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## THE SILO FOR WEST TEXAS

TAYLOR COUNTY FARMERS INSTITUTE MAKE REPORT.

Some Authentic and Interesting Facts About the Silo—its Advantages and Etc.

The Taylor County Farmers Institute at Abilene appointed a committee of three of the best farmers in the County to investigate the Silo and make a report. After a thorough investigation they reported as follows:

**SILOS.**  
We feel that there is but one serious mistake you can make about silos—and that is not to build one.

If you have made up your mind to avoid that mistake, then the kind of silo to build or dig and the size is largely a matter of individual preference. That the good and bad points of each kind of silo may be studied so that you can make a selection to suit your surroundings, your purse your labor and your taste. We give a short description of the different kind of silos—wooden, concrete, metal, rock, brick, tile and pit.

**Wooden Silos.**  
These silos are the regular iron hoop stave silo, the wooden hoop common sense or crib silo, the panel silo, the Gurier silo, the Craibe silo, the Wisconsin silo, and the 4x4 government silo, and the latter style with the binder wire between the 2x4.

The stave silo is the one in more general use than all the others combined. The staves are of various kinds of wood—pine, red wood, fir, hemlock and cypress. The pine is the most generally used, because it is cheaper and is giving general satisfaction. All the stave silos are bound together with iron hoops, and have doors at the height of the silo, some spaced and some continuous. The merits of the stave silo are: they are quickly erected, come ready to put up, are neat structures, keep the silage well or better than any other kind, and are the standard as to price. A hundred ton silo of unpainted and untreated wood will cost about \$250.

The disadvantages are: the wood swells when the juices of the silage are absorbed, and shrink as the silage is removed, making it necessary to tighten the hoops and loosen again when refilled. The empty silo is hard to keep in shape, needs much care, must be painted and geyed. It is subject to being blown down, shrinks and becomes racked and goes to stave and in this section a very large per cent of the early silos were struck by lightning. There are several stave silos near Abilene, and all are given good satisfaction. J. M. Miller, J. B. Knox, W. J. Pau, et. J. L. Burford each have a silo of this kind.

The Common Sense or crib silo, is made of 2x4 lumber, laid flat and spiked together with large nails, and is lined with an asphalt felt paper and has from six to twelve staves.

The Tug-Lok Silo is practically the same as the Common Sense, and in addition the 2x4 pieces are tongue and grooved like flooring. The advantages of these silos are that no special skill is required to do the work; they can be built at idle time and are always safe wherever work is stopped, can be made higher at any time, has no hoops to become loose or to be tightened, can not go to stave or fall down, will stand and be good as long as the wood will last but are subject to lightning the same as the other wooden silos. Their disadvantages are: That they are more difficult to properly fill than the round make, but when properly filled will keep the silage as good as any other make, and while there are no hoops used it takes practically twice as much lumber the walls being four inches thick, but as there are no guy wires or hoops necessary the cost of this make is practically the same as the stave and hoop silo. On hundred ton silos of either make will cost approximately \$350.

Each of the other kind of wooden silos named in this article has its merits and faults but none are in use near here and so far as the committee is advised there is no inquiry about them, but the prices are given in their Catalogues and do not vary greatly from the prices in those given above.

Of these there are three general types. The block is the very usual form and there is one on the Banker farm near here which was built several years ago, and is in good shape. They are more costly than any form of wood silos, but those who have used them are well pleased. A hundred ton silo of this kind will cost about \$475.

The cement stave silo is either rectangular or diamond shape, and is bound together by iron hoops and is reported by those who have used them as giving good satisfaction. Mr. G. O. Cresswell of Oplin, Calahan county, has one of this make. A hundred ton silo of this make will cost \$343.

The Monolithic, or solid concrete silo is made in one piece built up in moulds by sections, and is unquestionably a good silo. Mr. John Gular has such a silo near Abilene. A hundred ton silo of this kind will cost approximately \$500.

The advantages of the cement silos are: permanence, durability, little likelihood of blowing down, lightning proof, fire proof, no shrinkage or swelling and can be built of any height and small diameter, it needs no paint and calls for no repairs.

The drawbacks are: If silo should

crack it is almost impossible to patch or repair, in cold climate the silages harder to keep than in a wooden silo, and is more expensive to build. If material is convenient it is probable they are worth the additional cost. In Missouri the farmers who have used silos made of cement were unanimous in their statement that if they were to build additional silos they would make them of cement. In this climate there is probably no injury to the silage from evaporation or cooling.

There are also cement plastered silos steel lath are cheaper than the other forms of silos and as good. Brick, stone and tile silos have all been tried but are more expensive than any of the silos that we have discussed, and there seems to be no demand here for information of either kind.

There are several kinds of metal silos, but as far as we know there are none in this immediate section, but there is one close to Bradshaw. A hundred ton silo will cost approximately \$—

There is a metal silo lined with cypress with a dead air space between the walls, and an asphalt or tar lining so that there is no swelling of the wood; the silage acids do not reach the metal and there is no danger of evaporation or cooling. A hundred ton silo will cost approximately \$—

They cost in proportion to the weight and quality of the metal. They have been long and successfully used in Australia. Their advantages are: air tight, fire proof, smooth walls and silage settles easy; can be taken apart and removed, do not crack or dry out; come in small sections and are easily handled in an ordinary wagon. There are metals that are acid proof and any kind can be made so by using asphalt or tar paint.

The disadvantages are: the continual high winds are liable to destroy the texture of the metal by the continued vibration, are liable to be blown down and are more expensive than the wooden make and more care has to be taken to prevent the acid from injuring some kinds of the metal.

The Collapsible Metal Silo invented by W. B. Starr of Eastland, now agricultural agent of the Texas and Pacific and other Gould lines, promises much merit. Its advantages are: that it is let down from the top as the silage is fed out so that no doors or guy wires are needed; no roof is used, nor hoops, there is no danger from wind, fire or lightning, and may easily be removed from place to place and will cost about two-thirds as much as a stave silo of the same size.

**Pit Silo.**  
This is the last silo we mention and where the water level is sufficiently deep it has much or more merit than any other kind, and we give a little more space to its discussion because we feel there is no excuse for any man who has ground suitable for the digging of such a silo not to have one. Its advantages are: Any one who can dig a round hole and keep it smooth and plumb can make it; it can be dug and plastered as it goes down and no scaffolding is needed it has no doors; needs no roof, no guy wires; can not be damaged by lightning; tornadoes, by sun, fire or water; is suitable for fill, and can be made of such small diameter that an up-ground silo of the same size could not be made to stand up, and for that reason suitable to the smallest number of stock. It can be used the first year without cementing and can be enlarged in diameter when more space is demanded and can be made deeper at any time; the silage keeps as well in an uncemented silo as a cemented one. The silage can not freeze or be injured by evaporation; the farmer can make this silo with his own labor; can do as he suits his convenience; can work a day and stop a week, or work a week and stop a day, with no damage from the cessation; needs no paint or roof. If there is good solid clay the cement can be plastered direct to the wall, but it would be better to use small mesh poultry netting or woven wire fence and cement to this, and thus secure an everlasting silo. The silage can be tramped to the top in filling and can be easily refilled again after settling.

Its advantages are: It is so easily made so simple in construction and so cheap and so valuable that many who measure merit by the cost are unable to see its good points; it is liable to form carbonic acid gas in filling—same thing as "damp" in wells—and thus become dangerous, but this is so rare and so easily obviated as to be of little consequence, as the gas is heavier than the air, and when the silo is full it will be displaced by its own weight and by the air; its presence can always be detected by there is gas it will cease to burn. As it forms, however, in the filling there would be little danger in using it, for you begin at the top when there would be no place for it to accumulate, and the taking out of the silage itself would tend to keep it clear. To avoid accidents to stock or people in falling in a collar of cement should extend some four or five feet above the ground, and thus make more room and give safety. Its greatest drawbacks, and really the only one that is of any consequence is the difficulty in getting the silage out. It has to be elevated daily in small amounts, whereas the up-ground silos are fed by machinery easily, rapidly and cheaply and it is fed down easily by gravity, but there are many contrivances that can be used to get the silage out. The simplest is the bucket and pulley; then

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### FARMERS JUBILANT OVER CROP CONDITIONS.

Robstown—Farmers in this section are jubilant over crop conditions and are preparing to harvest large grain crops, including corn, which is in a flourishing condition at present. Recent rains in this locality are attributed principally for the splendid condition of the crops.

### POSTED.

The Mary Lewis Land and all lands leased by her are posted according to law. All trespassers, wood haulers, and hunters will be prosecuted. I mean it and will make complaint against any one found in my pasture. So take warning. 7-16-p. MRS. MARY LEWIS.

### ST LOUISIANS PLEASSED WITH CROP CONDITIONS IN TEXAS.

Fort Worth—A number of St. Louis bankers and wholesale men were in this city last week for the purpose of making an inspection of their investments in Fort Worth and other sections of Texas. They were highly pleased with crop conditions throughout the state and were of the opinion that one of the largest crops ever harvested in the Lone Star State is in the making at present.

### WILL SURVEY MINERAL DEPOSITS.

Marfa—A survey of the mineral deposits in the Davis Mountains which are located near here will be conducted by the Department of Mineralogy of the State University of Michigan at an early date. Surveyors of that institution are enroute to this city at present and are expected to arrive here at an early date to begin their task.

**Health a Factor in Success.**  
The largest factor contributing to a man's success is undoubtedly health. It has been observed that a man is seldom sick when his bowels are regular—he is never well when they are constipated. For constipation you will find nothing quite so good as Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. They are sold by W. L. DOSS.

### STRAWBERRY CROP LARGE.

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bucket and pulley with windlass, the crane, the crane and pulley with horse power. In any event we feel altogether certain that the stock of the man who has a pit silo well filled will never suffer simply because it is some extra effort to feed them, when that feed is not over twenty or thirty feet away. The main feeding time of silage comes in winter when there is but little work, or in the heat of summer when the farmer is not over busy.

In January you wish for July sunshine and warmth and you have it chanced up in your silo less than fifty feet away—it would be a lark to get it. In July you would have canned and convenient the justness and suaveness of the spring shower that always comes even in this land of "little rain," and it would be a journey of joy to that pit silo for such a load. A pit silo with a metal collapsible up-ground addition would probably be the cheapest as well as the best form in which to make silage.

As to whether it is best to roof a silo is more a matter of preference than a necessity. It will cost from 15 to 20 per cent of the amount put in to the silo, it adds probably little, if any thing, to the value of the silage but does add to the looks of the silo; gives it a finished appearance; makes it stronger and more convenient to feed when it is raining or snowing. It would protect a stave or wooden silo from rain and sun on the inside. Its drawbacks are: Its cost, the fact without a roof you can by putting a four or six feet high picket fence around the top of the silo when filling add enough silage to make the silo full at the top after settling. With a roof it is hard to tramp the silage evenly when nearly full so that there must be much unoccupied space at the top after settling.

**Painting Silo.**  
Painting on the outside with any good lead paint will add to its durability, neatness and finish. The inside should be painted, but never use lead in any shape, as it is dissolved with the silage acids and becomes poisonous, and some heavy losses have followed. There is a patented or trademark preparation that gives promise of being very good for both inside and outside (Antiseptine) but is quite expensive.

**What Shall We Put in Silo?**  
Any and everything in the forage line that you can raise, except the hollow stalk grains. There is practically no difference in the feeding value pound for pound of silage made from sorghum, kaffir, feterita, milo maize, Indian corn, Egyptian wheat or Shalla. Then use the one you can raise the most of per acre, or the one you feel is the most certain to make a crop.

The Epileptic Colony will build two silos this summer from an appropriation made by the last legislature, and Dr. Bass, the superintendent, and the board of directors have decided to build a cement stave silo and a pit silo, and these two silos will give an easy opportunity to examine and compare the merits and the drawbacks of these two kinds.

### Salient Points in Judge Ball's Opening Speech.

An education must be placed within reach of every child in Texas and state's educational institutions properly equipped and maintained. Our eleemosynary institutions must be made safer, more habitable and

large enough to care for all the state's charges.

The land problem must be solved as to make it possible for every honest and industrious citizen to own his own home.

Penal institutions should be so managed as to be self sustaining at the same time they punish and reform criminals.

Court procedure should be so reformed as to expediate justice and avoid unnecessary delays, expense and obstructions.

Capital desiring honest investment should be willing to obey the law should be encouraged.

State must be placed on "pay as you go" basis and taxes kept as low as real needs of state will allow.

Election laws must be amended so as to prevent fraud at the ballot box.

Liquor interests must be driven out of state politics and liquor business driven from state.

Liquor problem should be dealt with by states rather than nation, and prohibition should come by constitutional amendment rather than by statute.

People should get a dollar's value for every dollar they pay into the public treasury.

Present tax limit of 50 cents in common and independent school districts should be removed.

All children within scholastic age should be required to attend school for a portion of each year under regulations to meet local conditions.

Fixed salaries should be substituted for fees in case of county officers, where this is possible without inflicting too heavy burdens upon taxpayers of poorer and smaller counties.

