

# Colorado Record

TENTH YEAR.

COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1915.

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Have you looked over your plow tools to see what you need to begin your next crop? You always need something you haven't got or some new labor and time-saving implement recently put on the market. I have a complete line of the best implements made in—

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### WALKING MIDDLE BUSTERS DISC AND MOULBOARD PLOWS

These implements are the best made—no other kind are worth the buying—and will be sold at prices and on terms consistent with present conditions. Before buying come to see what I have to offer you.

## H. C. DOSS

#### SPAIN MAY DISREGARD U. S. POLICY IN MEXICO.

#### Appeal to Powers for Action to Protect Subjects Is Reported Already Made By Madrid Government.

The Spanish government has made application to the powers in order to obtain joint action to end what is termed "a state of anarchy" in Mexico, according to a dispatch from Madrid to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

The United States government has received no application from Spain for joint action with other nations in the Mexican situation, Secretary Bryan said, nor has any intimation reached the state department that such a step was contemplated. Officials learned with much interest of the press reports that Spain had addressed a communication to the powers on the situation in Mexico.

At the Spanish embassy it was said no word had been received from Madrid as to the decision of the cabinet, but that a full report of the expulsion from Mexico of Jose Caro, the Spanish minister, on which it is presumed here Spain's reported action is based, has been sent by Caro through the embassy here to the Spanish foreign office. The peculiar status of the diplomatic representatives in a country wherein no government is recognized, it was believed by many officials, would probably override the technical point that the Spanish minister could enjoy no immunity because he had not presented his credentials.

It was suggested that Caro's appointment by the Spanish government would in the circumstances constitute sufficient proof of his official status for any de facto government and should inspire the same respect as that usually given diplomatic representatives.

The Spanish government may have addressed a note to all the powers reciting Caro's experiences with the Carranza government, officials here believe, but until the nature of Spain's suggestions are known they decline to speculate on the probable course of the American government. That conditions in Mexico have gradually grown worse is admitted at the state department. There has been a disposition to regard the expulsion of the Spanish minister as a personal matter between General Carranza and Caro, but whether or not this was a fixed policy of the Washington government and would be influenced by any informal action taken by Spain was a matter of wide conjecture.

We have frequently seen winter lingering and wallowing in the lap of Spring, but do not remember having seen spring put into the rear of old winter quite so early and briskly as it is doing now.

Warranty deeds sold at this office.

#### WHAT ABOUT THE BASE BALL SITUATION.

A week or two ago an article appeared in the West Texas papers copied from the Dallas News, in which it was stated that a West Texas League was being promoted by a Dallas man. It strikes the sporting editor of the Record, that this is the only solution for these western towns to get the pleasure and benefit of a ball team. Last year a few public spirited citizens of Colorado built a splendid park, organized a good team, and we certainly had some sport, but the promoters went in the hole on the proposition. One of the main reasons that this was so, was from the fact that to match a game the teams had to be brought long distances, even as far as Baird, Coleman, etc., and the expense of these long jumps absorbed the profits, and then some. With a league, including six or eight towns, all within a comparatively small territory, and with the proper schedule of games, the traveling expenses could be reduced to a much smaller item. Then, too, when the team was away from home, they would know just what they were to receive, and when they played on the home grounds they would know just what they had to pay.

Those who are interested in the park can hardly afford to let it lay idle this summer, and an independent ball team would again meet the same difficulties they did last year. We would like to see some one get into communication with the Dallas promoter, and see if Colorado could not help in the organization of the league. We believe a reasonable bonus, to be paid monthly, could be raised here toward the support of a good team if it was in the league.

If this league should be organized and Colorado should not go in, then we could not hope to have a team at all, as all the nearby towns would have their schedule of games in the league, and Colorado would have no one to play against, unless they were brought from 50 to 100 miles, and, as stated before, the expense would prohibit that. So, if this league should be organized, Colorado surely ought to be in it, otherwise we would have no base ball at all.

That a good ball team is one of the best advertisements a town can have there can be no doubt; last year the team at Colorado did more to get the town on the map, than anything that was promoted during the year.

Let all the citizens get together on this proposition and let's get into the game. If the league should not be organized, then let us get up an independent local team, and play our neighbors a few games at least.

When a man falls he never seems to hit the bottom.

#### NEWS IN PARAGRAPHS.

A. C. Ansley charged with the murder of O. C. Brown on the streets of Hamlin, Nov. 14th, 1914, was given a sentence of two years in the penitentiary at Anson last week, the jury recommending a suspended sentence.

By a concurrent resolution introduced in the senate by Senator O. S. Lattimore of Fort Worth, a movement was set on foot to give the women of the state the right to indicate by the ballot whether or not they want the right of suffrage extended to them.

The effects of the Panama canal on the lowering of railroad rates is already apparent. The Interstate Commerce Commission granted transcontinental railroads permission to lower seaboard rates to meet canal competition.

Senator Suiter announces he is preparing a joint resolution to be introduced within a few days providing for the abolishment of the office of county treasurer in Texas. By constitutional amendment he proposes to wipe out the office entirely and save to the state approximately \$200,000 annually. Under his plan county clerks and county depositories would assume the county treasurer's duties.

Astounding results of a recent wireless telephone experiment have been made public. The tests were made unofficially by order of the Secretary of the Navy from the United States Government radio station at Mare Island. A conversation was carried on over 721 miles along the coast, and every word uttered was heard as distinctly at the other end as if it were spoken through the ordinary wire telephone.

Considerable interest is being manifested in the proposed constitutional amendment to create a State tax commission or state board of equalization to be composed of five members. The amendment, introduced by Senator Harley of Comal county, and backed by the Texas Assessors Association, would separate state from county taxes, the legislature thus being empowered to pass laws to enable the state to collect from each county an equitable and fair amount of revenue in proportion to the taxable values.

The American steamer Dacia finally sailed from Norfolk, Va., on the 11th, with her cargo of cotton for Germany, Great Britain has threatened to seize the ship, questioning her transfer from German registry.

Edward F. Kearney, acting president of the Texas & Pacific railroad was appointed co-receiver of the Wabash railroad. He will share the duties of the receivership with E. B. Pryor, who has been one of the receivers since the road went into bankruptcy and who now is president of a St. Louis bank.

The Iowa senate adopted the constitutional amendment resolution for statewide prohibition, on the 12th. It now goes to the house.

Will Hickman, ex-sheriff of Coke county, was shot by deputy sheriff T. A. Griffith of that county, at Bronte, last week, and died at a San Angelo sanitarium, where he had been taken.

The boy who broke a show window in Linz Bro's establishment and stole a \$10,000 diamond and \$7,500 necklace, has been sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. The necklace was dropped by the thief and recovered, but the diamond is still missing.

A law prohibiting newspapers carrying liquor advertisements was passed over the governor's veto by the Alabama legislature last week, and the newspapers of that state are testing the constitutionality of the law, which also makes illegal the sale within the state of papers carrying liquor advertisements coming from other states.

An interurban from Dallas to Brownwood, and eventually extended to San Angelo, is now assured. It will be 160 miles in length.

Zapata forces have destroyed the waterworks in Mexico City, the food famine has become more critical and indications are that Carranza forces may soon evacuate, official advices to the American government said.

It was currently reported in railroad circles in Fort Worth that J. W. Everman, vice president and general manager of the Cotton Belt system, will be appointed first vice president of the Texas & Pacific Railroad company with headquarters in New Orleans, to succeed E. F. Kearney, resigned, to accept the receivership of the Wabash system.

#### AN URGENT NEED SUPPLIED.

#### Mitchell County Diversification and Marketing Association Organized With Good Membership and Enthusiastic Beginning.

Prof. O. L. Williams who represents the Extension Department of A. & M. College, visited Colorado this week in the interest of a Diversification and Marketing Association for Mitchell county. He, in company with W. A. Dulin, county farm demonstrator, called a meeting of business men early Tuesday morning in the offices of Judge C. H. Earnest to lay plans and outline the work for a regular mass meeting of business men and farmers to be held in the afternoon at the court house.

The morning meeting was well attended, the following being present: Ham Cook, B. Dobbs, D. H. Snyder, H. C. Hines, Geo. E. Goodwin, C. H. Earnest, W. L. Doss, H. L. Hutchinson, J. H. Greene, C. M. Adams, W. S. Justice, R. P. Price, E. Keathly, Dr. T. J. Ratliff, R. H. Looney, L. W. Sandusky, W. A. Dulin, M. C. Ratliff, B. S. Van Tuyl, S. Gustine, Dr. W. R. Lindley, J. L. Quicksall and O. L. Williams.

Mr. Quicksall spoke first giving some facts and figures on diversification, marketing, etc., and then called on Prof. O. L. Williams. Mr. Williams is secretary of the Bowie Commercial Club, but at present has been loaned to A. & M. College to work on this line. Mr. Williams outlined the method of organization in the Extension Department and explained the advantages of a Diversification and Marketing Association. He read a form of By-Laws and Constitution which has been recommended by Clarence Ousley, Superintendent of the Extension Department at the College.

A motion prevailed that the plan be accepted and a committee appointed to report at the evening meeting, and the following were appointed: Ham Cook and J. H. Greene.

The meeting at the court house was called to order by W. A. Dulin, and Geo. E. Goodwin was elected chairman. Mr. Williams spoke at some length on the same line as at the morning meeting, as also did Mr. Quicksall. The committee appointed at the morning meeting reported that the organization be effected, adopting the constitution and by-laws as suggested. The following officers were elected:

President, Judge C. H. Earnest.  
First Vice-President, G. E. Goodwin.  
Second Vice-President, Ham Cook.  
Secretary, J. H. Greene.  
Crop Method Committee.—Dr. P. C. Coleman, Tom McGuire, D. P. Smith.  
Livestock Committee.—U. D. Wolfen, Brooks Bell, G. E. Goodwin.

Marketing Committee.—Judge J. H. Bullock, W. W. Potter, D. L. Beeman.  
Education and Organization Committee.—T. H. Halbert, W. L. Doss, W. A. Dulin.

Following is the Constitution and By-Laws as adopted:

Article 1. The name of this association shall be the Mitchell County Diversification and Marketing Association, and its principal place of business shall be Colorado, Texas.

