

YOU MAY BE DISAPPOINTED IF YOU WAIT

If you wait till the north is upon us to buy your heater, you may be disappointed in getting it put up. Buy it now and be ready when the north 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

COL. SLAUGHTER MAKES OFFER.

Dallas Man Will Lend Assistance in Helping to Raise \$500,000 for Baptist Sanitarium.

Dallas, Tex. Nov. 22.—An offer to help raise \$500,000 for the Baptist Sanitarium at Dallas was made to the Baptist General Convention here today by Col. C. C. Slaughter, who agreed to give two dollars for each three dollars from outside sources.

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. C. DUPREE, Colorado, Tex. 12-13c

Stamford royally entertained the delegates of the Central West Texas Agricultural Association recently. A large delegation of farmers and business men were present and subjects vitally important to both were discussed.

G. F. C.

Miss Jeanette Earnest was hostess last week for the G. F. Club. After all had sewed on Christmas gifts for a while it took the form of a shower for one of their number, Miss Cecil Nunn who recently married Mr. Coleman Smith. A special delivery letter was handed Miss Moor which she proceeded to read to all present. It was supposed to be from Mrs. Smith telling about her trip and the inability to get her trunk, and when on returning home she found that it had never left at all. At this time Little Miss Fannie Bess entered with a trunk for Mrs. Smith and when she opened it, it contained all kinds of dainty and useful gifts from the club members to one whom they all love.

After the meeting the hostess assisted by her sisters served a delicious salad course with hot coffee.

The White House wedding was consummated amid a blaze of glory and distinguished guests.

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

A BIRTHDAY.

Judge A. J. Coe passed another milestone in his life last week and celebrated by having his pastor and the church board to a six o'clock dinner in his home.

They all came with a hearty good will and a heartier appetite to partake of the good things his estimable wife had prepared for them and to enjoy the social intercourse such events call forth. There were four courses and each one seemed better than the one before. The Judge was pleasantly surprised at the conclusion of the last course and just as they were leaving for the sitting room to have his daughters all join the party, Mrs. Daniel came from Merkel and Mrs. Mitchell from Ablene to bring love and good wishes. After an hour spent in social enjoyment, the party held a business session of the Board in which they planned for the betterment of the church.

Don't put off lighting your home with electricity any longer. It is as cheap and far safer than any other system of lighting. For the next 15 days I will do wiring at cost on account of double shipment of wire. Had rather use it than ship back. See me before having your wiring done. F. C. McSPADDEN.

AMPLE RAIN FOR ALL PURPOSES.

The continuous spell of spring-like weather which prevailed all through October and up to the 21st of this month, was broken last Saturday night by a slow but steady downfall throughout the entire night. This was accompanied by a drop in temperature of several degrees, but not so much as the government forecasts led us to believe, would occur.

Very early Monday morning, rain began again and kept up an intermittent shower throughout the day. There was a deep season already in the ground, and this on top of it, will put the land of Mitchell county in first class condition for making next year's crops. Everybody has enough rain.

With a zeal and enterprise characteristic of the town the people of Ablene went to work just as soon as the receding waters allowed, to provide an adequate water supply for the city. The immediate danger of a water famine in the city, was not the breaking of the dam impounding the waters of Lytle creek, so much as the breaking of the big pipes leading from the pumping station to the standpipes. There is enough water in Cameron lake, and likely will be all winter, to supply the domestic and industrial needs of the town. By six o'clock Tuesday afternoon the pipes had been repaired and pumping to the standpipes resumed.

The battle fought this week between the rebels and federalists near Juarez, had more the aspect of real war than any since the present revolution began. Some of the Mexican officers declare it the greatest battle since 1848.

ELECTION RETURNS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Mitchell.

Whereas, at an election held in Mitchell County, Texas, in conformity with an order of this court, entered on the 13 day of October 1913, to determine whether or not pool halls shall be prohibited in said Mitchell County. And whereas, due return of such election has been made to this court in manner and form prescribed by law.

And whereas the said returns of said election so made to this court, have been duly canvassed by this court as required by law.

And whereas it appears from the said returns that there were 334 votes cast at said election, of which 196 were cast "For Prohibition of Pool Halls" and 138 were cast "Against the Prohibition of Pool Halls."

Now therefore, the Commissioners Court of said County and State does adjudge and declare that said election resulted in favor of the prohibition of pool halls in said County by a majority of 58 votes, and it does further adjudge and declare the law prohibiting pool halls in said Mitchell County, Texas to be in full force and operation from and after the 15th day of December, 1913.

Witness our hands this 15th day of Nov. 1913.

Commissioners' Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

A. J. COE, Co. Judge. U. D. WULFJEN. PRESTON PHENIX B. O. JOYCE.

W. B. WIMBERLEY

SOME NOTES FROM THE B. W. M. U.

The meeting of the B. W. M. U. and the General Baptist Convention which was recently held in Dallas was the greatest in every way of any meeting in its history and especially is this true of the Woman's meetings. Their motto is "Go Forward" and they try to carry it out in every sense. Never was there in any meeting greater growth in peace, harmony and of the spiritual life. Not a discordant note was heard or felt in any of their deliberations. It was indeed good to be at the meetings. Quite a number of the mothers in Israel were there who were at the first meeting more than twenty five years ago but their ranks grow thinner each year and younger faces fill their places and younger shoulders gladly bear their burdens.

Our section was well represented this year. Our own president of the W. M. U. of the Sweetwater Association was there and showed a willingness to help bear all burdens and learn more of the advancement of the kingdom. The next meeting is to be held in Ablene so that more of our women can also learn of the kingdom movements.

All the sessions were good but the most touching was that devoted to the Buckner Orphans' Home. Quite a number of the children were there and gave a beautiful selection, "The Shepherd's Evening Prayer" on their mandolins and guitars with a little ten year old girl as pianist. This together with the beloved "Father Buckner" on the platform was a scene never to be forgotten. Over nine thousand dollars were pledged in a very short time besides a large number of boxes and chickens for their Thanksgiving dinner. This is one institution that lies close to the hearts of the women.

Although every other object fostered by this denomination received their prayerful consideration and financial support. All the presiding officers were re-elected and every one went home determined to mean more in their home sphere the coming year.

GUESTS FROM FT. WORTH.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Robinson of Ft. Worth visited the family of V. W. Allen last week. Mrs. Robinson being a sister of Mr. Allen. While here they were delightfully entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Looney and Mrs. Bartley also Miss Lilly gave them a box party at the picture show and afterward a supper in her hospitable home. They are loud in the praises of Colorado. They were accompanied home by Miss Allen who will visit there until Christmas holidays.

The employees at the electric light plant certainly worked faithfully and long Tuesday night to give its patrons lights. Several times they went out, and about the time one would become reconciled to do without the rest of the night, on they would come again with a bright flash. It will indeed be a great relief to both the company and patrons, when the new current from new dynamos and new machinery are installed.

Cass Tarver has "come to" from his last fight, and now announces that he will "meet any man in the world who will stand before him." He is the resurrected "white hope."

A Night of Terror.

Few nights are more terrible than that of a mother looking on her child choking and gasping for breath during an attack of croup, and nothing in the house to relieve it. Many mothers have passed nights of terror in this situation. A little forethought will enable you to avoid all this. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a certain cure for croup and has never been known to fail. Keep it at hand. For sale by W. L. Doss.

At the Baptist State Convention at Dallas, last week, Dr. R. C. Buckner was elected to preside over that body for the 21st consecutive year. This is no small honor but attests the esteem and confidence in which Dr. Buckner is held by the church within the state.

Declare War on Colds.

A crusade of education which aims "that common colds may become uncommon within the next generation" has been begun by prominent New York physicians. Here is a list of the "don'ts" which the doctors say will prevent the annual visitation of the cold:

- "Don't sit in a draughty car." "Don't sleep in hot rooms." "Don't avoid the fresh air." "Don't stuff yourself at meal time. Over eating reduces your resistance." To which we would add—when you take a cold get rid of it as quickly as possible. To accomplish that you will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy most excellent. Sold by W. L. Doss.

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

PLAINVIEW POINTS.

(Delayed from last week.)

Mr. Bird Humphrey left for Ablene last Monday for a short stop over on the way to Dublin and will start from there on Wednesday to his home in Dublin he is a most excellent young man and we are sorry to lose him.

The Misses Luella and Sudie Gaston left on Wednesday for their home in Alto, Texas, but will stop over in Hico to visit relatives for a short time before going on home.

Mr. L. J. Howell came back from Louisiana last week, where he has been on a visit to relatives and friends and reports a most delightful visit.

Mr. Andrew Kelly has accepted the position of sawfiler at the Oil Mill, but comes out to see us on Sunday.

Mrs. L. F. Aycock and son, Bruce leave for Arkansas this week and will stay there on a visit till after the first of January.

The Literary society will meet the first Saturday night in next month and we expect the program committee will have a nice program for us and we hope to be able to have a good society out here this winter although every one is very busy just now finishing up the cotton crop which was a good deal better than we first thought it would be.

Mr. D. P. Smith had turkey for supper Sunday night so some of the young folks say, wish I had been there!

Small party went over to spend the evening with Willie Green last Sunday evening and stayed for supper and come back to prayer meeting that night had a big time, personally I want to go again and then again.

Plainview is "sorter" damp these days but we have the consolation of knowing that the rain that falls now will do the crops good next year besides making the plowing easier for the farmer.

The bad weather Sunday did not keep every one from Sunday school, although the crowd was small, the lesson was good, on account of the bad weather the prayer meeting was called in and a small crowd went to the home of Bro. Leach and spent the evening in singing.

Rev. Hart will preach for us next Sunday night, the weather kept him from coming out last Sunday.

We are expecting to have some visitors out from town the first Saturday night in next month to the Literary society to give us some new points on the management of the society, we welcome any suggestions that will be of help to us in the society.

PRINCE CHARMING.

OH! YOU HAVE SUCH BEAUTIFUL HAIR!

What a pleasant thing to have said to you! And why shouldn't it be? You who envy others their lovely hair and are ashamed of the dull, lifeless,

stringy appearance of your own—use Harmony Hair Beautifier, and let others envy you.

This delightful liquid seems to polish and brighten the hair, giving it that burnished, lustrous look you have so often wished it might have, adding to its softness, making it easier to put up and "stay put"—making it more attractive and beautiful in every way. It overcomes the unpleasant, oily smell of your hair, leaving a dainty rich rose perfume that will delight you and those around you. Very easy to apply—simply sprinkle a little on your hair each time before brushing. Contains no oil; will not change the color of hair, nor darken gray hair.

To keep hair and scalp dandruff-free and clean, use Harmony Shampoo. This pure liquid shampoo gives an instantaneous rich lather that immediately penetrates to every part of hair and scalp, insuring a quick, thorough cleansing. Washed off just as quickly, the entire operation takes only a few moments. Can't harm the hair; leaves no harshness or stickiness—just a sweet cleanliness.