The initiative, referendum and recall should be adopted and the interest of the laboring man should be fully protected.

Nominations for all state officers should be by majority.

Good roads, warehouses where farmers may store produce, and system of rural credits and marketing should be encouraged by the state.

Public school funds should be loaned to farmers at low rate of interest for purchase of homes.

Our attention should be given to the making of home owners rather than tenants, and Judge Ball presents a comprehensive plan for making this possible through use of state and university school lands and state's credit.

Mr. Ferguson's land policy is dissected and a home owning program offered instead.

After state is placed upon cash basis and all institutions properly cared for, legislature should be kept in Austin all summer, if need be, to frame constitutional amendments and other legislation necessary to solve agricultural problems of state.

If submission carries a resolution embodying that should be passed with in three days and legislature give attention to other problems.

No contributions will be received from any corporation and none in excess of \$100 will be accepted from any individual.

Judge Ball appeals not to the weak against the strong, but to the strong against the weak alike; not to the tenant against the landlord but to the tenant and landlord alike, and stands for a "square deal and not an inch more for every individual and interest in Texas."

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Tuesday Evening, May 12th  
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If you enjoyed the Operetta "Sylvia," given last year under the same direction, you will reserve your seats for "Bul-bul" early.

### CAST OF CHARACTERS.

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LILLA—A friend to Bulbul ..... Miss Eleanor Van Tuyl  
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DOSAY—Keeper of the Royal spectacles ..... J. E. Stowe  
JUSTSO—Keeper of the Royal cash box ..... B. S. Van Tuyl  
Maids of Honor, Peddlers, Ladies of the Court, House Maids, Chorus, and Gentlemen of the Court.

## Colorado Public School Closes.

The closing exercises of the Colorado public schools will be held at the High School Auditorium Monday evening, May 11, beginning at 8 o'clock, instead of Friday, May 8, as formerly announced.

The Baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Rev. B. W. Dodson at the Methodist church Sunday evening May 10.

The program for the exercises is as follows:

Invocation ..... Rev. Guy B. Duff.  
Chorus: Greetings ..... S. T. Paul  
Salutatory ..... High School Pupils  
An Analysis of Rabbi Ben Era  
Cleo Annis Pritchett.

### CLASS PLAY:

## "The Merchant of Venice Up to Date."

### DRAMATIC PERSONAE

Antonio—Capt. High School Foot Ball Team ..... Leonard Gardiner Simon.  
Bassanio—Antonio's Friend ..... Enos Van Ellis.  
Gratiano—A member of Antonio's football squad ..... Cloize Anthony King  
Shylock—A disabled football player who rents Latin "ponies" Lee Phenix  
Launcelot—The Clown ..... James Colbert Cook  
Portia—The winning of whose hand depends upon an examination in Latin. Cleo Annis Pritchett.  
Nerissa—Portia's Friend ..... Alma Dan Phillips.  
Jessica—Shylock's Ward ..... Flora Hortense Simpson  
Miss Threddee—Teacher in charge of examination ..... Eril King.  
Professor, Policeman, Duke Tubal, and Foot Ball Men.

Chorus—Hurrah for a Holiday ..... S. T. Paul  
High School Pupils.  
Awarding of D. A. R. Medal. Miss Louise Moorar.  
Valedictory—Modern Knighthood. Eril King.  
Baccalaureate Address. Rev. H. G. Hennessy.  
Presentation of Diplomas. Hon. M. J. Thomas.  
Chorus—Tramp, Tramp ..... R. H. Wilson.  
High School Pupils.  
Benediction. Rev. R. A. Clements.

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### ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS IN TRUCK SHIPMENTS SHATTERED

Brownsville—Up to the present time all previous records in truck shipments from the lower Rio Grande Valley have been shattered. During this season producers of truck in that section have shipped to the various markets 2,002 cars of vegetables, while during the same period of last year only 880 cars were dispatched. The shipments were divided as follows: Cabbage 1,338 carloads; onions 59 carloads; lettuce 52 carloads; potatoes 3 carloads and mixed products 70 carloads.

### SILLO FACTORY FOR SAN ANGELO.

San Angelo, Tex. Apr.—The West Texas Lumber Company has completed arrangements for the erection of a sillo factory in this city and work will commence on the new industry immediately. The company will manufacture an interlocking concrete stave sillo and will employ about twenty five men. Farmers and cattlemen in this section are enthusiastic over the proposition and have placed advanced orders for a number of sillos. The plant will begin operation within a short time.

### MISSIONARY COLUMN.

**Is This Life Easy.**  
Is the lot of the missionary an easy one? Read this, from the report of F. G. Vesey of Seoul, Korea to his board: "We are not worthy to stand with Paul but with him we can say, 'We are in perils oft, who knows how often God has preserved our lives and we were unconscious of it?'"

"We constantly meet disease of every kind, have to live in the midst and work among people smitten with smallpox, native fever, typhoid and typhus, dysentery, and consumption; and often it is the case that we are ushered into the room of a patient with one of these dread diseases. A foul smelling, dingy, low room with no ventilation whatever, and expected to do the miraculous cures of our Lord and Master."

"Then also, at certain seasons of the year, the roads are difficult to travel, and the rivers dangerous to cross sometimes one having to wade across treacherous streams or cross wide, deep rivers in leaking sampans. On one trip my life was saved twice. Once the boat in which I was traveling was almost wrecked on sunken rocks, but we mercifully escaped, and a day later the doctor with whom I traveled left his gun loaded with buckshot on the ground to attend a sick child that had been brought to me when a Korean picked the gun up and it suddenly went off, the shot just missing us by inches."

"It was while on this last trip in the country that I heard of the capture of four tigers and a leopard in the district and among the mountains in which I travel. I have heard the men chasing the wolves away at night from villages where I have been staying, yet in the goodness of God I have never met or seen any of these wild creatures on my trips, even among the wildest parts of the country, and for this I am profoundly thankful. Therefore, I would ask for your loving prayers that God will protect me through all the dangers of the way, and that I may be enabled to serve Him faithfully."

### The Gift With The Giver.

Visiting a college in Ceylon a few months ago, Dr. John R. Mott found a band of students so poor that sixteen of them occupied one room. Near the building was a banana plantation, to the cultivation of which these youths devoted all their spare time.

"What do you boys do with the money that you earn from this fruit enterprise inquired Dr. Mott."

"For answer they took him to the beach and pointed to an island far out at sea."

"Two years ago," they explained, "we sent one of our graduates there. He started a school, which has since developed into a church. We are going to send him to another island this year."

They also said that they required the cook to lay aside every tenth handful of rice, which they sell, in order to have Christ preached a little more widely.

### Items of Interest.

Miss Lochie Rankin, the first missionary sent out by the woman's board of foreign missions of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, was present at the annual session of the Woman's Missionary Council in Fort Worth. She is at home on her third furlough in thirty-five years. Irene Toland school, principal of the Irene Toland school, who ranks next to Miss Rankin in her term of service, has been absent from duty only three days during all these years on the field.

There are no jails, penitentiary, court and only one policeman in Iceland, according to the Canadian News. Neither is there a drop of alcoholic liquor made on the island. The fruit of such conditions is the 78,000 inhabitants are total abstainers. They will not permit any liquor to be imported. There is not an illiterate person on the island nor a child ten years old unable to read.

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In Africa there is a church, with 800 members that less than five years ago had never heard of Christ, but which today is supporting 123 missionaries to other African tribes. One other church with 300 members to whom less than three years ago the name of Jesus had never been spoken, is supporting fifty-one missionaries.

Southern Baptists have in the foreign field 273 missionaries, 569 native workers and 27,545 Church members. Of the total number of members 11,412 are in China and 10,844 in Brazil. There were 4,532 baptisms during last year.

Where Tracts Count.  
"Never have tracts appealed to me as they do now. When one says 'tracts' at home, one thinks of a street littered with them, where they have been carelessly tossed aside, after a casual glance, but not so here. I have seen tracts given out on a street car to probably fifty people, and every one being carefully read, except now and then where the per-

son can not read, in which case it is carefully folded and put away, to take home to a son or daughter who is in school, but never have I seen one thrown aside." Mrs. Walter M. Allen.

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### MITCHELL COUNTY FARM DEMONSTRATION

#### THE DEMONSTRATOR'S DUTIES AND THE OBJECT OF THE WORK.

#### Many Farmers Are Taking Advantage Of The Demonstration to Improve Methods.

My duties as demonstration agent in your County is as follows:

First: To enlist as many farmers in the various parts of the County as I can visit once a month, who will promise to prepare the land and grow a certain number of acres of crops according to instructions furnished from United States Department of Agriculture and A. and M. College. These farmers are known as demonstrators. In return for this work they are to receive a visit and advice from me once every 30 days if possible, and I am proud to say that I am meeting with the hearty co-operation of the people of Mitchell Co. I have on my roll 55 Demonstrators. All the Department want me to carry: Second to enlist as many farmers and stockmen in the County as care to receive the instructions, but who I will not be able to visit regularly. These farmers and stockmen are known as co-operators. Third: To organize Boys and Girls Agricultural Clubs in the County.

Fourth, to be of such other assistance to the people of the County as time will permit. I would be glad to have every Boy and Girl between the age of 8 and 18 who are interested in Agriculture to become a member of cotton, kaffir, milo maize, Pig and Baby Beef Club. I will gladly furnish blanks for all who want to enroll, if you will send me your name. Splendid premiums are offered in all classes. Premiums on cotton, kaffir, milo maize, feterita will be awarded at Texas State Fair at Dallas and at the Cotton Palace at Waco each year. Premiums in the Pig and Baby Beef will be awarded each year at Ft. Worth at the Fat Stock Show.

I have on my roll about 25 Boys and Girls and hope to get 100 on roll. I ask the co-operation of your county school Superintendent, teachers and the business people of Mitchell County in this work as I believe it to be one of the greatest works of the Department.

No great movement was ever successful without a purpose. There is a motive behind every plan and motive adds strength. Without it we cannot hope to accomplish results, and results is what I am after.

It is no small matter to work out these plans and put them into execution, so as to accomplish the greatest good.

The functions of the United States Department and the State Department are both distinctly educational in character and their activities are confined to those communities whose

people ask for assistance and show a spirit of co-operation and a willingness to work and help themselves. The direct method of going in to the homes of the people and assisting them to solve their problems is one of the prominent features of the plan. To accomplish the most in Agricultural developments I want to begin with the man who produces the crop, and to render him all the assistance I can. I want to meet him where he lives and study his condition and aid him according to his needs. Upon this plan I rest my plan of conducting the work.

It is necessary to properly conduct the work, to meet many conditions. I want to urge the farmers to properly rotate their crops and to plant more of the legumes such as cowpeas and peanuts, and to discourage the one crop system which impoverishes not only the soil but the people who live upon it. I want to emphasize the importance of building up the soil feeding it more plant food, and the raising of more live stock on the farm, which in turn leads to living on the farm, and making it a home, which is much more to be desired than just a farm.

Yours Respectfully,  
W. A. DULIN,  
Demonstration Agent for Mitchell Co.

#### SLUGGISH LIVERS STARTED PLEASANTLY.

No Need to Risk Disagreeable, Dangerous Calomel Now That Dodson's Liver Tonic Takes Its Place.

Plenty of people—thousands of them—have found that it is no longer necessary to risk being knocked out by taking calomel when constipated or suffering from a sluggish liver.

Nowadays Dodson's Liver Tonic takes the place of calomel.

What calomel does unpleasantly and often with danger, Dodson's Liver Tonic does for you safely and pleasantly, with no pain and no griping. It does not interfere in any way with your regular business, habits or diet. Calomel is a poison, a form of mercury, a mineral. Dodson's Liver Tonic is an all vegetable liquid.

Of course, this reliable remedy has its imitators. But Dodson's Liver Tonic has been made to take the place of calomel right from the start. The label on the bottle always has said so, beginning with the first bottle sold. And it is widely known today how good Dodson's Liver Tonic is as a remedy and that Dodson never makes extravagant statements. He says that it "lives the liver," overcomes constipation agreeably and makes you feel good, and if you are not satisfied completely with it Floyd Beall will hand back the purchase price (50c) to you with a smile.

Such statements could not be made without true merit to back them up and it is easy for you to prove them for yourself at no cost if not satisfied and convinced.

### LORAIN NEWS ITEMS.

Miss Addie Kay of Little Sulphur was a guest of Mrs. J. W. Farris Saturday.

Miss Irene Garland of Roscoe was the guest of her sister Mrs. B. Haney Sunday and Monday.

Miss Pearl Faulkner of Spade was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Farris Saturday.

Miss Ethel Gregg will be in Thursday from Abilene to visit home folks.

Mesdames Hurd Baker, Gary, Mulen were the committee to assist in the Better Baby Contest at Colorado last week.

F. C. Chekal attended the ball game at Colorado Monday.

T. R. Bennett and wife visited I. P. Henderson and family Sunday.

The Christian Church people have purchased the Paul Freeman old residence and will move same away and erect a new church on the lots, sometime in the near future.

