SEVENTH YEAR,

OKLAHOMA STORM

TWENTY TOWNS WERE STRUCK BY SATURDAY'S TORNADO IN OKLAHOMA.

GREAT PROPERTY DAMAGE.

- To Have Been Killed in That State.

tent of the devastation and loss of trip to Wichita Falls. On account of his little daughter was taken serious- and Butler; Messrs Lennis Wilson, life and property from Saturday's tor- Mrs. Merritt's illness she cannot go, ly sick while here, but hope for her Dan Butler and Thomas Ridens.

western and central Oklahoma; that women are observing this week as will be honk-honking around the Edna Britton Saturday and Sunday. two of them Butler and Foss, were clean up time and all expect to have streets. more than a hundred injured are ac- ness and order. The hostess served chorus classes an outing last Moncounted for.

Other deaths are reported but can- Mrs. Hart is hostess this week. not be verified because swollen streams prevent rescue parties from ATTORNEY BASKIN exploring whole sections.

/ Tonight no word has been received from Eldorado, Warren, Martha and Prosecutor of Dr. Norris Receives Se- ment line. The picnicers returned to as faithful we would have a Sunday Blair reported Saturday to have suffered severely while Korn, Sentinel, Colony and Hinton, Oklo., were learned to have been badly damaged.

demoralized and it may be days before loss of life and property damage is made known.

Western Oklahoma streams are out the result of stab wounds. of banks. The Rock Island bridge over the Cimarron river 30 miles

Following is a summary of the damage to life and property:

Butler, Okla., nine killed, many in-

Sentinel, Okla., two killed, fifty

houses blown down. Hinton, Okla., one killed, many injured; scores of buildings blown

Hobart, Okla., two known dead, four reported dead; several reported

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Lugert, Okla., two killed, five fatal-

ly hurt. One store building left

Rocky, Okla., one killed; half of town blown away. Calumet, Okla., three killed six or State-

eight injured. Eldorado, Okla., reported many killed and injured.

Reports of many smaller tornadoes have been received from various places.

Kirkland, Texas, seven dead and great damage to property.

To Promote More Railroads.

Houston, Texas, May 1 .- Mr. Frank Trumbull, chairman of the board of directors of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway, and one of the most, successful railroad men in the country, who addressed the Texas Welfare Commission in this city Tuesday the



30th, ultimo, suggested an amendment game was played. In a cut for the liams were Sunday visitors to Roscoe. to the stock and bond faw that will prize Mrs. Adams was the lucky winpermit the Railroad Commission to ner. The afternoon was closed by brook, and Dr. W. R. Lindley and wife securities equal to the value of their course with iced tea. This was one Sadler and family last Sunday.

situation that such a change in our railroad being built in Texas.

The Rai'road Commission values all R. Smith.

000,000 and the railroads value their property at \$550,000,000.

Hesperian Club.

Mrs. Broaddus was hostess for the Hesperian Club Friday and a very ness visitor here last Monday. play. Mrs. Ratliff gave a fine word ing in Abilene this week. picture of the Battle scene in Act one Dr. J. A. Copeland of Abilene came of Coriolanus. Miss Ratliff contrasted in Monday afternoon and spent a Mark Antony and Coriolanus and couple of days visiting in Loraine. Naval Warfare by Miss Doss and Mrs. son and wife. Oklahoma City, Okla., April 28 .- both being out of town.

so the cfub is without a representa- a speedy recovery.

rious Knife Stab-Grand Jury Member Accused.

Yesterday at the county court us. house Grand Juror Ben Dwiggins and E. P. McAdams of Roscoe was a south of Enid was washed out. A Baskin engaged in an altercation, visitor to Loraine last Friday. call for aid was sent out today by the Dwiggins made some remarks about Mrs. Allen K. Hall of Matador visitofficials of Lugert, who say there are leaks from the grand jury room pre- ed her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. thirty destitute families in the town. ceding the indictment of Dr. Norris. McRae this week. whereupon Baskin declared his au- The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. day at the present time. Foss, Oklahoma, nine killed, many liar and Baskin picked up a chair and badly scalded by pulling a vessel of good rain that fell last Sunday night. their time has come to go up Salt The ball game was reported fine penetrating deep in the left side. Bas- worse. extra editions by a newspaper telling the agent, but the general public. they had been announced.

REPUBLICAN RACE

Standing of Taft and Roosevelt in States Which Have Already Held Conventions.

State- Taft	Roosevelt
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Maine	12
Michigan 6	14
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New York54	32
North Dakota	-
Oklahoma 2	14
Oregon 9	10
Pennsylvania 9	67
South Carolina 6	6
Tennessee 2	1 600
Vermont2	2
Virginia6	
Wisconsin	
District of Columbia	
Hawaii 6	F. T
Philippines 2	
	Company or Security State
Totals	253

Miss Boren Entertains.

Wednesday Miss Mary Boren enof Mrs. Marcus Snyder. There were week taking in the carnival. six tables of players and a splendid, Morgan Copeland and Warren Wilof the many enjoyable affairs that It is said by those familiar with the Mrs. Snyder is being honored with.

law would result in many miles of Mrs. Edwin Timmerman and daughter of Dallas are visiting Mrs. Willis | Another cloud of sand made its Everyone invited to attend.

railroad property in the state at \$210000,000, the tax commission at \$410,000,000 and the railroads value their

LORAINE LOCALS

was the most enjoyable feature in the West Texas Dental Association meet- be thankful they escaped with no William Porter spent Sunday with

Henry Fifth and Coriolanus in a very Ernest Phillip and wife of Abilene More. Than Forty Persons Are Known interesting manner. The second part spent a few days this week the guests a large number of her friends last kin of Champion community attended

Allen, was not brought up, the ladies | Earl Jackson and family from Colo- music. Several couples from town raine spent Sunday in this communirado was here Sunday visiting the were there, who were: Misses Lela ty. As detailed reports come in, the ex- Mrs. Hazzard had to give up her home folks. We regret to report that Bennett, Myrtle Dyer, Clara Wilson,

It is known that twenty towns were tive at the federation, but reports have Jim Hewell is expecting his auto to ens visited. Misses Cary and Mary struck by the storm, which swept been sent in by the chairman of com- arrive this week. And that ain't all, Agnes Mahon Sunday. northward through portions of south- mittees and the delegate. The club there are more of our citizens who

> delicious and cooling refreshments. day, in the form of a picnic in Sharp's pen. Mr. Muns and family were not pasture on South Champion. Several at Sunday school Sunday, but I supof the young men were present as pose the sand storm prevented their Berry last Sunday. invited guests. From what we can appearance. The reason I say this is, STABBED WITH KNIFE learn, there was nothing lacking they have always been so faithful in ing convention at Colorado, at the he entered the Cranford yard by miseither in the amusement or refresh- attending. If all the members were Sunday school last Sunday. have not been able to converse on pass, and I think they fully deserve Thursday, any other subject since except picnic. more than these few lines of praise.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 27.—A sen- An effort was made to have Judge There are so many good singers in All central Oklahoma seems to be sational sequel to the Norris case be- Ramsey speak here last Tuesday, but the community, why can't we have bergs and their dangers on the coast Snyder. came known here today when it was he could not make the town on that several hours singing at Union Chapannounced County Attorney Baskin is date. He has promised, however, to el every Sunday afternoon; in a serious condition at his home as give Loraine a date at some future Mr. Muns, what is your opinion on time. We hope the Judge don't forget the subject;

thority. Dwiggins called the official a G. W. Long had the misfortune to be The farmers are rejoicing over the sending out, they must think that satisfied, especially the young ladies. hit the grand juror. The latter then boiling water on herself. The left Miss Golden has returned home af- Creek. stabbed Baskin with a knife, the blade arm and side is where the scald is ter a week's visiting in this com-

kin was removed to his home. It is The phone recently installed in the warm friends while down here with concert was given by the school. It by hope for a good crop. said that the altercation grew out of depot is a convenience, not only to us,

to Fred Irby and family of that city.

Horace Lindsey of Aspermont was in the Champion team's favor. He was enreute to Snyder in charge was a good one.

of P. Brady's auto. About fifty of Loraine's folks went Cole last Sunday. attended the Albert Taylor show at last week. All reported a nice time classes for this occasion. He has the culb. Don't compel him to call the opera house while others took in and all of the fish that they could eat. taught us a good school and given us twice. Remember, next Monday the attractions at the carnival W. D. McCarley made a business the best concert we ever had and the night, at the court house, at 8 o'clock grounds.

Miss Pearl Norman came in from week. spent Saturday and Sunday with the made a flying trip to Hermleigh last seemed to enjoy this happy event. Eastern Star Entertains Mrs. Payne. home folks.

Prof. A. Ellison of Oklahoma spent E. O. Leggott of this community man, demonstrations afforded no little fun Hermleigh girls. others. He had the clerks at V. D. Sunday night was reported to be a best Payne's on the jump thinking some- good one. one at the rear door was calling for Floyd Kennedy made a business a sack of flour. J. D. Wilson dropped trip to Colorado one day last week. everything to wait on an imaginary customer on the outside. Mrs. Newton thought sure she had been given a little chicken to feed, for she plainly heard it chirp, but 'twas only a napkin crumpled up. It is possible that ventriloqual talent has developed cided rumor to that effect.

The Wastella first nine played the Loraine second nine on the lacal diamond last Saturday. It is enough to to 0 in favor of Loraine second nine time.

Vic Payne Jr. and Morgan Copeland tertained with a bridge party in honor spent a few days in Colorado last.

W. R. Charters and family of Westauthorize railroad companies to issue the hostess serving a delicious salad of Colorado were the guests of J. A.

doing much damage, as it killed a Johnny Donnelley and Earl Fry of good deal of the cotton that was found Goode community attended church J. D. Soper of El Paso was a busi- existing, and perhaps some of the gar- here Saturday night. dens. But I think the good Lord Rev. G. B. Airhart and Mr. Baird of J. A. STAPLETON SHOT EIGHT pleasant meeting was held. Roll call Dr. W. H. Henthorn attended the knows best and the farmer ought to Roscoe attended church here Sunday. more damage done, It could have Jim Woodard. been worse.

typhoid-pneumonia.

of the program. Modern Methods of of Mrs. Phillip's parents, A. M. Jack- Saturday night. They spent the time church here Sunday. in games, conversation and some J. H. Gregg and Mr. Howell of Lo-

Misses Annie and Lettye Ruth Pick-

Miss Lessie Britton visited Miss Miss Mary Agnes Mahon spent

We wonder what is going to hap- hailstorms so far.

BROWN-EYED LASS.

munity. Miss Golden made many here on Friday the 26th. A school to chop if nothing prevents. I sure-

of the grand jury proceedings before Louise Keeley returned from Kent, Kay's last week were good. All re- gram of speeches, marches and drills Next Monday night is the regular Texas, last Friday night, after a visit ported a nice and a jolly good time. was good. The butterfly drill of little meeting time of the commercial club J. A. Sadler and family attended the burial of Mr. Dendy at Colorado every day. Miss Katie Williams, a ed. All the stationery, receipts, etc., FOR DELEGATES the carnival in Colorado last Friday City one day last week.

Westbrook last Friday night and E. M. Mahoney and W. C. Ferguson about 400 persons were here. All week.

OLD' TIMER.

pointment here Saturday and Sunday.

proved.

Saturday evening. our way Tuesday.

Roscoe Thursday on business. Mrs. R. M. Dailey spent Thursday gerton on a visit.

evening with Mrs. John Hawkins. Mesquite school will be out Friday, May 3, and we will have a program. dy, He was one of our neighbors,

way through the country yesterday Earnest Adkins of Sanco, Texas, ever ready to lend a willing hand to industry.

Miss Irma Adkins is staying with her sister, Mrs. Adkins, this week.

Thurman Bailey, Johnny Donnelly, Miss Alsete Jones is real sick with Earl Fry and Mr. Neal of Goode community and Mr. Doughtery and family Miss Maud Richardson entertained Robert Bankhead and George Rand- Mrs. Lee Cranford Opens Fire When

"BACHELOR GIRL."

FAIRVIEW FANCIES.

ed from his sick spell. finished planting. If hail is a sign of bullet wounds in his body. good crops, we ought to have them Mrs. Cranford was in no condition literally wiped out and 41 dead and back yards that glisten with cleanli- Mrs. King gave her music and several days at Valley View last week. this year as we have had two big tonight to make any statement fur-

were visiting the family of W. E. at home, Mrs. Cranford being alone

Mr. C. C. Berry, wife and Miss Besthe city by the light of the moon, and school that would be difficult to sur- sie, made a flying trip to Colorado those sick and afflicted. We pray

Some of those doubting Thomases that read my story about the ice of Labrador will be convinced now. I did not tell the great untruth as they though I did.

The singing at G. Goodwin's on the 21st, was good. Some splendid singing and a good time all around was had. Forty-two were present

Some of the candidates that want Health is very good at this period, to be elected again must feel like will soon be out. We can say that Sand storms are the order of the some of the passengers on the Titanic. Prof. McAfee has taught a successful By the circulars and letters they are school and everyone seems to be

was the best concert ever pulled off The parties at Mr. Bright's and Mr. here. It lasted three hours. The prohe has done for them. A crowd of and bring about results. "Mc" stands for Mack, a remarkable Wednesday afternoon the Eastern

the day here last Saturday. He is an was seen up at Hermleigh last Sun- Eats up all the best food that he can, held its regular weekly meeting, havaccomplished ventriloquist and his day driving around with one of the Chews up hot biscuits, for he cannot ing its study on Parliamentary law. resist,

RAMBLER.

WINSTON WARBLINGS.

Rev. Farris filled his regular ap- Dunn again.

right here in Loraine, we hear a de- Willie Younger on the sick list this the day. Messrs Pylant, Barkley and is deeply regretted by all that this and no one hurt.

say when we announce a score of 7 Barnett Saturday. He reported a nice tend the singing convention at Colo- "Blest be the Tie that Binds," before rado. I'll just ask the editor to give adjourning. R. M. Dailey was in Roscoe Mon. us all the news from the convention The club will entertain for Mrs. as I cannot be present and want to Payne Friday and some of her friends B. Sanders and wife of Roscoe keep posted on the conventions. If will give a reception Saturday at Mrs. were out seeing about their place Mr. Doss sings as well as he speaks, Blandford's rooms. Mrs. Payne has he's Charley at the wheel.

ed Mrs. Alfred Kidd.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Webber were in Mr. Tom Kidd and family autoed the work of the world is done by few. over to the home of Mr. Hulcie Hag God asks that a part be done by you."

> It is with sadness and respect I in church, club and lodge. chronicle the death of Mr. J. O. Den-

TIMES AND IS INSTANTLY KILLED.

WOMAN OF COURAGE

She Heard Step on Porch of Her Home.

Ennis, April 28.—Hearing some one step on the porch of her home at 9 o'clock tonight and believing that a burglar was attempting to enter, Mrs. Lee Cranford opened fire with an The health of the community is automatic revolver. When neighbors, good. Mr. Harry Pond has recover- attracted by the shots, investigated, they found J. A. Stapleton, 25 years Crops are doing well. Some have old, dead on the gallery with eight

ther than that she thought Stapleton Mr. and Mrs. Samples of Snyder, was a burglar. Her husband was not at the time. Friends of Stapleton. Delegates were chosen for the sing- who was well known here, believe that

> God's richest blessings upon Mrs. Dendy and family.

Mr. Curry and family visited near

Mr. Pylant and family visited Mr. Art Davis and family. Mr. C. C. Cole made a business trip

to Sweetwater. Mr. Charlie Brannon of Roscoe was a visitor in our midst, wasn't he Miss

Williams? Prof. McAfee's school at Champion

Cotton will soon

E. J. Leggott and family attended girls was something we don't see A full attendance is earnestly requestgirl of eight years of age, in her piece have been printed and the secretary The Champion school baseball team of "Nearer My God to Thee" was very will call in a few days for your sub-V. D. Payne and wife and Hubert went over and crosed bats with the good. The picnic drill was fine, Miss scription. But it would be better still Toler and whee went to Colorado last Pyron team last Friday. The game Bertha Goodwin's trip to the White if you would call on him and pay it. Friday night to see the Albert Taylor was hard fought by both sides. After Mountains was excellent. The Blue Collection will be made at one time the game closed the scores stood 7-9 and Gray drill with Uncle Sam and for the months of April and May, as the Goddess of Liberty in the lead no collection was made last month. the guest of W. T. Mullin last Monday. The dance at Mr. Beal's last week was the hit of the evening. The Ira When the collector calls it will help string band furnished the music and his work very much if you'll pay your E. O. Leggott was the guest of C. C. their funny man made the crowd roar subscription cheerfully and promptly; with laughter. Much credit is due to it will give him better heart in his to Colorado last Friday evening. Some There was a crowd went fishing Professor Hill in the training of the work and help along the finances of trip to Colorado City one day last community is well pleased with what sharp. The club wants to get busy

Star club met in the lodge rooms and

At the close of the lesson Miss Ina at the expense of our merchants and The singing at Mr. Haggerton's last For he uses the flour called the Vere- Wulfjen, matron of the Eastern Star, made a beautiful speech and presented Mrs. Payne with an Eastern Star ring, that was just as pretty as could be and fitted perfectly. The recipient was almost overcome by this lovely My, My! The wind blew so hard token of the lodge's appreciation and Sunday the scribe didn't enjoy the thanked them in a chocking voice and auto ride much and will have to visit with tear filled eyes. Mrs. Payne is the lodge's associate matron and . Teams getting frightened and run- would have gone in as the highest All are sorry to report Jewel and ning away seems to be the order of officer at the meeting in May, and it Pagan have had some runaways, but honor which she so richly deserves Mrs. H. F. Dailey is reported im- are glad to report nothing serious should not have come to her. Refreshments of ice cream and cake Oscar Agnew attended the picnic at Most everyone is preparing to at were esrved. Then the ladies sang.

worked faithfully in all departments Mrs. McBurnett of Roscoe was out Mrs. Leggott and Miss Annie, visit- and will be missed more than can be imagined. She has realized "That And earnestly has she done her part

> The man worth while is the man loved and known as a fine man and who will smile and patronize home

And Are Busy Preparing For a Large Crowd.

