

Colorado Record.

EIGHTH YEAR,

COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, NOV. 15, 1912.

Whipkey Printing Company.

Stove Time HAS Come

—These cool mornings and evenings turn one's thoughts to stoves. I have anticipated every various want, taste and purse in this line and can offer the most complete assortment of the famous . . .

Buck's, Wetter and Sheridan Stoves

BOTH COOKING AND HEATING STYLES

The Majestic Range is always in demand in all seasons

Let me sell you a stove, put it up and relieve you of all trouble and annoyance. Come in and see what I have.

—Remember also, if in the market for a WAGON or BUGGY, that this is the place where the BEST is to be had. Cheap for the cash.

Colorado, Texas **H. C. DOSS** Colorado, Texas

Our Weekly Market Report.

Kansas City Stock Yards, Nov. 14, 1912.—Small receipts of cattle last week favored sellers, and the close of the week saw beef steers 15 to 40 cents higher than close of previous week. Stockers and feeders gained 15 to 25 cents during the week, cows and heifers 10 to 20 cents, bulls 25 cents, veal calves 25 to 50 cents. There was not quite enough cattle for anybody, hence the market quiet with good prospects for this week. The run of 21,000 today did not alarm anyone, but when actual receipts counted up to 26,000 today, including 3,000 calves, middle grades of fed steers displayed some weakness. Short fed steers sell at \$7.00 to \$9.00 largely, prime steers quotable around \$10.00, though the top last week was \$9.75. Short fed steers are the weak point in the market, and they will remain under suspicion until it is proven that no excessive runs of that kind are to be expected. More than 150 cars of range cattle came in today, and sales of same are strong. Beef steers from Montrose weighing 975 pounds brought \$6.65, Gunnison cows \$5.40, New Mexico yearlings \$6.10. Top beef steers from the West bring \$7.25, heifers \$6.75, Panhandle calves \$6.50 to \$9.50, feeders \$5.50 to \$7.00. Quarantine cattle advanced 10 to 15 cents last week, and are steady today, run today 94 cars. Arkansas and Louisiana stuff is coming freely now, little old steers selling at \$3.60 to \$4.50. Quarantine cattle can now be taken into native territory for feeding under certain restrictions. A Missouri buyer took out 1,000 of these cheap steers last week. Good quarantine steers bring \$5.50 to \$6.35, cows \$4.00 to \$5.25. Hogs regained some of their late losses last week, but the hog alleys are still the scene of a fight for lower prices. Receipts are 9,000 today, market 10 lower, top \$7.75, bulk \$7.40 to \$7.70. Packers have announced that they expect to buy hogs around \$7.00 this month, but the country refuses to ship freely when prices are going in that direction, thus defeating the purpose of the packers. Sheep and lambs are selling irregularly, though a bullish feeling pervades the sheep house. Run in 12,000 today, market weak to 25 lower. Top lambs brought \$7.50 here today, feeding lambs around \$6.00, fat ewes \$4.50, wethers \$5.15.

J. A. RICKART, Market Correspondent.

Phone 35 for meats.

D. A. R. Organized.

The James Roe Chapter of "The Daughters of the American Revolution" was organized the 8th of Nov. With the following membership: Regent, Miss Anna Roe. Vice-Regent, Miss Eleanor Coleman. Recording Secretary, Miss Elsie Hooper. Corresponding Secretary, Miss Byrd Adams. Registrar, Mrs. B. S. Van Tuyl. Treasurer, Mrs. J. M. Thomas. Historian, Miss Louise Mooser. Chaplain, Miss Margaret McComas. Librarian, Miss Bessie McMurry. Eligibility and admission are determined by the rules of the National society: 1. To perpetuate the memory of the spirit of the men and women who achieved American Independence; and by the encouragement of historical research in relation to the Revolution. 2. To carry out the injunction of Washington in his farewell address to the American people, "to promote, as an object of primary importance, institutions for the general diffusion of knowledge." 3. To cherish, maintain and extend the little of American freedom, to foster true patriotism and love of country, and to aid in serving for mankind the blessings of liberty. Fourteen members are already enrolled in the new chapter.

THE LORAINÉ NEWS.

The Record has made special arrangements with a competent and interesting correspondent at Lorainé to give us the local news of that city regularly. Record readers who get their mail at the Lorainé postoffice will get all the Lorainé local news while it is news. The Record will try to cover the local field in that community.

Hon. John W. Hogg died at his home at Decatur last week, in the 65th year of his age. He was an elder brother of Gov. J. S. Hogg and a man of fine intellect and sound business judgment, being one of the most useful and prominent citizens Wise county ever had.

PROCEEDINGS OF COMMISSIONERS' COURT

Regular November Term, 1912. Election Returns, Reports of Officers, Accounts, Bonds, Etc. The commissioners' court of Mitchell county met in regular session last Monday and the first business was canvassing the returns of the election held November 5th, 1912. The following accounts were allowed judges and clerks for holding the election on Nov. 5th: At Colorado, \$53.50. At Westbrook, \$22.00. At Spade, \$16.00. At Landers, \$18.00. At Cuthbert, \$18.00. At Carr, \$22.00. At Lorainé, \$35.00. At Iatan, \$23.00. At McKenzie's, \$18.00. Austin Bros., Dallas, Texas, 3 bridges built, \$2,492.00. Austin Bros., Road supplies, \$6.90. Office stationery, Maverick-Clark Co., 22.95. Texas Printing Co., blanks, 85c. Hargreaves Printing Co., office supplies, \$41.15. Dorsey Printing Co., rubber stamp sheriff, 25c. Clark & Courts, office supplies, \$141.70. Burton-Lingo, lumber, \$250.00. G. B. Coughran, attendance county court, \$10.00. Rockwell Bros. & Co., lumber, \$8.20. Thos. Runyon, labor, \$12.50. J. H. Cooper, repairing lock on vault \$2.50. Remington Typewriter Co., ribbon, 75 cents. W. S. Stoneham, bounty on wolf scalp, \$1.00. Telephone account, \$7.75. Floyd Beall, Mds. for county use, \$4.40. J. S. Vaughan, hay, \$2.00. Water and lights past quarter, \$68.00. Winn & Payne, hardware, \$9.95. Bill of costs in district court, Loon et al vs. G. B. Coughran et al; Jesse Bullock \$19.85; J. S. Barber \$6.00; G. B. Coughran \$21.10. J. Riordan, light globes, \$1.15. H. C. Doss, hardware, \$3.95. The matter of checking up the road work was taken up and vouchers for same ordered paid W. M. Green, foreman. Green Delaney made his report of road work, which was checked up and vouchers issued for same.

Matter of cancelling the payment on the general fund came up and the same ordered cancelled. Sheriff Coughran made report of the taxes collected during August and September. Whipkey Printing Company, printing election tickets, \$31.50. J. G. Wiley, bounty on wolf scalps, \$5.00. Joe Clubb, bounty on wolf scalps, \$4.00. W. R. Morris, bounty on wolf scalp, \$1.00. Fred Meyer, bills for three inquests, \$15.00. Dr. W. R. Smith, post mortem on Lon Culberson, \$50.00. B. Warren, bounty on wolf scalps, \$13.00. Quarterly reports of Justices of the Peace, Fred Meyer and R. H. Watlington were received and approved. The official bonds of Earl Callaway, Tax Assessor; T. C. Bounds Constable Percinell; T. J. Coffee, County Attorney; Earl Jackson County and District Clerk; M. C. Ratliff, Justice of the Peace Precinct 1; R. E. McComas, County Surveyor; and B. O. Joyce, for County commissioner, were presented to the court, examined and approved. D. T. Bozeman, surveying road north of Colorado, \$3.50. The Matter of re-arranging the county line of school district No. 28 was discussed and same was re-arranged as per field notes shown in map, and order prepared for record in minutes of commissioners' court. J. S. Baker, two days supervision of roads, \$6.00. G. J. McKenney was allowed the sum of \$37.00 when he cleared one mile of road bed (40 feet) on east and west side of section . . . to the county. The accounts of Jesse H. Bullock for fines, jury fees, etc. collected during quarter ending Nov. 11th, in district and county courts, were examined and approved. L. L. Collier's report of animals slaughtered during quarter ending November 11th, examined and approved. A. J. Coe, salary as ex-officio superintendent and stationery, \$58.30. J. H. Bullock, account for recording vital statistics, keeping records, indexes, etc. \$34.20. Report of Beal Bros., butchers, for animals slaughtered during quarter ending November 11th, examined and approved. Perry Bracy, bounty on wolf scalp, \$1.00. J. S. Barber, two days service as commissioner, \$6.00. W. A. Rice, acct. carrying surveyor's chain half day on Coke county road, \$1.00. We had intended to give a tabulated return of the general election in connection with resume of the commissioners' court proceedings, but find that we have not the room for it. The vote was considerably behind the primary vote. The county candidates received, on the democratic ticket about the same vote. Earl Jackson leading by a thin margin, his vote being 613.

Big Springs-El Paso Medical Society. On Tuesday, Nov. 19 the Big Springs-El Paso District Medical Society will hold its regular semi-annual meeting in Colorado. The morning session will open at 10 o'clock. The afternoon session will open at 2 o'clock. The secretary has failed to get out the program in time for publication in this paper, but there will be some highly interesting papers read by prominent physicians from El Paso, Abilene, Sweetwater, San Angelo, Temple, Lampassas and other towns in and out of the district. At 4:30 p. m., Dr. S. C. Parsons of San Angelo will read a paper on Education from an Anatomical standpoint. The club women, teachers, preachers, lawyers and other people interested in education are especially invited to hear this very scientific and able paper. There is to be a banquet given to the doctors at 5:30 p. m. This is to be a social affair to get the doctors and the people together. There will be toasts by prominent physicians and some of the citizens of Colorado. A nice dinner and a "good time long to be remembered." You are invited to this banquet. "Homefolks" will be charged fifty cents a plate. You must be there promptly at 5:30 p. m. There is to be an evening session at the High School Auditorium. This will be public. It will open at 7 p. m. sharp, to enable the doctors to get off on the 9:45 train. This will be an interesting meeting. The program of the "Evening Session" is as follows: Invocation, by Rev. B. Broom.

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do the work promptly and in most satisfactory and permanent manner.

We shall have a message for you on the subject of pumps soon—look for it in this space.

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President's Annual Address, by Dr. J. W. Overton, Sweetwater, Texas. Quartet, by Dr. V. O. Marshall, Miss Mary Coe, Mrs. R. M. Webb and Mr. Reeves Coleman. The Modern Country Doctor, by Dr. Joe E. Diddy, Lampassas, Texas. Address (Subject not announced) by Dr. C. M. Rosser, Dallas.

A set of \$1.50 scissors free for every dollar paid in advance on the Record. Begins November 1st.

Shropshire-Herd Wedding.

A very simple yet pretty wedding was solemnized on Tuesday evening, the twelfth of November at the home of Mrs. S. T. Shropshire, when she gave in marriage her daughter Eloise to Mr. John Teris Herd of Post City. One corner of the parlor where the ceremony took place was banked with palms and ferns in front of which were two large white pedestals topped with ferns. Above this hung a large shower of wedding bells covered in sprays of feathers green. White hoops, each bearing a wedding bell, formed an arch with an immense cluster of mistletoe in the center under which the bride and groom stood. The parlor was reserved by ribbons for the family and intimate friends of the bridal party, and, on arriving the guests were placed in the dining room and hall.

At the appointed hour Miss Adams sang in her charming manner the wedding solo, "I love you truly," accompanied by her mother, Mrs. C. M. Adams who also played the wedding march. At the first strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, the bridesmaids, Misses Mary Boren, Lily Allen, Gussie Ragland and Zora Coggin, all attractively gowned in pink, their hair ornaments being wreaths of pink rosebuds, and carrying arm bouquets of large white chrysanthemums, proceeded in single file until they reached the parlor where they found an aisle.

Following the bridesmaids, came the maid of honor, Miss Juanita Shropshire, sister of the bride, on the arm of the best man, Mr. Charles Dickinson. Miss Shropshire was becomingly gowned in white peau de crepe on train with trimmings of silver beaded net and bead fringe and hand-made bertha of Princess Louise lace. She wore a white ostrich feather ornament in her hair with a band of beaded net, are carried an arm bouquet of pink roses. The bride and groom were immediately preceded by the ring-bearer, Master Willis T. Shropshire, nephew of the bride. The bride was beautifully attired in cream brocaded charmeuse with trimmings of shadow lace in cascades and pearls. Her veil was of tulle caught up with orange blossoms, and she never looked more beautiful in her life. She carried a shower bouquet of brides roses. The impressive words of the marriage service were spoken by Rev. H. G. Hennessy, rector of All Saint's church.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, many salutations and congratulations were given the happy bride and groom. The young people soon repaired to the sitting room to cut the wedding cake. Much merriment ensued over its contents. The guests were then invited into the dining room where they were served with delicious ice cream and cake. In the dining room the color scheme was pink and green. The chandelier was covered in pink and streamers of pink ribbon suspended from it to the four corners of the table entwined with sprays of smilax. Just under the chandelier hung a wedding bell. On the table lay a huge wreath of smilax. The bride disappeared but soon reappeared in her traveling suit of egg-plant serge with hat of the same shade and black lynx furs. The happy couple departed on the ten o'clock train for a trip to New Orleans, and expect to be at home in Post City by Dec. 1. A host of good wishes go with them. The bride was one of the most popular of Colorado's young women, and many are sorry to have her leave her native town. She received many handsome and useful presents from friends both in Colorado and elsewhere. And the good wishes of all Colorado attend her to the new home, which she is to make in the charming little city of Post.

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Our stock is yet large, our styles, fabrics and models are the best from the best known makers and style dictators—clothing from the House of Kuppenheimer and Spero, Michael & Sons' are second to none—they are absolutely correct. Read on. We are too heavily stocked on men's and young men's high grade clothing. Our cabinets are loaded with the new things—just the suit, the color, model and price you are looking for is here. We've marked them down less than regular price so as to move them quickly.

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\$25.00 suits to—

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And in these prices you can find a dozen different patterns and colors—in the old reliable serges, worsteds, and the rough wear materials. You had better come see what we are talking about. Read on.

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Job lot of Men's odd coats and vests worth \$5.00, your choice for—

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Job lot Youths' 3-piece suits worth \$7.50, your choice for—

\$2.50



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CHAMPION CORN GROWER FROM ANDERSON COUNTY

Palestine, Texas, Oct.—Earl Davis of this city has been crowned champion corn grower of Texas. He raised 122½ bushels of corn off one acre of ordinary land without the aid of irrigation or fertilizer at a cost of 5½ cents per bushel. His brother Orian, received second honor with a record of 116 2-3 bushels per acre off the same quality of land and at the same expense. The former high record for corn produced by a boy farmer was 114 bushels. The farm on which the crop was raised is located a few miles from here and Mr. Davis, father of the boys, has raised corn successfully for several years. His corn this year will average around 70 bushels per acre. Anderson county has produced the champion boy corn grower for two consecutive years and last season a loving cup was awarded the successful contestant by the State Fair Association. The same token will be bestowed upon the winner this year.

