

# Colorado Record

EIGHTH YEAR.

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## YOU MAY BE DISAPPOINTED

### IF YOU WAIT

If you wait till the norther is upon us to buy your heater, you may be disappointed in getting it put up. Buy it now and be ready when the norther comes. I can't serve all at once.

I have the largest stock of Ranges ever brought to Colorado—

### Wetter's and Buck's

—which are offered at remarkably reasonable prices. Come examine them before buying.

My stock of heating stoves, both wood and coal, was never larger or cheaper. I can fit you up in any price heater you want.

Don't wait until you need, but buy your heater now.

## H. C. Doss

#### WEDDING AT SILVER.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Devall Sunday evening, Nov. 9, when their daughter, Viola, became the wife of Mr. Francis Adams. That this young couple were very popular in the McKezleville community was testified to by the large crowd which assembled to witness the ceremony and to wish them God speed. The words which made them one, were impressively spoken by Elder V. A. Silman of the Church of Christ. The bride looked her prettiest in satin messaline trimmed in net lace and beading. The groom looked quite handsome in his black suit. They will leave in a few days for their new home at Teville. They received many handsome and valuable presents from their admiring friends, as well as hearty congratulations and many good wishes.

Our High School is in great need of physical apparatus in its laboratory. The proceeds of the entertainment next Monday night will be devoted to that end. Go out and hear it.

#### A GOOD DAY'S GRINDING.

When Esquire Ratliff's court opened for business last Monday morning, a casual passer-by would have imagined that Mexico and Africa were having some kind of arbitration. But it was only the round-up of the drunks, disorderlies and crap shooters of the previous Saturday night, putting grist into the hopper of the mill of Justice. There was but one emanation from the bench when another case was called—"Eleven-seventy," which he varied ten dollars worth in the case of the crap shooters, by amending—"Twenty-seven-seventy." The aggregate of fines in 'Squire Ratliff's court was \$64.80, the sum of \$35.10 being imposed in the Recorder's court, making a total of \$99.90. But for the life of us, we can't yet see why that ten cents was left off.

Attend the lecture at the High School auditorium next Monday night. It is in the interests of our own school.

Our patients are our best advertisers  
EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

# Tanks Cisterns Gutters and Tin Work of all kinds Winn & Payne

#### AUTO COLLISION AT SWEETWATER

On last Tuesday afternoon, while a party of six were speeding over the country in an automobile belonging to Glen Smith, a collision occurred with another machine. Facts in the case seem difficult to get, nothing appearing in any of the daily papers, and parties who were in Sweetwater at the time of the accident vary widely in the details of the affair.

The collision occurred a mile and a half west of Sweetwater on the recently constructed graded road, and we understand, on a high fill. There were in the speeding car at the time of the accident, Glen Smith, who owned the machine; Ernest Baker, Albert Tinkler, Chas Rainwater, Jeff Harden and Cliff Smith. Mr. Smith was the only one of the party who escaped without a scratch. Glen Smith was considerably bruised, but no bones were broken; Ernest Baker's left arm was broken; Albert Tinkler was bruised up; Jeff Harden's left leg broken, while Chas. Rainwater sustained a fracture of his spine, which may prove fatal.

Owing to entire absence of authentic details in this sad affair, we learned nothing of the parties in the other machine. In fact, one report has it that there was no collision, but a jump from an embankment; another has it that a telephone pole was struck. We give only the current reports. However, in every account, the presumption seems strong that the party of young men were out on a roystering ride, and had imbibed too freely of the cup to consider the rights of others.

Why are more Fords used than any other make of cars? It isn't because simply, they are cheap, because buyers want service and durability no matter what price they pay. Its because the Ford gives most for the least money. That's the secret of their popularity.

We have almost been afraid to enjoy the spring-like weather which has prevailed the past three weeks, to its fullest, believing that the elements were merely getting in condition and position to even it all up. As a matter of fact—very cold weather is always a positive hardship to the majority of us poor folks. Improvident to the last notch, we put off preparing for what we know is inevitable sooner or later, until we are caught and at the mercy of those provident souls who were "wise" enough to buy oil for themselves and for their neighbors if their neighbors had the price. Did you ever think of the relation between the "oil" used in the parable and the latter day stuff on which the "foolish" are so often pinched.

#### H. D. WOMACK BUYS FLOAT LINE.

This is to give notice that I have bought the T. C. Bounds floatline with teams, good will and contracts etc. I will now run two teams and carefully attend to all your hauling.

#### H. D. WOMACK.

I thank the merchants of Colorado and the general public for their patronage, and bespeak a continuance of the same with Mr. Womack, who will carry out all contracts made with me.

#### T. C. BOUNDS.

#### A VALUABLE SUGGESTION.

Important to Everyone.  
It is now conceded by physicians that the kidneys should have more attention as they control the other organs to a remarkable degree and do a tremendous amount of work in removing the poisons and waste matter from the system by filtering the blood. During the winter months especially, when we live an indoor life, the kidneys should receive some assistance when needed, as we take less exercise, drink less water and often eat more rich heavy food, thereby forcing the kidneys to do more work than Nature intended. Evidence of kidney trouble, such as lame back, annoying bladder troubles, smarting or burning brick-dust or sediment, sallow complexion, rheumatism, may be weak or irregular heart action, warns you that your kidneys require help immediately to avoid more serious trouble.

Many physicians claim that an herbal medicine containing no minerals or opiates has the most healing influence. An ideal herbal compound that has had most remarkable success as a kidney and bladder remedy is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

You may receive a sample bottle of Swamp-Root by Parcels Post. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co. Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also mention the Colorado Weekly Record.

The Ford Car is the best car on the market to day for the money. Herrington sells them and has them in stock for immediate delivery.

#### ASK FOR CATALOGS FROM PRISON CELLS.

Men Behind Bars Vivially Interested in Automobile Progress.

#### ONE LETTER A MONTH

All They Can Write But They Use it to Get the Desired Information.

When a man is allowed just one sheet of letter paper each month, in which to convey his dearest wish to the outside world of which, for the time, he is no longer an active part, he may be expected to concentrate on this message all the result of long deliberation. That is exactly the condition faced by many an inmate of the federal or state prisons. One letter a month is the standard rule, and even this is conditioned on good conduct.

Imagine, therefore, the genuine interest which must prompt a man, so situated, to make use of this monthly sheet of paper to write an automobile manufacturer for a copy of his latest catalog!

Not one, but two cases of this sort have come under the notice of the Studebaker correspondence staff since the announcement of the new Studebaker "Four" and "Six" cars.

In the Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, military prison, the Studebaker announcement reached the eye of Prisoner No. 3945. He took his lone sheet of paper and made his October message to the world outside a request for information on the new Studebaker "Six".

The same announcement found its way into the cell of Inmate A7559 in the Western Pennsylvania State Prison, at Pittsburg, North Side. He, too, used his monthly sheet of letter paper to make a similar request. Unlike that of the Fort Leavenworth recluse, the Pittsburg man's letter was more than a formal request.

"Please send me at your earliest convenience," ran the opening line, in the tone of a man whose time is valuable and whose impatience rises at the very thought of delay. And with, "By so doing you will oblige, very respectfully yours," he closed.

As in the cases of the thousands of other inquiries, brought out by the announcement, both letters were given personal replies by the Studebaker correspondence staff, which also forwarded the requested catalog information to the two lonely men who, though copped up in prison walls are ever looking forward to that more or less definite date when they shall again enjoy liberty, and all the blessings that go with it.

Whether or not No. 3945 at Fort Leavenworth, and No. A7559 at North Side will ever be able to enter the market as active automobile buyers is a matter which their correspondents will never know. What they do know, however, is the fact that each of these men harbors deep down in his heart, despite the cold walls which hide him away, the hope that he may again be free and may enjoy that liberty to the full, at the wheel of his own Studebaker car.

#### THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF.

Girls! Try it! Hair Gets Soft, Fluffy And Luxuriant at Once—No More Falling Hair.

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy, or too oily, get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalps and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now?

We have a few good number in trimmed hats that will sell cheap—Saturday only.  
MRS. MILLS.

**BATAVIA GOODS**

## Tie a String

Around your finger to remind you to order your canned goods from us.

**Just Received a Big Shipment**  
Of the Well Known

### Batavia Canned Goods

Such as Asparagus Tips, Cherries, Red Pitted Cherries, Raspberries, Apricots, Peaches, all sizes and grades Pine Apple, little tiny sifted Peas, Crabs, Lobsters, Fish Flake and Shrimp.