The general committee of arrangetion which will meet here next Sun-

The house committee, whose busi-dence, ness it shall be to make all arrange-Cooksey and Jerald Riordan.

and other refreshments is composed bequests.

particularly finger nails—but I don't the carnival to see the high diver, thousands of people living in eastern believe they were intended solely for The youngsters provided a good en- states and owning automobiles, to scratching, though I used mine large- tertainment, and one that their guests make the trip to the Panama Exposily for that purpose for several years. thoroughly enjoyed. I was sorely afflicted, and had it to do. One application of Hunt's Cure, however, relieved my itch, and less than one box cured me entirely." J. M. WARD, Index, Texas.

tion and location, all combine to make Crockett, the hostess, Misses McCo- all the other rebellious factions, from a most agreeable impression on the mas and Liles. Every course was the face of the earth. But the trouble eye. When more trees have been beautifully cooked and served and of is, the administration is made up planted about the yard and a grass course enjoyed. In the afternoon a mostly of just the same stripe of men sward has been made no town in West number of ladies were invited in for as the rioters are. The success of Texas can boast a more attractive or whist and 42. There were three tables Madero but meant the success of some more convenient school building. The of the latter and two of the former, other fellow like him. The country central school building-itself no in- and both were much enjoyed. significant looking edifice-appears In a cut for the prizes Mrs. Marcus makeshift it has, is mainly composed like a country school house in com- Snyder was given a cut glass nappy. of paroled convicts and brigands.

store for the delicious Chase & Sanborn coffee donated to their Wednes-MRS. N. J, PHENIX, Chairman

Forty-Two Party.

"42" players came over from Loraine was enjoyed. and engaged the Colorado players in The roll call for the Standard Club tion to enable him even to make the personnel of the players:

Payne.

Colorado,-A. J. Coe, R. L. McMur-

The tourney was held at the home Bailey. of Judge Chas. H. Earnest and twelve games were played, which resulted Pythian Sisters Honor Mrs. Payne. improve conditions by doing his part in 29 points being secured by Loraine and 31 by Colorado.

The growth of a city depends on several things. One is, confidence.



Sophomore Class Reception.

All Committees Have Been Appointed Jim Smith, the Sophomore Class entertained the Senior high school teachers and school board with a very lowing special committees were ap- of the last will and testament, to- the opportunities: gether with any bequest that the de-The finance committee consists of parting Seniors may wish to confide W. R. Smith, A. J. Coe and R. P. to their keeping. 8 to 10 o'clock Friday April 26, Mrs. J. W. Smith's resi-

About thirty-five gathered at the apments for the place of meting, con- pointed hour, and were met at the veniences, etc., consists of Andrew door by Misses Cleo Pritchett, Neppie Branch and Flora Simpson. The par-The entertainment committee, to se- lor was prettily decorated in festoons cure homes for the delegates who of the class colors gold and lavender, will be present consists of C. A. bunting being gracefully used. A Pierce, Jesse Bullock and Harris game "Ghost" was played, Miss Fanny Tanner then read the Seniors' will, A refreshment committee, who is a fearful and wonderful document charged with looking after dinner containing some strange and startling

President Doss requests that these Then there was a name contest, in rado might join issues with Sweetthe occasion. Let us give our coun-binations. This afforded great amuse- want to come in, and make a comby the refreshment committee, please ing beverage. Toasts were drunk and Dallas or Fort Worth, but it will be

Mrs. Marcus Snyder Entertained. Think what an advertising value to be

Monday Mrs. Bailey entertained in on this line, would be to Colorado. her most delightful manner in honor of Mrs. Marcus Snyder, Mrs. Bailey Any other nation but Mexico, by served one of her irreproachably ele-this time would have thrown the The new high school building is ad- gant dinners to the following guests: whole force of the nation's resources, mired by all who see it. Its style of Mesdames Looney. Marcus Snyder, into line of battle and wiped architecture, materials of construct Burns, Prude, W. V. Johnson. Allen Orozco and his gang of looters and

Little Miss Mary Elizabeth Snyder a They are not half clothed or fed, and pair of blue satin bootees, and Mrs. no soldier will fight under these con-Adams a piece of cut glass. The hos- ditions. The Shunammite Ladies are under tess served cake and cream and the many obligations to the Mercantile party broke up, all having enjoyed the

Mrs. F. M. Burns and Miss Anna

Roe were hostesses for the two clubs and can't pay the rent on a well aplast Friday, at the home of Mrs. Burns pointed farm; and on the other hand On Tuesday night a delegation of and a very jolly instructive meeting

another tourney. The following was was India's Celebrities. The magazine topic was the Productive Indus-run-down farm, with uninhabitable Loraine.-M. D. Cranfill, J. A. Sad- tries of India, Mrs. Prude being the houses and broken-down fences, that ler, Dr. W. H. Henthorn, L. L. Beach, leader. Mrs. Crockett had a good pa- no tenant can make a decent living Hubert Toler, J. S. Rives, J. E. Stowe, per upon the Modern Drama of In- on it, they can never get together, and R. A. Henthorn, A. C. Pratt and V. D. dia. Mrs. Smith gave as a weading, Lucknow.

ray, O. M. Mitchell, C. M. Adams, Angood, and daintily served, and all en- in the accusation of each; but all drew Cooksey, C. T. Harness, C. B. jeyed the presence of the young ladies must also know that there are thous-Hooper, R. H. Looney, C. H. Earnest, and their part in entertaining. The ands of cases where neither picture Standard meets next time with Ars. represents actual conditions. The

> Tuesday afternoon the Pythian Sis- and rest assured that others will ters held a meeting in their lodge generally meet him half way and give room in honor of Mrs. A. J. Payne, him about such treatment as he who is leaving next week. Mrs. merits. Payne was a charter member of this lodge and its first Most Excellent the landlord that the beginning of im-Chief. She has always been greatly proved conditions must come from interested in it and has kept alive the him, as he is better able to make the spirit of fellowship that has held the start. On the other hand, he need not body together. The meeting was one expect a good tenant to stay on a poor of real sorrow and the beautiful farm, maintained in bad condition; speech made by Mrs. Spruill in pre- nor is a poor tenant likely to fail to senting the parting gift of the lodge improve if given the encouragement brought tears to every eye. She of good treatment.-The Progressive spoke of Mrs. Payne's loyalty and Farmer. love, her many virtues and the love felt by every one for her and gave her in the name, of the Pythian Sis- J. C. Neel and R. V. Guthrie of Coaters, a beautiful spoon. The cream homa and W. E. Knott of this city reand cake were served and the meeting ceived the Knight Templar degree at adjourned, the whole body feeling the Masonic meeting Tuesday night. they had lost one of their most valued

written about the resumption of ald. work on the Lasker block, we are glad to state that the brick is now being placed on the ground and active the Dallas Semi-Weekly News. Give construction work has begun.

SPEAKING DATES OF A. J. COE.

Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Itinerary of County Judge Coe, Who Invntes His Opponent to Meet Him at These Places.

pleasant and original reception. The A. J. Coe, candidate for County invitations, which were on white card- Judge of Mitchell County, will speak ments for the county singing conven- board tied with gold and bearing the at the following places on dates given. "C. H. S." and the class motto, "To be He respectfully invites his opponent, day at the union tabernacle, met at rather than to be seen" in lavender, J. J. Patterson, to meet him and acthe Christian church last Saturday held this invitation inside: "The cept a division of time. All the other night, to perfect the details of com- Sophomore Class of the Colorado High candidates for county and district ofmittee work for that day. The fol- Schoool invites you to their reception fices are likewise invited to improve

> Buford, Friday, May 3, 8:30 p. m. Cuthbert, Friday May 10th, 8:30. Champion, May 17th, Friday 8:30. Landers, Friday, May 24, 8:30. Zellner, Friday May 31st, 8:30. Westbrook, Friday, June 7th, 8:30. Longfellow Friday, June 14, 8:30. Car, Friday, June 21st, 8:30. Looney Friday, June 28th, 8:30. Spade, Friday, July 5th, 8:30. Union, Friday, July 12th, 8:30. Rodgers, Friday, July 19th, 8:30. Loraine, Tuesday, July 23, 8:30. Colorado, Friday, July 26th, 8:30.

> > Let's Try For It.

Colorado through its commercial of W. W. Porter, chairman, H. W. The Seniors sang a parody on club might get busy in the matter of Rowland, Henry C. Doss, J. R. Altizer, "When You and I Were Young, Mag- the national automobile highway that Earl Jackson, A. J. Smith and whom- gie," for the benefit of the youthful is projected from Dallas to Roswell, soever else this committee may see Sophomores, who responded with a N. M. Several towns are pulling for parody on "The Old Gray Bonnet." it, among them Sweetwater, and Colocommittees get together and make which the Seniors' names were used water and whatever other towns every detail of their work ready for to make strange and puzzling com- along the proposed route that might try friends the very best hospitality ment. Several other original games mon cause. It would be no small we have for they never fail to give were played, then the guests were in- advantage to have such a highway the people of Colorado a royal brand vited into the dining room where a running through the town. It would of welcome hospitality whenever we punch bowl prettily decorated in the give this section more advertising Sophomore colors was presided over by inducing inland travel than by any If anyone has been overlooked to by the young ladies of the class who other one method of publicity. The soliciting a contribution of a basket served a most delicious and refresh- ultimate terminal of the road is not notify W. W. Porter and he will re- good wishes expressed for the nervy only a link in a more comprehensive Sophs, who next year plan to be both system that will run from coast to Juniors and Seniors. Finally the coast, and it would be almost as great punch bowl was emptied and good an acquisition as another line of rail-"Nails are a mighty good thing- nights were said, everybody going to road. It is the purpose of many tion at San Francisco in 1915 along the line of this national highway.

has no army, and even the sorry

Give Tenant Fair Chance.

As long as the landlord on the one hand insists that the renters won't Standard and Junior Standard Clubs, take gare of anything don't appreciate a well-equipped farm and won't the tenant complains that the landlord will not put the farm in condiwages, and asks so much rent for a there will be little improvement in the condition of the tehant or the farm. The refreshments were especially All agree that there is too much truth only progressive, honest and profitable way is for each to do his best to

It should at least appear plain to

J. L. Doss of Colorado, Tom Hutto, After the close of the ceremony those present adjourned to the Wigwam Restaurant where an appetizing bansince the other paragraph was quet was enjoyed.—Big Springs Her-

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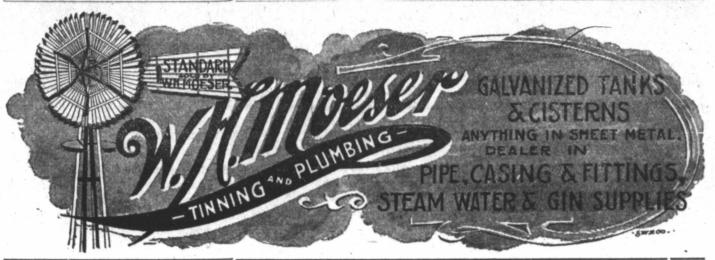
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Titanic calamity, moving picture films were being exhibited depicting the sorrowful scenes as described by the survivors. In many cities the police have refused to allow the pictures exhibited, alleging that the truth was bad enough, without having the feelings of the public harrowed by fake pictures.

lot of that land he would not care fication even as a southerner. whether he was elected president or | The campaign managers of Wood-

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Southerner.

(Atlanta Journal.)

While the slogan, "Democrats for a southerner," becomes more generally circulated by the Underwood campaigners in Georgia as their best and you would be ready to leave. Think practically their only bid for the of this brother, and make up your We have in this the very acme of state's indorsement of a man who mind to come in and do your part. could not win before the nation were While passing through the rich he nominated for president, there is black land belt around Waxahachie, quietly arising to meet a smiling Governor Harmon said if he owned a skepticism of Mr. Underwood's quali- morning hour.

> tional sentiment be the rule by which church. candidates are to have their measure taken, then of all those in the field. Woodrow Wilson has stronger claim upon Georgia's loyalty than any other. son's own father was a Virginian, who passed most of his life in Georgia as pastor of churches.

to a stronger article in the February to be held the 27th of July, 1912. issue of McClure's Magazinė, but Burton J. Hendrick, upon "Oscar W. Underwood, a New Leader from the New

upon the several presidential candi- torney, and in view of this fact, will dates, is friendly to Mr. Underwood. say that I have no extravagant prom-In fact, the author extols him for ises to make; that if I am favored

qualifications very flatteringly. Underwood's Georgia campaign-for ing dictated by any one, or being init shows that Mr. Underwood is a fluenced contrary to the discharge of Kentuckian of a unionist family; the duties incumbent upon me as that his father was a unionist sympa- such, prosecute all violations of the thizer who moved his family away up law to the very best of my ability. into Minnescta immediately after the Yet, I shall never use the office to furwar, and that young Underwood did ther any personal difference I may, not see the south until he went to or might hold against any one, nor Birmingham and began the practice of allow the influence of others who law in 1884; that his wife's father was might seek to use me for that pura unionist sympathizer and a Republican, and was known as "the Car-

thor betrays Mr. Underwood while he generously with the offenders of the

Baptist Church.

For the information of those of our members, who for reasons known only to themselves and the good Lord. do not attend church and hence know of Colorado, for the past ten years. nothing of what is being done and and consider myself a permanent fixhave no part in anything, I desire to ture in your midst, working for the give just a word of information.

we have put in a new Sunday school tion that I may hold as a matter of asset of this western country for for our beginners and primary depart- public trust at your hands. ments. Come and see it. It is fine. In our Sunday school, we made an the voters of Mitchell county and esaverage of about 200 since January pecially my friends. 1st. Our congregations have been steadily growing all the time. Our contributions are far in acvance of last year. In home and foreign mis-

all our members had part in it. tor and the faithful ones to see the character. I certainly recommend it stayers away come in and enlist with whenever the opportunity occurs. us. What sort of a record as a christian and church member are you making to take with you in the judgment? Are you pleased with it? I am sure you would be ashamed of last week at San Angelo to Lampasas such a record as citizens or business parties at from 28 to 34 cents the men. Suppose all church members pound.

Less than a week after the terrible Wilson, Not Underwood, is the Real were like some who will read this note. What would become of the Master's cause? Is it right that you stay away and do nothing and enjoy the blessings and sacrifices of those who support the work? If the church should cease to exist in this vicinity Services next Sunday:

Sunday School 9:45 a. m

There will be no preaching at the

mon of our public school will be de- chards, cultivation can be carried on row Wilson have declared that if sec- livered by this pastor in the Baptist at the same time of irrigation. But B. BROOME, Pastor.

To the Voters of Mitchell County:

tend; his wife was a Georgian, and sonal friends throughout the county not let the moisture pass upward and after repeated solicitations from them, and after a due consideration. I have consented to offer my name as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Mitchell County, subject to And, on the other hand, they point the action of the Democratic Primary

In making the anouncement, and in asking for the office, I do so, mindful of the duties, responsibilities, and the perplexing difficulties attached and That article, being one of a series attendant to the office of County Atwhat he has done and portrays his with the office by the people of Mitchell county, I will firmly and courag-But it is deadly to the slogan of Mr. eously, without fear or favor, not bepose, or sway me in the discharge of the duties of the office, short of a complete vindication of the law. I In short, quite innocently, the au-shall deal firmly, yet, courteously and law that at no time I may make it a personal matter instead of satisfying the demands and purposes of the law.

I will say for the benefit of those who may not know me, that I have been a citizen of Mitchell county and interest and welfare of the people of May be some have not found it out Mitchell county, and which I shall but it is time, that since January 1st, | continue to do regardless of any posi-

I solicit the aid and support of all

Tomlinson's Letter.

Simons Liver Purifier is the most sions we advanced 56 per cent. We valuable remedy I ever tried for conwould have gone far beyond this had stipation and disordered liver. It does its work thoroughly, but does It would be a great joy to the pas- not gripe like most remedies of its

M. M. TOMLINSON. Price 25 cents. Oswego, Kansas,

250,000 pounds of monair were sold

Sub-Irrigation.

Editor Record.—In an editorial paragraph of last week's Record you discuss the court house and park. In the main we heartily agree with you, but we must confess that we have not much of a "hankering" for fine court houses and jails. We prefer fine churches and schools. But what we wish to most heartily endorse is building and maintaining beautiful yards and parks. As these can not be had without some system of irrigation, we will here outline a plan whereby trees and shrubbery may be successfully grown with a minimum amount of water

The plan consists in having a line of pipe laid along each row of trees. Near each tree a "T" is put in with a stand pipe projecting above the ground. A return "L" like a "U" upside down, is screwed on top of stand pipe. An inexpensive steam cock faucet is connected to return "L." This permits the water to run in a small stream. These lateral pipes are connected to a larger main lead pipe, and this head pipe to the water source. Pipes must be equipped with drain cocks to prevent freezing. We have our pipe all laid, so will proceed to prepare an under-ground sand bed for the irrigation water. This can be done by digging a trench all around the tree about three feet from trunk, about ten inches deep and eight inches wide. Put in bottom of trench three inches of coarse creek bottom sand, free from large gravel. A small piece of pipe, one foot long is rested with one end on sand bed and the other end made to stand right under the mouth of faucet to conduct the water to the prepared sand bed. The sand bed is now covered with the natural soil. The sand bed may be constructed in the form of a cross about the tree. All things ready, the little faucets are turned on in a small stream and the water is conducted to the underground sand bed, which acts as a reservoir until the surrounding

irrigation. One gallon of water is made to do the work of ten over the old way of putting water on top. Not one drop of water is wasted. No baking of the soil. Ideal conditions At 8 p. m. the Commencement ser- are created for plant growth. In orlittle labor is required, as water can be turned on or off at will. The sand bed keeps the soil sweet, and is both percolative and capillary. Gravel or At the instance of many of my per- coal cinders will not do as they will from the moist sub-soil to the feeding roots. Roots growing in the sand bed do not interfere with percolation.

This system has been successfully tried out in Loraine. The writer is the originator of the sand bed idea and we would like to see it installed in our court house yard. We will give ing a great object lesson. Half inch galvanized pipe would do for laterals.

will have practically sub-irrigation.

all interests and the dispelling of the blues which have been the biggest several years. We have hoped and trusted that some of our citizens who have that great landed interest would put down wells and insal! machinery that we might have an object lesson and impetus this would give ou country. There would be an influx of capital seeking investment. We have the water under the ground and the soil on top and to grow the needful vegetation we must get the two T. J. DAVIS.

Dissolution Notice.

The Blacksmith firm of R. L. Spalding & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. R. L. Spalding retains the business, paying all debts and collecting all bills due the firm. The business is now in the name of R. L. Spalding.



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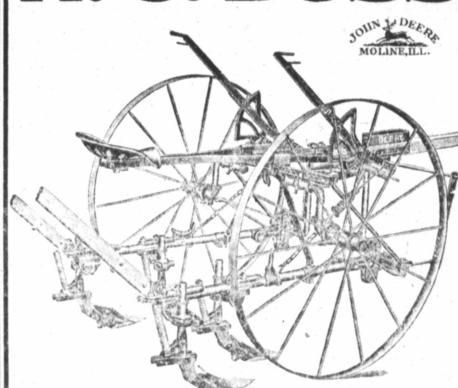
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A Hog Story.