Notice in Probate.

Estate of Frances M. Goodwin, Deceased, Administration pending in Mitchell county, Texas:

All claims for money against the Estate of Frances M. Goodwin, Deceased, must be presented to me for allowance at Colorado, Texas, it being my place of residence and post-office address within one year from the 26th day of October A. D. 1912, the date of the letters of administration issued to me. If not presented within the year as aforesaid payment of the same will be postponed until the claims presented within that time are paid.

Witness my hand this the 28th day of October A. D. 1912.

W. W. PORTER,

Administrator of the Estate of Frances M. Goodwin, Deceased.

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Candidate, Eugene Chaffin, on the Prohibition ticket, was not as far off in his estimate of the extent of Wilson's victory, as those who heard him make it, thought. Mr. Chaffin declared Wilson would carry 40 states of the 48. Latest returns indicate that he will likely carry 41 of them. In the one-sided race of 1872, Grant's majority over Greely was only 138, while Wilson will get about four-fifths of

In one central Texas congressional district there are so many and important applicants for the positions within the influence of the congressman and senator, that a primary election for every postoffice subject to change of occupant, is being considered as the only safe and sane way out for both sides—applicants and congressman.

A Genuine Service.

"I believe," says an old subscriber, "that every time The Youth's Companion enters a home it does that home a genuine service." That describes the purpose of the publishers exactly. The paper is not filled with mischievous or idle thought to fill an idle hour. It provides healthy pastime, recreation that builds up, it is to the minds of eager and impressionable young people what sound athletics are to their bodies.

At a cost of less than four cents a week The Youth's Companion opens the door to a company of the most America and Europe. Whether they are revealing the latest discoveries in science, or describing great industrial achievements, or telling of their wanderings in strange corners of the world, or feeding the imagination with rare stories, they are giving Companion readers the best of themselves.

Seven serials at least will be published by The Companion in 1913, and nearly 200 other complete stories, in addition to some 50 special contributions, and a treasure-box of sketches, anecdotes, expert advice as to athletic sports, ideas for handy devices round the house, and so forth—long hours of companionship with the wise, the adventurous and the entertaining. Announcement for 1913 will be sent with sample copies of the paper to any address on request. Every new subscriber who sends \$2.00 for the fifty-two weekly issues of 1913 will receive as a gift The Companion Window Transparency and Calendar for 1913, the most exquisite novelty ever offered to Companion readers; also, all the issues of The Companion for the remaining weeks of 1912, free.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION,
144 Berkeley St., Boston, Mass.
New Subscriptions Received at this Office.

JOHNSON FILED PETITION.

Fighter Asks U. S. Supreme Court for Permission to Give Ball in Chicago.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Jack Johnson, the puglist, through an attorney today filed a petition in the United States Supreme court to be permitted to give ball in Chicago.

Johnson is charged with a violation of the Mann white slave law, and is

"Joey" Seems Peeved.

Gainesville, Tex., Nov. 9.—Senator Bailey in referring to the rumor that he would resign from the United States Senate, said today that he was tired answering rumors. He said that if he decided to resign he would resign and if he did not decide to resign he would not resign, and that he considered it entirely his own business. He further said that he didn't mean to be "impudent," but he was worried to death by these rumors.

That's about as clear as most of his political statements are. If he resigns, he will resign. If he does not resign, he will not resign. That bit of wisdom is worthy a Socrates or Pythagoras. Now you see it; now you don't.

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All over Colorado you hear it. Doan's Kidney Pills are keeping up the good work, curing weak kidneys, driving away backache, correcting urinary ills. Colorado people are telling about it—telling of bad backs made sound again. You can believe the testimony of your own town people. They tell it for the benefit of you who are suffering. If your back aches, if you feel lame, sore and miserable, if the kidneys act too frequently, or passages are painful, scanty and off color, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that has helped so many of your friends and neighbors. Follow this 'Colorado citizen's' advice and give Doan's a chance to do the same for you.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff of any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

Oath having been made as required by law

You are Hereby Commanded to summon J. C. Paulk, H. F. Paulk, J. H. Godfrey, George I. Jeffreys, and J. S. Cash by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mitchell County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Colorado, on the 3rd Monday in December A. D. 1912, the same being the 16th day of December, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of November A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1380, wherein Chas. J. Canda, Simeon, J. Drake and Alphonse Kioh are Plaintiffs, and J. C. Paulk, H. F. Paulk, J. H. Godfrey, George I. Jeffreys, J. S. Cash, W. A. Houser, W. C. McCallum, Marvin Dorn, and W. J. Chesney are Defendants, said petition alleging that on Nov. 1st, 1912, plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of that certain tract of land situated in Mitchell county, Texas, described as the south half of survey No. 67 in Block No. 27, as surveyed by virtue of certificate No. 2-1434, issued to the Texas & Pacific Railway Company, and containing 320 acres, more or less;

That on the day and year last aforesaid, defendants, unlawfully entered upon said land, and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and now with-hold from plaintiffs, the possession thereof, to plaintiffs' damage, in the sum of \$1000.00;

That Chas. J. Canda, Simeon, J. Drake, and Sigmund Neustadt were the common source of title to said land; that said Chas. J. Canda, Simeon, J. Drake and Sigmund Neustadt, by deed dated Nov. 28th, 1906, conveyed said land, to defendant, J. C. Paulk, and in part consideration therefor, said J. C. Paulk executed his eight notes, of even date with said deed, each for the principal sum of \$175.00, bearing interest from date, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, containing the usual clause for the payment of ten per cent attorney's fees, in case of default, and payable to the order of said grantors, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 years respectively, after date;

That the first one of said notes, has been paid, but that the remaining seven notes of the series, are wholly unpaid, and plaintiffs declare them all due and mature; that said notes are secured by the vendors' lien, which is expressly retained in said deed, on and against said land; that therefore, said transaction is and was an executory contract of sale, as

between the grantors in said deed, and said J. C. Paulk, and those claiming under him;

That plaintiffs are the owners of said seven unpaid notes; that said deed contains a covenant, to the effect that said J. C. Paulk shall pay the taxes on said land, for the year 1907, and thereafter, and upon his failure to pay such taxes, on or before January 1st, next after the assessment thereof, the said grantors shall have the right to pay same, and when so paid, the amount of such taxes, with all penalties and costs pertaining thereto, shall attach to, and become a part of the purchase money for said land, and bear interest from date of payment, at the rate of ten per cent per annum;

That defendants have wholly failed to pay the taxes on said land, for the years 1908, 1910 and 1911; that plaintiffs have paid said taxes, for 1910, and will be compelled to pay the taxes for 1908, 1911 and 1912, with the penalties and costs pertaining thereto;

That defendants, H. F. Paulk, J. H. Godfrey, George I. Jeffreys, J. S. Cash, and W. A. Houser are each claiming an interest in said land, believed to be under a chain of conveyance from and under said J. C. Paulk; that defendants, W. C. McCallum, Marvin Dorn, and W. J. Chesney are now in possession of said land, under some sort of claim thereto, the nature of which, is unknown to plaintiffs;

That plaintiffs elect to rescind the said executory contract of sale, and recover said land, the superior title to which, is yet in them; that the improvements placed by the defendants on said land, are of far less value than the rental value of the land; that no equities exist, which would render rescission inequitable, but if for any reason the court should hold that plaintiffs are not entitled to rescind said executory contract of sale, then in the alternative, plaintiffs would show that said J. C. Paulk promised to pay said seven unpaid notes, and the interest accrued thereon, and said H. F. Paulk, J. H. Godfrey, George I. Jeffreys, J. S. Cash and W. A. Houser acquired said land under said J. C. Paulk, charged with said lien and indebtedness, and thought often requested, said defendants, J. C. Paulk, H. F. Paulk, J. H. Godfrey, George I. Jeffreys, J. S. Cash, and W. A. Houser have failed and refused to pay the same, or any part thereof, to plaintiffs' damage, in the sum of \$2500.00; Plaintiffs allege that they have placed said notes in the hands of an attorney, for collection, and brought this legal proceeding, wherefore, said J. C. Paulk became obligated, and said H. F. Paulk, J. H. Godfrey, George I. Jeffreys, J. S. Cash, and W. A. Houser, by their purchase of said land, likewise became obligated to pay said ten per cent attorney's fees on said seven unpaid notes.

Plaintiffs pray that defendants be cited to appear and answer their petition; that they have judgment, as against all of the defendants, for the title and possession of said land, and against said defendants, J. C. Paulk,

H. F. Paulk, J. H. Godfrey, George I. Jeffreys, J. S. Cash, and W. A. Houser for their costs; and in the alternative, for a judgment against said J. C. Paulk, George I. Jeffreys, and J. S. Cash, for the principal of said seven unpaid notes, with interest thereon, at 6 per cent per annum, from Nov. 26th, 1906; for ten per cent on such principal and interest, as attorney's fees; for said taxes on said land, and the penalties and costs pertaining thereto, aggregating the sum of \$99.78, with interest thereon, from date of payment, by plaintiffs, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and all costs of suit, and that the vendors' lien on said land, as the same existed on Nov. 26th, 1906, be foreclosed, as against all the defendants; that an order of sale, be issued, and directed to the sheriff, or any constable of Mitchell county, Texas, commanding him, to seize and sell said land, as under execution, to satisfy the judgment prayed for, and in the event said land shall not sell for enough to satisfy said judgment, then that plaintiffs have execution against said defendants J. C. Paulk, George I. Jeffreys, and J. S. Cash, for whatever balance may remain unpaid, after the proceeds of the sale of said land, shall have been applied on said judgment.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Earl Jackson, Clerk of the District Court of Mitchell County.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, Texas, this the 13th day of November A. D. 1912.

(SEAL) EARL JACKSON, Clerk.
District Court, Mitchell County, Tex.
A true copy I certify.

G. B. COUGHRAN, Sheriff.
By Preston Scott Deputy.

MOHAIR SOLD FOR \$60,000.

Fall Clip Stored in San Angelo Warehouse Amounted to Over 200,000 Pounds.

San Angelo, Tex., Nov. 8.—All of the fall clip of mohair stored in local warehouses was sold today to J. H. Cauthen of Lampasas, the heaviest mohair dealer in Texas. He bought more than 200,000 pounds at figures around 30c a pound. Outside of the mohair stored at Kerrville there is now no other for sale this year.

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Morning Train Going West, No. 5	7:32 A. M.
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Morning Train Going East, No. 4	9:46 A. M.
Evening Train Going West, No. 7	6:27 P. M.
Evening Train Going West, No. 3	7:42 P. M.
Evening Train Going East, No. 6	10:00 P. M.

COLORADO, TEXAS, NOV. 15, 1912.

Lord, Lord: what a howling, hungry horde will press toward the pie counter, claiming the doing of many wonderful and mighty things for and in the name of democracy.

The case of Mr. Taft was nothing less than a political tragedy. As for Teddy—his was a clear case of hair-kari. Politically dis-emboweled himself in worship and admiration of himself.

Hon. Cato Sells, chairman of the state democratic executive committee, is swamped with applications for endorsements of candidates for various offices. Its a hungry crowd that's scrouging to get to the pie counter.

There will never be a time when a farmer can not sell everything he raises on his farm. And it is worth just as much to him if he can not sell it, as if he can. Food for his family or for his stock is always an asset. The waste of any kind of feed stuff is sheer extravagance.

The cabinet makers are busy now all over the country, selecting those who will share with Mr. Wilson the responsibility of shaping the policies of this nation. W. J. Bryan seems to lead in the popular choice for "anything he wants," but more especially for the portfolio of Secretary of State.

To think of Kansas—bleeding Kansas—as being democratic, without pinching oneself to make sure one isn't dreaming, will require some little time. Even then, the statement doesn't come naturally and ingenuously. But the case of Massachusetts is nearly as unhandy.

There is a tinge of tragedy in the reputation of Mr. William Taft. He was made the sacrificial lamb for the explanation of the misdeeds of others. He surely deserved a better fate. Deliver once said of Mr. Taft, that he was "a large, amiable man, surrounded by those who knew what they wanted."

To run with the hare and hold with the hounds, or to play both ends against the middle, is as uncertain as it is unsafe. A man ought to be willing to stand or fall on one side of any question, and not try to straddle it. The inevitable result is that he loses out with both.

The "Job's comforters" of president-elect Wilson are piling up all kinds of trouble for him and predicting an utter breakdown for him before his term has ended. They are worrying themselves alone. With that philosophical calm and equanimity which has marked his attitude toward and handling of every obstacle he has met, Mr. Wilson will deal with all the worry, work and official doings that will come to him as president. And will come out after four years of it as fit as he went in. Don't waste any sympathy for his on this score.

Never has a president of these United States been inducted into office with more good wishes and encouragement than will attend the inauguration of President Woodrow Wilson. Never has a president of this great country had so good an opportunity to set in motion the reforms for which the mass of the American people have clamored, if he has the support of both the upper and lower houses of congress, which present conditions indicate he will have. And it is the duty of every patriotic citizen to do all in his power to uphold the hands of the chief magistrate, without regard to party affiliation.

Oregon, Kansas, Arizona and Michigan extended to women the right of suffrage at the recent election. Wisconsin turned the amendment down by a big majority.

The original Wilson man is now as multitudinous as the "oldest mason" or the "only printer who could read Horace Greeley's handwriting." The latter two classes die regularly every spring.

And now we will have the "endorsement" shark with us for many a day. Candidates for every office in the gift of the change administration, will scour the land with petitions for endorsements.

The vote of the national socialist party in the recent election is significant of one thing. In every locality where the vote was American, there was a recession from the vote of four years ago. In the industrial centers where the voting strength was made up of foreigners, they held their own. They defeated the best man of the party in the country.

The wonderful performances to the Bulgarian army during the past month of war with the Turk, demonstrates in a practical way the effects of a frugal diet upon the powers of endurance and physical strength. The diet of the average Bulgar is made up of sour milk and rye or barley bread; they rarely ever touch meat of any kind. From the first day the Bulgarian army invaded Turkish territory, it has been continually fighting or marching, and yet the morale of the army is as good today as when it began the war, while the indolent grease-and-sweet-eating Turk has been worn to a frazzle long ago and fled from the face of the superior soldier. There are more people over 100 years of age found in the Balkan mountains region, than in all Europe combined, and their great physical prowess and longevity are attributed to their simple diet of sour milk and coarse bread.

"Just think of it, Wilson elected president and cotton went up the very next day," said a simon-pure democrat to a rock-ribbed republican, one day last week. "Yes, but just you wait till things get to going on democratic wheels alone, and then you'll hear the price of more things besides cotton flop. Good times and prices will be upheld for some little time yet by the momentum of Taft's administration, but when you democrats get the thing in your own hands, there'll be such a falling out and fighting with every mother's son of 'em wanting to boss things, that they'll just naturally ruin this government. Watch what I tell you." And with this sage prediction he jerked his head forward with a "pit-t-e-e-w" and spat clear over the ten-foot sidewalk.