Art. 2. The object of the Association shall be to promote diversified farming, the raising of more and better live stock, the organization of a farmers' warehouse association, and to conduct a campaign of education and organization among the farmers of Mitchell county.

Art. 3. Any person twenty-one years of age and who is engaged in agriculture in Mitchell county or the adjoining county may become a voting member of the Association.

Any resident of Mitchell county not so engaged may become an associate member. Associate members shall have the privilege of attending meetings and taking part in discussions, but not of voting.

Art. 4. The Annual meeting of the Association shall be held on a date between Oct. 1 and Dec. 1, subject to the call of the president, provided, that the president shall instruct the secretary to mail each member a notice of the said meeting at least two weeks prior to the date thereof.

At this meeting the following officers shall be elected by ballot: A president, and two vice presidents. They shall serve one year, or until their successors shall be elected and qualified.

Special meetings of the Association may be called at any time by the executive committee, by mailing a notice to each member at least one week previous thereto.

At any such meeting, by majority of all votes or by two-thirds votes of the members present, an office may be declared vacant, and the meeting may

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proceed to the election of an officer to fill the vacancy.

A quorum shall consist of one-fourth of the members in good standing represented in person or by written proxy provided that no proxy may be voted except by a member of the Association.

Art. 5. The president shall appoint the following standing committees, which shall consist of three members each; namely, a committee on crop methods, a committee on livestock, a committee on marketing, and a committee on education and organization.

The committee on crop methods shall consider and recommend methods for the improvement of crops.

The committee on live stock shall consider and recommend methods of increasing the number and improving the quality of livestock in Mitchell county.

The committee on marketing shall consider plans and make recommendations concerning the marketing of farm products, and may, with the approval of the executive committee formulate rules governing same.

The committee on education and organization shall conduct a campaign of education looking towards the ultimate organization of a Farmers' Warehouse Association in Mitchell county.

The committee on education and organization may promote the organization of local associations in the various parts of the county.

Art. 6. The members of this Association pledge themselves to utilize the marketing agencies or facilities of this Association for the marketing of such of their produce as is sold outside of Mitchell county.

Art. 7. The executive committee shall consist of the president, the two vice-presidents and the chairman of the four standing committees.

The executive committee shall hold regular meetings once each month and special meetings at the call of the president.

The executive committee shall have general management of the affairs of the Association, authorize all expenditures, make all contracts, and constitute the governing power of the Association in all matters of business.

The executive committee may require a bond in such amount as they may fix from any person rendering any service involving financial responsibility.

Art. 8. The executive committee shall employ a secretary-treasurer who shall act under their direction, keep a record of all meetings, and an account of the receipts and expenditures of the Association.

Art. 9. Each member of the Association shall pay an annual fee of fifty cents, payable on or before January 1.

Art. 10. This constitution and by-laws may be amended by two thirds vote of the members present at any meeting or by a majority vote at two consecutive meetings.

Mortgage notes for sale by Record.

#### SPANISH MINISTER EXPELLED FROM MEXICO.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The state department was officially advised today that General Carranza had ordered the Spanish Minister to Mexico to leave the country within twenty-four hours from midnight Feb. 10, because of alleged refuge given to Angel De Caso, a Spanish subject. The Spanish minister left Mexico City for Vera Cruz immediately after being ordered to depart. He insisted that De Caso was at no time in the Spanish legation, but declined to reveal his whereabouts.

When Villa one time declared, he was unfit to become the president of Mexico, he was then the minded peon-soldier, feared, hated because he knew no fly-wheel of power; but now that war, coined, and emitted the power of life and dling no less gated edicts and otherw the functions of the srs. that the alphabet is not of supreme authority, when that he will henceforth be president. Mexico is surely ings that Worth Record.

#### MR. JORDAN KILLED BY HIS SON.

Only the most meager intelligence of the killing of J. B. Jordan by his son Monday was obtainable here this week. The parties live across the line in Scurry county and the case is being handled by officials of that county. They lived on Deep Creek and were known to many Colorado people. We understand the son has confessed to the killing of his father, but nothing of the details is known here at this time. Mr. Jordan came often to Colorado trading, and was held in high esteem by our business men and all who knew him.

#### HAVE YOU CONSIDERED THE FACT

That the time will soon be here for the selection of a Mayor of the City of Colorado? On the first Tuesday in April, a Mayor, City Secretary and two Councilmen will have to be elected. All these are offices of no small responsibility, and the best we breed are none too good to fill them. Since the city has acquired its own water system and the institution of the suit to recover claims against the old corporation, the offices of mayor and councilman are no child's play. Let us see that they are filled by earnest and competent men, and not vote for any man just because some friend has an axe to grind or asks us to do so. Post yourself as to the requirements of these offices and fill them with men who have the best interests of the city at heart.

# Our Semi-Annual Clearance SALE

## Opens Friday Morning FEB. 12th 1915

THE PEOPLE of Colorado and Mitchell County have learned by experience that when we advertise a Clearance sale, a feast of BARGAINS awaits them. As usual, this sale will be conducted on a strictly CASH basis. No goods will be charged until after the Sale, which closes February 27th, 1915. We quote below a few prices which will give you an idea of the sweeping reductions we have made. First and foremost, we quote these very attractive prices on—

### Men's Clothing

All \$25.00 Suits now ..... **\$17.45**  
 All \$22.50 Suits now ..... **\$15.35**  
 All \$20.00 Suits now ..... **\$14.45**  
 All \$17.50 Suits now ..... **\$12.15**  
 All \$15.00 Suits now ..... **\$10.85**  
 All \$12.50 Suits now ..... **\$9.45**  
 All \$10.00 Suits now ..... **\$7.15**  
 We have some cheaper suits which we are offering AT ABSOLUTE COST.

### Youths' Clothing

All \$12.50 Suits at ..... **\$8.45**  
 All \$10.00 Suits at ..... **\$6.45**

### Boys' Clothing

All \$10.00 Knee Pants Suits ..... **\$6.35**  
 All \$8.00 Knee Pants Suits ..... **\$5.45**  
 All \$7.00 Knee Pants Suits ..... **\$4.45**  
 All \$6.00 Knee Pants Suits ..... **\$3.95**  
 All \$5.00 Knee Pants Suits ..... **\$3.45**  
 All \$3.50 Knee Pants Suits ..... **\$2.35**  
 All \$3.00 Knee Pants Suits ..... **\$1.95**  
 We have a number of small sizes from 3 to 5 years which we are offering at ABSOLUTE COST.

### Men's Overcoats

All \$20.00 Overcoats ..... **\$13.85**  
 All \$15.00 Overcoats ..... **\$10.95**  
 All \$12.50 Overcoats ..... **\$8.65**  
 All \$9.00 Overcoats at ..... **\$6.65**  
 All \$8.00 Overcoats ..... **\$5.45**  
 All \$6.50 Boys Overcoats ..... **\$4.95**  
 All \$5.00 Boys Overcoats ..... **\$3.95**  
 We have some smaller sizes in Boys Overcoats which we will close out at ABSOLUTE COST.

### Shoes! Shoes!!

cord, to have two or three offering our entire stock of Edwin ty teams at some cent PATENT LEATHER shoes at the Colorado, to go out on a low price of \$5.00 per pair. We have had place in the pub selling these shoes at \$6.50, and the Ft. little dragging after a th and Dallas houses sell them at \$7.00 \$7.50. This is an exceptional chance buy high-grade shoes at a moderate price. We have placed in the first nine sections of our shoe shelving a lot of ladies and childrens shoes and slippers, which we are offering AT COST, plus 10 per cent. This is an opportunity you should not miss.

### ALL FURS AT POSITIVE COST

We are closing out our entire stock of Ladies' and Misses Ready-to-wear garments at actual cost, consisting of Coat Suits, Skirts, Jackets and Shirt Waists. We can save you some money here.

Our stock is well balanced and complete and we believe we can supply your needs at prices that will materially reduce the high cost of living.

REMEMBER THE PLACE:  
**C. M. ADAMS' Store, Colorado, Texas**

REMEMBER THE DATES:  
**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12, TO SATURDAY, FEB. 27, 1915**

Remember that this is a strictly cash sale and NO GOODS will be charged. Owing to the low prices prevailing, premium cards will not be punched during this sale but votes in the San Francisco Exposition Contest will be given as usual.

# CHARLES M. ADAMS

Colorado, Texas

### LORAIN NEWS ITEMS.

Bonner Wimberly left this week for El Paso.  
 Miss Wanda Altman visited home-folks Saturday and Sunday.  
 Miss Nellie Norman gave a birthday and Valentine party Saturday afternoon. All report a jolly time.  
 Raymond Baird is very sick this week.  
 Charley Farris left last week for Plainview, on business.  
 I. W. Baker spent Sunday in Roscoe with his sister, Mrs. Sloan.  
 The people of Loraine are going to meet Monday, Feb. 22nd, at the cemetery, for the purpose of clearing and repairing the yard. Dinner on the ground.  
 Mrs. W. F. Altman spent a few days in Roscoe last week, visiting her mother, Mrs. Pryor, who has been sick.  
 Miss Ida Nelson, who is attending school at Abilene came home last week to spend a few days with home-folks.  
 Miss Vera Goforth of Roscoe has accepted a position as assistant teacher in the Brownlee school.  
 Floyd Thomas of Baumann is sick this week with the mumps.  
 Mitchell Wallace of El Paso, was visiting in Loraine a few days last week.  
 Allen Nelson has been laid up a few days this week with a sprained foot.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsey visited in Sweetwater last Sunday.  
 Sidney Altman made a business trip to Hermleigh Monday.  
 Brown & Co's. store shelving gave away one day last week and smashed and damaged quite a lot of groceries.  
 Capt. Watlington visited in Colorado a few days this week.  
 Rev. W. M. Bennett of Union Chapel preached Sunday night at the Methodist church.  
 Mat Bryan of China Grove made a business trip to Loraine Saturday.  
 K. K. Boyce is very sick this week with pneumonia.  
 Billy Smith of Sweetwater is visiting in Loraine this week.  
 Uriah Duncan was busy in Colorado Wednesday.  
 Tom Watlington and wife of Texarkana are visiting their sisters Mrs. R. L. Looby and Mrs. Minnie Fairbairn.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Saddler of Colorado visited Rev. C. E. Jameson and family last Tuesday.  
 Willie Thomas' children formerly of Comanche, who have been staying with Miss Ethel Thomas, attending school, left Tuesday for their home in Lubbock.  
 The Methodist Ladies Aid gave a Valentine social at Mrs. W. L. Edmondson's Saturday afternoon. Refreshments were served and all had a good time.

