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**SAND CLAY ROADS AND THE TIME TO WORK THEM**

There are at present about 35,000 miles of sand clay roads in the United States, mainly in the Southern States, according to the office of Public Roads U. S. Department of Agriculture. The time to work the roads is in the spring when the soil is damp. If the working of the roads is deferred until late in summer when they are dry, they are not only much more difficult to put in proper shape but the cost of repair is greater than if they were worked early in the spring.

Previous to 1894 comparatively little, if any, of these roads existed. The popularity of this type of road is due to the facts that it is cheap, comparatively firm and durable, easy to construct and repair, and that the materials out of which it is built are plentiful in many sections of the country.

The sand-clay road is made by mixing the sand and clay in such a way that the grains of sand, touch each other, the spaces between the grains being filled with clay which acts as a binder.

The approximate mixture of sand and clay may be determined by filling a vessel with a sample of the sand to be used, and another vessel of the same size with water. The water is poured carefully into the sand until it reaches the point of overflowing. The volume of water removed from the second vessel represents approximately the proportion of clay needed.

The proper proportion of sand and clay can best be determined, however, as the work progresses, as some clay will contain more sand than others. In fact, clays are very frequently found which already contain about the right proportion of sand.

If the road to be treated is sandy, the surface is first leveled off and crowned with a road machine, the crown being about 1-2 inch to the foot from the center to the sides. The clay is then dumped on the surface and carefully spread, so that it will be from 6 to 8 inches in depth at the center, and gradually decreasing in depth towards the sides. A layer of clean sand is then usually added, which is thoroughly mixed with the clay, either by traffic or by means of plows and disk or tooth harrows.

The best results have been obtained by thoroughly mixing or puddling the materials when wet. For this reason, it is desirable that the mixing be done in wet weather. The mixing can be left to the traffic after the materials have been properly placed, but this involves a whole winter and spring of bad road, and even then the mixing is not always satisfactory. In all cases, it is advisable to dress the road with a road machine or split-log drag after the materials have been thoroughly mixed, and to give it a crown of not more than 1 inch or less than 3-4 inch to the foot from the center to the sides. A light coating of sand may then be added. The use of the road machine or drag should be continued at frequent intervals until the surface is smooth and firm.

If the road to be treated is composed of clay, it should first be brought to a rough grade with a road machine. The surface should then be plowed and thoroughly pulverized by harrowing to a depth of about 4 inches after which it is given a crown or slope of about 1-2 inch to the foot from the center to the sides. It is then covered with 6 to 8 inches of clean, sharp sand, which is spread thicker in the center than at the sides. The material should then be mixed with plows and harrows while they are comparatively dry after which they are finally puddled with a harrow during wet weather. If clay works to the surface and the road becomes sticky, more sand should be added.

The road is then shaped, crowned, and ditched in the usual manner with a road machine. This should be done when the surface is soft, yet stiff enough to pack well under the roller or the traffic. Wide but shallow ditches should be provided on both sides of the road, and culverts or crossdrains should be placed wherever water flow across the road, for it is exceedingly important that the "sand on clay" roads be well drained.

After the clay on sand, or the sand on clay, road is completed, it should be carefully maintained until the surface becomes firm and smooth. The construction of this type of road is by no means a quick operation. If soft, sticky places appear, more sand should be added, and if loose, sandy places are found, more clay is needed. It is just as important to attend to these small details as to any other part of the work, for, if they are neg-

lected, the road is liable to fall.

It requires approximately 1 cubic yard of clay to surface 1 1-2 running yards of road 12 feet in width, or about 1175 cubic yards to the mile. From 3-4 to 1 cubic yard will make a load for two horses on a dry clay road. The cost of the road will therefore depend largely upon the distance the material is hauled, the average being from \$500 to \$1000 per mile. A road built under the direction of the office of Public Roads at Gainesville, Florida one mile long, 14 ft. wide and having 9 inches of sand-clay surface, cost \$881 per mile, or ten cents per square yard. Another sand-clay road built by the Office at Tallahassee, Fla. 16 ft. wide, 7 inches thick, cost \$470 per mile, or about five cents per square yard.

**KILLING AT SNYDER**

**John Y. Stewart Shot While Standing in Front of Bank and Woman Surrenders.**

Snyder, Scurry, County, Tex. Jan. 20—John Y. Stewart, a single man, 30 years old, was shot and killed here at 2 o'clock today in front of the First National Bank. The street was crowded with people. Four shots were fired from an automatic pistol, causing instant death. City Marshal Wolfe was shot through the right hand while trying to stop the tragedy. Mrs. Minnie Latham, 32 years old, surrendered to the Sheriff.

**BOYS INTERSCHOLASTIC DEBATING LEAGUE**

Four boys were received as new members, at the regular meeting, last Friday 7:30 p. m. It was unanimously agreed that no one should be fined for failure to prepare his part, when placed on the programme, but, instead, should be reminded by the Secretary, and then if he still refused, should be reprimanded before all the members present. It was also decided that the league should abide by Robert's Rules of Order.

It is our desire to have all the boys of the school, over fourteen years of age to join and take an active part in this organization, and in urging them to do so we can assure the doubters that they will be benefited not only by the entertainment provided every Friday night, but also by the experience gained in speaking.

It was stated last week, that we would announce date of first open meeting this week, but as it has been decided to postpone said meeting indefinitely (but not more than two months) we will have to defer announcement accordingly, however, the invitation and welcome to all, remains the same.

**REPORTER**

**GIVEN TWO YEARS.**

Guadalupe Ramos, a Mexican was tried here in the district court, charged with boot-legging whiskey. The jury gave him two years in the pen for the offense.

**NOTICE.**

This is to notify the trade that on February the first I will quit delivering meat.

I have been running the delivery at a loss through six months of the year at least, but the first cost of beef is so much higher now than it ever has been that I just can't afford it any longer and sell at the same price.

In fact I thought to eliminate every expense possible in order to pay expenses.

I cannot deliver meat even to the stores for you because that would cost another man's wages.

It has been my endeavor to furnish you with the very best beef to be obtained and please remember that I am feeding cattle now at a very heavy expense in order to have the best and deserve your trade.

Yours very truly,

H. S. BEAL

P. S.—Don't forget to bring or send the cash, it cost money to keep books and I had much rather you would not say, charge it. 1-30-c

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Will trade for horses or notes

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**WAREHOUSE BILL EXPLAINED TO TEXAS FARMERS**

Fort. Worth, Tex.—The Farmers' Union of Texas closed its meeting here today. About 1,000 delegates were present from over the state and much interest was manifested in the called session. The two days meeting was devoted principally to the Ousley-Williams warehouse bill, and the visitors were attentive listeners while Clarence Ousley thoroughly defined this subject. He said, in part, the bill provided for a state warehouse commission for the purpose of organizing a warehouse system in Texas under the supervision of the State. The bill prescribes for the sampling of cotton at gins also that the gin sample shall be graded by a state officer of a bonded warehouse. The purpose of these provisions are to prevent the cutting of bales after being wrapped. The warehouse corporations are to be composed of at least 60 per cent of farmers and stock raisers and are to be financed by the subscription of one-half the capital required. The bill included numer-

ous other provisions of vital importance to the farmer. Among the prominent Farmers' Union officials attending this convention were Messrs. C. S. Barrett and A. C. Davis, of Atlanta, Ga., who are connected with the National organization of farmers

**Chronic Constipation Cured.**

"Five years ago I had the worst case of chronic constipation I ever knew of and Chamberlain's Tablets cured me," writes S. F. Flash, Brooklyn, Mich. For sale by W. L. Doss.

**AGITATE GOOD ROAD BOND ELECTION**

A \$50,000 bond election carried at Sulphur Springs last week. The products will be used to improve and pave the streets of that city. There is also considerable agitation going on at this place for a good road bond election and it is thought that a movement will be started shortly by the Chamber of Commerce which will culminate in an election being called.

Come and see Mr. Bills at McMurtry

**THE NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION**

The Executive Committee of the National Editorial Association has announced that the twenty-eighth annual meeting of that organization will be held at Houston, April 23rd to 25th. This is the third time the Lone Star State has been selected as a meeting place by this body, and all Texas appreciates the compliment. The membership of this association constitutes men and women engaged in all phases of newspaper work and delegates from every state will be in attendance at the Houston session. The convention will be an experience meeting, where accounts of success in all lines of journalistic endeavor will be related. Copy writers, made wise by experience and graduates from the school of practical knowledge will discuss the numerous problems of the nation's press. The program includes addresses by some of the most prominent pen wielders of the continent, and their sayings will be of inestimable value, not only to all followers of the profession, but to every Texas citizen, as well.

**WILL DEVELOP NEW OIL FIELD.**

Commerce, Texas.—Developments in the Klondike Oil fields since the striking of oil, will be pushed through out the entire year, and in all probability a larger number of wells will be sunk. It is expected before the end of the year to have at least a train load of oil from this field a day.

For Sale—A brand new Remington typewriter. Number 6. Never been used. Will sell at a bargain.

C. M. ADAMS Colorado, Tex. tt

**AN ACCIDENT.**

Sunday evening while playing with her brother and sister, little Jesse Coughran jumped and fell on her arm breaking both bones. A physician was summoned immediately, the arm set and she is fast on the road to recovery.

**FOR SALE.**

5 passenger model T. Ford auto, guaranteed in good running shape. Price only \$200.00 W R EUDY IT

A number of wells are being sunk by the Matador Land and Cattle Company on their property at Matador and plans are being made for irrigating several hundred acres of land. This company is engaged in raising cattle and is irrigating its tract for the purpose of raising feed to finish off their choice stuff.

**\$300 WORTH OF PECANS**

**FROM ONE TREE**  
A pecan grower living at Ballinger claims to own the best producing pecan tree in Texas, speaking from a remunerative basis. The tree netted its owner \$300 last year. The pecan crop in Central Texas was worth about \$200,000, and amounted to approximately 90 carloads.

**RE-INTRODUCES BILL FOR FISH HATCHERY AT GALVESTON**

Word has been received at Galveston by the Galveston Commercial Association from Representative Gregg, of Texas, that he has reintroduced his bill which provides for the establishment of a gulf fish hatchery at Galveston. It is expected that the bill will meet with but little opposition and the hatchery will be a realization before many months.

## Tanks Cisterns Gutters and Tin Work of all kinds

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## For Sale or Lease

ON account of heavy local demand for same, Mrs Hyman has decided to offer her individual lands for sale and lease, in tracts ranging from 80 acres up, at prices ranging from

**\$6.50 to \$15.00 Per Acre**

depending on quality and location. Terms, one-tenth cash, balance in one note due in 10 years with 5 per cent interest first five years, 8 per cent last 5 years, or straight 6 per cent. If necessary, first payment waived to quarter section purchasers who improve this year. Will lease to actual occupants on most favorable terms. Good lands, good water and plenty of wood.

Call on H. W. STONEHAM at new ranch place or address him at Sterling City for further particulars; or address

**HARRY HYMAN**  
Trust Bldg. San Antonio, Texas

# In Justice to All Cars.

## An Open Letter from Joe T. Perry of Abilene, in Which he Truthfully Tells "How It Happened."

As there has been a good deal of "talk" about an automobile contest in the sands of Callahan County. Mr. Perry was requested to state the facts in the case, and the following letter is his statement and speaks for itself.

January 13th, 1914.

Mr. F. S. Keiper, Colorado, Texas.

Dear Sir:—Answering your letter of the 12th, we wish to state that we are only too glad to advise you correctly relative to the sand pulling over in Callahan County, that certain Automobile Dealers have been putting in over time telling about.

On Friday Jan. 2nd, the Maxwell people here drove about twenty miles over into the Southwest portion of Callahan County taking with them a Maxwell "25", and a Larger car, we presume their "35". They encountered this sand that you have been hearing so much about, and could not pull it, the demonstration being unsatisfactory. Returning to Abilene, they sent to Lorraine for their Demonstrator "25" which had been run considerably.

The Maxwell people knew that we intended going to this same community in Callahan County, on Saturday the 3rd, of Jan.

Not knowing that we were going to run up against a contest of any thing of the kind, and having no knowledge of this deep sand, we drove out there in our Studebaker "Four", which had never been run only a few miles, and with practically an inexperienced driver. Tires were fully inflated, and no preparation had been made whatever for any kind of a contest.

When we arrived Mr. Toler was on the ground with his Maxwell "25", the demonstrator that he had sent to Lorraine for, in order that he might pull through this sand.

We drove right into the sand and sure enough we "stuck", and the Mr. Toler drove in and in trying to pass around us got stuck himself in that mighty car the "Maxwell 25", and we helped to push him out. After he had gotten out he then helped to pull us out.

As previously stated, having an inexperienced driver, we returned to

Abilene. On Monday January 5th, Mr. Toler returned to Abilene and made his grand stand talk about what he did, and the failure that our car sustained in this sand pulling experience, our friends coming to us and telling us what he was doing.

He prepared an "Ad" copy of which we enclose herein.

Mr. Toler went out to this same community to deliver a couple of cars, on Tuesday the 6th of January, and in the afternoon, we drove out there with a "25" a "Four and a six, and a number of our friends, to investigate further this sand hill. Arriving at the sand hill, we pulled through it with the Studebaker "Four" then came the "six", most of the way in the high, and only one place in the intermediate, and never resorting to the low gear at all. Following the six came the little "25".

Between two of the sand hills the "six" sustained a punctured tire, and of course we had to stop and repair same.

Right at this time, Mr. Toler who was delivering a car nearby drove up, and seeing we had stopped, I presume that he thought we were stuck again, so he drove over where we were, in the sand we presume to show us how the Maxwell "25" could pull sand. But when he started to pull out, he could not "wiggle." This most wonderful car, that can be started in the high in sand, where other cars can not run at all, wonderful and strange as it may seem, this Maxwell Car was stuck in the sand and stuck good and tight, and he could not "Budge" it even in the low.

Several of our party got in behind him and pushed him out. He first told some of the party who wanted to push him out "that he did not need any assistance, that he would pull out on the car's own power. He gave it a thorough trial, and could not move an inch. Why he did not start in the intermediate or the high and pull on out, we do not know, but to a certainty he could not budge it in the low.

While he was stuck in the sand and in trying to get out his engine got so hot that he had to raise the hood in order to cool the engine. We followed him out with all ease with our

cars over the sand hill, and then backed up the hill with our "Four" Kindly remember that it is the "Four" that he has reference to in his statements, yet the facts remains that we pulled out of a place, and then backed up a hill, where Mr. Toler could not budge with his Maxwell "25." We would like to know if he has told you about his sand pulling experience North of Abilene, in that section of the City known as "North Park."

We know of a party they took out the other day, one day last week to show him how the Maxwell would pull sand, and they got stuck, and had to dig sand "to beat the Band."

One of their men went out one night last week to pull this sand in "North Park", and stripped his gears, and had to walk back to town, leaving this wonderful car standing out there in the sand bed."

You need not have any cause to be afraid of any sort of a contest with the Studebaker, and the Maxwell.

We hand you herein copy of an "Ad" that we ran in our paper here the day after we went out and pulled this sand bank they are talking so much about.

If there is any further information that you would like to have in this regard, we will gladly furnish you with same.

We wish to state that we are thoroughly satisfied with the contest that we put the Studebaker through, and we would not change agencies with any one for any car, believing that we have the best car made, and at the most reasonable price.

Yours truly

JOE T. PERRY Abilene, Tex.

Among the gentlemen present were the following who witnessed the Studebaker Demonstration.

D. T. Llaughter, T. S. Taber, Martin Metzger, P. R. Plummer, F. R. Luher, D. H. Jeffries.

P.S.—The Studebaker cars are ready and willing at any or all times to enter any contest, as to power—either in sand, mud or hill climbing against any and all comers of equal power and willing to leave the verdict to a committee of disinterested parties.

F. S. KEIPER.

### NEWS ITEMS FROM THE NORTH TEXAS STATE NORMAL AT DENTON TEXAS.

The North Texas State Normal opened after the Christmas holidays with a record breaking attendance. The present enrollment is nine hundred and ninety five, and as new students are entering constantly, it is expected that before the end of the season the enrollment will be more than one thousand.

The new training school will open on Jan. 15th in the temporary building recently erected for this purpose Miss Maud L. Flaro, formerly principal of the Normal Training School at Plattsburg, N. Y. has already arrived to assume her duties as principal of this school. The other members of the Training school faculty are Miss Willie Floyd of Abilene; Miss Letta Brooks of Waco; Miss Cora Martin of Wellington and Miss Corine Trippett of Waxahatche.

There are seven students enrolled in the Normal from Mitchell County these are C. E. Smith, Colorado; E. M. Smith, Carr; H. O. Smith, Carr; Ollie Terry, Colorado; Ethel Kay, Colorado and G. E. Womack, Cuthbert. Almost all these students, if not all are members of the West Texas Club and take an active part in social affairs. A STUDENT.

### MISSIONARY WORKER IN EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Miss Helen Louise Webb, president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Missionary District of North Texas, and as such the authorized representative of the work of the women in the district, will pay her first official visit to Emmanuel Parish this week. This visit is the first fruits of the new relations between Emmanuel Parish and the Missionary District of North Texas.

The Woman's Auxiliary is, as its name indicates, an auxiliary of the General Board of Missions of the church.

Miss Webb has had broad, active experience as a missionary worker in the United States, is a very direct, impressive speaker and the entire membership of the church is anticipating a great deal of pleasure out of this visit from so consecrated and successful a worker among women.

At 3:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon Miss Webb will speak to the members of the Parish Guild and the Altar Guild on "The Altar Work" This meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. Ralph Harris at No. 21 E. Harris Ave. Every member of the church and the friends of the church are urged to be present.

At 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon the Woman's Auxiliary, Mrs. L. C. Fisher president, will hold an open meeting at the church at which Miss Webb will speak on the work of the Woman's Auxiliary. Not only the women of the church and their friends, but every person in San Angelo who is interested in missions and missionary work is invited to hear Miss Webb at this meeting. On Sunday morning Miss Webb will speak to the Sunday

school on the work of the Junior Auxiliary.

As every church is now judged by its interest and efforts in behalf of missions and missionary work, Emmanuel Parish considers itself very fortunate to be the beneficiary of Miss Webb's information and experience and feels sure that such awakening and enheartening of interest in missionary work will be the result of her visit.—San Angelo Standard.

### DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on this day the firm of Burns and Bell, during business in Colorado, Texas, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will be continued under the firm name of F. M. Burns; Brooks Bell retiring.

F. M. Burns assumes all liabilities of the old firm and is authorized to collect all outstanding notes and accounts of the old firm. The Dissolution to take effect on and after this date.

F. M. BURNS, BROOKS BELL

Jan. 1st, 1914.

### IF YOU WANT RESULTS SEE ME.

I am back in the real estate business; my specialty is Farms and Ranches, any size tracts. List your property with me and I will do the rest.—L. E. LASSETER.

### 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.

Come and see Mr. Bills at McMurtry

# To Lovers of the Truth, Read This

Also read the other letter which appears in this issue, which was written by Mr. Perry, at Abilene, Studebaker Agent. And I will leave it to any fair minded man if you don't think something has happened to him. I don't ask you to believe what I say about it if you did, you would see just as good right to believe what the other Agent had to say, but I will leave it to you, you are the judge as to whether or not it would be proper to take what we Agents said about it, or what the uninterested parties, who brought about this contest saw and make oath to. I believe the people are entitled to the truth, and if this is not the truth, which appears below, and if these men don't swear it is the truth, if you will write them, then I've nothing more to say.

## What Uninterested Parties Saw, and Make Oath To

Abilene, Tex. Jan. 6, 1914.

To Whom it May Concern:

This is to certify that we, G. G. Gardner and W. F. Gardner of Callahan County, saw Mr. Hubert Toler give one of the most thorough sand pulling contests, in a Maxwell car Model "25-4", that was ever given in the sand hills of Callahan County. We further believe that the sand is as deep and loose and as hard to pull as one can find in the State of Texas, and after seeing this car go through as it did, we are absolutely sure it will go anywhere.

We were in the car when Mr. Toler drove it, in intermediate gear at the

rate of twenty miles per hour, for one

half mile. With 5 grown men in the

car, and we saw him perform the remarkable feat of stopping and starting this car in intermediate gear, anywhere in the deepest sand, with 5 men in the car, where other makes of cars at high price could not pull out in low gear.

We saw other makes of cars tested in this sand, and the Maxwell car one can find in the State of Texas, pulled it easier in intermediate gear than others pulled it in the low. In fact there was only one other car that was able to go through at all.

We were highly pleased with the excellent showing of the little Maxwell

"25" and each of us bought one.

We also saw the Maxwell "35" a heavier car, pull through with a heavy load, and could stop and start anywhere with all ease.

If any one wants to know more about this contest, write either of us at Clyde, Texas, Route No. 1 and we will gladly tell you all.

Signed,

G. G. GARDNER.

W. F. GARDNER

Subscribed and sworn to before me

by G. G. Gardner and W. F. Gardner,

this the 6th day of January, A.D. 1914.

C. J. HOWERTON.

Notary Public, Taylor Co. Texas.