The unusual quiet that has brooded over Mexico since the Diaz fiasco, was merely incidental to the incubation of another revolutionary movement. Documents dated the day following the arrest of Felix Diaz have been captured wherein a new plot headed by General Geronimo Trevino, is revealed. This new revolution is to be patterned something after the butcheries of the French revolution. A guillotine is to be set up in the public plaza and made to work overtime on the heads of the rich. Many are to be thrown into the "bastille." It's a dull day in Mexico when any disappointed office hunter can't get together a handful like him, take to the brush and start a "revolution."

Phone 35 for meats.

Now Is a Good Time.

We have refrained from asking our subscribers who are in arrears to pay their subscription, for the reason we appreciated the condition of the country and shortness of the crops the past two years. One dollar is a small amount, but in the aggregate of several hundred, amounts to a considerable sum—enough to ease the pressure at several pressing places. We have been patient, believing that when conditions were bettered those behind with their subscription would do what they could for the Record. With cotton selling now at 12 cents the pound and probability of its going higher, we believe the time opportune to bring their over-due subscription to their attention. Do what you can for us, friends, so that we can continue to give you a good weekly newspaper. It is our purpose to make the Record worth more to you next year than it has ever been.

A Bulls Eye Shot.

If Gov. Wilson should suspect himself of being not duly sensible of the responsibilities that have been imposed upon him, we commend to him a reading of the soliloquy which our own Governor has been moved, by the impertinence of certain anonymous individuals, to utter. Indeed, we are almost emboldened to suggest to Gov. Wilson that he get this vaticination embossed and suspended in a gilded frame above his work table in the White House, so that if now and then he should catch himself in exuberant and ebullient mood, he may read it, and thus bring his feet down to earth. We warrant him that a daily reading of our own Governor's homily will hold his emotions down to a becoming specific gravity. More than that, it will keep his spirits adequately chastened; for if he should be tempted to fancy that he is in the White House by virtue of his own merits, he will, on reading our Governor's apologia, be admonished that he succeeds a better man, and owes his election to so fortuitous a circumstance as the Colonel's bolt. If he will not only read, but meditate this classic conceit, he will be amply safeguarded against all vanity and keep himself in constant reminder that, if his estate is above that of a Governor, at least his merits are not.

At this frontier of prudence our recommendation halts. For it is not at least inconceivable that a too studious reading of this counsel from our Governor may cause Dr. Wilson to suffer emotions that may not be ecstatic and get suggestions that will not be wholesome for him. We infer, for example, that having been chosen at a moment of unusual merited prosperity, he will be damned pitilessly if, four years hence, there has been any recession "in the tide of prosperity throughout the country." Let him arm himself with a broom, a wisp broom may suffice, and be on guard to sweep back the waves of adversity at their first appearance. Or if this precaution do not commend itself to him, at least let him put some "safe and sane" man in charge of the Weather Bureau, lest the rains and sunshine come not at the psychological moment, or too meagerly or too superabundantly. Let him do nothing—with much sweat and flourish, but be doubly-treble—careful not to do more than abridge the cuticle of the tariff; for notwithstanding we are striving heroically to advance the price of cotton, are not the farmers "securing better prices for their products throughout the entire country than ever before, perhaps in the history of the country?" We guess Gov. Wilson has received vast masses of advice and that he will receive many more tons of the same commodity, particularly from those who have not outlived the distrust which moved them to do what they could to prevent his nomination; but we doubt if any consignment will, if not instruct, at least divert him, as much as this prepaid package from Texas.—Dallas News.

The suicide of J. A. Weyland, owner of the Appeal to Reason, the ultra socialist organ of this country, shot and killed himself at his home at Girard, Kansas, last Sunday. No cause is assigned for the deed except "despondency." What a sermon could be preached from this incident—a victim to the very "system" and principles he apparently so honestly advocated. "Be not deceived; God is not mocked, for whatsoever a man soweth THAT shall he also reap," is as true as the sunlight that comes down from heaven. A man who preaches to others the doctrine of enmity to one's own government and the very genius of atheism, must soon lose faith in his kind and become disgusted with himself.

Now is the time for all good democrats to come to the aid of the pie counter.

Be a trifle chary to whose endorsement you put your name.

Put it in the Record; it'll go.

Papers That Abide and Succeed.

The Pecos Times again changed hands last week, Messrs. Carothers and Whaley buying the interest of Mr. W. F. Gray, the recent owner. The Times could be made a splendid paper, but it has ever been our opinion that the only way to make a newspaper a stable and profitable property, was to "stay by the stuff," and so intimately weave the editor's personality (if he has a good and original one) into every line and advertisement, that both he and his paper becomes a part and parcel of the community. Its the only way to build up a newspaper that will abide. Take, e. g., the case of the Christian Observer, which will celebrate its centenary next spring. It has remained under the editorship and in the ownership of the same family since its first issue. Hundreds of other church organs have sprung up like fungi over night to soon peter out at varying financial loss; but the old observer has pursued the conservative tenor of its way to a green age and uncommon prosperity. Had it changed hands and personnel; even for one time, the probability is it had gone the way of the others long ere this.

Robert Bonner built up a property in the New York Ledger worth more than \$3,000,000 when he turned it over to his sons. He would never change, the style of its make-up or the size of the type, nor would he ever change position of the different features of the paper, or accept one line of advertising, though offered \$10,000 for one column one issue. He gave the property to his two sons, who had grown up in the business, with the advice never to make the least change in the physical aspect or policy of the paper. No sooner had they taken charge than all kinds of changes began to be made. It was made 16 pages, the quality of paper was changed (for the better in this one feature, for the old Ledger wouldn't bear three readings without coming to pieces) advertisements at fat rates were taken; the best illustrators were secured and everything done to bring the paper up to the very last thing in newspapers.

But they all proved a failure and within a few years the property was bankrupt and passed from the Bonners' hands. The people missed the old familiar face, minion type, wood-cut pictures; the regular articles by Bishop Clark, Rev. John Hall and Mary Kyle Dallas. They felt the sense of kinship gone and that the paper was a stranger in their homes, and resented the intrusion. Our own personal ideal of a newspaper has always been a good, strong, conservative, reliable weekly paper of about 2500 to 3000 circulation, set in minion or brevier type, with little white space showing; containing the same features each week, to be found in the same place and page, with the personality of the editor showing in every advertisement and tinturing every line he writes. Such a paper becomes a fixed institution in a community as much as the bank or court house. No calamity can do such a paper any hurt beyond physical loss. It becomes as valuable property with its assets in an ash heap as when running. It needs only new equipment to have it begin just where it left off. Its subscribers make it just as much a conscience in renewing their subscriptions as they do in paying taxes. And all in all, the man who has built up such a paper, becoming a part of everything that effects the community, bearing a useful part in everything that concerns the public weal, who sympathizes with all who mourn, rejoices at the success of his neighbors, who heralds the coming of every babe, announces and blesses every marriage and at last consigns them to the peace and quiet of the tomb; although he may not leave any great name or substance at his own departure, has nevertheless achieved a success that will live more graciously in the hearts of his neighbors than he who leaves only sordid wealth with which to purchase respect and sympathy from the world.

It is gratifying to note that Chicago contains a few men who hold the nigger Jack Johnson at his true worth and proper level. When arraigned before Judge Landis for violation of the Mann act, his bond was fixed at \$30,000, and the court announced that no cash bond would be considered at all in Johnson's case. When two or three spurious bondsmen attempted to go on Johnson's bond, one of them was held on the charge of perjury and in default of \$10,000 bond, was remanded to jail along with "Mister" Johnson. If the courts could be made to see the matter in that light, the best and most expeditious thing to do in Johnson's case, would be to sentence him to a week's stay in Texas for his health.

If you have any doubt about whether or not advertising pays, ask some one who has used the want ads in the Record for finding lost articles or selling what they didn't need. These ads always bring results.

Be Happy!

Happy the girl, or woman, who has never suffered from any of the diseases of womanhood! Or, if she has been a sufferer, happy is she if she has learned of the wonderful benefits of Cardui, the woman's tonic!

Cardui is a gentle, tonic remedy, for women's ailments. It is a natural medicine—safe, harmless, purely vegetable. It has been in successful use for more than 50 years. It has cured thousands. It should do the same for you.

TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Mary Neely, of Denver, Tenn., says, "I think there is no tonic on earth, as good as Cardui. I used it with the very best results. I had backache and nearly everything a woman could suffer with, until I took Cardui. Now, I feel better than I have for two years. I shall always recommend Cardui to other suffering women. I can't praise it too highly. As a medicine for weak, tired, worn-out women, Cardui is safe and reliable. Try it, today.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. 156

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Stop Loss Order

I find there are quite a number of people who buy their feed at other stores, thus causing a direct loss both to themselves and me. As I think neither of us should be required to suffer unnecessary loss I request that you be careful to send me your orders for horse, cow or chicken feed.

Free Delivery of everything, including cotton seed hulls

PHONE 346

A. L. SCOTT, The Grain Man



Smoke Pleasure and other Pleasures
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Duke's Mixture

There is smoke pleasure in this pure old Virginia and North Carolina bright leaf. Thousands prefer it to any other pipe tobacco. Thoroughly aged and stemmed and then granulated. A perfect pipe tobacco—nothing better rolled as a cigarette.

One and a half ounces of this choice tobacco cost only 5c, and with each sack you get a book of cigarette papers FREE.

The other pleasures are the presents that are secured with the coupons in each sack of Liggett & Myers Duke's Mixture. These presents delight old and young. Think of the pleasure that you and your friends can get from a talking machine, free, or such articles as—fountain pens, balls, skates, cut glass, china, silverware, tennis racquets, fishing rods, furniture, etc.

As a special offer, during November and December only we will send you our new illustrated catalog of presents, FREE.

Just send us your name and address on a postal.

Coupons from Duke's Mixture may be used with tags from HORSESHOE, J. J. TINSLEY'S NATURAL LEAF, GRANGER TWIST, coupons from FOUR ROSES (10-in. double coupon), PICK PLUS CUT, FLEDMONT CIGARETTES, CLIX CIGARETTES, and other tags and coupons issued by us.

Premium Dept.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.
ST. LOUIS, MO.



Grumblers-

John A. Slicher in Leslie's.
We are all natural-born grumblers. From childhood to the grave, we look for the few things that are wrong and forget the many that are right. When we are strong and healthy, we offer no prayer of thanksgiving. But let us have an ache or a pain, a cut finger or a sore thumb, and hear the walls of distress.

We expect to be healthy, happy and well. We feel that that is an inheritance to which we are entitled. So we think nothing of it; but how we magnify our little troubles!

We forget that if we inherit health, so we may also have an inheritance of suffering. If we have days of sunshine we must also have days of storm. If we expect to enjoy happiness, we must also anticipate hours of pain. If we have joys, we must also have sorrows.

We never voice contentment. We always proclaim our discontent. Hear the cries of unrest by those who magnify their grievances against the present order of things. This has much to do with the clamor in favor of upsetting our established form of government and trying experiments, costly, unnecessary and in many instances foolish.

The grumblers are responsible for the unreason, discontent and unbelief that so widely prevails. It has been so always, from ancient Biblical times to this so-called "new century of progress."

Stop it!

Madam, Read McCall's The Fashion Authority

McCALL'S is a large, artistic, handsomely illustrated 100-page monthly magazine that is adding to the happiness and efficiency of 1,100,000 women each month.

Each issue is brimful of fashions, fancy-work, interesting short stories, and scores of labor-saving and money-saving ideas for women. There are more than 50 of the newest designs of the celebrated McCALL PATTERNS in each issue.

McCALL PATTERNS are famous for style, fit, simplicity and economy. Only 10 and 15 cent each.

The publishers of McCALL'S will spend thousands of dollars extra in the coming months in order to keep McCALL'S head and shoulders above all other women's magazines at any price. However, McCALL'S is only 50c a year; positively worth \$1.00.

You may select any one McCall Pattern free from your first copy of McCALL'S, if you subscribe quickly.

THE McCALL COMPANY, 236 West 37th St., New York
NOTE—Ask for a free copy of McCALL'S wonderful new premium catalogue. Sample copy and pattern catalogue also free on request.

Buford Breezes.

The gin at Buford has been closed for the season. The manager says they have ginned four hundred and fifty bales. A very good run for a short crop.

Mr. Fate Redman moved his family, stock and tools to Barstow last Monday. We regret to lose Fate from our community, but trust the move will be for his betterment.

The weekly Sunday night singing was held at Mr. S. H. Roger's home last Sunday night. Those attending report an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Britton left Colorado for Pittsburg, Texas where they will make their home in the future.

Our community has some excellent cotton pickers. A few days ago Fred Bodine picked 607 pounds, Newman Free 525, and Ennis Free 540. The picking was done on the Killian farm, Now Country Man, and other Great Rural writers, can you beat that? Let us hear from you.

J. B. Cranfill, who has been on his farms for several weeks has recently returned to his Abilene home.

A few weeks ago some ladies' gloves, a coat, a parasol, and some hair switches etc. were either lost or stolen from a vehicle while in Colorado. Efforts were made to find the missing articles, but to no avail. Last week a little four line ad. stuck away in a cozy corner of the paper might have been seen. This week the ladies have their lost articles. They were merely lost, and found by some honest little girls who were more than anxious to find the owners. Moral: IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE RECORD, no matter what you have lost, or want to find. People read even the little ads. in common type.

One night last week, in the wee, small hours of the morn, a gallant band of serenaders came with their instruments to our doors. We were treated to several well rendered selections, and from our neighbors we learn that very nearly every family in the community was treated to the same delightful tunes. Soft music in the stilly dark night awakens memory and imagination in a way that is very sweet to me. If you came often boys, Pencil Pusher would soon be a great poet. Just read this and be convinced:

Echoes of Music in the Soul.
While softly strains of music o'er me steal,
Upon the breezes gently borne.

I drift a way to mystic lands of dream
To hear the sweetest angel songs.
I feel they're hovering o'er our cottage home
To shed upon the midnight air,
Celestial music from their harps of gold
To drive our sorrows all away.

The strains so soft and sweet from mandolin,
Awakes within our humble souls,
Echoes of love and joy and peace and rest
In the great mansion far away.
There we in peace and harmony so grand
Shall lift our feeble voice in song
To swell the anthem of the praise of God
Who fills our souls with melody.

While listening to your music sweet,
My thoughts steal o'er the waves of time.
I stand at last upon the Heavenly shore,
And there forget the toils of life.
Sweet peace steals o'er my wondering, listening soul
As on the shining shores I stand,
And hear the echoes of the angels' song
Resound through all the heavens round.

The strains that here we love so well to hear
Are fragments of the angels' song
Which now and then our listening ears can hear;
Chords from the harps in heaven strung.
Some day up there we'll learn the song complete
Which here we try so oft to grasp
While listening to your soft sweet strains tonight
I try to catch those chords divine.

Now doesn't that sound real Homeric? Yes, we seriously promise not to inflict another such upon you.

Master Roy Cunningham called his friends together for a party at his home Tuesday night. A few of the older folks were allowed. The writer and family, Mr. T. J. Free and family were the older folks present. We all enjoyed the music and games as usual.

