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ANTI DEMOCRATS WILL FOLLOW PLAN OF PROS

PRECINCT CONVENTIONS BE HELD APRIL 4th, COUNTY CONVENTIONS APRIL 6, STATE MEETING AT FT. WORTH 14th

Sentiment Favors Horace Chilton, Stated Former Senator Might be Gubernatorial Candidate, Colquitt Favors Calling Special Session of Legislature to Amend Election Law

Dallas, Texas, March 7.—Texas Democrats, who are opposed to prohibition, in convention here today decided to follow practically the same plan adopted by the Prohibitionists in choosing a gubernatorial candidate to lead their forces.

Precinct conventions will be held April 4; County conventions April 5; and the state convention at Fort Worth Tuesday, April 14, when it is hoped that concentration of their strength can be made on one man for the race.

In the committee, which reported a resolution on the convention introduced by Jake Wolters and C. E. Lane, some opposition developed to the plan on the ground that it followed too closely the plan of the Pros, but the opponents were in the minority.

Colquitt Addresses Convention.
Governor Colquitt addressed the convention. His appearance at the convention caused surprise as he had recently announced that he would not attend. Mr. Colquitt said that he favored amending the Terrell election law so that candidates must receive a majority instead of a plurality of all votes cast.

No Effort to Name the Candidate.
The convention made no effort to name a candidate, but sentiment seemed to favor Former United States Senator Horace Chilton.

The convention adjourned suddenly after hearing Jonathan Lane, who appealed for personal liberty.

Chilton Might Be Candidate.
Former United States Senator Horace Chilton of Dallas was asked today by prominent Anti Leaders whether he would accept the nomination for governor.

The Antis met at noon and heard speeches for an hour. They appointed a big committee to map out plans and submit them later.

It is understood that Mr. Chilton has said he would not refuse the nomination if it came from the people directly through some primary plan.

Louis J. Wortham, temporary chairman, pleaded for the elimination agitators.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. Meet in Regular Session.

The County Commissioners met on Monday of this week in regular March session, all the Commissioners were present with County Judge A. J. Coe presiding. Quite a number of bills were passed on and allowed, including bounty for rabbit scalps, coyotes wild cats, mds, inquests, notaries fees, lights, hardware, fence, blacksmithing, water, lumber, plumbing, Sheriff fees, setting out trees etc, auto hire, printing, bridges, road supervising etc and various and sundry other bills to the amount of \$1786.15. Matter of cancelling certain script was adjusted.

D. T. Bozeman presented his butchers bond which was approved, also his quarterly report etc.

Treasurer of the Colorado Independent school district submitted his annual statement showing the condition of the school funds which was examined and approved.

G. B. Coughran submitted his report of taxes collected during last quarter, examined and approved.

The West Texas Electric Co. came before the court asking for a franchise to erect a high power cable through the County along the public roads. The matter was discussed and after certain surveys are made the franchise promised. Erroneous rendition of certain taxes were corrected.

The court was still in session when this report was secured.

TEXAS EGGS TO NEW YORK.

Ballinger—A solid carload of eggs billed direct to New York City left last week. The eggs constituted one weeks receipts at Ballinger and brought a good price.

ISOLATION AND DRUDGERY THE TWIN ENEMIES OF AGRICULTURE.

The Rural Church the Guiding Star of Progress.

The New Rural Civilization.

By Peter Radford.

We are confronting a new rural civilization. It is so radically different from the life of the past that it may well be called new, not merely because of its characteristics, but because of its triumph in rural co-operation and leadership. The utilization of modern agencies, and the use of farm machinery have greatly increased the efficiency of the farmers, broadened their vision and made life more satisfying.

The most serious enemies to country life are isolation and drudgery, and perhaps the worst of the two is isolation. It is the curse of the country. The hunger of young people for companionship has been disregarded and in various ways the social instincts have had their revenge. The fruits of modern inventive skill and enterprise have enriched country life and afforded the facilities of banishing forever the extreme isolation which used to vex the farm household of the past. The telephone is a great social asset in the rural home; the rural free delivery brings the world's daily message to the door; the parcels post delivers ten million packages per annum at a half million homes and the automobile annihilates distance, making isolation a myth. The building of public highways has brought communities and farm homes closer together.

The Slave of Drudgery.

It is a dramatic moment on the farm when machinery emancipates the slave of drudgery. The evolution of farm machinery is a continued story of human ingenuity. One man now, by the aid of modern mechanical devices, can do as much as five or ten men used to perform and the work is less burdensome and more fascinating. The miracle of conquest will lift the curse of drudgery that has crushed the courage out of farm boys and caused them to retreat to the cities. There are many labor-saving devices for the homes that can relieve the wife of back-breaking tasks. Labor-saving machinery has wrought educational problems that have engaged the attention of the boys, relieved the housewife and added new economies and values to farming and has taken away self pity and given them a genuine pride in their calling. We need to take full advantage of these facilities.

Co-Operation the Key-Note.

One test of modern civilization is the capacity for co-operation. The selfish days of the independent farmer are rapidly passing and we are beginning to catch the vision and share the profits of organized efforts. There are many farm machines adapted to serving a community, but organization of farmers is required to purchase and operate them on a co-operative basis, and new laws are needed to permit these transactions.

New Tasks for the Rural Church

The rural church has been slow to adjust itself to the new order of things. The churches are discovering new opportunities for service, broader community usefulness and a greater social mission. The church must gird itself for new tasks and under a new virile type of leadership undertake real community building with the modern church as the center of activity and source of inspiration and guidance. The triumph over isolation and the gradual emancipation from drudgery, the development of good roads, telephones, rural mail service and the wonderful evolution of farm machinery make for religious advancement. The increase in intelligence, new social consciousness, growing spirit of co-operation, added efficiency of rural institutions, character, home building and better rural morals afford opportunities for a community-serving church to demonstrate its power. The rural church to fulfill its mission must swing around it the influences for progress.

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QUATTLEBAUM TO PITCH IN WHITE SOX-BANKER GAME

When the Chicago White Sox play the Abilene Bankers here April 2, there will be the best line-up that has ever been sent on the diamond probably with no exception, to represent this city. One commendable fact will be that the majority of the players will be local men, and there will be more of a local interest than if too many outsiders were secured.

Warren W. Quattlebaum, premier twirler of West Texas is not strictly speaking an Abilene boy, but he has visited here so often and appeared on the diamond with local teams so often that he might rightfully call Abilene his home. Quattlebaum is known all over this section, having played with a number of teams. During the time he was attending Britton Training school, Cisco, he held the record of being the best pitcher in the West Texas College League, and his team won the pennant. He has an unusually good record here, and the announcement that he will be in the White Sox-Bankers game will be welcome news.

AMICABLE LIFE PRESIDENT SUED FOR \$80,000

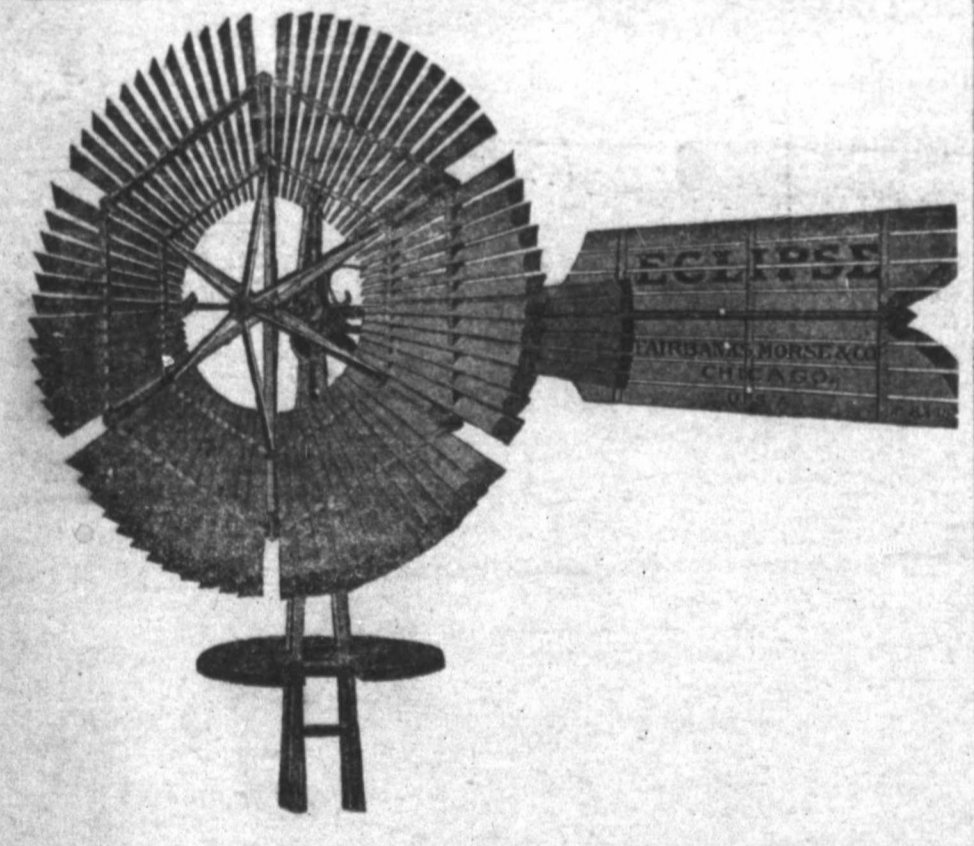
Waco, March 7.—Asking for a judgment aggregating \$80,000, suit was filed in the 54th district court here this afternoon against A. R. Roberts, president of the Amicable Life Insurance Company, by three stockholders in that company.

The Mothers' Favorite.

A cough medicine for children should be harmless. It should be pleasant to take. It should be effectual. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is all of this and is the mothers' favorite everywhere. For Sale by W. L. Doss.

ST. LOUIS CAPITALISTS WILL DEVELOP OIL PROSPECTS

San Angelo—St. Louis capitalists have secured mineral leases on 35,000 acres of land located in this county and announce that they will begin immediately to develop the land. The property is said to be rich in gas and oil.



Eclipse Wind Mills the best in the world

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FINANCING RAILROADS

The Fundamental Elements in Securities.

BY JULIUS KRUTTSCHNITT, Executive Head of Southern Pacific.

THE financing of a railroad is a function which the people, through their servants, the Railroad Commissioners and the Legislators, have never attempted, but it is a most important problem, especially to sections of a State where new railroads are needed. The placing of securities has been left entirely with the promoter and owner of railroads.

The immediate determination of what earnings the railroads shall be permitted to receive and what burdens it shall have put on it is in the hands of the other servants of the public—the Legislators and the Commissioners.

Managing a railroad is quite different from managing a government where the money is raised by taxation. When the expenditures, for good reasons or otherwise, increase, taxes can be equally increased. The railroads, while servants of the public, cannot raise money with such ease and facility. The railroads must keep their expenditures within their incomes because while they have some control over their expenditures they have almost no control over their incomes, their rates being fixed by public authorities.

There is not a railway manager in the country today who is not fearful that under the press of increasing demands the transportation systems of the country will, in a few years, break down, unless the railroads are allowed to earn larger funds wherewith to build it up. There are vast sections of the country, especially in the West, where more railroads are needed and they cannot be built unless the railways raise new capital.

People invest money in order to make money, and they are skeptical as to whether they can make money by investing in concerns that are dealt with stringently and unfairly. Railroad securities must be made more attractive to invite investments, and in order that they may be made more attractive, the roads must be allowed earnings that will enable them to meet the increased capital charges.

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THE GIFT OF MRS. EXALL AND HENRY EXALL JR.

The \$10,000 prize award of the Texas Industrial Congress for best net profits in farming divided among its prize-winning contestants in 1913 was the gift of Mrs. May D. Exall and Henry Exall Jr., widow and son of the late Colonel Henry Exall. Following his death the executive committee meet in Dallas to take action toward caring for all the obligations of the Congress and assumed the total outstanding obligations and prepared to raise the money.

However, a statement came before the committee that Mrs. Exall wished to pay the prize awards as a tribute to her husband's memory. The committee was averse to having any part of the expense borne by the family, since Colonel Exall had already given more money to the work of the Congress than any other contributor, to say nothing of his time and strength. A committee was sent to call on Mrs. Exall and consult her. If she proposed to pay the prize awards as discharging a moral obligation that Colonel Exall had incurred, members of the executive committee were unanimously of the opinion that the Congress should raise the money; if she wished to do it of her own motion as a splendid act in keeping with the Colonel's great unselfish work, and fitly honoring it, the committee considered that it ought not to stand in the way. The matter was placed before Mrs. Exall, and she made it clear that she and her son wished to pay this money. The committee accordingly acceded to her wishes, and this gift, which should be an inspiration to the people of the State, supplemented the greater gift of Colonel Exall's service "For a greater Texas" in the work of promoting better farming.

NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA, GAS OR INDIGESTION

Each "Pape's Diapepsin" Digests 3000 Grains Food, Ending all Stomach Misery in Five Minutes.

Time it! Pape's Diapepsin will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach surely within five minutes.

If your meals don't fit comfortably or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches, dizziness or internal griping. This will all go and besides there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to keep the entire family free from stomach disorders and indigestion for many months. It belongs in your home.

Several northern cities are requiring the wash women to register with the Health Officer, and give the names of the people they wash for, this is done to prevent disease, the Steam Laundry way is sanitary they are not required to register.

Mr. Bill's Planter tree at McMurry's.

WATSON COMES BACK

Better Roads and Better Prices Is His Hobby

To the Colorado Record:

I don't know whether I have the affirmative or negative side of this question; but as I was the first one to beat, I will claim the affirmative.

Ladips and Gentlemen: the question under discussion between myself and R. C. Morgan is the benefit the farmers and ranchmen of Mitchell County will reap from the services of a scientific farmer. With all due respect for Mr. Morgan, the editor of this paper and the Honorable Commissioners Court, I don't believe that the scientific methods will do the farmers of this County or any other part of West Texas any good, and I'll venture to say that Mr. Morgan will say so when gathering time comes. Mr. Morgan says he believes that by the introduction of scientific methods of progressive farming we can produce three times as much as we have in the last five years. Now listen, what did we lack of making good crops the last five years? Scientific methods or a good rain once and a while during the growing season?

Now I will openly confess that I am benighted on book knowledge and I have never lived in Arkansas; but I have lived where a man could fertilize his land an dmakelitproducteoor three times as much as it would with out it. You can't do anything of the kind in West Texas, for I have tried it. I cultivated five acres of land last year as good as any man could, and I will give you the results. Land broke in Dec, 1912, 8 inches deep, harrowed 3 or 4 times before planting time, then the rows were laid off 40 inches apart. One acre planted in cotton, two in maize and two in kaffir corn. This block of land was gone over every ten days with plows and hoes, until the maize and kaffir corn was heading out. This prevented any further plowing unless it had been done with a Georgia Stock. Adjoining this plot of land, I had maize that just had the general run over it one time and plowed with a cultivator one time and hoed one time, which made just twice as much maize. On the one acre of cotton I got a little over 700 pounds of seed cotton. In less than 100 yards of this patch I made 1200 pounds of seed cotton per acre.