Both preparations come in odd-shaped and, very ornamental bottles, with sprinkler tops. Harmony Hair Beautifier, \$1.00. Harmony Shampoo, 50c. Both guaranteed to satisfy you in every way, or your money back. Sold in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store—one of the more than 7,000 leading drug stores of the United States, Canada and Great Britain, which own the big Harmony laboratories in Boston, where the many celebrated Harmony Perfumes and Toilet Preparations are made. W. L. Doss, Colorado, Texas.

IATAN ITEMS.

Mr. John Burrow of Colorado is here visiting Jeff Burrow's family.

Mr. Jesse Jenkins who has been visiting home folks here returned to Ft. Worth.

Mr. W. L. Cope spent the day in Coahoma.

Mr. Earl Morrison and Mr. Tom Morrison Jr. were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Morrison Tuesday.

Mr. Jim Lady of New Hope was in Iatan Saturday.

We hear that wedding bells will ring in Iatan soon. We are all wondering who it is.

Mr. Steve Westfall was in Iatan a few days ago.

Miss Lottie Griffith is visiting friends and relatives in Big Springs this month.

School started last Monday with Miss Taul of Midland as school mistress. There will be no school this week on account of Miss Taul attending the institute at Colorado.

Mrs. Burrow of Comanche county is visiting Jeff Burrow for a while.

Mr. Elenor Williams left Saturday for Spur to spend a few days with kin-people.

KETCH'EM.

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

How to Use Peruna for Coughs and Colds

If Peruna were used at the beginning of every cold, coughs would generally be prevented.

After the cough begins Peruna will generally stop it just as quickly as it ought to be stopped. To stop a cough before all of the expectation has been removed is to do great injury. After the expectation has been properly removed the cough will stop itself. That is the only proper way to stop a cough.

Occasionally a cough depends upon an irritable condition of the larynx or bronchial tubes, in which there is little or no expectation.

The problem of stopping such a cough is a slightly different one. Even in those cases Peruna ought to be taken, but sometimes it is necessary that local treatment be added.

Every one who has a troublesome cough or a lingering cold should write the Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio, for a free copy of the "Ils of Life." There is no free pamphlet distributed to-day of more real value to the sick and afflicted than the new "Ils of Life." It is filled from cover to cover with actual cases of cough, colds and other climatic diseases in all stages and complications. You could scarcely fail to find your case exactly described in this book.

To neglect to do everything possible to get rid of a stubborn cold or chronic cough is very unwise indeed. Peruna has enjoyed a great reputation as a remedy in such cases for thirty or forty years. As a rule, a person who uses one bottle of it is always afterwards an enthusiastic advocate of Peruna. Peruna itself is a means of selling more Peruna than all advertisements put together.

Those who object to liquid medicines can now obtain Peruna Tablets.

The latest capture of Juarez by Villa has many earmarks of a frameup. That more than a thousand soldiers, infantry and cavalry, could be brought to the very heart of a city supposed to be garrisoned and ready for the enemy, detain and parade the streets with band of music, without secret connivance, seems impossible. Of course there might have been a few soldiers and officers not in the secret or pay of the move, who put up an honest resistance. There's going to be a great epic written some day on the sieges and falls of old Juarez.

75 cents the dozen for eggs is the prevailing price in the eastern cities. At this rate of advance what will they cost for the Christmas and New Year "nog".

Fresh Fish at Mac's Cafe at all times 15c the pound; cheaper than beef or pork. 10/31/11.

Purely legislative bodies and legislative government, are growing more impotent every day. Aside from the ease and frequency of corruption, the very unwieldiness of the body defeats its own purposes. A commission of three or five proven and successful business men, could conduct the affairs of a state or city with greater dispatch and success than any legislature. And this idea is growing in popularity. The experiment of having a town run by one business manager, under bond, with a board of advisers, has been tried out with success. A commission of three men could meet at Austin and do more for the prosperity of Texas, than any legislature we ever had.

INDIGESTION, GAS OR SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Time it!—"Pape's Diapepsin" Makes Your upset, bloated stomach feel Fine in five minutes.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn, and sourness in five minutes—that—just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments in to stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back.

It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or night. It's the quickest surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.

What is the difference between blackguardism spoken and blackguardism written? The only difference is that the printed word is read by thousands where the spoken word may be heard by only one or very few. What man is there who would invite a blackguard into his home knowing that he would utter indencies unfit for his family to hear. This is what is done every time some of the popular magazines are taken in the home.

There has been a demand for this kind of literature created by first supplying it and giving it publicity. We recently saw an advertisement of a certain so-called society magazine, announcing that a forthcoming number of that periodical would be known as "naughty", and warning prudens against reading it. As a matter of fact, that certain number was as tame and insipid as the general run of them, but the demand was created by the expectation of something very salacious and indecent. A man should be just as careful of the reading matter he takes into his home, as he is of the company. A vicious book or indecent picture will have as much influence on the minds of children as human companions. Good, wholesome and moral literature is just as cheap as the vicious kind, and if the clean kind is not provided for the home, the other kind will creep in surreptitiously.

GIVING OUT.

The Struggle Discourages Many a Citizen of Colorado.

Around all day with an aching back. Can't rest at night: Enough to make any one "give out" Doan's Kidney Pills are helping thousands. They are for kidney backache; And other kidney ills. Here is convincing proof of their merit:

W. Y. Brice, Snyder, Texas, says: "My Kidneys were weak, obliging me to get up often at night and I also suffered from rheumatic twinges. As I had heard of the good results to be had from Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a box and in a short time after I began taking them, my kidneys were well and my rheumatic pains were removed. I highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering from weak kidneys."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Reports from experimenters with the new Soudan grass, all agree to its great value as a forage crop and its drought resisting qualities. We would like for some Mitchell county farmer to experiment with it and give his results to his neighbors. With the introduction of the silo, most anything can be converted into whole-

some feed for cattle during the winter. We know friend L. C. Dupree will make an experiment with it, because he is quite a hand for experimenting with new things.

It costs our Uncle Samuel a neat penny to keep house for one year. Estimates made by the heads of the different cabinet officers fix the running expenses of the government from the end of the fiscal year, June 1914 to June 30th 1915, at \$1,250,000,000. Just repeat that sum aloud and see if you can comprehend what it means. One million even, is beyond our conception; it only means a sound differing from two million. Then think of 250 times that amount, and after you have digested that sum, then multiply it by 250 again. Talk about the high cost of living, Uncle Sam knows something on it, himself.

The Jewish vote of New York city is the element that compassed the defeat of Tammany in the recent election. Year by year this vote has grown stronger and more solidified in that city, till now it is a power to be reckoned with in politics.

Some of the scenic railroad routes have installed powerful search lights on their trains so that tourists may see the country while passing through during the night. It is operated from the dynamo on the engine and is good for a radius of two miles.

BEST LAXATIVE FOR BOWELS—"CASCARETS"

They Clean Liver, Sweeten Stomach, End Sick Headache, Bad Breath, Indigestion, Constipation.

Get a 10-cent box.

Are you keeping your bowels, liver, and stomach clean, pure and fresh with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with Salts Cathartic Pills, Castor Oil or Purgative Waters?

Stop having a bowel wash-day. Let Cascarets thoroughly cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never gripe, sicken, or cause any inconvenience and costs only 10-cents a box from your druggist. Millions of men and women, or cause any inconvenience, and cost

STOMACH TROUBLE FOR FIVE YEARS

Majority of Friends Thought Mr. Hughes Would Die, But One Helped Him to Recovery.

Pomeroyton, Ky.—In interesting advices from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes writes as follows: "I was down with stomach trouble for five (5) years, and would have sick headache so bad, at times, that I thought surely I would die. I tried different treatments, but they did not seem to do me any good. I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep, and all my friends, except one, thought I would die. He advised me to try Theodor's Black-Draught, and quit

taking other medicines. I decided to take his advice, although I did not have any confidence in it.

I have now been taking Black-Draught for three months, and it has cured me—haven't had those awful sick headaches since I began using it.

I am so thankful for what Black-Draught has done for me."

Theodor's Black-Draught has been found a very valuable medicine for derangements of the stomach and liver. It is composed of pure, vegetable herbs, contains no dangerous ingredients, and acts gently, yet surely. It can be freely used by young and old, and should be kept in every family chest. Get a package today. Only a quarter.

only 10 cents a box from your druggist. Take a Cascaret now and then and never have Headache, Biliousness, Coated Tongue, Indigestion, Sour Stomach or Constipated Bowels. Cascarets belong in every household. Children just love to take them.

The local automobile market was active last week and this week, as well. We have often noted the similarity between the automobile and insurance businesses. There's more in psychology than in the different merits of the cars, and its up to the salesman to make the prospect see just as he sees it. We have seen a strange insurance agent blow into town representing a new company in that section. He would be turned down flat by the first several dozen people he broached the subject of insurance to, and they would make no bones of telling him that everybody able to carry any kind of policy in that town, was insured up to the eyes. But this did not phase him the least. He asked several policy holders what kind of policy they were carrying, and scarcely one could tell the exact provisions of his policy. He would then take the policy, point out a dozen or more

chances for law suit, and otherwise shoot that particular policy so full of holes it would not hold the insured's confidence. Then would the agent show how the policy his company wrote was just like a United States coupon bond, while the rest was easy. Before leaving town he would have insured a dozen or more people. So with the automobile business. There is but one "best car for the money," and that is the car handled by the particular agent one is talking to. As we heard a cattleman here say, who had been landed by an agent after swearing he wouldn't give a "tinker's dime" for an automobile: "If you don't want to buy an automobile, just keep the seat of your britches off the seat of one. If you ever consent to ride, you might as well make arrangements to borrow the money to buy the blamed thing. I know, because I've tried it, fellows."

Tobacco Habit Cured.

We have a letter from an old friend stating "you cured me of my nervous-trouble and tobacco habit," addressed to J. E. Eaves of the Eaves-Webb Sanitarium. Read our 14 page 7. EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

CLOSING OUT SALE

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES

In order that I may close out all the odds and ends in my shoe department, I will sell all shoes except the Star Brand in ladies' and children's shoes marked \$1.00 to \$1.50 at per pair.....\$1.00

All ladies' and children's shoes marked from \$1.75 to \$2.50 will go at.....\$1.50

All marked \$2.75 to \$3.50 go at...\$2.50

MEN'S SUITS

All men's suits priced \$15.00 at....\$12.50

All \$12.50 suits at.....\$10.00

All \$10.00 suits at.....\$7.50

BOYS' SUITS

All boys' suits marked \$4.00 and \$5.00 at.....\$3.50

All suits marked \$2.50 to \$3.50 at \$2.50

MEN'S PANTS

All men's pants marked \$5.00 will be closed out at.....\$4.00

\$3.50 and \$4.00 pants at.....\$3.00

\$2.50 and \$3.00 pants go at.....\$2.00

RAIN COATS

A few misses and ladies' rain coats will be closed out at each.....\$1.00

DRESS GOODS

Dress gingham, Toil d'Nord and Red Seal at per yard.....12 1/2c

All other brands at.....8 1/2c to 10c

Dress goods, all wool, blue and brown serge, at per yard.....50c

Outing, all colors, dark and light, per yard.....10c

Best brands of calico per yard.....5c

GROCERIES—GROCERIES

I carry a full line of staple and fancy groceries and will guarantee their quality.