Also a full stock of fancy Thanksgiving and Christmas groceries.

**Have You Forgotten**  
we are the people who put LOW in low prices and HIGH in higher quality?

## Colorado Mercantile Co.

**Get Material For Your Fruit Cake NOW**

**ORDER NOW**

#### TO THE PEOPLE.

This is to notify you again that meat is cash. We have told you before that we don't mind making a ticket for a day or two if you happen to drop in without the money, but those of you who are letting your ticket run up to three, four or five dollars please cut it out and pay the cash. Remember we sell coupon-books at a discount. You may not believe it but it's a fact and you can find out by inquiring that we are selling you meat cheaper than it is sold in adjoining towns, but to do so we must have the cash.

We thank you for your trade and will do our best to furnish you with first class meat at as reasonable price as possible.

#### BEAL'S MARKET.

#### SCHOOL NOTES.

The quarterly examination has just closed, and the student body as a whole are well pleased with their grades. Of course some pupils failed to pass, but this was expected, for not all school children study.

The library has been moved from the stage in the auditorium preparatory to installing our new stage scenery which is daily expected. The purchase of stage paraphernalia was made possible by the business men of the town who took advertising space on the front curtain. We have the full stage setting including two curtains. This is something we long have needed, for the literary societies, heretofore, in staging a play have been seriously handicapped for the lack of it. The teachers consider that the work required in the literary societies is one of the most important features of the curriculum.

The state law requiring teachers' institutes necessitates the closing of our school next week, and while it is a matter of regret it is one of necessity—a matter of law. All of the teachers in the county will hold a five day's session at the High School auditorium beginning next Monday.

Mr. Pos an expert piano man tuned our piano last week, and the tone is decidedly improved.

Hon. "Cyclone" Southers and wife will lecture at the auditorium next Monday night, the twenty-fourth, under the auspices of the High School Department, the proceeds to go toward physical equipment for that department. These people have an international reputation as intertainers, and those who fail to hear them will miss a rare opportunity. Prices, Adults, thirty-five cents; school children, twenty-five cents.

#### Reporter.

Go to the Opera House Friday night, the 21st, and see a good entertainment. You'll be helping a most worthy and appreciative cause.

#### TWO TEXAS COUNTIES FREED FROM QUARANTINE FOR SCABIES.

Washington, D. C.—The Acting Secretary of Agriculture has issued an order releasing, on November 17, from Federal quarantine for cattle scabies (also called "cattle mange") the Counties of Howard and Borden in the State of Texas. The release of these two counties is the first visible effect of the general dipping order recently promulgated by the State Live Stock Sanitary Commission requiring that between the dates of September 1 and December 1, 1913, all affected herds in the quarantined areas should be dipped twice, and all herds exposed to the parasite dipped once, under State or Federal supervision. The Department of Agriculture through the Bureau of Animal Industry is co-operating actively in the enforcement of this order, and since September 1 approximately sixty State and Federal employees have been engaged in the inspection and supervision of the dipping of cattle in the Panhandle country of Texas. The Panhandle Cattle Raisers' Association is also co-operating with the State officials. It is expected as a result of this general dipping of cattle that within a short time additional areas in Texas will be released from quarantine for cattle scabies.

#### Cause of Insomnia.

The most common cause of insomnia is disorders of the stomach and constipation. Chamberlain's Tablets correct these disorders and enable you to sleep. For Sale by W. L. Doss

Why tie up so much money in a car? You may want another style or make in a few years. Buy a Ford now, and when you want something more up to date next year, you won't have to make a big sacrifice on your old car.

Read our ad on page 7.

EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

#### TO PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS

Any kind of a car can pull in sand after hard rains or damp cool weather. It is in July and August. When the sand is dried out, chopped up and fluid as water and the weather blazing hot, when sand pulling arguments are in order. In winter sand is little more difficult to pull than hardpan. In order however, to quiet misrepresentation, the Studebaker car stands ready at any and all times, to meet any car in hill or sand pulling contests. None are barred, but will meet all comers.

#### F. S. KEIPER.

Studebaker Agent.

# PREPARE for WAR IN TIME OF PEACE

DO your Christmas shopping early—get choice of the goods and avoid the rush. While we can't take the time and space to describe in detail the many appropriate articles that we have for your inspection, we do want to call your attention to the fact that our stores are and will be headquarters for a great selection of presents for all the family.



### In Our Floorcovering Department

We have a beautiful line of Art Squares, ranging in price from \$7.50 to \$25.00. You must see them to appreciate the real beauty and quality of same.

### A Handsome Gift for the Dining Room

Would be one of those fine dining room suits in golden early English or fumed oak, ALL in the very latest designs; also a nice assortment of odd pieces in dining room furnishings. The quality and the prices are right.

### For the Baby

We have one of the strongest lines of Go Carts we have ever had, also Sulkies, all at very popular prices. The go-carts from \$3.50 to \$15.00 and the Sulkies \$3.00 to \$4.00. Why not present that fine baby one for Christmas?

### Desks and Bookcases

A nice roll top desk, a lady's desk, a davenport or some sectional bookcases would all be very nice presents for anyone to give to friend or relative.

First, we must not overlook one of the greatest gifts that anyone could offer to wife or mother who is a housekeeper, and that is the greatest of all kitchen cabinets,

### The FAMOUS HOOSIER

A host of ladies will receive a Hoosier for Christmas, so why not you choose one for your wife or mother?

### In Bedroom Furniture

we will have beautiful Bird's Eye Maple to show you next week, in Princes Dressers, beds and chiffoniers; also the chair to go with the above pieces.

### Rockers For All the Family

Rockers for grandpa and grandma; for father and mother—in fact, the entire family. We show one of the most attractive lines of rockers this year perhaps you have ever inspected in Colorado, in many finishes, and will range in price from 50 cents to \$25.00 each. You may find just the chair you are looking for.

TRADE MARK



LEGGETT & PLATT  
CARTHAGE, MISSOURI.

The above cut is an exact reproduction of the BLACK TIN TAG found only on the original LEGGETT & PLATT patented single cone noiseless spring beds. This line is positively imitated more than any other line of single cone spring beds on the market. Why—because the idea of its construction is and has been for the past twenty years universally known to be the best. Compare the temper, workmanship and finish with that of the imitators. See that your spring bears the Black Tin Tag.