## The Facts In Detail

We are so highly pleased with the performance of the Maxwell cars that we want to tell about it. We live in one of the worst sand beds in Callahan County and each of us decided to buy a car, but we would not buy any make until they pulled the sand to our entire satisfaction. So we made dates with the different automobile dealers to come out and test their cars.

The first to come after the roads dried up was the Ford Car, 60 inch tread which could follow the ruts and pull through in low gear. Several days later after the sand was thoroughly dry and chopped up, Mr. Hubert Toler driving a Maxwell Model 25 and Mr. Robert Henthorn driving a Maxwell Model 35, each 56 inch tread

came out. Mr. Toler drove the Model 25 through easily with five grown passengers, next the Maxwell 35 with full load came through easily stopping and starting anywhere at ease. However, the sand was so deep and loose that each car would spin the wheels for some bit before they could take hold and move out, but they could spin so easily and get faster and faster until the car had to move on.

Next behind the Maxwell came the Studebaker. It scarcely got into the bad sand and stopped and was unable to move either forward or backward and after some half hour of efforts gave up. In the mean time Mr. Toler in the Maxwell 25 came in behind the Studebaker and according to agreement which Mr. Toler and the Studebaker man had made before entering the sand, which ever got stuck the other was to pull him out. So Mr. Toler came up in the little Maxwell and to the absolute astonishment of the crowd-pulled out of the ruts and through sand which had no bottom and around in front of the Studebaker, took out a lariat rope which he said he carried for such purposes and tied on to the Studebaker and with what help the Studebaker could render it, the Maxwell pulled him through the bad sand where they said they could go on. So the Maxwell took hold in its passengers and could not start and after several efforts with the assistance of the men backed off down the sand hill to the house. Then to absolutely take the crowd off its feet, Mr. Toler took five grown men in the Maxwell 25 and went through in intermediate gear at 15 to 20 miles per hour and literally covered us up in the sand. We will swear that he could stop and start in intermediate gear and could spin his wheels anywhere. He came out next day with a new car right out of the house and pulled the sand as easily as he did with the demonstrating car.

The Buick men came out and took a look and turned around and went back to town 20 miles and never gave it a trial. I G. G. Gardner bought the Ford Car the day it went through, but Mr. Toler took it off my hands at a discount and I bought a Maxwell 25, and my brother W. F. Gardner also bought a Maxwell 25 and there are several other men right in our neighborhood who was watching the contest and will believe, all buy Maxwell cars. We believe there will be more Maxwells sold in our county than all other makes combined.

We did not believe that automobiles would ever pull this sand satisfactory, we are convinced that some cars can, but not all. So we bought and are well satisfied. We had so much admiration for the company who made the Maxwells that we just had to tell

it. Wishing this good company ever success, we are,

Yours very truly,

G. G. GARDNER.

W. F. GARDNER.

Clyde, Tex. RFD No 1

You see I delivered two cars to these men, and I don't believe the price had anything to do with it, they merely bought the cars that pulled the best. These men have been trading with the firm who handle the Studebaker, for years, and if influence had had anything to do with it they had it all over me.

I did not know that I encountered that sand and could not pull it until Mr. Perry said so, now men, the truth is what we want, write to the uninterested parties who were in the market for cars, and wanted to get the best value for their money, ask them if the Maxwell didn't go through the sand every time she started, ask them if the Maxwell wasn't the only car that ever pulled around that section of land with "56" inch tread, ask them if the Studebaker cars ever got to the bad sand bed down at the turn of the lane, ask them if they didn't tell the Studebaker man if he was going to pull this sand like the other cars did, to go on down to the corner

where the bad sand was, ask them if the Studebaker pulled their families through that sand stopping and starting where ever they said for them to, ask them if the Studebaker man complied with the rules of this contest like the Ford and the Maxwell did.

I did not know that I got stuck in a sand bed and could not wiggle until Mr. Perry told us so, if any of you men who read this letter, had seen that Studebaker tied on to the Caboose end of that Maxwell you would have said that she was "wiggling" some, the fact is it was him that could not wiggle couldn't even look like he wanted to, after I turned him loose, where he said he could wiggle on, he just couldn't wiggle to save his life, and that time the men had to help him wiggle, but wiggle off back down the sand hill to the house, for he wouldn't let me wiggle him anymore.

Mr. Perry tells you, thanks to Mr. Perry, how many cars I delivered after that awful thing happened, but he failed to tell you how many he delivered, the fact was I went to deliver the goods and done it, I am satisfied.

Yes we got bunged up down there in the lower side of Taylor County, pulling sand again, but that time also, we came out of it with a check for a Maxwell "25" ask Mr. Graham at Ovalo, he is the man who is twisting the tail of the Maxwell down in those sand hills. As I said in the beginning be sure to read what the other fellow says, for if you don't read that you will miss the fun, anyway can't you tell something happened to him. I'll leave it to you to decide what it was. Now for the Doxology.

When this awful thing happened down there, when I tied him onto the tail end of the Maxwell and wiggled him out, I didn't intend to say anything about it, if he didn't, he looked so much like the little boy the calf run over I really thought he was going to cry, he hadn't anything to say, not even to thank you, but he said a plenty after he saw I was going to sell two cars right under his nose, and he waited until I got away, then he went to giving me some more "Free Advertising" quit talking about the Good merits of his car but said my car was a junk pile, an experiment, made by a bunch of drunkards and speculators, or something to that effect, told them I had a special car made to pull sand, and that the new cars would not pull like the old one, write or ask these men who bought these new cars we sold them, if they don't go through as easy or easier than the old one. Now as he started this thing by getting stuck, and talking about my car, I am going to try to be there when he finishes it.

Yours very truly,

HUBERT TOLER.

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**CALICO ROCK.**

**Izard County, Arkansas as seen by a Coloradoan After 30 Years Absence**

At Home 1-12-1914

Mr. Editor—By your permission I offer the following. Calico (Calico Rock) situated on upper White River in Izard County, Arkansas, has an old name but is a new town. Post Office and depot for brevity's sake, are out short to Calico. The wanderlust possessed me to such an extent the week before Christmas that I purchased a round trip ticket to Calico and on the 23rd of Dec. hied away to visit relatives friends and school children of old time (30 years ago). Entering train we found the chair coach well filled proving that many others were not immune to a disease common at this season of the year. To vacate a seat for a lady with old southern politeness was of little avail, for it left a dozen others standing, waiting on the sure accommodations of the old and reliable T & P. As early as could be an extra coach was added the congestion being relieved. As many as three times extra coaches were coupled on to relieve the jam and render pleasant and comfortable the traveling public. The young and old were on train proving beyond a doubt that the people of Texas have been highly prosperous during the year. We arrived at Fort Worth near 9 o'clock p. m. having left Colorado at 10 o'clock a. m.

Our stop at Ft. Worth was 20 minutes or more. All in our line of vision was beautiful in the extreme. Under the brightness of Electric lights a hundred pictures were moving before our eyes. The union Depot was crowded jammed full of surging humanity—the lobby was so full that standing room was at a premium. Round about the Automobiles were gliding with grace and ease seeming to be things of life. The street cars were passing as though the great Architect was leading them by his unerring hand. Trains backed in received their mail with thousands of Christmas packages on their way to delight the hearts of the Home-stayers. Then receiving a full share of the anxious restless ones from the depot moved and was gone in the gloom and darkness to deliver their living fright into the arms of loved ones.

Our train lurched, started run out on the main line and we were gone regretting we did not have more time to view Fort Worth by Electric light. The poet's Alhambra by moonlight was presented to my mind. Our coach overflowed again at Dallas and at Marshall where similar scurriles were enacted as at Fort Worth.

The peep of day found us at Marshall. On looking out we saw an old friend, (the pine) dressed in his never ending coat of green. The smiling face of an old time friend thrilled me no more than he. His neighbors, the sombre oaks were standing near, bare and black, reminding us the "melancholly days had come." On and on through Texarkana and Little Rock to Newport, our place of change and rest. Thirty years ago Newport was a mudhole with a half dozen rube box houses around it. It is now no mean city of several thousand inhabitants containing good houses of brick and concrete with side walks to match. We spent the night at a good hotel, light and very clean beds good meals, fine management and good service. We thought Colorado could do as well if she would. Morning came with the pure white snow and still falling. At 7 o'clock a. m. we entered the white river R. R. train and was soon on our way to Calico. An hour brought us to Batesville lying at the foot of Sylamore Mountains and on the divide between the bottom lands of the White and Black rivers and the hills of North Arkansas. After the usual backing and switching we left Batesville remembering the now and then visits we made to this old town thirty years ago. Now in a northern direction we moved on and up through scenery as grand as that of the Hudson or the Rhine. The snow still falling we could only see the outlines of the mountains on our left which presented themselves one after another in one grand and sublime succession. Just by and below our road bed on our left and between the mountains and the road flowed the beautiful White river in majestic grandeur, fed by ten thousands of springs seemingly as fine as crystal, the home of the finny tribe, the fisherman's paradise, abounding in pearl which gives employment to hundreds in summer both women and men, searching for the mussels from which the pearl is taken. Many pearls have been found. One found by two boys first sold for \$500 afterward sold in New York for \$9,000. The R. R. was built 12 years ago and menaders with the river, the road bed having been built by blowing off the cliffs of the banks for enough to form the road. In many places on our right was a hill or bluff hundreds of feet high while on the other the river in a few feet ran in all its magnificence. Sit-

ting by my window and peering out I took in this continued beauty and wondered if this little old world presented such attractions to the mind of man how incomparable it must be to the grandeur of the unknown world which the architect has placed in our firmament to open out on our view in the world to come.

Thus sitting, looking and thinking we arrived at our destination on Christmas day at 12 o'clock. Alighting and calling for a hotel we were directed to Shaver's hotel who proved to be an old time friend. In the wing passing around we found the town was principally built and inhabited by the people of Izard County. Among them I found a majority of old friends relatives and students of the long ago. In almost every house was a relative or friend. The business houses of the town were conducted by old time acquaintances or relatives in large majority. As there was nothing wanting to have a "good time" I began to take it in partaking of that hospitality which is only found among people who have with their children lived in the land of their fathers for a hundred or more years. They are the same people of thirty years ago of one Lord, one faith, and one baptism. Therefore unity, peace and good will prevails and they are as well anchored to their rockribed hills and their wooded valleys as the Swiss to their loved Alps. Made a trip of 15 miles to Newberry, the center of my work as teacher while living there. Clashed hands with relatives and many friends.

There was nothing bad but the roads and they were very bad. With indelible force my mind was impressed with the good roads at home. Our team moved in a walk often knee deep in mud, often over rocks in water from abundant springs with the forest and farms changing on either side. We again heard the squirrel chatter, the jays quarreling with their old enemy the hawk and from the distance the cawing of the crow reminding us of the lines of Bryant "From the tree top calls the crow throughout the live long day"

Thus we resumed our acquaintance with things animate and inanimate spending nine pleasant days, leaving Calico the 3rd and arriving at Colorado the 5th of January 1914 we felt we had been well paid for our money and time.

G. W. HOOKS.

P. S.—Ye visitors, ye tourists, ye who have money to spend, go to White River in summer, spread your tent on some inviting knoll by some babbling brook under the shade of the oak or pine. Then while breathing the mountain air loaded with the Ozone of a million pine, fish, bathe and hunt pearl in the limped waters of the beautiful White River, or take your boat and explore it high above or far below till tired you return to camp to eat, to sleep and wait anxiously for another day. A few days thus spent in the hot dull season of the year would make impressions upon the mind that would last and cheer in the days to come.

G. W. HOOKS.

**TARIFF DOES NOT ALARM WOOL MEN**

Boston, Mass.—Woolen manufacturers have determined to make the best of the tariff situation which was created when schedule K went into effect on January 1. They are not really alarmed over the outlook, but most of them say that they are somewhat disturbed, and would not be surprised to discover at the end of the first year that they had suffered a considerable falling off in business.

Mr. Winthrop L. Marvin, secretary and treasurer of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers, said: "Free raw wool went into effect on December 1, and some time before that, so far as fine wool is concerned the industry was practically on a free wool basis. "The reduction in duties on woolen goods has already been discounted by the mills, so that when schedule K went into effect on January 1, it did not produce any abrupt disturbance. The effect of the showing of some foreign samples in this country so far has been rather reassuring. "While sometimes lower in price the goods have been regarded by expert authorities as inferior in quality. The great quantity of American fabrics in general use have been more attractive and durable qualities than the goods from the foreign mills. Manufacturers have decided to make their best efforts to hold onto the market.

"The exact result of the tariff cannot be told for a year or so, as it will be that time before the foreign goods begin coming in in any great quantities. It is generally believed, of course, that there will be largely increased importations of foreign goods of the better quality, and it is known that they will be sold for less than the American goods, but we shall have to wait to see the result. "Will wages be cut or the num-

ber of employees reduced in the American mills? No, that will not be done if it can be prevented, but that question has not yet been discussed by the manufacturers."

"I have decided to refrain from discussing the matter," said Mr. Edward Farham Green, treasurer of the Pacific Mills at Lawrence "Frankly I do not know what the prospects are under the new tariff."

Officials of the American Woolen Company would not discuss the tariff situation for publication.

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**CORN EXPOSITION, DALLAS FEB. 10-24.**

Mr. Sam Webb, banker, lawyer and cattleman of Albany, Texas, thinks if the Sixth National Corn Exposition to be held in Dallas, Texas, Feb. 10-24th, 1914, did nothing else but get the people of all sections of the United States together, to rub up against each other, so each man would find out what he didn't know, it would be a grand education.

"We should go to this Exposition", advises Mr. Webb, "to see if the other fellow is doing anything in a better way than we are and if so, we should go home and try to do it as well."

"What we need" he insists, "is not only the instruction furnished by this Great National teacher of farming and stock-raising, but to learn of our inter-dependence, the one on the other, and seek co-operation in business, in all work and in social life."

"Here," says Mr. Webb, "man can meet with man, and each learn something of the others ideals, aspirations, needs, desires. As we grow broader, more tolerant of the other fellow's way of thinking and doing we will grow greater as a Nation."

Mr. Webb believes this big Exposition will mark a great epoch in the advance of the state of Texas, not only agriculturally, but commercially and socially. He expressed himself as especially interested in the Better Babies Contest to be put on by the Dallas Council of mothers, for the bet-

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Waco, Jan.—The Waco Morning News, owned by W. P. Hobby, was sold today to the Southern Publishing Co. recently organized by leading Texas prohibitionists. Among the board of directors are W. P. Lane, state comptroller; Dr. A. J. Barton, secretary of the Baptist state education board; Rev. H. D. Knickerbocker, pastor of the Austin Avenue Methodist church, Waco, and R. B. Spencer, a wealthy Waco lumber dealer. The new owners will take immediate possession of the paper. The new company gave out the following statement: "The Southern Publishing Company has been organized for the purpose of publishing a daily newspaper that will editorially represent the great and growing constituency, giving its attention to good government and progressive and constructive policies generally."

"It is to be thoroughly understood that, while this paper will be opposed to the licensed saloon as an institution, it is not to advocate merely this one or any other single issue, but it is intended that it be a newspaper in every sense of the word. "It has been said that the word "N-E-W-S" originated from the initial letters of the words 'north', 'east', 'west' and 'south' and we believe that a paper not meeting the requirements of gathering news from all points of the compass while it is news will fall short of the present demand of our moral educational and business citizenship. The Southern Publishing Company has taken over the properties of the News Publishing Company, The cooperation of the progressive citizenship of this section and state is solicited, with the above as an outline of the general policy of the paper."

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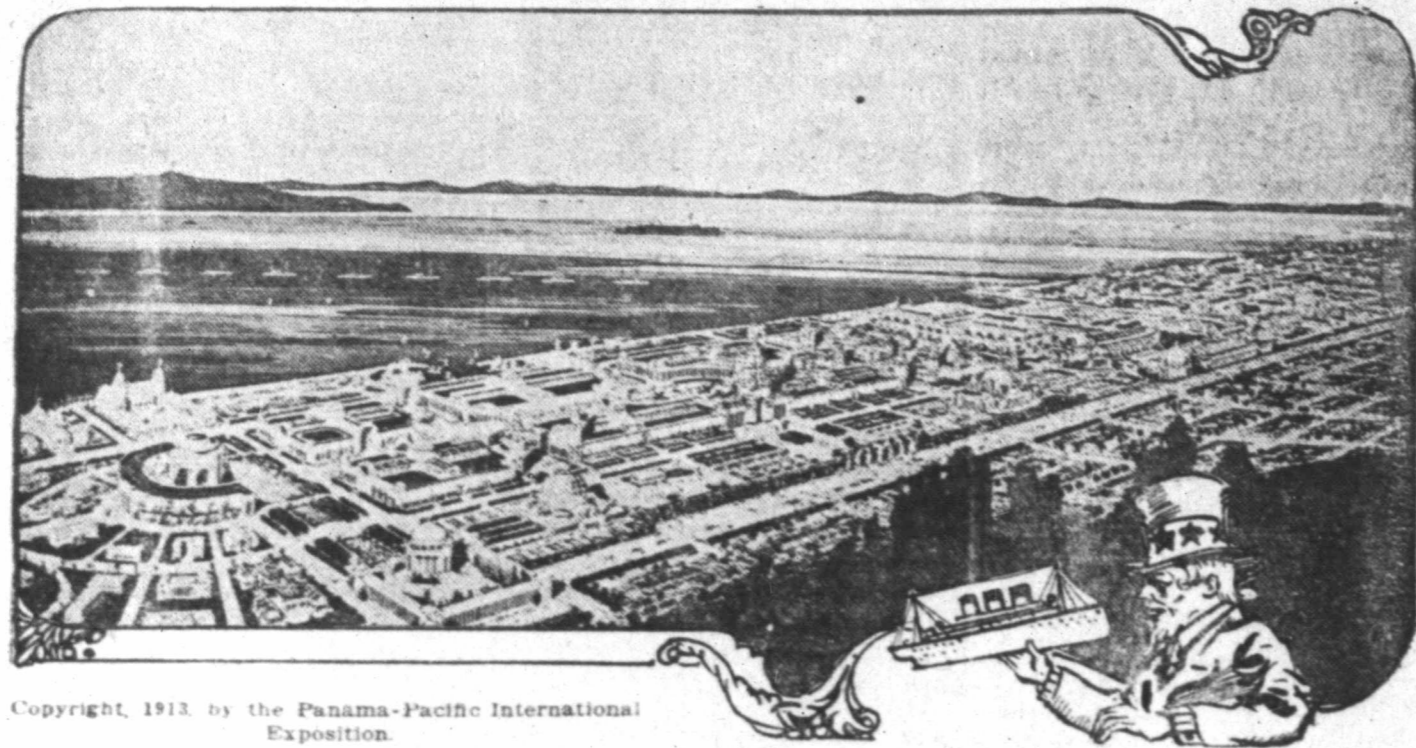
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# Governor Colquitt Enthusiastic For Texas Display At Vast Gathering of States and Nations

By HAMILTON WRIGHT

JUST inside the Golden Gate a vast army of workmen is rushing to completion the huge exhibit palace of America's Panama canal celebration, the Panama-Pacific International Exposition in San Francisco in 1915. Many of the most celebrated architects, sculptors and artists in the United States co-operated in the design of the marvelous exposition city upon the shores of San Francisco bay. As an inspiration they had before them the greatest engineering work in the history of the world—the Panama canal—and in the completion of the canal they saw the final result

of the effort of centuries to secure a passage way between the oceans. As the Exposition assumes form the wonders that the architects dreamed of become vivid and tangible. A city of palaces facing north upon San Francisco harbor is rising against the walls of the hills that embrace the Exposition site upon the south, east and west. When completed in 1915, months before the opening of the Exposition, it will be found that the majority of the Exposition palaces are united into one enormous structure, with its outside walls as high as the average six-story city block and with its golden towers and minarets rising to heights of 170, 250, 350 and 430 feet. Eight of



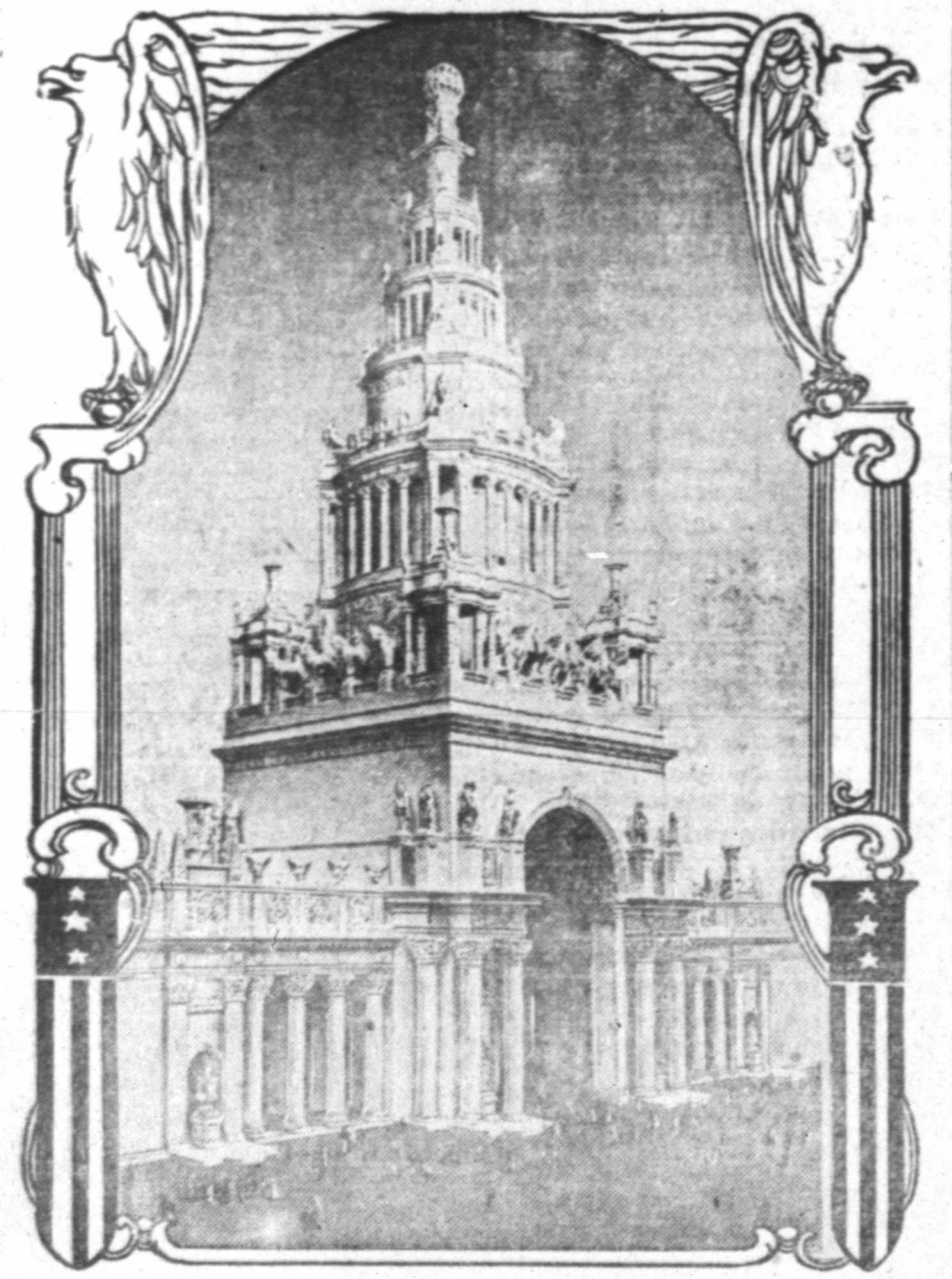
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## DAYLIGHT PERSPECTIVE OF PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION.

more impressive location for a great maritime celebration could not have been chosen. The Exposition city will face north upon the stream of traffic that passes through the western portal of America. On the south, east and west rise the hills of San Francisco, like the walls of a vast amphitheater. On a tree lined esplanade along the harbor's edge visitors will view great maritime pageants by day. By night a series of marvelous illuminations proceeding from great batteries of colored searchlights will turn the Exposition city into a fairyland.

