

THE PHENIX SANITARIUM.

The Phenix Sanitarium will be a twenty room building. The residence now occupied by Dr. N. J. Phenix has eight large rooms, with halls, pantries, bath room, etc.

The operating room is to be erected with a special view of convenience and sanitation. It will be situated in the upper story and have three north windows, one east window and a skylight.

The X-ray room will perhaps be located on the lower floor and be provided with a special machine with X-ray and electrical apparatus supplied by a local electrician.

Part of the room in the lower story will be used for the stairway, office, reception room and waiting hall.

The garden and terrace portion on the southeast will serve as pleasant rest and recuperation places for convalescing patients.

The sanitarium is to be open for all kinds of patients except tuberculosis and other contagious or infectious diseases. All the reputable physicians in Mitchell county are invited and expected to co-operate in the management of this sanitarium.

This enterprise is being run for Dr. Phenix to undertake a cure. Most of sanitariums are built and maintained by the public.

The expense of running a sanitarium is so great that it requires a very large business to make it even self-supporting. Experience has demonstrated that a small sanitarium must be run in connection with a residence in order to bring the expense within the income of the ordinary physician.

Since a sanitarium is a losing proposition from a financial standpoint and benefits the general public and more especially the indigent sick it is essentially, in a large measure, a charitable institution. In almost every town where a sanitarium has been built the public has been called upon to contribute a large part of the expense.

We offer a bonus to induce railroads, canning factories, tanneries and other enterprises that contribute to the upbuilding of a town and country to locate with us and none of these institutions are more deserving of assistance than a sanitarium.

Colorado has long needed a sanitarium and the time has now come for its erection. The people will be asked to help finish it.

The following method has been adopted to raise funds to finish the building and furnish the rooms.

The churches and lodges are invited to lease rooms for a period of two years. It will cost on an average about \$200 to finish the erection of the room and furnish it with a bed and other necessary furniture.

The church or lodge that leases the room and advances the necessary \$200 will have the privilege of placing in this room any patient it may designate and receive a reduction of \$5 per week from the regular sanitarium fees.

USE "TIZ" FOR SORE, TIRED, ACHING FEET.

No More Puffed-up, Burning, Sweaty, Calloused Feet or Corns.



Good-bye sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, smelly feet, tired feet, Good-bye corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony.

patient selecting his own physician.

The church or lodge will have a right to keep a patient in its own room whenever it pleases to do so, but when the room is not occupied by the church or lodge, patients may be kept in the room until the room is needed by the institution holding the lease.

Last Sunday night, the First Methodist church, in its conference, unanimously and enthusiastically accepted the proposition and authorized its committee to lease a room.

The operating room should have a tiled floor, aseptic walls, extra windows, skylight, lavatories with hot and cold water, instrument cabinets, sterilizers, etc.

The people in the town and country who do not contribute through their lodges and churches should build this operating room. Remember it is to be used by all the doctors in the county and it ought to be up to date.

Grady, I. T., Nov. 29, 1898.

Dear Sir:—About eleven months ago I was taken by something I thought to be rheumatism, and lost the use of one leg. I consulted physicians; they told me it was incurable and advised me to have the leg amputated.

S. W. McLELAND.

For Sale By W. L. Doss.

CHAS. BECKER DENIED TRIAL.

The application of ex-police lieutenant Charles Becker was denied in New York, last week. The application had been made several days by his attorneys, in the hope that it would be possible for him to be freed from the Tombs where he is now under sentence of death for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler.

RECOMMENDS CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

I take pleasure in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to my customers because I have confidence in it. I find that they are pleased with it and call for it when again in need of such a medicine.

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WHY NOT US?

Mr. Editor:—I notice in your valuable paper, that you are always advocating everything that is for the uplift and betterment of your town, county and state, and often wonder why the women do not put their shoulders to the wheel and help you.

Notice in many of the papers where towns are being made beautiful (I mean small towns in Texas) by Civic Leagues, and as your town is composed of such wide-awake, cultured women, why in the world don't they organize for the purpose of making their own town beautiful.

Right now couldn't they begin to swat the fly, before he comes into existence; help make the campus at the school houses more attractive; see about having the vacant lots cleaned off; go before the city fathers and ask them to give the water free, sufficient to water the plot around the depot, it is the citizens' water and if offered for this purpose would enable you to have a beautiful lawn and trees at that, perhaps the most public place in your city; get the railroad to assist in making that plot a thing of beauty.

There are numerous other things to do—the court house and yard on which a good beginning was made last year—but we will leave that for your suggestions as that seems to be your hobby, and some day, I believe, you will see your efforts bear fruit.

CONTRIBUTOR.

A HAPPY CHILD IN JUST A FEW HOURS.

When Cross, Constipated or if Feverish Give "California Syrup of Figs" Then Don't Worry.

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs" because in a few hours all the clogged up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

When cross, feverish, restless, see if tongue is coated, then give this delicious "fruit laxative". Children love it, and it can not cause injury.

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Business - Announcement

To the People of Colorado and Mitchell County

OUR coming to Colorado with a part of our stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Furnishings, etc., about the first of February, was in the nature of an experiment.

The experiment has more than justified our most sanguine expectation. We have done much better than we hoped, and are now arranging for a permanent location.

We have the premises we now occupy and will immediately put in modern fixtures and provide every convenience and accessory for the prompt and satisfactory serving of our customers.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

We will inaugurate a series of Special Sales for Saturdays and Mondays as soon as our big line of Spring goods has arrived. Special prices will be made on certain lines of goods every Saturday and Monday, announcement of which and prices will be published in The Colorado Record Friday preceeding the sales.

BIG BENEFIT SALE STILL ON

All of which we appreciate very much and thank our friends for it. We like to serve you well. We like to excel. We like to give you more for your money. We want to show our appreciation of your past business.

SATURDAY - SPECIALS

Clothing: Men's Suits at war prices. Overcoats mostly at your own price. Don't miss seeing them. Men's Pants at prices to make you buy.

Suit Cases: Suit Cases, \$1.75 kind for \$1.25. Suit Cases, \$1.50 kind for \$1.05. Suit Cases, \$1.25 kind for .98c.

Hats: We have hats to show you which you will buy at prices to suit you.

Boys' Knee Pants: One lot of boys knee pants, sizes 3 to 14; regular \$1.50 kind, as long as the last 49 cts.

Boys' Suits: Have you a boy? Let us dress him up with a new spring suit. 250 boys suits, regular \$4.00 and \$5.00 suits, at this store—\$4.00 Suits at \$2.39. \$5.00 Suits at \$2.98.

Shirts: Flannel and Wool Shirts, to close out. We started with 25 dozen—only five dozen are left.

Men's Dress Shirts: One lot of men's dress shirts, all sizes—Good \$1.00 values as long as they last 40 cts.

Men's Sox: 15 cent hose, 3 for 25 cents. One lot men's black hose good 10c values onl. .5 cts.

Shoes: We are reciving latest styles in men's, ladies' and childrens slippers at prices to suit you.

Ladies' Hose: Ladies' hose, 15c kind for 10c. One lot silk hose, colors, tan, blue and gray, 50c values, Saturday only .19c.

Ladies' Waists: One lot ladies waists, less than manufacturer's cost; all sizes—better see them.

Dresses: Just received a lot of fine dresses. The prices will suit your pocket-book. This is your best chance to buy a good dress at a small price.

A nice long apron, regular 50c value, for Saturday only .25 cents.

Sweetwater and Colorado Dry Goods COMPANY

LOUIS LANDAU, Manager

The Two Ways



Under the old way, no matter how pressing your business, you had to wait while your clothing was pressed.



By our new method they are pressed while you wait in our shop.

COUHRAN BROS.

Burton-Lingo Co.

LUMBER AND WIRE

See us about your next bill of lumber, we can save you some money.

Colorado, Texas.

C. H. LASKY, President. D. N. ARNETT, V-President.
T. W. STONEROAD, Jr. Active V-Pres. D. VAUGHAN, Cashier.

City National Bank

OF COLORADO, TEXAS.
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$90,000.00
Prompt Attention to all Business. Correspondence and Collections Solicited.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Colorado, Tex., Jan. 15, 1915.
To the Worshipful Master, Wardens and Brethren of Mitchell Lodge No. 563, A. F. & A. M.:
Whereas, the Mallet of death has again dropped in our midst, and it has pleased the Supreme Architect of the universe to remove from our companionship our esteemed Brother, W. F. Robinson, and
Whereas, his exemplary conduct, his endeavor to preserve unscathed the reputation of our fraternity, and his steady conformity to the useful regulations of our order, made him a

Master Workman in carrying forward the edicts of Freemasonry,
Therefore, Be it resolved that we bow in humble submission to the will of the Grand Master of the universe, and, be it further
Resolved, That we, in token of our love, our sorrow and esteem for our deceased brother, furnish a copy of these memorial resolutions to his bereaved family, a copy to the Colorado Record for publication and a copy spread upon the minutes of the lodge.
C. M. ADAMS,
FRANK LUPTON,
W. W. PORTER, Com.
Attest: W. S. Stoneham, Sec.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

All persons having claims against the estate of the late W. F. Robinson, are hereby notified to file same with the undersigned within the limits prescribed by law, and those knowing themselves indebted to the estate are urged to settle same soon as possible.
3-12c
HOMER ROBINSON.

This week the Record man in talking to Mr. Louis Landau, manager of the new dry goods store, said he was well pleased with Colorado and the people, and asked us to say for him that he was the manager of the store here, and extended an invitation to all to visit the store and get acquainted. Mr. Landau will move his family to Colorado and wants to rent a house. See him at the store.

LORAINI NEWS ITEMS.

W. F. Altman returned Friday night from the eastern markets where he went to purchase his spring and summer dry goods and millinery.
W. C. Wilson and family, who have been living near Hermleigh left Saturday night for Baswell, Okla.

Mrs. M. L. Mullin made a business trip to Colorado Monday.

The Loraine High School has had electric lights and a telephone installed in their building, which will prove helpful to them.

Miss Ethel Gregg who is teaching school at Conaway visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Allen Nelson's little baby, who has been very sick, is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bennett entertained the young men and young ladies classes of the Baptist Sunday school, last Friday night at their home north of Loraine. Cake and gelatin were served, and all had a nice time.

Henry Nunlee visited in Sweetwater last Sunday and Monday.

Miss Lillie Nelson returned Saturday night from the eastern markets, where she has been working in the millinery departments, preparing for the future.

John Lindsey made a business trip to Sweetwater last Thursday.

The Mothers' Club met Friday at the school building for the purpose of planting trees and beautifying the campus. A holiday was given the school and all took a part in the work.

Miss Lela Bennett, who has been visiting home folks in Sweetwater returned Monday to her work in Brown & Co.'s store.

Miss Ethel Thomas has accepted a position as clerk with the Loraine Mercantile Company.

Mrs. M. A. Altman who has been real sick is reported some better.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsey gave grandpa Lindsey a birthday dinner last Monday. He was 78 years old. The guests invited were Hiram Toler, E. N. Ridens and R. B. Pratt and wife.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Tidwell, near Roscoe, March 1, a boy.

Henry Foy who has been sick with mumps is up at his work again.

Mrs. Ethel Scales of Abilene visited in Loraine a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elms of Comanche have moved on the R. Pickens place north of the railroad.

Mrs. A. M. Erwin, Misses Oma Gregg and Bessie Van Wee visited in Sweetwater Tuesday.

T. N. Duncan left for Dallas last week and on Thursday had his leg amputated at the Baptist Memorial sanitarium. Mr. Duncan is doing nicely and thinks he will be able to come home in a few days.

W. D. McCarley has bought the Will Summer's place in West Loraine and is moving there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sloan of Roscoe visited Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Baker last Monday.

J. P. Turner and family have moved into the Holme's house near the Baptist church.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hall of Baumann, Tuesday, March 2, a girl.

Uriah Duncan returned Wednesday morning from Dallas, where he accompanied his father to the Sanitarium.

Tom Baker and family came in Monday night from Elida, New Mexico, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baker.

Mrs. W. S. Thomas died Monday, Feb. 24, at her home south of Loraine. She was 58 years old, and leaves a large family and many friends to mourn her death. The remains were placed in the cemetery at Loraine.

Mrs. Martha Parker of Fluvanna, who was called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. W. S. Thomas, returned home last Saturday.