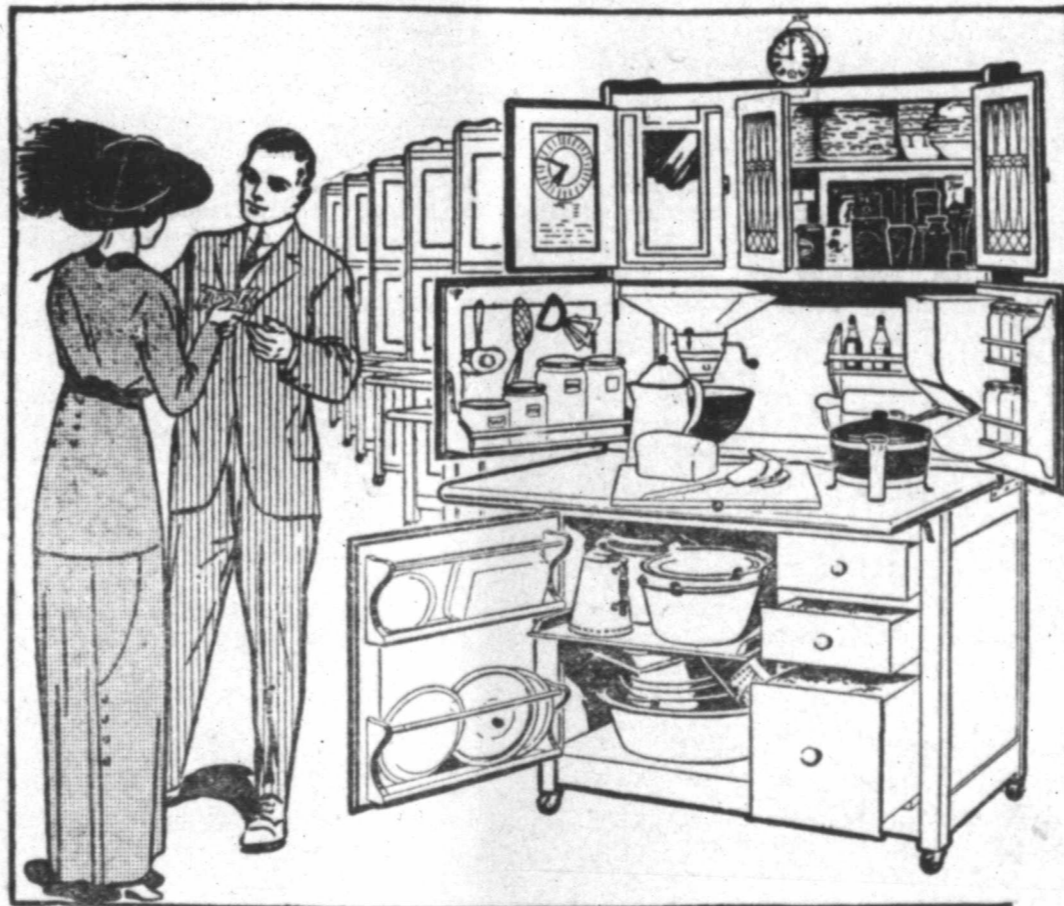
### The Best Sewing Machines On Earth

If you have been putting off buying a sewing machine for your wife, come let us sell you the best machine on earth and your wife will no doubt be one of the happiest women on earth. We have the Standard, the New Home, the Ruby, the Free, and the Humming Bird—all of which we will make special prices on for the cash.

### Holiday Picture Framing

Bring your pictures on and let us frame them before the holidays and we will keep them for you. We always have so much framing to do during the approaching of Christmas that we are rushed, so we would be glad to have the work sooner this time, in order that we may give same our most careful attention.

We invite a careful inspection of our goods.



### Shelf Hardware

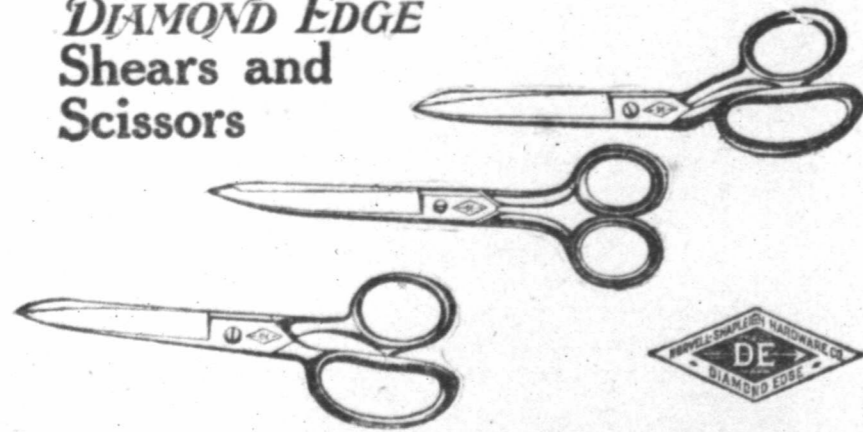
We are pleased to announce that we have one of the best lines of Shelf Hardware, Stoves and Stove Supplies, Queensware, Glassware, Enamel ware and Tinware, in Colorado.

### Bicycles, Rifles, Etc.

For the boys we have a fine line of Bicycles, Air Rifles, Pocket Knives and Velocipedes. And Carving Sets, Silver Spoons, Silver Knives and Forks, and lots of other things that would be nice for husband, wife or sweetheart—in fact any member of the family. The prices are right and the quality cannot be excelled.

**NOW REMEMBER,** we will gladly take care of any purchase that you make, for you until Christmas. What we want you to do is to come in and make the selection now, telling us you will take same, and we will put the items away for you.

### DIAMOND EDGE Shears and Scissors

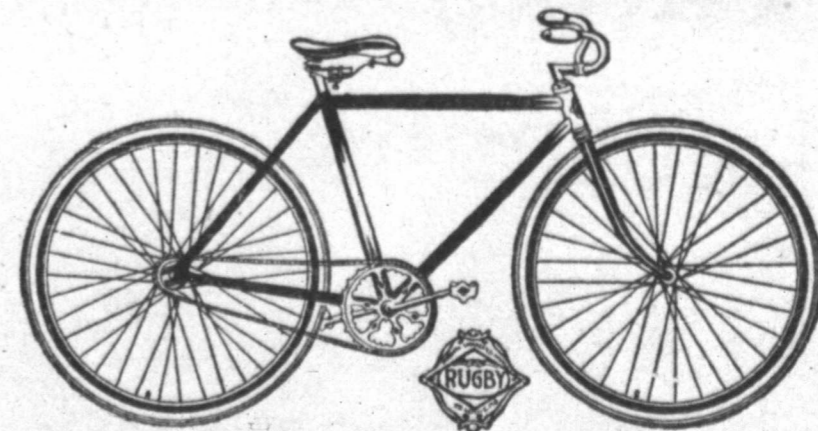


"A half dozen pairs of scissors and not one that will cut." Did you ever say this? Did you ever hear this? Isn't it provoking? You never need say it again if you will buy the Diamond Edge kind. They will not only outlast several pairs of the ordinary kind but will cut clean as long as they last.

We want you to buy a pair of these Diamond Edge shears or scissors, and in using them remember where you got them and that they are the Diamond Edge. After using them you will look for Diamond Edge whenever you buy any kind of an edged tool, for

"DIAMOND EDGE IS A QUALITY PLEDGE"

### THE RUGBY BICYCLE



Rugby class and Rugby quality is typified by the above machine. In line, in design, in finish, in general excellence of material it is in a class to itself.

There may be higher priced bicycles, but there are no better bicycles made than the Rugby, illustrated above. Come and see this machine. Get our prices.

# H.L. HUTCHINSON & CO.





Payne's



This Season's New Arrivals

- Dates
- Stuffed Dates
- Seedless Raisins
- Currents
- Citron
- Orange
- and
- Lemon Peel
- Shelled Pecans
- Shelled Almonds
- All Kinds
- of
- Nuts
- Bulk Pickles
- Mackerel
- And
- All
- Dried Fruits

Payne's

LORAIN NEWS ITEMS.

**CAMPBELL-COPELAND.**  
One of the prettiest home weddings that has yet occurred in our little town was that of Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Copeland when their only daughter Miss Myrtle was led to the altar by Rev. J. N. Campbell of Colorado.

The house was beautifully decorated throughout with pink and white cut flowers and as the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's were rendered by Miss Ethelyne Hall the bridal couple entered, Rev. G. W. Farris in short but befitting words performed the ceremony.

The fair young bride gowned in cream shadow lace overbrocaded mes-saline with pearl trimmings made a striking picture with the handsome groom in the conventional black.

After congratulations the guests were ushered into the dining room where a delicious course was served and the bridal cake was cut which afforded much merriment and Miss Annie Gregg was the lucky girl to get the ring. The happy couple soon left for the train attended by the few relatives and intimate friends who were present, where amid showers of rice and good wishes they departed for Dallas to attend the Baptist Convention which meets there this week.

The bride's going away gown was a black brocaded velvet coat with broad cloth shirt. She is the only daughter in the home and graduated from Baylor this year is a lovely girl possessing all the sweet traits and accomplishments that make the true woman and a helpmate for the one she has chosen for a companion.

Rev. Campbell is the pastor of the Baptist Church of Colorado and while young and just beginning his work has a bright future and is in every way worthy of the girl he has won.

And it is the prediction of their host of friends and acquaintances that theirs will be a life of happiness and usefulness that will reach into Eternity.

So the prayers and best wishes of those who know them will attend them on their journey through life. They will be at home in Colorado after Monday.

The out of town guests were Miss Mannie Shelton of Honey Grove, Mrs. Campbell and daughter and Miss Farry Neely and Mr. Jessie Bullock of Colorado.

Mr. Ray Kidd and Miss Sammy Morrison were married at the home of the bride South of town on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. G. W. Farris officiating. After congratulations the guests were served to a cake and fruit course. The bride is the oldest daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morrison and is a splendid christian character and well suited to help make a happy home.

The groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kidd who reside north of town and has been reared here, is well and favorably known and has a goodly number of relatives and friends who wish for him many of the blessings of life. They have fitted up a home on their farm near town. They were served to an elegant dinner at his father's home on Monday. They both have many good wishes for their future happiness.

Wilson and family and Dan Butler and wife visited in Roscoe Sunday.

Mrs. Jessie Pratt has been quite sick.