Mrs. Cannon left Saturday night for Sweetwater she was accompanied by Robert Barkley and infant son. Mrs. Cannon will visit there a week and then leave for Georgetown taking the baby with her.

W. V. White and family moved from the Rives residence last week to the Dunn residence near the Methodist church.

The oldest daughter of Mrs. J. D. Smith continues quite sick of typhoid fever.

R. A. Henthorn went down to Abilene Sunday night to move his household goods to Colorado where he and family are to reside.

J. E. Stowe and family of Colorado visited here Sunday.

The Nolan County Singing Convention meets at Roscoe next Sunday.

About two thirds of the population of Loraine attended the Singing Convention and Better Baby Contest at Colorado.

Ernest Barkley has returned from Matador.

S. W. Altman is home this week from Hermleigh.

At the election Saturday the following school trustees were elected: Pres. W. F. Altman, Sec. J. H. T. Johnson Jr.; W. E. Gandy, S. E. Brown, C. H. Thomas, J. M. Templeton, C. B. Reeder.

John Johnson and wife of Champion visited here Sunday and attended the Convention at Colorado.

W. H. Green of Sweetwater was a Sunday visitor here.

W. B. Thompson and family were up from Silver Saturday and entered their baby in the Contest at Colorado.

W. F. Altman and Dr. W. H. Henthorn and Hubert Toler enjoyed the ball game at Colorado Monday.

Miss Emma Gandy has closed her school at or near Sweetwater last week and is home.

Misses Mary and Carey Mahon have closed their schools and are at home.

Miss Auty Bay of Sweetwater was the guest of Miss Vera Gary on Monday.

Mrs. Donald and daughter of Arizona are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Martin.

Dr. Smith and daughters Nellie and Lola Bess and Miss Winnie Crockett were here a few hours Monday. Dr. Smith came on professional work.

Alonzo Phillips and wife of Roscoe are over most of the time now looking after their Studio work.

V. D. Payne of Abilene was busy here Tuesday.

Prof. J. C. Nelm and wife of Merton were visiting their many friends here Tuesday they were enroute to Paris.

Hubert Toler and wife are rejoicing over the birth of their first daughter, Mary Louise who made her arrival on the 30th.

Mrs. J. L. Elliott and daughter, Mrs. Arlie Martin of Lone Wolf were in Tuesday, shopping.

Cecil Hurd is quite sick this week. Mrs. Charlie Smith died Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock after a lingering illness of several months. She and family had recently moved here from Sweetwater.

town and was buried here at 4 o'clock Wednesday. She was sick only a few days of congestion of the stomach. The sympathy of all is extended to the parents in their sorrow.

M. Zellner and daughter Miss Viola went to Sweetwater Wednesday to meet Miss Minnie Nahors of Merkel who will be their guest this week.

M. C. Knott of Ft. Worth is the guest of his brother H. H. Knott. News comes from Mrs. John Sims at Corpus Christi that she continues quite sick.

Scout Programme at Opera House Monday night 8.30.

Talk—Rev. Jameson. Declamation—Alphonzo.

Debate—Resolved that the negro has been more cruelly treated than the Indian.

Violin Solo—Homer McRea. Talk by President—H. H. Knott. Reading—Benton Templeton.

Song—Scouts. This program is especially for the business men and parents of the boys. All are invited. No admission fee.

**EYES SUNKEN WITH PAIN.** Three years ago I had a very bad spell of neuralgia which caused my eyes to become sunken and blood-shot with pain. Hunt's Lightning Oil was recommended and, after using the pain left and has not returned since. A. M. Coffey, 316, Van Buren Street, Litchfield, Ill. This wonderful medicine is sold by all druggists everywhere. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas. 5-30.

### RANGES IN DALHART SECTION IN FINE CONDITION

Dalhart, Tex., Apr.—According to John L. Woods, an Inspector of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association who was in this city yesterday, the cattle ranges in this section are in better condition at present than they have been in some time.

The splendid condition of the pastures was caused by the late rains which have fallen so abundantly in this territory.

Mr. Woods also reported local stockmen are preparing to make a number of carload shipments to the Fort Worth Market immediately.

## D. D. D. PRESCRIPTION

—for 15 years—  
The Standard Skin Remedy  
Instant Relief for all Skin Troubles

W. L. DOSS, DRUGGIST.

### MORE ABOUT PEANUTS.

Every year the acreage in peanuts in Texas is increasing. More farmers are realizing each season their value as a stockfeed. Fat hogs are coming to the packing houses, that have been raised and fattened nearly altogether on peanuts.

The writer has marketed over 200 head in the last two years, that were handled in this manner on his West Texas farm.

Oklahoma farmers have grasped the possibilities of peanuts as a hog feed, quicker than most of the Texas farmers, and pork products from Oklahoma peanut fed hogs are being bought by many of our farmers today, whose own farms are probably better adapted to peanuts than the farms on which these hogs were raised.

Butter-fat is coming to our Texas Creameries from peanut fed cows. The U. S. Department of Agricultural reports, after a series of experiments, that peanut hay (vines and nuts) is the best balanced single dairy ration, that can be fed to milk cows.

The production in the U. S. peanuts has increased by bounds and several million bushels more were raised in 1913 than five years ago, offsetting this, the demand has increased with still greater rapidity and the peanut market for this year has run from 90c to \$1.25 per bushel. Good nuts today are worth the latter figure.

A dozen mills are buying in Texas where only two took the supply four or five years ago.

Raising peanuts takes no special machinery—the implements ordinarily used in the cultivation of corn and cotton are sufficient.

It is possible, that where a considerable acreage is contemplated, that it will pay to invest either in a walking peanut planter, or if a new

corn and cotton planter is needed, several manufacturers now have on the market planters with an interchangeable peanut box that can be bought for a few dollars additional.

To get a good crop, a good stand is essential; this seems to be the main trouble of many farmers. By either using a fanning mill, or by taking advantage of a windy day and allowing the wind to blow out the light nuts, first staking a wagon sheet on the ground, so that the seed peanuts may be easily gathered up after separating them from the poor nuts; then by soaking them in water 36 to 48 hours, a good stand can generally be secured.

The ground should be prepared some what the same as for corn. Peanuts should be planted in rows 30 to 36 inches apart and about 10 to 12 inches in the drill. A section harrow is a good implement to use in making the first cultivation or two.

Peanuts should be kept clean, as they generally mature late, the crop is easily injured by weeds. It is better that they follow a clean cultivated crop so there will be fewer weed-seeds to give trouble, specially in this true where there is crab grass. A little dirt should be worked gradually to the base of the plants, but they should be left as nearly level as possible. In turning hogs in to gather them, be careful not to allow them to overgorge themselves at first. By turning them in about a half hour the first time, then an hour at the next feed, trouble can often be saved.

See that the hogs have plenty of good water to drink as this feed will make them drink more water than any other feed the writer has ever used. Keep plenty of charcoal and salt before the hogs when they are on the peanuts.

More peanuts and more live stock will help make Greater Texas—Let the peanut planting go on.

# GOOD STORE NEWS

## New Arrivals This Week

In cool summer wearables for ladies and misses. Every garment and fabric is new and so different from all former seasons, and values are far better than ever before—PRICES SO LITTLE.

### Ladies' Crepe Waists

Just received by express another lot ladies' white crepe waists in extra pretty materials and neatly trimmed. Special values.

**\$1.25**

### Misses' House Dresses

In percale and figured crepe—new styles and color combinations in prices \$1.50, \$2.00 and

**\$2.50**

### 10 Pieces Silk Poplin

In the season's new shades and colors—a good fabric for most any garment,

**20c**

### Middy and Balkan Blouse

The new shapes and materials this season are better than last season and prices lower. Extra special garments this season

**\$1.00**

### Bargains in Materials

Ready-to-make—12 pieces myrtle batiste, patterns figured stripes and checks 30 inches wide, only

**10c**

### Extra Values in Printed Crepe

Extra Values in printed crepe, floral and figured designs, 27 inches wide—

**10c**

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Wind Mills, Pipe and Fittings  
Tinning and Plumbing

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ANYTHING IN SHEET METAL

EVERYTHING IN WATER SUPPLIES

## You Need a Tonic

There are times in every woman's life when she needs a tonic to help her over the hard places. When that time comes to you, you know what tonic to take—Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is composed of purely vegetable ingredients, which act gently, yet surely, on the weakened womanly organs, and helps build them back to strength and health. It has benefited thousands and thousands of weak, ailing women in its past half century of wonderful success, and it will do the same for you. You can't make a mistake in taking

# CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Miss Amelia Wilson, R. F. D. No. 4, Alma, Ark., says: "I think Cardui is the greatest medicine on earth, for women. Before I began to take Cardui, I was so weak and nervous, and had such awful dizzy spells and a poor appetite. Now I feel as well and as strong as I ever did, and can eat most anything." Begin taking Cardui today. Sold by all dealers.

Has Helped Thousands.



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RAINFALL FOR COLORADO THE LAST TEN YEARS.

This record was made from the Government Gauge, now in charge of Rev. H. G. Hennessy.

Table with 12 columns (Year, Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., May, June, July, Aug., Sep., Oct., Nov., Dec., Total) and 12 rows of rainfall data from 1904 to 1914.

COLORADO, TEXAS, MAY 8, 1914.

More than 300 students will receive degrees from the University of Texas in June. Graduates from the academic department constitute the largest number, though the classes in pharmacy, medicine, engineering, law, business training are of normal size.

Billy Sunday in one of his New York sermons said: "If church members would do their duty, Hell would be for rent and the Devil in the Hospital before July, but church members will slight the Wednesday evening prayer meeting for a show to see a woman dance with not enough clothes on to make a pair of pants for a guinea pig."

Senator Sheppard in a speech before the Senate on the question of national prohibition said the amount of booze drunk last year amounted to 22 gallons for every man, woman and child in the U. S. He said that three-fourths of the territory and one half of the population of the United States was dry. He further stated that the consumption of alcoholic liquors was on the increase, and that in 1913 more liquor was consumed in the United States than ever before. To all of which Bill Kells down at Sterling City says.

According to Mr. Sheppard, somebody is making a hog of himself, for we surely failed miserably to get our 22 gallons in 1913. If three fourths of the territory of the United States and one half of the population is dry and booze drinking is on the increase, a man up a tree would conclude from the senator's statements that while prohibition is advancing forward, temperance is advancing backward.

Call to the Pros.

A long communication has been received from the printing press of State Superintendent J. H. Gambrell of the Anti-Saloon League. Thomas H. Ball is given a certificate of character and he is vouched for "as a comrade of unusual ability and worthy of all confidence." All pros are asked to sign the petitions praying for the submission to the people of the statewide prohibition, amendment and to return the petitions to the good doctor. The address insinuates that the anti prohibitionists have an organization which is seeking the defeat of submission. Perhaps this is so, as Sam Sparks, Frank Andrews, Chester H. Bryan, R. M. Johnston, O. P. Pyle, R. W. Finley, Scott Fulton, Joseph D. Sayers, Leroy G. Denman and other anti prohibition leaders are urging their friends to vote for Ball and to defeat submission. There isn't any secret about it. These gentlemen have said so in print. All pastors in Texas are asked to preach sermons on the evils of liquor Sunday, May 10 urging their hearers to sign petitions for the submission of the prohibition question to a vote of the entire people during the year 1915. It is urged that all prohibitionists sign the petitions and vote for submission in the primary July 25, as "a matter of Christian duty." The call is not made to all Democrat prohibitionists; it is made to all prohibitionists, regardless of political affiliation, to go to the polls and vote in the Democratic primary as a "matter of Christian duty," and not as a matter of party regularity or Democratic principle.

HALF MILLION

MEXICANS IN TEXAS San Antonio, Tex. Apr.—There are 234,179 persons in Texas whose mother tongue is Spanish and practically all of them came here direct from Mexico, according to a census report just issued. This number represents approximately 7 per cent of the total white population of the state. The information contained in this report was gathered in 1910 and it is claimed by local authorities that this number has doubled in the past semi-decade.

Credit is the breath of the farmer's life.

Plenty of Pure Hog Lard at Beal's market.

TOM BALL OPENS HIS CAMPAIGN IN SOUTH.

Col. E. M. Johnston Announces He Will Support Candidate, But Maintains Views on the Liquors Question.

Houston, May 1.—The campaign in South Texas of Colonel Thomas H. Ball for governor of Texas opened in Houston Friday night, with enthusiasm. A good crowd was on hand at 4 o'clock to hear the candidate make his first speech in this section of the state and in his home county. Hundreds of women were in the audience and evinced the same deep interest in what the candidate said as did the men. The audience throughout the meeting was friendly and attentive, and as the candidate touched on the main points in the policies he advocates, he was interrupted by hearty applause. The audience was composed mostly of Houston people though numbers of friends, and supporters from Huntsville and other places in Walker county, Montgomery, Fort Bend and other neighboring counties were present.

Enthusiasm marked the meeting at the outset. Chester H. Bryan, president of the Harris County Tom Ball club, after calling the meeting to order, read the following telegram from Colonel R. M. Johnston:

Washington, April 29.—Hon. Frank Andrews, Austin Texas. After mature consideration and looking at the situation from all viewpoints, I have made up my mind to support Colonel Ball for governor.