Miss Nola Baird, who has been visiting her sister at Putnam, returned home this week.

Mrs. Amanda Sanders and daughter of Longfellow, were trading in Loraine Tuesday.

Will Roland, Claude Neely and Willie Pett attended the "Stumbling Block" at the Colorado opera house Monday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kuykendoll, Monday, March 1, a girl.

Miss LaFarge of Sierra Blanca, who has been in Loraine for several days visiting Drs. Copeland returned home Tuesday.

Homer Smith and family have moved to the Brady Porter place in East Loraine.

Prof. L. E. Krutcher's little girl who has been sick is convalescing.

Wendola Dunnahoo has mumps this week.

The Womens Home Mission Society will serve dinner Saturday in Uriah Duncan's tailor shop, near the post-office.

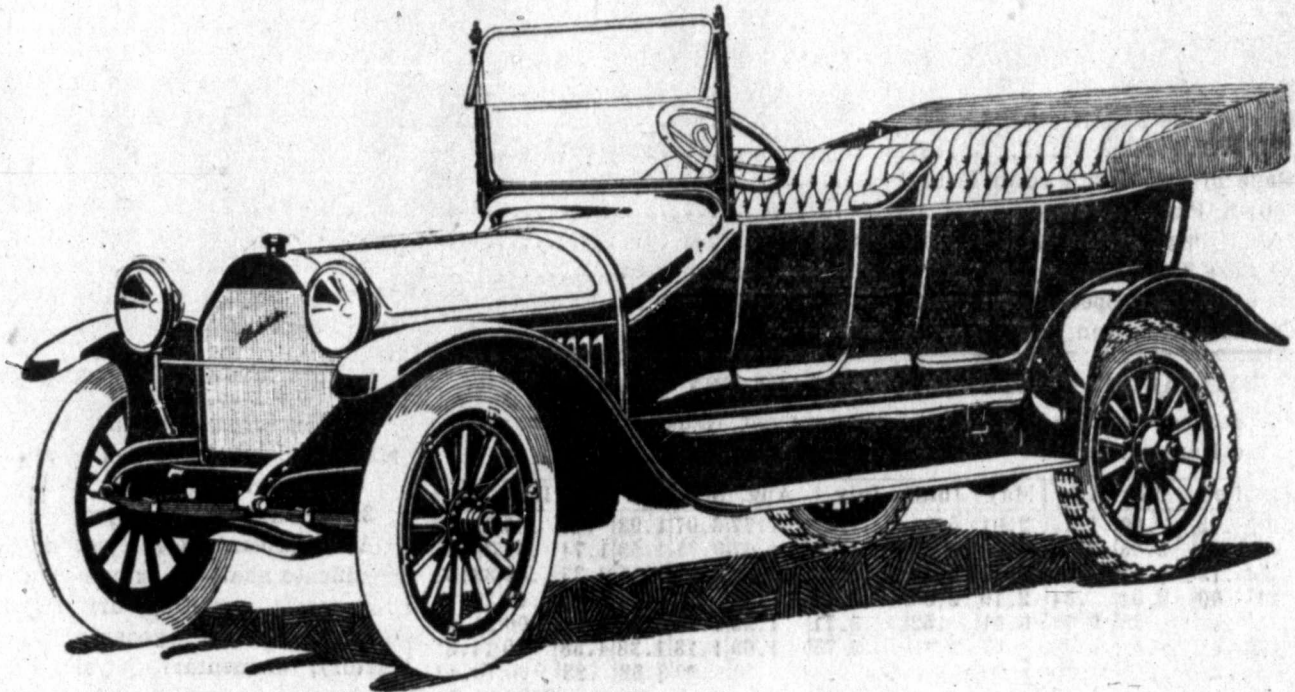
Alfred Kidd deeded his place, north of Loraine to H. C. Manley, this week.

Johnnie Harts of Hico is visiting his relatives, S. D. Dunnahoo and family this week.

The Loraine Mercantile Co. is en-



The man who drives his own car appreciates the Studebaker



The accessibility of Studebaker parts—
The ease with which they can be adjusted and cared for—
The sturdiness and simplicity of Studebaker construction make it to a really remarkable extent the trouble-proof car.

HAVE YOU BOUGHT YOUR STUDEBAKER YET?



Byron B. Byrne THE STUDEBAKER (BRICK GARAGE)

larging the interior of their store, preparing for their new spring stock.

The Loraine high school gave a box supper at the building Saturday night. They had an interesting program and the proceeds, which were \$30 will go to help defray the expenses of the school.

The cemetery association met with Mrs. S. D. Dunnahoo on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jeff Isom died Tuesday, March 2, at her home north of Loraine and was buried Wednesday afternoon at the Lone Wolf cemetery.

10 CENT "CASCARETS" IS YOUR LAXATIVE

For Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Stagnant Liver and Bowels.

Get a 10 cent box.

Put aside—just once—the Salts, Pills, Castor Oil or Purgative Waters which merely force a passage way through the bowels, but do not thoroughly cleanse, freshen and purify these drainage organs, and have no effect whatever upon the liver and stomach.

Keep your insides pure and fresh with Cascarets, which thoroughly cleanse the stomach, remove the undigested, sour food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never gripe, sicken, and cost you 10 cents a box from your druggist. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have Headache, Biliousness, Severe Colds, Indigestion, Sour Stomach or Constipated Bowels. Cascarets belong in every household. Children just love to take them.

CHANGE IN T. & P. SCHEDULE

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.
Morning eastbound, No. 4, 8:27 a. m.
Evening eastbound No. 34, 11:49 p. m.

Better cut this schedule out and paste it in some handy place for reference until you get it fixed in your mind.

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

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION.

By order of the City Council, notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the court house in the City of Colorado, Texas, in this county, on the First Tuesday in April, 1915, the same being the 6th day of said month, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, three Aldermen and City Secretary, for said City.

F. A. Winn has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist in holding same; and said election shall be held in the manner prescribed by law for holding other elections.

Every male person who has attained the age of twenty-one years and who has resided within the limits of said city for six months next preceding the date of said election, and is a qualified voter under the laws of the State of Texas shall be entitled to vote at said election.

Witness my hand this 24th day of February, A. D. 1915.
3-26 C. M. ADAMS, Mayor.

DARDANELLES FALLS.

Fleet of 51 English and French Vessels Destroy Fortifications.

London, Feb. 27.—Forty British and fourteen French warships, including some of the most powerful dreadnoughts in the allied fleets, today roared and battered their way fourteen miles up the Dardanelles. That is about one-third of the way through the Straits of Hellespont.

Once through these straits, Constantinople lies impaled on the Golden Horn, less than one hundred miles away.

The warships are now ready to begin the bombardment of the narrows, the one mile wide strip of water which is the last big barricade to a clear route to the Turkish capital.

The steady progress of the international fleet against the fortresses, heretofore regarded as impregnable, has caused panic in Constantinople.

The fortresses of the capital are negligible and with the Dardanelles passed the city would be at the mercy of the allies' big guns. Special trains are reported to be waiting in readiness to convey the Sultan and the members of his government to Asia Minor.

Meanwhile, the Russian Black Sea fleet is trying to force the Bosphorus and approach Constantinople from the east. Bombardment of the forts on

the Asiatic side of the Bosphorus already has been started.

The chief factor of the bombardment was the shell work of the 15-inch guns of the Queen Elizabeth. This is the first time that these monster pieces of naval ordnance have been in action and their action bore out all that had been expected of them. The Queen Elizabeth is a vessel of 27,500 tons and she carries eight of these 15-inch guns.

BEST AND CHEAPEST WAY.

Mrs. Housewife, do you realize that the cost of living grows higher? Had you thought of the fact that soap, starch, blueing, washing powder, clothes pins, tubs, wash boards, etc., come in on the grocery bill and materially increase its size? Think over this and see if the Steam Laundry way is not best. Only one bill and it very reasonable; no worry about delayed washwoman; no tired bodies; clean, sanitary ready to wear clothes. This is indeed the best and cheapest way. —The Laundry.

SPEECH AVERTS LYNCHING.

The body of Jack Jones, an employe at a local garage at Waxahachie, was found Monday morning with his head crushed and evidence of a terrible struggle in the garage building. A negro by the name of Joe Lockett was arrested and on being given the third degree, confessed the crime, but claimed he did not do the killing. A rope was put about the black's neck and he was about to be swung up when Rev. A. C. Parker, pastor of the Christian church at that place, appeared in company with the district judge and county attorney. Rev. Parker made a very appealing talk to the mob, and Judge Hawkins promised to reconvene district court the next day to try the negro if the mob would release him to the officers, claiming that if this negro were lynched, there was but little hope of ever catching his accomplices. The rope was cut from around the negro's neck, he was hurried to jail and later was spirited away to Dallas for safe keeping. The police think there is a good chance of catching the others implicated in the crime.

Rev. Parker was editor of a Midland newspaper a few years ago and well known to many people of this part of the state.

Now points and plow extras carried in stock.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Have you Catarrh?
Is nasal breathing impaired? Does your throat get husky or clogged?
Modern science proves that these symptoms result from run-down health. Snuffs and vapors are irritating and useless.
The oil-food in Scott's Emulsion will enrich and enliven the blood, aid nutrition and assist nature to check the inflammation and heal the sensitive membranes.
Shun Alcoholic mixtures and insist upon SCOTT'S.
BOTTLED BY BOWNE, BLOOMFIELD, N. J.

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Ads On First Page Special Contract.	
All Ads and Locals Run Until Ordered Out.	

RAINFALL FOR COLORADO THE LAST TEN YEARS.

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

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1904	1.63	.02	.00	1.42	2.01	5.01	1.87	1.77	6.07	1.93	.45	.59	22.62
1905	.59	1.68	5.05	2.72	2.73	2.46	4.20	4.07	3.71	1.69	1.74	.57	30.87
1906	.29	.73	1.43	3.10	6.01	2.12	3.15	7.82	2.95	2.77	2.33	.62	33.32
1907	.21	.00	2.04	.34	2.10	2.33	9.42	.15	1.76	6.63	1.93	.44	25.76
1908	.45	.08	.33	5.73	5.61	.52	3.71	1.22	1.54	6.21	1.71	.00	21.52
1909	.03	.02	.37	.06	1.33	1.01	2.75	1.69	1.13	1.33	4.58	.00	14.3
1910	.00	.20	.48	.60	1.40	1.13	.16	1.14	.90	3.53	.88	.00	10.42
1911	.41	.48	.72	2.12	.67	.00	2.53	2.97	2.11	.00	.45	2.90	19.73
1912	.00	1.40	.00	1.11	.89	1.67	1.08	2.92	.06	1.92	.00	1.56	12.41
1913	.17	.40	2.07	1.75	1.30	2.77	2.69	.16	.00	2.60	2.75	4.57	23.23
1914	.00	.15	.40	3.85	5.37	4.70	2.75	5.85	.70	5.75	.81	1.53	31.86
1915	.17	.21											

COLORADO, TEXAS, MARCH 5, 1915.

1915 MARCH 1915						
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	25	26	27	28	29	30
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Jones county is acquiring some little notoriety itself in the shooting to kill industry.

Old Huerta is doubtless everything disreputable ever charged against him, but no one has yet alleged him anybody's fool. Not only did he give the "Peerless One" a few special lessons in diplomacy, but made the financial captains of the United States and Europe feel like thirty cents on the dollar.

For the past four weeks Evangelist Ham has preached to the people of San Angelo. He announced in the beginning, that after he had gotten the professing Christians in line, the saloon disease would cure itself; that saloons and other criminal practices existed in that city solely by tolerance of the church people. As a result of his preaching, a big mass meeting of citizens last week made a call for a prohibition election. The line of cleavage will be sharply drawn and both sides declare they will fight to the last ditch. Tom Green county has long been a liquor stronghold, and with it in the dry column, prohibition will have gained a great victory.

Sentiment inspires patriotism and guff about the old flag, but money talks business and gets the goods. A new element has been injected into this country's attitude toward matters south of the Rio Grande by the discovery of a spurious issue of bonds under the Huerta regime. More than \$30,000,000 of these bonds were taken by bankers of England, France, Belgium, Switzerland and Holland. The discovery has just been made that untold millions of additional notes of the same kind, but not financed by these international bankers, have mysteriously appeared. The citizens of those countries where these bonds are held will doubtless force Mexico to protect investors. The fact that Mexico has now no recognized government and the further fact that any government that may hereafter be established, might attempt to repudiate all former bond issues, constitutes a pretty kettle of fish, that nothing short of intervention by some power, can settle.