I will say that I believe in good preparation of the soil before planting. Let it be done either by flat breaking or bedding with a buster. Mr. Morgan says we streak off the land, plant it, run around it with a shot gun, bust out middles with the dogs. Now, I don't know exactly what part of the County Mr. Morgan lives in; it may be that you have a neighbor from Arkansas; if so, you fellows shoot them dogs and lend out your guns and get behind old Tobe and Jack and give the crumbs to the chickens and the wadding to your pigs and that will help some. Now listen, Mr. Morgan says put at least one acre in garden—plant it in all sorts of bearing plants, Grape vines, and a few of each kind of fruit trees, for they do well here when properly cared for. He will have to tell us what he calls proper attention. I have seen some fine fruit grow here, but not in the last five years.

Now I said in my other article that I did not know any more about farming here than I did when I came here nine years ago, and I repeat it. Again a man can't farm here no two years alike. Mr. Morgan has learned a great deal—if I had to guess at what Mr. Morgan has learned I would guess that he has learned that he did not know anything. I still say we need a method of getting better prices instead of

raising more stuff. Mr. Morgan says we have got progress on wheels, and he, for one, is going to push. Me to, but it will be this sand over here close to grassy flat. Really I did not think, when I wrote my other article that I would get into so much trouble. The Editor threatened me with the whip; the County Judge rushed around and found out how much I paid of the eight hundred dollars that was appropriated. So I look for him this week to tell you all about the 15 cents I pay the scientific man. But just let him come. Mitchell County is on the bum. She has to keep her prisoners in Sweetwater or Big Springs. How's that for progressiveness. Now push. I said we needed better roads and a better marketing system. I guess Mr. Morgan has good roads in his settlement as he left that part of the subject alone. He says the big land owners will have to bear the burden. It don't hurt a man any more to pay tax on a million dollars than it does one like me to pay taxes on a thousand dollars. So come again Mr. Morgan, and tell us about that plot of land you cultivated scientifically last year. So I am yours for Better Prices, Better Roads and Lower Taxes.

W. E. WATSON.

RETIRED GEORGIA PLANTER'S ADVICE TO KIDNEY SUFFERERS

Regarding the wonderful merits of your Swamp-Root, I cannot say too much. After suffering severely for three years or more with severe pains caused by weak kidneys I was finally induced to try Swamp-Root through a testimonial I read in one of the newspapers. I was in such a condition that I was obliged to arise from my bed six or eight times every night. I purchased a fifty-cent bottle and before it was used I felt so much relief that I purchased a one-dollar bottle and by the time this was taken the old pains had left my back and I could sleep the whole night through. I am a retired planter, 70 years of age, and owing to Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, I am in the best of health and feel like a boy. I am always glad to recommend Swamp-Root to those who are in need of it.

Sincerely yours,

C. E. USSERY, Bowersville, Ga.

Personally appeared before me, this 8th of September, 1909, C. E. Ussery, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

T. H. McLANE

Notary Public.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Birmingham, N. Y.

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.

BUFORD NOTES.

Mr. Bodine and family made a visit to Loraine Saturday.

A number of young people from Longfellow was at Literary Friday night and also at singing Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Marvin Cunningham made a flying trip to Longfellow Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Free spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Palmer.

Mrs. Boss Printice's mother who has made her a visit has returned home.

Miss Lucile Hitower from Colorado was a visitor at the home of the Cunningham family Saturday and Sunday.

Buford boys have a basket ball game matched with Dunn boys Saturday at Buford.

Mr. Judge Coe made a fine talk at literary Friday night.

A number of Buford kids were in Colorado Saturday.

Mr. Smith, the father of Mrs. E. S. Gist who has been on the sick list and is not doing very well at present.

Mr. Frank Redman was in Colorado Saturday on business.

BROWN EYES

(Delayed from last week)—Ed.

What is Good For Headache?

One lady says, after suffering dreadfully for about seven years, she tried Hunt's Lightning Oil, which almost instantly relieved her, and has been entirely free from those dreadful headaches since. Ask your druggist.

—W. L. Doss.

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

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—Color-Lo Steam Laun-

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.

RECOMMENDS MASSAGE TREATMENT.

(Clipping from the Roscoe Times.)

Just one month ago I came to the Germany Hotel to take treatment for Rheumatism. My feet and hands and the joints of my limbs were badly swollen and I had practically lost the use of my limbs. I was utterly helpless and unable to stand on my feet at all. My whole body was deeply affected. I had been a sufferer for fifteen or twenty years from a chronic stomach trouble. Dr. Germany began giving me the massage treatment and has continued to do so up to this time. I am to day practically a well man, an feel better than I have for fifteen or twenty years. The swelling has entirely gone, all pain and suffering has ceased and I have completely regained the use of my limbs.

I am still weak as a result of the severe ordeal and may not be able to do much physical labor for several weeks but I feel like a new man. I believe that the treatment has saved me from being a physical wreck.

Very Respectfully,
J. F. DUNCAN

MEBANE COTTON SEED.

I have for sale 2000 pounds of pure Mebane Cotton Seed at 75c per bushel at the barn. W. A. COCREHAM, At The Wulfjen Old Place 3-20-p

Have just received new shipment of very best leather. It costs you no more than second grade. Rubber Heels also. New shoes and Boots made to order. I need and will appreciate your business. TOM PAYNE, Opposite Post Office.

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This Paper

will tell you the things you want to know in an entertaining way; will give you all the news of the community; its every visit will prove a pleasure; it gives more than full value for the price asked for it.

NEW SPRING DRESSES ARE HERE

The very latest styles for this season—the new colors and color combinations in the new favored materials, for this, the new season, all different in make-up and new in every respect. Prices range **\$5.00 to \$22.50**

Every Department of this Big Store is beaming with the New Spring Novelties

<p>The Popular Materials This Season in Light Weight</p> <p>materials are CREPE VOILE and RICE CLOTH. We are showing these new things in a wide range of colors and widths in both the plain and novelty weaves.</p>	<p>The Popular Materials in Heavy Weights</p> <p>are RATINE, EPONGE and LINENS. All the new colors in these fabrics are here in big variety of colors and prices—ranging from 20 cents to \$1.50 yard</p>
<p>New Crepe Ratine in several good colors.....20c</p> <p>Lucia Crepe in variety of colors and patterns.....25c</p> <p>New White Crepes for waists and dresses 35c to.....85c</p>	<p>New Linens in new colors—crash weaves—35c to.....50c</p> <p>Cambric Linens 15c to.....35c</p> <p>New Ratine 35c to.....\$1.50</p> <p>New Eponges in assortment of colors.....75c</p>

The whole store is alive with the new things for the spring season

F. M. BURNS



Table Ware

adds much to the enjoyment of a good dinner, and we wish to call everybody's attention to the complete line which we are showing, in either solid or the very best plated ware, at prices not often equaled for such high-grade goods. An early inspection will disclose many bargains not easily duplicated.

James T. Johnson

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

S. P. Echols of Coahoma spent Tuesday on business in Colorado. Mr. Echols is a well fixed farmer and stockman at Coahoma and has good friends in Colorado.

Leave your trunk checks at Coughran Bros. Petes Service car will get them.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Ditto who live at Snyder are here this week on a visit to their niece, Mrs. Watt Collier.

We are doing better work now than we ever did, linen is white, try us if it is not right we will make it right; Colorado Steam Laundry.

Mrs. Dr. Copeland of Loraine came up last Sunday to spend the day with her daughter, Mrs. J. N. Campbell.

Swifts Premium Ham, Breakfast Bacon, Chile and Baked Ham at Beal's Market.

Geo. Waddell ex-Colorado now living at Midland was here on Tuesday meeting old friends and reports the West as flourishing.

March 31st get a Mr. Bills planter tree at McMurry's.

Mrs. F. E. McKenzie and Mr. Carl Phenix motored down to Abilene and spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Hazel McKenzie who is attending Simmon's College there.

Don't miss the good feature shown at Shadowland Saturday, Matinee and night.

IS A. L. SCOTT A SUFFRAGETTE?

It seems to me that woman suffrage was bound to follow the higher education of woman. True it very much disturbs our old fogy ideas of woman's sphere but why not a readjustment all round? You may tell a young woman that good housekeepers are good husband keepers but you have no right to suppose that she wished to keep either. You may say that man's pleasure in female association is derived largely from the fact that he feels she is in no sense a rival. That she is neither trying to get his job, undersell his customers, or beat his candidate for constable. This is purely selfish argument based on fear of competition. It may be urged also that politics and business detract from the duties of motherhood, but how do you know she wishes to take up this obligation? It is totally wrong to assume that some one must be the mother of future generations. Aside from the holders of certain long term bonds issued by us from time to time, I know of no one who would suffer if we allow future generations to remain unborn. True these innocent purchasers thought our posterity would take care of these obligations but we did not agree to furnish the posterity and it offers a good chance to teach these plutocratic bondholders a lesson. By all means let us evolve. yours truly A. L. SCOTT

GRAIN HAY COAL AND WOOD PHONE 346

Mr. E. G. Gregory of Richmond, Va., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. R. A. Jefferson.

We are now prepared to retire Go Carts on short notice—H. L. Hutchison & Co.

Mr. R. B. McIntire came in from the ranch and spent the week end with his family.

Official Base Ball goods of all kinds at Doss'

Mr. S. R. Fowler, who has a position with Stone-Webster in Dallas, visited his sister, Mrs. R. B. McIntire last week.

John Vaughan, the old reliable feed man. All kinds of feed all the time. Phone 27 for quick delivery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Merritt Tuesday morning a fine boy.

The time is drawing near for the McMurray "Mr. Bill" planter to be given away, March 31st better get in your guess.

Miss Eva Jackson, who spent the winter with her sisters, Mrs. J. L. Allen here and Mrs. Walter Carter of Sweetwater left this week for her home in Lometa.

Baggage Hauling a specialty by Pete's Service car. Phone 154.

Mrs. Staten Hammer and children of Galveston are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Prude.

Come in and see or phone 35 and ask what we have. Beal's Market.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Daniels of Merkel came in on their Motorcycle Monday to visit Mrs. Daniels parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Coe.

Had you ever thought how unsanitary the Mexican and Negro women are with your laundry work? Our way is sanitary, all work guaranteed; Colorado Steam Laundry.

Born Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith a boy.

Seed sweet potatoe, yellow yams, all other field and garden seeds at C. H. LASKY

Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer of Sweetwater spent Sunday with their father, Mr. J. G. Farmer.

We have a few sets of Buggy hack and wagon harness that we will close out cheap for the cash. H. L. HUTCHISON & CO.

LOST—Down town, a gold cross carved on one side plain on other. Finder leave at Record office for reward.

All kinds Hot Drinks at Ben Morgan.

See J. L. Allen for an all metal silo Will be glad to figure with any one contemplating buying silo. Office with L. E. Lasseter.

Mrs. W. L. Doss leaves in the morning for Ft. Worth to attend the grand lodge of the Rebekahs. While she is gone she will visit her son Milburn in Dallas and relatives in Weatherford.

Every thing in shelf hardware poultry wire netting and screen wire at H. L. HUTCHISON & CO.

Miss Etta Doss returned Monday morning from Dallas where she had been attending grand opera.

Mrs. G. T. Hammock and baby Katherine of Gallup, N. M., are visiting Mrs. Hammocks parents Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan. Mr. Hammock is in Ballinger where they will make their home in the future.

Come and guess—McMurrys Mr. Bill Planter Free.

The best ball bats to be had are at Doss'

Mrs. J. H. and Miss Lena Key have moved on Walnut street in one of Dr. Lindley's houses. Mrs. Key will be pleased to have all her old patrons and all others who want sewing call on her.

See J. L. Allen for an all metal silo Will be glad to figure with any one contemplating buying silo. Office with L. E. Lasseter.

Ben Morgan will order the latest books published for you.

Miss Lilly Allen has returned from a pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Ft. Worth.

We want your trade in furniture and hardware and will greatly appreciate same H. L. HUTCHISON & CO.

Spring is here get your fishing tackle at Doss'

Badly Burned. Nothing relieves a scald or burn more quickly than Hunt's Lightning Oil. This wonderful liniment is very healing. For cuts, sprains, bruises, etc. it is fine. Sold by all druggists in 25c and 50c bottles.—W. L. Doss.

New Spring Millinery at MILLS.

J. E. Spikes and Dr. Lindley were in Loraine Tuesday on business.

Hot coffee, Hot Chocolate and Bouillon at BEN MORGAN.

Mr. Claude Hooks was in town Saturday on business. He is a Westbrookite.

Friday night is give-a-way night at the Shadowland this week.

H. F. Feaster and Tom Hammond returned home Thursday Morning from the Stockmens Convention at Ft. Worth and report all the Colorado boys as having a good time.

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.

Preston Scott, ex-Stockman attended the Stock Show in Ft. Worth this week.

Presiding Elder, W. B. Dodson visited Colorado Wednesday and filled the pulpit at the Methodist Church on Wednesday night while here he paid the Record an appreciated call.

Phone 154 Petes Service car will come quick.

Judge W. C. McCallum was a Colorado shopper on Monday.

Get the official Base Ball at Doss'. C. P. Connoway the sage of Westbrook was on business here Monday.

Good fat, fed beef at Beal's Market. Order your Easter Hats early, latest designs and newest styles in all new goods at Mrs. B. F. MILLS.

Come and see Mr. Bills at McMurry

BOUGHT A BUICK. B. Z. Cooper has bought a Buick Car and has been gone this week after his car.

NEW POST OFFICE. A certain amount of red tape had to be unwound at Washington which has been done and the ten year lease contract for the new post office was received this week. Mr. Harness says that the new fixtures have been ordered and work will commence at once remodeling the building. It will be rushed so as to have everything ready by the first of April if possible.

AMONG OUR FRIENDS. Those who have paid and also new ones since last report. E. E. Hagler, Taft, N. M. Homer Robinson, Dallas. Bob Coughran, Mertzon. Rev. B. W. Dodson, Sweetwater. G. W. Plaster, Colorado. S. P. Echols, Coahoma. W. H. Hale, Colorado. A. R. Wood, Colorado. Mrs. C. H. Lasky, Colorado. J. W. Roberts, Loraine. J. S. McCall, Rotan. Frank Smith, Iolanthe.

CATTLEMEN OFF TO FT. WORTH. Nearly every cowman and some who are not and those who expect to be are all off to Ft. Worth this week attending the Stock Convention. Those whom we noticed are H. T. Feaster and Tom Hammond of Dunn. W. V. Allen, F. E. McKenzie, J. S. Johnson of Iolanthe, J. D. Wulfjen, J. R. Shepard, Ben Van Tyl, D. N. Arnett, Dick Arnett, Preston Scott, Hunter Looney, Lee Wilson, Brooks Bell and quite a number of others.