In taking this position, I want it to be known that I have not abated one particle in my opposition to statewide prohibition. I do not believe and have never believed statewide prohibition was the best way to handle the liquor traffic, but under all the conditions arising in this campaign and the attitude of Mr. Ball's chief opponent, I have concluded there is no other course left for me but to support him for the governorship. I hope and believe that we will defeat submission in the July primaries, which, according to Mr. Ball's speech—which I have just read—will settle the prohibition question until such time as the people demand the right to vote upon it again.

But aside from this, conditions in the state are such as to demand the services of a big and experienced man in the governor's chair. I know Mr. Ball intimately, and I want to say to my friends and to the people of Texas that he is a man of marked ability, broadminded, patriotic and will make a great governor. I shall support him and do all I can to have him elected.

R. M. JOHNSTON.

The Silo, Its Advantages and Disadvantages.

In this issue of The Record the silo is discussed at length by a committee appointed by the Taylor County Farmers' Institute to make a study of the question and report back to that body. J. M. Miller, J. F. Handy and John Bowyer compose the committee. After spending several weeks in the study of the silo, its advantages and disadvantages, the committee is unanimous in its findings that no man should be without a silo, and further that no man need be without a silo. The report is well written and the information contained in it is well worth the time of any man to read.

All students of agriculture know that the communities in the north and east, where the farmer is independent make most of the money that the people have on what is called by products. That is, the farmer has his silo feeds his ensilage to stock and sells the stock.

LOST.

Between Methodist Church and J. D. Wulffen's Residence, ring for little finger with blue set. Finder please return to this office. 5-15-c.

Farming is the least profitable business in America and pays the highest interest rate.

MORE AGRICULTURE TEACHING NEEDED

President Mezes of the University of Texas Gives Views.

There is no more important educational work in Texas today than the training of young men to become farmers, and the increase and distribution of information about farming. Three-fourths of the population of our State is rural; three million of its people live under rural conditions, and there are now at work on its farms 350,000 white farmers. Courses in agriculture and experiment work are carried on by the Agricultural and Mechanical College. Each of the four State Normals and the College of Industrial Arts is giving instruction to students who are preparing to teach agriculture. The State University also, as is required by the Constitution, is preparing some of its students to teach agriculture. In the agricultural courses of the A. & M. College 514 students are enrolled; in the four State Normals, the College of Industrial Arts, and the University, 1,020 students are enrolled in agricultural classes. Is this an adequate provision? Does it compare favorably in amount with the work of the eighteen literary colleges of the State? When we bear in mind the 3,000,000 of our rural population as compared with the 1,000,000 of our urban, is the type of education especially adapted to the needs of the 3,000,000 being given sufficient emphasis?

Texas needs more agricultural training rather than less, and more institutions giving such training rather than fewer such institutions. And when they are established, and all the present State institutions have adequately met the needs of their students for agricultural training, rural schools will grow up more rapidly, and enlightened, skillful, and contented farmers will multiply, and an intelligent appreciation of the possibilities and value of the fundamental calling of the people will become widespread over the state.

Fort Worth, Tex. Apr.—Word has been received here that representatives of the United States Navy Department will arrive in Texas at an early date to look over the oil fields of this state with a view of laying a pipe line to the Gulf of Mexico. The construction of an oil refinery on the Texas coast is being considered by Federal authorities and the pipe line will be built to lessen the cost of transporting fuel to warships.

Ben Morgan will order the latest books published for you.

The farmer is constantly in the money market.

PROGRAM of the Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Big Spring Association

To be Held With the Liberty Baptist Church at Spade, Texas, Beginning Thursday Before the Fifth Sunday in May, at 8:00 O'clock P. M.

- Thursday. 8:00 P. M. Introductory Sermon, Eld. W. B. Davis. Friday. 9:30 A. M. Devotional services, W. E. Davis. 10:00 A. M. Church officers and their duty to each other and to the Church. Elder W. E. Frost and J. O. Heath. 10:30 A. M. Duty of the Church to her officers. Led by A. Petty and discussed by laymen. 11:00 A. M. Sermon by O. H. Hullinger. 1:30 Devotional services, Eld. S. S. Hull. 2:00 P. M. Why should every believer be baptized and become a Church Member. — Isbell and Huston. 3:00 P. M. The benefits of a genuine revival. Eld. A. C. Miller and M. H. Morrison. 8:00 P. M. Sermon, W. E. Smith. Saturday. 9:30 Devotional and song service. J. A. Kinard. 10:00 A. M. The best way to collect money for the various objects fostered by the Churches. Eld. J. W. McGaha and P. L. Fletcher. 10:30 A. M. The condition of the unbeliever. C. E. Jenkins, S. C. Shipley. 11:00 A. M. Sermon, G. C. Farris. 1:30 P. M. Board meeting. 2:00 P. M. Reports, by those in attendance, about the work in their respective churches, led by Eld. H. H. Summers and C. P. Conway. 3:00 P. M. Womans work in the churches. Mrs. S. H. Morrison and Eld. W. B. Davis. 8:00 P. M. Sermon, Eld. A. C. Miller. Sunday. Eld. J. O. Heath will preach on Sunday at 11:00 A. M. and other services for the entire day will be arranged later. Morning trains will be met at Westbrook on Friday and Saturday and those coming will be taken back to the railroad. Those intending to come will please send their names to R. A. Hood, Route 2 Colorado, Texas and mention which train you will come on. A. D. LEACH, For The Committee.

THE GIANT OF THE SEAS.

Congressman Sparkman, in asking for larger appropriations for rivers and harbors, called attention to the fact that "half a century ago an ocean going vessel of more than 300 feet was not in existence." Passing along to the "vessels more than 900 feet long," he commented that "the end is not yet." The "Imperator" will yield its position as "Imperator" to the "Vaterland" reaches the Hamburg American Line dock in the North River. This floating palace is 950 feet long, 100 feet in width, and as in the case of the "Imperator" her hull has been constructed with a complete inner skin carried high above the water line, making her a ship within a ship. The owners of this boat say that she is "proof against collision or similar accidents." In this modern palace there has been recruited a complete fire department picked from German cities, and there are more than a sufficient number of life boats to accommodate all on board.

One sometimes marvels at the great improvements in the American navy, and the old Oregon that brought comfort to the American people in the Spanish American war, is now a back number in comparison to the modern dreadnaughts that are entertaining the Mexicans. But the "Vaterland" marks an epoch in shipbuilding far more than the growth shown in the navies of the world. Eight hundred passengers can be seated at one time in the dining room, and it is doubtful whether there is a hotel room in the United States more sumptuous in its parlors than the great public cabin, which is roofed with glass, uninterrupted by pillars or supports of any kind, and illuminated by concealed lights. So complete is this room that it is equipped with a theatrical stage.

What would the Masters of Congressmen Sparkman's early hulks think of the modern Hamburg American ship, with its four Captains and a Commodore over all; equipped with swimming pools that go to shame some of those in the best gymnasiums with smoking rooms as big as the porch of a summer hotel; and with barber shops big enough for a small city. And in the first cabin alone there are more than 250 baths.

The "Vaterland" is not only a ship rich in elegance and comfort for the passengers who can pay for the best, but its second class cabins out rival the first class of many modern trans-Atlantic liners, while the first cabins of the steamers of a generation ago were inferior to the cabins provided for the immigrants who will arrive on the "Vaterland" the middle of next month.

Poultry and Egg Demonstration Car to Be Run Through Texas.

Temple, Tex., Apr.—Beginning May 4th the United States Department of Agriculture will run a poultry and egg refrigeration car over this state on a demonstration trip. The car will emanate from this city and will include in its itinerary all poultry and egg shipping towns in the State. At every stop a thorough demonstration will be given those interested in the poultry business and ways shown them whereby poultry products can be shipped to distant markets arriving in perfect condition. All the latest methods in caring for poultry and preparing it for shipment will also be discussed and demonstrated by an able corps of lecturers who will be in charge of the "school on wheels."

Bread and Cake Boxes cheap at Allmonds 5 & 10c Store

City building is scientific management applied to the betterment of a town.

Pete's service car will haul anything or have it done.

SLEEP DISTURBED and BLADDER WEAKNESS BACKACHE-RHEUMATISM, QUICKLY VANISH

Even Most Chronic Sufferers Find Relief After A Few Doses Are Taken

Backache, urinary disorders, and rheumatism, are caused from weak, inactive kidneys, which fail to filter out the impurities and keep the blood pure, and the only way on earth to permanently and positively cure such troubles, is to remove the cause. The new discovery, Croxone, cures such conditions because it reaches the very roots of the disease. It soaks right into the stopped up, inactive kidneys, through the walls and linings; cleans out the little filtering cells and glands; neutralizes and dissolves the poisonous uric acid substances that lodge in the joints and muscles to scratch and irritate and cause rheumatism; it neutralizes the urine so it no longer irritates the tender membranes of the bladder, and cleans out and strengthens the stopped up, lifeless kidneys so they filter and sift all the poisons from

the blood, and drive it out of the system. So sure, so positive, so quick and lasting, are the results obtained from the use of Croxone, that three doses a day for a few days are often all that is required to cure the worst case of backache, regulate the most annoying bladder disorders, and overcome the numerous other similar conditions.

It is the most wonderful preparation ever made for the purpose. It is entirely different from all other remedies. There is nothing else on earth to compare with it. It is so prepared that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results.

You can obtain an original package of Croxone at trifling cost from any first-class drug store. All druggists are authorized to occasionally return the purchase price if Croxone fails to give desired results, regardless of how old you are, how long you have suffered, or what else has failed to cure you.

ERADICATING JOHNSON'S GRASS.

Dr. J. O. Morgan, professor of agronomy at the Texas A. & M. College has the following to say concerning the eradication of Johnson grass.

"In order to eradicate small spots of Johnson grass two things are necessary. First: do not allow the Johnson grass to produce seed. Second: every vestige of the grass root stocks must be worked out of the soil carefully. Johnson grass propagates itself from year to year from the underground stems, usually spoken of as root stocks, and on each joint of the underground stem there is a bud which later grows and produces a plant. Very often these root stocks are produced rather deeply in the soil, making it difficult to kill them by cultural methods.

"Thoroughly spade up the small spots that are infested with the grass and then by means of a hoe and fine

toothed rake, separate the root stocks from the soil. You will be more successful in killing out the Johnson grass if this work is done during the dry season of the summer.

"Where Johnson grass has been grown as a meadow or pasture for a number of years, it is eradicated with much less difficulty than where it occurs as small spots in cultivated fields. The difference is due to the fact that in Johnson grass meadows and pastures, the soil becomes compact causing the underground stems to form comparatively near the surface, by plowing the meadow or pasture, by turning the soil over to a depth no deeper than is necessary to get beneath the root stocks and subsequently keeping the soil stirred during the summer so that the stirred portion of the soil becomes thoroughly dry, the underground stems are easily killed."

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We are authorized to announce the following names for the respective offices under which they appear, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

**For Justice Court of Civil Appeals: 2nd Supreme Judicial District.**  
OCIE SPEER (Re-election).

**For Congressman at Large:**  
R. B. HUMPHREY.

**For Congress:**  
W. R. SMITH.

**For Sheriff and Tax Collector:**  
A. W. COOKSEY.  
L. A. COSTIN.  
T. B. PORTER.  
J. W. KAY.  
C. C. WHEAT.

**For County Judge:**  
A. J. COE (Re-election).  
JESSE H. BULLOCK.

**For Tax Assessor:**  
W. R. WOMACK.  
EARL CALLAWAY (Re-election).  
J. W. (JIM) SMITH.  
J. H. WILLIAMS.

**For District and County Clerk:**  
EARL JACKSON (Re-election).

**For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1:**  
M. C. RATLIFF.  
FRED MEYER.

**For County Commissioner Prec. No. 1:**  
U. D. WULFJEN (Re-election).  
W. T. ROGERS.

**For County Commissioner Prec. No. 2:**  
Preston Phenix (Re-election).

**For County Commissioner Prec. No. 3:**  
B. O. JOYCE (Re-election).  
W. D. HARGROVE.

**For Public Weigher Prec. No. 1:**  
W. F. CRAWFORD.

**For Public Weigher Precinct No. 2:**  
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**To the People of the Sixteenth Congressional District of Texas**

Profoundly grateful for the honor conferred upon me by your trust and confidence in the past, I announce as a candidate for renomination at the primaries in July next.

Training and experience in Congressional work and close and intimate acquaintance with the members of Congress and with the personnel of the various executive Departments of the government, add so greatly to the usefulness and efficiency of a Congressman, I am constrained to believe you will again accord me your suffrage, provided of course my record and attitude upon public questions and my service have been and are such as to meet your approval.

It is most gratifying to me that out of the many hundreds of votes I have cast as a member of Congress on the great multitude of questions coming before that body since I have been a member thereof, not one, so far as I know, is being called in question or criticized, unless it be by some special interest.

