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Whipkey Printing Company.

POULTRY ASSOCIATION TO BE ORGANIZED.

By request of several farmers and poultry breeders of Mitchell county, I hereby call a meeting for the purpose of organizing a poultry breeders association for Colorado and Mitchell county, Saturday, November 20th, at 2 p. m. at the court house. I hope to see every man and woman interested in poultry present and that they will take part in the election of officers. We have one of the best counties in Texas for raising poultry; so get together and organize and push the poultry business. W. A. DULIN, County Agent.

TO THE FARMERS OF MITCHELL COUNTY.

You have been wonderfully blessed with good crops, you have feed enough to do you two years if you will take care of it. With hogs for meat and more poultry than I ever saw, a good supply of canned fruit and vegetables in your cellars, and cotton bringing a good price, let me insist on you meeting at every rural school house in the county on the 25th and hold a thanksgiving meeting as requested by the Extension Department of A. & M. College published in the Record last week. I have a number of programs issued by the college and will be glad to furnish those wanting them.

Respectfully,

W. A. DULIN, County Agent.

NEW TRIAL FOR MAN UNDER DEATH SENTENCE.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 8.—Sam Bell, Conway county man charged with murder of four persons, will be given a new trial for his life. Bell was sentenced to death for the murder of Mrs. Earl Bearden after he previously had been given a term of life imprisonment for the killing of Earl Bearden. The court remanded the case because of errors in instruction to the jury and denied the petition of the defense that the sentence of life imprisonment barred levying of the death sentence.

A Mississippi poetess, in a poem, prayed that a murderer might know the pain of summons without warning. The poem was read on the street corners of Columbia. A mob lynched the murderer that night. Publicity seems to be the thing even when it takes the form of poetic hate.—Fort Worth Record.

The election of Henry N. Pope, president of the Texas Farmers Union to the head of the National Co-Operative Association, is looked upon by the Texas friends of Mr. Pope as a merited recognition of his ability as a leader in agricultural affairs of the nation.

McMurry carries the best and most varied line of staple and fancy groceries in the city. Try his service.

COTTON REPORT.

Thursday morning of this week Colorado had received 7,910 bales, weighed as follows:
Public yard 3,466
Warehouse yard 4,444
Total 7,910
The ginning report in Colorado is as follows:
Gary Gin Co. 2,373
Watson Gin Co. 1,602
Concrete Gin Co. 1,452
Lambeth Gin Co. 905
1,578 bales received here ginned outside of Colorado.

The price all week has varied from 10c to 11 1-2c. Thursday morning the price steady at 11 1-4.
Seed sold during the week from \$33 to \$35 per ton. Thursday morning seed steady at \$30.

PENALIZING POVERTY.

Many decades ago the theory was advanced by one Malthus that the human race was increasing faster than was good for it, and that the time would come when sufficient means of sustenance could not be produced to support the world's population. At all times since there have been people here and there who ought to put this notion in practice in some form, although the progress of the world has shown conclusively that no such danger was in store for the race as this dismal prophet feared. Even the most densely peopled sections of the earth's surface have demonstrated the ability to become self-sustaining when occasion required, and vast portions of that surface have yet not been called upon to serve as the home of any large portion of the race or to yield up its treasures for man's support. So nowadays it takes a man of considerable hardihood to attempt the revival of this forgotten cult. But the man has been found in the person of an Eastern educator who urges that a tax be placed on marriage so that only people of means will undertake to raise families. In other words, the poor man will be penalized for undertaking family responsibilities, on the theory that he is not qualified to give his children a fair chance in starting the battle of life. Yet in all the history of American people we have found that the big majority of our great men, our brainy men, our heroes, our "men of destiny," have been those who had to struggle for every advance they made from childhood up. The more favored classes have not turned out many of such men as have made America what it is.—Tulsa World.

Be thankful for the sunshine and rain, for the moonlight nights and the misty dawn, for the birds, trees and flowers and all the wonders of nature.

When you hear a man say that he has never made a mistake just ask him if he has ever made anything else.—Macon News.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

Details of The Business Transacted at the November Term.

The Honorable Commissioners' Court of Mitchell county convened in regular session last Monday morning and turned off the following business with its usual neatness and dispatch:

W. L. Doss, typewriter ribbon, 75c.
C. H. Lasky, merchandise for county, 90c.
W. F. Hughes, lodging county invalid, \$2.50.
City of Colorado, water for October, \$7.45.
Colorado Mercantile Co., merchandise for county, \$21.95.
Southwestern Telephone Co., local and long distance service, \$7.21.
West Texas Electric Co., lights for October for court house and jail, \$3.85.
C. M. Adams, merchandise for county, \$5.95.

Mark Bynum, work on the roads, \$15.00.

W. R. Hathcox, repairing court house flues, \$2.90.

E. T. Phillips, dragging five miles of road, \$5.00.

Burton-Lingo Co. (Westbrook) lumber for county, \$236.93.

H. C. Looney Electric Co., globes for court house, \$1.50.

The Selig Company of Texas, disinfectants for the court house and jail, \$36.60.

Maverick-Clark Litho Co., blank books and supplies, \$76.50.

Dorsey Company, blank books, etc., \$35.50.

Austin Bros., for road drag blades, \$71.90.

Earl Jackson, quarterly statement of county's finances, \$45.00.

R. H. Watlington, J. P., for Loraine precinct, reported amount of fines collected.

Pickens & Reeder made quarterly report of number of animals slaughtered.

A. W. Cooksey, sheriff, made quarterly report of taxes collected.

Earl Jackson, care of records, keeping indexes, etc., \$31.70.

J. S. Redmond, dragging road, \$10.

Floyd Beall, drugs for county use, \$1.50.

T. H. Smartt, dragging roads, \$7.00.

Burton-Lingo Co., (Colorado) lumber for county use, \$50.27.

O. R. McCreeless, dragging the roads, \$8.00.

J. M. Terry made report of number of animals slaughtered for quarter.

W. A. Dulin, county demonstrator, made his report, which was approved.

J. W. Gross, dragging road \$4.00.

Jake Maurer, board for county charge, \$16.50.

Firman L. Caswell, Road Machine Co., \$70.00

Whipkey Printing Co., printing and supplies, \$43.75.

F. Ballard, repairing culvert, \$1.00.

B. L. Mills, hauling lumber, 50c.

K. K. Boyce, work on culvert, \$5.00.

L. T. Britton, dragging roads, \$14.00.

Edwin Hallmark, dragging roads, \$5.00.

W. H. Hurd, feeding prisoners, 85c.

A. C. Costin, dragging roads, \$6.00.

J. H. Bullock, trial fees in six criminal cases, \$18.00.

A. W. Cooksey, board for prisoners, \$8.50.

J. J. Riden was appointed constable of Precinct No. 5 (Loraine).

Jack Helton, work on road, \$2.35.

Ed Phillips, work on road, \$10.00.

D. F. Fraley, dragging roads, \$11.00.

Freeman Batterez, dragging roads, \$6.00.

W. T. Rogers, supervising the roads six days, \$18.00.

J. M. Helton, supervising the roads ten days, \$30.00.

B. O. Joyce, supervising the roads six days, \$18.00.

D. M. Vinson, supervising the roads five days, \$15.00.

J. W. Hamilton, work on the road, \$17.50.

Rockwell Bros. & Co., lumber for the county, \$52.30.

Earl Jackson, county clerk, made report of the amount of fines, etc., collected.

Petition of J. W. Britton et al. for public road was passed till the December term of the court, as also was a like petition from S. R. West et al.

Bond of J. M. Terry as a butcher was received and approved.

J. H. Bullock (County Superintendent) stamps for October, \$1.00.

Newton C. Chaney offered his resignation of the office of County Attorney, which was accepted.

Bond of J. J. Riden as constable of Precinct No. 5 was approved.

Y. D. Murry, merchandise for county \$8.30.

J. E. Stowe made his quarterly report as county treasurer, which was approved.

C. C. Wheat, dragging roads, \$8.50.

J. C. Womack, dragging roads, \$11.50.

The matter of the county purchasing a typing machine for making the county rolls, was dismissed.

After reimbursing themselves for their services to the tax payers of the county, in the matter of per diem, the honorable court shook off the weight of state affairs and felicitated themselves that the fabric would endure till the December term. Sic transit gloria mundi—which by interpretation means—this glorious body passes till its next Monday.

KITCHENER IS SENT TO END UNREST.

Overtrow of Indian Prince by Natives Is Evidence of Disquietude.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Earl Kitchener's ultimate destination during his mysterious absence from the British war office, is said by confidential information received here today, to be India, where, according to the same information, British rule in confronted with a more serious state of unrest than has generally been known outside of British official circles.

Through the thick veil which the British censorship has thrown about the events in India and Egypt comes a statement that Nawab, sultan Ul Mulik, the Nizam of Hyberabad, one of the most influential of the native princes, and a staunch supporter of the British, has been deposed by his people.

It has been officially announced that the head of the British war office was on his way to the theater of operations in the near east. Coupled with reported rumors of activities of German agents fomenting discontent among the native population of India, have come reports of disaffection in Egypt, also ascribed to the same sources.

Since the Turks failed to cut the Suez canal, mainly through the prompt arrival of colonial troops from New Zealand and Australia, it has been reported that agents from Constantinople and Berlin have been conducting a persistent propaganda among the natives. Some time ago Great Britain imposed the most stringent restrictions against the entry of foreigners to India and Egypt with the announced purpose of keeping out the agents of Great Britain's enemies.

REPORTS RECEIVED BY MANAGER HIGGINBOTHAM.

The Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company describe the experiment by which Secretary of the Navy Daniels communicated his first official order by wireless telephone to Admiral N. R. Usher at the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

The words passed from the ordinary Bell telephone on the secretary's desk over the wires to the wireless tower at Arlington, thence to New York by wireless and then by wire again to the admiral. All of this was automatically accomplished by the recently developed apparatus of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. "This foreshadows the time when the secretary of the navy may hold conversations with commanders of ships at sea just as he would with members of his personal family at home" explains Manager Higginbotham.

"But that is not all. Before long you will be reading of the words of those on sinking ships as they cry into the thin air for the help which may and may not be forthcoming. When Jack Binns called help for the Republic we thought the last miracle of science had been worked. Now think how it will be when the actual tones of the voice will come to us through the ether and answers may be given as the cries go forth. Orders may be issued in full appreciation for all conditions, and what was accomplished when the Republic sank will seem small in comparison as modern means are applied to the conditions of dire emergency."

C. A. MEYERS IS HUNG AT FORT WORTH.

Fort Worth, Nov. 10.—C. A. Meyers was hanged here this morning for the murder of A. W. Montague. Meyers head was snapped off by the fall. Two hours before he was hanged Meyers tried to commit suicide by cutting the arteries of the wrist with a piece of glass.

Be thankful for life and its great and glorious opportunities.



The 1916 Overland, Model 83, has the same powerful motor that made the Model 80—a much heavier car—famous for its power.

Call, telephone or write for demonstration

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LOCAL AGENTS

Overland 83 Advantages

POWER—35 Horsepower Motor
COMFORT—Divan Upholstery; Long, Underlying Rear Springs and Large Tires
BEAUTY—Streamline Body Design
CONVENIENCE—Electric Control Buttons on Steering Column
MAGNETO IGNITION—Certain and Uniform
PRICE—No other car with these advantages and specifications can be had elsewhere at even considerably higher price

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ATTENTION, COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

It requires greater statesmanship to preserve the state than to construct it. It evinces better business acumen to keep what one gets than to get it. By the same parity of reason it is more service to the tax payers of the county to maintain good roads than to build them, while the mere building of them to be afterward neglected, is a very unbusinesslike administration of the people's affairs. No county has more valuable assets—more immediate dividend paying—than its good public roads, and to neglect them after the people taxed themselves to build them, is small recommendation for the re-election of those charged with their care and maintenance; which introduces the point of this kick.

The Record has been requested to direct the attention of the Honorable Commissioners' Court to the present condition of the Colorado-Loraine road along its stretch from the city limits of Colorado to the corner near the cemetery. It is badly worn into holes and its wretched condition is remarked by everyone who traverses it. In fact this part of the road has been abandoned by many automobilists and a cut made through the mesquite brush, over a much better road than the public one. Just a few loads of gravel and not more than a day's work would remedy the trouble and save many day's work and dollars later on. Brethren, think on these things.

We are headquarters for guns and all kinds of shells.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

No. 173.

The State of Texas,

To the sheriff or any constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:
R. H. Looney, administrator of the estate of Alfred E. Dally, deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the estate of said Alfred E. Dally, deceased, together with an application to be discharged as such administrator.

You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Mitchell you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account and Final Settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the January term, 1916, of said County Court, commencing and to be held at the Court House of said County, in the City of Colorado on the 17th day of January, A. D. 1916, when said Account and Application will be considered by said Court.

EARL JACKSON,
Clerk of the County Court of Mitchell County.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office, in the City of Colorado this 3rd day of November, A. D. 1915.

EARL JACKSON,
Clerk of the County Court of Mitchell County.

A true copy, I certify:
A. W. COOKSEY,
11-19-c
Sheriff Mitchell County.

Considering quality, style and workmanship, the goods at Mrs. B. F. Mills are cheap.

W. C. HOGG RAYMOND DICKSON MIKE HOGG
Hogg, Dickson & Hogg
Surpassing Service—Charges Customary
Advances at Six Per Cent.
Cotton Factors Houston

THE BEST CAR MADE Is the Buick Six

If in the market for a car you will serve your own interest by first investigating the merits and low cost of up-keep of the Famous Buick Six.

Demonstration Given Any Time

We also carry a line of the Goodyear Casings and Inner Tubes—the best made.

See us at H. C. Doss' Implement house.

DOSS BRO'S, - Agents

Stoves! -- Stoves!

As a "Safety First" precaution, see that your flues and chimneys are in good order, then come to us for your heating and cook stoves.

Our line of both is COMPLETE

Wood and coal stoves to suit every pocket and to meet every demand. If you prefer an

OIL STOVE

don't fail to see our line before buying one, either the heating or cooking kind. The price is as attractive as the quality.

Colorado Mercantile Company

CORN IS MOST VALUABLE IN HISTORY.

Crop is Worth Nearly \$2,000,000,000; Production Three Billion Bushels.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 8.—The nation's corn crop this year was the most valuable ever grown. Based on prices paid farmers November 1, it is worth nearly \$2,000,000,000—\$1,913,025,000 in exact figures. In size, it is second only to the record crop of 1912. The production was 3,090,509,000 bushels—or 34,000 less than the country's previous biggest corn crop.