Chamberlain's Tablets for Constipation. For constipation, Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent. Easy to take, mild and gentle in effect. Give them a trial. For sale by W. L. Doss.

WANT TO TRADE. 1 section well improved land in Sterling County will trade for Sandy land farm. Call or write. F. M. PARTEN 1tp Iolanthe, Texas.

EVENTUALLY you will use

to Kansas City and St. Louis Why not now? The train service is dependable and there are no connections to be made—it's "Katy" all-the-way.

Advertisement for MKT (Kansas City and St. Louis) featuring a logo and text about train service.

BASE BALL PARK WILL BE BUILT.

Will Be Ready By April First—Opening Game With El Paso

Work on the new ball park was to have been started this week, but some hitch in securing the land, caused a short delay. This trouble will be arranged this week and work will begin at once and pushed rapidly to completion. Manager Winn says we are going to have a good, up to date park, and a ball team that will be hard to beat.

Negotiations are under way to secure Mr. Quattlebaum to pitch for the season for the Colorado team, and several other good players have been secured, which, together with our best local players, will make a good, strong team.

The boys will begin practice right away and if everything can be arranged for in time, a game will be matched with the El Paso leaguers, who will be through here in April on a practice tour.

The thing to do now is for the boys to get together and begin to get into shape, as it is going to take a lot of practice to secure good team work. With a good park and the reputation Colorado made last year, the boys will have some hard propositions to tackle and they want to be in shape to meet all comers. Of course they cannot win every game, nor do the Colorado people expect that of them, but they ought to hold their average of 75 per cent, but to do this it will take hard work and close attention to the business of playing ball.

Manager Pierce has been reorganizing and strengthening his team of clerks, and says he is going to have a second team that will make the "Colorado Short Horns" set up and take notice. He proposes to get his team in good working condition, so that he can give the regular boys interesting practice games, as well as having recreation for the clerks.

Let both teams get busy and warm up, so that when the park is completed, they will be ready—PLAY BALL!

Rheumatism and Neuralgia. People will be glad to know that Hunt's Lightning Oil stops the pain almost instantly. No other acts so promptly and with such gratifying results. Those who suffer should not fail to try it. Sold by all druggists in 25c and 50c bottles.—W. L. Doss.

APPRECIATIVE AUDIENCE HEARS SCHUBERT CLUB Masterpieces Rendered by Symphony Orchestra.

Those present at the concert of the Schubert Symphony Club last week can truly say that it was an exceptional musical evening for the work of the artists has seldom been equalled in this city. Generous applause greeted every number on the programme which included masterpieces from the best of composers.

Thomas Valentine Purcell, a talented violinist and finished artist, is at the head of what is probably one of the best musical clubs today in America. His first number Faust Fantasy, by Wieniawski, revealed remarkable technique and a radiant melody seldom heard from violinists. In his second offering, Scherzo Tarantella, by the same composer, Mr. Purcell amazed his audience with the mastery execution of that difficult masterpiece, rendering a succession of harmonies in his own inimitable style.

Leeta Corder, the distinctive, exquisite soprano of the club, has a phenomenal range of voice and captivated her audience. Perhaps never in this city has the dear old melody, Annie Laurie, been rendered with such pathetic feeling and perfection. This was given as an encore to the Aria from the Barbierre of Seville by Rossini, and was the favorite offering of the evening.

Rhea Raven, first alto, has a rich voice and easily ranks in the premier class of artists. Hazel Corby, second soprano and reader of the club, is a very versatile young lady and has acquired a wonderful mastery of her art. Lovie Zent Purcell is a contralto with a voice of unlimited possibilities and her solos rung that true note of perfection which has made her name familiar in thousands of homes thru out this country and the United States.

The ensemble work of the company is not eclipsed by any ladies' quartette that has been before the public of this city. Nearly every number was encored and the performers were generous, coming back every time with some selection which seemed to take the audience by storm.

Thomas Valentine Purcell, who offered the Andante from Bazzini's Fourth Concerto as an encore to Scherzo Tarantella, was highly appreciated.

The Give-a-way night at Shadowland will be Friday.

Large advertisement for Greene & Co. Tailors, located in the Looney building, offering suits and home industrial tailors services.

OIL WELL FOR MITCHELL COUNTY. A letter from Mr. H. A. Shipman the oil expert comes from Kansas City saying he had interested capital enough to put down a test well in Mitchell County provided a lease can be secured on a sufficient number of acres of land.

POSTED. The Section of Land known as the Misses Dry land 4 miles southwest of town is posted by law and all trespassers will be prosecuted.

FOR SALE. I have a good young Jack for sale. Good stock and a good breeder, will sell cheap or trade.

NOTED DOCTORS O. K. DODSON'S LIVER TONE. Best Medical Skill Employed to Insure Correctness of Formula.

Seven of the most successful physicians in United States, selected for their experience and ability, were paid heavy fees to study and test the formula of Dodson's Liver Tone and all agreed that it was a fine and reliable remedy for family use.

There are imitations of Dodson's Liver Tone for which extravagant claims are made, but the public knows how to judge between loud boasts and the plain truth.

Dodson's Liver Tone is sold and guaranteed by Floyd Beall who will refund purchase price (50c) instantly and with a smile if you are in any way dissatisfied with the remedy.

LETTER LIST. The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed for the week ending Saturday March 7th 1914.

MEXICAN LETTERS. Sr. Lusía Balverde. JNO. W. PERSON, P. M.

If you are in need of a cook stove we certainly can please you as we have a very large assortment of cooks and ranges. H. L. HUTCHISON & CO.

TRUNK HAULING. Don't forget Watt Collier, drayman, for hauling of all kinds. Trunk hauling a specialty. Ready at all times.

FOR SALE. I have a good young Jack for sale. Good stock and a good breeder, will sell cheap or trade.

MEBANE COTTON SEED. Good selected Mebane Cotton seed and Feterette Seed on sale at D. L. Buchanan's store.

Fine Chicken and Duck Eggs. Silver and Golden Wyandotte, Brown Leghorn and Indian Game Chickens.

TREES FOR SALE. I have Sycamore Carolina Popular and never bearing mulberry trees, 8 to 10 feet high at 50 cents.

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 Hauschild.

POSTED. The Landers Bros. Pastures are posted by law and all wood haulers and trespassers will be prosecuted.

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

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

CITY MARSHAL. Morgan Stell—we are author to announce the name of Morgan for the office of City Marshal (tion) at the April city el.

Henry Rankin to announce the kin for the off fact to the April e'

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Table with 2 columns: Description of advertising rates (e.g., One Page One Time, One Page by the Month) and corresponding prices.

RAINFALL AT COLORADO FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS.

Table showing rainfall data for Colorado from 1904 to 1914, with columns for Year, Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., May, June, July, Aug., Sep., Oct., Nov., Dec., and Total.

COLORADO, TEXAS, MARCH 13, 1914.

The Antis are scared and are on the run. Let us keep up the chase and the booze will soon be chased clean out into the Gulf of Mexico, where it ought to have been years ago.

W. E. Watson the agriculturist of Lone Wolf replies this week in a very feeble way to Mr. Morgan. He says he does not know on which side he is and from reading his article it would be hard to tell.

It is really amusing how the "Stand Patners," criticize the P's for their mode of procedure in voting upon a candidate for the July primary, then turn around and adopt the same method themselves, and they try to justify their action by saying that the conventions to be held "are not anti-gatherings, but are Democratic."

As a rule, the man who is continually criticizing the church, and who says the "world is growing worse all the time" is the man who never attends church. Nor is he doing anything whatever to help make the world better.

Large advertisement for Mrs. B. F. Mills, featuring 'SPRING MILLINERY' and 'TANGO Hat with the high side and bandeau effect, trimmed with grograin ribbon and linen flowers. Very attractive.'

SMITH'S CONGRESSIONAL RECORD

William Robert Smith who has been in Congress as representative of the Sixteenth congressional district since March 4th 1903, is one of those public servants who has won the confidence of the whole congress as well as of the people of his district.

It takes a man of commanding influence in congress to accomplish the more important things that Congressman Smith has achieved, and courage, common sense and integrity are the things that lift a congressman above the average membership of the House and make it possible, even though an opposing political party be in control, for him to get what he goes after.

In congress Judge Smith is regarded as an authority particularly on the tariff, on anti-trust legislation and railroad rate regulation. He is consistently and steadfastly progressive. Some democrats are progressive in spots, but Congressman Smith has "come clean" in his progressiveness.

But long before the momentous turn in the tide of American politics, which has naturally made his one of the strong hands that uphold the progressive administration of President Wilson, Congressman Smith won a measure of distinction in the House of Representatives that enabled him to bring from a republican congress two great boons—one particularly for Texas, and the other for the whole South.

The first feat referred to was to amend the Reclamation Act so as to extend to Texas the benefits of the national reclamation law which set aside the proceeds from the sale of public lands in the western states for the construction of vast irrigation projects in public land states. Congressman Smith faced a doubly arduous task, because for one thing Texas has no public lands and consequently contributes nothing to the reclamation fund, and also because Texas is a solidly democratic state and had learned to expect small comfort from an overwhelmingly republican congress.

The second important law that Congressman Smith put through a republican congress was for the inauguration by the federal government of a campaign to eradicate the cattle tick. The work that the federal government has done throughout the South as the result of Congressman Smith's first appropriation for tick eradication six years ago has been a blessing to cattlemen throughout the South.

Congressman Smith's work in behalf of these two legislative achievements has kept him busy ever since. He is constantly called upon by cattlemen everywhere to protect the cattle interests before the Department of Agriculture with its ever shifting rules and regulations affecting the cattle industry, while his connection with the problems of reclamation has resulted in calling him to the chairmanship of the important committee on the irrigation of Arid Lands.

The extension under the Smith law of the provisions of the Reclamation Act to Texas has already begun to bear rich fruit for West Texas. First came the Elephant Butte Irrigation project in New Mexico by which 80,000 acres of arid land in West Texas will be turned into an oasis. This \$9,000,000 project resulted from the unceasing efforts of Congressman Smith.

The most recent results of Congressman Smith's activity in behalf of West Texas was to commit the Department of the Interior to the creation of a vast irrigation project on the Pecos River, and for this purpose \$10,000 has been allotted for making the necessary survey of Pecos valley, the expedition for which has already been organized.

In various ways Congressman Smith was able to do handsome things for the cities in his district. For El Paso the metropolis of Western Texas, he obtained a \$360,000 public building and site, besides obtaining for Fort Bliss an appropriation of \$500,000 for ad-

ditional barracks and quarters, making it a Regimental Post. For San Angelo, he obtained a \$120,000 building and site, for Mineral Wells and Stamford \$60,000 each; for Abilene a \$10,000 weather bureau and station, and for Sweetwater he has paved the way for a fine public building by an appropriation of \$7,500 for a building site.

But Congressman Smith's services to the people he represents and to the democratic party does not rest on the list of material advantages gained for his constituents, but on the intelligence with which he has discussed and voted on the great national problems. His vigorous speech on the tariff has been classed as one of the three best tariff speeches by democrats in the last fifty years. The other two speeches included in this category were by William Jennings Bryan and former Congressman Redfield, who are now in President Wilson's cabinet. So impressed was Mr. Bryan with Congressman Smith's speech on the tariff that he reproduced it in full in the Commoner and commended it in glowing terms.

On the subject of railroad rate regulation and trust legislation Congressman Smith has been consistently progressive and always right, and the declarations of the Baltimore platform and the recommendations of President Wilson are directly in accord with the bills he introduced and the legislation he urged during his long service on the important committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. In this connection it is interesting to note that Congressman Smith violently opposed the subsidy to the shipping trust in the way of free coastwise traffic through the Panama Canal.

This is such a violation of the treaty obligation and of all democratic teachings against special privilege that President Wilson has called upon congress to repeal the repugnant clause and it is upon such staunch democrats as Congressman Smith that the President is depending to uphold the honor of the country, and the traditions of the party in his effort to fight a greivous wrong.

Such is the record and the standing of W. R. Smith. He is a native of Texas having been born in Smith County, where he spent the early years of his life upon his father's farm, afterwards beginning the practice of law in Tyler, in the office of Duncan and Hogg, before the latter became the Governor of Texas. Mr. Smith has been identified with West Texas since 1888, when he became a citizen of Colorado, his present home. His style of democracy and his efficiency as a lawyer appealed to Governor Culbertson who appointed him district judge in 1897 and his fairness and common sense so appealed to the people of his judicial district that they elected him for two more terms, and then in 1903, sent him to congress, where they have kept him ever since because of his fidelity, integrity and ability. In such a career may well be found double cause for congratulation; Congressman Smith on his record, and the sixteenth District on its congressman.

Quannah—The "dam site" farm, consisting of 8,000 acres and located near this city, has been purchased by C. S. Fowler of San Antonio. Mr. Fowler is cutting the property up into small tracts to be settled by German and northern farmers. This land is all susceptible to irrigation for the dam site lake.

To look after our business in your community. Interesting, dignified, healthful work. International Magazine Company, 119 W. 41st St., New York City.

Advertisement for 'Advertising Is Insurance' by Holland, explaining how insurance works for businesses and the benefits of advertising.

Large advertisement for 'DR. PRICE'S CREAM Baking Powder' with a decorative border and text stating 'Received the highest award at Chicago World's Fair'.

FAIRVIEW FANCIES A light shower of rain fell here on the 2nd. Mr. Let Buckenlove and family was visiting at Mr. Felts family east of Colorado last week. Mr. W. H. Baggett is still waiting for machinery for his irrigation plant. Mr. Chester Berry, and Miss Bess were visiting Mr. N. T. Womack last week. The Fairview Phone company consisting of the following members, W. H. Baggett, W. E. Berry, J. M. Helton, Mr. Will C. Berry, Mr. Wallace and Mr. Chester Berry are building a new line from the residence of W. E. Berry to Colorado a distance of 17 miles. Our Sunday School is in good working order with 104 members on the Roll, and 95 present last Sunday. Bro. Campbell, the Baptist Preacher from Colorado preached a very interesting sermon here on the 8, come again Bro. Campbell, will be glad to hear from you again. The Rabbit drive east of Fairview last Saturday was well attended, but the bunnys heard of this free exhibition and left home on a visit elsewhere. Come again friends and maybe we can steal a march on them next time, if we don't say so much about it. RAMBLER.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Colorado National Bank

Table showing financial resources and liabilities for The Colorado National Bank as of March 4, 1914.

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: J. C. PRUDE, C. M. ADAMS, F. M. BURNS, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The City National Bank

Table showing financial resources and liabilities for The City National Bank as of March 4, 1914.