Mr. Earnest Reid from Westbrook handled the violin for the party Tuesday night, and right well did he handle it too. Come again Mr. Reid, we will be glad to hear you play, and get better acquainted with you.

Among others present, Pencil Pusher learned the names of these, Mr. Joe Ellard and Guy Graham from Little Sulphur; Mr. Clyde Lindsey and Miss Lucile Hightower from Colorado.
PENCIL PUSHER.

FARMING WITHOUT LEGS.

Michigan Man Operates Home of 90 Acres and Does It Well.

In the current issue of Farm and Fireside appears an interesting account of Myron L. Briggs, who lost both legs and still operates successfully a ninety-acre farm in Southern Michigan. Mr. Briggs bought his farm eight years ago and has now paid for it. At the time he purchased his farm it was badly run down.

About eleven years ago, Mr. Briggs lost both legs in a street car accident in Grand Rapids. For fourteen months he was in a hospital. Both legs were amputated just below the hip joints. Following is an extract from the article:

"When he finally recovered, he had enough to partly pay for his farm. He and his wife are both scientific farmers and great workers. They hire very little help. Mr. Briggs works all the time and can do any and all kinds of farm work, even to carrying out pails of swill and feeding the pigs, shingling a high barn roof, climbing the windmill tower to oil the gearing, harnessing a three-horse team and hitching up, etc. He is the most practical and successful farmer in the neighborhood. After he cuts his own wheat, he goes over to his neighbors with his binder all alone, and cuts from twenty to forty acres more. His farm is worth twice what it was when he bought it a number of years ago. He recently finished a fine new house with modern improvements. He hauled all the lumber and other material from the city five miles away, doing the loading and unloading himself. He is a carpenter and machinist, naturally, though he never worked in the shops. He is stout as an ox and a wonder to everyone who visits his farm. He has actually shamed some other farmers who have long grumbled because they could not make farming pay. But he can. His cows are now producing more milk than any other herd of the same number in that section, and Mr. Briggs takes care of them all the time. He feeds them a well-balanced ration with his own hands. He climbs the hay-mow and silo-ladders and throws down the hay and silage, then carries it in and gives each cow her proper ration according to her power of assimilation and performance at the pail. He milks his cows, cleans out the stable and has more fun 'farming it' than any man with two legs and feet. He whistles and sings while at work and is one of the most sensible, well-informed and jolly of all the farmers I ever met."

One must be poor to know the luxury of giving. Every ounce of self-denial behind a gift doubles its value and its joy. It is the small gifts, too, in this world, and the gifts of unpurchasable things—such as smiles, sympathy, encouragement, personal effort and love—that make the best and biggest totals.

Cuthbert Callings.
Prof. M. L. Hill and family moved to Ira last week.

Mr. J. T. Lee is now one of Cuthbert's telephone subscribers. J. M. Helton and wife have gone to El Paso for Mrs. Helton's health. Mrs. Helton's father and mother will stay with the children.

Mrs. W. H. Bodgett's niece, Miss Stanford, is visiting her now. Jess Robinson and wife have decided to live with the Ira citizens for a while. They moved over there a few days ago.

The gins are not ginning near so much cotton now. Everybody has about all their cotton gathered.

An automobile passed through Cuthbert Sunday night but it was too dark to see who occupied it.

Mr. E. C. Riley was in Cuthbert Saturday, having returned from Paducah. Its pretty certain that if you once get used to Cuthbert you can't stay away.

Sunday school was well attended at Cuthbert last Sunday.

Wonder how many bets were won on the election?

A big sandstorm came Monday. If they bring good luck, we ought to have lots of it.

SI SLOCUM.

SNEED'S SECOND TRIAL CALLED.

Both Sides Announced Ready to Proceed At Ft. Worth This Morning.

Ft. Worth, Texas, Nov. 11.—Both the Sneeds and Boyces were well represented at the calling of the case. Both sides announced that they were ready to proceed.

Sneed's attorney will file a motion late today for a continuation of the trial but Judge Swayne announces he will overrule it.

Of the one hundred talesmen summoned this morning forty-nine were excused on account of illness in their families or because they were not qualified.

Try Record want ads for that lost feeling.

PRICES CREAM BAKING POWDER

Pure—Wholesome—Reliable—
Indispensable

Its fame is world-wide. Its superiority unquestioned. Its use is a protection against alum food. In buying baking powder examine the label carefully and be sure the powder is made from cream of tartar. Other kinds do not make the food healthful.

Texas fared handsomely in the last distribution of Carnegie medals and honoraria. Among the list of Texas heroes was the name of "Uncle Dickey Stokes, father of our fellowtownsman, Joe Stokes. Although quite an old man, he saved the lives of several people at Lampasses, Texas, by rescuing them from a lake. He was awarded a medal and sum of money. And while on this subject it will not be amiss to mention a case that occurred in our own midst last July a year ago, in which at least two lives were saved from inevitable death at the imminent risk of the saver's own. We refer to the case where Mr. Andrew Cooksey rescued two ladies from the river over near Mr. Harness' residence. The majority of the cases in which medals have been awarded by the Carnegie commission are where people have been saved from death by drowning, and the act of Mr. Cooksey will rank with most of them in heroism. We believe if his case were presented to the commission in an official way and an investigation asked, Mr. Cooksey would receive recognition and a substantial reward. It is not too late to act in the matter.

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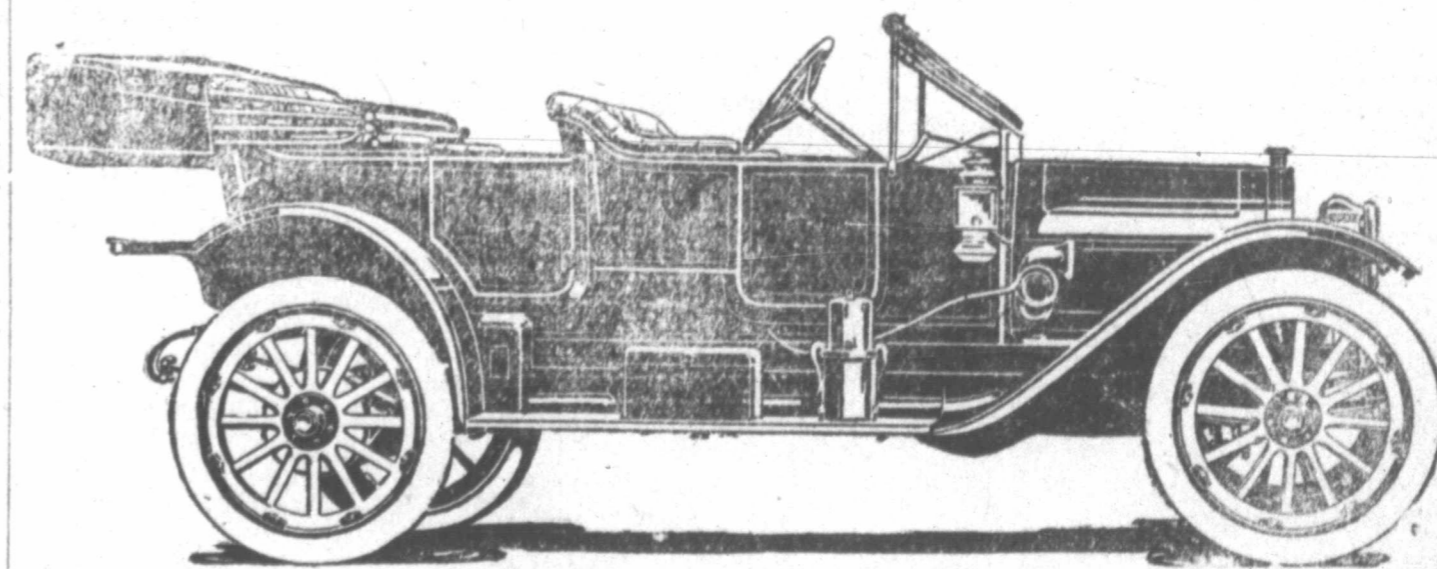
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PIPE, CASING & FITTINGS
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Try It on the Most Difficult Things You Ever Bake

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LAYTON'S HEALTH CLUB BAKING POWDER

25 OUNCES

ONE SPOON

In 10, 15 & 25 Cans At All Good Grocers

THE RUSH TO THE PIE COUNTER.

Washington is being snowed under with applications for federal appointments. It is such an unusual thing for the democrats to be making applications for government jobs, they are confused in the routine and apply to the nearest thing in sight that looks like it might have a pull.

The interesting thing about this situation is that the applications for appointment to Federal office, nine times out of ten, go to the wrong source, but this, in most of the Democratic States, is due to the fact that for sixteen years the people of those States have not had occasion to turn to the chapter in their civil government textbooks that tells to whom to apply for Federal job.

Members of the House of Representatives do not distribute Marshalls, clerkships, Attorneyships, Collectors, Consuls, nor Ambassadors. The custom for years and decades has been that these juicy plums were at the disposal of the Senators and not at the disposal of the Representatives, except in States the Senators of which were of the opposing party. On the other hand the Representatives had distribution of the postoffices, except that the candidate for postoffice in a Senator's home town had to meet the approval of that Senator. But President Taft has put all fourth-class postmasters whose salaries are in excess of \$500 per year under civil service, so that the patronage at the disposal of members of the House of Representatives is very little.

Dealing Out Patronage.

This method of dealing out patronage prevailed throughout the Republican administration and President Cleveland adhered to it through his two terms. It is expected that in a modified form this system of Senatorial and Representative indorsement will prevail during the next Administration.

It is stated by those who are close to President-elect Wilson that he will probably deal less direct with appointments than any of his predecessors, but that he will be inclined to leave the designations for office, to a greater extent than heretofore, to the head of the department on whom responsibility for the service of the man appointed is fixed.

Plan Is Submitted.

In connection with the Federal patronage it develops that an interest-

ing plan relating to the selection of postmasters has been submitted to President-elect Wilson. This plan, which is said to have originated with an unnamed man prominent in public life, would permit of the nomination in a sort of primary by all the people of a community of its postmaster. The idea is to have the Congressman from a district certify to the integrity and capacity of a certain number of Democratic applicants for postmaster. The Postoffice Department would then send inspectors out to report on the qualifications of the applicants thus certified and eliminate all but the two or three found to be most suitable for the service. These three or two names would be submitted to the legal voters of the city, regardless of politics, at a primary election and the applicant receiving the highest number of votes would receive the office.

That, in essence, is the plan that has been submitted to Mr. Wilson. How it commends itself to the President-elect is not known, but it is interesting as indicating a tendency of making away with the old established method of dealing out public offices, by giving the people most directly concerned practically the determining say who is to conduct the Federal Government affairs in their immediate vicinity.

BETTER MEDICINE THAN CALOMEL.

Dodson's Liver Tonic, a Safe Vegetable Liquid, Now Takes the Place of Calomel, the Powerful Mineral Drug.

Many people know the danger of calomel, yet they take it because they know of nothing better. Other people are not afraid of calomel because they do not understand what a dangerous drug it is.

"Nobody needs to take dangerous calomel (which is made from mercury) if they live near a store where Dodson's Liver Tonic is sold. Floyd Beall sells Dodson's Liver Tonic, and guarantees it to be a perfect substitute for calomel. It is a pleasant tasting vegetable tonic, that livens up the liver without causing any restriction of habit or diet. It has none of the bad after-effects of calomel and is safe for children as well as grown-ups.

SAYS FARMERS WILL GET 15c FOR COTTON WITHIN THIRTY DAYS

T. W. Carter Believes Cotton Must Go Higher If Any of It Is Held.

Fifteen-cent cotton within thirty days is predicted by T. W. Carter, president of the National Warehouse company, whose headquarters are in Jackson, Miss., and who is in Fort Worth on business with the officers of the state Farmers' union.

"If the farmers hold all of their cotton, they will get 15 cents within thirty days and they will get 15 cents in January, anyway, even if some is marketed meantime," said Mr. Carter yesterday. He based his conclusions on the fact that the cotton crop is reported a million and a half bales short.

"The farmers of Texas might profit by the methods of the Arizona farmers, in one respect at least," continued Mr. Carter. "They combined and handled their cotton direct with European spinners and realized 4 cents a pound more for their cotton than the farmers of Georgia, Florida and South Carolina get for the best sea island of that section. The Arizona farmers made a mistake in one thing, though; they sent to Egypt for their cotton seed, instead of getting the sea island seed from our own southern states. The Egyptian cotton is inferior."

Anything to trade? Try the Record.

LORAIN LOCALS

Charlie Farris is home from Abilene.

Mr. S. E. Brown is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. I. W. Baker visited in Sweetwater Saturday.

Mr. J. L. Gregg was busy in Colorado Wednesday.

W. F. Altman is at Cleburna at court this week.

Miss Cora Echols remains quite ill at her home west of town.

Mrs. A. C. Pratt was hostess to the Philamath club Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Bowden of Roscoe was the guest of Mrs. John Erwin Sunday.

Mr. Roman Kidd has returned home after several months' absence from home.

Mrs. H. R. Looby will entertain the Embroidery club Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. F. Altman has returned from Abilene where she attended conference.

Miss Annie Gregg who is attending college at Abilene, visited homefolks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Foy are rejoicing over the arrival of another daughter.

Mrs. McDonald of Mexia is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Henthorn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Voss of Wastella, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Gary Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sloan and children of Roscoe, were guests of Mrs. Alonzo Phillips Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Cook of Sweetwater, was the guest of her niece, Mrs. T. R. Bennett, Saturday.

Messrs. Rhando Wharton, R. E. Gracy, Roscoe and Virgie Haley were visitors here Sunday.

Miss Winnie Crockett of Colorado, was the guest of Miss Vera Gary Saturday and Sunday.

J. H. Gregg and family, I. R. Wallis and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Wallis Sunday.

Dr. Henthorn has returned from Putman where he went to be treated for a crick in his back.

Archie Thompson was in from the ranch Saturday and the guest of C. M. Thompson and family.

Mrs. M. A. Altman left Saturday for Coleman where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. I. J. Pierce.

Rev. Norrell delivered an address on Sunday School work at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

Mrs. Pickens who has been very low of fever at her father's, J. F. Roeder, is reported some better.

Messrs. J. D. Fite and family, R. C. Vinson and family left for Longview, Texas, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stowe entertained a number of friends in a social at their home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hargis who reside west of town are rejoicing over the arrival of a son at their home this week.

Mrs. Sterling McDermion who moved from here to Comanche county, is quite sick of typhoid fever at her home there.

Misses Libbie Lee, Isophene Toler, Ethel Coffee and Annie Norman were guests of Mrs. Henthorn and daughter Sunday.

Prof. Farrer was a most able assistant in The Loraine Merc. Co., sale Saturday. Mrs. T. R. Bennett also assisted.

There was no service at either church Sunday night, so the young people enjoyed a singing at J. H. T. Johnson's.

Mesdames. H. M. Perry, M. D. Cranfill and Henry Zellner, John Ervin were among the ones to assist in the sale of Adams Merc. Co., Saturday.

