads are winning a permanent place in popularity with the farmers and no community is considered progressive that has not improved its public highways. Build good roads and place your community in the progressive class.

The poultry possibilities of Texas are now recognized as never before and the tide of industrial endeavor is running in the direction of their development with a strength that is very gratifying to witness and which indicates that Texas in the near future will find in them as great a source of wealth as the states that now stand at the head of the column in poultry production.

Texas is the greatest cotton producing section in the southern states, which have a practical monopoly of the cotton crop of the entire world. Texas produces enough cotton to give the entire world one suit of clothes apiece and then have some left.

Recent reports from South Texas say that more seed have been sold by the different seed and floral companies for the 1911 season than ever before, and that a larger acreage will be planted this year than in the history of the state.

The \$75000 electric light plant which has been under construction for the past year at Pecos, has been completed. The greater portion of the power generated will be used to supply electricity for running pumps in the irrigation district.

Dr. Bliss Perry, Professor of English Literature in Harvard University, and for many years editor of the Atlantic Monthly, will address the students of the University of Texas at the meeting of the Folk-Lore Society of Texas in Austin, April 8, 1911.

The Stamford Waterworks Company is having a mammoth reservoir constructed with a capacity for storing four hundred million gallons of water. It will have a drainage area of about five thousand acres. The new reservoir is being constructed at a cost of \$20,000.

THE JURY RETURNS UNANIMOUS VERDICT.
(By a Staff Correspondent)
A jury consisting of some of the most distinguished chemists of America has returned a unanimous verdict of "not guilty" in the case of Kwocker et al., vs. Coca-Cola. It will be remembered that some time ago a report was circulated to the effect that Coca-Cola contained injurious materials and was, therefore, harmful in its effects upon the human body.

The rumor was originated by an unscrupulous competitor of Coca-Cola the popular temperance drink spread rapidly and found some credence among those who did not know the origin of the report.

The jury finds that not only does Coca-Cola contain nothing harmful, but that it is much superior to tea and coffee in that it is free from tannic acid and therefore promotes digestion instead of retarding it. Each of the distinguished chemists reported that he had made a careful chemical analysis of Coca-Cola and found it to contain no "dope" of any kind. If you would like to see copies of these letters written to the Coca-Cola Company, Atlanta, Ga., for a free copy of the booklet entitled "The Truth About Coca-Cola." The jury was as follows:

1. John M. McCandless, State Chemist of Georgia.
2. B. B. Ross, State Chemist of Alabama.
3. Dr. A. I. Metz of Tulane University.
4. Prof. W. B. Burney of South Carolina College.
5. Prof. C. H. Palm of the University of Texas.
6. Dr. Wm. H. Taylor, State Chemist of Virginia.
7. Dr. Louis Schaefer, President of Schaefer Alkaloid Works, Maywood, New Jersey.
8. Prof. Emerson R. Miller, of Alabama Polytechnic Institute.
9. Dr. J. C. Mims, Chemist of the Board of Health, New Orleans.

The Record is the best local paper in West Texas.

OVER THE STATE.

The Texas steer scales tariff walls of foreign countries with as much ease as his ancestor climbed an ordinary farm fence.

One thousand students are expected in the University of Texas Summer School, which opens June 17 and continues until August 5.

Lamar county, of which Paris is the county seat, is to have an election soon to issue \$300,000 in bonds for the construction of good roads.

Thirteen solid carloads of eggs have been shipped from Flatonia, Texas, during the past few weeks to New York and other Northern markets.

Smithville is erecting a pickle plant that will be large enough to take care of their 1911 cucumber crop. Cucumbers are a leading crop in that section.

Abilene has just completed the paving of fourteen business blocks and is making efforts to extend the paving into the residence section of the city.

Last week several car loads of shelled peanuts were shipped from Texas to Honolulu, to be used in a candy manufacturing plant in the Hawaiian capital.