Mrs. Brady Porter is convalescent from her recent illness.

Prof. G. L. Farrer was up from Trent Saturday and reports his school work pleasant and progressive.

Mrs. R. A. Henthorn visited in Sweetwater this week while her husband was away.

Miss Lillie Nelson, Mrs. T. R. Bennett, Prof. Elliott, J. L. Gregg assisted in the Saturday rush at The Lorraine Mercantile.

Mrs. W. L. Petty of Snyder and children are guests of her parents this week.

Miss Ethel Coffee was up from Abilene Sunday to visit her parents.

Mrs. Mary and Miss Mamie Williams of Champion were up shopping Monday.

Miss Chlorius Griffith of Champion came up Monday to enter school.

The Philmath Club held open session at the home of Mrs. W. H. Henthorn on Friday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. The house was decorated throughout in the Club colors pink and white. An interesting program on Club work was rendered by several of the members. Then music and social chat was enjoyed. The guests were served to a refreshing salad course. Afterwards souvenirs of dainty design and a bouquet of violets were distributed to each departing guest who voted it one of the most delightful affairs of all the social gatherings.

Miss Lettie Miller is preparing for a recital in the near future.

ONCE AGAIN  
The Christmas Store

On an Even Grander Scale Than Last Year

5c and 10c Toys by the hundreds.

Scores of medium priced presents for all ages.

DANDY SELECTIONS FOR MEN.

Dolls! Dolls! Dolls!—Baby Dolls; Kewpie Dolls; Crying, Walking, Talking Dolls; Bisque, Celluloid, Rubber, China, Kid, Unbreakable Dolls



5 cents up

NOVELTIES

OUT OF THE ORDINARY—

JUST THE KIND YOU HAVE BEEN WISHING FOR

Guitars and Violins

We could fill a newspaper with a list of what we have, but we want you to see for yourself—seeing is believing.

Open About Dec. 1—Next Door to Postoffice

J. Riordan Co.  
The Racket Store People

To see one of the rural route mail carriers start out now looks more like an express and freight business than anything else. Think of what they will have to contend with during the holiday season, especially in the cities. If the number of pounds eligible to parcels post be increased to 100, it will be necessary to provide a truck and helper for each carrier.

Several handsomely dressed American women, traipsed through the dust and dirt out to the Juarez cemetery Sunday, in the wake of a rebel firing squad and several federal prisoners. They expect to witness a wholesale execution; but instead of being shot the prisoners were put to work digging graves for the soldiers killed the day before. However, these morbid sightseers were not wholly disappointed, but witnessed a killing not on the program under the "ley fuga".

One of the federal prisoners being under the impression that he was digging his own grave, broke to run, when he was shot down by the squad. Such representative Americans give the people of Mexico a very warped idea of American women at large. No doubt these American women would faint at the suggestion of attending a bull fight, but will drill through the public streets with a rabble hoping to witness the execution of prisoners.

MOTHER! THE CHILD IS COSTIVE, BILIOUS

Don't Hesitate! A laxative is necessary if Tongue is Coated, Breath bad or Stomach Sour.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once—a teaspoonful today often saves a sick child tomorrow.

If your little one is out of sorts, half sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that it's little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without gripping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs;" then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Don't be fooled.

SACRED HARP SINGING.

There will be an all day old fashioned Sacred Harp Singing at Union Church, six miles southwest of Colorado, on Sunday, November 30th. Everybody interested in genuine and heart-felt singing, is invited to join with us on this day and make it a long remembered success. Those living at a distance are cordially requested to come down on Saturday evening. Some one will be at the church to assign homes to all who come.

J. M. DORN,  
J. W. CHESTER,  
Committee.

Warfield, the new town in Midland county, promoted by the late J. W. Woodward and son, will be opened for occupancy this week. A barbecue will be given, music furnished and the lots sold. A whole train load of people from the north is expected to be on hand. Friday Saturday and Sunday are the days. This is perhaps the winding up of that craze for town booming that swept this country several years ago. The like will never be seen in this country again.

The Studebaker Garage this week delivered one of their "4s" to Jim Farmer, one to Lon McGuire and one to James T. Johnson at Sweetwater also the big new "6" goes to Mr. Holmes at Sweetwater. More cars on the road with several of them sold soon

as they arrive. The greatest trouble Mr. Keiper has now is getting the cars

Want a heater or a stove at rare bargain prices? Then see McMurry quickly. He has a few good ones that will go at cost or less.

Some People Imagine

That in order to have a Bank account they must have a large sum to deposit. This, however, is not true of the Colorado National Bank. We welcome new accounts, whether started with \$1.00 or a \$1,000, and the same courtesy and service is accorded the small depositor as those in more fortunate circumstances.

For Safety and Service Deposit with

Colorado National Bank

Capital and Surplus \$225,000

W. H. Moeser  
Wind Mills, Pipe and Fittings  
Tinning and Plumbing  
Winchester Guns and Ammunition

ANYTHING IN SHEET METAL  
EVERYTHING IN WATER SUPPLIES



# Eaves-Webb Sanitarium

"NOTHING succeeds like success," it has been said, and our success from the day of our opening has been all that could be wished for. We have treated during this short time more than fifty of the best people of the town and country, and in EVERY case where sufficient time has been given our cures can be counted by our patients---i. e. all that have come; and to them we would refer you. And if you are sick and need the services of Scientific Specialists, we are at your service and will give you the same pains-taking care that we have given those before. Remember, we use EVERY means known to the medical profession, and more---the services of a Magnetic Specialist, of years of experience, is also at your command. Come while the time is opportune. Remember what our patients have to say---i. e. we cured when all else had failed.

## TESTIMONIALS

<p>This is to certify that I have had chronic inflammatory rheumatism for five years and tried almost everything I could hear of without relief, and since last fall have been unable to use one of my hands for any purpose. It being badly swollen and stiff. I couldn't even hold a paper to read. After two weeks treatment at the Eaves-Webb Sanitarium, swelling has almost gone. Can use my hand fairly well. Can lift several pounds. In fact I have improved from the first treatment. I have gained eight pounds in weight and feel much better in every way. I heartily recommend these people to any one suffering from this trouble.</p> <p>(Signed) A. J. HAMILTON.</p>	<p>Colorado, Tex. Oct. 21, 1913.</p> <p>This is to certify that last March I was stricken down with nervous trouble and since that time have been unable to do work of any kind. Having several of these nervous spells every day and I was in constant fear of them and suffered untold agonies. I tried every doctor and medicine I could find. Dieted myself, in fact, did every thing I could do without relief. These nervous spells continuing every day. One week ago, I began treatment at the Eaves-Webb Sanitarium and haven't had another nervous spell. Have eaten all I wanted of any kind of food, and I feel like a new man.</p> <p>Signed. L. W. JONES.</p>	<p>Colorado, Tex. Oct. 21, 1913.</p> <p>This is to certify that I have been afflicted with nervous and stomach trouble, not being able to eat a great many things without giving me a great deal of trouble. I have tried almost everything I could hear of without relief. I have taken ten days treatment at the Eaves-Webb Sanitarium, and have received a great benefit. I can eat anything I wish to and it doesn't hurt me at all. My nerves are quiet, all the time and I feel greatly relieved and benefited. I could realize a benefit from the first treatment I can eat and sleep well now and feel good.</p> <p>MRS. MYRTLE CHAPLIN.</p>	<p>Colorado, Texas, Nov. 3 1913</p> <p>This is to certify that for the last several years I have suffered with severe pain in my side. Something like appendicitis and I was advised by Drs. to be operated on. I tried quite a few different Doctors and remedies without any relief. After taking one weeks treatment at the Eaves-Webb Sanitarium my side is easy I can eat anything I want to, it has been two weeks since I finished the treatment and I am quite sure I am permanently cured.</p> <p>Respectfully Signed. E. W. WOODARD.</p>
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## PROGRAM

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#### MONDAY.