### Staple Goods

We quote herewith some prices which will gladden the thrifty housewife's eyes:  
 Coronet Dress Prints 6 1-4 value at. **4 1-2c**  
 All other prints including Oil Colors at **5c**  
 Outing Flannel, 8 1-3c value at ..... **6 1-2c**  
 12c Values at ..... **9c**  
 Yard Wide "Satisfaction" Bleached Domestic, 8 1-3c Values at ..... **6 1-2c**  
 Yard Wide "Our Standard" Bleached Domestic 10c Value at ..... **7 1-2c**  
 Three Special Bargains in 4-4 Unbleached Domestic, at **7, 6 1-2, and 6c**  
 These goods are worth 7 1-2c, 8 1-3c, and 9c.  
 Cotton Plaids, worth 6 1-4c at ..... **4 1-2c**  
 A 7 1-2 cent value at ..... **6c**  
 A better one worth 8 1-3c at ..... **7c**  
 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, 25c value at ..... **22c**  
 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting, 25c value at **20c**

### MATTRESS TICKING

12 1-2 cent quality for ..... **10c**

### FEATHER TICKING

20 cent quality at ..... **15c**  
 Towels at **12c, 11c** and ..... **8c**  
 Everyone of them worth more.

### Mens, Womens and Childrens HOSIERY at Greatly Reduced Prices.

We have them from **7c** per pair upward.  
 On our entire stock of Mens, Womens, Boys and Girls SWEATERS we have placed prices that will sell them. There is still six weeks of winter weather ahead, and it will be prudent to buy sweaters for the whole family at this sale.

### Mens and Womens Underwear, 50 cent values, in this sale at ..... 43c

Boys Underwear, 25 cent values at per garment ..... **17c**

Striking reductions on our entire stock of BLANKETS. Buy them at these prices.  
 We have placed on sale a limited number of mens staple shape hats, which we are offering at ABSOLUTE COST.  
 We are also selling our novelty hats at very low figures.  
 You will find our stock of staple and fancy notions to be complete and at reduced prices. For example we offer 2 spools King's Thread for ..... **5c**  
 4 papers Pins for ..... **5c**  
 Material reductions on all Trunks, Suit Cases and Traveling Bags.

### SCHOOL NOTES.

Though Colorado High School does not boast a well organized basketball team this year, when Snyder sent down her challenge the "second-size" boys unhesitatingly accepted. The game resulted in an overwhelming defeat for Colorado, in sharp contrast to the Colorado boys' record of last year.  
 But even if the boys were defeated their attitude toward athletics is to be commended in one respect at least. They said when they were challenged that they knew they could not possibly win, but would play for the game, not the victory. This spirit bears favorable comparison with that shown in some public schools who will not play under any circumstances unless they are sure of winning, even if to win necessitates their drawing re-

cruits from those outside the school. The seniors say that the noise of the trains detracted from their enjoyment of the Roy Fox show. While they were sitting on the highest reserved seat and hanging on every word that fell from the stern lips of St. Elmo, a belated freight train would drown the stentorian voice in whistles, puffs and roars so rancous as to strike a death blow to all romantic feeling engendered by Augusta's eloquence.  
 The Juniors have been relieved from the auditorium; that is, they do not study there now. Perhaps they witnessed and executed such swift moving acrobatic feats as to make them dizzy; hence their change of location. For particulars enquire of Willie Doss.  
 The sophomores are compiling a book of quotations, classical and effective. Their favorite is "Taint no use to grumble and complain; it's just as easy to rejoice; when God sorts out the weather an' sends rain, w'y rain's my choice."  
 But of all classes to make history, the freshmen excel. To illustrate: last week a bee, nothing repelled by the excellent order, came into the room. When it chose to leave it stupidly struck the window and doggedly persisted in investigating, occasionally flying back into the room to take a running start toward butting through the glass. As it would fly back into the room, several of the more excitable girls would dodge and vainly try to crowd into their desks. All the gallantry in the room was appealed to, but Herbert Arbutnot was the one to come to the rescue. He calmly waited until the bee butted the window pane, then picked the bee up and threw it from him. Of course the bee left its stinger in Herbert's finger, but that was a small matter.  
 The horticulturist of the class is handicapped. His cheek entertained a base ball Monday. A black eye and badly swollen cheek were the results. As he explained the accident, "A ball was thrown to me, I was a back ketcher, an' it hit me on the face an' i-set down."  
 Alma Terry and Mary Rice are still on the school's sick list.  
 Lula Mae and Elnora Dulaney are back in school after a week's absence at the bedside of their grandmother in Sweetwater.

### COTTON REPORT.

There have been weighed in Colorado up to Thursday morning, February 18, 15,545 bales as follows:  
 Public Yard (Crawford) ..... 10,550  
 Warehouse Yard (Roddy) ..... 4,995  
 Total ..... 15,545  
 There have been ginned in Colorado up to date 11,554 bales as follows:  
 C. P. Gary Gin ..... 4,269  
 Cook Gin ..... 2,544  
 Concrete Gin ..... 2,706  
 Lambeth Gin ..... 2,035  
 Total ..... 11,554  
 This shows the receipt of 3991 bales from outside gins.  
 The price all this week has remained from 6 1/2 to 8 cents.  
 Seed selling at \$21.00 per ton.

### POLL TAX RECEIPTS.

The following is the list of poll tax receipts issued in the county up to February 1.  
 Precinct No. 1, Colorado ..... 481  
 Precinct No. 2, Westbrook ..... 99  
 Precinct No. 3, Spade ..... 34  
 Precinct No. 4, Landers ..... 28  
 Precinct No. 5, Cuthbert ..... 74  
 Precinct No. 6, Car ..... 21  
 Precinct No. 7, Loraine ..... 292  
 Precinct No. 8, Iatan ..... 13  
 Precinct No. 9, McKenzie ..... 11  
 Total ..... 1053  
 With a possible 147 exemptions will bring the total up to 1200.

### FOR SALE.—Nearly new Hines Single Buggy, will sell very cheap. See it at W. H. (Pete) Snyder, Phone 78., Colorado. 3-5p

### FOR SALE.—One 16 h p. John Deere (R. & V.) horizontal, single cylinder, throttling governor, heavy duty oil engine, good as new. Apply to L. A. Costin City Secretary, Colorado, Texas 3-5c

### FOR TRADE.—One or two good farms in Mitchell county. Also 1662 acres in Dawson county, in tracts of 177 acres each. Would accept some cash in part payment. See me or write for plat and description.—C. H. EARNEST, Colorado. 3-5c

### WAR TO END.

The war is going to end and I have some of the finest farming land in the county for sale at \$25.00 per acre. First come; first served.  
 3-12p J. B. CRANFILL, Colorado. 3-5c

### BUY A HOME LIKE PAYING RENT.

I have sold three homes recently, like paying rent; and have as many more. I wish I had some more homes to rent—not a vacant one on my list.  
 ERNEST KEATHLEY.

### FOR SALE.—One span of bay horses 16 hands high; also buggy and surry for sale at a low price.—A. J. Herrington, at garage. 3-12c

### COTTON SEED FOR SALE.—Pure seed of the Mebane, Star and Half-and-Half Cotton for sale at my place four miles southwest of Colorado, 86c per bushel delivered at Colorado.—O. O. Shurtliff, Colorado. 3-4p

### 1000 AGENTS WANTED to sell a self heating sad iron. Labor and fuel saver. Pay salary or commission. Agents make \$10.00 to \$15.00 per day. Ladies make good representatives. Imperial Sad Iron Co., Ft. Worth, Texas. Box 285. 3-26p

### FOR SALE.—Home grown cotton-wood trees 8 feet high for 15c each.—P. B. Whipkey, Record office.

### FOR SALE.—We have for sale a big lot of pole wood at \$2.50 per load delivered. See or phone Franks & Hale, Colorado, Tex.

### SAVE TEN PER CENT—by buying your Stock food from W. L. Doss. Save money and delay. I sell you the same food for less money.

### FOR SALE.—One nearly new P. & O. Planter; two good cultivators; one good listing plow; also a lot of sweeps and attachments. See R. T. Manuel, Colorado, Texas. 3-5c

### POSTED.—All lands owned and controlled by Ellwood, known as the Spade pasture are posted as by law and all trespassers will be prosecuted. Take warning. O. F. JONES, M'gr. 3-5c

### POSTED BY LAW.—All lands owned and controlled by me are posted according to law, and I will certainly prosecute all trespassers thereon. Take warning and keep off my lands. Mrs. W. K. Lewis. 7-15p

### FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.—One three horse power gasoline or kerosene engine, practically new and in good running condition. Just the thing for pumping or other small power. See it at the Record office.

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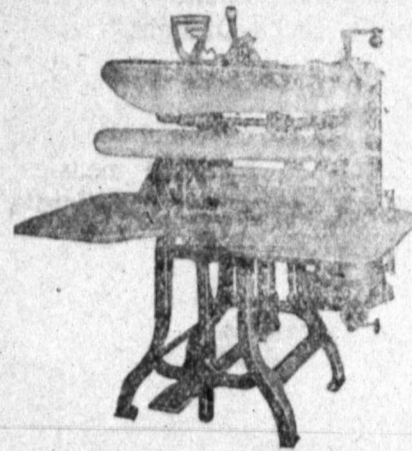
I have a first class A. S. Aloe level, case, rod, tripod, and chain that I wish to sell at a bargain  
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Effective on Sunday January 24th the passenger trains on the Rio Grande division of the Texas and Pacific road will arrive at Colorado as follows:  
 Morning westbound, No. 5, 7:35 a. m.  
 Evening, westbound, No. 3, 8:35 p. m.  
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### WHOLE FAMILY POISONED—FOUR DEAD.