Last week on his farm near Cotulla, President Kerr of the Stockman National Bank of Cotulla, discovered a rich deposit of coal while sinking a well on his land.

Bonds have been approved by the attorney general for the \$100,000 road bond issue at Sweetwater. A govern-

ment expert will superintend the work of building the roads.

The public schools of Texas are on a higher plane of efficiency and are enjoying an era of greater prosperity than ever before in their history. The extension and improvement of our rural schools during the past few years is an important step made by our educational system and reflects great credit on the people of this state.

Texas has 122,000 births annually, which is a birth every four minutes. This is a splendid record but even at this rate it will take the stork sixty-five years to double its population. The stork is a valuable bird but entirely too slow for empire building. We need people from other states and countries.

No state in the Union grows so many varieties of plums successfully as does Texas. In Dimmit county, which is one of the banner plum counties of Texas, one man reports that on an acre of ground planted in plum trees, he realized \$400 last year and urges the farmers in that county to increase their acreage of this valuable fruit in planting their orchards this spring.

The immigration toward Texas is assuming larger proportions every day, and practically every important railroad whose lines extend into Texas are running special trains into the state. A pleasing feature of our immigration is that it is composed of a class of prosperous, substantial men and women who, are turning their faces towards Texas with the view of making permanent homes in the state.

About 700,000 acres of oats were harvested in Texas during 1910, the yield varying from twenty to seventy-

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Its Cause and How to Cure It.

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

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

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

J. R. Hall and Mr. Hurd, two of Loraine's citizens were here on business this week. Mr. Hurd has recently moved to this county from Lamesa. Mr. Hall said he had been in this county five years and this was the best season so far he had seen.

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

Master Otis Cursner, 4 years old, stood up before the Sunday School at the Christian Church last Sunday and repeated every golden text in their order for the past quarter. Mrs. Ed Jones has the honor of being the teacher, and she may well be proud of so brilliant pupil. How many "grown ups" or teachers of the Sunday schools in Colorado can do this?

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

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Payne spent Sunday in Loraine, Mrs. Victor returning with them. She will for a few days be the guest of Mrs. Looney.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.

Mr. Bell who has been suffering greatly lately with rheumatism is much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Warren arrived this morning from their home in Colorado to spend a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sheppard.

Judge Shepherd returned this morning from Colorado, where he spent Sunday with home folks.—Sweetwater Signal.

Ben Morgan now has the City Cafe and asks all to give him a trial. Fine line of candies, tobaccos and cigars, cold drinks and ice cream. Cream orders filled in any quantities.

Mrs. Buck of Pecos spent Tuesday the guest of her friend, Mrs. Blandford.

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Let's clean up our town before hot weather. Read the City Marshal's notice in this week's paper, then get busy.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.

J. B. Neal who lives out on Route 1, and who bears the name of being a good farmer enrolled his name this week with the intelligent class and now reads the Record. We have been urged to publish something on Neal but we refrain as it is said the one making the request was mixed up in the affair and was the more guilty of the two. Neal formerly lived in the Buford country but is now out near Loraine.

For Sale.
nearly new Fox type writer, for sale. Phone or see
A. J. CULPEPPER.

Mrs. C. C. Blandford spent Friday in Abilene attending a joint session of the officers of the Home and Foreign Missionary societies. It was decided to hold a joint session in Childress in June. An invitation was given from Colorado which was to have had the Foreign Mission meeting but this was declined.

Sunday afternoon the ladies were invited to the Brotherhood meeting to hear the talks upon Elijah, led by Mr. Roe. A number gladly availed themselves of this opportunity and were present. Mr. Roe's talk was excellent. He began with Elijah's appearance before Ahab, the coming of the drought, God's care of Elijah, the contest of God and Baal on Mt. Carmel and closed with God coming to Elijah in the still small voice. His audience was made to see the greatness of the prophet and God's care of him and his care for all of us who go out to do his bidding. Dr. Coleman followed Mr. Roe speaking of the different work God had for each of us to do and how impossible it was for any of us to do another's work. Dr. Weston spoke most beautifully of the universal brotherhood and how dependent we all are. Mr. Marshall spoke of God's rebuke to Elijah in the still small voice and Elijah's place among the great men of the earth. Mr. Roe closed with a brief summary of the talks. New thoughts were brought out and all who have been studying this great character in the Sunday school especially enjoyed this discussion of him. Incidentally it proved to the ladies the ability possessed by the laymen as public speakers and made them hope for another invitation to the meetings of the brotherhood.