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

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.

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 Democratic primaries in July.

T. B. Porter.—We are authorized to announce the name of T. B. (Brady) Porter as candidate for the office of sheriff and Tax Collector of Mitchell County, subject to the Democratic primaries in July.

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 Democratic primaries in July.

FOR DISTRICT AND COUNTY CLERK.

Earl Jackson—We are authorized to announce the name of Earl Jackson as a candidate for the office of County and District Clerk (re-election) subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

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

W. T. Rogers—We are authorized to announce the name of W. T. (Buck) Rogers as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1 subject to the Democratic primaries in July.

Preston Phenix—We are authorized to announce the name of Preston Phenix as a candidate for Commissioner Precinct No. 2 (Re-election) subject to the Democratic primaries in July.

B. O. Joyce—We are authorized to announce the name of B. O. Joyce as a candidate (re-election) for the office of Commissioner precinct No. 3 subject to the democratic primaries in July.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER

W. F. Crawford—We are authorized to announce the name of W. F. Crawford as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher, Precinct No. One, (re-election) subject to the democratic primaries in July.

POOL HALLS VOTED OUT OF BELL COUNTY

Temple, Texas, March 7.—In the pool hall election held today in Bell County, partial returns indicate a majority of 1,000 against the pool hall.

LORAIN NEWS ITEMS.

Mrs. Harry Hall was hostess to the Philmath Club on Friday.

Mrs. Sarage of Brownwood and Miss Vivian Hall of Abilene were guests of Miss Ethelene Hall last week and assisted her in her Recital Saturday night.

T. R. Bennett and wife visited Wyley Thompson and family down at Silver Sunday.

James Bodine and wife of Colorado were Sunday visitors here.

Little Owen Harrell Nelson is quite sick this week.

Miss Minnie Watlington and Mrs. H. R. Looby and children will leave this week for New Boston.

Mrs. Gillie Reeder and children and Miss Cora Reeder will leave this week for Brown County where they will visit for some time.

P. S. Moseley of Edgewood was the guest of D. M. Vinson this week.

Miss Annie White Sundied at home. Miss Grace Baker of Spade visited her parents Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Annie Norman was up from McKinzie visiting her parents Saturday.

C. P. Gary and family visited in Colorado Sunday.

Miss Lettie Miller and Prof. Farrer were up from Trent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives.

Clarence Roland of Colorado was a Sunday visitor here.

The Methodist Revival is now in progress, good crowds are in attendance and much interest manifested.

Mrs. King of Colorado, who has been the guest of the Misses Gregg has returned home.

Mrs. Jim Howell and children will leave this week for East Texas to visit her father and sister.

Miss Irene Garland and others from Roscoe attended Miss Hall's recital Saturday night. Miss Irene assisted in the recital.

J. E. Spikes of Colorado was busy here Tuesday.

Dr. Lindley of Colorado was busy here Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Thomas has returned from Comanche.

Henry Howell was busy in Colorado Wednesday.

Mesdames S. B. Gordon and F. Banner of Roscoe were here Wednesday.

The recital given by Miss Ethelene Hall on Saturday night was a success. Each part of the program was well rendered and highly enjoyed by all present. This was Miss Hall's first and all will anxiously await for her to give another.

The A. C. Pratt residence is nearing completion and he and family will soon move in.

Mrs. M. E. Hollingsworth of Arlington is here and at Colorado on an extended visit to her daughters Mesdames Stowe and Toler.

WE HAVE FAITH IN THIS STOMACH REMEDY

A woman customer said to us the other day, "Say, you ought to tell everyone in town about Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. I would myself if I could." That set us to thinking. So many people have used them and have so enthusiastically sounded their praises both to us and their friends, that we had an idea you all knew about them. But, in the chance that some of you who suffer from indigestion, heartburn, dyspepsia, or some other stomach complaint, don't know about them—we are writing this.

They contain Bismuth and Pepsin, two of the greatest digestive aids known to medical science. They soothe and comfort the stomach, promote the secretion of gastric juice, help to quickly digest the food and convert it into rich, red blood, and improve the action of the bowels. We believe them to be the best remedy made for indigestion and dyspepsia. We certainly wouldn't offer them to you entirely at our risk unless we felt sure they would do you a lot of good. If Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets do not relieve your indigestion, check the heartburn, and make it possible for you to eat what you like whenever you like, come back and get your money.

Sold only at the more than 7,000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only at our store. Three sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1.00.—W. L. Doss, Colorado, Texas.

SEVEN MILLION DOLLARS FOR GOOD ROADS

Fifty-one Out of 86 Elections Successful—Two-thirds Majority Statute Detrimental.

There were 86 road and bridge bond elections held in Texas during 1913 and 51 of them carried by large majorities resulting in the appropriation of \$7,267,000 for highway improvement, according to data compiled by the Texas Business Men's Association. This is more than double the amount of bonds issued in this state last year. The aggregate amount of bonds voted on in 1913 was \$11,661,000, but 35 of the issues, involving a total of \$4,394,000 were defeated. This amount of money is sufficient to build a first class highway from the Red River to the Gulf.

Harris County Leads.

Harris led all other counties in the amount of bonds issued, having ratified an election of \$1,000,000 on February 20th. The smallest issue for the year was voted on in Kerr County and was for \$2,000. The election was carried by an overwhelming majority, a heavy vote being polled. Brazoria County takes the palm for holding the greatest number of elections. Four issues, aggregating \$585,000 were voted on in 1913 and all received the necessary two-thirds majority vote.

The Record by Years.

The law governing the issuance of bonds for highway improvement permits a county, precinct or road district to bond its property for amounts not exceeding one-fourth of the assessed valuation. This statute went into effect in 1909 and since that time nearly \$25,000,000 has been appropriated in this manner for road building and maintenance. The largest amount was voted in 1911, when \$8,915,000 in bonds were issued. The record by years since the passage of this law follows:

Table with 2 columns: Year, Amount of Bonds. 1909: \$781,000; 1910: \$4,015,000; 1911: \$8,915,000; 1912: \$3,496,200; 1913: \$7,267,000.

These figures, with the exception of 1909, are taken from the records kept by the Texas Business Men's Association and are compiled from data furnished by commercial organizations, county judges, good roads associations and other authoritative sources. The 1909 figures are from the State Comptroller and represent the road bonds registered in Austin that year.

Following is a list of the counties which issued road and bridge bonds during 1913. The amount and date of election are also shown.

Table with 3 columns: County, Date, Amount. Includes entries for Atascosa, Aransas, Bell, Bexar, Brewster, Calhoun, Cameron, Chambers, Caldwell, Collin, Croft, Galveston, Garza, Harris, Hill, Irion, Jackson, Jim Wells, Kerr, Kent, Kinney, Midland, Matagorda, Montgomery, Milam, Maverick, Navarro, Nueces, Polk, Robertson, Smith, Trinity, Victoria, Waller, Walker, Total: \$7,267,000.

The statute, requiring the issuance of highway improvement bonds only by the sanction of two-thirds of the voters balloting has been a stumbling block in the way of better roads. At least 80 per cent of the defeated issues during the year received a majority of the votes cast, but lacked the required two-thirds ratification by a few ballots.

Practically every one of the counties in which issues were defeated in 1913 are making preparations to hold the second election, and in many instances the road districts are being mapped out to exclude those voters opposed to bond issuance for highway improvement. At the present time elections involving \$4,000,000 are in sight and will be decided during the first three months of 1914.

PRECIOUS METALS IN TEXAS.

Precious and semi-precious metals, consisting of gold, silver, copper, lead and zinc produced in Texas in 1912, had a value of \$269,798, which is \$38,798 more than the output of the previous year. The most important of these minerals is silver, valued at \$249,731, or 93 per cent of the total. The actual production of silver in 1912, compared with that of 1911, shows a decrease of 18,327 ounces in quantity, but an increase in value of \$24,802, due to the increase in price from 53 cents in 1911 to 61 1-2 cents per ounce in 1912.

The first discovery of silver in Texas is said to have been made more than a half century ago, but the first mining recorded by the United States Geological Survey was in 1885, when 169,342 ounces with a value of \$181,196, were produced. Since that date up to the present time, nearly eleven million ounces have been mined, with a commercial value of \$7,372,000.

The value of other precious and semi-precious metals produced in Texas in 1912 is: Zinc, \$16,422; lead, \$2,939; copper, \$119, and gold, \$63.

TEXAS SECOND IN QUICK-SILVER.

More than a million dollars worth of quicksilver was produced in the United States in 1912, according to a recent report of the Geological Survey, and a large portion of the output came from the Texas mines. The principal quicksilver States are California, Texas and Nevada, and they rank in the order mentioned. The Texas output is 3,320 flasks, valued at \$154,418, according to the latest reports.

Prior to the discovery of quicksilver in Brewster county, California, furnished practically the entire output of the United States. With the increased production there has also been an enlargement of its uses and during the past thirteen years the functions of this mineral have practically doubled. The Texas product is consumed mainly in the manufacture of explosive caps, drugs, electric lighting and other scientific apparatus and in the recovery of gold by amalgamation.

TEXANS HEAVY TOBACCO USERS

Tobacco raising in Texas is still in an experimental stage. Experts of the Federal Government claim that there are 500,000 acres of land in East Texas suitable for tobacco culture, but according to the latest reports of the United States Department of Agriculture, only 200 acres are planted to this product. The production in 1912 was 140,000 pounds, which had a value of \$24,000.

Texans, as a rule, are heavy users of tobacco and last year spent for this weed two and one-half million dollars, practically all of which went outside the State. We consume more than 100 times as much tobacco as we produce, and statistics show that the demand is ever increasing, while the production at the present time is less than that of 10 years ago.

The manufacture of snuff, chewing and smoking tobacco is limited in Texas, although cigarmaking has developed into an important industry. The latest Federal Census Reports show 67 cigar factories operating in this State, employing 300 persons and turning out products valued at \$509,000 annually. Nearly a half million dollars is invested in this line of industry and the yearly payroll of the employes amounts to \$160,000.

Cigars made in Texas, from Texas raised tobacco have become popular among smokers everywhere, and although the supply is limited, they find a ready market in all parts of the country. Practically all of the tobacco grown in this State is made into cigars of fine quality. Raw material consumed by the Texas factories is grown principally in Cuba, Kentucky, North Carolina and Virginia.

The cultivation and use of tobacco are of such antiquity that authentic history does not record their origin. The claim of certain European and Asiatic countries to an acquaintance with the plant prior to the discovery of America by Columbus is not supported by accepted history nor satisfactorily demonstrated by the researches of the antiquarian. It is generally accepted that tobacco is indigenous to the Western Hemisphere and that the aborigines practiced its cultivation and use from remotest times, and spread their knowledge to the rest of the world. It is not definitely known when the first tobacco was planted in Texas, but its first propagation on a commercial scale was attempted in Nacogdoches county during the past decade.

The Tortures of Rheumatism

are aggravated during climatic changes because the impure blood is incapable of resistance and ordinary treatment seems useless—but the fame of Scott's Emulsion for relieving rheumatism is based on logical principles and scientific facts. This oil-food promptly makes active, red, life-sustaining blood corpuscles and its body-building properties regulate the functions to expel poisonous acids.



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Pool Hall Injunction Dissolved.

Waxahachie, Tex., March 7.—District Judge Hawkins today dissolved the temporary injunction restraining the Commissioners' Court from canvassing the returns and declaring the result in the pool hall election held in Ellis County last August. Attorneys for the pool hall men gave notice of appeal. Announcement was made following the dissolution of the injunction that the returns would be counted within the next few days.

SAN SABA REMAINS DRY.

San Saba, Texas, March 7.—San Saba county voted as follows today: For Prohibition, 969; against Prohibition, 655, giving a majority of 319. In the last election in 1904 the pro majority was 273.

TO HOLD GOOD ROADS INSTITUTE

Stamford—The Jones Road Overseers' Institute will be conducted here March 26-27 and definite arrangements have been completed for this meeting. Prof. R. J. Potts of the Agricultural and Mechanical College will be the conductor of the institute. A large attendance is anticipated.

THE MODERN DIOGENES

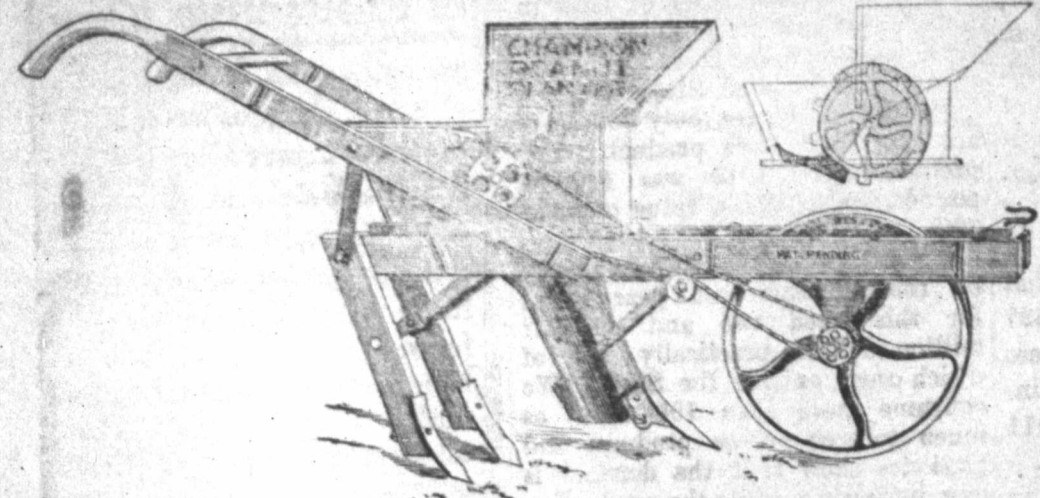


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DALLAS, TEXAS

SOCIALIST DOCTRINE.

(By A. A. Daniels of Iatan)

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth (Genesis 1-1). There is every reason to believe that the earth and all in, on, or about the earth, was created for man's use; there is no reason to believe that there was any intention to hand over the greater portion to one man or a small set of men.

The earth holds the natural resources for the support of human life; all that is required of man is to develop these resources in one form or another. Thus God and Labor are the team which furnish all things for man's use. This is the divine plan, and any class of people who take the bounty of God and the labor of man without rendering a just equivalent, are evidently traitors to God and man.

But this class have always existed and have been considered the great people of the world. Once they were called Kings, lords and nobility. They exist today in this country in what we call great financiers, trust magnates, etc., the name amounts to nothing. It is the possession of wealth and property, and the opportunity to live on the labor of others, that perpetuates this class.

Socialism says they should not exist; that as a people we are wise enough to handle our own industries without this ruling class, and that as a nation we produce enough wealth so that, if each one received approximately the value of his own labor, poverty would be abolished, and crime and immorality, except of a purely personal nature, would cease. The struggle for existence would be mild that mankind would enjoy opportunities for development mentally, morally, physically and even spiritually, which are now impossible, and such development would mean further progress and endless good.