Eleven huge exhibit palaces are under construction at this writing, and many other enormous structures

Governor Colquitt has appointed Hon. Jesse H. Jones of Houston chairman of a commission to provide ways and means for Texas' participation at the Exposition, the legislature having failed to make an appropriation. It is proposed to raise sufficient funds for the erection of a building, site for which the exposition will grant free to the state of Texas. When Texas takes possession of her site she will make the twenty-eighth American state to arrange for participation. The building which the commission purposes financing will be used to house an exhibit of the resources and products of the state and will be the headquarters for the state commission and all visiting Texans.



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## A MARVELOUS SETTING FOR SCULPTURE AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION, SAN FRANCISCO, 1915.

The dominating architectural feature of the Exposition is the superb Tower of Jewels which will command the south entrance of the Court of the Sun and Stars. This tower, 430 feet in height, will have a base one acre in extent. The tower will rise upward in terraces, giving way at last to a group of figures supporting a globe typifying the world. The repeated figures of armored horsemen and of explorers of the oceans will be used in the tower, which, with its statuary, mural paintings and mosaics, will be indescribably beautiful. Messrs. Carrere and Hastings, architects in chief of the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo in 1901, are the architects.

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### ENSIAGE WITHOUT A SILO

(The following article is an advance sheet from a little booklet, published by H. A. Halbert of Coleman, Texas, entitled the "Farmers' Rain Guide," in which Mr. Halbert makes forecasts of all rain periods for the entire year 1914, and tells the principle on which he makes these forecasts with considerable accuracy. He also tells how to destroy Johnson grass and some insect pests, making ensilage without a silo, raising corn in West Texas, paper-shell pecans, etc. The booklet will be sold at cost of printing: 10c a copy.)

The word "ensilage" is derived from three words: En for In, the word Silo, meaning a cavity, a trench under ground, and the work Age, meaning something added to. Hence the original meaning of the word "ensilage" is something that has been added or placed in a pit or cavity. The first ensilage was made this way, in trenches or pits dug in the earth and filled with green succulent forage, and these pits are still often used. There is no doubt but this method of curing grain and forage plants was practiced in remote ages of the Eastern continent.

Silo now conveys to the mind a large circular tower made of wood, concrete or metal. They are splendid things for the purpose for which they are intended, but so costly that they are out of the reach of the ordinary farmer. So is a mansion a splendid thing to dwell in, but out of the reach of farmers. Yet we do not see a farmer living without shelter because he cannot build a mansion. He builds the best house his means will afford for the protection of himself and family. Why not use the same prudent and common sense in preparing that succulent and nutritious feed for your stock, called "ensilage"? No doubt many would, if they only knew how, but no one has taught them. Only those who make a profit in silo building and machinery have agitated the question and brought prominently before the farmer and stock-raiser the modern silo and its methods for making ensilage. The object of this article is to tell how ensilage can be made cheaply and without an expensive silo.

Ensilage is nothing more than stock feed cooked by heat, engendered by a natural process of fermentation. Stock food, like human food, becomes much more nutritious when cooked, but cooked too far in advance mold and decay will set up before it is consumed, if exposed too much to the elements. This is the great advantage of the walls of the silo, the protection they afford. Again, larger the bulk and more compact it is, better it will cook by fermentation and protect itself. By taking advantage of the facts mentioned in the last sentence splendid ensilage can be made in the open by building sorghum, milo maize corn stalks, etc., before they are entirely cured. It is best to have any of the above cut with a corn harvester, as this compacts the stalks close together and makes them more easily handled in stacking. The stack, or better a very large rick, should be put up just as if you were putting up dry feed so as to turn water. It is best to let the stalks become about half cured before ricking it. Then a sufficient moisture will be left to set up sufficient fermentation to cook the fodder tender, and will not be apt to spoil as if put up as green as in a silo. In a rick of this description for a foot or two the butt ends which should always be turned outwards, will cure like dry fodder and will greatly protect the cooked interior. Ensilage made in this fashion will keep all winter and far into the spring in West Texas, without any protection from ordinary scant winter rains. It is best to protect in West Texas with a shed to turn rains and absolutely necessary in other sections where winter rains are common. If a cheap shed is constructed eight to ten feet wide and sixteen to twenty feet long by setting poles in the ground, a row of them every four to six feet across ways the shed to support a roof of plank, shingles or iron, it will be very convenient and nearly as good as a silo in making and preserving ensilage made from the above material. Box up the gable ends and leave the sides open to put in and take out the feed. Have the roof to slope towards the sides. Put the tied bundles with heads to center of shed. The row of poles will separate the shed into several partitions, which will be very convenient when it comes to feeding and in preserving the ensilage. But one partition should be fed out of at a time and leave the others undisturbed. It will keep better. Have the shed ten to twelve feet high and fill each partition separately and tramp well as filled. Most any farmer can afford a shed like this, who cannot build a silo. Many a crop he now allows to go to waste, such as milo maize and corn stalks can be converted into succulent and nutritious feed and sweet sorghums greatly improved over the dry feed, by following the above direc-

tions. Smaller substances such as hay peavines, peanuts, can be stored half cured in an ordinary bin or crib and converted into excellent ensilage. Much heat will be created in the curing process, but need not be alarmed of setting things on fire. The moisture will be too great where the heat is, for combustion. I have made ensilage out of sorghum by stacking when half cured for dry fodder, and know what I am writing about. It turns a tobacco brown to black in color, is damp with moisture and has a very pleasant odor and stock will devour it greedily in preference to any other feed. Put up a supply to last until May, as it can not be kept over like it can in a silo.

### SOURCES OF SUPERHUMAN KNOWLEDGE.

The Ceylon branch of the Asiatic Royal Society at Colombo tells thru the New York "Times" of a sixteen-year old native of Ceylon named Arumogan, who gave correct answers in less than five seconds to each of the following problems: the square root of 853,776 is 924; the cube root of 274,625 is 65; the product of 976 and 79 is 77,104; and the product of 982,347 and 231 is 226,922,175. The last answer came in two seconds. Problems in compound interest, discount and exchange were all answered correctly, using only mental calculations. The youth's abnormal mathematical powers were not obtained by education, because he had none. None but Bible students can explain the source of this young man's knowledge. He himself does not know, but attributes it to the heathen god, Subramana. If it were from the Almighty, would he bestow it in such a way that a heathen deity would be glorified by it, and not Himself?

The New York "Telegram" gives an account of ten-year-old Beulah Miller of Warren, R. L., who reads words and figures by placing her hand upon a book or paper; identifies coins in the pocket of a person standing on the other side of the room; and recognizes people who are miles away. Affidavit of these and hundreds of similar evidences of superhuman knowledge has been made before a notary public and filed with the town clerk at Warren, R. L. None but Bible students can explain the source of her knowledge. That it is not her own is self-evident. If it were from the Almighty, why should it manifest itself through a mere child and in such peculiar ways?

Reports in all the New York papers tell of Dr. James Neil who is suing to recover a \$6,000 mortgage from his daughter. He testified in court that the night after he gave the mortgage to his daughter a "sacred spirit" awakened him several times and told him he had been swindled. The old man felt sure his warnings had come from the Almighty, but if so, why warn him after the swindle, when too late, or why warn him and fail to warn thousands of others, just as worthy, who are being swindled every day in the year? All this mysterious knowledge comes from evil spirits, fallen angels, who sinned prior to the flood (Genesis 6:14), when they abused their privilege of appearing in human form and married human wives. Since the flood they have been confined to the atmosphere of our earth, and are there now, peering in various ways to associate with mankind by impersonating the dead, by imparting superhuman knowledge to weak minds etc. Until those who are interested in what they term "physic phenomena" get this, the Bible explanation, they will never get the truth, nor any satisfactory explanation of the problem they seek to solve.

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### OPERA AT CORN EXPOSITION.

National Grand Opera Company of Canada Will Appear at Dallas During the National Corn Exposition in February.

Texas has the reputation in the North and East of being a country of sage brush and cactus, but our friends from that territory are going to open their eyes somewhat when they know that Dallas is to have two seasons of grand opera, at a cost for each performance of from \$12,000 and \$15,000, one season March 4 to 9, and one during the National Corn Exposition on Feb. 10 and 11. On the night of Feb. 10 the National Grand Opera company of Canada, 163 artists, and sixty-piece orchestra will sing the great Italian opera "La Gioconda." Madam Marie Rappold, one of the greatest sopranos in the world, will sing the leading role. "The Dance of the Hours" a part of the opera, will be danced by the incomparable Anna Pavlova and her troupe of eighty-five select solo dancers. The National Grand Opera company of Canada, after two weeks' season in "His Majesty's" theater, Montreal, Canada, has a personnel of principal singers imposing numerically and artistically, and in the list of names will be found great artists who have sung in the foremost opera house stages in America and Europe, and who are now at the zenith of their fame and power. On the second night, Feb. 11, the Canadian Grand Opera company will sing "Samson and Delilah," the great opera of Saint Saens, in French. The leading role is to be sung by Madam Gerville-Reache, perhaps the greatest mezzo-soprano in the world and Leo Slezak, with possibly one exception, the greatest living tenor. This grand opera company is an organization of the highest quality, and has been brought to Texas regardless of effort and financial expense. The cost of each performance is between \$12,000 and \$15,000. The operatic ensemble is worthy of appearing in the foremost art centers of the world. When it is understood that this orchestra of eighty is under the direction of Arde Jacchia, that the great artists like Marie Rappold, Helen Stanley, Luisa Villani, Dora de Philippis, Adelina Patti, Ester Ferrabini, Rosalia Herlinger and Edna Hoff, sopranos; Jeanne Gerville-Reache, Marie Claessens, Frances Ingram, Gertrud Karl, Rosa Oltzka, mezzo-sopranos; Mario Scotti, Mishaska Leon, Alfredo Graziani, Giuseppe Gandenz, Emil Frances, Giovanni Farma, Sebastian Burnett and the wonderful Leo Slezak as tenors; Raffaele de Ferrari, Mario Marti, Harold Meek, Franco Mulledo, Bernardo Olschansky, F. Edmond Roselly, Max Salsinoff, Jose Segura-Talieu, baritone; Pietro di Elasi, Natale Geronzi, Giovanni Martino, Gaston Ludolf, basses. It will be understood that these are all great artists, and those worthy of the attention and interest of everybody in the Southwest. The highest price seats, exclusive of boxes, are \$5. A satisfactory seat in the parquet for both nights can be secured for from \$6 to \$8. Reservations for tickets will be received on Jan. 10, and announcements will be made as to where these tickets may be bought. Meanwhile inquiries can be sent to the Chamber of Commerce, Dallas.

### LARGE INVESTMENT.

\$100,000 Has Been Subscribed by Dallas to Promote and Finance the Sixth National Corn Exposition.

The Dallas Chamber of Commerce, in three weeks, raised \$100,000 for the purpose of holding this great exposition of agriculture and agricultural products. It was the feeling of the Dallas business men that their prosperity was dependent upon the prosperity of Texas; that the basis of all wealth in the Southwest—especially in agriculture, and in appreciation of the prosperity that has come to Dallas as a great market, the Dallas jobbers and manufacturers subscribed this immense sum to make the Sixth National Corn Exposition, which is to be held in Dallas February 19th to 24th, a success. It has the support of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, the National Corn Association, the Texas Industrial Congress, the State Fair of Texas and all of the state organizations like the Corn Growers Association, the Swine Breeders' Association, the Horticultural Association, Farm Demonstrators, the Dairymen's Association, and all in the effort to make this exposition the greatest agricultural exposition ever held in the Southwest.

All Dallas dealers are planning to keep an open house during the Corn Exposition. The twenty-two hundred traveling men that make Dallas their headquarters will all be in Dallas during the exposition prepared to serve their customers and friends, and it will be the special effort of the city of Dallas, from every standpoint to demonstrate their hospitality, to show the marketing conveniences and facilities of the city, and to join in an open-handed way in entertaining the guests of the Corn Exposition.

### BRONCHO-BREAKING CONTEST.

Riding Wild Horses in Contest for the Championship of the Southwest at National Corn Exposition.

A revival of the old sport in riding wild horses will be held at Dallas during the Corn Exposition. On February 19th and 20th there will be a unique and unusual competition. The Dallas Chamber of Commerce is offering a \$200 for the wildest, unbroken, meanest outlaw horse that is brought to Dallas and entered in this contest. There is no expense whatever in regard to the entry. Anyone can ship a horse to compete for this prize. It is expected that at least 300 horses, the pick of the toughest and wildest that has ever been anywhere in the Southwest. Some real sport will be provided when it is understood that there is offered as a prize a \$100 silver-mounted saddle, bridle and spurs to the champion rider, together with the championship belt, which will cost \$200, be embossed in solid gold. It will be a trophy entirely worth while, and it is given to the champion rider of the United States. An invitation is extended to every man who thinks he can ride to horses, to send in his name at once to the Chamber of Commerce. He will be listed as one of the contestants, and arrangements made for him to take part. We usually find that broncho-breaking as shown in the west shows consist of a very time horse trained to buck whenever he is told to do so, and there is no real sport in it. Dallas plans to have, during the Corn Exposition, and on the two special days, February 19th and 20th, a real riding contest, in which the horses as well as the men compete. No detail of formality is necessary, either, for the entry of the horse or the man, but previous to February 1st, it is expected that every man that wants to enter in this riding contest, or who wants to enter a horse, will notify the Chamber of Commerce by letter and full details and information will be forwarded to him.

# CHURCHES, CLUBS AND SCHOOLS ENTERTAINMENTS, PARTIES AND SOCIETY'S DOINGS

—BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY—

You will confer a favor upon the Record and the editor of this department if you will phone her (No. 157) any announcement or news item

## IN CLUB LAND.

### STANDARD.

The Standard Club had its weekly meeting last Friday with Mrs. Looney and carried out this program:  
Roll Call—Churches and Cathedrals of Austria.  
Richard II, Act II Scene I—Mrs. Smoot.  
Magazine Map Study of Austria-Hungary—Mrs. Bailey.  
Paper—The Tyrol—Mrs. Sherwin.  
Social Hour—Refreshments.

### HESPERIAN

Mrs. James T. Johnson was hostess for the Hesperian Club last week with Mrs. Will Doss as leader.  
Roll Call—Current events.  
Parliamentary Law, Remainder of Chap. V.  
The Inter-relation of Baron and King and People and King and People—Mrs. Hart.  
Time Analysis—Mrs. Edgar Majors.  
Text Study—Act IV, Scenes 1, 2, 3.  
At the social hour guests were invited in honor of the birthday of one of their members of longest standing Mrs. J. G. Merrett.

At the appointed time Little Misses Barbara Collier and Nell Harper Green brought in a little wagon laden with dainty gifts and after an appropriate speech by Mrs. Doss were given the honoree.

Mesdames Arnett, Annis, A. J. Payne, N. J. Phenix, Dollman and F. B. Whipkey were the honored guests. The hostess then served fried chicken mashed potatoes and peas, followed by fruit cake and coffee.

### BAY VIEW

The Bay View Club has the regular weekly meeting last week with Mrs. Gustine with Mrs. Moore as leader.

Roll Call—Quotations from Shakespeare.  
Loves Labor Lost—Act I Scene I.  
Roll Call—Current events.  
Brave Little Holland, Chap. 17.  
Mrs. C. H. Earnest and Mrs. A. L. Whipkey were guests for the social hour at which time the hostess served a salad course, and fruit cake, layer cake and grape juice. The meeting today is with Mrs. Arbutnot.

### G. F. C.

The G. F. C. met with Miss Ione Burk last Thursday afternoon. Different games were prepared by the hostess for the afternoons, entertainment and all were enjoyed. The guests were the Misses Riordan and Mrs. Max Thomas. A salad course with coffee was served as refreshments. The meeting this week is with Miss Irene Whipkey.

### MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Missionary Study Class of the Methodist Church met with Mrs. W. W. Hart on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Hart was chosen to act as leader until the regular leader, Mrs. M. K. Jackson returns.

They had the first lesson in their new course, "Social and Moral Inheritance of Mexico". At the social hour the hostess served light refreshments.

### WOODMAN CIRCLE.

Last Monday night at the regular meeting of the Woodman Circle the ladies presented Mrs. Ida Costin with a cut glass bowl for her efficient services as Guardian the past year. It was presented by Dr. N. J. Phenix in his usual pleasant style.

### I. O. O. F. INSTALLATION.

Last Friday night the I. O. O. F. lodge installed their officers for the coming year.

The officers of the Odd Fellows were installed first by Mr. Cranfield, District Installing officer of Loraine: Green Delaney, N. G.; W. B. Roddy, V. G. J. Sherwin, Sec.; W. R. Morgan, Treasurer; Will Cooper, Warden; J. E. Stowe, Conductor; John Graves, Chaplain.

Mrs. Addie Cooper then took charge and installed the following officers of the Rebekah lodge.

Mrs. Nellie Delaney, N. G.; Mrs. Lenora Fulkerson, V. G.; Mrs. Minnie Morgan, Sec.; D. L. Buchanan, Treas.; Mrs. Minnie Johnson, Chaplain; Miss Willie Smith, Conductress.

After several of the brethren had made talks for the good of the order all repaired to the banquet hall where a feast of good things to eat was enjoyed by all.

Ask for the free buggy whip at Doss drug store.

## MISSIONARY STUDY.

The Mission Study Class of the Baptist Aid Society met with Mrs. Robert Terrell last Thursday with Mrs. A. L. Whipkey as leader.

A large number were present. The subject was "Adoniram and Ann Hasseltine Judson", The first foreign Missionaries from America.  
Mrs. Gustine told of the boyhood of Judson, Mrs. Hooper gave an interesting talk on Baptists by Conviction, telling of their voyage and of their struggle to change their religious beliefs.

Mrs. J. N. Campbell, told of their Achievements, telling of how long it was before the first convert was made to Christianity and of the great number of witnesses now.

Mrs. G. W. Smith read a letter from her sister, Miss Swan who is now a missionary in China telling of her work, plans, and aims. The society sent a vote of cheer and pledged themselves to have some part in her work when she was ready for it.

Miss Swan has been in our city and talked face to face with us so we feel a personal interest in that part of the work.

The Bible questions were on the Gospels.

At the social hour Mrs. E. T. Terrell and Mrs. D. N. Arnett, Jr., were welcomed guests.