The Hesperian Club met Friday with Mrs. Hart and enjoyed the pleasure of discussing the study to be taken up next year. The year book committee, Mrs. Collier, Mrs. Payne and Mrs. Broadus, having a number of good things to offer, the decision was postponed until next week.

The delegate to the district meeting is Mrs. Stoneroad who will go April 20 to Mineral Wells and will have a fine report to give. The lesson was conducted by Mrs. Collier, splendid papers being given by Mrs. Hart, Mrs. Broadus and Miss Jo Dry who most interestingly gave her article as poetry a change much enjoyed by the club. Mrs. Phenix was present and told of some of the interesting things she saw while away.

At the close of the session the hostess served a delicious ice with macaroons and though the company had to gather around the stove the sherbet was just as good as could be. Miss Stoneroad is the hostess this week.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

On November 4th, 1908, I was appointed City Secretary to fill the unexpired term of J. A. Fore, whose resignation was accepted on that date. In April 1909 I was elected to said office, which I have endeavored to fill to the best of my ability. I now offer for reelection on the 4th day of April, and while the salary is only ten dollars per month, my business is made up of the like, and when we remember that the Mayor and Aldermen serve gratis, it seems that the \$10 is enough. With my record as your servant and with this announcement before you, if you FEEL like voting for me, add motion to your feeling and go to the court house on the 4th of April and vote your feeling. With these few remarks, I am yours to serve.

ERNEST KEATHLEY

Master Cloize King has bought the Saturday Evening Post list from Stanton Whipkey and will in the future deliver them to you promptly.

Died at his home in Cuthbert, Texas, of hemorrhage from the lungs, Sandy Taylor Edwards, aged 68 years and 19 days.

Grandpa Edwards, as he was called, had been in Texas only a few years, but his cheerful sunny spirit, kindly heart and lovable disposition had endeared him to all. Hopeful, he was in the darkest hours, resigned under the heaviest afflictions. He was in every respect a son of the sunny south. One by one the old veterans pass away and this one asked to be laid to rest in the jacket of gray he loved so well. Very peaceful and noble he looked in his uniform of gray like a soldier of Truth ready to meet his commander.

Services at Christian Church.

Regular services will be held at the Christian church on Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The pastor will talk to the children at the close of the Sunday school and desires a full attendance at that hour. Special music and you are cordially invited.
M. S. DUNNING,
Pastor.

Irl Hicks Almanacs.

At last we have been able to get the 1911 Irl Hicks Almanac and now have them here. As it is a little late for them we have reduced the price to 20c and will send his "Word and Works" magazine three months free to each person who buys an almanac. Come on, you can't farm successfully without Hicks.

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Proceedings of the Meeting of the Cattle Raisers' Association.

Mitchell County Cattle Raisers' Association at a called meeting, held Saturday, March 26, 1911 in the offices of the Colorado National Bank, in the absence of the president, F. E. McKenzie, who was detained en route by an accident to his automobile, as well as that of the secretary, Brooks Bell, who was confined to his home by illness, D. McCuningham was made president and U. D. Wulfjen, secretary, pro tempore.

Mr. W. N. Waddell of Fort Worth, chairman of the Texas Livestock Sanitary Commission, was present and outlined his methods for the protection and fostering of the cattle interests of West Texas, as well as rational application of the quarantine law.