Mr. G. L. Phillips, of the Runningwater neighborhood, brought some pigs to town Wednesday and placed them on the market. Mr. Phillips informed us that he had weaned these

pigs, seven in number, while very

keep them from sucking one of his

cows. He fed them maize and kaffir

when he marketed them at 714 cents

per pound, cashing in the seven pigs

for the neat little sum of \$157. Mr.

Phillips says this was easy money, and

cost him little to make it. He is a

thrifty farmer-one of the sort that

tries to have something on the side to

market in various seasons of the year.

Mr. Phillips says he made a big mis-

take in feeding heads: that if he had

threshed and chopped the grain he

would have made heavier hogs on

much less feed, and in less time. He

says he soaked the heads, which help-

ed some, but still left a big loss in

the feed. However, he is well satis-

fied with the result, but has learned

so that he can beat it next time.-Hale

In the District Court at Sweetwater

this week came up for trial the cases

of Clayton Black and S. B. Johnson.

charged with assault and attempt to

murder on the person of C. L. Fletch-

er, the jury rendered a verdict of ac-

quital after being out thirty-eight

minutes. These cases were the out-

come of the trouble at Coshoma some

ferred to counties east of here on a

Bosses Against Wilson.

cratic nomination it will be the work

of the bosses, and when they perform

that piece of work, they will begin to

pray for the mountains to fall on theh

Woodrow Wilson is the only man in

the Democratic party who can defeat

any candidate the Republicans may

It's Wilson against the field for the

nomination. The masses are for Wil-

son, and the masses should have a

say in selecting the candidate to

put up against the Republican nominee.-Ballinger Bannef-Leader.

Mrs. Norris Makes Statement Regard-

ing Husband.

not fail to command the attention and

for are the things which the American

poeple are most interested in just at

this time makes it easy for a cam-

paign in his behalf to be pitched on

the highest possible plane.-Waco

party.-Birmingham (Ala.) News.

name.-Oevalo Eagle

If Wilson is beaten for the Demo-

County Herald

Herald.

heads until they were ten months old,

Morning News.

by W. L. Doss.

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A Rare Bargain in Real Estate.

For Sale or Exchange-A bargain. Four leagues of land (17.700 acres) in Presidio County, traversed by Orient Railroad, within one mile of the Rio Grande river, grazing and mining land. Price \$2,65 per acre, \$1.15 cash, assumption of 40c per acre, due in five years, with 5 per cent interest. Would take balance in trade.

This is in the heart of the mining district, is all valley land and has a be irrigated and no land in Texas is the best of our knowledge and belief. as cheap. If you want a ranch home investigate this. Write, wire or phone

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/ No. 5276.

Loans and Discounts 212 191 77 Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 5 444 34 Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures 6 200 00 Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) 36 846 57 F. S. KEIPER. Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks..... Due from Approved Reserve Agents 7 260 97 Checks and other Cash Items Notes of other National Banks Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: Specie 12 065 75 Legal -tender notes 100 00 12 165 75 Redemption fund with U.S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) 450 00 Due from U. S. Treasurer

LIABILITIES. Capital Stock paid in \$ 60 000 00 Surplus fund 30 000 00 Undivided profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid 11 908 48 National Bant Notes outstanding 14 700 00 Due to Other National Banks 5 651 71

State of Texas, County of Mitchell, ss: year and a half ago and were trans-I, J. E. Hooper, Cashier of the aboved-named bank do solemnly swear vestigate this offer. that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. change of venue. A large number of

Reserved for Taxes

citizens from this county attended Subscribed and sworn to before court as witnesses .- Big Springs me this 27th day of April, 1912 J. A. BUCHANAN, Notary Public

J. D. WULFJEN, J. L. DOSS, D. N. ARNETT. Directors

J. E. HOOPER, Cashier.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Correct—Attest:

THE COLORADO NATIONAL BANK

At Colorado, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, April 18th, when they are confronted with the wrath of the honest masses of the

	1912.			
	RESOURCES.			
	Loans and Discounts	330	058	8
	Overdrafts seeured and unsecured	13	849	6
	U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50	000	(
	Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures	10	000	(
Ì	Other Real Estate Owned	6	167	0
	Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		328	2
	Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companie	S		
	and Savings Banks		549	5
	Due from approved Reserve Agents	47	316	7
İ	Checks and other Cash Items		121	5
1	Notes of Other National Banks	5	360	0
l	Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and cents		291	1
	Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		,	
1	Specie 7 312 05			
ĺ	Legal-tender notes 8 000 00	15	312	θ
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ing muching.				
Mrs. Norris makes the following	Specie 7 312 05			
statement: My husband bought a bot-	Legal-tender notes 8 000 00	15	312	(0
tle of Hunt's Lightning Oil for Rheu-	Due from U. S. Treasurer	2	500	(
matism. He has been bothered for	_	_	-	_
over two years. It has done him a	Total	481	854	8
great deal of good and he thinks it	Entry quagrante with control of the control of			
will cure him. Mrs. Mollie Norris,	LIABILITIES.			
Colbert, Okla. There is nothing bet-	Capital Stock paid in \$	100	000	ť
ter for Rheumatism, Neuralgia and the		100	000	(
ilke.	Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	26	413	9
	National Bank Notes outstanding	50	000	(
	Due to other National Banks	35	288	1
High Plane of Wilson Campaign.	Due to State and private Banks and Bankers	1	949	1
Whatever may be one's views of the	Dividends unpaid		48	0
Presidential race in Texas, which is	Individual deposits subject to check	140	032	. 2
just now beginning to engross the at-	Time certificates of deposit		324	4
tention of the people of the state and	Cashier's Chacks outstanding	,	2	5
warm up the political atmosphere, the	Bills payable including certificates of deposit for money borrowed		000	0
high plane on which Judge Cato Sells	Reserved for taxes		796	3
has pitched the Wilson campaign can				_

State of Texas, County of Mitchell, ss: I, J. M. Thomas, cashler of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that fenced: plenty mesquite timber for the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. M. THOMAS Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before Correct-attest: C. M. ADAMS, me, this 25th day of April, 1912 C. H. EARNEST, R. B. TERRELL. Notary Public. F. M. BURNS.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK

1912, published in the Colorado Record, a newspaper printed and pub-

lished at Colorado, State of Texas, on the 3rd day of May, 1912.			
RESOURCES.			
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	16	637	52
Overdrafts		6	98
Furniture and Fixtures	1	764	00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents net	1	115	95
Cash Items 1 25			
Currency 1 356 00			
Specie 95 21	1	452	46
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund		299	94
TOTAL	21	276	85
LIABILITIES.			
Capital Stock paid in	\$10	000	00
Undivided Profits, net	Place.	601	57
Individual Deposits subject to check	7	675	28
Bills Payable and rediscounts	3	000	
TOTAL	21	276	85

STATE OF TEXAS and County of Mitchell:-We, J. E. Hooper as President, and J. L. Bowen as Cashier of said running stream of pure water. Can Bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to and East. Try us.

J. E. Hooper, President.

J. L. Bowen, Cashier. Sworn and subscribed to before me this 29th day of April, A. D., nineteen hundred and twelve. WITNESS my hard and notarial

S. D. Vaughan, Notary Public. J. M. PAGE. C. B. HOOPER, PRESTON PHENIX.

THE CITY NATIONAL BANK At Colorado, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, April 18, 1912 F.S. Keiner Real Estate Exchange

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proved place for sale cheap; will take at 8 per cent interest. part trade, or terms to suit. A big

No. 2-This is 708 acres of good provements: 320 acres in cultivation, land in Dawson County, near Lamesa 75 per cent tillable. Make offer quick. and is for sale or trade. This land is on the Santa Fe railroad and offered at a bargain. Small payment and ten years time on balance. Will take any kind of trade.

in two miles of Westbrook for sale or eral thousand tons of hay; good 5- bore some last year; small house and Demand certificates of deposit 6 258 00 trade. I consider this a great bar-1 246 93 gain and if you want a home this will miles northwest of Kent, Culberson Price \$18.50 per acre, half cash, bal-

> No. 4-Have a good five room house, well improved place in Mineral Wells. will sell or trade for small tract of land, anywhere, of equal value. In-

No. 5-This is a ten section proposition but is such a rare bargain as What have you? to make it sell at once. It is fine land in Borden county, 80 per cent agricultural, 3000 acres sub-irrigated, only nine feet to water, inexhaustible sheet springs. Estimated that enough waveloped to irrigate the whole tract. rado, county seat of Mitchell county, \$15,00, 1-4 cash balance to suit. Has two sets of fine improvements, a on T. & P. railroad. Price \$21.50 per store and postoffice, school, ranch acre, one-fourth cash, balance to suit. houses and is an ideal proposition for small colonization project. This acres farm land, one-third agriculten acres in orchard and berries 3 to land is offered at only \$15 per acre, tural, house, six miles from Colorado; 5 years; good 5-room house, barn and half cash with terms on balance. price \$11 per acre. 640 acres, 45 per other improvements; 3 miles of Colo-There is twelve acres of old alfalfa on cent tillable, ranch house, spring, im- rado. The price is right; will trade the place, cutting four tons per acre, provements worth \$1000; price \$11.00 for city property. and this alone shows this land to be per acre. 640 acres, 70 acres tillable equal to any of that in the Pecos at \$15.00 per acre. 640 acres, 50 acres valley or in California.

No. 6.-320 acres of good sandy loam proved. 75 acres in cultivation, 250 the plow, fenced and tenant house, one-fourth cash, balance ten years.

7-160 acres sandy loam farm 6 05 miles from Westbrook; price \$20 per 00 acre; \$900 incumberance. Will ex- \$12.50 per acre. All of the above trrcts acres in cultivation, 100 acres tillable change equity for horses, mules or lay from five to eight miles of Colora-87 merchandise.

No. 8-480 acres red land soil, 250 acres in cultivation; 460 acres tillable squite for fuel; two good wells, wind- mile of school; tenant improvements, mules and cattle. mill and tank; one good four-room three miles of Colorado. Price \$20. house and outbuildings; one two-room two-thirds cash, balance to suit. house and out buildings; half mile to school: 7 miles of Iatan, Mitchell county, on T. & P. railroad, half mile from postoffice. Price \$16.00 per acre, one-third cash, balance 2 to 7 years at 9 per cent.

loam, balance red and black land: 75 acres in cultivation; 175 acres tillable: 145 acres good grazing land; all fuel; two wells and tanks; 3-room house, good barn and outbuildings; one and a half miles from school; four miles of Westbrook; 7 miles from Colorado (county seat Mitchell county) per acre, one half cash, balance to suit.

No. 11-9 acres sandy loam, all in cultivation; fenced; good windmill, Price \$22.50 per acre, \$3100 cash, bal- cheap ranch land. well and cistern; good 5-room house At Westbrook, Texas, at the close of business on the 18th day of April, and outbuildings; joining the city of Colorado, Mitchell county. Price \$2,500, \$1000 cash balance to suit. A fine proposition for poultry farm or 2 truck patch.

> acre. 16 miles south-west of Tahoka, at 8 per cent. county seat of Lynn county, on the Santa Fe ranroad.

No. 1-A good five-room house in Colorado, Mitchell county. Price \$40

No. 16-Must be sold. 640 acres, five miles of Colorado; 3 sets of im-

No. 17-5120 acres. One of the best mules. stock ranches in west Texas. Good valley soil; all fenced; half tillable; lays so that you could see a cow almost anywhere on the entire tract, Texas. Party not able to stock this ranch and

No. 18-640 acres soil sandy loam,

per acre. 320 acres, 70 acres in cultivation, half tillable, on Colorado ricer, do; one-third cash, balance at 8 per ct.

ed, well, windmill and tank; small miles of school; four miles of store; ten miles of Colorado. Price \$23.00 No. 9-320 acres; 75 acres sandy per acre, half cash, balance 10 per ct.

> No. 22-160 acres, sandy loam, 120 in cultivation; 160 tillable, fenced; well, windmill and tank; good 4-room house; half mile of school; 7 miles of Colorado. Price \$5000, half cash, balance to suit.

soil 130 in cultivation, 200 tillable, 130 on the T. & P. railroad. Price \$20.00 grazing land; mesquite timber; well windmill and tank; 3-room house, two porches; 3-4 mile to church and school: four and a half miles of Colorado. ance at 8 per cent.

No. 24-160 acres, red catclaw sandy good grazing land; mesquite timber; grass this year; \$4.00 per acre; will 3 acre peach orchard; 2 miles of money. No. 14-640 acres deep red sandy school; 5 miles from Colorado, on the loam, all tillable, all good grazing T. & P. railroad. Price \$25.00 per land; a great bargain at \$6.50 per acre. Half cash, balance 1 to 10 years

No. 15-One of Mitchell county's best tillable; fenced; mesquite timber; two one-fourth cash, balance to suit; improved farms, 196 acres, dark sandy small houses and out buildings; two loam: 175 acres in cultivation, all till- miles of school; two miles of Spade; able; good well and windmill and six miles of Westbrook; Price 20.00 tank: good 4-room house, barn 25x60; per acre, half cash, balance to suit at 300 acres in cultivation; all tillable; half mile to school; 3 miles east of 8 per cent. Will trade for anything.

No. 26-176 acres, sandy catclaw Colorado, close in. This is a nice im- per acre. Half cash, balance to suit soil, 105 in cultivation, 160 tillable; good grazing land; fenced; two wells, creek, abundance of water; 3-room house; 3-4 mile of school and church; 12 miles from Snyder. Price \$32.50 per acre; half cash, balance to suit. Wuld take \$1000 worth of horses and

No. 27-317 acres sandy soil; 160 in all good grazing land; abundance of cultivation; 300 tillable; good grazing; grass; part of this land had grass on it fenced; well, windmill, cistern and on No. 3-Here is 160 acres of fine land 18 inches high and would have cut sev- Colorado river; 3-4 acre in fruit trees, room house; large surface tank; 16 other improvements; 1-2 mile of school county, on the T. & P. railroad. Land ance to suit; 8 miles from Colorado. Would trade for smaller farm in South

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No. 29-480 acres sandy loam and 440 acres in cultivation; 85 per cent red catclaw soil, all tillable except 2 tillable; all fenced; three wells and acres; good grazing land; good new water at 22 feet. Have everlasting two windmills; three sets of tenant fence; large surface tank; in Lynn improvements; one and a half miles county; 1 1-4 mile of switch, 8 miles ter could be secured if properly de- of school; 12 miles northwest of Colo- south of Tahoka, county seat. Price

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No. 31-2190 acres red sandy loam, ready for the plow, half tillable, two- 250 acres in cultivation; fenced; good thirds sand and shinnery, \$10.00 per well and windmill and on the Colorado 7 1-2 miles northwest of Colorado, im- acre. 640 acres, 100 acres ready for river; good 5-room ranch house, barn and other improvements: one of the acres tillable. Loan of \$1200. Terms half sandy soil, on Colorado river, \$14 best stock ranches in the country; 11 per acre. 160 acres, 70 acres in culti- miles of Colorado. Will trade for vation, all tillable, sandy soil \$15.00 stock, land or business property in North or Northwest Texas.

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> No. 37-34 lots in Burnham; Will trade as first payment on farm or

No. 38-640 acres red chocolate soil; 8 miles northeast of Sierra Blanca, El soil: 100 in cultivation; 125 tillable; Paso county, all tillable; abundance of fenced; 5-room house with porches; exchange for anything worth the

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"And what force?"

company of Queen's Rangers."

fer the best farm in Camden."

laughed mirthlessly

the right plan, boys?"

"Glory be to God!" exclaimed

"The bloodhound takes the scent,"

silence of approval. It was evident

There was no attempt at military

"Sixty-nine, all told," he announced

It was firm bottom, but the water

rose above the waist, with sufficient

current so we had to brace against it

py Circumstances. Do You Surren-

n mid-stream. We trailed dropping

up the eastern bank, coming out upon

a well-traveled road. A hundred feet

beyond was the cleft through the clay,

and there Farrell halted us, dividing

the men into two parties. Under his

orders they disappeared like magic,

the silent night engulfing them com-

pletely. The three of us, Duval, Far-

rell, and myself, alone remained in

"Duval," said the blacksmith quiet-

ly, "you an' the Major feel your way

along to the top, an' discover what is

happening. I'll stay here, an' take

The road was a gradual rise, the

clay packed hard under foot, but from

the summit we could look away for

some distance over a level country,

dimly revealed under the new moon.

There was nothing in sight, and no

sound disturbed the solitude. We sat

down on a bunch of turf, rifles in

hand, to wait patiently, our eyes scan-

"Who are those fellows back

"The boys in the gulch? Jersey

militiamen," he explained shortly.

"You see there's some of us that

can't get away all the time, because

of the women and children, and the

farm work. Besides, regular soldier-

there?" I questioned at last, made

the deserted road.

care of the boys."

ning the distance.

nervous by the silence.

briefly. "All right, boys, come on, and

keep your powder out of the water."

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every man among us has some outrage

What is the program, Farrell?"

SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I-Major Lawrence; son of Judge Lawrence of Virginia, whose wife was a Lee, is sent on a perilous mission by Gen. Washington, just after the winder at Valley Force.

CHAPTER II-Disguised in a British uniform arrives within the enemy's lines. CHAPTER III—The Major attends a great fete and saves the "Lady of the Blended Rose" from mob. He later meets the girl at a brilliant ball.

CHAPTER IV-Trouble is started over a waltz, and Lawrence is urged by his partner, Mistress Mortimer, (the Lady of the Blended Rose), to make his escape.

CHAPTER V-Lawrence is detected as a spy by Captain Grant of the British army, who agrees to a duel. CHAPTER VI-The duel is stopped by Grant's friends and the spy makes a dash for liberty, swimming a river following a

CHAPTER VII—The Major arrives at the shop of a blacksmith, who is friendly, and knows the Lady of the Blended

CHAPTER VIII-Captain Grant and rangers arrive and search the blacksmith shop in vain for the sny.

CHAPTER IX.

With Minute Men.

I must have slept very heavily, the sleep of utter exhaustion, for I awoke with my mind clear and body rested. The door of the shop remained wide open, and Farrell sat there, his eyes upon the road without, an open book upon his knees. As I moved slightly he instantly turned his face toward

"I began to fear I should have to arouse you, Major," he said, coming within. "You have slept soundly for six hours, an' we must be off presently. First, however, we will have a bite to eat.'