Best Missouri soft wheat flour, good as is made, per sack.....\$1.65

Best Texas flour at per sack.....\$1.50

Extra high patent Texas flour at per sack.....\$1.40

High patent Texas flour per sack...\$1.25

18 pounds standard granulated sugar for.....\$1.00

25-pound sack standard granulated sugar for.....\$1.35

18 pounds brown sugar for.....\$1.00

10-pound bucket of cottolene for...\$1.25

Swift's Jewel compound.....\$1.10

3 cans good corn for.....25c

3 2-pound cans of tomatoes for.....25c

3 cans of blackberries for.....25c

20 pounds good rice for.....\$1.00

5 pounds good coffee for.....\$1.00

4 pounds best Peaberry coffee for...\$1.00

18 pounds Pink beans for.....\$1.00

Now is the time to lay in your winter supplies and this is your opportunity to save money. I will appreciate your trade, great or small.

J. F. MCGILL

THE HISTORY OF THE EARTH

As It Was Recorded on the Rocks
by the Physical Forces of
the Universe.

By Thomas Fletcher Scott.

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(Continued from last week)

Now as we have seen how the mountains form in the deep seas as islands and how the shallows build up around the islands and how coral polyps build up other islands on the chain of shallows, and as we have seen why the warm belt is growing faster than the cold regions, it should be plain to us why the old equator line should be the highest land line in the world, and we should also see why the present equator line will some day be the highest land line in the world. It will be the highest when the water level in the tropics will sink 10,000 feet, and this will accrue when the water recedes from the highest water level to fill the great polar basin. Then I will agree with Professors Tarr and McMurray that the Gulf of Mexico may be left high and dry, and the Carribean Sea may nearly all be left high and dry and the Panama Canal may stand ten thousands of feet above the water, and the Mississippi river will flow on more rapidly in its course than it does today, because the sea level will be lower and the fall will be greater. I know that this statement will seem strange to those who have not made a study of the facts. It will seem just as unreasonable to those who regard the islands, continents, and seas as fixed, as it would have seemed to an American Indian twenty thousand years ago to have told him that in the near future his little wigwam that stood upon the beach at the foot of Pikes Peak and the little hill on which it rested would some day be thousands of feet above the sea level. It seems strange to some to tell them that the sea waves once lashed the Western Rockies, yet the fact cannot be denied, and it seems just as strange to some to tell them that some day the Panama Canal may be ten thousand feet above the water and instead of ships going through it, it would crowd a rocky mountain burro to go through it. In order to get this theory more plainly before you, we will suppose a fact, for in that way we can prove an existing fact. We will suppose that the poles will change today and that the South pole will swing to some point south of and near the mouth of the Amazon, and the North pole will swing to some point in Southeastern Asia, then the present polar basins would be left in the hot belt and the warm ocean water will rush into them with great force and would lift its great ice sheets and send them afloat, a great continent of ice, just such a continent of ice as has once floated in parts of the world. The water would rush into these basins with such force that it would cut chains of islands apart and plow great furrows in the sea bottoms and fill the basins up with drifting rock on a level with the surrounding sea bottoms, and in this way help to round the earth up into a perfect sphere again. All of the country in the polar regions except the highest mountains near the Arctic and Antarctic circle would be submerged. The water that it would take to fill these polar basins to the natural curvature of the earth would lower the sea level at the present equator eight or ten thousand feet. This would leave the Gulf of Mexico dry land and would leave the Carribean Sea nearly all dry land. It would leave the West Indies high towering mountains and the East Indies on the other side of the earth would also be left high and dry. Australia would be joined on to Asia and a large continent would rise in the South Sea, and its islands would be mountains. If this were to happen today, ten thousand years from today some confused scientist would climb the old ice marked hill of Greenland, then warned by the tropical sun, and gazing at the marks of her ancient glacier marks, would exclaim "Gee, how cold this old world once was, and he would point to the rocks marked by the ancient ice sheet to prove that the world was once very cold and that an ice sheet a mile thick had once laid on the hills that were then kissed by the warm summer breezes, and he would start some strange theory about the Glacier period and a lifeless cold age. Some other confused scientist would dig into the ice covered swamps of the Amazon and finding in them the fossiliferous matter of tropical plants, he would also claim that the world was once very hot and he would talk about the Coal age being very hot and the great growth of ferns that flourished only in the warmer age, and he would point to these evidences to prove that the entire world was once very hot and was free from ice. Another confused and bewildered scientist would travel over the level plains, once the deep bottom of the Gulf of Mexico and would view the sea shells in the rocks, the sediments made by the wave-ground shells of the sea, and he would start some theory about the sea bottom rising from pressure from beneath. Another confused and bewildered scientist would climb the West India islands, then high mountains, with what was once their little wave beaten summits now standing calmly above the clouds, he would view the marks made upon the rocks by the tireless beat of the restless sea, and he would say, "My, what a flood once swept over this old earth for here on the rocks high above the clouds, is the mark of the raging flood." Another confused and bewildered scientist would view these marks and would dig into those fossiliferous rocks, and seeing that they were made by the wave-ground shells of the creatures that evolved into existence in the warm Lourentian seas, and he would claim that the entire world was for thousands of years under water and that land had not appeared above its waves, and that we descended from the skullless vertebrates that wriggled and knew not why they wriggled, that swam without knowing where they were swimming until land appeared and they flopped out and got stuck in the mud, and finally through bumps and thumps, flops and pops, bounces and flounces it sprouted legs, stood up and began to take notice, finally another went through the same evolving process. They sat down on the beach and began watching the whirling constellations, robed in the silvery light of the moon, lulled by the soft music of the waves, fanned by the gentle zephyrs of the evening, they caught the spirit of the universe and fell in love. On and on through joy and grief, pain and pleasure, doubt and fear, hope and despair, they evolved into this splendid race of intellectual giants that are transforming this old world into a heaven. And to prove his theory he would point to the fossils of the most ancient creatures that are sealed in the aged rocks. To prove his theory he would point to the beat of the old ocean storm wave marks on the mountains cap rocks, and he would say, "Here once the storm king raged upon the deep, here on these rocks where the clouds float and foam, once in the remote past, Neptune's wild steeds raged and plunged, and all land was then under water. These islands were first to appear above the waves.

Another confused and bewildered geologist would dig into the fossiliferous rocks that were formed thousands of feet beneath the waves of the Gulf of Mexico, looking for the evidence of the remains of man or his works, and failing to find that man had once lived in the deep sea bottom with the protozoa and skullless vertebrates, he would claim that these creatures were the oldest and that all living creatures evolved from them. The geologists would also dig into the base of the old worn off mountain and finding the quartz, granite and other sediments that sank deepest into the sea water and formed the base of that old mountain, and seeing that there was no evidence of life in this strata, owing to the fact that fossiliferous matter could not sink so deep, and he would talk of the Azoric rocks and the primitive age, or the age in which there was no life upon the earth and he would start a theory that the world was once swung off from the sun during some of her great upheavals, and as it went whirling, cooling through space, until certain conditions obtained, and then the primitive creatures evolved into existence. To prove this fact he would point to the Lourentian and the Huronian rocks, those non-fossiliferous rocks that were formed at such a depth in the water that gravity would not allow the lighter fossiliferous matter to sink to its depths, so these heavy stratas that sank to the greatest depth are the undeniable witnesses that testify to the evolution theory of the earth.

Sir Charles Lyell, in Principles of Geography, said "The strata examined and said to contain the most ancient human remains hitherto found are the Alluvium of Egypt and the Diluvium of Europe."

Of course this is so, why? Because the alluvium is formed by the overflow drift from land and the light drift of the ocean that is tossed ashore by the waves, and we could not reasonably expect to find the remains of man in any other strata, as land has ever been his home and the waters will not allow his dead body to sink into its formations but tosses it back ashore to be food for the beast of the forest or fowls of the air. The diluvium deposit of Europe was made by the flood waters of what was known as the Deluge overflowing Europe when its northwestern part was in the great polar basin. So to look for the remains of man in any other strata would be as foolish as to look for the fossils of the sea fish in the stone of a petrified forest, for we know that shell fish grow in the seas and trees grow upon land.

It must be plain to the thoughtful that an inadequate conception of causations has led to the many theories that confuse the students in Geology. If we were to find the mark where something heavy had been dragged over the snow, just a single mark with no other marks near it, we would be puzzled to know what made that mark, but if there was another mark parallel with it and between the two marks were horse tracks, then we would know that a sled had been along. It took three marks to establish that fact, the two marks on the snow, and the horses tracks between them. Destroy or fail to recognize either of these three witnesses and we could not have an adequate conception of the causation of these signs. As it is with a sled, so it is with all other facts in nature. A theory that does not account for all of the marks is evidently false, for one fact will fit every other fact in the universe and an error will not fit anything. Then if in speaking of the ancient ice sheet, Tarr and McMurray say "From some unknown reason it was layed over the New England states", then their theory does not fit the ice marks and Dodge says, "We know very little about how

the mountains were made," then their wrinkling theory does not fit the evidence given by the mountains. They speak of the Earth's crest rising in some places and sinking in others, and do not explain why rivers do not some times change their course and flow up stream, and their sinking theory does not fit all of the facts.

The only theory that will fit all of the facts as they exist today and have always existed, is the Polar Basin Theory. It accounts for the growing islands in the sea, and the water leaving them high and dry; it accounts for the great basins in which the receding water flows as it leaves the islands high towering mountains; it accounts for the ocean marks on the mountains, commonly called the flood marks; it accounts for the great high land lines around the world and the low water line around the world; it accounts for the ice marks in the warm belt and the heat marks in the cold belt; it accounts for all of the marks and signs left by storm and wave, heat and cold, and all of the evidences recorded in the rocks by the physical forces, and as sure as time lasts it will be accepted by the world, if not in this age, it will be accepted by some other age for the evidences that prove it are recorded in the firm rocks and when years after years shall have passed away the faithful scientists of other ages will examine and recognize these facts.

There are some who will not concur in these conclusions. There are some who will bitterly oppose these conclusions and they will say "Why accept a theory that is gathered from the rocks dug from the depths of the earth and found in the rocks above the clouds, and gleaned from the skating ground of ancient glaciers." And they will insist on the traditions of the past as the only reliable evidence, and the stories told from father to son, that drifted around in the mouth of the professional story tellers for ages before it found its way into the written history of the world. I will admit that I do no place very much confidence in our ancient history, but through all of its mysticisms, now and then we catch a glimmer of a great truth.

