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MORE PIE FOR THE DEMOCRATS

Leaders Not Pleased at Taft's Desire to Put Fourth-Class Postmasters Under Civil Service.

Washington, Dec. 4.—That an effort will be made to suspend President Taft's executive order of October 15, whereby 36,000 fourth-class postmasters were placed under the civil service, became known today when Representative Hull, of Tennessee, said the Democrats in congress, who are already in Washington, have conferred informally on the subject, and that there was an overwhelming sentiment in favor of having the order revoked. Representative Hull said that President-elect Wilson, under civil service law, would have the power to revoke President Taft's order. He cited as a precedent President Harrison's suspension of an order of President Cleveland, issued January 14, 1889, whereby the employees in the railway mail service were placed under the civil service law. He said President Harrison within a week after his inauguration suspended that order.

"Coming at the time and under the circumstances that it did," said Mr. Hull, "this order of the president is patently steeped in the deepest political dye and constitutes within itself a gross violation of the letter, the spirit and the whole purpose of the civil service law, because it places this immense horde of Republicans—to the exclusion of the Democrats—permanently in office without examination or test as to merit or efficiency. If carried out, this order will make honest civil service a farce and prove the greatest setback to its administration, extension and progress within a generation. I have heard of no demand for this recent order of President Taft, save from the 36,000 Republican postmasters in question. Of the more than 400,000 positions this order of the president's only leaves about 10,000 to be filled by the new administration outside of the civil service."

Card of Thanks.

The family of Mrs. W. K. Homan wish to express their appreciation of the kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to them in their recent bereavement.

Record want ads do the work.

SNEED ACQUITTED ON FIRST BALLOT

Great Demonstration in Court Room When Verdict Is Announced.

Fort Worth, Dec. 3.—John Beal Sneed was declared "not guilty" of the murder of Captain A. G. Boyce, by the jury at nine-thirty o'clock this morning.

When the jury returned the verdict Sneed emitted a cowboy yell of joy, and a moment later Walter Scott and W. P. McLain, Jr., attorneys for the defense, were throwing their hats over the chancellers.

Both of the attorneys were fined, but Judge Swayne refused to fine Sneed, and he did not censure him.

Sneed persisted in talking to the jurors, and promised them a picture of himself and children.

Mrs. Sneed received the news at a down-town hotel here, her husband telephoning her.

The present trial which has just been brought to a close, is the second in which John Beal Sneed has been tried for the murder of Captain A. G. Boyce in the lobby of the Metropolitan hotel in Fort Worth, on the night of January 13, 1912, the jury disagreeing.

When Leonora Sneed, aged eleven, met her father, she rushed into his arms. "I knew they'd do it daddy," she said, kissing him.

Mrs. Sneed's relatives said that she did not want to talk for publication, but that she was happy over the verdict and that she loves her husband and children.

The only statement that Sneed himself would make was: "I expected such a verdict and got it."

Mrs. Sneed's relatives denied that she had been closely guarded since her arrival in Fort Worth.

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RED CROSS SEAL SALE OPENS.

Mrs. J. L. Shepherd, chairman of the local Red Cross Christmas Seal Campaign Committee has received the first consignment of Red Cross Christmas Seals from Mrs. O. B. Colquitt, general chairman of committee of Texas.

The Christmas Seals are sold throughout the United States for the benefit of public health and anti-tuberculosis work. The price of the seals are one cent each.

Last year the sales exceeded \$13,000 in Texas, and the committee is endeavoring to sell 3,000,000 seals this year, of a total value of \$30,000. The principal part of this fund will be used for the expense of a public health educational exhibit car which will be sent about the state, stopping in every town where the exhibit may be viewed by the public. Lectures will be given and literature distributed. A part of the funds raised will be used for the maintenance of the Walter Colquitt Memorial Children's Hospital at Galveston.

The local campaign promises to be lively and the members of the committee are planning to double up on their sales of last year. The seals are to be placed on the back of all mail and packages and they are also placed on checks, bills and statements, on invitations to social functions, on hotel menu cards on children's school books and are used in many other ways as a reminder of the Christmas spirit of helping one another.

Christmas seals may be secured from any of the following members of the local committee:—Mrs. J. L. Shepherd, Chm., Mrs. N. J. Phenix, Mrs. Jim Allen, Mrs. Sam Majors, Mrs. Edgar Majors, and from the following stores Burns & Bell, dry goods, W. L. Doss, J. P. Majors, J. T. Johnson, Racket Store and Barcroft Hotel.

What will I like for Christmas? If it is for a lady send her the Ladies Home Journal for a year. If it is for a gentleman send him the Saturday Evening Post for a year (52 numbers). Phone 157 and ask about it.—These are two of the leading magazines of the world, and have the largest circulation.

WANTED—To exchange Crane county school land for desirable residence property in Colorado, or Mitchell county land.—address J. B. Coe, Chatham and Waco Streets, Corpus Christi, Texas.

The Record'll find it for you.

SHOOTING IN "BABYLON."

The Festivities of Thanksgiving Festival Broken up by Repeating Shotgun and Colt's Revolver in the Hands of Two Militant Guests.

Thanksgiving day had nearly drawn to a close without the least untoward incident to mar its peace, quiet or serenity. Those who had expressed their thankfulness either in worship, rest or orderly recreation, had sought the seclusion of their homes and comfort of their couches.

But the day was not done in "Babylon;" (as that segment of our municipality lying along the railroad east from the viaduct to the top of the hill, is familiarly known). The real observation of the national holiday had but just begun with the shades of night. Paul Williams, in the role of host and proprietor of "The Palace of Sweets" had seen proper to give a fitting close to the day of festive aspect, and no function so appropriate as a regulation "festibal," with all the concomitants and appurtenances thereunto pertaining. There was a goodly number of guests and patrons and all apparently went pleasantly enough until two gallants met at cross purposes, who, instead of the traditional razor so appropriate a piece of apparel on such occasions, wore by way of change and far more deadly effect, a repeating shotgun and a .45 calibre Colt.

There was the meeting of the two, an exchange of epithets and declaration of war, when the serious business of the festival began. Arthur Waller got action with his shotgun on the abdomen of Jim Whitfield first, and put him out of the ring, but not out of commission as dangerous artillery. After Whitfield fell, he recovered himself on the ground and turning toward Waller, unlimbered his Colt's .45 with crippling effect on Waller's knee, inflicting a serious, though not fatal wound. The negro Whitfield was shot in the left side of the abdomen and groin, inflicting a fatal wound. The boom of the artillery fire was plainly heard over the eastern and southern parts of town, and some supposed a fire alarm was being given.

To say this unprogrammed stunt broke up any further festivities, is putting it mildly. The high society of the colored population dispersed like young quail in high grass, while the wounded were borne from the field of carnage and surgical aid sought. The shooting was done at such close quarters that the wads from the shells were blown into the flesh of the negro Whitfield, which the attending physician, together with many small shot, picked out. The wound of the Waller negro is in the knee, or leg, the bones of which were shattered by the big Colt bullet.

Next morning Esquire M. C. Ratliff held a court of inquiry before a large and expectant audience. His court room was literally packed when the "trouble came on to be heard." He presided with becoming grace and modest dignity, holding with equal poise the balances of Justice; but Justice didn't have anything she wanted weighed that morning, and court was adjourned to await further developments.

The condition of Whitfield was recognized as fatal from the beginning, which prognosis was justified Saturday night about six o'clock, when he died. At this writing the other victim of the shooting is doing as well as could be expected. The bone of his leg is very badly shattered and it is hard at this time to prognose the result. It is highly possible he may lose his leg.

The Methodist Missionary Society met Monday in the church with a program upon The Child at Play. Interesting papers were read upon this subject. A great deal of pledge was paid in. The treasurer reported \$53.00 collected. This brought the pledge up to \$94.00 for the day. The subject of a Christmas dinner for the poor was discussed, but no decision reached.

As an evidence of the successful growth of the Spanish peanut in Mitchell county soil, M. C. Ratliff shipped 23,000 pounds—more than 1,100 bushels of them to Shreveport on yesterday. They brought 60 cents. Mr. Ratliff is only one buyer here; there are others doing the same thing.