Mrs. Lillian Miles and pupils gave an entertainment at the school house Friday afternoon, the proceeds are to be used to buy wall maps for their room.

Mrs. Sam Anthony of Champion, was the guest of Mrs. John Johnson Friday, she left that night for Corpus Christi, where they will make their future home.

Mr. Charters and wife have arrived from Colorado, he is the pharmacist for The Loraine Drug Co., they occupy the residence where Ross Gregg and family resided.

KIDNEY DISEASE

A disease that comes on gradually without the knowledge of the victim; its symptoms are so trifling they are misunderstood; hence proper treatment is too-often delayed beyond the possibility of recovery.

PRICKLY ASH BITTERS

Is a Life Saving Tonic.

Used when the trouble is in the early stage it quickly checks the progress of the disease, strengthens the failing kidneys, stimulates the torpid liver and drives out the paralyzing uric acid poison through the bladder and bowels. To those who suffer from kidney disease in the more advanced stage it is of priceless value.

Get the Genuine with the Figure "3" in Red on Front Label.

Sold by Druggists.

Price \$1.00 per bottle.

Rev. J. W. Smith and wife have returned from conference at Abilene, their many friends and his church are glad to have him back as their pastor for another year.

Dr. Avant and family and Ross Gregg and family leave this week for South Texas. We regret to lose these good people, but wish them happiness and success in their new homes.

Miss Libbie Lee will leave Saturday night for Gibsland, La., her home. She has many friends who regret to have her go, but she expects to return in the spring and resume her work for The Loraine Merc Co.

Miss Vera Gary entertained a crowd of her friends Saturday evening in a most delightful manner. Various games and music furnished the amusement. Refreshments consisting of cake and chocolate were served. It was with reluctance that the guests departed, and pronounced Miss Vera a charming hostess.

F. W. Axtell and sons, and R. Davitt of Ft. Worth; W. Pendergrass, Jim Stowe, Robert Henthorn, Hubert Toler composed a hunting crowd which spent four days out and returned Saturday. They report plenty of quail, a few duck but no deer. However they had a jolly good time.

Mr. Editor: I am all here. To Mr. A. W. Crawford of Wintersett,

Iowa, a real estate capitalist, came down Tuesday from Colorado in company with Messrs. Geo. Root, Jack Fox, Frank Miller, J. A. Buchanan, C. T. Harness, Dr. A. L. Fuller, M. C. Ratliff and F. B. Whipkey, other capitalists all down were looking at Loraine real estate.

Plainview Points.

Sunday was the Baptists' regular preaching day out here the pastor had the visiting Brother Haresty of Abilene, to do the preaching Sunday and Sunday night for him.

Mr. Willie Wilson and Mr. Elmer Ruscan of the Shepherd community attended preaching at the school house Sunday night.

Grandfather Leach of Snyder came in Saturday to visit his son and family.

Mrs. Edwards and children of Cuthbert visited out here last week.

The young people will meet Saturday evening to practice again for Thanksgiving service.

School will begin at Plainview pretty soon. Prof. Holbert will teach the school.

The sandstorm Monday was so disagreeable that the people couldn't pick cotton so Mr. Ollie Coupland went a hunting.

STRAW HAT.

Mr. Editor: I am all here. To move across the Colorado river at

this point, fully exonerates a man of all past sins, thus I am at this time a good and righteous fellow, not caring to pay the penalty many more times.

Ira seems to be abreast with the times. 11.90 was paid for cotton last Saturday. This cost the purchaser 12.02 1/2 delivered at the railroad.

Maize is selling at 75c at the barn. The gin at this place has gained 1250 bales to date.

Glyde Hayes of Cuthbert visited here last Saturday and Sunday.

School opened last Monday with all teachers present. M. L. Hill, principal; Miss Maxwell in charge of intermediate, and Miss Childress in charge of the primary 89 pupils were enrolled and the prospects for good school are encouraging. Ira has a \$10,000 school building.

I have not had time to gather any news or give a general writeup of the prosperous little village but will do so soon.

MARK HOPKINS.

Not Fit For Ladies.

Public gentiment should be against it, and we believe it is, there can be no reason why ladies should have to suffer with headaches and neuralgia, especially when Hunt's Lightning Oil gives such prompt relief. It is simply a question of getting the ladies to try it. All druggists sell Hunt's Lightning oil in 25c and 50c bottles.

For quick, neat shoe repairing call Tom Payne at fire hall.

30=Days Sale=30
AT COST

Beginning Saturday, Nov. 9, 1912

Under the present existing conditions---short crops, short collections---to accommodate our customers and the public and to realize ready cash, we are offering, as we did last year,

Our Entire Stock at Cost

Below, as proof that we are doing this, we furnish you our cost mark.

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This offer is made for CASH only. Any goods charged will be at regular prices.

Our ENTIRE STOCK Is Complete

CAR OF FRESH FLOUR JUST ARRIVED. Now is the time to furnish your fancy dry goods, shoes, clothing and supplies. Call and be convinced.

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Doctors Use This for Eczema

Dr. Evans, Ex-Commissioner of Health, says: "There is almost no relation between skin diseases and the blood." The skin 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.

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. I have been prescribing the D.D.D. remedy for years." It will take away the itch the instant you apply it.

In fact, we are so sure of what D.D.D. will do for you that we will be glad to let you have a \$1 bottle on our guarantee that it will cost you nothing unless you find that it does the work.

You Needn't Do It

When you need anything in the jewelry line or anything usually kept in a jewelry establishment, there is no need to send your money off to foreign houses.

I Have It at Home

My stock of fine Hand Decorated China, Cut Glass, Silverware, Watches, Jewelry and all kinds of Art Goods is full and complete. Everything suitable for wedding presents and gifts for all occasions, while my prices are surprisingly reasonable.

MY REPAIRING DEPARTMENT RUNS ALL THE TIME

Jas. T. Johnson

"The Jeweler Who Always Satisfies"

Hides! Hides!

EGGS AND POULTRY

I Pay the Highest Market Price Cash. Come to my Wagon Yard

W. M. DEBUSK

The cotton keeps coming to market, yet every week the short crop knocker declares there's not another bale in the fields or being field.

For the best line of cigars and tobaccos, go to Ben Morgan's. He keeps them.

L. E. Ayers was brought home last Friday night from Altus, Oklahoma, suffering with some serious affection of the bladder. His condition though quite serious, is not regarded as immediately dangerous.

Great auction sale of furniture and hardware begins Saturday, November 16th; read the ad in this issue of the Record.

We have a few heating stoves to sell at Bargains.—Colorado Merc. Co.

The last reports from Mr. Coughran are that he is rapidly improving and is anxious to come home.

The great auction sale of furniture, carpets and shelf hardware will be the chance to secure bargains. Read the page ad in this issue.

Dr. Wilbur A. Dupres and family passed here last Saturday night en route for Sonora, state of Sonora, Mexico, where the Doctor will locate in the practice of medicine. The Record wishes him success.

Sam Majors can fix your broken glasses, rings, phonographs any article of jewelry good as new. Try him.

Don't let 11 o'clock come without ordering your meat. Give us a show and we will get the meat to you.

BEAL BROS.

Mr. H. C. Beal returned from Fort Worth last Friday to which market he had taken a lot of cattle.

The H. L. Hutchinson Furniture & Undertaking Company's great auction sale will begin Saturday, November 16th.

Ben Morgan handles the best and freshest line of candies in town.

The Record presents its readers with 32 pages of most interesting reading matter this week, edited by our most efficient sheriff. Read every line of it; you may possibly find something of interest and importance in them.

We are exclusive agents for the famous Chase & Sanborn Tea and Coffee. The best in the market. Get a package and be convinced.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

A. W. Crawford of Winterset, Iowa, was looking after his landed interests in Mitchell county this week. He owns a large acreage of land in this section.

Ben Morgan keeps all kinds of fruits, candies, the best line of cigars and will soon be dispensing hot drinks

Phone 35 for meats.

Rev. B. Boome and wife returned from the Baptist state convention at Fort Worth, Tuesday morning.

Ideal Ladies Tailoring Co. orders taken for Ladies' Suits. Mrs. J. M. Johnson agent at Maunel's Tailor shop.

Rev. W. E. Lyon will have charge of the Colorado station of the Methodist church for another year.

Bargains.—In remnant and new wall paper at W. L. Doss. 10-18tc

Sam Majors makes a specialty of setting stones, repairing all kinds of jewelry or small machinery. 11-8c

The Big Springs-El Paso district medical association will meet in this city on Tuesday, November 19th. It will be up to the citizens of the town to see that these disciples of Aesculapius are entertained in a manner and with a dignity befitting their calling, worth and benefit to suffering humanity. The arrangements for this will be largely in the hands of the local profession, who never fail to do the honors of such an occasion with eclat and success.

When in need of any perfume, toilet articles of any sort and the Best is desired, see Doss for Hudnut's line. 11-8c

Thos. P. Cooper, formerly of this place, but recently of Overton, has traded his paper, the Overton Telegram for the Miles Messenger, and has assumed charge of the latter paper. Brother Cooper is getting back on his old stamping ground in West Texas.

For everything in staple and fancy groceries. The Colorado Mercantile Co is headquarters.

C. B. Hunt of Sweetwater, was a business visitor to this city this week.

Bibles of all kinds and prices at Doss; beautiful gifts—also all the latest books.

Mr. W. J. Chessney, a prosperous farmer out on route No. 2, was an appreciated caller last Friday, for a set of "those good scissors."

If you want a good family newspaper, giving all the news, three times a week, a paper devoted to the interests of the south, no better selection than the Atlanta Constitution can be made—and only \$1 a year. The Record will take your subscription.

Roy Dozier expects to get into his new shop next week where everything will be fitted up to date, spick and span.

Removal Notice.

We have removed our offices up stairs over the Looney building, near Burn & Bell dry goods store.

C. H. EARNEST, Lawyer,
C. R. EARNEST, Abstracts and Insurance.

Record want ads do the work.

Rev. Craig preached his first sermon Sunday at the Christian church to a large congregation as the Presbyterians, Baptists and Methodists were all visitors. His sermon was upon the Lord's supper and was very good indeed. The communion was administered at its close. In the evening there was some special music and another good sermon. The Christian people are indeed fortunate to secure such a splendid man, and their church will not doubt be built up under his pastorate.

Try Glover on your country produce. He pays top prices and sells.

The Hunting season is now on. We have guns to rent, cartridges of all kinds to sell.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Hazard, after a pleasant visit to her sons in El Paso, is home again.

We have a few heating stoves to sell at Bargains.—Colorado Merc. Co.

Miss Winnie Crockett accompanied Miss Wallis to Loraine Friday and was the guest of Miss Vera Gary.

The Daughters of the King met Thursday with Mrs. Arnett and had their usual prayer meeting and Bible study. The meeting this week which is a business one is with Mrs. Van King.

The Hunting season is now on. We have guns to rent, cartridges of all kinds to sell.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

H. B. Marray of Post City and editor of the Post, was a Colorado visitor this week.

Remember Beal Bros. wants your trade and will please you if you give them a trial.

The Record is in receipt of a protest from the secretary of the Mitchell County Socialist Association calling our attention to the statement in last week's issue that the socialist party had not polled as large vote in the last election as it did in the election of 1910, and gives the corrected socialist vote in the county in last election as 79 in 1912 over 73 in 1910.

Be sure to read the page ad of the H. L. Hutchinson Furniture and Undertaking Company in this issue.

The Record sincerely regrets to chronicle the departure of J. B. Story and family for Jacksonville, Texas, this week. Mr. Story's eldest son has been in school at Jacksonville since last September, and Mr. Story moves to that place principally for the benefit of the most excellent school there.

He is a good, intelligent citizen, the kind Mitchell county can ill afford to spare; but the Record will go to him regularly, and mayhap when he reads in these columns next year or so about the magnificent crops we have, not in prospect, but in the hands, the lure of West Texas will seize him with such force and impelling violence, that he'll hasten back even if walking is not good. But come back or not, friend Story, we wish you well.

We handle everything in the grocery line, nice fresh vegetables in season. Give us a trial.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Home Mission Week.

Nov. 17 'o 24 will be observed as Home Mission week and the churches of the town will unite in its observance. The Monday meeting will be under the management of the Methodist Missionary society. The topic is American Indians, Africans and Asiatics.

Tuesday the Presbyterian Aid will conduct the meeting. This is upon The Frontier and Island Possessions. The Christian Woman's Board will have Wednesday's program which is on Immigration.

Thursday The Rural Regions and the Cities will be led by the Methodist society.

Friday is American Society Problems which the Baptist Aid will discuss.

Saturday is to be observed as a day of Prayer and Fellowship and Sunday all the Ministers are asked to preach at eleven o'clock upon "Our Country's Opportunity for Christ," and at night "Unity in making our country God's Country."

Come out to the meeting at the Methodist church Monday at four and then come to every other meeting during the week at the other churches and help to make our own country God's country.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; else cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous membrane. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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

Take Hall's Family Film for constipation.

Phone 35 for meats.

Barn and Contents Burn.

At exactly quarter to one o'clock Tuesday morning the bell at the fire station announced the existence of a fire in the town and immediately afterward the siren whistle at the light plant repeated the fact in hoarse and insistent tones.

A short run by the wagon was made to the scene of burning, which proved to be the barn of Jim Greene, in the rear of his dwelling. Good work was done after arriving, but little could be done to save the building or contents, owing to the headway already gained by the fire and the lightness of the structure. Good work was required to save the adjoining barn of George Root, which was only a very short distance away. The stillness of the air proved a great factor in keeping the flames from spreading to adjoining buildings.

In the barn were three horses, used by Mr. Greene in his undertaking business. There were all a complete loss, which were valued at \$4,000 and on which insurance was carried to the amount of \$2,800. Aside from the loss of the horses, a buggy, set of harness and a few household articles were destroyed.

No clue as to the origin of the fire is known.

What a Baptist Preacher Did.

This is to certify that I have used one box of Hunt's Cure for a Skin trouble, and same cured me after using about \$8.00 worth of other ointments and salves. Nothing like Hunt's Cure for Skin trouble, Rev. H. T. Sizemore, Hemphill, Texas.

J. A. Glover, The Grocer.

Everyone knows J. A. Glover, the groceryman, and to know him is to realize that he is on to his business. He has recently bought out the interest of B. Dobbs in the firm of J. A. Glover & Co., and is replenishing his stock of staple and fancy groceries to meet the demands of his constantly growing trade. Mr. Glover gives everyone who trades with him a "fair and square deal" at all times. A child can buy at his store as successfully as a grown-up; for Glover treats all alike. His maxim is "One price and it the lowest; one quality and it the best." If you have never traded with Glover, try him once and you'll return.

Mr. Glover thanks the patrons of the old firm for their liberal patronage and asks a continuance of the same, based on the square deal and the lowest prices.

Cheap for the Cash.

On Monday, November 18th, I will begin to sell out my entire stock of goods at Buford, Texas, cheap for the cash. If you want bargains, here's your chance to get them.