For the benefit of those who want only the history of the past as it was given by the pioneers of the race, I will quote from Herodotus, the Father of Profane History. Herodotus tells us from the Priest of Egypt that their traditions had informed them that in very remote ages the Sun had four times changed its course. Is this true or is it false? He says that it twice set where it ought to have risen and twice rose where it ought to have set. We know that so far as we notice the sun does not move at all, but if the world's poles were to swing North or South it would make it appear that the Sun was changing its course. If the North were to swing to the East the Sun would seem to change its course and would seem to rise in the North, and if in the course of time the East would swing back, under the north star, the sun would then seem to rise again in the East. Four polar changes would cause just such a strange phenomenon as Herodotus describes, however that is not all the ancient history we have on the subject. The Chinese in another part of the world, across thousands of miles of barren sands and rugged mountains, almost where they could not have known anything about the Egyptians, tell a similar story. The Chinese tradition says that "In the very remote ages there was a flood, the pillars of heaven were broken, the earth shook to its foundation, the heavens sunk lower toward the North, the earth fell to pieces, the waters enclosed within its bosom burst forth with violence and overflowed it, the sun, moon and stars changed their motions and the grand harmony of nature was disturbed." This is a very good description of how it would look if the poles were to change today. We know that the sun and fixed stars have no motions at all so far as we can notice but if the East were to swing to the South and the North were to swing to the East the stars would rise over different hills from which they formerly rose and the sun would rise over the hill that once sat calmly under the north star and if

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we were as ignorant as those from whom we descended we too would say that the stars had changed their motions.

As I have said, I do not put very much confidence in the early traditions but these two statements coming from separate, and the oldest, nations of the earth, separated by thousands of miles of deserts and mountain peaks are worthy of our consideration. I could offer other evidence that is less clear to prove that all of the ancient nations believed that the sun, moon and stars could change their courses, but space will not permit it. The polar change theory will explain many of the strange sayings of the people from whom we have descended and will also vindicate the character of the pioneers of the race from much of the suspicious cast about their characters by modern critics.

There are some people who will bitterly deny any theory of floods which do not agree with the old idea that the flood was caused by a rain storm. Even there are some who are classed as scientists who speak of the flood as being caused by a rain storm. That theory is almost too unreasonable to be worthy of notice, for we know that it would be a physical impossibility to produce a universal flood by a rain storm. We know that if it overflowed the highest mountains it had to rain about two miles deeper than the clouds out of which it rained. We also know that rain is caused by the sunlight kissing the ocean's surface and turning its smallest particles into vapor and that gravity pushes the vapor upward and onward until it strikes a cold strata, the cold causing them to contract or condense and gravity brings it back to the earth. If this be true, and no reasonable person would deny it, then it must be admitted that if it did rain 800 feet per day for forty days it would not have covered the earth five and one-half miles deep or above our highest mountain, for it could rain 800 feet per day for not only forty days, but for forty thousand years, and it would not change our sea level or cause it to climb ten feet higher towards the summit of Chimborazo. Why do I say so? Because it would have to be carried up into the clouds as vapor as fast as it was condensed and fell back as rain. To claim that a universal flood could be caused by a rain storm would be as unreasonable as to talk about producing an overflow with a bucket of water by dipping it up and pouring it out. We cannot successfully deny that now a greater amount could fall out of the clouds than had first gone up into the clouds. Besides it would take three times as much water as there is in the world today to submerge the entire world five and one-half miles deep, and if it were submerged five and one-half miles deep, it could not subside as it is claimed that it did. In the flood period for there would be no low level for it to flow to. The most unreasonable story that ever dwelt in the minds of men is the rain storm theory of the flood. That story was hatched out by some ignorant Priest—not by those who experienced the flood. The Bible says in speaking of the flood (Gen. 7:11): "The same day were all of the fountains of the deep broken up and the windows of Heaven were opened." In Gen. 8:2 it says: "The fountains of the deep and the windows of Heaven were stopped and the rain from Heaven was restrained." I don't see how this description of the flood justifies the belief that the flood was caused by a rain storm as it speaks of the fountains of the deep or the sea waters, in both the beginning and in the end of the flood. But I think it is plain to the average thinker that a rain storm could not have caused a flood.

Now as we have viewed all of the claims and have investigated all of the theories, we will briefly take up the Polar Basin Theory again and see how it fits the facts as they exist today. We have seen that the world is gradually growing in the warm and temperate belts, and that it is not growing in the lifeless polar regions, we have also seen that the growing belts are gradually rising higher and higher from the exact center of the world, and that as the polar regions are not rising with the balance of the earth's surface, they are left below the growing surface of the warm belt, hence become great basins, in which millions of square miles lay beneath the earth's sea level. We have also seen how the islands and shallows grow in the warm seas, and also how the fossiliferous matter of the seas and land help to fill up the seas and push the water toward the poles. Recognizing all of these facts, we must conclude that these basins must be filled up and the earth be again and again rounded up into a sphere or else it will eventually become flat. Now as we realize that there are two great basins into which the water will some day flow and fill these basins eight or ten miles deep, and that the water it will take to fill these great basins will lower the sea level in the warm belt about ten thousand feet and leave the little islands high mountains and the ocean shallows high plateaus, and in this way we can see how mountains are made as fast as they are weathered away. We can also see why the world will not some day be mountainless, and we can also see how continents can be turned into seas and seas into continents without the earth's surface sinking or rising. In this way we can plainly see that when the polar basins were swung into the warm belt that they would leave some of the ice covered mountains beneath the warm summer sun and the marks of the ice would be indelibly stamped on the old polar rocks. We can plainly see why the flood marks would be on the cap rocks of our highest mountains, for we realize that they were made by the sea waves while they were islands in the deep sea. In this way we can see how all of these marks could be made without destroying much life or overflowing any inhabitable country, for we know that water will not flow only to a low level and the low levels are not fit for the habitation of man. Yet we know that there is an inferior class living there, and there has always been some low types of the race in the icy mountains of the polar basins. In the remote past the highest types drove the lowest types, the man-eating element, into the torrid swamps and the ice covered north, and polar changes have repeatedly swung them into the tropics and submerged their land and a few would climb to the tops of the highest mountains and the rising sea level would leave them on islands in mid-ocean. In that way we can account for the mid-ocean islands being populated in various parts of the world. In that way we can account for the non-fossiliferous rocks we call the primitive formation, and the heaviest particles always being found at the base of the old weathered mountains. In this way we can account for the dip of the rocks as they were formed in the old polar dips or basins after they had been thrown into the warm belt and filled with the sediments and water of the warm seas. In this way we can account for all of the marks and signs left upon the rocks. We can harmonize all of the evidences, account for all of the physical facts, and explain them all by the same laws, the same forces and the same conditions that are existing today. We can account for all of the facts recorded by the physical forces without supposing conditions, without supposing that the world was once extremely hot, once extremely cold, once covered with an endless ocean, and once wrecked and warped by great volcanic upheavals. We can explain all by the forces that are working today, and it must be apparent to the thoughtful that our explanation is true.

Don't understand me to predict any change in the near future for it would show an adequate conception of the facts to even attempt to guess within a thousand years of when

the next polar change will come. I only say that the conditions that produced our flood are existing today, and the same change that left our islands high mountains, our old sea bottoms dry land, and some dry land in the polar circle submerged with ocean water, must accrue again or like causes will not produce like results. But there is one safe rule we can go by. No land will be flooded that is not in the polar basins, and no great amount of life will be lost, for the all wise God has so arranged it that this old world can be rounded up into a sphere repeatedly without destroying it, and we have seen that this can only be done by repeated polar changes and these changes could accrue gradually or they could swing suddenly. It would always be gradual were it not for the planetary influence on the earth.

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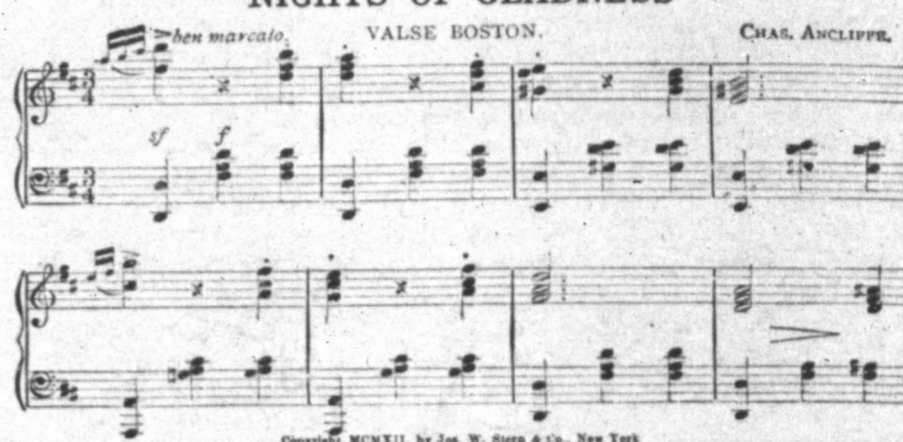
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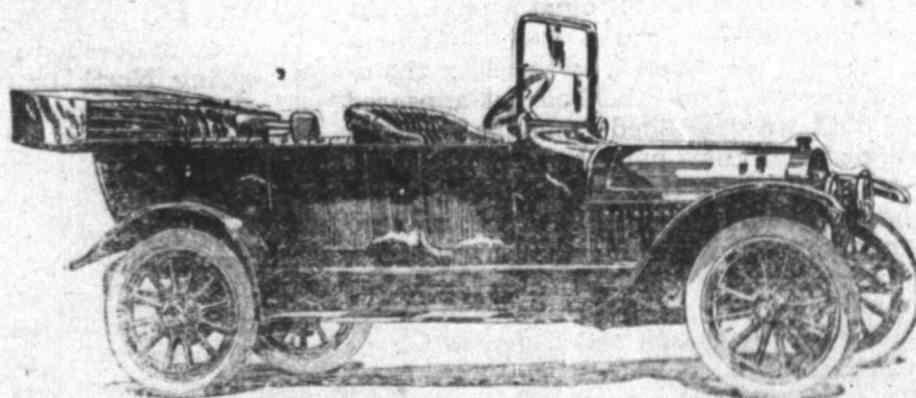
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Since President Wilson has gotten the European nations to consent to handle no further loans to the Mexican government, the end will not be long coming. The stability of Huerta's job depends on the promptness with which he pays his army. His army had as soon fight for Carzenza as for Huerta.

As we are now convinced that President Wilson is pulling the right string to bring about the wisest and quickest solution of the Mexican question, we are going to let it alone and offer no further suggestions to the administration till something really important and conclusive happens.

We are in receipt this week of an old time friend—The Italy News-Herald—and again under the management of Thos. B. Lusk. About two years ago Lusk caught the California fever, sold the News-Herald and hastened to the land of golden promises and Native Sons, where he embarked in the newspaper business. But he soon realized that it was as much the Italy location and Texas people that made for success, as all else, and he was not long in getting back to his native heath. The Italy News-Herald without Tom Lusk would be something else. He built his individuality and personal charm into the paper. Keep it coming this way, Tom; you are doing better than ever.

If the law, which represents the rights of the people, and a long suffering and forgiving God, are willing to pardon the exploitation of a life of crime, and give the criminal a second chance among his fellows; why in the name of decent righteousness, is the criminal not willing to do as much, and blot out all references to his numerous transgressions. There are men going over the country today, who have been pardoned from life terms in the penitentiary, capitalizing their criminal notoriety and posing before young boys as heroes. They claim to be doing it as a warning to boys, and showing the inevitable results of war against society. They justify their criminal acts and sanctify them, and soon come to look upon themselves as martyrs. If their object is to keep boys from treading the same path, these mock heroes defeat the object of their own ends.

