SEVENTH YEAR.

COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1912.

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GRADUATING

BACCALAUREATE SERMON SUN- board, Mr. J. P. Majors. Each year DAY NIGHT BY REV. BROOME AT BAPTIST CHURCH.

TEN GRADUATED THIS YEAR

A Night of Essays, Speeches, Flowers and Music-The Sheep Skin Is Awarded to Eight Young Ladies and Two Gentlemen.

Baecalaureate Sermon.

church the commencement sermon grouped on the walls. When the cur- up and destroy the work of years, igo" it all makes for democratic sucwas preached by Rev. Broome to a tain went up the graduates occupied causing the loss of life and great procrowded house of school boys and the front of the stage, back of them perty damage, was expressed by Rep- mortal cinch in the election of a presigirls, parents and friends of the high being the ninth grade and those who resentative Atterson W. Rucker of dent next November, it makes no dif-

the chandeliers and carried to the trimmings of lace, embroidery and Rucker. pulpit the green of the class colors nations in their button hole. The from this hole. of the green the class motto, "Too low being covered with white, over which volume of smoke. motto, and a fluting of white framed which has featured so prettily in are very reluctant to talk. the background of green, while green everything, "Too low they build who "The smoke might be, they say, the tial nomination on the republican pianos were hung with the pennants one side of the front. and covered with pots of ferns, and vases of carnations. The pulpit was especially pretty, only yellow and festal. Two rows of seats on either teachers following them. Mr. Hart, ed to the class. Miss Ellis, Miss Irwin, Miss Shrop- | Miss Grace Williams as class poet. shire. Miss Shuford and Miss Coe, fully proved her poetic ability, the splendid crowd of girls and boys. tion." Miss Ruby McGill played so When all were seated, prayer was very prettily a Paderewski minuet. offered and the Gloria sung. After a Milburn Doss made a splendid address

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imaginations and every high thing in a very pretty speech told of the that exalteth itself against the know- Twentieth Century High School Girl, tivity every thought to the obedience ways with us. Homer Simpson's adof Christ." He spoke especially of dress was upon our American Orators the imagination, dealing at length and he handled the subject in a manmost all appeals to corrupt the char- one day be inculded in the list. acter being made through the imagi- The Class Prophesy by Lala Farmsive sermon. When he had closed a to the class in this lapse of time. hymn was sung and the benediction pronounced by Bro. Lyon. The music for this occasion was splendid. Miss Miss Fannie Farmer gave the valebeing at their very best.

Adams gave a delightful solo.

Monday Night.

"In blossoms fair the fields appear, With balmy air, sweet May is here; And graduates all fresh and sweet. On every hand we gladly greet. Their gifts, their flowers and festal

All fill our hearts with spring's best

some boys who last Monday evening received their diplomas from the hands of the president of the school we are especially proud of some one, ut this year we are proud of every e, all did so well that it would be possible to pick out a single one and say they were best of all. pera House Beautifully Decorated.

the opera house but across the front of the stage was a row of pot plants with ferns built up at the corners and a white drapery above the curtain. Covering the edge of the stage was soon as the water is turned into the As I have previously remarked in

Graduating Exercises.

Following the chorus prayer was white pennants and white flowers be- offered by Bro. Lyon. Then Miss Annie joined together three times, conclu- as it affects the Democratic candiing used upon it. The front of the Gardner, as salutatorian, gave a fine sive proof of volcanic eruption. While dates and I give you my honest opinrostrum was filled with palms and talk on America's greatest prose writ- I was there, I felt three earthquake ion and the correct figures, as I have white flowers and looked especially er. Hawthorne. Miss Fannie Farmer shocks, each one sufficient in intensiplayed a beautiful selection by Chopin. ty to waken me. side had been looped off with yellow Miss Irene Whipkey, as class histoand white for the high school, but it rian, announced in the beginning that volcano, what is going to happen when I have been careful to go over all proved to be not more than half after this she expected her name toenough when the young folks came go down into history with Mrs. Penmarching in. The ten graduates, hybacker's and the other writers of Misses Fannie Farmer, Jessie Person, Taxas history. She reviewed the four the hemisphere." Annie Gardner, Grace Williams, Ruby years of high school life, the special McGill, Lala Farmer, Irene Whipkey, Intertainments provided and as a true Pauline Pritchett, and Milburn Doss historian should, told the bad as well sage for American vessels. and Homer Simpson, led the way, the as the good things that had happen-

then the ninth and eighth grades, a refrain of her poem was "Graduasong, Bro. Broome read from the third upon Self Culture. Miss Pauline chapter of Phillipians and Bro. Lyon Pritchett, had a very interesting subprayed. The choir sang a beautiful ject in Longfellow and his American anthem, "O Church of God Arise." epic, Hiawatha, which she modestly The choir sang another song and Miss called Comments on Hiawatha, and which were indeed interesting. The Bro. Broome took as his text 2 Cor. class gave another pretty chorus "The chapter 10, verse 5, "Casting down Meadow Song." Miss Jessie Person ledge of God, and bringing into cap- whom she said was like the poor, alwith its effect upon the character, al- ner that would suggest that he might

nation. He urged the young people er was indeed unique. Her informato take with them Christ and be arm- tion was gleaned from a Westbrook ed with the weapons of spiritual war- Herald of the date of 1940 and told fare. It was a very deep and impres many strange things as having come

Diplomas Awarded.

Stoneroad presided at the piano while dictory, taking for her subject the Messrs Lee and Ed Jones played the class motto and handling this beauticornet and violin. The best singers ful thought in a beautiful and lofty PRESIDENTIAL FORECAST-MUCH from all the churches were in the manner. Mr. Hennessey in his adchoir and every song was beautiful. dress congratulated the class and The seniors can surely feel that their wished for them many good things for friends spared neither pains nor time the future. At this point the diplomas A Good Chance to Elect a Democratic to make this occasion a success, and were presented, Mr. Majors making a a success it surely was, the weather, short speech congratulating the class the program and the congregation all upon their achievements. The last chorus was "The Graduates' Farewell." All of the choruses were ex-

State University had visited the school Roosevelt has been going after him. ,lence.

Never has Colorado felt more pride TITDV in any of its graduating classes than FIERI in the eight lovely girls and two hand-

WHEN WATER RUSHES DOWN THE PIT, THE VOLCANO WILL EXPLODE.

sign Because He Cannot Be a Despot.

Washington, May 1.-Fear that as ever should be nominated."

colors. On entering the high school companist. A beautiful picture these exactly in the channel of the canal, Republican party, the voters of this colors, yellow and white, greeted the young people made, the girls in ele- there is a bottomless hole the size of country will come to the conclusion eye, festoons of this being caught on gant hand made white dresses, with an average man's body," said Mr. that neither of them is worthy to be

canopy. In the flat space back of the as could be in black, with white car- be called smoke is constantly pouring will say in the language of Mercutio,

stars," was prettily arranged. The the drapery having the C. H. S. en- are worried about the problem, al- ty for many years to come. class pennants in the green and white twined by stars, and straight under- though they profess to attach little were effectively arranged around the neath these stars, the class motto, importance to it. I notice that they disgraceful campaign being made by

vines were used at the edges of the build beneath the stars." The green product of a slow fire in a coal vein, ticket has absolutely overshadowed white. The rostrum was covered in and white C. H. S. pennants were dis- or it might be the result of water pass- the race for the presidential nominawhite, the choir railing being hung posed most effectively around the ing over lime stone. So far as I tion on the Democratic ticket. I take with yellow, over which were placed green. A crystal vase filled with car- could find out, they have had no posi- it that the readers of this corespondschool pennants. Both the organ and nations, the class flower was placed at tive information on the subject. I ence are more interested in the demohave seen Vesuvius in action and this cratic nomination than they are in proposition looks to me just as dan- the republican nomination. For that gerous. Geology shows us that the reason I have made it my business to

If that hole leads to a slumbering the democratic ticket.

marine," said Mr. Rucker.

Col. Goethals resign before his work The Clark delegates so far elected is done, on account of his views about instructed or favorable. amount to the government of the zone. He is of 197; those to be elected that are certhe opinion that rule down there tain for Clark. 206; those to be electshould be by one-man power, in other ed in which. Clark has the best words, a military aligarchy. Congress chance, 66. will not stand for that. We want The Wilson delegates elected, in- The convention was then organized tional committeeman of and from the Goethal's views is not modified, he is chance, 126.

the highest number of points next chance, 72. year. He thanked the people for the home work by the high school pupils. When he had finished, the benediction tain to get in his own state, 14. was pronounced by Bro. Lyon and this year's school term had closed.

WASHINGTON

ENTHUSIASM IN REPUBLI-CAN RANKS.

President This Year-Clark

Seems to be the Man. (By Chas. A. Edwards.)

Of course, the only topic of conceptionally pretty and well rendered. versation amongst politicians in the The singers were led by Mrs. M. K. City of Washington is the Roosevelt Jackson, who had trained them. Mr. and Taft scrapping match. I was Hart thanked the Hesperian club and thoroughly satisfied it would come Clark far in the lead which will unthe Book Club for what they had done. sooner or later and that Mr. Taft's doubtedly be a greater lead by the friends would rib him up to the stick- time the convention meets. ing point and make him go after He stated that Dr. Fletcher of the Roosevelt in the same manner that

There never has been a spectacle in the United States from a political standpoint that is now being presented to the voters of this country, a president and an ex-president both stumping the country fo aomination for the presidency on the requblican ticket and hurling epithets at one another like the wives of a lot of fish mongers in White Chapel market in London. It positively is disgraceful SOUNDS WARNING TO U. S. but the democrats have all broad smiles and the republicans have got but the democrats have all broad the dry grins. They know that the The curtain was down on entering He Says Colonel Goethals Will Re- democrats are clipping from the press of the country every utterance of both them in the next campaign, which-

green overhung by pennants, while Panama canal a tremendous volcanic this correspondence, whether "Roder-Sunday evening at the Baptist other pennants were artistically eruption will occur, which will blow igo kill Cassio or Cassio kill Rodersang in the chorus. The program Colorado, who has just returned from ference who is nominated. With all The church was most artistically was begun by singing "Tis Our Fest- a trip of inspection of the canal. of this crimination and recrimination Colorado Precinct No. 1. decorated with the school and class al Day," Miss Loula Merrill being ac- "In the center of the Culebra cut, between the two leading factors in the president of the United States and in sides of the ceiling, making an airy hand work and the boys as dignified A vapor which is dense enough to giong to the polls next November they

'A plague on both your houses." was placed, the white being used on girls wore carnations in their hair and "The engineers of the canal have At last the people have got their either side. Over the white was carri- carried arm bouquets of the same made a number of efforts to deter- eyes open and they will at the polls ed draperies of the green with groups flower. As a back ground for the pic- mine its origin, but the only result of next November, unless I am the rankof stars in one corner. In the center ture were the class colors, the wall their probing has been to increase the est prophet that ever prophesied. swat them one eternal swat that will they build, who build beneath the were draperies of green, the center of "It is apparent that the engineers put the kibosh on the republican par-

> The spectacular, unheard of and Roosevelt and Taft for the presidentwo oceans at the point have been make a careful survey of the situation ing the success of every candidate on

down the funnel, be converted into ers of all the democratic candidates steam, and blow up that section of in this city. With all I know personally about the situation. I have elimi-Mr. Rucker came back from the nated some of their claims and have canal an ardent advocate of free pas- come to the following conculsions as it appears today My conclusions Landers Precinct No. 8 "This is the best opportunity we give states in which delegates have have had to build up our merchant been elected, instructed or favorable to various candidates and gives was entitled to one vote in the coun- has never used any undestrable "I am convinced that we should states in which delegates to be elect- ty convention for each 25 votes cast methods to further personal ambihave free passage for American ves- ed are certain to be for a particular for governor at the last election and tion or preferences, therefore be it sels and maximum charges for for- candidate or in which the candidate the precincts have the following votes. Resolved, by the Republicans of has the best chance at the present! Colorado 19 "I would not be surprised to see time. The summary is as follows:

This makes a total of those delegates instructed and known to be favorable for Clark, 197; reasonably certain for Clark, 206 and best chance for Clark 66, a total of 469.

For Wilson, those instructed or Underwood, instructed and best lowing report:

Harmon, instructed and best chance,

Baldwin, certain 14. Marshall, instructed, 30... Burke of North Dakota, instructed

This summary covers the situation pears to me today. It shows Speaker

RESOLUTION CONDEMNING THE ACTION OF THE STATE EXE-CUTIVE COMMITTEE.

DELEGATION FOR WILSON

these republican leaders and will use Peace and Harmony Prevails Throughout Convention-J. S. Rives Is Elected Chairman.

> Tuesday of this week the Mitchell county democrats met in county convention. The convention was called to order by County Chairman Earl Morrison, who submitted a list of accredited delegates as follows:

D. G. Fields, G. D. Adams,

Royall G. Smith,

C. H. Earnest, C. W. Simpson,

C. M. Adams,

J. T. Harness. Geo. Bynum.

John Person,

A. C. Costin, Vestbrook Precinct No. 2.

J. C. Bullock,

J. M. Page, J. W. Dorn,

B. A. Donaldson uthbert Precinct No. 3.

D. T. Bozeman. Geo. Goodwin.

A. E. Sadler,

J. M. Helton. Spade Precinct No. 4.

No returns.

Herbert Precinct No. 5.

J. S. Barber, W. D. Hargrove,

R A. Hood. J. D. Faulkner.

Daniels Precinct No. 6

No returns.

Loraine Precinct No. 7

R. T. Coffee M. Zellner,

D. E. Gunn.

J. M. Templeton J S Rives

Eugene Brown

S. M. Hallmark

S. E. Brown

delegates at large.

courts down there—a civil govern-structed or favorable. 62; those to be by electing Mr. J. S. Rives of Loraine State of Texas. ment in fact. If the strength of Col. elected in which Wilson has the best chairman and C. W. Simpson, secre- (Signed) tary. The report of the county chair-The Underwood delegates elected man of accredited delegates was and instructed, 24; those to be elected adopted as a report from a credential and the affiliation would be raised to in which Underwood has the best committee. Motion was then made The meeting then adjourned. and carried that one delegate from The Harmon delegates elected and each precinct be appointed by the handsome contribution made to the instructed, 2; those to be elected in chair as a committee to draft and school in March, and urged more which Harmon has the best chance 56. present suitable resolutions, also to Christian Weman's Board of Missions, Baldwin delegates which he is cer- select names as delegates to the state. The monthly meeting of the C. W. ing committee was selected:

Precinct No. 1. Royall G. Smith. Precinct No. 2, W. C. McCallum. Precinct No. 5, D T. Bozeman. Precinct No. 6. J. D. Faulkner. Precinct No. 7, J. D. Wilson.

ing as delegates to the state conven- delightful salad course with iced tea. tion: R. H. Looney, P. C. Coleman, M. The Christian Aid will hold no to vote for delegates to the national cough. convention who favor Hon. Woodrow throughout the United States as it ap- Wilson. We further recommend that The attorney general has approved Mitchell county delegation endeavor the road and bridge bonds to the to have Congressman W. R. Smith amount of \$1,600,000 for Tarant counselected as one of the national dele- ty. gates. We further wish to offer a

mittee denying the people the right to a presidential primary.

(Signed) W. C. McCALLUM, Chm. R. G. SMITH, Secty.

Oh motion the chairman's name, J. S. Rives, was added to the list of state delegates. On motion the report of the committee was adopted. No further business appearing the convention adjourned, peace and harmony prevailing.

The county and precinct chairmen are to be elected in the July pri-

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

CONVENED AT COLORADO AND IN-STRUCTED FOR ROOSEVELT AND LYON.

The Following is the Minutes of the Mitchell County Republican Convention, Held at Colorado, Texas, May 7th, 1912.

The meeting was called to order by the County Chairman, Robt. M. Webb. Upon motion, Mr. E. M. Baldwin was elected county secretary.

Upon motion, the following delegates were elected to attend the 16th Congressional Convention to be held at Sweetwater, Texas, and same were instructed to vote as a unit for Mr. Theo. Roosevelt for president of the United States and for Mr. Cecil A. Lyon for State Chairman and National Committeeman.

Alonzo Phillips, E. M. Baldwin, Robt. M. Webb and Ben Van Tuyl; alternates, John Mooar, H. C. Landers John Greenwood, Q. D. Hall,

Upon motion the following delegates were elected to attend the State Convention at Fort Worth, instructed to vote for national delegates who will vote for Mr. Roosevelt for president and for Col. Cecil A. Lyon for State Chairman and National Committeeman:

Robt, M. Webb, Ben Van Tuyl, Q. D. Hall, S. N. Sherwin; alternates, J. E. Williams, H. L. Borden, Ed C. Lasater, W. H. Moeser. Upon motion the following resolu-

tions were adopted: Whereas the Hon. Cecil A. Lyon, has ably and efficiently served the republican party as state chairman and

national committeeman for the past

twelve years, and Whereas, his untiring efforts have always been used for the upbuilding of the republican party in Texas, during which time the party has gained the respect and confidence of the citizenship of the state regardless of

parties, and Whereas, he has been loyal to the It was explained that each precinct local organizations at all times, and

Mitchell County, in convention assembled, at Colorado, Texas, this 7th day of May, 1912, that we heartily and unanimously endorse Col. Cecil A. Lyon, as state chairman and national committeeman from Texas, and This gives two state delegates or earnestly recommend that he be reelected, as state chairman and na-

> ROBT. M. WEBB E. M. BALDWIN. ALONZO PHILLIPS. . Committee.