Unprecedented harvest returns, with many crops showing production records which may remain unbroken for years, are shown in the department of agriculture's November report, made from the canvass of the country on November 1st and issued today.

Wheat, with a production of almost one-fourth of the entire world's output this year, has established a record never before reached by that crop in any nation. The American harvest this year exceeds the previous record production of wheat in this country by more than 110,000,000 bushels.

Oats, barley, rye, sweet potatoes, hay, tobacco, rice and peaches all have been produced in quantities never before harvested in a single year in the history of the nation.

With higher prices being paid to farmers because of the European war influence, the nation's crops this year undoubtedly will be the most valuable ever grown, notwithstanding the heavy production, which ordinarily would have the effect of lowering prices.

KEEP LIVER ACTIVE AND BOWELS CLEAN WITH "CASCAETS."

Best When Billious, Sick, Headachy, Constipated, Or For Bad Breath Or Sour Stomach.

Be cheerful! Clean up inside to-night and feel fine. Take Cascarets to live your liver and clean the bowels and stop headaches, a bad cold, biliousness, offensive breath, coated tongue, sallowness, sour stomach and gases. Tonight take Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up feeling grand—Everybody's doing it. Cascarets best laxative for children also.

"QUALITY FIRST" IS MOTTO OF FIRESTONE COMPANY.

When President H. S. Firestone, of the Firestone Tire & Rubber Company, was asked concerning the new additions to the big plant at Akron, Ohio, he replied: "Our growth, no doubt, seems remarkable but more than any other force our rigid insistence on 'Quality First' in everything connected with the manufacture of our tires is responsible for our vast volume of business.

"We make the very best tire we

know how. The best brains, the finest materials, the most painstaking efforts and the utmost care are used in producing Firestones. The one idea of Quality is uppermost both in the factory and in the many places that offer Firestone service.

"Naturally, the public is a factor in our increase, for motorists use Firestones and realize that Quality is their foremost feature. The result is more orders and the factory grows that it may keep up with this demand—a logical outcome, and one of which we are justly proud, for our plant is the world's largest tire concern. Quantity in production is excellent but when Quality goes hand in hand with Quantity, there is your ideal combination. We feel very much gratified in feeling that we are in possession of that combination."

EASY TO TAKE, NO PAIN OR ACHE.

It's no longer necessary to bear the weakening sickness and terrible nausea that always follows a dose of calomel.

LIV-VER-LAX cleanses the torpid liver and livens up the whole system by ridding it of the clogging poisons. Yet it works so gently and pleasantly that you hardly knew you've taken it.

LIV-VER-LAX, being purely vegetable, is absolutely harmless, and does not tear up the system like calomel. And it's guaranteed to be satisfactory or the druggist will return your money. For sale at 50c and \$1 by W. L. Doss.

BIG DENVER SHOW.

January Event Will Be First Big Exposition in Two Years.

It is expected now that the Denver Stock Show in January will celebrate the end of the foot and mouth outbreak and will be the big show of the country for this season. All of the other shows have been abandoned or held only in part, and the big breeders of the country are looking forward to the Denver show as the first opportunity in two years to get together in competition. All the big herds of the country are planning to come to Denver, and as the foot and mouth contagion is practically ended, there will be nothing in the way of the biggest show the West has ever seen. The show management is making preparations for the biggest event in its history, and there is no question but that all the facilities will be taxed to their utmost. Plans are being made for additional buildings to take care of the increased exhibits.

The passing of the show at Denver last winter was a big disappointment to stockmen all over the West, and there has been constant fear that disease conditions might compel it to be abandoned again, but the outlook now is that the show can be held with perfect safety. The only contagion spot left in the country is in Illinois, and the infected area is growing

smaller every day. It is believed that by the first of December all the quarantines will have been raised and the contagion will be a matter of history. In the meanwhile, arrangements for the big Denver show are being pushed vigorously.

STOMACH ACTS FINE! NO INDIGESTION, GAS, HEARTBURN, ACIDITY.

Pape's Diapepsin Fixes Sick, Sour, Upset Stomachs In Five Minutes.

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain, unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over.

Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them, if what they eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and forms gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eruptions of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.

HOUSE LEADER WILL OPPOSE PRESIDENT.

Kitchen Tells President He Cannot Lead the Fight in the Lower Chamber.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 8.—Representative Claud Kitchen, Democratic leader of the house, told President Wilson today after a long conference with him, that he could not support the administration's program for national defense and that he would oppose the program in a personal capacity, only and not as majority leader.

Mr. Kitchen was with the president more than an hour, during which Mr. Wilson outlined to him the army and navy plans for the next session of congress and for the next five years and sought to influence the majority leader to be in harmony with them.

"All I can say," said representative Kitchen as he left the White House, "is that I very much regret that I cannot support the president's national defense program. The plans do not meet with my convictions, particularly with reference to the navy.

"I shall make a clear exposition of my views as soon as congress convenes, in a speech in the house," he replied. "Of course I shall not attempt to oppose the program as the majority leader, but merely in my personal capacity."

Mr. Kitchen said he thought it very probable that the majority would favor the defense program.

Representative Kitchen's definite announcement of his position will make it impossible for him to lead the fight for the administration's program in the house. The burden of the leadership will devolve practically upon chairman Hay, of the military committee, chairman Padgett, of the navy committee, chairman Sherley, of the fortifications committee, and Fitzgerald, of the appropriations committee.

CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS.

This is a medicine intended especially for stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation. It is meeting with much success and rapidly gaining in favor and popularity. Obtainable everywhere.

On his recent visit to El Paso, the admirers of Buffalo Bill gave him a high jinks. During his speech of appreciation, the old rooster swore he had been given the very best time of his life. No need to say the crowd must have gone some, to give that world seasoned sport a new thrill.

If some people can't make a stir in the world in any other way they stir up trouble.—New York Times.

Be thankful for play; it makes you fit to do your duties day by day.

HAVE YOU BEEN SICK?

Then you realize the utter weakness that robs ambition, destroys appetite, and makes work a burden.

To restore that strength and stamina that is so essential, nothing has ever equaled or compared with Scott's Emulsion, because its strength-sustaining nourishment invigorates the blood to distribute energy throughout the body while its tonic value sharpens the appetite and restores health in a natural, permanent way.

If you are run down, tired, nervous, overworked or lack strength, get Scott's Emulsion today. It is free from alcohol.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

FOUR CAR LOADS AND SEVEN CARS SOLD BY OVERLAND.

Fair Week Proved Bonanza to Allen-Overland Company.

The sale of seven 1916 model Overlands and the delivery of four carloads direct from the factory to the dealers was reported Saturday by the Allen-Overland Co. The following bought model 83 touring cars. McCullum-Wright Co. of Bronte, F. Blumentritt of Miles, R. A. Hall of San Angelo, J. Q. Lanford of Santa Anna, and Winn & Payne. The latter firm received three.

Carload deliveries were made to Toler & Pettey, of Abilene. Yarbrough & Manning, of Midland, Beall & Boothe, of Sweetwater and Elton Nobles of San Saba. Each shipment averaged four cars.

Two Willy-Knight touring cars, model 84's, were unloaded by the Allen-Overland Co. during the past week. One of the cars is equipped with Hawkwire wheels. A model 6-86 touring car was also received.—San Angelo Standard.

OLD "WHERT" IS PURELY.

El Paso, Nov. 6.—Huerta has been removed from Fort Bliss to his home here on the authority of Assistant Federal Attorney Crawford following a physician's report that the former dictator is ill and needed the attentions of his wife and family. Deputy Federal marshals are guarding his home. It is rumored that Carrancista agents are trying to bribe the Villista garrison at Juarez to surrender.

BEWARE OF CHEAP SUBSTITUTES

In these days of keen competition it is important that the public should see that they get Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and not take substitutes sold for the sake of extra profit. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has stood the test and been approved for more than forty years. Obtainable everywhere.

You get personally exclusive style at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Advertisement for GEO. ALLEN The House Reliable, featuring a piano and music house in Western Texas.

Large advertisement for TEXWAX preservative, featuring an illustration of a woman and a child, and text describing its benefits for laundry and fabrics.

BABY HANGED BY THREE.

YEAR-OLD BROTHER. Taylor, Texas, Nov. 8.—The 16-months-old babe of Mr. and Mrs. A. Matthias of this city, residing in Washburn street, was hanged today by its little brother, a boy of 3 years, who tied a corset string around the baby's neck, the other end of the string being fastened to a nail on the wall.

The baby was black in the face and practically strangled to death when discovered by its mother. A physician was hurriedly called and worked nearly an hour before resuscitating the baby, which is now out of danger.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 6.—For the second time since Josephus Daniels became secretary of the navy in President Wilson's cabinet, the plant of his newspaper, the News and Observer, was destroyed early today in a fire which swept half a block, carrying a property loss estimated at \$250,000. The printing house of E. M. Uzell & Co., state printers, also is a total loss.

The newest patterns and latest styles for most reasonable prices has been the fixed policy of Mrs. B. F. Mills, since the business was founded.

Advertisement for the movie 'THE DICTATOR' starring John Barrymore, presented by Famous Players—Charles Frohman Co.

John Barrymore, the unrivalled comedy star of the Famous Players Film Co., returns to the screen in a clever comedy-farce-film version of "The Dictator," by Richard Harding Davis, the Paramount release at the Opera House Friday night, November 19th. It is not too much to say that hot since his memorable triumph in "The Man From Mexico" has Mr. Barrymore found so well-fitting a suit of dramatic clothes and so good a vehicle for his characteristic quaintness of humor.

The comedy is constant, breezy, entertaining and well acted by an exceptionally competent company. The action is snappy, and there is scarcely an ineffectual interval throughout the entire production. Mr. Barrymore, as "The Dictator," might be described as an inimitable comedian who is genuinely funny in a role that is irresistibly

humorous in a farce that is acknowledged to be the funniest ever produced on the screen.

Charlotte Ives, as Luck Sheridan, the American girl with whom the Dictator falls in love, is natural and charming, and altogether winning. By contrast Ruby Hoffman, as Senora Juanita, the passionate damsel who claims the Dictator's love, proves herself to be an artist remarkable for her effectiveness. Robert Broderick makes a strong figure as Col. Bowie, and adventurer seeking a United States consulate. Walter Craven is sufficiently fierce as General Campos, the temporary president of the republic.

"The Dictator" will be recorded as one of the foremost Famous Players—John Barrymore comedy triumphs yet presented.

STILL IN THE RUNNING

ALTHOUGH the crush at our store has been tremendous the past week—particularly on last Saturday—we are still in the thickest of the running with renewed stock in all our lines.

THE GOODS WE OFFER YOU ARE NOT "PICK-OVERS" OR "LEFT-OVERS", BUT FRESH AND UP-TO-THE-MINUTE STOCK.

We will not quote prices, for they are so low we are actually ashamed to look them in the face. You will make a mistake if you buy your fall and winter needs without investigating our stock. We are outfitters for the entire family.

Thanking you for the generous patronage heretofore accorded us, we solicit its continuance on the basis of satisfaction guaranteed in every instance.

Drop in and see us at any time. It will be to your good.

Specials in All Departments, Particularly SHOES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Sweetwater & Colorado Dry Goods Company LASKER BLOCK COLORADO, TEXAS

Firestone

Non-Skid Tires



The great bulk and mighty grip of the Firestone Non-Skid tread is a vital test of the holding power behind it.

The exclusive way this extra power of body is built-in to support the extra tread explains why Firestone service gives—

Most Miles per Dollar

Firestone Tire and Rubber Company
"America's Largest Exclusive Tire and Rubber Mfg. Co."
Akron, Ohio
Branches and Dealers Everywhere

Size	Standard	Non-Skid	Grey	Red
30x3 1/2	\$9.20	\$10.55	\$12.20	\$12.50
32x3 1/2	11.20	13.35	2.60	2.90
34x3 1/2	13.75	15.40	2.70	3.05
36x3 1/2	19.90	22.30	3.90	4.40
38x3 1/2	27.30	30.55	4.80	5.40
40x3 1/2	28.20	32.15	5.00	5.65
37x5	35.50	39.80	5.95	6.70
38x5 1/2	46.00	51.50	6.75	7.55

WM. WIRT MILLS' NEW YORK LETTER.

City dwellers are not finding the comfort of lower prices in increased receipts of food stuffs. Never has there been such a volume of farm products poured into this city. The staples are coming in by the train load; smaller crops and other products in car load after car load. The freight terminal facilities of the trunk lines are overtaxed by the tremendous influx of eatables. Yet prices for city consumers are going higher and yet higher. The reason? It's easy. The great bulk of the shipments of farm products never come into the local market at all. New York, these days, is just a way station on the route to Europe. The food supplies are being shipped there to feed the armies of the Allies and New Yorkers, in this year of agricultural plenty, are paying war prices for their food supplies. True, there are profits for some, big profits, but indirect taxation upon all.

Nor is this the only economic effect of the war. Wages in the industries engaged in supplying the Allies are steadily going up and the hours of labor are being cut down, while in other industries there is more or less stagnation. So prosperity is unbalanced, and leaders in industry are beginning to look forward to the reckoning that will come after this intoxication of war orders. The "morning after" will find enlarged and expensive plants idle and overstocked with high-paid labor and the adjustment of conditions of normal trade will be painful alike to capital and to labor. While Wall Street is deliriously skyrocketing munitions stocks, "war brides" as they are called, the more conservative are beginning to look out for the falling of the sticks.

And those who permit themselves to see ahead are beginning to think seriously of the warning given by George W. Perkins as to the necessity for this country to be prepared, when the war ends, to meet the competi-

CRYING FOR HELP.

Lots of It in Colorado But Daily Growing Less.

The kidneys often cry for help. Not another organ in the whole body more delicately constructed. Not one more important to health. The kidneys are the filters of the blood.

When they fail the blood becomes foul and poisonous. There can be no health where there is poisoned blood. Backache is one of the frequent indications of kidney trouble. It is often the kidneys cry for help. Hood it.

Read what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for overworked kidneys. Proof of merit in the following statement:

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tion of the flood of foreign made goods that will pour into our markets when the soldiers get back to their mills and shops.

The solution, obviously, is a tariff based on the actual needs of each industry, as Mr. Perkins shows. But how in the name of commonsense are we to get such a tariff under our present system of Congressional log-rolling. Hence the increased demand that the tariff be taken out of politics and that its adjustment to real needs be vested in a non-partisan tariff commission, a permanent body of experts, always on the job and ready to deal with each trade emergency as it arises.