Born and reared on a farm where my father spent his life and where I toiled as a farm hand during the period when agriculture was at its lowest ebb and the least profitable, following which I was compelled without the aid of anyone to toll and struggle for an education and for advancement, it was natural that my sympathies should be bound up in the cause of the common people and that all forms of special privileges should be hateful to me. Consequently, I early became what is now called a progressive Democrat; that is to say, I set myself against the rule of special interest and for the rule of the people as a whole.

My earliest political activity was for "Hogg and the Commission," and since then I have been steadfastly with those who fought to restore equal rights and equal opportunity in this country. I helped to nominate and elect that splendid champion of the people, Woodrow Wilson, and since his inauguration have held up his hands and given loyal support to his administration.

In order that my record as a Congressman may be fairly estimated, I ask you to remember that my entire service has been under Republican rule up to three years ago. At that time the House became Democratic, but the Presidency and the Senate remained Republican until about one year ago. Hence, my service has been under only about one year of Democratic rule. But I have at all times been faithful, and in addition to what I have done and tried to do for the general good, I have accomplished much for my district even under Republican administration.

**Attendance and Attention to Duty.**  
Although Congress has been in session more during the last ten years than ever before, having been in almost continuous session during the past five years, I have faithfully remained at my post of duty, as the Congressional Record will show. I have given attention to every detail of the business of Congress have in every possible way kept in touch with my constituents, and have cheerfully and promptly responded to every request from them for service here, aside from legislative matters, as thousands will testify.

**General Principles.**  
My whole record has been against graft, corruption, subsidies, and every form of special privilege. I have at all times been absolutely uncompromising in the position that legislation should be for the greatest good to the greatest number and that, under law, equal rights and equal opportunities should be secured to all.

**Railroad Regulation.**  
Believing in the necessity for strict regulation and control of all public service utilities and corporations, I began early in my congressional career to advocate giving the power to the Interstate Commerce Commission to fix railroad rates. I have been very much gratified to see such a measure become law.

**Other Measures I have Assisted in Passing.**  
I have assisted in revising the Republican protective tariff to a revenue basis; in providing an income tax; in passing a measure for the election of United States Senators by a direct vote of the people; and in revising our banking and currency system in the interest of the people.

**Agriculture.**  
I have supported every proper measure for the promotion of the interest and welfare of agriculture. Among

prohibiting corporations from making contributions to campaign funds, and requiring publicity of campaign contributions and expenditures both before and after elections.

**Revision of Rules and Cannonism.**  
In the memorable fight in the House of Representatives for the overthrow of Cannonism and a revision of the rules, I was loyally with those who stood for the people; and I have rejoiced to see the people triumph so that now their Representatives in Congress have freedom of speech and freedom of action in advocating proposals and perfecting remedial legislation. Without this reform nothing could have been accomplished.

**Farm Credit.**  
There is now pending before Congress a bill which I hope will soon be passed, of paramount importance to the farmer. I refer to the farm credit bill. Short time loans at high rates of interest are of but little value to the farmers. Therefore commercial banks cannot supply the needs of the producers of the soil. What farmers need is a separate and distinct system of banking, a system which will secure loans upon long time at a low rate of interest and with a gradual repayment of the principal. I believe the inauguration of such a system in this country will, as it has done in European countries, make agriculture highly prosperous and successful; that it will double and treble the value of the land, multiply the yield of crops, rapidly enable tenants to become land owners; bring about co-operative buying and marketing; and largely eliminate the middleman to the benefit of both the producer and consumer.

**Trusts.**  
I favor the passage and enforcement of such laws as will make it impossible for a private monopoly to exist in this country. I have introduced and pressed a number of bills upon the subject, and while I was unable to make any headway under Republican rule, I have had the satisfaction of seeing the principles of my bills approved by the Baltimore Convention, and I expect soon to have the gratification of seeing them enacted into law.

**Pensions.**  
My record in Congress has consistently been against the extravagance and abuses of our pension system. I have aided every effort to correct the abuses of the system, among which was an effort to deny pensions to those who already have a living and those who are not citizens of or who do not reside in this country.

**Irrigation.**  
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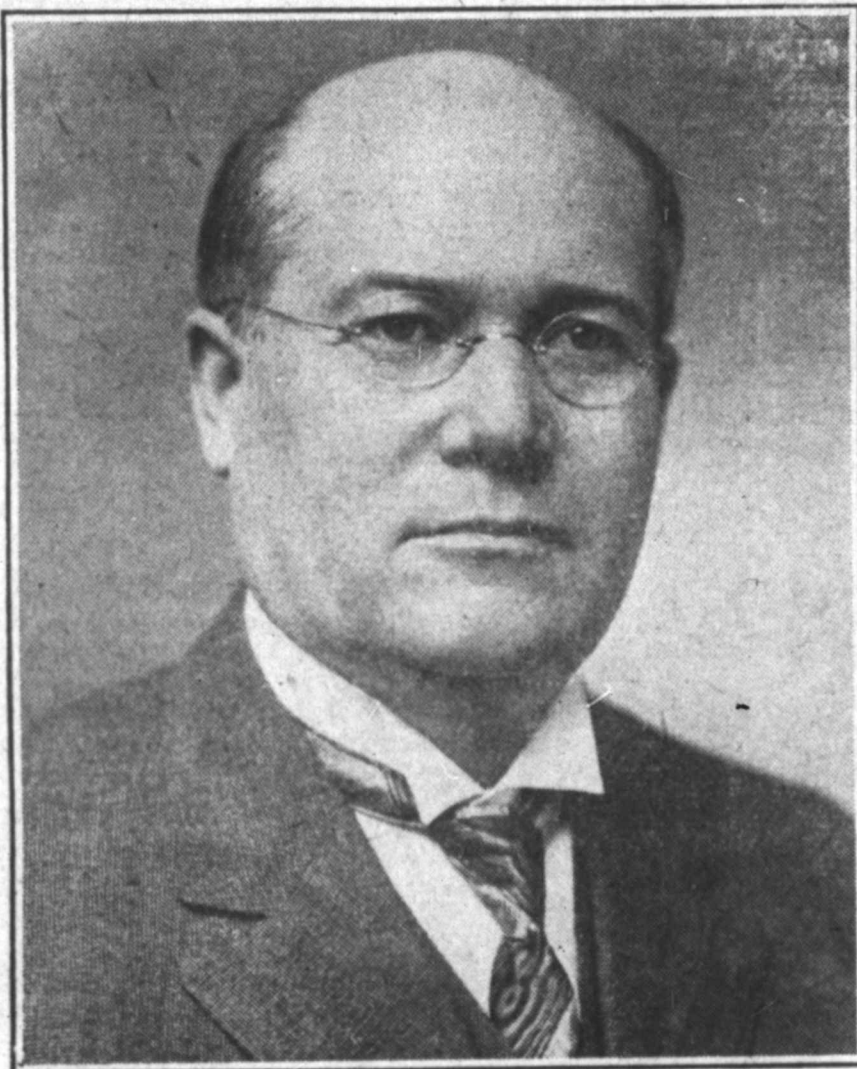
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In conclusion let me say that since I have been a Member of Congress I have given all my time, attention, and energy to the duties of the office. I have had no other employment at any time. If I am again honored with the office I promise the same faithful, loyal and undivided service.

**Immigration.**  
I favor most stringent laws against undesirable immigration and to this end I have assisted in passing through the House several times, an immigration bill containing the literacy and other rigid tests.

**Labor.**  
I have never lost an opportunity to assist in the passage of any bill which would benefit labor. I aided in the passage of a bill establishing an eight hour day on all national public work; also a bill to prevent the abuse of the writ of injunction in labor dispute; and a bill securing the right of trial by jury in cases of indirect contempt. I am also the author of a bill now pending, prohibiting the employment of alien labor on national public works.

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**Cost of Mexican War.**  
It is recalled by a newspaper historian that a dispute of a defective boundary line plunged the United States and Mexico into the three years' war of 1848, but the Mexicans were united at that time. The prejudice was bitter against the United States, and the members of Goliad, the Alamo and San Jacinto were green in the hearts of the Americans. The historian tells us that the Mexican war cost the United States in lives 2,703 men, including 383 officers, and in money \$15,000,000. It gave the United States a vast territory and it settled forever the status of Texas, whose sons had fought for their own independence and placed Texas under a lone star as a separate republic. It cost Mexico 7,000 men killed and wounded, and 3,730 prisoners of war. The United States sent 21,509 regulars and 22,027 volunteers into the valley of Mexico. Congress declared war May 13, 1846. The Mexican forces evacuated Mexico City Sept. 14, 1847. The treaty of peace, signed Feb. 2, 1848, was proclaimed July 4, 1848. The treaty fixed the Rio Grande as the international boundary line between Mexico and the United States. The relations between the United States and Mexico strained by American recognition of Texan independence in 1837, and further strained by the annexation of Texas by the United States in 1845, came to the breaking point when General Zachary Taylor, with a force of 3,000 men, invaded on March 12, 1846, the territory between the Nueces and the Rio Grande rivers, which were the disputed American-Mexican boundary lines. The Mexicans immediately took the defensive, and General Ampudia met Taylor's army April 25. May 13 Congress declared war. In February, 1847, General Winfield Scott, veteran of the war of 1812, succeeded Taylor at the head of the army in Mexico. March 9, 1847, he landed a force of 17,000 men at Vera Cruz. Twenty days later the city surrendered. The battles of Cerro, Gordo, Puebla and Contreras and other engagements led the commander in chief of the United States forces to Mexico City and with less than 8,000 men he entered the national palace Sept. 14. The fall of Chapultepec ended the Mexican war. That war took from Mexico and gave to the United States the states of California, Nevada, Utah, Arizona and parts of New Mexico and Colorado. It also settled forever the annexing of Texas to the union.

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**TOM GREEN COUNTY CATTLEMAN WAR ON TICKS**  
San Angelo, Tex. Apr.—Tom Green County cattlemen suffer losses to their cattle to the amount of \$150,000 each year from the ravages of Texas fever which is caused by cattle tick infesting their cattle, according to information given out by Dr. H. Grafke, Federal Livestock Inspector. The cattlemen have become alarmed over these perilous conditions and are preparing to eradicate the ticks as quickly as possible. Several plans have been advanced for the extermination of the pests in this county and it is expected that an incessant war will be waged upon the insects until they are totally destroyed. The county is also interested in tick eradication and will make an appropriation for this work. It is estimated that between \$150,000,000 to \$200,000,000 is lost to Texas cattlemen every year due to the inroads of the tick alone. If city borrowers had to pay the same interest as county borrowers, most urban enterprises would throw up the sponge.

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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) any announcement or news item

## IN CLUB LAND.

### Standard.

Mrs. Rfordan was hostess for the Standard Club last week and carried out this program:  
Roll Call—Current Events.  
Romco and Juliet, Act IV, Scenes 1, 2, 3.—Mrs. Gary.  
History Chap. II.—Mrs. Bailey.  
Austrian Educators.—Mrs. Rfordan.  
Social Hour.—Refreshments.

### Hesperian.

Mrs. Edgar Majors was hostess for the Hesperian Club last Friday with Mrs. Johnson as leader. This program was carried out:  
Roll Call.—Current Events.  
Parliamentary Law, Demonstrated.  
Resolved that Modern Woman is a Better Mother than was our grandmothers.—Aye.—Mrs. Broadbuss.—Nay.—Miss Ina Wulfjen.  
Tribute to Mothers.—Mrs. J. L. Allen.  
Verses to Mothers.—The Club.  
The debate was very interesting both sides having good arguments but the nays won.  
The guests for the afternoon was Mrs. R. W. Mitchell of Abilene.  
Mrs. Majors gave a report of her trip to Abilene.  
The Club here had done the best all round work of any in the district. They are now planning for better and wiser things for the coming year.  
At the social hour the hostess served orange ice and sandwiches.

### Bay View

Mrs. J. L. Sopher was hostess for the Bay View Club last week with Mrs. Hennessy as leader. This program was carried out:  
Roll Call.—Current Events.  
Brave Little Holland.—Completed.  
Quotations from Shakespeare.  
Anthony and Cleopatra, Act III, Scene 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.  
At the social hour ice cream and cake were served.

### G. F. C.

Miss Abbie Thomas was hostess for the G. F. C. at Mrs. Edgar Majors last Thursday. Forty Two was enjoyed.  
The guests were: Misses Mabel Smith, Bernice Terrell, Ina Wulfjen, Etta Doss, Lela Whiskey, Ethel Greenwood, Bowdoin Cocreham of San Angelo, Mesdames Bert Wulfjen, M. C. Ratliff, L. L. Logan of Megarick and R. W. Mitchell of Abilene.  
Refreshments of chicken salad, olives, pickles, sandwiches and ice tea were served.  
Before departing Mrs. Edgar Majors in behalf of the Club presented to Miss Dera Wulfjen the bride of this week, a beautiful silver coffee service.  
The meeting this week is with Miss Irene Whiskey.

## HONORING THE GRADUATING CLASS

Mrs. N. J. Phenix entertained in honor of the graduating class yesterday afternoon with a six o'clock dinner on the lawn.  
She was assisted by Miss Oliver and Mrs. Crist.  
The class not only enjoyed the many good things to eat but the thoughtfulness of Mrs. Phenix to remember them in such a way will always be one of their most pleasant memories of their senior year of their dear home school.  
Miss Ellis and Miss Whipkey were the guests of honor.