ROBT. M. WEBB, Cham. E. BALDWIN, Sect.

convention at Houston and report B. M. was held Thursday with Mrs. Doubtful delegates yet to be elected, back to the convention. The follow- Price and a very nice meeting enjoyed. The country studied was South America. Roll call was Mothers of the Bible. After the devotional exercises and the field reports, Mrs. Pond read a fine paper upon South America and its people. Mrs. Coe had The committee retired and the con- a paper upon the work of the C. W. favorable, 62, and those in which Wil- vention listened to several democratic B. M. This was very interesting. son has the best chance, 126, a total speeches form Jeffersonian democrats. Mrs. Smith read a beautiful story, The committee returned with the fol- My Mother's Diary. Mrs. Porter had a very sweet reading upon Mother-"We your committee beg leave to bood, which closed the program. For report that we recommend the follow- the social hour the hostess served a

> Zellner and R. T. Coffee. We further meeting this week as a number of recommend that they be instructed the children have the whooping

Flies are the forerunners of pesti-resolution condemning the action of Brown eyed flies are deceitfulthe State Executive Democratic com- swat her.

VETERANS FROM TEXAS TO MACON. GA., JUMPS TRACK.

Dead Passenger Are Believed to Be Veterans Though Their Names are Not Yet Known, Engine and Three Cars Off.

Confederate Veterans, bound from ditions at the present time: Texas to Macon. Georgia, where the Confederate reunion is to be held, was W. A. Crowder, Colorado, Texas. burg, Mississippi. The engine and two fering on account high water condi-

vet known.

Big Springs Woman Killed.

The identified dead include Mrs. Charles Holmes, who is thought to be of Big Springs, Texas and Mrs. James Cameron of Henderson, Texas. Several bodies are still under the wreck.

None From Colorado Hurt.

not in the wreck. Mr. Hooper knew that many people here would be very anxious about those on the train from this point, so he wired at once that all

Farm and Ranch Tour.

The first tour for farmers and ranchmen ever held in the world will be run off next August. Farm and tour. It was accompanied outside the comprehended in the work of the Ranch of Dallas is putting up \$1,000 city limits by the full complement of Hogg Organization. each receiving in cash and a \$300 trophy cup as the Dallas Automobile Club who wishprizes for the event, and many other, ed them "Godspeed" at the end of the concerns and individuals are offering wonderful new viaduct. additional prizes.

Only farmers and ranchmen who live on and operate their farm or ranch and who own and drive their own cars will be eligible to compete.

The run is expected to cover almost a thousand miles and last six days. It will come at the time the farmer is least busy, and at least one hundred entries are expected.

The benefit that wills come to the farmers and ranchmen from this tour can hardly be estimated. He will see his state and learn by actual experiwill bring widely separated communities closer together and widen the circle of friendship among the rural people. Above all it will advertise Texas far and wide as a history-making stunt. since the Farm and Ranch Tour is the first of its kind ever held in the history of the automobile.

The run will be under the sanction and with the approval of the Automobile Association of America, the three A's, as it is called. The rules governing the contest have been formulated

the near future. With the backing of awake and deserve all the benefits SPECIAL BEARING CONFEDERATE bile world this tour cannot fail of and just what counties are not. success. It is bound to center all The route these cars will take is eyes on our great state.

High Water Conditions.

interrupted in many places, and pas- be taken to make the trip.

Dallas, Texas, 5-6-12.

wrecked this morning near Hatties- Press reports indicate we are suf- Press car. tions Louisiana division situation af- Hogg Organization For Education. The dead passengers are believed fects our main line only at Mellville. to be veterans. The names are not We are detouring trains via Chenevville to New Orleans through Lafayet- ment by the State of Texas of Its inte and Avondale entailing only slight stitutions of Higher Education has local trains Nos. 55 and 56 between under the auspices of the Alumni Atchafalya River just east of Mellville the Organization and its endowment and Nos. 50 and 60 between Mellville having been accomplished largely and Marshall. Please give this to the through the efforts of Mr. Will C. public and press and ararnge for ad-Hogg of Houston, the son of the la-A telegram from Judge J. E. Hooper, vertisement in your papers to con- mented James Stephen Hogg, who, to friendd here brought the informatinue for at least a week or ten days, himself, during the latter years of his tion that the Colorado crowd, who are Advertising that we are open on life, was greatly interested in higher on the way to the re-union were on Louisiana Division for all through education and expressed the purpose

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by that body and will be published in strate exactly what counties are widethe most powerful body in the automo- such a tour cannot fail to bring them,

from Dallas to Waco, to Austin, to San Antonio, to Port O'Connor, to Calveston, and back to Dallas by way Owing to the high water conditions of Houston and Corsicana. It is exin Louisiana, railroad traffic has been pected that 10 days or two weeks will

sengers and shippers hesitate to risk There was so much rivalry among New Orleans. La., May 6 .- Six to travel and shipment. The following the dealers at Dallas to furnish these ten persons were killed and possibly from General Passenger Agent Hunt- two cars, the selection had to be made twenty-five were injured, when the er of the Texas & Pacific road to local by lot. Fifteen different makes desirfirst section of the special train of the agent W. A. Crowder shows the con- ed the honor, and in the drawing to decide the question the Case car won the right to act as Pathfinder and the

delay. In addition we are operating been formed and has been endowed New Oreans and the east bank of the association of the University of Texas, another section of the train and were traffic both freight and passenger. Of conducting in person a Statewide GEO. D. HUNTER, campaign in behalf of an adequate and dependable financial support of all the state institutions of higher Thursday morning, May 2, the Path- education, and for their permanent removal from the domain of factional the Farm and Ranch Tour, and the and partisan politics. Hence the organization is popularly referred to as

> equal consideration, are the four state Normal Schools, the College of Industrial Arts, the Agricultural and Mechanical College, and the University of Texas. The common public schools, rural and urban, and the private, enroads for the contemplated tour are, dowed, and denominational schools will also be accorded generous aid and assistance in their efforts at improvement.

The offcers of the Hogg Organization are composed of the following well known citizens of the State: Standing Committee-E. D. Parker, Houston; M. Sansom, Fort Worth; S. E. Mezes, Austin; Clarence Ousley, Fort Worth: George A. Robertson Burges, El Paso; John W. Hopkins, Galveston, F. C. Proctor, Beaumont Advisory Committee-S. P. Brooks. Waco: Will C. Hogg. Houston: F. M. Bralley, Austin, Frank Kell, Wichita Falls; C. Lombardi, Dallas; E. O. Lovett, Houston; Charles Schreiner, Kerrville; Ed. C. Lasater, Falfurrias., Educational Campaign Committee-F. M. Bralley, Austin; CharlesPuryear, College Station; W. B. Bizzell, Denton; R. B. Cousins, Canyon; S. E. Mezes, Austin S. P. Brooks, Waco; Lee Clark, Austin. F. M. Bralley, being the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, was chosen Executive Secretary of the Organization and of the Educational Campaign Committee.

It is the purpose of the Hogg Organization to encourage by all legitimate means the enlargement of the institutions of higher education in Texas and, thereby, to increase the volume and the quality of service rendered to the people by such institutions, and to remove them from the domain of factional and partisan politics. In this laudable undertaking all patriotic, ambitious Texans should

Each of the higher educational intitutions is in great need of more and better buildings, of a larger supply of well-trained and capable teachers, and of enlarged laboratory and library equipments. Education is fundamental to the welfare of the Comhope of happiness efficiency, and prosperity for the individual, for the community and for the state. No greater or more important work could be undertaken for the State, and the men in charge of the movement command the confidence of the people and give strong hope of achieving great things for education in Texas. 5-10

H. W. McSpadden.

Has resigned his position with the Oil Mill Company and will give his entire time to the ice business. He has put on two wagons so that prompt service can be given at all times. When you want ice phone 296. 5-24c

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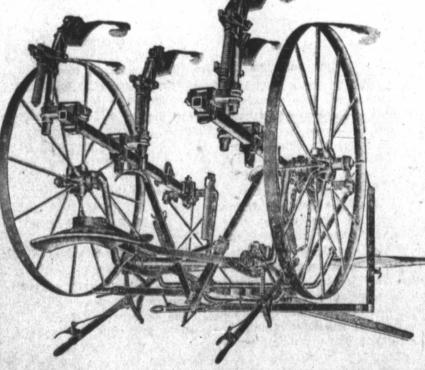
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TEXAS WATERWAYS MAY GET \$62,000.

Senate Agrees to Rivers and Harbors Hearing of Appeal From Decision of Bill Aggregating More Than Three Millions.

Washington, May 2.-Carrying \$8.-064,010 in addition to house appro- the will of the late Winfield Scott will priations, a rivers and harbors bill be renewed Monday, May 20, by Mrs. through the resoultion submitting the joint debates with his opponents, as aggregating more than \$3,000,000 has Georgia Scott Townsend, daughter of amendment to the states will be un- originally contemplated. He said he been agreed to by the senate com- the dead millionaire by his first wife. dertaken without delay. mittee. These increases include \$62 - The announcement of the setting of 000 for a waterway between the Bra- this case for that date in the Fortyzos river and Matagorda bay in Texas. eighth district court was made yester-

Tomlinson's Letter.

valuable remedy I ever tried for constipation and disordered liver. It not gripe like most remedies of its old son, Winfield Scott. Jr. To his years between presidential elections, whenever the opportunity occurs.

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

Planting Bamboo Trees at Plainview. Plainview, Texas.-A shipment of eucalyptus and bamboo trees has been received from California and will be planted under irrigation in Hale county. The Santa Fe railroad has proven by extensive experiments with the eucelyptus tree, that its lumber can be

used as a fit substitute for mahogany.

Another rain on Tuesday night and a better one than on Monday night, Scott is represented by Capps, Cantey, after an absence of a couple of days, any good until I saw Doan's Kidney put a fairly good season in the ground. Hanger & Short and Stephens & Mil- asked about the pet. "It's gone." re- Pills advertised in the local paper and Reports are to the effect that all the ler.-Fort Worth Record. country between here and Fort Worth has had rain-enough to do for a time. The ground was put in fine working condition and the farmers bond issue for roads, which was vot- manded an explanation. . Well fa- cellent.

-the fly.

SPEAKING DATES OF A. J. COE.

Itinerary of County Judge Coe, Who first class highways in the county. Invntes His Opponent to Meet Him at These Places.

candidates for county and district cffices are likewise invited to improve the opportunities:

Cuthbert, Friday, May 10th, 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.

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This thoroughbred stallion is bay, 16½ hands high, and weigns 1320 pounds.

I also have the well known Jack,

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Both will make the season in Terms-\$10.00 to insure foal.

Johnigan, Loraine, Texas

SCOTT WILL CONTEST TO BE HEARD MAY 20.

Probate Judge to Come Before Jury-Plaintiff In City.

Fort Worth, Tex.-Efforts to break day morning by the attorneys representing Mrs. Townsend and Mrs. Eliza-Simons Liver Purifier is the most beth Scott, widow of the wealthy cattleman and capitalist.

does its work thoroughly, but does of his \$3,500,000 estate to his 10-year- ways to have an intermission of six character. I certainly recommend it daughter, wife of a Denver, Colorado. so that business would be less fremerchant, he left a life interest in the quently disturbed by the agitation in-Scott hotel building, Second and Main separable form National campaigns.

> father's will Mrs. Townsend, through her attorneys, McLean, Scott & Mc- Chameleon Was Accommodating Until Lean, and Spoonts, Thompson & Barwise, entered suit in the probate court to have the order vacated and the testament declared null and void. Buck presiding.

Good Roads For Taylor County.

are taking advantage of the opported on in 1911 there are four different ther, I did a little experimenting. I For sale by all dealers. Price 50 and the fifth is now under constructit on blue and it turned blue, I put it New. York, sole agents for the An undertaker's traveling salesman tion from Abilene to Tye. There is on yellow and it turned yellow but Remember approximately \$40,000 left and two when I put it on plaid it burst itself take no other. more roads will be built out of this trying to be satisfactory." sum, which will make seven improved roads, or about seventy-five miles of

Taught to Read the Newspapers.

The following is an editorial from A. J. Coe, candidate for County the Hale (Mo.) Hustler. Anyone who Judge of Mitchell County, will speak has associated with high school puat the following places on dates given. pils, even graduates of high schools He respectfully invites his opponent, and colleges, must have observed how cept a division of time. All the other greatest source of general information

"A course about which the public knows little or nothing, but which has a great bearing on the education of in the New York high schools. The purpose of this course is to teach the pupils to read the newspapers. The course is said to be meeting with

"One of the officials recently said: 'There is no text book for this work and naturally cannot be one. The material for this is always current, and great and urgent need of funds. Re- Orient to Complete Line in Texas. such text books as we have will be the newspaper. One thing it has already done and that is to teach the boys and girls to read the newspaper intelligently.

"The boys would open at the sporting page and then read only headlines. The girls never read the papers at all. They never knew the most much of what they consume. common events of daily happenings. the most important piece of news in the papers."

Late News.

From the first number of the first "Texas:"

lose Mexico."

The Galveston causeway is completed at a cost of \$1,500,000 and will be

SIX-YEAR PRESIDENT BILL NOW PROBABLE

Term Altogether Also Before Congress For Action.

states by Congress of a constitutional bor, Loraine, has any call to feel amendment extending the terms of chesty and puffed up over its accomthe president from four to six years plishments in the ventriloquent art. and forbidding a second term, con- There are others and their trail can secutive or otherwise, is likely to be be easily traced from El Paso east, one important result of Col. Roose- by the foot prints left in the weekly velt's campaign for a third term in papers. This artist also tarried at

ends of the Capitol that members of the responsibility of caring for their both parties are about ready to vote coin. He seems to have a penchant to submit such a constitutional for bankers, lawyers and men of fiamendment to the States.

Conservatives in Favor.

Senate, who heretofore always stood the Midland paper, "he first collected out against proposed changes in the his fees (\$57) and proceeded to give been stirred out of their conservatism the night train for parts unknown." by the resultant menace and seem ready to follow the recommendation NO JOINT DEBATES SHEPPARD. made by President Taft in one of his Massachusetts speeches that the pres- Texarkanan Says That He Regrets idential term be extended to six years; and that re-election be forbidden. Such extreme republican conservatives as Senator Root, Brandegee and Penrose are said to be in favor of the Sheppard said, regarding his camproposed constitutional amendment. paign plans, that he regretted the and it is believed the attempt to put time was now too limited to permit of

Change on Both Sides.

Aside from the present political phase next at Gilmer, Wednesday. of the matter a feeling has long been growing among public men and business men that it would be a good Mr. Scott in his will left the big end thing for the country in innumerable Some People We Know, and We Will

Soon after the probate of her LITTLE NEWSPAPER PARABLE

Placed on Plaid, Then It Burst Itself.

Speaking of the difficulty newspa-Judge Bratton overruled her petition, pers experience in pleasing all their however, and the case was appealed patrons, Tom Mason. editor of Life, J. W. Nunn, Colorado, Texas. says: to the district court. The case will be to'd this one in his talk to Kansas "It gives me great plasure to reccomheard before a jury, with Judge R. H. editors at Lawrence. A boy had been mend Doan's Kidney Pills. Some Mrs. Townsend is in the city. Mrs. very fond. His father, returning home ordered kidneys and nothing did me tinued the father. "Oh, he's all in cured me. Since then on several ocdown and out," said the boy. His far casions I have taken Doan's Kidney Abilene, Texas.—Out of a \$150,000 ther, being unable to understand de-Pills and have always found them exroads completed leading into Abilene put it on red and it turned red, I put cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo,

A NOBLE INSTITUTION.

to the People of Texas-Greatest ed man. Work of Humanity.

The special attention of the readers of the Record is called to the ar-J. J. Patterson, to meet him and ac- ignorant many of them are of that ticle signed by Dr. R. C. Buckner, the founder and manager of the orphans | jack rabbits, has received 2,500 scalps home that bears his name. No man has ever done a greater work for Texas than has he; no institution of its kind has cared for more children. Champion, May 17th, Friday, 8:30. the pupil has lately been established It has saved to the world many boys and girls who without its care and protection had inevitably gone astray and to final ruin.

> helpless. It commands the support of solutely free. every man and woman who loves the human race. The institution is in

Dr. Buckner asks the papers of the Southern Pacific system. Now one of the exercises is for the state to make this representation to classes to decide each day what is their readers and ask that each readed so inclined will give \$1.00 to aid and formard them to the home. You ly for that purpose for several years. Ledger, of date March 25th, 1836, we more righteous or deserving cause. do. One application of Hunt's Cure. copy the following news item headed Colorado sends annually or oftener, a however, relieved my ftch, and less box or barrel of things to these or- than one box cured me entirely." "It is confidently affirmed that the phans; sometimes money is sent, but despot, Santa Anna is on the full this work has been undertaken and march for Texas, and that he has the expense must be met promptly. If The Texas & Pacific Railroad Com-Loraine at old Livery Stable. sworn to subdue that province or to you can not give but 50 cents or 25 pany has sold bonds to the amount of

> If you have any conscientious opened with great ceremony on 25th scruples about killing the pesky fly, turn him over to us.

HE LEAVES A TRAIL OF

Measure to Eliminate the Third The Peripatetic School of Ventrilequism Has Pupils In Many Towns.

Washington .- The submission to the Neither Colorado, nor yet its neigh-Midland and relieved many of the Indications are plentiful at both most prominent men of the town of nancial standing, generally. In Midland he charged three dollars for the The conservative Republicans of the secrets of the art, and according to Constitution of any character have the initiatory degree, then departed on

Time Too Short For Such Events.

Texarkana, Texas .-- Representative would need all his time to cover the state as far as possible with the itin-In the House there is a strong sen- erary he had outlined between now timent for the change on both sides, and election. Mr. Sheppard will speak

OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Profit By Hearing About Them.