Like the shifting sands of the desert, the drifter is ever on the move. He ebbs and flows, waxes and wanes with the good and bad seasons of West Texas. Up to the past fall his trail has led to the east. During the first dry year he went in droves, but the caravan thinned out on an occasional rickety wagon and team of burros—all bound for that unmapped country where grub and chewing tobacco were to be had and no questions asked. Now the tide has set in the other way. Every day drifters pass through head-

ed west, if not the same individuals, they are the selfsame class that shook the dust from their creaking wheels as they passed like phantoms to the east, in silent commentary upon the cussedness of this country and confession of their inability to cope with its demands and conditions. They will subsist until in the evolution of nature a season of drouth succeeds and compensates for the present season of bounty, and then begin again their search for the promised land.

It is unthinkable that the citizenship of Texas today, as one state among many, cherish any loftier feelings for the deeds that won its independence of Mexico, than those who formed and guided the young republic? The very men who bore a conspicuous part in its struggles and guided it in its infant days, saw the future necessity of division and provided for it without congressional consent or interference. It seems little short of ingratitude to the memory of those men to pit our second-hand patriotism against theirs. The provision they made for the division of the state was a tacit expression of their wishes as well as of their judgment. The power of division was a political heritage to southern prestige and representation in the national congress, when it should be needed.

Fifty years after Appomattox some curious tendencies are in evidence. The south as a whole is getting whiter, but the rural south is growing constantly blacker. In the south Atlantic states, during the last census decade, the total white population increased twice as fast as the total negro population, but in the country districts just the reverse condition obtains. The number of white people increased 29 per cent, but the number of white farmers increased only 12 per cent. The number of negro people increased only ten per cent, but the number of negro farmers increased 23 per cent. This means that the proportion of the white people on the farms is steadily decreasing while the number of negro farmers is increasing 200 to 300 per cent as fast as the negro population. This statement is but the husk that contains the germ of the greatest problem southern farmers in the future will be forced to consider.

President Woodrow Wilson rounds out two years of his term of office today. He has not only dominated congress and the democratic party, but has piloted this nation thus far through the narrow strait of national honor and foreign entanglements. His policies command the respect and confidence of the broadest minds in the republican party, and but for treason in a few so-called democrats in the senate, would have every measure he advocated enacted into law. If he can hold the ship of state to sea as true and safe course the next two years of his term as he has done the past two years, no combination of circumstances or political chicanery can defeat him for a renomination.

"Davy Jones Locker" should by this time be a tempting prize for the submarines. We've heard of none trying to raid it, though.

It's but a step from "punch and salad" to Punch and Judy.

SCHEDULE OF COUNTY EXAMINATIONS.

Dates of County Examinations, 1915.

April 1, 2, and 3.
June 3, 4, and 5.
September 2, 3, and 4.
December 2, 3, and 4.

The April examination will be for State certificates only.

Thursday forenoon.—History of Education; Physics; Solid Geometry; American Literature.

Thursday afternoon.—Psychology; Chemistry; Bookkeeping; Plane Trigonometry.

Friday forenoon.—Physical Geography; Physiology; Composition; Arithmetic.

Friday afternoon.—Texas History; Grammar; Descriptive Geography; Plane Geometry.

Saturday forenoon.—Spelling; Writing; Methods and Management; Civics; Reading.

Saturday afternoon.—United States History; General History; Agriculture; Algebra.

Requirements for Certificates.

1. The applicant must be at least sixteen years of age and of good moral character.

2. Second grade subjects:

An applicant for a second grade certificate shall be examined in spelling, reading, writing, arithmetic, English grammar, geography, Texas history, elementary physiology and hygiene, with special reference to narcotics, school management and methods of teaching, United States history, and elementary agriculture.

3. First grade subjects.

An applicant for a first grade certificate shall be examined in the subjects prescribed for a second grade certificate and in addition thereto in English composition, civil government, algebra, physical geography, elements of geometry, and general history.

4. State permanent primary subjects:

An applicant for a State permanent primary certificate shall be examined in the subjects prescribed for a second grade certificate and in addition thereto the subjects of civil government, English composition, physical geography, the history of education, elementary psychology applied to teaching, and English and American literature.

5. State permanent subjects:

An applicant for a State permanent certificate shall be examined on the subjects prescribed for second and first grade certificates and in addition thereto in the history of education, psychology, English and American literature, chemistry, solid geometry, physics, plane trigonometry, and elementary double-entry bookkeeping.

W. F. DOUGHTY,

State Supt. of Public Instruction

Judging by the news "stuff" that clutters the daily papers, nearly all the men who have been called to arms by the various warring nations in Europe, are either dead or prisoners. The Germans have "kilt and tuck" more Russians than were under arms. The Russians have practically annihilated the Germans time and again. We have come to take the news of the big war with as much salt as we sprinkle on the Mexican hash.

The community has been unusually quiet the past week. The hum of the gins is hushed, the cotton has been gathered, arrangements largely made for the financing of the next crop (where needed), the farmers have bought their plow tools and are now tearing up the ground like salamanders. The industrious farmer will be less in evidence on the streets from this time until his crop is laid by, than for several months. God speed the plow!

A Fort Worth laundry is showing on the moving picture machine actual pictures taken of the houses of negro, Mexican and white washerwomen, with their unsanitary surroundings, the filth, disease and germs—What is true there is equally true here and you may see it any day without the aid of picture shows. Be on the safe side and patronize the Colorado Steam (Sanitary) Laundry.

The owner of the steamship Dacia, seized by the French government, and whose destiny will be settled in a prize court, is so little concerned over the ultimate outcome that he proposes to purchase more ships and dispatch them with cargoes to Europe.

Only two states have more horses than Texas.

The Texas horse has held his own with the auto. During the past ten years he has more than doubled his value.

In pumping petroleum from the Texas fields to the refineries, 2,100 miles of pipe lines are constantly in use.

"IF I WERE PRESIDENT."

Ex-Governor O. B. Colquitt told the people of New York City last week in his speech before the "For America League," just what he'd do if he were president of these United States, after being introduced by the chairman of the meeting as "the man who would have settled the Mexican question with his rangers over a year ago if it had not been for the Prince of Peace at Washington." The audience of about 2000 was decidedly pro-German in sympathy, and the ex-governor, according to the published reports of his speech, twisted the tail of the British lion something plum fierce, and tickled his German audience with such straws as these:

"Compare what the Germans have done for this country with what the British have done. Von Steuben, de Kalb and Herkimer were of our bravest generals. Look at the British in the revolution, hiring Indians and putting a price on every patriot's scalp. Look at the Mason and Slidell affair and the assistance given the Confederacy in the civil war by England." * * * "We have always had to contend against British gold and greed," and said that the English placed a premium of \$8 on every American's scalp the Indians could get during the early days of the country's history. * * * "If I were president we would send battleships as escorts to our boats carrying bread abroad, and there would be an embargo placed on the shipment of guns, swords and cannon. Didn't we issue orders prohibiting the export of arms to Mexico a short time ago? I would build a navy sufficient to compel the respect of Great Britain."

Not only have we all come short of the "glory of God," but of our own ideals. We witness the success of many men in the different walks of life and sometimes, in the face of the consciousness of our own shortcomings, almost envy their success. But could we see as they see themselves and their achievements, we would understand their discontent. The success they have attained is on one side; it has been at the expense of things they wish to regain and enjoy when they think they will be in condition and circumstances to do so to the full. Yet when they have acquired all the money they wish, all the reputation and skill in professions or all the honors in politics, they still lack something to make their honors complete and satisfying, and which they try to secure by public charities, benefactions, "foundations," etc. The truly successful life is one of humility and service, which alone is satisfying and does not grow upon what it feeds. A life of service to our fellows and to God is one that does not come short of His glory or of the individual ideal.

A MOST PALPABLE HIT.

The sugar-teat savant of the Dallas News asks: "How would State Press feel if he got word on Saturday night that on Sunday morning his name would be erased from the pay roll forever?" While we have no idea how he would feel about it, we venture the assertion that readers of the News would not experience precisely the same emotions over that happy event as the person most vitally interested in the salutary change.—Austin American.

Fisk and Gold Medal hats expected in next week.—Mrs. Mills.



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When one of our men was badly injured by the threshing machine we telephoned the doctor, who told us how to patch the man up. The doctor then started for our place in a hurry. When he arrived the man was pretty weak, and without the doctor's advice the results might have proved serious. Thanks to the telephone, the man pulled through.

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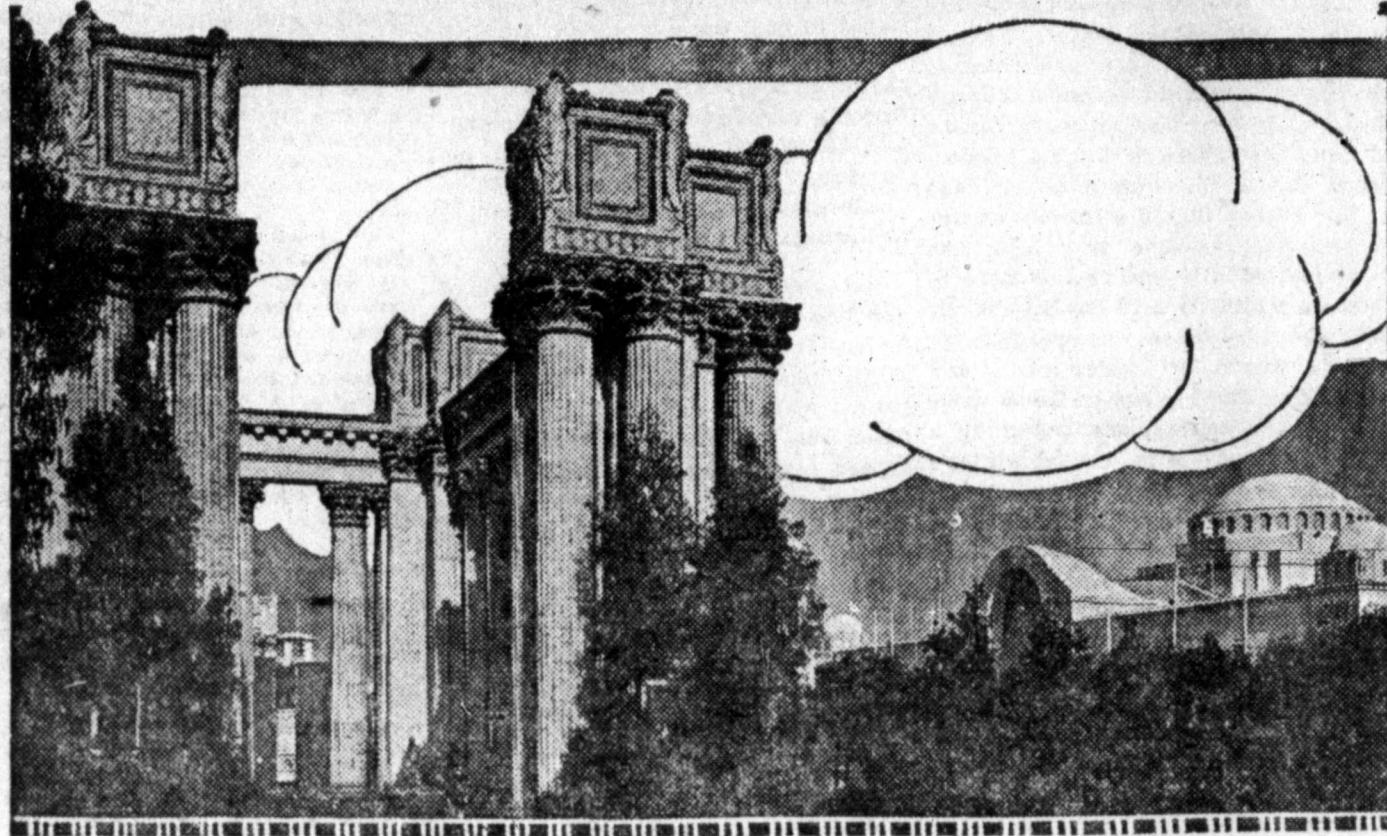
These pictures at best can indicate but feebly the indescribable marvels presented by the Panama-Pacific International exposition at San Francisco to which the people of all nations are thronging.