Invocation ..... Rev. J. N. Campbell  
 Address of Welcome ..... T. E. Crutcher.  
 Response to address of Welcome ..... A. J. Coe  
 Explanation of Plan of Work ..... Secretary  
 Enrollment of Teachers .....  
 PRIMARY—Miss Sallie Hutton, Supervisor.  
 Reading: Beginners, Chart and Primary—Miss Lanche Hooks.  
 Spelling: Beginners, Methods and Devices—Miss Vera Thomas.  
 Numbers: Beginners, Methods and Devices—Miss Shell Merrell.  
 INTERMEDIATE—Mrs. Lillian Miles, Supervisor.  
 Arithmetic: Common Fractions—Sam Bullock  
 U. S. History: Discovery and Exploration, Union Chapel Teacher.  
 Spelling: Grades 4 and 5—Miss Bodine.  
 HIGH SCHOOL—W. W. Hart, Supervisor.  
 Algebra: Four Fundamental Rules—J. T. Elliott.  
 Agriculture: Ferguson & Lewis chap. 1, 2, 3, 4.—Miss Lucile Russell.  
 English: Grammar—Miss Nannie Ellis.  
 Methods, Sutton & Horn's Essentials, Chap. 1 and 2, —W. W. Hart.  
 Fought's American Rural School, Chap. 4.—T. E. Crutcher.

#### TUESDAY.

Opening, Roll Call.  
 Five Minute Discussions on Each of the Following Subjects:  
 1. Debating and Declamation League of Texas.—Miss McAfee, leader.  
 2. Professional Ethics Among Teachers.—Miss Grace Baker, leader.  
 3. The Teacher's Duties Outside of School.—E. L. Taylor, leader.  
 4. The Pupils' Duties Outside of School.—Miss Campbell, Westbrook.  
 5. Planning of Work: Daily, Weekly, Monthly.—Principal Westbrook.  
 PRIMARY—Miss Sallie Hutton, Supervisor.  
 Reading: First Reader—Mrs. Lillian Miles.  
 Spelling: First Grade—Miss Annie Norman.  
 Numbers: First Grade—River Side Teacher.  
 INTERMEDIATE—W. R. Womack, Supervisor.  
 Arithmetic: Decimal Fractions—E. E. Smith.  
 United States History, Colonization—Mrs. Callie Perry.  
 Spelling: Sixth and Seventh Grades—Miss Crowwaite  
 HIGH SCHOOL—W. W. Hart, Supervisor.  
 Algebra: Drill on Formulas in Multiplication and Division—J. T. Elliott.  
 Agriculture: Chapters 5, 6, 7, 8.—Miss Russell.  
 English Grammar—Miss Ellis.  
 Sutton and Horn's Essentials—Chaps. 3 and 4—W. W. Hart.

Fought's American Rural School, Chap. 6.—T. E. Crutcher.

#### WEDNESDAY.

Opening, Roll Call.  
 General Discussion on the Following Subjects:  
 1. Professional Improvement for the Teacher—Miss Ely, leader.  
 2. Libraries for Teacher and Pupil—kind of books.—Miss Leathers, Leader.  
 3. Use of Library During School Hours.—E. L. Taylor, leader.  
 4. Value of Memorizing Gems of Literature, and How to Arouse Interest in the Work—Miss Exie Campbell, leader.  
 5. What Constitutes Good Order in the School Room.—T. H. Holbert.  
 PRIMARY—Miss Sallie Hutton, Supervisor.  
 Reading: Second Grade—Mrs. Lillian Miles.  
 Spelling: Second Grade—Miss Vera Thomas.  
 Numbers: Second Grade—Zeller Teacher.  
 INTERMEDIATE—T. H. Holbert, Supervisor.  
 Arithmetic: Ratio and Proportion—C. G. Elliott.  
 U. S. History, Intercolonial Wars—Mrs. Callie Perry.  
 Geography: Study North and South America—J. A. Hood.  
 HIGH SCHOOL—W. W. Hart, Supervisor.  
 Algebra, Factoring—J. T. Elliot.  
 Agriculture, Chaps. 9 and 10—Mr. McAfee.  
 English-Grammar—Miss Ellis.  
 Sutton & Horn's Essentials, Chaps. 5 and 6—Miss Halley Aldrich.  
 Fought's American Rural School, Chaps. 7—C. W. Hooks.

#### THURSDAY.

Opening, Roll Call.  
 Five minute discussions on the following subjects:  
 1. What Will You Do on the First Day of School? Miss McAfee.  
 2. Advantages and Disadvantages of School Entertainment—Miss Taul.  
 3. Literary Societies in School—W. R. Womack.  
 4. How Should Legal Holidays Be Observed?—Miss Lura Cunningham.  
 5. What Should We Teach as to Citizenship?—C. S. Martin.  
 PRIMARY—Miss Sallie Hutton, Supervisor.  
 Reading, Third Reader—Miss Annie Gregg.  
 Spelling, Third Grade—Miss Belle Gandy.  
 Numbers: Third Grade—Miss Vera Thomas.  
 INTERMEDIATE—Buford Teacher, Supervisor.  
 Arithmetic: Percentage—T. H. Holbert.  
 U. S. History: Revolution—Mrs. Culpepper.  
 Geography: Study Europe and Asia—Miss Lura Cunningham.  
 HIGH SCHOOL—T. E. Crutcher, Supervisor.  
 Algebra: Simultaneous Equations—Westbrook teacher.  
 Agriculture: Chaps 11 and 12—Bruce Phenix.  
 English: Composition—Miss Ellis.  
 Sutton and Horn's Essentials, Chaps. 7 and 8—Miss Sallie Hutton.  
 Fought's American Rural School, Chap. 13—Miss Halley Aldrich.

#### FRIDAY.

Opening, Roll Call.  
 1. Should the Teacher have regular Periods for

teaching Morals and Manners.—Miss Exie Campbell.  
 2. What Disciplinary Value may be derived from Games and Sports?—Fair View Teacher.  
 3. To what extent should Athletics be encouraged? Why?—Arlie Martin.  
 4. Spelling Matches—Advantages and Disadvantages.—Harris Gardner.  
 5. Some say the Public Schools fail in Practical Education. Is it true?—N. T. Smith.  
 PRIMARY—Miss Sallie Hutton, Supervisor.  
 Reading: Stress General Methods and evolve Specific Plans, Devices and Methods. Explain Cause and Cure of the Monotone or "Sing Song Tone" in reading.—Mrs. Lillian Miles.  
 Spelling: Why have we so many Poor Spellers in the various Grades? What do you suggest to overcome the defect? Set forth and draw out Specific Information on these points—Miss Sallie Hutton.  
 Numbers: Give general discussion of successful plans of teaching numbers in the Primary Grades. How do you secure the interest and co-operation of pupils in carrying out your plans? What do you do for the dull pupil?—Miss Blanche Hooks.  
 INTERMEDIATE—Mrs. Callie Perry, Supervisor.  
 Arithmetic: Percentage—J. A. Hood.  
 U. S. History: Federal and Anti-Federal—Rogers teacher.  
 Geography: Africa and the Islands. What features do you stress for the various countries? Why?—Mrs. Culpepper.  
 HIGH SCHOOL—T. E. Crutcher, Supervisor.  
 Some Daily Programs—W. W. Hart.  
 The School Board as a Factor in Educational Efficiency—Otto Watt.  
 Agriculture: Chaps. 13 and 14—J. C. Pritchett; Information.

All teachers who expect to teach in this county must attend the institute for the full time or forfeit their salaries for the week, and run the risk of losing their positions. If you have either written or oral contract you are required to attend. Teachers must come prepared to work, supplied with tablet and pencil, and such text books as are required. The newly adopted text books will be used.  
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(Continued from last week)

Now we will quit investigating the theories and their claims for a while and we will investigate some of the causes, some of the laws of the earth, and the physical forces that caused these changes that have so puzzled the philosophers of this age, and in this investigation we must keep in our mind the fact that the world is slowly growing, and that it is doing all of its growing in the hot and temperate zones, while it is not growing but is gradually losing materials in the cold polar basin. If this fact is admitted as it must be, for it cannot be successfully denied, then we must realize that if this growing process goes on indefinitely, or until the earth gets three times as large as it is today, it will be as flat as a biscuit, or more than three times as thick through one way as it will be the other way, or three times as far through it at the equator as it will be through it from pole to pole. These are the most important facts that we must keep in our mind as we make this investigation.

We must first realize that gravity operating equal from all external directions, pushing all solids in the way of least resistance towards its exact center, accounts for the spherical shape of the world, and the exact surface of the ocean water that we call sea level, should be equal in all directions from the exact gravity center. Realizing that gravity is the world builder and that it lays its stratas according to their weight, the heaviest always nearest the gravity center. When we realize these facts we are led to inquire what made these mountains, these towering peaks that rear their snow capped summits high above the clouds? Surely they did not grow contrary to the forces that are wearing them away. Surely they did not grow in the wasting elements in which they exist today. Then how and where were these mountains formed?