This is a purely local event. It took place in Colorado. Not in Buffalo or New York. You are asked to investigate it. Asked to believe a citizen's word: To confirm a citizen's statement.

Is more worty of confidence

Any article that is endorsed at

Than one you know nothing about, Endorsed by unknown people. given a chameleon, of which he was years ago I suffered terribly from dis-

Remember the name-Doans-and

Homer Davenport, the famous cartoonist died at New York last week of pneumonia. He was the man who Dr. Buckner Makes a Special Appeal caricatured Mark Hanna as the tatoo-

Receive 2,500 Rabbit Scalps.

Abilene, Texas, May 5:-The Commissioners' Court of this county, since offering a bounty of 71/2c per scalp for within the past two weeks. The offer only holds good for four weeks and the Commissioners expect to pay for at least 10,000 jack rabbit scalps.

Ladies Hat Free.

To the lady; young or old, who brings us the greatest number of cus-Without distinction of creed or be- tomers within the next thirty days, we lief this institution has cared for the will give a five (\$5.00) dollar hat ab-

MRS. B. F. MILLS.

cently it has undertaken to build a San Antonio Texas.-Reports from new dining room sufficiently large to the general office of the Kansas City, accommodate all the children at one Mexico & Orient Railway Company at time; also to put in operation a dairy Kansas City, Missouri, state that the farm to supply milk and butter for system is preparing to issue certifithe little ones. These things furnish-cates to the amount of \$2,500,000 for ed and paid for, will lighten the ex- the purpose of completing the line pense of feeding them by producing south of San Angelo to Alpine, where

"Nails are a mighty good thingin this work. The money can be sent particularly finger nails—but I don't directly to Dr. Buckner, or the Record believe they were intended solely for will gladly receive such subscriptions scratching, though I used mine largevolume of the Philadelphia Public could not possibly give a dollar to a I was sorely afflicted, and had it to J. M. WARD, Index, Texas.

cents, it will help and be thankfully \$600,000. The proceeds will be used to buy new equipments for the road

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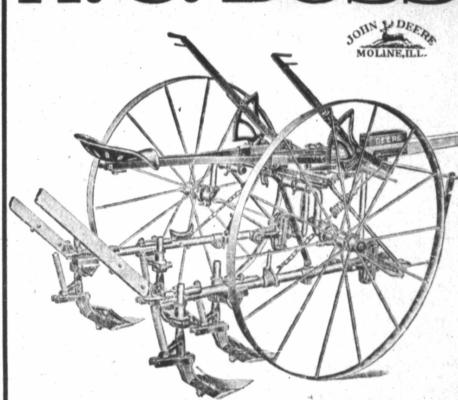
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WM. DEBUSK

Last Sunday at the Big Tabernacle in Colorado—Big Crowd and Fine Singing.

The largest crowd that has as-Colquitt speak. They came from the all came with the purpose of enjoythe convention had been transacted member help. on Saturday night, so there was nothing to engage their attention Sun-

welcome were given by A. H Weston, hospitality of the people of Lamesa. Hazzard's singing. which were responded to by Mr. Fitz- Each seemed to vie with the other in When the program was finished the gerald on behalf of the convention, entertainment; nothing was too good dining room doors were thrown open roon, when dinner was announced by "Perfecto Regalia" cigars, a box of candles burning, while in the center President Doss as ready in the court which was given to a member of the was a basket covered with the club house park, and the crowd fell to with Colorado party by a Lamesa admirer, colors, white and green, and filled petite. There was more than enough by another member without mention- of grape juice were passed, and Mrs. to eat, as everyone seemed to have ing the fact, and to add insult to in- Broaddus offered a toast to our club the band boys brought their horns on his departure next day to the con-drunk. Mrs. Merritt gave one to few selections of sacred music, after "peas" to the others. which singing was resumed and con- All in all it was the most enjoyable drunk amid smiles that were close will sell or trade for small tract of tinued until adjournment.

of the country and town into closer abide with them for many a day. association. It is hoped this was but the beginning of a series of like oc- Colorado City Man Angelo Merchant. chiefs, plates, pictures, doilies and in Borden county, 80 per cent agriculty will mingle in such refined and parchased an interest in the Vandiver were given with the loving wishes of nine feet to water, inexhaustible sheet elevating diversions.

Meeting of Missionary Society.

in the church in regular session. The ward step.

43 to 48 verses of chapter 5 of Mat-move his family to San Angelo in the ed. Then papers and pencils were There is twelve acres of old alfalfa on cent tillable, ranch house, spring, im-rado. The price is right; will trade the opportunity for service among the negroes. The others on the program were not present.

As a part of the business of the meeting delegates were elected to the conference which meets here June 15 to 19. These were Mrs. Arnett, Mrs. Lyon and Miss Shuford. -

Mrs. Merritt announced that a conference daily paper would be edited DOCTORS FAILED. during this meeting by the conference Press Reporter. Mrs. Perminter, and asked for subscriptions at 25 cents each for this. All present subscribed and the corresponding secretary will solicit everyone else. The list of committees for the conference was read, but only the chairman of

each has been appointed, Homes and train, Mrs. Crockett. Entertainment, Mrs. Ruddick. Church, Mrs. Lyon. Decoration, Mrs. Annis. Printing, Mrs. Merritt.

Music, Mrs. Jackson. Barbecue. Miss Ina Wulfjen, Messrs Arnett and Wulfien.

Welcome Address, Miss Jo Dry. Pages, Winnie Vaughan, Winnie Crockett. Lorena Smith, Eva Davis

The fourth vice president reported new windows in church, the window

Phaynie ready to be put on them and CONVENTION MEETS the aisle carpeting ordered. A motion was made that we have walk on Friday in honor of Mrs. A. J. Payne, north side of church put down and who for eighteen years has been a

A plea was made for the Home and home, San Angelo. Foreign Mission pledge and it was de- The club program was very pretty sembled in Colorado the past two cided to have a special meeting the indeed, being upon Mothers' Day, Roll convention last Sunday. It was even this every woman in the society be- Collier gave a beautiful original a larger crowd than heard Governor ing urged to attend this meeting. The sketch, My Mother. The reading of uttermost parts of the county, and the society must do its very best. Dry had a very fine paper indeed upon

Highly Entertained.

and is calculated to bring the people tality of the people of Lamesa will of the member who was leaving.

casions when the people of the country. A. J. Payne of Colorado. Texas, has other pretty things exhibited. All tural, 3000 acres sub-irrigated, only which means that this progressive delightful little speech in which she ter could be secured if properly de-The Missionary Society met Monday clothes shop is taking another for briefly reviewed Mrs. Payne's work in veloped to irrigate the whole tract.

program was upon Mexico and the Mr. Payne has been for many years the leading business man of Colorado. The president spoke of the need of being regarded by all as a kigh class course of creamed chicken in patty for small colonization project. This these people for our love and sympa- gentleman, and one to add to the citithy and read as a scripture lesson the zenship of any city. Mr. Pavne will hot biscuits and iced tea were serv- half cash with terms on balance. price \$11 per acre. 640 acres, 45 per other improvements; 3 miles of Colo-

Tailored hats at Mrs. Mills.

Move Started For Chilton. Dallas, May .-- A move was started

Chilton for Texas Democratic National committeeman.

RESTORED BY PERUNA. for membership.

Catarrh of the Lungs

Threatened Her Life. Miss Ninette Porter, Braintree, Vermont, writes: "I have been cured by entertain for her then.

"I had several hemorrhages of the lungs. The doctors did not help me much and would never have cured me. "I saw a testimonial in a Peruna almanae of a case similar to mine, and I commenced using it.

was helping me.

"After I had taken it a while I commenced to raise up a stringy, sticky substance from my lungs. This grew less and less in quantity as I continued the treatment.

"I grew more fleshy than I had been for a long time, and now I call myself

Hesperian Club Entertains.

Mrs. Stoneroad entertained the club windows put in tower This carried Hesperian and now leaves the club as and the work will be begun at once. she is leaving our city for her new

years attended the county singing third Monday to discuss and vote on call was parents of the Bible. Mrs. F. S. KEIPER, need is great, the calls are urgent and this brought tears to many eyes. Miss There were never such opportunities Comradeship between Mothers and ing themselves. All the business of for doing God's work as now, let every Daughters. Mrs. Johnson had a splendid paper A Boy's friendship for his Father. One paper that had been looked forward to with interest was The ten members of Mitchell ma- the father, a parent also, was not President W. L. Doss called the sonic lodge who went up to Lamesa brought up, Mrs. Brennand being out Colorado, close in. This is a nice im- per acre. Half cash, balance to suit soil, 105 in cultivation, 160 tillable; convention to order early in the day, last week to assist in organizing and of town, and Mrs. Hazzard being un- proved place for sale cheap; will take at 8 per cent interest. and the different leaders and classes constituting a Royal Arch Chapter at able to attend her song, "The song part trade, or terms to suit. A big tried themselves out on many good that place, returned late last Friday my mother used to sing" was also bargain. songs. At 11 o'clock a few words of evening, loud in their praises of the missed by all who always enjoy Mrs.

Then followed more singing until for the Colorado bunch, not even revealing a white draped table with a heartiness that attested their ap- but which was surreptitiously taken with packages for Mrs. Payne. Cups brought a full basket. After dinner jury took the box of cigars with him women, which was most heartily and favored the convention with a federate reunion, without saying Friendship, and Mrs. Phenix to the friends who remain. These were well improved place in Mineral Wells. junket this lodge ever made and the akin to tears, as each from her heart land, anywhere, of equal value. Inmemory of the whole souled hospi- expressed her love and appreciation vestigate this offer.

The dainty packages were now unsition but is such a rare bargain as What have you? tied and an array of pins, handker- to make it sell at once. It is fine land Clothing Company of this city and friends who had known her long and water at 22 feet. Have everlasting will become active in the business who loved her much. Miss Dry in a springs. Estimated that enough wathe club presented her with a Hes- Has two sets of fine improvements, a perian spoon. When the company store and postoffice, school. ranch were seated, a delicious refreshment houses and is an ideal proposition cases, pear salad, jelly, pickles, eggs. land is offered at only \$15 per acre, passed and each told to write a chap- the place, cutting four tons per acre, provements worth \$1000; price \$11.00 for city property. ter in Mrs. Payne's life. Everybody and this alone shows this land to be per acre. 640 acres, 70 acres tillable got busy and when read aloud they equal to any of that in the Pecos at \$15.00 per acre. 640 acres, 50 acres proved most intimate experiences with valley or in California. some while others soared far into the realms of fancy for beautiful things here today for former Senator Horace in the future. The guests present were: Mesdames Bell, D. C. and Byron Byrne, Fred Whipkey, Donaldson and Floyd Beall, Dr. Ratliff coming in for the social hour and applying at once

sionary Conference in which she is merchandise. an officer. Her church friends will No. 8-480 acres red land soil, 250

John Jacob Astor, his son, Vincent, mill and tank; one good four-room three miles of Colorado. Price \$20. became the richest boy in America house and outbuildings; one two-room receiving the bulk of his father's house and out buildings; half mile wealth and the estate of his grand- to school; 7 miles of Iatan, Mitchell "I was not able to wait on myself father also. He has always been an county on T. & P. railroad half mile when I began using it. I gained very extremely weakly boy and during the from postoffice. Price \$16.00 per acre, slowly at first, but I could see that it first years of his life every effort was one-third cash, balance 2 to 7 years made to protect his life and strength- at 9 per cent. en his constitution.

Precinct Convention.

Pursuant to the call of the precinct chairman of the county executive democratic committee, a precinct convention was held at the court house Saturday at 2 p. m. for the purpose convention which met at the same miles of Westbrook; 7 miles from Colplace on Tuesday, May 7.

man called the convention to order per acre, one half cash, balance to suit. gates, and satisfactory evidence of truck patch. having paid last year's poll taxes were required of all participating in the convention.

The following delegates were reported by the committee and duly acwith instruction to vote for Woodrow Wilson for president: R. H. Looney, vention adjourned.

Randell Attacks Bailey.

Bowie. Tex., May 6.-Congressman Randell in his campaign speech here today for the nomination to the United States Senate, attacked Senator Bailey on the question of whether Bailey would "betray" the voters of

In the spring a young man's fancy

The attorney general has approved the \$40,000 good road bond issue for

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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

trade. I consider this a great bar-

No. 4-Have a good five room house.

No. 6 .- 320 acres of good sandy loam 7 1-2 miles northwest of Colorado, improved. 75 acres in cultivation, 250 acres tillable. Loan of \$1200. Terms one-fourth cash, balance ten years.

No. 7-160 acres sandy loam farm 6 miles from Westbrook; price \$20 per turns in June for the Woman's Mis- change equity for horses, mules or

> acres in cultivation: 460 acres tillable 20 acres grazing land; all fenced; me-

loam, balance red and black land; 75 acres in cultivation; 175 acres tillable: 145 acres good grazing land; all fenced; plenty mesquite timber for fuel; two wells and tanks; 3-room house, good barn and outbuildings; one and a half miles from school; four orado (county seat Mitchell county) J. A. Buchanan, the precinct chair- on the T. & P, railroad. Price \$20.00 grazing land; mesquite timber; well

and stated the object of the conven- No. 11-9 acres sandy loam, all in tion. A committee of which Dr. P. cultivation; fenced; good windmill, Price \$22.50 per acre, \$3100 cash, bal-C. Coleman was chairman, was ap- well and cistern; good 5-room house pointed to prepare a list of delegates and outbuildings; joining the city of on a basis of one delegate for every Colorado, Mitchell county. Price 25 votes in the precinct. Only quali- \$2,500, \$1000 cash balance to suit. A fied electors were eligible as dele- fine proposition for poultry farm or

acre. 16 miles south-west of Tahoka, at 8 per cent. credited to the county convention county seat of Lynn county, on the Santa Fe railroad.

G. D. Bynum, after which the cone half mile to school; 3 miles east of 8 per cent. Will trade for anything.

No. 16-Must be sold. 640 acres, five miles of Colorado; 3 sets of im-No. 2-This is 708 acres of good provements; 320 acres in cultivation,

No. 17-5120 acres. One of the best mules. stock ranches in west Texas. Good valley soil; all fenced; half tillable; all good grazing land; abundance of grass; part of this land had grass on it No. 3-Here is 160 acres of fine land 18 inches high and would have cut sevin two miles of Westbrook for sale or eral thousand tons of hay; good 5- bore some last year; small house and room house; large surface tank; 16 gain and if you want a home this will miles northwest of Kent, Culberson county, on the T. & P. railroad. Land ance to suit; 8 miles from Colorado. lays so that you could see a cow almost anywhere on the entire tract, Party not able to stock this ranch and will sell at a sacrifice. \$4.00 per acre cated in Colorado, lot 100x140; good one-fourth cash, \$1.60 due the state, location; nice shade trees; fenced; can run 35 years at 3 per cent, balance and other improvements. The price is No. 8-This is a ten section propo- to suit at 8 per cent. Will exchange right and would exchange for property

> rado, county seat of Mitchell county, \$15.00, 1-4 cash balance to suit. on T. & P. railroad. Price \$21.50 per acre, one-fourth cash, balance to suit.

ready for the plow, half tillable, twothirds sand and shinnery, \$10.00 per acre. 640 acres, 100 acres ready for the plow, fenced and tenant house, half sandy soil, on Colorado river, \$14 per acre. 160 acres, 70 acres in cultivation, all tillable, sandy soil \$15.00 per acre. 320 acres, 70 acres in cultivation, half tillable, on Colorado river, lay from five to eight miles of Colorado: one-third cash, balance at 8 per ct.

acres in cultivation, 200 acres tillable, \$25.00 per acre, \$1500 cash, balance to all fenced, two wells, windmill; ore suit, or would exchange for young By the terms of the will of the late squite for fuel; two good wells, wind- mile of school; tenant improvements, mules and cattle. two-thirds cash, balance to suit.

> No. 21-160 acres, catclaw land 120 acres in cultivation; all tillable, feneed, well, windmill and tank; small house and other improvements; two 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 19 per et.

> > 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.

> > No. 23-320 acres; fenced; catclaw soil 130 in cultivation, 200 tillable, 130 windmill and tank; 3-room house, two porches; 3-4 mile to church and school four and a half miles of Colorado.

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not the girl. She is innocent enough,

out of her. Now see here!" and his

voice took on the tone of a bully.

You are in power just now, but you

won't always be. You can't hold me

prisoner; not with these ragamuffins.

They'll turn us loose as soon as they

loot those wagons. I know how they

work in the Jerseys. But first I in-

tend to tell you something it will be

worth your while to remember. Claire

Mortimer is going to be my wife-my

wife. War is one thing, but if you in-

terfere in my personal affairs again,

Mortimer aware of the honor you are

"Indeed," smilingly. "Is Mistress

"She is aware of the engagement,

"Oh, I see; a family arrangement.

Well, Grant, this is all very interest-

ing, but I am unable to conceive what

I have to do with it. I met Mistress

Mortimer by accident, and then was

fortunate enough to dance with her

once. 'Tis scarcely likely we shall

ever meet again. The daughter of a

colonel of Queen's Rangers is not apt

to come again into contact with an

officer of the Maryland Line. I don't

know why you should single me out

"Yes, the family renegade; the twin

I could not perceive the expression

of the man's face, but he was a long

"Oh, yes. She told you about him?"

"It was mentioned. Would I know

"Y-yes, at least I should suppose

the boy from any resemblance to his

so. You must have become very inti-

mate for her to have told you that.

"Nothing for Tories to boast over.

