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SIX MEN HURT IN EXPLOSION

Taken to City Hospital From Beau- J. C. Prude received a wire from

ing, flooded the boiler room with steam Mr. Badgett, of Cuthbert, shipped burned and scalded. One of them, El- market Tuesday mer Runyan of 2710 Olive street losing both his feet.

The men were sent to the city hospital. They were Joe Leahy, G. W. Mitchell, Joe File and Runyan, white stokers, and George Hayden and Charles Clardy, negroes.

yan's feet were so badly burned that 8:30 p. m. they would have to be amputated.

and was seriously injured by his fall, besides being scalded. The men were dragged by other em-

ployes from the floor, where they lay amid scalding jets of steam. street, superintendent, said he could

The boilers of the plant were inspected last week by representatives & Great Northern, railway, occupied of an insurance company, and were prominent position and was regarded declared to be in good condition .-

not explain the explosion.

A. E. Maddin returned from Nail ranch near Midland Saturday night. He reports a good rain over the western country and no loss of from vice, but in not desiring it cattle on the ranch.

St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 28 .- The explo- 10. H. Sayder received a wire from

CECIL LYON DIES AT SHERMAN AFTER SHORT ILLNESS.

Word was received by Adjutant General Hutchings Tuesday night of the death of Brigadier General Cidil A. At the hospital it was said that Run- Lyon, which occurred at Sherman at

General Lyon, who was brigade com-Clardy fell from a high platform mander of the Texas national shard was one of the best known military

and business men in the state. Active in politics as head of the Texas bull moosers, General Lyon was beloved by all who came in contact George E. Chamberlain of 3626 Olive with him, whether they were demo crats, republicans or of his party. In railroad circles General Lyon, as receiver of the International

## paign Before People.

Permanent Committee Named Sweetwater to Conduct Cam-

sidering ways and means of securing pree, Don Biggers, W. A. Barnes. an agricultural and mechanical college for West Texas. Delegates from twelve mittee was appointed to consist of counties and fifty towns were in at- one delegate from each county repre-

FOR WEST TEXAS IS

ado, presided over the meeting. Hon. A. B. Yantis, mayor of Sweet- cers. water, made an address of welcome, after an invocation by Rev. C. A. En- noon. gle. Judge R. N. Grisham spoke of The Need of an Agricultural and Mechanical College in West Texas." ternoon and the report of the com-Open discussion was led by Thomas mittee on permanent organization was Abilene Chamber of Commerce.

commissioner of Austin; F. C. Weincomm. ssioner; Peter Whaley, secre-Amarillo, and Don Biggers, of Lubbock, were speakers of the day.

committee of one delegate from each of San Angelo, was an interesting feacounty for a permanent organization ture. Among the speakers were Mr. to secure an agricultural and mechani- Owen, Hon. H. M. Bainer, of the cal conlege for West Texas, and the Santa Feath. C. Hord and others. publicity work will begin at once.

The meting was called for the purcetwater Theater building The large auditorium of the building was comfortably filled when the meet-

St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 28.—The explo-sion of a boiler tube in the Polar Wave Marcus Snyder, of Pecos, advising the discussion of the Addent's suggestion of reform of court upon their shoulders must rest pri-tion Co. slowly at Lawton avenue and him that he had a good rate out his point. He urged organization, stating "What is Justice?" One of the greatthat if this or any other great object est thinkers of antiquity is credited in the administration of Justice. The and caused six stokers to be severely a car of fat steers to the Fort Worth organized effort. He extended a most was to be achieved, there must be loyal welcome to the guests, saying that while it was customary for the keys of the town to be turned over to the visitors, Sweetwater had no keys, government and Benjamin Franklin only a latch and the string was hung said that injustice was plunder. Presion the outside.

> Dr. Coleman, of Colorado presided at the meeting. In a few well chosen words he stated the object of the meeting. T. F. Hodge, secretary of in the world; and I say that the Chamber of Commerce, was chosen it is an immediate and imperasecretary of the meeting.

> Hon. Porter A. Whaley, secretary of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce. was next introduced and made a splendid address. He urged that it was not the object of those present to as our government was formed for stitution in every way possible. He stated that there were now over a million people who had crossed "The Rubicon" and were making a farming these people needed assistance in the way of a school where the conditions better suited the people desiring this

The speaker referred to the State girls had to go to the Missouri bottems for their education what do you think the result would be?" He said that Amarillo and the adjacent counrv which he had the honor to represchool for West Texas.

was not introduced and in an elothe school, etc. His address brought reat applause. He urged that West Tevas was large enough for any the free school and entirely too large for any-

The following delegates were reported present at this juncture of the Texas !

Coleman, W. H. Haney, Dr. Hen-AIM OF MEETING. thorne, A. J. Coe, C. M. Adams, B. S. Van Tuyl, Jesse Ponder, J. H. Greene; at Howard County-Will Hayden, J. W. Fisher, H. W. Halley; Abilene-H. L. Bentley, Bob Warren; Post City-B. H. Oxford; Hale Center-C. G. Whit-Sweetwater, April 8,-A convention ten; Abilene -B. F. Owen, J. W. Reed, has been in session here today con- C. W. Reed, H. L. Edwards, M. M. Du-

By motion of M. M. Dupree a comtendance. Dr. P. C. Coleman, of Color-sented to compose a committee to make recommendations for permanent offi-

The meeting adjourned until after-

The meeting reconvened in the af-F. Owen, of the an Angelo Chamber herd. The report recommended Dr. of Commerce and Fred Ward of the Coleman, of Colorado, for permanent president and T. F. Hodge, of Sweet-Fred W. Davis, state agriculture water, for secretary. An executive committee of seven was recommended. ert, state warehouse and marketing The other offices of the association are to be chosen by the committee.

The session gave way for addresses by State Commissioner of Agriculture, Fred Davis and Hon F. C. Weinert, of Thomas F. Hodges, of Sweetwater, sec- the Marketing Department. These adretary of the Chamber of Commerce, dresses were highly enjoyed and the was made chairman or the conven- audience tendered the distinguished gentlemen a vote of thanks. An open A motion was adopted to form a discussion led by Hon. Thos F. wen,

#### GUIL CHEAPER THAN INNO-CENCE.

gal Thefts.

deserts. James Madison said that need reforming as well as court protice was a capital imperfection in dent Wilson, in discussing Justice re-United States in its Judicial proevery other civilized government tive call upon us to rectify that, be-Inexpensiveness of Justice, the ready of Justice Itself.". The President's conclusions are especially significant, the avowed purpose of establishing voluntarily accept injustice as more speedy, inexpensive and ready of ac-

cess than Justice.

country of Western Texas and that we have reached a point in governprivilege, then if we are true to the sulted from following up advanced son, it is not only the right, but the ideas along agricultural lines. He duty of the citizens to abolish govern-

The men who signed the Declaration of the United States said they were for ling a government by the people a e degenerated into a govthis country is suffering lawvers. m" far more than Germany has ever legalized we become the and the vo

more in ay egalism." that is tyranerties and threatening I the nation. We need only to and and to act. The legal professi given the nation some rofound thinkers, and mind members of the when It Pid e the soul of honor.

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business and partisan strife and who daily make professional sacrifices to the highest ideals of citizenship, it is lawyer get together, two thieves have with effort that I can do other than this morning shortly after 10 o'clock. Lawyers Responsible for Le- glorify that profession, but as a citiereign, I am compelled to speak the can be no defense to offer for those (Editor's note. The following is the truth as I see it, in the hope of helparticles by J. S. the Texas Eco- ing the better element of the legal fraternity to restore and improve the

> ment of persons according to their ticed by many members of the bar, HELEN HOLMES IN THE ciety will greatly improve the admin-

istration of Justice Every good citizen should be proud glory in the achievements of the leaderation has witnessed more stupendous combined, and to speak the name of some of those who have plundered the heart of the American people with shame. But not in one instance has corporate property or the people been prostituted that a lawyer did man has a moral right to teach another how to steal, and the teacher, not the student, must take the major share of responsibility. When a dis-

honest business man and a dishoner met, and they, and not the property, should suffer, and neither should all penalized for their misconduct. There esty is never defensible, and the press. of the nation is to be commended for the misdeeds of such business men to the world, but the lawyers are the mary responsibility for all legal thefts.

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SPEECH OF HON. W. R. SMITH

Of Texas On The Mexican Situation. In The House of Representatives. March 10, 1916.

Mr. Speaker: I wish to call attention to a matter in regard to which Congress as well as the President may have a duty to perform. I refer to the disorder did not menace the peace and security of our own people, if it did not violate our own sovereignty, and if it did not extend itself across our own border and result in the assassination and outrage of our own people, we might, with some degree of patience continue to content ourselves with the policy of watchful waiting. However, the chaos and disorder reigning within the borders of Mexico, the failure of her people for so long a time to restore peace and government, and the absence of any reasonable prospect of there, either in the immediate or the distant future, give ample grounds for to be, to capture and punish these a re-examination of our position.

Mr. Speaker, revolution after revolution for many years have followed each other in rapid succession in that or would do so. It is absolutely idle unhappy country, during which cruel- to think of such a thing. Shall we ties, barbarities, outrages, and mus- content ourselves with only a warning ders against their own people as well to Carranza? As one of the Repreas Americans and other foreigners sentatives in this House of the Amerihave been and continue to be so num- can people who live along the Mexierous, flagrant, and inhuman as to can border, I want to make it clear shock the sensibilities and human that such a course would not satisfy

inhabitants impoverished and famished. Millions in American property has been destroyed, and American trade and commerce have suffered enormous losses; our citizens and soldiers have been shot from across the boundary line of the two countries; our territory has often been invaded by lawless bandits and our citizens terrorized and murdered and their property stolen; our neutrality laws have been violated and we have been and continue to be put to great effort and expense in protecting our border. All these things have constantly caused the greatest irritation, uneasiness, annovance, and disturbance among our

Primarily, of course, the duty of restoring peace and order in Mexico rests upon the people of Mexico themselves, and we have constantly recognized this fact. We have not only exercised great patience and forbearance toward them in the face of the greatest provocation to have acted otherwise, but we have stood ready at all times to render the most friendly assistance to them. In pursuance of this altruistic policy we recognized the de facto government of Carranza, in the hope that our recognition, together with the recognition given him by other American and European governments, would give him such advantages as would enable him to establish an efficient government and restore peace and order. But what has followed? A condition apparently as had and perhaps in some respects even worse than before. In territory which Carranza claims to control 18 American citizens were atrociously murdered. They were invited by Carranza authorities into Mexico, where they had property or employment. They went there with Carranza passports in their pockets, and, I am informed, with the strongest assurances of protection. On their way the train upon which they were traveling was stopped and because they were American citizens they were cruelly murdered and mutilated by Mexicans, and notwithstanding they were unarmed and

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helpless they were not given the slightest chance for their lives.

offending, unarmed, and helpless are not for peace. (Applause.) Americans, but up to this good hour it seems that nothing has been done CALOMEL DYNAMITES by him except to give his promise. It is patent to everyone that the Caror unable to make his promise good or to afford protection to Americans or

credit, without governmental machin- it, causing cramping and nausea. ery, and that he is moving about from place to place as far away from the pated and all knocked out, just go to danger zone as possible, while bandits your druggist and get a 50 cent bottle and outlaws are roaming about at will of Dodson's Liver Tone which is a looting and murdering.

thirsty, archvillain, Villa, under the your money. ower of night stealthily crossed the international border, crept into the American town of Columbus, set it on fire, and began the bloody work of murdering its inhabitants. When this massacre started the people were still asleep, having retired feeling they had all the security tris great government of ours could give. A number of civilians, including one woman, and a number of United States soldiers were killed and the town burned. And doubtless not a person in the town would have been left alive had it not been for the timely interference of our

Mr. Speaker, let me ask what our government should do with reference to this appalling crime? Shall we let it go unavenged? Shall we depend upon the Carranza government, weak and inefficient, as it has proven itself offenders? No. I dare say no one can be found who would for a moment believe the Carranza government could sympathies of the civilized world. The them. They demand that such action country has been devastated and its be taken by this government as will henceforth afford them adequate security and protection, and I believe they

> If we let this awful crime go un punished, there will in future be no safety for Americans living along the border of Mexico. Their feeling of security will be absolubely gone, and Mexican murderers will be encouraged to repeat the Columbus massacre when and where they please.

are entitled to make this demand.

Mr. Speaker, I know not what the views of the other members of this House may be regarding this matter but I want to say that I myself have come to a very definite conclusion This government should take the mat ter into its own hands. An edequate once be ordered to take the trail of this band of night assassins and pursue them until they are captured, dead or alive. (Applause.) If captured alive, they should be brought back to Columbus, where they are guilty of murder, and hanged. And I would put no 2-mile nor 15-mile limit on our roops. I would say, "Go to the utter most parts of Mexican territory if necessary." And I would say to Carranza, "We are only performing a duty in the name of justice and humanity that you should, but can not, perform We are determined that those who have violated our laws shall pay the pen-

If the President is without the authority to send troops into Mexico for such a purpose, then I am in favor of conferring the authority upon him

It is said that these murderous at tacks upon Americans are made by Mexico let our first and chief aim and purpose be to get his own head

Mr. Speaker, I am offering no criticism of our administratiion. The Presiall concerned, which he thought would teep us out of war with Mexico and course I have suggested should not into Mexican territory to capture and 8th. Highest market price bring back those who have committed such a diabolical crime against our people and against our laws should not provoke a war with Mexico, but if at Ben Morgan's. it should, if the Mexican people shall force a war upon us because we seek

tion which it is their duty to give us, but which they do not give us, then I Our government, as it should have say let it come. If peace is to be purdone, called upon Carranza to capture chased at the cost of other Columbus and punish the murderers of these un- massacres, then the people I represent

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ranza government is either unwilling Crashes into sour Bile, Making You

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If you feel bilious headachy, constiharmless vegetable substitute for dan-Mr. Speaker, the climax of this gerous calomel. Take a speenful and terrible and deplorable situation was if it doesn't start your liver and straireached when an armed band of Mexi- ghten you up better and quicker than can outlaws and murderers under the nasty calemel and without making command of that treacherous, blood. you cisk, you just go back and get

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In my opinion the business interests of this state have been victimized by a ring of corporation attorneys and politicians. To be more specific, some of the leading corporation lawyers have Texas by the throat and are strangling the life out of industry and of government, and menacing the liberties of the people. It is not the corporations or the business men, but dishonest and ambitious lawyers who are throwing society into convulsions and threatening the life of the nation. In this conclusion, I am sure I have the endorsement of the worthy members of the bar who feel keenly the reproach brought upon their profession by the immoral senduct of their disreputable brethren - 1 S Cullinan.