Frank, Henry and Joe Garrison, sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Garrison, living in the Cottonwood community, nine miles east of Anson are dead as a result of ptomaine, or tin poisoning. A Mr. Murry, aged 60 years living with the family, was in a precarious condition and it was thought he could not live. The entire Garrison family, consisting of father and mother, three dead sons and two daughters were poisoned, but it was thought by attending physicians that those alive would recover.

It is thought that the poisoning resulted from eating bread made out of milk which had been soured in a rusty tin vessel by setting it close to a stove. The family and Mr. Murry ate supper together, all eating a portion of the bread and some drinking of the milk, and soon afterward all were sick.—Western Reporter.

LATER:—Developments at the inquest lead to the conclusion that death had resulted from arsenical poisoning administered in the bread by parties unknown. No arrests have been made.

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Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps this delicate organ regulated and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only fifty-cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it digests food and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Please for your sake don't go on and on with a weak, disordered stomach; it's so unnecessary.

When the time for education has gone by, the man must, in ordinary cases, be lashed upon the world, a benighted being, scarcely elevated above the beasts that perish; and all that he could have been and done, for society and himself, is wholly lost.—Edward Everett.

Vendor's Lien notes at this office.

Last year Runnels county imported hogs; this year it supplied its own needs and exported a surplus. One groceryman in the county sent bought \$300 worth of butter from one farmer, who also raised a large cotton crop which he looked upon as a secondary consideration. There are several produce exporters in the county; one reported that he had paid \$42,643.10 to Runnels county farmers for their chickens, eggs and poultry. He said some of the farmers made their poultry pay the family grocery bills and yielded a surplus of clear profit.

A republic is bottomed upon the virtue and intelligence of her citizens; and that virtue consists in the faithful discharge of moral and social duties and in obedience to the laws. But it is knowledge only that lights up the path of duty, unfolds the reasons of obedience and points out to man the purposes of his existence. In a government, therefore, which rests upon the public virtue, no efforts should be spared to diffuse public instruction. To erect this benevolent purpose, a judicious system of public education must be established.—Archibald De Bow Murphey, the Father of the North Carolina Common Schools.

The presentation of the musical comedy "A Modern Eve" at the opera house Monday night drew a large audience. The entertainment fully met every expectation of the patronizing public and justified its press notices. The managers of the opera house deserve no small credit for the high quality of entertainment they have offered the people of Colorado this season. They have been fortunate in booking only attractions they could heartily endorse, and "A Modern Eve" was not the least among them. The company was handicapped on account of the small stage and facilities for putting on such a play. They had a car of beautiful scenery and stage effects which could not be used at all. In fact there was barely room on the stage for the chorus, and in several instances some of them stood in the wings, to give room for the dancers. If Majors Bros. are going to give us shows like this, the opera house ought to be remodeled and enlarged, especially the stage and dressing rooms.

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The good education of youth has been esteemed by wise men in all ages as the surest foundation of the happiness both of private families and of commonwealths. Almost all governments have therefore made it a principal object of their attention to establish and endow the succeeding age with men qualified to serve the public with honor to themselves and to their country.—Benjamin Franklin.

When society feels the sting of depravity there is no stopping to listen to theories of government and individualism. Society takes vengeance. But public education aims to prevent crime and worthlessness by gathering the young people in schools and forming their characters, so that in after life they shall not be a public nuisance, but will ennoble the community.—William Henry Ruffner.

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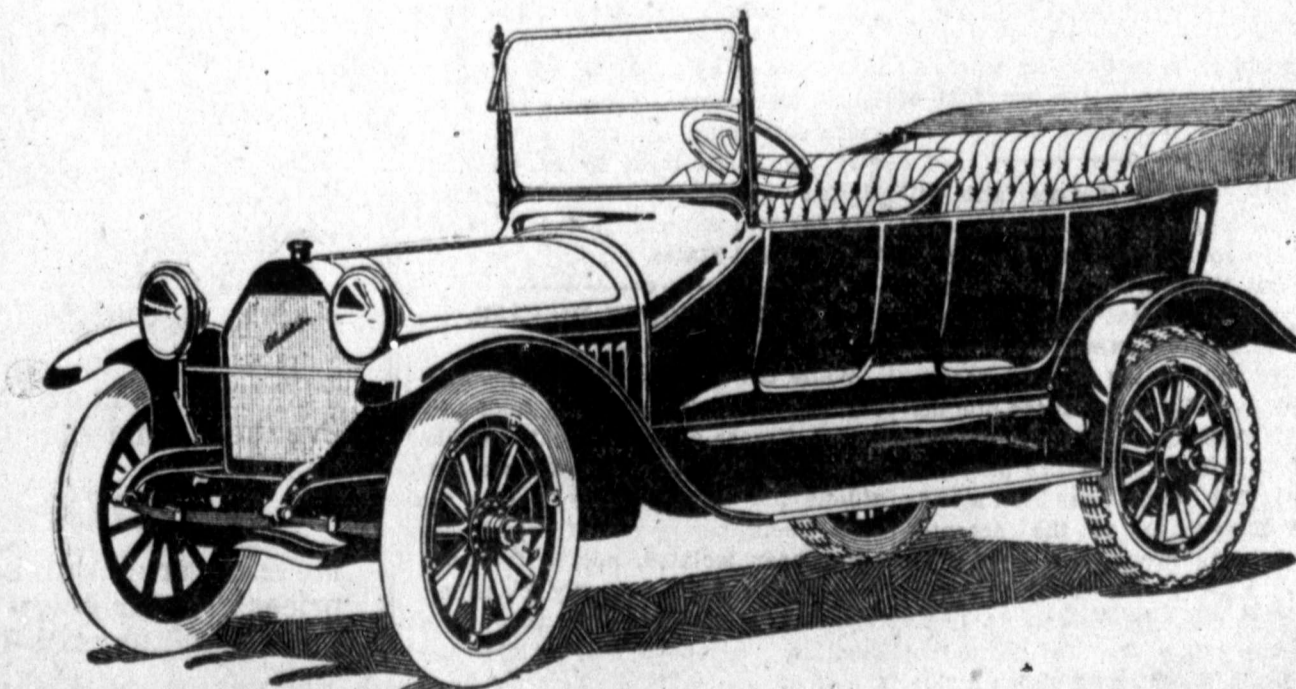
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RAINFALL FOR COLORADO THE LAST TEN YEARS.

This record was made from the Government Gauge, now in charge of Mr. Joe Earnest.

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COLORADO, TEX AS, FEBRUARY 19, 1915.

"Everyman his own President" should prove a very popular book among Mexican patriots just now.

A quiet, earnest and persistent propaganda is being promoted having as its object the election of Hon. John W. Woods of Fisher county, our present representative and speaker of the lower house of the legislature, as attorney general in 1916.

"Let Texas feed itself" is all right but we can't understand who has been hindering it all these years. The expression carries a half excuse.

Governor Ferguson did not mince words in his reply to Attorney General Looney's letter to him regarding the state's paying for groceries furnished Ex-Governor Colquitt.

Spare the birds that are left us. Whoever heard of the codling moth or San Jose scale when the orchards were full of birds.

The Record feels that its faith will soon be changed to sight in the matter of the court house, jail and premises. But the fruition of its hope in the matter of a neat little park with flowers and greensward, at the east and west ends of the T. & P. passenger station, still lingers in the dim distance of futurity.

Henry Ford makes the mistake that many other purely selfish reformers have made. Inflated by his own phenomenal success, he imagines that improved conditions in themselves, will reform one's moral nature; in other words, that regeneration is absorbed by man from outward surroundings.

Whenever peace is assured in Europe and the waste places begin to be built up, those nations having investments in Mexico on which payment has defaulted, and whose claims have been repudiated by the procession of "presidents," will make an earnest effort to collect what is owing them.

HAND-TO-MOUTH DISEASE.

While the government is investigating and stamping out the hoof-and-mouth disease among the cattle of the United States, there is a disease that afflicts the human family, old as the race itself, the germ of which has never been isolated, nor in fact, has the malady been properly classified.

This disease has its root deep in the life of the human race. Even the Great Physician himself recognized its persistence and declared that its victims would always be with us.

condition of those afflicted and circumscribe its ravages. The disease is only mildly contagious, but is easily transmitted from one generation to another.

The symptoms are usually first exhibited by the head of a family, the preponderating number being men, and gradually spreads to every member of the household, the mother being of tenuous immune than any other of the family.

Nor do the poor alone suffer from this serious affliction. Many who receive what should be comfortable and adequate salaries, easily fall victims to its ravages.

To use money wisely and be provident of the future, is a gift of Nature—the result of a certain temperament, which is the very law of its being. The man with such a temperament deserves no credit for his accretions or his successful business, nor does the spender deserve discredit for his lack of business acumen.

It is possible that constitutional prohibition of the most drastic kind will be adopted by New Mexico at the present session of its legislature.

SOME GOOD SUGGESTIONS.

Judge Thos. H. Blanton of Abilene had a communication in the Fort Worth Record of the 11th inst., in the nature of an open letter to the sitting legislature, in which he says the court business of his district is in such shape that he could easily take on two more counties, and makes several pertinent suggestions for amendment of the penal code.

That the word "habitual" be eliminated in defining adultery and fornication, as this word vitiates these two offenses and makes conviction almost impossible.

That the crime of incest be made to include a man's wife's mother during the lifetime of his wife.

That in bigamy cases, the testimony of the true wife be admitted against her husband.

That persons desiring to plead guilty of a felony, be permitted to be indicted, tried and sentenced in any county in the judicial district where court is then in session, and not be forced to lie in jail till the next sitting of the court in the county where the offense was committed.

That it be made a felony to mistate the true consideration of a deed.

That only in cases where the defendant pleads guilty should the sentence be suspended. It is ridiculous to permit a defendant to plead not guilty, to fight and block every step of the state to convict him, and then, after the state has been put to an enormous expense and convicted him, permit him as a special reward for the trouble he has caused, to ask freedom from punishment.

GOT SOMETHING.

I told my congressman I'd like A consulship at Leeds, That thoughtful gent instantly sent A pint of radish seeds.

A consulship like this, it seems, Is far beyond his reach. To make amends today he sends His very latest speech.

And shall I vote again next time For this same congressman? Now, why refrain? 'Tis very plain He does the best he can.