"How the devil do I know! She

played on her last night, but she's on

His manner was so disagreeable

that I instantly determined to have an

end. I had more important work be-

fore me than quarreling with this fel-

macy with Mistress Mortimer grated

"If that is all you requested an in-

terview for, Captain Grant," I said

coldly, "I'll trouble you to return to

Irritated that I had even condescend-

dozen houses on either side the high-

way. These were wrapped in dark-

ness, apparently deserted, shapeless

appearing structures, although I

tavern, and another seemed a store.

There was a well in front of this last.

and water sparkled in a log trough be-

side it. My horse stopped, burying

denly made aware of my own thirst,

swung down from the saddle. My

hands were upon the well-rope when,

without warning, I was gripped from

behind, and flung down into the dirt

of the road. I made desperate effort

to break away, but two men held me,

one with knee pressed into my chest,

the other uplifting the butt of a pis-

tol over my head. There was not a

were in uniform, although the fellow

ward to the crest of the ridge.

the right side just the same."

"I think so, too."

upon me strangely.

You see it-it is a family secret."

if that is what you mean. It has been

understood since our childhood."

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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 winby Gen. Washington, ter at Valley Forge.

CHAPTER II—Disguised in a British aniform 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 waitz, 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 he 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 wain for the sny CHAPTER IX-Lawrence joins the min-ute men who capture Grant and his

CHAPTER X.

A Capture.

What was the matter with the fellow? Could he have sent for me merely to ask that question, insisting in this matter. I don't even know the on privacy? There must surely be some hidden purpose behind this. Yet if so, there was no betrayal in the man's face. His eyes had an angry gleam in them, and his words were shot at me in deadly earnest.

"The lieutenant?" I repeated, not prepared for a direct reply. "Why, I hardly know-curiosity largely.' He stared at me in manifest unbe-

lief. "What do you expect to gain by

lying?" he exclaimed sullenly. "You saw him, no doubt, or you would not have asked what you did."

"Certainly I saw him," more deeply puzzled than before at his insistence. "That was what aroused my interest. He seemed such a mere lad as he rode past, and later I heard his voice, during the winter. It is a sad thing the voice of a boy."

Was that all? "All! What else could you suppose? If was dark, only a little gleam of moon revealed outlines. I couldn't distinguish the face, but when he failed to appear after the fight I remembered him, and was afraid he had been hurt. Now I want to know

what you mean. Who was the lad?" He had seated himself on the stump, and was leaning forward, his face hidden from the light of the fire. "Well, go on then," he returned low, and, somehow, his claimed inti-

finally. "If that's all you saw of him it's all right." "No, it's not all right," I insisted,

aroused by his peculiar actions. "What is all this mystery about? You told me you didn't know the man.'

"I said I hadn't seen him, that we joined Delavan after dark," he corrected sharply. "But you needn't try to interview me. Major Lawrence.' stiffening with anger, "for I haven't anything to say to a spy and leader of guerillas."

"You requested this interview; however, if you are satisfied I am, and you can return to your men. Shall I call the guard?"

He hesitated a moment, but what-

ever it was which had first inspired

"If You Interfere in My Personal Affairs Again I Am Going to Kill You."

hem to question me, was too strong to be thrown aside.

"Did-did Mistress Mortimer help you escape from Philadelphia?" he asked bluntly.

"That is entirely my affair. Why

don't you ask the lady herself?" "See here, damn you!" he burst out. "I haven't seen the lady. When I got

back to the dining room she was gone, and then I was ordered out here. But you knew you were being sought after, and I cannot imagine who else told you."

"You do not exhibit very great faith in the lady—the daughter of a lovalist."

He drew a quick breath, suddenly aware that he had gone too far.

mounted, rode into the range of my "Search him for weapons, Tonepah." said a boyish voice briefly. "There neither of the original foraging party

as quick as you can."

There was no mistaking my captors -the young dragoon lieutenant, and the three who had escaped with him. But why had they ridden in this diproblems. Had I been a bale of tobacco I could not have been treated with less ceremony, the white man unclasping my belt, while the Indian, with a grunt, flung me over on my face, and began binding hands and feet. I kicked him once, sending him tumbling backward, but he only came "It is your sneaking spy methods, back silently, with more cruel twist of the rope, while the boy laughed, but I suspect you dragged the truth bending over his horse's neck.

"Hoist him up on the black, lads," he said shortly, reining back out of the way. "Delavan's horse, isn't it? Yes, tie his feet underneath, and one of you keep a hand on the reins. Peter. you and Cass ride with him. I want Tonepah with me. 'All ready? We'll take the east road.

Some one struck the horse, and he plunged forward, swerving sharply to the right in response to the strong hand on his bit. I swayed in the saddle, but the bonds held, and we went leaving the lieutenant holding his loping forward into the night.

CHAPTER XI.

Introducing Peter.

It was a new country to me that we traversed, a rolling country, but not thickly settled, although the road appeared to be a well-beaten track. The gloom, coupled with the rapidity of our movements, prevented me from seeing anything other than those dim objects close at hand, yet we were evidently traveling almost straight east. I endeavored to enter into conversation with the two fellows riding on efther side of me, but neither one so much as turned his head in response to my voice, and I soon tired of the attempt. The night told me little of who they might be, although they were both in the uniform of the Queen's Rangers, the one called Peter on my right a round, squat figure, and bald-headed, his bare scalp shining oddly when once he removed his tering display of teeth.

The movements of my horse caused the ropes to lacerate my wrists and ankles, the pain increasing so that once or twice I cried out. The fellows guarding me did not even turn their heads, but the lieutenant drew up his horse so as to block us. I should imagine. However, it came "What is the trouble? Are you

up naturally enough while we spoke of the sufferings of the American army These ropes are tearing into the flesh," I groaned. "I'd be just as safe the way this war has divided families. were loosened a b Has Mistress Claire any Colonial sen-

I saw him lean forward, shading his face with one hand as he stared toward me through the darkness. I would not be likely to air them before thought he drew a quick breath as me. I don't know what fool trick you from surprise, and there was a moment's hesitancy.

> "Let out the ropes a trifle, Peter." came the final order.

The little bald-headed man went at it without a word, the lieutenant reining back his horse slightly, and drawing his hat lower over his eyes. In the silence one of the horses neighed, and the boy seemed to straighten in his saddle, glancing suspiciously about.

"Ride ahead slowly, Tonepah," he ordered. "I'll catch up with you." He turned back toward me. "Who are you, anyway?"

Surprised at the unexpected quesed to question him, I turned back up tion, my first thought was to conceal the road to where the men were yet my identity. These were King's men. busy about the wagons, spoke a few and I was in ordinary clothes-the words to Duval, he explaining to me rough homespun furnished by Farrell. the best route toward the river cross-If, by any chance, I was not the party ing at Burlington, and then swung inthey had expected to wayfay, I might to the saddle and sent the black forbe released without search.

"Who am I?" I echoed. "Do you I permitted the animal to go his own mean you have gone to all this trouble gait, and for a mile or more he kept without knowing whom you hold prisup a hot gallop, finally tiring to a

trot. So far as I could judge from the oner?" "It seems so," coolly. "We know few stars visible we were traveling almost due north. However, I was cer- who we thought you were, but I am tainly getting farther away from the beginning to doubt your being the British lines, and could swing to the right man. Peter, take his hat off." I straightened up bareheaded, the left at daylight. It made little difference where I struck the Delaware; faint star-gleam an my face. The lieuevery mile north added to my safety. tenant remained quiet, but Peter broke

My horse had fallen into a long, his sphinx-like silence. swinging lope, bearing us forward rap-"T ain't him, is it?" "No; he must have taken the other idly. The moon had disappeared, but the sky was glittering with stars, and road after all," with a slight laugh "We've been on a wild-goose chase. I could distinguish the main features of the country traversed. I was on the However, it's too late now to catch summit of a slight ridge, but the road the fellow on this trip."

Peter rubbed his bald pate, his eyes swerved to the right, leading down into a broad valley. There were no on me.

"An' what'll we do with this lad?" signs of habitations, until we rounded the edge of a small grove, and came he answered drawlingly. "Turn him loose?" suddenly upon a little village of a

"Bring him along. We'll find out tomorrow who he is, and what his busiroads at midnight without some purpose."

thought one had the appearance of a He wheeled his horse, and, with a touch of the spur, disappeared in the lessness of any attempt at breaking darkness ahead. Peter clambered back out. into the saddle, and gripped my rein. "Come on," he said disgustedly, kickhis nostrils in the water, and, sud-

ing the black in the side. "It's a ways yet afore yer lie down." We rode steadily, and at a good pace. Occasionally the older man tered a sound, not even turning his head at my attempts to draw him into of my own eyes.

conversation. The situation mystified me, but it became more and more evident that I should have to wait until word spoken, but I could see they morning before learning the truth. Neither Peter nor the Indian seemed

haunting memory that he had joined Delayan as a volunteer—the Dragoon uniform sufficient proof that he was are pistols in the saddle holsters, but of Hessians, nor of Grant's detachhe may have others. Then tie him up ment of Rangers. Yet these others wore green and white, and must, therefore, have been in Grant's command. How did the four manage to escape from our attack, evidently animated by one purpose? Why was Grant so rection? What object could they have anxious to learn if I had seen the lieuin thus attacking me? They afforded tenant, and whether we had a party me little opportunity for solving these out seeking him? Not one of these questions could I answer; not one could I even guess at with any degree of satisfaction.

We were coming out of the low, swamp lands into a more thickly settled, and cultivated region. Rail and stone fences could be seen on either side the road, and we passed swiftly by a number of farmhouses, some simple log structures, although one or two were more pretentious.

It may have been two miles further along, when the lieutenant, and his Indian companion, wheeled suddenly to the right, and, without slackening speed, rode through an open gate, and up a graveled roadway, circling through a grove of trees to the front door of a great square mansion. It was dark and silent, a wide porch in front supported by huge pillars, a broad flight of steps leading from the

driveway. The Indian ran up these, horse, while we drew up some yards to the rear. I heard the boom of the iron knocker, followed by a gleam of light through a lower window. Then a negro's voice spoke, and the front door opened, disclosing two figures, one with sputtering candle in hand. The two exchanged a dozen words before the lieutenant asked impatiently: "Is it all right Tonepah?"

The taciturn Indian made no tempt at speech, but gave an expressive gesture, and the young officer turned in his saddle.

"Take the prisoner to the lower room, Peter," he ordered curtly. "I'll decide tomorrow if he can be of any use to us."

The two fellows loosened the rope about my ankles, and Peter waddling ahead, the graybeard gripping my arm, we climbed the steps, and entered the hall. A tall, slim negro, evidently a house-servant from his sleek appearance, eyeing me curiously, handed the little fellow a second lightcocked hat; the other was an older ed candle, and the three of us went man, with gray chin beard, and glit- tramping along the wide hall, past the circling stairs, until we came to a door at the rear. This the black flung



Was a Cell So Strong That a Single Glance About Convinced Me of the Hopelessness of Any Attempt at Breaking Out.

open, without a word, and I was led down into the basement. The flickering candle yielded but glimpses of great rooms, beautifully decorated, and, almost before I realized what was occurring, I had been thrust into a get the truth from you if I have to square apartment, the door behind me losed and locked. The two guards third burned, behind, and I heard them stumbling back through the darkness to the foot of the stairs. I glanced about curiously, shaking the loosened rope from my wrists, my mind instantly reverting to the chance of escape. Whoever these fellows might be, whatever their purpose, I had no intention of remaining in their hands a moment longer than necessary. Somehow their silence, their mysterious movements, had impressed me with a strange feeling of fear which I could not analyze. I could not believe myself a mere prisoner of war, but rather as being held for some private purpose yet to be revealed. Yet the room offered little promise. It was nearly square, the walls of stone solidly imbedded in mortar, the door of oak, thickly studness may be. Men are not riding these ded with nails, and the two small windows protected by thick iron bars. It was a cell so strong that a single glance about convinced me of the hope-

I was not there to exceed ten minutes when, without warning, the lock clicked, and Peter came in. I sat up quickly, but as instantly he had closed the door, and actually stood there grinning cheerfully. I would never swore solemnly, but Peter never ut- have believed him capable of so pleasant an expression but for the evidence

"Spring lock," he grumbled, a thumb

over his shoulder, "opens outside." Whatever resemblance to a soldier he might have previously shown while in uniform was now entirely banished. kneeling on me had the features and to belong to the class with which the Bare headed, his bald dome of thought long hair of an Indian. My horse army was recruited. Peter appeared shining in the candle-light, his round, started to bolt, but his rein was more like a well-trained servant, and solemn face, with big innocent gray his riding was atrocious. And the lieu- eyes gazing at me, an apron about his gripped, and then a third figure, tenant! There came back to me the fat waist the fellow presented an al-

most ludicrous appearance. Somehow my heart warmed to him, especially as I perceived the tray, heavily laden, which he bore easily on one arm, and the towel flung over his shoulder, And as I stared at him his movements became professional. Silently, solemnly, his mind strictly upon his duties, he wiped off the table top, and arranged the various dishes thereon with the greatest care, polishing cups and glasses, and finally placing one of the chairs in position. Stepping back, napkin still upon arm, he bowed silently. I took the seat indicated, and glanced up into his almost expressionless face. "Peter, you old fraud," I said swift-

ly, "have you eaten?" 'Not as yet, sir," his voice showing just the proper tone of deference, his eyes staring straight ahead.

"Then take that chair and sit down." "Oh, no, sir; indeed, sir, I am not at

all hungry, sir." I squared myself, fingering the knife at my plate.

"Peter," I said, sternly, "I'm a better man than you are, and you'll either sit down there and eat with me, or I'll lick you within an inch of your life. There is food enough here for three men, and I want company,"

He rubbed his hand across his lips, and I caught a gleam of intelligence in his eves.

"Well, sir, seeing you put it in that way, sir," he confessed, almost as though in regret, "I hardly see how I can refuse. It is very flattering, sir." He drew up the other chair and sat down opposite me, "Would you care heel on the door, for a glass of wine first, sir?" he asked solicitously. "It has been a

CHAPTER XII.

rather dusty ride."

I Interview Peter.

I accepted the wine gratefully, and sat in silence while he served the meat, wondering at the odd character of the man, and striving to determine how best to win his confidence. I was hungry, and, not knowing what to say, fell to work with some zest, insisting on his doing likewise. Yet even as I gaze. The fellow was not so big a fool as he looked, for while the features remained expressionless and vacant, there was a sly glimmer to the eye, betraying an active, observant

"What is your name, my man?" I asked finally, made nervous by his silence.

"Peter Swanson, sir," humbly.

"Oh, a Swede?"

"By ancestry only, sir," he explained, wiping his mouth with a corner of the napkin, but not lifting his eyes from the plate. "'T is a hundred years since we crossed the sea." "And you've been good King's men

ever since?" He cocked one eye up at me

"It would seem so, sir."

"The fellow with the gray chin beard was Irish, was n't he?" "He might be, sir."

"A Swede, an Irishman, and an Ina nice combination for the Queen's Rangers. Come now, Peter, give me the straight of all this."

He stopped with his fork in a bit of meat, favoring me with another stare.

"I think I fail to comprehend, sir." "No, you don't, you rascal," a bit of anger in my voice. "Did you bring this supper yourself, or were you sent here?"

"Under orders, sir."

"The lieutenant?" He bowed solemnly, and asked: "Would you object if I smoked, sir?"

"Certainly not; only answer my questions. Good heavens, man! do you think I am a fog of wood? Act like a human being. Who is the lieutenant?" "A Dragoon, sir."

"Peter," I broke out, irritated beyond patience, "I have some reason to believe you a liar: But I'm going to "Yes sir; very good, indeed, sir.

left the sputtering candle, perhaps a However, there would seem to be no need of your resorting to such extreme measures, sir." "Then you will tell me what I wish"

> to know? "It will afford me pleasure, sir."

Somehow I could not rid myself of the suspicion that the fellow was secretly laughing at me, yet his round face was innocent and placid, his eyes discreetly lowered.

"Then kindly inform me, first of all, who this young lieutenant is." "I fear, sir," solemnly, "that I may have misinformed you when I said

he was a Dragoon." "Yes!" eagerly. "I would correct my statement some

what-he is a Light Dragoon, sir." In spite of my effort at self-control swore, tempted to batter that stolid face, yet realizing the utter useless-

ness of such violence. "Now, see here!" I broke forth flercely. "Have done with your play the outer basement, I suddenly per-You are no soldier; I doubt if you were ever on a horse's back until tonight. And those fellows with you are

not Queen's Rangers, I'll swear." "How do you know, sir?" he interrupted gently. "Are you in the army,

"Of coure I am," I cried, answering without consideration. "I thought so, sir; although your

clothes do not proclaim the fact. May ask which army?"

He had turned the tables most neatly, and I glanced down over my rough garments, awakening suddenly to the knowledge that I was also in masquerade. To be sure I had one advantage-I knew these men had been part of Delavan's foragers, and hence at heart must be loyalists.

"That is not a question I intend answering to every ruffian who stops me on the highway," I returned shortly. "I wish to know what this outrage means? I will know, you wooden-headed image! I was about my business when the four of you attacked me. I wasn't the man you were after at all, and yet I am held prisoner, shut up here behind iron bars. What is this

place, anyhow?" "It is called 'Elmhurst,' sir." "Elmhurst? A country estate?"

"Yes, sir, one of the old plantations." "It's a name I never heard. Where is that precious lieutenant?"

"I presume he is in bed, sir," and Peter rose quietly to his feet, and began replacing the dishes on his tray. Apparently there was not a nervous throb to his pulse, and he remained; blissfully indifferent to my presence. I stared helplessly at him, even words failing me.