T. J. FREE, Buford, Texas.

U. D. C. Meeting.

Mrs. Stonerogad was hostess for the U. D. C. Wednesday and a very nice meeting indeed was held, there being a large number present. Mrs. Gustine was made the delegate to the U. D. C. convention in Ft. Worth Dec. 3rd. Only a part of the program was carried out, some not being present.

The social hour was made especially nice by the hostess serving hot oysters and all kinds of good things to go with them. The December meeting is with Mrs. Shropshire.

Birthday Party.

Tuesday was Laura Bell Grantland's third birthday and she had an awfully nice little party. All the neighbor children were present and played games, and some said speeches. Many pretty gifts were received. The dining table was lovely with its big white birthday cake adorned with candles and the pretty arrangement of fruits. Miss Sallie Herrington and Winnie Vaughan helped to serve the refreshment course, and everybody had a lovely time.

Luncheon for Miss Shropshire.

On Saturday Miss Byrd Adams gave a luncheon in honor of this week's bride, Miss Shropshire. The guests were invited to come at twelve o'clock and bring their sewing. They spent the time until one with dainty pieces of fancy work. At that hour a lovely six course luncheon was served. Small tables were used, each being decorated with vases of carnations. The place cards were carnations fastened through white cards. The honoree was given a dainty pink apron in heart shape. The afternoon was spent in playing games, singing and instrumental music, and all were delighted.

Mrs. Shropshire gave a five course dinner Monday evening to the bridal party. Covers were laid for Misses Shropshire, Eloise Shropshire, Bowen, Ragland, Coggin, Allen, Adams, Messers Herd, Dickenson and Coleman.

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How Can One Buy Goods

Unless one sees them? We can only direct your attention to what we have through the newspaper. But a personal visit is necessary to thoroughly appreciate the beauty and value of our stock. We have saved you

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of the jobber or middleman, by buying directly from the factories in such quantities that we get the benefit of the discount on a large bill and cash payment. All this means a saving to you—the final purchaser.

We have given special attention to Cut Glass, Silver and Brass goods for our fall trade, but our stock of standard and latest jewelry, watches, diamonds and art goods is kept fully up to the latest ideas of what is "Proper."

Come see what we have. It will afford us as much pleasure to show you our wares as to sell them to you. The reputation of twenty years of successful business dealing is behind every article in our two big stores.

J. P. Majors

The Leading Jeweler and Optician

Hesperian Club.

The club's hostess last week was Mrs. Shepherd and a good attendance was present. A good deal of business came up, an amendment to the constitution regarding the unexcused absence of members was carried. The subject of a drinking fountain for the public school was discussed, and means of providing this will be hunted for. The club was asked to conserve the bird life which does so much to help the farmer with his crops they were also asked to interest the farmer's wives in the Cotton Corporation which is to aid the tenant farmer and his family by securing for him higher price for cotton.

Mrs. Merritt was the leader of the lesson, the response to roll call being a Dickens maxim. The questions were most interesting, these were followed by a reading of Dick Swiveller quotations Miss Doss.

Mrs. Hart gave a splendid talk, Dickens was pre-eminently a novelist of the city.

Miss Stonerogad's piano solo was given by Miss Whipkey and was so much enjoyed that she was persuaded to respond to the hearty encore. On adjourning to the social hour the hostess served a pleasing refreshment course of chicken salad, hot biscuits, hot creamed potato jelly, crackers and coffee. Misses Whipkey and Foster were the two guests. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Jim Allen.

Eyes Sunken With Pain.

Three years ago I had a very bad spell of neuralgia which caused my eyes to become sunken and bloodshot with pain. Hunt's Lightning Oil was recommended and after using, the pain left and has not returned; says A. M. Coffey, 316 Van Buren Street, Litchfield, Ill. This wonderful medicine is sold by all druggists everywhere.

You pay only one dollar, become a new subscriber and get three pairs of fine steel scissors the like of which you can not duplicate anywhere for less than \$1.50 for the scissors alone. Act quickly; they will soon be gone, and we'll have no more scissor premiums.

A hundred or so of our citizens were present at the opera house Thursday night to witness the Wrestling Match, wherein Fritz Glisson of Colorado City and Walter Cannon of Lubbock were the principals. Cannon proved an easy proposition for Glisson who secured two falls in short order, one requiring 3½ minutes and the other seven. A local athlete was then matched against Glisson and defeated Glisson in less time than the first match required.—Big Springs Herald.

POSTED—My pasture, two miles south of Iatan, has been posted according to law, and this is to serve notice on all trespassers that they will be prosecuted to the extent of the law.

W. L. POSTER.

11-28-12 By F. B. Gessman, Manager.

Musical Recital.

The Colorado friends of Miss Mary Risinger, who was practically reared here, will be glad to know that she is making a success in her vocation. We take the following notice of her recent entertainment at Decatur, from the News of that place:

"Miss Risinger's music class gave a recital at the court house Tuesday night. There was a large audience of patrons, friends and on-lookers present, and all were delighted with the program rendered. The personnel of Miss Risinger's class ranges from the little tot to the grown-up, and all evinced the careful and painstaking effort of the teacher. Miss Risinger has only been a resident of Decatur for a few months during which time she has established a reputation as a really good musician with a knowledge of how to teach the art."

Calomel is Bad.

But Simmons' Liver Purifier is delightfully pleasant and its action is through. Constipation yields, biliousness goes. A trial convinces. (In Yellow Tin Boxes Only.) Tried once used always.

CITY LOANS.

FOR MONEY to extend liens on well located and improved Colorado real estate, write Box 527, Ft. Worth, Texas, describing security and liens. 12-6p

Lost, \$2.50 Reward.

A pocket bank check book on Tahoka bank containing blank checks and about 5 small notes payable to R. D. Morris, Tahoka, Texas. Lost somewhere in Colorado. Finder bring to Record office and get \$2.50 reward. 11-22-c

We handle all of Heinz's varieties of goods. Phone us your wants.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

THE ONLY ONE IN TOWN.

Don't forget that I am the only Spot Cash grocer in the town of Colorado. I pay the spot cash for all I buy getting the benefit of every discount and can afford to sell for less than those who do not.

By turning over my stock in short time, I have no hard stock and you get the benefit of Fresh Goods every time you buy at this store. The increase daily of my business is evidence that the people appreciate these things.

Give me a trial on your next order for groceries and see the results.

D. L. BUCHANAN,
The Only Spot Cash Grocer

LOCAL NOTES

Bro. Broome was in Ft. Worth at the Baptist convention, and Bro Lyon in Abilene at the Northwest Texas Conference Sunday.

Hudnut's toilet line complete can be found at W. L. Doss' drug store. 11-8c

A message from the bedside of Mr. Gus O'Keef, who has recently undergone a most serious and heroic operation at the Mayo sanitarium; Rochester, Minn., is to the effect that he is improving and great hopes are entertained of his restoration to better health than he has enjoyed for some years. His many Colorado friends will rejoice to hear of his prospect for complete recovery.

Before throwing away old jewelry, old glasses, old phonographs and old clocks, take 'em to Sam Majors. No cure, no pay, is his motto. 11-8c

Judge Felix Thurmond spent several days at Abilene last week attending federal court, which is in session there.

Just arrived fresh shipment of Beachnut goods. Bacon Peanut Butter, Jellies and Jams.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Byron B. Byrne was up from the ranch Monday on business.

Phone 63 for your groceries and you will be served immediately.

The Royal Arch Chapter of this place has recently purchased a full set of official lodge regalia, of most elegant pattern, and now when a team of candidates "go up to help rebuild the temple" their travail and sorrow are mitigated by the splendor of the robes of office.

Sam Majors will "fix your clock," mend your watch, jewelry, set any kind of stone; do it well at reasonable cost. 11-8c

Dr. A. L. Fuller showed us this week a bill of lading from the White Star steamship line's Liverpool office, for one "kennel bitch" of the "Pekingese" breed consigned to his son, Albert, and the dog arrived last Tuesday. The Pekingese is a toy dog of Chinese breed, and is a toy dog of Chinese breed, very small, woolly and intelligent. They make ideal pets and are the very latest fad with the "ulcerated fashionable," fabulous prices being paid for those of high pedigree. The dog is a present to Albert Fuller from his grand mother in England and its arrival was quite an event in his life. This bitch has been bred to one of the best pedigreed dogs in England, a direct importation from China.

If its a roast, order by 8:30 and its in your oven in plenty of time. Phone 25.

Mrs. P. A. Hazzard left Thursday for Ft. Worth to visit her sister, near Gadsdi and be present at the Federation of Women's clubs

Just arrived a shipment of new Pecans, fresh dates and so on. Phone 63 for your wants.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Miss Zora Coggin of Merkel spent the week here, the guest of Miss Eloise Shropshire who's bridesmaid she was.

Miss Gussie Ragland of Sweetwater came in Monday and was here for the Shropshire-Herd wedding, she also being a bridesmaid.

Mrs. John Person has as her guests her sisters, Mrs. Hart and Mrs. McDonald of Missouri.

We have a few heating stoves to sell at Bargains.—Colorado Merc. Co.

Rev. W. E. Lyon was returned as pastor of the Methodist church, Rev. Shaw was stationed at Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Snyder are again at home in Colorado.

Glover has it for less; try him.

Mr. and Mrs. Runyon of Coahoma spent Sunday here with relatives.

FOR TRADE—Four room house, in good condition, recently painted with 3 coats paint, canvassed and papered new, three lots, good cistern (underground) and good well. A very desirable home. Want small well improved farm. What have you to offer? See me at Burns & Bell's store 10-24-4 R. U. BEAN.

EVERYBODY IS USING IT NOW. The Imperial Self-Heating Sad Iron. Sells in every home. \$50.00 per week to good hustlers. Write the Imperial Self Heating Sad Iron Co., Box 335—Ft. Worth, Texas. 1-3-13-p

Record want ads do the work.

Rev. C. P. Craig, the new pastor of the First Christian church, preached his first sermon to this congregation on last Sunday, to a large audience. Owing to the absence of the Baptist and Methodist pastors at convention and conference, there were no services at those churches.

If you have never traded with Glover go see what he can offer you.

Mr. Herd and Mr. Dickenson, his best man, came in from Post City Sunday night.

Just arrived a shipment of new Pecans, fresh dates and so on. Phone 63 for your wants.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Rev. H. G. Hennessy will address the Brotherhood at the union tabernacle Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Every man and boy in town is cordially invited to hear Mr. Hennessy.

Mrs. L. E. Barnett, living in south Colorado, who's illness we mentioned last week, succumbed to the infirmities of age with complications Wednesday evening and her remains were shipped to Benbrook, just this side of Fort Worth, for burial.

The Alabama Minstrels played here Wednesday night to an overflowing tent, despite the frostiness of the weather. On the whole their performance was more than an average in attractive features, ranking in our opinion with the famous Georgia Minstrels, which enjoys such an extensive reputation. The performance was fully up to the public expectation, if not beyond it.

Mr. A. B. Coleman, who has been with the Electric Light and Power Company of this city for nearly two years, has resigned his position and goes to Midland this week, where he will have employment. Mr. Coleman is not only master of his trade, but a gentleman of the "first water," and the Record congratulates Midland upon the acquisition of such desirable a citizen. He and his most estimable family are commended to the people of Midland as in every way worthy their fullest confidence and highest respect.

C. W. B. M. Meeting.
The Christian Woman's Board of Mission met Thursday with Mrs. Marshall in their regular monthly session. Mrs. Coe was leader. Mrs. Majors gave a fine original paper upon the success of the Bible Chair Work. Mrs. Smith was to have given a report of the recent convention in Cincinnati, but it was decided to leave this to the minister Bro. Craig who had just returned from there. The bible lesson was the questions upon Exodus which were very interesting.

Mrs. Marshall served especially delicious sandwiches with coffee.

The Aid meets this week with Mrs. Coe. It was decided by the ladies to co-operate with the other churches to make Home Mission week Nov. 17 to 24 a success in our town and an intellectual and spiritual inspiration to all.

Affairs for Miss Eloise Shropshire.

Thursday evening Mrs. Will Morrison entertained for Miss Eloise Shropshire with an elegant six o'clock dinner. The guests were seated at small tables, there being twenty present. At the center table sat the honoree and her bridesmaids. On this table were two pink hearts, and above were pink ribbons which were carried as a canopy to the other four tables surrounding the table of honor. The place cards were dainty pink slippers. An elegant five course dinner was beautifully served. A little contest on the names Shropshire and Herd furnished diversion for the guests, they seeing how many words could be made of the two names. Mrs. Nessney made the most, and was awarded a prize for her ability. After dinner Miss Shropshire was showered. All the guests giving her something useful and pretty for her new home. The bride was toasted by Miss Adams. The groom by Miss Van Tuyl.

The girls who are left by Miss McMurry, Miss Shropshire offered a toast to friendship which all most heartily drank. This was indeed a delightful occasion much enjoyed by all.

Notice—School Children.
Get your shoes repaired quickly by Tom Payne at fire hall.

Strayed Away and Lost.
A 2 months old black pig with white in forehead, was fat, been gone about a week. If finder hasn't eat him will confer a favor by reporting to Chas. Brooks at Burns & Bell's grocery. 11-22-p

Thos. P. Cooper, formerly of this place, but recently of Overton, has traded his paper, the Overton Telegram for the Miles Messenger, and has assumed charge of the latter paper. Brother Cooper is getting back on his old stamping ground in West Texas.

Thimble Party.
Friday afternoon Miss Olive Greenwood most pleasantly entertained with a Thimble Party for Miss Eloise Shropshire. The guests were asked to bring their thimbles and spend the afternoon. When all had arrived Miss Greenwood brought out a pretty crepe paper covered basket which was adorned with flowers and tied with pink ribbons. Its frivolous outside gave no hint to the usefulness and practicability of its contents. These were passed to the guests and proved to be dish towels and wash cloths which they were to hem. This they merrily did giving at the same time

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Mrs. C. T. Harness was hostess for the Bay View club last week and an unusually nice meeting was held in her pretty home with her gracious hospitality. Mrs. John Doss was leader for the afternoon. Mrs. Hennessy was welcomed as a new member. The social part of the afternoon was taken up almost entirely by the elegant repast served by the hostess. Mrs. Richard Pearson will entertain this week.

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Young People's Meeting.
The young people's missionary society of the Methodist church met Tuesday with Mrs. Herrington. The mission study course was continued, and the president offered a Christmas dinner for an increase of membership equalling one-third of the present number. This was enthusiastically accepted by the girls. After the lesson was finished the hostess served a delicious fudge. The meeting next week is with Eva Davis. Rowena Hester to be leader.

Junior Standards.
Mrs. Marcus Snyder entertained the Junior Standards last week and Miss McMomas is hostess today.



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Is just as anxious to please you as we are. No trouble to show goods. We are here for that purpose.

Look Over Our Every Department

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Central Circle.