"Kaiser orders dash on Warsaw to help get war loan," read the headlines on recent news from the front. That sounds like the promise of loot. The kaiser must be conversant with Mexican methods of floating loans.



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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

## THE CLUBS. STANDARD.

The Standard met with Mrs. Gary last week and followed this program: Roll call—Items on the Barbary States.

Much Ado About Nothing, Act I, Scene 1, Mrs. Riordan leader. Paper—What England has Done for Egypt, Mrs. Coleman. Africa—Capler IX, Mrs. Crockett leader. Reading—Shall Texas be Divided? Mrs. Riordan. Social hour—Refreshments.

## HESPERIAN.

Mrs. Phenix was hostess for the Hesperian last week, with Mrs. Collier as leader. The regular program was carried out:

Roll call—Beauties of Shakespeare. Introduction to the Play, Mrs. Jackson.

Pen Pictures of an Elizabethan Stage, Mrs. Edgar Majors.

Lesson, Act I, Scene 1, 2. The Value to be Derived from the Good Picture Show, Mrs. Doss.

Should Popular Songs be Censored? Miss Ina Wulfein.

The Influence of the Popular Novel, Mrs. Merritt. Music, Duet, Mesdames Majors and Winn.

At the social hour Mrs. Phenix had a number of her neighbors and special friends in to meet her club friends, at which time all enjoyed a most delicious salad course and the merry conversation with each other, and only the lengthening shadows drove them home.

## BAYVIEW.

Mrs. D. H. Snyder, Jr., was hostess for the Bayview last week, with Mrs. R. O. Pearson as leader. This program was carried out:

Roll call, Quotations from Shakespeare.

Henry V, Act 1, Scene 2. Current events.

Silas Marner, Chapter 12. A two course luncheon was served at the social hour.

## AUXILIARY.

The Auxiliary to the C. W. B. M. met with Mrs. Elder Crawford last week, with Mrs. Price as leader. After the devotional period and roll call with scripture quotations on giving, a very interesting paper was read by Mrs. Broadus on "What the Men and Millions Movement and Individual Gifts have done for Our Texas Work."

Mrs. W. W. Porter gave a reading, "Our Needs" which was much enjoyed. Bible quotations on the Four Gospels.

Mrs. Chaney was received as a new member.

The guests were Mesdames Callaway Gates, James Coughran, Webster, Cooksey and Coe.

Mrs. Ed Jones passed pretty Valentine cards and each one wrote a message of love to Mrs. Sam Majors, one of their active members, who is now in the Sanatorium at El Paso.

Then refreshments of these straws, pickles, sandwiches, coffee, angel food and angel broth were served.

## KING'S DAUGHTERS

The Kings Daughters met with Mrs. R. W. Hester last Thursday, with the president, Mrs. Van King, in the chair. Favorable reports were made from all the standing committees. While the dues of the class is only 5 cents per month, yet they always have money to assist the needy, and contribute annually five dollars to the general Sunday school work, besides making many visits to the sick and shut-ins. The program for the day was on Motherhood, in keeping with the present Sunday school lessons, and almost every one had a verse, quotation or poem, appropriate to the subject. It was decided to have an open meeting for the husbands with a suitable program Friday evening with Mrs. T. J. Davis. Mrs. Hester and her daughter served delicious sandwiches made from home made white and brown bread, coffee with whipped cream. The meeting next month is with Mrs. M. K. Jackson.

## MISSION STUDY.

The Methodist ladies met at the church Monday for their regular Mission study. The subject was the social teaching of the bible, with Mrs. Hart as leader. Mrs. D. N. Atnett conducted the devotional exercises

## SIX O'CLOCK DINNER.

Mrs. M. Carter entertained a few of her lifelong friends with a six o'clock turkey dinner Wednesday. Everything that could possibly be thought of to make the meal a success was attended to by this delightful hostess. After dinner games were enjoyed. Those thus honored were Mesdames Geo. Major, F. M. Burns, Hooper, J. C. Moar, Brooks Bell, C. A. Arbuthnot and Moar.

## BIRTHDAY MATINEE.

Miss Dorothy Burns celebrated her birthday Monday by taking a crowd of her little girl friends to the picture show matinee.

## MR. SUTPHEN'S DAUGHTER DIES.

Mrs. Coleman and Root were hastily called to New Iatan last Saturday afternoon, to operate on the nine year old daughter of Mr. George Sutphen, for appendicitis. The operation was made but owing to the seriousness of the case, the patient failed to rally and died on Sunday.

It will soon be house cleaning time. If you will send us your curtains, bed spreads, table covers, etc., they will be ready to use when you need them and the spring work will be cut in half. No time like the present when one has a big job on hand, and we make it our business to help the housewife.—The Laundry.

## DIED.

News was received here Tuesday, of the death of the aged mother of Dr. B. F. Dulaney, in Sweetwater, Monday night.

Mrs. Elmira Lucinda Dulaney had been a resident of Sweetwater since it was first settled and was known by everybody there. She had reached the ripe age of 86 years and was waiting for the summons to come up higher. She was helpless only the last two weeks of her life, and then not with any special sickness, just a general breakdown of the earthly tabernacle.

She was the mother of ten children, four of whom are now living, two sons in Sweetwater, a daughter in Fort Worth and our fellow townsman Dr. B. F. Dulaney. She was a devoted member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church and consistently lived her religion every day. The funeral was held at Sweetwater. The Record, with the many friends of Dr. Dulaney, extend sympathy in his time of sorrow.

## DEATH OF GEO. W. CRAWFORD.

Although news of his serious illness had been received by relatives and friends in Colorado a few days before, announcement of the death of Mr. G. W. Crawford at Hico, Texas, last Friday, was a shock to all who had known him. He had gone to that place but recently in the hope of relief from the malady from which he suffered—cancer.

For many years Mr. Crawford had been a familiar figure on the streets of Colorado. Though he had made his home in New Mexico the past several years, he was often here on business and to visit his family. He was a man of the greatest probity of character and christian humility. At the time of his death he was 62 years of age, and is survived by a wife, daughter and one son living in Colorado, one at El Paso and two other sons living at Toyah. All but one attended the funeral.

His remains were brought to Colorado and interred in the Odd Fellows cemetery at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The Record, in common with the community, extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

## THICK GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF.

Gris! Beautify Your Hair! Make It Soft, Fluffy and Luxuriant—Try The Moist Cloth.

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

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

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

# Fred Harris

## PLUMBING - TINNING - ROOFING - GUTTERING

AND ALL KINDS OF REPAIR WORK. WATER TANKS MADE ALL SIZES

Water piping and pipe repairing done promptly and all work guaranteed. Give me a share of your plumbing and tin work.

**Fred Harris** At Billie Moeser Old Stand

Mrs. Van King is visiting her parents at Roscoe. Little Raymond Jones is sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. J. E. Hall came in from Hamlin Monday night and was operated on at the Pheix sanitarium. She is convalescing rapidly.

Miss Scheider of Abilene, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Guya Wheat, returned to her home Wednesday morning.

Two little children of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fulkes are seriously ill with pneumonia, although the doctors think the symptoms were for the better Thursday morning.

Mrs. F. E. McKenzie and daughter, Hazel, returned from Fort Worth the first of the week. Miss Hazel had just undergone an operation for appendicitis, from which she has almost fully recovered.

Sheriff Cooksey left last night for Terrell with Floyd Jester, the insane man who has been confined in the county jail for four months, to place him in the asylum.

## SPECIAL TERM DISTRICT COURT.

The special term of District court set by Judge Beall to try the Colorado Salt Works case begins today. A cloud of witnesses will be on hand, while the documentary evidence has been transported in carload lots. No prediction as to the length of the session can be made, but in any and all events, the Record and people of Colorado sincerely

hope the ultimate outcome will mean the rebuilding and operation of the works at an early date.

## ENLARGING HIS FACILITIES.

Dr. Phenix has long contemplated the erection of a private sanitarium in this city, but circumstances have till now intervened to prevent. He is moving his down town office up to his residence lot and will add it to the building already there, besides making some further improvement to the whole. When finally arranged as he purposes, he will have a neat, comfortable and convenient place in which to operate on and care for his patients.

## SOME REFLECTIONS.

The largest river is Time. The deepest ocean is Death. The region where no living thing hath habitation is called Yesterday. The most highly civilized country is Today. The region where no man hath ever set foot is called Tomorrow. The greatest desert is called Life, and it has many oases. These are called Hope, and Ambition, and Love, and Charity, and Home. And of them the last is the most beautiful. Besides these are many others, smaller in extent, whence the traveler obtaineth refreshment during the weary journey through Life.—Selected.

## A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK.

I think sometimes that our common definition of dissipation is far too narrow. We confine it to crude excesses in the use of intoxicating liq-

uor or the crude gratification of the passions; but often these are only the outward symptoms of a more subtle inward disorder. The things of the world—a thousand clamoring interests, desires, possessions—have got the better of us. Men become drunken with the inordinate desire for outward things, and dissolute with ambition for political office. I knew a man once, a farmer, who debauched himself upon land; fed his appetite upon the happiness of his home, cheated his children of education, and himself went shabby, bookless, joyless, comfortless, that he might buy more land. I call that dissipation, too!—Geo. Grayson in American Magazine.

## FAIRVIEW FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

The following program will be rendered at Fairview on Saturday night before the first Sunday in March:

- Recitation—Eva Williams.
  - Recitation—Florence Hicks.
  - Recitation—Wilma Williams.
  - Recitation—Lily Mae Sims.
  - Quartette.
  - Recitation—Ruthie Williams.
  - Recitation—Jack Perry.
  - Recitation—Ida Goodwin.
  - Song by the Hicks boys.
  - W. C. Martin on "Education."
  - Recitation—Miss Bertha Simpson.
  - Claude Hicks on "Diversification."
  - Song by Misses Fay, Lois and Bertha Goodwin.
  - Mrs. Lucy Berry, Short talk.
  - Quartette.
  - W. A. Dulin on "Organization."
- C. E. GOODWIN, Pres.  
THOS. MCGUIRE, Sec.