THE PRICE.

(By Dr Ffank Crane.)

After dinner comes the dishwashing, Every beautiful, white dress at a party means that somebody has stood over the tub, hands in the suds and face in the steam. The tidy room. with its dustless table and speckless carpet, implies someone who has pushed the broom and flourished the dust

Every beauty rests upon a background of ugliness. Every joy is rooted in sorrow. Do you reckon on this? Do you take your share of the world's hard work cheerfully and as a matter of course? Or are you always looking to skim the cream from life and leave the skim milk for others?

Under the rose is a thorn, the banana has a skin, and the watermelon a rind.

things that are hard and prickly. So mind to pay the cost

Even love and religion have their menial necessities. Even the creator must attend to the necessary processes of dissolution and decay.

Crops imply dung heaps, liberty costs death, and progress is paid for by what tragedies and failures! Then why whine, if for the prizes of life you have to pay the price?

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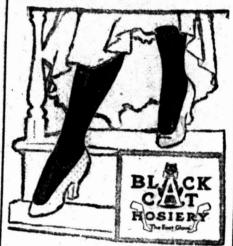
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T. & P. MAIL TRAIN ROBBED.

Shreveport, La., March 30 .- Robbers boarded Texas & Pacific mail train No. 23 at the depot at Shreveport early this morning as the train was pulling out. They entered the mail car, bound and gagged two mail clerks and took from the car two pouches of registered mail and left the train at Shreveport Junction, about two miles from the

A hurried official notification of the robbery was made by an official of the road to the local police, who immediately dispatched a squad of officers in a high powered automobile after the robbers. It is said there were two of them. The value of the contents of the

registered pouches is not known and no information regarding them can be gained from the local postoffice. No. 23 is the fast mail train running

between New Orleans and Fort Worth and left Shreveport at 11.55 p. m. last

The robbers are supposed to have masked themselves after they entered the mail car, and surprised the clerks. They left the train at what is known as the north "Y" and made their way toward a creosote plant nearby.

All the information the police have was given them by J. F. Warner, a yard man of the Texas & Pacific. was on the train. He was to acquaint the officers with the details as far as he knew.

The only description that can b gained of the robbers is that they were young men, the mail clerks being unable to say whether they were white men or negroes or if thy were

All state and federal officials concerned have been notified and are in pursuit of the bandits, although the etc. Shreveport police believe the men may possibly have boarded the northbound Kansas City Southern train leaving here at 12.25 a. m.

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The rain did everything good except the gutters in the business part of town. Owing to the culverts being filled with sand and the utter lack of any grawity and outlet, the water backed over the sidewalks in several places and will stagnate and smell to heaven unless something is done to relieve the condition.

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Attorney Royall G. Smith made a professional trip to Abilene and Fort Worth last week.

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Take your tin vessels of all kinds farden truck will now be the order to R. B. Terrell for quick and lasting soldering. He does it while you wait to take it home.

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Cyclone season is coming. I will nsure your house a year for \$1,000 at cost to you of \$2. E. Keathley.

Mrs. Jas. L. Dow left this morning for Colorado City to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dorn, for a few days.-Lubbock Avelanche.

Why not let us deliver your orders for meat? Just phone us your wants and we'll do the rest. Pickens &

Now that it has begun to rain, there will likely be enough and to spare.

No Disappointments If You Take Your Prescriptions to Charters & Sadler

They run an all-day Sunday service and THREE REGISTERED DRUG-GISTS to serve you.

Pure Drugs, Prompt Service, at Reasonable Prices.

CHARTERS & SADLER

D. F. Glisson, of Lockney, was business visitor here this week.

in Colorado last Tuesday for the first of siatica-he is in greatly improved

DR. BROOKS SPEAKS.

numerous pastoral duties.

Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of Baylor University and candidate for the United States senate, spoke here at the tabernacle last Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when he was greeted by a fairly good size crowd of most attentive bisteners.

After briefly discussing his ideas of what a democratic government should be, he pointed out some abuses that exist today in our legislative proce-During the high wind that prevailed dure. He then reviewed the salient Drs. Mickle and Fuller were called last Friday morning, the big sign of points o This platform, sparingly dealone day last week to attend the 15- W. L. Doss, which hung across the ing in premises of what he would do months old child of Mr. Alford, of the sidewalk, was blown loose at one end if elected to the senate, but clearly Cedar Bend community, which had and came down crashing through one indicating measures for which he swallowed a copper harness brad fully of the big plate glass windows in his would stand and legislation he would an inch in length. The brad was extri- store front. Of course, glass, like try to effect. His position on nacated with much difficulty and the child Perry Bracy's 'possums, "have riz" tional prohibition as a constitutional during the war, and the cost of re- amendment was lucid and pointedly Buy your meats from Pickens & placing this window will be consider- stated, as well as upon his support of able. Old Boreas did the damage while President Wilson in the latter's policy

than one hour and there was not a verandas of the villa of Horace rose bishubert sympnony sund dull moment during his entire speech. music and song in the soft spring sa Lynn Corder, soprane; attention and con the upon in expension and control of the control met in the market soon after daylight, was Zendt, contralto, at made a most favorable impression and and Rowden cotton seed. See me at cational institution. Colorado is not speech, at which place he spoke again shop.

When you come to Sweet-

Pfles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

J. A. Buchanan is now City Recorder for the City of Colorado, Texas. If you are caught red-handed in any infraction of the law and are apprehended by the marshal or constable and haled before the bar of justice, you Monday was a busy day in Colorado, have your choice between Mike Ratflack lear varnishes and enamels, also There was a good crowd of farmers liff and Buch as to getting what old wago and buggy paints. H. L. making the final preparations to be- Dame Justice has waiting for you, gin operations in dead earnest. The without the benefit of clergy. Buch intimated to us when we congratulated him upon the avalanche of new honors, that he would appreciate being saluted as "Square" Buchanan" and this notice is a pointer as well as a tip Mr. Dawson Lyde, of Camden, Ark., to that contingent who may become is visiting his cousin, Preston J. Scott. enmeshed in the convolutions of the

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

From a small beginning the sale and use of this remedy extended to all parts of the United States and to many foreign countries. When you have need of such a medicine give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial and you will understand why it has become so popular for coughs, colds and croup. Obtainable everywhere.

"The Girl and the Game," Wednes

DON'T FORGET SECOND MONDAY.

Next Monday will be Second Monday again, and greater preparations are being made for a busy day in Colorado than have occurred on previous similar occasions. The business men of the town are beginning to sit up and take notice that persistent and consistent hammering in the same spot will eventually produce a dent in the hardest head.

Mr. E. Paulson has been prime mover in this direction and to his continual efforts to impress upon the citizens of the town the value of the opportunity these trade days offer to the business interests of the town to cultivate a closer co-operation between town and country people, is due much of the success so far achieved. So, come to Colorado next Monday

with the spirit of trade and traffic in

your blood and profit in your mind. Everything in the shape of chattels Good second hand Ford at a bargain. will be legal tender for its qu'd pro tt quo on that day. Come prepared to swap anything from farms to pocket Rev. A. D. Leach, of Westbrook, was knives. Bring in your spavined wrecks from the lazarhouses of horsetime in several months. Although yet dom and take home one blind as a navigating with the support of a cane bat or a stumpsucker. If you don't -relic of his recent severe attack want to trade, come prepared to buy or sell something. The Record hopes condition and able to attend to his to get the merchants interested to the extent of offering prizes a d bonuses for different offerings on the market, rebates on bills to certain amounts. premiums for the farmer bringing the greatest variety of home grown stuff for sale or trade. There is no reason why Colorado should not promote as successful trade day as any town of West Texas, and the Record reiterates its conviction, that only a little team work is needed to accomplish this end, However, a little improvement in interest, attendance and volume of business done with every passing month, will soon work wonders in this direction. Even though you have take, it will help a good cause along just to drop around to headquarters at Paulson's wagon yard and feed store next Monday and stand up to be

> Thomas Purcell, violinist, showed great technical skill and brilliant ex- M. Adams, J. H. Bullock, Ben S. Van hankered after the honors of politics. ecution in his violin numbers and his tion of the possibilities of this instrument.-Duluth News-Tribune.

SEED! SEED! SEED!

ripe strawberries from his patch, as the Opera House April 1, under the gained many friends to his candidacy. once if you need any cotton seed, selfish in the matter. It would hardly well as young "spanrowgrass." And auspices of the Hesperian Club. Prices He left for Roscoe soon after his First door west of Fred Meyer's shee be within the scope of reasonable

funeral of Elmer Runyan last Tues- in boosting for a more eligible and ac- if day morning were his father, I. J. cessible point. But wherever it may and brothers, Alfred, George, John, go, the Record hopes for the spirit of Bert and Walter, of Coahoma and Mr. fair play and the reputation of the Congressman Smith and will go to + water, Texas, drive your car in + water. Mrs. Dred McKinney, a s ster, auction block and knocked off to the Anapolis in June for his preliminary the National Southern Highway the National Southern Highway the National Southern Highway the National Southern Highway to highest bidder, as some other of its the last thirty-six hours. All of the examination. The Record congratulates Garage, on the west side of the present on account of high water in institutions have been disposed of in Concho country is soaked. The rain-Harry Smith, carrier on route three, Alfred upon his nomination for such described and the hotels. No described that vicinity, which tied up the rail- West Texas.

> The postoffice at Abilene will go into the first class after April 1st.

To the People of Colorado and Mitchell County

J. AVING acquired the business formerly conducted by Mr. J. A. Glover, we wish to announce to the good people of Colorado and Mitchell county that we have cast our lot among you and have come to stay. It is not our purpose to remain a few months, reap the cream of your recent bountiful crops and at the first indications of business laxness pull up and seek other fields. We have come to share your fortunes, good or ill.

We shall greatly enlarge the present stock, both in volume and lines, carrying first class staple and fancy groceries and all else that pertains to an upto-date grocery business.

We Shall Buy For the Cash and Sell On the Same Basis

giving our patrons the benefit that results from quick returns, small profits and a minimum of losses.

We shall be glad to meet the people of this community, and to the end of a better acquaintance, invite you to come to our store whether you buy or not. We want you to feel that we are here to serve you in your grocery needs, and will keep at all times a stock worthy your careful investigation.

Yours for Service,

COOK & MORROW

SWEETWATER VISITORS.

Representing the town of Colorado

P. A. BURNETT. 4-7-p probability to expect the lightning of Cafe, fruit and confectionary stand location to strike Colorado, but the on wheels. Our motto-quick nickels, The out of town attendants upon the town will act the part of a good sport beats slow dimes.

W. L. Doss has a big lot of wall most reasonable prices.

LAY POWELL FOR COMMISSIONER.

Lay Powell has shiel his Stetson in general and the Chamber of Com- into the political ring and announces merce in particular, the following in the proper column that he will delegation attended the meeting at meet all comers till the gong sounds Sweetwater last Wednesday in the in- on the day of the primary election in terests of the promotion of the loca- July. Mr. Powell is known to every tion of an Agricultural and Mechani- man, woman and child in this precal College at some advantageous cinct and very favorably, at that. He point in West Texas: J. H. Greene, C. has never held official position or Tuyl, T. H. Roe, A. J. Coe, Sam Maj- He is a farmer by accident and a cowwork on the mandelin was a revela- ors, Dr. W. H. Henthorne and Dr. P. man by nature. He is sound, careful and level-headed in all bus ness trans-These gentlemen represent practi- actions, and having made a success cally every line of business in Color- of his private business, the presumpado, and went with a determined pur- tion is fair that he would do as well

NOTICE,

When in town try the Little Jitney

C. M. WOOTEN, Prop.

WORTH MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

San Angelo, exas, April 1.- Drenching rains have been falling here for fall is valued at millions of dollars.

County trips a specialty. See J. W. paper—the best and cheaper grades, at Kirkpatrick. Day phone 65; night

## Announcement

Our hearts are so overflowing with joy and relief from the blessings we have all received. Considering the conditions of the roads, the conveniences of our Colorado and Roscoe stores and the trade at large, the inconvenience of attending our Style Show, which we intended to have the afternoon and evening of April 4th, we have decided it much better for all to postpone this event until.

Monday, April 10th At 4 P. M. and 7 P. M.

at which time we will have

Baby Show and Grand Style Show

We are greatly encouraged and enthused with the interest shown for this special occasion. Others have entered and are striving to get ready. Telephone inquiries are repeatedly being received. Our arrangements have been completed so far as the selection of judges and boosters from each town. More attractions and amusements have been added for your pleasure and joy. A well known poet of Chicago will impersonate the old time court fool or jester, making everyone laugh with his crazy antics; an amusement feature introduced for the first time here or even throughout West Texas; indeed, this new attraction feature is as totally different as our Style Show will be altogether different from any other style show you have ever attended. You will miss the biggest, merriest, and most profitable Style Show ever given in this section of our State, if you fail to be present. Plenty of room, excellent music and refreshments will be offered generously. Neither expense nor pains spared for your pleasure.

. L. Edmondson

Loraine - Colorado - Roscoe

## Now For a Year

ECONOMICAL The Big Sale over with, and the January sales a thing of the past, we have now settled down to giving you a season of the most economical and satisfactory buying this commuity has ever witnessed. With new goods coming right along, with our shelves stocked with everything your heart could desire, with prices battered to the past, we have now settled down to giving you a season of the most economical and satisfactory buying this commuity has ever witnessed. With new goods coming right along, with our shelves stocked with everything your heart could desire, with prices battered to the past of the past, we have now settled down to giving you a season of the most economical and satisfactory buying this commuity has ever witnessed. With new goods coming right along, with our shelves stocked with everything your heart could desire, with the year of BUYING down until it is impossible to lower them even another penny, this store offers you wonderful opportunities in keeping with the year of prosperity that is before our country. It makes no difference whether you are a customer or not, whether you are ready to buy or not, we extend to you a hearty invitation to make this store your headquarters, to examine our goods, to make yourself as much at home here

as you would be within the walls of your own house. We ask no more than this, for we know that

your own good judgment will be your guide in the selection of your purchases. You will be our welcome guest at all times, patron or not.