He began to prepare the meal, while I bathed my face.

"I was very tired," I explained, "but now am ready for any service. What has occurred since I lay down?"

discipline, and their officers led only "Very littles Duval stopped a moby force of character. Without orders ment to report, an' two of my couriers rode past this way. We are going to have a goodly sized gathering tonight, an' from all I hear will need every back, rifles in hand, grouping themrifle. Grant's purpose is, as I supselves along the edge of the stream. posed, to guard the forage train into Philadelphia. He expects to meet them somewhere between Fellowship and Mount Laurel, an' the chances are we shall have to fight both detachments. But fall to, man, an we can discuss all this as we eat.'

He talked freely enough while we remained there, but conversation veered to the book he had been reading, and I learned little of his plans, except that he relied upon surprise, and swiftness of movement to overcome the decided advantage of numbers. After we mounted and rode away, scarcely a word was exchanged between us. Just before dusk we overtook a dozen horsemen in the breaks of a creek bottom, roughly dressed fellows, heavily armed, riding in the same direction as ourselves, and, after the exchange of a word or two, the whole party of us jogged along together. Others straggled in, singly, or by small groups, as darkness closed about, until we formed quite a respectable company. It was rather a silent, weird procession, scarcely a word being spoken, and no sound heard, other than the dull reverberation of unshod hoofs on the soft turf. To me, glancing back from where I held position beside Farrell, they semed like spectral figures, with no rattle of accoutrements, no glimmer of steel, no semblance of uniform. Yet my heart warmed to the knowledge that these were no holiday warriors, but grim fighting men. They had left their plows in the furrow to strike a blow

It was an hour or more after dark when our compact little body of horsemen rode down a gully into a broad creek bottom, and then advanced through a fringe of trees to the edge of the stream. There was a young moon in the sky yielding a spectral light, barely making those faces nearest me visible. At the summit of the clay bank, shadowed by the forest growth encircling them, were the others who had gathered at this war rendezvous, the majority dismounted, holding their horses in readiness for action. As we rode in among them neighbors clasped hands silently, but the words exchanged were few. Farrell forced his horse through the press toward where a tall figure sat stiff in the saddle, and my own horse followed unguided.

"A goodly turn-out, Duval," he commented briefly. "What was the number before we came?" "Forty-seven rifles," the Lieuten-

ant's voice nasal, and high pitched. "The men from Orchard and Spring-Hale are not in yet. How many arrived with you?"

"Twenty; ample for our purpose, even if the others fail us. This is Major Lawrence of the Maryland

"We'll introduce you to some typical

the rifle. We're doing our share in could catch a second breath, the few river." this war, an' Washington knows it. who remained on their feet were help-Old Man Kelly, an' their gangs of Pine over, and his whistle sounded again, raiding the farms, but mostly, we're echoing of the shrill blast he had disfighting foragers out of Philadelphia, appeared. and they're not much better. Half the houses in this country have been wreck of the train, demanding surrenburned, and mercy isn't very common | der. said genially. "We have a style all" on either side. Those lads yonder are not pretty soldiers to look at, but "I had supposed I had witnessed all they're wolves to fight, and hungry for it." "We'll see; the difference is that

"They are called on whenever Farrell wishes?"

to revenge. Our quarrel is a personal "Well, yes; those come who one against thieves and murderers. They're not always the same bunch. You see Farrell covers quite a bit of swered some one huskily. "To intercept Delavan's raiders. country, with a lieutenant in each sec-They will be along the main road tion who is in touch with the neighwithin the hour from all reports. He bors there. I belong in Camden, and has a wagon train loaded with stuff don't go outside very often, but there announced, his voice shaking slightly. gathered up between Medford an' is a sort of organization all the way Mount Holly, together with a considbetween here and New York. Whenerable drove of cattle and some ever there is a big fight on, the most of us get into it somehow. Washington counts on us in a pinch, but most-"About fifty men originally, but rely we're raiding or cutting off British inforced this afternoon with as many supplies. Say, Major, isn't that those more to help guard the train into fellows coming?"

He pointed into the east, in which direction the road ran, barely revealed "The reinforcements were, but the by the faint light of the moon for peroriginal foragers were afoot; they haps a hundred yards. I looked eagerwere Hessians; the others Grant's ly, and could dimly distinguish a vague shadow on the summit of a distant rise of land. The shadow moved, voice near at hand. "Did ye hear that, however, and as we both stared in unlads? It's Dutchmen and Tories we're certainty, there came to our ears the against tonight. Be Gorry! I wouldn't far-off crack of a whip. We drew have missed the chance of this shindy farther back against the bank, pausing to make sure there was no decep-There was a low growl from the tion." One by one we could perceive cluster of men, and an ominous movethose vague shadows topping the rise ment of bodies pressing closer. Duval and disappearing. I counted ten, convinced they were covered wagons,

and then the night wind brought to us the creaking of wheels, and the he said grimly. "God help those poor devils when we cut the leash, Farsound of a man's voice. Duval's hand rell. Where do you propose meeting gripped my arm, and to the signal we crept back beyond the crest, and then Grant stared at my face in the gleam "Across there in the bluffs," pointhurried down to where Farrell had ing, "where the road turns in between concealed his men. He was awaiting the high clay banks. We'll leave our us in the middle of the road, his short horses here, an' cross on foot. Is that broad figure almost laughable in the moon shadow. There was a murmur of acquies-

"Well, are they coming?" cence, a few questions, and then the "Just over the crest." replied Duval brusquely. "I counted fifteen wagons." these minute men were under small "Quite a convoy, an' worth fighting

come with me." curely in the black depths of the woods, and the men came straggling coverts, breathless and intent. Then the point of his sword with an oath. formation, but Duval straightened them out so as to count the number mur of approaching voices.

We could see them quite clearly, as oners." they topped the crest, the moonlight revealing men and horses so distinctly I could even guess at their uniform. abreast, down into the black shadows. lolling in their saddles, voices mur-He and his command had naturally of him? grown careless, never suspecting their keen-eyed scouts. Now, guarded by Grant's troop, they believed themture upon attack. By daylight they solent. would be within sight of the Philadelphia outposts, and serenely confident in their numbers, the night Delavan's officers." march had therefore become a mere

They were the Queen's Rangers, the white facings of their coats con-It Is a Pleasure to Meet With You in command. A Again, Especially Under Such Hap-

Ten wagons passed without a move- vas the last I see already." ment or sound from the men lying concealed almost within arm's reach ers, sir," broke in a new voice at my of the unconscious guards. Farrell back. "They wheeled and rode never stirred, and I scarcely ventured through us, across the water. We to breathe. Then there came a squad-thought the horse guard would get ron of Rangers, an officer riding alone them over there, but I guess they in front, the black shadow of another didn't; anyhow there was no firing. section of the wagon train looming The fellows must have turned in unover the ridge behind them. The der the bank, and rode like hell" horsemen passed us, the officer turn- Satisfied as to this incident, and not ing in his saddle with an order to altogether regretful that the boy had close up their ranks. I recognized thus escaped, I held a short consulta-Grant's voice, and then, sharp as a tion with Duval, seeking explanation blow, rang out Farrell's whistle at as to why the command had been so

my very ear. ly realizing its significance. It was my shoulders. a flerce hand-to-hand melee so swiftly fought as to be over with almost in a minute, and yet so desperate the narrow roadway was strewn with bodmans and British made one mad effort back to the farm house across the

to extricate themselves; the advance

It was Duval who emerged from the

"Who commands here?" he shouted. "Speak up quick."

There was hesitancy, and then out of the black mass huddled against the bank I recognized Grant's voice. 'I suppose I do; has any one seen

Captain Delavan?" "He fell at the first fire, sir," an-

Grant stepped forth into the moonlight, bareheaded, his sword in hand. "Then I am the senior officer," he

"Who are you?" "Camden minute men. Do you sur-

render?" He took a long breath, glancing about at the dark shadows. Some one held a lighted torch, the red flame further resistance was useless, yet Grant temporized.

"Are you in command?" "No," said Duval; "but I represent

the commander." "I deal with the one responsible in this affair and demand terms. Who is your leader?"

Duval smiled, turning his head inquiringly. "I don't think you have much

choice." he commented dryly. "However, perhaps you are not too proud to talk to a regular who outranks you-I present Major Lawrence, of the Continental Line."

Surprised as I was by being thus suddenly thrust forward into supreme authority. I as instantly understood the purpose, and stepped to the front. of the smoking torch, almost as though he looked upon a ghost.

"Certainly, Captain. It is a pleasure to meet with you again, especially under such happy circumstances. But my men are becoming impatient. Do you surrender?"

"Under what terms?" he parleyed.

for. Take the left, Duval: Major, "None, but we are not savages. You We drew aside under the protection His hatred of me made him obsticuss it publicly here.". of a boulder, from where we could see nate, but the utter helplessness of for a moment was there silence, the ignored. A Hessian muttered somemen all about us lying low in their thing in German, and Grant dropped

we heard horses' hoofs and the mur- "Good," I said promptly. "Lieutenant, have your men disarm the pris-

militiamen herded them against the bank, encircled by a heavy guard. Those in advance rode slowly, four Duval singled out the officers from among the others, and brought them forward to where I stood. There were muring, seemingly unconscious of any but three-Grant and two Hessians. danger. It was easy to comprehend I looked at them keenly, recalling the their state of mind. Delavan had been slight figure of the young lieutenant left alone for a week, permitted to with the boy's voice. Could the lad sweep the countryside unmolested. have been shot, or what had become

"Are you three all that are left?" ed the vanguard?"

The two Hessians looked at each selves sufficiently strong for any other stupidly, and I asked the quesemergency; that no force the scat-tion again before Grant saw fit to retered enemy could gather would ven- ply. His manner was excessively in-

> "That is more than I know. We joined after dark, and I did not meet

"He vas vat vou call maybe a volroutine. I heard Farrell chuckle grim- unteer leftenant," added one of the ly to himself as he observed the care- Germans brokenly. "At Mount Holly less approach of those advance rid- we met, yah, and from there he joined." "Not one of Delavan's men then?"

"I dink not; he vas Light Dragoon. spicuous, their guns swung at the I haf the vagon guard-the first vagshoulder in reckless confidence. A ons-an' see him there. Mine Gott! slim young lieutenant appeared to be he come pack vid his mens all rightslash, shoot-his horse rear up; that

The lad got away, with three oth-

unceremoniously thrust upon me. A There was a leap of flame from few words only were required to make both sides the road, lighting up that the situation clear. Farrell's ability gash in the clay bank as though it to injure and annoy the enemy largely was an inferno, the red and yellow depended on his leadership not being glow cleaving the might asunder, with known. While taking part in every ear-splitting roar. I was on my feet, engagement, he always required his my rifle spitting, ye hardly conscious lieutenants to represent him in negoof any act, stunned by the suddenness tiations, so that up to this time, whatof the reports, confused by those ever the British might suspect, they black figures leaping forward through had no positive proof that he was the weird glare. I saw and heard, and openly in arms against them. Duval, yet it was all a confused medley, in in turn, taking advantage of my preswhich I bore active part while scarce- ence, had shifted the responsibility to

"But what do you people do with your prisoners?" I asked

"Send 'em to the Continental lines when we can," he explained, "and if tes. Frightened horses whirled and we can't then turn 'em loose. No use ran; wagons were overturned; hem- paroling 'em, as they consider us med in against the high walls, Ger- guerillas. If I was you I'd run 'em

ing don't just appeal to our sort. So guard came spurring back, pushing creek, an' hold 'em there till we get we do our fighting round home in our blindly into the ruck, the boyish voice rid of this stuff. Maybe it'll take own way. However, the most of us of their young lieutenant sounding twenty-four hours to hide it all, and manage to have a hand in the real above the uproar. But our men were burn the wagons. Then the boys can thing once in a while even at that. between the two, a compact body, turn 'em loose, an' there's no harm We were over at Germantown, and each borderman fighting independent. I'd like to take that fellow turn 'em loose, an' there's no harm down at Brandywine. Farrell's got a ly, but knowing the game. I heard no, Grant' into our lines-he's a mean commission, but the rest of us are word of command, no shout of direc. pillaging devil-but it's too big a risk; taking our chances. It's neighbor tion from either Farrel or Duval, yet | Bristol is about the nearest picket against neighbor. Whatever we've we ripped them asunder with sweep- post, and the redcoats have got cavgot left has been, held at the point of ing rifle butts, and, almost before I alry patrols all along in back of the

"But I cannot walt here," I an-Over there to the east 'Red' Fagin, lessly trapped. Farrell saw it was all swered, impatiently. "Farrell understood that. I have important informa-Robbers, are making the fields red; stilling the uproar. Up to that mo- tion for Washington, and only came there is not a passage of the New sometimes they get down this far ment he was beside me; with the with you tonight because you were Testament but that becomes illumifollowing along my route. I've got to go on."

"That's all right; just give your orders, and we'll attend to the rest. What we want is for these lads to go back to Philadelphia saying they were attacked by a force of militia under command of an officer of the Continental line. That will give Clinton a scare, and turn suspicion away from us. Grant knows you, I understand, so he'll report the affair that way. You can be off within thirty minutes."

It was easy to grasp the point of view, and I saw no reason for refusing assistance. I gave the necessary orders, standing under the torchlight in full view, and waited while a squad of partisans rounded up the disarmed prisoners, and guarded them down the slope to the edge of the stream. Teams were doubled up, and several of the heavy wagons rumbled away into the darkness. Two, too badly incasting a sudden gleam over the sur- jured to be repaired, were fired where rounding faces. It was clear that they lay, the bright flames lighting up the high banks on either side the road. I found a big black horse, with British arms on the bridle, and a pair of loaded pistols in the holsters, a fine-looking animal, and came back into the fire glow, determined to lose no more time. Duval had disappeared, but, as I stood there looking about for him to say good-bye, a young

country fellow came up hurriedly from out the darkenss. "You're wanted down thar," he said, with the jerk of a thumb over his shoulder. "The Tory officer wants total exports for the year ending to see ye."

"What officer? Captain Grant?" "I reckon that's the one," indifferently; "anyhow I was told to fetch ye

down thar. Bannister sent me." I went as he directed down the rutty road, my newly appropriated horse trailing along behind. Grant was pacing back and forth restlessly, but, as soon as I appeared within the

"Can I see you alone?" he asked brusquely. "If there is any reason for privacy, certainly," I answered in surprise.

fire radius, he came toward me.

"What do you wish to say?" "This is a matter strictly between

clearly to the top of the ridge. Only their position was too apparent to be was not willing to exhibit any reluc-

"Very good. Bannister." to the partisan in charge, "I want a word with Captain Grant, and will be responsible for his safe return."

The man looked after us doubtfully, yet permitted us to pass beyond the guard lines. There was a stump beside the ford, barely within the flicker of the distant fire, and there I stopped, leaning against my horse, and turned so as to look into the man's

He cleared his throat, evidently uncertain how best to express himself. 'Why did you ask so many questions about Delavan's lieutenant?" he every move had been watched by I questioned bluntly. "Who command- began sullenly. "What were you trying to find out?"

"Well, Grant," I said, rather sternly.

We are alone now; what is it?"

(To be continued.)

A city may not become a big one but it can become a clean one.

Tailored hats at Mrs. Mills.

An Able Book. We had the pleasure this week of

examining the book recently written by Dr. W. R. Shook of Loraine. It is a brief commentary on the new testament and lexicon of its terms. We have heard much of this book and its purpose, but had little idea of its scope and scholarship until now. It is a valuable work, a work of great merit, and will bring Dr. Shook to the front as one of our ablest bible commentators. With this book in hand, nated with a new meaning and clarity of comprehension that is delightful. We hope the Doctor will meet with the success in the sale of his book that is merit deserves. Rev. W. A. Campbell is general agent for Dr. Shook's book and will make a thorough canvass of the county in its

The Record goes to press before Governor Colquitt arrives to make his speech. He speaks on Friday afternoon, and although the publication day of the Record is on Friday, the paper is printed the afternoon before. Notices were sent out over the county and a good crowd is expected to be in to hear him. A notice of his speech will be given next week.

Cotton Exports Highest in Years.

Galveston, Texas .- Cotton exports for the fiscal year which ends June 20. will exceed by approximately two million bales the highest export of any earlier year. The largest exportation for any previous year was that of 1907, aggregating 8,708,469 bales, while the exports for the nine months ending March 31st, according to the latest figures of the Department of Commerce, show a total of 9,418,297 bales, justifying the estimate that the June 30th will exceed the former high record of 1907 by two million bales.

Graduating Exercises.

Owing to the lack of seats in the auditorium of the high school building, the graduating exercises of the public school will be held at the opera house next Monday night, May 6th, at 8 o'clock,

An admission fee of 10 cents will be collected at the door to help the class defray the expenses of the above arrangement.

Letter from Mrs. Goforth.

Mrs. Z. E. Goforth, 2119 Holly St., I had a suspicion of treachery, yet Kansas City, writes: "After using a sample bottle and two 25-cent bottles of Hunt's Lightning Oil, I am almost well of Catarrah. It stops my headaches. It is the best medicine I ever saw, and I can't just keep house without it." She is right.

> The friends of Gov. Woodrow Wilson met at the court house on Tuesday afternoon and organized a Wilson Club with nearly fifty members. Dr. P. C. Coleman was elected chairman and C. W. Simpson secretary. All friends of Gov. Wilson are urged to attend the precinct convention here Saturday, and in the other precincts

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TEXAS & PACIFIC TIME TABLE.

cure Morning Train Going East......9:46 A. M.

COLORADO, TEX AS, MAY 3, 1912, of W The receivers of the Orient road The campaign is now fairly begun, chosen. Among them is a newspaper army of more than a million soldiers Rowl have submitted proposals to the feder- but only the auxiliary batteries have man, R. E. Yantis, of the Athens Re- and the policing of every hamlet and Earl al court to be allowed to issue re- been brought into action so far. It view. He is not only a newspaper jackal in the country. An overt war soev ceivers' certificates for the comple- will be in the home stretch that the 12 man, but a lawyer and ex-school would be better for Mexico and better fit to tion of that road as far as Alpine, and 16 pounders will be unlimbered. teacher as well, and in all capacities for this country than intervention. Pr where connection would be made with the Southern Pacific, thus giv- There is no denying the fact-Gov. he without political honors; he has be a failure, ever ing the road a western outlet and se- Harmon made a most favorable im- seen service in the state legislature

the curing a heavy traffic. in front of Ismay -Fort Worth Re- swing the state for him in the con- and patriotic, and in our humble opin- and advertisements had to be turned

vis Ismay.

sol the net of the Four County News in We believe he will win the delegation state, according to his opportunity, again on the next week's paper. It town promotion. Hear him: "John anyway. Jacob Astor would have given millions to have been in Hamlin the day the giant liner went down."