It is the custom to only have light refreshments at the social hour but inherent southern hospitality of Mrs. Terrell predominated and we had two most delicious courses, salad, sandwiches, chow chow, coffee, gelatine with whipped cream and two kinds of perfect homemade cake.

### MR PRICE CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY.

Mr. T. P. Price very appropriately celebrated his birthday Tuesday evening by having the deacons of his church, and their wives to partake of a six o'clock turkey dinner in his hospitable home.

Covers were laid for eighteen. The table was one of fragrant beauty with its lovely centerpiece of carnations on reflector which rested on lunch cloth of hand embroidery trimmed in crochet. Bunches of sweet peas and ferns were at each plate and were used as souvenirs of the pleasant occasion.

Before dinner Mrs. Marshall furnished some instrumental music and Dr. Marshall also sang, much to the delight of the party, which prepared for the good things that were to follow that Mrs. Price knows so well how to prepare. After dinner the gentlemen repaired to the parlor where they held the monthly business meeting of the church.

The entire party were loud in their praise of Mrs. Price's hospitality and wish for Mr. Price many happy returns of the day and all of them to be celebrated like unto this one.

### BASKET BALL

Last Saturday the Girls basket ball team, with Mr. Jack Farmer as referee and Miss Ellis as chaperone and some rooters, motored down to Sterling to play the team there. Our girls were defeated but not so bad as at Big Springs. The score stood 13 to 18 in favor of Sterling. The girls are to play the Roscoe team, here Saturday and are confident they will win with their past experience and on their own ground.

Let everyone come out and encourage the girls for they deserve interest in this healthful innocent sport. They had quite a pleasant outing Saturday and were royally entertained by the Sterling team.

### K OF P BANQUET.

Last Thursday night the local K. of P. lodge here was invited to visit Orient Lodge No. 307 at Sweetwater, those from here as near as we could get were: J. B. Annis; H. G. Payne, Chas. M. Adams, P. J. Burrow, L. L. Pond, J. E. Pond, J. H. Bullock, A. W. Cockey, Rev. H. G. Hennessy, R. E. Calloway, Ed Jones, John Jenkins, Lee Crowder, H. W. McSpadden.

They were entertained with a smoker. The 2nd and 3rd Ranks were conferred. The brothers were then invited to Moose Banquet Hall where oysters were served in any style desired. Short speeches were made by Rev. H. G. Hennessy and Chas. M. Adams of Colorado and A. W. Christian and T. Vard Woodruff of Sweetwater, after which the visiting Brothers returned to their homes singing "God be With You Till We Meet Again"

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Rev. C. P. Craig, Pastor.  
Sunday school at regular hour.  
Rev. C. P. Craig will fill his regular hours both morning and evening. All are invited.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Elder R. A. Lawrence of Abilene will preach at the Church of Christ on the 4th Lords day in January being the 25th of the month. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

(J. N. Campbell, pastor)  
Morning Worship 11 a. m. Topic "Pure Religion."

Sunday School 10 a. m., J. H. Greene Supt. Evening service 7:30 p. m. Pastor continues his series of sermons on "Bible Characters."

Monday evening at 7:30 Deacons meeting.  
Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Prayer service.

Wednesday 8:15 p. m. Teachers meeting.

Normal Class studying Dargons "Doctrines of Our Faith" takes one chapter per week. Members of the class will find the discussion in the class-meeting interesting. If it is at all convenient, come.

## ALL SAINTS CHURCH.

(Rev. H. G. Hennessy, Priest in charge).

Services for the conversion of St. Paul, Sunday, Jan. 25: Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Holy Communion and Sermon, 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30 p. m.

The Litany is said on Friday evenings at 7:30.

All are cordially invited to these services.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

(Guy B. Duff, pastor).

You are cordially invited to attend the services of the Presbyterian Church next Sabbath.

Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m. Let us try and have every member present and on time.

Preaching by the Pastor at 11 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

The Communion of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the morning service.

Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 7:30. The attendance at the Prayer meeting has been very good for the past few weeks, but we ought to have more. Come and join in this service and it will do you good as well as the rest of us.

## BIRTHDAY SURPRISE DINNER

Mr. A. C. Pierce had a birthday last week but so engrossed in business is he that such little things escape his notice but for his thoughtful wife. On Thursday evening Mrs. Pierce invited the gentlemen members from Mr. F. M. Burns store, where he is sales manager with a few friends up to a six o'clock dinner.

Covers were laid for ten with hand-painted place cards, decorated with birthday cakes and candles, and a sumptuous five course dinner was served. The kind for which Mrs. Pierce is famed. On the center of the table was a beautiful birthday cake all decorated with sixteen candles. The serving was done by dainty maids, one from France, one from Germany and the other fresh from the Emerald Isle. As they were all applying for a position they did their best and the dinner was perfectly served. After dinner was enjoyed and the good wishes made the party adjourned to the parlor where "42" was enjoyed. The maids having been transformed into charming American young lady school teachers they made the best of partners and were the crowing part to a most delightful evening. And all wish Mr. Pierce many happy returns of the day.

With every 25 pound can of Senna Stock food bought at Doss' drug store they will give you free a splendid buggy whip. This is the best Stock food on the market. See Doss about it.

## QUITE A BOY.

Master Roddy Brook-Merrett has almost out grown all his clothes now as he has had another birthday. On Wednesday afternoon a crowd of his intimate friends and all the Arnett grandchildren were invited to see and help eat the birthday cake. It was an inspiring one, all decorated in eight pink and white candles which seemed to say "I'm for good little girls and boys".

After games, two kinds of cake and chocolate were served by the mama and grandmama.

## MARRIED.

On Sunday last at Westbrook Mr. Leon Jenkins was married to Miss Peggy Waller. Mr. Jenkins is the leading tonsorial artist at Doss' and Miss Peggy was practically raised here in Colorado. Friends extend best wishes.

# AND STILL The Bargains ARE ON

OUR clothing bargains for men last week and following up this week with our annual January white sale, was far better than we expected. In these two events we offered you only the best merchandise obtainable at the lowest price possible, and now following the above mentioned departments we place on sale Stetson and Zeigler shoes.

## Some Shoe Bargains

THIS IS because of the shoes—they are real values because they are real shoes. It's not so much in what you give that counts most, but it's what you get for what you give. This, the season of values bargains, have reached the high-water mark in this sale when we have placed on sale our entire stock of men's

## Stetson Shoes and Zeigler Shoes

for ladies at such remarkable low prices. Read on—

All our \$6.00 Stetson shoes, in this present season's styles and leathers, patent and plain, black and tan, sizes 5 to 11, several widths, real bench made shoes at

**\$5.00**

Zeigler shoes for ladies have all the good features you could ask for in shoes—real comfort, style and service in every pair. Our entire present stock of high shoes at following reduction in price:

\$4.00 Shoes for **\$3.00**      \$3.50 Shoes for **\$2.50**

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Never trust a man who deceives himself.

The fellow who always wants to get something for nothing can always get in a free fight.

In the absence of other places of recreation and amusement, Colorado needs a public library and free reading room. It has been the experience of the writer that where such exists there is a better tone to the life of the community. The problem of maintenance ought not to be a difficult one. There ought to be found and we are assured that there can be found some patriotic citizen who will give the use of a centrally located room. The collection of magazines, periodicals, papers and books, ought not to be a difficult matter. Colorado has citizens who ought to be glad to donate to such a cause. It is worth while. Can we not do something about it?

The writer's father once taught him in early childhood a valuable lesson of social economy. He was paid ten cents a dozen for all of the banana skins, orange peels, etc. which he kicked from the sidewalk. Don't throw these things on the sidewalk. Some person may unwittingly slip on them and may thereby break an arm or a collar bone. If you see one, kick it off into the gutter. You will render a benefit to humanity.

Why is it not possible to convert some part of the old Goode building into a public gymnasium where some of the young spirits in the town can work off some of their superfluous energy? A large part of the building is being put to no use whatever. Or we suggest that the Womens Clubs of Colorado gain permission to fit up part of it for a public rest room for their Country Sisters.

There can be no more patriotic duty for the men and women of the homes in Colorado, than the religious education of their children. We are living under conditions where the State has largely taken away from the teachers of our public schools, any education of the souls of those under their care. If we are not to become a State of Mere Minds And Bodies we will need to supplement in the home what is taught in the schools. There is so much antagonism in the street against any real education that there is a great need for the strengthening of the family altar.

### THE STEADY SUBSCRIBER.

How dear to our heart is the steady subscriber.  
 Who pays in advance at the birth of each year,  
 Who lays down the money and does it quite gladly,  
 And casts round the office a halo of cheer.  
 He never says, "Stop it; I cannot afford it."  
 I'm getting more magazines now than I read."  
 But always says, "Send it; our people all like it."  
 In fact, we think it a help and a need.  
 How welcome his check when it reaches our sanctum;  
 How it makes our pulse throb; how it makes our heart dance!  
 We outwardly thank him; we inwardly bless him—  
 The steady subscriber who pays in advance.

—Exchange.

**D. D. D. PRESCRIPTION**  
 for 15 years—  
 The Standard Skin Remedy  
 Instant Relief for all Skin Troubles  
 W. L. DOSS, Drug Gist, Colorado, Texas.

### BETTER TIMES AHEAD.

The new currency system is going to receive the support of the banks. That is evident enough from the rapidity with which applications for membership are being filed. Already banks with a aggregate of \$300,000,000 have applied for membership and the law is but little more than a week old. In another fortnight, probably more than \$1,000,000,000 capital will be represented in the applications for membership, and by the time the details of the plan have been worked out by the organization committee, probably most of the banks of the country will have made application to become a part of the new system.

The opinion that the currency law is the most important achievement of congress for half a century is rapidly becoming the settled conviction of the country. Already there is apparent a confident tone in commercial, industrial and financial circles. The fear of panic is disappearing and preparations for the complete resumption of all activities are being made. The belief is widespread that the New Year will bring unparalleled prosperity to every section of the country.

The new currency law is responsible for this better frame of the public mind. The impairment of confidence, the fear of panic, and uncertainty are largely troubles of the mind. These have been cured by assurances conveyed by the new law that panic has been made almost impossible, that monetary stringency, a symptom of diminished confidence, is no longer to upset our economic functions.

The farmers are prosperous everywhere. They are preparing to produce great crops, which they are certain to sell at good prices. This prospect is bound to encourage the industrial and transcontinental interests and thus bring all the country's activities into healthful operation.

In the awakening so apparent, it is gratifying to observe that the South is full of hope and anticipation. The approaching completion of the Panama Canal is regarded as an event of transcendent consequence to this region. The feeling is universal that we are now upon the eve of a great forward movement that will see the manifold resources of the South rapidly developed. We are promised rapid road construction, mineral and industrial development agricultural expansion and a tide of immigration, and capital that will within a few decades bring capital, the scepter of power, to this most favored of all the regions of the earth.

The new currency system, reviving and expanding as it will, must prove the key to unlock all our sources of wealth and bring us an era of unparalleled progress and wealth.

He is a pessimist, indeed, who cannot see in the unfolding opportunities of the time, the coming prosperity, that will lift us from all the gloom and shadow that war and misfortune put upon us, that will substitute for poverty, wealth such as our ancestors never dreamed of.

### CALLED MEETING.

The Masonic Lodge no 563 has a called meeting for Monday night, Work in the 2nd degree. Visitors cordially invited.  
 F. B. WHIPKEY, W. M.  
 W. S. STONEHAM, Secy.

## OZARK STOCK AND GRAIN FARM

For the stockman, Farmer or Investor.

700 acres fenced in fields and pastures with living springs of good pure water in each. 450 acres in cultivation, of which 300 are in tame grass, mostly orchard grass and clover, some blue grass; 200 acres in first and second bottom land, part of which reseeded the past year at \$6.25 per acre; 200 acres timber, furnishing posts, timbers, fuel and grazing. 1000 young apple trees.

Any of the land will make 50 bushels corn per acre in ordinary season and two crops each of clover, timothy and hay. Besides many living springs, this land has a frontage of two miles on War Eagle creek and a large spring branch, furnishing an abundance of clear, pure water.

The house has six large rooms and is in good condition, with a well of good water at the door; barn 46x60 of heavy timbers, stalls for 22 horses mow for 100 ton loose hay and room for grain, barn in good condition. The house is located on high, rolling ground where it is cool, with excellent drainage, and from a health standpoint it cannot be beat. No chills, no malaria, no negroes, no extremes of heat or cold. Rainfall sufficient to produce crops every year.

### THE AWAKENING.

There are thousands of boys scattered all over this nation in the big, hurrying, devouring cities, who can appreciate the sentiments in the poem below. How eagerly they left the old home in the sleepy little town to make a start in the city, drawn on by the glare and artificial illumination of its lights, sights and sounds. They only realize they have seen only the outside. They find there is no place for good intentions, and that every man's hand is against the hand of every other man. He is looked upon by those to whom he applies for work, as simply a machine, capable of turning out so much of a certain kind of product, and as he has received no special training for any special line of work, he finds all opportunities closed to him, except those of the most menial and primitive grade of work, and for every place of even this sort, there are hundreds of applicants.

He soon becomes disheartened, and then it is his mind reverts to home and his mother. He compares the certain welcome, bed, board and work of some kind among his friends with the coldness, indifference and rivalry of the city among utter strangers. In this condition he realized the value of the things he had possessed but failed to appreciate. He sees in the advice of his old father, words of wisdom, where once he thought "old fogeyism" he realizes the love and devotion of his mother in the admonition and counsel she so continually gave him. Never, in his eyes, had his mother and father appeared so good and so wise, as when the boy comes to his senses in a big city, discouraged, broke, without friends and without work. The awakening of the prodigal and his determination to return home is well expressed in the following lines: I've been in the city six months now

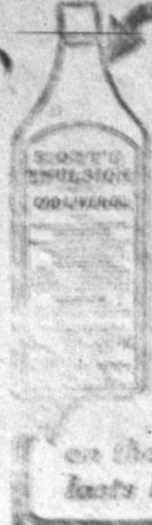
I'm tired of looking for work  
 Tired of worry, wondering how  
 I'm going to pay my board;  
 Tired of reading the want column  
 page,  
 Tired of life, that's all.  
 It seems as though I'd lived an age  
 Since I came here just last fall.

I've been dreaming a dream of the old  
 home place  
 Before I began to roam  
 And in my dreams my mother's face  
 Smiled and called me home.  
 Strong though I am, the tears will  
 come,  
 Despair is plain in my face;  
 But I've hardly the nerve to turn and  
 run,  
 Admitting failure—disgrace.

There's a place in this world for every  
 one  
 And the city claims its share,  
 But I'm going back to the old farm  
 home  
 Where there's plenty to eat and to  
 spare.  
 I'm going back where the grass is  
 green,  
 Away from the city's noise  
 Away from this mere existence.  
 Back to life and its joys.  
 —H. C. BAILEY.

Life is a fleeting show, and if it isn't better than some we pay \$2 a seat for let it fleet?

It doesn't take much to please a lot of people who are pleased with themselves.



### A Carelessly Treated Cold

is the source of most sickness because drugged pills, syrups and alcoholic mixtures are uncertain and unsafe.

Scott's Emulsion has been relied upon by physicians for forty years as the safe and sensible remedy to suppress the cold and build up the weakened forces to avert throat and lung troubles.

Don't tolerate alcoholic substitutes, but insist on the Genuine Scott's Emulsion. One bottle usually lasts longer than a cold. Every druggist has it.

A Dallas man recently visited his "country cousin" in Kiesel. The man from the city, wishing to explain the joys of metropolitan life, said: "We have certainly been having fun the last few days. Thursday we auto-mobiled to the Country Club and golfed until dark, then we trolied back to town and danced until morning." The country cousin was not stumped in the least, so he began telling of some of the pleasures of simple life: "We have had pretty good times here, too. The other day we buggied out to Uncle Ned's and went out to the back lot, where we baseballed all afternoon. In the evening we sneaked up to the attic and poked until morning."

A sturdy old farmer who was listening and not to be outdone took up the conversation at that point and said: "I was having some fun about that time myself. I muled out to the corn field and gee-hawed until sundown. Then I suppered until dark and piped until 9 o'clock, after which I bedstedded until the clock filed, after which I breakfasted until it was time to go mulling again."

Goliath, tall, majestic, grand wore a forbidden scowl, "and this is my day to howl." He was the bully of the place, as history agrees; whenever people saw his face they climbed the nearest trees. With fear the residents were sick, as they for safty liked: Golia fresh from bitter creek. Just bossed things as he liked. And so this champion of champs stood forth in brave array. "I'd like" he said "to cast my lamps on any chesty jay who thinks he can poke my bean or jolt me in the neck; if such there be, let him be seen—and I'll make of him a wreck." Then round the corner came David—a gentle youth was Dave; too young indeed to shave, but in his caw he had of sand a large and goody store, he held a slinger in his hand, bought at a ten cent store. He heard the proud Goliath's spliel, and said: "Such piffle makes your nephew David feel some fifty-seven aches. Just watch me while I swing the guy and stop his loud bazoo." He hit Goliath in the eye; the people yelled "Hurro!" And even in these humdrum days such things do often chance

the braggart brags, and while he brags he finds his name is Pants—Walt Mason.

### Acute Sore Throat.

There is nothing better for sore throat than Hunt's Lightning Oil. Put it on at night, and next morning the soreness is usually gone. Rubbed on chest is fine for sore lungs, often preventing pneumonia. Hunt's Lightning Oil is sold by all reputable druggists in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Sold By W. L. DOSS.

The West News says:

"A boy captured two tomcats tied their tails together with a fishing cord and flung them across a clothes line. After looking each other in the face for a few moments in loving amity, they embraced, shook hands and climbed their tails to the knot which bound them there. They borrowed the boy's jack knife, cut the cord and set themselves at liberty without yawning, biting or scratching.

If we should ask all our readers who believe the above to hold up their hands we opine not a hand would be seen.

Advance water sealed pumps and Rumbly engines. Show us something better, we will get it.

RATLIFF & WYATT.

### DO YOU WANT TO JOIN?

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

### WILL PLANT TREES IN PARKS.

The Park Board of Ft. Worth has made arrangements for the planting of 445 trees in the various parks here. These trees will add considerable attractiveness to the civic beauty of Ft. Worth.

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165 acres unimproved river bottom and in Smith county on Sabine river miles south Texas & Pacific Ry. Timber enough to more than pay for property. Price \$20 per acre. Will take good unincumbered residence property in Colorado. L. E. LASSETER.

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**Miss J. E. Rogers**  
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**President,  
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Miss Rogers will give you a most interesting talk and demonstration of these brands

At A. J. Payne's Store  
 On Jan. 22nd to 24th, 1914

Every lady in Mitchell County is cordially invited to come in and see the demonstration.

**GOOD COFFEE  
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 Free  
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A. R. WOOD, Colorado, Texas.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR.

A. W. Cooksey—We are authorized to announce the name of A. W. Cooksey as a candidate for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Mitchell County, subject to the Democratic Primaries in July.

Preston Scott—We are authorized to announce the name of Preston Scott as a candidate for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Mitchell County, subject to the Democratic Primaries in July.

L. A. Costin—We are authorized to announce the name of L. A. (Lark) Costin as a candidate for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Mitchell County, subject to the Democratic Primaries in July.

J. W. KAY—We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. Kay as a candidate for the office of sheriff and Tax Collector of Mitchell County subject to the Democratic primaries in July.

C. C. WHEAT—We are authorized to announce the name of C. C. Wheat as a candidate for Sheriff and Tax Collector of Mitchell County subject to the July primaries.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

A. J. Coe—We are authorized to announce the name of A. J. Coe as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Mitchell County (Re-election) subject to the Democratic primaries in July.

Jesse Bullock—We are authorized to announce the name of Jesse H. Bullock for the office of County Judge of Mitchell County, subject to the Democratic primaries in July.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR.

W. R. Womack—We are authorized to announce the name of W. R. Womack for the office of Tax Assessor of Mitchell County, subject to the Democratic primaries in July.

Earl Calloway—We are authorized to announce the name of Earl Calloway for the office of Tax Assessor (Re-election). Subject to the Democratic primaries in July.

J. W. (Jim) Smith—We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. (Jim) Smith as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Mitchell county, subject to the Democratic primaries in July.

J. H. Williams—We are authorized to announce the name of J. H. Williams for the office of Tax Assessor of Mitchell County subject to the July primaries.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

U. D. Wulfjen—We are authorized to announce the name of U. D. Wulfjen for the office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1 (re-election) subject to the democratic primaries in July.

A TYPICAL TEXAS FARM

Peter Radford, in delivering one of his lectures, told the following amazing story:

"The average Texas farmer is awakened by a Connecticut clock, buttons, his Chicago suspenders to his Detroit overalls, puts on a pair of shoes made in Cleveland, washes in a Pittsburg basin, uses Cincinnati soap, dries on a cotton towel made in New Hampshire, sits down to a Grand Rapids table, eats breakfast food from Battle Creek, biscuits made from Minnesota flour, Kansas City bacon and Indiana grits, fried in Omaha lard, on a St. Louis stove; buys Irish potatoes grown in Michigan and canned fruit put up in California, seasoned with Rhode Island spices, fills his pipe with Kentucky tobacco, puts on his hat, made in Philadelphia, harnesses his Missouri mule, fed on Iowa corn, with New York harness, and plows his farm, which is covered with a Massachusetts mortgage, with an Indiana plow. At night he crawls under a New Jersey blanket and is kept awake by a dog, peculiarly a Texas product, and wonders why he is so poor."