C. M. Adams

## Theatre

**♥ WHERE QUALITY REIGNS ♥** 

TO-DAY Friday, April

These Features are in first class condition, assuring good ictures. And when you see a FOX Feature you see the highest feature that can be secured for



A. L. Scott is the latest purchaser of a car. Its a Studebaker four and A. L. will further adorn it.

sell you the kind of refrigerator that them to rent. will save ice. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Hobson Robinson returned from Dallas Tuesday for a stay with home folks of about ten days. He has been working for a moving picture show in that city.

We absolutely guarantee that if you fail to figure with us that we both will be the loser, and it does not cost you one cent to figure with us. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Attention is called to the one-half page Second Monday ad in this asue. Read the ad and see a list of merchants and business men who are in- trade for all your eggs this week. terested in Second Monday Trades Day and who solicit a share of your business.

"The Girl and the Game," Opera House, Wednesday, Ladies free,

from Rose was a business visitor among the merchants this week,

her son, J. E. Stowe, the past win- tended visit to Dallas and other points ter. left Monday for a visit with east. another son in Waco.

March winds make big fires. Let the most recent new subscriber to the me write your fire insurance, E. Record, Keathley.

W. L. Doss handles crutches.

Miss Maud Farmer is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. E. Gracy, in Roscoe,

For perfect satisfaction in your groery bill and good service, phone 132.

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Netles, Saturday night, a fine girl. Take your eggs to' Cook & Morrow

and get 15c in trade for them. Mrs. M. Carter is on the sick list

Go to H. L. Hutchinson for everything in the furniture and hardware lines. We carry the best lines carried

in Colorado. H. L. Hutchinson & Com-

Be wise, prudent and saving-send us your laundry and keep your good looks, your husband's affection and happy.-The Laundry.

Hear the Schubert Soloists at the Opera House Tuesday, April 11. Picture show before the concert. All for have received no information on that one price, 35 and 50 cents.

H. F. Smith, who is in the Baptist ments those having the matter in Sanitarium is recovering rapidly and charge have made for the meet. will soon be home.

Miss Kate Bradford, who has been for her home in Bowie.

will be shown. These are all "fea- ers at the hands of the Record. The City Marshal-D. M. Steller special 5- and 6-reel features will be him to continue in office and their ed in a cho shown, all at popular prices.

Yes, its May 3rd. W. L. Doss will

Little Miss Virginia Sto eham, of Sterling, is the guest of friends and relatives here.

"The Girl and the Game," Opera House, Wednesday. Ladies free.

Mrs. J. L. Dow, wife of the editor of the Lubbock Avalanche, is visiting relatives here. "The Girl and the Game," Opera

House, Wednesday. Ladies free. W. A. Riley, of Dallas, special repesentative of the Studebaker car. was

Colorado visitor this week.

Economize by eating a good lunch for a dime at the Little Jitney Cafe, tf

W. E. Watson, with his father and nother and sister, left Wednesday norning in their big car for Post City where they go to visit a brother whom Mr. Watson says he has not seen in nine years.

A rental agent told the Record this fect poem or a rescued soul, who has week that he could fill several resi- never lacked appreciation of earth's The weather is getting hot, so let us dences with reliable tenants if he had beauty or failed to express it; who

> ended visit here to her son, J. E. Stowe, returned this week to her

"The Girl and the Game"-a new serial, featuring the fearless film star, Helen Holmes, beginning at the Opera House next Wednesday. Ladies

Stanley Van Tuyl has gone to Deming, N. M., where he wil lenter

Cook & Morrow will pay 15c in

Alex Watson, of Willow, Okla., is visiting Mr. J. P. Hunter, out on the Snyder road. Mr. Watson owns a farm in Oklahoma adjoining that of Mr. Hunter, and so they rejoice in mutual prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Winn came in Mrs. Stowe, who has been visiting home yes'erday morning from an ex-

J. L. Fuller out on Route No. 2, is

Rocky Mountain spotted fever spread by a wood tick.

145 head high grade

## **DURHAM COWS**

Forty White Faced Cows and Heifers, all 2 to 5 years old.

J. W. RUSSELL Snyder, Texas

The Record has been asked by a his money. We can do more than number of interested persos as to any other agency to make your home the date on which the Interscholistic League will hold its meet. It could not occur on last Saturday on account of the rain, and we assume the date point. The Record will be glad to News comes from Dallas that Mrs. give publicity to whatever arrange-

The name of Mr. B. O. Joyce appears in the announcement column this week as a candidate for re-elect on to the office of Commissioner for trammer at the Vogue, left Tuesday Precinct No. 3. Mr. Joyce is the present incumbent of this office and desires endorsement at the hands of Change of service at the Opera his fellow citizens of that precinct of pictures," but twice a week voters of his precinct seem to wish wish expressed at the ballot box is

#### TOLD THAT THERE

WAS NO CURE FOR HIM.

"After suffering for over twenty years with indigestion and having some of the best doctors here tell me there was no cure for me. I think it only right to tell you for the sake of other sufferers as well as your own satisfaction that a 25 cent bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets not only relieved me but cured me within two months although I am a man of 65 years," writes Jul. Grobien, Houston, Texas. Obtainable everywhere.

#### SUCCESS.

He has achieved success who has lived well, laughed often and loved much; who has gained the respect of intelligent men and the love of little children; who has filled his niche and accomplished his task; who has left the world better than he found it, whether by an improved poppy, a perhas always looked for the best in oth-Mrs. Catherine Stowe, after an ex- life was an inspiration; whose mem- at 10 o'clock sharp. ory is a benediction.

Bad housing produces had health?

TO ALL

Automobite Owners

The next time you need air for your

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with your car, we have mechanics

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Let the Brick Garage Be Your Garage

preclated by the farmers in this community. It was accompanied by a cold breeze, but none of the fruit was

Mrs. Neal and Mrs. Simpson visited Mrs. Pannel Thursday.

Mr. Harry Whippel is through picking up cotton.

A merry crowd of youngsters of this community enjoyed a kodaking Sunday afternoon over on the hills near Morgan creek.

Mrs. H. Pannel, daughter and son, made a trip to Colorado Monday. Sunday was a pretty day and Sunday school was well attended.

Mr. Rufus Oxford, of Loraine, was a visitor in this community Sunday. Bro. Williamson, pastor of the Colorado Baptist church, will preach at Horn's Chapel Sunday afternoon at o'clock.

Singing Sunday night at Mr. Tom Hasting's was very much enjoyed by the youngsters of this community. Mr. Wingo and sister, of Rogers were

A number of the farmers have begun planting since the rain. SUNSHINE.

#### RESULT OF ELECTION.

The vote last Tuesday in the municipal election was greater than House, beginning Monday, April 10th, his official acts the past two years, in many years in like plebicites. There the famous Mutual De Luxe pictures He needs no introduction to the vot- were two candidates for the office of Avery and I Alorepu Both Messrs. Spalding and Delicarp were already members of the council, whose terms

would expire upon election of successors. Mr. King was new timber. The voting began early and continued quite briskly throughout the day until the polls were closed with

the following result: For City Marshal-D. M. Stell, 201; A. L. Stewart, 24.

For Councilmen-R. L. Spalding, 192; O. E. Avery, 64; Van King, 166; Spalding and King being the two

The City Council as now constituted, is composed of some of our best and most constructive citizens. There is work for the mto do in the near future, and the Record has the faith in their business acumen and spirit of fairness, to predict that they will guide the municipal craft safely between Scylla and Carybdis. They certainly have the Record's best wishes in their legislative labors. May they build wisely and permanently.

#### BARBER SHOP NOTICE.

From this date on, commencing with Saturday night, April 8th, our ers and given the best he had; whose shops will close each Saturday night

ED JONES. ROY DOZIER. C. E. THRASHER

lives in the Buford community and week's Record. has many frends who will support him in his ambition to serve them as Public Weigher. He will make an to the voters of this precinct.

President W. L. Doss, of the Mit- grist. chell County Sing ng Convention, will appoint his committees next week, which will have in hand all the ar- your business. Phone 132.

M. C. HOLT FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER rangements to be made for the entertainment of the convention, when it The name of Mac C. Holt is an- meets here on the first Sunday in April nounced this week as a candidate for -which is oly next month. He will the office of Public Weigher for Pre- have the list published in the Record cinct No. 1. Mr. Holt is a young man and takes it for granted that each and now engaged in the ancient and member will accept the duties of his honorable occupation of farming, at appointment and get to work accordwhich he has made a success. He ingly. Watch for the list in next

#### GRINDING NOTICE.

active canvass and present his claims | Until further notice I will grind for the public on every 1st and 3rd Saturday in each month. Bring us your WATSON GIN CMPANY.

Cook & Morrow, cash grocers, want

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...FOR...

To get you acquainted with our up-to-date repair department and our expert workmen, we will for this day ONLY, repair any American made watch or clock, no matter the condition, for

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## Have You Caught It?

I refer to the "Fishing Fever," which at this season seizes upon every regulation man and boy. It is the call of the bait gourd and lure of the wild.

I have just received a most complete line of fishing tacle and all the appurtenances, accessories and antidotes that inhere in the gentle craft of Isaac Walton-Hooks, Lines Trowls, Rods, Sinkers Minnow Buckets, Bobs; and every contrivance that the ingenuity of man has devised to lure the finny tribe from its native element. To look is to wish: to wish is to be lost, and a-fishing you go.

John L. Doss' Pharmacy

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APRIL.

April was so called from the Greek name for Venus, the Roman goddess of love and beauty. Caesar thought the pacifists should have one month in the year to show what they could do, and he gave them this one. They accordingly named it Venus, who seems to have been a woman very much like Jane Addams. She loved peace and quiet, and her husband, Vulcan, invented the well-known domestic expedient of leaving his shoes out on the porch. Caesar's agreement with the pacifists was that he would make his regular spring drive in March, and then withdraw his army from the field. The first day of April, or the day upon which the pacifists assembled to determine what should be done to hold the empire intact, was therefore called All-Fools' Day. Caesar discouraged this ridicule of a large and respectable element in Rome, but when he went over to the Forum to hear what the pacifists had to say he had often to draw the portierres on the royal box to keep those good people from seeing him laugh. After trying through a period of years to soothe the savage breast with music and other things, the pacifists finally got the empire into such a mess on its frontiers that Caesar publicly denounced them in the Senate as political visionaries and milksops. This infuriated them, and when he left the hall Brutus, Gosca and other leading pacifists set upon him with knives and assassinated him. Thus fell Caesar, of whom Marc Anthony said that he carried the day but unfortunately if he did not carry a knife. April was a rare season in Rome.

front, which gave the city something of a holiday flavor. Birds sang in the olive groves. The sun roused the crocus out of the brown grass. The poet Virgil, who was at heart a farmer, sang like Caruso. It was then that a time that Lucullus, the epicure, de- wrong. livered his historic panegyric on spring greens. He attributed the fall of all former civilizations to their ignorance of the miraculous qualities of things like spinach. Along late in April the patricans came out in their summer flannels, the crowds collected in front of the public houses waiting for bock beer to make its appearance. There was, too, an amusing feature of April in Rome. It was then that Marc Anthony's thoughts turned to Cleopatra, and that great statesman and worrier fairly raided the flower stores two or three times a week expressing tenderness in the direction the flowers went. The Roman wits called the regular packet between Rome and Egypt at that season the flower boat, and when it was occasionally known that Marc himself had gone aboard for the trip, even grave men like Octavius stood around on the quay and laughed as lightly as children. It is as someone has said-there was only one

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The festive calf will sniff the breeze And turn a summersault for spring, And in the softly-budding trees

The waking doodlebug will sing. The hired man will mark the skies And shed four thicknesses of pants, The cunning widow will devise

Her matrimonial advance,

The soda fountain clerk will fill

## W. W. Porter Feed

Coal, Hay, Grain, Storage

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Agent The Texas Company Wholesale Gasoline and Refined Oils

Then May will show her smiling face

His trench with chemicals and gas. The dogwood blooming on the hill Will head the decorating class, The prudent grocerman will wire His edibles against the flies. And ladies boot tops will retire

From heights denied to modest eyes

There is no other season quite the peer of spring in all her charm, a time the cherry trees are white and honeybees begin to swarm. A wistful fragrance fills the air, the nights are beautiful and still. The whipporwills begin to pair and sing duets upon the hill.. The lusty tomcat takes his turn at doing what he can for art. The season is a fine concern, and was successful from the start. Or come what will, or war or peace, or whatsoever one suppose, the charm of spring will never cease, but keep on keeping to the close. The temporary things are those which man has fashioned for himself, the things which other men oppose for meanness, politics or pelf. Or kaiser, king, or what you will, he never shall deny us this-the poet's fire, the lover's thrill, the very vernal eason's bliss. Or whether singing in a loft or strumming on a golden lute, the music still is sweet and soft, the singer's lips are never mute. Or whether love in marble halls, or love the cook requites the cop, it still is one of hose sweet thrills which nothing temporal can stop.

We must be happy while we may, For one may not choose when to be: Observe the beauty of the day

And hear the tree toad in his tree. Does not the wild goose drolly tool Across the sky with sundry toots, And is the southwind, as a rule,

Not suitable for Easter suits? The heathen in his higher spheres May hoot and butcher as he will, We still refuse to share his fears

That things are altogether ill. The times are parlous, to be sure, And men do make a warlike noise: But we are resting quite secure In Roosevelt and his four boys.