"You refuse to inform me as to the truth of this affair?" I faltered at last, as he lifted his burden on one arm.

He turned a stolid face my way. "I would seem so, sir. I have to thank you for a most delightful evening, sir. Your conversation has been both instructive and entertaining. However, sir, the hour is now late,

and I should advise your retiring." He bowed solemnly, backing toward the door, and I sprang to my feet, overtaken by a sudden determination

to make a break for freedom. There was a slight glitter in Peter's gray eves, as he rapped sharply with his

"I hardly think that would be advisable, sir," he warned softly "The man outside is armed, and in the excitement might hurt you."

There was a click of the lock, and the heavy door swung open. I stood! motionless, tempted to spring, yet not daring the venture. Peter backed majestically out, and I caught & glimpse of the graybeard, and the black outline of a pistol. Then the door closed, leaving me alone. The little scrap of candle left sputtered feebly, and, after walking across the floor a half-dozen times, striving to disposed of the food that stolid face gain control of my temper, I blew it opposite fascinated me, and held my out, and crawled into the bunk. There was nothing I could do, but wait for morning; not a sound reached me from without, and, before I realized; the possibility, I was fast asleep.

I must have slept long and soundly, mind behind the mask. I began to for when I finally awoke a gleam of suspect some purpose in his play act- sun lay the full length of the room, and food was upon the table. Some one-Peter, no doubt-had entered and departed without arousing me.' Sleep had left me in a pleasanter! frame of mind, and I ate heartily, wondering vaguely what the day would disclose. I determined one thing, that, when Peter returned for the dishes, I would back him into a corner and choke at least a portion of the truth out of his unwilling throat. I had hardly reached this decision when the door opened, and he stood there gazng at me with sphinx-like stupidity. I arose to my feet, gripping the back of a chair, but the utter vacancy in that face seemed to numb action. There was no positive expression, no dim glimmer of interest in his feadian," I said musingly. "That makes tures; the shining bald head alone gave him a grotesque appearance, restraining me from violence. I could as easily have warred with a baby.

"I trust, sir, you slept well," he said soothingly, "and that the service is satisfactory.

I choked back my indignation, the quiet deference of his manner causing me to feel like a brute

'Nothing could be added to my happiness," I answered, "unless it might be a little information which you seem disinclined to furnish."

He waved one hand, as though brushing calmly aside some imagined

"Disinclined? Oh, no, sir; there is nothing to conceal, sir, I assure you." Then, for God's sake, let it out of your system, man!" I burst forth impatiently. "Whom am I a prisoner to? What am I held for? What sort of treatment is this I am receiving?" Peter bowed, without the tremor of

an eyelash. "Do not mention it, sir," he murmured smoothly; "we are only too proud to have you as our guest at Elmhurst. It has been very quiet here now for some weeks, sir, and your

coming was welcome to us all." I could only stare at the fellow with open mouth, so dumbfounded as to be speechless. Of all the idiots I had ever met he was the worst, or else his acting was magnificent. To save me I was not certain which might be the correct guess. He continued in

stately solemnity: "I trust there remains nothing more you desire to learn sir? If not, I am requested to conduct you to the library. Ah, thank you, sir-this way, please.

He stood aside, statue-like, his eyes looking directly past me, and pointed with dignity to the open door, I obeyed the calm movement of that hand as though it had been a military order. but, as I stepped into the twilight of ceived the presence there of the attendant graybeard. He moved in advance, and I followed, aware that Peter was closely at my heels. A glance told me here was a library, not only in name, but in fact, a large square room, well lighted, the furniture mahogany, shining like glass, three of the walls lined with books. mostly in sombre bindings. A greentopped table occupied the center or the apartment, a massive affair, flanked by a leather upholstered reading chair. while before the front windows were cushioned ledges. My rapid glimpse about ended in Peter standing in dignified silence barely within the door, his hand upon the knob.

"I am authorized, sir," he said im-(Continued on page 7.)

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COLORADO, TENAS. MAY 10, 1912,

Morning Train Going West......6:41 A. M.

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beat that record himself.

Ismay's interests.

tire country.

the national convention.

and we understand the common to action of themselves or surroundings, they have applied at this office to know if carried one, namely Hopkins, and must degenerate. complish this end.

tween the commercial club and par- place of business these days before it. he might be able to make a neat obtained four-fifths of the convention ties at Roswell, New Mexico, looking another comes in wanting-money, sum out of it. to bringing the Roswell crowd who its a subscription, a contribution, a will attend the Ad League meeting donation one after another. In truth, at Dallas on the 16th, by way of if the average man, who gets not Colorado in their overland auto trip. more than \$600 dollars per annum singing convention, the fact developed to the Democratic State convention. Steps have likewise been taken to get and has a family to support, should that it was largely on account of the A contest occurred in the Lavaca Colorado in on the national highway attempt to respond to even a part of bettered condition of the public roads County convention. There is no preproposition which will run from coast the innumerable requests for money, that such a large crowd was present. cise indication as to the complexion

Clark line were a trifle surprised. refuses to give, he gets the reputa-Even the turning down of the prefer- tion among those who generally do died a second time. In making anential primary by the state executive the public begging act, as skinflint or nouncement of its indefinite suspenlest Roman of them all" seemed to and family an injustice who tries to per's demise. Evidently, the people water on a duck's back to drown it.

The medical bill which has just passed the Arizona legislature regulating the practice of medicine, recog- zona, who was nominated four years some lunatic is willing to spend his table healing science as well as disand included the "Cunger doctor" in that if Chafin's allegations were true, support of a first class daily paper, treatment.

Fort Worth has just returned from a over-he is drunk all the time!" visit to Pheonix, Ariz., where he went | "Taft has stacked the supreme as a member of a sub-committee from bench of the United States by ap- Although it is generally believed the committee on expenditures of the pointing five whiskey men to the that Wilson carried the state last a helping hand; and this great instiinterior department to make an ex- bench in his one term of office!" Saturday in the precinct conventions. and the work not yet completed.

built a home in the north section of by the public. "Whiskey" men don't

On Wednesday President Taft made But at that time the street in front church held at Minneapolis. Minn., fourteen speeches in one day in his of his house was little, if any, better last week, it was proposed, upon the whirlwind campaign through Ohio it than a neglected country road. Mes- recommendation of the bishops, to is doubtful if the "Strenuous One" can quite brush cluttered the street which abolish the laws of the church against straggled about in the deep sand like dancing, theatre going and other a cow trail, overgrown with weeds, forms of wordly amusement. Statis-The most pusilanimous feature in sand burrs were matted on the ground tics showed that fully two-thirds of Ismay's cowardice, is his attempt to and to walk from his home to the the 3.250,000 members of the Methodshift the blame on Captain Smith, business part of town and home from ist church, either danced, went to who sacrificed his life in loyalty to town, was something of an undertak- theatres and circuses without regarding. In conversation with this same ing it as being sinful, and on these citizen this week, he pointed out the grounds, the bishops declared that the In this country we have no idea yet changes that had been wrought dur- church law against these diversions. what intensive farming really means, ing these six years. He said he ac- in force for forty years, had become If the same methods prevailed here tually regretted before these changes obsolete. They asserted that while that are in common use in the culti- came that he had spent his money for the church would continue to protest vated districts of Japan, a single state a home which might as well) be five against these forms of amusement. of the size of Iowa could support miles in the country, so far as con-still it was better to have no specific more people than now live in the en- venience was concerned. Today his law on the subject, than have a law home is on a beautiful street, border- that was ineffective. The injunction ed on both sides with neat and well of John Wesley, leaving the amuse-That was quite a crown-rejecting kept homes, with trees and flowers in ment question to the conscience, the act of Teddy's up in Massacheusetts, the yards, electric lights at every bishops declared the wisest regula-He cinched the delegation all right, crossing and a concrete walk all the tion for Americans of the 20th cenbut because Taft received a majority way from his home to town. He said tury. of the popular vote, and believing as his home was worth today twice Teddy does in the majesty of ma- what it was when he built it, because Every town in Texas should have an conventions, that a forecast of the jority rule, he magnanimously re- of its surroundings and conveniences. employment bureau. There is scarce- state convention's action is hazardous. nounces all claim to the delegates in Graded streets, trees, lights, flowers by a day in the year but that some one Both the Taft and Roosevelt forces. and water, give a value to a home wants to hire help of some kind, or are claiming control. that can not be built into it with all someone wants employment, but ow-It would be worth while for Colo- the money one may command. And ing to the fact that there is no regular It is notable that none of the 180 rado to try to get on one of the auto- civic pride is at the root of all these channel through which these wants counties which held Democratic conmobile highways that are now being things. The prophet of old said "na- are made known, the two classes rare- ventions and reported their action inprojected through the state. The one tions perish when the people have no ly ever get together. There should be structed for Oscar Underwood. It is from Dallas to Roswell is the most visions," which is but a paraphrase of, a place where everyone wanting help also noteworthy that of the seven from Dallas to Roswell is the most state most state in the base of the seven by the fixed one we could get in touch with, the truth that where the people have or employment could go and file an counties stumped by Senator Bailey and we understand the commercial no ideals, no standards, no pride in application. Two parties this week in the interest of Gov. Harmon he

he would more than give away his People don't mind going anywhere if of the uninstructed delegations exsalary. During one week there were the roads are good. Those who expected the state of ten requests of one kind or another Texas to wheel into the Harmon or made of this office for money. If one committee could not stem the tide tightwad. The average man can not sion, the proprietors, Messrs Richardwhich had set Wilsonward. Not even afford to give to everything that son & Wade turned all the column the mighty fulminations of the "nob- comes a begging and he does himself rules up-side-down in token of the pa-

Mud Slinging Run Mad.

try would know what he asserts:

amination of the reclamation service's Such statements are as veritable in- no official figures have yet been given work and expenditures on the Roose- temperance as being drunk and can out. The Harmon people have not velt dam. He reports an astonish- do only harm to the very cause such abandoned hope. A rumor was curing condition of graft and misappro- fanatics represent. Living in the rent that an effort would be made to strengthened in doing a larger work priation. The estimate of the en- fierce light that beats upon the throne, turn over control of the state congineers for the completed work was how could such habits of which he vention to the Harmon forces, but the without the confidence and helpful-\$1,908,000, but the last annual report accuses Roosevelt escape detection Wilson forces were vigilant and on ness of the press. showed the expenditure of \$9,000,000 by the world. If the men whom Taft guard in the county conventions and appointed to the supreme bench were saw to it that none but staunch Wil- to ask all our Texas weeklies and "whiskey" men. isn't it reasonable son men were named as delegates to dailies, to say some words to their Six years ago a citizen of Colorado that the fact would have been known the state convention. the town. It was before the town had move on the same plane from which The truck growers of McLehran without money to conduct the work been re-incorporated. It was a nice the supreme court appointees were county have organized and ad pted properly through the long summer COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3. Practice in all the courts.—Office over

on their face and discredits the pro- 17 hibition cause, which Mr. Chafin pretends to represent.

Harry Thaw will make another effort to get out of the Matteawan asylum for the criminal insane. William T. Jerome has been employed to pre- HAS MORE THAN ENOUGH COUNvent his release.

It was "anything, anybody to beat Wilson." Two weeks ago Harmon was the man, but he was dropped quick as the proverbial hot potato and Champ ROOSEVELT NOW IN LEAD Clark taken up in his stead.

Unless everybody who has seen it Forecast of What Republicans May and tested it, is much mistaken, there is a real gold mine, and a valuable one too, at Alpine. An assay made at El Paso, shows 3.52 ounces of gold and 1,101 ounces of silver to the ton. As gold is worth \$22 the ounce and silver sixty cents, the assay gives the to 2 o'clock this morning bear out the We are putting up a great fire-proof valuable metals, at expense not exceeding \$10 per tor. Texas only needs mining laws to have its mineral resources developed. There is no question as to the existence of valuable mineral deposits in West Texas, but as matters now stand there is no encouragment given the mining indus-

At a conference of the Methodist situation.

Correspondence is under way be- One man hardly gets out of your would take this matter up and push

country who were in Sunday to the that selected uninstructed delegations

The Sweetwater Reporter has have any more effect than pouring keep up an appearance of generosity. of Sweetwater do not want a daily paper, or else they have no conception og what constitutes support of a daily paper. No paper can be any The Hon. Eugene C. Chafin of Ari- better than the people make it, unless nizes Christian Science as a repureputable "heeling" art, and places it week at Denver, Colo., in which he of Sweetwater would put up but a alongside the alopathic and other made the following remarks relative small amount of the money they have schools of medicine. That legislature to the two republican candidates. cheerfully given to railroads, packing sught to have gone one step further Every sensible human being knows houses and other enterprises, for the the list and then applied to him for or partly true, that the whole counthe paper would not only soon become self-supporting, but would be a "If Roosevelt don't quit drinking, valuable aid in promoting all other Congressman Oscar Callaway of he won't last until the campaign is enterprises fostered by the town. It mistaken. In my experience of thirwould prove a good investment.

GOV. WILSON

TY VOTES TO CONTROL CONVENTION.

Do in Their State Meeting Is Hazardous.

ceived and tabulated by The News up the year without damaging debt. of New Jersey in the preferential completion. contest which closed in Texas yester-

vention with more votes than enough with the determination to give this to control the selection of the Na- family of 600 plenty of milk and buttional delegates and to determine ter every day. their instructions. It does not appear I send these statements to a number that combination of Harmon and of papers, and believe that if we shall Clark forces would or could affect this gain a hearing on the part of their

Harmon121 5-6 Clark 39 1/2 Counties yet to report 61 Necessary to control312

On Republican Side. Action of the Republican county onventions was not so decisive. One hundred and fifty-six counties had reported at midnight, giving Theodore Roosevelt 641/2 convention votes as against Taft's 371/2. Thirty-six counties, each with one vote apiece in the convention, will send uninstructed delegates to the state convention, and twelve counties, each representing one convention vote, will send contesting delegations. Seven counties held no conventions. The vote necessary to control the Republican State convention is 127. It becomes even more apparent than it was

there was an ad in the paper for help that of the counties campaigned by cratic primary in July. wanted. If some enterprising person Gov. Harmon, himself. he carried two completely, Bexar and Jefferson, and REPRESENTATIVE 121st DISTRICT vote of Galveston.

There were ten counties represent-In speaking with several from the ing twenty-eight convention votes cept in few instances. In the El Paso delegation the delegates favor Clark and Harmon. The county is entitled

Many of the Democratic conventions adopted resolutions urging a change in the Texas membership upon the national committee, and several of them indorsed men for that honor who have been active in the Wilson

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If anybody believes that the editors of political and secular newspapers in general, are without sympathy for orphan children, and are unwilling to give time and influence to great charitable institutions, they are very much ty-five years as founder and manager of Buckner Orphan's Home, I have found the secular press ready to lend tution, whose family is never below the yearly average of 600, and where more than 6000 have been cared for since the beginning, has been greatly than it ever could have accomplished

I feel that it is not presumption now readers in regard to Buckner Orphan's Home. We are without supplies and

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ore as worth \$740 per ton. and as it indication of the precinct convendining hall, easy of access from the ed copy of such paper as may kindly is of the free milling variety. only a tions by disclosing an overwhelm- various departments and buildings, stamp mill is required to extract the ing victory for Gov. Woodrow Wilson and much money is lacking for its The latest effort upon which we

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have the co-operation of these papers the orphans milk and butter, and in an effort to get cash contributions probably an additional dollar for the Dallas, Tex., May 7.-Returns from of even one dollar more or less, from completion of the great fire-proof din-Democratic county conventions re- all their readers we shall go through ing hall, that is to have 800 sitting in

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home and he was justly proud of it. selected. Such statements are false plans to aid in marketing the crops. months just before us, but if we can J. S. BARBER, (For re-election). City National Bank, Colorado, Texas.

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Mitchell county. This bounteful don-

ner was given by the people of Colo-

rado with plenty of hot coffee and ice

water. The waiters were gentlemen

pointment, but the singing convention

at Colorado had drawn all church

members that were in the habit of

get the people interested in a compul-

Several from these parts heard Gov

Mr. Editor, it has been so long since

UNION CHAPEL CHAT.

ing to the front and methinks before

long it will be a very popular and im-

portant place in this part of the great

world. (I intended saying in this great

We had three excellent sermons

Rev. Rogers from Oklahoma preach-

Loraine in the afternoon.

Well, the Chapel is actually com-

MARK HOPKINS.

Colquitt Friday at Colorado.

"Parole! What do you mean?" "Parole was, I believe, the word used, sir," in calm explanation. "It is, as I understand, sir, a military term signifying pledge."



Hardly Think, Sir, That Would Be Advisable. The Man Outside Is Armed and Might Hurt You."

"Oh, I know that. Kindly concede Peter. But to whom is this parole given, and what does it imply?"

"To myself, sir. This may seem slightly unconventional, sir, but I trust me not to object. The sole requirements are that you remain in this room until sent for."

"That will not be long?" "I think not, sir."

sa

"And who will send for me?" Peter's eyes surveyed me, but with-

but I had already butted my head against that stone wall sufficiently to learn the uselessness of any further attempt. Peter was Peter, and I you will receive and get through. crushed back my first impatient exclamation to say humbly:

I sank back into the upholstered three words in two. chair, and for a moment after he had closed the door I did not move. Then, scarcely knowing whether to laugh or swear over the situation. I crossed the room, and gazed out through the win- delegates highly appreciate the hos- Saturday or Sunday. dow. Far down the winding driveway, pitality shown them by the citizens F. E. Crabtree, G. W. and N. T. Wohalf concealed behind the trees, a of Colorado in these annual singing mack attended the masonic burial at body of British troops was tramping conventions. This has been one of the Westbrook last Sunday. toward the house.