The Pitkins & Brooks Chicago Cut Glass is the best. A big shipment comes to W. L. Doss. See these beautiful goods and get prices before the holiday rush.

About Our Tin Shop

We are making a special feature of the tin and sheet metal working department of our business, and in order that you may become acquainted with it also, we solicit your next order for work of this kind.

We Make Anything of Metal

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.

Winn & Payne

CONSTABLE'S SALE.

(Real Estate)

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Justice Court, in and for Precinct No. 1, Mitchell county, Texas, on the 11th day of November A. D. 1912, by Fred Meyer, Justice of the Peace, for the sum of forty-two and 32-100 dollars (\$42.32) with six per cent interest thereon, and all costs of suit at that date amounting to ten and 20-100 Dollars (\$10.20), said judgment having been rendered on October 29, 1912, in favor of Babson Brothers, a corporation, and against Mary Lewis in a certain cause in said court No. 2647 and styled Babson Brothers vs. Mary Lewis, placed in my hands for service. I, T. C. Bounds, as Constable in and for Precinct No. 1, Mitchell County, Texas, did on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1912, levy on certain real estate, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as follows to-wit:

The Southwest One-Fourth (S. W. 1-4) of Sec. No. Four (4) in Block No. Twenty-eight (28) Township 1 North, of the Texas & Pacific Railway Company surveys, originally located for the Common School Fund by virtue of Certificate No. 2-1645, containing 160 acres of land, originally sold by the State to J. W. Bankston, being Abstract No. 1244, and being the same land conveyed by J. W. Bankston to Mary Lewis by deed dated Jan. 20, 1894, recorded in Vol. 11, p. 77, deed records of said county, and by W. K. Lewis to Mary Lewis by deed dated May 19, 1903, recorded in Vol. 8, p. 432, deed records of said county, being generally known as the old Bankston quarter and being about thirteen (13) miles north-west of the court house. (Plaintiff having fixed a lien thereon by filing a duly certified abstract of said judgment, showing the names of the plaintiff and the defendant, in said judgment, the number of the suit in which said judgment was rendered, the date when said judgment was rendered, the amount for which said judgment was rendered, the amount still due thereon, and the rate of interest specified in same in the office of the clerk of the county court of Mitchell County, Texas, and having the same on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1912, duly recorded in Vol. 2, p. 152 of the Judgment Lien Records of said county, and indexed alphabetically direct and cross in the names of both the plaintiff and the defendant).

That I so levied on said real estate as the property of the defendant, Mary Lewis, and that on the first Tuesday in January, A. D. 1913, the same being the 7th day of said month at the Court House door of Mitchell County in the City of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said judgment and Judgment Lien, I will sell said above-described Real Estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said defendant, Mary Lewis. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell County.

Witness my hand this 20th day of November, A. D., 1912.

T. C. BOUNDS,
Constable Precinct No. 1, Mitchell County, Texas.
A true copy I certify.
T. C. Bounds. 12-6c

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Comb Sets, Handkerchiefs,

—and many other articles which will be mentioned in this space next week.

Appropriate Gifts for Men and Boys

Men's Suits.....\$10.00 to \$25.00	Men's and Boys' Sweaters.. 50c to \$4.00
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Boys' Overcoats.....\$3.50 to \$15.00	Men's Shirts.....\$1.00 to \$2.50
Men's and Boys' Neckwear.. 25c to 50c	Men's Gloves..... 50c to \$1.75
Men's and Boys' Shoes... \$1.50 to \$6.00	

Suit Case, Handkerchiefs, Muffs, 1-2 Hose and Collars.

BURNS & BELL

"QUALITY IS ECONOMY"

H. C. Green, living down on the Tufts ranch, is one farmer who realizes the utter importance of good reading. He came in last week and besides taking his own county paper, subscribed for three more, all the best class of literature—such class of reading as the Ladies Home Journal, Review of Reviews and the Literary Digest. The man who provides such reading matter as this for his family gives them a heritage beyond the price of money; something that no adversity can take away, no misfortune depreciate its value, and that is, the taste for good reading. The example set by Mr. Green is worthy the emulation of every head of a family in Mitchell county.

Another good shower Saturday night did much to keep the grass and weeds growing as well as helping put a season in the ground. What this section of West Texas needs—and badly needs—is a regulation, old fashion ground soaker and gully-washer. If the ground can be thoroughly saturated with water, if only one time during the winter season, the crops can be

planted on time and will come up and grow off with vigor and strength. Just such a rain is due in West Texas and its coming all right. We are three years nearer to it than we were three years ago, and it always has come; it always will.

No Calomel Necessary.
The injurious effect and unpleasantness of taking calomel is done away with by Simmons' Liver Purifier, the mildest known liver medicine, yet the most thorough in action. Put up in yellow tin boxes only. Price 25c. Tried once, used always.

Miss Rowena Hester was hostess for the Methodist Young People Tuesday. The lesson was on the Conservation of National Ideals, and an interesting meeting was held. Mrs. Davis and Miss Octavia Allen were appreciated visitors. Delicious homemade candy was served by the hostess and Miss Eva Davis. Tuesday is Miss Erl King's sixteenth birthday and she has invited the society to meet with her on that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Conner from Coke county were up Thanksgiving day trading. Mr. Conner is one of the farmers who makes a good crop every year. It is not by reason of greater fertility of his land than other farms, but because of the intelligent use of the water that would otherwise run to waste. He and his neighbors have constructed levees by which the water at flood in the creeks and draws is made to flood the lands. They have found this system very successful and is the next thing to surface irrigation.

It is a custom at the Baptist Sunday school for each member, on his birthday, to give a penny for each year of his age, and last Sunday the school felt honored to have Col. T. Q. Mullin and his twin sister, Mrs. Johnston, march up and contribute their 74 pennies for the Buckner Orphans Home. It was a pretty sight indeed and many wished them happy returns of the day. Mr. Mullin and his sister have lived in Colorado a long time, and never forget the orphans on their birthday.

Mrs. Shropshire was hostess for the Bay View Club last week, and a full attendance made the meeting especially pleasant. Mrs. Earnest was an enjoyed visitor. Mrs. Harness was the leader for the lesson. The hostess served a lovely salad course, followed by one of mince pie and coffee. Mrs. George Smith will entertain this week.

Special Bargain Sale.
Special bargain sale of boys' suits at Manuel's. We have 150 of them that have to be sold by January 1st. Remember they are all winter weight, knickerbocker style, and positively all wool, and we are selling them at just one half regular price.

For Christmas.
Those who wish to give the Ladies Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post or the Country Gentleman (price of each \$1.50) for a Christmas present should notify me before Dec. 8th, I will see that they reach the party on Christmas Day, accompanied with a beautiful gift card, (a reproduction of Maxfield Parrish's painting) with the givers name on it. Phone 157, or call at Record office.

MRS. A. L. WHEATY,
Subscription Agt. for Ladies Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post and Country Gentleman.

Many a mother who knows all about the work of missionaries in the interior villages of the Fiji Islands hasn't the remotest idea what her seventeen-year-old son is doing down town till midnight. What's more, she doesn't seem to think it's her business to know.—Ex.

Itching Piles.
I want you to know how much good your Hunt's Cure has done me. I had suffered with itching piles fifteen years, and when I was traveling through Texas a man told me of your Hunt's Cure. I got a 50c box and it cured me.—John Bradley, Caney, Kan.

NOTICE
The Colorado gins will run from now on as follows: Friday and Saturday, November 29th and 30th. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 5th, 6th and 7th; and on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week until closed down.

COLORADO GINS.

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

Oath having been made as required by law

You are hereby Comanded 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 Kich 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.

MANUEL.

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. 26th, 1906, conveyed said land, to defendant, J. C. Paulk, and in part consideration thereof, 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 though 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.

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 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.

The Love Letters of a Confederate General

WE begin in the November issue a series of real love-letters written over fifty years ago by one of our national heroes to his sweetheart during the period of '61 to '65. This great general will go down to posterity as having accomplished one of the most brilliant feats of arms in the history of the world. He was as great a lover as he was a general, therefore these letters combine authentic history and exquisite romance. They sound a human note that no other work of literature has done in a decade; it is war, it is history, it is literature. You simply can't afford to miss this wonderful series—an inside story of the Civil War now published for the first time and containing all the freshness of a contemporary happening. These letters will grip you hard, and hold your interest from first to last. Fill out the coupon and send it now before you forget it.