Their example affords an excuse to the boys they try to reach, for doing the same thing. There are many sensational evangelists in the pulpit who do the same thing. They rehearse their past sinful life until they actually come to endorse it, and depend upon the salaciousness of its details to accomplish results. When appealed to by parents and friends to give their heart and life to God and His service, the young people reply: "Why, look at Rev. Blank; he was a regular rouser for twenty years, but reformed and is now doing a noble work." If God and the laws of man are willing to forgive and forget our past iniquities; is it not the decent thing for us to be more than willing to do likewise?

There is no greater, nobler accomplishment again to man, than to make the world better. And there is no man or woman so humble and so circumscribed in environment but can do this very thing. Of course you can not make the entire world better—nor can any finite power; but you can do it within the sphere of your life and influence. The man or woman who is always square, decent and kind, doing the best possible under all circumstances of life, will live and die without any great stir; but years after they have gone their influence and example will still be here, working for the purification of some life. We have no assurance that the great philanthropies of a Rockefeller or Carnegie will make the world one whit better. These may help in outward manifestations and material surroundings; but they may lack that leaven which alone can leaven the whole. The gifts of these men may build up great institutions of learning that are so "broad and comprehensive" in their scope, that the very foundations of our government and homes, may be destroyed. To make the world better is not to clothe, feed and support it; but to lead it to accept that divine increment which works continually toward a better, cleaner and more righteous life. The mission of Jerry McCauley on Water street, New York, is evidence of what we mean. Can anyone doubt that this humble institution has done much to make the world better?

As the Mexican muddle progresses, it becomes more apparent that Uncle Woodrow has all along had a clear and uncompromising conception of what was the right thing to do.

It looks to us as if anybody would be willing to pay a tax of \$30 per annum on an income of \$3,000. Nor does it seem any injustice to have to cough up seven per cent taxes on an income of \$500,000. How many of us would be glad of the chance to pay the income tax.

If there was ever a time in the history of Texas when a level headed, practical statesman free from political obligations, was needed in the governor's office, that time is now. And among the factors that would bring such a man to the fore, would be a general investigation and cleaning out of things down at Austin. A house cleaning from attic to cellar would have a wholesome effect for some time.

"The railway as a corporation has no voice in the selection of those who frame and administer laws for its regulation its physical property—extending in part through sparsely settled sections and through wilderness perhaps—it is the most defenseless property that exists. In the very nature of its existence, it can find safety only when, in the darkness of the night watches, in times of stress and peril, and in the enactment of laws for its regulation, the invisible sentinel of Public Opinion stands guard over its rights and property."

Read our ad on page 7. EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

Judge Blanton of Abilene and Mayor Kelley of El Paso, are fairly in the congressional race against Judge Smith.

A Pittsburg, (Pa.) woman testified that her husband had beaten her every week since they had been married, a total of 2,080 times. How long must they have been married?

Unless something turns up in the Mexican situation more important than has been given out the past week news from that country will not deserve a double column head, even in the El Paso Herald.

The citizenship of Colorado sympathize with the great loss the town of Abilene sustained Sunday night in the breaking of the dam on Lytle lake, which provided the entire water supply of the town. The material loss is put at \$20,000, but this in no way covers the industrial loss by the public utilities of the town, risk of fire, etc.

The postoffice department of the federal government is not expected to make money. The government has been satisfied with a self-supporting basis. Since the inauguration of the parcels post, more than 600,000,000 parcels have been transmitted with a profit of \$30,000,000, at the present weight limit. So pronounced has been the success of the system that the postmaster general is contemplating increasing the limit to 20 and possibly 50 or more pounds.

The strength of the law and its terror to evil doers, depends on good men doing their duty in the court house, instead of shirking every opportunity to serve on jury duty. The other kind of citizen does not fail to serve whenever he can. He is first at the polls and works for the interests of his kind. As a result, the courts and machinery of the law are given over to men friendly to the law-breaking element, in many instances. Politics are corrupt and our courts frequently a farce, because good men refuse to do their duty at the polls and in the court room.

When Mr. Wilson was elected President of these United States, the people virtually endorsed the principles and reforms which he and his party advocated and which they stood pledged to carry out. They should have given an honest chance to carry out these reforms, and if they proved failures, charge it to the party and sweep them from office next time. But democrat and republican alike, in congress, should have done all they could to carry out these measures. Congress has been in continuous session since last April and passed only one measure. The currency bill may not be passed till after January, and then possibly, so emasculated and modified as to rob it of any practical relief to the people. If the country has a democratic administration it should be run on democratic wheels.

Quite a little stir was created last Wednesday night, a week ago, by the disappearance from the tin of a wagon of seed cotton belonging to Mr. Ben Horn. Officers were notified of its disappearance and had no difficulty in tracking the team to the north edge of town, where they were found standing. Whether someone had driven off the load of cotton with the purpose of hiding it and returning for it later, or the traces had not been unhit when the team was left standing at the gin, and they growing tired of standing, walked off, could not be determined. It does look, however, that it would be a most bungling way of stealing a bale of cotton, and we are inclined to the belief that the team walked off of their own accord with the load of cotton.

CUTHBERT CULLINGS.

A slow rain fell Saturday night followed by a cold Sunday. There was no Sunday school on account of the bad weather.

Mr. B. L. Astry of Ira visited Cuthbert people Sunday.

Misses Faye and Bertha Goodwin are staying with home folks during the Institute week.

Mr. N. J. Womack bought a Ford Saturday. W. R. Womack, local agent delivered it.

Charles Womack, who is attending school at Colorado is staying at home this week.

Mrs. R. W. Wheeler and children went to Paducah last week.

D. T. Bozeman and daughter went to Dunn Friday.

New boxes have been installed in the Cuthbert post office. Several of the rent boxes have already been spoken for.

A number of Colorado men and boys went out to Vincent and finished getting the stumps out of the road Thursday. SI SLOCUM.

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

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

Sold by Druggists. Price \$1.00 per bottle.

The Brenham Banner is right when it says: "When you run across a man who is trying to rub out the past and trying to live a better and more useful life why not stick out your hand and help along, instead of extending your foot to give him a kick? There are millions of men in this world today who are posing as good men and true men, who never lose an opportunity to stab the man who is down and out, and trying to rebuild and start life over again. There is no Christianity in a spirit that would keep a man from getting honest work when he is struggling to face the world and do right is certainly more contemptible and little than anything that possibly be imagined."

Pain, Pain, Pain.

To those who suffer PAIN, let us say Hunt's Lightning Oil is truly wonderful in the way it destroys pain. So many praise it that you cannot doubt. You simply rub it on, and the pain goes away.

Young children receive deep and lasting impressions from what they see and hear. There is a little fellow in town who officiated at the wedding of one of his relatives in the capacity of ring bearer to the bride. There was a professional in which he marched and at the conclusion of the ceremony, the bridal couple knelt for the blessing. This was the first marriage he had ever witnessed, and to him, it took each and all of these features to constitute "being married." Recently, he attended the marriage of another relative, which was very quietly and unceremoniously celebrated at home, with only a few guests. The little fellow's eyes grew bigger and rounder as he stood in speechless wonder at such a massacre of the wedding ceremony. When it had been concluded and the bride was receiving kisses and congratulations, the boy took hold of his mother and conveyed to her the astounding intelligence that "they ain't been married; they ain't been married; that's not the way aunt-married, and I know they ain't."—And today, he's convinced something is lackig to complete that marriage.

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Every Article of Merit that is Sold These Days is Guaranteed—No Guarantee Often Means Poor Quality.

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An excellent example of this kind of fair dealing is shown by the clean-cut guarantee that Floyd Beall gives on Dodson's Liver Tone.

These people tell us that any person who pays 50c for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and does not find it a gentle and most pleasant liver tone, harmless, but a sure reliver of constipation and a perfect substitute for calomel can get his money back just as quick as they can get it out of the money drawer.

Dodson's Liver Tone has practically taken the place of calomel. It is absolutely harmless, sure in its action and causes no restriction of habit or diet. No wonder the drug people are glad to guarantee it, while other remedies that imitate the claims of Dodson's Liver Tone are not guaranteed at all.

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If you want to join the Woodmen of the World or the Woodmen Circle see Ernest Keathley and he will take your application.

I WANT TO SELL
You Fruit Shade and Nut Trees. Grapes, Berries, Roses and Shrubbery. Agent for Cosmopolitan and Hearst's Magazines.—J. T. HARNISS.

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Read our ad on page 7.

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"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. I 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 week 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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LORRAINE NEWS ITEMS.

Sam Anthony and wife of Corpus Christi write to friends here that they are rejoicing over the birth of a son in their home last week.

W. L. Edmonson, F. Miles and J. N. McCahren are down at Whitney selling out a stock of goods that W. L. Edmonson recently purchased.

Wiley Thompson and wife and baby have returned home after spending two months with Mrs. Thompson's parents.

Mrs. Honey Howell and baby left Sunday for a visit to her parents in New Boston.

Arle Martin and wife of Lone Wolf visited the latter's parents Sunday.

The Philmath Club held their regular meeting with Mrs. T. A. Martin on Friday afternoon.

All the teachers are busy in Colorado this week attending institute.

Miss Jean Hall is visiting in Stamford this week.

The three churches united in a Thanksgiving service to be held at

the Baptist church on Thanksgiving night.

C. E. Elliott of Westbrook was the guest of his brother Sunday.

Mrs. T. J. Newton has been quite sick this week.

Miss Lettie Miller is reporter for the Lorraine News.

Miss Irene Garland and brother have returned from East Texas to Roscoe where they will make their home again. Their many friends both there and here are glad to have them back. Miss Irene was the guest of her sister here this week.

Misses Roland and Smith of Colorado were the guests of Miss Annie White Saturday.

O. O. Hollingsworth and wife of Kingsville were guests of his sister, Mrs. Hubert Toler this week.

Hubert Toler and W. L. Petty have returned from Abilene where they unloaded two car loads of Maxwell automobiles and report the sale of eight in one week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walker entertained a merry crowd of the younger set on Friday night. All report a lovely time.

Andrew Smith entertained a few of his friends on Saturday night.

G. W. Baugus left Saturday night for Ft. Worth where he will look out a location and move soon.

The East Gin owned by the Oil Mill Co. burned Saturday night origin of the fire unknown.

Program for Thanksgiving Service.

At the Baptist Church 7 p. m. Thursday 27th.

Song Service--Led by Prof. Elliott and Miss Hall.

Bible Reading--By Rev. G. C. Faris.

Prayer--Rev. C. E. Jamison.

Addresses--By Revs. Lawrence and Dorich.

Reading--Miss Lettie Miller.

Short Talks and Prayers--By All.

Song--

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Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion is wholesome, nourishing, free from alcohol and dangerous drugs. It's the ideal nerve, blood and body builder. It does the work it is planned to do better than any other medicine we know of, and our faith in it is so great that we not only urge you to use it and give it to your children--but we guarantee that it will do all we say it will or cost you nothing.

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*W. L. Doss, Colorado, Texas.