We propose to effect this by means of the social ownership of the social means of production and distribution; hence the word Socialism. More plainly expressed, this means public ownership, that is, Government State or municipal ownership of such industries as are now or should be operated collectively, and that these be operated for the benefit of all the people, instead of being privately owned by this small class, and operated for their benefit. This would seem to include such things as the oil wells, coal mines, railroads, packing houses, every thing now termed trusts, and also such land as is held for the purpose of exploitation (rent) or speculation.

For illustration, Socialism holds nothing against the man who owns his own land and works it himself, but if you are obliged to rent land for farming purposes, would it not be better to rent it of the state on a long-time lease of 50 or 99 years, than to rent of the landlord for one year. Under the present system of private ownership, the small farmer is being crowded out and turned into a tenant; this is simply a case of history repeating itself. If you wish to see the small farmer hold on to his little piece of land, you will undoubtedly have to vest the title to all land in the state, giving the actual user of the land a long-term lease with every privilege he now enjoys, except that he could not sell the land. If private ownership is allowed to continue, the land will sooner or later be owned by a few landlords, who will live on their tenants, and you will

lease from them instead of the state.

If enormous boundaries of grazing land and great herds of cattle are necessary the land should be owned by the state and handled by state cattlemen for the benefit of the people.

Profit, rent and interest is the tribute paid by the great mass to the small class under the present system. This is what makes "the rich richer and the poor poorer." You have only to look around you to prove this. The foregoing brief synopsis shows in a way how Socialism would dispose of profit and rent. If you still needed to borrow money, Socialism would establish public banks to lend to the people at the lowest possible rate of interest, instead of taking the peoples money in through the postal savings system (socialistic), and turning it over to the private banks to be re-lent to you at the highest possible rate.

We as Socialists claim that Capitalism will fall of its own weight simply because it will have outlived its usefulness, and will cease to perform its functions. Already it fails to provide work and millions are idle all the time, while prices are high and people suffer for the necessities of life. It has produced a code of public morals, in which sterling business honesty is unknown, and the highest aim is "get all you can and can all you get." It has bred on the one hand hypocrisy and on the other white slavery and commercialized vice. It has brought society to such a pass that while men may differ as to a remedy, all join in admitting that something is radically wrong.

Now would it not be well to forget all the "scary tales" about Socialism being Anarchy, Atheism, free love and barn-burning, and see what it really has to offer you. Perhaps it is something you need and society needs! Perhaps it is something that would benefit you and your children, and you are doing yourself and them a great injury by neglecting and postponing it.

"SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR CONSTIPATED CHILD

Delicious "Fruit Laxative" can't Harm Tender Little Stomach, Liver, and Bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without gripping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

TWO SOLID TRAINS, THE GRAND OPERA CO. COME THROUGH

Running ten minutes apart two solid trains of the Grand Opera Company, passed through Colorado Sunday afternoon en route to Los Angeles, California, where it is understood the company has an engagement. The first train consisted of nine coaches, including baggage cars; and the second of eight coaches. These trains carried all scenic effects, the actors and paraphernalia. The trains created quite

a great deal of interest and many people who were in town at the time saw the trains as they passed.

DOINGS AT WASHINGTON

The National Rivers and Harbors Congress, an altruistic association made up of the leading business men of the nation, boards of trade, chambers of commerce, and other trade bodies, which has taken the liveliest possible interest in bringing about an annual river and harbor bill of generous proportions, has again taken up the cudgels against the repeal of that portion of the Panama Canal act relating to free tolls for American ships engaged in coastwise trade. A letter has recently been sent out to all the thousands of members of the big waterway organization stating the merits of the controversy which has been revived through President Wilson's expressed desire for the repeal of the free tolls provision of the act and calling upon these members to express their views, whether in favor of the American or the British contention, Great Britain insisting that the Hay-Pauncefote treaty has been violated through the free tolls provision of the Panama Canal act.

The referendum which the National Rivers and Harbors Congress has instituted will be watched most closely as it will give a fair reflection of the will of the people on this very vital question.

An episode that tickled official Washington immensely occurred at the recent brilliant reception at the White House by President and Mrs. Wilson to the Army and Navy. It is an episode that at first blush seems ungalant to repeat, but nevertheless it is going the rounds of the drawing rooms here by reason of the unpopularity of the "lady in the case," who is the wife of a cabinet officer under a former administration. She was cordially and generally disliked during her regime and made so many outspoken and powerful enemies that at times the situation grew so serious as to cause surprise that the cabinet officer did not resign his portfolio. But he did not, and at the recent White House reception this lady was a conspicuous figure. Through the courtesy of the First Lady of the Land the ex-cabinet hostess was invited to the sacred precincts of the Blue Room. She took her place directly behind her own successor, one of the most gracious and winning of the present cabinet, and not content with this conspicuous place, the lady gave expression to unpleasant remarks and criticisms which were overheard by a number of the guests.

An acquaintance from the last administration greeted her with a pleasant remark about its seeming a little strange not to see her in her old place and one speech led to another until the lady herself shrugged her shoulders and said: "A case of every dog has his day," to which ungracious remark a statesman of fame, boiling with suppressed anger, brutally blurted out, "Yes, and cats, too," and then walked hurriedly away, the lady's eyes snapping blue fire after his retreating form. He would not have said it in the last administration, but all the women who heard it, except the victim herself, "just ached to hug him," as one expressed it.

"Girl Wanted" was the sign for some months about the home of the famous pure food expert, Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the former Chief of the Bureau of Chemistry of the Department of Agriculture, but on a recent morning the sign (a figurative one, of course) was removed, for a boy arrived—the second "pure food baby"—The first one, Harvey W. Jr., is not yet two years old, but is pronounced a wonderful success in every way. The second son of the ex-government chemist, who is now in his 70th year bids fair to be just as great a success. He tipped the scales at ten pounds at his birth, and his famous

father is the proudest man in Washington. However, the "Girl wanted" sign in the Wiley home has not been destroyed; it is held in reserve for the future, says the optimistic septuagenarian.

Vice President Marshall is acquiring a reputation in Washington society as the after-dinner speaker of this administration. The Vice President is nothing if not progressive, although he always has been a happy and felicitous speech maker. Mr. Marshall has even progressed so far as to acquire a broad black ribbon attached to his glasses, a feature of a recent Administration less Democratic. The ribbon gives the Vice President an added dignity, although it is criticized by some of the super-critical in Washington as not savoring of Hoosierdom or of Democratic simplicity.

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Girls! Try this! Makes hair thick, glossy, fluffy, beautiful—No More Itching scalp.

Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that all you surely can have beautiful hair, and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.

IATAN ITEMS

Mr. Conner Suthpen is now in Baird. Little Will Earl Morrison has been quite sick this week, but is better.

Mr. Bullock's folks went to Westbrook Saturday.

Mr. Will Morrison spent the day in Colorado on business Saturday.

Friday night the Junior Epworth League met to transact business affairs for the year.

Mr. Murphy was in Iatan Thursday on business.

Mr. Will Morrison left Monday night to attend the cattle convention at Ft. Worth.

Emma Fay Suthpen has been real sick this week, but is better.

Mr. Elmer Williams spent the day in Vincent Sunday.

Saturday afternoon the Car Baseball boys played the Westbrook boys.

Mr. Hanks, the Methodist preacher preached here Sunday had a good attendance.

Mr. C. N. Cayne of Colorado was in Iatan Sunday. KETCHUM

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Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" now from any druggist or department store. End foot torture forever—wear smaller shoes, keep your feet fresh, sweet and happy. Just think! A whole year's foot comfort for only 25 cents.

We have a large assortment of all kinds of fishing tackle and sporting goods of all kinds. Basket Ball, Base Ball, Foot Ball, Boxing Gloves and Fishing Tackle. Doss is head quarters for sporting goods.

Wanted—To buy steer and heifer yearlings will pay top price for all you have; also have one Hereford bull for sale. See O. O. and J. O. SHURT-LIFF 3-27-p

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STATEMENT

of Condition of

The Colorado National Bank

At Close of Business March 4, 1914

RESOURCES

Loans	\$366,770.41
U. S. Bonds	50,000.00
Banking House and Real Estate	17,000.00
Cash and Exchange	84,317.23
Total,	\$518,087.64

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits (net)	17,226.06
Circulation	50,000.00
Deposits	220,861.58
Bills Payable	30,000.00
Total,	\$518,087.64

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PASSING OF THE

SAM BASS GANG

(By Russell Kingsbury of Waco)

Editor Times-Herald.

In a recent issue of your paper appeared an account of the death of Sam Bass, at Round Rock, in Williamson county. I was at Round Rock a short time after the death of Bass, and enjoyed an intimate acquaintance with the rangers that participated in that memorable tragedy. Major John B. Jones was the commandant of the state rangers, at that time numbering about two hundred men, divided into six companies, five of which were located at different camps on the frontier from Brownsville to El Paso, each company commanded by a captain or lieutenant, a sergeant. The sixth company was known as the escort and accompanied Major Jones up and down the line. Major Jones was appointed by Governor Coke and organized the "frontier battalion." He was a knightly gentleman and a gallant cavalryman. The major lived in Navarro county and just a year previous to the Round Rock episode had married the widow of Colonel Anderson of Austin, and this queenly woman, talented and beautiful, after Major Jones' death, became the wife of the late Hon. Alexander Terrell, who paid court to this famous Texas belle for many moons before she accepted the distinguished cavalryman. This is reminiscent, and a departure from the purpose of this writing, which is to give a true version of the capture and death of the train and bank robber, Sam Bass.

A few weeks before Bass and his gang had captured a train in North Texas and secured from the express company many hundreds of dollars in gold, principally twenty dollar gold pieces. They had also robbed several banks. The county authorities seemed powerless to compass the capture of these daring and desperate men. Major Jones determined to take them dead or alive. It was necessary that a spy be sent to the gang. For this purpose the major selected a young man from his escort, if I remember aright William Scott, a brave fearless, cautious ranger. It was an undertaking that required such a man. This ranger located the gang, and assuming the role of a fugitive from justice, and a friendless, homeless hobo happened upon their camp, and was employed by them to cook and buy food for the men and provender for the horses. For weeks the ranger stayed with the outlaws, and on several occasions, becoming suspicious, the robbers put him to the supreme test, by putting a rope around his neck and suspending him to the limb of a tree. But so well did he play his part that he always managed to convince them that he was with and of their kind. Through thickets and creeks and river bottoms they wandered and camped. The Bass gang had determined to crown their achievements by robbing the state treasury at Austin and were on their way to the capitol to essay "this deed of daring do" when they concluded to loot the bank at Round Rock. Scott, the spy and camp trusty, eluded their vigilance and notified Major Jones of the contemplated raid on the treasury and of the location of the gang. Major Jones then selected another agent from his command, an accomplished pistol shot, a peace officer of long experience, equally as daring as the ranger with the gang, absolutely a stranger to fear and hero of many desperate adventures and critical experiences. This was Maurice Moore. This young man could not help being courageous—he was born that way. He was the nephew of Colonel Bowie, who died at the Alamo. Moore was sent to Round Rock alone, as a scout, and Dick Ware and a few picked men were ordered to follow. Ware afterwards was the frontier sheriff of Mitchell county, and appointed United States marshal by Mr. Cleveland. He is dead—a faithful

friend, a true soldier, efficient peace officer in the state with a fine record in the service of the government, he now rests in the bivouac of the dead. Moore reached Round Rock on a reconnaissance, fell in with the constable and loitering along the main street noticed two commonly dressed men enter a dry goods and grocery store, notified the constable that the men, whom he took for country boys had pistols on. The constable preceded Maurice into the store. Maurice walked in, and was standing with his back to the counter, the palms of his hands on the counter, watching the constable arrest the supposed country boys, not for a moment thinking they were other than their looks indicated because Scott had informed Major Jones that Bass would not be in Round Rock until the next day. The men were purchasing cigars. The constable approached the men, slapped his hand on the hip of one of them and said, "You have a pistol on." Then the performance began. Quicker than thought the two men, one Sam Bass the other Jackson, his pal, drew and began firing. The constable was instantly killed and Maurice Moore at the first fire received a bullet from a 45 Colts through the left lung and a few inches from the heart. He emptied his pistol and fell in the store door, apparently dead. Several of Bass' gang were on the streets. Ware and his picked squad, hearing the firing, rushed to the scene and then there was a battle royal in the streets of Round Rock. As I recall the incidents after thirty-four years, several horses and a man or two of the Bass gang were killed. On the saddle of one of the slain horses was tied the money from the express robbery. Bass and Jackson were running. Jackson snatched the saddle bag, placed it on his fine mare, and in company with Bass, already wounded, was making a get away. Dick Ware, armed with Winchester and six-shooter, was pumping lead into Bass wao, though fatally wounded, was giving shot for shot. Bass stayed with Jackson until the outskirts of the village was reached, and telling his comrade and pal that he was done for, bade him goodbye. Jackson got away, after running the gauntlet of pistols and Winchester, and, to my knowledge, was never apprehended. Bass was found by the rangers in a dying condition and carried to the hotel in Round Rock. He inquired for the man who shot him, asked that he come and see him. Dick Ware came to his bedside and the dying robber asked that his Winchester be brought to him. This was done, and the most daring of all train and bank robbers, whose escapades and achievements were unsurpassed by the Dalton gang or Billy the Kid, with the chill of death upon him, presented the beautiful rifle, embossed, skillfully carved and inlaid with gold and silver, to Dick Ware, saying "You have killed Sam Bass, and I wish you to take this gun and keep it while you live." Dick Ware accepted the gift, and when I last saw Ware in Waco before his death he had the Winchester. In the throes of death Bass was solicited to disclose the names and identity of those of his comrades and fellows who escaped but stoically resisted all entreaties, saying, just as his fearless spirit escaped from his bullet-ridden body "Sam Bass will never peach on his pals." It was said that after the smoke of the battle in the store cleared away the merchant inquired of his clerk, "Did those fellows pay for those cigars?" The clerk said, "Yes he gave me a five dollar gold piece and didn't wait for his change." Maurice Moore was carried back to Austin, and to the residence of his friend, the late Mr. Petnecky, an old and honored citizen of the capital, where he lingered twice life and death for many months, finally recovered and rejoined his command and performed faithful and dangerous duty.