So let us on to Tara's halls and seize the celebrated harp, while ten-The soldiers were all home from the derly the robin calls and flowers bloom upon the scarp. When Homer filled with mortal woe. The isles of children. It tells us plainly that love battle. greece were all afire, and battle rag- is reflected only through loving Cicero could be seen quietly hoeing simply made it all the burden of his opposite, and since the highest possilage of (name deleted), shortly after in his garden. Spring onions came song. He lifted up his face and bayed ble goal to be reached is that of spir- he had fled. The village was searched up from the low-lying farms beyond the very moon before the throne. He itual perfection, the highest possible for Villa. the Pontine Marsh. From the broad called it life, and found it sweet; his service will be that which fulfills the verandas of the villa of Horace rose ballad roared above the brook; it law of perfection, which is the law of music and song in the soft spring swept his era off its feet and made him love. The beloved John, were he with today from the interior of Mexico asfamous for his book. To him the wars us today, would, no doubt, repeat to sert that General Francisco Villa is met in the market soon after daylight, were only set against a background of us what he was credited with saying headed towards Chihuahua City and the land mortgages total \$225,000 000. his chip basket on his arm, his eagle delight, and men were puppets whom while on earth: "Little children, love that his emissaries are attempting to eye running over the lettuce heads he met with no more gumption than one another." There is no substitute seduce the garrison there from their use of money approximately \$55,000,and the young asparagus. There Lepi- to fight. He gripped his harp be- for love. To lose sight of it is to lose allegiance to General Carranza. dus came, a shy, furtive creature, in- tween his knees and drowned the dis- sight of everything. Without it there General Villa is reported to have dulging his passion for spring mush- sonance with song, nor even hinted, if can be no Christian uninty, no true slipped through the encircling net and rooms. It was in such a place at such you please, that anything perhaps was fraternalism. Our service in behalf covered the trail of his flight.

> ple born under this influence are very of opinion with regard to God and His Americans. shrewd, and their foresight is wonder- relation to man. For hundreds of It is believed that Colonel Dodd may ple in the country who know how the hurled resentment and hate toward nental Divide soon. trouble in Mexico is coming out, and each other. They have given voice to Gen. Funston is unfortunately not one malicious falsehoods, hoping to gain than seals. The moon will be full on is of good is of God and man's puny and completely demoralized. the 18th. There will be a good deal of camps will become very general over TO BE SICK? mobilize in the garden. The ruling under which the Russians always do selves if it PAYS to be sick better; but later in the month the ways chase the Russians back. Easter will come on the 23rd. Mercury will it will join Mars as evening star, and aches. Mr. Rockefeller reduce the price of gasoline. Jupiter, which has failed to do anything in this matter, will become morning star on the 1st and associate with Mercury in trying to hold Congress where the President can lay his hand on it. China will be a republic from the 1st to the 15th; a monarchy from the 15th to the 22nd, and a republic again from that time on. There will be no eclipses during the LIVER. month. The total eclipse of the sun on February 3rd was so poorly attended because of the war and the absence of any great interest in such things toms-by letting that it has been decided not to have any more astronomical phenomena until July 14th, when there will be a partial eclipse of the moon. There will be a good many people running for the presidential nomination in a quiet way, but nobody will put up so much

Upon these stirring scenes, And some good man shall set the pace In getting up the screens.

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settlements at Paris is that nearly all Christian. It is the only proof to of the companies are having the in- humanity of man's true relationship sured sign a subrogation agreement to God. It is what is needed to bring whereby a company is made assignee all into the one fold of spiritual unof the insured for the amount of the derstanding. It is the only thing that insurance in the event there should sweetens human life, that comforts, be court action and recovery against heals and regenerates. Where love any person or corporation as having reigns there can be no egotism. no caused the Paris fire and loss.

the Texas & Pacific railroad property one's own in another's good. Love and the signing of the subrogation enables us to go forth with equanimity agreement may mean suits by the in- even under the fire of persecution. surance companies against the rail- Love gives us a temper so genial that road to recover the amount lost in in- the friction of the world does not wear surance payments in Paris on the upon our sensibilities; a charity broad ground that the blaze resulted from enough to cover the whole world's carlessness and that the railroad is evil, and sweet enough to neutralize liable for the immense damage done. what is bitter in it. "I am the way,"

amount of the insurance. If these would aggregate something like \$14,- the love of God." 000,000, the total loss at Paris.

HE WHO LOVETH NOT

KNOWETH NO MAN. Centuries have passed since the utterance of those memorable words, "He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love," and yet there are comparatively few who have grasped their meaning. Equally true is it that he who loveth not knoweth no man, for man is the expression of divine love. Since "love is the fulfilling of the law," the highest service known to man is the exemplification of his unity with God, and giving of practical proof of his relationship of divine love, else the eternal unity of God and man will not become a practical and day. tangible reality of humanity. God has of humanity will avail little until we Mexican reports said that Villa and

## rain, and periscopes on cyclone cellars DOES IT PAY

Let's forget about all the disagreeable planet early in the month will be Mars, and painful part of sickness, and ask our- How a Colorado Citizen Found Free-

dominant planet in the sky will be with a "dead tired" feeling. Perhaps you Venus, under which the Germans alcoated tongue, a bad taste in your mouth, and hardly any appetite. Quite likely you are bilious. Maybe you have dull be morning star until the 24th, when aches and pains, CONSTIPATION, head-

You go about your daily duties. You see what can be done about making tell yourself you will feel better to-morrow -but when to-morrow comes you feel just about the same. You try this and that remedy, without getting real relief. Or you get some relief, it doesn't LAST! You soon feel just as bad as you did before. DOES IT PAY to let yourself stay in this half-sick condition? Think of all the NJOYMENT of life you are missing You can't enjoy your food, or the society of your family and friends. You can't enjoy anything as you should, because your senses are dulled and your brain oppressed by the effects of a SLUGGISH

> promptly make it ACTIVE and so get rid of all those depressing, disagreeable symp-

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efforts cannot destroy it, for God omnipotent and omnipresent. Christianity is genuine from beginning to end, and whatever expresses it must be genuine. Whatever a genuine Christian does is done lovingly, for An important phase of the insurance love is all that identifies him as a enmity, no meddlesomeness, no evil The fire is said to have started in speaking; only that which seeketh If the insurance companies should declared the Galilean wayshower, and recover against the railroad on such He exemplified the way to manifest plea the same doctrine would apply to one's love for his brothers and sisters. the owners of property destroyed. The His religious philosophy embraced owners could sue for the difference the whole circumference of human between their total loss and the need. Understanding this, Pual said: "Neither death, nor life, nor things test suits do come they may mean a present, nor things to come, nor warm legal battle through the courts, heights, nor depth, nor any other crea-Should the railroad lose the claims ture, shall be able to separate us from

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By Wireless to Columbus, N. M. April 3 .- The American cavalry encountered a force of the Villa men near (name not given out) early to-

Sounds of the firing could be heard smote his blooming lyre the world was a way of expressing Himself to His but there is no report here yet of the

ing to and fro. The knowing Homer thoughts and deeds, not through their hind Villa yesterday entering the vil-

El Paso, Texas, April 3.-Reports

The first twenty- one days in April learn to demonstrate the love which another band are moving on Chihuaare under the influence of Aries the we profess. For centuries there has hua to try to induce the Carrancistas Ram, the first sign of the zodiac. Peo- been abroad in the world a diversity to revolt and join him against the

ful. They are probably the only peo- years various religious bodies have encounter the bandits in the Conti-

El Paso, Texas, April 3.-General of them. The last eight days of the prestige for so doing. But mankind Gavira, commanding the Juarez garrimonth will be under the influence of is not so easily deceived. Such actions son, today made public a message Taurus the Bull, the second sign of demonstrate an absence of love. It from General Gutierrez, at Chihuahua the zodiac. The Taurians are very represents neither the letter nor the City, stating that he had been inbullheaded, and children born under spirit of Christianity. It has never formed that the Villistas attacked by this sign are much harder to train accomplished anything. Whatosever the Americans were badly broken up

He said that Villa was wounded in the knee. Nothing is reported as to

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#### WASHINGTON INTERESTED IN REPORTS OF MOBILIZATION OF CARRANZA TROOPS ON BORDER

It became known yesterday that officials at Washington are seriously concerned over reports that troops of the de facto government of Mexico to the number of many thousands have been concentrated at points within a short distance of the United States

Some ten thousand men, it is rehably reported, are located along the Mexican Central lines in northern Chihuahua, while an even larger force is known to be but a short distance south of the international border in

Pressed for an explanation of the mobilization of his forces in the north, General Carranza is reported as declaring the movement is for the purpose of resisting an expected uprising on behalf of Felix Diaz.

Careful and prolonged investigation by agents of the United States has failed to discover the slightest trace of sentiment for Felix Diaz along the border, so that the explanation has not entirely satisfied the administration at Washington.

Rumors persist that the soldiers of the de facto government, as well as many of the officers, bitterly resent the presence of the American troops in Mexico, and close observers of the situation would not be surprised if this sentiment should manifest itself in a manner that might prove embarrassing to both the United States and Mexico.

Luis Herrera, former governor of Chihuahua, is among the higher officers of the Carranza army, who have not hesitated to openly declare their hostility to the Americans, and in some quarters the fear is expressed that Herrera may attask isolated commands of Americans operating in the rough mountain country west of Chihuahua, and thus precipitate a crisis.

Colonel Cano, who was sent from Chihuahua to hunt Villa, is reliably reported to have joined forces with the outlaw band and is said to have participated in the fighting with the American troops near Guerrero. This information was brought to El Paso Sunday by a scout, who returned from the front. He piloted the American advance to the Casas Grandes district and is perfectly familiar with the country, with Cano and with sentiments of the Carranza soldiers.

"Cano is making no effort to run down Villa and his band," the scout said. "On the other hand Cano was in command of the troops at Guerrero when they engaged the Americans."

Credence is given the scout's story by reason of the fact that the Carranza officials here have heard nothing of Cane for days. He was in constant communication with the officials during his trip to the district where Villa was reported to be. Since that nothing has been heard from him and it is thought he may have turned traitor and joined the bandits. Cano is one of Luis Herrera's most trusted lieutenants and is known to have expressed a bitter hatred for the Ameri-

#### 1,000 RIOT AT TORREON, MEXICO.

Laredo, exas. April 3 .- One thousand women and children participated in the food riot in Torreon, March 28, according to statements made by the passengers arriving here today.

The sold ers were ordered out when the riot spread to general looting, but they refused to fire into the women

The government immediately took steps to procure corn. The situation there now is declared to be fast ap-

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## Resources

Loans and discounts	\$238,114.02
U. S. Bonds	15,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock.	2,700.00
Banking House and Real Estate	25,267.63
Cotton Acceptances \$ 38,655.04 Cash and Due from Banks 127,190.67	165.845.71
Total	\$446,927.36

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TO FARMERS, BANKERS AND BUSINESS MEN IN COTTON TERRITORY. pared.

Washington, D. C .- During the past few months I have written you on safe farming, on insurance and on thrift. At this time I want to write you on the subject of preparedness and how safe farming makes us prepared for every emergency.

In December I told you that there was still uncertainty; that no one knows what the future of the cotton market will be. By the time this letter reaches you the planting season will be here or be approaching in most cotton territory. The war in Europe and the general uncertainty in the markets of the world still continue No one knows whether cotton will bring a high price or a low price this fall. Under such conditions what are you going to do? Are you going to be prepared if cotton brings a low Safe farming is agricultural prepareness. Do not risk everything on cotton alone. Produce cotton, but be prepared against every contingency by first producing the living at home. Let me repeat the safe farming pro-

1. A home garden for every family on the farm. Not less than a tenth of an acre for garden and half an acre for potatoes. An acre of sorghum or cane for the syrup of the family; the excess cane can be fed.

2. Produce corn enough to feed the people and the livestock on the farm for a year, with a little excess for

3. Produce oats and other small grain to supplement the corn as food and conserve the soil in winter.

4. Produce hay and other forage crops sufficient to feed the livestock on the farm for one year, not forgetting the legumes which produce hay and enrich the soil.

5. Produce the meat for the family by increased attention to poultry and hogs. Plan to gradually increase and breed up the cattle and other livestock so as to consume the otherwise waste products and make the waste lands productive. Not less than 25 hens for a renter and 50 for a land owner would help, 100 would be better. Set a standard of at least one sow for every tenant family and two for every owner, and breed them carefully and feed them well. Not less than two milk cows for every family, the cows properly bred and fed.

6. When the living has been provided, grow cotton for the main money ways be a few eggs and chickens, a psychological causes have steer for sale, and out of thsee surplus or sundry products let us pay

It is too late now to consider the small grain, but the farmer who has small grain to harvest this year will date, and therefore needs less credit people

A large part of the advances made meat and meat products. Do not lose sight of the suggestions made in

If you produce your corn, hay and was greater than the average farm value of cotton, in most of the cotton states. In 1915 the value of hay produced per acre was greater than the

Cotton is one of the greatest of all cash crops, but it ceases to be great feed for the livestock.

safe; credit based on safe farming is Republic should assign not exceed safe credit. Some day the interest paid on loans which are backed by safe farming will be less than on loans founded on the greater risk of cotton should be trained to military discithese items of the home garden, the thereafter as reserves in case repotatoes, the sorghum or cane for syrup, the growing of more poultry and hogs and the other items mentioned in this program? If not you are not prepared. Protect the good ship the aircraft of an uncertain cotton mitted to depart after such have been market, by preparedness through safe

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ness. The unsafe plunging upon the cotton market will not leave us pre-

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Revenue From Income and Inherit ance Tax Should Be Utilized for Defense.

By J. S. Cullinan. Chairman Texas Economic League

The three important subjects which the Texas Economic League has listed for first consideration are Citizen ship, Administration of Justice and Preparedness. Probably the most important of these is Preparedness. Government is a triangle and Preparedness, Administration of Justice and Citizenship are the component parts with Preparedness as the base, Unless we prepare there will be no Citizenship, no Justice, no govern-

through a supreme test of efficiency and it is for the citizen to say what he expects of government. In my opinion, government should do some thing more than collect taxes and issue warnings. It is the duty of government to protect its citizens on land and sea, and our government has no more right to refuse to do so than a citizen has a right to refuse to pay taxes. It is not a question of opinion -it is one of necessity, but no nation can protect its citizens unless it has the guns.