And peace may not be so far off. It is asserted with great confidence that terms have been formulated and will be communicated to President Wilson and to King Alfonso—terms on which Germany would be willing to open negotiations. It used to be the day feasted nation that sued for peace, while the victors proudly bore on, feigning to be unwilling to stop the murderous business of fighting.

But why, indeed, should not the victors be big enough to make the first offer of terms? Why should not Germany, proved valiant at arms, be brave enough to risk the jeers of her foes and to propose peace? However such a proposition may be misinterpreted, however Great Britain may feign that it is her dearest wish to fight on and on, there is no doubt that her sanest leaders have their ears to the ground listening eagerly for this rumored proposition from Berlin. This is realized in financial circles here, where the real extent of the failure of the Anglo-French loan is well known. The outward and visible sign of this failure is the fact that sterling exchange is lower than it has been for over a month.

It is curious, by the way, how the phrases run in the reports of the stock exchange. "In view of better strategic conditions" the market is up. "Conditions being less favorable" quotations are down. It does not seem to occur to the writers to designate for which of the belligerent conditions are better or less favorable. The fact is that Wall Street looks on European conditions only as affecting their debtors and its spirits and bids go up or down according to the fortunes of the Allies—one of the long-predicted consequences of the loan.

The secret is out. The Republican Old Guard is for Elihu Root for President. This is fairly deduced from a statement made by National Chairman Hillis, who trots out Root and seeks to dismiss the Whitman boom by saying that a canvass of 22 states shows not much sentiment for the Governor of New York. But this diagnosis will be hotly debated in this state. Notwithstanding all Mr. Root's eminence, I venture to predict that Gov. Whitman will have the 45 delegates from the Empire state.

But are the forecasters forgetting the primaries. Are they forgetting that in every state in which there are presidential primaries Col. Roosevelt will probably figure in the Republican primaries? And who will limit the possibilities of such a candidate?

New York Letter—War is a blessing to mankind, asserts Rev. Dr. Eaton, a Baptist pastor, while Dr. Jacobi, the dean of the

American medical profession, declares that the war will cast a blight upon the race for fifty years. The one sees through the war a curb upon the use of intoxicating liquors and the other sees loss of virility, physique and possible mentality.

Sing Sing is getting on the nerves of the public. The well-meant but mawkish efforts of Warden Osborne to make the state prison attractive to its inmates have resulted in grievous disorders, and before long the Governor will have to bring the institution out of the cloud of idealistic theories and restore the idea that a prison is a place to punish, not to please.

WEEKLY STOCK REPORT.

Kansas City Stock Yards, Nov. 8.—The whole cattle list went onto a lower plane last week, the leading influence being a break of 30 to 50 cents on beef steers. Western beef cattle, selling at \$7.60 and downwards did not lose more than 25 cents. Stockers and feeders declined 15 to 30 cents, in sympathy, except the choicest kinds of yearlings and twos. Cows have been in rather light supply, and are holding up about steady. Cattle supply today was 31,000, prices steady on an average. Panhandle yearlings at \$7.50 to \$7.5 were the best here today, not nearly as good as the \$8.50 yearlings last Monday. Middle kinds of range yearlings and twos sell at \$6.50 to \$7.25, good Colorado yearlings today at \$6.85 to \$7.35. Feeders weighing 950 to 1,150 pounds sell at \$6.75 to \$7.50, and fleshy steers for a short feed up to \$8.50 in a few cases. Iowa and Illinois have some soft corn to dispose of, which is making a better outlet for feeders than has existed heretofore, though prices are materially lower than ten days ago. Colorado fat cows sold around \$6.00 today, and some horned steers weighing 1,100 pounds sold to killers at \$6.90. Nothing is here today from Montana or the Idaho-Oregon region. Country demand took 39,000 cattle last week, and is ample to absorb the supply and the lower prices prevailing are the result of lower prices on beef cattle at all the markets. Hogs sold steady at the start today, in the same notch they have been selling in since last Thursday, but the close was 5 to 10 lower. Receipts were 10,000 head, top \$7.10, bulk \$6.70 to \$7.00. Hog prices are about 50 cents lower than a year ago, and 85 cents below two years ago. There is a big demand for fresh pork, but receipts are increasing, and prices will probably work lower. Sheep and lamb receipts were 14,000 today, market steady on fat stock, weak on feeders. Offerings from the range are not as good quality as formerly, and fat grades are not well finished. Fed western lambs from Missouri sold at the top today, \$8.70 and \$8.75, one lot of Colorado lambs \$8.75, feeding lambs \$7.75 to \$8.10, Colorado fat yearlings \$6.70, wethers \$6.10, best fat ewes worth \$5.75, breeding ewes \$5.50 to \$7.00, feeding ewes \$4.00 to \$5.00. The season for fed western lambs is just opening, and the tendency is toward stronger prices. The market probably will soon get up to \$9 for finished lambs, a paying basis for lambs bought early, and a price that will stimulate the market on feeding lambs.

W. A. RICKART, Market Correspondent.

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THE GOSPEL.

When every farmer in the South shall eat bread from his own fields and meat from his own pastures, and disturbed by no creditor, and enslaved by no debt, shall sit amid his teeming gardens, and orchards and vineyards, and dairies, and barnyards, pitching his crops in his wisdom, and growing them in independence, making cotton his clean surplus, and selling it in his own time, and in his chosen market, and not at a master's bidding—getting his pay in cash and not in a receipted mortgage that discharges his debt, but does not restore his freedom—then shall be breaking the fullness of our day.—Henry W. Grady.

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8 pairs ladies' Black Cat hose.

2 Munsing union suits

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1 heavy Cotton Comfort.

3 boy's heavy Undershirts.

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RAINFALL FOR COLORADO THE LAST TEN YEARS.

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East Bound
Morning train (No. 4) 9:10
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Morning train (No. 5) 8:30
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Mr. Bryan says he served the President best by getting out of the Cabinet. That makes it unanimous—Austin American.

Mr. Bryan announces that he will fight President Wilson's plans for a large army. Unless the run of luck that has been coming Bryanway the past score of years doubles upon its trail, he'll sit in another losing game.

The Big Springs Enterprise has been sold by W. V. Irvin to Humphries Bros., who have assumed charge and promise many improvements both in the mechanical equipment of the plant and contents of the paper. The name also has been changed to The Bulletin. Here's hopin' fraters!

The refusal of Miss Della Rains, of Dallas, a model at the Chicago Art Institute to pose before negro students of that institution, was commendable in the last degree. The revolt of this Southern girl inspired a like decent courage in the other models, who walked out of the studio in a body.

The Record feels that it can not speak in terms too highly commendatory of the service of the University of Texas in its extension work, particularly The institution issues six bulletins each month, packed with interesting information, ranging in taste and adaptability from the prospective freshman to the most cultured alumnus and friend to education. It is to the discredit of the great state of Texas that such a noble institution continues to be handicapped by limitations its size, work and influence have long since outgrown. It should be the educational crown and glory of the entire state.

The value of publicity was concretely demonstrated here this week. A farmer was in this office Monday morning bitterly complaining that he could not get anyone to help him put in his feed crop; said he'd tried every race, color and previous condition of servitude, but nothing was stirring in the farm help line. Two hours after he had gone a big husky young fellow came in looking for some kind of work, and after being informed that the Record office was already possessed of more "devils" than could be cast out short of a miracle, we cited him to the complaint of the farmer that morning. He asked about the general direction the farmer lived from town and hit the gravel path that way. Nothing like bringing the two parts of the industrial equation together.

Saturday was the busiest day Colorado has seen for a long time. In the good old booming cattle days of the dozen saloons, dance halls, mansions d'joy, gamblers, cowpunchers and heavy ranch supplies, more money may have changed hands in the lines of commerce, pleasure and refreshment, but for number of buyers, bales of cotton in evidence, stirring crowds

eager to turn loose their money for anything a faker would offer, last Saturday was the high water mark. Business grew to be a burden. Selling goods was like taking medicine away from a child, it was so easy. And Saturday last was only the beginning of a procession of such busy days for Mitchell county.

We have not been informed as to whether or not Judge Smith, present Congressman, will be a candidate for re-election, but in all probability, Judge Smith will not be in the race. There are others from Abilene and other places in the district who are being spoken of as probable candidates for the office, but none have made it known that they fully intend to enter the race.—Rising Star X-Ray. This is to inform you, Bro. Gregg, that Judge Smith has been announced for congress several weeks; also that besides Judge Blanton, there is another Abilene aspirant, not only thinking of announcing, but fully committed to the issue of the campaign. His name is J. M. Wagstaff. Among the "also announced" is Judge R. H. Grisham, of Sweetwater, which is in Nolan county. Again: As knowledge of Judge Blanton's candidacy was concurrent with the reception of \$1.00 from him as subscription, are we to infer that knowledge of the candidacy of others depends on like favors? If so, this information is worth a dollar; for which you can give credit by announcing that Judge Smith is in the race to win.

The ease with which people can be separated from their loose change is emphasized by the continuous thud of the bullet against the backdrop of the shooting gallery and the glang of the plowpoint behind the target, recording a bull's eye shot and the change of ownership of a piece of the current coin of the realm. If the mother or wife of one of these shooting experts should ask him to cut a "cooking of stovewood" or look for the family cow, he would likely collapse with fatigue. It has always been a paradox of human nature to us, that a big husky, growing boy, or a bigger, husky grown man, will pay \$10 to join some kind of athletic organization, buy a fancy suit and several dollars' worth of trappings in the name of physical exercise, and yet stumble over a five-pound axe and two cords of wood going and coming home every day, without seeing them. Exercise? Just try swinging that axe one half hour before breakfast, and you'll forget the sound of the term Athletics.

A wienewurst vender by the name of Cashlon at the San Angelo fair was shot by a painter named Pistol over the price of two little sausages. The vendor charged the painter 15 cents when the painter imagined he should get them for 10 cents. A human life of less value than the difference between 10 and 15 cents. This statement is not intended to create the impression that San Angelo brand of "calamity juice" was mixed up in the trouble. No, indeed. Neither was it participants criminals in that other killing several years ago, when one man slew another over the price of a glass of beer.

We always consider ourselves the best judges of the other fellow's decency.—New York American.

ANOTHER GUESS DUE THIS SECTION.

The Record believes potentially in the work being done by the State Agricultural Department, when the reports of the latter tally with the personal observations of the former, just as the Record reposes a child-like faith in the weather predictions of its fellow meteorological conspirators when their forecasts check up with what really happens in the weather line. By which token the following report of crop conditions promulgated by the state agricultural department, is looked in the mouth, even if it is a "gift horse":

"In that section of which Snyder, Scurry county, is center, and including three or four adjoining counties, a representative of the Department has found that the scourge of ravens, rabbits and prairie dogs have become a menace to the entire maturing crop with the result entirely in doubt. A campaign of extermination will begin at once."

Thus, is the proverb verified, that one must fare forth from home to learn news of uncertain kind. The Record knows personally that the above ascribed condition does not exist in one of "the three or four adjoining counties," and from the most authentic reports of farmers, newspapers and business men, is convinced such crop conditions do not exist in Scurry county.

HAEC FABULA DOCEAT.

Old Aesop had the fundamental springs that actuate human nature down about right. Among the many hundred fables with which he endowed the race, is the following: Haedus (a kid) stans in domo tecto (standing on a housetop) maladixit ad lupum transeat (rallied at a wolf passing by). Cui lupus dixit (to which the wolf replied) non te sed domo tecto me maladixit (not you, but the housetop curses me). haec fabula doceat, etc.—(This fable teaches that circumstances and time often render timid things brave.) The application of the principle of this fable was suggested to us last week by the remark of a medicine advertising agent, who came into this office to contract for space for the ensuing year. He asked about the circulation of the Record and we submitted to him our sworn subscription list. He asked the population of the town and was told it was something more than 2,500. He mingled with the crowds on the street, saw the hundreds of wagons bringing cotton to the four fins, asked as to the receipts of cotton here last year, at all which information he expressed great astonishment. Asked as to the cause of his surprise he said he was told in Big Springs by a merchant in his line that it would not be worth his while to stop off at Colorado; that the town had no enterprise, no progressive merchants (especially was its paucity in the drug line, notorious, etc. etc. ad nauseam).

Big Springs is a good kid, well mannered and of gentle disposition. But the housetop that emboldens it to rail at Colorado, is not an intrinsic tonic but an extrinsic stimulant in the shape of the Texas & Pacific monthly pay roll, the loss of which would gut the town as with a ripsaw.

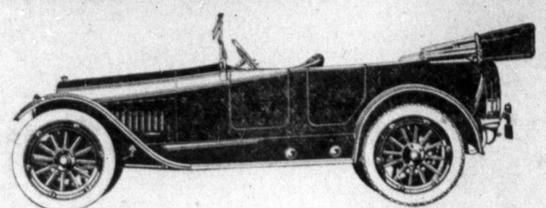
Dallas itself confesses to a wave of crime. An average of one hold-up a day for the past seventeen days, has attracted the attention of the police authorities. This is too much publicity. The shooting of a mere citizen or casual visitor once or twice every night, became a negligible and expected incident; but taking away one's stuff as a fixed daily habit—is too rank for even Dallas. The city maybe, prefers to have it taken in bulk when Billy Sunday comes to town.

Morris Sheppard says that the border situation is inexcusable. Morris took one hurried squint at the border and knew all about it. For knowing things in a rush, Morris has no equal. He has all the tense intellectual verve of a turnip.—Corpus Christi Caller.

The Junior Senator from Texas now knows how a fellow feels who, while searching in the dark for his private bottle which he has hidden in his wife's pantry, pulls down a pan of milk on his head. Governor Ferguson is something of an expert shocker.—Texas Topics.

That notoriety often stands its possessor in hand is proven by the election of Cyc Davis and Jeff-Colon McLemore to the U. S. Congress. Their election is one of the jokes of the primary system, as well as that of Bilbo, of Mississippi.

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FAMILIES TEDDYESQUE.