Forty-two foreign nations, and more than 80,000 individual exhibitors, representing every country on the globe have sent to this wonderful \$50,000,000 show the best of their present-day achievements which are now displayed in the eleven colossal exhibit palaces and also in the buildings of the state and foreign group, the latter structures being built in most cases in a style of architecture characteristic of the state or nation represented. More than \$10,000,000 has been invested in the "Zone," the 3,000-foot amusement street of this great fair, where the world's premier showmen are conducting the most wonderful and most original sight-seeing and pure-fun attractions ever assembled for any celebration on earth.

In order to put the opportunity of seeing this most marvelous of all expositions within reach of the greatest number of people the railroads have cut rates in half to and from San Francisco, and the hotel and restaurant associations of the city have agreed to keep their schedule of prices down to normal figures.

Complete information regarding this wonderful world's fair may be had free for the asking by addressing Manager of the Bureau of Publications, Press Building, Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, California, who will forward to any address a beautiful sixty-page booklet, illustrated in colors, containing detailed information regarding the glories of this great celebration and a complete description of the Panama Canal.

ONE OF THE WORLD'S MOST BEAUTIFUL ARCHITECTURAL SIGHTS



End view of Graeco-Roman colonnade extending 1,100 feet before the Palace of Fine Arts, Panama-Pacific International Exposition, at San Francisco, and curving in a graceful sweep along the shores of the Fine Arts lagoon. Surmounting these pillars are beautiful figures of women gazing into an urn, expressive of Art and Beauty. Eric Ellershausen is the designer of these groups. Over the foliage and forestation of the Fine Arts lagoon can be seen the Hall Dome of Philosophy and the grand central dome of the Palace of Education.

GENERAL HAPPENINGS.

The Roumanian army, it is stated, will take the field in April.

Constable W. R. Riggs died in a hospital at Fairmount, W. Va., from wounds received in a pistol battle between striking miners and Marion county officers and deputies at Farmington. Deputy Sheriff Thomas Buckley was seriously shot.

A commission has been appointed by Secretary Bryan to investigate the constant revolutions in Haiti. Officials in that republic will be informed this country will recognize only a stable form of government.

One of the largest German guns exploded near Thann, killing one officer and five privates.

John H. Stutzman, his two daughters and a son were burned to death at East St. Louis, Ill. Another son jumped from a second-story window before the flames reached him.

Policeman Joseph Carroll of Chicago was shot through an arm and one of three burglars captured in a street battle with the robbers, why were run up on in the store of Freeman Bros. in Lincoln avenue. A squad of robbers and one of reserves fought from behind trees and from doorsteps for thirty minutes before the robbers beat a retreat.

Dallas postoffice receipts for February were \$89,680.23, against \$89,663.35 the corresponding month last year.

Frank Bacino and Manisea Leo Loredano were fatally shot in the Italian quarter of Pueblo, Colo. Loredano was wounded six times. They were participants in a pitched battle.

Dallas has about 500 jitneys.

As the result of the killing of Samuel Stein and the fatal wounding of Jeremiah Fitzgerald, Houston citizens, over a dozen negroes were put under arrest.

Zenas Edwards Ranney of Sherman, Tex., and a pioneer of Dallas, died at Westfield, Conn., aged eighty-six years. He was first a jeweler and then traversed the sea. In 1850 he located at Dallas and was an acquaintance of Sam Houston. Mr. Ranney attended Queen Victoria's golden jubilee in London. He returned to Texas and became interested in cotton mills and banking at Sherman. He was never married. Although a Republican and an ardent admirer of Lincoln, Mr. Ranney was a Confederate soldier.

Services were held Sunday in the Walnut Grove Christian church, Kokomo, Ind., when James McKillip, who procured a shotgun and took possession two weeks before, allowed the congregation to worship without molestation. McKillip took possession of the house of worship because a piano was installed. His father gave the property twenty years ago with the stipulation that no musical instruments were to be used in the building. The piano was silent Sunday.

The national law prohibiting all persons from selling or giving away habit-forming drugs without a doctor's certificate or under direct instruction of a physician is now in effect. Penalties for violation are a fine not exceeding \$2,000 or five years' imprisonment or both. A tax of \$1 a year is fixed for selling such drugs. Enforcement of the law is vested in the commissioner of internal revenue. Champions of the measure contend it will be of great benefit, while others predict it will work unlimited harm to drug habitues.

Three men attacked a jitney driver at Dallas named W. L. Hill. They were passengers. One hit him on the head with a blunt instrument. Hill temporarily lost control of the car and it hit a telephone pole, badly damaging it. So much noise was made by the impact that the men jumped and made their escape.

The American liner New York has arrived at New York from Liverpool after having taken unusual pains to make known her nationality while passing through the war zone that Germany declared. Lifeboats were swung outward in the event a mine was come in contact with.

Asa Goodwin, who died at Bessemer upon the eve of his one hundred and eighth birthday, was the oldest person in Alabama. He was born in Georgia in 1807. He was a noted turkey hunter, killing his last one when 101. He is survived by 74 grandchildren, 227 great-grandchildren and also 15 great-great-grandchildren.

BRIEFLY NARRATED.

Fire at Kirkland, Tex., did \$30,000 damage. Included in the losses are the First State bank, a dry goods store, grocery store and a restaurant. Losses are covered by insurance.

Harry Mosenberg or El Paso has identified the body found in an irrigation near that city as that of Maurice, his brother, a wealthy junk dealer. The face and head had been crushed with a blunt instrument. Diamonds, a watch and money are missing.

A wolf was killed in the heart of Corpus Christ's residence section by T. H. Skinner, a barber. On his way to work he saw the animal loping over a school yard. Returning home he procured a shotgun.

A drainage district has been voted in the Pecos valley by Toyah people. Dec. 29 three men entered the home of Polk Martin, near Lingleville, Erath county, Tex., and with firearms robbed him of \$5,000. Luther Harris, accused of being one of the parties, pleaded guilty on trial at Stephenville and was given ten years. He is twenty-two years old.

A thief stole three crates of apples and a half crate of oranges from a peddler's wagon on a Dallas street.

A WONDERFUL HEALING INFLUENCE IN KIDNEY TROUBLES.

A year and a half ago I was taken with a severe attack of kidney trouble that pained me to such an extent that morphine had to be given me. Was attended by a doctor who pronounced it as Stone in the Bladder and prescribed Lithia Water. I took Lithia Water and Tablets for some time and received no relief from them. I stopped taking medicines for some time, later having some Swamp-Root in the house I decided to try it and felt much relieved. While taking the second bottle commenced to pass Gravel in urine until I had passed in all at least a half dozen or more and have not suffered the slightest since—and in all have taken one bottle and a half and feel very grateful to Swamp-Root.

Yours truly,
H. W. SPINKS,
Camp Hill, Ala.

Personally appeared before me this 16th day of August, 1909, H. W. Spinks who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

A. B. LEE,
Ex. of Justice of Pecca.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co.,
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Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You.

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince any one. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Colorado Record. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

Frightful Crime.

Jack Jones, manager of a garage at Waxahachie, Tex., was found dead in the office Sunday morning. His throat was cut and he had been beaten with an automobile axle. There were indications of a terrible struggle. Both phones had been pulled down. The safe had been robbed of \$600 and the pockets of Jones rifled. Joe Lockett, a negro, was arrested. He protested his innocence and implicated two other negroes. A rope had been put around his neck just before he called their names. While most of the mob went after them the sheriff put Lockett into an automobile and took him to Dallas. The car was fired at as it started. A man in another auto tried to head off the fleeing car and ran into it, nearly turning it over. The other negroes were jailed at Waxahachie.

W. J. Bryan is quoted as saying that every newspaper man should own the paper he writes for. But there are not newspapers enough to go round.

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We have a complete stock of Garden Plows, Buster Bottoms, Go-Devs, Sweeps, Georgia Stocks, Clevises, Curry Combs, Files, Plow Bolts, Axes, Hammers, Saws, Pinchers, Wrenches, Pipe Wrenches, Horse and Mule Clippers, as well as a general line of Hardware. We also have a nice line of Harness and extra parts, such as Collars, Collar Pads, Hames, Hame Straps, Traces, Halters, Bridles, Driving Reins, Hitching Straps, Back Bands, Etc. Also Doubletrees, Singletrees and similar extra parts. We have what you need in these lines at prices that mean a saving to you.

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We have a full line of fresh Garden Seed in packages and bulk. Also some Seed Corn in bulk and Onion Sets. Don't forget to get in your order for some of the Mebane Triumph Cotton Seed. This seed is guaranteed to us as the Genuine Mebane Triumph Seed.

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In the spring of the year poultry and stock foods are money savers and money makers. We carry a full line of Pratt's Stock Food and Poultry Food, Stock Dip and Liniments. For the chicken yard and garden get our prices on poultry netting.

For That Fishing Trip

When preparing for that fishing trip don't forget our full line of Fishing Tackle. A large assortment of Cane Poles, Hooks and Lines to select from.

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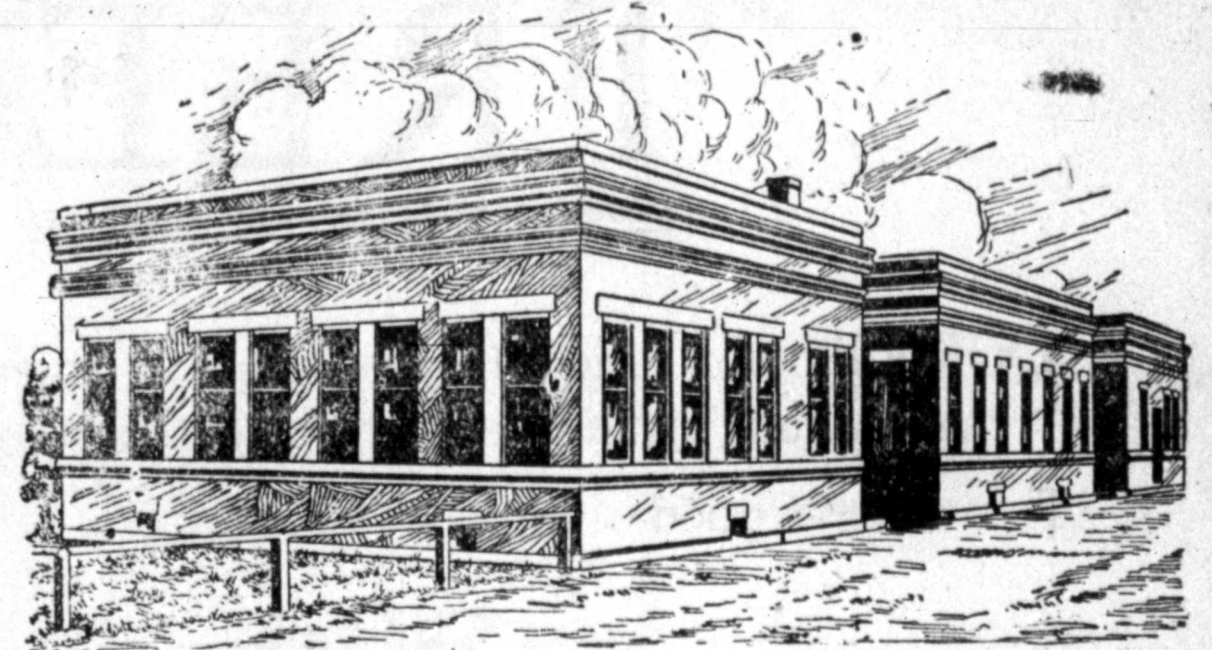
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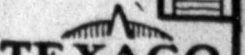
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MARCH.

Patty-cake patty-cake,
Baker's minion;
What of the war,
In your opinion?
Can we still
Afford to eat,
Now the times
Have boosted wheat?

Ah, if one were but a farmer,
Blithely tooling on the scene
When the days perchance are warmer,
In his purring limousine!
Whose philosophy was better—
Ours who marched away to town,
Or the farmer's persevering
While the price of wheat was down?

Patty-cake,
Janizary
Of the merchant
Commissary,
Shall we have
To count our bites
Just as long
As Europe fights?

Think of having land for planting
Wheat for Europe, over here!
Does it not set one to panting
Just to think what one could clear?
Is not fortune kind to Kansas,
Where the dollars fairly swarm?
Kindly pardon me a moment
While I go and buy a farm!