It was the unanimous opinion of those present that his methods were not alone practical, rational and effective, but that his method of executing the law would stimulate and protect the cattle industry of this state. To this and the consensus of determination was that every member of this association would co-operate in the effort to free their pastures of ticks, to the end that the whole of Mitchell county would thereby be put above the quarantine line.

Mr. Waddell is an old Mitchell county boy and his former friends rejoice to see his success and advancement. The following resolution was offered by Dr. P. C. Coleman and unanimously adopted:

Whereas, we have listened with great pleasure and profit to W. N. Waddell, chairman of the Texas Livestock Sanitary Commission, in setting forth his plans for carrying on his work, there, be it resolved, that we work, therefore, be it resolved that we pledge him our support and co-operation, and we believe it is the intention of our people to make a determined effort to eradicate ticks from their pastures, to the end that at an early date, the whole of Mitchell county will be placed above the quarantine line.

DAN MCCUNNINGHAM,
President pro tem.
U. D. WULFJEN,
Sec. pro tem.

Country School Gardens.

Seventy-five per cent of our students must be producers; how to become such most successfully is the question that must be answered by our educators and our people, says Farm and Ranch.

The country school garden must measure up to the demands of everyday life, fitting us for a knowledge of and close relation to our life work. If our students are expected to grow the crops that uphold our very lives, can they learn the why and how too early? If they are qualified to master the principles of the present scholastic tuition, they are qualified to learn the principles and workings of nature's forces in the production of crops, the crops on which our nation's life depends. Yes, let us have country school gardens covering all the phases of our life work.

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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.

Easy Work.

Woman with Heavy-suit of Hair—"What! a dollar for dressing my hair? You charged Mrs. Fewlocks only fifty cents!"
Hair-dresser—"But, my dear lady, she sent her hair to me last night, and I arranged it when I'd nothing else to do."—Holland's.

Plenty of It.

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

Record and Dallas News \$1.75.

One For the Bank Cashier.

Mrs. Oldwed—"Mrs. Newlywed has recently opened a bank account for the first time?"
Mr. Oldwed—"How do you know?"
Mrs. Oldwed—"She borrowed carfare from me yesterday and today she sent me a check for ten cents."—Holland's Magazine.

Great is Colorado.

We are getting words of praise every day from our leading citizens about our fine streets. Colorado IS looking better, there is no doubt about it, but there is another matter that must be attended to, the ladies of our town have been begging me to see to this at once and have promised to stand by me in this move, which is to be "The Tin Can Move."

We will give the time limit for these alleys to look their best until April 10th. Let everybody "get busy" and see that all trash, etc., is moved away by that time. The city will see to the moving after that date at only \$1.00 per load.

We are glad our good ladies have asked this and we will see to it that this work is done. Read the letter.

L. E. AYERS,
City Marshal.

Mr. Ayers:
You are doing wonders to our little city, but please have the alleys cleaned up.
READER.

FOR SALE

Roses, Ferns, Geraniums and Evergreens.

I now have for sale a fine lot of 2 year old roses, ferns, geraniums, verbena, 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.

Posted By Law.

All persons are notified not to trespass on my land about six miles northwest of Colorado, being the north half survey 21, block 27, T. & P. Ry. Co. This place is posted according to law and all trespassers will be prosecuted.
W. M. MERRELL,
3-31p.

Record and Dallas News, \$1.75.

Why He Was Cheerful.

Mamma—"See how cheerfully your little friend goes about his task. Takes his basket and starts on an errand. No grumbling there."
Little friend—"Yes, Janny. Come wit' me, I got two cats to wash."
—Holland's



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LOCAL NOTES

W. C. Ralph, brother of the agent Ralph is here on an extended visit from Dallas.

Are you reading the W. E. Berry story running in the Record.

Miss Lona Herrington was hostess for the P. M. G. this week. After the program which was very interesting delicious ice cream and cake were served. All had a most delightful time. Miss Eril King will entertain next Wednesday.