If Plurality Teddy Roosevelt is losing any sleep over contemplation of the possible decrease of the human family, he might refresh his hopes and regale his faith with these few among the many instances of fecundity:

The president of the Chinese empire last week celebrated the birth of his 16th son and 21st child, which Teddy must admit, is fairly strong for a man of middle age, with the weight of state upon his shoulders, and confessedly the husband of but one wife. But not the president of China nor even that Russian Count who contributed a company of 22 sons to the army of Peter The Great—all the children of one wife—could hold a candle to Mrs. Gaither Drewry, of Spencer county, Kentucky, who increased the population of that state by nine within the space of 18 months. Read her record: Eighteen months ago, three boys and two girls were born to her. The girls died but the three boys survive and are healthy and robust. Last Saturday she gave birth to four boys, all doing nicely. And this before her 30th year. The putative father of all this trouble is yet loose in the mountains, but the dogs are still at work. Off-hand, we would say that Mr. Drewry—or was it Mrs. Drewry—batted .999 to make such a score as that.

Compared with the patriotic work of this good woman, the services of a mere federal judge, revenue collector, weather bureau sinecure, a tick ruster or average congressman, sink to the level of a Punch and Judy show at a country fair. A Carnegie hero medal would be but a sorry honor for this brave soul. Congress and the national democratic party owe her something, say nothing of a tribute from Colonel Henry Watterson. Think of it, ye timorous near fathers; seven boys in eighteen months, not counting two girls. Even Teddy should vote her medals and honors till the front of her jacket would look like the skillet and padlock department of a hardware store.

The Record picks Judge Smith against the field.—Colorado Record. Same here. It is hard for a green horse to beat an old campaigner whose running has always been true and has never disappointed his backers.—Christoval Observer.

In Mississippi they put a member of the legislature in the asylum, but in Alabama—oh you say it.—Montgomery Advertiser. Sure, they let 'em run around loose like they do in Texas.—El Paso Times

Senator Sheppard sent Pancho Villa a telegram commending him for his good work in Mexico and wishing him success. In view of the fact that the Senator appears to be a rather indiscreet letter writer, he should profit by Talleyrand's advice, "Never write a letter or burn one."—Austin American.

We have been accused of being unduly optimistic at times. We will plead guilty to the charge of looking on the bright side of things just as long as even a speck of brightness can be found. We will admit that we have published the cheery things and have avoided the gloomy ones as much as possible. If things are bad at times, why should the newspapers add to the pall of gloom? Rather, why shouldn't it seek out the morsel of good and present it to the public? We have never failed to record the unpleasant things, however, when there was a chance to make things better.—Fort Worth Stock Reporter.

If we could only induce others to see us as we see ourselves!

CISCO BANK FAILS TO OPEN.

Merchants' and Farmers' Bank Closes Operations For The Present.

According to the information furnished The Reporter by the editor of the Cisco Round-Up, the Merchants' and Farmers' National Bank of that city failed to open for business there this morning, and all operations by the bank have been suspended. A notice posted on the front door of the bank read to this effect: "The bank is closed pending an examination by the national bank examiner." W. H. Tebbs, who has been acting in the capacity of cashier for some time, left Cisco last Friday or Saturday, and that his whereabouts have not since been learned. The bank had deposits amounting to \$75,977.91.—Abilene Reporter.

The Greek government is reported to have appealed to the entente allies for an additional advance of forty million francs and this request is being considered sympathetically, it is stated.—Press Dispatch. The Greeks won't get it. We have been up against this sympathetic consideration by the money lending power and realize just what it means. The only satisfying feature about this kind of a loan is that it doesn't draw interest. But you don't get it.

Heap high the farmer's wintry hoard! Heap high the golden corn! No richer gift has autumn poured From out her lavish horn! —Whittier.

RHYMING WAS PROFITABLE.

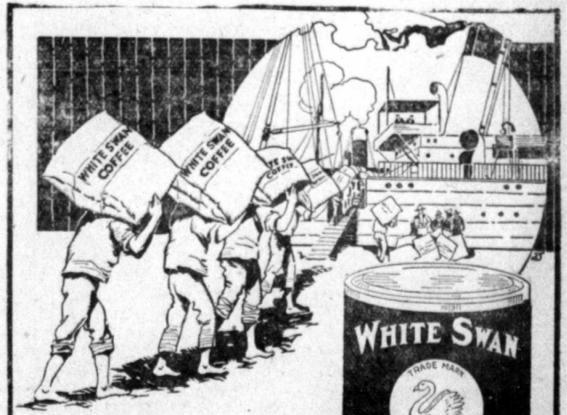
James and Horace Smith, three-quarters of a century ago, won fame as the authors of some very clever rhyme issued under the name of "Rejected Addresses," some of which is yet current coin in quotations. James Smith sent the following lines to Mr. Strachan, London, the king's printer, a man who, in spite of old age and the gout, preserved a wonderful freshness and great mental vigor.

Your lower limbs seem far from stout When last I saw you walk. The cause I presently found out When you began to talk. The power that props the body's strength, In due proportion spread, In you mounts upward, and the strength All settles in your head.

This adroit compliment so pleased the old printer that he at once added a codicil to his will leaving James Smith a legacy of \$15,000, which was paying for verse at the rate of \$1,875 a line. This is probably the highest price ever paid for poetry.

It might be well for a woman to remember that a frown begets more wrinkles than a smile.—New York Globe.

Don't worry over that billion dollar loan. It will not wear any holes in your pocket. Ben Morgan will order any periodical for you.



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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.

Hesperian.

Mrs. Edgar Majors was hostess for the Hesperian last week with Miss Dry as leader.

Subject—Andrea Del Sarto.
Roll Call—Current Art Notes.
Parliamentary Law.

Sketch of Andrea Del Sarto—Miss Maddin.

Francis I as a Patron of Art—Mrs. Barcroft.

Discussion—Browning's idea of Art and its mission—The Club.

Standard.

The Standard met with Mrs. J. C. Prude last week and this program was carried out:

Roll Call—Current Events.

Henry IV, Part II, Act 1—Mrs. Fowlkes.

Australian History, Chapters 11-12—Mrs. Crockett.

Paper—Falstaff—Don Quixote Compared—Mrs. Hooper.

Social Hour—Refreshments.

Bay View.

Mrs. Arbuthnot was hostess for the Bay View last week with Mrs. Pearson as leader. The lesson was:

Roll Call—Quotations from Shakespeare.

Cymbeline—Act II, completed.

Current Events.

Mill on the Floss, Chapter 4.

At the social hour the hostess and her daughter served delicious ice cream and cake.

Study Club.

The Study Club met with Mrs. Rafter with Mrs. J. L. Allen leader. The program was:

Roll Call—Quotations from Romantic Love.

Special Study—Last Ride Together.

Tourist Club.

Miss Mildred Coleman was hostess for the Tourist Club with Miss Lucile Henthorne leader. After the conclusion of the study of the early Americans the Drama of Hiawatha was studied. The club won its required number of members, Misses Ruby McGill, Lois Prude and Ruth Buchanan completing the list. Delicious refreshments were served after study.

Merry Wives.

Mrs. Edgar Majors was hostess for the Merry Wives last week. Besides the members the players were Mesdames D. C. Byrne, M. Carter, Arbuthnot, J. H. Greene, Sam Wulfjen and Everett Winn. A delicious salad course and ice tea were served after the games.

U. D. C. Meeting.

On account of sickness in Mrs. Shropshire's family the U. D. C. met with Mrs. Geo. Smith Monday, the president, Mrs. J. L. Shepherd, presiding. After the business session the program on Missouri, her heroes and the part she took in the war was given. All parts were well presented and both entertaining and instructive. The next meeting is with Mrs. Shropshire. Mrs. Lindley and Mrs. A. L. Whipkey were guests.

CLEANSER YOUR HAIR MAKES IT BEAUTIFUL, THICK, GLOSSY, WAVY.

Try This! All Dandruff Disappears And Hair Stops Coming Out.

Surely try a "Danderine Hair Cleanser" if you wish to immediately double the beauty of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and abundant and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and luxuriance.

Besides beautifying the hair, one application of Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

You can surely have pretty, soft lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will just get a 25-cent bottle of "Danderine" from any drug store or toilet counter and try it as directed.

Central Circle.

The Central Circle of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Barcroft Monday afternoon. A large number were present and good reports were given by all committees. Dues were received to the amount of eleven dollars. The time for the Christmas bazaar was set for December 10th and 11th. Fruit salad and cake were served by the hostess at the social hour. The next meeting is with Mrs. Cromer.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. PARTY.

The regular monthly Junior B. Y. P. U. party was held at the Sunday school rooms last Friday evening. After a number of games enjoyable to their age, a box luncheon was served on the small tables which each member had prepared. These affairs are looked forward to with pleasure by the members.

SWEETWATER REBECCAS VISIT COLORADO.

Saturday evening 23 Odd Fellows and Rebeccas went over to Colorado to initiate two candidates into the Evergreen lodge of Rebeccas of Colorado. Their degree staff worked used in the initiation was beautiful and impressive and received much praise from the Colorado Lodge. They also took their stereopticon and used it in giving some of their emblematic work, which was very much appreciated.

Past President Mrs. Katie Doss' absence was very much regretted. She had gone to Dallas.

After adjournment a most delightful banquet was spread for the visitors.

The six cars brought back a happy crowd who felt they had performed a good evening's work and that Colorado lodge was composed of ideal men and women.—Sweetwater Reporter.

Hazel Dawn, the popular stage favorite, whose charms were introduced to all lovers of refined motion pictures by her two former screen appearances in the Famous Players Film Company's production of "One of Our Girls" and "Niobe," finds in "Clarissa" her most ideal role. In this stirring romance, based on the famous novel, "Gambler's Advocate," by Ronald MacDonald, Hazel Dawn presents a characterization that combines a captivating manner of portrayal with a force so compelling as to make the role wholly irresistible. Opera House, Tuesday night, November 16th.

WHY NOT A CIVIC LEAGUE?

With all our organizations in town there is, we believe, room for one more. All we have now in a measure have self culture as the first consideration and only a few mothers have time for self-culture but no mother is too busy to give a part of her time, be it only a small part, for the betterment of the town, the school, or her children. We speak of a Civic League. There are so many things in the town that could be made better by the organized efforts of the women in co-operation with the city council and chamber of commerce. More trees planted, the school grounds transformed into what school grounds should be, the city park realized, the sanitarium made habitable and on and on until this is the City Beautiful. A few are making efforts to get money for the sanitarium and now have plans on foot to raise some money to fix the school grounds, but what little these few interested ones can secure will be like pouring water through a sieve, and should they be able to accomplish the whole thing it would not be right. It should be the work of the entire community. Mrs. Lee Jones and a few others have secured a benefit at the picture shows tonight for the school grounds and are willing to bank what they may secure if there is the least prospect of an organization in the near future and let that be the starting fund. Who will be the first to move in the matter.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m.; Young People's Society 6:30 p. m. Rev. R. M. Hammock will fill the pulpit both morning and evening, the pastor being in Midland in the interest of the million dollar campaign for the Presbyterian schools of Texas. Everybody invited to attend all the church services.

A little tear makes a big smear—when the rouge is thick.

AUXILIARY TO C. W. B. M.

The Auxiliary to the C. W. B. M. were honored by an invitation to meet with Mrs. W. C. Calaway on last week which they cheerfully accepted. The keynote of the devotional period was Thankfulness with a roll call of something special to be thankful for. Mrs. Ed Jones was the leader for the study in "Forty Years of Service," and Mrs. Broadus lead "The King's Highway," while the Bible Study, the home of Isaac and Rebecca was conducted by Mrs. Price. An interesting story of "How One Woman's Eyes Were Opened" was given by Mrs. Pond.

At the social hour the hostess and her daughter, Miss Winnie served delicious sandwiches, cake and coffee.

Mrs. Callaway had as guests Mrs. Jim Coughran and her aged aunt, Mrs. Self, who is with her for the winter.

DEATH OF H. PANNILL.

The community of Horn's Chapel was greatly shocked by the Saturday evening at the news that Mr. H. Pannill had been found near his home in an almost dying condition by members of his family. He was taken to his home and medical help immediately summoned. Despite all that science could avail, the stricken man passed away at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.

When he was found on Saturday evening, it is said that he told those who found him in answer to their inquiry as to the cause of his condition, that he had taken too much arsenic. Further inquiry in town elicited the information that he had secured two ounces of Fowler's solution of arsenic, which he had taken, presumably with suicidal intent.

The body of the unfortunate man was interred in the Odd Fellows' cemetery at this place on Monday afternoon. Mr. Pannill formerly lived in Navarro county, coming to Mitchell county little more than one year ago. The family owned a good farm in the Horn's Chapel community, and were in comfortable circumstances. He was a man of more than average intelligence and information, quiet of habit and dependable in principle. He leaves a wife and children, to whom the sympathy of the entire community goes out in their bereavement.

MITCHELL COUNTY METHODISTS RETURNED.

It is a matter of congratulation that the Northwest Texas Conference just adjourned at Clarendon, has returned to their former stations and circuits all the Mitchell county delegation, as well as Rev. T. J. Griswold as Presiding Elder of the district. Following are the appointments:

J. T. Griswold, presiding elder; Blackwell, J. W. Watson; Colorado, R. A. Clements; Camp Springs, C. A. Duncan; Dunn, W. P. Edwards; Fluvanna, to be supplied; Hermleigh, V. H. Traminell; Ira, C. C. Tyler; Loraine, C. E. Jameson; Merkel, W. P. Garvin; Post Station, W. C. Hinds; Post Mission, J. R. Plant; Roscoe, L. A. Humphries; Snyder, R. A. Stewart; Sweetwater station, G. S. Hardy; Sweetwater mission, J. T. Trice, supply; Trent, G. H. Gattis; Sylvester, L. Jackson; Westbrook mission, C. F. Carmack; Missionary to Cuba, J. F. Caperton, district commissioner of education, R. A. Clement.

DISTRESS IN THE STOMACH.

There are many people who have a distress in the stomach after meals. It is due to indigestion and easily remedied by taking one of Chamberlain's Tablets after meals. Mrs. Henry Padgham, Victor, N. Y., writes: "For some time I was troubled with headache and distress in my stomach after eating, also with constipation. About six months ago I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. They regulated the action of my bowels and the headache and other annoyances ceased in a short time." Obtainable everywhere.

MATCHED.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since November 1st: John Hampton Arnett to Miss Annie Beal; Uriah Duncan to Miss Laurence Matthews; J. J. Bennett to Miss Nola Lee Baird; J. S. Pearson to Miss Nelle D. White.