Mrs. Merritt was hostess for the Central Circle Monday. The chairman Mrs. Jackson, presided. Roll call was responded to with current events and bible verse. Dues amounting to \$13.00 was collected. It was decided to have a Thanksgiving dinner planned last month. Turkeys are found to be very high and workers hard to find. The Tea will be given the Tuesday before Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Arnett, and in connection with this will be an apron sale. The hostess had as guests Mrs. F. B. Whipkey, Mrs. Crockett and Hester. She served a salad course with hot coffee. Mrs. Person will have the December meeting.

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Buy your fruit and shade trees now; also grapes, berries and shrubbery from J. T. HARNESS, Agent. 10-11tf.

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We often have one or two parties wanting to go to Snyder, Sweetwater or anywhere, phone us anytime a day in advance and we can then make up a load and save you time and trouble. F. S. KEIPER.

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Dealer in Automobiles, Blacksmithing, Wagon, Carriage, Automobile and general Garage work. Gasoline, oil and ignition batteries for sale. Give me a trial on your next work in these lines. 11-29pd

Just 100 sets of scissors. The first 100 who come get them free. Begins November 1.

FOR SALE—I have for sale at a bargain 3 good horses, for terms and price see J. F. Clayton, Colorado, Texas. 11-8tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A section of good land on the Colorado river subject to irrigation, cheap for quick action. See L. C. Dupree, Colorado, Texas. 11-15c

FOR SALE—40 acres land, good three-room house, fine well with wind mill, 25 acres in cultivation; one mile west of Colorado. Will take \$600 cash for quick sale. See or address J. L. Harris, Colorado, Texas. 11-22c

FOR SALE—Good residence in South Colorado; three rooms; half acre in lot, price \$350 cash. See or address Mrs. Fred Miller, Colorado, Texas. 11-15pd

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Owner	Abstract No.	Centimile No.	Survey No.	Original Grantee	No. Acres Ass't.	No. Acres Delin.	City or Town	Lots	Total Taxes
J N Allen	703	2-1327	46	F H Littlehale	1	1	Colorado	7 to 12	6.22
Mrs A A Bailey							Colorado-Waddell & Martin ad	5, 35	41.82
Mrs A A Bailey							Colorado-Lester ad	19, 21	6.66
H L Baker							Colorado-Dunn, Snyder & Mooar ad	7, 8, 9, 10	4.59
Baldwin & Webb							Colorado	6	7.69
G W Barnett							Colorado-Marshall No. 2	W Pt 2	1.96
Basden & Bounds									
L L Beach	393	2-1318	27	T & P Ry Co	60	60			
W F Bell	1424	2-1628	48	Ed Dale	242 1/2	146			
D T Bozeman	1154	P E	1	S T Priest	146	146			
R N Brown	1356	2-1259	6	J S Kidd	40	40			
Mrs Polly Callaway	798	2-1359	14	A J Cameron	200	200			
H H Carrell							Lorraine-Texas & Pacific	1, 2, 3, 4	33.76
B F Carter	652	2-1692	5	D & P Ry Co	640	640			
B F Carter	651	2-1690	43	T & P Ry Co	640	640			
N E Chittum							Lorraine-Texas & Pacific	5, 6, 7, 8	5.71
W H Clemmens							Colorado-Dunn, Snyder & Mooar ad	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	8.71
Colorado Water Co							Colorado-Dunn, Snyder & Mooar ad	5, 6	43.14
Colorado Steam Ldy							Colorado	15, N Pt 11, 12, 13, 14	41.38
Colo Electric Light							Colorado	13, 14, 15	49.67
W S Costin	1282	2-1627	14	W S Costin	130	130			
W S Costin	546	2-1627	13	T & P Ry Co	153	153			
Solon Cowan	435	2-1316	15	T & P Ry Co	318 1/2	318 1/2			
E Cranfill	1386	2-1258	4	N J Turner	152	152			
S Cranfill	1163	2-1353	2	F D S Pond	100	100			
Mrs W B Crockett							Colorado	9, 10	20.63
W B Crockett							Colorado	S 1/2 11	33.70
G L Crownover	307	2-1327	46	F H Littlehale	6 1/2	6 1/2			
H O Daniel	586	2-1681	25	T & P Ry Co	160	160			
M A Dry Est	1425	2-1430	60	M A Dry	160	160			
M A Dry Est	1288	2-1430	60	M A Dry	480	480			
W O Dunn							Lorraine-White Res.	9	1.76
John Dunn	1664	4-31	2	Minna S Hyman	650	650			
J L Ellis							Colorado-Dunn, Snyder & Mooar ad	E 1/2 14, 15	9.81
J H Everett	4661	2-1391	77	T & P Ry Co	160	160			
W H Flippin							Westbrook-McK ad	3	2
W H Flippin							Westbrook-Orig	10	2.18
R J Gaines							Lorraine-White Res.	15, 16	17.32
Mrs F M Goodwin	1430	22-1640	80	W H Goodwin	640	640			
Mrs F M Goodwin							Colorado	E Pt 1, 2	87
Mrs F M Goodwin							Colorado	4, 5, 6, 7	39
Mrs F M Goodwin							Colorado	Pt 8	9.72
John R Graves							Colorado	12	5.71
Mrs John Graves							Colorado	Pt 12, 13	41
Mrs John Graves							Westbrook-Amd.	17	5
H C Green	183	41-5255	41	H & T C Ry Co	160	160			
G W Greenfield	1639	2-1649	10	G W Wormack	320	320			
G W Greenfield							Colorado	S Pt 2	22
W R Griffith	704	2-1266	20	R B Long Jr	320	320			
P C Hale	461	2-1386	67	T & P Ry Co	160	160			
Wyatt A Hall	670	2-1330	52	W T Cherry	160	160			
Hamilton Lasseter							Westbrook-Amd.	13, 14	6.25
J T Harness							Colorado	Pt 7, 8	18
WS&AM Henderson	678	2-1372	50	A W Dunn	80	80			
EL&AM Henderson	471	2-1396	87	T & P Ry Co	160	160			
T S Henderson							Colorado-Waddell & Martin ad	N 1/2 3	8
J B Hightower	781	2-1396	88	H A Wise	46.69	46.69			
Henry Hill							Colorado	All	53
C B Hooper	1294	2-1602	2	C B Hooper	640	640			
C B Hooper	1489	2-1666	44	H Wright	320	320			
C B Hooper							Westbrook-Orig	All 8, 9	14
C B Hooper							Westbrook-Orig	W Pt 10	6
C B Hooper							Westbrook-Orig	SE 2-3, 4	7
C B Hooper							Westbrook-Orig	1, 2, 3, 9	9
C B Hooper							Westbrook-Orig	12	6
C B Hooper							Westbrook-McK	4	2
C B Hooper							Westbrook-Amd.	5	3
C B Hooper							Westbrook-Amd.	13, 14	3
C B Hooper							Westbrook-Amd.	13	2165.38
C B Hooper							Westbrook-Amd.	9	2.105
J W Howell							Lorraine-White Res.	24	4
J W Howell							Lorraine-White Res.	12	19
Earl Jackson							Colorado	1, 2, 11, 12	70.25
Mrs Kate Jackson							Lorraine-Texas & Pacific	13, 14	1.20
A. M. Jackson	397	2-1332	35	T & P Ry Co	60	60			
J. L. Jones							Colorado	11, 12	73
J. L. Killian	441	2-1366	27	T & P Ry Co	640	640			
E P Kuck	526	2-1491	25	T & P Ry Co	129	129			
J. E. Lasseter	547	2-1628	15	T & P Ry Co	160	160			
J. E. Lasseter	580	2-1668	47	T & P Ry Co	31	31			
J. E. Lasseter	1525	2-1629	18	C B Hooper	320	320			
Ledger & Morris	1536	2-1669	2	J W Meek	400	160			
W. P. Leslie	365	2-1266	19	T & P Ry Co	160	160			
H H Linder	1676	2-1663	38	Jas Bell	160	160			
Mrs Annie A May							Westbrook-Amd.	12	28
Mrs Annie A May							Westbrook-Amd.	1	3
Mrs Annie A May							Westbrook-Amd.	7	20
J M Meek							Westbrook-Amd.	10, 11, 12	23
T A Morrison, Sr.	1545	-724	40	Wm Morrison	247	247			
T A Morrison, Sr.	1544	-309	10	Wm Morrison	640	640			
T A Morrison, Sr.	1542	-721	34	Wm Morrison	640	640			
T A Morrison, Sr.	1419	-312	16	Geo Bond	640	640			
T A Morrison, Sr.	5	-309	9	H & T C Ry Co	640	640			
T A Morrison, Sr.	8	-312	15	H & T C Ry Co	640	640			
T A Morrison, Sr.	17	-721	33	H & T C Ry Co	640	640			
T A Morrison, Sr.	1424	2-1668	48	Ed Dale	154	154			
J O McCreless							Colorado	1, 2, 3	299.80
R B McDonald							Colorado-Waddell & Martin ad	SE 1/4	95
M & A McKinney	1525	2-1667	48	C B Hooper	314	314			
M F Nessmith	1424	2-1668	48	Ed Dale	14	14			
M F Nessmith	575	2-1663	37	T & P Ry Co	160	160			
D L Phillips	679	2-1375	46	C Dunn	152	152			
S M Pike							Colorado	N 1/2 All 9, 10	6.30
J D Robertson	412	2-1337	65	T & P Ry Co	200	200			
W H Robinson	85	11-1182	169	H & T C Ry Co	80	80			
T H Roe	224	11-38	15	Lav Nav Co	65 1/2	65 1/2			
Anna D Roe	1	-305	17	H & T C Ry Co	125	7-10			
Anna D Roe	1678	2-1649	10	Anna Roe	160	160			
Joe Scallion							Colorado-Waddell & Martin ad	N 1/2 3, 4	36
Maud Seymour	393	2-1318	27	T & P Ry Co	40	40			
Maud Seymour	1383	2-1321	34	R Seymour	60	60			
Reby Seymour	1380	2-1321	34	R Seymour	60	60			
W M Seymour	393	2-1318	27	T & P Ry Co	60	60			
Jay T Smith	865	33-60	60	Allen Cupp	335	1-20			
Jay T Smith	34-61		61	Lav Nav Co	650	1-10			
Jay T Smith	866	34-61	62	Allen Cupp	650	1-10			
Jay T Smith	1045	-426	1	H & T C Ry Co	640	640			
W M Smith							Colorado-Waddell & Martin ad	Pt 6	37
J W Smith							Colorado	9, 10, 11, 12	19.36
Harry C Smith							Colorado	NW 1/4	98
A W Smith	603	2-1306	27	T & P Ry Co	640	640			
W C Taylor	1393	2-1265	18	O R Witt	160	160			
A A Tyler							Colorado-Dunn, Snyder & Mooar ad	Pt 3	40
Frank O Van Horn							Westbrook-Amd.	10, 11, 12	30
P M Van Horn							Westbrook-Amd.	7, 8, 9	31
P M Van Horn							Westbrook-Amd.	20, 22	1
P M Van Horn							Westbrook-McK	1, 3	31
Mrs A H Webb							Colorado-Dunn, Snyder & Mooar ad	7 to 12	7.22
R M Webb							Colorado	9, 10	16
S R West	1654	2-1758	6	W C Marten	80	80			
D F Wheeler	682	2-1323	38	Thos Evans	2	2			
R O Wheeler	798	2-1359	14	A J Cameron	200	200			
A L Whipkey							Colorado	3	86
F B Whipkey							Colorado	1, 2, 3	78
C H Wilson	223	11-39	17	Lav Nav Co	588 1/2	588 1/2			
J D Abney							Lorraine-White Res.	12	24
W B Allgood							Lorraine-White Res.	20	27
J D Allgood							Lorraine-White Res.	11	13
F P Aycock	403	2-1328	47	T & P Ry Co	5	5			
F H Barfield							Colorado	11	36
J B Barkley	182	41-5255	41	H & T C Ry Co	320	320			
J B Barkley	1700		11	L Ellwood	36	36			
Beall & Beall							Westbrook-Amd.	4	7
Beall & Beall							Westbrook-Amd.	14	9
W P Blackburn							Westbrook-Amd.	3	27
J E Brewer							Westbrook-Amd.	6	39
J P Bridges							Colorado	12	65
K G Butler							Lorraine-Texas & Pacific	1, 2	28
W M Black									

Table with columns: Owner, Abstract No., Certificate No., Survey No., Original Grantee, No. Acres Ass'd., No. Acres Dotted, City or Town, Lots, Block, Total Taxes. Lists various property owners and their details.

made suits were not the easiest things to find in Naples. By noon, however, he had acquired a Scotch woolen for day wear and a fairly decent dinner suit, along with other necessities. "Well, I say!" he murmured, struck by a revealing thought. "Have you forgotten anything?" "No. On the contrary, I've just remembered something. I've got all I need or want in my steamer-trunk; and till this minute I never once thought of it."



They Stormed the Shops; Irresponsible Children, Both of Them.

ly left their names off the passenger list as published for the benefit of the passengers and the saloon-sitting. So they moved in a sort of mystery which rough weather prevented being solved. One night, when the sea lay calm and the air was caressingly mild, George and Fortune had gone forward and were leaning over the starboard-rail where it meets and joins the forward beam-rail. They were watching for the occasional flicker of phosphorescence. Their shoulders touched, and George's hand lay protectively over hers.

"I love you," he said; "I love you better than all the world." "Are you sure?" "Sure? Can you doubt it?" "Sometimes." "Why?"

But she interrupted him quickly. "In all this time you have never asked me if I love you. Why haven't you?" "I have been afraid." "Ask me!" "Do you love me?" his heart missed a beat. She leaned toward him swiftly. "Here is my answer," pursing her lips. "Fortune!" "Be careful! I've a terrible temper."

But she was not quite prepared for such roughness. She could not stir, so strongly did he hold her to his heart. Not only her lips, but her eyes, her cheeks, her throat, and again her lips. He hurt her, but her heart sang. No man could imitate love like that; and doubt spread its dark pinions and went winging out to sea. "That is the way I want to be loved. Always love me like that. Never wait for me to ask. Come to me at all times, no matter how I am engaged, and take me in your arms, roughly like this. Then I shall know. I have been so lonely; my heart has been so filled with love and none to receive it! I love you. I haven't asked why; I don't care. When it began I do not know either. But it is in my heart, strong and for ever."

"Heart o'mine, I'm going to be the finest lover there ever was!" The great ship came up the bay slowly. It was a clear, sparkling, winter day, and the towering minarets of business stood lined against the pale-blue sky with a delicacy not unlike Japanese shell-carving. A thousand thousand ribbons of cheery steam wavered and slanted and darted; the river swarmed with bustling ferries and eager tugs; and great floats of ice bumped and jammed about the invisible highways.