P. E. Montgomery, a farmer of Bell county, Texas, an extensive sower of Sudan grass, carried to town 75 pounds of Sudan seed and disposed of the entire lot for \$1 per pound. He has gathered more than 800 pounds of the seed this season and had no difficulty in disposing of it at the same

price. He says that Sudan grass makes the best possible forage that can be fed to livestock.

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

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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. MRS. SAM SMART. 12-12-p.
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Consumption takes 350 People Every Day

in the United States and the surprising truth is that most cases are preventable with timely, intelligent treatment.

These appalling facts should warn us that after colds, coughs, overwork or any other drains upon strength, Scott's Emulsion should be promptly and regularly used because tubercular germs thrive only in a weakened system.

The tested and proven value of Scott's Emulsion is recognized by the greatest specialists because its medicinal nourishment assimilates quickly to build healthy tissue; aids in the development of active, life-sustaining blood corpuscles; strengthens the lungs and builds physical force without reaction. Scott's Emulsion is used in tuberculosis camps because of its rare body-building, blood-making properties and because it contains no alcohol or habit-forming drug. Be sure to insist on Scott's.

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DON'T DOPE A PUNY CHILD.

Parents--don't give that puny, ailing under weight child any of those so-called "tonics" containing alcohol or dangerous drugs; such stuff won't give relief and health to grown people, let alone children. Its purpose is to stimulate for a short time after each dose, just as whiskey or morphine does, thus making you believe it is doing real good.

Give that child something that will really build it up--replenish the wasted tissues--feed the stunted, draw-

The Mexican situation seems to have settled down into a waiting game on both sides. If, however, that "9500 federal army" that is reported closing around old Juarez, should stumble against Villa's 8000 seasoned troops, something might happen.

Tonight.
Tonight, if you feel dull and stupid or bilious and constipated, take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets and you will feel all right tomorrow. For sale by W. L. Doss.

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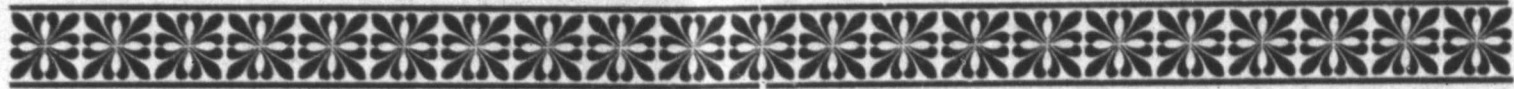
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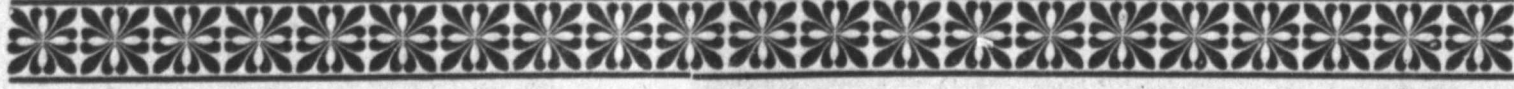
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Charles J. Deem, special representative of the Tins Foundry and Machine Co., with headquarters at Austin, Texas, is one of many who favors small irrigation units.

Mr. Deem favors a farm of forty to sixty acres. With a well furnishing, say, 800 gallons of water a minute, he says a man can economically take care of 20 acres of alfalfa and the same amount of row stuff. Ordinarily it takes three times as much water for alfalfa as for row crops.

With twenty acres of alfalfa and a silo to "preserve" the tonnage of an additional twenty acres, then with stock to feed this, experience has proven that a man can make \$2,000 to \$3,000, or even more, a year. That means independence.

Mr. Deem favors a large reservoir in this way the pumping may be done more economically. Less water is required because the larger head of water possible with a storage reservoir makes it possible to get over the ground more rapidly. If the alfalfa has rooted well there will be no washing of soil with a heavier head of water. Then, too a reservoir may be used as a fish pond, and the family supplied with fish at all times.

An acre covered to a depth of 1 inch measures 28,320 gallons, according to Mr. Deem. But as it is run into ditches which never are exactly level, eighty to one hundred thousand gallons of water are required to put a 2-inch irrigation over an acre of land.

"With a well pumping 1,000 gallons of water, unless a reservoir is used to get a stronger head, seven to ten acres of land is all that can be gotten over in ten hours. The loss of water in the ditches is from 20 to 30 per cent. For example, at San Saba, Texas, there is a plant which will irrigate 14 acres of land in ten hours right around the plant; half a mile away it will only irrigate 5 acres a day.

"The most efficient irrigation system is one like those used in parts of California. A metal pipe called 'ton-con' is buried underneath the ground, with openings to admit water into the ditches wherever desired. This conduit costs about \$20 to an acre, and can be laid by the farmer when he is not busy with other things.

"It makes considerable saving, because all of the land may be cultivated, and there is no loss of water by evaporation and seepage, or from digging the main to open new laterals. These closed conduits must have a head pressure of about 4 feet.

"Not only will the 40- to 60- acre tract give more economical irrigation—it is within reach of the ordinary man; but it will give a much more thickly settled country. That means better schools, and more wholesome social life."

It's just about this time of the year the Record begins to remind the good people of Mitchell county, to pay their poll tax. There's going to be several kinds of politics in Texas next year and you'll want to have a say in it all. Don't emasculate your citizenship by refusing or neglecting to pay the \$1.75 necessary to qualify you as an elector. Just as soon as a candidate finds that you have not paid your poll tax, he drops you like he would a hot potato. No more free doings; no more smokes; cold drinks; no attention to anything you may say. In short, unless you pay that poll tax, you have nothing whatever to do with the show. The most trifling man in the state with a poll tax receipt is of more importance than you, if you haven't one. So, get busy while you have the price and pay it now. It will be much harder to pay on the last day of next January. You know it will.

It looks as if the educational institutions of Texas are going to be ruined by politics. No institution was ever so well and solidly founded but politics could not ruin its usefulness. Church politics are just as blistering as civic. Schools that have in the past done good and thorough work, though barely struggling for existence have been ruined by accepting a big gift from some millionaire, who wanted to buy respect and had nothing else to offer except money. It begins to look as though Clarence Ousley's choice as head of the A. & M. College was determined on when Col. Milner was ditched. Ousley is a man equipped by nature and training for a higher place than president of a state Agricultural & Mechanical college, and before he began training with the political bunch, which now seems to control him, gave promise of a truly successful career. But he has paid a high price for the honor of being shelved no higher up than president of the A. & M.

Director Harris, head of the Census Bureau has declared that hereafter his department will be "dry." It is very disagreeable for the women to sit all day in an atmosphere strongly charged with the fumes of liquor.

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

MOTHER! IS CHILD'S STOMACH SOUR, SICK!

If Tongue is Coated or if Cross, Feverish, constipated Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy mother! A little given to day saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeiters sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

Development of agricultural education in our public schools, has been, decidedly, the most notable advance in educational progress of the nation during half a century. From May, 1910 to March, 1912, the total number of institutions giving courses in agriculture increased from 863 to 2575, or at a rate of more than 76 each month, and this increase was found almost entirely in schools of secondary grade. This does not take into account the vast number of elementary and rural schools in which some instruction in agriculture has been introduced of which no definite record is obtainable. There must be an enormous number, since in at least 19 states agriculture is required by law to be taught in the common schools.

Our patients are our best advertisers
EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

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.

Continued railroad strikes are a thing of the past. The transportation business of the country has grown to be so vitally identified with all other lines of business, that influences outside the railroad management and its employees is brought to bear with effective pressure. The Southern Pacific strike was quickly called off and all the men put back to work when this outside influence got busy.

A citizen of San Angelo has decided to establish the biggest duck farm in the country, and will specialize on the Indian runner variety.

One lady says in a letter. "I feel like a new person and you cured me 5 years ago, etc."
EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM.
Read our ad, page 7.

School Children.
I make it my business to mend your shoes. Bring all your shoes to me.
TOM PAYNE.

For Sale or Trade—Three small farms near Colorado. Also one 2-section and a 12-section pasture in Sterling county. Will sell or trade for Mitchell county property. What have you?
L. C. DUPREE. 10/10/tfc

McMurry pays highest prices for country produce.

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.

Anything to trade? Try the Record.

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

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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

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

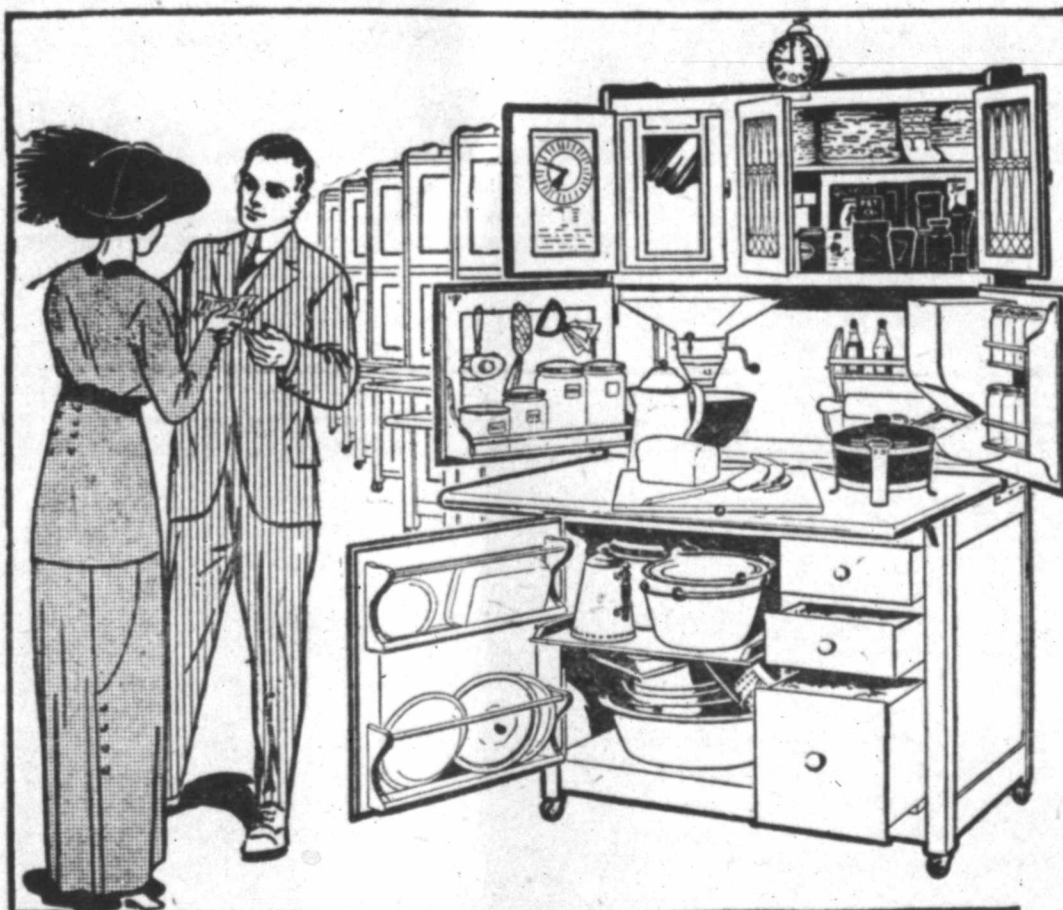
Rockers for grandpa and grandma; for father and mother—in fact, the entire family. We show one of the most attractive lines of rockers this year perhaps you have ever inspected in Colorado, in many finishes, and will range in price from 50 cents to \$25.00 each. You may find just the chair you are looking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

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"

Shelf Hardware

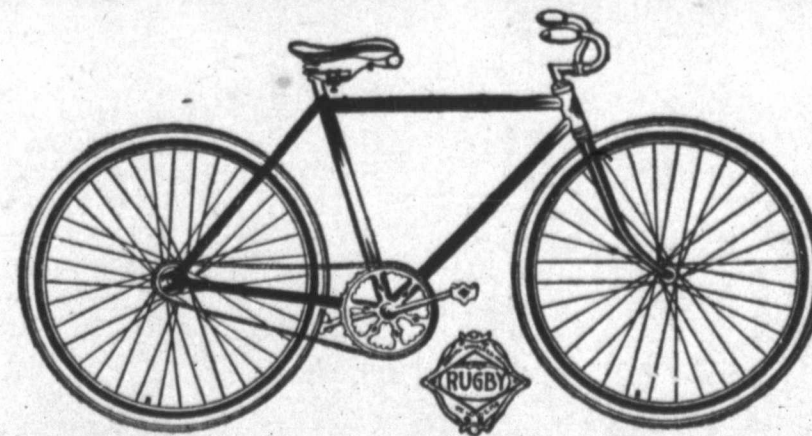
We are pleased to announce that we have one of the best lines of Shelf Hardware, Stoves and Stove Supplies, Queensware, Glassware, Enamel ware and Tinware, in Colorado.