Last Sunday night was the occasion of the last sermon by Rev. J. Q. Maples, pastor of the Colored Methodist church, before attending the annual conference of that church at Denton. There were many of his white friends present, all whom contributed liberally to the collection and a special fund to bear his expenses to conference. Among the members of the M. E. Church South present were J. S. Vaughan, Sam Wulfjen, J. T. Davis, A. A. Dorn, J. B. Annis, Mrs. R. A. Clements and others. Rev. Maples is very popular with his church and has the respect and confidence of all who know him. It is hoped he will be returned to this charge.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

Subject—Jesus' Twelve Friends.
Leader—Julia Shepherd.
Peter and Andrew—Reginald Gary.
James and John—Clyde Smith.
Philip and Bartholomew—Mackie Waller.

Thomas and Matthew—Lela Greene.
Simon and Judas Iscariot—Stella Fannil Hastings.

Solo—Beautiful Isle—Brooks Bell.
The sword drill will be conducted by C. A. Pierce. All members are urged to be present.

A SURPRISE WEDDING.

(Lorraine Correspondent.)

Miss Nola Baird and Mr. Joe Bennett stole a march on their friends and were married Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Baird. The occasion was doubly auspicious as it marked the fifty-seventh birthday of the father, and the mother and children had prepared a surprise for him and had invited the minister, Rev. C. E. Jameson, and family, to be present. When all had arrived and were in the midst of social gaiety, Mr. Joe Bennett, accompanied by Mr. Herman Finley, arrived and then it was made known that the wedding would occur. The bride and groom entered the parlor unattended, where Rev. C. E. Jameson, in a brief and impressive manner read the sacred rites that made them one.

The bride was gowned in a pretty navy blue silk poplin with trimmings to match and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums. The groom wore a handsome suit of navy serge.

Miss Baird is the oldest daughter at home and is a lovable, sweet christian character and well qualified to help make a happy home for the one who has chosen her for his life partner. She has been in the employment of the millinery department of the Loraine Mercantile Company for the past two years and has a large circle of friends who will join in good wishes for her future happiness.

Mr. Bennett comes from one of the best families in the county, has grown to young manhood here, and also enjoys a large circle of friends who will shower congratulations and good wishes for him and the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett will make their home in Loraine.

Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System with the Old Standard GROVE'S ASTHLESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is genuine and iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents

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SCHOOL NOTES.

The work in the high school in general seems to be progressing nicely.

A girls' basket ball team has been organized of which Miss Oliver is coach. These girls have been challenged by the Sweetwater team to a game at that place Saturday. This will be the first of a series of games which the girls expect to play this year.

Whatever else may be said of the seniors, it certainly cannot be said that they have no curiosity. This was proven one day during an experiment with mercury. Mr. Parks cautioned the class about getting the mercury on jewelry, but the minute his back was turned some of the more adventurous ones of the class dipped their rings "just to see." They certainly "saw" and now about half the class are sporting silver rings.

The seniors were delightfully entertained with a Halloween party by Lula Mae Dulaney at her home in East Colorado. A most delightful Halloween program was enjoyed by everyone.

Do not be surprised if you see any of the high school pupils looking "pale" the next two weeks. The first quarter exams are due soon.

Money makes the mare go, and it keeps a lot of people hot footing after the mare.

Charity generally loosens man's tongue before it unties his purse-strings.—New York American.

LEAGUE PROGRAM.

Following is the program for November 14th, 4:00 p. m.:

Subject—"The Promise of Scriptural Certainty."

Leader—Mrs. M. K. Jackson.

Song—"O Happy Day."

Sentence Prayers.

Song—"Blessed Assurance."

Introduction, by leader.

Five Scripture Tests:

John 7:17—Ruth Clements.

Timothy 1:12—Cloiz King.

1 John 4:13—Ima King.

1 John 3:14—Oran Hooker.

1 John 2:3—Ruth Dorn.

Song—Special.

Debate—Miss Ina Wulfjen, James Lawless.

Closing Song.

Benediction.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT VALIDATES CONTRACT.

Austin, Nov. 8.—It was held today by the attorney general's department in an opinion to W. F. Daughy, state superintendent of public instruction, that a contract entered into between the trustees of a common school district and the teacher is invalid for any purpose until such a contract has been approved by the county superintendent, and until such approval, neither party is bound by its provisions. The ruling sustains the position of the state superintendent, and is the first time the question has been raised.

Wall paper remnants at Doss'.

WE ARE PLANNING FOR

A \$2,000 SALE

At Our Three Stores

Saturday, November 13

Will you help us if inducements and prices are offered? We invite every man, wife, son and daughter to be present on this grand occasion. In the first place, you are well aware we at all times have the goods and are always willing to make special prices on occasions like this. You are aware everything is advancing, but the advances will not be considered by us on this occasion. This is an opportunity for every family to lay in their supplies at these special low prices. We feel it doubtful that this opportunity will occur again during this season.

We Name You a Few Prices

<p>High Patent Flour, Saturday, for only..... \$2.80</p> <p>Sungold Extra High Patent Flour for only..... \$3.00</p> <p>Sugar, in 100 pound sacks for..... \$5.75</p> <p>Sugar, in 25 pound sacks for..... \$1.50</p>	<p>Our entire stock of 10c and 12c Outings, Saturday only. 8 1-2c</p> <p>Our entire stock of 10 and 12c Gingham and Percales, Sat. 8 1-2c</p> <p>8 pounds Good Rio Coffee, Saturday, for..... \$1.00</p> <p>20 pounds Head Rice, Saturday..... \$1.00</p>
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Everything else in proportion. Some staple items will be sold at auction at 2:30 P. M.

You can't afford to miss this opportunity of supplying at these low prices and a chance of owning a 5-Passenger Automobile, Piano, Buggy and Harness, and Sewing Machine free of cost. Tell your neighbors and all to be present and help a business that is trying to help you. Don't forget the date—Saturday, November 13th—and bring your wagons with a view of getting a load.

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A BAD WRECK—of the constitution may follow in the track of a disordered system, due to impure blood or inactive liver. Don't run the risk! Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures all disorders and affections due to impure blood or inactive liver. The germs of disease circulate through the blood; the liver is the filter which permits the germs to enter or not. The liver active, and the blood pure, and you escape disease.

When you're debilitated, and your weight below a healthy standard, you regain health and strength, by using the "Discovery." It builds up the body.

Sold in Tablet or Liquid form. If your dealer does not have it, send 20c. for the Tablets. Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take as candy.

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LORAINÉ NEWS ITEMS.
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The W. C. met Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. There were sixteen members present. Two applications were allotted on. The W. C. is growing rapidly and increasing in interest more and more. After the business was finished the ladies served cake and fruit. The ladies from Colorado W. C. failed to come.

Mr. E. F. McNeese helped in the big rush at the Loraine Mercantile Co. store Saturday.

Steel traps! Steel traps! All sizes and a full stock.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff McKee, of Nolan, visited in the J. B. Baird home on Sunday.

Mr. Jones, of Paris, was busy here selling Pants King, Monday.

Rev. Burgess, of Roscoe, has accepted the call to the Baptist church here. He has delivered several sermons and has given satisfaction.

Rev. Burgess and Misses Annie and Ethel Gregg were guests in the R. E. Bennett home Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Lee Mullen was busy in Colorado Monday.

Trade us your cotton for a Pekin wagon and get the best wagon on the market.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Misses Campbell and Whipkey, of Colorado, were guests of Mrs. Bruce Phenix Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Coker, W. H. Anderson, W. W. Echols, Jessie Lowder and Miss Lowder, of Hermleigh, motored down Monday and did some shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartlett, of Roscoe, motored over for a few hours Monday.

We have a full line of tents, wagon sheets, cotton sacks, knee pads and scale beams. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Burnett and Miss Bankhead, of Champion, were up shopping Saturday.

Mr. Oscar Miller, of Abilene, was here Saturday prospecting.

Mrs. Mesdames Horace Cook and Archie Thompson, of Barnett, were among the Saturday shoppers.

Mr. W. A. Smith, of Ovalo, was here Friday.

We are headquarters for guns and all kinds of shells.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Garrett, of Champion, were up trading Saturday. They will leave soon for Plains in Yoakum county to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett have been residents of Mitchell county for over fourteen years and have a large circle of friends who will miss them in many ways.

A CHILD HATES OIL.

CALOMEL PILLS FOR LIVER AND BOWELS.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" if Cross, Sick, Feverish, Constipated.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

ways. The Record will follow them to their new home.

We will pay you cash for your hens, fryers and eggs.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Judge Bullock and a car load of his friends motored over from Colorado Sunday.

Mr. E. F. McNeese visited in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mrs. Campbell, of Colorado, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Bruce Phenix, the earlier part of the week.

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Mrs. Joel Warren, of Coleman, visited her daughter, Mrs. Chariton Brown, from Saturday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jackson's hospital home was a scene of social pleasure on Friday evening when the B. Y. P. U. and invited friends of the Union assembled at the appointed hour and enjoyed good music and social games. Misses Ethel Gregg and Gene Hall served candied popcorn balls and apples, and all departed with the clock proclaimed the lateness of the time. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson are so hospitable and know how to make all have a good time, so that the young people are always glad of an opportunity to go to their home.

We are headquarters for guns and all kinds of shells.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. W. L. Edmondson held a reunion of his clerks from Colorado and Roscoe and Loraine on Tuesday evening. They met at the store and were addressed by Mr. W. L. Edmondson. This was responded to by Messrs. Miles and Britton. Music by a Mexican string band was enjoyed. Mrs. Miles and Mrs. Edmondson gave readings. After this they all went to the Mixon hotel where they were served to an oyster supper. Mrs. M. L. Mullen and Messrs. D. C. McRea and J. H. T. Johnson, Sr., were the only guests outside of those connected with the store.

Mr. O. Thornton made a business trip to El Paso Tuesday.

Mrs. S. D. Dunnahoo was hostess for the Philomath Club on Thursday afternoon.

Just unloaded—car White Crest flour, the best to be had.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. M. E. Whorton, of Roscoe, visited with her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Altman, the earlier part of the week.

Mr. Tom Davis and family have moved to their residence that he purchased from Mr. Chess Kidd.

Mrs. Will Dunn arrived this week from East Texas and is visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Phillips, of Abilene, and Mrs. Adams and Misses White and Reese motored here and visited Mr. A. M. Jackson and family for a few hours and then on to Colorado for a few hours before returning to Abilene. Such is the way one can visit in this day of automobiles.

We have full line stove boards, stove pipe, elbow and T joints. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Rev. C. E. Jameson returned Monday from Clarendon where he attended conference and reports good attendance. All ministers had fine reports both financially and spiritually. Rev. Jameson was sent back to the church here for another term much to the pleasure and satisfaction of both his members and the people of the town and community for he is a much loved minister.

Mr. Samuels, of Dallas, was busy here Tuesday in the interest of Sanger Bros.

Mr. Roy Baird has returned from Hermleigh.

We will pay you cash for your hens, fryers and eggs.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. John Hodges has accepted a position with the Loraine Mercantile Company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thompson

motored down from Hermleigh Monday and visited until Tuesday morning. They were accompanied by Miss Pearl Templeton who had been visiting with them.

Mrs. Haney and Mrs. Ray, of Roscoe, were guests of Mrs. Bama Haney on Friday of last week.

Trade us your cotton for a Pekin wagon and get the best wagon on the market.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

The two children of Mr. and Mrs. Farrer, who reside in the east part of town, are reported quite sick of fever this week.

Mr. M. Zellner made a trip to Tuscola this week, returning with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Reddell, who will make their home with Mr. Zellner and wife.

You can buy a set of skeleton wagon harness for \$16.00 at Colorado Mercantile Co.

RULING IS MADE ON TAXABLE PAPER.

Austin, Nov. 9.—Bills of exchange or acceptance which are used in lieu of promissory notes for the purpose of borrowing money; official certificates attached to abstracts of judgment; powers of attorneys, commonly called orders, under which one person is authorized to pay the poll tax of another, and certificates of deposit issued by one bank to another for borrowed money, all are subject to federal taxation, according to a ruling issued by A. S. Walker, collector of internal revenue for taxes.

The attention of bankers, clerks of courts and tax collectors throughout the state is called to this ruling in which these officials are directly interested. This ruling is based on a ruling just received by the collector from the treasury department at Washington.

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The fact that the state's insane asylums are taxed to their capacities, thereby prevented from making room for the vast number of unfortunates now confined in the several jails, must be taken as proof that recoveries are unknown in these institutions, and when a patient enters it is to remain until death ends all. Surely, not every one who suffers a detronement of reason is beyond cure. If the proper treatment is accorded a certain percent of patients ought to recover and being discharged, make room for others. But, it now appears that the inscription, "abandon hope all ye who enter here," might be written over the doors of Texas' hospitals for the insane. And what else can be expected, since such institutions are used as assets of politicians with which to cancel political obligations? —Denison Herald.

You can buy a set of skeleton wagon harness for \$16.00 at Colorado Mercantile Co.

\$5.00 REWARD FOR SPAN OF MULES.

Lost—On the Bush & Tiley ranch Nov. 1st, span bay or dun mare mules. One branded NE on left shoulder; other unbranded and larger in size. Above reward for return or information. Phone from Westbrook or address by mail at Westbrook. 11-12-pd C. E. WEBB.

POSTOFFICE SAFE ROBBED.

The postoffice safe at Potosi, twelve miles southeast of Abilene, was blown to pieces early Wednesday morning and cash, stamps and papers valued at about \$300 stolen.

The tools used in getting into the stores were found on the floor not far from the wrecked safe. This is the third postoffice robbery in the county since January 1, 1915.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

CHINA TO REMAIN REPUBLIC.

Pekin, China, Nov. 9.—The Associated Press was authorized today to state that the Chinese government has decided no change will be made this year in the form of government of the country.

France, Great Britain and Japan brought pressure to bear upon China not to change from a republic to a monarchy at this time, fearing such an attempt might upset the equilibrium of the far east. China rejected this request. The United States declined to join the concert of powers petitioning China.

It had recently been announced that 13 of the 18 provinces of China had voted in favor of the restoration of the monarchy.

The only assumption now is that president Yuan Shi Kai, to whom is attributed chief impetus for the monarchial movement, has decided to court the good will of the petitioning powers by assenting to their request after having first shown a spirit of independence by declining. How long after January 1st China will remain a republic is not disclosed.

W. O. W. MEMBERS PLEASE READ.

The members of Mesquite Camp W. O. W. had an interesting meeting last Thursday night. Three new members were initiated. The work was put on by a full team of sixteen choppers and their captain. There was a large crowd and much interest in getting more new members, which means more women and children protected. We are looking forward to the election of officers on Thursday night, December 2nd, with great enthusiasm, because the success of any Camp depends mostly on its officers and its team.