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WINSTON NEWS NOTES.

Health of the community is good with the exception of colds.

J. E. Fargarson and family will move down on the Van Tuyle ranch soon.

Alfred Kidd returned from Abilene Wednesday. He reports that his wife underwent her operation nicely.

F. J. Leggett and son, Owen, have returned from their cotton picking expedition.

G. W. Wenken and wife, of Hermleigh, visited home folks here Sunday.

School begins Monday with Prof. Kay as teacher.

Miss Emma Wimberly visited Miss Annie Leggett.

Mrs. Brights and son, Roy, visited her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Hallman.

Messrs. Alexander Kennedy and Owen Leggett attended a party at Arthur Turner's, in the Wastella community.

Mrs. Jonnie Griffin, was shopping in Loraine.

Mrs. J. G. Narrell and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wimberly.

Hugh Wells and Mrs. Robt. Wells and children, of Denton, Texas, are visiting in this community.

Mrs. Lenard Fargarson and family and Mr. Warren are expected home this week from Reed, Okla.

Mr. J. M. Pagan and family visited Mrs. Pagan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Griffin.

Arthur Leggett visited Elmer and J. C. Norman.

J. M. Pagan, Alexander Kennedy, Jack Mahoney and C. H. Norman were all in Hermleigh Saturday.

Mr. T. Zarn and son, Isaac, have returned from Cottle county.

Misses Aurey and Gussie Zorn were shopping in Loraine.

Miss Elwin Stihal has postponed her visit to Shiner, Texas.

Mrs. Kemp Hilderbrand and family visited Mr. E. J. Fargarson and family this week.

Misses Ira, Alpha and Opal Kidd visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leggett.

Mr. Moses will leave soon for south Texas.

VICTIMS OF NEGLIGENCE.

If You Ignore the Warnings Sent up by Ailing Kidneys You are on the Straight Road to Bright's Disease.

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Christmas WILL BE HERE BEFORE YOU KNOW IT DO YOUR BUYING NOW! WHEN Christmas came last year you resolved never again to wait till the last moment to do your Christmas shopping and be jammed, pushed and hurried all the time—and have to take "what's left" after the early shoppers had their pick. "Now Is the Time to Cash In On that Proposition" Begin your Christmas buying today. Practically all our holiday goods are now ready for your inspection. Come in while you have plenty of time to look at everything and avoid the Christmas rush and crush. No other gift causes so much sentiment or feeling of appreciation as jewelry; nor is it necessary to choose expensive jewels and gems. The important point is to make the proper selection. Every article in our stock is absolutely guaranteed to be just as represented. There is no qualification to this guaranty. We simply say, if the goods are not as represented return them and we will refund your money. A FEW SUGGESTIONS Watch, Ring, Lavallier, Bracelet, Smoker's Set, Table Silver, China, Cut Glass, Brass Novelties. Bring your friends along and inspect our stock while all lines are complete. It is always a pleasure to show you J. P. MAJORS

Mr. Will Seymour who has been a long sufferer with slow fever is reported to be improved, which all will be pleased to learn.

E. P. Kuck and wife spent Thanksgiving day with Mrs. Kuck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wenken, of Hermleigh.

We respectfully ask, what has become of Mark Hopkins? Come again; let's hear from you.

His High Standard.

That the American people have elevated to the highest office of honor and responsibility within their gift, a man, who has proven himself not only a deep scholar and profound statesman, but a devout churchman, who fully appreciates the services the church has rendered civilization, and who can find time amidst the pressing duties as chief magistrate of this nation, to participate in and deliver the principal address of the anniversary of our honored church, is a meaningful fact, not heard abroad, but appreciated by all good citizens cognizant of the comparative value of the forces of civilization. In the course of his oration on the 200th anniversary of the First Presbyterian church at Trenton, N. J., Woodrow Wilson said: "Life without the standard of the church is something like the faltering quicksand. The church is one of the many expressions of the permanent side of life. This church through its 200 years, has witnessed the birth and death of political parties. It has seen everything change except the search for God, and every community should realize that the search for God should take precedence over everything else."

Under the leadership of such a christian man as Woodrow Wilson, this government will be safe, for he thoroughly understands that "righteousness exaltheath a nation, but sin is a reproach to any people."—Evangeli

Hesperian Club.

Friday was Grandmother's day in the Hesperian club and Mrs. Collier was hostess. The meeting was held with Mrs. Nettles, who has lately bought the Collier home. The pretty home was lavishly decorated in autumn vines, leaves and branches. The piano, book cases and library table were massed with the beautiful foliage. A big bowl of silver-gray plants was on the center table and the dining room was massed with the same. Each guest had two autumn leaves pinned on their shoulders and the grandmothers were given the seats of honor. Those present were Grandmothers Cooksey, Hall, Ruddick, Vernon, Arnett, Q. D. Hall, Wulfjen, Milburn and Mrs. Donaldson. Miss Mary Coe and Miss Whipkey. Roll call was a grandmotherly reminiscence. Mrs. Ratliff and Miss Coe sang very sweetly. The Old Oaken Bucket; as an encore they sang Auld Lang Syne. Mrs. Shepherd read a selection, The First Thanksgiving. Miss Jo Dry read a Texas story of Thanksgiving. Miss Coe sang The Old Gray Bonnet. Mrs. Collier read a beautiful tribute to woman. Miss Whipkey played a pleasing piano number and was not allowed to quit until she had given several others. Mrs. Broadus was equally popular

with her banjo numbers, all of which were beautiful. Mrs. Majors and Miss Wulfjen as captains, chose sides for a spelling match, Miss Dry being teacher. The spelling was lots of fun, but as soon as five o'clock struck one of the "little girls" moved to adjourn to the social hour. This was done and the hostess served two courses of old-time dainties, that were just as good as could be. As favors dainty flower cards, the top one bearing the date "Nov. 29, Grandmothers' Day," the lower one "No Nation can fail that has good Grandmothers." The quotation for the day was: "O, a wonderful stream is the river of Time.

As it runs through the realm of tears, With a faultless rythm and a musical rhyme, And a broader sweep and a surge sublime. As it blends in the ocean of tears. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Allen.

TIMELY WARNING TO CALOMEL USERS

Calomel is a Form of Mercury, and if It Stays in the Human System, It's Effect is Terrible—Ask Your Doctor. Any physician will tell you that mercury, if it remains in the body, will soften and rot the bones, a disease doctors call necrosis of the bones. Calomel is a form of mercury, and to keep clear of danger it's a safe plan to take no calomel at all, especially as there is a better remedy. Both children and grown people will find a perfect substitute for calomel in Dodson's Liver Tone, a pleasant vegetable tonic that induces the liver to act and which never has any bad after-effects. In fact Dodson's Liver Tone will do every thing that calomel does without any of the dangers of calomel. A large bottle costs only fifty cents, and Floyd Beall's store will refund your money if you are not satisfied.

The war of the Balgan allies against the Turks is thought to be nearing an end, as the allies have captured all but three Turkish strongholds besides the outer defense of Constantinople and are now hammering at all of the remaining positions.

For Eczema

Use a mild soothing wash that instantly stops the itch. We have sold many other remedies for skin trouble but none that we could personally guarantee as we do the D. D. D. Prescription. If I had Eczema I'd use D. D. D. Prescription

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Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, who, with Senator Reed, of Missouri, has had charge of the campaign to elect United States Senators, intimates that the democrats will control the next Senate with at least fifty votes out of ninety-six.

No better Christmas present for a gentleman could be imagined, than a subscription to the Saturday Evening Post. The Magazine with 25¢ a copy million circulation. Phone 167.

SHERIFF'S SALE (Real Estate)

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Mitchell County, Texas, on the 23rd day of November, 1912, by Earl Jackson, Clerk of said County Court, for the sum of Five Hundred Sixty and 68-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a certain judgment in favor of L. J. Lagow in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1145 and styled Lagow vs. J. R. Porter, J. F. Porter and W. H. Porter, placed in my hands for service, I, G. B. Coughran, as Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas, did on the 23rd day of November, 1912, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: All of the west 120 acres of the south one-half of section No. 50 in Block No. 25, surveyed by the T. and P. Railway Company for the benefit of the Common School Funds by virtue of Certificate No. 2-1329, said 120 acres being the shape of a rectangle and off of the West end of said one-half of said section, and levied upon as the property of J. R. Porter, and that on the first Tuesday in January, 1913, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. R. Porter. And in compliance with the law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell county.