The President is correct in his po icy of preparedness and protection and no thoughtful citizen can afford to invite national peril through in efficiency. When our government permits liberty and freedom of its citizens to go by default, it has violated its peldge to the people, as much as if it took liberty and freedom from them by force. There can be no government without force. A court without a sheriff is nothing more than a debating society, and a modern government without an army or navy is no government at all. It is a help less tribe of people. Real men are animals-not angels

They always have and they always will fight. The causes of war will never removed. Human nature cannot be dismissed from mankind, for in every crop. If this is done there will al- infant it will be born again. Many pig now and then, and occasionally a vanced for wars. There is an old Irish tradition that following a dancing craze the world will either pray or fight. The League is not at the moment concerned in the psychological causes of war, as stern realities de mand first attention, for the liberties and rights of a citizen guaranteed by have feed for livestock at an early the Constitution have been denied our

Nation's Duty to Protect Citizens. Government is organized physical to farm owners and tenants is for force, and without force there is no government. No man can peaceably possess a thing of value unless in some manner he can defend his title by force. Our government denies the citizen the right to use force, and in small grain you have your own mar- disarming the individual enters into ket for them on your own farm. You a centract to protect the rights of a sell them to yourself at the cost of citizen by force, and, if necessary, production. In the fall of 1914 the to kill and destroy persons or nations average farm value per acre of hay that interfere with the rights of its citizens. It has no option in the mat ter. It is its first obligation.

This nation is facing a world crisis, and world opportunities. The des tinies of the human race are at the value of cotton produced per acre, on moment more nearly in the hands of the average, in some of the cotton the American people than any other earthly power, and our government should adopt a policy in dealing with the forces of civilization that will establish permanent world peace. Se my judgment, the twenty-one Repub Credit based on cotton alone is un- peace and protection. Second, each ing one per cent of its popula tion to army and navy duties. Third, that at least sixty per cent of the male population of each such Republic alone. Are you prepared to meet these pline and duty; such training period conditions? Are you attending to not to exceed two years, to be held quired for the defense of their country or the defense of the continent.

It would further seem highly desirable that applied to the United States a declaration of principles be made covering Federal policies; such, for "Farm Business" against the perils of instance, as the Monroe Doctrine, the submarine of no living crops and from which no State should be pervoted on and approved by a majority of our people.

The President's plans, as I under stand them, call for an investment safe farming and insures his living is of \$500,000,000 over a period of five prepared. Safe farming does not mean years. I do not think that is sufficient, the discontinuance of the raising of It seems to me we should shape plans cotton, but it means cotton under a for a continuing expenditure, if need sefe plen. Under a plen of safe farm- be, of \$5,000,000,000 for such period. ing the farmer will reap all the bene- and by co-operating with the other fits of the cotton market, if any, withsibly Canada, adopt a policy of matching dollars with the balance of As planting time comes on do not the world for the purpose of defense, permit yourselves as farmers, as and protecting liberty, life and propbankers, as business men to be per- erty, at much less cost than undersurded to depart from this program taking to defend the nation against which means security and prepared- one of the modern powers as now

## STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

## Colorado National BANK

At the Close of Business. March 7, 1916

## Resources

365,450.01
50,000.00
11,400.00
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171,469.55
604,319.56

## Liabilities

Total	。 1000年1月1日 - 1000年1月1日 - 1000年1月 - 1000年1月 - 1000年1月 - 1000年1月 - 1000年1月 - 1000年1月 - 1000年11日 -
DEPOSITS	307 875 33
Circulation	50,000.00
Undivided Profits (net)	26,444.23
Surplus	100,000.00
Capital	\$100.000.00

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Mitchell.

I, J. M. Thomas, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

> J. M. THOMAS. Cashier

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#### RAINFALL FOR COLORADO THE LAST TEN YEARS. This record was made from the Government Gauge, now in charge of

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1906	.29	.73	1.43	3.10	6.01	2.12	3.15	7.82	2.95	2.77	2.33	.62	33.32
1907	.21	.00	2.04	.34	2.10	2.33	9.42	.15	.17	6.63	1.93	.44	25.76
1908	.45	.08	.33	5.73	5.61	. 52	3.71	1.22	1.54	. 62	1.71	.00	21.52
1909	.03	.02	.37	.06	1.33	1.01	2.75	1.69	1.18	1.33	4.58	.00	14.31
1910	.00	.20	.48	.60	1.40	1.13	.16	1.14	.90	3.53	.88	.00	10.42
1911	.41	4.48	.72	2.12	. 67	.00	2.53	2.97	2.11	.00	.45	2.90	19.72
1912	.00	1.90	.00	1.11	.89	1.67	1.08	2.92	.06	1.92	.00	1.56	12.41
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expert to lay out and superintend the rebuilding of that city, and the town will rise from its own ashes greater safer and more beautiful than ever.

While anti-toxins for nearly every ill to which human flesh is heir, are being made, why not one for that commonest of all afflictions-ttch for office. All the unfit and incompetent could be made immune and only good what they need and be satisfied with a men left available for office.

Read the remarks of Congressman W. R. Smith in the lower house of congress, printed in another column. The Record believes Judge Smith voices the sentiments of the great ma- been swallowed up in organization and jority of the citizens of this district the unit of government has shifted in his attitude on the Mexican situa-

The father of Lieut Joseph P. Allison, of the 13th U. S. cavalry, who died in an El Paso hospital last week of pneumonia contracted on the military expedition into Mexico after Villa, has written a letter of great censure of the Wilson administration to United States senator, Chas. A. Culberson. stating that his son's death was the result of the failure of the United States government to seize the Mexican railroads, which could have been had for the taking.

Within twelve hours after the rain began to fall, vegetation of all kinds showed its appreciation of the welcome and needed moisture. The leaves took on a cleaner and greener aspect, the grass seemed to fairly riot in its excess of drunkenness, the atmosphere felt clean and vigorous and all nature, animate and inanimate, except a few chronic and hopeless cases of mere man, joined in a pean of praise and thanksgiving. Even old "Simon Sut," the black office cat, bowed its back trifle higher, stiffened his bristles and went out of his way to lick a passing dog.

Dragging the public roads will now useless to try to work them during the past extended spell of dry weather. roads that were worked during this time, was worse than the first. But with a thorough wetting, the roads will soon be put in first class condition again. In this connection, the it before that body, but had it printed count of the condition of the public through the mails except as a governroads, has been undeserved. It had ment document, and there is a move been folly and a waste of good money and time to attempt permanent improvement of the roads during the ex- cause it is too dirty, slanderous and inestimable advantage to him and his cessive dry weather. With improved vulgar for decent people to read .- candidacy for office. He is one of conditions that now obtain, whatever Sterling City Record. work is done will be of a permanent

brighter outlook for the rebuilding of if he is equally unable to refute the Record predicts that the candidate the old Saint James property than at reasons on th opposite side; if he which comes under the wire ahead of tentative plans being considered com- are, he has no ground for preferring clear to the United States senate. prise four one-story business houses either opinion.-John Stuart Mill.

facing on Second street and two facing on Walnut street. With the accentuated confidence the recent rains has inspired, strengthened by the genral spirit of optimism rgarding the crop prospects; the Record looks forward to a veritable boom in building operations the coming summer. Those who already own property here but Paris will employ a city planning will not go to the expense of making it attractive to desirable tenants, will have to look to their investments or have their property relegated to the scrap heap. Time was when property owners could dictate terms and conditions to tenants of responsibility. Time is when desirable tenants know what they want and if they cannot get it ready made, there is always someone with a little money ready to build reasonable rent. The modern landlord does not expect his investment to pay for itself in one or two years.

> The peril of this nation today is organied selfishness. The individual has from the citizen to class and in the transition we have lost many of the elemental virtues of the human race and developed many of the traits of the beast .- Peter Radford.

If old Pete had only cited himself as a concrete example of the above postulate, it had more point. For if there were ever a man who more completely sold himself to organied selfishness than this same masquerading Pete, the country has yet to hear of What suspicion of individuality Peter Radford had before he rode the goat of the Farmers' Union into the stable of "organized selfishness," was so completely swallowed up that organized selfishness now thinks, writes and says to old Pete, "sign here." Peter Radford no more writes or thinks the stuff that is sent our by organized selfishness under its various aliases, than a chimpanzie writes the messages of President Wilson. His gobbled up by this same organized selfishness against which he so learnedly inveighs, would be humorous were it not so ridiculously pathetic.

#### HIT HIM AGAIN.

Cyclone Davis, who has heretofore railed against extravagance and graft until he was black in the face, has proven himself to be the champion be in order. It had been worse than grafter and blackguard of the age. If this old freak had the job of chief masticator of grease in a soap factory, The last estate of those parts of the he would soon be fired for swallowing

A few weeks ago he vented a buzzard's mess which he calls a speech before congress, but never delivered Record deems it a matter of simple at the expense of the tax payers and is justice to say that much of the ad- now abusing his franking privilege by verse criticism of the honorable sending the mess broadcast over the county commissioners' court on ac- land. It is said to be too dirty to send in Congress to expunge it from the Brooks in Colorado and his contact records, thereby suppressing it be-

the case knows little of that. His Brooks is a man of affairs and has a The Record was informed authorit- reasons may be good and no one may most comprehensive grasp upon the atively this week that there is now a have been able to refute them. But principles of right government. The my time since its destruction. The does not so much as know what they Dr. Brooks can read his commission

THE DROUTH BROKEN.

Texas From Fort Worth to the Rio Grande.

This is one time when the Record envies the San Angelo Standard in the possession of its page-full of roosters and its perfecting press. It requires just these two important adjuncts to a country printing office to do justice to the recent rains that blessed this big empire.

In other states, the statement that a "certain part of our state was visited by copious rains this week" would convey the idea that but a small and inconsiderable area of country had been wet, but when it is asserted that the whole of the 13th and 16th congressional districts of Texas have been thoroughly wet by regulation rain, it comprises a territory bigger than the states of New York and Pennsylvania combined. And when one reflects how much mustard these two commonwealths assume to cut in the national swarth, some idea may be gathered as to the comprehensive scope of the last visitation of old Jupiter Pluvius. The Colorado Record's meteorologi-

cal expert has been hors de combat the past two years, by reason of bodily affliction, and his would-be understudies have monkeyed with the 'signs" and science of astrology to such irresponsible extent that they have been inexplicably mixed. wonder the seasons have been travelling on 'the great circle." But Brother Simmons of Colorado, Brother Irl Hicks and ourself, have gotten together again and from this time forward the brand of weather the Record dopes out to its readers may be implicitly relied upon when it comes to swapping horses, weaning children, setting hens, transplanting cats, running for office and making love, say nothing of such minor affairs as plantharvesting and sassing your mother-in-law. But persiflage aside; that was a

glorious rain, and was worth more to the common confidence of this country than to the farming interests. Some of the weak-kneed contingent were becoming to get very nervous-not because the rain had not come in time to make all the crops the people would gather, but because they did not KNOW it was going to rain in ample time. It was the spectre of Fear instead of actual conditions that made their hearts quail. But by a benign provision of providence, it rains upon the unjust as well as upon the justthe bellyachers and weak-kneed fellows that throw up the sponge and cry 'Enough" at the first indications of drouth, receive the same benefit that and optimistic spirit do. This is the merciful divine plan. If some of us humanly frail and retaliative fellows had the ordering of blessings, we'd most likely cut these weak hearted fellows out and corral them in the heart of Sahara, where they might

croak to their spleen's content. How puerile-how ungrateful and imbecilic, in the light of our recent blessing seem our hardly less recent whinings and complainings. How ashamed we should feel of our lack of nerve and confidence. And yet such is the boastful and arrogant spirit of man, that the greatest skulkers during the past dry spell will make the greatest show of appreciation and boast that they knew all along it would rain in plenty of time. Wouldn't such ex post facto courage make the very arch angels weep? It takes all sorts of people to make up this world, but we have met a few sorts the past few years that have not been heretofore catalogued.

From all sections of the vineyard come reports of the glorious rains. It was the most general one this country has experienced for more than a year. and the first this immediate section has had since about the 17th of last October, and now the farmers will get busy. Those who have prepared their land will lose no time in planting. while those who have not broken their land will make the dirt fly. Already in Colorado, there are vague rumors more improvements, both in the business and residential lines of building, and the Record expects to be kept busy the coming months in making notes of the active and contemplad civic improvements. It was a bully

The personal presence of Dr. S. P. with the voters of this county, was of those men who possesses in great degree that subtle thing we call personal He who knows only his own side of charm for lack of a better term. Dr.

self a public spirited citizen, to coma fountain at the passenger station or name some future flat in his honor. This would be a better work than founding a half dozen bookless libraries fifty-fifty with communities that do fast assuming a most attractive apnot want them. The Mooar building pearance, but it is a real pity to see would make a jim-dandy house of its velvety surface of verdure streakpublic amusement. In fact several ed with a broad dusty, brown path modern business houses on Walnut that cuts diagonally through the enstreet facing east would be a great tire park from the southeast corner

mistakes by discussion and exper- they take it, in the absence of any ience. Not by experience alone. There constabulary interdiction or signs to must be discussion, to show how ex- "keep off the grass." The beauty of perience is to be interpreted. Wrong the park would be greatly enhanced opinions and practices gradually yield if the park were not made a public to fact and argument; but facts and highway by pedestrians. Think on arguments, to produce any effect on these things, neighbors. The park is the mind, must be brought before it. your property. Just as much as your Very few facts are able to tell their own private lawn, and you would own story, without comments to bring hardly tolerate such thoroughfareout their meaning.-John Stuart Mill. someness of your own premises.

addition to the old town

The only job under the government of the United States that is quitted with genuine relief by the incumbent, is that of president. When a man has ed off without the least ripple of exserved one term, it is a fairly good citement or doubt. Two aldermen and test of his party fealty and national a city marshal were elected, and the patriotism when he consents to a machinery of the municipal governsecond term of office. No one has yet ment will move smoothly along in the come to the front who desired a third same groves. However, it is quite term of it. The salary the president likely some very important matters receives is smaller in proportion to will have to be wrestled with by the his responsibilities and obligations new council. The decision of the than the pay of any other office in the superior courts that the present city federal blue book

his soul at this season for the banks about \$49,000, which will have to be of the creek; who is not moved by the provided for in some satisfactory way sight of "worm signs" on the shady to the holders of these old sewage side of the barn; whose heart does bonds. not answer to the call of the red bird | The pendency of the suits involving and whose taste for good old assa- the validity of these bonds, has been his baited hook, does not return with gress of the present town of Colorado. such man is fit only for the legislature of Texas or resident of Mexico. The past week has been ideal for the lazy the luxury, and unless conditions in payment of same could find no marthe crayfish under the south bridge. was estopped. We always were a dead game sport in the piscatorial line of endeavor. Dr. Maurice Terrell is our nearest and most jealous competitor; he claims that he once knew a man who said he had come mighty nearly seeing a black bass in Hackberry creek.