(To be continued.)

der favorable conditions. The na- constitution and by-laws put in a busy was in Colorado Monday. tion's life is dependent upon the soil time for four hours with nothing to go J. M. Strain is the champion, havthat supports it, and the intelligence by. It was up hill work, but I amding eaten two, two-pounders after G and earning power of those who till satisfied. I drew up twelve articles W. Womack quit. Mr. Womack says the soil. Have we a moral right to for the occasion and had the good the reason he lost the championship rob the soil and impoverish those who luck to have eight of them endorsed was that Mr. Strain had not had any are to be intrusted with the duties of and put in. I thank the brother fish this year and he himself had had citizenship in the next generation?

Spend plenty of time reading and studying how others have made the farm pay. The experience of successful farmers and scientific men may be worth much to you. This will enable you to compare you own methods with

Ostometry, the sci

ence and art of pre-scribing and fitting glasses to correct de-

tective sight, without the use of drugs.

FAIRVIEW FANCIES.

We had a fine shower of rain on Singing at Mr. Jack Ross' on Sunday

There was a birthday party at J. M. Helton's on Tuesday night. Sweet sixteen comes but once in a life time. pleasant ones in future.

Mr. G. Goodwin and family made a flying trip to Snyder a few days ago. Our Sunday school took a recess on Sunday. A sand storm was the cause, the first one in many years to stop

Went fishing on Thursday. We got more than fisherman's luck; we brought home 50 pounds of fine fish. It took us two hours to do this. The seining was good and the water was

What are our congressmen doing at Washington? Don't see much about them in the papers. Old Abe Lincoln might have been as ugly as a mud fence and as awkward as a heifer with her first calf, but the dirt under Abe's toe nails was worth a car load of the full-dressed flunkies who promenade around. Washington these days.

The editor says he wants locals, but and the baby. he wants short ones. That's right, that I possess some small intelligence, Bro. Weston, I think myself that long visits, long stories, long essays and long prayers seldom profit those who have to do with them. Life is short. you will repose sufficient confidence in | Time and tide wait for no man. Mo- faces about the dry weather or somements are precious. We must learn thing else. If it is dry weather mayto condense, abridge and intensify, be there will be rain enough before boys of his own lack of early oppor-time, they are only short. We can endure as prospects are real good tonight. early disadvantages, do so because of many an ache and pain if it is over (Monday.) soon. While the pleasure grows insipid and pain intolerable if they are ton is looking very well. "I am quite unable to answer that, protracted beyond the limits of rea- Mr. F. M. Purcy had a brother to son and convenience. Then learn to visit him from Louisiana last week, He was enough to provoke a saint, be short. Lop off the branches, stick returning home Monday. to the main facts in every case. If Mrs. G. W. Womack who has been you pray, ask for what you believe confined to her bed for some time is now able to be up.

If you speak, tell your message, Rev. Leach, accompanied by Rev. then hold your peace. If you write, Broome, Baptist paster of Colorado, "All right, my man, I'll wait here." | boil down two sentences into one and came Saturday to fill his regular ap-

The Singing Convention.

The Fairview singing class and going, so there were no services greatest and grandest conventions W. R. Womack and M. L. Hill had that has been held in the city. Much important business at Colorado last credit is due Bro. Doss the president Friday and Saturday. It is our duty to society to main- in his efforts to carv things through; By the way, Mr. Editor, there is a every department had its head and good road between here and the capito produce the necessities of life unmittees did their part. Committee on J. M. Helton, our commissioner members that worked so faithful with two messes. When I heard it I was me in this. The music and singing confident all things were not equal. were good. The short talks were ex- Don't forget the debate to be held cellent. Judge Crockett's short talk here May 18, subject: Resolved that was full of interest and he struck the Texas should have a compulsory nail square on the head. His few re-school law now. Affirmative; Ribble marks put life in the great work. Bro. and Callaway, Negative, W. R. Wo-Lyon's talk on harmony and music mack and Bohannan. The abject of

dinner was served in the court house were at Mrs. Meadows' Sunday. was enough on them for everyone in body come out to hear him.

BROWN-EYED GIRL.

in every respect. As for the class was filled with a large crowd of peo- for the report of another wedding Friends of good government ought to morning. ple. The music housese were well Sunday.

represented but no books were sold Most of the Bufordites attended the worthy and efficient men for public son, are visiting her daughter Mrs. or bargained for, as it was strictly singing convention at Colorado Sun- offices. We will gladly hear you, but Irwin Brown in Wastella this week. forbidden to make any sales on Sun-day. Everybody seems to have had a please, gentlemen, leave out-well, day. It looked to me as if the corner very enjoyable time. We feel humili- don't do like Taft and Roosevelt. stone was laid at the convention on ated somewhat that our community Sunday for the coming years. Then was not represented by a good class. ford school a visit last Monday. let us add a few stones every year to We have the singers and the leaders, it and let every Sunday school in but from some cause they did not get Mr. O'Neal's last Friday night. Mitchell county organize a singing the matter in shape for the occasion. class and take part in the great work, We hope to do better than that next as we have everything now in work- time. We are not willing to be being order for our next convention. hind in anything that is within our Our president. W. L. Doss, is a man in reach. What is the reason we canthe right place with his witty sayings not have a singing school during the and he made the meeting very pleas- next few weeks following the close ant all the way through. I would like of school? Think about it, neighbor. to tell you more but time and space Mr. Colquitt, our governor, made a forbids. One thing more, don't forget short stop and talk at Buford last Friwhat the Colorado Record has done day morning. His talk was to the for the cause. And don't forget Mollie school children who assembled at the RAMBLER. roadside to see the highest officer of the state. He shook hands with all the little boys and girls. Many a shaggy headed little boy will remember the day that a governor noticed Lone Wolf was good. Everybody is beginning to wear long him, and told him he might some day be governor. Mr. Colquitt told the We can hear things that are dull if this is printed to round up faces some tunity. The men who rise, in spite of there being "something in them." An ambition to be and do something Early planting of both feed and cotworth while.

Friday evening at nine o'clock, Judge A. J. Coe and Mr. J. J. Patterson engaged in a joint discussion of the merits of their respective claims to the office of county judge next term. A good sized crowd was out to hear what they had to say. After they had finished a number of other candidates made announcements. A number of ladies were in the audience. A Buford lady at Colorado Sunday afternoon was heard to remark concerning the number of smiling men in the crowd. She and another lady decided they were all candidates.

Studebaker

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pickens were Yes, some for the offices of the counrisitors from Sweetwater Saturday ty, and some for the head-of-thefamily offices that may be vacant. Mr. and Mrs. Baker from Loraine They don't all live in Colorado either.

> others. We hope to have an address of Irwin Brown and wife. by some prominent man on educat be interested in obtaining the most

Br. Robert Hathcox made the Bu-

The young people enjoyed a party at PENCIL PUSHER.

Health is very good at this writing. We are having some rainy weather. Miss Ethel Williams visited at Ira the moon before returning home.

Several of the young people of this community went to Colorado last Sunday to the county singing convention. We thank the Colorado people for the hospitality that they showed crowd greeted them and their songs

The singing last Sunday night at

The party at Mr. Crane's last week was a good one. All reported a nice

seen in our midst last Sunday.

There will be a debate at Champion they have won the honors. school house the 25th of this month. The subject, Resolved that negroes are a beast and are no image of God.

Everybody is invited to come. Mr. Carl Cole of this community made a flying trip to Roscoe last

J. W. Cole and family visited Jim

Peagan and family last Sunday. W. B. McCarley made a business

trip to Colorado one day last week. S. H. Corbell made a business trip to Colorado one day last week.

E. M. Mahoney made a flying trip to Hermleigh one day last week.

J. W. Hatlow and Tennis Wilson and Misses Maud Groves and Myrtle Buford school will close May 17. Dyer attended the closing exercises square and by the looks of the well | Rev. Piercy will preach here Sun- In the evening there will be a few of the school at Wastella last Friday. prepared tables it looked to me there day morning and at night also. Every- exercises by the pupils assisted by They were the guests, for a few hours,

Mrs. W. H. Henthorn and daughter, tional matters. We do not know at Lucile, left Saturday morning for Abipresent who will address us, but feel lene to spend the day with Dr. Hensure we can secure the man. Our thorn, who had preceded them. The Mr. Glenn Jones made his usual friends, the candidates, will be given Doctor was attending the meeting of We hope Miss Ruby will see many singing, I will leave that with the lengthy call at Mr. Boze Prentiss' on a few minutes each to tell their stories the State Dental Association. The crowd to decide. The large tabernacle Saturday afternoon. That accounts to the dear people who gather, three returned home last Sunday

Mrs. James Bennett, daughter and

Messrs. J. W. Hatton, Thos. Ridens, Lee Porter, Elza Groves, Dan Butler and Tennis Wilson; Misses Maud Groves, Pearl Porter, Ruby Seymour, Lelia Clara Wilson and Myrtle Dyer, camposed a special from Loraine to Colorado last Sunday to attend the singing convention. They carried their own lunch with them and on the banks of the beautiful Colorado river. to the music of the rippling waters. they enjoyed a repast by the light of

G. M. and B. B. Bateman of Waco, were here this week and held a song service at the Baptist church Tuesday night. They were returning from the convention at Colorado. A large were heartly enjoyed. They are singers of statewide reputation.

Misses Grace Baker, Loraine Dees and Ethel Gregg were in Colorado last Saturday and appeared before the examining board as applicants for first grade certificates. We are confident Mr. Chas. Brannon of Roscoe was that when the papers of these young ladies are graded, it will be found that

> W. P. Leslie was here from Colorado last Monday.

A. G. Blankenship was here Sunday from Stanton.

Joe M. Smith and wife spent the day Saturday in Colorado. W. B. Wimberley made a business

trip to Colorado last Saturday. W. T. Mullin spent the day last

Saturday in Colorado. Our baseball team went to Herm-

leigh last Saturday and lost a game on a score of 4 to 3. From what we have been able to hear from the game it would have been better had our boys retired from the field and



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satisfied over the result. The ones who had the pleasure of being there from here were: Mr. Muns and family, Misses Edna Britton, Maud Richardson. Cora Reeder, Lettye Ruth Pickens and Myrtel Johnson. Messrs Homer and Harley Mearse, Jordan Bennett, Herman Finley and Ernest Meadows

Miss Carey Mahon visited Miss

Miss Alsete Jones is rapidly im-

ed in the morning and at night and Bro. Smith, the Methodist pastor of Quite a crowd from here attended the convention at Colorado Sunday. All came home looking pleased and

Miss Pearl White of Shepherd visited Miss Myrtle Johnson and attended preaching at the Chapel Sunday night. Mr. Phillips has just returned from Fort Worth on a business trip.

Annie Pickens Sunday.

given them the game rather than to Johnson, Jr., J. L. Johnson, J. D. Wilbe robbed of their just dues. The son, J. Stone Rives, S. E. Hallmark and both will get a square deal.

the singing convention in Colorado day. It is a foregone conclusion that

an extended trip to the plains coun-

Sheriff G. B. Coughran was here from Colorado last Monday.

M. Zellner, E. Brown, R. T. Coffee, S. E. Brown, T. J. Davis, J. M. Templeton, J. D. Howell, D. E. Gunn, J. H. T.

A large crowd from here attended convention held in Colorado last Tues- the next term. his head. The steam roller made a

> clean sweep of the whole bunch. Mesdames Will Adams and S. C. Anthony of the Champion community were here Tuesday.

W. E. McNabb of Roscoe is here this week in the interest of the W.

team will play again today in Loraine and C. M. Black constituted the dele- next Wednesday the 15th, as the day the other for Mr. Neely at Roscoe, gation from Loraine to the county they will meet to elect teachers for which they left at that place enroute

last Saterday night, Sunday and Sun- if there were any anti-Wilson men and putting everything in shape to be day here, the guest of Hiram Toler in the crowd, they were in such a con- able to again handle the first bale of and family. Walter Beanett has returned from spicuous minority that not one opened cotton from Mitchell county this fall. W. S. Justice was here from Colo-

> W. W. Porter of Colorado was among the visitors to Loraine last

> W. L. Petty and Jim Howell left Sunday night for Dallas and returned

C. P. Gary is overhauling the gin A. T. Courtney of Dallas spent Sun-

W. F. Altman and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crowder of Colorado last Sunday.

The young folks enjoyed a real oldfashion candy pulling at the hospitable home of Mrs. Dees Thursday

W. F. Altman left Wednesday for Hamlin, where he will visit relatives for a couple of days. Miss Willa McCarty and Mesdames

W. L. Witherspoon and D. E. Wade of Roscoe were here last Saturday on a Mrs. Jerry Walker visited relatives

in Hermleigh last Saturday and also attended the ball game. Mrs. A. R. Lawrence has returned

from a visit to relatives in Thorp Mrs. W. H. Hurd and daughter re-

turned last Tuesday from a visit to Mrs. M. A. Altman and granddaughter, Wanda, rteurned this week from

Hamlin where they visited relatives. Messrs W. H. Anderson and Will Schols of Hermleigh were here Monlay on a business trip.

J. A. Sadler and Tom Johnson drove over to Colorado last Tuesday afternoon and whiled away a few hours at

Jeffersonian Democracy.

Whenever a fellow loses his political face and breaks away from the Its the party that's gone wrong; he stands like the rock of Gibralter. If poor Thomas Jefferson from the other shore could hear the different kinds of democracy that has been laid at his door as an excuse for all kinds of political apostacy, he would rue the day he ever ran for office. And of all the interpreters of the simon pure brand, our Joe is the most liberal He can find in it an excuse and an explanation for literally "rooming and eating" in the republican camp. Listen to this from his speech at Daingerfield, Texas, last week:

"I will take you into my confidence my fellow-citizens, and frankly say that I came to Texas to prevent, if possible, an instruction for Governor

"I recognize in him a Southern man, Christian gentleman and a scholar of ripe attainment, and if he were as not a Democrat, judged by the Jeffersonian standard, and if not he is

Either swat the fly or make it wipe feet on the door mat.

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

By virtue of an order of sale issued May A. D., 1912, in the case of Burton-Lingo Company versus R. D. Dennis et al, No. 1321, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied the first Tuesday in June A. D., 1912, it being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Mitchell County, in the city of Colorado, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which R. ford and J. H. Bedford or any of them had on the 12th day of February A. D. 1907, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following property, towit: One and one-half (11/2) acres out of the N. W. corner of Sec. Fifteen (15) Block Twenty-six (26) Cert. 2-1360 T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys in Mitchell County, Texas, about 51/2 miles northeast from the Courthouse, together with all improvements thereon, being the same land conveyed by A. J. Haglerset ux to R. D. Dennis et al on May 18, 1907, by deed recorded in Vol. 25, p. 182, Deed Records of Mitchell County, to which said deed reference is here made, as well as to said decree for a description of said property by metes and bounds, same being generally known as the Buford Dennis, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1691.32, in favor of Burton-Lingo Co., with 10 per cent interest from Dec. 21, 1911, and costs of suit. Given under my hand, this 8th day

of May, A. D. 1912. G. B. COUGHRAN, Sheriff, Mitchell County, Texas. By Preston Scott, Deputy.

The newly elected school trustees Tuesday with two new Ford automowere sworn in last Monday and set biles. One was for Jim Howell and Doctors Use This for Eczema

Dr. Holmes, the well known skin specialist writes: "I am convinced that the D.D.D. Prescription is as much a specific for eczema as quinine for malaria. We have been prescribing the D.D.D. remedy

Dr. Evans Ex-Commissioner of Health, says: "There is almost no relation between skin diseases and the blood." The skia must be cured through the skin. The germs must be washed out, and so salves have long ago been found worthless. The most advanced physicians of this country are now agreed on this, and are prescribing a wash of wintergreen, thymol and other ingredients for eczema and all other skin diseases. This compound is known as D.D.D. Prescription for eczema.

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SOMETHING DOING ABOUT LIVE STOCK QUARANTINE IF HE IS ELECTED.

le Tells It To Them Straight About the Live Stock Commission and Quarantine Law as

It Exists.

Judge W. F. Ramsey, in his speech Sweetwater, Texas, on April 30th, 1912 with reference to the live stock interest and the quarantine condi-

tions in Texas said: "Now, again, my friends; let me tell you another thing I will do if I am elected governor of Texas. There will be something doing with some sense in it about the great livestock interests of Northwest Texas. Your law now provides that your governor shall appoint three commissioners, from various parts of the state, one east, one south and one west. The governor has appointed three men; one of whom evidently had "flown over the cuckoo's nest." One of them in Victoria; O, certainly that is south; one of them a "bullionaire" in Del Riowest all right; but he goes all the way to the hot-bed of liquor and hell's half acre, where the panther laid down, in Fort Worth, to get his third man; a man who had not voted the democratic ticket, as I understand, until the liquor question became prominent in the politics of Texas. They took these dipping vats from Sweetwater, and they put them all the way down to Callahan county, where anti prohibition had not become such an issue in politics, and now if a man of this county wants to get "Old Muley" across the line up here fifteen miles, he has got to make a trip to Baird, in Callahan county, stay ten days, dip old "Muley" and come back on the west bound train with his cattle, in order to get them

terest. Still he vetoed the appropria- ture. tion for the A. & M. College; a bill for an appropriation that is to teach and do something in the interest of

able to make great campaign contriboard; we ought to have some proviwhat we need to have in force; and "brutal instrument?" if your Uncle Ramsey is elected governor of this state, that is what you will have in this country."

ing Husband.

statement: My husband bought a bottle of Hunt's Lightning Oil for Rheuover two years. It has done him a abolished.—Cleburne Chronicle. great deal of good and he thinks it will cure him. Mrs. Mollie Norris, Colbert, Okla. There is nothing better for Rheumatism, Neuralgia and the

MILLIONS OF FROGS HOP IN ONE DROVE

Declared to Be Three-Quarters of a Mile Wide Five Miles Southeast of Greenville.