Professor Dodge, the best authority in the United States says "We know very little about how the mountains were formed." The mountains were formed in the deep seas, their original home. Their stratus were made or layed on little elevations in the deep sea bottom. The heavy particles such as granite, quartz, gneiss, and the many heavy minerals that always sink deepest in the deep sea bottom, gathered and built up this little elevation, until it got so high that the heavy particles could not float to its summit but gathered around its base. But the lighter particles, shells and other fossiliferous matter gathered on its summit and built it higher and higher until the light shells and sands that float at a shallow depth gathered on its summit and lifted it above the water, the waves dragging the shells backwards and forwards ground them to pieces and their sediments formed the fossiliferous rocks. The sands and shells that could not float above the water settled around it and built up the shallows around it. The coral polyps that flourish and are nourished in the warm ocean shallows built up coral islands and the fossils of the coral polyp formed the flint rocks. The sea shells, protozoans, radiata and the mollusk that flourish in the warm ocean shallows, flourished and died and their shells built up the ocean shallows. Now we have a chain or a group of islands on an ocean shallow. We notice that the part that was laid or formed first was formed of the heaviest particles in the deep sea bottom, so deep beneath the water that the lighter fossiliferous matter could not sink to its depths, hence we find no fossiliferous matter in its first formation and call it the primitive formation, or the strata that was formed before there was any life on the earth. We call these formations the Azoric, the Huronian, and the Laurentian ages, and there are many strange theories that are based on the evidences of these rocks or these formations that were laid at such a depth in the sea that fossiliferous matter could not sink into them. So I do not have any confidence in the claims based on the testimony of the azoric rocks. We also notice that the fossiliferous matter was laid in stratas according to the weight of the sediments. For it is an undeniable fact that the gravity pressure on the deep ocean waters makes the water pressure on the light particles greater than the gravity's pressure on them. Hence they rise and float in stratas according to their weight and settle in stratas on the elevations in the sea bottom that corresponds to their floating strata. This accounts for the various formations that geologists call the different ages, and we know that the same formations are forming in the seas today. Deep in the sea bottoms are stratas of the non-fossiliferous sediments, higher are the shells and sands that build up the coast line. So the various stratas were not laid in various ages as is claimed by the geologists, but were laid according to their weight in the ocean's water. We need no better evidence of this fact than to watch how an overflowed stream leaves the heavy stones in the deep bottom and the light gravel in the deepest shallows, the sand in the higher shallow and the trash and drift in the shallow eddies.

Now we have seen how these mountains were laid in stratas in the deep ocean water and we are perfectly aware of the fact that the same formations and the same growth is going on in the warm seas today. Now we have seen how gravity built the islands out of the heavy particles of the deep sea and finished it up out of the fossiliferous matter of its many creatures and the lighter sediments of the sea, and we are led to inquire how came them left high and dry? How came the water to leave them and recede thousands of feet below their summits, and how came the clouds to descend to what was once a sea level and float around the beach where once the storm waves rolled? How came these heavy masses that were once growing in the ocean, now wasting masses, yielding to time and tempest, melting in the torrents that carry them in detritus back to the seas, their original home, to be used in building more mountains for another age? We realize that the force of gravity, using storm water as its vehicle, carries all of the earth's solids towards the earth's center, and that this has a tendency to keep the world round. But I claim that the world is not perfectly round and is not a perfect sphere and by recognizing this fact we can account for the great polar basins into which the receding water flowed when it left the island towering mountains thousands of feet above sea level. If I can account for all of this by the laws and conditions that are existing today, and not have to imagine some strange conditions once existed, or some strange internal force once strained and reared the earth's surface skyward, if I can account for the glacier marks in the warm belt by the same laws and conditions that are existing today, without imagining a lifeless cold age, if I can account for signs of the heat marks

in the cold ice wrapped rocks of the extreme North, if I can account for all of this without imagining a change of the Earth's temperature, it should then be evident to the thoughtful that my theory is true. If I can account for all of the marks and evidences recorded in the rocks by the physical forces of nature, the forces operating today, then it is evident that my Polar Basin Theory is true. If not it is not in harmony with the existing facts and we cannot accept a theory based on imagined conditions and imagined facts, for the imagination is too faulty and liable to err, but physical facts cannot lie.

The world does not recognize the fact that there is a great basin at each pole over ten miles deep and containing millions of square miles. Is this a fact, are there two great basins at the polar ends of the earth? If so my theory is true, if not it is false. If I cannot prove that there is a great basin at each pole into which the receding waters flow as it leaves the islands in the warm belt towering mountains, then my theory has fallen down. On the other hand if I prove this fact, then my theory must be true. Now let us see if it is true or false. Professor Dodge, whom we must consider as the best authority, says in his Geography, "The world is not perfectly round or is not a perfect square. It is about forty miles longer around it at the equator than it is on a line crossing the two poles." If this is true there is a great basin at each pole. But we must see why the world is not round and is flattened at each end contrary to the law of gravity, the law that made the world spherical and there is some physical cause for this and we must first discover this cause.

The world is flattened at its ends because it is covered with a barren sheet of ice and cannot grow. It gets no fossiliferous matter neither from land nor sea, it gets no detritus from streams nor rivers, and gets no vegetable or animal matter to add to its soil. Besides this great glaciers tear off the tops of its mountains and hills and rush with hundreds of tons of its rocks and dirt into the ocean and the ocean currents take it into the warm belt where it is thawed and deposited. Each ton stolen in this way makes a relative difference of two tons, so in the course of thousands of years, millions of tons would be stolen from the cold belt and given to the warm belt. As the earth is growing more rapidly at the equator than it is in the colder parts, it fills up the sea bottoms in the warm belt and the rising sea bottom pushes the water North and South toward the poles. Realizing this fact, we know that in the course of ceaseless time the world would become as flat as a biscuit if it did not in some way in the many ages round itself up into a perfect sphere, for we know that nearly all of the solids of the earth's surface are composed of the fossils of things that once blossomed, swam or crawled, and we realize that the fecundity of both the tropical land and seas is so much greater than in colder belts, that the warm belt is growing much faster than the cold belts. Now we will investigate once more the flattened ends of the earth. These flattened ends seem of very little importance to us, and looking at it from this point of view they seem to amount to but very little, but when we realize that a flat end of a spherical body is a great basin far beneath the sea level, then it seems more important to us. It cannot be denied that anything that dips beneath the sea level or the natural curvature of the earth, is a basin. If an iron band could be placed around the world at the equator and allowed to rest on the surface of the water it would represent the perfect sea level or the perfect curvature of the earth. If the iron band could be slipped off and slipped over the earth crossing both poles it would fit the earth perfectly until it reached the polar dip, then it would seem to rise and gradually leave the earth's surface until it would be about ten miles above it at the poles. But it would not be the ring that rose from the earth's surface, for the ring would be perfectly round, but it would be the earth's surface that dipped from the earth's curvature towards the earth's center. If this is true, which cannot be successfully denied, if the world is shorter through North and South than it is East and West, then we must regard a dip from all directions toward the earth's center of the earth as a basin. If we measure the depths of basins by the depth they dip from the natural curvature of the earth, then we must regard the flattened ends of the earth as a basin. If we recognize the fact that a perfectly straight air line level is a basin and would hold water as a basin, then we can realize that the flattened ends of the earth are great basins, and the flattened ends of the earth will seem of more importance to us than Professor Dodge thought when he said, "The fact that the world is not spherical is of very little importance to us." It is my intention to prove that this is the most important fact in the earth's formation,—the most important fact in Geology.

It is true that as long as the earth remains as it is today it amounts to very little to us but when in obedience to its natural laws it rounds itself up into a perfect sphere, it will change continents into seas and seas into continents, it will turn islands into mountains and mountains into islands. It will turn the glacier covered plateaus of the polar regions into warm hills and valleys and some warm mountains into polar centers, the home and birth place of glaciers. It will do all of this by turning the ice covered polar basins toward the equator line, and allowing the water of the warm belt to run into these great basins and fill them up eight to ten miles deep. Of course the water that it would take to fill these vast polar basins would lower the sea level at the present equator line ten or twelve thousand feet, and raise the sea level at the present poles forty or fifty thousand feet. This would make the world perfectly round, a perfect sphere again.