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

Mr. A. J. Smith informs us that his father who was a Jones county farmer has sold out there and will move to Colorado. He will likely occupy the C. L. McDonald place east of the school house.

Have you seen the Radford ice ad on the first page?

Stancil Whipkey left on Wednesday night for Vincennes, Ind. where he goes to spend the summer with his aunt on the farm. Cloize King has bought the Saturday Evening Post route and will deliver to you in his stead.

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

The Fort Worth Record is now on sale at the City Cafe.

Mrs. L. W. Sandusky went over to Fort Worth this week on a visit to her sister Mrs. John Rix.

Mrs. B. F. Mills, the old reliable millinery. Always here and this season with a bigger and better line of new hats and ladies headwear than ever. Place your order for that Easter hat.

Mrs. Mollie Yow of Dallas and Miss Kattie Patterson of Pauls Valley, Okla., who have been some time on a visit to the guests of Jack J. Patterson, returned home this week. Miss Kattie is stopping for a short visit to relatives in Collin county.

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 running ear 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 surfaces.

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 circulars, free.

F. J. CIBNEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Prude are home again from Ft. Stockton having arrived on Monday. Mrs. Bailey who was out there with them remained with some of her folks who are sick. The Prudes will spend the summer in the Davis Mountains. Mrs. Bailey returned home Wednesday.

We have a car of fine cane, Kaffir corn and maize seed. All good, fresh re-cleaned seed. Come and see them.

W. H. GARDNER, Mgr.,
Farmers Union Warehouse Co.

To The Public.
I have been exclusive selling agent for the Saturday Evening Post and Ladies Home Journal for more than a year and as I am now quitting the business (having sold to Cloize King), I want to most heartily thank the many customers who bought the papers from me and especially those who "stayed with me" through all this time. I certainly appreciated the trade given me, as it has enabled me to spend the summer in Indiana with my aunts, where I expect to have a jolly time "fishin' and swimmin'." In turning the business over to Cloize King, I want to say that he will give you as good service as I did. He is reliable and prompt and will "make good." Again thanking you one and all, I remain,

Yours very truly,
STANCIL WHIPKEY.

Manuel, the home tailor tell you about Easter suits this week.

City Cafe for pure ice cream, cold drinks and confections.

The K. of P. and the Pythian Sisters held a very pleasant meeting Tuesday evening at which time Mr. Jamie Sherwin was invited into the mysteries of the lodge. A banquet was afterward served and a number of speeches made. These were both interesting and instructive and all present enjoyed the evening greatly.

City Cafe will fill ice cream orders in any quantities and deliver anywhere.

The G. F. C's were entertained Thursday by Miss Angie Buchanan in a very delightful manner. The attendance was good and the 42 game most interesting.

Cloize King is now selling agent for the Post and Home Journal. If you do not buy or take it, see Cloize and give him your order. He is reliable and prompt.

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

Mrs. N. B. Largent of Midland is visiting Mrs. Tom Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustine are home from Mineral Wells very much improved in health.

Mrs. Collier's Sunday school class are arranging for a delightful April fool party Friday night at Mrs. Major's.

Beautiful line of Easter millinery at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Word comes from Washington that our Mrs. Smith has been made vice president of the Congressional Womens Club. This is an honor that Mrs. Smith's Colorado friends are greatly pleased over, as they know she will hold the office with dignity and grace.

Mrs. Robt. M. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Van Tuyl all went down to Sweetwater on Tuesday to attend the Dawes cantata and report a fine time and a successful recital. Mr. Dawes may bring his Sweetwater class to Colorado.

Notice.
I hereby call a meeting of the Mitchell County Farmer's Union, to meet at the court house in Colorado the First Monday in April, promptly at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of transacting such business as may come before it.

Bro. W. T. Loudermilk, president of the State Union of Texas will be with us on that occasion and will deliver a public speech at two o'clock p. m. Everybody is invited to attend. Please remember the date, Monday, April 3rd.