March gets its name from Mars, who
was the Roman god of war. While
Roman mythology has been succeeded
by Christian science and other reli-
gions, it served an excellent purpose
in its time. Mars was responsible for
all wars, and no odium attached to
anyone else for starting a war. This
let Caesar and the other Roman mil-
litarists out, and they enjoyed the re-
putation of being for peace. There was
some doubt in Britain and Gaul about
Caesar really being for peace, but this

was because the people in those coun-
tries did not believe in Roman mythol-
ogy. When missionaries from the
East appeared in Rome and urged a
better religion, some of the most elo-
quent orators in the empire pointed
out the peculiar advantage of Roman
mythology in this respect. Caesar
particularly distinguished himself on
this occasion. He said if war was no
longer to be made in Heaven, as peo-
ple had supposed, the empire would be-
come unstable through popular resent-
ment of so much fighting, and Rome
would fall. This argument was in a
fair way to prevail for a time, but
there was one speaker on the other
side, a man very much like the Rev.
Billy Sunday, who made such a tre-
mendous appeal that Caesar was as-
sassinated by a bunch of converts as
he came down off the platform, and
the empire fell.

The Romans began the year in
March. They were hot weather fight-
ers, as the Russians appear to be, and
would not stir in the winter. Already
in their trenches when cold weather
set in, they would at once burrow
down, and there was no more getting
at them than there is digging a wood-
chuck out in the wintertime. It was
at this season that the Helvetians and
Aquitaniens became very bold, and
one could usually find two or three of
them on a bitterly cold day around the
hole where a Roman was spending the
winter, pouring hot water into it and
such like. The legions of Rome came
up with the daisies, and beginning a
brand new year with a good winter's
rest, they walked right through what-
ever was set to oppose them. This is,
of course, the policy of Kitchener, and
some interesting light will be thrown on
the comparative value of the two
strategies when the battle is resumed
on the river Aisne. If the allies, who
have holed, are unable to dislodge the
Germans, who have for the most part
wintered on the coat tails of the Rus-
sians, the holing or hibernating, theory
of war will calmly collapse.

The festive calf will sigh for spring,
And blithely do a buck and dance;
The robin will return to sing
A cheery ballad of romance.
The poet will atone his lyre

To green and verdant things about,
The keeper of the furnace fire
Will let it slowly clinker out,
The plumber will release his bills
And meanwhile look at limousines,
A growing host of human ills
Will arm for sassafrass and greens,
The bitter cold will loose its grip
And cease to pry around the doors,
And the hired man will gaily trip
Around the manor doing chores.

The winds of March are often drear,
and one must sometimes chase his hat,
but earth withal becomes a dear and
cheery place, for all of that. The wel-
come sight of greening grass can dis-
sipate a lot of gloom, and sunshine
peering through the glass accomplish
wonders in a room. The meadowlark
will come to sing us Tipperary and
the rest, and sailing over on the wing
the watchful goose will do his best.
The setting sun will leave a trail of
softer color in the sky, the tailor will
deluge the mail with Easter suits we
ought to buy, the oyster will entrench
itself upon the wind-swept bill of fare,
the winter fur will seek the shelf to
find the moth awaiting there, the gen-
tle breeze will softly page the woods
for summer off and on, and the robin
readbreast will engage the doughty
hookworm on the lawn.

But quite aside from things elate
and flowers wakened by the rain, the
legions lying long in wait shall all re-
sume upon the Aisne. The dreary
tedium will end with men in quite an-
other way, and cheers of gladness will
ascend for getting into the affray. A
checker game for twenty weeks is not
at length for them a song, nor is it
wisdom quite that seeks men en-
trenched will halt the day that sets
them out, though in the end the field
is drenched with blood red-running
all about. You can't make ground-
hogs out of men, or keep them run-
ning with the moles; but let the south
wind blow again, to see them popping
from the holes! Or win or lose, or
live or die, they want their fling on
top of ground; they want to see the
bending sky, and pass their battlecry
around. They want to rise in all their
might and club their rifles, butts and
stocks; so take your grip and hold on
tight, for here is where the planet
rocks.

At any rate, the playful wind
Will fill the new wide bottom skirt,
And ladies too unshapely shinned
Will make the crossings with a spurt
The submarine will cruise about
Pot-bunting innocence and bliss,
The young man's love will keep him
out
As late as morning for a kiss,
The syrup will begin to chug
Its merry rhythm in the spout,
And the droll nuthatch will get the bug
He's been all winter digging out.

Congress will adjourn at noon on
the fourth day of March, and it is un-
likely that there will be a special ses-
sion this year. The members of Con-
gress sacrificed their chautauqua en-
gagements last summer for the good of
the country, and it seems unfair to
ask them to do this again this year.
They must live. St. Patrick's day will
be celebrated on the 17th, when the
Irish will be assisted by the prohibi-
tionists, who are driving the snakes
out of this country. The vernal equi-
nox will come on the 21st. This will
cause spring to begin, and will send
the price of wheat up again. The sun,
which has been wintering in the south,
will cross the Tropic of Capricorn on
the 22nd, and proceed leisurely north.
This will make it much easier for
everybody to be neutral, and will re-
veal both the Rockefeller and Carne-
gie foundations in a somewhat better
light. After the 22nd the month will
be under the influence of Aries the
Ram, the first sign of the zodiac. This
will force Villa either to bring order
out of chaos in Mexico or ask Gen.
Funsten to do so. People born in the
period of Aries have excellent dispo-
sitions for these troublous times.
They can discuss the war without re-
calling to what European country they
trace their decent. The moon will be
full twice in March, on the 1st and 31st.
The absence of a full moon in Febru-
ary, which is happily not to recur in
centuries, was most unfortunate. It
gave some of the Democrats in the
Senate a chance to desert the shipping
bill in the darkness, and caused the
first serious split in the party since
Mr. Wilson went into the White House.
As a result, the party will have two
full moons this month, and one there-
after regularly, exactly as the Repub-
licans did.

Then April will project her spell,
With Easter luxuries galore,
And farmers having wheat to sell
Will flash their diamonds on the
poor.

The City fire station has had its
hinderparts repaired, which ragged-
ness was caused by the removal of that
part of the building belonging to Dr.
Phenix. The station now presents
quite a symmetrical aspect from all
sides.

Catarrh of the Head

"Peruna Cured me In Six Weeks."



5,000,000 People In This Country Have Catarrh.

Mr. Tom F. Dady, No. 3 Manhattan St., Rochester, N. Y., writes: "I was troubled with catarrh of the head for many years before I paid much at-
tention to it, but a few months ago I was so annoyed by headaches and difficulty in breathing through my nose, and my eyes smarted and looked so inflamed that I felt I must do something to relieve this state of af-
fairs."

"I noticed one of your ads. in the paper, and then and there decided to try Peruna. I am pleased to say that it came up to all my expecta-
tions, for in six weeks it had driven the catarrh out of my system and I have not been troubled since."
Mrs. A. J. Tleman, 1122 Wyoming St., San Antonio, Texas, writes: "I suffered over nine years with catarrh of the head, nose and ears. Five bot-
tles of Peruna have restored me my health."

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I am-leaving this week for Corpus Christi, Texas, where I shall remain for two or more months. During my absence my jewelry business will be under the management of Mr. Floyd Beall, while the Watchmaking and General Repairing Department will be conducted by Mr. R. E. Cook, an experienced and thoroughly competent workman.

All business entrusted to these gentlemen will be promptly and satisfactorily attend to and will be duly appreciated by me.

Jas. T. Johnson

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To swap new cotton seed meal and hulls or coal for cotton seed or maize. I will also buy and pay cash for these articles. I will exchange threshed maize for heads, or thresh your grain when brought in big enough lots to justify starting engine.

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PHONE 346

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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.

BAYVIEW.

Mrs. Shropshire was hostess for the Bayview club last week, with Mrs. J. Shepherd as leader. This program was carried out:
Roll call, quotations from Shakespeare.
Henry V, Act II, Scenes 3-4.
Current events.
Silas Marner, Chap. 14.
The hostess had as her guests Mesdames J. W. Person, R. L. McMurtry, John C. Moor, Misses Martha Earnest, Byrd Adams and Eleanor Van Tuyl. At the social hour a two course luncheon was served. The meeting today is with Mrs. C. M. Adams.

HESPERIAN.

The Hesperian met with Mrs. Merritt last week with Mrs. Edgar Majors as leader. The program was one of special interest on Civics and Conservation, prepared by the civic committee.

The roll call was current events on civic affairs.

Miss Dry gave a reading on Beautiful Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. Doss read a paper on the Logic and Meaning of Civics.

Mrs. Merritt read a paper on Friendship Village.

Every member on the program and the ladies with a determination to make this the city beautiful, decided that something should be done to make the grounds around the attractive and if the Record has accomplished anything more than something well done (much has accomplished). They hope to start general clean up, have vacant lots cleaned up and planted in something; to keep the town ready for the inspector at all times.

This is a move in the right direction. We hope everybody will lend a helping hand.

The following officers were elected for the next year:

Mrs. T. J. Ratliff, President.
Mrs. J. L. Allen, 1st Vice-President.
Mrs. E. H. Winn, 2nd Vice-President.
Miss Maddin, Secretary.
Mrs. J. H. Greene, Cor. Secretary.
Miss Jo Dry, Treasurer.

The hostess had her sisters, Mrs. Floyd Beall, Mrs. Tom Stonerod and Mrs. D. N. Arnett Jr., as guests and who assisted in serving refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, salad, chocolate pie and coffee.

500 CLUB.

Mrs. Earnest was hostess for the club Tuesday. Mrs. Geo. Major the only guest and was presented dainty sandwiches. Miss Anval won the club prize, six hand-cut glasses. A two course luncheon of pressed chicken, sandwiches, pear salad, coffee, blancmange, speed cream and cake, was served. Meeting next week is with Miss Hooper.

STANDARD.

The Standard met with Mrs. J. C. last week and carried out this

—Cities of Egypt.

—History of the play, Mrs.

—Act I, Scenes 1, 2, 3.

—Mrs. Prude.

—Chapter X.—Leader, Mrs.

—To the Nile (Bayard Taylor).

—Cairo on the Nile.

—Mrs. Faulkes.

—Social hour.—Refreshments.

NOTICE!

county contest of the Inter-city Declaiming and Debating will be held in Colorado, April 12. It is expected that all schools of high standing to enter the contest will be interested, to try of the County Organization. N. L. Ellis. A fuller announcement will follow.

R. M. DONNELL,
Secretary of County Organization.

PICTURE SHOW PARTY.

Campbell, teacher of the public school, entertained the picture show party at her home Saturday afternoon. The picture show was very interesting and refreshments were served.

MISSION STUDY CLASS.

The Mission Study Class of the Methodist church held their regular meeting Monday. After the devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. D. N. Arnett, a chapter on New Literature or the Social Gospel was studied with the leader, Mrs. Hart, in charge.

Miss Jo Dry had a paper on Carlyle, Maurice and Ruskin as social prophets.

Mrs. Jackson gave a five minute review on Social Force of Little Dorrett and Alton Locke.

Mrs. Cromer gave a paper on Beginning of Settlement Work.

Mrs. Merritt gave a talk on Literature, leading to a twentieth century reform in social work.

DEATH OF A NAIL.

After an illness of about ten days Mr. A. Nail, living 3 1/2 miles south of town died last Friday night, aged 67 years. Mr. Nail came to Mitchell county from Nashville, Ark., seven years ago and has been a most exemplary citizen of this community. He is survived by a wife and three daughters, two of the latter living in Oklahoma, the other being Mrs. I. B. Holt of this city. Funeral services were held at the family residence at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon and interment made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. The Record extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

BASKET BALL.

There was a girls' basket ball game between the Westbrook school girls and Daniels, at Westbrook, Saturday, Feb. 27th. The lineup for Westbrook was: Ethel Morris and Vivia Berry, forwards; Hazel Grisset and Inola Ernest, centers; Vada Morris and Bell Nessmith, guards. The lineup for Daniels was: Theresa Jones and Nada Acuff, forwards; Edna Smith and Willie Sweet, centers; Amanda Phillips and Byrdie Stuteville, guards. The score was 19 to 6 in favor of Daniels.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Services at the Baptist church are as follows: Sunday school 10 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior Union 3 p. m.; Sunbeams 4 p. m.; B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting and teachers' meeting every

Wednesday evening. Choir practice every Friday evening at 7:15. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend any or all of these services. Strangers especially invited.