Witness my hand, this 23rd day of November, 1912. G. B. COUGHRAN Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas By Preston Scott, Deputy. 12-13

The Rev. Irl A. Hicks 1913 Almanac. The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Almanac for 1913 is now ready. It is the most splendid number of this popular Year Book ever printed. Its value has been more than ever proven by remarkable fulfillments of its storm, weather and earthquake forecasts this year. Professor Hicks justly merits the confidence and support of all the people. Don't fail to send 35c for his 1913 Almanac, or only one dollar for his splendid Magazine and Almanac one year. The best one dollar investment possible in any home or business. Send to Word and Works Publishing Company, 3401 Franklin Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR Look out for the cars! The Fords are coming two hundred thousand strong—and stronger. The fact that it is the most thoroughly tried and tested car in the world is the best guarantee of the Ford's reliability and superior worth. Every third car a Ford—and every Ford user a Ford "booster". New prices—run about \$570.00—touring car \$645.00—delivery car \$670.00—town car \$845.00—with all equipment, f. o. b. Loraine. Car load of 1913 models in transit. W. L. PETTY, Agt. Loraine - - - Texas

NOTICE The First State Bank OF WESTBROOK IN THE STATE OF TEXAS Is voluntarily closing its affairs. All note holders and other creditors of the corporation are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment. All parties are hereby notified to call for any and all valuable papers left in the care of this bank. J. L. BOWEN, Cashier November 20, 1912.

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Evening Train Going West, No. 3.....	7:42 P. M.
Evening Train Going East, No. 6.....	10:00 P. M.

COLORADO, TEXAS, DEC. 6, 1912.

Three hobos took possession of a freight train on the T. & P. road last week out near Allamore. When the conductor attempted to put them off, they all attacked him, one of the tramps beating the conductor over the head with a big revolver.

Quite a large amount of peanuts have been raised in Mitchell county this year and they are commanding a fairly good price. There is now a peanut factory in Abilene which is paying top prices for the nuts in good condition. The little Spanish variety has been almost altogether raised here, being very prolific and hardy. We saw a bunch last week with nearly one hundred sound and well matured nuts on it. If you don't want to sell the nuts, they can easily be turned into pork which will command a still better price.

Mr. Taft, in conjunction with state chairman McDowell and national committeeman MacGregor, is giving the Roosevelt adherents in Texas something to keep 'em a thinking. Postmaster Sloan Simpson, of Dallas, and both United States Marshals have been summarily dismissed and Taft men appointed in their room and stead. The charges preferred were "pernicious activity," and their removal was for "the good of the public service." It is understood that axmen McDowell and MacGregor have quite a long list of postmasters whose heads will ere long drop in the sawdust basket beneath the guillotine.

"Be sure and put it in the Record if there are good crop prospects in Mitchell county next year, for I am certainly coming back to old Mitchell when things get to coming her way again," said one of our subscribers who is leaving the county temporarily. Said he, further, "I've found the people here the very best I have ever met and only dire necessity forces me to go where I have the assurance of doing better. I'm not going from choice, and when the Record reports that good times have returned in old Mitchell you'll see me talking back in the first bunch. Mitchell county is all right and never a knock will I ever give it."

The Record man took a little trip into the country Sunday to ascertain the condition of the roads and look around generally. The roads of Mitchell county are in first class condition and it is a pleasure to ride over them in a buggy, wagon, automobile or to walk. The money spent in making these same roads was the best investment the county ever made. We wish there was some way by which to estimate the saving in time, horse power, repairs and the longevity of vehicular stock, by reason of the easier, quicker and larger haul the farmer is now able to make to and from market. We are sure the sum aggregate would more than equal the amount of money required to fund the bonds and pay interest on same. This deduction is self-evident to anyone who has ridden over the county roads before and after their betterment.

While the parcels post will help the business of the foreign mail order houses, it will help the local merchant just as much if he will go after the business in the same manner and as persistently as do these mail order houses. By the regulations of the law governing the cost of transportation, the rate depends on the distance. So, the local merchant can deliver his goods to the people out of town for less than it would cost the Chicago and St. Louis houses. "Fight the devil with his own fire," if you want to whip him. Go after the business just as persistently and steadily as

the mail order fellows do, and there is no doubt but that you'll mix things with them considerably in this parcels post business.

The stocks of holiday goods in West Texas will not be so large as they have been heretofore. The merchants realize that the money is not in this section to justify a big stock of such goods, and bought accordingly. Although the farmers received more for their cotton this year than last they have been applying it to the obligations contracted last year, as well as providing for making a crop next year. It is a healthy sign when the farmer foregoes buying of the non-essentials and applies his money only to those things necessary to the successful prosecution of his work. When times are better no class of people will respond more generously to the offerings of our local merchants than the Mitchell county farmer. Universally they are people coming from other sections of the south and southwest, who believe in living well, but who also believe they should be just before they are generous.

Brother—sister; whenever you are inclined to quarrel at Fate, the lack of opportunity, education, money or whatever else, just consider for a moment the achievements of those who are shut out from the beauties of the world by loss of sight, hearing, sometimes speech, and crippled besides; lacking the media of communication between their minds and the material world. Yet these people, of no wise better minds than you possess, have triumphed over these hindrances and obstacles and done more than the majority of those blessed with every physical sense, position, opportunity and means of gratifying their every wish. Whenever you are inclined to grumble at your lack of progress or success, just think of Helen Keller. Though deaf, dumb and blind from her infancy, she has acquired an education rarely attained by the most favored ones of earth; she has mastered several languages, by the sense of touch alone, and has recently given a public exhibition of her vocal powers by lecturing and singing in two different languages. And despite her handicaps, she is always cheerful and optimistic. If you have the opportunity, read her article in the last American magazine on "The Hands of the World." It is good for the grouchy, the blues and the chronic belly-ache.

The Record has on several occasions suggested the great service some one competent to do the work, would render the county, to write a dependably accurate history of the county. There are many things well worth the record for the benefit and convenience of coming generations. An authentic record of the chief incidents of the county, would save in after years much work and uncertainty about matters that must have an important bearing on events that will transpire. The compilation of such a history would be no child's play. The material would have to be gathered from records already existing and thoroughly corroborated testimony of the people who have lived here since the first pioneers pushed their way into this section to hunt the buffalo. There are yet living in this section many who came here in the seventies and early eighties, who could give just the needed data and information. Such histories of other counties have proven not only valuable as records, but profitable to those who compiled the work. Who—What patriotic citizen will volunteer to do this needed work?

Want to sell? Try the Record.

BUFORD BREEZES.

Did you miss the Breezes last week? Well, there was too much to do in town for the writer to get them out. Teachers' institute week.

Our school opened Monday with an enrollment of fifty the first day. Others are entering every day. Everything promises a fine year of work.

Since the last edition of Breezes, there have been several moves made in our neighborhood. Every house will soon be full for the next year.

N. J. Rogers has moved to the Redman place, and Len Bodine is moving into the house Mr. Rogers vacated. Mr. Prentiss Witt is moving to the Shepard place.

Messrs. Newman and Embs Free and E. J. Callaway in company with the Misses Hula, Annie, Millie and Mable Bodine attended the West Side Singing Convention at Westbrook last Sunday. They seem to have had a very enjoyable time.

Mrs. P. V. Callaway is moving to the city this week. We shall surely miss these good people from our community. Our best wishes go with them. We shall expect them in our midst occasionally at any rate. They cannot forget old acquaintances very soon.

Mr. Rush will occupy the Callaway farm for another year.

Mr. Rucker and family are moving to Ada, Oklahoma, this week. Our very best wishes go with them, and we heartily commend them to the good people where they go. Better try West Texas another year, Bro. Rucker. Next year we may raise a bumper crop.

Mrs. Twilla Prentiss is away on an extended visit to her mother who lives at Rising Star, Texas.