The democratic convention was in session on that day at Austin, and there was a dead lock therein upon the election of a candidate for governor. Throckmorton, Hubbard and Lang were the candidates. There was bitter and intense feeling, and charges and counter charges on the part of the Hubbard and Throckmorton factions. At one time there was a near riot, and many harsh words and phrases, and many a deft hurled, and not a few motions to the hip pocket when Hon. W. A. (Buck) Walton, grand old man, illustrious patriot and splendid lawyer, then in his prime, as handsome as a Greek god, from the center of the convention, delivered as only he could deliver a bitter, biting scathing, terrible denunciation of Dick Hubbard. A riot and fight was imminent when there arose another splendid figure, another matchless orator and superb reasoner, Wm. S. Herndon of Tyler, who, in a few minutes' speech, poured oil on the troubled waters and balm into every wound, and brought order out of chaos. Then some wag sent up a resolution that the sergeant at arms search the convention for

Sam Bass. A committee of thirteen, of which the Hon. E. A. Jones of this city was chairman, was selected to go out and select a candidate to be presented to the convention. They retired, then came the news of the battle at Round Rock, and I having just returned from a ranger service of one year on the then frontier, in Edwards, Llano, San Saba, Menard and Concho counties, knowing all the rangers engaged, went in company with some of the treasury guards to Round Rock. I was a delegate to the convention, although not yet a man. Capt. James Wilson, on his way to Austin, could get no further than Waco, and gave me his proxy of three votes for W. W. Lang and I represented him in Austin. The committee of which Colonel Jones was chairman reported back to the convention the name of Oran M. Roberts, then chief justice, as the compromise candidate, and then it was that we had four years of the pay-as-you-go policy in Texas.

I have read the above account of the Bass capture to Dr. R. H. Eanes, an eminent physician and capitalist now, and a brave and gallant ranger then, and he agrees with me that the facts are as he remembers them.

This coup de etat conceived by Major Jones and executed by Scott, Ware and Maurice Moore virtually destroyed the Sam Bass gang. Sam Bass passed through Waco en route to Austin, and there are men now living in Waco who played cards with him and won some of the twenty dollar gold pieces that he took from the express company.

Chronic Stomach Trouble Cured.

There is nothing more discouraging than a chronic disorder of the stomach. Is it not surprising that many suffer for years with such an ailment when a permanent cure is within their reach and may be had for a trifle? "About one year ago," says P. H. Beck, of Wakelee, Mich., "I bought a package of Chamberlain's Tablets, and since using them I have felt perfectly well. I had previously used any number of different medicines but none of them were of any lasting benefit. For Sale By W. L. Does.

The question of better roads is one that affects both the fireside and the counting house.

There is more ill humor and more sickness and disease caused from the house wife trying to do the washing or getting some Mexican or Negro too, than any other cause, send your laundry to the Colorado Steam Laundry we are reliable and will do the work cheaper.

The good roads problem is not only an economic one, but a moral and educational one as well.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Mitchell.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, Texas on the 17th day of February 1914 by Earl Jackson Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Fourteen and 91-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment of Foreclosure of Tax Lien, in favor of The State of Texas in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2240 and styled The State of Texas vs. Hardie Caesar, Robbie Caesar, Wm. Cheek, Samuel Cheek, Thomas Cheek, Martin Garcia, Sallie Garcia, Mary Robb, Royall G. Smith and unknown owners, placed in my hands for service, I G. B. Coughran, as Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas did on the 17th day of February 1914 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Mitchell County, Texas described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 10 in Block No. 35 in the City of Colorado in Mitchell County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Hardie Caesar, Robbie Caesar, Wm. Cheek, Samuel Cheek, Thomas Cheek, Martin Garcia, Sallie Garcia, Mary Robb, Royall G. Smith and unknown owners and that on the first Tuesday in April 1914, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Hardie Caesar, Robbie Caesar, Wm. Cheek, Samuel Cheek, Thomas Cheek, Martin Garcia, Sallie Garcia, Mary Robb, Royall G. Smith and unknown owners.

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 17th day of February 1914.

G. B. COUGHRAN,
Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.
By Preston Scott, Deputy 3-27

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Mitchell.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, of the 18th day of February 1914, by Earl Jackson, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Three and 68-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a certain judgment, in favor of Ben S. Van Tuyl in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2559 and styled Ben S. Van Tuyl vs. R. C. Campbell placed in my hands for service, I G. B. Coughran as sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas, did on the 18th day of February 1914, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as follows to-wit:

Being the North east one fourth of Section No. fifty-six (56) in Block No. Twelve (12), Houston and Texas Central Ry. Company Surveys in Mitchell County Texas, containing 160 acres of land, and levied upon as the property of R. C. Campbell and that on the first Tuesday in April 1914, the same being the 7th day of said month at the Court House door, of Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said R. C. Campbell.

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 23rd day of February 1914.

G. B. COUGHRAN,
Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.
By Preston Scott, Deputy. 3-13-c.

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION.

By order of the City Council. Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Court House in the City of Colorado Texas, in this County, on the First Tuesday in April 1914 the same being the 7th day of said month, for the purpose of electing, a city Marshall and two aldermen for said City. F. A. Winn has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist in holding same, and said election shall be held in the manner prescribed by law for holding other elections.

Every male person who has attained the age of twenty one years and

who has resided within the limits of said City for six months next preceding the date of said election and is a qualified voter under the laws of the State of Texas shall be entitled to vote at said election.

Witness my hand this 23rd day of February A. D. 1914,
C. M. ADAMS, Mayor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Mitchell.

To those holding claims against the Estate of Will L. Wright, Deceased.

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Witness my hand this February 26, A. D. 1914.

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Any Doctor

will tell you a fellow's constitution went last forever—and in these strenuous times it needs a good overhauling occasionally.

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Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt. Gen. Pass. Agt.
DALLAS, TEXAS

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A Notice to All

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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.

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COULD SCARCELY WALK ABOUT

And For Three Summers Mrs. Vincent Was Unable to Attend to Any of Her Housework.

Pleasant Hill, N. C.—"I suffered for three summers," writes Mrs. Walter Vincent, of this town, "and the third and last time, was my worst."

I had dreadful nervous headaches and prostration, and was scarcely able to walk about. Could not do any of my housework.

I also had dreadful pains in my back and sides and when one of those weak, sinking spells would come on me, I would have to give up and lie down, until it wore off.

I was certainly in a dreadful state of health, when I finally decided to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I firmly

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After I began taking Cardui, I was greatly helped, and all three bottles relieved me entirely.

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Cardui has helped more than a million weak women, during the past 50 years. It will surely do for you, what it has done for them. Try Cardui today.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper. 4-35

IN MEMORIAM.

When the great reaper, Death, comes and takes from our midst one whom we love and cherish our hearts are saddened, our spirits are bowed with grief, and it seems that a great burden is upon us which can only be lifted by Him the creator of all things.

We sadly mourn this earthly parting yet it is at such a time we are made to realize the truth that life is very uncertain and death is sure.

Our minds are carried back to the poet who says, "they who tread this globe are but a handful of those who slumber in its bosom." therefore this world is only a dressing room for Heaven.

In the evening of Feb. 15, 1914 at 8 o'clock our Brother and Son, George was visited by the death angel and his soul was carried to its last resting place across the River of Death.

His illness was brief yet thru it all he was patient gentle and submissive and received the many kind attentions showered upon him by his friends with the deepest appreciation.

Deceased was born in Mitchell County, Texas, June 19 1893, moved to Lowell, Ark., Sept. 1 1901, where he resided till the expiration.

He was a model young man commanding a host of friends both far and near and was admired by all who knew him, his best friends being those who knew him best.

In giving up George the community is giving up a rare treasure.

Since his father's death (Aug. 28, 1913) he has been his mother's companion, and a little father to his sister, Lizzie, trying in his sweet way to place the best influence around them.

The funeral service was held at Hickory Creek church Tuesday afternoon (Feb. 17) conducted by Rev. A. L. Cline, pastor of the M. E. church, South of Springdale, Ark., and the remains were interred in the cemetery near by.

The service was largely attended by friends who came to pay the last tribute of respect to the deceased.

The floral tributes were beautifully and tastefully arranged by Misses Leak, Stanley and Howard and were finally tenderly laid on the freshly molded grave of our beloved.

Surviving him is his mother, Mrs. J. C. Holiday, of Lowell, Ark., his sister, Mrs. Florence Stanley of West Tulsa, Okla., Miss Montie Holliday, of Red Fork, Okla., Miss Lizzie Holliday of Lowell, Ark., and his only brother, J. W. Holliday of Abilene, Texas.

The pallbearers were, Messrs Marion Leak, Roy Stanley, Burla Sigmond, Hans Paulsen, Lem Sigmond and Pleas Sigmond.

MONTE HOLLIDAY.

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We believe Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion is the best remedy made for toning the nerves, enriching the blood, building up wasted tissues, renewing health, strength and energy—the best medicine you can use if you are run-down, tired-out, nervous and debilitated, no matter what the cause. It doesn't depend for its good effects upon alcohol or habit-forming drugs, because it contains none. It may not make you feel better in a few hours, but it will make you feel better, we are sure, just as soon as the tonic and food properties it contains have a chance to get in the blood and, thru the blood, into the rest of the system. Pure Olive Oil and the Hypophosphites have long been endorsed by successful physicians, but here, for the first time, they are combined into one preparation which, as a nerve food and a builder of strength and health, we believe, has no equal.

If you don't feel well, begin taking Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion today, and build your health and strengthen your system against more serious illness. To convalescents, old people, puny children and all others who are weak, run-down or ailing, we offer Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion with our personal promise that, if it doesn't make you well and strong again, it will cost you nothing. If we didn't have the utmost faith in it, we wouldn't offer it with this guarantee, nor even recommend it to you. We are sure that once you have used it you will recommend it to your friends, and thank us for having recommended it to you. Sold only at the more than 7,000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us. \$1.00—W. L. DOSS, Colorado, Texas.

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HARRIMAN SAFETY MEDAL AWARDED SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY



At a recent meeting of the American Museum of Safety, held at the Hotel Waldorf-Astoria, New York, the Southern Pacific Company was awarded the first of the E. H. Harriman Memorial Medals for record progress in safety, and accident prevention.

The medal, the gift to the American Museum of Safety by Mrs. E. H. Harriman, in memory of the railroad magnate, will be awarded annually by the Museum to the railroad holding the record for progress in safety and accident prevention. It is executed in gold, and on one side is a raised figure of E. H. Harriman with the inscription, "E. H. Harriman Memorial Medal, awarded by the American Museum of Safety to the Southern Pacific Company," and on the other side is a figure of a trainman, with lanterns, walking along a railroad track with inscription, "For the utmost progress in Safety and Accident Prevention."

The Southern Pacific system operates nearly 12,000 miles of railroad, and during a period of five years just ended has not caused a single fatality to its passengers through collisions, derailments or other train accidents. During that time the Southern Pacific carried over 200,000,000 passengers, more than twice the entire population of the United States, an average distance of forty-five miles. This is equivalent to carrying 9,000,000,000 passengers one mile, or one passenger 9,000,000,000 miles, or 360,000 times the distance around the earth.

This company has expended to date over \$12,000,000 for automatic electric block safety signals, air brakes and automatic couplers and other devices for safety and accident prevention. This company has also endeavored to impress upon its employees in every way possible the importance of accident prevention and that "eternal vigilance" must be the watchword of all, from the highest officer to the humblest employee.

There were forty leading railroad systems in the United States competing for the medal.

TEACHERS EXAMINATIONS

Be Held in All County Seats First Friday and Saturday, And Thursday Preceding in April.

To The County or Ex-Officio County Superintendent:

Your attention is called to the fact that a special examination for teachers certificates will be held in all county seats in the State the first Friday and Saturday, and Thursday preceding, in April, instead of May, as heretofore. There will be no May examination this year. The change is made to accommodate a large number of teachers who desire to hear from their papers before the regular June examination. The April examination will be limited to State certificates only, and the same rules and regulations which govern the regular examinations will also govern in this instance.

You are requested to give notice of this examination to the public thru the local papers of your county and by other available means.

The following schedule will be adhered to in all examinations for 1914 except the two series of summer normal examinations:

- THURSDAY FORENOON... History of Education, Physics, Solid Geometry, English Literature.
- THURSDAY AFTERNOON... Psychology, Chemistry, Bookkeeping, Plane Trigonometry.
- FRIDAY FORENOON... Physical Geography, Physiology, Composition, Arithmetic.
- FRIDAY AFTERNOON... Texas History, Grammar, Descriptive Geography, Plane Geometry.
- SATURDAY FORENOON... Spelling, Writing, Methods and Management, Civics, Reading.
- SATURDAY AFTERNOON... United States History, General History, Agriculture, Algebra.

Sincerely yours,

W. F. DOUGHTY,
State Supt.

POSTED—KEEP OUT.

The Spade, or Ellwood Ranch is posted according to law and notice is hereby given to keep out. All trespassers, hunters, wood haulers, trappers and others are warned to keep out or be prosecuted. Better take notice.

O. F. JONES, Mgr. of

A car load of all kinds of farm implements just unloaded at McMurrys. See the Mr. Bill Planter—Free.

AN INDUSTRY WITH SOUL MATERIAL.

Cotton Mills of Texas Study Efficiency of Employees and Provide for Their Comfort and Happiness.

In this age when many corporations are charged with being soulless, it is encouraging to find a line of industry giving first attention to the care, comfort and happiness of its employees. Men and women are the greatest finished product a factory can turn out and their development is good for the factory as well as good for society. Improving and repairing the efficiency of man is as good an investment as improving and repairing machinery of the plant and the greatest field of economy in industry now lies in increasing the efficiency of employes.

Industrial psychology is a science that is being recognized in many ways by large concerns throughout the country. The efforts of many business institutions which have heretofore been confined to official advice and warning to their employes are now taking a more practical form and the managers of industry are realizing that manhood cannot be constructed by threats and penalties alone. Mental and physical efficiency is the result of education, growth and development. Breakdowns in men have caused more loss to industry than breakdowns in machinery and manufacturers are finding those things which contribute toward efficiency of their employes the most profitable investment that can be made.

The textile mills of the State, in most instances, provide comfortable homes with modern conveniences, looking well after the health and comfort of their employes and the mental charges are minimal. The employes are as a rule thrifty and industrious and a large per cent of them own their homes. The home life of the mill worker is pleasant and the mill society is usually an exclusive one, the employes of workers living to themselves.

Some of the mills provide community playgrounds equipped with modern devices of swings and gymnasiums, furnished with up-to-date contrivances for the use of the employes in the work of physical development. The machinery of the mill furnishes a practical study of mechanical science and the business of the plant affords an opportunity for acquiring information and experience in the affairs of industry.

ORIGIN OF SOME BAD DREAMS.

The New York Evening Mail reports that in the latter part of May in the same night, two brothers, Joseph H. and Max Freedman, New Brunswick, N. J., each dreamed the same dream. In the dreams, their dead father appeared and insisted that his sons must accompany him to the spirit world. Early in June one of the brothers died and an explanation of the dreams, in order. That the dreams did not automatically occur to the brothers is evident. Presumably there were in-

fluences brought to bear upon their minds. That those influences were not earthly is evident, for no earthly being would suggest such dreams to anybody. That they were not heavenly influences is apparent for the supposed spirit did not claim heaven as its home, and manifested an evil rather than a heavenly disposition in saying to each son, as reported, "I will not stay alone under the sod, I will have some one with me. I am lonely."