# White Sale!

## TWO DAYS' SPECIAL DISCOUNT ON ALL WHITE GOODS

### Saturday, Feb. 20—Monday, Feb. 22

These two above mentioned days and dates we place on sale at a special

# 10 Per Cent Discount

our entire stock of white goods, including all the heavy and staple as well as the finer and sheerer materials—everything in white Spring merchandise in ready-made garments as well as the piece goods. We are offering you unusually good values in the new Spring fabrics, and with an additional 10 per cent reduction, makes this opportunity of double interest to you.

This sale includes all Bleach Domestics and Sheeting, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Bed Spreads, Towels, Table Linens, Napkins, Long Cloth, Nainsook, India Linens, Flaxon, Lykline, Lenene, Muslin Underwear, all the Piece Goods in both staple and finer fabrics, Laces and Embroidery—everything in White Spring Merchandise.

Two days' special prices—Saturday, 20th, Monday, 22d

# F. M. BURNS

**FARMERS OUGHT TO ADVERTISE.**

**Place Names Should be Chosen and Kinds of Produce Set Forth.**

To make farming pay, I feel that farmers ought to do just what the merchant, the doctor and the lawyer do. They ought to hang out their signs and have dealings with the newspapers. They ought to select some special and a suitable name for their farms to set forth to the passers-by the special things that they produce. People ought to know whether they are passing a dairy farm, a poultry and egg farm or an alfalfa and hog farm. Farmers must pay more attention to the business side of farming, so as to sell in the highest market the things that they produce.

Farmers must learn how to save money in buying the things they wish to buy. The farmer very often does not know how to buy economically the things which he needs to run his farm and his household. Many a time he buys seeds, farming utensils, fertilizers, furniture, clothing and groceries at too big a price, and often they are inferior in quality. Do not buy everything that comes along just because the agent praises it to the sky, and do not believe everything you read about an article until you have some proof of its value, for many a time things are not what they are represented to be.

Now, another way in which to make farming pay is to encourage and help the women and children on the farm to run some kind of a little industry which will be both a pleasure and a profit to them; encourage them to raise poultry; help them to sell milk, eggs and butter; to plant fruit trees, grape vines, strawberries, and raspberries, and other useful money producing crops, so they will have a little money of their own and be more contented to stay on the farm.—Southern Stockman.

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

**They Love to Take it And it Doesn't Harm the Tender Little Stomach, Liver and Bowels.**

When your child suffers from a cold don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well child again.

If your child coughs, snuffles and has caught cold or is feverish or has a sore throat give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs" to evacuate the bowels no difference what other treatment is given.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative". Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

**REDISTRICTING BILL POSTPONED**

So far as the senate is concerned redistricting the state is not of paramount importance at this time. The committee on state affairs indefinitely postponed consideration of Townsend's resolution that the senate hold night sessions as a committee of the whole and continue these sittings until the congressional and senatorial redistricting measures are disposed of. Some of the committee expressed willingness for a congressional re-apportionment but were firm in opposing any senatorial redistricting as the new census is only a few years off and the work will have to be done next year.

The Denison Automobile Club lost no time in getting busy in their section of the state to help defeat the Tillotson-Savage Highway Grant Bill. C. H. Earnest, one of the best known good roads boosters in West Texas, is another live wire along the same line.—Auto Sparks (Dallas).

If a nation expects to be ignorant and free in a state of civilization it expects what never was and never will be. The functions of every government have propensities to command at will the liberty and property of their constituents. There is no safe deposit for these, but with the people themselves; nor can they be safe with them without information.—Thomas Jefferson.

# BIG BENEFIT SALE

**O**PENED up in full swing in the Lasker Block. We were not surprised to see many people make their purchases, and were glad to see them leave the store with a smile on their faces—a smile that showed their appreciation for the good values each and every one received. We have made our best effort to see that everybody should be well satisfied. We are sorry that we did not have sufficient help to wait on our many customers, but we did not expect to receive the volume of business we had on the opening day. This sale will continue and we undertake ourselves to give you more and better values every day to fill your wants on short notice.

## PRICES THAT CANNOT TALK ANY LOUDER

### SUITS

- \$20.00—Big Benefit Price.....\$14.00
- \$15.00—Big Benefit Price.....\$11.00
- \$12.50—Big Benefit Price.....\$9.00
- \$10.00—Big Benefit Price.....\$7.00
- Odd Lots—Big Benefit Price.....\$5.00

### PANTS

- \$6.00—Big Benefit Price.....\$4.00
- \$5.00—Big Benefit Price.....\$3.50
- \$4.00—Big Benefit Price.....\$2.75
- \$3.00—Big Benefit Price.....\$2.00

Be Sure and Look at These When in the Store

### Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

- \$5.00—Big Benefit Price.....\$3.75
- \$4.00—Big Benefit Price.....\$3.00
- \$3.50—Big Benefit Price.....\$2.75
- \$3.00—Big Benefit Price.....\$2.35
- \$2.50—Big Benefit Price.....\$2.00

### BIG BENEFIT PRICES ON HATS

cannot be equalized, as we have a big stock and plenty to select from to suit everyone.

- \$3.50 Hats, Big Benefit Price.....\$2.60
- \$3.00 Hats, Big Benefit Price.....\$2.20
- \$2.50 Hats, Big Benefit Price.....\$1.75
- All \$2.00 and \$2.25 Hats.....\$1.60

### Ladies' Suits, Coats, Dresses, Aprons, Underskirts

And many other useful ready-to-wear apparels, with a reduction of grade, that it is impossible for us to mention in this advertisement. Rest assured if you call in and look the stock over your time will not be wasted.

## Flat Down

Prices cut with an AXE—not a knife! Prices ground to powder! Prices cut to the core! Look—the price chopper! Cool cash forces down prices! A cyclone of low prices! Unprecedented underpricing! A death dealing blow to prices! Pennies never bought so much! Prices already cut are cut again! Profits blown away, that's all. Price tags tell a different tale today. Great chunks knocked from the prices. Prices all over the store have been cut and slashed until they are unrecognizable. Restful prices to the tired purse.

### Your Money Back if You Are Not Pleased

There are many items in BENEFIT SALE, such as Underwear, Towels, Hosiery, that will save you big money, as we are selling them

### Below Manufacturers' Cost

Look over your wardrobe. See what you need, and what you will need, and hop the first train, auto or donkey!—and come to COLORADO, where the BIG BENEFIT SALE is now in full swing.

### SPECIAL

ONE LOT Ladies' Comfortable Rubber Side Shoes, sizes 3½ to 7, \$1.50 values, as long as they last for.....98c—ask for them

Remember the Place

# A. LEVY, Sales Mgr.

**NAME YOUR FARM.**

Occasionally we get a letter from a farmer on stationery on which is printed his own name and the name of his farm. In some cases we find on the margin, briefly stated, what is being made a specialty on that farm. This looks like business, and demands attention at once, for it catches the eye. The editor of your county paper always stands in need of a bushel of potatoes, a sack of meal, or some such farm product, and would be glad to swap you some nice printed envelopes and paper to match for these things. It would pay you to do some trading with this man, who is doing a lot in his way to help you, so next time you are in town talk it over with him. Before giving the order talk it over with the wife and family, and decide on an appropriate, catchy name for your farm and then—live up to it.—President C. S. Barrett in National Field.

**COMPTROLLER REFUSED TO ENTER WARRANTS.**

Comptroller Terrell refused to enter in his books three items contained in the deficiency appropriation bill recently passed by the legislature and signed by Governor Ferguson. These items aggregate a total of \$100,700 and were appropriated for departments, etc., which the Comptroller maintains do not exist. The largest item is an appropriation of \$100,000 for the Canyon City Normal School. The legislature evidently intended the appropriation for the Northwestern Normal School at Canyon City, which was destroyed by fire some months ago. But owing to the words Canyon Normal School appearing in the bill the appropriation will be held up until the legislature, by resolution, remedies the error.

**ENDORSED AT HOME.**

Such Proof as This Should Convince Any Colorado Citizen.

The public endorsement of a local citizen is the best proof that can be produced. None better, none stronger can be had. When a man comes forward and testifies to his fellow-citizens, addresses his friends and neighbors, you may be sure he is thoroughly convinced or he would not do so. Telling one's experience when it is for the public good is an act of kindness that should be appreciated. The following statement given by a resident of Colorado adds one more to the many cases of Home Endorsement which are being published about Doan's Kidney Pills. Read it.

J. W. Nunn, Colorado, says: "I suffered terribly from disordered kidneys and nothing did me any good until I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and got a box. Their use, as directed, soon helped me. Since then, on several occasions, I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills and have always found them effective."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Nunn had. Fotsler-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. 2-19-26

**WHAT HUMUS IS AND WHAT IT DOES.**

Did you ever keep a piece of woodland fenced for ten or twenty years, never allowing fire to burn it over, and then clear it and put it in cultivation? Did you notice how deep and loose and mellow the soil was? How you could dig your toe several inches deep into it? How it made crops grow rank and green and enabled them to remain so during parching drouths?

Such is humus—rotted, decaying vegetable matter, without which all farms and all farmers must be failures. Nature, unhindered, makes it by the ton; man, unhindered, has destroyed it faster than Nature has made it, as is evidenced by barren gullied fields on every side.

The remedy? There is only one, and that is back to Nature's ways. Burn nothing, grow winter and summer legumes to plow under every year and your fields will come back to the fruitful fatness of olden days.—Progressive Farmer.

**COLDS AND CROUP IN CHILDREN.**

Many people rely upon Chamberlain's Cough Remedy implicitly in cases of colds and croup, and it never disappoints them. Mrs. E. H. Thomas, Logansport, Ind., writes: "I have found Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best medicine for colds and croup I have ever used, and never tire of recommending it to my neighbors and friends. I have always given it to my children when suffering from croup, and it has never failed to give them prompt relief." For sale by all druggists.

Plain notes at Record office.





The Baking Powder Question Solved

Received Highest Awards



You don't save money when you buy cheap or big-size baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical—more wholesome—gives best results. Calumet is far superior to any other brand.

BUSINESS RECOVERY IN THE SOUTH

The business recovery now manifest throughout the South is ascribed largely to the freer movement and the better prices of cotton. Other factors, such as the improvement of industrial and financial conditions in the country at large, are at work, but of prime importance are the opening markets and advancing values for the South's main money crop. From a state of utter stagnation last autumn, cotton has passed by slow but steady degrees to a point where now it commands fairly liberal sales both at home and abroad, and from the beggarly prices which then obtained, it has reached and gone beyond 8 cents a pound.