We had not been out on the roads an exponent of socialism (all capi- for one of its most loyal friends. leading south from town in quite a tals). It seems to us that anoth while until last week, and the condi- paper by the name of Iconoclast, withtion of the public roads was a revela-tion indeed. The road from here to sonality and atmosphere of astagonat the bung while losing at the ism, will have a difficult row to weed Lots of towns no larger than Color Saturday and if matter is withheld ten one good rain to settle it, will be not to be continually compared to be rado have hospitals and several pro until Thursday we are compelled to as fine country road as any county other and successful Iconoclast. Mr. can show. Not only this road, but Goode may be able to do it, but THE the north road is in good shape. Rid- Iconoclast will always mean but one ness is at all times a burden and exing on such public highways in a paper-but one person-but one place pense and the average home of this good machine is not only a pleasure, —but one environment—one phase of country is ill prepared to give a sick bring it in just as early in the week but a real luxury. With such good evolution in the development of Tex- person the care and surroundings. roads leading to town the people who as journalism. live six or seven miles out consider themselves suburbanites. Its no trouble to bring in a full load and take back a big one.

at the bung while losing at the Dupree is a regular staff contributor ing. The Record believes there are spigot," of saving one dollar now thereto, his specialty being tobacco. enough sick people in the town of bung," or of saving one dollar now but losing five later on, which is violative of the fundamental injunction to "never do evil that good may come. Present proximate evils are ed and 3000 pounds of dynamite were Dallas and Fort Worth, not because pression and short crops, one needs never to be incurred in view of remote, doubtful contingences."

in using the great order of Masonry, began to fall which incraesed into a believes a joint stock company could mesquite and dog holes, neat homes the Woodman of the World, and other lively shower. If Mr. Post can suc- be promoted at Colorado and the and cultivated fields greet the eye. orders, merely to aid some member ceed in demonstrating the practicabil- stock would sell like popcorn and Nor are the improvements made of (usually an office-seeking lawyer) to ity of this method of inducing rain, balloons at a circus. What think the the makeshift, squatter kind, made get a politican office. Kep an eye on he will have redeemed much of what disciples of Aesculapius and Hippo- with the idea of selling out or pulling the movement of some candidates for he has inflicted upon us by giving us crates about it? this year. See what "pull" some of "Postum," "Grape Nuts" and "Toastthem work-Fireside and Bulletin.

the year. Farmers also are seeing in the just execration of railroad people. be forgiven him if he is square and be one of the most densely populated. the silo the means of keeping their They smuggle the dogs aboard trains polite and prompt in his business Nature has been exceedingly generof tons of the very finest feed stuff when a large woman, with much 'em- the bill collectors, who finds fault and mate and the right topographical prothe silo is contsructed the expense of train, filling it is no more than cutting and

From a marked copy of that paper doubt that the only way to break up News. we see that A. C. Elliott, editor of the the tipping evil is to do so by law; Herford Brand, an old McLennan public opinion can never do it. If the county friend of the Record proprie- law works out in Mississippi, let the United States and an ex-president of moral fiber, in scholarly attainment, tors, has shied his castor into the wise men of Texas get busy on a the same great nation, going over the in intellectual strength and in grasp ring and will ask the people of that similar one for this state. district to send him to the legislature. If he fills the position to which The prospects for a good crop in great body of the republican party and our public men. This would insure he aspires with as much ability and West Texas were never brighter than incline them to chuck 'em both and an aggressive and effective campaign satisfaction as he has all others, the at the present time. Everybody be- nominate a man of some dignity, at throughout the Union against the people of the Panhandle will never lieves there will be a bumper crop least. And it is not written in the formidable Republican party such as regret honoring him with their votes. and is working in that spirit of consi- book of fate that the man may not be we can expect from no other candi-Success to you, Elliott.

We call attention to the article by Mr. Davis, in this issue of the Record. The United States government has He hits the nail on the head when he at last, at the urgent pleadings of the render a town attractive as nicely forty marines for moral effect, to fort. Plant out trees and grass.

puts the highest premium on the men- to its books in learning good governmanagement that is freest from bos- son thoroughly enough to behave him- When Charlie talks in lodge. ses and from all form of arbitrary au- self, he could be thrashed again and When Charlie talks in lodge. thority—while being quick and pow- again. But to take possession of that I love to see the two friends chaw erful to appreciate a good piece of country, with every inhabitant a The rag—they sure do love to jaw work and give the doer a freer hand traitor to the administration, there For fellowship's in tooth and claw

has proven himself proficient. Nor is The job would have no end and then pression on the people of Texas and shown much constructive stateswherever he met them, and a mighty manship. He is a man of the greatest The press has very nearly put a D effort will be made by his friends to probity of character, honest, brave Yes, and a - follows the D. D- ever, had a preferential primary been, than honoring him with a seat in con- press.

We Still Need It.

fessional nurses, and they always d well where properly managed. If that are such great factors in the treatment of any disease. It would really cost less for the average sick We are in receipt this week of a person, although he or she has a good copy of Hornish's Monthly, a free home, to go to a hospital where the lance paper published at San Angelo. same professional attention could be In looking over its columns we dis- given under far more helpful condi-There is such a thing as "gaining cover that our fellow townsman, L. C. tions and with infinitely better nurs-Colorado and immediately surround-Mr. Post tried his rain-making ex- ing country, who would prefer to go periments again last week at Post to a hospital, to support one here. City. Rain was beginning to be need- Patients go from all this section to Even with the past two years of defired as was done before. After about so much of the superior surgical and but to ride over the county to aphalf the explosive had been used, medical skill to be had there, but be- preciate how much and fast this clauds began to gather and soon after cause of the attention during con- country is developing. Where a few It is about time that halt is called the 3000 pounds had been used rain valescence they receive. The Record years ago there was nothing but

ly, who doesn't hem and haw and in the country. Mitchell county is Great interest is being taken by the We have often wondered at the squirm when face to face with an without doubt the banner agriculturcattlemen of West Texas in the sife. close affinity between show folks and honest debt that he is able to pay, is all county of West Texas, and just as It seems to solve the question of dogs-pet dogs, that are a nuisance a good citizen. He may have his short soon as the large holdings of land in green feed for their cattle during the to the rest of the travelling public. comings, his eccentricities, his little the county are divided and get into most trying and expensive menths of the abomination of hotel keepers and meannesses, but many of these can the hands of the small farmer, it will milk cows and other stock in good in all sorts of ways and guises, but affairs. The petty dead-beat, who ous in its gifts of good water, fertile fresh green stuff all winter. Millions we recently saw the climax capped avoids his obligations, who puts off land free of pests, a magnificent clihave heretofore been allowed to go bompoint," dextrously slipped a wat- dispute his honest accounts in order portion to give all classes of farming to waste in the fields for lack of pro- ery-eyed, shivering Mexican dog into to gain time and who finally, when a generous share of its area. per methods of preserving it. Once her bosom just before boarding the forced pays sourly and grumblingly, is a desperate character. Some of that sort belong to the church and some putting up the hay, and it is far more The legislature of Mississippi has don't but the few who do are enough nutritcious and palatable than hay, passed a law to prohibit tips-\$50 fine to make a bill collector doubt the Many of the largest stock raisers of for the giver and as much for the tak- value of christianity to any man's West Texas are becoming interested er, and \$100 for the employer of the daily life. Somebody a long time ago in the silo and are having them con-tip-taker. The fact that everyone said that Hades was paved with good concerned will be fined may make the intentions. We doubt it. We believe ple of Texas, in the course of which statute impracticable, but there is no it is paved with dead-beats.—Dallas

> country engaged in a regular cat-and- and power of statement of great isdog fight, is enough to disgust the sues he is in the very front rank of Hughes of New York.

Better War Than Intervention.

pleads for neat yards and parks, par- citizens of this country in western ticularly for the neat upkeep of the Mexico, sent an old government transcourt house park. Nothing can so port to the ports of that section with kept parks, yards and trees. The bring out those who wish to come. cost of planting and maintaining We take it for granted this great trees by the method described by Mr. country of ours knows exactly what Dayis is not great, and compared with it is doing in the premises, but to the the amount of pleasure it gives and common citizen at home, it looks the added value it gives the place, it mighty like Uncle Sam was employis nothing. The Record hopes to see ing the dilatory tactics of Mexico itevery chizen of Coforado who owns self, when if he took Mr. Greaser by a home plant out more trees and the scruff of the neck and slack of beautify their front yards the coming the pants and jabbed his head against year. Nothing adds so much to the a wall good and hard a time or two, salability of the place and its com- that he would soon come to his senses. As it is, the Mexican has a more salutary fear of Texas than of the whole The most efficient organization for U.S. government. What that country a shop-or a state-is the kind that needs is a sound thrashing and put When Charlie talks in lodge. tal freedom of the workman, in the ment. We believe intervention would When Charlie talks in lodge, pursuit of new and better ways of prove a greater calamity than a war. Judge Hooper alters takes the floor doing things. The best management The latter would soon be over, and if To flood the same with Charlie's gore, for a business or a government is the Mr. Greaser had not learned his les- And fire flies, both aft and fore,

would never be the slightest hope of When Charlie talks in lodge. pacifying the country and guarantee-Up to date there are nearly a score ing a stable government. Even of candidates for congress from the though Mexico would have to foot the state at large, and only two can be bills, it would require a standing

Bear This in Mind, Friends.

Several important articles, notices vention on the 28th. We believe, how- ion, no better choice could be made down Thursday just before going to

given the people instead of the pri- gress. He has done as much for the If our friends could only understand mary conventions, that Wilson had educational and industrial advance- that just as soon as we get the paper Everything is fish that comes into carried the state by a good margin, ment of Texas as any man in the out on Thursday, we begin all over He is no place hunter or time server, keeps us busy every hour to be ready but has given the best years of his to print the paper by the next Thurs-We are in receipt of No. 1, Vol. 1, of life to the betterment of his country. day, and certain things must be done "The Iconoclast" published at Corsi- A vote for Col. Yantis, will be a vote at certain times, else at great inconcana. Texas, by Jas. B. Goode. It is for the best interests of Texas and venience. If communications, articles, advertisements, etc., are withheld until Wednesday or Thursday morning it throws all the work out What about that sanitarium and of balance. It keeps us busy Mon-

If you have an ad, communication or other matter for the paper, please ticle is of urgent importance, we can make room by leaving out something else less important, but if you are thinking of bringing anything for publication, please do so early in the cratic primary in July. week, then it is sure of getting in. You wouldn't ask a bank to keep open half an hour longer to accommodate is the most important element, would never get to press if it accepted every belated ad and notice brought to it.

up and going back east at the first symptoms of dry weather. They have The man who pays his bills prompt- an appearance of the air of cenfidence

For and Against.

On the same day that the junior senator from Texas was denouncing Woodrow Wilson at Paris, Texas, the senior senator was endorsing him at Washington in an address to the peo-

"All unbiased men will freely admit that his personality has strongly The spectacle of a president of the appealed to the Nation, and that in date before the country.

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dence. Believing is seeing.

To the Man From the Country.

Whoever said "You can get a man out of the country, but you can't get the country out of a man," spoke words of wisdom which have met manifold confirmation in human experience. When the microbe of the country once gets into the human system it is there to abide, defiant of time and change and association.

The country has charms and attractions which take nold upon the affections and imagination and emotions that will not be shaken off.

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woods; he drinks in the ozone of the in the race of life. mountains and the towering forests; he breathes the perfume of the wild tage have come the men who have The Meadow Song. (Chorus)flowers; he swims in the pellucid led the forces of civilization, and the Class. lakes and wades in the dashing boy from the country has become the Twentieth Century High School Girl. streams and purling brooks.

To him the song of the redbird, the the nation. opening note of the springtime chorus He learns early the lesson of a sim- Graves Simpson, is music sweeter than singer ever ple faith in God and a reverence for Class Prophecy. - Lala Eugenia sang, and the call of the bob-white to the homely, primal virtues which Farmer. his mate for tighteousness, and the so- Valedictory.-Fannie Mae Farmer. of the summer solstice. He may for- cial, political and industrial destinies sake the country, but he carries meni- of the nation are in the keeping of Hennessey.

He may exchange the quiet of the Chronicke. farm, the stillness of the woods, the peacefulness of the vale, as it nestles 'twixt towering mountains, for the rush and roar, the naste and hurry, the danger and the clashing of the city; but his memory dwells still upon his annual report. says, "There is Jack Sheppard were the heroes of the throbbing with the music of life, the his childhood haunts, and nothing in growing up in this city a menacing road. his new environment can banish that memory from his mind.

The flashing of the fireflies in the twilight is in his eyes more beautiful by far than the radiance and glare of true of nearly every city of importelectrict lights, and the song of the ance in the United States. There must whippoorwill at eventide is to him be reason for it and the reason is logsweeter music than was ever played ically a lack of discipline in the fam-

He may listen while some great singer trills and soars till she reaches the highest note of the scale, and the back to his boyhood days and he hears the mocking bird's song as it quivered and floated on the breeze, as of song in notes surpassing in sweet- lives should be exercised.

plow; he revels in the freedom of the their conduct.

Pate de foie gras is stale and flat com- come from these. on tenderloin of trout and tartar trate McAdoo brings the facts home in Insanity in this country is increassauce, broiled flounder and planked a conspicuous way. fried chicken and brown gravy.

instinctive and untutored skill, put to find impossible to control.

umphs of the most famous chef, and COMMENCEMENT EXFRCISES. when he fecalls the flaky, snowy biswith loathing from the heavy, soggy baker's bread on which the city man must feed.

As he builds up strength of body, he Class. builds also, strength of mind, He Invocation.-Rev. W. E. Lyon. his independence; he stands ready to ner. oppose trespass upon either, and at Valse (F. Chopin)-Fannie Mae his country's call he is always first Farmer. ---

The denials and privations of his key. early days serve but to stimulate his | Class Poem.—Grace Aleen Williams. The country-born boy lives close to sistent purpose he pursues his steady Gill.

nature. He catches the breath of the way until he distances his city brother Self Culture.—John Milburn Doss.

> From the cabin and the lowly cot- ine Pritchett. man who has directed the destinies of -Jessie Eugenia Person.

ories of it with him wherever he goes, the man from the country.-Houston

The Youthfulness of Crime.

Magistrate McAdoo of New York, according to the New York World, in days of crime, when Claude Duval and few short hours before had been army of boys and young men who are

ily. Boys are not instinctively bad, but boys neglected, who are permitted to associate with older boys of evil tendencies, who are permitted to roam the streets at all hours of the day and night, will gravitate into evil ways unconsciously, perhaps, but evil ways

the singer sat beneath dew-gemmed the treatment of children, but due bowers and poured forth a cataract prudence in watching their youthful

skillful human singer ever sang. 'blackest, and the trouble is that too contentions. The country boy gets strength and many parents feel that their little The census report bearing on the with nature. He builds muscle by permit them to go where they please, shows that Jan. 1.

reets and towering buildings of the loaf about the streets at night are the country by more than 37,000. city cannot imprison his soul or drive found certain rowdies. lawless and It may be taken as true that the

and, though he may feed in the city story, but the annual report of Magis. Vail here.

shad and baked redfish, he yearns, The youthful criminals of Paris This is proved from the census tables with a yearning which will not be sat- have created an epidemic of crime. that show the number of insane in isfied for backbone and chitterlings The youthful criminals of New York state institutions in 1904 to have been and stuffed sausage and sweetbreads, have been responsible for the most daring robberies of late years. They in 1910 the ratio was 203.8. this does His black mammy could, with her form a gang of crooks that the police not show the true present ratio, from

shame the most artistic culinary tri- This has been true since the early

cuits on which she ted him he turns To Be Held At the Opera House, Mouday Evening May Sixth

"Tis Our Festal Day (Chorus)

learns to love freedom; he rejoices in Salutatory.-Rachel Annie Gard-

Class History.-Cupid Irene Whit

slumbering ambition, and with per- Minuet (Paderewski)-Ruby Dee Mc-

Our American Orators. - Homer

Baccalaureate Address .- Rev. H. G.

Awarding of Diplomas .- Hon. J. P. Majors.

Benediction.-Rev. B. Broome.

the most troublesome elements we great qualities of Napoleon was that goodbye to those who were near and he took all highwaymen, bandits dear, the wrecking of the happiness smugglers out of the jails of France of homes in distant lands, the griefand they made the best soldiers. It stricken cry that forces its way was because in most instances they through the lips of a mother when her were men of daring. Unfortunately loved one is being swept from her we can not follow the example of Na- All this, and more, was in the brief poleon in our country, so we must try message caught on the tiny points of to keep these brave youths out of jail the Marconi; for in it was an admoand home influence is the first step to nition to these that "go down to the be taken in this direction. Memphis sea in ships." It matters not how Commercial Appeal.

The Spread of Insanity.

We hear much from the altruists you are in death." that the world is growing better, and

vigor and courage as he communes ones are exceptions to the rule, and subject of insanity, recently issued, the life of a profligate, they died the swinging the axe; he grows lithe and do as they please, associate with of the country held 184,544 insane stalwart and strong as he follows the whom they please and never question people. In the six years from 1904 to orest and the plain, and the narrow From the ranks of these boys who number held in the insane asylums of

from his heart his love of the quiet reckless, who begin with little viola- other civilized countries of the world tions. From the ranks of these are are not far behind this country in the The luxurious menu of the city table recruited the more emphatic law number of insane per thousand. Incannot wean him from his love for the breakers, for sooner or later they be-deed, the number of insane in this homely fare which was spread before come chums or pals and the crop of country ought to be less per thousand him in his lowly home in the country, bad men and dangerous characters than the insane of other countries, bepared with country ham and hominy. This is but the reiteration of an old ing influence of humanity that pre-

> ing more rapidly than the population. 186.2 to each 100,000 of population; lous states the facilities for taking care of the insane are utterly inadequate to accommodate the number applying for admission.

Is our present social system to blame for the present prevalence of insanity, or does the fault lie in the constitution of the individual? Are Americans growing insane because they must, or because they cannot nelp themselves?

Time Yet.

Pienty of time yet, to plant the Spanish peanut. While the "goober" grows like weeds on the sandy soils of our great timber regions, its drouthresisting quality renders it of special value to sections of slight rain-fall. As some writer says about it: "The goober will wait for rain, and then come flying." It has waited sixty days for raine in New Mexico, and then made a fair crop.