The young people enjoyed a "snap party" at Mrs. Callaway's last Thursday night.

Mr. A. C. Gist, who has been away on an extended business trip for several weeks will soon be at home again.

Mr. E. J. Callaway has been "on the road" for several days last week. He has already begun to look considerably like a salesman. Good luck to you, E. J.

Mr. Frank Redman and N. J. Rogers took a "bird hunt" in the fatan country last Saturday. We saw no game, but they say they bagged the birds alright. Mrs. Rogers went along to visit Mrs. Jenkins, who recently moved from our neighborhood.

A very attractive young lady arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil. It seems she will be entirely satisfied to stay with the folks. Mother and babe are doing well.

The patrons and trustees met at the school-house last Saturday and repaired the old house for school. When we get that new house next winter, well—we just can't keep from saying something about it. We must have it just as soon as possible. Our motto is More Teachers, Better Teachers. Fewer School Houses, Better School Houses. This will mean in the golden years to come, Better Homes and Better People.

Mr. Tom Alfrod and wife from Jones county have recently moved into our midst. They will occupy one of the Hagler houses next year.

Rev. A. D. Leach filled his regular appointment at Buford last Saturday and Sunday. Fairly good audiences were in attendance at these services.

Mr. Fred Bodine and Miss Reader were married last Sunday. Mr. Fred and the bride were served to a sumptuous repast at the home of the groom's parents Monday. We wish the young people great happiness and long and useful lives. They will make their home on the Elder Bodine place.

PENCIL PUSHER.

The pardon of Albert T. Patrick by Governor Dix on Thanksgiving day, was, in our opinion, not only a magnanimous act but one of simple justice. The agreement made between district attorney Jerome and the real, confessed murderer and would-be suicide, Jones, to turn state's evidence, thereby escaping himself and making Patrick the victim, was as much a plot to compass a man's death, as was ever hatched. Jones was set at liberty after swearing away the life of Patrick, and his identity lost under the guise of an assumed name. Patrick resisted the commutation of the death to a life sentence, on the plea that if he were guilty of the murder of old man Rice, he should be electrocuted; if not guilty, he should be set free. But he has never lost hope of final freedom, and his pardon truly justifies his hope.

Why can't "Our Joey" resign without all this press agent work preceding it? However, this stamps the resignation as genuinely "Balfy-esque." When he comes to take the ultimate trip with old Charon, his press agent will be found on the job.



"Real Fisherman's Luck for Duke's Mixture Smokers"

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LORAIN LOCALS

Dr. Eargle of Monroe was busy here this week.

Miss Loraine Dees has resumed her school work.

The Misses Neely entertained friends Friday night.

Mrs. R. A. Henthorn has returned from Sweetwater.

Mr. Archie Thompson was in from the ranch Saturday.

Mr. Bunk Groves made a quick trip to Colorado Wednesday.

V. D. Payne and son spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Payne.

Miss Rhuey Altman visited in Roscoe Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Lettie Miller visited in Colorado Friday and Saturday.

Miss Marie Coffee gave a social to her friends on Friday night.

Miss Pearl Norman began her school work at McKenzie this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickens have returned to their home at Sweetwater.

Mr. Willis Brown will ship two carloads of cattle to Fort Worth this week.

Mr. Roy Costephens, of Roscoe, visited one of our "fair sex" on Thanksgiving.

Mr. Gillie Reeder and family, of Sweetwater, spent Thanksgiving with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Tolp entertained with a family dinner Thanksgiving day.

Misses Lena Bennett and Myrtle Dyer, were guests of Miss Viola Zellner Thursday.

Miss Padgett of Colorado has been busy here as night operator in the telephone office.

Mrs. Hubert Toler entertained the younger set on Wednesday evening. All report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Knott are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter in their home Sunday.

Miss Sallie Givens and her brother and sister began house-keeping this week on the west side.

Miss Cora Reeder has returned home from Mineral Wells, where she has been for some time.

Messrs. A. Copeland, Clyde Wilson, Grover and S. T. Neely, W. Bennett, visited in Roscoe Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McRea are the fond grand-parents of a grand-daughter, Helen Ruth Hall, at Matador.

Mr. I. R. Wallis is quite ill this week. Miss Grace Baker began her school work as assistant teacher at Spade.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Duncan are rejoicing over the arrival of a grand-son at the home of Mr. Charlie Duncan, at Stanton.

Miss Lettie Miller had as her guests to dinner on Thanksgiving, Misses Norma Smith, Loraine Dees, Gay Ballard, Messrs. Fred Isom, Austin Butler, Andrew Smith, Tennis Wilson.

Quite a crowd enjoyed Thanksgiving at Thompson ranch on Thursday, of last week. They were Messrs. T. G. Bennett, W. F. Altman, J. L. Gregg, W. B. Thompson, B. Groves, T. Hall, Mr. O. Longbotham and family, Mrs. W. B. Thompson, Misses Thompson and Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and Mrs. Lee Walker and baby, left for Corpus Christi Thursday, where they will spend the winter.

Capt. Watlington says that he didn't have turkey for Thanksgiving, but enjoyed a very rare dish,—groundhog.

Sheriff Coughran's many friends are glad to know that he is able to be out again.

Mr. C. M. Thompson wrote his family this week that his brother died Sunday night. He and daughter are expected home soon.

Mr. Samp Wallis of Big Springs was

called home this week on account of the serious illness of his father.

Miss Dyas of Colorado was the guest of friends here Sunday.

Mr. B. Adkins and family are the guests of Mr. Whitten and family.

Mr. Bob Ervin and family are the guests of Mrs. Ervin's mother, Mrs. Griffith. They are moving to San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Baker spent Thanksgiving day in Roscoe.

Mrs. Griffith and daughter of Champion visited Rev. Smith and family this week.

Mrs. Baker, who will be remembered as Miss May Powell, of Champion, died at her home in Arkansas last Sunday.

Mrs. Malcom Blakeley and daughter of Terrell are the guests of Mr. R. B. Pratt and family.

Miss Hall came in from Temple, where she has been working in the telephone office for some time. She has accepted a position with the telephone company here. Miss Hall will be at home here as her parents are here.

Mr. James Bennett and family now occupy the residence of Mrs. Kelly.

Mr. Charlie Reeder spent part of Sunday and Monday down in the McKenzie community.

Rev. Smith is able to be out again and assisted in the Adams Merc. sale Saturday.

Rev. Hamilton of Merkel held services at the Methodist church Sunday.

The W. H. M. S. gave an interesting program at the church on Thanksgiving afternoon. They have their bazaar this month at Adams Merc. Co. store.

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We will hold a joint sale at H. L. Hutchinson's Furniture store Friday and Saturday, Dec. 13th and 14th, of Irish Crochet, Hand Embroidery and Painted China, and many other fancy articles. A large variety of patterns, pieces and prices appropriate for Christmas remembrances. Come see them.

MRS. LEE JONES & C. A. PIERCE.

Hymenal.

On Wednesday evening at 7:30 Mr. William Stuckler and Miss Beulah Padgett were quietly married by Rev. W. E. Lyon, at the Methodist parsonage, in the presence of only a few personal friends. Mr. Stuckler is a popular and efficient employee of the Wells & Fargo Express Company, while the bride has been an operator for the telephone company here for several years. The friends of this young couple wish for them a life of continual happiness and prosperity.

On last Sunday morning, at the home of the bride's parents, on the Handley place, ten miles northwest of Colorado, Mr. Fred Bodine and Miss Lula Reeder were married by Esquire M. C. Ratliff.

Mr. Oce Green and Miss Stella Pond were married last Sunday by Rev. A. D. Leach, at the home of the bride's parents in Colorado. Their many friends wish them much happiness and prosperity.

Judge Crockett is on the sick list this week.

Hawkes and Libbey cut glass at Majors, the Jeweler.

The show windows of some of the business houses are beginning to put on their regular holiday aspect.

Get a sack of that White Crest Flour and stop that fussing about sorry biscuits.—Colorado Merc. Co.

Mrs. Spruill and children spent Thanksgiving in Stanton.

During the Thanksgiving holidays, Miss Pauline Root and Miss Winnie Crockett, each entertained their friends with delightful parties. One was an evening the other an afternoon affair.