We have more than 350 members and are pulling for 400.

A number of members have transferred in from their old homes, and this is as it should be, because, in case of sickness it makes one feel more like his interests were with the choppers right around him.

December 2nd. Go to the calendar right now and make a note of that being the night to elect officers for the ensuing year, and make it your business to be present and lend your vote for the good of the order.

ERNEST KEATHLEY, Clerk.

COMING WESTWARD

(Professor Scott Nearing in Science.)

A study of "Who's Who" shows two distinct movements, one from the east and south to the north and west; the other from the country district and the small town to the great city. The great men born in the east and south have gone west in large numbers. At the same time, many of the leaders in city life came from outside the city.

The movement of great men from the east to the west is strikingly apparent. Among 16,449 distinguished persons whose names appear in "Who's Who," over nine-tenths (91.6 per cent) were born in the New England, Middle Atlantic states, the East North Central, South Atlantic and East South Central states. This division includes roughly the territory east of the Mississippi river. Although only one-twelfth of the distinguished persons were born west of this division line, at the present time, one-sixth (16.8 per cent) resides there. There seems to be no question but that the great men of the present generation have been moving steadily westward. The older parts of the country produced them, but they have persistently found their way into the newer parts.

WE WILL PAY YOU CASH FOR YOUR HENS, FRYERS AND EGGS.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

BREAKS A COLD IN JUST A FEW HOURS.

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Grippe Misery—Don't Stay Stuffed-up!

You can end grippe and break up a severe cold either in head, chest, body or limbs, by taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.

For the cash we will sell you a buggy cheap. Come and see.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

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THE SUMMONS OF THE SOUTH—"COME HOME."

(Manufacturers Record.)

It is time for the South to call its wanderers home.

Knowing that other sections could not be developed without the energy and the brain power of its people, the South has generously sent to other states missionaries to the number, since 1865, of more than 3,500,000, that they might show to other regions how things should be done.

These Southern men are found in every state in the Union. They rank among the great leaders in finance, in railroad management, in engineering work, in manufacturing enterprises, in law, in the ministry and wherever else men of ability can achieve things.

But in giving to other sections so largely of its own best life the South has impoverished itself to the enrichment of others. In times past this was necessary, because the poverty following the war made it difficult for Southern men to find a field of activity at home, and so they went out from the South to New York, to New England, to the central west and the Pacific coast. Wherever they went they blazed the trail of advancement.

When counted by numbers the total of 3,500,000 is great, but when counted by achievements the aggregate is vastly greater than the numbers indicate.

Commerce and Finance of New York, in publishing the statistics of southerners and others living in that city, gives figures taken from the census of five years ago which show 92,000 southerners living in New York.

Commenting on these figures that paper says:

Nothing statistical has been so surprising to us as these figures. If it were not for the profound respect we have for the Census Bureau, we might doubt them.

Only 2,387 Texans in New York! Is it possible? It has seemed to us at times that there were that many here boosting railroads, serving on the bench or in borough presidencies or getting shamefully rich in corporation practice. And surely there are nearly that many Texans here running New York banks!

Next to the figures regarding Texas, those of Virginia are most astonishing. To anyone who has gone about New York and in theater or restaurant has seen nine-tenths of the men get up and give the rebel yell when the band played "Dixie," it is inconceivable that there are only 28,862 Virginians resident in New York. There hardly is anything a gentleman will confess so readily as that he is a Virginian after he has given the rebel yell. There is no place where the rebel yell and "Dixie" are so popular as in New York. Most persons thought this was because the city had so many hundreds of thousands of Virginians—F. F. V.'s—resident here.

The more these figures are studied the more they disappoint. It is made to appear that they are 10,736 North Carolinians. This must be a mistake, as is also the 6,789 charged to Georgia and the 8,229 credited to South Carolina. There are no southerners in New York except Texans and Virginians. There used to be a North Carolinian, but he always apologized, and now he has moved away.

It is not surprising that Editor Price was surprised at the comparative smallness of the number of southerners, for he had judged by their achievements that they made up a large proportion of the total population. The number of southerners in New York, as given by the census figures up 92,273, but, measured by what southerners have done, the figures ought to be ten times as great. Nor is it surprising, considering the number of Texas bankers and railroad men who hold foremost positions in that city, that he thought nearly all leading New Yorkers were Texans and naturally he supposed for similar reasons that those who were not from Texas were necessarily from Virginia.

Instead of counting southerners by the size of the numbers in New York

and elsewhere, they must be counted by brain power.

Lloyd-George was once introduced to a great political gathering by a man who had never known him and who was not very much enamored of some of his political views, and therefore, possibly with an idea of casting a slight slur upon the distinguished Welchman, said to the audience, with somewhat of a sneer in his voice:

"I had supposed that the speaker of the evening was an imposing man of commanding size, but I am compelled to introduce to you a gentleman of very small stature."

Mr. Lloyd-George, in replying said: "In the country from which I came men are measured from their shoulders upward and not from their shoulders down."

Southern men, must be measured in the same way, from shoulders upward.

All southerners feel about their native state as do the people of Virginia, whose love for their native land is illustrated in the story of the man who died and went to Heaven. At one point he found a great enclosure, barred on all sides and even on the top by iron railings.

Amazed at such a situation, he asked St. Peter how it was that in Heaven there seemed to be a prison.

"Well," said St. Peter, "the people in that enclosure are Virginians, and they so long for their native state that we can only keep them here by fencing them in."

We insist, therefore, that Commerce and Finance have done a grievous injury to the Tar Heels and the Georgia Crackers and the natives of other states when it suggests that they will not stand up to be counted. A Carolinian ashamed of his state! A Georgian not ready to advertise Georgia by proclaiming that as his native land! Perish the thought.

Many of the Southern people in the North are imprisoned by their environment and by their business. To them these prison bars do not, by any means, hold them in a land of heavenly delight. They are held in the North and West by their interests, though their thoughts turn longingly to the South.

These Southern people who have done so much for themselves and for the country in other sections ought to be turning their attention back to their native land. They have been away too long.

It is time for them to come home, and the Manufacturers' Record would urge that they turn their feet this way and follow their longings that they may begin to take their part in the development of the most blessed land on earth.

While these things are true we would at the same time remind the South that many of these people went out from this section because they could find a broader field of opportunity elsewhere and broader thinking on great economic questions and a better understanding of the value of strong upbuilding forces than at home. The South must do its part in bringing about conditions which will bring these wanderers home.

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FOR SALE—Grade Percheron mares, mules from 4 years old down, single or in car load lots. Write or phone 10, P. O. Box No. 5, Route No. 4, C. P. Conaway. 11-12c

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THE GULLIBLE EAST.

Commenting on the visit of Mrs. Emily Post to Kansas in search of the untamed cowboy, bad men and buffalo herds, the Portland Oregonian inquires: "What must the ordinary mind in Atlantic seaboard environs think of us when persons of supposed enlightenment set out upon such quests? Replying to Mrs. Post's inquiry as to where the West that Easterners dream of is located, the Oregonian says: "That West is exactly where Mrs. Post puts it and where it has been for the past ten or twenty years—in the dreams of untutored Easterners. It has no existence outside the movies and the pages of stories written for Eastern publications by Eastern swashbucklers who never have trailed the setting sun west of Hoboken, N. J. The effete imitators of Bret Harte never get tired borrowing from his local color and although the scenes of his picturesque tales are now occupied by skyscrapers and peopled by a race that observes all the proprieties and niceties of social intercourse the ghosts of Dead Man's Gulch are kept doing literary capers for the benefit of a gullible East."—Austin American.

PRESIDENT USES SCRIPTURE TO SUPPORT ARMY INCREASE PLAN

Washington, Nov. 5.—President Wilson in a letter today to Seth Low, of New York, thanking him for an expression of approval of the President's recent army increase speech at New York points to the scripture for passage to support his purpose. The President quoted from Ezekiel fifty-sixth chapter, second to the sixth verse.

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LOUISIANA LIQUOR LAWS HELD CONSTITUTIONAL

Washington, Nov. 5.—The United States Supreme Court today dismissed the appeal attacking the constitutionality of the Louisiana liquor laws. Loe Maroun, of Shreveport claimed that making him subject to both a fine and imprisonment placed him in double jeopardy.

A LEAF FROM THE PAST.

(The following extract published in this paper 38 years ago, was written by John W. Forney who had the following to say of a Louisiana Senator and barrister.) The colleague of John Sidel who was a hard worker and strong hater was Judah P. Benjamin, now Queens Counsel at the English Bar. What a handsome olive, black-eyed Hebrew scholar he was. When he spoke secession in the Senate, he spoke it from his lips and denied it in his heart. He moved through Washington society a brilliant star, flashing and dazzling all sides by his contagious wit and magnetic manner. When I saw him in London in 1875 although he did not see me, he was hidden under the big British barrister wig, and he was obese and rather waddling, nothing left of the original Judah but a pair of twinkling black eyes.

Charles Sumner and Henry Wilson were both in the Senate, very different in manner, and department. Wilson was genuine, honest and perfectly patriotic. Sumner with all his intellectual habits was fond of the pleasures of the table. He entertained a great deal and went much in society. Wilson, always cleanly attired and pleasant of speech with others, was much of a temperance man, and most frugal in his living. They both died in Washington of about the same age, both quite poor, but without a stain on their reputation.—Homer, La., Guardian Journal.

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New York, Nov. 6.—A statement issued today by the secret service corps, investigating the case of bomb plotters says that at least \$500,000 has been spent in the United States in an effort to prevent war munitions from reaching the allies.

For the cash we will sell you a buggy cheap. Come and see.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

GINNING REPORT ISSUED MONDAY.

7,384,871 Bales Ginned in U. S. Prior to November First. Texas' Record 2,354,566.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The fourth cotton ginning report of the season, compiled from reports of Census Bureau correspondents and agents throughout the cotton belt and issued at 10 a. m. today, announced that 7,384,871 bales of cotton counting round as half bales, of the growth of 1915 had been ginned prior to November 1. That compares with 9,826,912 bales or 61.8 per cent of the entire crop ginned prior to November 1, last year, 8,830,396 bales, or 63.2 per cent in 1913 and 8,869,222 bales or 65.8 per cent in 1912. The average quantity of cotton ginned prior to November 1, in the past ten years was 7,954,534 bales or 62.0 per cent of the crop.

Included in the ginnings were 69,204 round bales, compared with 23,182 last year, 61,577 in 1913 and 54,539 in 1912.

Sea Island cotton included numbered 55,358 bales, compared with 43,115 last year, 42,804 in 1913 and 28,887 in 1912.

Ginnings prior to November 1, by states, with comparisons for the past year

	1915	1914
Alabama	727,368	1,068,771
Florida	40,389	56,645
North Carolina	408,056	427,949
South Carolina	772,480	910,558
Texas	2,354,566	3,168,786
Arkansas	444,908	573,571
Oklahoma	171,229	649,367
Tennessee	146,869	172,485
Georgia	1,431,290	
Louisiana	272,379	
Mississippi	584,069	
All other states	40,267	58,907

The next ginning report of the Census Bureau will be issued at 10 a. m. Monday, November 22, and will show the quantity of cotton ginned prior to November 14.

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ANOTHER PEST TO FIGHT.

One of the largest industries in the South—the growing of citrus fruit trees—in which this state is vitally interested, is threatened with destruction. An organized effort is being made by the citrus growing interests to secure from Congress an appropriation with which to eradicate the citrus canker.

Government experts say that the citrus industry is doomed unless citrus canker can be eradicated in all states where there are citrus trees, simultaneously.

This state is one of the five in which this pest is already festering, and in this state a strong organization is at work co-operating with central committees in the other four states affected. The five states already a prey to citrus canker are: Arizona, Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas. Georgia, Arizona and California are not yet effected, but are badly threatened, and have thrown their influence with the others in securing this appropriation.

CURED BOY OF CROUP.

Nothing frightens a mother more than the loud hoarse cough of croup. Labored breathing, struggling, choking and gasping for breath demand instant action. Mrs. T. Neureuer, Eau Claire, Wis., says: "Foley's Honey and Tar cured my boy of croup after other remedies failed." Recommended for coughs and colds. For sale by W. L. Doss.

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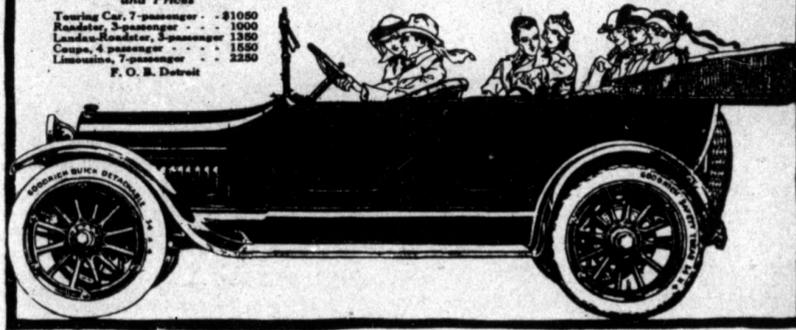
Commercial Cars

Panel Delivery Car	\$875
Open Express Car	\$50
Station Wagon	\$75

Six-Cylinder Models and Prices

Touring Car, 7-passenger	\$1050
Roadster, 3-passenger	1000
Landau-Roadster, 3-passenger	1350
Coupe, 4-passenger	1550
Limousine, 7-passenger	2350

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BRYAN SCORES WILSON.

"Menace to Peace and Safety, and Challenge Spirit of Christianity."

Washington, Nov. 5.—William Jennings Bryan today took serious issue with the views expressed by President Wilson last night in regard to national defense.

Mr. Bryan issued a formal statement to the press. He said that the president's views were "a menace to the peace and safety of the nation, and that they are a challenge to the spirit of Christianity."

The former secretary of state said that he read the president's speech with much sorrow and concern.

He said: "President Wilson is doing what he believed is his duty toward the nation. I cannot criticize the motives which prompted that declaration, but I am compelled to dissent from the president's conclusions in regard to the program of national defense which he believes should be followed out by the United States.

"This nation has won its place in the world without resorting to club or pistol totting. Why the reverse policy now? The president admits that there is no reason for a change. We are spending more than \$250,000,000 yearly on preparedness, ten times as much as on agriculture. A change at this time is not only unnecessary but a menace to the national banks."

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ROUMANIA OPPOSES ALLIES.