The success of a few people along the Texas & Pacific, west of Fort worth, last dry season, should tip it a big winner as a feed crop in West

Besides being a hog fattener and soil improver, the Spanish goober days for rain in New Mexico, and during seasons of short crops.

R. R. CLARIDGE, Agricultural Agent Texas & Pacific Ry Co, and International & Great Northern Ry. Co., Longview, Texas.

Its always easier for a man who is at work to get a job than if he is idle: so also is it easier to sell a business that is running than an idle

City knockers are nothing but pes-

The Song of the Wireless. sleepy indifference by the click of the out an effort or desire to save his any other one article. delicate Marcon instruments recording the fateful dots and dashes of the international code which were being flashed to the world by a ship in distress. Out of midnight darkness, over o. s." appealing to all civilization affoat or ashore, for immediate help. Comments on Hiawatha.-Oran Paul- Following the call was a brief telegraph statement announcing the fact that the largest ship ever constructed life. This was the song of the wire- is commencing something for some by man, freighted with the most precious of cargoes, had collided with an iceberg off the coast of Newfoundland and was swiftly sinking to her doom. Thus did the wonderful wireless, that marvel of man's inventive skill, sing a resulem over the good ship Titanic as she steered for that port of lost greyhounds of the ocean. Couched in that one little message! as it rushed with the speed of thought hither and thither through space, with Graduates Farewell (Chorus) the agonizing wail of women and children being torn from the embrace of those they loved, the breaking of quivering heartstrings that only a

terrible test of having to face death It is related by Emerson among the without an opportunity of saying

Whatever may be written on yesterperhaps we are, but at the same time day's page of this horrible catasthe people of the world are going in- trophe, be it said to the eternal credit sane at a rate never before known, if of those who perished, that with but this is a demonstration of betterment few exceptions, whether held by duty's ness and purity any that the most Every crow thinks its little one the then the altruists are right in their call, chivalry's demand, peasant or Though some of them may have lived

streak of yellow. At the first terrible Marconi told an ever listening world impact of the ship against the terror that fateful Monday morning. Monday morning of last week, at of the seas, every member of the thirty minutes past two o'clock, every crew sprang to his post. That un- See if you can comprehend what operator of wireless telegraphy with- written but never violated law of the fifteen hundred billion represents. in a radius of a thousand miles of sea "women and children first" was That many matches are used every latitude 41.16 north, and longitude invoked by the gray haired captain, year, three million every minute. 50.14 west, was startled from his who went down with his ship with More matches are manufactured than

> own life. of the wireless refused to leave his Pretty close shave, that post or make any effort to save his less; the story the wonderful little one else to finish.

High above all this tragedy, in his A law compelling qualified voters little cabin, sat the wireless operafor, to vote is not such a dream as some flashing to the world his signal of dis- imagine. A proposal to penalize cititress, "s. o. s.," which sets every zens who refuse or fail to vote was perilous seas, across leagues of water, heartstring vibrating with fear and ed in the Ohio constitutional convencame this wireless "c. q. d." and "s. anxiety. As long as this deep sea defeated in the Ohlo constitutional leviathan remained affoat, this hero convention by a vote of 48 to 42.

Starting a business without capital



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Washington Correspondence.

Washington, D. C. May 1 .-- President Joseph E. Ransdell of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, Senator-Elect from Louisiana, has re-Mississippi with sorrowing tales of ty convention to be held on the 7th loss of life and destruction of proper- Bring your poll tax receipt. ty due to the awful flood of the mighty river which must still further be may be saved from a continuation of these terrible visitations of Proviwith the aid of his colleagues dealers. living along the "Father of Waters" that the Senate has passed an emerriver and harbor bill for the Missisippi River levees to the end that the

One of the striking things that has een made public since Congress has been endeavoring to probe the incisurrounding the Titanic disaster, is the fact that as long ago as 1876 an effort was made to secure an agreement between foreign steamship lines for ocean-going vessels to avoid the shorter northern route at dangerous seasons of the year, when icebergs were likely to be encountered. During a meting of the House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries a letter was read to the Committee that was written by Thos. Ismay, the father of J. Bruce Ismay, president of the International Mercantile Marine Company which owned the Titanic, in 1876, in which he urged upon a conference of foreign steamship owners that they enter inquestion were among the files of the ommissioner of Navigation, and were furnished by him to the Chairman of the Committee, Representative

000 people.

An interesting lecture was presented recently at the rooms of the National Press Club by H. D. Slater, of El Paso, Texas, who illustrated his talk with lantern slides made from photographs of battles in Mexico takcurrent that intervention by the United States might become necessary to protect American property has quickened public interest in all Mexican matters, and these pictures gave a graphic presentation of many interest-

A criticism on our ideas of national art was presented to the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House recently by Gutzon Borglum, a former resident of Omaha, Nebraska, the well known sculptor, specimens of whose work are to be seen in the Capitol and in various other places of public interest in Washington, Mr. Borglum was speaking in support of a bill providing for the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the signing of the treaty of Ghent.

"America has no monuments to ideas," declared Mr. Borlgum, "Her While the Greeks, the Italians, and the Indians from whom we get our ideas, erect monuments to ideas, we erect ours to men and we have an oversupply of them."

the Goddess of Liberty in New York Harbor, but remarked that this had been given to the United States by France, and could not be attributed memorial to the victims of the Titanic disaster, which he hoped would be truly idealistic and commemorative

things; they increase the population

Notice Democrats.

As precinct chairman of the execu tive committee for precinct No. 1, I hereby call a precinct convention to meet on next Saturday, May 4th, at 2 p. m., at the county court house for turned from his plantation along the the selection of delegates to the coun-

J. A. BUCHANAN. Chairman, Precinct No. 1.

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Neat Jail Delivery. Sometime during last Thursday amount that will be carried in the thirsting for liberty, succeeded in prisoners succeeded in tearing loose puty sheriff Scott, and departed for clently to allow them to escape. rebuilt and threatened levees other scenes and entertainment.

less, it is estimated, more than 100, was a wooden sill which had become throughout all this section.

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night the inmates of the county jail, loosened in the stone. This the breaking their restraining confines and pulling into their cell, and with in contempt of the hospitality of de- which they pried apart the bars suffi-

There were four inmates, but only which they had been provided, it was three decamped, one refused to take an easy matter to reach the ground advantage of the chance for liberty, and give leg bail. One of the prison-All of the prisoners had just been ers, however, refused to take advanaction the House will substi- brought from Sweetwater, where they tage of his opportunity and remained tute the Senate resolution for its own had been convicted and given senten- behind. Just as soon as he thought ces varying from two to twenty years. the other prisoners out of hearing he They were placed on arrival here yelled and otherwise gave the alarm in a cell of the jail which is common- to deputy sheriff Preston Scott, who Board of Engineers to begin the busi- ly used for ordinary detention cases, was sleeping on the lower floor. A ness of closing up the crevasses made and which has always proven suffi- thorough and diligent search about by the mad waters. The flood, the cient to hold any prisoner. This cell the jail was made, but no trace of greatest in our history, has swept has iron bars running longitudinally their flight could be found. Up to this away houses, destroyed millions of and deeply imbedded in the stone cas- writing no clue as to their wheredollars worth of property and hun- ing with cross bars fixed in the same abouts has been started, though dilidreds of lives and has rendered home- way. On the outside of the window gent search is being prosecuted

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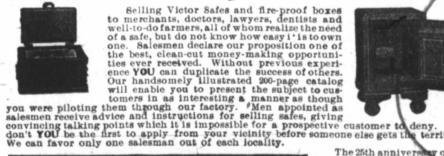
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Seven Wells Closing Exercises.

Whenever announcement is made of looking over two rare papers that that the school at Seven Wells will were leaned us by our good friend T. have its closing exercises, everyone H. Roe. One of them is a copy of the who has ever been there, arranges New York Herald, dated January 31, to be on hand. On election years the 1853. It is an eight page paper set eccasion is taken advantage of by the entirely in agate type, which is so various candidates to announce their small that the average subscriber to ambition and desires. It marks the the present day paper could hardly opening of the campaign, and from read it. There are no display adverthat date till the primary election the tisements in it; every ad being set in candidate is abroad in the land.

The school at Seven Wells is one black letter. Typographically, it of the most successful rural schools puts any paper of this day to shame, in West Texas, and great credt is due for neatness and cleanness. The telethe Messrs Hood for the high standard graph was then in about the same they have set and the executive abili- stage of evolution that flying maty they have shown.

Nor was the closing this year one were making trips in two to four whit behind those of other years. The weeks across the ocean, program arrangement was for several The paper has a long editorial short addresses in the afternoon be- against the feasibility of building a ginning at 3 o'clock, with an inter- railroad to the Pacific and running a mission of about an hour for supper, telegraph line along the same route. which was spread on the grounds, arguing that railroading and teleand the school exercises at night, be- graphing were so dissimilar that the ginning at 8 o'clock. The crowd of two interests could not be combined candidates made their announcements and worked together. It also conafter a few short talks on educational tains a very able article by Mrs. Tyler matters. Judge Warren Beal and in answer to one written by the Judge Woods of Fisher county were Duchess of Sunderland, defending the on hand and made interesting talks. position of the women of the South Besides the candidates, talks were in their relation to black slaves, by made by A. H. Westen and Dr. Phenix, contrasting them with the women of

All in all, it was a pleasant occa- England in their relation to the white sion, and the Record representative slaves of that country. regrets he was not able to stay for the exercises at night, but will vouch copies of the Philadelphia Public for the statement that they reflected ledger, made famous by G. W. Childs. great credit both on teachers and It is of the same typographical style pupils. Long may the Seven Wells and make up and is ably edited. These school continue to be a blessing to two papers, in every feature, will the community; long may it continue most favorably compare with the most to turn out boys and girls fitted in pretentious ones of today. The elder moral, mental and physical equip- James Gordon Bennett was editor and ment-to achieve the highest success. founder of the Herald. The Record contingent arrived too late to witness the spirited game of ball earlier in the afternoon.

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is why Floyd Beall's drug take no other. willing to guarantee it absoutely, not with another bottle, but with your money back. Isn't a medi- First Johnnie caught the whooping eine with a guarantee like this worth

BLACK KILLED BY ECHOLS.

The Coahoma Feud Renewed With Fatal Results Last Sunday Morning.

Just before noon last Sunday morn ng word was received here that Clayton Black had ben shot and killed by Bill Echols at Coahoma. Bill Echols surrendered to the of

ficers and was carried to Big Springs. But one fine day I gave a cough and Echols, Shanda Johnson and Clayton Black had previously had trouble We whooped it up, we children did nd Black had just been aquitted of charge of attempt to murder in connection with the same after having been convicted a year ago and Whatever happens, from "the time we sentenced to five years in the penitentiary; had the case reversed, re- How long before or since things were, tried at Sweetwater ten days ago and an acquittal secured.

The men met at Coahoma in a cold drink stand Sunday just before noon. and some hot words passed between Our whooping cough," and Ma will say them. Soon the men separated, one emerged from a house with a shot gun in hand and the trouble was renewed. Black fell in the street with his

head practically shot off, and Echols surrendered to the officers and was carried to Big Springs and placed in railroad when a freight train passed the custody of the sheriff.

Both men are known as game to the the caboose. The Irishman asked the limit, and more trouble was anticipat- man standing nearest him what that ed by the friends of each.

Express Companies Parasites.

Express companies are characteriz- met the Irihsman with his wife, and ed as parasitic and organized to fill they were wheeling a baby in the litdeficiency in the country's trans- tle carriage. The carriage had a portation situation. In an open letter green flag on it.-Benj. F. Bearsley, to the people of the United States by M. D. Senator Gardner of Maine, which was presented to the Senate, Senator Gardner contended that the Government, if it took over the bisiness, road conditions in the vicinity of could in one year, by present rates. Tyler are having a distinct influence return to itself \$39-000,000, which is in encouraging the purchase and use an estimated physical valuation of ex- of automobile. On one day during the fress properties and railroad con-

The best in the West-Record

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This "Discovery" purifies the blood and tones up the stomach and the entire system in Nature' own way. It's just the tissue builder and tonic you require when recovering from a hard cold, grip, or pneumonia. No matter how strong the constitution the stomach is apt to be "out of kilter" at times; in consequence the blood is disordered, for the stomach is the laboratory for the constant manufacture of blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery strengthens the stomach-puts it in shape to make pure, rich blood—helps the liver and



solid agate type with a two line initial

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The other paper is one of the first

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cided that probably 'twas high time

d pretty soon Ned took it too and

this time John and sister Bess

New York, sole agents for the

A Well Known Date.

sister Bess came down:

Mary (that's her twin)

hen came baby Nell:

just bragged a lot.

family can date

were pretty nearly well)

knew just what I'd got.

for seven months or eight:

all had the whooping cough,

we all can tell right off.

"the one at Ross' store

as while we had it-that's the time that Dr. Smith moved here."

We can settle any doubtful date by

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Another Coming.

There was a green flag on the rear of

green flag meant. The man said, "It

means another coming." A few days

later, one Sunday afternoon, the man

Influence of Good Roads.

last week, \$19,500 worth of machines

were purchased by residents of that

city. These were all of the latest

J. L. McBride states that the good

An Irishman was standing near the

just the year before

ly recommend this remedy.

cents.

United States.

to begin.

soreness, lumbago, urinary

kidneys to expel the poisons from the body. The weak, nervous, run-down, debilitated condition which so many people experience at this time of the year is usually the effect of poisons in the blood; it is often indicated by pimples or boils appearing on the skin, the face becomes thin-you feel "blue. "More than a week ago I was suffering with an awful cold in my head, throat, breast, and body," writes MR. JAMES G. KENT, of 710 L. Street, S. E., Washington, D. C. "Some called it La Grippe, some pneumonia. I was advised by a friend to try a bottle of your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I tried a bottle and it did me so much good that I feel safe in saying it is the greatest and best medicine that I ever took. My health is much better than it was before using your medicine. It does all you claim for it and is satisfactory."

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perous and brightest chapters in West

best ritualists in the state, and when-

ever it is known that work will be

done in this chapter, an invitation to

attend is always eagerly accepted by

U. D. C. Program.

Ye were not conquered, nor subdued;

To whom the price of blood was paid.

1. Roll Call-relate some example

illustrative of the high prices paid for

necessary household articles during

3. Reading, From "Nights With

4. Music, Song-Mrs. Brooks Bell.

5. Paper, "The South's Unpre-

6 .- Music, "The Old Oaken Bucket."

1. Reading, Selected-Miss Joe

Big Springs' Fire.

2. Music. Instrumental-Mrs.

But overpowered by foreign aid;

By Europe's nihilistic hordes,

The following program will be ren-

On last Monday night there was a

LORAINE

INVENTS VALUABLE DEVICE.

Postmaster Walshe Secures Patent On Rotary Stamping Machine.

Postmaster D. E. Walshe has had stamping and cancelling device designed to take the place of the ordinary stamping apparatus in gener-

throughout the country. The merits of the new invention consists of its rapidity and noiseless freshments, the members dispersed of one certain promissory note for the husband, William H. Jones, Amelia H. action. It not only facilitates work with recollections of a pleasant and sum of Four Hundred (\$400.00) Dol- Jones, a feme sole, and the unknown but is less trying on the nerves.

The cancelling die and that carryink being supplied to the dies by a felt cylinder revolving against them. The letters to be stamped are spread upper section of each letter projecting beyond the preceeding approxiis run over the whole of them at one swift stroke.

The machine does beautiful work and Postmaster Walshe hopes ultimately to have it adopted by the department.-Grand Saline Journal.

All the old timers around Colorado remember "Danny" Walsh, as he was known here. He went from Colorado to Grand Saline a good many years ago and soon afterward was appointed Royal Arch masons. postmaster at that place. The world has used him well since then, and his Colorado friends will be glad to hear f this added fortune that has come dered by the U. D. C., which meets him. May he make a million out Monday, May 13, with Mrs. R. N.

ARSON CHARGE TO BE PUSHED

It Is Reported That "Bill" McDonald Has Affidavits From Men Paid To Set Fire to Church.

Fort Wort, Tex., April 25 .- Regard-M. Burns and Mrs. Brooks Beil. less of the verdict of not guilty which was returned by the jury, before Uncle Remus."-Mrs. D. H. Snyder. whom he was tried, Dr. J. Frank Norris, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, must now face anparedness for the War."-Mrs. R. H. other charge, that of arson, according to a statement given out by County Attorney Baskin here this morning.

Report is Circulated. A sensational report is current here today through the whole city that Dry. "Bill" McDonald has two affidavits which are said to be from men who Crockett.-Was the blockading of WHEREAS, I have been requested were paid to set fire to the First Baptist church here.

The nature of these affidavits has not been disclosed.

Cullings From Cuthbert.

The debate at Cuthbert on compul- perior numbers? sory school law, has been changed from May 4 to Saturday night, May 18 on account of speakers being unable to attend May 4.

tween Cuthbert and Shepherd, the thereof were destroyed by fire the Court House door in the town of Coloscore was not printed. It was 12 to origin of which is unknown. J. B. rado, Mitchell county, Texas, the 13 in favor of Cuthbert.

D. T. Bozeman and family last Sun- chinery, and we understand this was bers and appurtenances thereto be- lawfully withhold from him the pos- if they, or any of them, are dead, to ity bill, admittedly aimed at the re-

Rev. Hill preached at Cuthbert Sun up this season.

Fairview Friday night were attended Sweetwater for its ice, and the T. & of Trust hereinabove referred to. by a large number of people. The P. road will be put to considerable WITNESS MY HAND, this the 5th and adverse possession of said land, program lasted about three hours and trouble getting its cars iced, there be- day of April, A. D., 1912. ing no plant between Sweetwater and a half and was enjoyed by all.

SI SLOCUM, El Paso now.

Masonic Junket to Lamesa.

Whenever a new lodge or chapter is to be organized in this immediate section, the Colorado masonic bunch of expert ritualists are always sure to be invited to attend and preside. A new Royal Arch chapter will be organized at Lamesa this week and the following Colorado members left here Wednesday morning in autos to lend their presence and skill: J. E. Hooper, C. M. Adams, J. R. Shepherd, Geo. Root, J. S. Vaughan C. L. Ezell of Snyder and F. B. Whipkey. Gardner Harness was also a passenger but no a member of the order. They will be gone three days.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the people of colorado for their many acts of symathy and material kindness to us at the time of the destruction of our May it all be blessed to your good, as we know it will be

MRS. BRADY and Daughters.