## 42 PARTY.

As the time draws to a close when the final separation will be with the senior class of the high school the

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Any one taking Peruna ought to have a free copy of the "His of Life." Address Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio. People who object to liquid medicines can now obtain Peruna Tablets.



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Sophomores and Juniors try in every way to make the last days of school the most enjoyable.  
Miss Courtney Formwalt assisted by some of her chums entertained at her home last Friday evening, in honor of the senior class, with 42. There were several tables of players and they not only enjoyed the games but the sweet nothings that are so enjoyable to the high school age. After many interesting games, ice cream and cake were served. The young ladies were assisted by Miss Aldrich and Mrs. Formwalt.

## MARRIED IN ABILENE.

On Sunday morning last in the Parlor of Dr. W. C. Neal, Miss Francis Les Miller was married to Mr. Claude Brooks, Rev. A. R. Kimbrough officiating. Miss Francis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and was raised here in Colorado. All her friends here wish for her a happy married life.

## NOTICE OF THANKS.

We wish to offer our most sincere thanks, for the many courtesies and friendly considerations extended to us by our neighbors and friends in our late bereavement. In the death of our brother and uncle, F. M. Farmer.

J. B. FARMER,  
Z. T. FARMER  
AND FAMILIES.

## CEMETERY ASSOCIATION.

The Cemetery Association met in regular session with Mrs. V. W. Allen Wednesday. Good reports were given in from all committees. The city fathers have promised to take all the weeds from walks and drive ways with the scrapers. This will be a great help to the work and much appreciated by the ladies. The ladies are not only anxious to have the graves come in but to have the presence of the members that they may know how the work is progressing.  
They appointed a committee for each week this month to go and take some one with them. Mrs. Donaldson is the first one.  
It is hoped that those having cars will take some one out and learn how the work progresses. This is a work purely of love and should interest every one and not let the burden rest on a few.

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## KEY HENSON DEAD.

Mrs. Sam Wulfjen received a wire on Sunday from Hereford that her brother Key was dangerously ill. Mrs. Wulfjen left Sunday night and was accompanied as far as Sweetwater by her husband. At Sweetwater they received another message announcing his death Sunday evening. Mrs. Wulfjen went on to Hereford and has not yet returned.

## 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 May 10th 1914.  
10 a. m. Sunday school.  
11 a. m. Public Worship, and Conference.  
7 p. m. B. Y. P. U.  
8 p. m. Public Worship.  
Wednesday May 13th 1914.  
Southern Baptist Convention meets at Nashville, Tenn.  
Prayer meeting 8 P. M.  
Teachers and officers 8:45 p. m.  
Normal Class 9:10 p. m.  
Thursday to Sunday May 28 to 31st Sweetwater Association meets in "Fifth Sunday Meeting" at Roscoe.  
25 in Fidelity Class last Sunday.  
33 in Baraca class last Sunday.  
279 in Sunday School.

## NOTICE.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Tornado Riders Nos 1 to 50 of the Colorado, Texas agency of this Company, have been mislaid, lost or stolen from the office of G. B. Harness and this is to notify any person holding the above riders that same are void and of no effect.  
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## NOTICE.

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## WINN-WULFJEN.

Two of Colorado's Young People Wed At Methodist Church.

If it is true "that all the world loves a lover", it is also true that the world is interested in a happy wedding.  
This is true of Colorado and was verified on Wednesday evening when Miss Annie Dera Wulfjen and Mr. Henry Everett Winn were happily married at the Methodist church in the presence of a multitude of friends.  
The church had been beautifully decorated by loving friends in lavender and white in keeping with the beautiful color scheme of the wedding. The altar was carpeted in white while white covered the altar rail, the columns in front and back of it and the entire wall back of the choir. Ferns and oleanders were banded around the organ. While lavender and white sweet peas were twined conspicuously everywhere. Four huge bowls were on top of the columns in front of the altar and a lovely bell which was one mass of sweet peas hung directly over the center of the altar under which the bride and groom stood during the ceremony.  
At eight thirty a guest fell on the audience when Mr. C. C. Blandford began in his softest and sweetest tones on the violin to play Humoreske accompanied by Mr. A. J. Payne. Just as the last notes died away Mrs. Royal G. Smith, Miss Roxie Coughran and Miss Lula Merrell came up the aisles singing Lobengrin's bridal chorus and marched behind the altar railing still singing while the bridal party entered and as the ushers and bridesmaids marched in they stood beside them thus making a semi-circle facing the bride and groom.  
First came the ushers, Mr. J. T. Coffee and Mr. J. C. Etheridge then the bridesmaids, Misses Bowdoin Cocreham, Abbie Thomas, Etta Doss and Ione Burke. Then the matron of honor, Mrs. J. L. Payne, sister of the groom and the maid of honor, Miss Wulfjen, sister of the bride; then up the north aisle came the groom on the arm of the best man, Mr. Urda Wulfjen.  
On the south aisle marched the two dear little nephews of the bride and groom, Bert Wulfjen Jr. and James Everett Payne, clad in white, wearing lavender ties, scattering flowers for the bride who came in on the arm of her devoted and honored father, Mr. J. D. Wulfjen.  
They were met at the altar by their pastor, Rev. R. A. Clements who in a solemn way read the sacred ceremony that made them man and wife.  
The bride is one of Colorado's sweetest girls being born and reared in this vicinity and educated in Polytechnic college. Coming from the family that she does—the kind that stand for truth, honor and the best citizenship and with her sweet manner and education she naturally will adorn wherever her husband will be called upon to fill.  
The bride wore a becoming gown of white moire silk trimmed in shadow lace and applique, while the conventional bridal veil was held in place by a wreath of orange blossoms, and carried a lovely bouquet of brides roses.  
The matron of honor wore a white embroidered crepe and carried a bouquet of carnations.  
The maid of honor looked charming in a lavender crepe de chine trimmed in brilliants and also carried carnations.  
The bridesmaids were all clad in dainty white crepe and wore ropes of pearls on their hair. They carried white baskets filled with lavender and white sweet peas.  
The men were all in the conventional black.  
The groom is a prominent young business man of the city noted for his sterling character and good business qualities.  
Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party with a host of friends repaired to the home of the bride where a reception was given.  
As they entered the porch the guests registered in an artistic hand painted book with the bride and groom pictures, presided over by Miss Dry.  
Mrs. Bert Wulfjen greeted the friends at the door and introduced them to the receiving line which was composed of the entire bridal party.  
Mrs. Henry Doss and Miss Hutton were in the library where many beautiful presents were seen. From there they went to the dining room. The table was a perfect vision of beauty. On the center was an exquisite flat centerpiece and on it were bowls of sweet peas while a light was shed from lovely cut glass chandeliers. One side sat the brides cake surrounded by a wreath of sweet peas. Mrs. Leslie Crowder presided here assisted by Misses Eril King, Lona Herrington, Fannie Cocreham and Marie Cocreham who served delicious white brick ice cream and angel food cake.  
The brides favors to her maids were bar pins with the date engraved on them and to the little flower boys a ring and to the organist and violinist, key rings.  
The grooms favors were gold tie clasps with the never-to-be forgotten date engraved.  
The bride's cake was cut by the bride amidst much merriment, and tied and presented to the guests by Mrs. W. W. Hart. The lucky ones were, the ring to Miss Ione Burk the needle to Mr. John Basden, the thimble to Miss Roxie Coughran and the dime to Miss Ina Wulfjen.  
Music was furnished during the evening by Miss Whipkey and Miss Ethelyn Stokes.  
Mr. and Mrs. Winn will go to house keeping immediately in their own beautiful place in the north part of town.  
The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Towle of Snyder; Mr. H. M. Boyd of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Murphy of Hermleigh; Mr. Brewer Palmer and little sister Mary of Dunn; Miss Bowdoin Cocreham of San Angelo; Mr. S. H. Wallace of Big Springs; Mrs. Sam Sherman of Dallas; Mrs. Bert Pringle of New Mexico; Mrs. J. L. Payne and son of Sweetwater and Miss Berena Vaughan of Gatesville.

## THE CONTEST FOR BETTER BABIES

EIGHTY NINE EXAMINED AND ONLY ONE ABSOLUTELY PERFECT

Two Boys Tie on a Score of 99 1/2 And A Number Made Good Showing

Ever since last January the ladies of Colorado who were interested in Better Babies Contest have been working and planning to make it a success.  
They spared neither time nor work and the result Friday Saturday and Sunday showed that it was a success.  
Mrs. Harry Shipman, was elected president and no one could have been more faithful to the duties imposed on her. Mrs. J. H. Greene was elected Secretary and was ably assisted by Mrs. W. W. Hart.  
Mrs. J. B. Annis was the Treasurer but every thing was run on such an economical basis that her burdens were light. Several other ladies assisted in the work and they all feel well repaid for their efforts.  
At nine o'clock on Friday morning, the babies began coming to Drs. Ratliff and Smith's offices and in a short while they and Dr. Phenix with Dr. Dulaney, Dr. Marshall and Dr. Fuller their assistants were busy as could be and still the babies came. Big babies, little babies, long babies, short babies, fat babies, and lean babies but not an ugly baby in the whole crowd of them.  
There were eighty nine examined and they scored high. In fact we knew it could not be otherwise in this healthful western climate with the very best class of citizens for parents.  
On Sunday afternoon at the Opera House a program was given on subjects that dealt with children.  
Dr. Phenix spoke on "Hygiene for Children in the Home," and of course that was good, for besides a house full of healthy boys of his own, he has had years of experience in assisting the many mothers in West Texas.  
Dr. Henthorn, of Lorraine spoke on "Dentistry for Children," telling of the proper care of their teeth. The good doctor was at his best and we were afraid he was going to give a talk on horses but he finished with poetry of his own composition instead.  
Mrs. J. R. Collier very ably told of the Montessori method for children. Personally we admire Madam Montessori for bettering the weak minded children in Italy but we feel her method has no place for Texas children. Yet Mothers can put their button holes to better use than have the children play with them, teach them to button and unbutton the younger ones clothing, for instance; and their sense of smell has not been so deadened by garlic that they have to be led in another room to smell pepper.  
The best part of the program was to the winners at least, in awarding the medals.  
There was one perfect baby in the eighty nine; a girl, Little Irene Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gray, Colorado.  
There were two boys that tied on a score of 99 1/2, and as there were only two medals provided, one for the girl and one for the boy the committee bought another so that each of these might get a medal.  
They were John Ralph Shurtliff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Shurtliff and Brooks Franklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Franklin, both of Colorado.  
There was a nice list that deserve honorable mention. Among the girls were Fannie Fay Womack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Womack, making 99 1/2.  
Jo Kate Annis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Annis, 99 1/2.  
Minnie Lou Bedford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bedford, 98 1/2.  
Maravene Thomson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thompson of Lorraine, 98.  
Nettie Ruth Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. T. Johnson of Lorraine, 99 1/2.  
Ruby Opal McElroy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McElroy, 98 1/2.  
Virginia Webb, niece of Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughan, 99 1/2.  
The boys were:—Billy McMurray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Y. D. McMurray 99.  
Virgil Allen Mann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Client Mann, 99.  
Owen Harold Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nelson, Lorraine, 99.  
Richard Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Howell 98 1/2.  
Curtis Orin Shurtliff, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shurtliff 98 1/2.  
Harry Dupree Shipman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shipman, 98 1/2.

The object of the contest was not a beauty contest but that parents might have the opportunity to have their babies examined by competent persons and if there was any thing the matter with them they could have them treated and not go through life with some defect that could have been so easily remedied in the beginning.  
There are 300,000 babies die each year in the United States, and the Children's Bureau at Washington says that one-half of all these deaths would not occur "if individuals and communities applied those measures of hygiene and sanitation which are known to be available." There is no question of the correctness of this startling estimate, as it has been absolutely verified by the government. Miss Julia C. Lathrop, Chief of the Children's Bureau, comments that "it was once thought that a high infant death rate indicated a greater degree of vigor in the survivors." But this old fashioned fallacy has been exploded; and when the public gives the same attention to the conditions surrounding the raising of babies as has been furnished by the government to hogs and other animals life, than this terribly needless loss of 150,000 babies year will be checked.  
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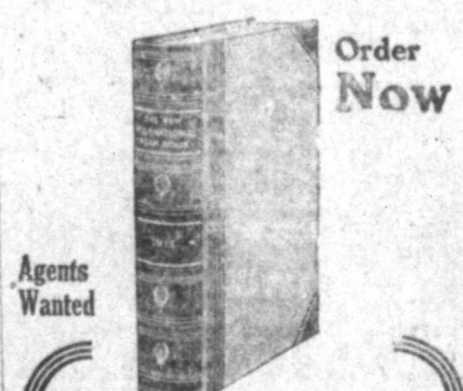
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Alpine—The largest single shipment of cattle to leave this place within a year was loaded out on the Galveston, Henderson & San Antonio Railroad last week enroute to Chicago. Thirty-five carloads made up the shipment and was followed by another trainload consisting of 14 cars. The value of the two shipments was estimated at \$150,000.