That proverbial busy bee and industrious ant of exemplary memory, have had nothing on the county road working force the past week. No sir; narry a thing. The condition in which the public roads are put between this lished by law and the old bonds given t me and the beginning of the more active phases of the campa gn, will ord the holders of these bonds would be some factor in the discussions.

course of his transactions announced free to secure other improvements.

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If some philanthropical'y inclined that there was every prospect that POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS capitalist, with more of the spirit of paper would soon be utterly beyond Glorious Rain Covers All of West altruism than greed fat for dividends, the telescopic vision of the average should buy-We say if he should buy- country printing office. We have seen the Mooar livery barn and spend some one original copy of a newspaper more money in converting it into an printed in Vicksburg, Mississippi, just opera house or place of popular three days before the city's capitulaamusement and entertainment, with tion to Gen. Grant. The supply of modern accessories, he might not regulation print paper had long berealize the same plethoric returns fore been exhausted and recourse was that the same amount of money in- had to the local supply of wall paper. vested in steel trust or other "war Who knows but a European war, more baby" stock, but he would prove him- than four thousand miles from Colorado, Texas, may yet force the country memorate whose alms deeds and good printers to revert to wall paper on works, a grateful posterity might erect which to print their papers? Print paper is now nearly as valuable a commodity as calico or domestic.

> The park about the court house is to its northwest angle. The path is a short cut for those who live northwest Man is capable of rectifying his of the court house, and to be sure,

#### THE CITY MUST PAY.

The city election last Tuesday passof Colorado is liable for the bonds issued by the old city of Colorado, re-The man who has no hankering in vives a debt, with interest, aggregating

foetida wherewith to expectorate upon a very material handicap to the prothe rising sap and springing grass- The failure to secure the sewerage estem recently adopted by the city council, was directly due to this litigation. The city could not issue bonds man or woman who is able to indulge for this purpose and time warrants change soon, we'll tie a safety pin to ket the prospective contractors would the follows who keep a stiff upper lip the end of a broom handle and tempt accept. As a result, the improvement

> In the present condition of our municipal finances, there are several methods suggested for the payment of this debt. Some there are who favor a lump assessment in one year and have done with the burden once and for all, leaving the town free of any handicap and able to prosecute immediate and much needed improvements. Others favor distributing the payment through a term of years in ado, or shipped anywhere 10c pound. annual installments. Inasmuch as Phone 372-3 rings. A. C. Gist, Colorthe validity of the debt is now estaba certain value, it seems to the Recbe very generous as to the terms and time of their payment. Further; it Mr. Eugene Thompson, representing seems clear to the Record that the he Southwestern Paper Company, of sooner this old debt is discharged the Dallas, called upon the business end sooner the tax payers will be rid of of the Record Wednesday and in the the burden and the town have its hands

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or County Treasurer-THOS W. FIELDS. A. J. CULPEPPER. DOCK S. NETTLES.

For Justice of the Peace-Pre. No. 1. M. C. RATLIFF (Re-election). FRED MYER.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1-W. T. ROGERS (Re-election). LAY POWELL

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2-J. M. HELTON (Re-election).

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3. B. O. JOYCE (Re-election).

For Public Weigher, Pre. No. 1 .-W. F. CRAWFORD (Re-election). MAC C. HOLT.

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Article IV .- Officers.

The officers of this association shall

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Art cle V .- Executive Board.

There shall be an executive Board,

consisting of the officers of the club

and three others elected from the

Article VI.-Advisory Board.

consisting of one of the male teachers

of the public schools and six other

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Art cle VII. Elections.

Article VIII .- Amendments.

Article IX .- Time of Meeting.

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## CHURCHES, CLUBS AND SCHOOLS ENTERTAINMENTS, PARTIES AND SOCIETY'S DOINGS

BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY-

You will confer a favor npon the Record and the editor of this department if you will 'phone her (No. 157) any announcement or news item

#### THE CLUBS.

Hesperian.

Hesperians had a with Mrs. Jackson as leader. Their Every member on the program relesson was a study of the life, edu- sponded in a most gracious manner cation and work of Edgar Allen Poe. Mrs. Merritt.

Miss Henthorne.

in the "Poetic Principles." (2) Poe on such occasions.

At the social hour Mesdames M. C. kept up the entire evening. Ratliff, Oscar Majors and Myrtie Vaughan were appreciated guests. school, gave a most hearty welcome he succumbs, leaving hits property to Ice cream and cake were served by in the name of the Association, school his son. Not content with the evil at any regular meeting by a twothe hostess.

#### Merry Wives.

ant meeting with Mrs. V. vian Shrop- of the children. shire. The guests were Mesdames R.

#### Bay View.

The Bay View met with Mrs. Shropshire, with Mrs. R. O. Pearson leader. Their lesson was:

King John, Review of 2nd Act. Mill on the Floss.-Book Three number.

Current Events.

gelatin with whipped cream and cake accompaniment by Miss Whipkey, were served.

#### Standard.

The lesson was:

Roll Call-Quotation Poets on Religion.

Evolution of Religion. Caliban upon Setebos.

Rabbi Ben Ezra-Cleon. Paper-The Country, Racial Traits and Religion of the Patagonians. Social hour. Refreshments.

#### AN APPRECIATION.

Colorado is not only a town of homes and schools, but it also has one of the best orchestras to be found anywhere. They are all modest and unasuming, but ready at all times to be used on public occasions. On last Monday evening they added much to the program at the High School auditorium and every member was highly complimented, so we take this occasion to let them know they are apetc.; Miss Lela Whipkey, pianist,

that has ever been seen in San An- spring .- The Laundry. elo. It afforded a rare treat to overs of good music.—San Angelo tandard, March 18.

#### MISSION STUDY.

The Mission Study class of the Methodist church held its regular meeting at the church Monday. They are studying Home Missions in Action and had the chapter on Home Misture was Christ's miracles of healing. Roll Call-Historical Hospitals. Next Monday the Ceneral Circle will meet with Mrs. M. K. Jackson.

The remains of Thomas Elmer Runyan, aged 31, whose death resulted from scalding when the steam boiler where he was employed, was received here last Tuesday morning and intered in the Odd Fellows cemetery. He was a nephew of Mr. T. J. Runyan of Record.

#### PARENT-TEACHERS EVENING.

The splendid program prepared by the entertainment committee of the Parent-Teachers Association which Mrs. J. L. Shepherd. was announced to be given last Fripleasant day night was postponed until Monmeeting with Mrs. Edgar Majors, day night on account of the rain.

L. Browning, of Terrell; M. Carter, ent-Teacher's Association," was one of employer. From this point, the action afternoon of the first Tuesday in each J. W. Nunn, D. C. Byrne and the the Doctor's own addresses in his own is hair-raising in its breathless ten-Misses Dry. A delicious two-course way. As there is only one Dr. Wes- sity. Climax on climax, it speeds to luncheon was served after the games. ton and he has a separate and distinct a terrific and spectacular finish. speech for each occasion, those who were absent missed something they (tonight), April 7th. will not have repeated.

The Choral Club, under the direc-They gave a selection from "The meeting at Colorado, but old Jupiter business of the association not other- work. Roll Call-Quotations from Shakes-

Miss Smith, the charming expression teacher, gave a most beautiful At the social hour a salad course, selection from Oscar Wilde with plane

rector, and who is a reader of ability, tal and physical arenas. gave a selection from Rudyard Kip-Mrs. Sherwin was hostess for the ling, with orchestra accompaniment Standard, with Mrs. Smoot, leader. by Mr. Talbert and Mr. Dawes. She

glish | comedy. Mass Louisa Roe and Little Miss Mary Jackson gave vocal solos. Miss Roe is one of our sweetest talented young ladies, and her friends are alshe grows older than now.

lemonade by Mrs. Jockson and the

young lady teachers. their sincers thanks to each one on Bible questions and laying plans for the program and particularly the or- their mission offering. May their chestra, which gave number after number on this occasion and on other occasions for the school.

In the spring a woman's thoughts preciated by their mony friends. The turn to house cleaning as a sunpersonnel is Mr. Ed Jones, first vio- flower toward the sun. She pictures iln; Mr. Lee Jones, second violin; clean rugs, fresh curtains, dai ty Mr. Tolbert, first clarinet; Mr. Fred cushions and as much new paper and Harris, first cornet; Mr. J. B. Annis, paint as her husband's purse will alsecond cornet; Mr. J. L. Pidgeon, low. Often this picture never becomes trombone; Mr. A. J. Payne, bass vio- a reality because the woman gives out, lin; Mr. Robert Henthorne, drums, she cannot do the work necessary to get the results. We can help you. Send us your curtains and bedding-The Schubert Symphony Club was everything that needs laundering and greeted last night by one of the larg- we can cut your work in half and save est crowds that has assembled at the you money. We make a special price opera house this season. The enter- on quilts and blankets. Divide your ta mment was one of the most pleasing house cleaning tasks with us this

#### JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

Sunday, April 9th. Subject: The Death of Jesus.

Leader-Worth Porter. Scripture Reading-Rom. 3:23-26-

G. Keathley. Study Story-Told by leader, The Juniors tell about (1) The

penitent thief. -Rev. Williamson.

Sword Drill

on Thursday night, April 13th. A this organization. exploded in a St. Louis, Mo. ice plant full attendance is requested as business of importance will be consider-MRS. F. B. WHIPKEY, W. M.

No better glasses made than Hawthis city. An account of the accident kes' crystaline lenses. W. L. Doss tion shall be Regular, Honorary, and occurs elsewhere in this issue of the fits 'em satisfactorily without extra Associate.

#### PARENT-TEACHERS PROGRAM.

Program of Parent-Teachers Asso- present, any person may be admitsiation to be held at the High Schol ted as an honorary member. auditorium next Tuesday at 3:30

Roll Call-How We Can Improve sociate member and shall be exempt the Health of Our Town. from active duties and shall be en-Talk-Medical Supervision of the titled to all privileges except voting

School-Dr. Root. Talk-What the Primary, Teachers regular annual dues of \$1.00 per an-

Can Do to Teach Hygiene. Discussion-What we can do to Lessen Contagious Diseases-Led by

Mrs. T. J. Ratliff How We Can Teach Civic Pride .-

#### THEDA BARA IN DESTRUCTION.

Ferdinande, wickedness incarnate whose glance breeds madness, her and it was a treat from start to finish. touch destruction, is the latest role Poe as a Critic and Lyric Artist- While the organization is new in to be created by Bara the incompar-Colorado, yet there has been inter- able. Snared by her fascinations, Mr. Domestic and Social Relations-Mrs. est manifested by the best citizens, Froment a weathy mill owner marand every committee has done their ries the bewitching Ferdinande. By Life, Education and Preparation .- share of the work nobly. Colorado her machinations Froment and his should indeed feel proud of the var- son, Jack, become estranged. She in-Discussion by the club-(1) Poe's lous talents in her midst and that trigues with Deleveau, his partner, theory of Art in literature as shown they are used so willingly and freely recklessly squanders his wealth and when she needs more contrives to have as a short story writer. (3) The basis At the appointed time the orchestra the scanty wages of the ill laborers of Poe's reputation and its probable gave a number that at once put life still further reduced. A strike is the January, and the newly elecetd officers covers his wife's infidelity. The shock that meeting Mr. Judd, superintendent of the is too much for a weakened heart and and the homes. Mr. Judd is not only she has wrought, Ferdinande arouses thirds vote of the members present, a worthy superintendent but a most against Jack the hatred of Dave, an provided notice of the proposed valuable member of this organization, uncouth monster of the mill furnace emendment has been given at the The Merry Wives had a very pleas- as his creed is all things for the good room. She hints to Dave that his previous meeting. wife is too friendly with Jack and Dr. Weston's address "Why a Par- goads him into an attack upon his

Shadowland Theater, Friday night Article L. Dutles of Executive Board

Saturday was to have been the occation of Mr. Dawes, was at its best. sion of the Interscholastic League of the association and to attend to all and to make an annual report of the Rose Maiden." They were heartily Pluvius gummed the cards and delayed wise provided for. during the entire day but a drizzling rain did not prevail, but another time will doubtless be set; when the different events will come off as scheduled. Besides, the various contestants will co-operation and encouragement. Mrs. Rafter, wife of the Episcopal be all the better prepared for the men-

METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES. Rev. J. A. Crutchfield will fill the was encored and responded with a pulpit of the Methodist church on next Sunday morning and night.

A PLEASANT DAY IN LORAINE. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey had a very pleasant day in Loraine Monday atways glad to get to hear her. Miss tending the Baptist Aid Society. She Mary is quite a favorite and promises was a guest in the home of Mr. and to have even a sweeter voice when Mrs. Bruce Phenix. The ladies there are not many in number but a more After the program the guests were loyal, faithful band cannot be found. invited in the eleventh grade room A few years ago they were one of the and served delicious sandwiches and banner societies in the Sweetwater association and we hope that they will be again in September at the Merkel The Association wishes to express meeting. They are studying Hill's

> number and zeal increase. We publish this week the constitution and by-laws of the Parent-Teacher's Association that all may see and read it, and that more may become members. So far we have one associate member, Mrs. D. N. Arnett. She has had nine children in this to fix for all of them. Now her grandchildren are doing good work and her interest is still kept up. All honor to Mrs. Arnett. How many more will follow her example. The dollar will be used for the good of

#### CONSTITUTION.

Colorado Parent-Teacher Association.

Article I.-Name.

The name of this organization shall be the Colorado Parent-Teacher Association.

Article II. Object.

The object of this organization shall

1. To establish more harmonious relations between the home and the school; to bring into concentrated Faithful Woman-Vivian Collier. (2) action the strength of both parent and sions as a Healing Force. The Scrip- How Jesus cared for His Mother- teacher for organized, intelligent, well Chas. Pierce. (3) Jesus forgiving the directed effort for the imporvement of child welfare; and to unite all other What does the death of Jesus mean? forces in our community tending to

the elevation of community life. 2. To enlist the support, encouragement and co-operation of all persons, Local chapter of O. E. S. will meet other than parents, in the objects of

Article III.-Membership.

Any one interested in the purposes for which this club is organized is qualified for membership.