London, Nov. 6.—A Bucharest semi-official statement via wireless from Berlin, claims that Roumania is refusing the passage via the Danube river of arms and ammunition from Russia for Serbia. Roumanians are preparing to intern Russian vessels carrying these munitions. Such action would have an important bearing on the Serbian situation as it means the closing of the only overland route for Russian reinforcements into Serbia, forcing Russia to take a longer way of landing on the Bulgarian coast via the Black sea.

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U. S. NOTE TO ENGLAND TAKES STAND AGAINST TRADE INTERFERENCE.

Lengthy Answer is Given to Numerous Notes From The British.

Washington, Nev. 7.—The United States in its latest note to Great Britain made public here today covering exhaustively British interference with American trade since the beginning of the European war, declares that the so-called blockade instituted by the Allies against enemy countries on March 11 is "ineffective, illegal and indefensible."

Notice is served that the American government "cannot submit to the curtailment of its neutral rights and it cannot with complaisance suffer further subordination of its rights and interests."

Ambassador Page, to whom the note was sent by special messenger for delivery to the London foreign office, was instructed by Secretary Lansing "to impress most earnestly" upon the British government that the United States "must insist that the relations between it and his majesty's government be governed, not by a policy of expediency but by those established rules of international conduct to which Great Britain in the past has held the United States to account when the latter nation was a belligerent engaged in a struggle for national existence."

Declaring the United States "unhesitatingly assumes" the task of championing the integrity of neutral rights, the note proclaims that the American government will devote its energies to the task, exercising always an impartial attitude.

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Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

REWARDING HEROES.

The Carnegie Hero Fund Commission appears to be about as capable of performing duties entrusted to it as are the Hall of Fame appraisers of judging greatness. The Galveston Tribune directs attention to a notable omission of both commissions to give proper honors and recognition to persons undeniably entitled to them:

One will look in vain through the list of awards made by the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission for recognition of any of the many acts of heroic bravery which were enacted during the August storm. Not a single medal, bronze or silver, not a single pension or other award was made. In times of great stress or peril, altruistic and heroic acts are very common. But there is no reason why they should not receive adequate attention. Incidents like the above, and the failure of Crockett and Houston to secure places in the American Hall of Fame, form the strongest possible argument against the conferring of titles and similar forms of arbitrary honor so common in European cities. A record of personal achievement written into the chronicle of universal history can not be heightened nor sullied by affirmative or negative action of a self-constituted board of appraisers.

The people of Texas well know that deeds of heroism performed during the August hurricane and the one preceding it total hundreds, in all of which the courage and self-sacrifice of those participating are unexcelled in the achievements of man. The omission to honor such heroes is not so much the fault of the foundations devoted to worthy purposes as to the baneful influence of politics, sectional prejudices and ignorance upon those charged with the distribution of awards in the one case and the bestowal of honors in the other.—Austin American.

Some people are such gadabouts that they wouldn't stay at home even if they thought opportunity would come and knock on the door.—Nashville Banner.

DEMAND OPENING OF FOREIGN PORTS.

The action of the Association of Farmers' Union presidents which met at New Orleans last week and passed stirring resolutions against the closing of foreign ports to American cotton, will meet with the approval of every American citizen who has the agricultural interest of the nation at heart. The action of Great Britain in declaring cotton contraband is creating a wider discussion than any other question before the American public today. The resolution by the Farmers' Union presidents, given below, fairly represents the attitude of the farmers, and especially those of the cotton-producing states on the subject.

"Resolved that we petition the President and Congress of the United States to use every effort to open all neutral ports to cotton and all other agricultural products and we direct the attention of the people of the United States to England's attitude in declaring cotton contraband as an act positively hostile to American agriculture.

"We are unalterably opposed to any further expenditure in increasing the navy until a national policy shall be first adopted by which the ports of the world shall be open to American farm products."

ONE SPOONFUL GIVES ASTONISHING RESULTS.

Colorado residents are astonished at the QUICK results from the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-I-ka. This remedy acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and is so THOROUGH a bowel cleanser that it is used successfully in appendicitis. ONE SPOONFUL of Adler-I-ka relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour or gassy stomach. ONE MINUTE after you take it, the gasses rumble and pass out. For sale by W. L. Doss, druggist.

Another red-hot local option campaign is in progress in Bell county, which has been the greatest battle ground between the two sentiments in the state. On the face of things, it seems that Governor Ferguson is being sucked by the undertow into the maelstrom.

Prosperity appears to be found everywhere through the United States. The St. Louis Post-Dispatch livers that the great mass of increased business is stable and that it comes from bountiful production of nature and its manufacture into staple products, the demand for which is continuing. Prospects appear to be rosy.—Fort Worth Record.

WENT TO THE HOSPITAL.

C. E. Blanchard, postmaster, Blanchard, Cal., writes: "I had kidney trouble so bad I had to go to the hospital. Foley Kidney Pills completely cured me." Men and women testify they banish disturbing bladder ailments. For sale by W. L. Doss.

MODELS REFUSE TO POSE BEFORE NEGROES.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—The color line was drawn among Art Institute students when white models pose, draped or otherwise, was raised by pretty Della Raines of Dallas, Texas. Miss Raines was posing when three negroes took their seats among the students. The Southern girl drew her "rest gown" about her and walked out. The other models said they would refuse to pose before negroes.

CREDIT DID IT.

Recently in an adjoining town the sheriff was offering the goods and accounts of a merchant for what he could get. The accounts amounted to \$1,600 and were sold for less than \$1.00. Why? Because they belonged to that class of people who never pay an honest debt nor expect to pay one if they can help it. The prime cause of this state of things is the credit system. As the cancer is to humanity so is the credit system to the business world. Politicians are quarrelling about protection and free trade, but if the system of pay as you go could be impressed upon the people of this country it would be a vastly greater benefit than either. The credit system caters to the morbid desire of a certain class of people who live beyond their means. It gives them a chance to get everything they want. Then there is a class of people that lack moral stamina. They never pay a book account but may pay cash when they can't get credit. These human parasites are the cause of more real suffering than anything else under our government. The economy of nature, perfect as it is, lacks one thing, a jumping off place for dead beats.—Exchange.

We are the only people in Colorado that carries a complete line of stoves and all stove accessories. H. L. Hutchinson & Company.

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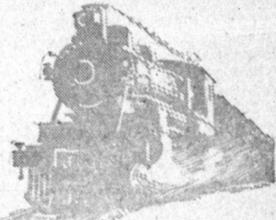
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If you have not secured a new winter suit or overcoat, no more fitting occasion to don it than on Thanksgiving.

In the line of hats, shoes, sweaters, ties, gloves, hosiery, etc., we are showing the most approved things.

Our cleaning and pressing department is still in commission and busy all the time. Clothes called for and delivered. Just phone 154.

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

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LISTEN!

If you find a certain road closed to you in life, and ambition lies ahead of it, you must find a way of skirting that path to reach your ambition.

If obstacles lie in your way, you must either climb over or find a road around them, and you will, if you are made of the right kind of stuff.

Build You a Home Rockwell Bros. & Company

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"Fashion's Latest Edict"

THE popularity of this novelty is due not alone to its beauty as a piece of jewelry, but also to its practical use.

We are showing many styles in Gold For DRESS OCCASIONS

Moderate priced ones For Automobile, Outing And Vacation Use

Our New Jewelry bought direct from THE MANUFACTURERS, is arriving daily. Beautiful designs in

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and at prices to suit all purses.

If It's NEW, We Have It

J. P. MAJORS

THE OLD RELIABLE JEWELER

LOCAL NOTES

Jake Mincer, of Dallas—the inimitable—is buying cotton here this week.

We handle the best line of iron beds and springs and we stand behind every one that we sell of these lines. H. L. Hutchinson & Company.

The Record congratulates its young friend and full-fledged attorney, Thos. R. Smith, on the excellence of the examination he recently sustained at El Paso. The grueling extended over a period of eleven days and was a most exhaustive one. He received his grade last week, which was 95.3. May a like degree of success attend his practice.

Trade us your cotton for a Pekin wagon and get the best wagon on the market—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Quite a number of Coloradans attended the San Angelo fair last week. They all report a successful fair and a pleasant trip.

Who has 320 acres good red catchaw sandy land they will sell worth the money. Must be near Colorado. I have the buyer. A. R. Wood.

Mr. J. M. Green brought to this office last week some splendid samples of the Jerusalem artichoke, raised on his place just north of town. In other West Texas localities the artichoke is very successfully grown for hog feed. The production of 25,000 pounds of this feed to the acre, is nothing uncommon.

Save express on wall paper by buying from W. L. Doss at home. He keeps a large selection of most popular patterns.

The Christian church at Colorado has called the Rev. J. W. Burkhardt to its pastorate and we understand that he has accepted and will soon move to that place. Rev. Burkhardt has resided here for several years and is regarded as a strong preacher and a most excellent gentleman.—Sweetwater Reporter.

If you wish the best, safest, most sanitary laundry, done promptly and delivered punctually, send us your clothes.—The Laundry.

Col. H. Wright left Sunday night for Waco to attend the Cotton Palace exhibition and other business. He promised to be good.

Queen of the Pantry flour has no superior for good cooking. McMurry sells it.

Put out a few trees around your place. It may require a few years to get results but just think how much in after years you will appreciate them. Both shade and fruit trees go to make a home more "homey."

McMurry carries the best and most varied line of staple and fancy groceries in the city. Try his service.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Doss attended the San Angelo fair last week and returned home by way of Brownwood.

A load both ways—cotton or feed in and coal back. See W. W. Porter.

Several O'Be-Joyfuls were extradited this week in the state of Inebriety and haled before the bar of justice to give an account of the well-springs of their hilarity. They confessed to the condition of the past part of "drinking," and swore by every saint in the calendar that they had taken nothing more corrosive or demoralizing than a bottle or so of innocuous brew admixture with a touch of medium soft cider, and that couldn't make a jay bird drunk—could it?

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.

Remember the days and get them fresh. Fish and oysters at Beal's Market.

County Attorney Newton C. Chaney has resigned the duties of his office and will likely leave Colorado in a short while.

McMurray sells the best quality of farm trucks; better see them before buying.

The McKenzies are domiciled in the W. R. Smith house for the winter.

Steel traps! Steel traps! All sizes and a full stock. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Miss Ella Dry returned last week from an extended visit with friends and relatives in Fort Worth, Mineral Wells and other places.

Fresh oyster season is here. Get them fresh at Beal's Market Fridays and Saturdays.

The ladies of the Christian church are having the parsonage put in apple pie order for their new pastor and family who will move in next week.

No better glasses made than Hawkes crystalline lenses. Why pay several times more for no better? W. L. Doss.

Mrs. Earl Anderson, of Hamlin, is visiting Mrs. Dunkleman and her brother this week.

Will trade coal and wood, bran and shorts for maize and cotton seed. W. W. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lay Powell and family motored to San Angelo last week to attend the fair.

Mrs. B. F. Mills can please the most fastidious tastes in millinery, in price, style, quality and workmanship.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wulfjen were visitors at the San Angelo fair last week.

W. O. W. members living here and holding membership at your old home are urged to come to my office, and I will gladly send for your transfer card for you. E. Keathley, Clerk.

Angelo Fair visitors from Colorado at the Standard office: J. N. Burk, F. B. Whipkey, B. L. Wulfjen and wife, Chas. H. Morgan, O. E. Avery, W. E. Bostwick, J. L. Doss and wife.—San Angelo Standard.

A car load of Forney hay on hand at John Vaughan's feed store.

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Mrs. Fred B. Whipkey of Colorado, Texas, wife of Editor Whipkey of the Record, formerly of West, is among the Cotton Palace visitors, the guest of Mrs. Fred Robinson at the Savoy.—Waco Times Herald.

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

Remember Mrs. A. L. Whipkey is still agent for the Curtis Publishing Company. Phone 157.

Be thankful for friends, that choice band that clasps your hand in confidence and faith.

When you see Porter think of coal.

See Porter. He sells any old thing.

MASS MEETING CALLED.

Every citizen of Colorado interested in the building of the new hotel, is requested to attend a mass meeting at the Chamber of Commerce in the Looney building Friday (tonight) November 12th, at 7 o'clock. Business of much importance will be considered. A large attendance is desired.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. P. C. COLEMAN, Chm.

IF YOU OWE ME.

Anything for work done, come in and pay it. I must have the money due me in order to meet my own obligations. A hint to the wise is sufficient. Fred Myer. 11-191p

\$100 REWARD.

For the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who kerosined and fired the closet located on the property formerly belonging to F. E. McKenzie, now owned and controlled by F. M. Bourn, which occurred on Saturday night, November 7th, 1915. 11-12-pd F. M. BOURN.

One can hardly be expected to take the scale weights of friend, M. B. Roddy literally this week, as he is seeing things "big" since last Thursday night. On Friday he showed up at the Record office for the first time in two months looking cheery as a bantam rooster in early morning. We knew he had something on his system that would not keep, but said nothing, waiting for friend Roddy to bile over—and he biled. "Say," he began, "you can tell 'em a flue 16-pound boy came to my home last night and all of 'em say he is the very spit of his daddy." We reached for the lead billy that depends just above our desk, but before we could land, friend Roddy had dripped out and was going strong toward the warehouse. He looked as important as if he were trying for a Roosevelt medal and was next to head of the class.

The hop joint opened some weeks ago across from the Record office has gone the way of all grass, and its promoters have returned whence they came or migrated to greener fields, but impossibly, to greener suckers. Not only is it true that a man or dog may be known by the company he keeps, but the quality of all drinks may be approximately gauged by the reputation of the folks who drink it. There be a few choice and bibulous spirits in every community whose going to church more than once would put the sacred edifice under suspicion of harboring a "speak easy." Whenever a place announces that it sells only the most innocent, bland and stumpywater drinks, aiming to cater solely to the ultra-temperate crowd, and yet verges as closely as possible to the danger line of alcoholics; there's no need to watch the place for presumptive evidence. The personnel of its patrons is morally conclusive. They will gravitate to such place by force of the same law that water runs down hill. Even though they may get soused on the "riot stuff" that comes from San Angelo, they will be drawn to the near saloon by the irresistible law of association. The existence of such places in any prohibition community declares on its face, that the promoters have every immoral intent and desire to violate the law, but lack the courage to do so openly.