That no father would thus seek to break up the homes of his children is self evident, and that he could not do it after he was dead is plain, for "The dead know not anything" (Ecc. 9:5). In the day that a man dies, "His breath goeth forth, he returneth to his earth; in that very day his thoughts perish." (Psa. 146:4.) "His sons come to honor, and he knoweth it not; and they are brought low, but he perceiveth it not of them."—Job 14-21. What, then, are these influences which seek to unjustly and untruthfully impress living men with the thought that the dead are not dead?

The answer is that since death first came into the world, all the evil spirits, Satan and the angels who fell at the flood, (Genesis) have conspired in every possible way to deceive mankind into believing that death is not death, so that they might also destroy their faith in a future life, thru a resurrection from the dead. If Satan can once convince a man that his future life is positively assured, no matter what he does, he has convinced him that he needs no Redeemer, and has taken from him the greatest incentive to an upright life. Contrast the deceptions of these lying spirits with the Scriptural hope of a resurrection from the dead, as follows:

"O that thou wouldst hide me in a shroud (the tomb), that thou wouldst keep me secret, until thy wrath be past, that thou wouldst appoint me a set time and remember me! If a man die, shall he live again! All the days of my appointed time will I wait till my change come. Thou shalt call (in the resurrection morning) and I will answer thee; thou wilt have a desire to the work of thy hands."—Job 14: 13-15. The resurrection morning is near.

THE WANDERING JEW

The Forty Year Test.
An article must have exceptional merit to survive for a period of forty years. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was first offered to the public in 1872. From a small beginning it has grown in favor and popularity until it has attained a world wide reputation. You will find nothing better for a cough or cold. Try it and you will understand why it is a favorite after a period of more than forty years. It not only gives relief—it cures. For sale by W. L. Doss.

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My resident property in Colorado is on the market for sale or trade, will sell and give terms or will trade. Make me an offer.
J. F. CLAYTON.
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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) an announcement or news item

SPRING IS COMING.

Listen! What a sudden rustle fills the air!
All the birds are in a bustle everywhere.
Such a ceaseless croon and twitter overhead!
Such a flash of wings that glitter wide overhead!
Far away I hear a drumming—"Tap, tap, tap!"
Can the woodpecker be coming after Sap?
What does all this haste and hurry mean, I pray?
All this outdoor flush and flurry seen today?
This presaging stir and humming, Thrill and call
Mean? It means that spring is coming—
That is all!

IN CLUB LAND.

Hesperian.

Mrs. J. L. Allen was hostess for the Hesperian Club last week, with Miss Dry as leader.
This program was carried out.
Roll Call—The Influence of Carlyle on the Imagination of Dickens.
Paper—The French Revolution as depicted in Tale of Two Cities.—Miss Jo Dry.
Was Dickens a Successful Painter of Past Epochs—Mrs. Edgar Majors.
As Humorist Compare Dickens with his eighteenth Century Predecessors, Swift, Fielding and Goldsmith.—Mrs. Merritt.
Miss Eleanor Dupree was the guest of the social hour at which time the hostess served a delicious salad course

Standard.

The Standard Club met with Mrs. Riordan last Friday and carried out this program.
Roll Call—Current Events.
Richard II Act V. Scenes 4-5-6.—Mrs. Bailey.
Magazine—Maria Theresa and Women of Austria.—Mrs. Burns.
"Stirring Times in Austria" by Mark Twain.—Mrs. Crockett.
Social Hour—Refreshments.

Bay View.

Mrs. Shropshire was hostess for the Bayview Club last week with Mrs. Richard Pearson as leader.
Roll Call—Current Events.
Brave little Holland was completed and reviewed which consumed the study hour. Mrs. Hennessy, Mrs. Earnest Misses Earnest and Leathers, were guests at the social hour. The hostess served a salad course with coffee.

Suffered with Throat Trouble.

After using four bottles of Peruna he claims that he was entirely restored to health.
Catarth of the throat is not only an annoying disease of itself, but it exposes the victim to many other diseases. We are constantly breathing into our throats numerous atmospheric germs. Disease germs of all sorts. This cannot be avoided. If the throat is healthy the system is protected from these poisonous germs. But if the throat is raw and punctured with numerous little ulcers, by catarrh, then the disease germs have easy access to the system. Keep the throat well and clean. This is the way to protect yourself against contagious diseases. Gargle the throat as explained in the new "I'lls of Life," sent free by the Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. Barnes says: "I had throat trouble and had three doctors treating me. All failed to do me any good, and pronounced my health gone. I concluded to try Peruna, and after using four bottles can say I was entirely cured."

Come and guess Mr. Bills at McMurry's.



MR. B. W. D. BARNES,
McMinnville, Tenn.

COUGHRAN-MAJORS

Last Sunday afternoon at 5:30 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Majors in Sweetwater, Mr. James B. Coughran and Miss Edna Majors were united in Marriage. Rev. Simeon Shaw officiating.
Although the wedding took place in Sweetwater both parties belong to Colorado. Both having been reared here and belong to the best families of Mitchell County. The Majors moved to Sweetwater a few years ago but having interests and so many friends here they are still numbered as Colorado folks.

The wedding was a very simple quiet affair only the immediate families of both bride and groom and a few intimate friends being present.

The bride and groom were attended by Miss Roxie Coughran, sister of the groom and Mr. John Majors, brother of the bride.

Miss Roxie was becomingly attired in tan esophage with accessories to match while the bride looked her prettiest in electric blue, coat suit with blue accessories. The men were in conventional black.

Loegrins wedding March was played very sweetly by Miss Ruth Buchanan, the bride's dearest friend from childhood.

After the ceremony a salad course was served to the bridal party and friends by the three daughters-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Majors.

The bride and groom left on the night train for Dallas for a few days and will then be at home in the Jackson home in Colorado.

Miss Edna will need no introduction to Colorado people as she was born and reared in here and counts her friends by the score. The groom is a son of Sherig G. B. Coughran, and a prominent young business man here and by his honesty and faithfulness to business has built up a trade that any young man should be proud of and deserves this climax to his happiness—a sweet trusting, loving wife and the Record extends congratulations and wishes for them a long life of prosperity and happiness.

Those attending the wedding from Colorado were: Mrs. J. W. Smith, Mrs. J. B. Enderly, Miss Ruth Buchanan, Messrs. Wooten, Jeffers, Chester Thomas and Mrs. R. W. Mitchell of Abilene.

MEETING OF BARACCA CLASS

Last Sunday the Baracca Class of the Baptist Sunday School, which is taught by Mr. W. R. Morgan, had a meeting at the parsonage for the purpose of reorganizing and electing new officers. This is now a "live wire" in the Sunday School and owes much to the faithful efforts of Mr. Morgan.

The class now is properly organized with a membership of twenty-one and every member feels it his duty to do the best he can to keep the class growing. The officers are as follows:

Teacher—Rev. J. N. Campbell.
President—W. R. Morgan.
1st Vice President—Tom Payne.
2nd Vice President—Z. M. Davis.
Secretary—Frank Drake.
Treasurer—Sam Nunn.
Reporter—Walter Owens.
Also various committees were appointed to look after the sick, strangers and so on.

A cordial invitation is extended to the stranger and young men who do not attend school to meet with this class. The Baptist School is proud of their Baracca Class.

DIED.

Little Robert, age almost six, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ingram died Monday morning after a brief but intense suffering of pneumonia. All was done for him that loving and skillful hands could do but the Master had need of this one of his jewels and took him to be with Him where there is no sickness or suffering. He had been sick such a short time that even their intimate friends hardly knew of his sickness till they learned of his death. "There is a reaper whose name is Death."

And with his sickle keen,
He reaps the bearded grain at a breath
And the flowers that grow between
Just why this flower was plucked
We do not know for now we see thru
A glass darkly, but then face to face,
and all will be made plain and may
this sorrow only drive the loved ones
closer to the Master. The Record
with their many friends extend sym-
pathy in this sad hour.

The funeral services were conducted Tuesday at the family residence by Rev. J. N. Campbell and Rev. Mr. Cle-

ments and the little form was laid to rest in I. O. O. F. Cemetery the same evening.

RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

WHEREAS it has pleased the Supreme Architect of the Universe to remove from the scene of his earthly labors, our beloved brother, Thomas J. Payne.

THEREFORE: Be it resolved that Mitchell Lodge No. 563, A. F. & A. M. offers its most sincere sympathy to the family of our fallen brother, whose memory we revere and whose loss we do deplore and humbly invokes the blessings of the Supreme Grand Master of Heaven and Earth upon this stricken household in this, their hour of deepest grief.

Be it resolved that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family placed on the minutes of the Lodge and published in the Colorado Record.

Fraternally Submitted,
S. D. VAUGHAN,
T. J. RATLIFF,
C. M. ADAMS,
Committee.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

(Guy B. Duff, Pastor)

Services are being conducted each evening this week by the pastor, and much interest is already being manifested. The Sabbath school was the largest last Sabbath that it has been this year. Let us make the membership one hundred before the close of the church year.

Every one is most cordially invited to attend all the services. Come and worship with us and "we will do thee good". Don't forget to bring some one else with you.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Every Sabbath Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior League 2:30 p. m.; Senior League 6:30 p. m.; Prayer meeting every Wednesday 7:45 p. m. Choir practice every Wednesday following Prayer meeting; Vesper Service every 4th Sunday 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.
R. A. CLEMENTS, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

(J. N. Campbell Pastor)

Sunday March 15th: Preaching both morning and evening by the pastor. Evening hour for all services changed to 7:45.

Sunday School 10:00 a. m. J. H. Greene, Superintendent.

Prayer-meeting, Normal Class and Teacher's Meeting on Wednesday evening.

C. W. B. M.

The Auxiliary to the C. W. B. M. met with Mrs. R. P. Price last Thursday with Mrs. W. R. Smith as leader.

The subject was "The Missionary Education of the Children with this scripture text 'Suffer the little children to come unto me'" and roll call of a missionary's child.

The field reports were encouraging and gave the ladies an inspiration to press forward with the work. The talks and papers were interesting and showed thought on the subject.

Mrs. V. O. Marshall read an interesting paper on "Training Children for the church and mission Service." Mrs. Leslie Crowder gave an instructive one on "The Joy of Giving."

The Bible questions were on Job. The social hour was made more enjoyable by partaking of the dainty salad course served by the hospitable hostess.

CUT FLOWERS.

Mrs. J. W. Smith has made arrangements to keep cut flowers on hand each week. You can get beautiful carnations delivered right at your door at the same price that you pay in Dallas or Ft. Worth and save the bother and expense of wiring or writing for them. Try some of the carnations for birthday and send some to your sweetheart or mother.

Eczema, Ring Worm, Itching, Tetter.

Sold under a positive guarantee to refund the purchase price if it does not cure itch, ringworm, tetter and all other skin diseases. Hunt's Cure has proven itself the standard medicine for skin diseases. As any druggist and read the positive guarantee that goes with each package. Price 50c. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman Texas. —W. L. Doss.

W. O. W. TAKE NOTICE.

On our next regular meeting night, Thursday March 19th we have three to initiate into the mysteries of Woodcraft and you are urged to be present.
ERNEST KEATHLEY, Clerk

If you should want a bottle of O-Cedar Polish and O-Cedar mop phone us and we will deliver them promptly.
H. L. HUTCHISON & CO.
Phone 27 for all kinds of feed.

LIVING MODELS DREW BIG CROWDS WEDNESDAY

Although some of the ladies complained that at times the men did not give them a fair show to see the operation of the living models in the show window of F. M. Burns Store from 4 to 6 o'clock Wednesday afternoon there were enough of the 1000 people present to give Colorado a fair idea of the excellency of the coming spring fashions.

The promenading of the beautiful chorus girls arrayed in garments of the latest mode was a novelty that was enjoyed by the crowds which thronged both the interior of the big store and the sidewalks on the outside for two solid hours.

About one hundred garments were shown, indicating the latest styles for spring in dresses, suits, skirts, waists and kimonos.

The living model exhibition was on the same order as that given in the large cities and F. M. Burns was highly complimented on his progressiveness in first introducing the exhibit in Colorado.

I dreamed I stood in Marble Halls
'Neath splendors' dazling light;
The mighty throng enraptured sat,
And all was hushed as night.

A figure glided gracefully
In Fashion's last attire;
A woman gown'd in richest robes,
To set our souls on fire.

Are we in Paris? Is this Worth's?
Ye Royal Shades look down;
Nor was creation ere designed
To thrill us like such gown.

Time sped on; And on we sat
And gazed in ecstasy,
As living models glided by
In graceful symmetry.

'Tis Burns Opening Day" they cried!
'And Living Models these
All this to show us how to dress
And Old Dame Fashion please.'

G. F. C.

Miss Ione Burk was hostess for the G. F. C. last Thursday. The time was spent in convention and contests given by the hostess.

The guests were Mrs. W. W. Hart and Mrs. J. H. Guitar.
A dainty salad course was served.

EIGHTY FOURTH BIRTHDAY

Last Sunday was Papa Hall's as he is familiarly called, 84th birthday and he has the distinction of living to see the fourth generation.

His son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Hall remembered the occasion by having the entire family present to dinner. There were, children, grandchildren and great grand children present. He and his good wife have traveled life's pathway together for more than sixty years and are always as happy and look on the bright side of life that the entire town rejoice when one of them pass a mile stone in life. May he have many more happy returns of the day and he and his dear helpmate travel together yet many years is the wish of the Record.

CENTRAL CIRCLE.

Mrs. G. W. Donaldson was hostess for the Central Circle of the Methodist ladies local church work, Monday at the home of Mrs. D. C. Byrne in South Colorado.

Besides the regular business an open meeting was planned for next Tuesday to entertain their husbands at Mrs. Sam Wulffen. Nine dollars and forty cents were received as dues which will be applied on home work.

Mrs. L. C. Dupree, Snively, Shipman, Kromer, Porter, Spalding and Miss Dry were the guests.

After work the hostess served a feast of good things, fried oysters, a salad course, with hot tea and coffee.

The meeting next month is with Mrs. Q. D. Hall.

BOUGHT A CASE.

Ben Plaster is now the owner of a new car. He bought a J. I. Case car from the agent—D. H. Snyder.

THE SICK THIS WEEK.

Mrs. J. B. Hall has been quite a sick woman all the week and is yet quite sick but is reported as improving.

Earl Jackson has the Grippe and unable to be at his place of business. Little Louise Wulffen is reported improving nicely and if no complications set up will soon recover.

No word comes from Dr. Weston and we presume that he is slowly recovering.