On Saturday evening little Miss Opal Woods gave an enjoyable play party. A number of her friends were present and thoroughly enjoyed the occasion.

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

The Cemetery Association met Wednesday with the secretary, Mrs. T. J. Ratliff. Dues were paid in and some business transacted. Adjourned to meet next month with Mrs. Gustine

Miss Louise Moor delightfully entertained the Whist Club Wednesday.

If you have anything moveable under the canopy, you want to sell, trade exchange or give—try the Record.

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Dr. W. C. Neal is Painfully Injured.

Dr. W. C. Neal met with quite a painful and unfortunate accident Saturday night about ten o'clock as he was returning from Simmons College where he had been as one of the judges in an oratorical contest which was held at the chafel for the T. C. Campbell gold medal. On reaching North Fourth street, opposite his residence he attempted to alight from a south bound street car which he thought had stopped on the switch and was thrown to the ground. In the fall one of the bones of his right arm was broken just above the wrist. Medical aid was immediately summoned and the injured parts given proper attention. The doctor suffered greatly Saturday night and Sunday, but is resting well today and is able to be down town and hopes to be able to resume his practice in ten days. He does not blame the street car company in any way for the accident as he did not ring to be put off and says that he carelessly stepped off while the car was in motion without having noticed that the car was still moving.—Ablene Reporter.

The Colorado friends of Dr. Neal will regret to learn of his misfortune and wish for him a speedy recovery.

The Christian Aid will meet Thursday with Mrs. Coe to make the articles that are being made for the bazaar. Besides the many things on sale as Christmas gifts the Red Cross Christmas seals will be on sale. These have been sent to the Hesperian Club by the chairman of the anti-tuberculosis society and the money made from them goes to the sanitarium, so use them on your Christmas packages.

Miss Pauline Pritchett of Colorado came in Sunday. Miss Pritchett is to teach the school at Johnson's Heights this term.—Coahoma Cor. Big Springs Enterprise.

Will C. Collier and family left Wednesday morning for Corpus Christi, where they will permanently reside if conditions and work in his trade are found to be better there than in West Texas.

Bargains—in remnant and new wall paper at W. L. Doss'. 10-181fc

**Pumpkin Ridge Oil and Gas Field
CLAY COUNTY, TEXAS**

We are opening up the largest Oil Field in Northwest Texas. It is situated on Pumpkin Ridge in Clay County, near the Petrolia Oil and Gas Fields which has wells producing 50,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day, having an economic value (coal being estimated at \$4 per ton) of over \$10,000,000 per day.

We propose to drill 16 wells for oil and gas under conditions named in our prospectus. We guarantee to put out first well down to a depth of 1850 feet unless oil is found at a less depth, and to test each oil sand as we go down. Our drilling crew of five men are now actively engaged in setting up the drilling machinery under our 84 ft. derrick preparatory to drilling our first well. We propose to keep continuously at it, until oil or gas is found.

ALL of the earmarks showing this to be the largest Oil Field in America are present. Gas is coming up through the ground that will burn on applying a lighted match. An analysis of the gas made by Prof. Phillips of University of Texas shows it to be NATURAL GAS. Asphalt and oil are also found near by.

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Your check is good. Send same by first mail for \$10 and say how many blocks you want us to keep for you. We will mail out full information on receipt of check and if you do not find everything exactly as represented by us we will return your money immediately. You can have 10 days to make an investigation. If you are pleased with your investment you may send us the balance of one-half of the purchase price, the remainder to be paid in 30 days. Should you buy 5 or more blocks we will give you 30, 60, and 90 days on deferred payments. You can sell 10 lots, get your money back and keep the balance. The number of Blocks for sale is limited; send your check today. You take NO RISK WHATEVER IN DOING SO. The earlier you send the closer you get to the first well. If you doubt our honesty write to our bank references.

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To Discriminating Christmas BUYERS

IN placing my special Christmas orders, I had due regard for the crops and general condition of the country. I bought only the more substantial and useful things; however, the most fastidious and discriminating buyers will find here things to please their taste and purse.

It were idle to mention the long list of things suitable for gifts. The very latest creations of the jeweler's art are here, and at prices never before offered.

My line of Gent's and Ladies' Watches

is the largest I've ever carried. They are here for the children also—and what more appropriate present for a bright boy or girl than a good dependable watch?

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Come Early and Get the Pick of the Bargains

JAS. T. JOHNSON

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

Phone 35 for meats.

J. E. Billingsley, of Dunn, came in Monday to join Mr. John Vaughan and together they went to the grand masonic lodge in session at Waco.

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

Two recent showers have put new life in all vegetation and the weeds are springing up on the prairies like the spring time. The fall is the gardening time for West Texas, and we see no reason why good gardens should not be made by all who have the desire for one and the necessary industry.

Fresh Oysters and Fish Fridays and Saturdays at Beal Bros.

Mrs. D. F. Gilson has discontinued the dining service of her boarding house; roomers will only be taken hereafter.

Genuine Pickard's American Hand-Painted china at Majors the Jeweler.

The "Pekinges" toy dog of Dr. Fuller is quite a curiosity to everyone in this country; no one having ever seen one of this breed before. Children and even grown-ups continually come to "see the Chinese dog" and witness its cute and cunning ways.

White Beauty Cooking Oil, 100 per cent pure, at Buchanan's.

Don't let the season pass without putting out a few trees on your premises or vacant lots. It will increase the comfort and attractiveness of your vacant lots. Try it once.

Only nineteen days until Christmas; do your holiday buying as early as you can.

Ben Morgan keeps all kinds of suits, candles, the best line of cigars and will soon be dispensing hot drinks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Gilson spent Sunday with friends in Sweetwater.

Fresh Oysters and Fish Fridays and Saturdays at Beal Bros.

Miss Tarkington, who for the past few months has been the trimmer at the millinery establishment of Mrs. D. F. Gilson, left for Fort Worth, Monday evening, where she will visit a sister for a few weeks before returning to her home in Oklahoma.

Save from \$3.00 to \$5.00 on that boy's suit at Manuel's.

Mr. S. S. Gardner, who for the past four years has been living near Lorraine, went up to Hardeman county about two months ago, and is so well pleased with the conditions there, he returned last week and moved his entire effects to that section. He wishes it distinctly understood that he never expects to see a finer country or people than Mitchell county and its people; and that with the first returning signs of prosperity and good crops, he will hike back to old Mitchell.

H. L. Baker, who went to Weinert, Haskell county, some few months ago, has returned to Mitchell county and Colorado, fully convinced that it is all foolishness to try to improve one's condition by moving.

\$6.00 to \$10.00 boys heavy winter knee pant suits at from \$3.00 to \$6.00 at Manuel's, next door to Burns & Bell.

Miss Pauline Prichett, of Colorado, came in Sunday. Miss Prichett is to teach the school at Johnson's Heights this term.—Cochosma Correspondent to the Big Springs Enterprise.

R. O. Pearson, manager of the Burton-Lingo Lumber Company at Colorado spent Monday in Snyder. Dick says he used to sell lumber all over this county and he knows about as many men in Snyder as in Colorado.—Snyder Signal.

We wish to call your attention to the fact that most infectious diseases such as whooping cough, diphtheria and scarlet fever are contracted when the child has a cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will quickly cure a cold and greatly lessens the danger of contracting these diseases. This remedy is famous for its cures of colds. It contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given to a child with implicit confidence. Sold by druggists.

E. H. Winn of Colorado was a guest of his sister, Mrs. J. I. Payne and family Sunday. Little James Everett Payne returned with him to spend a few days with his grandparents.—Sweetwater Reporter.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Tonic for constipation.

The Young Peoples' Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Wednesday with Eva Davis. The lesson being upon Young Women's Opportunity for Service. After the study a pleasant social time was had, Mrs. Hester being present as a guest and the hostess serving a refreshing salad course. Miss Rowena Hester will entertain next week on Tuesday.

You will find that druggists everywhere speak well of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. They know from long experience in the sale of it that in cases of cough and colds it can always be depended upon, and that it is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists.

Miss Annie Mae Wallis and Mr. Hart attended the State Teachers' Convention in Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. Samuel Gustine left Monday night for Fort Worth to attend the annual meeting of the U. D. C. She is a delegate from the Robert E. Lee Chapter.