## Catarra Cannot Be Cured

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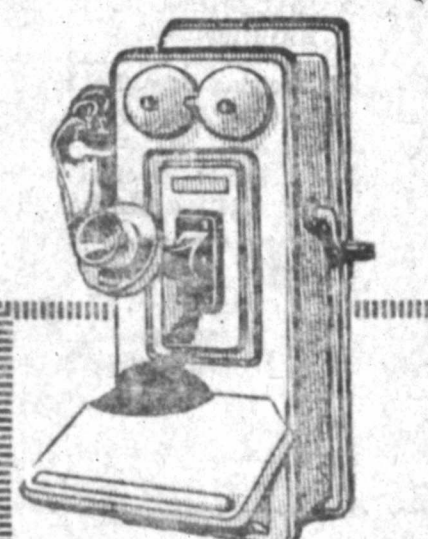


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## EARL VAUGHAN IS DEAD.

Earl Vaughan, the little house dog belonging to Mrs. John Vaughan is dead, an auto killed him, broke his neck and did it quick. Earl was given a burial in the back yard and flowers planted on his grave. For five long years this little dog had been the pet in this household and was considered a good dog, so he has gone to dogdom.

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**James T. Johnson**



Watch us for bargains—Allmond.

E. J. Callaway after a six months term in the Draughon's business college at Dallas has returned home and will now help his brother Earl make up the 1914 county tax roll.

Only 20 cents per ROLL for Oat Meal wall paper at W. L. DOSS.

Will Stoneham received a telegram on Saturday last from Beal Stoneham his son, at Roswell, N. M. that he was quite sick and to come at once. Mr. Stoneham left that night and no one has heard since just how sick his son was.

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

Rev. J. M. Shufford left this week on an extended visit to Dallas and will go from there to Hallsville and visit relatives, perhaps spend the summer there.

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

Mrs. Homer Robinson, of Dallas is visiting her father, Mr. A. J. Hagler and other relatives.

And still the Hoosier's go who will be next to purchase one?  
H. L. HUTCHINSON & CO.

Mrs. L. L. Logan of Megargle is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Tomas.

Ben Morgan sells for cash only.

**A. L. Scott**

**GRAIN, HAY, COTTON SEED  
MEAL AND HULLS**

Just received a car of oak wood sawed in stove length.

**PHONE 346**

**For Sale**  
Mebane Cotton Seed,  
at two dollars per hundred pounds.

5-8-c R. A. JEFFRESS.

Get the official Base Ball at Doss.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Majors and the little children of Sweetwater visited their married children here last week.

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

Mr. C. C. Blandford of Polytechnic is visiting his daughters, Mrs. C. T. Harness and Mrs. Royall G. Smith.

Found:—At the tabernacle, a pair of laddies, long black silk gloves and ladies white handkerchief, come to this office for them 25c.

Watt Collier makes a specialty of Baggage hauling.

Prof. Helm, an old time Mitchell County school teacher but who now lives at Merton was here this week looking after some of his Mitchell County property.

Best candies in town all kinds at Allmond's 5 & 10c Store.

Mr. Bramble the Express man was transferred this week to Dallas and he and Mrs. Bramble left Monday night for their new home. Mr. A. C. Saunders has been installed here as express man. Mr. Saunders was formerly agent here and has many friends in Colorado who are glad to see him back again.

Porch hammocks also porch furniture just received.  
H. L. HUTCHINSON & CO.

M. C. Knott (Vinty) a former citizen here but who now lives at Fort Worth spent several days here this week. Vinty represents the Ft. Worth Monumental works and has placed some nice orders in Colorado.

We may have war, but we will have to have washing send your clothes to the Laundry and be sure it is well done.

Jim Dobs now smiles at you from the seat of the express wagon as he makes his daily rounds.

10 quart enameled bucket 75c at Allmonds.

Mrs. J. B. Annis and baby Jo Kate leave for Temple Sunday to attend the State Temple of Pythian Sisters.

Phone Watt Collier for your baggage hauling.

Mrs. R. H. Pringle and children of Gallup, N. M. are visiting their aunt Mrs. H. C. Beal. Mrs. Pringle was reared in Colorado, and her many friends will be glad to renew their friendship again.

Paper platters and napkins just the thing for picnics at Allmonds 5 and 10 Cent Store.

Congoleum the water proof floor covering lasts longer than Linoleum.  
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G. B. Coughran, ex-sheriff of Mitchell County left on Tuesday night for his new home at Ft. Worth. Mr. Coughran publishes a card this week and it is with regret that Colorado gives up this good man as an officer and citizen. Mr. Coughran has drank too much water out of the Colorado river to stay away and his many friends here look for his return and will welcome him back when he tires of Ft. Worth city life.

Phone Vaughans feed store for nice fresh alfalfa.

T. B. Porter candidate for Sheriff came up from Lorraine with the boys on Tuesday to mix with the voters here and incidentally attend the ball game.

Oat Meal paper is the thing. W. L. Doss has it at 20 cents per ROLL.

Preston Scott is our new sheriff and he wears the honors with grace and dignity. Preston makes a good officer and is thoroughly familiar with the duties of Sheriff and Tax Collector. Preston is a Colorado production and all Mitchell County is proud of his advancement.

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

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McKenzie came in from the ranch and are spending the week in town. Mr. McKenzie received a message on Monday, that his niece, a young married lady at Yuma, Ariz., had been burned to death. No particulars could be obtained and it is not known how it occurred. The remains were taken at once to Iowa for interment, too soon for Mr. Mack to go.

Floor Lac Enamels, Buggy and wagon paints also window glass and putty.  
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On Monday last Fred McKenzie sold to Dr. Rudd near Maryne 16 head of his high grade fancy Short horns at quite fancy price. The price was private but it takes 4 figures to put down the total for the 16 head.

Get the LaFrance from A. J. Payne ever sack guaranteed.

Mrs. Ed Rowley of San Angelo is visiting her parents Judge and Mrs. R. H. Looney.

Before your clean house repaper those rooms with that fine paper at DOSS.

W. L. Cape came in from Jatan Sunday to spend the day here at the singing.

A. B. Maxfield, chief Telephone Operator at Sweetwater came over on Sunday to attend the Singing Convention.

C. C. Blandford came over from Arlington to be at the Singing Convention and spent several days here this week.

If you enjoy romance. See the betrothal ceremony of the Princess "Bul Bul" May 12.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Majors and children came over from Sweetwater last Sunday to take part in the Singing Convention.

We have a beautiful line of small rugs as well as art squares.  
H. L. HUTCHINSON & CO.

Mrs. Robert Brennan is quite sick.

Mrs. W. W. Gross and Miss Dimple of Snyder visited in the City Wednesday.

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

Miss Daisy Adams spent a few days in the country this week with her friend, Miss Fannie Reese.

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

**TO THE PEOPLE OF MITCHELL COUNTY.**

To my many friends and to the people of Mitchell County, I wish to say that I appreciate to the fullest extent the many things you have done for me, and I fully realize that if it had not been for your loyal support I would not have been able to meet some of the difficulties attendant upon my office. I am grateful to the people of Mitchell County for the honor bestowed upon me by virtue of my election to the important office of Sheriff. I have tried to have only one object in view in all my acts as an officer, and that is, the enforcement of the law. At least, I believe I have made an honest effort to be faithful to the trust imposed upon me, and if I have done anything worth while for you, I am sincerely thankful. My main regret in leaving is that I must sever my connections with you.

I have exchanged my property here for property in Ft. Worth, and I must go here to look after my interests. I leave you with the sincere conviction that whoever is selected to fill the important office vacated by me will be a man of honor, courage and integrity.

I shall ever remember with love and gratitude my loyal friends. I bear no ill will for those who have opposed me, and I only ask that they try to co-operate with my successors instead of opposing them. I hope to be with you frequently in the future, and even now am looking forward to a time when I can return to this county and make my home among you.

Respectfully,  
G. B. COUGHRAN.

**CALLED SESSION.**

On Saturday last there was a called session of the County Commissioners Court.

G. B. Coughran, the Sheriff tendered his resignation as Sheriff which was accepted. Preston Scott was then appointed Sheriff, his bond was submitted and approved and the Court adjourned having been in session just 30 minutes.

**A NEW ORGAN.**

The community of Landers wish to thank the following people of Colorado for their aid towards paying for our new organ:

A. J. Coe \$1.00; Earl Jackson, \$1.00; Jakes Restaurant, \$1.00; W. L. Doss, \$1.00; W. W. Porter, \$1.00; Colorado National Bank, 50c; R. E. Callaway, \$1.00; J. H. Bullock, \$1.00; F. M. Burns, \$2.00; A. W. Cooksey, \$1.00; City National Bank \$1.00; C. H. Lasky, 50c.

**Not Fit For Ladies.**

Public sentiment should be against it and we believe it is; there can be no reason why ladies should suffer with headaches and neuralgia, especially when Hunt's Lightning Oil gives such prompt relief. It is simply a question of getting the ladies to try it. All druggists sell Hunt's Lightning Oil in 25c and 50c bottles. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman Texas. 5-30.

**BURBANK'S SPINELESS CACTUS**

For Sale at Len Allmond's store a few plants of Burbank's Spineless Cactus. Buy a few of these plants and try them. Guaranteed 30 tons per acre of the best cow feed on earth. If.

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**CYDE NURSERY.**

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J. E. BURKETT, Clyde, Tex. tf

**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. tf

**STRAYED.**

Some time ago strayed from the Mann pasture 1 bay unbranded year old filly, also 1 bald face horse about 9 years old. When last heard of was near LoneWolf mountain. Will pay for any information or will pay \$10.00 reward for the two horses.  
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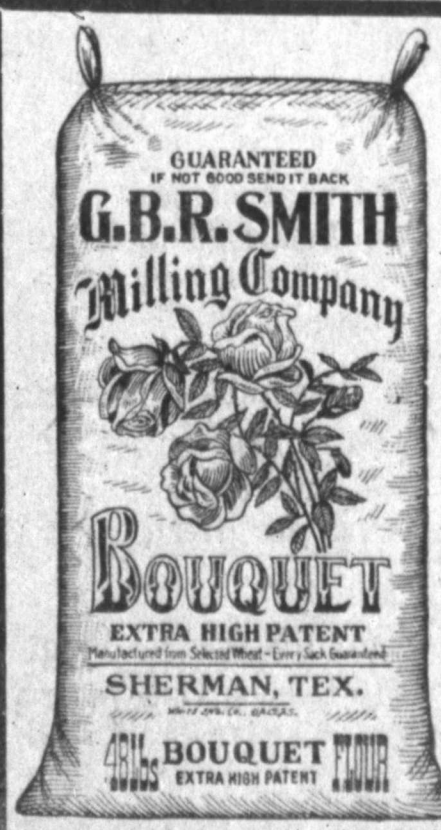
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BASE BALL ON HOME DIAMOND

COLORADO SHORT HORNS PLAY FOUR GAMES—WIN 3, TIE 1.

Saturday With Cuthbert and Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday With Baird.

Last Saturday evening the Cuthbert team came down to try their luck with the Short Horns. It was an ideal evening to play ball, but the country team was slow about getting ready and the game was so slow after being started it was about sun down when finished.

The score was 9 to 2 in favor of Colorado. Baird Games. As advertised a series of three games with Baird was to be played Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

A shower Sunday night put the grounds in fine condition and the day was a fine one to play ball, altho a little windy. "Big" Muns was in the box for the Short Horns and from the very first inning it was plain to be seen that he held the game in his mit.

The line up and details of game as follows: Baird R E Jones, cf 0 0 Hall, 3b 0 1 Clark, c 1 0 Robinson, 2b 0 1 Ray, rf 0 2 Wristen, ss 0 0 Russell, lf 0 1 Fielder, 1b 0 1 Crooms, p 0 1 Total 2 9

Colorado: Walters, ss 1 0 Anderson, 3b 2 1 Crawford, 2b 0 2 Bodine, cf 0 0 Stuart, lf 0 1 Dobbs, rf 2 0 Borins, 1b 0 1 Hughes, c 1 4 Muns, p 0 1 Total 9 7

Strike outs—By Muns 15; by Crooms 1. Base on Balls—Muns 2; Crooms 2. Batters hit—Muns 2; Crooms 2. Stolen bases—Anderson, Boring, Hughes, Jones, Russell, Dobbs 2. Sacrifice hits—Bodine 2. Three base hits—Clark 2. Two base hits—Bodine, Russell, Stuart. Ray relieved Crooms in fifth inning. Umpire—Thresher. Time—1 hour, 55 minutes.

Everybody looked forward to Tuesday's game, feeling sure that it would be a much closer game than the one on Monday, Baird having sent to Big Springs and had Baxter, the old time twirler, to come own and pitch the game.

Hart pitched fine ball for the home team for six innings, when he was relieved by Anderson. Baird scored 2 in the fifth, one in the sixth and one in the seventh; while Colorado got one in the third, 2 in the eighth and 1 in the ninth while tied the score, 4-4. Two more innings were played, both being shut outs, and the game was called off on account of darkness.