Sunday is the time for regular conference. The members will please remember this and make an effort to be present.

W. L. WILLIAMSON, Pastor.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

The Baptist women are observing the week of prayer for Home Missions this week. Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather there has been good attendance.

On Monday the subject was Enrollment; Tuesday, Church Extension and the other denominations met with them on that day and discussed the subject together. Wednesday the subject was Mountain Schools, and the Y. W. A. had charge, much to the delight of the older ones, and the program was well rendered. Thursday quilting and sewing were done for the spring box to be sent to the Orphans Home, and at 4 o'clock Evangelism was studied.

Today and Saturday will also be observed and it is hoped that others may yet have an opportunity to come.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Every Sabbath Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior League 2:30 p. m.; Senior League 6:30 p. m.; Prayer meeting every Wednesday 7:45 p. m.; Choir practice every Wednesday following Prayer Meeting; Vesper Service every 4th Sunday 7:30 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

R. A. CLEMENTS, Pastor.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, The City of Colorado, having been in an epidemic of general sickness, we believe that it behooves the citizens of Colorado to mitigate some of the causes of sickness, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Hesperian Club request the Mayor and City Council to appoint a general clean-up day, and to us April 10th, 1915, would be the best time.

We further suggest the planting of flowers and vines. Each member of this club has obligated herself to furnish flower seed to ladies and children in her immediate neighborhood, thereby stimulating a love for the beautiful, the study of horticulture, the improvement of homes and the beautifying of our town. Every vacant lot in Colorado should be planted to flowers or garden stuff, as the season bids fair for a prosperous year.

HESPERIAN CLUB.

Fannie Ratliff, Secretary.

TEXAS FACTS

LIVESTOCK.

The annual per capita production of livestock and products in Texas is \$24.54.

Texas is the leading livestock state and has 3.2 head per capita.

On January 1st, 1914, Texas had 12,877,000 head of livestock, valued at \$393,471,000.

Texas has more cattle than any other state.

It costs \$50,000,000 to feed Texas livestock one year.

HORSES AND MULES.

Texas has more than twice as many mules as any other state in the Union. The total number is 753,000, valued at \$82,077,000.

Texas has 17 per cent of the mules of the United States.

In selecting work animals for the United States army, Uncle Sam invariably prefers Texas horses and mules.

Texas leads the nation in asses and burros. We have 23,106 head, valued at \$1,922,000.

The Texas mule was the predominant class of work animals used in the construction of the Panama Canal.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—Two farms 160 acres each, two miles north; lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 8; 3 to 10, block 11; 7 and 8, block 14; N 1/2 5, block 25; 4 and 7, block 31; N 1/2 9, block 33; 19 and 20, block 41; 1/2 of 6, block 134, Colorado; Six lots in Merkel; One fine section in Gains county; any or all at a bargain.—C. W. Simpson. 1-19c

Fred Harris

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LAYMEN'S CONVENTION.

The great convention of the Laymen's Missionary Movement of the Southern Presbyterian church, which met in Dallas Feb. 23-25, was attended by several members of the First Presbyterian church of Colorado, who returned with glowing accounts of the meeting.

There were more than a thousand delegates in attendance. The speakers who were there to bring the vital facts of Missions before the laymen were men of various denominations and callings. Men from China, from Africa, Korea, Japan, India and all points of the United States; business men, journalists, lawyers, physicians, and ministers of the gospel, all giving from their various standpoints a well rounded view of the world-wide operations of the missionary movement.

A most noticeable account was given by a journalist, Mr. W. T. Ellis of Philadelphia, who is owner and editor of The Continent, a daily paper of that city. He is also a contributor to the North American Review. A few years ago he was sent out by his paper to visit the mission stations of the world for the purpose of exposing the fallacy of missions. He made two trips around the world to study existing conditions. He returned a thorough convert to missions, with such an account of the greatness of missionary touch in foreign lands for the betterment of the human race, for lifting people from the awful degradation and suffering engendered by superstition and ignorance, to higher and cleaner life. With accounts of sacrifices made by men who had given their

lives to this work, that men sat spell-bound to hear him rapidly and brilliantly relate all he learned on his tour of investigation.

Mr. W. E. Doughty, secretary of laymen's movement of New York, was a powerful speaker. Mr. J. Cambell White of New York, general secretary of the movement, gave a world-wide view of the work.

The business men who spoke were given the closest attention. They were men who have made fortunes; men of large incomes who gave all of the latter, keeping back just enough for expenses, to the Lord's work. These men brought home to all who heard the things that are really worth while.

Among this number was Mr. A. A. Hyde of Wichita, Kansas, president of the Mentholatum Co., who gave all according to his covenant with God.

Another was Mr. Rowland of Athens, Ga. His business prospers in spite of his long absences in the Master's work. This man, many years ago, caught a vision of the obligation of the church to world-wide missions. He is a man of fortune, and large income, all of the latter given to the Lord's work.

Another speaker, a man of special interest to us, because he was from Texas, was Mr. Duke, a member of the Baptist denomination. He is the owner of a number of ten cent stores, a man of large means, testifies to the blessing of "going into business with God." All of his people go into the Master's work.

These men speaking from the business stand point, brought convincing proof of the good which can be done

by the man and his money—money to be used for the things worth while. They aroused an enthusiasm which was more than temporary.

The singing at the convention was one of the uplifting features. To hear the voices of a thousand men singing: "I'll go where you want me to go, dear Lord; I'll be what you want me to be" was inspiring to the soul.

The central theme of the convention from the beginning to the end was the need of the world for Christ, and the obligation resting upon the church to supply that need now. To this end there are to be held, during the coming year, one hundred inter-denominational conventions throughout the United States, of which two at least will be in Texas.—Communicated.

U. D. C. PROGRAMME.

R. E. Lee Chapter, U. D. C. meets with Mrs. J. G. Merritt Monday, Mar. 8th, at 3:30 p. m.

Subject.—Texas. Her contribution to the Confederacy.

Roll call.—Give name of some of her Confederate Heroes.

Vocal solo.—"The Yellow Rose of Texas," Mrs. Shipman.

Paper.—A brief sketch of Terry's Texas Rangers, Mrs. Callan.

Reading.—A poem (selected), Mrs. Annis.

What assistance was given the Confederate cause by Tom Green's brigade: how, when, where? Mrs. Shepherd.

Origin of Bonnie Blue Flag, found in Feb. Veteran; Mrs. Phenix.

Social hour.

Mortgage notes for sale by Record.

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LADIES' NEW SPRING WRAPS, THE NEWEST STYLE

—the newest style creation for this new season, showing the new colors. Price

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LADIES' NEW SKIRTS AT POPULAR PRICES

—the new and old reliable Palm Beach Cloth—new Spring models, Washable... \$3.50... Also the new style touch in the popular black and white Sheppard checks at

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CHILDREN'S, MISSES' AND YOUNG LADIES' WASH DRESSES

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JORDAN DENIED BAIL.

Has Engaged Sweetwater Firm—Facts in Case Not Generally Known.

Dutch Jordan, who has been in jail here for several days charged with killing his father, J. B. Jordan, near Dunn had an examining trial last Saturday before Justice of the Peace G. W. Brown. In the examination the State was represented by County Attorney Weems and the accused by Judge C. P. Woodruff and T. Vard Woodruff of Sweetwater. After hearing the testimony of witnesses in the case the court remanded the accused to the custody of the sheriff without privilege of bail.

The press was not permitted to get the testimony for publication but it is said enough is known to cause some degree of sensational feeling in the minds of people who have known both parties.

The young man seems to be not extensively known, but the deceased had an extensive acquaintance of long standing in the county and was considered an honorable man.

The real facts in the case will probably not be known until they are threshed out in the court.—Snyder Signal.

RUB RHEUMATIC PAIN FROM ACHING JOINTS.

Rub Pain Right Out With Small Trial Bottle of Old "St. Jacob's Oil."

Stop "dosing" Rheumatism. It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacob's Oil" right on the "tender spot" and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain and distress. "St. Jacob's Oil" is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones stops sciatica, lumbago, backache and neuralgia.

Limber up! Get a small trial bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" from any drug store, and in a moment, you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.

TWO DEAD.

As a result of the court house battle at Graham, Texas, last week Pat Carlton and Tom Cherryhouse are dead. The fight was for the possession of court records in forgery and embezzlement charges brought against ex-county judge and present representative, E. W. Fry, from Young county. Representative Fry had been arrested at Austin and taken to Graham, the charges being based on transactions which are alleged to have occurred while he was county judge. He was released on bond for \$15,000.

Save that ten per cent on Stock Food at W. L. Doss.

The Wright & Campbell Sanitarium burned at Big Spring, last week. The loss was about \$10,000. The patients were removed without injury.

AT AN END—the "female complaints" and weaknesses that make woman's life a misery. They're cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. For all the derangements, disorders, and diseases peculiar to the sex, this is the only remedy certain to benefit.

It's a legitimate medicine for woman, carefully adapted to her delicate organization, and never conflicting with any of her conditions. It regulates and promotes all the proper functions, builds up and invigorates the entire system, and restores health and strength.

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Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has a record of years of cures. It is the most potent invigorating tonic and strengthening nerve known to medical science. It is made of the glyceric extracts of native medicinal roots found in our forests and contains not a drop of alcohol or harmful drugs. Sold in Tablet or Liquid form by dealers.

UNBORN CALVES \$30 EACH.

A sale of 1,500 unborn Panhandle calves of the crop of 1915 for fall delivery at \$30 each, the highest price ever paid for calves in advance, marks the opening of deals in futures in the range cattle industry in the Southwest. A. B. Echols, owner of a ranch near Matador, in Motley county, Texas, and J. E. Martin, a ranchman in the same vicinity are the sellers. Mr. Echols expects to have a crop of 1,000 calves. Mr. Martin contracted 400 head. In both these contracts delivery will be made in November.

When some men with a whole lot of nerve made a few such deals at \$25 per head last spring, old time cowmen were shocked, and all kinds of predictions were made as to the amount they would lose in the venture. But before the summer was far advanced, most of them had sold their calves, some even before they were dropped, at an advance of \$2.50 per head. Before fall delivery was made, the bulk of those calves had passed into the third hands at \$30 each. And then came the fall scramble. Many transactions were made at \$35, including some deals in which as many as 3,500 were sold in one bunch. At the present time but few calves are on sale.

GIRLS! GIRLS! TRY IT, BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR.

Make it Thick, Glossy, Wavy, Lustrant and Remove Dandruff—Real Surprise For You.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse" Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and just try it.

METHODIST CHURCH RELINQUISHES FIGHT.

Members of the educational commission of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, decided last week, after a two days' session to make no effort to contest a recent court decision divorcing the Vanderbilt University from the church and to devote all the church's energy and time to enlarging Emory College at Atlanta and the Southern at Dallas.

TO THE HOUSEWIFE.

Madam, if your husband is like most men he expects you to look after the health of yourself and children. Coughs and colds are the most common of the minor ailments and are most likely to lead to serious diseases. A child is much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarlet fever when it has a cold. If you will inquire into the merits of the various remedies that are recommended for coughs and colds, you will find that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy stands high in the estimation of people who use it. It is prompt and effectual, pleasant and safe to take, which are qualities especially to be desired when a medicine is intended for children. For sale by all dealers.

Buy your meat from Pickens & Reeder. They keep the best. Phone 203.

RESULT OF DIVERSIFICATION

Last year Runnels county imported hogs; this year it supplied its own needs and exported a surplus. One groceryman in the county seat 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 \$42,540.10 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 yield a surplus of clear profit. Keep on reading. The poultry industry is now well recognized as an important source of income. Its value for the past year was conservatively estimated at near by a quarter of a million dollars, for fully half that which realized from was exported after the county supplied its own needs.

TRY IT! SUBSTITUTE FOR NASTY CALOMEL.

Starts Your Liver Without Making You Sick and Cant Not Salivate.

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has notified a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tonic is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tonic is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tonic is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs 50 cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness, and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tonic is a pleasant tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work. Take Dodson's Liver Tonic instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.