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

See the up-to-date line of casseroles at Majors.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Majors spent Thursday with the home folks in Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Vaughan also went over for the day.

When you have a bilious attack give Chamberlain's Tablets a trial. They are excellent. For sale by all druggists.

Jim Coughran received his fine show cases last week and now everything in the store looks as inviting and attractive as fine furnishings, a well selected stock and attentive salesmen—say nothing of low prices—can make them.

Mr. McKee, the court stenographer for the 32nd judicial district, accompanied by Mrs. McKee, came in last week and is preparing for the coming term of district court. This will be Judge Shepherd's last court, and the new district judge, W. W. Beal, of Sweetwater, will begin his duties on the first of the new year. District Attorney W. P. Leslie will also begin his duties with the coming term of the district court in this county.

White Beauty Cooking Oil is odorless.—at Buchanan's.

Fifty-Ninth Anniversary.
Fifty-nine years is many more than the average span of human life. The person who has attained to this age is regarded as an old man or woman; more remarkable is it, therefore, to find a couple who have lived in wedded happiness this length of time.

On last Sunday "grandfather" and "grandmother" Hall, as they are affectionately called by all their intimate friends, reached the 59th milestone on their journey to eternity, as husband and wife. Fifty-nine years ago, on that date they were married near Seabrook, Illinois (1853), and their wedded life has been a model one. Today, both are hale and hearty, giving promise, under the providence of God, of many more years of usefulness and exemplary living.

Sunday, December 1st, was also the eighth anniversary of the marriage of their grand daughter, Miss Hall, to James W. Shepperd. It was made the occasion of celebration of both a fine turkey dinner, with a few neighbors and friends as guests. It is needless to add that a most delightful time was passed by all amidst such surroundings.

The Record voices the prayer of the entire community in its wish that these good people may be spared in health and strength to celebrate their 75th anniversary.

Thanksgiving Service.

The regular Thanksgiving service was held at the First Baptist church last Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. The service was opened with prayer, by Rev. Lyon. Rev. Hennessy read the scripture lesson. Dr. Coleman read the President's Proclamation. Miss Mary Coe sang a beautiful solo, "Just for Today." Special music was had, with Mr. Lee Jones, cornet; Miss Hunt, violin; Miss Whilkey, piano. The sermon was preached by Rev. C. P. Craig pastor of the First Christian church. The meeting was dismissed by Rev. Broome. The collection which on these occasions is devoted to the needy of the community, amounted to \$12.25, which was turned over to J. L. Doss, the treasurer of this fund.

Stands Ahead.

There is something about Hunt's Lightning Oil that no other liniment possesses. Others may be good, but it is surely the best. It does all you recommend it for, and more. For sprains, cuts, bruises, burns, aches and pains it has no equal on earth. It stands head on my medicine shelf.

Yours truly, T. J. Brownlow, Livingston, Tenn.

Mrs. P. A. Hazard returned last Friday night from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Davis, in Fort Worth. She was a delegate to the state convention of federated women's clubs, and while there had the pleasure of hearing several world-famous singers, among them, Galski and Lillian Nordica. She expressed herself as having had a most delightful and instructive visit.

Rev. William C. Hart came into this office last week and ordered his paper changed from route 2, Colorado, to Gall, Borden county, where the recent Methodist conference sent him for the next year. Rev. Hart has lived and worked in the immediate vicinity of Colorado for a long time—long enough to try out the man on all parts of the field, and he has been found lacking nowhere. He is a hard worker in the interests of his church; a man with the courage of his own convictions; a power for good and decent living in any community, and the people of Borden county have made a valuable acquisition to its citizenship in his going there. He will make his presence and good influence felt wherever he goes. The Record wishes him success and prosperity in his new home, while Mitchell county parts with him with regret.

Sprained Back.

Sprained back and sore muscles throw off their soreness when Hunt's Lightning Oil is applied. For relieving pain of any kind there is nothing better, and those people who have tried it for Neuralgia and Rheumatism are loud in its praise. For wire cuts Hunt's Lightning Oil is especially fine and it takes away the inflammation and causes rapid healing.—25c and 50c bottles.

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. 12-5p

Sam M. Yates, member of the state Epileptic Colony at Abilene, was found drowned in a creek near the Colony last week. Yates was only 33 years old, of good family and well fixed financially, besides receiving a pension of \$30 per month on account of service in the Spanish-American war.

Hawkes & Libby glass, the genuine, at prices no higher than you pay for so-called first quality.—Majors the Jeweler.

DR. PRICE'S BAKING POWDER

A pure, healthful, Cream of Tartar Baking Powder

When buying an article of food you are entitled to know exactly what you are buying—its quality and ingredients.

If this information is refused don't buy it. Some of the low grade baking powders are advertised, but the ingredients of the powders are scrupulously concealed.

A housekeeper would not use a baking powder containing alum if she knew it.

It is well when buying to examine the label on the can. Unless it shows the ingredient cream of tartar, don't buy it. Dr. Price's baking powder is absolutely free from alum.

U. D. C. Meeting.

The U. D. C. will meet Monday, the 9th, with Mrs. Vivian Shropshire, at three o'clock.

Roll call—State your attitude as regards children's auxiliaries.

Delegates report.

Music—Coming Thro' the Rye.

Reading—The Belle—Mrs. Annis.

Reading—A Christmas Story—Mrs. John Doss.

"She is a Bonnie Southern Girl!"—Miss Jo Dry.

Chapter discussion—Children's Auxiliaries in Texas. Our duty as daughters of the Confederacy to the children of the South—led by Mrs. Merritt.

Thanksgiving at the School.

Wednesday afternoon was devoted to Thanksgiving exercises in the different rooms of the public school. The tiny tots over at the Central Ward under Miss Hutton had a lovely program. Their room was made festive with cedar, mistletoe and ferns, and the little people, after they had heard the

story of Thanksgiving, sang their songs and said their pieces so nicely that all the mothers present were filled with pride.

In the fourth grade Miss Collins had decorations of flags, autumn leaves, pumpkins, corn and other vegetables and grains. Her children had a splendid program of songs and readings and all did nicely.

The higher classes gave their entertainment in the auditorium. Songs, readings, and dialogues were given by them. Several of the teachers who are here for the institute were on the program and were much enjoyed. The school had a holiday until Monday and the pupils had a great time.

Removal Notice.

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

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Scene From The Rosary Opera House, Thursday Night, Dec. 12

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All Who Are Interested

are cordially invited to visit and investigate our nursery if we can give you satisfaction we would be glad to supply your needs in the nursery line.

LOCAL NOTES

Phone 35 for meats.

Geo. B. Root made a business trip to the plains last week.

150 boys knickerbocker suits at actual cost at Manuel's, next door to Burns & Bell.

Try a can of White Beauty Cooking Oil from Buchanan's.

W. L. Ellwood came in last Friday night and in company with Mr. D. N. Arnett, his local manager, went down to the Rendrebrook ranch to look over his interests.

If you are troubled with chronic constipation, the mild and gentle effect of Chamberlain's Tablets makes them especially suited to your case. For sale by all druggists.

Mr. F. M. Bourn left last Saturday morning for Kansas City to fetch the two cars of fine shorthorn bulls he recently purchased in that state for the Fuller ranch in Scurry county.

When you buy cut glass insist on the genuine—Majors, the Jeweler.

John D. Lane of Iolanthe was up last Saturday. He said his section had received a splendid rain about the time it rained last here; that the weeds and grass were coming in a hurry.

Jim Collier returned last week from Quanah, where he has been running a gin for the past several weeks.

Bargains—in remnant and new wall paper at W. L. Doss', 10-181c

Mr. W. C. Smart of Paducah, Tex., came in last Sunday night to visit friends, returning on Monday. He reports a magnificent rain in that section the night he left.

The Ladies Home Journal is an ideal present for any lady. Phone 157 and ask about it.

Mrs. F. B. Whipkey of Colorado, is the guest of Mrs. J. P. Glenn this week and is meeting many old friends, who are glad to see her. Mr. Whipkey also stopped over enroute to Waco to attend the annual meeting of the Masons.—West Times.