Judge J. E. Hooper is reported as not doing well at Mineral Wells and there is some talk of removing him to the coast. Miss Elsie, his daughter left the first of the week to be with him until he recovers.

Mineola Abolishes Pool Halls.

Mineola, Tex., March 7—Mineola precinct voted to abolish pool halls in today's election by a majority of thirty-seven out of 335 votes.

D. D. D. In Hospitals; Standard Skin Cure

How many hospital patients, suffering the frightful itch, the raw scorching pain of skin disease, have been soothed to sleep by a soothing fluid washed in by the nurse's hands?
That fluid is the famous D. D. D. prescription for eczema.

THE SUPERBLY NURSE of one of our prominent Catholic institutions (name of nurse and institute on application), writes regarding a patient. "The disease had eaten her eyebrows away. Her nose and lips had become disfigured. Since the use of D. D. D. her eyebrows are growing, her nose and face have assumed their natural expression."

How many eczema sufferers are paying their doctors for regular treatment and are being treated with this same soothing, healing fluid?
DR. GEO. T. RICHARDSON frankly writes "D. D. D. is superior to anything I have ever found. Soft and soothing, yet a powerful agent."

To do the work, D. D. D. Prescription must be applied according to directions given in the pamphlet around every bottle. Follow these directions—and see!

And it certainly takes away the itch at once—the moment the liquid is applied. The skin is soothed—calmed—so thoroughly refreshed—delightfully cooled.

All druggists of standing have the famous specific as well as the efficient D. D. D. Skin Soap.

But we are so confident of the merits of this prescription that we will refund the purchase price of the first full size bottle if it fails to reach your case. You alone are to judge.

W. L. DOSS, Druggist, Colorado, Texas.

CHURCH EFFICIENCY CONGRESS

The following church efficiency Congress will be held in Colorado at the Christian Church on Sunday and Monday March 15th and 16th next Sunday and Monday.

The following subjects will be discussed:

"The Efficient Church a United Church." "The Common Interest of the Kingdom." "The Training of the Efficient Church." "The Officers of the Efficient Church." "The Bible School at work in the Efficient Church." "Woman's Work in the Efficient Church." "Financing the Efficient Church." "The Relation of the College to the Efficient Church." "The Men and Millions movement in the Efficient Church."

J. W. Burkhardt, Sweetwater; Jas. A. Challaner, Abilene; J. F. Montgomery, Big Springs; John D. White, Haskell; Fleming, Midland; R. D. Schults, Midland; E. F. Elkins, Midland; Lee Clark, Midland; J. S. Stockard, Cisco; J. E. Evans, Odessa and others will take part.

Mr. W. A. Crowder received a letter saying in part:

Will you announce this Congress at Colorado for the date given. I shall be with you on the Sunday and shall be joined by others on Monday morning. Get entertainment for half dozen of the best fellows in Texas. We shall have a great time with you and I am sure the whole church will be helped.

Best wishes to all, W. P.
Everybody cordially invited to attend.

HEADACHY, COSTIVE BILIOUS, "CASCARETS"

Sick Headache, Bad Breath, Sour Stomach, Mean Liver and Bowels are Clogged—Cheer up!

Get a 10-cent box.
Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months.

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

Don't ask for credit you will be turned down.
BEN MORGAN.

We still have some Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets that we will sell on the easy payment plan to responsible parties.
H. L. HUTCHISON & CO.

Overland Model 79

GREATEST CAR VALUE ON THE MARKET

Compare the powerful motor, the costly bearings, transmission and rear axle construction—

MORE POWER
WHEEL BASE
COMFORT

THEN ASK THE PRICE

"Buy it Because it's a BETTER Car."

A. J. HERRINGTON, - Colorado

LOCAL NOTES

The Sweetwater Boy Scouts came over last Saturday to attend the big Cuthbert rabbit drive.

Jno. S. Vaughan has on hand at all times all kinds of feed. Phone 27 for prompt delivery.

The ugliest man in Midland, Joe Knowles, passed through Colorado Sunday morning on his way to the Ft. Worth Stock Show.

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

C. M. ADAMS Colorado, Tex

Bob Conaghan has accepted a position with the U. S. Government as cat-inspector and left this week for his new home at Mertzton to take up his duties there.

Plan your Easter Hat now while we have the time to make it MRS. B. F. MILLS.

T. B. McConnel of Big Springs was a Sunday visitor here meeting his many friends.

Seed sweet potatoe, yellow yams all other field and garden seeds at C. H. LASKY

The W. O. W. Team Boys report a nice trip to Ira for a class introductory last Friday night all had a fine time.

We have never been better prepared to care for your wants in furniture House furnishings and hardware.

H. L. HUTCHISON & CO

Mrs. Van King is enjoying a visit from her father Nick Anthony of Roscoe this week.

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

Ben Anthony, commercial Club secretary and general rustler came over from Sweetwater last Saturday to attend the Rabbit drive and enjoy the day in a good town.

Sporting goods and School supplies at Doss'.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Hammock came in last week from Gallup, N. M. and spent a few days here with home folks. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Buchanan Mr. Hammock has accepted a position as cashier of one of the banks at Burlington and has moved down there Mrs. Hammock will leave this week

We have on hand a few copies of the Texas Almanac. 35c come and get one and see when it is going to rain.

Mrs. Duoglas Burns and the boy came out from Ft. Worth this week and spent several days with home folks.

Plenty of Pure Hog Lard at Beal's market.

Tuesday was clean up day in Colorado and about fifty wagon loads of trash was hauled off which will help some toward making Colorado a clean town.

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

Ed Dupree was here from East Texas a few days this week.

W. L. Doss' the old reliable druggist

Jack McCall came over from Ryan last Saturday and spent the day meeting old friends. Mr. McCall is an enthusiastic Ball man and predicts his easy election.

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

Mrs. King spent a few days in Lorraine this week, the guest of Misses Gregg.

Baggage hauled to and from all trains by Pete's service car. Phone 154.

Miss Ruby Bronson of Westbrook was in our city Saturday.

Come and guess Mr Bills at McMurry

Mrs. M. E. Hollingsworth of Arlington has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Stowe of Colorado and Mrs. Tolson of Lorraine.

Beautiful new spring Millinery at MRS B. F. MILLS.

Harry Howell of Lorraine was up on Wednesday.

You will soon need that Mr. Bill planter at McMurry call at the store and he will explain how it is to be given away.

FINDS SILOS ARE VERY PROFITABLE

W. T. Thompson, Progressive Stock Farmer Tells Experience With Silo

Mr. W. T. Thompson, a prominent farmer who lives one mile south of Snyder giving his experience with feeding 200 calves last fall and winter on ensilage. We kindly ask that all our readers give this article their careful thought and earnest consideration. The silo has come to stay and can be used to profit, we believe, by thousands of west Texas farmers. The statement follows:

Last summer and early fall I put up some 200 tons of ensilage, using sorghum, kafir corn and maize. In this lot of ensilage, I probably used more maize than either kafir corn or sorghum, but my opinion is from my experience with ensilage that kafir corn is the best of these three forage crops, with sorghum second, but I find that stock like it all.

Last fall I bought two hundred calves from four to six months old, receiving them November 1st. For the first thirty days I ran the calves in the field on oats and stalk pasture putting them in the pen at night and feeding cotton seed. The weather being very cold and rainy during the first thirty days of feeding my calves lost some thirty or forty pounds per head.

About December 1st, I put the calves in the pens and began feeding them ensilage with 3 pounds of crushed maize per head each day, later changing from maize to cotton seed meal, using at first 1 1/2 pounds per head per day, increasing the amount of meal per head until I was giving four pounds at close of feeding.

Cost of Calves, Feeding Etc.

200 calves at \$25 head	\$5000.00
Int. on \$5000 time invested	120.00
Seven bales cotton seed	80.00
Crushed Malze	50.00
Cotton Seed Meal	511.00
Salt	5.00
Man to feed them, \$40 per month, 3 months	120.00
Total Cost	\$5886.00

Sale of Calves
Sixty five head sold February 3rd as follows:

56 head, wt 28,910	\$8.50	\$478.35
4 head, wt 2,060	\$7.00	28.00
4 head, wt 2,630	\$5.85	23.40
1 head, wt 630	\$7.35	7.35
Total		\$537.10

Less freight, corn, yardage and hay 231.70

Net Total \$3270.00
Sold February 13, at feed pens as follows:

120 head at \$37.50	\$4500.00
10 head at \$30.00	300.00
4 head at \$25.00	100.00
1 head at \$26.50	26.50
Total	\$4926.50

Total net sales of the calves \$7496.50
Less total cost 5886.00

Leaving net profit of \$1610.50
It will be observed from the above figures that I received \$1610.50 for the ensilage, as all other costs and feed products have been figured in.

The above amount may not seem to be large, but considering the fact that it is reported that every man in this country who fed calves, using only meal and hulls lost from \$3.00 to \$5.00 per head, it speaks well for the silo.

I might also add in connection with the above that my milk cows that were fed on ensilage doubt the yield of milk and butter.

This is my first experience with the silo, but I am thoroughly convinced that they are great things.

CITY COUNCIL

The City Council met in regular session last Monday evening with all the Aldermen and Mayor present. The general routine of business was transacted, bills allowed, street work reported and discussed.

The West Texas Electric Co. was granted a franchise for their high power cable over certain streets. New street work was planned and ordered done. Ninth street was reported as clayed. Attorneys for the old city bonds were present and offered a compromise to the city which was refused.

MEXICAN TAKEN TO PECOS

Waco, Mar. 9—Leon Martinez, yesterday was taken from the county jail here to Pecos, where he is to hang soon for the murder of Mrs. Emma Brown, a school teacher.

Martinez is only 18 years old. Before being taken away he was visited by his father, mother, brothers and sisters and the scene was affecting. The mother sobbed and clung to her son, and they were separated after much difficulty. Martinez has been incarcerated at Waco for two and a half years.

WESTBROOK ITEMS.

Miss Mona Page after several weeks visit with her brother, Mr. J. W. Page left Thursday for her home in Belton Texas.

Mrs. Owen gave several lectures here this week on The Boys Club. The attendance was good and every body enjoyed the lecture and wish her well in her work.

Miss Ruby Bronson visited in Colorado Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Vaughan went to Christoval Wednesday.

Mr. Claud Hooks went to Colorado Saturday.

Messrs. J. M. Page and A. M. Bell went to Lorraine Tuesday.

Mrs. Canterbury of Big Spring is visiting her brother, Mr. J. T. Smith.

The K. K. K. had a reception at the home of Mrs. C. L. Root last Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Mona Page who has been visiting her brother, Mr. Page of Westbrook. Mrs. Page, Miss Page and Miss Campbell formed the receiving line.

Two contests were enjoyed by the guests; An advertisement contest and a smelling contest. Miss Ruby Bronson won the prize.

Miss Lena McNairy and Miss Ruby Bronson served punch to the guests. Those present were Mesdames Langley, Page, Smart, Adams, McDonald, McNairy, Petty, Slaton, Selvage, Hamilton, Hudson, Johnson, Root and Misses Blakely Lonie Reed, Mayo Berry, Hoodie Pool, Ivy Harper, Hattie Petty, Myrtle Johnson, Maja McKinney, Lena McNairy, Ruby Bronson, Mona Page, Elta Campbell and Margaret Laseter.

BUMPER CROPS EXPECTED

Killeen—Recent rains in this section have put the land in excellent condition and bumper crops are expected this year. A great many of the farmers of this place are planning to greatly increase their corn acreage this season.

Come and guess Mr Bills at McMurry

WILL FURNISH CURRENT TO SIX COUNTIES

Fort Worth—Arrangements have been completed by the Fort Worth Power & Light Company whereby that concern will, furnish current to the counties of Dallas, Denton, Wise, Jack Palo Pinto and Parker, Towns and farms both will be supplied with power and light from the local plant.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Colorado People Know How to Save It.

Many Colorado people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Weak kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—a remedy that has helped thousands of kidney sufferers.

The following statement leaves no ground for doubt.

Mrs. J. A. Williams, Sweetwater, Texas, says: "I am pleased to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for what they have done for me. I have been greatly relieved of severe backaches and my kidneys have been strengthened by this remedy. I am now feeling much better in every way."

The above is not an isolated case. Mrs. Williams is only one of many in this vicinity who have gratefully endorsed Doan's. If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs. Williams had. 50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., 3-20

Denton Votes Out Pool Halls.

Denton, Tex., March 7.—The pool hall election in this city and three adjacent districts today resulted in 204 votes for prohibiting the pool halls and forty-five against.

Ben Morgan The Confectioner.

CANDIDATES AGREEMENT FOR SPEAKING DATES

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell We, the undersigned candidates for Offices in Mitchell County, for the purpose of arranging speaking dates at which all will have an equal opportunity to present their claims for their respective offices to the people, hereby agree as follows:

That we will speak at the following times and places:

Longfellow	May 22
Valley View	May 26
Zelner	May 29
Landers	June 2
Buford	June 2
Champion	June 5
Bauman	June 9
Landers	June 12
Seven Wells	June 16
Lowe	June 19
Union	June 23
Cuthbert	June 26
Daniels	June 30
Looney	July 7
Spade	July 10
Westbrook	July 14
Lorraine	July 21
Colorado	July 24

It is understood that any and all of the above named dates are made subject to the approval of the people of the communities in which said dates are arranged and that same may be changed by agreement of a majority of the parties to this agreement.

It is agreed that none of the candidates subscribing hereto shall take part in any speakings at other times and places, except such as may be agreed upon by a majority of the parties to this agreement; however, it is understood that any one desiring may attend any gathering arranged by the people independent of any candidate or candidates and speak thereat, provided all candidates are invited.

It is further agreed that each candidate shall be allowed ten minutes in which to make his announcement and speech; and no candidate shall be allowed more than ten minutes; and if any candidate uses less than ten minutes, the remainder of the time cannot be used by another candidate; provided,

however, that the candidates for county judge shall be allowed 25 minutes time. It is understood that the order of the speeches on the program shall be determined by rotation.

It is understood that at our first meeting hereafter a permanent chairman shall be selected from among our number whose duty it shall be to preside at all speakings and see that this agreement is carried out.

This agreement shall not become effective until signed by three-fourths of the candidates for offices in this county.

Witness our hands this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1914.

- THOS. J. COFFEY.
- A. W. COOKSEY
- L. A. COSTIN
- J. H. WILLIAMS
- M. C. RATLIFF
- W. R. WOMACK
- J. W. KAY
- J. W. SMITH
- EARL JACKSON
- EARL CALLOWAY
- J. H. BULLOCK
- T. B. PORTER
- J. N. MCGEEHEE

Any candidate who wishes to participate in the above speaking dates will be expected to sign this agreement. All candidates for office in this County are invited to join in this agreement, the only requirement being compliance with its terms.

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.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CLEMENTY, & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

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Good pictures every night at Shadowland.