ENGLAND WANTS RUSSIA TO GET CONSTANTINOPLE

Sir Edward Gray made the declaration in the house of commons one day last week, which probably is politically the most important of the war, virtually announcing that England favors Russia's ambition to annex Constantinople.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Groves'

Old Standard Groves' Tasteless Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

YEGGMEN GET \$12,000.

Two masked men, armed to the teeth, entered the little village of Havana, Ark., one day last week, kidnaped the president of the bank, Dr. J. E. Mitchell, blew open the safe which contained a sum of money estimated at \$12,000 and escaped into the mountains to the west.

EMBARGO ON SHIPPING.

England and France Inform the United States of the Embargo.

Washington, March 1.—England and France notified the United States today that they will hold themselves at liberty to stop all shipping to Germany.

London, March 1.—Asquith today announced in the House of Commons a complete embargo on all imports to Germany.

The allies will observe the "dictates of humanity" but they will not be strangled in the "network of judicial niceties."

They will capture goods whenever they think they are destined for the Germans. The German submarines are charged with piracy by Premier Asquith in his speech before the Commons today. He said that this was no time to talk peace. The blockade will apply to all commerce.

BEST TREATMENT FOR CONSTIPATION

"My daughter used Chamberlain's Tablets for constipation with good results and I can recommend them highly," writes Paul B. Babin, Brushy, La. For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. Agnes Omer of El Paso, is facing trial for the sixth time charged with the murder by poisoning of her 11 year old daughter, Feb. 10th.

Phone 203 and see if we have what you want. Pickens & Reeder Market.

SPRING Millinery

Our New Goods Are Arriving Daily

—Expect in a few days a full line of

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ALL STANDARD STYLE HATS

STYLE CUT OF LATEST HATS NEXT WEEK

—We are at your service now for

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BEST SERVICE—LOWEST PRICES

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TEACHERS POORLY PAID.

The latest compiled statistics at the Department of Education given out at Austin, show that the average annual salary of teachers in the common school districts and independent districts having fewer than one hundred and fifty scholars is for white teachers \$369.76 and for colored teachers, \$266.11, with an average of \$353.81 for all teachers.

In independent districts having a scholastic enrollment of 150 or more the average annual salary for white teachers is \$601.03 and for colored

teachers \$416.28, with an average of \$577.05 for all teachers.

This gives an average salary for twelve months in the year of \$29.48 per month for teachers in common school districts and of \$48.09 per month for teachers in independent districts, with a general average of \$35.79 per month for all teachers in the State.

Champion J. Sulzies for \$22.50.

X-Ray Sulky for \$25.00.

XX Ray Gang for \$50.00.

Buy quick only have few in stock.

COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Texas Anti-Saloon League at Dallas last week, Dr. A. J. Barton was elected superintendent of the state league to succeed J. H. Gambrell, who has held the position the past several years. The change in superintendents may mean a change of headquarters from Dallas to Waco.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Your druggist will refund money if PAGO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives ease and rest. 50c.

The City of Houston, including suburbs, claims 150,000 population.

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Come and see the wonderful values we offer in **MEN'S MADE-TO-MEASURE CLOTHES.**

You are not obliged to buy. Come simply and look at our great review of styles and fabrics and get wise to the low prices which secures—

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Ask particularly for our \$25 to \$30 values.

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To Our Friends and Customers

WE wish to announce that beginning on next MONDAY, JANUARY 25th, and on EACH MONDAY THEREAFTER,

J. P. Majors

will be with us to assist in the Optical Department and difficult watch and jewelry jobs, and take care of all special order jobs—

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If you have anything of a difficult nature, bring it in on

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Designs and estimates of any special manufacturing cheerfully furnished.

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Reliable BLACKSMITHING

Having secured the services of a competent blacksmith and woodworkman, I respectfully ask the old friends of the business to continue their patronage and solicit new ones on the basis of the best work and material.

MR. JOHNSON will be glad to meet all the old friends of the business whether in need of work or not.

MRS. W. F. ROBINSON

LOCAL NOTES

Stock Food at 10 per cent less than mall order prices at W. L. Doss.

Pete Avery made a business trip to Abilene by auto last Saturday afternoon, returning Sunday morning.

We have in stock Blue Bird Turning Plows from 8 inches to 14 inches. COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

Monday, March 8th will be Clean-Up Day over the State. Will you look to your own premises?

Fish and Oysters at Jake's Restaurant.

Mike Ratliff, J. H. Hastings and J. P. Hunter left Sunday morning for Roswell, N. M. When this trading bunch gets through with the wise ones out there, the map of that section may have to be changed.

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure. The worst cases, no matter of how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00

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By every sign on the face of things, this section was due a norther or some mighty bad weather last Friday night. Many expressions of regret over the impending loss of the fruit crop again this year, were heard. But the norther was scotched somewhere to the north; the rain fizzled into a gentle spring-like shower and old Sol peeped over the eastern horizon Saturday morning with a genial and unclouded face. Since the groundhog played us such a scurvy trick, we've lost confidence even in our own weather wisdom.

Come get your copy of Hicks Almanac at this office; they have arrived—35 cents each.

Mr. Weatherly of Amarillo, son of our fellowtownsman, L. H. Weatherly, was visiting his mother and father here last week. Mr. Weatherly is an engineer on the Ft. Worth & Denver railroad.

FOR SALE—Pure Sudan grass seed well matured. 1 to 10 pounds at 40c; 11 to 50 pounds at 35c; over 50 pounds 30c delivered.—W. W. Porter. 3-26c

Harry Smith stood the civil service examination for mail carrier some time ago, and had almost forgotten about his application. He was notified last week that he was the next lucky man and that rural route No. 3 was at his service, and he began work Monday morning. This route serves the Seven Wells and Lowe communities and is 32 miles in the round trip. It is now a tri-weekly service, but sufficient boxes and patrons can be secured to make it daily. This change, we understand, will be made soon.

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

The price of sugar was considerably reduced last Friday morning, between the freight depot and Scott's place of business—in fact became so cheap that it was scattered from the tail of a run-way float on the ground like sand. It was Cox's float and it is now Cox's sugar.

Breaking Plows, Single and Double Disc Sulkeys, Gangs, Stalk Cutters and Sod Plows.—Colorado Merc. Co.

Miss Louise Mooar of Roscoe spent the week end with home folks.

Misses Cora and Minnie Lindsey of Snyder motored over and spent Sunday with their uncle, J. R. Sheppard. Miss Cora is in educational work and went from here to Garden City.

How To Give Quinine To Children. FEBRILINE is the trade-mark name given to an improved Quinine. It is a Tasteless Syrup, pleasant to take, and does not disturb the stomach. Children take it and never know it is Quinine. Also especially adapted to adults who cannot take ordinary Quinine. Does not nauseate nor cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Try it the next time you need Quinine for any purpose. Ask for 2-ounce original package. The name FEBRILINE is blown in bottle. 25 cents.

Mrs. Glisson is home from eastern markets with a most beautiful line of millinery. All the new things in styles and colors. The cheapest that has ever been in Colorado. Come see for yourself.—GLISSON. 3-5

"Pete's" filling station is on the curb, where it is handy to fill your car with that good Gulf Gasoline. Give him a portion of your trade. He will appreciate it. North side Second street between Oak and Walnut. 1f

See order of election for municipal officers in this issue of the Record which will occur April 5th. A mayor two councilmen and a city secretary are to be chosen.

Mrs. Coleman, the Misses Coleman, Roe, Frankie and Nellie Riordan and Mrs. J. M. Thomas were visitors to on business this week.

Plow points and plow extras carried in stock.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. B. S. Van Tuyl and Mrs. P. C. Coleman attended a meeting of the officers of the Presbyterian at Big Spring, Wednesday.

We keep a nice line of boiled and cured hams, bacon, balogna and sausage. Drop in and see us.—Pickens & Reeder.

Mr. Robert Shepherd, the efficient teacher at the McKenzie school came in Saturday to see the barber and do some shopping. This is the first time he has been in since his school commenced.

Breaking Plows, Single and Double Disc Sulkeys, Gangs, Stalk Cutters and Sod Plows.—Colorado Merc. Co.

Read the Studebaker Auto ad this week.

Mrs. Beeman who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Williamson, left for Amarillo Tuesday on an extended visit with her children there.

Gardner Harness was in San Angelo on business this week.

MILLINERY, MILLINERY—See the spring millinery at Glissons. Beautiful creations that will please the most fastidious. Chin Chin and Castle Sailors, Etc.—GLISSON. 3-5

The Record family has recently acquired by natural increase, a colt, annexed by trade a brace of red pigs, and a dog engaged in a deal whereby a nice dog may be attached to the household. Any advice or information as to nurture and admonition in the bringing up of these several appendages, will be gratefully received. We already have an almanac containing the zodiacal signs illuminated.

Turn and read Miller Bros. ad—the new auto men.

March winds are blowing now and it will be foolish for you to try to do your own laundry. Mrs. Housewife, we are still waiting for you to phone for us to come for it; and we know you'll be pleased with the finished product.—Colorado Steam Laundry.

Lark Costin says he'll be in the race again for City Secretary and that his announcement will be forthcoming in next week's issue.

Breaking Plows, Single and Double Disc Sulkeys, Gangs, Stalk Cutters and Sod Plows.—Colorado Merc. Co.

Every day now brings the fruit crop of West Texas just that much nearer the safety line.

Try that fed beef at Beal's.

We suspect that none of the defeated candidates for the presidency, is envying President Wilson his job just now.

Buy your meat from Pickens & Reeder. They keep the best. Phone 203.

Mr. P. A. Hazzard was looking after the insurance business here last week.

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

Vendor's Lien notes at this office.

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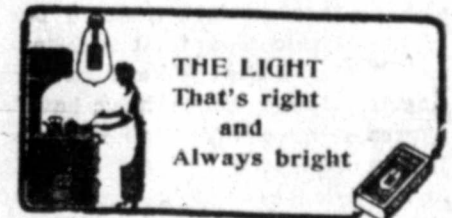
Wootton W. Jeffress
217 WALNUT ST.

Pete Eudy is becoming a near globe trotter and may soon reduce the record of "Around the World in 80 Days." He blew off a westbound last Wednesday night after having traversed all the country between here and Galveston, thence to the Oklahoma line and back, within the space of a little more than one week. He flew light, unhampered by scrip or other impedimenta. The recount of his experiences has set the pedal extremities of his father a-tangling and raised the ghost of Wanderlust.

Plow points and plow extras carried in stock.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Byron Byrne invites all to make the Brick garage their headquarters while in town.

Breaking Plows, Single and Double Disc Sulkeys, Gangs, Stalk Cutters and Sod Plows.—Colorado Merc. Co.



The Mazda cuts your current bills in half, while giving you twice the volume of light. For sale by BEN MORGAN.

Mr. J. J. Handley last week purchased a Mitchell car.

Good dinner every day at Jake's Restaurant.

The 1916 model Ford car is now in evidence.

The farmer cannot be helped until he organizes, and the government can best help the farmer through organization.

NOTICE

I NOW have a dandy good boot-maker; can get you out a pair quick. Also guarantee a good, comfortable fit. Try me with an order. I also have one of the best Electric Shoe Machines in West Texas.

HALF SOLES 'SEWED ON WHILE YOU WAIT—MY PRICES

- Men's half soles sewed on..... 85c
- Men's half soles nailed on..... 85c
- Men's rubber heels..... 50c
- Men's leather heels..... 35c
- Ladies' and Misses' half soles sewed on... 50c
- Ladies' and Misses' half soles nailed on... 50c
- Ladies' and Misses' rubber heels..... 35c
- Ladies' and Misses' leather heels..... 25c
- Boys' half soles sewed on from 50c to..... 75c
- Boys' half soles nailed on from 50c to..... 75c

If you want hand-sewed half soles, we also make them that way.

If it's neat and substantial work you want, I please you. EVERY JOB GUARANTEED.

Come in and see the big machine.

Why not try me on a pair of made-to-order shoes? They will give you service and comfort. Come see me

Tom Payne

AN APPRECIATION OF BUSINESS.

I cannot leave Colorado and Mitchell county without expressing my appreciation to the good people for the business they have given me since I came among them, nearly four years ago. I have tried to deal fairly with all and to make good every representation, and feel that you believe I have.