Gold Rush on at Alpine. Alpine, Texas, April 24.-A small sized "gold rush" is on here. Persons of all classes are locating gold

mines since a vein of gold was yesterday reported discovered in South mountain, on the very edge of this

E. B. Morgan has been appointed

Notice of Sheriff's Sale. Chapter for the purpose of conferring The State of Texas,

the Royal Arch degrees on E. M. County of Mitchell

Baldwin, George and Nathan Wamack. WHEREAS, a certain Deed of Trust The occasion of exaltation to this de- recorded in Volume 7, page 265, regree is always hard work, long cords of real estate. Deeds of Trust hours and refreshments, and the meet- and Mcrtgages of Mitchell County, ing last Monday night was fully up Texas, was executed and delivered to al use in the smaller postoffices to the standard in every particular. me on the 13th day of May, 1999, by The work was finished a little before C. C. Wyatt and his wife, M A. Wyatt, midnight, when after a course of re- for the better securing of the payment B. Watkins, Amelia H. Jones, and her entertaining night. The following lars, dated January 5th, 1909, and heirs of Amelia H. Jones, by making members of the order from other bearing interest from date until paid publication of this Citation once in ing the date are set in a steel cylinder places were present: J. P. Gillingsley, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, each week for eight successive weeks which is provided with a handle, the Dunn; T. Y. Hamons, Dunn; J. A. executed by C. C. Wyatt and wife, M. previous to the return day hereof, in alleges that defendant, William Neild, Dunn, Dunn; W. D. Dean, Dunn; J. A. Wyatt, due May 13th, 1910, and some newspaper published in your is claiming said land by virtue of a S. Curry, Buford; C. B. Hooper, West- payable at Abilene Taylor County, county, if there be a newspaper publeed of trust, executed by Eli New- By Preston Scott, Deputy. brook; I. I. Simmons, Carr; C. L. Texas, payable to the order of W. W. lished therein, but if not, then in any som and wife, Lydia R. Newsom, on upon the work table in a row, the Norris, Ira; W. P. Knox, Ira; and the Watts, the interest on said note being newspaper published in the 32nd Ju- December 1st, 1883, to J. B. Watkins, following members of the Snyder payable annually and providing for dicial District; but if there be no news-trustee, to secure the payment of one the payment of 10 per cent additional paper published in said Judicial Dis- note, executed by said Eli Newsom and The State of Texas. Brady, T. C. Stinson, Geo. Ralston, est then due as attorney's fees, if the nearest District to said 32nd Ju- bearing interest from date at six per Whereas, by virtue of an order of C. L. Ezell and C. W. Doughtie of placed in the hands of an attorney for dicial District, to appear at the next cent. per annum, and payable to the sale, issued out of the District Court collection, and,

was named and appointed Trustee. Texas in fact, contains several of the and,

> WHEREAS, by said Deed of Trust, said C. C. Wyatt and wife, M. A. Wyatt conveyed to me, as such trustee, for the purpose of securing said W. W. Watts in the payment of said note, as aforesaid, the following described real estate situated in Mitchell Coun-

> One Hundred Three, (103 ft.) feet off of the North end of Lot No. 29, in Block No. 4 of the Waddell-Martin addition to the town of Colorado in said County and State, together with all improvements thereon, and,

> WHEREAS, the said W. W. Watts has transferred and assigned the aforesaid note to W. R. Hensley, and the said W. R. Hensley is the present legal owner and holder of said note and the lien securing same, and the said C. C. Wyatt and wife, M. A. Wyatt have made default in the payment of said note, and same is now past due and unpaid, principal, interest and attorneys' fees, and,

WHEREAS, the said C. C. Wyatt and wife, M. A. Wyatt, though heretofore -Mrs. F. M. Burns and Mrs. Brooks duly and legally notified in writing by the said W. R. Hensley of the maturity of said note, have failed and refused to pay said note or any part there-8. Discussion.-Led by Mrs. W. B. of, and

of Southern ports a fatal cause of the by the said W. R. Hensley to enforce final result of the war? With cotton said trust and to sell said real estate at \$2.00 a pound in England, (had it above described for the payment and the South have continued the war in- therein fully described, to which redefinitely in spite of the North's su- ference is here made;

I will offer for sale between the 9. Music, Dixie .- Miss Ewell Gary, legal hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at public auction to the highest bidder, on the first Tues-On Saturday morning last, the ice day in May, A. D. 1912, same being In describing the ball game be- plant bottling works and platforms the seventh day of May 1912, at the Nalll the owner of the plant had just above described real estate and im-N. T. Womack and family visited put in about \$25,000 worth of new ma- provements, with all the rights, memthe first night the plant had ben fired longing, said sale to be made by me, as said Trustee, at the special in-

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

Oath having been made as required summon William Neild and the un- and adverse possession of said land, Texas. known heirs of William Neild, J. B. Watkins, and the unknown heirs of J. WHEREAS, in said Deed of Trust, Mitchell County, to be holden at the ter date .: J. B. Watkins, Amelia H. Jones and her respectively, after date: husband, William H. Jones, Amelia H. That each and all of said notes have Spence; and on the first Tuesday in

> & Pacific Railway Company, except five homestead: acres, in the form of a square, in the containing 155 acres, more or less:

H. Jones and Amelia H. Jones, dated pleads: October 20th, 1884; Deed from William H. Jones to George M. Ihinger, dated May 17th, 1897; Deed from kins and Amelia H. Jones, constitute George M. Ihinger to J. D. Wulfjen, clouds upon plaintiff's title to said dated September 9th, 1899; and Deed from J. D. Wulfjen and his wife, M. J. Wulfjen, to plaintiff, dated January 1st Watkins and Amelia H. Jones are liv-

ejected plaintiff from said land and un- of them, as parties defendant, in order session thereof, to his great damage: That on the date of his said ejectment terested. day. There was not a very large The loss will total \$75,000, with stance and request of the said W. R. plaintiff was the lawful owner, in feecrowd present owing to the sand fi28,000 insurance. The plant will be Hensley, the legal owner and holder simple, of said land, by virtue of his ing, he have judgment for the title and bate marked by bitter attacks on both rebuilt at once, but in the meantime of said note and lien, and according to record title thereto, and the fact that The closing school exercises at Big Springs will have to draw on the provisions contained in said Deed he, and those under whom he claims title, have had continuous, peaceable cultivating, using and enjoying it. claiming it under deeds duly register- and all costs of suit, and for such sworn statements of charges they ed, and paying all taxes thereon, for a other and further relief, as to the Court have made of excessive use of money.

period of more than five years next may seem just and proper. preceding said 1st day of March, 1912, and next preceding the date of filing Court, at its aforesaid next regular

that he, and those under whom he the same. claims title, have had open, continuhaving it enclosed by a substantial fence, for a period of more than ten years next preceding said 1st day of this the 19th day of March, A. D. 1912. March, 1912, and next preceding the date of filing this suit; plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years' stat-

And he avers that he believes, and

Court House thereof in the City of Col- That J. B. Watkins is claiming said foreclosure rendered in said Court on orado, on the 3rd Monday in May, A. land by virtue of a deed of trust, exe- the 29th day of February, 1912, 🖿 D. 1912, the same being the 20th day of cuted by said Eli Newsom, and wife, cause No. 8102, in faavor of Allen & May, A. D. 1912, then and there to an December 1st, 1883, to M. J. Dart, trus- Kendall, a firm composed of I. R. swer a petition filed in said Court on tee, to secure the payment of ten notes Allen and C. P. Kendall and against the 19th day of March, A. D. 1912, in a executed by said Eli Newsom and wife, Robt. Spence and G. W. Carter; I, did suit, numbered on the docket of said dated December 1st, 1883, the first of on the 1st day of April 1912, at 16 Court No. 1352, wherein W. A. Cocre- which was for \$9.80, and the other nine o'clock at m., levy upon the following ham is plaintiff, and William Neild and of which were each for \$10.00, payable described real estate, to-wit: the unknown heirs of William Neild, J. to the order of said Watkins, 6, 12, 18, Lot No. 6 in Block No. 12, in the B. Watkins and the unknown heirs of 24, 30, 36, 42, 48, 54 and 60 months town of Loraine, in Mitchell County,

Jones, a feme sole, and the unknown been fully paid, thereby extinguishing May, 1912, same being the 7th day of heirs of Amelfa H. Jones are defend- said respective liens securing them: May, 1912, between the hours of 19

ants, said petition alleging that plain- That said Amelia H. Jones is the o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on tiff resides in Mitchell county, Texas. wife of said William H. Jones, and is said day, at the court house door of and the respective places of residence claiming said land by virtue of having said Mitchell County; I will offer for of the defendants are unknown to been one of the grantees in the deed sale and sell at public auction for dated October 20th, 1884, executed by cash to the highest bidder, all the That on March 1st, 1912, plaintiff was Eli Newsom, conveying said land to right, title and interest of the said lawfully seized and possessed of a said William H. Jones and Amelia H. Robt. Spence and G. W. Carter in and tract of land situated in Mitchell coun- Jones; that by said last named deed, to the above described real estate. ty, Texas, to-wit: all of the north-east said land became the community prop- Dated at Colorado, Mitchell County quarter of Survey No. 53, in Block erty of said William H. Jones and Texas, this the 1st day of April, 1912. No. 26, as surveyed by virtue of certi- Amelia H. Jones, and was not then, ficate No. 2-1379, issued to the Texas and never afterwards became their

And in the alternative, plaintiff alnorth-east corner thereof, the same leges that on October 20th, 1884, said Amelia H. Jones was a feme sole, and Plaintiff claims said land under the was also a feme sole on May 17th, 1897, following chain of title, to-wit: Pat- when said William H. Jones conveyed ent from the State of Texas to the said land to George M. Ihinger, and Texas & Pacific Railway Company, that whether she was a married wodated February 14th, 1881; Deed from man, or a feme sole, on May 17th, the Texas & Pacific Railway Company 1897, whatever right and title she may to Eli Newsom, dated January 21st, have had in and to said land, is bar-1884: Deed from Eli Newsom (who is red by the five and ten years' statutes not been for the blockade) could not satisfaction of said note and lien the common source of title) to William of limitation, which plaintiff specially That said respective claims of said

defendants. William Neild, J. B. Watland; that plaintiff does not know. whether said William Neild, J. B. ing or dead; he alleges they are liv-That on March 1st, 1912, defendants ing, but joins the heirs of each and all have before the court, all parties in- publican candidates in the present

possession of said land, cancelling Roosevelt and Taft, Hon, R. L. said claims of the defendants against Henry of Texas, author of the bill dethe same, and removing the clouds manded that the house pass the meafrom his title thereto; for his damages Dixon, managers for Roosevelt to file

Herein fail not, but have before said term, this writ, with your return there-And by virtue of the further fact on, showing how you have executed

Witness, Jesse H. Bullock, Clerk of by law, You are hereby commanded to ous, notorious, exclusive, peaceable the District Court of Mitchell County,

Given under my hand and Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, Texas, JESSE H. BULLOCK (Seal) Clerk District Court, Mitchell

County, Texas. By Earl Jackson, Deputy.

A true copy I certify: G. B. COUGHRAN. Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.

> Notice of Sheriff's Sale. (Real estate.)

regular term of the District Court of order of William Neild, five years af- of Ellis County, Texas, on the 27th day of March, 1912, on a judgment of

Texas, and belonging to the said Robt.

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

The County Executive Committee, At the last primary election held in Mitchell county, on July 23rd, 1910. the following members of the county executive committee were elected:

Earl Morrison, chairman. J. A. Buchanan, Precinct Chairman, precinct No. 1.

E. M. McCreless, Precinct Chairman, precinct No. 2. R. A. Hood, Precinct Chairman, precinct No. 3.

B. L. Wulfjen, Precinct Chairman. precinct No. 4.

M. L. Hill, Precinct Chairman, precinct No. 5.

J. H. Airhart, Precinct Chairman, precinct No. 6. For Precinct No. 7, Loraine, no

chairman was elected.

The presidential campaign publicfight for the nomination, passed the Plaintiff prays that upon final hear- house last Saturday, after a short desure to compel both McKinley and cents up

A. L. S died las Friday Read it.

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More Home Baking, Better every way than the ready made foods

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J. M. Howell, a popular druggist of

Major Crawford of Austin was in-

terviewing the lawyers of the town

last Friday on the question of new

Greensburg, Ky., says. "We use

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Phone 35 and get what you want

Candidate C. B. Hooper, for district

The trestle on both sides of the con-

crete viaduct across Lone Wolf creek,

from the cut west of town by the

steam shovel crew located here. We

Nothing but the best fed beef, fat-

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rado visitor last Monday.

when you want it.

precinct this week.

at that point also.

SHERWIN & SON.

ercises of the school.

law books.

ranch Monday.



Mr. Dulaney of Sweetwater visited his brother, Dr. B. F. Dulaney, last lent. This liniment is also highly es-

The latest classic music, ballads, ragtime-all kinds of music from 10 cents up at Doss.'

A. L. Scott place near Lone Wolf, o'clock a. m. died last Thursday and was buried gotten up when he relapsed and died. Mrs. Mills.'

Chas. Taylor the expert painter and paper hanger has an ad in this issue. Read it.

Dr. W. B. Farris came to Colorado last week just in time to catch the. train for the osteopathic convention in West Texas for all the public exat Fort Worth on Friday and Saturday, where he spoke on the subject of diseases of children.

Judge John J. Ford of Sweetwater, candidate for the legislature from this district, was a Colorado visitor last Saturday.

'A. K. Hawkes original glasses at Doss.

Nothing succeeds like success. Notwithstanding the presence of the carnival here all week and that another company had played here on Wednesday and Thursday nights, with only a \$11 house the last night, Albert Taylor played Friday and Saturday nights at the opera house to standing room only.

A big lot of cut glass and handsome china at Doss.'

live. Mr. McKenzie left immediately, but found his brother dead upon ar- been done in this way wherever the rival. A letter to friends here states rain and wind extended. that natural illness was not the cause of Mr. McKenzie's death, but that he had been shot by a neighbor in a misunderstanding and resultant altercation, over a division fence.

Remember we handle nothing but millinery and hair goods and if you fail to get your hat from us, we will not have the pleasure of serving you until next fall. Buy from us .- MRS. B. F. MILLS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Greene, with the paby returned from a visit with and county clerk, was circulating

friends at Dallas, Saturday morning, among the mighty suffragans of this A fine lot of books, and an extra lot

of bibles at Doss'. Those who failed to attend the school exercises at Seven Wells last

Friday, missed a treat. Examine the latest music at Doss'. He has it from 10 cent sup.

Jas. Sherwin and Mrs. Doss returned from Dallas last Friday, windows make a naturally lazy man of the spring sand storms of the where they attended the grand bodies want to go fishing. of the Odd Fellow fraternity.

same day you bring them. Bros., now.

Candidate W. S. Justice, in his opening campaign speech said he had only this much to say: "you people have been hollering for 'justice, justice' the last twenty-five years and now its up to you; here it is. He wants to be the treasurer of Mitchell county the next two years. That's all I've got to say, ladies and gentlemen." And it was all he did say, but it brought down the house at Seven Wells.

three yolks of eggs well beaten with one white. Stir in one cupful of freshly mashed potato and one-fourth cup of milk. Sift two and one-half cups of flour with three teaspoons of baking powder, half a teaspoon each of salt and ground mace, also a little nutmeg, and add to first mixture, working in additional flour as necessary to handle

The entire town will feel much relieved when work commences on the Lasker block-not that the integral individuals of the municipality have the slightest interest in the work, but for the reason that ever rightly con- ing Colorado. I offer for sale all my stituted and evenly balanced mother's household goods, consisting of bedson in this world likes to see things room suites, dining room furnishings, going forward in a constructive way, kitchen utensils, carpets and a fine whether they have the slightest in- piano for a quick sale. See Mrs. A. terest in it or not. This is human J. Payne, nature-primal, And when work does begin in earnest, everyone who is not in danger of losing a job thereby, can Thursday Mrs. Wes Allen was hosbe found on the grounds from the tess for the Guild Tea and a very nice time the first lick is struck mornings, meeting indeed was enjoyed. After till the foreman calls "six o'clock." work and conversation, a refreshment And we are glad to state that every- course of gelatine and lady fingers thing points to the resumption of was served, the usual offering being work right away. The material is be- made. The presence of the hostess' ing put on the ground.

A slight mishap to the engine delayed the plug Sunday night and No. 3 came in ahead of it. To miss getting the Fort Worth and Dallas pasubstitute for them.

Inquiry among the orchardists of Is there anything in all this world the community elicits the information that is of more importance to you that the fruit crop is now assured, than good digestion. Food must be and that it will be a bumper one. The eaten to sustain life and must be direcent hail did but little damage in gested and converted into blood. spots, while no effects of the freeze When the digestion fails the whole some time ago are now apparent. A body suffers. Chamberlain's Tablets ings to Saturday mornings. Calls good fruit crop will help out mightily are a rational and reliable cure for answered day and night. n regulating the high price of living, indigestion. They increase the flow of bile, purify the blood, strengthen For soreness of the muscles wheththe stomach, and tone up the whole er induced by violent exercise or injury, Camberlain's Liniment is excelteemed for the relief it affords in

The commencement sermon will be Mr. J. O. Dendy, who lived on the Baptist church, next Sunday at 11 tion of visitors; their smart sayings sion. repeated in their hearing until the Friday. Mr. Dendy had ben down for Some young lady in each communisome time with typhoid fever, but had ty ought to work for the free hat at grown up. It is certainly amazing. Thursday Miss Eloise Shropshir

> Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls deliver- party. There were school building was not finished in Phone 346.

year however, Colorado high school night for Kansas City.

The fire boys will have about \$50 after all expenses are paid, as their part of the carnival proceeds.

Notice to Parents and Boys.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our The practice of jumping on and ridown Mousehold and know it is excel-ing the trains passing through Colorado is not only very dangerous to life and limb, but is a violation of the laws of the state of Texas. This is to notify both parents and boys that I will arrest any and all boys caught so trespassing and deal with them as the Don't send off for cheap or latest law directs. G. B. COUGHRAN. music. Doss has it, all kinds, from 10

E. M. Baldwin was up from his day we have had this spring. When hungry phone the Colorado

Mercantile Company to suggest some- tree's Sunday thing appetizing; they keep all the Mrs. J. A. Conaway visited her son latest wrinkles in fancy groceries.

that the wind of last Sunday coming G. L. Wallace of Sweetwater, an ers- visited Mr. George Slaton and wife Mr. F. E. McKenzie was called by just after the rain of the night be- while and whilem resident of Colo- Monday. wire to Denver, Colorado, last week, fore, ruined all the cotton they had rado, was over last week taking in Mrs. J. T. Daffern visited Mrs. Conannouncing that his brother, who planted and that had come up. They the carnival, seeing a real show, and away Sunday. lives near there was not expected to began planting again early Monday keeping in touch generally with a Mr. John Smith and wife visited at morning. Much damage must have real live town.