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.

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.

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WE DO THE MOST DIFFICULT REPAIRING.

IF YOU SHOULD HAVE AN ACCIDENT TO YOUR TIME PIECES, NO MATTER HOW BADLY THEY ARE DAMAGED, BRING THEM TO US. WE WILL MAKE THEM GOOD AS NEW. WE OFFER YOU

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AT WATCHMAKERS' PRICES, IF YOU HAVE BLACKSMITHING TO DO OR BICYCLES TO REPAIR DON'T BRING THEM TO US. WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF WATCH REPAIRING, WATCHES CLEANED AND WARRANTED FOR ONE YEAR.

James T. Johnson
The Reliable Jeweler
COLORADO. - TEXAS



LOCAL NOTES

Stoves at Cost—McMurry.
 Read every word of our ad, page 7
EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

Bruce and Carl Phenix now have a double cylinder Indian motorcycle, so that going to and from his school, Bruce requires only a few minutes to cover the three intervening miles from his home, while Carl, who is now managing work on the irrigated farm, can step up to town and back in short order.

WANTED—A bad case of Rheumatism. If you have Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headaches, we want you to try Hunt's Lightning Oil. You will be convinced of the truth of the statement of one customer that "as a reliever of pain it is without an equal." All druggists sell it.

Mr. J. J. Williams, who is working at the Wheeler gin had his hand caught in the saws last Thursday afternoon, and cut very painfully. He will be unable to work for some little time but is thankful for so narrow an escape from a more serious injury. He has been working around this for nearly twenty years, and says this is the first time he ever sustained the least scratch from his handling.

The service is prompt, the work is satisfactory and the cost makes it a real economy. Colorado Steam Laundry.

Ed Dupree of Mt. Vernon, was a business visitor here both last week and this.

Our rough dry work will give you satisfaction. We starch the pieces that need it, iron and fold ready for use your bed, and table linen, towels etc. all for 35 cents per dozen or four dozen for \$1.00—Colorado Steam Laundry.

Mrs. Frank Miles of Loraine is here attending the teachers institute and is the guest of Mrs. Gustine.

Queen of Pantry Flour—McMurry.

Miss Emma Stoneham is at home again after a visit with her sister in Dallas.

Phone McMurry for your groceries.

Rev. and Mrs. James N. Campbell returned from Dallas Tuesday night where they had been attending the Baptist convention.

Our patients are our best advertisers
EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

Mr. E. Keathley touched "terra firma" Tuesday night after the uplift at the Dallas Convention.

Trimmed hats from \$1.50 up Saturday at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Rev. W. E. Lyon and family left this week for their new home in Stamford. They leave many friends here whose best wishes and prayers follow them.

We appreciate your trade and want more of it. Lee Green is with me now to shoe your horses.
LOGAN SPALDING.

Ask them that know.
 "Our Patients"—Eaves-Webb Sanitarium.

Mrs. A. L. Whipkey returned from Dallas Tuesday morning where she had been to attend the Baptist Convention and visit relatives. She reports a very pleasant trip.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Beal Nov. 16th a fine boy baby.

Our millinery stock is complete. Order your winter hats now and have them designed and trimmed to suit.
MRS. B. F. MILLS

Miss Juanita Cook, who resides at Clyde, and a teacher in the Vincent school and whose father was one time a practicing physician here, was a guest of Mrs. Gustine and other friends last week.

Rev. P. C. Craig has returned from his visit to Boyce and will fill his pulpit at the usual hours Sunday.

A grateful mother says, "In reply to our letter.

"You cured our little girl five years ago of Rheumatism and she is still well."
EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM.
 Read our ad, page 7.

Mr. Harris Gardner reports a grand time at the Baptist Convention in Dallas.

We carry a variety of packing house goods. Phone us and see what we have.
BEAL'S MARKET. 103114

Bibles at your own price at Doss, from the cheapest to the best made.

Both the new Methodist and Presbyterian pastors were given a hearty welcome last Sunday by large congregations. There being no services at two of the churches in town these congregations worshiped with the new pastors.

Highest prices for chickens and eggs paid by McMurry.

Mr. Hargis, the gentleman from El Paso, who came here some weeks ago, and who has been operated on for heart trouble, is again quite low.

See me on stove prices before you buy. Selling at cost, McMurry.

Mrs. Ham, mother of Mrs. Dr. Coleman, has been quite ill and feeble the past week.

Read our ad on page 7.
EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

What with the absence of our society reporter this week; one of the chief ramrods gone to Waco, and the inclement weather, the gathering of local news has been well nigh impossible. Be patient with us however, and all this issue of the Record lacks of being up to the average, will be made up later.

Ben Morgan will order the latest books published for you.

Rev. Mr. Clemens, who is the new pastor recently appointed to this district preached his first sermon last Sunday morning to an appreciative congregation. His family have now arrived and they are at home in the Methodist parsonage. Bro. Clemens comes from Merkel.

Bring your produce to McMurry.

PICTURE SHOW PARTY.

Last week the Miss Eva Jackson invited a few of her girl friends to supper in the home of her sister Mrs. J. L. Allen. A number of young men arrived immediately afterward and escorted them to the picture show where seats had been reserved for the entire party. On their return Mrs. Allen served delightful refreshments. All had a most delightful evening.

Judge W. R. Smith, after looking pretty thoroughly over his district, and sizing up the situation, will return to Washington in time to be on hand at the opening of the regular session.

McMurry wants your country produce.

Not since the fall of 1906 have the streets and crossings of Colorado been as muddy as they were Monday and Tuesday. In 1906 our streets were not graded and clay covered in the residential sections of the town; there was nothing but sand, which quickly dried and afforded easy walking. Now when the clay gets thoroughly wet, it holds the water and requires some days to dry out. However disagreeable the mud may be, it augers well in West Texas in the fall and winter. It means deep season and good plowing.

Let me sell you your gift bible for Christmas. I have a full line which I am selling out at un-heard-of prices. Nothing old or shelf-worn, all new stock.

Rev. C. P. Craig has returned and there will be regular services at the Christian church next Sunday.

Four new "FORD" touring cars to close out at \$375.00 each.
 12-5c. W. L. PETTY, Snyder, Texas.

Jas. H. Greene, who was called to Stephens, Ark., by the fatal illness of a relative, returned home Sunday night. He reports that section in highly prosperous condition.

We are getting high voltage now. Better have the wiring in your home overhauled and put in safe condition; may save a fire. I do wiring as it should be done.

F. C. McSPADDEN 12-5c
 Our patients are our best advertisers
EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

Mr. F. E. McKenzie is attending the Fat Stock Show in Ft. Worth this week.

No family, home or individual should be without a nice bible. Its the only infallible guide for all. I have some great bargains in bibles suitable for home use or for presents—W. L. Doss.

Mrs. J. R. Dantel of Merkel and Mrs. R. W. Mitchell of Abilene visited their parents Judge and Mrs. A. J. Coe last week.

If you have never done so, let McMurry feed you a month, and note the difference.

The many friends of Mrs. Exa McLure Nelson will be glad to learn that she stood the operation for appendicitis nicely last week at the Baptist Memorial Sanitarium in Dallas and is now well on the road to recovery.

Best flour on the market—Queen of the Pantry at McMurry's.

City Marshal Stell has the thanks of all who were compelled to walk our streets the past week, for his prompt action in making the crossings possible. Several loads of sand placed along the different crossings, made a mighty improvement in the going.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH.
 (Episcopal)

Rev. Harold G. Hennessy, Priest in Charge.
 Services for the First Sunday in Advent, Nov. 30: Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.; Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

The Litany is said every Friday at 7:30 p. m.
 All are cordially invited to any of these services.

The local light and power plant has been experiencing some troubles of its own the past week, as well as its patrons. With no other provision in the house for a light, it is rather provoking to have the electric light wink out instantly and leave one with book in hand, and then to wait—wait—wait, hoping the light will come on again. Sometimes it has; sometimes it has not, and the town would be left in Egyptian darkness till seven o'clock next morning. The trouble has been, we understand with the engine, one of the rods being so badly sprung that it breaks under high speed. The company has not yet gotten in its new engine for this plant, but the dynamo for it has been here for a week. Soon as the high power wire can be put up from Sweetwater here, all our light and power troubles will be ended. The patrons have been very patient, realizing the condition of things, and believing that all our present inconveniences will be more than compensated for in the excellent service the company will give when all their new equipment is installed.

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

IN CLUB LAND.
 Bay View.

Mrs. Gustine was hostess for the Bay View Club last Friday. The regular program was carried out with Mrs. John Moor as leader.

Quotations from Shakespeare were given for roll call on the Shakespeare lesson and current events on the Holland lesson. Miss Juanita Cook was an appreciated visitor at the social hour.

A salad course with coffee and tea was served as refreshments.
Hesperian.

The Hesperian Club met with Mrs. W. L. Doss, with Mrs. Merritt as leader and carried out this program.

Roll Call—Reference to English Customs.
 Paper—The Lollards and the Heretics—Mrs. Merritt.

What is Comedy, (Principles illustrated from the play)—Mrs. L. L. Majors.
 Evolution—the Drama—Mrs. Ratliff.

Text Study—Act V.
 Discussion of Late News.
 Social Hour—Refreshments.
Standard.

The Standard Club met last Friday with Mrs. Looney and carried out this program.

Roll Call—Austrian Rulers.
 King John, Act V, Scenes 1, 2, 3—Mrs. Burns.