E. M. McCRELESS,
President County Union.

Prof. Dawes, who will take a leading part in the Choral Club recital in our city tonight, arrived this morning from Colorado. Prof. Dawes has a state reputation as a musical instructor.—Sweetwater Signal.

Mrs. Joe Stoles of Colorado City, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. G. M. Elkins and Mrs. George Bradley and brother J. M. Mason, this week.—Post City Post.

M. M. Eglehart of Colorado was in the city this week.

Judge Brewer of Colorado was attending District Court at this place this week.

Last Saturday afternoon little Miss Dimple Gross celebrated her birthday by inviting her friends to join her in her home, which they gladly did, and after enjoying many games and the refreshments which followed, the guests departed wishing her many more happy birthdays.—Snyder Signal.

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Since our last report quite a number have come in and paid up and complimented the paper and several others have enrolled as new subscribers. Among them we note the following: W. S. Harris of Loraino, Route No. 1, J. G. Doby, Colorado, A. Petty, Westbrook; J. B. Neal, Colorado Route 1; M. H. Sneed, Ray, Arizona; J. F. Bodine, Colorado; Homer Green, Colorado.

For Sale.
My residence property for sale on easy terms. Apply to C. C. GRAVES.

Mike Ratliff, the man of few words, visited Big Springs yesterday.

A prominent business man—complimented the Record very highly this week by saying it got better every week and he appreciated the paper very much.

Wes Allen and daughter, Miss Lillie Allen came in home this week from Ft. Worth from a visit there after the stock show.

Miss Cora Lindsay of Oakland California, who has been here the past two months on a visit to her parents, Judge and Mrs. R. H. Loomer, will leave Sunday night for her California home.

Ernest Knott spent a few days here this week from the ranch near Big Springs on his way to Ft. Worth.

Scotty Scott, Homer Robinson, Frank Hughes and Moore, four of Colorado's leading base ball fans all went to Abilene on Wednesday to see the White Sox play. They report a fine game and picked up several pointers for the Colorado team and will introduce several new stunts here.

Miss Isla Bess Looney returned home Thursday morning from a very pleasant visit to Dallas and Ft. Worth.

Carbon paper at the Record office.

Lost.
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C. C. BLANFORD.

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The Standard Club is making good progress in their course of study this year. They have finished Shakespeare's Henry the Eighth and also Bay View Course on Spain, Portugal, Norway and Sweden. This month they are beginning the Bay View course on Holland. The Chief item of interest concerning the Standard Club is that a great compliment has been paid them in the formation of the Junior Standard Club. This is composed of the sisters and daughters of the Standard Club, and they are taking the same Bay View studies this year.

The officers are, Mrs. J. M. Thomas, president; Miss Elsie Hooper, vice president; Miss Isla Bess Looney, secretary-treasurer; Miss Eleanor Van Tuyl, co-secretary.

Members of the Book Club.
Members of the Book Club are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. R. M. Webb, Saturday, April 1, at 3 o'clock, for the election of new officers for the coming year. The present officers are going out and those wishing to continue the club will please attend this meeting. There will be the regular auction sale of books and all whether members or not will be welcome.

Respectfully,
MRS. P. C. COLEMAN,
President.

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

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The Foreign Mission Study Circle met Monday with Mrs. Merritt. There was good attendance and a very interesting lesson upon the Medical Missionaries. Special topics and a discussion of the text was so enthusiastic that the leader, Mrs. Davis could hardly get through with the lesson. This was followed by some interesting missionary questions and a social session, during which light refreshments were served.

The next meeting is the second Wednesday in April with Mrs. Ruddick, the leader being Mrs. Collier.

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Notice to Horsemen.
My two fine jacks also my German coach stallion will make the season at old Iatan this spring. See my stock and investigate before breeding. I also wish to say that I want to sell one of these fine jacks and will offer a bargain. Come to see me and my stock at old Iatan.

JOE B. NEEL.

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

Orange county is preparing to vote a bond issue of \$100,000 for good roads in that county.

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