'Squire Mike Ratliff's mill of justice may grind a trifle slow for those seeking that commodity in good sooth, but to those who are getting that particular article, it macerates the grist quickly and palpably. If you don't believe he's a conscientious miller, try him on a misdemeanor, big, medium or little. This is merely preface to the announcement that his judicial eye never sleeps. Nor was it heavy last Tuesday night. He was up and about in the name of the law and brought back to his mill grist in the form of nearly a dozen offenders against the peace and dignity of the state of Texas and contrary to the statutes made and provided for the chastisement of those who tempt the fickle goddess with playing cards. In celebration of which righteous labors, His Honor indulged in an early morning shave, reefed another hole in his belt, moistened his judicial hands, and hit the hard trail of the transgressor again.

WOULD INVEST \$1,000,000 IN HALE COUNTY.

Several financiers, represented by Judge I. R. Kelso, of St. Louis, Mo., accompanied by A. C. Randolph of Plainview, Hale county, were in Austin recently and conferred with the Attorney General regarding the trust laws and other corporation laws of the State.

This was done before an investment of \$1,000,000 is made in Hale county. The capitalists will invest this money in electric, ice and water plants centering about Plainview.

A NEW BARBER SHOP.

Mr. C. E. Thrasher, who has worked in the Dozier barbershop the past several months, has purchased the shop one door west of his former location from Mr. Bohannon, and will conduct an establishment of his own at the latter place.

Mr. Thrasher is no stranger to the people of this town and contiguous community. By his gentlemanly deportment, universal civility and unusual skill in his art, he has made many friends in the business, and will no doubt liberally share the public patronage. He will immediately begin the improvement and enlargement of the facilities of his shop, which, when completed will be the equal of any like establishment in this section. The Record bespeaks for Mr. Thrasher a liberal division of the local patronage of the tonsorial art.

HOW TO PREVENT CROUP.

It may be a surprise to you to learn that in many cases croup can be prevented. Mrs. H. M. Johns, Elida, Ohio, relates her experience as follows: "My little boy is subject to croup. During the past winter I kept a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house, and when he began having that croupy cough I would give him one or two doses of it and it would break the attack. I like it better for children than any other cough medicine because children take it willingly, and it is safe and reliable." Obtainable everywhere.

It was good for that down-and-out feeling to run plump into our old friend (the term old refers to the tried quality of our friendship, not to the number of his years) Sam, Snowden in the solid flesh last Friday. He had not been cramped in the haunts of commercialism nor his powers contracted by any pent-up Utica, for some months, and was, therefore, fresh from his communings with Nature and the simple life. His smile was as comprehensive as of yore, his spirits as light, his belt line undiminished, and his appetite had shed none of its edge. May he live long and as big around as he is now.

COMING SOON.

At the Opera House, Mary Pickford in "Tess of the Storm Country" in motion pictures.

Ben Morgan dispenses hot chocolate, bouillon and the best dripped coffee, day and night.

Pone McMurry your wants when in need of quick and efficient service in the grocery line.

The Best Goods Always

Fresh fish and oysters Fridays and Saturdays, the very best we can get.

A nice line of packing house goods.

Pure Hog Lard.

BEAL'S Market

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McMurray sells the best quality of farm trucks; better see them before buying.

Latest creations in both high and low hats, at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

THANKSGIVING IS NEARLY HERE



November 25th Is Thanksgiving

Have something to be thankful for—have your suit or overcoat made to measure by

International

and get it for Thanksgiving. Let us send your order to tailors that know how to tailor. Get your next suit or overcoat made to measure by **International Tailors**. You will be delighted. Price for price, their wools are the highest grades, and in buying clothes the intrinsic value of fabric is of first importance.

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Your suit will look the very essence of smartness, and it's smartness with good substantial service.

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Delivery of Suits Ordered This Week Guaranteed by Thanksgiving

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In Motion Pictures

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19th

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JONH BARRYMORE IN THE CELEBRATED ADVENTUROUS ROMANCE "THE DICTATOR"

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PRICED AT \$10.00 \$12.50 \$15.00 \$17.50 \$20.00 \$22.50 25.00 27.50 AND \$30.00

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FRIDAY TO-DAY

NOV. 12th

Charlie Chaplin

"In the Bank"

The Best of all Comedies.

TUESDAY

NOV. 16

Fox Feature

"Celebrated Scandal"

Betty Nansen

THURSDAY World Feature

Don't miss these attractions.

Watch for New Fox Feature announcements.



Mrs. Y. D. McMurry has as her guests this week her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Miller, and brother, Dr. Miller, of El Paso.

Regular dinner—"all-you-can-eat" kind—served at Jake's.

You can find the newest goods at Mrs. B. F. Mills' every week.

Mrs. N. J. Phenix left this week for a visit with relatives in Fort Worth and with her son, Vance, in Baylor University and will go from there to the Baptist State Convention in Austin.

Mr. Farmer! Why pay rent when I can sell you a good farm on easy time. A. R. Wood, City.

Jake's still headquarters for good eating.

Fields Jackson left for his home in Lometa after an extended visit with his sister, Mrs. J. L. Allen.

Fire and tornado insurance written by E. Keathley.

A Hoosier—\$1 down and \$1 a week pays for same. They save miles of steps for tired feet. H. L. Hutchinson & Company.

Dr. N. J. Phenix attended the meeting of the Southern Medical Association at Dallas this week.

Tell me what you want in the way of farms or town property; I may have just what you want, if I haven't I will get it for you. Try me. A. R. Wood.

No wagon is better than the Mogul wagon sold by McMurry.

Tombstones erected by E. Keathley.

See Ed Dupree if you want to buy 307 acres of good land cheap. 100 acres in cultivation, good five-room house. Will give good terms. Ed Dupree, 1tc

The Record congratulates the Methodist connection in securing Rev. R. A. Clements as pastor for another year. Aside from his general popularity and acceptability to his own congregation, the great work he has inaugurated and successfully carried through the past year, demanded his return for its ultimate finishing.

Mrs. A. L. Whipkey is agent for the Ladies' Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post and The Country Gentleman.

No wagon is better than the Mogul wagon sold by McMurry.

Fresh oysters Friday and Saturday at Beal's.

Price Echols, of Coahoma, was a business visitor here this week.

Pay me now and I can pay you later.—Porter.

Coming November 15th, Opera House the New Wizard of Wiseland, 32 people.

The Stell children have fully recovered from their recent attack of diphtheria.

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 pure Tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

Mr. Land Owner! Now is the time to list your lands with me for sale. I have the buyer. A. R. Wood, Colorado, Texas.

Nothing has to date been said about arrangements for the union Thanksgiving services, that always have been and always should be held in every civilized community. Never had this country, state or county, more to be thankful for than during this good year of grace. Let us have an announcement by next week. The farmer, merchant or professional man who is not appreciative enough of the blessings he has enjoyed the past year, in the way of health, soundness of mind, security of property and material prosperity, to take one hour on November 25th, to recount these benefits, which have come to him entirely outside himself nor of his own making, hardly deserves a continuance of them, but stands in danger of having "the candlestick removed."

Candy—the best and freshest always at Ben Morgan's.

White Crest flour keeps the cook in good humor. Buy one sack and be satisfied.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cook and baby, of Darmit, visited his sister, Mrs. De Garmo, Saturday.

I have a good 7-room house, three acres of land in East Colorado, will sell cheap on easy time, will take good team or cows as first payment. A. R. Wood. 11-12-c

W. J. Cook returned this week from a visit with his sons on Silver Creek.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days your druggist will refund money if FAZO 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.

Miss Ruby Franklin is on the sick list this week.

When you see coal think of Porter.

Miss Eva Walker, of Sweetwater, is the guest of her uncle, Bruce De Garmo, this week.

If it's an 80, 160, or 320 acre farm well located you want, I have it. A. R. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Johnson, of Sweetwater, motored up Wednesday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Morgan.

In big lumps off of the car. See Porter the coal man.

Henry Cook and family, of Silver Creek, visited his sister, Mrs. De Garmo, last Saturday.

Dallas Morning News agency at Ben Morgan's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bryan and son, Ernest, of Sweetwater, visited Mr. and Mrs. De Garmo Sunday.

Get your base burners, I have plenty of anthracite coal.—Porter.

Order That Winter Suit Now

and have it ready by

THANKSGIVING Manuel

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hanna and baby, of Sweetwater, visited their uncle, Bruce De Garmo, Sunday.

Miss Iva Harris, of Pittsburg, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. W. T. Bevel and Mrs. H. R. Edmonds.

If in need of glasses go to Doss' and be fitted with Hawkes crystalline lenses. None better made. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of Baylor university, and incidentally a candidate for the United States senate, addressed the citizens of Abilene and the Taylor county teachers' institute, Wednesday night. The Record makes the suggestion that an address by Dr. Brooks before the Mitchell county teachers' institute next month, would not only be appropriate but highly interesting.

The largest stock of exclusive millinery to be found in West Texas, at all times and in all seasons, is at your disposal at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Byron B. Byrne, district agent for the Studebaker cars, in company with Mr. Lacy, the state agent, returned yesterday from an extended trip over the West, visiting Midland, Alpine, Ft. Stockton and Pecos. Byron reports the sale of 21 cars on this trip.

Doss has many remnants of good wall paper; you can get them cheap.

Seed wheat—I got it.—Porter.

W. L. Doss spent part of the week in Dallas and while there he says he bought the largest lot of Christmas books ever brought to Colorado. Among the lot was a large assortment of gift bibles. He secured a new thing in family bibles.

Just received a shipment of trunks, suit cases and hand grips. Get our prices before you purchase. H. L. Hutchinson & Company.

Dr. Hill Lindley, of Oklahoma, is visiting his nephew, Dr. W. R. Lindley.

Teachers examination paper, the kind prescribed by the state at the Record office.

Misses Lela Whipkey and Ruby Campbell visited Mrs. Bruce Phenix in Loraine Saturday.

Mrs. E. A. Campbell visited her daughter in Loraine this week.

Mrs. A. J. Culpepper, of Westbrook, is in town this week.

Porter for anthracite coal.

Be thankful for work; blessed indeed is the man who has found his life's work.

REOPEN PANAMA CANAL BY MIDDLE OF DECEMBER.

Panama, Nov. 8.—The progress of the dredging operations in the new channel of the Panama Canal at Gaillard cut has been so satisfactory that it is now virtually assured there will be a channel a hundred feet wide by thirty feet deep through the slide area by the middle of December. The dredges have been removing debris at a rate of exceeding one million cubic yards a month—an average of 35,000 cubic yards daily. The canal engineers say one favorable sign is the ability of the dredges to maintain the channel they cut.

BETTY NANSEN

THE ROYAL ACTRESS IN HER FIRST MADE-IN-AMERICA PHOTOPLAY

THE CELEBRATED SCANDAL

The Great Stage Success by Jose Echegaray, The Spanish Shakespeare.

Released Through the Box Office Attraction Company of America.

Shadowland, Tuesday, November 16, Matinee and Night.

The achievement of William Fox, in bringing to this country Betty Nansen, the celebrated tragedienne and Europe's royal actress, marks a new epoch in the production of photoplays.

Miss Nansen is the star of the Royal Theatre in Copenhagen. She has been decorated by kings and emperors. She was the friend and inspiration of Henrik Ibsen and the creator of his hectic heroines. Of her this master dramatist said, "She does not act; she is."

Betty Nansen makes her debut before the American public in The Celebrated Scandal by Jose Echegaray, the famous Spanish playwright. Miss Nansen's role in this production gives full scope to her powers of emotional expression. She is cast as Donna Teodora, the beautiful young wife of Don Julian, a model husband but perhaps just a bit jealous. The home of the happy couple is shared by Ernesto, a young relative of Don Julian's. Ernesto is a budding dramatist. Teodora is much interested in his work and quite naturally the pair are drawn together.

This innocent companionship is foundation enough for malicious gossip to build upon. Calumny constructs the inevitable triangle and though Don Julian knows in his heart that his wife is blameless, he cannot rid himself of vague doubts and disquieting thoughts.

The climax comes when Don Julian is killed in a duel by Marquis Alvarez, chief of the scandal-mongers who had been tormenting him. Ernesto challenges the Marquis and in a furiously fought duel avenges his kinsman's death. Then the boy turns on the pack of gossiping busy-bodies who, in idle malice, have wrecked a home and destroyed a life, and with terrific denunciation drives them forever from his life and Teodora's.

Director James Durkin deserves full credit for a remarkable filmplay. He had made the most of the thrilling situations with which the production abounds, and the care with which the details are worked out denotes the hand of a master craftsman.

Miss Nansen is supported by Edward Jose, former leading man with Sarah Bernhardt, Wilmoth Merky, Walter Hitchcock, Stuart Holmes and a full cast of players of sterling ability.

JAPAN'S NEW EMPEROR CONFIRMED.

Tokio, Nov. 10.—Yoshihito was confirmed or consecrated Emperor of Japan in Kioto, the ancient capital, today, and in every city, town and village throughout the Empire, wheresoever, indeed, a Japanese was to be found, the event was celebrated in some fitting manner. The Japanese call the consecration "Go Tairei," or the Great Ceremony, implying the greatest of all national ceremonies. When they are speaking English they refer to it as the Coronation.

The new sovereign neither subscribed to oaths nor took a hereditary crown upon his head. No clergyman, priest or archbishop officiated as the intermediary between Heaven and Earth.

Here the Emperor himself is supreme. Here the coronation takes the form of announcing to the spirits of the imperial ancestors that he has formally succeeded to the emperorship, that he has come into possession of the three Divine Treasures, and that he has actually ascended the "Takamikura" or imperial throne, and from the throne he announces to his subjects that he has been consecrated as Emperor.

Be thankful for rest; for the nights when kind slumber mothers you like a loved child.



The World Holds Nothing Better

than a modern, thoroughly equipped farm—run on a strictly scientific basis—and ITS smiles are always kindly for the successful toiler in Its Great Out-of-Doors.

A BANK ACCOUNT is the latest farm equipment and one which the up-to-date farmer cannot afford to be without.

We earnestly solicit your account, Mr. Farmer, and you're always welcome at OUR BANK.

THE CITY NATIONAL BANK

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Be thankful for your country and for its officers who labor for its welfare and honor. It is an easy thing for a man to resist temptation if he has something better in sight.—New York World.

Everything in house furnishings from the cellar to the garret, and we will make the prices right. H. L. Hutchinson & Company. We have full line stove boards stove pipe, elbow and T joints. Colorado Mercantile Co.

"Safety first," said the wise man as he kissed his own wife. Be thankful for all those who strive to make this land safe, fruitful, clean and prosperous.

School pupils examination paper with heading printed at the Record office. Just unloaded car White Crest flour, the best to be had.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

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