The membership of the organiza-

(a) All members of the club shall

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Elections of officers shall be held annually at the regular meeting in standing committees; to appoint the permanency. (4) Poe and his critics. and i terest in affairs and this was result. On top of this Froment dis-Board; to fill by appointment all The Constitution may be amended vacancies occurring in official positions and in committees; and to per-

> long to that office. Vice Presidents in their order to pre-The association shall meet on the

form such other duties as may be-

upon the office of Vice President. the Recording Secretary to keep minutes of the association meetings and of time to time. the Executive Board meetings; to keep a roll of the members and to call the The duties of the Executive Board shall be to transact the business of roll of members at each meeting; to have charge of all books and papers; the association between the meetings

Section 4. It shall be the duty of encored and responded with another the game. There was not an hour Article II .- Duties of Advisory Board. the Corresponding Secretary to have The duties of the Adv sory Board, charge of all correspondence, send shall be to help the club in the solu- out all notices, and to make and keep any regular or special meeting of the tion of problems pertinent to the work a roll of the names of the members association by a majority vote of the of the culb, and to aid in general by of the association with their addresses. members present, notice to amenda

Section 5. The Treasurer shall re- having been given at the previous ceive all moneys paid to the association | meeting. Section 1. It shall be the duty of and receipt for same; and shall pay the President to preside at all meet- out money only upon order of the Committee on Constitution and Byings of the association; to appoint all President and the Secretary.

Section 6. The Parliamentarian shall be ready at all times to settle points point ve members of the Advisory on parliamentary law that may arise.

Article IV .- Committees.

Section 1. Standing Committees .-There shall be the following standing comm ttees: Program, Membership, Entertainment, Finance, Press and Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Phone, Child Hyglene, School Playgrounds, and suc hother committees side in the absence of the President as the association may decide upon and to perform all duties devolving from time to time by a majority vote. Section 2. Special Committees-The Section 3. It shall be the duty of President shall appoint such special committees as may be needed from

Article V .- Rules of Order. Robert's Rules of Order shall be recognized as the standard of parlia-

mentary law. Article VI.-Quorum. Eight shall constitute a quorum of

the association. Article VII.-Amendments. These by-laws may be amended at

C. D. JUDD,

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MRS. B. F. MILLS

REAR OF C. M. ADAMS' STORE

LORAINE LOCALS.

Sheriff Cooksey, of Colorado, was

busy in Loraine Monday. Mrs. Joel Warren, of Coleman, came in Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Charlton Brown.

Lacy Allen and Miss Selma Winstead attended the singing convention at Valley View, Sunday.

Rev. J. A. Crutchfield, of Chicago, in visiting different circuits over Sunday at Loraine and preached at the Methodist church Sunday morning and

The dedication services will be preached at the new Methodist church

the fourth Sunday in April. The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Bruce Phenix Monday afternoon.

Rev. C. E. Jameson preached at Zellner Sunday at 11 o'clock and at

On account of bad weather the Style Show at W. L. Edmondson's was put off till Tuesday. April 11th.

Mrs. G. A. Campbell, of Colorado. who has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Bruce Phenix.

went home last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, of Roscoe,

were trading in Loraine Monday. Mrs. M. E. Copeland, of Trent, came in Monday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. D. E. Gunn, and Mrs. Claude

G. W. Netherland and daughters, of South Champion, were shooping in Loraine Monday.

On account of the rain the Camp Fire Girls did not get to entertain Friday night at the Dreamland Theater votes but will present the play next Friday night, April 7th

Mr. Craighead, of Louisiana, came in Sunday morning to search for his son, Van Craighead, who disappeared mysteriously last Sunday night, and after telegraphing to different points, he was located at Galveston.

R. E. Adams and wife, of Champion,

were in Loraine Monday, trading. Rev. C. E. Jameson preached at Wastella Sunday afternoon and organized a church to which he will preach the first Sunday in each month.

Mrs. A. L. Whipkey, of Colorado, visited Mrs. Bruce Phenix Monday. Grady McColluck returned Sunday morning from a trip to Dallas county. Mrs. H. T. Timmons, of Wastella,

shopping in Loraine Monday. Boyd Richie has accepted a position with E. N. Ridens at the grocery store. munity, was visiting in Loraine Mon- night and Saturday.

J. Marshall, A. Foy and D. K. Nelson returned Sunday from a trip to be Concho river, where they have een fishing.

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. Jourdan Bennett, Sunday, April 2nd, a boy. Mrs. Hermin Greenfield, of Dunn. was in town Monday trading.

Allen Nelson's 1 ttle boy and girl have been sick this week, but are some better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Hood and daughter, Mrs. Roberts, left Tuesday for El Paso, where they will make their

H. M. Mixon sold his lots where the hotel burned to Toler & Petty.

and they will put in a garage. Miss Selma Winstead spent Tuesley, at Valley View.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Beene and Miss last week Edith Hand, of Champion community, ere shopping in Lora ne Tuesday. Elbert Martin and his sister, Miss Ema, spent the day Tuesday with Miss Maudie Land and brothers, of

the Baumann community. Election was held Tuesday and all of the city officers were re-elected. W. F. Altman and T. R. Bennett made a business trip to Abilene Wed-

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Compere Bros. her son, J Abilene, - Texas came in Wednesday morning to visit + + + + + + her brother, J. E. Seymour at Valley View. Miss Ella Dykster, of Union Chapel,

vas in town Tuesday, trading. Skuyler Farris has sold his barber shop to Armstrong Brothers, and he and family are moving to Sweet-

A number of young people gathered at the home of Rev. Leach Sunday night and enjoyed a few hours sing-

W. L. Bates, of Hamlin, has bought the restaurant east of the bank from Bennge White, and will continue to

The Rose Dream operetta, directed by Mrs. Charlton Brown, was presented at the Dreamland Theater Twesday evening, instead of Friday evening as intended. A large crowd was present and the proceeds will go for the benefit of the Methodist church and Sunday School.

Dee Land and Miss Emma Martin, of Zellner community, attended the singing Sunday night at Rev. Leachs' ers.

Misses Fannie and Annie Jarrett, of Roscoe, were trading in Loraine

Skuyler Farris made a business trip to Sweetwater Tuesday.

Miss Isophene Toler returned Friday from Abilene, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. L.

We learn that Dr. S. Copeland, who left here several weeks ago, located at Abilene

S. P. Brooks, candidate for U. S. senator was in Loraine Tuesday, distributing circulars and soliciting

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wimberly left Wednesday night for Louisiana to visit relatives.

SHOULD NOT FEEL DISCOURAGED

So many people troubled with indigestion and constipation have been benefitted by taking Chamberlain's aged who has not given them a trial. They contain no pepsin or other diges- Independent School District. tive ferments but strengthen the stom-

IATAN INKLINGS

latan farmers are wearing smiles Mrs. Claude Swan, of Looney com- over the fine rain which fell Friday Mr. Beal and son, of Westbrook,

were in Jatan Monday. On account of the cold weather

there were many cattle lost around here last week. Mrs. Brown and children went to

relatives, returning Sunday night. Mrs. Ben Cook is on the sick list this week Mr. Alvin Conoway, of Westbrook,

was visiting friends in Iatan Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Stiles, of Big Springs, were visiting their daughter. Mrs. E. B. Gregson, this wek, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. May entertained

a crowd of young folks at the r home last Thursday night. Everyone reported a nice time. Messrs. W. A. and O. H. Kendrick,

day with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Man- of Westbrook, were visiting their sister, Mrs. W. J. Jenkins, of this place,

The young folks enjoyed a singing at Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gregson's last

Mr. H. L. May was a business visitor to Westbrook Monday,

latan is badly in need of an open crossing leading from New Iatan north across the railroad and intersecting the public road running north of latan. Shall we apply to our com- other remedy can successfully take missioners or to the auto association? its place, SLUEFOOT.

BUSINESS CHANGE.

hand at all times a good supply of Weekly Record. oak and mesquite stove wood, also Porter thanks the public for their liberal share of patronage while handling wood and continues to ask for same as he will continue to handle coal and grain.

yard and will give the business per- laugh when they think about the fine sonal supervision, asking the public rain they have received, but they to give or phone all wood orders di- want to cry when they think about rect to him at the yard and in case how much work they will have to do. the service is not what you expect one who patronizes him,

"The Girl and the Game"-a new serial, featuring the fearless film star, program and also an egg hunt. Helen Holmes, beginning at the Opera House next Wednesday. Ladies day. Mr. Reese and Mr. Morris were

Mr. Guy Hooks, of Rogers, visited his sister, Mrs. E. V. Bell, several days last week.

Mr. J. M. Garlington, of Ballinger, was here on business the first of the

Messrs. E. Langley and J. M. Helton motored out to Cuthbert Monday. Mr. H. P. Palmer, of Bg Springs, is spending a few days in Westbrook buying up a car of hogs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Green and family, of Rogers, were visiting at the nome of Mr. W. M. Green, Sunday. Born-To Mr. and Mrs. Vergil, a

Bro. Carmack filled his appointment here Sunday. He preached two very impressive sermons.

Mr. R. L. Rogers, of Big Springs, is visiting his brother, Mr. W. H. Rog-

Mrs. W. M. Green visited her son, Mr. H. M. Green, at Rogers, several days this week

Mr. D. R. Mitchell was a business visitor to Sweetwater Monday. Mr. J. M. Page and Mrs. E. McCallum made a flying trip to Colorado

Monday. On account of the bad weather Friday not many were able to attend the Ladies Aid. The lesson on Faith, led by Mrs. Butler, was interesting and enjoyed by all present. Their next subject will be on Prayer, led by Miss Alice Strickland.

Mr. W. W. Wade left Monday for Abilene, where he will attend Draughan's Business College.

Mr. P. M. Van Horn came in Monday night from Pecos.

Rev. O. J. Hull filled his appointment in the Baptist pulpit Sunday and in the afternoon at Conoway school

In the trustee election Saturday Messrs. F. M. Nessmith, Geo. Slaton, Tablets that no one should feel discour- J. M. Helton and J. W. Bird were elected school trusees for the Westbrook

Rev. F. C. Carmack and son, Mr. J. ach and enable it to perform its func- T. Adam and Mrs. S. H. Adam and tions naturally. Obtainable every- children motored down to Carlsbad to visit Rev. S. H. Adam, who is undergoing treatment at the Sanitarium. From there Mrs. Adam returned to

her home in Jayton. Mr. E. McCallum went to Ft. Worth on business Monday.

Messrs. A. M. Bell and G. D. Shelton made a business trip to Big Springs Tuesday,

Word came late Tuesday afternoon that Grandma Sutphen, of Iatan, had passed away to her eternal home, at the age of 87. It is hard to part from those that we love, but her mission here on earth has been filled and God in His tender mercy has called her Midland Friday, visiting friends and up higher. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the family in their bereavement.

> Mr. W. H. Hooks was a Colorado visitor Saturday. Mr. Guy May will open up a skating

rink in Westbrook soon. Quite a valuable horse of Mr. Albert Young's died Sunday night.

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Mr. W. W. Porter has leased the to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. wood yard to Mr. A. D. Connor who Y., for a sample bottle. When writing will continue to run same, keeping on be sure and mention the Colorado

CAR CAPERS

The farmers do not know which to Mr. Connor will live at the wood do, laugh or cry. They want to

The people were greatly surprised, kindly inform him and he will endeavor but glad to be knocked out of their to make a satisfied customer of each trip to Colorado Saturday by a large, 4-7-c slow rain.

We have put the literay off until next Friday week, and we have a We had our trustee election Satur-

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ROGERS ITEMS.

The work on the roads will soon begin now and the travelers will be glad

The rain at Rogers was flourishing, real sick. about three inches, of which the farmers were glad to se, and the work breaking business Monday. will now begin.

Jim Waters was attending the Sun- visiting in Westbrook Sunday. day school at Rogers and Fairview, Mr. Pink Fuller and Pete Cauthorn

Mr. Moore, of the Fairview community, died last Thursday. He was Sutphen was dead. She died Wednes- at the Rogers cemetery. The funeral Fairview.

Mr. Homer Green has been doing supply of song books. some tanking since the rain.

siting the Fairview community Sun-Miss Mae Williams and Enda Good-

win were the guests of Miss Mae's sister, Mrs. Buckalew. There are still some measles around serve the next two years.

Fairview. Mr. Hulit and Aubit are Mr. Harry Pond was in the mule ton.

Mr. and Mrs. Green and family were business this week, with the assistance

were visiting home folks at Riverside Sunday afternoon. Sunday school was slim Sunday, but

On last Wednesday night the people will be preached next Sunday at Fair- of Rogers met and organized a singing class, as they have in their new

Everybody is invited to be out Fri-Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Buckalew were day night to the literary. A nice program is prepared for that date. Singing at Fairview Sunday night

was well attended. Saturday, the 1st, was trustee election, and Mr. Gross was elected to

Mr. Wingo, of this community, has planted some 25 acres of feed and cot-

Mr. Homer Green is in the tanking of Mr. Mints.

DASH AND DOT.

Since the Rain

Visited our section, all lines of business have felt its reviving influence. Confidence has been fully restored in the Doubters, and the volume of business done this week has been greater than any two or three weeks during the dry spell.

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side line can hardly be found. Given and grasses, waste grain, acorns, and auts of various kinds, the cost of raising them is very small and the profits large. Grain and stock farms are particularly well adapted to turkey raising, and it is on such farms that most of the turkeys are found. Little has ever been done in the way of raising turkeys in confinement, and where Given free range on the average farm, quittal, or else a verdict of guilty of it has been tried the results have been discouraging. Plenty of range is essential to success in turkey raising.