"This is where I live," said George, running his arm under hers. "The greatest country in the world, with the greatest number of mistaken ideas," he added humorously. "What is it about the native land that clutches at our hearts so? I am an American, and yet I was born in the south of France. I went to school for a time near Philadelphia. America, America! Can't I be an American, even if I was born elsewhere?" "You can never be president," he said gravely. "I don't want to be president!" She snuggled closer to him. "All I want to be is a good man's wife; to watch the kitchen to see that he gets good things to eat; to guard his comforts; to laugh when he is sad; to nurse him when he is ill; to be all and everything to him in adversity as well as in prosperity; a true wife." She touched his sleeve with her cheek. "And I

don't want him to think that he must always be with me; if he belongs to a man-club, he must go there once in a while." "I am very happy," was all he could say. "George, I am uneasy. I don't know why. It's my mother, my uncle, and Horace. I am going to meet them somewhere. I know it. And I worry about you." "About me? That's foolish." He smiled down at her. "Ah, why did my mother seek to renew the acquaintance with you? Why did Horace have you kidnaped into the desert? There can be no such thing as the United Romance and Adventure company. It is a cloak for something more sinister."

"Pshaw! What's the use of worrying, little woman? Whatever schemes they had must be out of joint by now. Sometimes I think I must be dreaming, little girl." "I am not little. I'm almost as tall as you are." "You are vastly taller in many ways." "Don't be too sure. I am human; I have my moods. I am sometimes crotchety; sometimes unjust and quick of temper." "All right; I want you, temper and all, just the same." "But will they like me? Won't they think I'm an adventuress, or something like that?"

"Bless your heart, not in a thousand years! I'm a pretty wise man in some ways, and they know it." "And so it proved to be. Both Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer greeted them at the pier in Hoboken. One glance at the face of the girl was sufficient. Mrs. Mortimer held out her arms. It was a very fine thing to do. "I was in doubt at first," she said frankly. "George is so guileless. But to look at you, my child, would scatter the doubts of a Thomas. Will you let me be your mother, if only for a little while?" with a wise and tender smile.

Shyly Fortune accepted the embrace. Never had she been so happy. Never had she felt arms like these about her. "What did he cable you?" she asked in a whisper. "That he loved you and wanted me to mother you against that time when he might have the right to take you as his own. Has he that right?" "Yes. And oh! he is the bravest and tenderest man I know; and below it all he is only a boy."

Mrs. Mortimer patted her hand. A little while later all four went over to the city and drove up town to the Mortimer home. On the way Fortune told her story, simply, without avoiding any essential detail. And all her new mother did was to put an arm about her and draw her closer. The Mortimer home was only three blocks away from George's. So, when dinner was over, George declared that he would run over and take a look at his own house. He wanted to wander about the rooms a bit, to fancy how it would look when Fortune walked at his side. He promised to return within an hour. He had forgotten many things, ordinarily important; such as wiring his agent, his butler and cook, who were still drawing their wages. He passed along the street above which was his own. He paused for a moment to contemplate the

great banking concern. And the president of this bank was the elder brother of Ryanne! Lots of queer kinks in the world; lots of crooked turnings. He passed on, turned the corner, and strode toward his home, ran up the steps. Three doors below ecstasy thrilled his heart. Lightly he he noticed two automobiles. He gave them only a cursory glance. He took out his ring of keys, found the night-latch and thrust it into the keyhole. He never had believed in this putting up of iron gates and iron shutters. A night-latch and a caretaker who came round once a day was enough for any sensible person. He turned the key. Eh? It didn't seem to go round. He tried several times, but without success. Puzzled, he struck a match and stopped before the keyhole. It was a new one.

(To be continued.)

The New Parcel Post Stamps.

Arrangements have been made by Postmaster General Hitchcock for the engraving and manufacture of a series of twelve stamps, unique in size and novel in design, for exclusive use in the forwarding of packages by the new parcel post. Under the law recently enacted by the Congress, ordinary stamps cannot be used for this purpose. The special parcels post stamps will be larger than the ordinary stamps and will be so distinctive in color and design as to avert any possible confusion with stamps now in use. The new issue will be in three series of designs. The first will illustrate modern methods of transporting mail, one stamp showing the mail car on a railway train; another an ocean mail steamship; a third an automobile now used in the postal service; and a fourth the dispatch of mail by aeroplane. The second series will show at work in their several environments the four great classes of postal employees—post-office clerks, railway mail clerks, city letter carriers and rural delivery carriers. The third series will represent four industrial scenes showing the principal sources, or the products the probably will be transported extensively by parcels post. The stamps will be ready for distribution December 1, in order that the 60,000 post-offices may be supplied with them before the law becomes effective January 1.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Mitchell.

I, G. B. Coughran Tax Collector of said County, do hereby certify that the within lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of said County for the year 1911, are delinquent for the taxes of 1911 only, and that I am entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

G. B. COUGHRAN, Tax Collector.

[SEAL]

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 11th day of November 1912. JESSE H. BULLOCK, Clerk Mitchell County.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONERS COURT.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Mitchell.

In Commissioners Court.

We certify that we have examined the within report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Mitchell County, for the year 1911, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1911 only, and find the same correct and that G. B. Coughran Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

Given in open court this 11th day of November, 1912 A. J. COE, County Judge.

[SEAL]

ATTEST: JESSE H. BULLOCK, County Clerk.

U. D. WULFJEN, Com. Pre. No. 1, J. M. HELTON, Com. Pre. No. 2, J. S. BARBER, Com. Pre. No. 3, W. B. WIMBERLY, Com. Pre. No. 4. County Commissioners.

PROGRAM MITCHELL COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Monday, Nov. 25. 9:45 a. m.—Invocation. 10:00 a. m.—Vouchers and reports—Judge A. J. Coe. 10:30 a. m.—A practical program for one teacher school—R. B. Hood. 11:15—What constitutes order in school-room—J. W. Kay. 11:45—Methods in spelling—Miss Grace Baker. 12:00—Noon. 1:00 p. m.—The teacher and his work—Miss Julia Boyce. 1:30 p. m.—Methods in U. S. History—J. M. Hood. 2:00 p. m.—How I teach agriculture—W. R. Womack. 2:30 p. m.—Social position of teacher in community—Guy Bennett. 2:45 p. m.—Recess. 3:00 p. m.—Primary methods in reading—Miss Ollie Terry. 3:30 p. m.—The teacher on the playground—W. R. McAffee. Tuesday, Nov. 26. 9:00 a. m.—How to manage Dull Pupils. 9:30 a. m.—School Hygiene—Dr. Pills—C. S. Martin. 9:30 p. m.—School Hygiene—Dr. Theo. C. Merrill. 10:00 a. m.—Arithmetic, vs. Grammar in county schools—W. L. Walker. 10:30 a. m.—Recess. 10:45 a. m.—Outline work in Grammar and History—Miss Annie Gardner. 11:00 a. m.—Methods for obtaining school library—W. C. Hooks. 11:20 a. m.—How to retain the attention of child during recitation—Mrs. Allie Perry. 12:00 m.—Noon. 1:00 p. m.—Methods of conducting recitation—Sam Bullock. 1:30 p. m.—Short methods in Arithmetic—Mrs. Bessie Cook. 2:00 p. m.—Seat work for pupils—Miss Vera Thomas. 2:30 m.—Recess. 2:45 p. m.—Methods of teaching Arithmetic—W. H. 3:15 p. m.—School discipline—R. B. Hood. Wednesday, Nov. 27. 9:00 a. m.—Writing and drawing in your work—Miss Johnnie Gardner. 9:30 a. m.—Teaching composition—S. A. Ribble. 10:00 a. m.—Co-operation between teacher and pupil—J. C. Pritchett. 10:30 a. m.—Recess. 10:45 a. m.—Supplementary reading in Primary grades—Mrs. A. Phillips. 11:15 a. m.—Round table talk—Miss Hooks. 12:00 m.—Noon. 1:00 p. m.—Tardiness—Mrs. W. T. Mullin. 1:30 p. m.—The teacher's preparation of the lesson—G. E. Womack. 2:00 p. m.—Distinguishing and teaching participles and infinitives—Mrs. Callie Perry. 2:30 p. m.—General discussion rural high school law—led by G. L. Farrar. 3:00 p. m.—Recess. 3:15 p. m.—Teachers and patrons co-educators—T. H. Holbert. 3:45 p. m.—Opening exercises—Miss Shell Merrell. Thursday, Nov. 28. 9:00 a. m.—Interesting a class in Geography—Miss Irene Earnest. 9:30 a. m.—Teaching terms in Physiology—Mr. Harris. 10:00 a. m.—Corporal punishment—Clyde Bohannon. 10:30 a. m.—Recess. 10:45 a. m.—How to obtain regular attendance—Miss Feater. 11:15 a. m.—The religious side of a teachers work—Rev. B. Broome. 12:00—Noon. 1:00 p. m.—Reading circle work—S. A. Ribble. 1:30 p. m.—Literary Societies, advantages and disadvantages—J. M. Hood. 2:00 p. m.—The purpose of teaching literature—J. S. Rives, T. H. Holbert. 2:30 p. m.—Recess. 2:45 p. m.—Methods for reviewing U. S. History—Miss Pearl Norman. 3:00 p. m.—Home study, what required—Miss Bozeman. 3:30 p. m.—My experience in teaching agriculture—J. W. Kay. Friday, Nov. 29. 9:00 a. m.—Invocation—Rev. C. P. Craig. 9:15 a. m.—The duty of the teacher to his pupil—G. L. Farrar. 9:45 a. m.—Comparative values of oral and written spelling. 10:05 a. m.—Co-operation between city teachers and county teachers—T. H. Holbert. 10:30 a. m.—Recess. 10:45 a. m.—Some child problems—S. A. Ribble. 11:15 a. m.—Social phases and values of education—Mrs. Miles. 11:45 a. m.—Reading—Miss Lettie Miller. 12:00—Noon. 1:00 p. m.—How to awaken an interest in the study of History—J. S. Rives. 1:30 p. m.—Address—Dr. J. D. Sander. 2:30 p. m.—Recess. 3:00 p. m.—Business session—T. H. Holbert, Chairman; J. Stone Rives S. A. Ribble, Committee.

SUB-IRRIGATED FARMS ARE POSSIBLE UNDER NEW SYSTEM

Well Yielding Forty Gallons Water Per Minute Is Sufficient to Irrigate Forty Acres.

At Midland, on the south plains in West Texas, great interest was aroused last spring by the installation of an irrigated farm of a kind new to Texas. No water is seen on the field at all; along the ditches and laterals on the surface, the ground is unbroken save by green crops. This water is all under the ground. This method is called sub-irrigation.

Irrigation in one form or another has been practiced for generations. It has reclaimed millions of acres of arid land and converted deserts into fertile farms. The water, however, has always been placed upon the surface of the ground and thoughtful men have always recognized the unnecessary expense and the great waste of water involved in this method, to say nothing of the injury to the soil itself.

Wiggins System Successful. Sub-irrigation has always failed through lack of any successful devices for preventing the openings from which the water escapes from becoming stopped up by dirt, roots, etc. The Wiggins system in use at Midland, has, however, solved this problem.

At Midland the water is pumped from a well into a settling tank, and from thence into the main feed pipe, running the length of one side of the field. The well furnishes forty gallons a minute, which is ample for twenty acres. The main pipe is four inches in diameter, and the lateral pipes, branching from it at intervals and running at right angle to it through the field, are two inches. All pipes are two feet under ground, and are made of concrete. The distance between the laterals depends upon the nature of the soil. At Midland it is thirty-three feet.

The concrete pipes are made and laid by a special machine right in the ditch on the field. Small holes are made in the top of these pipes after they are in the ditch. These holes are about three feet apart, and half an inch in diameter. In these holes, while the concrete is still damp, is placed a plug with a hole through the center, about the size of a pin. On top of this plug, which sticks up about two inches, is placed a concrete cap. This cap fits over the pipe and conforms to the shape of the pipe on the side. Where the cap rests on the sides of the pipe enough space is left for the water coming up through the plug to trickle down the sides of the pipe into the soil.

Owing to the protection given by the cap neither roots, earth nor other foreign matter can get into the small hole in the plug and stop the flow of water.

Points of Advantage Over Surface Irrigation.

The points of superiority possessed by sub-irrigation over surface irrigation are many, the most striking being the great saving in both land and water. According to the United States government engineers, when twenty acres of ground is put into surface irrigation, exactly one-tenth, or two entire acres, is totally lost, being taken up by the laterals, ditches and borders. The money spent for these two acres is lost; they yield absolutely no return on the investment. With sub-irrigation, on the other hand, every foot of the ground is cultivated.

Demonstrations have proven that the sub-irrigation any given quantity of land requires just one-seventh as much water as is necessary for surface irrigation. Over 80 per cent of water placed on the surface of the land for surface irrigation is lost before it gets on the land to be cultivated, the majority by evaporation, and the rest by absorption in the ground in ditches, etc., before it reaches the field to be watered.

The constant expense for the upkeep of ditches and borders is also avoided, as the life of an underground concrete pipe is perpetual. In addition to the cost of installing a plant, an account of the fact that requiring less water, a much smaller outlay is necessary for pumps and engines, is materially less for the sub-irrigation than for the surface irrigation.

Experts declare that the success of the Midland enterprise means the beginning of a new era of agricultural development for West Texas; and it is the salvation of any country where there is a limited rainfall and also a limited supply of water from below the surface for irrigation purposes.

New York's Property Tax.

The tax books of New York, which were opened to the public on September 30, show that real and personal property in that city assessable for 1913 totals in value slightly more than \$7,640,000,000, a net increase of nearly \$200,000,000 over figures for the present year. Andrew Carnegie with an assessment of \$10,000,000, leads the personal list. The estates of John D. Rockefeller, John Jacob Astor and Joseph Pulitzer are assessed at \$5,000,000 each; Cornelius Vanderbilt \$3,000,000; Mrs. Russell Sage \$2,510,000 and Isidor Straus, \$2,000,000. Real estate owned by J. P. Morgan, \$1,875,000; Charles M. Schwab, \$1,700,000; Harry Payne Whitney, \$1,225,000. The Grand Central Station is assessed at \$15,000,000; the Equitable Life Building site at \$11,000,000; the Metropolitan Life Building at \$12,415,000, and the Mutual Life at \$10,000,000.

Prohibition Island.

Iceland has no jails, no penitentiary; there is no court and only one policeman. Not a drop of alcoholic liquor is made on the island. Its 78,000 people are total abstainers, since they will not permit any liquor to be imported.

There is not an illiterate on the island; nor a child ten years old unable to read; the system of public schools is practically perfect. Much of the improvement is due to the abolition of the liquor traffic and prohibition of all alcoholic beverages in this compact little island of the north.—Selected.

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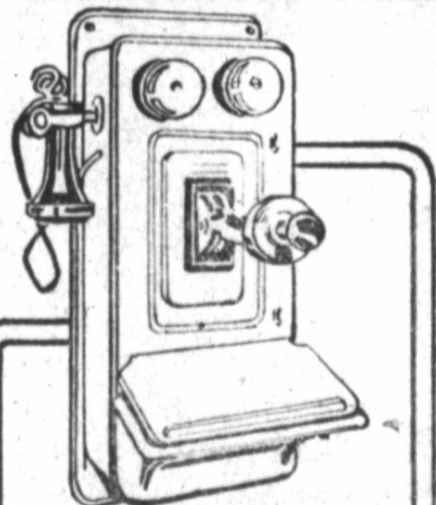
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