Both teams were in good form and it was an interesting game from start to finish. The line-up as follows: Baird R E Jones, cf 1 0 E. Hall, 3b 0 0 Clark, c 0 0

Table with 3 columns: Player Name, R, E. Includes Robinson, G. Hall, Wristen, Russell, Ray, Baxter, Fielder, Colorado, Walters, Muns, Crawford, Bodine, Dobbs, Stuart, Borins, Hughes, Hart.

Three base hits—Jones, Wristen, Muns. Base on balls—off Baxter 4; off Anderson 1. First base on errors—Colorado 4; Baird 9; Struck out by Baxter 12; Hart 6; Anderson 5; Hart pitched 6 innings; Anderson 5; Eleven innings, game called account darkness. Umpire, Thresher.

The third game played on Wednesday was rotten. A good crowd was out to see this game expecting it to be a close one as it was the day before. But Baird had Ray back in the box and he was batted out in the sixth inning and Clark tried his hand, but did not improve the situation much. Anderson was in the box for four innings for Colorado, after which Muns relieved him.

The Short Horns made a race track from the start scoring 11 in the first five innings, after which they scored no more. Baird scored two in the first inning after which they were shut out.

The line up was about the same as the day before with Jack Farmer as umpire and as the score card had not been completed as we go to press we give no details of this game, except to remark in passing, that the Colorado boys sure got revenge for the games they lost to Baird last year.

Manager Scott is well pleased with the way his team is improving and says when they get sure enough warmed up to the game, he will meet all comers. He has no games booked now for the home diamond, but expects to take his team to Big Springs to open their new park with a series of three games next week.

THE GREATEST KIDNEY REMEDY ON EARTH. "I want to tell you now much good your Swamp-Root did me. About four years ago, I suffered from what the doctors called fistula and for two years of that time I endured what no tongue can tell. I also had inflammation of the bladder and I tried doctors medicines without receiving any help. Someone told me about Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

After giving it a thorough trial, I received relief, so kept on using it and today I am a strong and well woman. If I ever feel badly or out of sorts, I take Swamp-Root and it always straightens me out. I honestly believe that this medicine would cure all troubles you recommend it for and it is a pleasure for me to send my testimony and photograph to you. I think Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is one of the greatest medicines on earth.

RATES TO AMARILLO. The general Passenger Agents Association has granted a fare of one and one third rate for the round trip to Amarillo. Tickets being on sale May 24 and are good to leave Amarillo on the 28th on account of the annual convocation of the Missionary District of North Texas, Episcopal church.

SINGING CONVENTION.

Annual Meeting of the Mitchell County Singing Convention. The County Population Present.

Saturday and Sunday last was great days for Colorado. It was the annual meeting of the Mitchell County Singing Convention. Delegates began to arrive on Saturday and that evening a business meeting was held with 15 classes represented. Quite a lot of routine business was transacted. New officers were elected and Colorado was honored by re electing W. L. Doss President and also the re election of Earl Jackson, Secretary, J. E. Stowe, vice President and E. Keathley, Chaplain. The delegates were assigned homes and the program mapped out for the next day.

Early Sunday morning the people began to arrive and on up to noon they came in bunches, in autos, motor cycles, wagons, hacks, buggies, horseback and on foot until the crowd was variously estimated at between 2500 and 3000 people. They came from the West, Big Springs, Coahoma, Iatan and Westbrook, Southwest, Spade, H. S. and Rendenbrook, South, Iolanthe and Sterling, Southeast, Robert, Lee, Bronte, Silver, McKenzie and Pleasant Grove; East, Sweetwater, Roscoe and Loraine, Northeast, Hermleigh, Wastella, Pyron and the Divide. North Snyder, Dunn and Buford, Northeast, Ira, Vincent and Cuthbert. It was a good natured jolly crowd all bent on a days outing and for a good time and Howard, Sterling, Coke, Nolan and Scurry counties were all well represented. The Tabernacle was well filled and the singing began about 10 A. M. and lasted all day, everything was sung from the simplest ditty to the most intricate opera. We had solos, duets, quartettes, sextettes and congregational singing, good better and best. The pastors of the town had called in their eleven o'clock services and were present at the tabernacle and took part in the exercises.

At high noon dinner was announced and 3000 hungry mouths were filled with all kinds of good things to eat. Tables had been prepared in the court house and the provisions served as best it could be done by the several committees, plenty of ice water was served on the grounds and all ate and drank until the inner man was satisfied. The weather was ideal, the crowd was a happy one and the day was pleasantly spent in laughter and song.

The singers on the rostrum from a distance noticed by the Record man were: W. J. Laney of Cisco; H. M. Warren; H. E. Ogden; C. C. Bankhead of Abilene; J. A. Kinard of Big Springs; D. C. Ryley of Coahoma; S. B. Summers of Rotan. Also Mr. Summers had his daughter with him. Of course Geo. Goodwin of Cuthbert was the leader, couldn't have a singing without Geo. Goodwin. Kinard's solo was pronounced the best and Roy Beights quartette was simply fine.

It was decided to meet again in May next year at the tabernacle in Colorado and a still larger crowd will be expected as there will be more people in the county by that time.

AUTOMOBILE DELIVERY SERVICE FOR THE CITY.

Realizing that my outside and jobbing business was growing so rapidly that I could not give the public satisfactory service, I have discontinued the grocery delivery for Mr. McMurry and will hereafter devote my entire time to baggage and general delivery. My time is now yours and I will always be Johnny-on-the-spot when you have anything to haul. My motto is to be there and do it quick and if I do not do this it will only be because I am off on a job. I will arrange my work so that I will be free at our near train time, both morning and evening so that I can make baggage work a specialty. Any time you have any hauling to do—or deliveries to make phone 154 or after 6 o'clock Phone 101, and I'll be there. I want to thank the public for their liberal patronage in the past and ask a continuance of it as I am now in better shape to handle your business than before. Yours truly, "PETE" AVERY. The Auto Delivery Man.

SPECIAL MENTION.

The Committee of the Better Babies Contest desire to inform the parents of the babies who were examined for the medal, and also the public in general, that it was mainly through the untiring efforts of Mrs. Shipman that it was made possible. She spared neither work or time besides being at considerable expense. So we take this method of informing the public of her deep interest in the work and also to show our appreciation. COMMITTEE.

Dressmaking. Mrs. H. F. Rankin and Mrs. C. C. Wheat have opened a dressmaking establishment on the corner of West 7th and Pine Streets, and would be pleased for a trial order.

Found on the streets a ladies gold locket with Diamond setting, child's picture in the locket. Call at this office and pay for this ad get locket.

LODGE MEETINGS

Mitchell Lodge No. 563, A. F. & A. M. Regular stated meeting Saturday Night May 9th, Business of importance. All members urged to attend. Visitors welcomed. P. B. WHIPKEY, W. M. W. S. STONEHAM, Secy.

Jersey Bull for Service. I have a full blood jersey bull for service. Will come and get your cow and return her for \$1.00. Service for bull \$2.00, in advance. Phone No. 45 or 290. R. L. BENTON 5-22p. at Roe old place, South Colorado.

OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

This week many have paid and quite a number have enrolled as new ones. More than 80 per cent of the homes in Mitchell County look forward with pleasure each week to the coming of the Record. Mitchell county prophet. Here is the list this week.

W. J. Jenkins pays and changes to Silver Texas. Mrs. Joe Key pays and changes to El Paso. Mrs. A. F. Curry from Midland says please find enclosed \$1.00 for which continue my subscription to Colorado Record one year. It is like a letter from home and in some respects better. I know I will get it, and can't always depend on the letter. The paper now goes to Cary Prude at Ft. Davis. G. B. Coughran pays and changes to Ft. Worth. T. H. Smart changes from Westbrook to Colorado. C. A. Dodson is a new one for the Record and Dallas News.

Ham Cook renews for the Record and Dallas News. Mrs. Byron Byrne sends the Record to Mrs. L. A. Tomlinson at Carlsbad. W. E. Leter Colorado is a new one. N. P. Browne, Colorado renews for the Record and Dallas News. M. M. Callan hands in a dollar for another year. R. U. Bean sends the Record for a year to Thos. McKinley at Hamilton Texas.

Here is a new one: Enclosed please find one dollar for description of the Colorado Record, one year. Most respectfully, Mrs. J. Franklin Fuller. Fuller Ranch. Medina Texas.

GOOD NEWS.

Many Colorado Readers Have Heard It and Profited Thereby.

"Good news travels fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in this vicinity are glad to learn where relief may be found. Many a lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands upon thousands of people are telling the good news of their experience with this tested remedy. Here is an example worth reading.

J. J. Burnett, Snyder, Texas, Says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills for the past five or six years, whenever I have had any symptoms of kidney trouble and I have always been benefited. I suffered every year from rheumatic twinges and weak kidneys. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I got a box. They strengthened my kidneys and cured the rheumatic trouble." Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Burnett had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., N. Y.

TEXAS ONIONS TO NORTHERN MARKETS.

MISSION—The Onion crop in this section is enormous and during the last several weeks many carloads have left this place enroute to northern markets where the product is being sold at a good profit to the producers.

Most Prompt and Effective Cure for Bad Colds.

When you have a bad cold you want a remedy that will not only give relief, but effect a prompt and permanent cure. A remedy that is pleasant to take, a remedy that contains nothing injurious. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all these requirements. It acts on nature's plan, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions and restores the system to a healthy condition. This remedy has a world wide sale and use, and can always be depended upon. Sold by W. L. Doss.

LYTLE LAKE DAM COMPLETED AT ABILENE.

Abilene—Lytle Lake dam located near here which was completely destroyed during November of last year by the floods, has been rebuilt at a cost of \$40,000 and formally turned over to the public utility company at this place. The capacity of the project is 800,000,000 gallons.

If you would have your old furniture look like new come to our store where we can fit you up with the goods that will do the work. H. L. HUTCHINSON & CO.

WOMEN OF COLORADO!

Are you willing to risk your family washings in the homes of people of whom you know nothing? Have you thought of the contagious diseases, consumption, Pallagra etc, and the germs these clothes presumably clean may bring home to your children? Do not take the risk send them to the Steam Laundry where the work is done in a sanitary scientific manner.

NOTICE.

On 1st of April I will do no more credit. Please don't say charge for you will be refused. TOM PAYNE

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

GET AN EXPERT.

When having your piano tuned, think of the damage that can be done by employing an unknown tuner. Get one your teacher recommends.

POSTED. The Landers Bros. Pastures are posted by law and all wood haulers and trespassers will be prosecuted. Keep out. LANDERS BROS. tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

1 7 H. P. Gasoline engine, running and in perfect condition. Have no use for so large an engine. BEALS MARKET, H. S. Beal tf.

Phone 38 for prompt and satisfactory service.

A Notice to All. I KEEP NOTHING—BUT SELL WOOD, COAL AND FEED. Plenty of oak wood in 4-feet, cook stove and heater lengths. I have and will keep plenty of McAlister, Colorado, lump and nut coal. Also have a good line of Blacksmith coal. For feed of all kinds see or phone me. Free delivery. Will furnish meal and hulls at mill prices. Wholesale oils and gasoline for The Texas Company. W. W. PORTER

VACATION DAYS ARE JUST AHEAD OF YOU NOW IS THE TIME TO PLAN THAT SUMMER TRIP BECAUSE YOU CAN GO EARLIER THAN EVER BEFORE THIS YEAR. Excursion Fares Beginning May 15th. Write and tell me where you want to go and fares and other desired information will be given you immediately. If you are in doubt, I'll gladly help you plan your trip. W. G. CRUSH, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Katy Building, Dallas, Texas.

Studebaker SEVEN PASSENGER SIX \$1575. Outselling them, because it outvalues them. Not merely charging less, but giving more. An inventory of features, inside and out, proves it. A demonstration settles the question beyond dispute. A seven-passenger "Six—not a five—or a six-passenger. So comfortable that mind and body pronounce it perfect. So light that it skims the road as a swallow skims the air. Weight so well distributed that it sticks to the road-way as though it were a rail-way. So free from friction that vibration is reduced to the vanishing point. So powerful that no condition it meets can daunt it. Nothing left to be desired—size, beauty, roadability. And still—a lower price. Judge it, first, by its own superb steadiness, smoothness and power. Then, by comparison with cars costing more. Full Floating Rear Axle with pressed steel housing. Studebaker-Wagner separate unit starting and lighting. Full equipment of Timken bearings. Two disappearing auxiliary seats in the tonneau. Gears of our own heat-treating and cutting. Springs of our own make and testing. Our own drop-forged front axle. Our own beautifully designed and finished body. Our own special crowned fenders. Our own steel stampings and castings throughout. STUDEBAKER DETROIT Buy It Because It's a Studebaker. The Studebaker SIX Landau-Roadster, \$1800 Sedan, \$2250. The Studebaker FOUR Touring Car, \$1050 Landau-Roadster, \$1200 Delivery Car, \$1150 All Prices F. O. B. Detroit. F. S. KEPER, Local Dealer.

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