#### Breeding.

the most important factors to be con- three times a day is often enough to verdict of guilty of murder in the first addered are vigor, size, shape, bone, feed, and very little should be given at degree and pointed out that testimony early maturity, and color of plumage. a time. The poults should always be introduced in Hightower's behalf, and The body should be deep and wide, ready to eat; if given all they will the defendant's own story, was conthe back broad, and the breast round clean up several times a day, indiges- clusive proof that he was insane and and full. The head should be of good tion will be the result. If there is therefore not mentally responsible for size and of a clean, healthy appear- little or no feed outside the coop for the crime with which he was charged. ance. A strong, well-made skeleton the poults to pick up, then they should is shown by thick, sturdy shanks and be fed about five times a day, feedstraight, strong toes. It should be the ing only a small quantity at a time. state's case, closed the arguments, and aim of every turkey raiser to have a A good feed for the first few days is like Mr. Vaught, urged the jury to flock of pure-bred turkeys even though stale bread soaked in milk and bring in a verdict of guilty of murder they are sold at market prices. The squeezed dry. Corn-bread crumbs and in the first degree. male at the head of the flock should clabbered milk or cottage cheese is by all means be a pure-bred of the also quite often fed and with excelbest type obtainable. The male is one- lent results. Green feed and grit half the entire flock, and by continual- should be on hand at all times. As ly selecting the best females of a simi- the poults grow older the ration should lar type and mating these with a pure- gradually be changed to grain.-U. S. bred male, one can soon have a flock Bulletin. of uniformly large, early-maturing, strong-boned, long and deep bodied turkeys of the same color.

Fifteen turkey hens can safely be mated to a vigorous tom. If 25 or 30 troubled with kidneys and bladder for the second degree. badly and the stronger does practically irregular action, all have been reliev-

#### Laying.

Turkey hens are wont to "steal" HIGHTOWER FOUND their nests in hidden places, such as a patch of weeds, tall grass, or thick brush, and often wander a half mile or more from home before they find locations that suit them. To find these stolen nests often proves to be a long and tedious task, the usual method being to follow each turkey hen as she separates from the flcok and starts toward her nest, care being taken that she does not know she is being followed. A much easier and quicker method than this is to confine the hens early some morning soon after they have come down from roost and let them out late in the afternoon. for their nests in order to lay the eggs guilty of murder in the first degree. Those that are laying will then head they have been holding.

of a breeding pen will be found a great convenience. This pen should cover a sufficient area to allow the turkeys some exercise, an acre for 15 birds being none too large. A hog tight wire fence 3 feet high will hold most turkeys, and if any persist in flying out, the flight feathers of one wing should be clipped. Nests should be scattered about the pen, those which turkies take to most readily being barrels turned on their sides and nests shaped in them with straw.

#### Incubation.

Turkey hens, chicken hens, and incubation are commonly used to incubate turkey eggs. During the early part of the laying season it often happens that one has on hand a number of eggs that should be incubated before any of the turkey hens are through laying their first litter and become "broody." In such case, and also when it is desired that the turkey hens lay more than one litter, some of the eggs have to be incubated under chicken hens or in an incubator. About a week before the poults are due to hatch turkey hens should be allowed to sit to take all the poults hatched. They can be given a few eggs from the incubator or from under the chicken hens and allowed to hatch thereupon announced a recess of half the poults themselves, or at night a newly-hatched poult can be slipped under each turkey hen that is to be make a statement to the jury. given a brood of poults and by morning she will be glad to take them.

#### Lice.

ting hens and are one of the worst rupted by adjournment of court until enemies of young poults. To prevent Tuesday morning, and it was not until Company.

thoroughly with some good lice powder, concluded his story. lukewarm water.

#### Brooding.

If the weather is warm and dry no coop should be moved to fresh ground meditated murder or not guilty.

the poults can easily pick up their murder in the second degree. own living, and one light feed a day

#### HIS AGE IS AGAINST HIM.

"I am 52 years old and I have been

### GUILTY OF MURDER.

Jury Deliberates But 22 Mniutes in Returning First Degree Verdict.

(The following account of the trial and conviction of L. C. Hightower, is taken from the Silver City, (N. M.) Independent, of March 28th.-Editor.) It took the jury in the case of the State vs. Lucius C. Hightower, former Tyrone teamster, charged with the murded of his wife, Mrs. Hallie Hightower, who was shot and mortally wounded at the Tyrone mining camp the night of September 30, 1915, but 22 minutes to return a verdict of The penalty under the New Mexico If many turkeys are kept, the use statutes is death by hanging. Unless an appeal is taken, which is unlikely

> ment. Hightower will die on the gal-The Hightower case was called for trial last Monday morning in the district court and was given to the jury shortly after 9 oclock Tuesday night less than two days being consumed in the trial, Judge Colin Neblett, presiding, held night sessions to expedite

The first day was occupied with the empanneling of the jury to try Hightower, it being 4 o'clock Monday evening when the panel was completed and the examination of witnesses begun. Although the state had a number of witnesses, their testimony was concluded by 9 o'clock Monday night and the state rested.

#### Hightower Makes Statement.

Attorneys for the defendant, C. W. McSherry, and W. H. Neblett, who were serving by appointment of the court, had not expected the state to conclude when it did, and counsel for the defense asked either for an adjournment until Tuesday morning, or else a recess to enable them to confer informed that Hightower wished to

The defendant talked to the jury for over an hour at the Monday night session, detailing a story of his life and recounting years of alleged domestic Lice are a great annoyance to sit- unhappiness. Finally he was inter-

their getting a foo ho d, dust the hen noon of the next day that he finally

before she is placed on the nest and During the afternoon session Tuesonce a week thereafter while she is day, the state placed several witnesses sitting. The nesting material should on the stand in rebuttal, their testibe kept clean, and if the eggs become mony taking up the time until after 5 dirty they should be washed with o'clock when a recess was taken until 8 o'c.ock the same evening for arguments of counsel to the jury.

#### Argument to the Jury.

The court room was crowded at the shelter is required, as the poults do night session when Judge Neblett better in the open. Should it be rainy, rapped for order and announced court however, they need to be protected, in session. James S. Vaught, of Dem-For those who are favorably situated for nothing is more injurious than for ing, assistant district attorney, opened for raising turkeys, a more profitable them to become wet and chilled. The the arguments to the jury for the most satisfactory plan is to confine state and made a vigorous plea for plenty of range where the turkeys can the mother turkey hen to a coop and a verdict of guilty of murder in the and grass-hoppers and other insects, allow the poults to run in and out first degree. He declared that the whenever rain does not prevent. This evidence against Hightower was concoop should be placed in a field where clusive and that there should be no they can run and find grasshoppers, compromise verdict; arguing he was green vegetation, and other feed. The either guilty of deliberate and pre-

W. H. Neblett, of counsel for the Improper feeding, combined with defendant, was the second to address close confinement, has been the cause the jury. He made an earnest plea on of many failures in turkey raising, behalf of his client in asking for an ac-

C. W. McSherry next spoke for the for the purpose of inducing them to defense and made a fervent address on come in at night is sufficient. If the behalf of Hightower, urging his acmother hen is confined to a coop and quittal on the testimony offered. He In selecting turkeys for breeding, the poults allowed to run in and out, dwelt especially, however, against a

C. C. Royall, who assisted in the prosecution, he having prepared the

#### Jury Out 22 Minutes.

It was 20 minutes past 9 o'clock when the court concluded reading his instructions to the jury. Judge Neblett gave them the choice of three verdicts, namely, guilty of murder in the first degree; guilty of murder in the second degree, and not guilty. He defined at length what constituted murder in the first degree and murder in

hens are kept, two toms should not a good many years," writes Arthur Th jury then retired to the jury be allowed to run with them at the Jones, Allen, Kan. "My age is against room to deliberate on a verdict, in same time, but one should be confined me to ever get cured, but Foley Kid- charge of two bailiffs. The spectaone day and the other the next. When ney Pills do me more good than any- tors in the court room almost without two toms are allowed to run together thing I ever tried." Rheumatism, ach- exception remained in anticipation of during the mating season, they fight ing back, shooting pains, stiff joints, an early agreement by the jury. They 22 minutes by the court room clock, Neblett that the jury was ready to report. He returned from his chambers to the bench, instructed that the jury be brought in, and rapped for order.

As the jury filed into the court room and took their places in the jury box, one could have heard a pin drop in the court room, and the ticking of the clock on the wall was plainly audible. Asked by Deputy District Clerk James A. Shipley if they had reached a verdict, H. G. Moses, foreman of the jury, replied in the affirmative. The jury roll was then called and the verdict handed to Deputy Shipley, who read it as follows: "We, the jury in this case, find the defendant guilty of murder in the first degree."

#### Hightower Unaffected.

Though apparently dazed by the verdict, Hightower evidenced no visible emotion. He sat alone, except for and the governor does not commute several members of the sheriff's office the death sentence to life imprisonwho stood near his chair. As the spectators rose to leave the court room, many craned their necks to see the prisoner, but he did not notice them. As soon as he could make his way from the court room to the table where Hightower sat, the Rev. Earl Du Laney, pastor of the First Baptist church, offered his sympathy to the convicted man and sought to speak an encouraging word.

Following the emptying of the court coom, Hightower, closely guarded was taken back to his cell in the county jail in teh basement of the court house.

#### No Motion For New Trial. So far counsel for Hightower has

given no notice of a motion for a new trial and it is likely that none will be made. In the meantime, Hightower is held in jail awaiting sentence, following which it is expected he will be taken to the state penitentiary at Santa Fe for safekeeping.

#### TAKEN WITH CROUP.

"A few nights ago one of my patrons had a child taken with croup," writes M. T. Davis, merchant, Bearsville, W with the defendant. Judge Neblett Va. "About midnight he came to my store and bought a bottle of Foley's and hour, after which the court was Honey and Tar Compound. Before morning the child was entirely recovered." Many such letters have been written. For sale by W. L. Doss.

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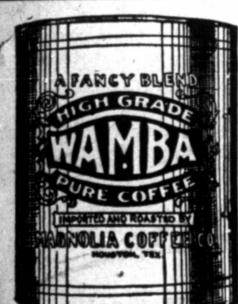
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THE CAUSE AND PRE-VENTION OF BLACK LEG.

An immense loss is sustained each discoveries they are made by some one the innocent purchaser under the old who lives close to nature, rather than method of carlessness and injustice. one who is a student of books, for The following provisions of the new causes the blackleg.

reasons for so believing.

In the first place we must be convinced of such a fly and know its true history before we can take intelligent steps to combat its ravages. Much to on a cow a few days only while the they do not make settlement. larvae of the heel fly remains under the hide of a cow for ten to twelve months. The tick is comparatively local, the heel fly is universal. Hence the ravages and losses from the heel fly greatly exceeds that of the tick. These losses in a single year are estimated by the Year Book, issued by the U.S. Department of Agriculture for the year 1912, to be more than \$173,000,000. from the heel fly independent of any loss from blackleg. This same article, however, found on page 388 of above issue, is very misleading in its life history of the heel fly. It teaches that the fly lays eggs on the cow's hairs, which gets into the mouth when licking herself, where the grub hatches in the throat or stomach and bores through the muscles to its nest under the hide in the back. I will pay \$5 for every heel fly egg laid on the hair of a cow and made this offer fifteen years ago, but no one has claimed much as a single \$5 yet. I must drop this discussion for want of space and go direct to the discussion of the blackleg and give my reasons for believing it is caused by the heel fly. First: As the tick causes the Texas

another species of fly scatters if it hereby given that all county executive the legislature. The people should does not produce the Charbon, a di- committees should be called to meet take a deeper interest in the subjects sease similar to the blacklag, then is on Saturday, April 15th, for the purthat come before the legislature. They it far fetched or unreasonable to at- pose of calling precinct and county should watch with more scrutiny the tribute the cause of the blackleg to

fever, while another variety of tick

gether, the early calves born before above day and date, at the court house April 1st that die the next year with in Colorado, at 4 o'clock in the afterthe blackleg. Calves that come after noon. this date, when the heel flies depredate little or none, are not affected with blackleg. If those that die are skinned and examined, their backs will be found full of warbles or where on farms and ranches in Mitchell and warbles have been. Again they die at adjoining counties No delay or that date when the warbles are mature worry. and at the most aggravating stage, from December to March as a rule. If a calf lives over the disease or is only infested partially, it becomes an im- he and the Record know about it. mune by the second year. Hence, old cattle never have the blackleg.

Third: These warbles cause clotted blood and putrid matter to form around where they make their nest and while in a growing stage the warbles consume this as their food and keep it from entering the blood circulation. But when the warbles become mature and begin to crawl out of the back in great numbers in late winter and early spring, they leave behind masses of this clotted blood poison when nature endeavors to absorb and remove this putrid mass. If the effort is too great for nature to accomplish, the calf dies and we call in blackleg.

I am so thoroughly convinced that the heat fly brings on the blackleg, that I will unreservedly say that if every stock raiser will get the warbles out of the backs of his cattle as soon as they begin to make their appearance during July, August and September, he will never have another case of the blackleg.

> H. A. HALBERT, Coleman, Texas.

DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS.

(Dallas News)

Attention is being called to the new tax law. It had gotton so in some parts of Texas that a citizen could not be sure just when a suit for back taxes would be brought against him; and in many cases loud complaints were made for taxes long since fully paid. If a defendant were unable to find his tax receipt, long since lost, mislaid and forgotten, he must pay, pay again; and this resulted in some vigorous contention against a loose method of keeping the records straight and of looking year by owners of cattle from black after the collection of taxes. One leg. This loss is among young cattle. thing led to another, until it was de-Much money and scientific investiga- cided to compel a prompter and closer tion has been expended to find a rem- collection of taxes as a means of avoidedy for this disease. Like all great ing the injustice that so often fell upon

books are sometimes misleading. Mr. law are now being published over the W. H. Parks, a close observer and state as warnings to taxpayers: The practical cattle raiser of Plemons, present delinquent tax law makes it Texas, has written an article to a lead- mandatory upon the tax collector to ing farm paper, in which he expresses notify the county attorney of all dethe opinion and gives some practical linquents, and he (the county attorexperiments to show that the heel-fly ney) shall bring suit. Taxes unpaid by February 1, 1916, are delinquent Having studied this troublesome fly taxes. The collector by May 1 must for thirty years from nature, more notify every delinquent of his rondithan from books, I am prepared to en- tion. Ninety days are then given for dorse his opinion, which I wish to em- settlement of the delinquencies; that phasize in this article and give my is, until August 1. The county attorney must then enter suit between August 1 and January 1, 1917. The law is very strict and provided for the removal of officers who fail to do this within the prescribed time. No taxes do is being made about the tick and have been sued upon in many counits eradication, which is all well ties of the state for years. This leaves enough, but the heel fly is by far the a large list of delinquents, all of whom most destructive pest. A tick remains must be sued by January 1, 1917, if

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