A LETTER FROM GUS BERTNER

In looking over my checks today, I noticed that I am due \$1.00 for the Record, so I enclosed you will find check paid up for one more year.

Hoping that you all will have a good year, I am,

Yours, Very truly,  
GUS BERTNER.

It's when the doctor's bills come in that we wonder if life is worth living



THE DUELISTS

How They Were Punished For Fighting

By F. A. MITCHEL

Cardinal Richelieu was sitting at his desk in his palace in Paris attending to official business when an attendant entered and said:

"Please, your eminence, a woman has been arrested for masquerading in man's apparel. She desires to be brought before your eminence."

"Why should I be troubled by a matter that pertains to the watch?" asked the cardinal, looking up from his papers.

"The young lady says, your eminence, that she has information to give which you would value."

"Of what nature?"

"Duelling. She will give you the names of two officers of the army who are to fight today."

The cardinal's manner changed at once. "Another of these affairs, eh, despite my orders but just published! If I don't put a stop to this practice I shall in time lose every officer in the service. I will stop it if I have to hang the whole army. Admit the girl."

She came in, blushing for her apparel, tall for a woman and well formed. She stood before the cardinal with bent head.

"Why are you so attired?" he asked.

"Because I intended to take the place of a man in a duel today."

"You fight a duel?" snarled his eminence. "Shall I have to bring the women of the kingdom to the block as well as the men?"

"Hear me, your eminence. One of the best swordsmen in France is to meet on the field of honor one of the worst. I learned of the meeting in time, sent for the latter and succeeded in locking him in a room from which he cannot escape. I intended to fight in his stead."

"Their names?"

"I will die, your eminence, rather than reveal them without your promise that their lives shall be spared."

The cardinal hesitated for a moment, then gave the required promise.

"Captain de la Tour, the famous swordsman, and Lieutenant Durant," said the girl.

On the cold visage of the cardinal appeared a trace of admiration for this woman who was going to meet death in place of another.

"You are Mlle. Remercier. I believe, one of the queen's maids of honor. This nefarious duelling pest that is killing off every year hundreds of the king's best officers seems to be more in vogue among persons of quality than the lower orders. I wish you were a man. I would behead De la Tour and give you his commission. Why were you about to give your life for that of Lieutenant Durant?"

"Because I would rather die than lose him."

The cardinal paused a moment in thought. "Singular," he said, half to himself and half to the girl, "this thing called love! I can conceive of all other passions, but not this one, and a love that will sacrifice a life for the object loved is to me as great a mystery as life itself." Then, looking up, he asked, "Where is this duel to take place?"

"In a wood on the outskirts of the city, on the bank of the Seine."

"When?"

"At noon."

"It is now near noon."

"Yes, your eminence. I was going to the ground when a gendarme of keener eye than others suspected my sex and arrested me."

"I presume Captain de la Tour is now waiting for his victim."

"Doubtless he is, and wondering why he does not appear."

Something was running with electric rapidity through the cardinal's brain. Whatever it was, it came to a head at once. Summoning an attendant, he directed him to proceed to the duelling ground and bring Captain de la Tour to the palace. Then, turning to Mlle. Remercier, he asked if she had the key to the room where her lover was confined. She gave it to him, and he sent another attendant for Durant. Then he sent the girl to another apartment to await the coming of the would be duellists.

The messenger who went for De la Tour found him pacing back and forth impatiently waiting for his enemy, his seconds standing together chatting to pass the time. When the captain saw

a man coming wearing livery he turned pale.

"Mon Dieu!" he exclaimed. "The cardinal has got wind of the affair. I am lost!"

"His eminence desires your presence at the palace," said the messenger.

De la Tour had his comrades good-bye, he and they believing that they would never meet again. Only a few days before two men had been beheaded for a like affair, and with every case the cardinal had grown more determined. Having pressed the hand of each of them, he set out for the Palais Richelieu, afterward called the Palais Royale and today occupied by shops.

Meanwhile Lieutenant Durant was a prisoner, bewailing his fate. Proud and sensitive, his mind dwelt on the contempt with which his brother officers would receive him when he met them again for not keeping an engagement to fight. He heard the clocks without strike 11. For up both he chafed, and when they clanged the hour of noon he groaned. He knew his betrothed had locked him in, but did not know that she had intended to fight in his place. Had he even supposed this he would have well nigh gone mad.

Presently, hearing a step in the hall, he listened intently, hoping for a release and that he would not be too late to keep his appointment. The door was unlocked, and he was about to push out into the corridor when he was stopped by a man, who said:

"The cardinal desires your presence at the palace."

Durant quailed. He could face death like a gentleman and a soldier, but to be executed in cold blood was not to his liking, and he did not doubt that he would suffer the execution of a felon. As he accompanied the messenger to the palace he wondered if the girl he loved could have given away the secret of the meeting. No; she had locked him up to prevent his being killed by De la Tour. She surely would not turn him over to another fate far more terrible. He was wondering how the secret could have got out and whether there was any hope for him when he saw the messenger entered the palace. He was taken to a chamber, where he was placed in charge of a guard and notice of his arrival sent to the cardinal.

Presently an attendant came for him and led him to another apartment, and as he entered by one door he saw De la Tour ushered in by another. The cardinal sat in an armchair at one side, and near him stood Mlle. Remercier in man's apparel. The two duellists advanced and bowed to the cardinal. But what was most astonishing were a headsman's block and ax at one end of the room. There was no executioner present, but the culprits expected to see him enter at any moment.

"Gentlemen," said the minister, "you are doubtless aware of the recent edict against duelling, and, having conspired to disobey it, your lives are forfeited."

Both men bowed low.

"I have decided, however, to permit this meeting and to witness it myself. There is an unfairness about these duels which in this one I hope to counteract. You, Captain de la Tour, are accounted the best swordsman in France. You, Lieutenant Durant, I learn, are one of the poorest. To enable you to fight equitably I have decided that you shall continue the contest till one kills the other. He who remains alive will be dispatched by the headsman."

"But, your eminence," interposed the informant, deathly pale, "you promised me that their lives should be spared."

"And my promise is not broken by this disposition. But for you both of them would be ordered to execution at once. I cannot conceive a more noble part than that you have acted. Since in this realm a practice exists by which an expert swordsman may kill one who is practically defenseless you were about to suffer death to save the unskilled combatant. Falling in this, knowing that I alone had power to prevent this injustice, you informed me of it, but not till you had received my promise that the combatants should not be punished by death. It is not my intention to punish either of them for disobeying the edict, but to render the affair between them perfectly equitable. Gentlemen, there is ample room for you on the floor of this apartment. Take your positions and an attendant will hand you your weapons."

As the cardinal spoke the last words the men were given rapiers, and at the same time a door opened, and a masked man in tight fitting garments entered, went to the block, took up the ax and stood ready for duty. The duellists, who understood that this was a mere subterfuge of the crafty cardinal to keep his promise to Mlle. Remercier in the letter and break it in the spirit and that one was to execute the other and the headsman the victor, stood facing each other, awaiting a signal to begin the combat. They had been

friends, and their quarrel had been in their cups. Neither had the faintest remembrance of its cause. Realizing that they were about to die, they stepped forward and embraced each other.

Meanwhile Mlle. Remercier had thrown herself at the feet of the cardinal to beg for their lives. Her back being turned to the combatants and her head bowed, she did not see the embrace. The cardinal raised her and turned her toward them.

"Look!" he said. "The affair is ended the way I would have all such affairs ended—in a reconciliation. Gentlemen, put away your swords. If you supposed Richelieu to be so crafty as this to break his word to one whose life is demanded by the king's welfare perhaps you are right, but you wrong him if you think he could act such a part toward this noble girl. You, Captain de la Tour, go to your quarters and be assured that if you offend again that masked person yonder will see that you do not offend a third time. Lieutenant Durant, I give you to Mlle. Remercier."

The lady seized the minister's hand and kissed it rapturously, while the two men, kneeling before him, begged that he would add his blessing to their pardon. He gave it, and De la Tour departed alone. Durant and Mlle. Remercier were driven away in the cardinal's carriage.

The practice that Richelieu strove so hard to eradicate still exists in France to a greater extent than in any other country. While the Anglo-Saxon has abandoned it, the Latin and Teutonic races still retain it. But nowhere is it so deadly as it was in France when Cardinal Richelieu tried to break it off.

Today there are several hundred duels fought annually in France, but rarely does one result fatally, the object of each of the combatants being to "pink" the other, and at the letting of a few drops of blood the affair is usually called off.

Trumbull Talks Development Pending Litigation Against the Katy Prevents Improvements and Extensions.

Mr. Frank Trumbull, the executive head of the M. K. & T. Railway in a recent communication discussed the litigation instigated by the Attorney General against that line. Mr. Trumbull has brought many millions of dollars to Texas and it is so seldom that we have an opportunity of hearing men who are capable of influencing investments, that his utterances are here reproduced in part.

"I have been particularly interested in the development of Texas, as it was formerly my home, and I have been for a number of years connected with properties which are important factors in the industrial life of the state. More than that, I have been instrumental in getting a good many millions of dollars invested in Texas.

"We want to improve our Texas lines. We want to give better service. On the other hand we want to look everybody in the face, including our creditors and shareholders, as well as our Texas friends. We cannot ignore our responsibility to investors. No conscientious man can do that.

"I regret that what seems to me an unwarranted and superfluous impairment of our credit has made some of the things I had hoped to do even less possible than they were before. If the state of Texas had endeavored to find a way to prevent our making extensions, it could have hardly chosen a more effective method than to bring suit for penalties aggregating \$105,000,000. We will do the best we can, all things considered, but ought we to ask our friends to put more money into Texas except for maintenance of existing lines?"

"If the suit brought by the state of Texas is successful, I and all my friends here and abroad will lose every dollar we put into that state. What would you do in my place? This is a broad, far-reaching question, but it is a great and important one, and I am sure that you will agree with me that it is a very sobering question to ask ones self."

OUR FRIENDS WHO HAVE PAID

Watt Collier, Colorado; R. O. Wheeler, Colorado; A. J. Smith, Colorado; J. J. Joyce, Colorado, C. C. Formwalt, Colorado; J. N. Walker, J. N. Burk, Colorado; R. O. Jarnagan, Colorado; J. E. Simpson, Colorado; F. L. Aycock, Colorado; Marvin Dorn, Colorado; Dorn, Colorado; Mrs. A. H. Webb, Colorado; R. C. Morgan, Colorado; H. B. Linam, Colorado; J. R. Altizer, Colorado; J. F. Hizer, Louisiana; Rev. C. F. Carmack, Westbrook; Preston Phenix, Westbrook; T. M. Grant, Westbrook; Jos. F. Taylor, Abilene; Thos. L. Blanton, Abilene; Cal Weir, Abilene; Thos. F. Scott, Abilene; W. J. C. Germany, Roscoe; T. C. Bounds, McKinney;

Gus Bertner, Arkansas; Bert Morgan, Tennessee; M. L. Andrews, New Mexico; Robt. McMullen, N. Y.; Mrs. C. K. Stradley, Pa.; Mrs. M. T. Crawford, Mont.; Mrs. Gerald McCress, San Antonio.

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We have opened up a first class restaurant opposite City National Bank. Everything nice and clean. Made sanitary. Come and eat with us once and you'll come back.

Fish, Oysters, fresh meats of all kinds. Try the new Restaurant.

GARRETT & WOODARD.

The average woman not only wants the last word but about 90 per cent of the preceding conversation as well.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Colorado National Bank

At Colorado, in the State of Texas, at the close of business Jan. 13 1914.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Resources include Loans and Discounts (\$345,250.63), Overdrafts, secured and unsecured (43,664.69), Bonds, Securities, etc. (50,000.00), Banking House, Furniture, and Fixtures (1,406.76), Other Real Estate owned (10,000.00), Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) (7,000.00), Due from approved Reserve Agents (521.95), Checks and other Cash Items (25,671.40), Notes of other National Banks (195.50), Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents (1,370.00), Lawful Money reserve in bank, viz: Specie (11,780.75), Legal-tender notes (4,500.00), Due from U. S. Treasurer (2,500.00). Total Resources: \$504,066.46.

Table with columns for LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in (\$100,000.00), Surplus fund (100,000.00), Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid (14,944.76), National Bank Notes outstanding (50,000.00), Due to other National Banks (4,619.22), Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers (703.70), Dividends unpaid (880.00), Individual deposits subject to check (208,631.62), Time certificates of deposit (337.45), Cashier's checks outstanding (202.75), Bills payable, including obligations for money borrowed (20,000.00), Reserved for taxes (3,747.06). Total Liabilities: \$504,066.46.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MITCHELL, ss: I, J. M. Thomas, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. M. THOMAS, Cashier. CORRECT ATTEST: F. M. BURNS, C. H. EARNEST, J. C. PRUDE, Director.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The City National Bank

At Colorado in the State of Texas, at the close of business Jan. 13 1914.

Table with columns for RESOURCES. Loans and Discounts (\$223,128.22), Overdrafts, secured and unsecured (13,274.89), U. S. Bonds to secure circulation (15,000.00), Bonds, Securities, etc. (3,641.41), Banking House, Furniture, and Fixtures (6,200.08), Other Real Estate owned (10,322.83), Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) (2,072.95), Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Cos. and Savings Banks (50.34), Due from approved Reserve Agents (7,787.85), Checks and other Cash Items (74.88), Notes of other National Banks (5,000.00), Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents (90.35), Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, Viz: Specie (11,376.50), Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent circulation) (750.00). Total Resources: \$298,770.22.

Table with columns for LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in (\$60,000.00), Surplus fund (30,000.00), Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid (10,154.68), National Bank Notes outstanding (15,000.00), Due to other National Banks (1,247.19), Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers (150.06), Individual deposits subject to check (129,084.42), Demand certificates of deposit (7,816.00), Cashier's checks outstanding (317.87), Bills payable, including obligations for money borrowed (45,000.00). Total Liabilities: \$298,770.22.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MITCHELL, ss: I, J. E. Hooper, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. E. HOOPER, Cashier. CORRECT—Attest: G. B. HARNESST, D. N. ARNETT, J. L. DOSS, Directors.

# 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 Thedford'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." Thedford'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.

### LORAIN NEWS ITEMS.

There was a good attendance at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon. A singing class was organized and the following officers were elected: President, W. F. Altman; Vice President, Prof. Crutcher; Secretary, Miss Annie Gregg; Leader, Prof. Elliott; Assistant Leaders, Messrs. Boyce and Livingston; Organist, Miss Hall; Assistant Organists, Misses Rhiney and Mauda Altman. The place of meeting will be at the Methodist and Baptist churches at 2:30 o'clock on Sunday afternoons twice a month. There was much interest manifested and a large class organized. A committee to select books was appointed and will report at next meeting which will be at the Baptist church next Sunday. Everybody interested in music and singing are most cordially invited to attend and join. Ben Montgomery and family have returned from Corpus Christi to make Mitchell County their home again. Rev. J. N. Campbell of Colorado preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning. He was greeted by all the church going people of the town and he delivered an excellent sermon in his earnest and forceful manner which was enjoyed by all. We hope he will come again to Loraine. Mrs. C. E. Jamerson entertained a number of the young ladies on Friday night with a kimona party, complimentary to Miss Emma Caperton of Sweetwater. At an early hour they all arrived dressed in pretty kimonas of various colors and resembling the Japanese ladies. After games reading and social chat had been enjoyed to the fullest; they were ushered to the dining room where refreshing chocolate and cake was served. Miss Caperton left next day for Sweetwater. Judge Coe of Colorado was busy here Saturday. Miss Annie White was in Sunday. J. E. Stowe and family of Colorado visited here this week. Miss Lucille Henthorn will be hostess to the Philmath Club this week. J. W. Fairbairn is quite sick this week. Dr. Henthorn has returned from the West Texas Dental Association at Abilene. S. M. Garrett and family of Champion were up shopping Saturday. Mrs. John Johnson was up from Champion Saturday. Rev. J. N. Campbell and wife were guests of Dr. Copeland Saturday and Sunday. Miss Myrtle Norman has been sick of small pox at Robert Lee where she is teaching. J. R. Coon of the Lowe Community was in town one day last week. Frank Johnson and family visited Ben Montgomery and family at Champion Sunday. D. C. McRea has purchased the Lawrence residence and will move to it this week. Miss Vera Gary visited in Colorado Sunday. Miss Rubie Seymour is here visiting.

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. To give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Sold for \$1.00 a bottle. P. J. CHENEY, & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

her sister, Mrs. L. L. Beach. H. H. Knott and family have moved to the Dr. Shook residence. Mrs. W. F. Altman is visiting in Roscoe this week. Miss Vera Thomas Sundled at home. Prof. Claude Elliott of Valley View was here Saturday. R. A. Henthorn was up from Abilene Tuesday. Mrs. John Johnson was called to Winters this week, to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Menshaw who is quite sick. Mr. Boyce and family of Westbrook have moved here recently. The Methodist Sunday School teachers met with Mrs. A. C. Pratt on Monday night. John Matthews has returned from an extended visit to Oklahoma, Georgia and other points. Eugene Watlington and wife entertained a large crowd of friends at their home north of town on Friday in honor of Capt. Watlington who had reached his 73rd mile stone. It was a day long to be remembered by all who had the pleasure of attending About 10 o'clock autos and other conveyances were loaded with Captain's warmest friends mostly men, and they made the drive out to his son's. There they were greeted by the host and hostess. Assisted by Mrs. Looby and the Misses Watlington and ushered into the parlor where organ, violin and guitar music was furnished by Capt. Watlington, Earl Jackson and Miss Watlington, D. K. Nelson and others to the number of forty in all. Soon dinner was announced and as they entered the dining room were seated to one of the most sumptuous spreads that can be gotten up by feminine hands, besides two turkeys the fatted pig and calf had been killed and a goodly portion was served. Dr. Henthorn, Judge Coe and others made speeches and gave toasts to the honored one. After all had eaten and were too full for utterance, a huge cake was placed before them to be cut and as each cut a slice they had to tell their age, and strange to say, the most of them were as bad as a woman about the matter. After this they all went out in the yard and took up games, where they played like so many boys until the lowering of old "Sol" reminded them that it was time to be returning home. Aside from congratulations and best wishes for the honoree that he may be spared to enjoy many more years, were nice gifts of various things. One in particular a large easy chair presented by ten of the friends. Those who attended were, J. H. T. Johnson, Sr.; W. B. Wimberley, Hiram Toler, Adams, Joe Smith, A. M. Jackson, C. M. Thompson, F. H. Hall, J. D. Howell, S. E. Brown, W. L. Edmondson, W. S. Erwin, S. W. Altman, Dr. W. H. Henthorn, Judge Coe, Sheriff Coughran, Earl Jackson, T. J. Davis, Rev. G. C. Farris, W. C. Brown and wife and Mrs. J. D. Howell. It is the wish of all that Capt. will have many more birthdays and let them attend each.

### DECIDE YOURSELF.

The Opportunity is Here, Backed by Colorado Testimony.

Don't take our word for it. Don't depend on a stranger's testimony. Read Colorado endorsement. Read the statement of Colorado citizens. And decide for yourself. Here is one case of it: J. W. Nunn, Colorado, Texas, says: "Some years ago I suffered terribly from disordered kidneys and nothing did me any good until I saw Doan's Kidney pills advertised in the local papers and got a box. Their use soon cured me. Since then on several occasions I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills and have always found them good." 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.

### PLAINVIEW POINTS

Rev. A. D. Leach preached at Spade last Sunday. The party at Mr. Marshall Webb's was a most enjoyable one every one had a good time. When Mr. Webb gives a party you can depend on having a dandy time. We hope Mr. Webb will give us another soon. We are getting the ground ready for that bumper crop that we see coming next year. Mrs. A. C. Costin is better we are glad to say. Mrs. A. D. Leach is able to be up but is still confined at home. Mr. Sam Franklin of Seven Wells little boy got his arm broke last week it is quite painful we understand. Mrs. Aycock and son Bruce came back from Arkansas last week and report a most enjoyable visit said that it was almost equal to Mitchell county. Well it could not be any better so it is got that much to brag about being nearly equal to this good old county is enough to brag about by any old place. Mr. Walker Franklin and Olen Howell send word that they have learned to keep the pesky car off the telegraph poles and out of the show windows of Dallas, and will be home about the first of April. On account of a typographical error there was an account of Mark Bynum having a frost bitten face and a nose of scandalous size but the way the scribe wrote it was that Mr. Mark Bynum had a frost bitten false nose of scandalous size. We wish to correct this as it was unavoidable. Mr. Ollie Coupland led the prayer meeting last Sunday night, there was a good crowd out. Mr. Bynum the road overseer called out the hands and fixed up our road last week in fine shape. Put in two culverts one at Mr. Benis and one at Mr. Coupland's gate this puts our road in as good shape as possible, until it rains. Mr. Andrew Kelley was out to see us last Sunday at Sunday school. PRINCE CHARMING.