Greenville, Tex,--Parties who came nto Greenville from the country southeast of here report that at a point about five miles southeast of this city they saw a drove of frogs that was three-quarters of a mile

They said there must have been millions of them and they were traveling in a northeastern direction.

The frogs, which were all sizes, were so thick in the road and in the wagon tracks that the people drove out of the road to keep from killing so many by rolling the wagon wheels

Benefits Local People.

Colorado people have discovered that A SINGLE DOSE of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as compounded in Adler-i-ka, the German appendicitis remedy, relieves gas on the stomach and constipation AT ONCE. W. L. Doss, Druggist.

Houston will vote in June on bonds to the amount of \$250,000 for a park

RATIONS SUPPLIED NINETY

Water Covers Parts of Thirteen Parishes From Shallow Pools to 22 Feet Deep.

New Orleans, La.—The Mississippi from Torras to a point 30 miles south of here has more water within its banks than ever before. There is increased anxiety for the safety of remaining levees in this district. The water covers parts of 13 parishes, ranging from shallow pools to 22 feet deep. The government is supplying 90,000 homeless Louisiana people with rations.

Ad Club Raises \$790 For Trip.

Roswell, N. M., May 5.-The Roswell Ad Club has raised the sum of \$790 toward defraying the expenses of its representatives to the big Dallas convention this month. This money was secured by subscriptions from the business men of the city, and it is expected that the sum will be boosted to \$1,000 before the campaign is end-

The Roswell club will go to Dallas in automobiles and to date eight cars have been donated to the club for the trip. Arrangements have been made for elaborate decorations and banners and caps and dusters will be provided for those who make the trip. Among the enthusiastic citizens of the city who are interested in the "On to Dallas" trip is Ex-Mayor Veal, who is well known in Dallas.

SOME FACTS ABOUT THE "YELLOW HEIFER"

Gov. Colquitt Forgot to State at Sherman that He Abelished the Bat Only a Month Ago.

If the newspaper reports are to be taken as true Governor Colquitt at affairs, dramatically displayed the his head, as tears came into his eyes. said "And yet they ask you to defeat me for Governor because I abolished "If I was to appoint a commissioner things like that." Gov. Colquitt picthat didn't have more sense than that, tured how the convicts had been in I would take everyone of them out of the past mistreated by this brutal inthe back door before they had been in strument. It is stated that the Goveroffice ten days. And yet the governor nor, having finished a discussion on of Texas talks like he was doing all this subject, flung the great leather sorts of things for the livestock in- strap from him with a scornful ges-

The bat was used by Colquitt's appointees for thirteen months after his inauguration. It was abolished on the livestock industry of this state. March 25, 1912, according to extract "We ought to have men on that live- of prison minutes of March 25, quotstock commission not because they ed in letter from penitentiary authoriare wealthy; nor because they are ties to Governor Colquitt dated Mar. of men interested in the traffic, in- Colquitt, if the bat was such a terrible terested in the welfare of the country; instrument of torture did you allow we ought to have a veterinary on the its use for thirteen months after you ion by law for advanced study in re- abolished it the day you came into ofspect to the diseases of the livestock fice, for you say that you are sought of the country; and we ought to put to be defeated for abolishing the bat, it on a civil service basis and get when in fact Judge Ramsey had anthe greatest possible good out of that nounced for the place you now hold great arm of the government. That is six months before you abolished this

We are glad that the "bat" has been abolished. It is to be regretted that it ever had a place in our penitentiary system. And here we want to remark Mrs. Norris Makes Statement Regard- that Judge Ramsey came out for this Mrs. Norris makes the following speech at Gonzales, the advance copy

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Mrs. J. IMHOF, of 321 S. Bentalon Street, Baltimore, Md., says: "Ote you about nine months ago, telling you of my condition. I have s fine baby girl-she weighed nine pounds when born. She is my third child and the strongest of them all. My suffering was only for two hours. I took several bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and one of Dr. Pierce's Smart-Weed. I never had a well day before I took your med surprised how well I felt-could eat-was always hungry, and never had a sick stomach. The nurse who was with me said the medic ful because I got along so nicely after having had so much trouble before She intends to recommend it to all her suffering patients. Everybody is astonished at me because I only weighed 102 pounds before and now weigh 135. I have had several ladies come to me and ask about Dr. Pierce' medicine. I am willing to recommend it to all who suffer and want help if any want information I will be glad to give it to them."



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RIPLEY SAVES RAILROAD \$7,000 A YEAR IN PENCILS

One Glance of His Eye Puts New Idea Into Being and Miracle Is Performed.

A few weeks ago President E. P. on the line and observed a clerk, statement today: working at a desk, throw into the probably one fourth of the original headquarters at Fort Worth had causpencil. The clerk drew another penit, proceeded with his work.

a pencil with a screw attachment at shown by the following affidavit: one end for the holding of short lengths of pencil and a kindly letter of advice requesting that the length-

ficers of the great system are includ- Batson, county superintendent of creditably under the circumstances. Mitchell County, to be holden at the ter date.: ed in this letter of advice and while schools for Bosque county, who being He exhibited one of the fearsome Court House thereof in the City of Colinitial cost of the lengtheners staggering in amount, it is estimated by President Ripley that the use of them will save his road \$600 a received through the United States month, or more than \$7,000 during the postoffice at Meridian, Texas, an encourse of a year.

GIVE YOUR LIVER

Stop Drugging It With Calomel; Dodson's Liver Tone, a Vegetable Liquid Medicine, Works Without Harm

If your liver stops working it is a mistake to try to whip it into action with doses of calomel.

It's so much simpler and safer to cure your liver trouble with the pieasant tasting liquid, Dodson's Liver Tone. You can get a large bottle at Floyd Beall's drug store for fifty cents and every member of the family can use it. Dodson's Liver Tone is an all vegetable live: medicine that starts the liver to act within a few hours and has no bad after-effects. No restriction of your habits or diet

Floyd Beall guarantees it to be a perfect substitution for calomel and will give you your money back if you are not pleased with the medicine. Get a bottle instead of calomel next

Says He Holds No III Feeling Against cident. the American People For Investigation.

"I have no ill feeling against the patriotic and justice loving people. American public and think the senate I am certain they will not tolerate can. The kind hearted man goes investigation into the Titanic disaster such an apparent injustice and effort around to the office and pays what he ejected plaintiff from said land and una very thorough one."

Fund For Texas Waterways.

tions for rivers and harbors, a bill will never again be repeated in Texas. ness man takes sugar in his and they record title thereto, and the fact that possession of said land, cancelling next meeting place, arrangements will aggregating more than three million has been agreed to by the Senate Texas.

CHAIRMAN SELLS EXPOSES CAMPAIGN LIE ON WILSON

The Booker Washington Circular Which Originated in Fort Worth Proven to Be False.

On yesterday we announced that we wastebasket a bit of lead pencil. had in formation that the Champ Clark pledge and under the hinderances County. Greeting: ed to be printed a large number of cil from the drawer and sharpening circulars entitled, "The Nigger and the peaceful regime. He restated his po-Governor of New Jersey," in which in-President Ripley picked up the defensible charges were made in a piece of pencil and saw that all the most offensive manner against Govermatter with it was in its short length. nor Woodrow Wilson, in connection In his mind he began figuring how with the Booker Washington-Ulrich much was lost in lead pencil stubs on incident. At that time we were cauthe Santa Fe system where thousands tious not to charge that the circulars are in use every day, if every clerk had been put into circulation, but condid as the young man in the local fined ourselves to the known fact of their having been printed. We then A few days ago there was received had in our possession a copy of the at every office of the Santa Fe system circular referred to, and now have a consignment of lead pencil length- the further information of circulation eners, or savers, a handle the size of through the mails, as is positively

State of Texas, County of Bosque. Before me, the undersigned authority in and for said state and county, on All the clerks and officials and of- this day personally appeared C. L. he considered he had done very regular term of the District Court of order of William Neild, five years afby me duly sworn, upon oath denose

velope, upon which plainly appeared the Fort Worth, Texas, postoffice stamp, where same was mailed, which A FAIR CHANCE said envelope when so received by him about his opponents, further than contained a number of printed copies that it was the same influence that beof a circular headed, "The Nigger and the Governor of New Jersey," and credit him and his administration; things contained this charge:

propriately beaten by the white man, mies rebuked. Although Mitchell plaintiff:

(Signed) C. L. BATSON.

ERNETS MUIRHTAD,

Notary Public for Bosque County. guished citizen of Texas, who is now strenuous time and visiting over the Plaintiff claims said land under the was also a feme sole on May 17th. 1897, in New York City, acting in an advi- whole empire of West Texas at his following chain of title, to-wit: Pat- when said William H. Jones conveyed name of R. L. Spalding. sory capacity to the Woodrow Wilson leisure.

(Seal)

headquarters, as follows: "New York, N. Y., April 30, 1912.

Hon. Cato Sells, Dallas, Texas. say to you that he never sent Booker frequently applauded. He made a 1884; Deed from Eli Newsom (who is red by the five and ten years' statutes ISMAY IS EN ROUTE TO ENGLAND Washington any message or condovery favorable impression on many the common source of title) to William of limitation, which plaintiff specially lence in connection with the Ulrich in- who had never seen him or heard him H. Jones and Amelia H. Jones, dated pleads: E. M. HOUSE."

I anticipate that this is the first time in Texas politics that our citizenship has had such an experience, and New York, May 2.-J. Bruce Ismay I predict that the candidate responsailed from the New York harbor for sible for this slanderous procedure to see a fat man slip on a banana peel. England today. He declined at first will be called to the bar of justice, to talk for publication, then he said; and proper sentence rendered by a seven or eight times, and then goes 1912.

to injure one of the greatest citizens, owes. The successful business man lawfully withhold from him the pos- if they, or any of them, are dead, to sentatives to the 1912 Reunion at ever produced, and that it will arouse money by it immediately starts out to That on the date of his said ejectment terested. Washington, May 2.—Carrying \$8,- their righteous indignation to such an find the editor and the lawful owner, in fee- Plaintiff prays that upon final hear- San Jacinto and the Battle of Flowers. 064,010 in addition to house appropriation and with such results that it silently down the street, and the busi- simple, of said land, by virtue of his ing, he have judgment for the title and and if San Antonio is selected for the

committee. The increase includes tions of the story of the loss of the their hearts for a moment. Such is and adverse possession of said land, from his title thereto; for his damages \$62,000 for a waterway between the Titanic with illustrations made from the experience of a mustard seed that cultivating, using and enjoying it, vertised as the "agent's harvest."

SPEAKS IN COLORADO More Than a Thousand People Listen

GOVERNOR COLQUITT

To a Defense of His Administration. He came, he saw, he conqueredsome. Although last Friday was not

a very good day for speaking, His Excellency, Governor O. B. Colquitt made five separate and distinct speeches on his itinerary from Snyder to Sweetwater. He left Snyder in the morning and made a short speech at Dunn; arriv-

ing at Buford, he was literally held up and informed that such a thing as a real live governor of the great state of Texas passing through so important a municipality as Buford, known in the early annals of this section as "Bone Hollow," was not to be thought of, much less done. So, the governor obligingly stopped his auto and delivered a short ad-

Arriving at Colorado shortly be fore noon, he was met by a reception committee of about fifty strong. After meeting a number of our citizens. brushing off the dust of his journey, dinner at the St. James hotel, a little rest, then meeting more voters, the time arrived for his address.

He was introduced by Judge R. H Looney, who assured the audience of fully one thousand people, that any words of introduction by him would be the sheerest waste of time; everybody knew him. The governor lost no time in clearing the ground, but Dalals, Texas.—Judge Cato Sells, plunged immediately in media res. Ripley of the Santa Fe railroad was chairman of the Woodrow Wilson state The line of his speech followed those standing in one of the general offices committee, gave out the following he has made elsewhere. He defended his administration, insisting that

he had redeemed every campaign Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell thrown in his way by political enemies had given Texas a quiet and sition on the prohibition question, declaring his adhesion to the doctrine of local self government. He had no Watkins, and the unknown heirs of J. apology to make for his generous use B. Watkins, Amelia H. Jones, and her of the pardoning power. He had husband, William H. Jones, Amelia H. pardoned about 300 convicts and Jones, a feme sole, and the unknown could be shown for the exercise of publication of this Citation once in executive clemency. He briefly each week for eight successive weeks touched upon the school house bond- previous to the return day hereof, in alleges that defendant, William Neild, ing question, declaring he had given some newspaper published in your is claiming said land by virtue of a

bats" with which prisoners were That on Tuesday, April 30, 1912, he that its use was discontinued.

spoke hastily and briefly on many questions. He had but little to say gan before his inauguration to dis- J. B. Watkins, Amelia H. Jones and her respectively, after date: "When that arrogant nigger, Booker mary, his administration would be ants, said petition alleging that plainvote at the coming primary.

surprised on every hand at the won- & Pacific Railway Company, except five homestead: derful progress and development acres, in the form of a square, in the a telegram received from a distin- and purpose of returning at some less containing 155 acres, more or less:

tabernacle. His remarks were listen- the Texas & Pacific Railway Company 1897, whatever right and title she may "Governor Wilson requests me to ed to with the closest attention and to Eli Newsom, dated January 21st, have had in and to said land, is bar-

It is more fun to see a man read puff on himself in a newspaper than The narrow minded man reads it over Wulfjen, to plaintiff, dated January 1st Watkins and Amelia H. Jones are livaround to appropriate what copies he and best democrats this country has who advertises regularly and makes session thereof, to his great damage: have before the court, all parties in- Macon, Ga. It is planned to hold the both eat a clove or two and life is he, and those under whom he claims said claims of the defendants against be begun at once so as to make the There are already out several edi- sweeter and peace settles down on title, have had continuous, peaceable the same, and removing the clouds Reunion the greatest ever held.

period of more than five years next may seem just and proper. preceding said 1st day of March, 1912, THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the

The cook is never satisfied unless her baking turns out well.

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Cakes, pies, cookies and doughnuts are best made with Cotto-

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shortening.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

Oath having been made as required

summon William Neild and the un-

known heirs of William Neild, J. B.

And by virtue of the further fact that he, and those under whom he the same. claims title, have had open, continuby law, You are hereby commanded to ous, notorious, exclusive, peaceable the District Court of Mitchell County, and adverse possession of said land, Texas. having it enclosed by a substantial fence, for a period of more than ten said Court, at office in Colorado, Texas, 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 speci- (Seal) Clerk District Court, Mitchell would continue to do so where cause heirs of Amelia H. Jones, by making ally pleads the five and ten years' statutes of limitation:

preference to such bonds over all county, if there be a newspaper pub- deed of trust, executed by Eli Newlished therein, but if not, then in any som and wife, Lydia R. Newsom, on He spoke of the difficulties his ad- newspaper published in the 32nd Ju- December 1st, 1883, to J. B. Watkins, ministration met on its threshold re- dicial District; but if there be no news- trustee, to secure the payment of one garding the management of the peni- paper published in said Judicial Dis- note, executed by said Eli Newsom and tentiary. With a new and untried trict, then in a newspaper published in wife, of the same date, for \$700.90 law to put into execution and an the nearest District to said 32nd Ju- bearing interest from date at six per empty treasury with which to do it, dicial District, to appear at the next cent. per annum, and payable to the

orado, on the 3rd Monday in May, A. land by virtue of a deed of trust, exe- words, it begins to look as though the tortured and said he was glad to state D. 1912, the same being the 20th day of cuted by said Eli Newsom, and wife, opposition to Wilson here in Texas May, A. D. 1912, then and there to an- December 1st, 1883, to M. J. Dart, trus- would switch to Clark. We have no-Owing to the fact that he had to swer a petition filed in said Court on tee, to secure the payment of ten notes definite fact on which to base this conthe 19th day of March, A. D. 1912, in a executed by said Eli Newsom and wife, clusion, but it is atmospheric, so to tired for the night. the Governor suit, numbered on the docket of said dated December 1st, 1883, the first of speak. Clark has delegations to his Court No. 1352, wherein W. A. Cocre- which was for \$9.80, and the other nine credit, while Harmon has none. As ham is plaintiff, and William Neild and of which were each for \$10.00, payable Chairman Hunt says, "Harmon is not the unknown heirs of William Neild, J. to the order of said Watkins, 6, 12, 18, running at all; he is just taking a B. Watkins and the unknown heirs of 24, 30, 36, 42, 48, 54 and 60 months little walk for exercise." It will not

which said circular among other but that he felt when the vote of the Jones, a feme sole, and the unknown been fully paid, thereby extinguishing ready gone—to switch from Harmon state was counted after the July pri- heirs of Amelia H. Jones are defend- said respective liens securing them: to Clark. It would be the sensible

Washington, was caught by Ulrich overwhelmingly endorsed by a large tiff resides in Mitchell county, Texas, wife of said William H. Jones, and is There is much in the Clark candidacy peeping through the key-hole of a majority of the best citizens of the and the respective places of residence claiming said land by virtue of having that is appealing, especially in view of white woman's bed room, and was ap- state of Texas and his political ene- of the defendants are unknown to been one of the grantees in the deed his running record, while there is no-Woodrow Wilson was one of the four county had not gone for him in the That on March 1st, 1912, plaintiff was Eli Newsom, conveying said land to mon candidacy to quicken enthusiasm. assanine white celebrities to telegraph last election, he fully expected that lawfully seized and possessed of a said William H. Jones and Amelia H. We confidently expect the contest next consolation and confidence to the nig- he would receive a majority of its tract of land situated in Mitchell coun- Jones; that by said last named deed, Saturday to settle down to Clark and ty, Texas, to-wit: all of the north-east said land became the community prop- Wilson.-Waco Times-Herald. Governor Colquitt was for his first quarter of Survey No. 53, in Block erty of said William H. Jones and Sworn and subscribed to before med time in many of the West Texas coun- No. 26, as surveyed by virtue of certi- Amelia H. Jones, and was not then, this, the first day of May, A. D. 1912. ties he visited on this junket, and was ficate No. 2-1379, issued to the Texas and never afterwards became their

> And in the alternative, plaintiff alent from the State of Texas to the said land to George M. Ihinger, and A large crowd heard him speak, ful- Texas & Pacific Railway Company, that whether she was a married woly one thousand people being in the dated February 14th, 1881; Deed from man, or a feme sole, on May 17th, October 20th, 1884; Deed from Wil-

dated May 17th, 1897; Deed from kins and Amelia H. Jones, constitute George M. Thinger to J. D. Wulfjen, clouds upon plaintiff's title to said during 1911. dated September 9th, 1899; and Deed land; that plaintiff does not know from J. D. Wulfjen and his wife, M. J. whether said William Neild, J. B. Confederate Reunion in Texas in 1913.

ed, and paying all taxes thereon, for a other and further relief, as to the Court the fly.