The growing confidence in cotton is due largely to the expectation that cotton farmers will make themselves self-sustaining, if not produce a surplus of food crops for sale. Calculating on a basis of the 1914 estimated crop—of 12,250,000 bales—if the farmers curtail their 1915 acreage 30 per cent, it would mean a crop of 11,375,000 bales. Adding the visible supply of 1,671,000 bales left over Aug. 1, 1914 this would mean an average supply for the two years—1914 and 1915—of 14,648,000 bales.

need and the South would face another season of critical distress.—Atlanta Journal.

DISHWASHING BILL PASSED.

The house passed finally last week two senate bills. One by Bailey of Harris placing drainage districts under county auditors, and the other by Westbrook known as the "dishwashing bill." This bill requires that all dishes and spoons, etc. be sterilized, the vote by which this bill passed was 68 to 58.

"THE BEST LAXATIVE I KNOW OF"

"I have sold Chamberlain's Tablets for several years. People who have used them will take nothing else. I can recommend them to my customers as the best laxative and cure for constipation that I know of," writes Frank Strouse, Fruitland, Iowa. For sale by all dealers.

WORE DAD'S BRITCHES.

Undismayed by her father's refusal to allow her to marry, a Dallas girl of 14, stole his trousers, put them on and left home to join her 16 year old Lochinvar. When the police found them in a box car preparatory to leaving the city, the girl still wore her father's pants. "We'll get away next time," was her only comment.

PERFECT SATISFACTION.

I take pleasure in testifying to the great merits of G. W. McCroskey's Tonic. It is really better than he represents it. I have been afflicted with rheumatism for several years. I am seventy-two years old, and can walk as glib as a boy. I have also prescribed the tonic in my practice for obstructive and painful meneses, and can truthfully say that it has given perfect satisfaction.

NOT STUCK ON NORMALS.

Governor Ferguson has let it become known he will exercise caution in approving bills providing for the establishment of the new state normal colleges. His attitude, the governor says, will be determined by the facilities of present normals; and should it be established that the capacity of the four white normals can be enlarged to meet the additional demands, there is reason to believe Mr. Ferguson will veto any bill passed for a new institution. Half a dozen bills already are pending in the legislature providing for new normals.

Red, Yellow and White Onion Sets at 40c and 50c per gallon at the Colorado Mercantile Company.

EFFECT OF GREAT KIDNEY REMEDY IS SOON REALIZED.

I feel it my duty to let you know what Swamp-Root did for me. I was bothered with my back for over twenty years and at times I could hardly get out of bed. I read your advertisement and decided to try Swamp-Root. I used five bottles, and it has been five years since I used it, and I have never been bothered a day since I took the last bottle of it. I am thoroughly convinced that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root cured me and would recommend it to others suffering as I did.

My Husband was troubled with kidney and bladder troubles and he took your Swamp-Root and he cured him. This was about five years ago.

You may publish this letter if you choose. Yours truly, MRS. MATTIE CAMPFIELD, R. F. D. No. 3, Gobleville, Mich. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of July, 1915. Arvin W. Myers, Notary Public for Van Doren Co., Mich. (Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Fitzhugh, N. Y.)

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of W. M. Merrill, deceased, administration pending in County Court of Mitchell County, Texas. All claims for money against the estate of W. M. Merrill, deceased, must be presented to me for allowance at Colorado, Texas, it being my place of residence and postoffice address, within one year from the 28th day of January 1915, the date of the letters of administration issued to me, as executor of said estate. If not presented to me within the year aforesaid, payment of the same will be postponed until the claims presented within that time are paid. Witness my hand, this 28th day of January, A. D. 1915. W. P. LESLIE, Executor

ROAST FOR PEN OFFICIALS.

The report of the house committee appointed to investigate the penitentiary system was read in the house on the 11th. The report shows that appropriations totalling about \$3,000,000 have been made in less than four years for maintaining the prison system, "over and above the revenue derived from the farms and factories, and that the system still owed on the first day of January, 1915, the sum of \$861,845."

From the system of bookkeeping in vogue at the prison system, the committee says it will be practically impossible to show accurately the losses of the different departments. The total losses to the system for 1914, according to the auditor's report, which is used by the investigating committee, amounts to \$667,800—among the losses were on operation of state farms, \$140,343; on leased farms, \$50,430; manufacturing industries, \$21,299; Huntsville prison maintenance, \$126,304; general expenses, \$198,526; Rusk prison and state railroad, \$24,159. The committee found a number of idle men that should be at work and recommended the establishment of factories. The committee criticises the system of emoluments attached to the salaries of the officials, and the free residences, ice, etc., received free of charge.

"In fact, from a financial standpoint the heads of the different departments of our state government, and even the executive office, all look like thirty cents compared to that of the prison official," says the committee's report. The committee recommends the establishment of factories of various kinds at the Rusk penitentiary for that purpose on account of railway facilities; also recommends that the law governing the prison system should be so amended that one administration can not abandon or destroy an industry once established by the prison commission or by the legislature without the advice and consent of the legislature.

RECOGNIZED ADVANTAGES.

You will find that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has recognized advantages over most medicines in use for coughs and colds. It does not suppress a cough but loosens and relieves it. It aids expectation and opens the secretions, which enables the system to throw off a cold. It counteracts any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. It contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult. For sale by all dealers.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Alias Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County on the 2nd day of February, 1915, by Earl Jackson, Clerk of the District Court of Said County for the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred and twenty-seven and 82/100 Dollars with six per cent interest, suit, under a judgment in favor of Plaintiff in a certain cause in said County, No. 2561 and styled Sam Goodrum, P. W. Seward and G. E. Shirley vs. L. E. Lasseter, A. J. Coe, John W. Person and B. F. Dulaney, placed in my hands for service, I, A. W. Cooksey, as Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas, did, on the 3rd day of February, 1915, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: All of Lots No. One (1) Two (2) Three (3) and that part of Four (4) described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of said Lot Four (4); thence west along the north boundary line of said Lot No. Four (4), 140 feet to the N. W. corner thereof; thence south along the west boundary line thereof a distance of ten (10) feet; thence east on a line parallel with the said first call herein 140 feet to a point in the east boundary line of said lot; thence north along the east boundary line of said lot ten (10) feet to the place of beginning, all of said tracts being in Block No. Eighty-one (81) of the Town of Colorado, according to the map or plat thereof of record in Vol. 1, p. 488, Deed Records of Mitchell County, Texas, the same land conveyed by Gus Bortner and wife to B. F. Dulaney by deed dated October 19, 1907, recorded in Vol. 23, p. 454, Deed Records of said County, and levied upon as the property of said Defendant B. F. Dulaney on, from and after the 4th day of August, 1914, on which day the said Plaintiffs caused to be recorded in Vol. 2, p. 218 of the Judgment Lien Records of said County a duly certified abstract of said judgment, and further caused the same to be indexed direct and reverse in the names of all the Plaintiffs and all the Defendants, respectively; and that on the first Tuesday in March, 1915, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the court house door, of Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said alias execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said B. F. Dulaney.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, one a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell County. Witness my hand, this 3rd day of February, 1915. A. W. COOKSEY, Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas. By J. B. Holt, Deputy.

Popular - Rate - Excursion TO EL PASO SATURDAY, FEB. 20 \$6.00 Round Trip VIA THE TEXAS AND PACIFIC RAILWAY. Celebration Washington's Birthday SPECIAL CARDS AT THE GREAT JUAREZ RACE TRACK FEBRUARY 21st AND 22nd (\$1,000 Purse Each Day) Bull Fights and Other Attractions Two Big Days of Sport For Particulars see W. A. CROWDER, Ticket Agent

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE. (Real Estate).

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1915, in the case of C. A. O'Keefe vs. J. M. Rister, et al, No. 3165, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon, this 3rd day of February, A. D. 1915, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in March, A. D. 1915, it being the 2nd day of said month, at the court house door of said Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand; also the right, title and interest which J. M. Rister had on the first day of January A. D. 1908, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to that certain tract or lot of land, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as subdivision or lot number Eight (No. 8), according to, and as the same is represented on the map showing the subdivisions of the Kirkland and Field surveys, and other lands, as made by F. M. German, surveyor, for C. A. O'Keefe, which said map appears of record, on page No. 182 of Book No. 29 of the Deed Records of the said County of Mitchell.

Said Lot No. 8 is a part of the Kirkland & Field survey No. 31, and a part of the George J. Reiger surveys numbers 1 and 2, and contains 261 and 2-10 acres; the same is situated about 16 miles north-west of the City of Colorado, and is known as the J. M. Rister place; said property being levied on as the property of J. M. Rister, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$6478.94 in favor of C. A. O'Keefe, with interest thereon, at 8 per cent per annum, from December 22nd, 1914, and costs of suit. Given under my hand, this 3rd day of February, A. D. 1915. A. W. COOKSEY, Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.

A building to be known as "Rankin Hall" is to be erected on the campus of the Southern Methodist University at Dallas, as a memorial to the late Dr. Rankin. It will cost \$50,000. The Record has received a new supply of typewriter ribbons for all the most popular machines—old and new style Remington, Underwood, Oliver, Fox and Royal, 75c each. \$1.75 for Record and Dallas News.

Red, Yellow and White Onion Sets at 40c and 50c per gallon at the Colorado Mercantile Company.