The Studebaker interests will be represented by my successor, Mr. Byrne, and all orders for parts and replacements will be made by him. I bespeak for Mr. Byrne a continuance of the liberal patronage accorded me, with the assurance that he will extend every courtesy to patrons that I have endeavored to do. Wishing the Colorado country and each of you individually, the most prosperous year of all gone before, I bid you good-bye.

F. S. KEIPER.

Referring to above will state that I will endeavor to keep the business of the Studebaker garage up to the same high standard set and maintained by Mr. Keiper. I will deal in the same generous spirit with the public. In short, I will make the service of the Studebaker garage as satisfying, dependable and prompt and reasonable in price, as the famous Studebaker car is in itself. Yours for business and service. BYRON B. BYRNE Proprietor.

Overland travellers to the California exposition are coming in evidence, inasmuch as the northern routes thru the Rocky Mountains are yet closed to travel by snow and cold, most of the tourists are going by the border route to San Diego, thence to San Francisco. One of these autobirds of passage stopped Thursday about noon at Jake's for refreshment. They drove a high power White car of luxurious appointments. It bore a New York registry number of 90898. The car stopped for half an hour or more in front of Jake's restaurant and drew quite a crowd of auto owners and auto experts, who knowingly examined every feature of the car, commented upon its merits compared with their own, and delivered an offhand consensus report that it was "a purty good car, but—" about which stage of discussion, the big car "clum" the hill west of town and disappeared in the direction of California.

INDIGESTION ENDED, STOMACH FEELS FINE.

"Pape's Diapepsin" Fixes Sour, Gassy Upset Stomachs in Five Minutes.

Sour, gassy, upset stomach, indigestion, heartburn, dyspepsia; when the food you eat ferments into gases and stubborn lumps; your head aches and you feel sick and miserable, that's when you realize the magic in Pape's Diapepsin. It makes all stomach misery vanish in five minutes.

If your stomach is in a continuous revolt—if you can't get it regulated, please, for your sake, try Pape's Diapepsin. It's so needless to have a bad stomach—make your next meal a favorite food meal, then take a little Diapepsin. There will not be any distress—eat without fear. It's because Pape's Diapepsin "really does" regulate weak, out of order stomachs that gives it its millions of sales annually.

Get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. It is the quickest, surest stomach relief and cure known. It acts almost like magic—it is a scientific harmless and pleasant stomach preparation which truly belongs in every home.

AUTOMOBILE REGISTRATION

Automobiles are growing almost as numerous on the streets and public highways as buggies and surries. There are now nearly 200 registered in Mitchell county. As an index to the rapid multiplication of these machines, there were on January 1st, 1916 registered, now there are 192. The buyers during the past two months, with make of car and number of registration, are as follows: R. Haygood, Maxwell, No. 169; Wayne Cook, motorcycle, 170; N. T. Womack, Ford, 171; B. L. Wulfinen, Overland, 172; R. B. Morgan, motorcycle, 173; W. A. Spencer, Ford, 174; J. H. Basden, Metz, 175; John T. Smith, Ford, 176; G. B. Stator, Ford, 177; H. H. Enderly, Ford, 178; J. W. Dorn, Ford, 179; J. M. Dorn, Ford, 180; A. A. Dorn, Ford, 181; J. R. Sheppard, Studebaker, 182; C. B. Shtpman, Buick, 183; W. D. McCarty, Maxwell, 184; W. E. Watson, Maxwell, 185; J. W. Kirkpatrick, Ford, 186; Roy E. Fox, Dodge, 187; Ed Jones, Hupmobile, 188; N. J. Turner, Maxwell, 189; Earl Jackson, Maxwell, 190; Jim Turner, Maxwell, 191; J. E. Stowe, Maxwell, 192.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.

TRY BEAL'S MEAT



Among the first to locate claims in the new gold and copper field near Allamore, El Paso county, we notice the name of our old friend and fellowtownsman, Victor Diezdieh. That's the way his name was spelled in the account we read of the strike, but somehow it doesn't look like the autograph he used to put to his frequent correspondence to the Record. However, everybody knows what and who it stands for, and hopes he'll strike it rich and permanently this time. Victor has come nearer sprinkling salt on the tail feathers of Fortune oftener than any man we now can call to mind but somehow the bird always got away.

HELP THE KIDNEYS.

Colorado Readers Are Learning The Way.

It's the little kidney pills—The lame, weak or aching back—The unnoticed urinary disorders—That may lead to dropsy and Bright's disease.

When the kidneys are weak, Help them with Doan's Kidney Pills.

A remedy especially for weak kidneys. Doan's have been used in kidney troubles for 50 years.

Endorsed by 30,000 people—endorsed by citizens of this locality.

Mrs. S. P. Dally, Big Springs, Texas, says: "My kidneys were disordered and acute pains darted through my back. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage. The first few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills helped me and two boxes cured me. Another of my family has also taken Doan's Kidney Pills with success."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Dally had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props. Buffalo, N. Y.

George Finberg of Abilene will soon erect in that city one of the largest and most modern apartment houses to be found outside the big cities, being convinced that it will prove a paying investment.

Champion Jr. Sulkeys for \$22.50.
X-Ray Sulky for \$25.00.
XX Ray Gang for \$50.00.
Buy quick only have few in stock.
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Miller Bros. Garage

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PHONE No. 336 AND TELL US YOUR TROUBLES

AUTO SUPPLIES, OILS, GAS

Service Cars

with careful and expert drivers ready to go anywhere anytime. Meet all trains.

MILLER BROTHERS' NEW GARAGE

LOCAL NOTES

Warranty deeds sold at this office.

Tuesday, the 2nd, was Texas Independence Day.

Ladies, read Mill's Millinery ad this week.

Miss Lois Prude left for Victoria, Texas, Sunday for an extended visit.

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 Royall. 75c each.

Mrs. Oscar Majors returned from El Paso Monday morning.

Work was begun on tearing down the old jail building Monday morning and by the terms of the contract the structure must be completed within ninety days.

Let me plan your Easter hats now. Mrs. Mills.

Mrs. W. B. Weatherly and children, Raymond and Edna, of Amarillo, who have been at Mineral Wells for some time, came in last week to visit relatives here. They left today for a few days in Abilene before returning home.

Ben Morgan takes subscriptions to any paper or magazine published.

Mr. F. S. Keiper and family leave here Sunday by auto for their new home at Deming, N. M., where Mr. Keiper has traded for a farm. He promises to let the Record hear from him occasionally and will send pictures of his place "before and after" building his new home.

FOR SALE—Good work horses, will sell on fall time with approved notes. See Ed Dupree. 1tp

C. M. Adams is purchasing goods in the eastern markets this week.

Herrington sold two cars this week. —a four to J. J. Handley and a six to J. C. Erwin.



MYSTERY OF EDWIN DROOD

(By Chas. Dickens).

Featuring Tom Terriss, will be presented at the Shadowland next Wednesday, March 10th, matinee and night. Don't miss this great film. The Mystery of Edwin Drood is a great story—greater because its author died before the story was finished. Come to Shadowland next Wednesday afternoon and night and enjoy this big special feature. No advance in prices.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

The will of William H. Moeser having been probated and the undersigned appointed executrix of the same, February 2, 1915, all claims for money against the estate of William H. Moeser, deceased, must be presented to me for allowance, at Colorado, Texas, it being my place of residence and post-office address, within one year of the 2nd day of February, 1915, the date of letters of administration issued to me as executrix 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.

MRS. KATIE MOESER, Executrix.

Ho, for the whereabouts of our night watchman on Tuesday night! Alleged burglars broke in one of the glass doors in the front of Y. D. McMurry's store and abstracted several bottles of grape juice, some tobacco and a few other articles, without disturbing the nocturnal meditations of our ubiquitous night watchman. Indeed, there is an unfounded rumor circulating to the effect that these same night prowlers got the night watchman's watch; and how can any man watch without a watch?

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.

J. B. CRANFILL, Colorado.

In order to more expeditiously and safely handle the increased fruit and stock shipments, the Texas & Pacific company will make very liberal appropriations for the betterment and maintenance of way-on the Rio Grande division of the road this year. Much of this new business originates in the section served by this division.

NOTE THIS, FARMERS.

I will sell you any quantity of Stock Food at 10 per cent less than you pay for it by mail order.—W. L. Doss.

Ben Morgan has best candy in town; lots of it—just in.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, builds up the system. A true Tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

The rainfall for the month of February was 1.21 inches.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.

Storehouse, lot and stock of goods amounting to about \$3,500 with good established trade; also dwelling and lot. Church and school advantages at door. Best community in county. A bargain for quick deal. 3-5c

G. W. WOMACK, Cuthbert, Tex.

The precipitation Monday night was .21 of an inch.

Short orders and chill at all hours at Jake's restaurant.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

It will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. Sold by Druggists. F. J. CHENEY, & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

WEST TEXAS BASE BALL LEAGUE.

Conditions of Entrance Outlined by Promoter, James E. Erwin, of Dallas.

Who wants baseball, and good live baseball, in San Angelo this summer? All who do should get busy, for James E. Erwin, the Dallas sport enthusiast and promoter, has presented to the interested towns of this section his plan for the organization of a West Texas League. A letter, addressed to J. V. Clements of the First National Bank came the latter part of the past week, and the proposition enclosed was this:

Let the San Angelo fans and business men organize a stock company with a \$1,000 capital. Let a president secretary and treasurer be elected, follow the customary rules of organized baseball, and then send a delegate, vested with ample power to transact business, to a meeting to be held on Monday, March 22. Mr. Erwin has not decided upon the town in which the session will be held, but is figuring upon Sweetwater, since that city is more nearly centrally located in the proposed circuit.

The salary limit would be fixed by the various club owners, as would the opening of the season. Mr. Erwin has made a list of the towns which he thinks would be best fitted for league baseball, but the proposition is open to any town within a reasonable distance which will organize a stock company with the required \$1,000 in stock. Brownwood, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, Midland, Big Spring, Colorado, Sweetwater, Abilene, Wichita Falls and Stamford are being considered for an eight team circuit.

The towns which fall in line first will secure berths. Semi-professional baseball has but few times been made a success in West Texas and local enthusiasts believe that Erwin's plan is the best which has ever been submitted. San Angelo has a park and diamond, and a city full of dormant fans, who need only to be awakened. A jitney line would solve the transportation problem and there are but few, if any other serious obstacles in the way.—San Angelo Standard.

All of the above remarks will apply to Colorado equally as well as to San Angelo. Will Colorado go into this league, or let her park fence and grand stand rot down after being used for only one season. If this league is organized and Colorado does not go in, there will be no baseball in Colorado this season. What will the fans do about it.

The \$1,000 stock each town represented in the league is required to pay, is simply a pool by which the profits of the larger towns are distributed toward payment of the deficits of the smaller ones. Colorado would benefit by the gate receipts at such towns as Wichita Falls, Abilene and San Angelo. Again; although we have no figures on the subject, we imagine fully the sum of \$1,000 was spent by Colorado last year on base ball, without any regular schedule of games or permanency of teams. If the fans of Colorado want to enjoy base ball this season, it would be well to look into this matter and if possible, have a representative at the above meeting. If the league is formed and Colorado is not in it, we can expect only wild-cat games and few even of that kind.

GRAHAM COURTHOUSE BATTLE MASKED MEN AND GUARDS HAVE A SERIOUS SETTO.

Three men were wounded, two fatally, during an exchange of shots between guards at the Young county (Tex.) courthouse at Graham and some masked men at the building.

Those shot were Tom Cherryholmes, Pat Carlton and Peak Fry, the first two fatally, first one guard.

About two weeks before, under instructions from the county commissioners' court, guards were stationed over the records in the courthouse. A couple of masked men appeared at 3 o'clock in the morning and about fifty shots were exchanged with the guards.

After the shooting officers proceeded to the home of Representative Fry, formerly county judge, and there discovered Pat Carlton and Peak Fry, the latter a brother of the representative. Both being wounded, a guard was put over them.

Riley Dollins, the other guard at the courthouse, was not wounded.

Some two weeks before Representative Fry was taken to Graham from Austin on a charge of embezzlement and released on \$15,000 bond. Charge is based on transactions alleged to have occurred while he was the county judge. Soon after this proceeding the guards were stationed by the county commissioners over the records of their court.

Cherryholmes and Carlson expired. Peak Fry was arrested and bondsmen surrendered Representative Fry. They were taken to Wichita Falls.

Little Robbie Holland is still confined to her room with catarrhal fever.

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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. 1t

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