But fearing that some will not understand what I mean by the Polar Basin, we will investigate it from a different standpoint. Webster says, "A perfect sphere is a body contained under a single surface, which, in every part is equally distant from a point within called its center." If this definition is true, which we cannot successfully deny, then we must admit that the world is not a perfect sphere, as it is a known fact accepted and taught by our best scholars that the world is about forty miles shorter around it crossing the two poles than it is on a line around it at the equator. Professor Dodge, editor of the Journal of Geography and author of Dodge's Geography says so and it cannot be successfully denied. Then if this fact is admitted it must also be admitted that the surface of the earth at the two poles is at least ten miles nearer to the exact center of the earth than is the earth's surface at the equator line. If we recognize that the exact curvature of a sphere is the exact and square distance of its surface from its exact center, then we must regard any incline of the earth's surface toward the exact center of the earth as a dip or a basin. Geologists define a dip or a basin as "an isolated or circumscribed formation, particularly where the strata dips inward on all sides toward the center." If this definition is true, then the polar regions must be a basin, as the earth's surface inclines from the natural curvature towards the earth's center. I don't see how it can be denied that if the polar centers were swung under the equator line, that they would be great basins miles below the sea level, and that the ocean water would flow into them and fill them up to the earth's water level, and in this way round the earth up into a perfect sphere again, and we know that if this would accrue, the millions of square miles of water that it would take to fill these great depressions to the

natural curvature of the earth, would lower the sea level thousands of feet in the warm belt, and leave its ocean shallows dry land, and its islands towering mountains, and we also know that if this were to accrue, it would deluge all of the land in the polar basin that stands below the natural curvature of the earth, and we also know that the Eskimos would climb the highest mountains and would be left on mid ocean islands in the warm belt. We know as the earth grows, its water level must climb higher and higher and cover growing strata after growing strata of the earth's solids. We know that deep under the ocean bottom is strata after strata that once was the ocean bed, and that it was once swung out on dry land to be hardened into rock, then swung under the North star to be left in the lifeless North until it became a basin deep below the ocean, then it was swung into the tropics covered with the warm water and sea sediments that formed another strata. In this way we account for the many sun hardened stratas that lay beneath the ocean bottom, and in this way we can account for the many sediments of the old ocean bottom that now lay high above the wave. We can account for it all by the polar basins being swung toward the equator.

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<p><b>Fine Table Linen</b>                  And Napkins to match. 70-inch all linen damask with floral borders, special at  <b>\$1.00</b>                  Another Special—beautiful designs and splendid values in 72-inch extra heavy linens at \$1.25, \$1.50 and  <b>\$2.00</b>                  Napkins to match</p>	<p><b>Table Linen Specials</b>                  58-inch white damask at  <b>35c</b>                  60-inch beautiful design in mercerized finish at  <b>50c and 60c</b>                  70-inch all linen heavy weight new patterns at  <b>75c</b>                  Finished Napkins in two sizes, specially priced—per dozen  <b>75c and \$1.25</b></p>	<p><b>Towels—Towels</b>                  A large assortment of popular prices and sizes in plain white and bordered huck  <b>25c</b>                  Splendid values in Turkish in both bleached and unbleached  <b>25c</b>                  All linen in half bleach at special  <b>50c</b></p>	<p><b>Crashes for Towels</b>                  Crashes for roller towels, 15 and 16-inch bleached, at only  <b>5c and 7 1-2c</b>                  16 and 17-inch in white and natural colors, splendid values,  <b>10c</b>                  17-inch half linen huck for only  <b>15c</b></p>
<p><b>Boys' and Men's Heavy Cotton Sweaters</b>                  In coat style, assorted colors in gray, brown and green—sizes for boys, 30 to 34, men's sizes 36 to 44                  Priced at . . . . . <b>50c</b></p>	<p><b>Special Assortment White Bed Spreads</b>                  In both straight and cut corners at prices \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$5.00.</p>	<p><b>Special Price Reduction on Odds and Ends</b>                  In misses and children's union suits, boys' 2-piece underwear, shirts and drawers, placed on our bargain counter and priced your choice for . . . <b>25c</b></p>	
<p><b>Staples</b>                  For all the time need—                  All dress calicoes in all the colors . . . . . 5c                  Utility gingham . . . 10c                  Woolen outing . . . . 10c</p>	<p><b>Staples</b>                  Era madras . . . . . 10c                  Forest percale . . . . 10c                  Canton flannel . . . . 10c                  Bro. drill . . . . . 10c                  Splendid bleach dom. 10c                  Cotton checks . . . . . 5c</p>	<p><b>Staples</b>                  Railroad chevots . . 10c                  14 yards LL dom. . \$1.00                  Savoy Seaisland 4-4 domestic . . . . . 8 1-3c                  F. McK special plaids at only . . . . . 8 1-3c</p>	<p><b>Staples</b>                  Vicuna suiting . . . . 10c                  Flannelette in assorted patterns . . . . . 15c                  Indian head dom. . . 15c                  Bappa cloth . . . . . 15c                  Cloth of Gold . . . . . 15c</p>



**Store Closes All Day Thursday, Nov. 27th**

**QUALITY IS ECONOMY BURNS & BELL QUALITY IS ECONOMY**

## LOCAL NOTES

Don't fail to see those cheap hats at Mrs. H. F. Mills before buying—Saturday only.

Mrs. Belle Dozier Hazzard of El Paso, stopped over this week on her return from a visit with her mother at Mt. Vernon, and is the guest of Mrs. Hallie Shipman.

McMurry pays highest prices for all kinds of country produce.

Specially new designs in Millinery at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Chas. Reemis Earnest returned last week from Dallas, where he has been attending the Metropolitan Business College for several months. He is now fully equipped for nearly any line of business.

Take your chickens, eggs butter, turkeys to McMurry's for best prices.

One man says, "I was a complete nervous wreck and you cured me." In a letter to Mr. Eaves of the Eaves-Webb Sanitarium. Read our ad, page 7. EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

Phone McMurry for fresh vegetables.

We were glad when informed by Mr. Webb that, after visiting other towns and investigating conditions, prospects, etc., he had about concluded Colorado was as good as any of them, and had decided to remain a citizen of the town. He is writing life insurance, and one who knows Mr. Webb need not be told that he is making it go from the start. The Record is glad to have him remain and wish him success in his line.

Horse-shoeing a specialty at Spalding's Blacksmith shop.

CUT FLOWERS—Chrysanthemums and Geraniums, for sale at the home of Mrs. J. F. McGill.

LOST.—Coal shovel with iron handle, near Dr. Coleman's residence or on the street running north by his home. Finder return to H. D. Womack for reward.

The present extended spell of spring weather is putting the grass in fine condition. It is as vigorous and green as in May. It has also given the farmers a chance to do some timely plowing.

We make a specialty of treating people when all others have failed, ask our patients.

EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM.

Northern standard oysters received twice a week at Beal's Market get them from us and you get them fresh and clean. 10/31tf.

Mr. J. H. Greene was called to the bedside of a niece last Saturday night, at Stephens, Ark., but she died before his arrival. His friends here extend sympathy in his bereavement.

Special prices in trimmed hats for Saturday. MRS. B. F. MILLS.

Your wool blankets are washed clean and returned to you as soft and fleecy as when new—if sent to the laundry.

Joe Sheppard attended district court at Big Springs, this week.

A few heaters and cook stoves to close out at cost see McMurry

Glisson can save you money on your fall or winter suit. See what he has before buying. 11/28c.

F. A. Winn left this week for a visit to his old home at Italy, and will of course, see the sights of the cities of Dallas and Fort Worth, before returning.

McMurry has a few good heaters and stoves to close out at remarkably low figures. Come get one before next cold spell.

Fancy stationary and visiting cards for the ladies at Doss'.

Not every town the size of Colorado has a baker that serves its customers in a first class automobile. The Farmer bakery has just added a Studebaker car of latest model to its already complete equipment, and will hereafter be there with the goods before the telephone quits sounding. People appreciate the efforts of any line of business to give them the very best service, without considering whether or not it will pay. The idea is to make it pay, and it generally does return handsome returns.

Out of the stove business and will close out a few heaters and cook stoves at cost.

Count the Fords on the road—Herrington sells them.

J. E. Hooper, J. W. Sheppard, J. B. Enderly and F. B. Whipkey, will leave Sunday night for Waco, where they will attend the annual meeting of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter and Council of the state. J. S. Vaughan will go later.

McMurry's is the place to get just what you want in the grocery line.