NOTICE IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS: To any Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause to be published for at least twenty days in some newspaper printed in this county, if there be one, and if not, then to post for at least twenty days exclusive of the day of posting, before the return day hereof, in three of the most public places in your county, one of which shall be at the court house door, and no two of which shall be in the same city or town, copies of the following notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.—To all persons interested in the estate of W. H. Goodwin, deceased: W. W. Porter, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of W. H. Goodwin, deceased, not heretofore administered upon, has filed his final account in the County Court of Mitchell County, on the 29th day of January 1915, which said account will be heard by said court on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1915, at the court house of said county, in Colorado, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and contest said Final Account should they desire to do so.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness my official seal and signature at Colorado, this January 30th, A. D. 1915. EARL JACKSON, Clerk County Court, Mitchell County, Texas. A true copy I certify. A. W. COOKSEY, Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, of the 29th day of January, 1915, by Earl Jackson, Clerk of said Court for the sum of Thirty and 67-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of Missouri State Life Insurance Company in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3158, and styled Missouri State Life Insurance Company vs. Emmett Hamilton and Mattie S. Hamilton, placed in my hands for service, I, A. W. Cooksey as Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas, did, on the 30th day of January, 1915, levy on certain real estate, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lots 3, 10, 11 and 12 in Block 31 of the Amended Addition to Westbrook, and levied upon as the property of Emmett Hamilton and Mattie Hamilton, and that on the first

Tuesday in March, 1915, the same being the second day of said month, at the court house door, of Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Emmett Hamilton and Mattie S. Hamilton. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell County. Witness my hand, this 2nd day of February, 1915. A. W. COOKSEY, Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, of the 29th day of January, 1915, by Earl Jackson, Clerk of said Court for the sum of Twenty-nine Hundred Forty-six 8-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of Missouri State Life Insurance Company in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3158 and styled Missouri State Life Insurance Company vs. Emmett Hamilton and Mattie S. Hamilton, placed in my hands for service, I, A. W. Cooksey, as Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas, did on the 30th day of January, 1915, levy on certain real estate, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: The East one-half of Survey Eight (8) Township One South, Block Twenty-eight (28) as surveyed by The Texas & Pacific Ry. Co. for the benefit of the common school fund by virtue of Certificate 2-1624 issued to said Railway Company by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, being the same land patented to W. H. Trent on the 12th day of February 1912, by patent number 462, Volume 43, and levied upon as the property of Emmett Hamilton and Mattie S. Hamilton, and that on the first Tuesday in March, 1915, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the court house door of Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said Emmett Hamilton and Mattie S. Hamilton. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell County. Witness my hand, this 2nd day of February, 1915. A. W. COOKSEY, Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.





# INSURANCE AT COST

**AGENTS  
WANTED**

**Both  
MEN  
and  
WOMEN**

We have no lodges and don't want any.

We have no medical examinations and do not want any from members.

If you join our Association your money will stay at home and go to some orphan children whose father or mother has gone to the Great Beyond, to never return to comfort them any more.

So now is the time to join us and keep your money at home.

This is the cheapest insurance and the best.

And your money will stay at home—the more money we have at home the better for us—the more we send off, the worse for us.

1,000 members is all that will be in one membership. But we want several memberships.

You can join one or more memberships, as you wish.

Certificate  
No.  
Member's  
Age

## Certificate of Membership with The Mutual Home Association

OF LORAINÉ, TEXAS

A LOCAL MUTUAL AID SOCIETY

PROTECTION TO MEMBERS AT COST

HOME OFFICE:

LORAINÉ, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS

This Certifies, That \_\_\_\_\_ is this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_, admitted a member with The Mutual Home Association, of Loraine, Texas.

Subject to all the rules and regulations herein set forth as follows, to-wit: By paying \$5.00 membership fee. Four dollars of this goes to the President for all expenses for organizing and printing and Postage and Bookkeeping; One (\$1.00) Dollar goes in a Fund for the Association to pay for first death loss to any member of this Association and in 30 days after death loss the President will check out the funds that may then be on deposit for that death loss which amount will be \$1.00 from each paying member of the Association and if any member fails to pay his or her assessment when called upon to do so, will cease to be a member of this Association and at each death of any member of this Association hereafter the President will assess all the members of this Association \$1.00 each for the next death of any member of the Association by mailing each member a notice of said death.

This Association will accept white people only as members, both Male and Female, from ages 16 to 65 years.

My present Beneficiary is \_\_\_\_\_ who is related to me as \_\_\_\_\_

### ACCIDENT AND SICK BENEFITS:

Should any member of this Association lose one hand or one foot or get permanently disabled from accident, or get permanently disabled from long and serious sickness and remain so for 12 months under treatment of a physician and at the end of 12 months there shall be an examination made of the disabled member by three leading physicians. One of the physicians may be appointed by the disabled member and the Directors of this Association shall appoint one and if the two physicians fail to agree on the said member's disability they shall appoint the third physician and their decision shall be final and if they pronounce the member permanently disabled from doing manual labor then the President will assess all the members of the Association 1-2 assessment (50 cents each) and all that is paid by this one-half assessment of 50 cents each will be paid to the said disabled member and the President will mark his certificate one half assessment paid and return the certificate to the disabled member, and at maturity or at death the President will assess all the members one-half assessment (50 cents each) and all that is paid by this 50 cents assessment will be paid to the member or his or her beneficiary and the members may change their beneficiary as many times as they may want to do so by returning their certificate to the President and paying a fee of \$1.00. All members of this Association under the age of 35 years old at time of membership who keep their membership paid up in full for 30 years, then their membership shall mature and be paid by assessment of all paying members of \$1.00 each, and all members between 35 and 50 years old at the time of their membership who keep their membership paid up in full for 25 years, then their membership shall mature and be paid by assessment of all the members of this Association of \$1.00 each from all paying members of the Association.

All members from 50 to 65 at time of membership who keep their membership paid up in full for 20 years then their membership shall mature and be paid by another assessment from all the paying members of this Association of \$1.00 each and all members who don't pay assessments when notified, will cease to be members of this Association.

On November 1st of every succeeding year all the members will be assessed \$3.00 each which equals 25 cents per month per member. This assessment goes to the President to pay all the expenses of the Association and his salary.

Depository: The First State Bank of Loraine, Texas, shall be the Depository of this Association. All assessments shall be paid to the President of this Association and the President shall turn over all of the funds of the Association to the Treasurer and the Treasurer shall receipt for the same and deposit them in the First State Bank of Loraine and said funds shall bear 6 per cent interest which is a legal interest for the time said funds are on deposit, and the interest shall go to the President and General Manager who shall pay all expenses of bookkeeping and postage, printing and advertising.

But the President shall not be required to pay for physicians to examine members for any disability. Said physicians shall be paid by the disabled member and their services shall be the same as other cases of similar nature.

When the President assesses the members he must state what the assessment is for, give name and date of death, or disability, or maturity of the member's certificate. All the members of this Association will be assessed \$1.00 each at the death of each member, or at maturity of any member's certificate, and at any disability as aforesaid all the members will be assessed 50 cents each and said assessments shall be paid to the members or their beneficiaries for whom the assessment was made, and all that anybody will get shall be what is paid in when the assessment is made. In other words, if there were 1000 paying members the beneficiary would get \$1,000.00 and no more or less.

All members must pay all the assessments as they are called on by mailing them a notice and stating what the assessment is for. All the members who fail to pay any assessment shall cease to be a member and his or her certificate shall become null and void at once and shall lose all the money they have paid in assessments to the Association. All members who fail to pay their annual assessments of \$3.00 each will cease to be a member of this Association and they will not get anything in the future from this Association and will lose all they have paid in the Association. All assessments must be paid inside of 15 days. All members who fail to pay in 15 days will lose their membership in this Association at once.

The President and General Manager shall make a complete sworn statement once each year and publish the same in some Newspaper in the Association and send a copy to the members at death assessments and shall send a copy to the insurance and banking department at Austin, Texas, as the laws require this in this state.

This Association will extend in a circle of 25 miles each way from Loraine of all directions and is located in a part of Mitchell, Nolan, Fisher and Scurry Counties.

The money shall always be on deposit to pay death loss if they should not come too close together. If so they shall be paid as soon as the assessment gets in, therefore some may have to wait 30 days.

There shall be a Board of Five Directors for this Association, who shall serve five years without re-election and without any compensation. Their duty shall be to look after the Association and its officers and shall have the power to appoint the President and General Manager and appoint a Treasurer who shall be appointed from their own body.

The President and the Treasurer shall give bond to the Directors in the sum of \$2,000.00 for the faithful performance of their duties, and at the end of five years there shall be another election of five directors and all the members of the Association may vote in person or by proxy and the said Directors shall serve five years as aforesaid, and there shall be another election every succeeding five years as aforesaid, for five Directors. May God help us to stand united in a Mutual Home Association. It is a duty we owe ourselves and our children and our neighbors and their children.

The conditions, provisions and benefits printed or written herein are all the contracts of the Mutual Home Association, of Loraine, Texas.

In witness whereof the Association has this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 19\_\_\_\_, by its duly Authorized Officers, executed this contract at its Home Office in Loraine, Texas.

(SEAL)  
The Mutual Home Association  
...of...  
Loraine, Texas

President.

General Manager.

**The Mutual  
Home  
Association**

Will pay one-half of your premium if you have had sickness and become an invalid, or if you get permanently crippled you get one-half the premium. And at maturity of your policy you get the other half, or at death your beneficiary will get the other one-half. Is there any other policy that will do this? NO—NONE. then join our Association and help get up the membership. It might be the best money you ever spent for your children. Better prepare for them now—it might be too late tomorrow. Death is sure to come some time, sooner or later.

Papa, papa, why do you buy flour from Mr. Jones at \$3.00 a sack when Mr. Smith will sell the same flour at \$1.50 per sack?

Papa, papa, cut out this high price living; it's nonsense to pay two or three prices. So join the MUTUAL HOME; it will be cheaper in the long run and you can keep it up so easy you won't miss it—and it will be a blessing for me and little sister when you have gone to never return to us again.

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MUTUAL HOME ASSOCIATION:

- S. E. BROWN, First State Bank, Loraine, Texas
- W. F. ALTMAN, Mang'r Loraine Mercantile Co.
- C. B. REEDER, Mang'r Higginbottom-Harris Lumber Co.
- Dr. W. R. SHOOK, Practicing Physician, Loraine, Texas
- J. D. NORMAN, President and General Manager
- S. E. BROWN, Treasurer

### Keep Your Money at Home and Join Our Association—It's the Cheapest Insurance and the Best for the Country

This Association is good for us all when the membership is written up and kept full. There is only one way to do this, and that is for the people to be written up and keep their dues paid up in full. This will cost from \$6.00 to \$8.00 per year on an average after membership is full.

For the last five months we have not tried to write anybody on account of this terrible war, but time has changed things, so now we are going to work and will write up the membership as soon as possible.  
J. D. NORMAN, Loraine, Texas.