Herein fail not, but have before said

Baking-day has its "Sunny side"

Cottolene

and next preceding the date of filing Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed

Witness, Jesse H. Bullock, Clerk of Given under my hand and Seal of.

JESSE H. BULLOCK

County, Texas. By Earl Jackson, Deputy. A true copy I certify:

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

Harmon Not in It. While our own preference is Wil-

son, we do not forget our repeated statement that the Times-Herald is not an organ. Therefore, we are under obligations to say that it looks to us as though Chairman Hunt of the McLennan County Clark campaign committee has good grounds for a portion of his hopefulness. In other surprise us in the least if the message husband, William H. Jones, Amelia H. That each and all of said notes have goes down the line-possibly has al-That said Amelia H. Jones is the thing for the Wilson opposition to do. dated October 20th, 1884, executed by thing, absolutely nothing, in the Har-

Dissolution Notice.

The Blacksmith firm of R. L. Spalding & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. R. L. Spald-We also herewith give to the public which he saw, and expressed the hope north-east corner thereof, the same leges that on October 20th, 1884, said ing retains the business, paying all Amelia H. Jones was a feme sole, and debts and collecting all bills due the firm. The business is now in the

> 4.107,152 Bales of Cotton Ginned. Washington. D. C .- According to re-

ports of the Federal Department of Commerce and Labor, there were 4,-107,152 bales of cotton ginned in Texas in 1911; an increase over 1910 of 1,157,124 bales or 39.0 per cent. The report shows the cotton ginned That said respective claims of said in each county separately. Ellis counliam H. Jones to George M. Ihinger, defendants. William Neild, J. B.Wat- ty leading with 136,427 bales, an increase of 31.922 bales or 23.4 per cent,

San Antonio, Texas.-The San Aning or dead; he alleges they are liv- tonio Chamber of Commerce is con-That on March 1st, 1912, defendants ing, but joins the heirs of each and all ducting a spirited campaign with a reunion in connection with the Fiesta

"Let Texas Grow," patronize home Brazos river and Matagorda bay in the description by survivors, and ad- falls on different ground.—Gilpin Ob- claiming it under deeds duly register-

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The Cook always feels confident of pure and wholesome food when using DR.PRICES **Baking Powder**

A Pure, Grape Cream of Tartar

Baking Powder

Made from Grapes

LOCAL

Miss Addie Mae Yates of Coahoma, is visiting Miss Lena Key

cents up at Doss.'

Mrs. Hallie Dupree Shipman and baby are visiting her parents Mr. and ty ought to work for the free hat at Mrs. L. C. Dupree, in south Colorado. Mrs. Mills."

W. B. Wimberly of Loraine, and

Ben Morgan takes subscriptions for the Dallas Semi-Weekly News. Give him your subscription.

News, the biggest newspaper to its man-two of them-or even a good ers. size and the size of the town in which part of the male inhabitants of the it is published in all West Texas, was town, go there and you'll find him or in the Capital Saturday.

A. K. Hawkes original glasses at

speak Friday:

this place.

friend of the ex-governor's would vociferously yell, "Hurrah for Campwas glad Gov. Campbell had one friend left in the state of Texas; but it was the only on had met.

SHERWIN'S FURNITURE STORE.

The Woodmen lodge at this place has been enjoying a season of unusual prosperity the past month. Some sixty-five new members have been taken in during that time:

When your subscription for the Dals Semi-Weekly News expires, let

Well, that full moon came all right, after the new moon had lain on its back, but where is the big rain it was bo bring.

We have some good wardrobes.

touch with a live town.

Swat and the world swats with you.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stoneroad and Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beall veek at Rendrebrook ranch.

A fine lot of books, and an extra lot of bibles at Doss'.

Mrs. Van King left Monday night in Dallas.

Mrs. M. K. Jackson and Mary left the Sunday School Convention.

Examine the latest music at Doss'. He has it from 10 cent sup.

Mrs. J. B. Blandford is visiting in Dallas, Fort Worth and Arlington this

Mrs. Sam Majors and little daughter visited the home folks this week.

Tom Payne repairs all shoes the same day you bring them.

Mrs. Simeon Shaw took advantage of the Confederate reunion rates to visit her old home in Georgia, and several of the little Shaws are visiting this week in Colorado with their many friends.

Mrs. Harding, who was the guest last week of Mrs. Phenix. left last week for her home in Big Springs.

Nothing but the best fed beef, fattened in their own pens, sold by Beal Bros., now.

Mrs. D. C. Byrne and Mrs. Byron Byrne are spending the week in town visiting among their south side friends Postmaster P. A. Hazzard returned and occasionally getting over to those

> spent Sunday in Colorado. They were accompanied home by Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Towle of Snyder

Phone 35 and get what you want when you want it.

Mrs. R. D. Ingram leaves Tonight cases of rheumatism. Sold by all for Weatherford, where she will be joined by her sister, Mrs. Hensley, L. B. Walker of Loraine, route 1, is then both willess to Waco to the Pythian grand lodge, both being deleragtime—all kinds of music from 10 torchlight of liberty and palladium of gates from their lodges to that met-

Some young lady in each communi-The northwest corner of Second and gested and converted into blood. And then we have a number of uncommissioner of that precinct was a Walnut streets, is just about the When the digestion fails the whole occupied houses, use of which may be business visitor to the county capital busiest place to be found in West body suffers. Chamberlain's Tablets had free by those who wish to occupy determined to make up for all the indigestion. They increase the flow plans to come and be with us during time lost in the construction of the of bile, purify the blood, strengthen the meeting. buildings, by making things hum now the stomach, and tone up the whole that he has gotten down to business. digestive apparatus to a natural and Editor Bill Mullin of the Loraine If you have occasion to look for a healthy action. For sale by all deal-

Baptist Church.

Next Sunday is Mother's Day. We will have a special musical program. ing. Not being able to find it when J. M. Howell, a popular druggist of We hope to have a large attendance, they returned from church, a search Greensburg, Ky., says, "We use especially the mother, but in Sunday Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our School and morning services. If there could not be found. When it nap was own household and know it is excel- are those mothers who are unable to out, it came walking up wondering at walk or have no conveyance to come, the excitement of the hunters and let them report the matter to the anxiety of its parents. L. C. Dupree returned last week pastor or Bro. Robt. M. Webb, and E. B. Morgan has been appointed from a trip in East Texas and reports arrangements will be made to get

Services next Sunday as follows:

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Subject "The Christian Mother."

Preaching 8:15 p. m. Called Conference immediately following the morning service.

Come and bring your friends. B. Broome, Pastor.

Experts Endorse It

"Marion Harland," Mrs. Janet M. Hill, and Mrs. Sarah Tyson Rorer are among the cooking authorities whose names are familiar to almost tive methods of work, but it is interesting to ings to Saturday mornings. Calls note that on the all-important question of a cooking fat, they are unanimous in recommending Cottolene

"Marion Harland" says of Cottolene: "It has given complete satisfaction." Mrs. Hill says: "Very satisfactory; glad to recommend it." Mrs.

With such authority behind it every house-keeper will be safe in giving Cottolene a trial. it is more economical, too, one-third less being him

Candidates Speak at Buford. A Record representative rode out

to Buford with one of the numerous porches, underground cistern, 3 lots. candidates last Friday night, to wit- sheds, wired for electric lights and ness the opening of the county cam- close in, all for \$1700 and on good paign on the dates set by Judge A. J. terms. If you want a home and pay Coe and to which he invited his op- for it nearly like paying rent, see or ponent and all other candidates. The phone me. ERNEST KEATHLEY. school house was comfortably filled 5-17c. by ladies and gentlemen. The chief stunt of the evening was the speeches of the candidates for county judge. being answered by J. J. Patterson in pany for the prompt settlement of the a response of about twenty-five policy carried on our home and the minutes, after which Judge Coe em- courteous manner in which it was ployed twenty more minutes for re- done. joinder. Mr. Patterson was indisposed and left without making any further remarks. T. J. Coffee, W. W. Porter, Earl Jackson and Eal Calla- paper hanger has an ad in this issue. way also announced their aspirations. Read it.

A Live Insurance Agency. Messrs. Harness & Root, special

and Junius Merritt are spending this agents for the Southland Life Insurance company, were notified by the head office at Dallas last Saturday, that they had won the prize offered by that company for the largest amount of insurance written during the last for the big Sunday School Convention four days in April. The amount written by Harness & Root was \$16,000, comprised in five policies. This is quite a compliment to this agency Tuesday morning to visit relatives in and speaks volumes for its industry Oak Cliff. They will of course attend and mastery of the business, and is fully in line with the prediction made by the Record when these gentlemen entered the business. May they win every prize offered by their company.

Letter from Mrs. Goforth.

Mrs. Z. E. Goforth, 2119 Holly St., 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.

S. K. Gregory Dead.

Mr. S. K. Gregory, living near Car, died last Saturday after but a brief illness, with cancer of the stomach. He was a pioneer in this country and one of ten children, all of whom were present at his funeral. The remains were interred in the cemetery at Westbrook Sunday afternoon with masonie honors. He was a member of Mitchell lodge and the following brother masons went out to participate in the ceremony: J. R. Sheppard, R. H. Wheeler, W. H. Moeser, M. C. Ratliff, J. A. Buchanan, W. R. Lindley, R. W. Ter ell, S. D. Vaughan, J. S. Vaughan and F. B. Whipkey.

Pure Rowden Seed.

Only 200 bushels left. Price reduced to \$1.00 per bushel. At Farmer's Union Warehouse 5-17c

The Truett Meeting.

We have finally secured Rev. Geo. W. Truett for a meeting in Colorado He is to be with us from July 1, to 10. This is an exceptional opportunity for, not only our town, but this entire section. We cordially invite all the people throughout this section to come to the meeting. Those who live at a Is there anything in all this world distance will find plenty of room for that is of more importance to you camping. We have plenty of unoccuthan good digestion. Food must be pled ground convenient to the tabereaten to sustain life and must be di- nacle where the services will be held. Pastor Baptist Church

> Disappointed because it was not taken to Sunday school, one of Charley Mann's little children went into a secluded place about the house and went to sleep, last Sunday mornwas made for the little fellow, but it

Almost Given Away.

For the best offer over \$82 cash. within the next ten days. I will sell lots Nos. 18, in Block 6, 10 in Block 8, and 11 in Block 40, all in the town of Westbrook, Texas. They are easily worth \$250, but for quick sale will take best offer over \$82, made me in next 10 days. Must sell them; write quick to H. B. McCULLEY, Peaster, Texas.

Osteopathy.

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

Services at Christian Church.

Rev. R. W. Mills of Snyder, will be Rorer says: "A much more healthful product here next Lord's Day and preach at the Oristian church at both morning and evening hours. Everyone is cor-It is purer and more wholesome than lard-and dially invited to come out and hear

New \$2,200 Home For \$1,700.

New 5 room house with hall and

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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.



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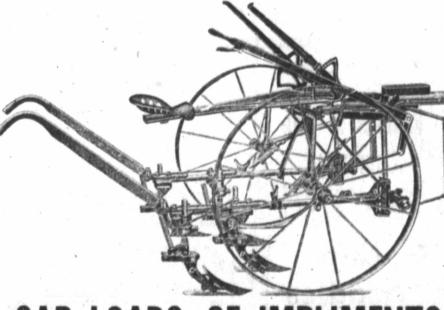


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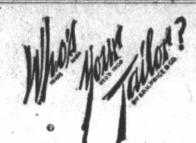
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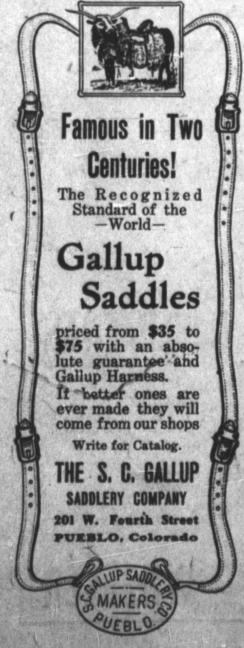
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Colored School Closes.

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MONEY TO LOAN on real estate and will purchase vendors' lien notes where half has been paid on the pro-5-17c

Fine Eggs for Sale.

Reduced prices, \$1.00 per setting, 15eggs. Barred Rocks, White Rocks, best decorated. There will be various White and Buff Orpingtons, White booths and other attractions at the Wyandotts. Also a few cocks for sale C. T. HARNESS. 3t.

FOR SALE OR TRADE-I have several tracts of land in various portions of the country; also four good houses and lots in Colorado. Will On May 3rd, the closing exercises of sell cheap or trade for most any-L. C. DUPREE.

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STOCK OF GOODS

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, Text

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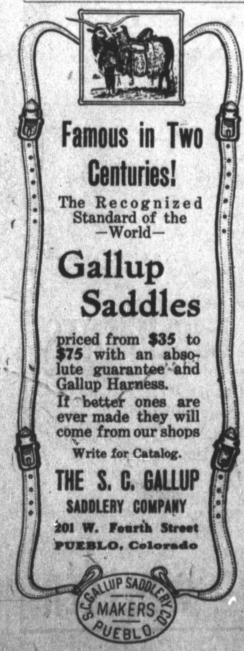
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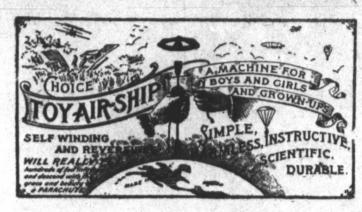
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The Young Ladies Guild will hold by the manager, Mrs. V. W. Allen. One will be the running of the most popular girl between twelve and fifteen for queen of the carnival. The names of these girls will be announced next week and the voting will begin. Votes will sell at one cent each, The girl winning the most will be crowned with her attendants and perty. Write H. R. Debenport, Big Col. Wright sends the Record this maids the last night of the carnival. Springs, Texas. Another feature is to be a parade of all the children in town with their baby buggies. trlcycles. bicycles, wagons, etc., a prize to be given to the best decorated. There will be various The Eastern Star Club held its booths and other attractions at the Wyandotts. Also a few cocks for sale usual meeting Wednesday in the carnival proper. The names of those cheap, entering the popular girl contest will be given next week.

Colored School Closes.

There was a program replete with 5-10c. essays, songs and recitations. The essay of Hattie V. Wallace was of un-Mrs. George Smith returned the usual interest. The subject was the handled in such a way that it made an impression on all who heard it and incited in those who could not read, the desire and ambition to do so.

The teacher of this school, S. A. D. McClennan, has done good work the past year and there is unanimous wish to have him returned for the Dr. Phenix is in Waco attending the next term. The school has gotten Medical Convention and visiting his along very harmoniously the past year, with no more friction than is always to be found in all schools, where the teachers do their duty.

Club Meetings.

The Standard Club was invited out last week, Mrs. Van Tuyl, a former member entertaining them, while her Make it a point to swat at least two daughter Miss Eleanor was hostess for the Junior Standard. As all the club members went to hear the governor speak it was late before the clubs were called to order, and then a special meeting was held but little of the Cameron county has organized a program was given. The afternoon good roads association with a view of was very pleasant and much enjoyed, this is your opportunity. served by the hostess.

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-Last Saturday in Colorado, gold cuff button. Reward if returned

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate and will purchase vendors' lien notes where half has been paid on the pro-

Fine Eggs for Sale.

Reduced prices, \$1.00 per setting, 15eggs. Barred Rocks, White Rocks, White and Buff Orpingtons, White C. T. HARNESS. 3t.

FOR SALE OR TRADE-I have several tracts of land in various portions of the country; also four good houses and lots in Colorado. Will On May 3rd, the closing exercises of sell cheap or trade for most any-L. C. DUPREE.

> HORSE CLIPPING.-Will clip your horses while you wait; thorough work on all jobs; nothing helps a horse so much as a good spring clipping. Bring tlem to fire station,-Tom Payne. tf

STOCK OF GOODS 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

FRENCH COACH "MARCUS"

This horse will make the season at the farm of George Bynam, three miles south of Colorado.

FEES, \$10.00 TO INSURE

Now is the time to begin the raising of better stock and

R. B. McENTIRE