Herrington sold and delivered on Wednesday a Ford car and on Thursday he sold and delivered another one. He has some five or six on hand yet for immediate delivery. Get a Ford.

Miss Lena Key returned from a visit with Coahoma friends last Tuesday.

Hear "Cyclone" Southers at High School Auditorium, Monday night.

If you are sick and have tried all the medicine on the market come to us EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM. See our ad, page 7.

Mrs. M. K. Jackson and little Mary left Tuesday night for Dallas, to spend a few weeks with relatives.

Ben Morgan gives special attention to magazine subscriptions. If its published, he'll get it for you.

Fresh Fish, 10c the lb, at Mac's Cafe at all times. 10/31tf.

Miss Shell Merrell has returned home after a two weeks visit with friends and relatives in San Angelo.

McMurry wants your country produce—top prices paid.

Pattern Hats, the latest designs at Mrs. Mills.

The Christian Aid Society had an interesting meeting with Mrs. Jeffress Tuesday afternoon. Besides attending to the regular business and receiving one new member, they were busily engaged in making all kinds of pretty things for their annual Bazaar. They will meet next week with Mrs. Keiper.

McMurry wants your produce—pays top prices.

# RED SHOES

## For Ladies and Misses

We have just received another shipment of the popular

# RED SHOES

All sizes. They won't last long, so you had better get yours now.

## Also Gray, White and Brown

Buck Shoes, as well as Gun Metal and Patent Leathers.

# CHAS. M. ADAMS



The Baking Powder Question Solved

Solved once for all by Calumet. For daily use in millions of kitchens has proved that Calumet is highest not only in quality but in leavening power as well—unfailing in results—pure to the extreme—and wonderfully economical in use. Ask your grocer. And try Calumet next bake day.

Received Highest Awards

World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill. Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.



You don't save money when you buy cheap or big-can baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical—more wholesome—gives best results. Calumet is far superior to your milk and soda.

**I WILL TRADE YOU**—Four farms of 160 acres each, all near Colorado City. Also several ranches in Sterling county, from 2 up to 20 sections. If you have anything you wish to get rid of, see me and let's get together. L. O. DUPREE, Colorado, Tex. 12-19c

Everything to eat at McMurry's; prompt service.

The Junior League met at Mrs. Lyon's home Monday night as a farewell honor to Miss Mary Lyon. Each one brought good things to eat, and after games and the usual good time, the refreshments were served. The League members will miss Miss Mary very much and regret that she is leaving. They all told her good bye, with good wishes.

Ask our patients EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

"His Majesty, the Devil" at the High School auditorium Monday night—Don't miss it.

Ben Morgan's for fine package candies.

Rev. Mr. Clements, the new Methodist pastor will preach at that church next Sunday morning and evening.

Ernest Keathley and Harris Gardner spent the week in Dallas in attendance on the Baptist State Convention.

Send your washing to the Colorado Steam Laundry and keep cool.

Mr. W. N. Hastings left for his new home in Idaho last Friday night.

Ring 298 put your clothes where the driver can get them. We do the rest. Colorado Steam Laundry.

Hear "Cyclone" Southers at High School Auditorium next Monday night.

Mr. Neely one of the stockholders of the new gin, sold his interest in the gin last week to Mr. H. Cook, and will farm next year.

Glisson is offering genuine bargains in ladies' skirts; the very latest in style and fabric. 11-28-c

Ben Morgan will begin serving all kinds of hot drinks soon as the weather permits.

T. C. Bounds left Wednesday night for McKinney, his old home, where he will visit friends and relatives.

Drs. Phenix and Smith attended the meeting of the El Paso-Big Spring Medical Society which convened at Abilene Tuesday.

Glisson's millinery department has never been as complete in stock and variety as now. Don't place your order for millinery until you've inspected Glisson's showing.

Dr. T. J. Ratliff attended the meeting of the El Paso-Big Spring Medical Society at Abilene, this week, and read a highly interesting paper on Anesthesia—Chloroform and Ether Contrasted. Dr. W. R. Smith was continued as Secretary of the society. A big "possum supper" given the visiting medics by the local fraternity at the Metropolitan Cafe, and a musical entertainment at Carnegie Hall rounded out the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Majors spent Thursday in Sweetwater on business.

**How About Santa Claus this Year**—Christmas comes but once a year, but by handing only \$1.75 to the publishers of The Colorado Record you will get 156 papers a year, or three a week. That's some reading, ain't it? Good, instructive wholesome reading too. Try the combination. You'll like it. It is this: The Colorado Record \$1.00 a year. The Semi-Weekly Farm News \$1 a year.

The two well worth \$2.00 a year. You get them both for \$1.75 a year. DO IT NOW.

Let's give the Fire Boys' entertainment on February 21st, a rousing big audience. The boys deserve the most generous support the town can give them.

All stoves at cost at McMurry's

**\$100 Reward, \$100**

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, etc. Take Care of Your Family Pills for constipation.

### SERVICES AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. R. A. Lawrence of Loraine, will preach at the Church of Christ in this city on the Fourth Lord's Day in this month (Nov. 30th), at 11 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to worship with this congregation on these occasions.

### D. A. R.

The D. A. R. met last week with Mrs. Moor in a business meeting and elected officers as follows:

Miss Louise Moor, Regent; Miss Elsie Hooper, Vice-Regent; Miss Bird Adams, Treasurer; Mrs. Max Thomas, Recording Secretary; Miss Eleanor Coleman, Corresponding Secretary; Miss Bessie McMurry, Librarian; Mrs. Van Tuyl, Registrar; Miss McComas, Historian; Mrs. R. M. Webb, Chaplain.

After the business was attended to, a social hour was enjoyed at which time refreshments were served.

### An Important Notice.

I have for sale, for the money, good oats, corn, bran, shorts, corn chops, thrashed maize, maize chops, prairie hay, alfalfa hay, cane hay, cotton seed hulls, meal and hulls mixed, Cotton seed meal, Cord wood, stove wood, oak wood, mesquite wood, dry wood, dead wood, Lump coal, nut coal, McAlester Coal, Colorado coal, Strawn coal.

Kerosene oils, gasoline, and lubricating oils at wholesale only.

When in the market for any of the above see or phone me at once to avoid the rush. Free delivery while you wait. W. W. PORTER. 7/18tf.

**Have You an Unmarked Grave.** Then let me show you my designs and give you my prices before you buy a monument. I have not been in the business long but I have six satisfied customers and two more orders out. Phone me or write me and I will take pleasure in showing you my outfit. ERNEST KEATHLEY.

### Notice.

This is to notify my friends and the public of Mitchell and adjoining counties, that I may be found at the new boot and shoe shop of Eugene 11/7tf. FRED MEYERS.

All the newest and latest designs in Millinery at Mrs. Mills.

### COW BOY BOOTS.

Cow mens boots a specialty. Made by experienced workmen and the best material. See me before you buy your boots. Satisfaction guaranteed. I will make close prices and especially ask the stockmen to give me a special trial boot order.

TOM PAYNE.  
At Fred Meyer's Old Stand.

### POSTED.

Notice is given that my pasture controlled by B. E. Walkes is posted by law and you are warned not to trespass. All trespassers will be prosecuted. 12-12-p.

MRS. SAM SMART.

### For Sale Cheap.

Nearly new fine Majestic Range with 30 gallon water heater attached. Cost new \$95 will sell at half price. See EARL JACKSON. tf.

### For Sale Cheap.

Two good east front lots, with well; close in for sale. Cheap. See Dr. W. R. Smith.

### Holiday Art Work.

I will take pupils in oil, pastel and water color painting. Will also execute orders for holiday art work. Will teach at residence (J. W. Sheppard place) near Mrs. Harry Landers. See work in window at C. M. Adams, where orders may be left for work. 11/15pd

MRS. G. M. HARROD.

Read our ad on page 7. EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

Send your underwear to the laundry with your shirts and collars. We replace lost buttons. Not only the bachelors but many married men appreciate this service. Try it.

25 cents in the Record classified ads will turn the trick.

**HEISKELL'S OINTMENT**  
One application soothes and heals a rough pimply skin, and, when repeated, quickly effects a cure. Eczema, Erysipelas, Tetter, Ulcers and all skin diseases yield to its curative properties. 50c a box. At all Druggists. Send for free sample and book, "Health and Beauty." JOHNSTON, HOLLOWAY & CO., Phila., Pa. 1730 Spring Garden St.