> We have some good wardrobes. SHERWIN'S FURNITURE STORE.

dered condition of the stomach, and The gutters on Second street are becan be cured by the use of Chamber- ing dug out and the middle of the the convention, to met at Colorado lain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, street raised after which, we under- the first Sunday in May. stand, the surface will be graveled. If Colorado does not capture one of J. L. Bowen, cashier of the First the \$200 prizes, it will not be the fault State Bank of Westbrook, was a Coloof the City Marshal.

> When your subscription for the Dallas Semi-Weekly News expires, let anything but work. Everybody is Ben Morgan renew it

Thursday with Mrs. J. D. Wulfjen and we will have some more rain soon. held their usual prayer meeting, Mrs. What country beats West Texas? Davis being leader. The class is ar- Mrs. Womack, our teacher's mother, ranging to send as its delegate to the has been very sick but is reported Dallas Sunday school convention its some better now. . is being filled in with dirt and rock teacher, Mrs. King.

See the new folding go-carts at learn that the track will be raised just SHERWIN'S FURNITURE STORE.

Mrs. D. N. Arnett writes from Lub-The display of fishing tackle in the bock that she has had quite enough plains and will be home Friday.

The sheriff of Nolan county was Mr. Rupert Womack and wife visit-Fom Payne repairs all shoes the tened in their own pens, sold by Beal here on business Saturday night and ed Mr. Ed Womack and wife Sunday Sunday morning.

Potato Doughnuts (Rucipe by Mrs. Helen Armstrong)

You will find these doughnuts both

delicious and digestible; there's no "nightmare" or lard indigestion in them: Cream three tablespoons of Cottolene, and three-fourths cup of sugar, and three yolks of eggs well beaten with one tional flour as necessary to handle lightly. Roll and cut all doughnuts be-fore attending to the frying. Have Cottolene three inches deep in kettle and

Household Goods For Sale.

In view of the fact that I am leav-

Guild Ten.

mother, Mrs. W. V. Johnson, who has lately returned from Mexico, added much to the pleasure of the occasion.

Ladies Hat Free.

To the lady, young or old, who pers at night means as great disap- brings us the greatest number of cuspointment to the average Coloradoan tomers within the next thirty days, we as an ice or coal famine. There is no will give a five (\$5.00) dollar hat absolutely free.

MRS. B. F. MILLS.

Osteopathy.

Dr. W. B. Farris at St. James hotel from Monday evening to Wednesday morning; and from Thursday even-

Miss Liles Gives Luncheon:

Thursday Miss Lillian Liles enter digestive apparatus to a natural and tained with a delightful luncheon healthy action. For sale by all deal. From a beautifully appointed table three delicious courses were served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd cases of rheumatism. Sold by all The idea that "children should be Beall, Jim Sims, Dr. Campbell, Misses seen and not heard" is fast becoming Eloise Shropshire, May Boren and an obsolete one. Now they are forc- Lillie Allen. After the meal the ed to the fore in company and para- company danced enjoying to the fullpreached by Rev. B. Broome at the ded by fond parents for the admira- est extent the pleasures of the occa-

G. T. C. Club.

ed free by A. L. Scott, the grain man. players, Mrs. Briggs Robertson be were played. Miss Majors won the Rev. R. W. Thomas left Monday royal prize and beautifully hand embroidered towel. Mrs. Beall the lone hand, a pretty picture. Miss Shropshire served a delicious salad course then ice cream and cake. This was an especially pleasant affair, all being glad to lay aside their sewing and indulge in games once more.

> Mr. A. J. Henley sends the Record development of West Texas.

Westbrook Items.

The young people enjoyed a party Sheriff Mitchell Co., Texas, at Mr. Estel Shelton's Friday night. Sunday school had a very small at-Monday was the first real growing tendance Sunday on account of the high wind.

Miss Pearl Daffern visited at Roun-

Mr. Alvin and wife Saturday.

Miss Lula Slaton and Mrs. Parker

Sheffield's Sunday.

There will be preaching at the Methodist church Sunday by Bro. Hill, the pastor.

Most everyone is planning to go to UNO.

Womack School House.

News is scarce this week, everyone is so busy they don't have time to do hopeful of making a good crop. We have a fine season and the way the The Daughters of the King met wind has been blowing seemed like

Mr. J. T. Daffern visited Mr. Newton and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Daffern made a business trip to Colorado Saturday. We had a right good shower last

night. Crops are looking fine and have feed big enough to plow and cotton sprouting.

School will last two more weeks. WILD ROSE

Never Mind How Dirty



The children get their clothes. Send them to us and we'll launder them back again into perfect cleanliness. Now that the warm weather is coming why not do away with home washing by sending all your things here?

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thoroughly, promptly and rea-sonably. You can have your things rough dried or ironed as you prefer. Let us do your laundering for the summer any way. It is well worth the

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My famous saddle horse Thoroughbred Denmark

Will make the season at my place, 11 miles northwest of Colorado, but will be at Arrington's stable in Colorado every Friday and Saturday.



H. H. CALLAN

Colorado,



HAL **COLT OF OLD STAR**

16 Hands High, 4 Years Old

Will make the season at Buford, on the Hagler farm. \$10.00 FOR INSURANCE, \$8.00 FOR THE SEASON.



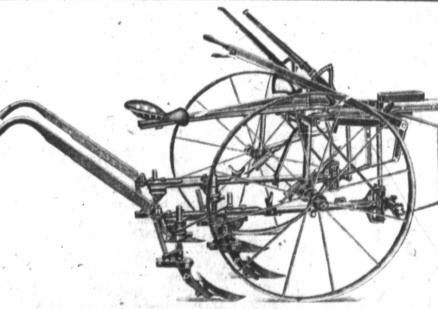
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I have also a GOOD JACK. The

Kitchen Jack well known in the county, Will also make the season at the same place.

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Judge J. E. Hooper, wife and Miss Elsie leave this week for an extended wisit with relatives in Georgia.

of hibles at Doss.'

C. M. Adams leaves this week to visit at Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Simeon Shaw of Sweetwater was a Colorado visitor this week. She informs us that she had sold the pic-Mrs. Shaw has great creative artistic taught this school the past session. talent, and were she to give her attention to this line of work, would soon attain eminence.

We want your business. We need it and will guarantee the style and price to be right.-MRS, B. F. MILLS.

We think its real selfish in that class who 'graduated in the art of ventriloquism, not to give their friends a sample of what they can do. But not a word can be gotten out of any one of them and it may be they are practicing in secret until they can blossom forth as experts.

rado Mercantile Company, will give vou an appetite.

Attorney W. P. Leslie made a business trip to Sweetwater Tuesday.

Mrs. Simeon Shaw and two of the little Shaws, spent Monday in Colorado with friends.

We have several good refitted look stoves. Do you need a stove? SHERWIN & SON.

Mrs. Jacob Hoffman of Bastrop arrived here last evening and will spend some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Bostwick.

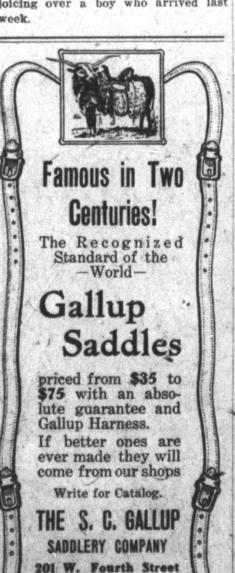
spent Monday in town on business and all who know him visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Payne leave the gelo, where Mr. Payne has gone into

Phone 346 for cotton seed meal and hulls, delivered free .- A. L. Scott, the Grain Men.

Dainty invitations in the class colors, green and white, are being received by the friends of the graduating class, ten in number. The program is very good indeed, and one feels that the class of 1912 is living up to its motto, "Too Low They Build Who Build Beneath the Stars."

Never waste time looking around last week for the paper.) for the best staple and fancy groceries; go straight to the Colorado Mercantile Co.



PUEBLO, Colorado

announced this week as a candidate for county attorney of Mitchell county. To attempt an introduction of John Sims to the people of this county, would be as useless as "carrying to New Castle." Everybody who has done any business in Colorado the past ten years knows who he is. He has been quietly preparing Will Wright ought to be. himself for the practice of law tor several years and feels that he is able to fill the office if elected. John is a young man of ambition, industry and integrity. As to his candidacy he has a message for the voters of the fine lot of books, and an extra lot county in this issue more fully setting forth his position and his poli-

> Furniture! New or second hand sold or exchanged at our store.

SHERWIN & SON.

The school at Looney's closed last ture which she drew and which has Friday afternoon with an interesting been in the Methodist church for program and a few short talks by some time, for the neat sum of \$50, some of the visitors, Mrs. Booth

> A big lot of cut glass and handsome china at Dossa'

Mr. Charley Goodwin has been nursing a game arm in a sling the past week or more. Asked "what's the matter," he, replies, "'twas just a common, ordinary fall."

Within the next month Floyd Beall will move to the storehouse until recently occupied by the Colorado Dry Goods Company, just across the street from his present location. Some changes will first be made in the interior arrangements. This can be Just to look at the display of good made a very attractive location and things to eat at the store of the Colo- convenient for that line of business.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or e tutional disease, and in order to cure it you must internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is take ternally, and acts directly upon the blood and surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack in the control of the catarrh cure is not a quack in the catarrh cure is not a quack in the catarrh cure. E, J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Tolegio, O. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

The name of Mr. T. J. Coffee appears in this issue of the Record as a candidate for the office of County Attorney. Mr. Coffee is a young man, raised in the neighboring county of Howard, and has resided in Colorado Let a girl in each community work but a short time, coming here for the for the free hat at MRS. B. F. MILLS. purpose of practicing law. He is a nephew of T. J. and R. T. Coffee of D. N. Arnett, Jr. of Justiceburg, this county, and is well spoken of byman with a laudable ambition to make something of himself and rise in his early part of next week for San An- profession. He will make a personal canvass and present his claims to the citizens of Mitchell county in due

> If you need a cotton mattress just SHERWIN & SON.

Miss Willie Erwin, who lives on the night. Bush & Tiller ranch, gave a birthday party on the 20th, ult. to her young friends at the home of her brother. Mr. E. E. Erwin. A number of her friends were present who spent a most delightful time in joyful converse, torney of the Snyder bar, attended playing games and refreshments. (A county court here this week. more extended notice arrived too late

Mercantile Company keeps such and published for you at the same price .such a thing in the fancy grocery Ben Morgan. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jordan are re- line They don't KEEP them; they joicing over a boy who arrived last SELL 'em, but always have some on Sunday afternoon to attend the baby

Rhode Island COCKERELS for sale Whipkey, Colorado.

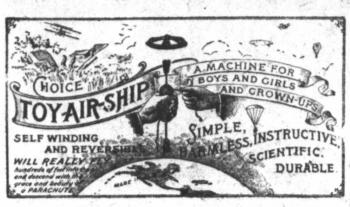
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Allen were called last week to Emory by the serious illness of Mr. Allen's father, who died however, before they reached there. He was buried at Daingerford. Mr. and Mrs. Allen returned Saturday

The finest horse medicine on earth convinced now that it is. Dr. Daniels horse remedies for sale. -J. B. ANNIS.

for him a great success.



Mrs. C. W. Morgan of Deleon. Co- G. W. Smith's sister, is much better, manche county is visiting the family but Mrs. Smith will remain for awhile of E. B. Morgan, this week.



OME and see the wonderful Toy Air Ship. The finest and most interesting toy ever produced. We have placed one of them in the pockets of every boy's and youth's suit in the house, regardless of price, and any boy purchasing one of these suits will be twice fortunate-lucky in getting such a good suit and lucky in securing such an entertaining prize. A healty, happy boy, a Viking Suit and a Toy Air Ship form a combination that cannot be beaten.

We Also Sell the Air Ships at Retail for 35c Each

New Spring Goods

The Largest and Best Stock This Season

BE SURE to ask for our Free Premium Cards when you make a cash purchase

COLORADO.

a visitor with home folks last Friday J. B. ANNIS.

Judge Arthur Younge, a leading at-

Don't send your money for magazines, books and papers out of town; You need never ask IF the Colorado I can get any book, poper or magazine

Dr. Phenix was hurriedly sent for of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jackson, who Mr. P. F. Paige, chairman of the were spending the day with Mr. Jackstate prohibition committee, will be son's father at Loraine. The little in Colorado Saturday, May 4th, when fellow has ben suffering with whophe desires to see and talk with every ing cough lately and was seized with friend of prohibition in the town. If convulsions Sunday. We are glad to he does not see you, look him up and report that the baby is now much

The Colorado Mercantile Company S, C. full blood, beauties, Mrs. A. L. caters to the very best trade as well as to those who want only the sub-

> Burns & Bell, formerly held by Wal-All those who paid good money to learn the art and the science of "Ventriloquism," will please stand up. We tried to convince a young man last week that ventriloquism was merely an optical illusion, but he wouldn't have it so. We suspect he could be the towns along the T. & P. and why?

The largest and best stock of mil- style correct.-MRS. B. R. MILLS. linery ever in Colorado at Mrs. Mills,

We are glad to learn that our young | County Attorney W. P. Leslie went friend, Bravis Coe has secured a over to Sweetwater Tuesday to hear relatives here. splendid position with the South Tex- Judge Ramsey and speaks in the Lumber Company. He has been highest terms of the Judge and his tial meeting last week with Mrs. Harmade manager of the company's office speech. He made a fine impression ness, but nothing definite was decidat Corpus Christi. It is a large and on his hearers. Judge Ramsey will

> The trees are now in full grown leaf and their umbrageous protection will soon be sought by the lazy fisherman on the banks of the river.

News comes that Miss Swann, Mrs.

Sam Majors, of Colorado, but de- The best horse collar in Texas. If STOCK OF GOODS tained for a time at Swetwater was you don't believe it come and see -

Abe Dolman returned last week Hon. Tom Morrison of Floydada from Plainview, where he took care was circulating among old friends this of the fag end of the cotton crop. He reports that country in flourishing condition and describes the farmers as the very personification of plenty, peace and harmony.

> All the freshest vegetables can be found at the Colorado Mercantile Company's store.

from a trip out west for the benefit of as deep as before. Yet the pool is a Springs, Texas. his health. His appearance shows the source of great recreation and pleasouting agreed with him.

Bring your shoes for repair to Tom Payne and get them the same day.

Mrs. W. A. Crowder is on the sick list this week at the Alamo Hotel.

A. K. Hawkes original glasses at Mrs. C. E. Franklin has been con-

fined to the bed the past week with a severe case of rheumatism. Mr. Nettles now has the place at

ter Owens. There is not a better or cheaper stock of millinery in all West Texas than ours. We have orders from El Paso to Fort Worth and nearly all

Miss Eliza Pritchett of Westbrook has closed her school and is visiting

ed upon. The president for this year responsible position and it is quite a go south to the Southern Pacific road is Royall Smith, and they expect to selected for it. The Record predicts P., when we will get to hear him at expert swimmers before the season

> Miss Beulah Hagler has had a relapse and is again quite sick.

J. S. McCall of Fort Worth is in town, the guest of T. W. Stoneroad.

TO TRADE FOR LAND About \$11,000 stock of good clean general merchandise, in a good county seat town to trade for West Texas land. Don't want anything west of Midland county. See or write, Keiper Real Estate Exchange, Colorado, Tex.

no respecter of riparian rights. Last ward. year the swimming pool under the south bridge was as wide as the river bed, but the last rise has deposited and will purchase vendors' lien notes sand in the pool to such extent that where half has been paid on the pro-R. T. Manuel returned this week it is not more than half as large or perty. Write H. R. Debenport, Big ure to the younger fry and grown ups, as well. The pool which has been given over to the exclusive use of the eggs. Barred Rocks, White Rocks, ter by the vagaries of the current, Wyandotts. Also a few cocks for sale and, is in good condition for swim-cheap. ming and bathing.

> If our ice plant and creamery were running now, it looks like they might dress him at Colorado, Texas. /5-3c

> make their reports and a special talk will be made by Dr. W. R. Smith. Be FOR SALE OR TRADE-I have sure you attend.

hear the governor speak Friday at sell cheap or trade for most anythree o'clock, and all have placed thing. Try me and see. Because our goods are cheap and the their meetings later than usual so as to do honor to our state's chief executive and listen to hi esloquence.

Judge Coe has promulgated the

Record wishes him well.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Wants, For Sale, For Rent, Lost Found And Numbers of Other Items in this Column that Will Pay You to Read Over.

LOST-Bunch keys with name plate with "C. E. Franklin" on it. Lost High water in the Colorado river is Saturday. Return to him for re-

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate

Fine Eggs for Sale.

Reduced prices, \$1.00 per setting, 15 ladies swimming club has fared bet- White and Buff Orpingtons, White C. T. HARNESS. 3t.

milk. See Raymond Johnson, or ad-All members of the Odd Fellows WANTED-About \$2,000 worth of

FOR SALE-Milk cows, fresh in

fraternity are earnestly requested to one and two year land notes, on imattend the lodge tonight, as the re- proved farm land in Mitchell county. presentatives to the grand lodge will Apply for address at this office. 5-5p

several tracts of land in various portions of the country; also four good All the culbs have been invited to houses and lots in Colorado. Will L. C. DUPREE.

HORSE CLIPPING.-Will clip your Miss Jo Dry is among the sick this horses while you wait; thorough work on all jobs; nothing helps a horse so much as a good spring clipping. Bring Mrs. T. J. Ratliff is on the sick list them to fire station .- Tom Payne. tf

It gives the entire town an appeardates of his campaign speeches and ance of activity to see work going compliment to Bravis that he was and El Paso and return by the T. & have a large membership and many invited all other candidates to join forward on new buildings. About with him on those dates. See list in severty-five men eager to work, were standing on the corner bright and early yesterday morning, waiting for Friend W. A. Lowder informs us the word to go to work on the Lasker that he will move to Hermleigh some- block. The sound of the spades, the time next month, to permanently re- saw, trowel and trundling wheelside. Colorado can ill afford to spare barrow, puts a tonic in the blood of men of Lowder's worth to a com- everybody in sight or sound of the Mrs. McKinney and children of munity, but hope, know in fact, that constructive work. Mr. Heerman has Westbrook are visiting Mrs. O. L. he will do well wherever he goes. The the contract and it goes without saying that a first class job will be done.