Magazine—French Sculpture in the 19th century—Mrs. Coleman.
 Paper, Constance—Mrs. Hooper.
 Social Hour—Refreshments.

STUDY CLASS.

Mrs. Phenix was hostess for the Baptist Mission Study Class last Thursday with Mrs. James T. Johnson as leader. A large number were in attendance and an interesting program carried out on Personal Service with roll call on "Care of the needy" Mrs. Jones and Mrs. DeLaney were appreciated visitors and Mrs. Dunckelman was gladly received as a new member. The offering will be applied on the Orphans Home offering which will be taken next month. A delicious salad course with hot coffee was served at the social hour.

1000 Agents Wanted at once to sell a self-heating sad iron. Pay salary or commission. Agents make from \$15.00 to \$20.00 per day. Ladies make good representatives. Imperial Sad Iron Co., Fort Worth, Texas, Box 285, 12-12-p.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The school children are having a whole week of Thanksgiving holidays this week on account of the County Teachers Institute.

The fifth grade children gave their teacher, Miss Etie Campbell a fruit shower last Friday.

The ninth, tenth and eleventh grades gave a Thanksgiving feast in honor of the teachers last Friday at noon in the upstairs of the High School building. Everything dear to their appetite was on the table and enjoyed to their fullest capacity.

This is only a token of the high esteem in which the teachers are held by the student body. Never has there been greater peace and harmony existing between them.

Art Class—I am prepared to take pupils in oil, pastel and water color painting and to execute orders for holiday work. Will teach at residence at J. W. Shepherd place, near Mrs. Harry Landers. Mrs. G. M. HARROD.

You can get fresh fish at Mac's Cafe, at 15c pound; the cheapest eating.
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is a familiar slogan. If you wish jewelry for which you need not apologize to your friends, but which you can wear with full assurance that it is up to the minute in all respects and quality the best—buy from the firm who has made the jewelry business their hobby for thirty-five years, seventeen of which have been in your midst. You will find our prices for the same goods are lower than others can possibly sell them, on account of our buying in large quantities for two large stores and buying direct.

Test Our Claim—Find Out For Yourself

You are always welcome whether you buy or not. We take pleasure in showing our goods.

Yours for goods of high quality
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The Jeweler with Seventeen Years Reputation in Colorado

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The Best of Meats Always on Hand

Cured Ham, Boiled Ham
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We will treat you right and appreciate your trade. Please pay the cash—we are not able to do a credit business.

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 Plans and Specifications furnished. Will estimate and bid on anything.—Concrete and Brick work a specialty, Colorado, Texas.

Skin Sufferers—Read!

We want all skin sufferers who have suffered for many years the tortures of disease and who have sought medical aid in vain, to read this.

We, as old established druggists of this community, wish to recommend to you a product that has given many relief and may mean the end of your agony. The product is a mild, simple wash, not a patent medicine concocted of various worthless drugs, but a scientific compound made of well known antiseptic ingredients. It is made in the D.D.D. Laboratories of Chicago and is called the **D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema.**

This is a doctor's special prescription—one that has effected many wonderful cures.

The effect of D. D. D. is to soothe instantly, as soon as applied; then it penetrates the pores, destroys and throws off all disease germs and leaves the skin clean and healthy.

We are so confident of the marvelous power of D. D. D. that we have taken advantage of the manufacturers guarantee, to offer you a full-size bottle on trial. You are to judge the merits of the remedy in your own particular case. If it doesn't help you, it costs you nothing.

D. D. D. Soap is made of the same healing ingredients. Ask us about it.

W. L. DOSS DRUGGIST.

LOCAL NOTES

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

Mrs. Marcus Snyder and baby of Pecos City, are visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. R. H. Looney.

McMurry pays highest prices for all kinds of country produce.

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

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

Our old friend, Matt Churchill was interviewing the merchants of the town last Saturday. He seems to grow younger and spryer with every passing year.

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.

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

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

We understand that Albert Taylor and his company will soon play in Colorado. He can always count on two good nights here. The play goes like him and he never disappoints them.

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

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

Fresh Fish, 15c the lb, at Mac's Cafe at all times.

In glancing over the columns of a Pecos paper this week we stumbled across the information that "Ben Randall lost a fine brood mare this week." Although knowing he was living in Pecos and doing acceptably well, he has not been thrown to the surface in public prints by reason of strenuous stunts. Ben at one time lived in Colorado and practiced law; held office, in fact, but it is not by this prominence he is today remembered by the people here. He had a whimsical streak in his make-up that gave originality to all he said. Many of Ben Randall's stories and sayings pass current today with as much point as when uttered by himself. Though coming here after his departure, we verily believe we should know him if we met him in the big road.

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

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

McMurry wants your produce—pays top prices.

On last Wednesday, while Mr. E. R. Williford and others were out south of town working the public roads, a telegram came to him from Arkansas that his youngest son, about five years old, was very ill. Before Mr. Williford's whereabouts could be located another wire was received that the little fellow would die, and for him to come at once. By the time Mr. Williford was reached by telephone and arrived in town, he found a third telegram announcing his son's death. He left for Arkansas on the eastbound night train. All Mr. Williford's Colorado friends deeply sympathize with him in his sad and sudden bereavement.

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

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

Don't neglect the planting of a few more shade trees around your home, if no more. No improvement that costs as little and pays more than nice shade about your place. It makes vacant property easier to sell, and for a better price. No use to buy expensive trees from some nursery. Our own indigenous varieties make good shade and look well, besides, they are thoroughly acclimated. Pretty shade trees in West Texas are worth all they cost in time, labor and money.

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

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

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

EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM.

Mrs. Joe Stokes and daughter Ethelyn left Monday night for two weeks visit with relatives in Post City and Plainview.

McMurry wants your country produce—top prices paid.

Pattern Hats, the latest designs at Mrs. Mills.

Ask our patients

EAVES-WEBB SANITARIUM

Dr. J. S. Sneed of Abbott, is looking after his interests here this week. He reports everything in that section as green as the bay tree.

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

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

Judge J. L. Sheppard of the firm of Shepherd and Sandusky of Colorado was greeting old acquaintances in this city Monday. Judge Sheppard was also here on business connected with the interests of Summers and Peebles, who own 100 sections of land in this and adjoining counties.—Big Springs Herald.

Ben Morgan's for fine package candies.

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

Logan Spalding has secured the services of Lee Green expert horse shoer.

The Mitchell County Teachers' Institute opened Monday with a fine attendance, practically every teacher in the county being present. Attendance on this institute is compulsory. A very full and comprehensive program is being carried out and the teachers are doing faithful and conscientious work.

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.

The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed for the week ending Saturday, Nov. 22, 1913. Parties calling for the same, please say, "Advertised, 1 cent due.

Mr. Barrie Gigham; Mr. Alfred Carter; Alton Farnham; Miss E. V. Ferguson; Mr. Hamilton Gaddis; Miss Nettie Garrett; Mr. Frank Huber; Mr. S. D. Lauther; A. L. McCracken; Mrs. Halley Nelson; Mr. J. A. Paulk; Mr. W. B. Romine; Mrs. Etta Roberson; Mrs. Mellie Spears; J. L. Stribbling; L. E. White.

JNO. W. PERSON, P. M.

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

Everything to eat at McMurry's; prompt service.

Herrington reports the sale of three famous Fords last week—one a day for three days. And more coming.

McMurry has the exclusive agency for Queen of Pantry Flour. Best flour made, every sack guaranteed.

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

Rev. Guy B. Duff, who was recently called to the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church here, preached his first sermon Sunday morning to a good congregation. Mr. Duff has done a good work for the church in New Mexico, and he will doubtless achieve a like success in Colorado. The Record welcomes him and his family to the citizenship of the town.

Escape the hard, tiresome work of washing at home. The laundry will take all the work and muss off your hands.

If you need a bible for your own use or for a present, I have the greatest bargains ever seen in Colorado—from the best to the cheapest—W. L. Doss.

Your lace curtains need laundering this fall—after hanging all summer by open windows. We launder them very carefully starch them just right and dry them square and even—Colorado steam Laundry.

L. S. Hyre of Sweetwater, is a recent addition to the Record's subscription list. Mr. Hyre is an expert brick mason and plasterer, and has done much work in Colorado.

Dr. B. F. Chambers of Bullard, Texas, spent a couple of days this week with Mr. J. E. Stowe, leaving Wednesday morning.

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 150 papers a year, or three a week. That's some reading, isn'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.

O. O. Hollingsworth, chief dispatcher for the Frisco road at Kingsville, Texas, accompanied by his wife, spent Saturday night and Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stowe. Mr. Hollingsworth is a brother of Mrs. Stowe.

For Sale—Boys second hand bicycle at a bargain. Cost \$27, will take \$7.50 for it if sold at once. Has had new tires and is in good condition. See it at Record office—Stansel Whipkey.

All stoves at cost at McMurry's

Rev. H. G. Hennessy went over to Big Springs Wednesday morning to conduct services at that place. The Bishop of this diocese has given Mr. Hennessy a kind of supervisory charge over all churches west, to the Pecos.

MR. GLISSON ENTERTAINS.

Tuesday evening Mr. Glisson entertained his pastor, deacons and elders of his church with a six o'clock dinner at the Barcroft hotel. Covers were laid for twelve and a sumptuous feast was enjoyed. Also a pleasant time was had socially.

Mrs. Sandusky and Mrs. Crowder were the guests of honor and with their pleasant manners assisted Mrs. Glisson to make the evening pass all too quickly for the gentlemen.

Although no formal agreement has been made among the merchants and published, to that effect: It goes with out saying that all business houses will close and stay closed all day Thanksgiving. Not aware that we would issue one day ahead of time this week, the usual agreement for closing may be brought in too late for publication. The day should be one of rest and recreation. This idea is

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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.
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contained in the proclamations of the President and Governor, themselves; to "withdraw from the usual duties and vocations of life and assemble ourselves together to give thanks to God for the blessings of the past year" It is intended as a kind of inventory, when we should count our blessings and compare our condition with that of those around us; to take lessons from our failures the past year and make resolutions for amendment during the coming one. But, the chances are, the weather permitting, the day will be spent by many in hunting and killing useful birds for no other purpose than to gratify the lust to slay. If let alone, nature will maintain the balance between the living things on this earth; but when man butts in, extermination of that species is the result. Whoever dreamed, forty years ago, that the entire species of the buffalo would be swept from these western plains?

Business Notice—
This is to notify all trespassers that the lands of W. L. Foster in this county have been posted according to law. And those caught so trespassing will be prosecuted to the fullest extent. Better heed this notice and keep out of trouble.
11/29pd.
E. B. GREGSON, Manager.

For Sale.
The Studebaker Roadster formerly owned by Byron Byrne, in first class condition, at a rare bargain for quick sale. This is a splendid car, and if thinking of buying a roadster, you can not get a better one at any price. See me quick.
F. S. KEIPER.

Wanted.
At once, a job or work on farm or in town. Can do most any common work. Can give good recommendation.
Address D. P. CHILDERS
Colorado, Tex.
In care of J. F. Jordan, Itpd.

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 11/71fc.
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.

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, brown coal.

erosene 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. 7/18ft.

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.

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

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.

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