### A CHILD'S LAXATIVE IS "SYRUP OF FIGS"

They Love to Take It and It Doesn't Harm The Tender Little Stomach Liver and Bowels. If your little one's tongue is coated, it is sure sign the stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When your child is cross peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, system full of cold, throat sore, or if feverish, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the clogged-up constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Don't be fooled!

### WESTBROOK ITEMS.

Miss Hatty Petty is spending the week on the ranch with Mr. and Mrs. Sherfield. Mr. Joe Dollar and family left Tuesday for Georgetown their future home. Some ten or fifteen of the school pupils challenged the same number of the town people for a spelling match Friday night, the school won. Little Dave and Tillman Grissitt proved to be the champion spellers. Mrs. Bertha Barber had the misfortune of losing her barn by fire Saturday night. Miss Mary Berry was hostess for the Embroidery Club this week. Miss Myrtle Johnson and Mrs. Carnack were new members. After an hour of sewing the hostess served refreshments. The next meeting will be with Miss Ruby Branson. Mr. E. S. Hudson visited Colorado Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Felker have recently moved to town to send their little girl to school. We are glad to have them with us. A car load of all kinds of farm implements just unloaded at McMurrys. See the Mr. Bills Planter—Free.

### HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BASKET BALL

As to the High School Girls Basketball trip to Sterling City, we are well pleased with the result, even "tho" we secured the negative side of the score we certainly enjoyed a pleasant trip, every courtesy that was in their power was extended us, with only one exception, I could not with all of the force of argument that I could and did bring to bear on the subject, persuade them that they treated us discourteously in not allowing us the big end of the score. The trip is one that will not be soon forgotten by those that were fortunate enough to enjoy same. As for myself as one of those fortunates I must say that I was well pleased with the lady like and gentlemanly spirit of fairness (which is essential to the upbuilding of true character) that was manifested by both participants and spectators. We hope to have the Sterling City team with us soon to play on our own court, thereby allowing us a chance to return their courteous treatment, and may I add also try and return the compliment as to the scoring side also. For the best individual playing honors on the Colorado team, we will allow to Winnie Vaughan, and Katy Buchanan, the latter making the most points, and the former for making herself a hindrance to the forwards of the Sterling Six. May I add also here that so far—even tho she is not the largest—that Winnie Vaughan has been making the best progress as a player, she works hard, consistently gains her honors, considers them her reward then works harder for more.

In conclusion, may I say that any organization in its infancy like the child, must first crawl, then walk, then to talk. We hope to do some talking soon, if the task does not prove too much for our experience and ability. Anyhow, there is always a future for those who keep plodding away. JACK FARMER.

### POLL TAXES PAID.

There has been paid up to Wednesday of this week the following poll tax Precinct No. 1, Colorado 242. Precinct No. 2, Westbrook 65. Precinct No. 3, Spade, 23. Precinct No. 4, Landers, 14. Precinct No. 5, Cuthbert, 41. Precinct No. 6, Car, 23. Precinct No. 7, Loraine, 157. Precinct No. 8, Iatan, 19. Precinct No. 9, McKenzie, 5. Total 574. There will be about 50 exemptions in the County. It is estimated now that there will be about 1200 votes in the county.

### WEAK KIDNEYS OFTEN THE RESULT OF OVERWORK

On several occasions I have been unable to work and suffered severe pains in the back, due to my kidneys. I called on a doctor of Ripon, Wis., but received no relief. I tried Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root which gave me instant relief. I was then able to resume work. Swamp-Root is the only relief I can get from kidney disease, which I am subject to in the spring of the year. I am writing this testimonial through my own free will that sufferers of kidney and bladder diseases will know of the wonderful merits of Swamp-Root. I recommended Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root whenever I can and always have a bottle of Swamp-Root in my house. I purchased Swamp-Root of Mr. C. J. Burnside, Druggist, of 202 Main Street, Ripon, Wis. Yours very truly, THOMAS J. LYNCH, 525 Newbury Street, Ripon, Wis. I have read the above statement that Thomas J. Lynch bought Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root at my store and made oath the above statement is true in substance, and fact. E. J. BURNSIDE, Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1911. F. A. PRESTON. Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, New York.

### Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You.

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co. Binghamton, N. Y. for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Colorado Weekly Record. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores. On the other hand, the lack of virtue is also its own punishment. We now have plenty of water and are putting out the very best quality of work. We ask the housekeepers to give us a trial—Colorado Steam Laundry. Buggy whip free. W. L. Doss.

### NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION WILL BE ELABORATELY ENTERTAINED BY TEXANS.

Houston, Texas—Preparations are being made to entertain the National Editorial Association, which will convene here April 23rd, for its twenty-eighth annual convention. The meeting will last three days and will be one of the largest conventions ever conducted in this city. The program committee is preparing something elaborate for this meeting. The delegates will come to Houston in special trains, made up at Chicago and other Northern cities, and on their advent into Texas they will be met by the reception committee and a carload of Texas products placed at their disposal while en route to Houston. A trip by rail to Sugarland and a barbecue has been arranged for the visitors and also a circle tour by railroad to the cities of San Antonio, Austin, Waco, Fort Worth and Dallas. The commercial organization are making plans for the entertaining of the delegates while in their cities. This organization was perfected at New Orleans, La., in 1885, and has grown into one of the strongest and largest news paper fraternities in the world. The 1913 convention of the association was held in Colorado Springs, Colo., and a number of commercial bodies of this state concurred in a movement to bring this convention to Texas for its 1914 meeting, which resulted in Houston being elected as the logical place for this year's session.

### GIRLS! STOP WASHING THE HAIR WITH SOAP

#### Soap Dries Your Scalp, Causing Dandruff, Then Hair Falls Out—Try This Next Time.

After washing your hair with soap always apply a little Danderine to the scalp to invigorate the hair and prevent dryness. Better still, use soap as sparingly as possible, and instead have a "Danderine Hair Cleanse." Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one strand at a time. This will remove dust, dirt and excessive oil. In a few moments you will be amazed your hair will not only be clean, but it will be wavy, fluffy and abundant, and possess an incomparable softness and lustre. Besides cleansing and beautifying the hair, one application of Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; stimulates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair. Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes to the roots, invigorating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful. Men! Ladies! You can surely have lots of charming hair. Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it.

### WILL SHOW CONGRESS.

Memphis, Tenn.—Showing the Mississippi flood devastation, its magnitude, and the means of controlling the stream and preventing floods, one of the most remarkable moving picture films ever exhibited in Memphis was shown to a private audience at one of the Majestic Theatres yesterday morning. The film is 500 feet long and was made by S. W. Spangler of Helena, Arkansas. It shows the 1913 flood at its worst near Helena, Ark., the Beulah crevasse, and the manner in which it was closed despite a high stage of water. This film will be exhibited before members of the House and Senate in Washington next week. John A. Fox, Secretary-Manager of the Mississippi River Levee Association, will use it as an argument in favor of the Randall-Humphreys bill, the \$60,000,000 flood measure now before Congress. This picture will be especially valuable to the levee cause as it shows conditions impossible to describe. One of the pictures shows 400 feet of earth gradually slipping into the Mississippi River opposite Helena, Ark.; another shows the water beating the levees from the tops of trees as it rushed through the crevasse at Beulah, Miss.; another gives a view of a big force of men at work near Helena, Ark., sinking mattresses to prevent further caving. The manner in which the big net works are sunk near the levees and on the banks of the river are shown most clearly. Mr. Fox, in a few days, will have a film made showing actual levee construction work. This will serve to illustrate to the congressmen from the North, East and West the effectiveness of levees as a flood preventive.

### For Skin Diseases.

Hunt's Cure is sold under a positive guarantee that your money will be refunded without question if it fails to cure Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, etc. You therefore run no risk whatever in purchasing a 50c box from your druggist. Sold by W. L. Doss.

### FOR THE GRIP

#### Peruna Is Sometimes Used With Good Results



Mrs. Jane Gift. Many people take it after they have had the grip. Their convalescence is slow. They have suffered alone for a month or two, without any signs of complete recovery. Then they resort to Peruna as a tonic, with splendid results.

"One day I picked up the newspaper and accidentally found a testimonial of a woman who had been cured of grip by Peruna. I told my husband I wanted to try it. He went directly to the drug store and got a bottle of Peruna. I could see the improvement in a very short time and was soon able to do my work. I continued using it until I was entirely cured." Mr. Victor Patmeade, 328 Madison St., Topeka, Kas., writes: "Twelve years ago I had a severe attack of the grippe and I never really recovered my health and strength, but grew weaker every year, until I was unable to work. Two years ago I began using Peruna and it built up my strength so that in a couple of months I was able to go to work again. This winter I had another attack of the grippe, but Peruna soon drove it out of my system. My wife and I consider it a household remedy."

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

### SECRETARY OF NAVY TO VISIT TEXAS.

Mr. Lee J. Rountree, who is editor of a local publication, and one of the program committee of Georgetown, which is preparing the routine of entertainment for the National Editorial Association which convenes in Houston April 23rd, has received a communication from Secretary of the Navy, Josephus Daniels, saying that he has accepted the committee's invitation and will be present at the convention. He will deliver an address.

### THE MOLER BARBER COLLEGE OF FT. WORTH, TEXAS WANTS MEN TO LEARN THE BARBER TRADE.

They offer splendid inducements and a short term completes. They mail free a beautiful catalogue and ask all our readers to send for it. 1-30-p.

### NEW MEXICO SHEEP SENT TO TEXAS PASTURES

On account of the excellent pasturage afforded in this section, a number of New Mexico sheepmen have sent more than 20,000 head of their stock to San Angelo in the last ten days. It is expected the number will be greatly increased inside of another week.

### HOGS.

For sale all kinds of hogs, little and big some fat and some not. For Hogs see J. R. LEDBETTER. A girl shouldn't allow her waist line to be the line of least resistance. Want to sell? Try the Record. Posted. This is to notify the public that my pasture is posted, no hunting trapping or fishing will be allowed. R. N. GARY.

### Hunters and Trappers Keep Out.

Notice—anyone found trespassing in the lands of F. E. McKenzie will be prosecuted. Hunters and trappers keep out. F. E. MCKENZIE, Jr. Our sins may find us out, but they have an unpleasant habit of calling again.

### Are You a Woman?

# Take Cardui

## The Woman's Tonic

FOR SALE AT ALL DRUGGISTS



ALL WOMEN

Who suffer with the ailments of their sex are in need of the great strengthening, cleansing and regulating properties of

PRICKLY ASH BITTERS

It puts the liver, stomach and bowels in fine healthy condition, builds up the nervous system, strengthens the body, clears the complexion and changes a poor, tired, discouraged woman into one of sparkling good health and cheerfulness.

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

Sold by Druggists.

Price \$1.00 per bottle.



EARTH'S OLDEST AND GREATEST BUILDING

There is a natural veneration in the mind of mankind for grand old things. If one were to locate the exact geographical center of the land surface of the whole earth, he would find, situated upon a high cliff, and thus occupying the most commanding position of any structure in the world, the oldest and greatest building ever erected. It is the most enduring form of structure ever devised, is built entirely of solid limestone and granite blocks, covers more than thirteen acres of ground, is nearly five hundred feet high, and is said to have required the labor of over 100,000 men for at least twenty years.

Originally this wonderful building was covered with massive limestone blocks, all highly polished and fitted together so accurately that in some instances the thickness of the joints between the stones is not more than one five-hundredth of an inch. The entire fifteen acres of its exterior was thus finely encased, and to the beholder a short distance away, it must have looked like one huge white crystal, from whose polished sides the brilliant rays of the Egyptian sunlight were reflected in dazzling splendor.

Through the solid masonry and the foundation rock of this mighty structure there extends an intricate system of long narrow passageways, and magnificent chambers, together with a most superb gallery called "The Grand Gallery" whose walls are composed of seven overlapping courses of highly polished masonry. This gallery is said to be the most awe-inspiring of any in the world.

This wonderful system of galleries and chambers form an amazing series of symbols, representing and corroborating the various features of the Divine plans and purposes as revealed in the Holy Scriptures. Not only are these clearly outlined in the architectural arrangements, but the length of different ages and dispensations in the history of the race is also indicated in the measurements.

This "miracle in stone," the great Pyramid of Giza then, must be none other than that great monument and altar alluded to by the Prophet Isaiah, when, speaking of the establishment of Messtiah's kingdom, now near at hand, he said, "In that day shall there be an altar unto the Lord in the midst of the land of Egypt, and a pillar at the border thereof to the Lord. And it shall be for a sign and for a witness unto the Lord of hosts in the land of Egypt."—Isaiah 19:19,20.

THE WANDERING JEW

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This remedy has no superior for coughs and colds. It is pleasant to take. It contains no opium or other narcotic. It always cures. For sale by W. L. Doss.

For Sale—160 acres Patented land, located 10 miles south of Colorado 75 acres in cultivation good 4 room house fenced and cross fenced, plenty wood. All tillable, price \$2600.00. one fifth cash balance on long time. 1-30-c J. R. HASTINGS

There is a good bit of counterfeit virtue in the world, in spite of the fact that it is supposed to be its own reward.

Buy single and double disc plows from Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. Carnegie's Gifts—According to figures issued a few days ago by Andrew Carnegie's secretary the great "steel king" has given away nearly \$400,000,000.

As regards his fortune of a few years ago, he is now a comparatively poor man. He has given away nearly all of his millions of United States Steel Corporation bonds and if he lives a few years longer he will probably have attained his ambition of having disposed "of every penny of his wealth with the exception of a \$25,000,000 sinking fund reserved for himself and family." The following is the list of Mr. Carnegie's principal benefactions:

- Carnegie Corporation of New York \$125,000,000.
  - Carnegie United Kingdom Trust, \$10,000,000
  - Carnegie Foundation for the advancement of teaching \$16,125,000.
  - Carnegie Institution, Washington, D. C. \$22,000,000.
  - Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh, \$22,000,000.
  - Carnegie endowment for international peace, \$10,000,000.
  - Carnegie Hero Fund, Commission and gifts to libraries (estimated) \$60,000,000.
  - Total \$265,125,000.
- To this tremendous total may be added possibly \$100,000,000 of miscellaneous gifts, bringing the grand total almost up to the sum of \$400,000,000.

IF MEALS HIT BACK AND STOMACH SOURS

"Pape's Diapiesin" Ends Indigestion, Gas, Dyspepsia and Stomach Misery in Five Minutes.

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach headache, you can get blessed relief in five minutes.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula, plainly printed on these fifty-cent cases of Pape's Diapiesin, then you will understand why dyspeptic troubles of all kinds must go, and why they relieve sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes. "Pape's Diapiesin" is harmless; tastes like candy, though each dose will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat; besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite; but what will please you most, is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.

The city will have many "Pape's Diapiesin" cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be enthusiastic about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever take it for indigestion, gases, heartburn, sourness, dyspepsia or any stomach misery.

Get some now, this minute, and rid yourself of stomach trouble and indigestion in five minutes.

Many a woman puts everything she has on her back, but you would never suspect it when you see her in a ball gown.

Money To Lend.

Money to lend on Colorado City resident property on long time at low interest, see L. C. DUPREE.

GOOD ROADS MEETING.

Please find enclosed official call for the annual meeting of the Texas Good Roads Association which will be held in the New Chamber of Commerce Auditorium in Ft. Worth, Texas January 26, 27, 28.

It is the hope of the Officers of this Association to make the coming meeting one of the greatest ever held in the southwest and the program, which will be published in a short time, comprehends a very wide scope.

Practical road building and maintenance will be the chief features discussed and the study will be made in the actual construction.

One day will be given to a study of the work that is being done on the roads of Tarrant County and the Streets of Fort Worth, and in addition to this will be the presence of Hon. Tom Tynan, Warden of the Colorado penitentiaries, who will show by motion picture and slides the actual working of the convicts on the highways of Colorado State.

The Model Road Exhibit of the Department of Agriculture has also been secured and besides these features will be the presence of some of the ablest authorities on highway construction in the Union.

I am instructed to appoint you a delegate to the convention and beg to urge that you attend and invite your friends to attend also. The state association assures you and your friends that the meeting will be highly beneficial from every standpoint and we hope to make it an event that will be of great value for the cause of Good Roads in Texas.

Feeling sure that we shall have your aid and co-operation in making this meeting a great event for the betterment of the highways of Texas, and inviting your full co-operation, I am, Yours for Better Highways, HOMER D. WADE, Secretary.

"GREEN BUG" PEST DOES NOT SERIOUSLY THREATEN

Texas and Oklahoma Grain Growers Mistake "Oat Aphid" For More Dangerous Insect.

The fears of Texas and Oklahoma grain growers have been aroused by a supposed outbreak of the "green bug" in the northern portions of their states. That most of these fears have been caused rather by the insect known as the Oat Aphid, which does not as a rule work serious injury in the grain fields over any extensive territory, is the conclusion of specialists that have recently been sent to the South by the Department of Agriculture.

During December complaints came from the Texas Grain Dealers Association, at Fort Worth, and also from Oklahoma business men, that the spring grain Aphid, commonly known as the green bug, was appearing in enormous numbers in the wheat fields.

An investigator of the Bureau of Entomology was promptly dispatched to northern Texas to study the situation and report thereon. From his investigations it seems that the insect most responsible for the fears of the grain growers is that known as the Oat aphid, and not the spring grain Aphid.

The Oat Aphid is found, more especially among rank growing grain, where it colonizes upon the stems and to a less extent upon the leaves. It is

slightly more robust in form, and may be distinguished from the green bug by the slightly reddish tinge on the edge of the back part of its body. The true "green bug" is found almost entirely upon the leaves of the grain. It is more slender than the Oat Aphid and in its general color is Paris green. A third aphid also occurs in this section, apparently developed in great numbers on cabbage, rape and similar plants, spreading about over the fields.

Of the three bugs, the oat aphid is by all means the most abundant, according to the report of the investigators of the Department of Agriculture. In many cases the third bug described was even more abundant than the dreaded spring grain Aphid. While the "green bug" occurs generally in the fields its numbers do not seem to be such as to warrant at this time a feeling of unrest among grain growers.

There is also present in the fields a tiny friend of the grain grower which destroys, or holds in check, all three of the bugs just described. This is a little black four-winged parasite which breeds equally well on any of the three varieties. The parasite gets in its work whenever the temperature rises to about 60 degrees during the day. So abundant are these little foes of the grain aphids that it would seem impossible for an outbreak to occur, provided the temperature does not fall below about 60 degrees and remain so for a considerable period of time, as the parasite does not develop readily in a temperature below 60 degrees, while the "green bug" will develop in a temperature several degrees lower.

Best Cough Remedy for Children.

"I am very glad to say a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. Lida Dewey, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. "I have used it for years both for my children and myself and it never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. No family with children should be without it as it gives almost immediate relief in cases of croup." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is pleasant and safe to take, which is of great importance when a medicine must be given to young children. For sale by W. L. Doss.

WITHIN THE LAW

Whether the Attorney General in filing the so-called anti-trust suits is within the law has no bearing upon the immediate effects accompanying such litigation. The fact stands out boldly that corporate investments in Texas have been thrown in the hands of a receiver without a hearing and a railroad is now being tried for high crime for alleged minor offenses. Perhaps the statutes may justify and duty demand such action, but in the chancery court of industry, a verdict must be rendered that the law of common sense has been violated.

Leaving the statutes for the interpretation of lawyers and eliminating from the discussion the personality of all public officials past or present, there is no escaping the power of men in the affairs of government. Standing at the source of every movement, good or evil, in government is a man, and upon the wisdom and experience of those who wear the mantle of authority depends our final destinies. Our progress, and indeed our safety, is in the hands of those who guide the ship of state. It is upon their knowledge of the high seas of commerce, their experience in seamanship, that we must depend to keep us off the reefs of destruction and in the roadstead of success. It is through our leaders that we must knock at the door of opportunity to enter the gate to the cemetery of despair.

There is no more noble purpose in life than a desire to be useful and no one for a moment questions the motive of our public officials, but the pathway of civilization is strewn with the wreckage of good intentions and pinned under its timbers are the people whose leaders have displayed more courage than wisdom.

Those who have torrents of energy to turn loose in the name of the state should realize that folly has its limits as well as its rights and that the public can reasonably expect those whom it honors to do something more than meddle with fate and scuffle with progress.

As a rule responsibility steadies rather than intoxicates public officials, but the surest way to promote our prosperity is to elect to office men seasoned in business affairs and who have had experience in actual transactions. Government is a big business institution and only those who possess masterful qualities can properly manage it.

Will sell Brady Sulks for \$17.50 cash, terms \$20.00, only few in stock, Come quick—Colorado Mercantile Co.

PANAMA EXPOSITION.

Former expositions have shown wild men and women from the Antipodes, but it has remained for the San Diego Exposition to find a whole nation of wild men within the borders of the United States, a whole vast area where nothing has progressed since the invasion of Mexico by Cortez in 1517. This area is in northwestern Arizona, and the Santa Fe Railway will cover ten acres of ground at the Exposition with as close a copy of this country as is possible to produce.

This locality is known as the Painted Desert. Its a land where no white man has dared attempt agriculture or mining, where there is nothing but the Indian, his ancient civilization unaltered, living in six story houses of 100 rooms without an outside door, doing the same things in the same way his forefathers did for centuries before white men came to America.