A Des Moines man had an attack of muscular rheumatism in his shoulder. A friend advised him to go to Hot Springs. That meant an expense of \$150.00 or more. He sought for a quicker and cheaper way to cure it and found it in Chamberlain's Liniment. Three days after the first application of this liniment he was well. Sold by all druggists.

The cotton still continues to roll in to town and the shrill whistle of the local gins announce the fact that they are busy.

Enough old, clean newspapers to lay a carpet for 20 cents, at this office.

Mrs. Chas. Lasky sends the Record this week to her friend, Mrs. M. T. Crawford, who moved from this place to Conrad, Montana about three years ago.

We received a card last week from J. G. Doby, who went from this place to Plainview last year to practice "irrigation," to change the address of his Record from Plainview to Dallas, Tex.

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

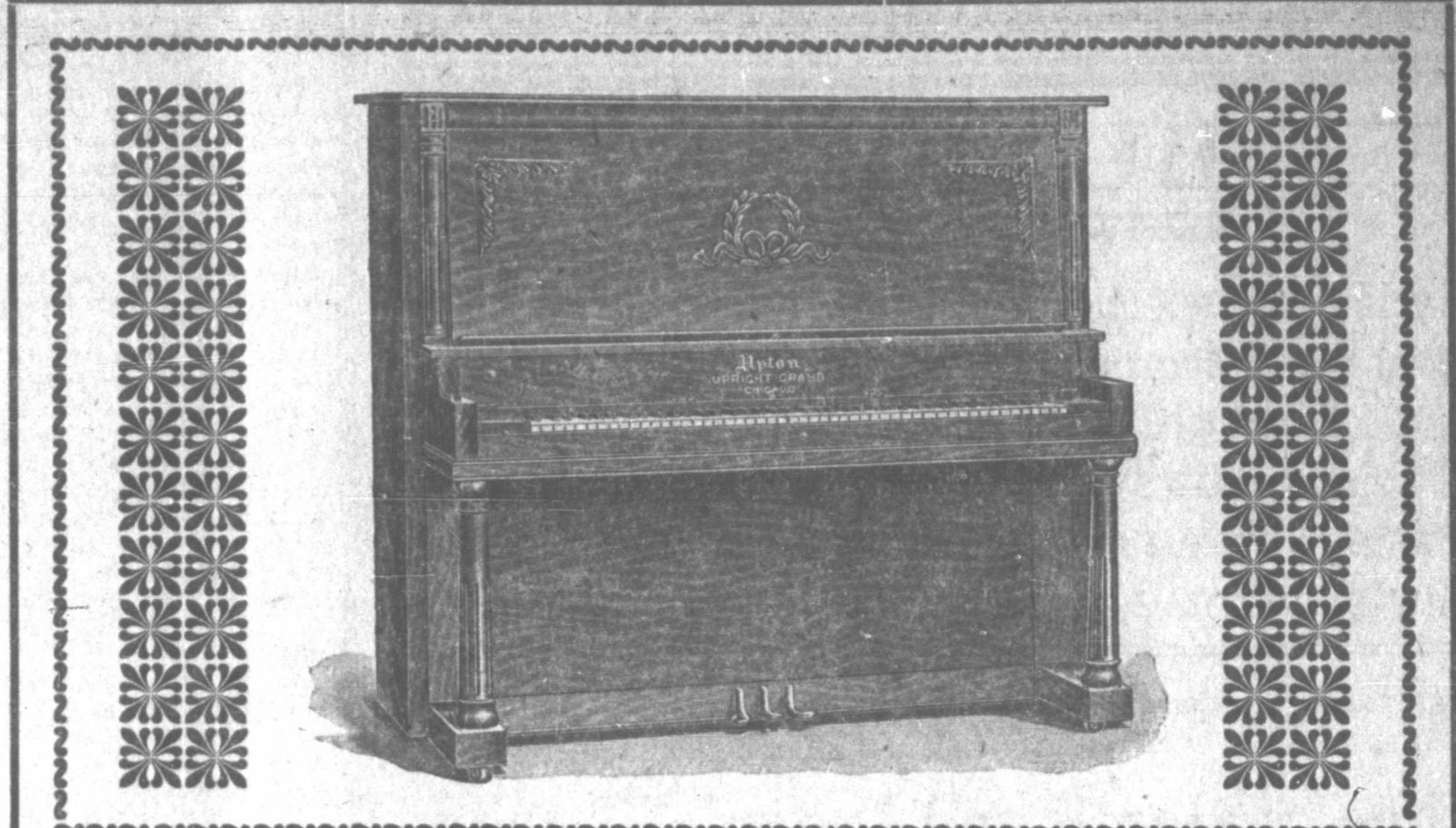
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BARGAINS

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We Invite You to Call at Our Store Any Time During Next Week

when we will take pleasure in showing you some splendid values in all departments. DON'T FORGET TO ASK FOR PIANO VOTES WITH EVERY PURCHASE.

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"The Christmas Store"

NOW OPEN

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A Regular Fairyland of Toys

Something for every member of the family.
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Hides! Hides!

EGGS AND POULTRY

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

WM. DEBUSK

Joe R. Shepard returned from Waco last Saturday morning with a broad smile illuminating his placid countenance. He had been before the committee on the Royal Arch Chapter work and passed the examination which entitles him to a certificate as "official instructor in the esoteric work of the order," a distinction coveted by every mason of that degree. And by the way, there are several more very bright ritualists in this lodge, chapter and council.

Beautiful eight inch genuine cut glass bowls, only \$3.00 at Majors, the Jeweler.

J. I. Payne came over from Sweetwater to spend the Thanksgiving day in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McKenzie was in the city a few days last week, having motored up to bring Miss Stoner home, who had been spending a few days on the ranch with them.

Miss Lela Whipkey returned from Big Springs Sunday night, where she had been several days visiting her friend, Miss Wasson.

J. J. McLure of Colorado was registered at the Palace Sunday.—Abilene Reporter.

For your Christmas baking you want a pretty white flour, Phone 63 and get a sack of White Crest and be convinced.

Miss Wallis was called to her home in Loraine Sunday by the illness of her father, and Miss Roe is presiding over the sixth grade this week.

Miss Edna Majors of Sweetwater is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Vaughan.

Miss Omeira Terry, who is teaching out at Coahoma, spent the week end with home folks.

Miss Roxie Coughran spent Thanksgiving at Coahoma with her friend, Miss Omeira Terry, the latter returning to Colorado with her.

Mr. Keene, of Abilene, connected with the Continental Cotton Oil Co., was a business visitor here for the past week.

Phone your order to the Colorado Mercantile Co. for everything good to eat.

The Junior Standard was entertained by Miss McComas last week and Miss Eleanor Van Tuyl is hostess this week.

Mrs. Burns entertained the Standard Club last week. Mrs. Hooper led the Shakespeare lesson. Mrs. Looney the Magazine. Mrs. Looney gave a paper upon Hamlet's mother and Lady Macbeth. The hostess served the very loveliest refreshments imaginable. Mrs. Crockett is the hostess this week.

The Pythian Sisters had a called meeting of their lodge Tuesday afternoon.

Last Sunday Mr. J. J. McLure received a message from Vernon that his youngest sister, Mrs. Lester, was very low, and to come at once. He left on the night train but his sister had passed away before he reached her. His many friends sympathize with him in this hour of sorrow.

For your Christmas cake that you are going to make, the flour must be the best—get a sack of White Crest at Colorado Mercantile Co.

Our cut glass is bought direct from the cutters and we save you the jobbers profits.—Majors, the Jeweler.

Mrs. J. L. Allen spent Thanksgiving in Sweetwater.

White Beauty Cooking Oil at Buchanan's.

Most everyone who had a gun went hunting on Thanksgiving day.

Miss Elsie Hooper entertained the 500 Club this week. There were four tables of players, Mrs. Garner Hammock being the only guest. Miss Hooper served an elaborate refreshment course of roast turkey and all the good things that accompany it. Miss Earnest will entertain next week.

Mr. Ellis Williams, of Jacksboro, a cousin of Mrs. W. H. Moesser, is visiting the latter this week.

J. A. Conaway and H. H. Griffin, of Westbrook, were business visitors this week.

J. L. Bowen of Westbrook, was in the county capital this week.

Quite a number went out to the west side singing convention, which met at Westbrook on last Sunday.

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