Comparatively few white men have penetrated this district. None has remained there. At long intervals a scientist has penetrated the fastness of the red and yellow hills. Indians emerge from it occasionally but they invariably return. Their homes are the identical buildings erected many centuries ago. Their property is the same used for the same purpose and in the same rude manner. Their customs and tribal laws remain unchanged since when no man knows to the contrary. They irrigate small patches of grain just as did their forefathers. The country repels even the hardy prospector. Trees, except those petrified into stone, are not seen. No two hills are of the same color. The very rocks are variegated in hue. The pitiless sun scorches all vegetation encountered by the winter and spring rains.

Members of the Santa Fe exploring party declare the Painted Desert rivals the wonderful Grand Canyon of the Colorado in grandeur and beauty of scenery. A second party has been sent into it to gather material for the great exhibit the railway will install at the San Diego Exposition to contain everything possible to bring from that region, a territory that seems to have been forgotten by Nature herself.

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Some people ought to wear smoked glasses for fear they might have to look on the bright side of life.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Mitchell.

Whereas, I have been named and appointed Trustee in a certain deed of trust recorded in Vol. 8 page 78 of the Deed of Trust Records of Mitchell County, Texas, executed and delivered to me on the 21st day of May, 1910 by Raymond Johnson and Sue W. Johnson, his wife, for better securing of the payment of the following described notes, to-wit:

Three principal notes dated May 12 1910, due and payable to the order of The Missouri State Life Insurance Company at the Home Office of said Company in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, the first two of said notes being for the principal sum of \$500.00 each, due respectively January 1st, 1912 and January 1st, 1913, the third of said notes being for the principal sum of \$2000.00, due January 1st, 1918, all of said notes bearing interest from their date at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, payable annually and evidenced by coupon interest notes attached to said principal note, said coupon interest notes each bearing interest after its maturity at the rate of 8 per cent per annum; each of said principal notes providing that upon a default in the payment of the interest due thereon, then the principal note with the interest due and accrued shall at the option of the legal holder, become at once due and payable; said three principal notes signed by Raymond Johnson and given for a loan of the amount represented by their face and secured by a deed of trust upon the following described land, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, and being 640 acres known as Section or Survey No. Sixteen (16) in Block Twenty-Seven (27) of the Texas & Pacific Ry. Co. survey originally located by virtue of Certificate No. 2-1408 and patented to J. S. O'Keefe on the 17th day of April, 1901, by letters patent No. 19, Vol. 20, the same being recorded in the Deed Records of Mitchell County, Texas, in Vol. 5, page 208.

And, Whereas, the said Missouri State Life Insurance Company is the holder and owner of said notes, and the said Raymond Johnson has made default in the payment of said \$500.00 note above described, due on January 1st 1912 and has made default in the payment of the second principal

note for \$500.00 due on January 1st, 1913, and also on an interest coupon note for \$40.00 attached to the principal note last above named due on January 1st, 1913. And has made default in the payment of an interest coupon note attached to the third of said principal notes, and being for \$240.00 due January 1st, 1913, and all of same are now past due and unpaid, and by reason whereof and as provided for in each of said notes and in said deed of trust, the said Missouri State Life Insurance Company has declared each of said notes and all of said indebtedness immediately due and mature, and has heretofore so notified the said Raymond Johnson in writing; and, whereas each of said notes are now past due and unpaid, now aggregating principal notes, interest coupon notes and interest on said coupon notes the sum of Four Thousand Six Hundred Sixty Five and 60-100 (4665.60) Dollars and, whereas, I have been requested by the said Missouri State Life Insurance Company to enforce said trust, I will by virtue of the authority conferred in me as Trustee aforesaid, offer for sale between the legal hours thereof, to-wit: between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the First Tuesday in February, A. D. 1914, (the same being the 3rd day of said month) at the Court House Door in the town of Colorado, in Mitchell County, Texas, all of the above described real estate together with all the rights, members and appurtenances thereto belonging. Witness my hand this 3rd day of January 1914.

M. K. JACKSON, Trustee.

1-23-c

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Mitchell.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Mitchell County, of the 13th day of December 1913, by Earl Jackson, Clerk of said County Court for the sum of Sixty and no 100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a certain judgment in favor of Lula Mathews and Walter Carter in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1036 and styled Lula Mathews and Walter Carter vs. J. H. Woodard, R. E. Woodard and B. N. Garrett, placed in my hands for service, I G. B. Coughran as Sheriff of Mitchell County Texas, did on the 13th day of December 1913, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Being Lot No. 22 in Block No. 4 of the Waddell and Martin Addition to the City of Colorado, Mitchell County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of J. H. Woodard and that on the first Tuesday in January 1914, the same being the 3rd day of said month at the Court House door, of Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. by virtue of said levy and said Execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. H. Woodard.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell County.

Witness my hand this 2nd day of January 1914.

G. B. COUGHRAN, Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas. By Preston Scott, Deputy. 1-23-c.

An Advertisement Is a Challenge

By HOLLAND. THE man who advertises is fearless. He courts the light. He dares all and sundry to put him to the test. "This is what I offer," he says in effect. "Can you beat it? Can you do better elsewhere? Make comparisons and then do business with me only if you find it is to your advantage." There is nothing hidden about the advertiser. He stands up for himself, for his goods, for his reputation, for his town. He wants everybody to know him, to know his methods of business and his manner of treating customers. This makes it safe to do business with him. Having spent much money making his name known, he cannot afford to have it tarnished, and he will go much more than halfway in an effort to correct a misunderstanding that is not of his making. He wants to tell more than the bare truth, to do more than what is really square. DEAL WITH ADVERTISERS FOR A SQUARE DEAL.

# Nothing "Just as Good" or as Economical for Doughnuts

—For Biscuit, Pies  
—Muffins, Waffles,  
—and Home Baking  
Success and Satisfaction

**One Heaping Teaspoonful's Enough**

Health Club is the purest, strongest and most economical Baking Powder obtainable at any price.



In 10¢, 15¢ & 25¢ Cans at all Good Grocers



January.

Tom, Tom, the piper's son,  
Stole an egg, and away he run;  
But where they had the time before  
Pursued him lightly through the door,  
And laughed to see him dodge the cobs  
This time they were as mad as hops.

The startled Tom looked back to find  
The butcher bellowing behind,  
The State militia turning out,  
And marshals scurrying about,  
He felt the earth beneath him throb  
With all the impact of a mob.  
And ran as he had never run  
In all the thieving he had done.

When someone rang the village bell,  
He knew its meaning very well;  
The fleet Boy Scouts were turning out,  
And troops were leaving their redoubt,  
A military aeroplane  
Set up its poppety refrain,  
And Tom turned faint and deathly pale  
When bloodhounds bayed upon the trail.

"Alas!" he said, "My lucky star  
Deserts me—I have gone too far!"  
With which he took one look around,  
And seeing he was losing ground,  
He doltily doubted on his track,  
And put the casus belli back.

Numa Pompilius, the second King of Rome, was very much like President Wilson. Having been the president of a big university before he was called to the throne, he knew all about everything, and had a reform program that kept the Roman Senate at work in season and out. When he got rid of his tariff and currency bills, he took up the calendar. There were at that time 10 months in the year, which began in March. Numa proposed to increase the number of months to 12, and to have the year begin two months earlier. His speech before the Senate, in which he dwelt upon the general happiness that would result from giving everybody two months more pay and the humane necessity for making the 15th of March come at a season when the people in the Irish province could march without being exposed to the blasts of winter, has been incorporated in all the works on the world's best orations. The bill passed immediately after the Christmas holidays, and a commission of experts appointed by Numa inserted the months of January and February in the calendar, where they have remained undisturbed.

January takes its name from the Latin Januarius, which was itself derived from Janus, the two-faced god, who looked both fore and behind, and hence was chosen by Numa as typifying the new year. It was from this fact that the two-faced custom of sending one a bill and at the same time wishing him a happy New Year arose. Caesar tried to discourage it on the ground that it was hypocritical, but he was assassinated by Brutus, Caesar and others of the more prominent Roman merchants of that time, and no one has dared question the propriety of the custom from that day to this. Marc Anthony, who was the leading chautauqua lecturer in Rome during the reign of Caesar, had a witicism on this score which he frequently got off to the great amusement of people out in the provinces. He said that Caesar tried to reform business and got his gall divided into three parts.

Romulus, who founded Rome, had thought that the year should begin in March, but after a long and bloody experience the Romans concluded that Mars was not a proper god to preside over so important an event. The peace party, which has become very powerful at home while the war party was away extending the boundaries of the empire, persuaded Numa to adopt Janus. His announcement of his decision was characteristic of the man who invented money and did so many other amusing things. He said that in depositing Mars he had substituted Janus for the reason that peace itself was such a two-faced proposition. He had observed that the sentiment for it was always strongest in those countries which had acquired vast territorial possessions and did not want to run the risk of losing them by doing any more fighting. He asked the peace advocates if they were willing that Rome should give up all the territory she had acquired by the sword, and when they got mad he conciliated them by opening a hoghead of Roman punch.

The eager Congress will resume  
Its heavy task of righting wrongs,  
And poets through the Winter gloom  
Will sing the somberest of songs,  
The calf will burrow in the stack  
And watch the snow go swirling by,  
The wind will whistle through the crack,  
And cause the evergreens to sigh,  
The hungry hired man will lean  
On home-made hominy and souse,  
And the plumber in his limousine  
Will dash around from house to house.

The never-tiring Roosevelt will wake the tropics with his yell, and all the troubled rubber belt will rock and wobble for a spell. The long-nosed tapir will describe a high-half-circle to the stream, the lookout for the monkey tribe will fill the forest with his scream, the crocodile will fill its chest with tropic air and hit the bog, the toucan, startled from its nest, will set the wilderness agog, the cougar, bounding from its lair, will set the eager wolf-hound loose, and the playful parrots everywhere will jolly him about the Moose.

The income tax collector's foot will fall upon the office stair, and all good citizens will put through back doorways to get the air. The country editor will hit his greased pole standing at the back, the lawyer will discreetly flit, with smoke uprising from his track, the millionaire will hit the street beneath the window with a groan, the bachelor will wed the sweet stenographer, by telephone, the grocer, terrified with fear, will grab the cash and flee the store, and the office boy will disappear headforemost through the cellar door.

The Winter winds will devastate  
And render desolate the land,  
And Uncle Sam will watch and wait  
Beside the raging Rio Grande,  
The men in Mexico will shoot  
The braid from one another's coats,  
The flying peons, destitute,  
Will beg and badger us for boats,  
The government will stamp hen's eggs  
And call them coin by right of might  
And Huerta on his last war legs,  
Will fix to beat it in the night.

Delevar's comet which induced the Telephone and Telegraph Trust to come in and give itself up in December, will continue its good work thru January from the southwest sky. It is not visible with the naked eye, but may be really seen through a telescope such as all the trusts have. The comet is operating from a distance of approximately two billion miles. It does not want to cause a panic. Jupiter, who has been conducting a vivid

display overhead every night for several months without any visible effect on the Huerta Government, will continue to be evening star through January, though everybody else but President Wilson has about given it up. The first 21 days of January will continue under the influence of Capricornus the Goat the tenth sign of the zodiac, Capricornians have great reserve power, and will have no need of the new reserve banks. They usually have their own extra money hidden around the home some place. They are the most resourceful people we have. Admiral Dewey, Woodrow Wilson, Gladstone, Daniel Webster and Benjamin Franklin were all born under this sign. The last 10 days of January will be influenced by Aquarius the Water Bearer, the eleventh sign. Children born under this sign are very bright, and invent so many excuses for being bad that it is almost impossible to spank them. Thomas A. Edison is a typical Aquarian. The celebrated schedule K of the new tariff law becomes effective Jan. 1. It will make a heavy coat of wool grow on the poor. The prohibition against the manufacture of white phosphorus matches also goes into effect. It will be safe now to have mice. After Jan 1 it will be illegal under the new Federal regulations to kill a duck anywhere in the United States until next fall. The Government is not trying to save the ducks, but to make the duck-shooters stay home and help their wives raise the children.

Then February will return,  
To leave us hoarse and coughing,  
And Spring, that beautiful concern,  
Will linger in the offing.

### WOMEN FIND THIS IS BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Many Mothers and Wives Have Learned That Dodson's Liver Tone is a Fine Remedy for Constipation

Floyd Beall will tell you that it takes the women to realize the merits of a new remedy for constipation and biliousness quickly and surely, whether it is for themselves or some one else in their families.

There are today a great number of households in which Dodson's Liver Tone has come to take the place of dangerous calomel as well as all other remedies for such ailments and where an atmosphere of health and happiness now prevails.

Dodson's Liver Tone is unconditionally guaranteed by Floyd Beall to be a safe liver remedy and regulator, absolutely harmless and with no bad after-effects such as are liable with calomel.

Dodson's is a pleasant-tasting vegetable liquid and clears the aching head and suffering body with no pain nor gripe.

So perfect a remedy has Dodson's Liver Tone proved to be that your druggist will refund the purchase price (50c) instantly without question if you are not thoroughly satisfied. They are authorized to do so by Dodson, who doesn't want your money unless his remedy can benefit you. Under such conditions a trial would seem the part of wisdom.

### RAMBOULLETTE RAMS FOR LOCAL DEALERS

San Angelo, Tex.—Dan Hanks and C. M. Rawls, the local sheepmen, have returned from a two weeks' trip to various points in Utah, where they purchased a flock of 80 head of registered Ramboullette rams, which will be shipped to this city within the next two weeks.

The rams are said to come from one of the best flocks in the country and were purchased at the present time in order that they might be on sale here before the opening of the breeding season, five months hence. Although the terms of the purchase were not made public, it is understood that a high price was paid, as there were numerous sheepmen in the section at the time for the purpose of buying.

Mr. Hanks stated that the portion of the country visited was said to be in fine shape, however, the entire section lay beneath a blanket of snow during their entire stay.

### His Stomach Troubles Over.

Mr. Dyspeptic, would you not like to feel that your stomach troubles were over, that you could eat any kind of food you desired without injury? That may seem so unlikely to you that you do not even hope for an ending of your trouble, but permit us to assure you that it is not altogether impossible. If others can be cured permanently, and thousands have been, why not you? John R. Barker, of Battle Creek, Mich., is one of them. He says, "I was troubled with heartburn, indigestion and liver complaint until I used Chamberlain's Tablets, then my trouble was over." Sold by W. L. Doess.

March 31st will be a big day at McMurry's store.

### NATIONAL CORN EXPOSITION. Special Day for Women February 20th. Complete Exhibit of Woman's Welfare Work Arranged.

How many excellent Southern housekeepers can pick out the best loaf of bread from twelve loaves of fair appearance and tell why the one loaf was best?

They will have a chance to try on Woman's Day, February 20th, at the Sixth National Corn Exposition, Dallas, Texas, where Michigan will have on display, a dozen loaves of bread made from different types of wheat. The demonstrator in charge will tell why we have bread flour, pastry flour, red dog, graham and a lot of other kinds of flour from the same samples of wheat.

Colonel Joe Allison will show the Southern Sunshine Cotton Seed Flour, from which the most delicious bread, rolls, pancakes, biscuits, cakes and puddings can be made.

Of special interest will be the state and government new methods and new food demonstrations of milo-maize and kaffir corn grains ground up to make nutritious breakfast foods, as well as fairly good bread.

Home canning to reduce the high cost of living will be demonstrated at the Domestic Science exhibit of the various colleges, along with other home economics and conveniences. Here the housewife can learn how to detect adulterated foods and whether the hints for the family is handled in a cleanly or a filthy manner.

The women of the state who want to do individual or club work that counts for something, should attend the Exposition on Public Health Day, February 13th, and also Country Life and Rural Welfare Day, February 15th, when all problems that affect the country home and housewife will be discussed.

The opening day of the Exposition, February 10th, will be Children's Day, and there will be plenty of things on the grounds to interest and amuse the little folks.

Mrs. Edgar L. Flippen, Dallas, Texas, chairman of Committee on Woman's Welfare, has charge of the program for Woman's Day, February 20th. Dr. Anna Shaw, noted suffrage leader and lecturer of New York City; Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, of Austin, Texas, president of the National Federation of Women's Clubs; and Mrs. W. C. Lathrop, head of the Children's Bureau at Washington, D. C., will speak on Woman's Day.

### Silos to Be Demonstrated at Corn Exposition.

"When you say silo in Texas now, you do not have to stop and explain what it means," says Prof. J. L. Thomas, Dairy Division, U. S. Department of Agriculture, and Texas A. M. College. Two or three years ago you had to explain what you were talking about.

"The silo furnishes the best feed for the Southern dairyman winter and summer. It is needed more in Texas in summer than in winter. Ensilage (silage) is valuable for fattening cattle, but it is more especially necessary for the dairyman who wants to make a profit off his milk cows. I think dairymen of Texas are beginning to realize this, as there were 2500 silos sold in Texas last year; these were scattered widely over the state. The demonstration of silos at the Sixth National Corn Exposition, Dallas, Tex., February 10-24, 1914, will enable farmers and dairymen to still more of their uses and value which will result in much good to the dairying interests in Texas."

### MODEL DAIRY DISPLAY.

Demonstrations of Best Methods of Feeding and Milking Cows Will Be Given at Corn Exposition.

Mr. C. O. Moser, president Texas Dairyman's association, in charge of the dairy department of the sixth National Corn Exposition, Dallas, Tex., Feb. 10-24, 1914, states that dairymen will meet at the exposition on Feb. 11, which is also Silo Day, Beef Cattle and Livestock Day.

"The dairying department of the exposition," says Mr. Moser, "will conduct a school of dairying on the best methods of feeding dairy cows for profit, the most sanitary manner of handling milk and conducting a butter contest with entries from every state in the Union."

"Liberal prizes will be offered for five pounds of butter in one-pound prints. Texas exports of butter are less today than Texas imports, and special attention will be given to the making of good butter in the hope of stimulating this industry in Texas. Seventy-five per cent of the butter made is sold to the country merchant for 12 or 15 cents when, if sold to the creamery, it would bring 25 or 30 cents."

"The average cow produces less than 100 pounds of butter a year at a cost of \$26 for keep. A few cows have produced more than 500 pounds of butter per year at a cost of between \$60 and \$70."

Mr. Moser wants the farmers of Texas to come to the exposition on Feb. 11 and learn how to make the milk cows on the farm bring in better results for the feed given them.

### INTEREST OF WOMEN.

Women's Welfare Department Will Make Splendid Exhibit at National Corn Exposition.

Mrs. J. Book-Scott considers the question of helping the boy to become more efficient, one that vitally concerns the home, and should enlist the interest and help of the wives, mothers, as well as the teachers of the state.

"As individuals and through our club work, we can take active part in making this sixth National Corn Exposition of great value to the homes of the state and to our boys and girls," she says.

"First of all, we can help by talking up the exposition, and what it will do for the country through spreading higher ideals of simpler and happier ways of living. Then we can help the most by attending it. The Woman's Welfare Work Department which will demonstrate, through educational college exhibits and domestic science exhibits, how to make farm life more attractive to women and children, place more convenience in the home and lessen the rural housewife's work and reduce the cost of living, and should enlist our sympathies and our best efforts."

"All women who want to see the human race advance to higher ideals as it must always through the mother and child, will certainly be interested in the better babies contest to be put on by the Mothers' Council of Dallas, and in the rural welfare and domestic science exhibits put on by the Texas University and the College of Industrial Arts.

"Social centers and co-operative work along all lines of endeavor will receive a large share of attention at the exposition and certainly deserve the attention of the thoughtful women of the Lone Star State who stand for progress in all lines."

J. L. DOSS, President. D. N. ARNETT, Vice-President. J. E. HOOPER, Cashier. CAPITAL \$60,000.00. City National Bank OF COLORADO, TEXAS. Prompt Attention to all Business. Correspondence and Collections Solicited.

Hides! Hides! EGGS AND POULTRY. I Pay the Highest Market Price Cash. Come to my Wagon Yard. W. M. DEBUSK

Burton-Lingo Co. LUMBER AND WIRE. See us about your next bill of lumber, we can save you some money. Colorado, Texas.

STOP IN OUR YARD. LOOK around, ask questions, examine our stock, get our prices. That's the only way to buy Lumber and Building Material. When we say we are willing to please you, we are only looking after our own interests in the future. We don't want to go out of business next year—and we would have to if we did not treat you FAIRLY and SQUARELY and give you the best for your money. Of course we do not claim the earth with a red fence around it, but we do claim we can give you the BEST LUMBER and BUILDING MATERIAL values for your money. Rockwell Bros. & Co. Phone 21

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Some People Imagine. That in order to have a Bank account they must have a large sum to deposit. This, however, is not true of the Colorado National Bank. We welcome new accounts, whether started with \$1.00 or a \$1,000, and the same courtesy and service is accorded the small depositor as those in more fortunate circumstances. For Safety and Service Deposit with Colorado National Bank Capital and Surplus \$225,000



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of yours. Our expert can determine the cause of the trouble at a glance. Perhaps it needs cleaning—a wheel may be out of place. In either case, it is best to leave it with us for a few days. We'll clean, repair and adjust it—return it to you as good as new. The cost will be slight.

**James T. Johnson**



J. N. Burk living down on the Jeffers place near seven Wells left here on the 20th of Dec. on a visit to his old home in Alabama. Mr. Burk returned home last Friday night having enjoyed his visit very much. Mr. Burk had been absent from the old home a number of years and was somewhat disappointed in the old place on his return there. The fields and creeks looked small and the land poor and many of the older people dead and moved away etc. He met all of his own folks and enjoyed the stay with them.

**Found**—A large red plush lap robe found in the streets of Colorado. come to this office for it.

J. W. Dye, J. H. Beal of Sweetwater had business in the courts here this week.

**For Sale**—two good horses.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Young Huntcut of Gatesville came in on Saturday last on a visit here to her sister, Mrs. H. E. Grantland.

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.

T. M. Grant a good farmer out near Westbrook called on us last Saturday and renewed for the Record. Mr. Grant is very hopeful for a big crop this year.

Buy single and double disc plows from Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. E. O. Wedge manager of the West Texas Electric Co. came in last Friday on business and paid us a business call.

Magazines, newspapers, cigars and tobaccos at Ben Morgan's.

Frank Lupton who has had a big job of papering and painting at Post City will finish up there this week and return home. He has been absent since last October.

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

Marion Dorn down on Route No. 1 came in Monday and renewed for the Record and Dallas News, two best papers in Texas. Mr. Dorn is just recovering from a severe case of Rheumatism and still walks with a limp.

**For Sale**—two good horses.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

A new announcement this week is the name of J. W. Kay for the office of sheriff and Tax Collector. Mr. Kay lives in the northern edge of the County and is a teacher by profession. He said to tell the people that it would be impossible now to make a canvass of the county as he has a school and can not neglect it. Mr. Kay has a large family and says he needs the office and asks a fair consideration of his claims and will try to see all the voters between now and July.

Ben Morgan will order the latest books published for you.

Come and guess Mr. Bills at McMurry. Our old friend D. T. Rozeman of Cuthbert came in this week and asked us to announce him for re-election to the office of Mayor of Cuthbert subject to the will of the voters of that burg.

**For Sale**—One good second hand Moline Disc. Bargain.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

J. F. Hiser down near Loraine came in this week and paid our office an appreciative call, renewing for the Record and Dallas News.

Why are there more Rumbly engines sold than any other, two kinds made?

Come and see—Mr. Bills Planter Free at McMurry's.

The Record office has been working over time this week on several large orders from El Paso. Last week we delivered quite a good job of work to Abilene. The Records territory is not limited to West Texas as we do lots of work going into New Mexico.

Just phone 298 we give prompt service satisfactory work.—Colorado Steam Laundry.

Mr. A. E. Maddin returned from Goldthwaite Wednesday where he had been on business.

For cigars, candles, magazines and Periodicals see me, I keep a full line. BEN MORGAN.

Miss Vera Gary of Loraine was the guest of Miss Looney last Sunday.

Mr. Bills planter free at McMurry's

Mrs. Looney and Miss Looney left yesterday for an extended visit with friends in Salt Lake City and Mrs. Lindsay of Oakland California.

Several nice tracts of irrigated land to lease. Terms of 3 to 5 years to good tenants. RATLIFF & WYATT.

Miss Stella Waddell of Midland is visiting her cousin Mrs. R. D. Ingram.

Mogul Wagons, in truck and wide tire. Best wagon on the Market at McMurry's.

Mr. Harry Shultz of Alvarado is visiting his sister, Mrs. P. C. Craig.

All kinds Hot Drinks at Ben Morgan.

Mrs. A. J. Williams who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. P. Payne left Wednesday morning for her home in Vicksburg Mississippi.

**For Sale**—Seven head of good work horses. Cash or well secured notes. Apply to C. M. ADAMS, Colorado, Tex

Mr. C. C. Wheat, announces this week for the important office of sheriff and Tax Collector. Mr. Wheat says he will make a thorough canvass of the County and asks all to consider his claim. This makes five now squarely in the race for sheriff and we learn there is some one down at Loraine who intends to enter. Making six.

Let your land and town property for sale or trade with me and I will do the rest. A. R. WOOD, Colorado Tex

We call special attention this week to the advertisement of Mr. A. R. Wood, in which he offers a 700 acre stock and Grain farm in Arkansas. Offered on most reasonable terms. Read the ad and if you have anything to trade see Mr. Wood.

Hubert Toler, the Maxwell Automobile man has a letter in this issue of the Record which will pay you to read. Mr. Toler is ready to stand behind his car as the best car on the market for the price. Turn and read his letter headed "To the Lovers of the Truth."

Have you made a new years resolution to send your rough dry to the Laundry every week of the year 1914? If not remember that good resolutions are in order at all times and that you will send this week.

The C. M. Adams big Clearance Sale begins tomorrow (Saturday). Read the big page ad in this issue. Here is an opportunity to get goods at wholesale cost plus 10 per cent. It will pay you to attend this sale and lay in a years supply of merchandise. Remember this is a large and nice clean stock to select from and goes at wholesale cost plus 10 per cent.

Little drops of water. Little grains of sand. Make the Cain & Calfir corn grow to beat the band. You have the sand. See Ratliff & Wyatt about the water.

J. P. Majors of Sweetwater came up last Friday on a big deer hunt and spent the day south of town with a crowd of sports, whom we learn killed nothing but time.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Majors are off on a ten days pleasure trip down on the Concho near Angelo and send word back that they are having a good time.

Senna Stock food is the best. W. L. Doss sells it.

I have listed for trade some good Abilene homes for small farms. 1tp A. R. WOOD

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hale and their son left on Monday for a ten days recreation at Mineral Wells.

**For Sale**—4 good work horses and one good work mule all broke, gentle to work anywhere will sell cheap for cash or on time. See J. F. McGill. Colorado, Tex.

As previously stated in the Record on last Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bounds packed their worldly belongings and left for their old home at McKinney. These people had a host of friends here who regretted to see them leave, but we have one consolation and that is we look for them back before the year is out. For when once you drink out of the Colorado river in Mitchell county you always return.

Senna Stock food at Doss' drug store.

Will sell Brady Sulks for \$17.50 cash, terms \$20.00, only few in stock. Come quick.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Dr. Wilbur Dupree who lives at Sweetwater was here Monday on a visit. Dr. Dupree has been in old Mexico the past two months and was on his way home.

When you get done discussing the merits of other cars come around and buy a "Ford." A. J. HERRINGTON.

T. W. Stonerod, Jr. made a business trip to Abilene on Monday.

Mr. man you are going to need irrigation before August. Better see Ratliff & Wyatt. It costs you nothing to find out.

J. E. Ralph who lives at Clyde came up last Sunday to spend the day here with his son W. B. Ralph.

A full car load of farm implements middle busters, go devils, Mr. Bills planters all kinds of farm implements at McMurry's.

Mrs. Myrtle Vaughan spent part of the week with her parents at Sweetwater.

A free buggy whip at W. L. Doss' drug store.

We carry a variety of packing house goods. Phone us and see what we have. BEAL'S MARKET. 10/31st

J. B. Annis spent Sunday in Merkle visiting his folks there.

**For Sale**—One good second hand Moline Disc. Bargain.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. A. J. Coe visited a few days this week in Abilene.

Mr. Bills planter free at McMurry's

Mr. Roy McCreless returned from Tehuacans last week accompanied by his aunt, Mrs. Moore and her son, who will live on the McCreless farm this year.

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

Come and guess Mr. Bills at McMurry

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lupton and children returned from a two months visit in Lubbock last week.

**For Sale**—One good second hand Moline Disc. Bargain.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. Houston is at home again after a visit in San Antonio.

On March 31st McMurry will give away absolutely free a Mr. Bills planter. Come and see at the store.

W. S. Melton who lives in Callahan county had been out to Big Springs to buy a carload of mules and stopped over here to see and visit his cousin J. E. Lowe.

Try Senna Stock Food at Doss' drug store and get a free buggy whip.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McKenzie motored up from the ranca Wednesday on a shopping tour.

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

Dr. and Mrs. Lindley have moved up to their new home on quality hill.

**For Sale**—two good horses.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

F. S. Keiper went up to Snyder on Tuesday to deliver another Studebaker car sold there. He was accompanied by C. M. Adams.

Will sell Brady Sulks for \$17.50 cash, terms \$20.00, only few in stock. Come quick.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Bert Wulfjen who has been quite sick at the Wulfjen home here in town is now speedily recovering.

Come and guess—McMurrys Mr. Bill Planter Free.

Gardner Harness visited Dallas this week on insurance business.

Buy single and double disc plows from Colorado Mercantile Co.

Judge Ed J. Hammer of Sweetwater came over Monday to attend court.

Mr. Bills planter free at McMurry's

Attorney Ed W. Smith of Sweetwater had business here this week in the district court.

Given away absolutely free at McMurrys a Mr. Bill Planter.

Uncle John Houston who left here last October on a visit at San Antonio and other South Texas points returned home this week. Uncle John has some big tales to tell about deer hunting while down there.

**PRONE 346 FOR COAL, GRAIN, MILL FEED, COTTON SEED MEAL AND HULLS; MILK MAIZE, CRUSHED OR WHOLE. A. L. SCOTT.**

Mr. C. C. Formwalt returned home last week from a trip to Grandbury. He was called there by the severe illness of his father. Mr. Formwalt's brother and wife who live at Van Horn came in and Mr. Formwalt returned home. Sunday night, he received a message that his father was dead and he immediately returned to Grandbury to attend to the funeral. Come and see Mr. Bills at McMurry

**WOMAN'S EXCHANGE**

The public is cordially invited to attend the opening of the Woman's Exchange at the residence of Mrs. V. W. Allen Saturday Jan. 24th from 3 to 6 o'clock. There will be on sale all kinds of useful hand made wearing apparel and other useful and fancy things besides a market consisting of most every thing good to eat. A program of music and readings will be given during the afternoon.

**MOVED.**

I have moved across the street from the post office, have nice clean up to date shop. Good strong half soles for men, women and children, sewed or nailed. Have a first class Boot maker. Why wait for boot and shoe work when you can get it quick at TOM PAYNE'S

Mr. A. J. Harrington and his daughter Sallie went to Dallas this week and bought two new cars. An "Overland" and a "Jeffress". Mr. Harrington drove one of the cars back and his daughter drove the other. These new cars are beauties. Soon as Mr. Harrington arrived home he found several customers waiting for cars and he sold Mr. Stowe a New Ford also a Ford to Mr. Kidd at Dunn while others do the talking Harrington sells the cars.

**WILL WRIGHT DEAD.**

Monday morning at 11:30 of this week Will Wright died at his home in Northeast Colorado. Mr. Wright had been in bad health a long time, but was confined to his room only about ten days. The remains were shipped to Arlington for interment at that place. Mrs. Wright and Geo. T. Waller accompanied the body. Mr. Wright's mother and two brothers live at Arlington. Friends and relatives did all that was possible to relieve his suffering but the messenger had called and on last Monday he passed to that country from whose bounds no traveler returns.

Will Wright had been in Colorado about six years, was 27 years of age and was esteemed as a citizen by all who knew him and had a host of friends who, with the relatives mourn his death just in the prime of life.

**TO RENT.**

I have a good farm to rent, 125 acres in cultivation, 200 acres in grass, good house and water. See me. 1-30-c A. M. BELL, Westbrook

**FIRST PICNIC**

The fifth grade of the public school have the distinction of getting up the first picnic of the year. Last Saturday a wagon running over with these youngsters, chaperoned by Misses Campbell, Looney and Allen and Messrs. Bruce Phenix and Earl Calloway with well filled boxes went out to spend the day at the ever popular picnic resort, Seven Wells.

They ate all the dinner had a great time and reached home tired but without the loss of one.

**BASKET BALL GAME.**

Colorado vs. Roscoe. Tomorrow the Girls Basket Ball team of Roscoe will play the Colorado girls on the Colorado grounds. School children will be charged ten cents and all outsiders twenty five cents. Every body go and root for the home team.

**KING CASE AFFIRMED.**

The W. T. King case from Howard County has been affirmed by the criminal court of appeals.

I can trade you 2 sections of land in Howard County and throw in 4 leased sections making a fine little ranch for a good clear improved farm. A. R. WOOD. 1tp

**H. S. RANCH LANDS**

**On The Market at Remarkable Prices and Terms.**

Anyone in Mitchell County who wants a home can now get one. We call attention to the Land add on the first page of this paper headed "for sale or lease." This is Mrs. Hymans part of the H. S. Ranch and the terms offered in the ad will enable anyone to get a home—Read the ad.

**Rheumatic Pains.**

Every last one of them leaves. The hurting is gone almost the instant Hunt's Lightning Oil is used. The aching stops so quickly it is surprising. Hunt's Lightning Oil is especially for neuralgia and headaches it is a boon to humanity. For cuts, burns and bruises it acts as a healing oil, soothing the hurting parts and preventing soreness. Nothing better for chilblains. All druggists in 25c and 50c bottles.—Sold By W. L. Doss.

**Woman's Exchange.**

On Saturday, Jan. 24, Mrs. W. V. Allen, assisted by Mrs. Maud Scott, will begin a woman's exchange at the residence of Mrs. Allen. There will be a market, as well as all kinds of hand work on sale. The ladies of the county are invited to co-operate with them. All phone orders will be given prompt attention. Phone 262.

**For Sale Cheap.**

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

**LETTER LIST.**

The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed for the week ending Saturday Jan. 17th 1914. In calling for letters, please say "advertised" to be due on advertised matter.

Mr. M. H. Saunders; Mr. Green Wood.

**MEXICAN LIST.**

Sr. Francisco Arila; Sr. Antonio Baraca; Sr. Rafael Garza; Sr. Nestor Martinez.

JNO. W. PERSON, P. M.

**For Rent**—I have a 100 acre farm for rent, ten miles south east of Loraine, want to rent it to some good farmer. See H. C. Langford or Ben Van Tuij. 1tp

**I WANT TO SELL YOU**

Fruit, Shade and nut trees, Grapes, Berries, Roses and Shrubbery. Agent for Cosmopolitan and Hearst's Magazines.—J. T. HARNESS. 1tp

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We desire to express our thanks and gratitude to all who so freely aided and assisted us in ministering to the wants of our late husband and brother. The friends and neighbors were exceedingly kind to us and we appreciate it more than we can here express.

MRS. WILL WRIGHT. MR. & MRS. G. T. WALLER.

Ben Morgan The Confectioner.



**Telephone and Find Out**

What was the weather report? What is the market price of cotton? Has my team left town? Is there any freight for me? Do you want to buy any butter or eggs? When is the meeting? Who was elected? The telephone answers these and many other questions for thousands of farmers every day.

The cost of a telephone on your farm is small. The savings great. Our nearest manager will tell you about it or write to THE

Southwestern Telephone and Telegraph Co. DALLAS, - TEXAS



**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 FRED MEYERS

**Posted.**

This notice is to warn all parties from hunting, trapping or hauling wood on lands owned and controlled by J. D. Wulfjen and sons. 1-30 U. D. WULFJEN.

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.

**A Notice to All**

**I KEEP NOTHING—BUT SELL WOOD, COAL AND FEED**

Plenty of oak wood in 4-feet, cook stove and heater lengths. I have and will keep plenty of McAlister, Colorado, lump and nut coal. Also have a good line of Blacksmith coal.

For feed of all kinds see or phone me. Free delivery. Will furnish meal and hulls at mill prices.

Wholesale oils and gasoline for The Texas Company.

**W. W. PORTER**

**SHEPHERD & SANDUSKY**

**Attorneys-at-Law**

Practice in all the courts.—Office in Looney Block, Colorado, Texas.

**J. H. GREENE**

Funeral Director and Embalmer. Fumigating Carefully Done.

**Order Cut Flowers for any Occasion.**

**OSCAR H. MAJORS.**

Optometrist and Optician. Eyes Examined Without the Use of Drugs. No Charge for Examination.

**MAJOR'S JEWELRY STORE.**

**T. J. RATLIFF, M. D.**

Physician and Surgeon. Residence Phone 182. Office Phone 37.

Office over Greene's Furniture Store.

**J. E. POND,**

Contractor and Builder.

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

**J. W. FARMER—**

FLOAT — AND — DRAY — LINE. Phone 432.

Prompt and Careful Attention to all Orders.

Moving a Specialty.

**DR. N. J. PHENIX**

Colorado, Texas.

Office in Fire Station Building.

Residence 'phone No. 55. Office 'phone No. 88.

**H. D. WOMACK—**

FLOAT — AND — DRAY — LINE. Moving Household Goods a Specialty.

Careful and Responsible. Phone 277.

**WILLIS R. SMITH, M. D.**

Office Phone 80. Residence Phone 78. Office Up Stairs in Looney Building. Second Street.

Colorado, - - - - Texas.

**V. O. MARSHALL**

Successor to W. W. Campbell.

**—Dentist—**

Office in Fire Station Building. Office Phone No. 88.

**Brick and Cement Work WANTED**

I do all kinds of brick and cement work as it should be done and fully guarantee every job.

**Specialty Made of Cistern Curb and Sidewalk**

work. Brickwork and plastering done neatly and promptly. Figure with me before placing your contract for any of above work.

**George Tripp**

# Annual Clearing Sale

## FOR CASH ONLY

On Saturday, January 24th, 1914

WE WILL BEGIN OUR ANNUAL CLEARING SALE and will place on the market our entire stock, with a few exceptions, at cost plus 10 per cent. In order that every one may know at a glance what the goods cost, we publish below our cost mark, which is—

GLOVE TRAMP X  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 Repeater

This is an exceptional opportunity to purchase your clothing needs at exceedingly low prices. Up to date we have had an exceedingly mild winter, and it is very probable that our worst weather is yet to come; therefore it will be in order to lay in a supply of heavy winter clothing, shoes, underwear, overcoats, blankets, comforts and everything else that will conduce to winter comfort.

**This Sale Will Continue Until the Night of Saturday, February 28th, After Which Our Charge Books Will Again Be Opened**

We are giving this sale in order to reduce our winter stocks and clear the decks for spring arrivals, and also for the purpose of raising that much-desired article—money. Therefore all goods will be sold for CASH only.

The wholesale cost price plus ten per cent will apply to every article in the store with the following exceptions:

Clark's thread, which will remain at 5 cents per spool.  
Belding's silk thread, which will remain at 5 and 10 cents per spool.  
McCall's patterns, which will remain at 10 and 15 cents each.  
Stetson hats, which will remain at four, five and six dollars each.

Every other article will be subject to the sale price of cost plus ten per cent, and as our stock is large, complete and will approximate \$50,000.00, it will readily be seen that a host of bargains await the prospective customer. Think what it will mean to buy, at ten per cent above cost, such high grade merchandise as—

Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothing, Stein-Bloch clothing, Rosenwald & Weil clothing, Viking clothing for boys, Edwin Clapp shoes, Walk Over shoes for men and women, Ultra shoes, Moore Shafer shoes, Brockport shoes, Hamilton-Brown shoes, Selz-Schwab shoes, Godman shoes, Holeproof guaranteed hosiery for men and women, Gossard corsets, Royal Worcester corsets, Cluett shirts, Emery shirts, Eagle shirts, Emperor shirts, and Arrow Brand collars.

We have still many choice styles in Ladies' Coat Suits; and Ladies', Misses and Children's Coats, which will be sold at COST PLUS TEN PER CENT

We have a complete and comprehensive display of Trunks, Suit Cases and Traveling Bags for both ladies and gentlemen, and we are sure you will embrace the opportunity of purchasing your requirements in these lines at COST PLUS TEN PER CENT.

Our stock of Blankets and Comforts is large and extensive, and you will be glad to supply your needs in these lines at COST PLUS TEN PER CENT.

We have a few Furs left, in sets and also separate pieces, which are bargains at COST PLUS TEN PER CENT.

All our Silks, Messalines, Laces, Embroideries, Veilings and Ribbons will be sold you under the same sweeping reduction of COST PLUS TEN PER CENT.

You will be glad to buy at cost plus ten per cent, all your requirements in the staple dry-goods line—Ginghams, Calicos, Sheetings, Domestics, Percales, Denims, Shirtings, Tickings, Cotton Checks, Cambrics, Outings, Flannelettes, Canton Flannels, Outing Flannels and Ducks will be sold at COST PLUS TEN PER CENT.

Our Dress Goods Department embraces a varied and comprehensive assortment. Goods in this department will be offered at the established price of COST PLUS TEN PER CENT.

In these days Notions are staple. Our stock is representative and complete and you can do no better than by buying them here—at COST PLUS TEN PER CENT.

You will probably wish to purchase some Floor Coverings. All carpetings, Linoleums, Mattings, room size Rugs and small size Rugs will be sold at COST PLUS TEN PER CENT.

**REMEMBER**, this sale begins Saturday, January 24th, 1914, and closes the night of Saturday, February 28th, 1914. Goods will be sold for CASH only. Please do not ask us to violate this rule.

We quote no prices because it is not necessary. All you have to do is to copy our cost mark and you can price the goods yourself. Pennies will be used so you will receive the exact change.

**REMEMBER THE DATE, Saturday, Jan. 24, 1914**

**REMEMBER THE PRICE, Cost Plus Ten Per Cent**

**REMEMBER THE TERMS: Spot Cash—No Goods Charged**

# Charles M. Adams

COLORADO, - - TEXAS