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COLORADO IS ALL RIGHT.

A Fleeting Comparison of It With Other Towns and Sections on the Texas & Pacific Road.

Of course, it is unfair to any town to judge it solely by appearances, and particularly from what can be seen of it from the average railroad right-of-way. However, something of the general trend of things as well as conditions, can be gathered by such opportunity for hasty census and appraisal as a five-minute stop and ten minutes run through the parlous of any town gives the wayfarer on the regulation Texas & Pacific train. Even though it be the "Sunshine Special," the telegraph poles do not occur as frequently as teeth in a fine-toothed comb nor the rail stones come as thick as tombstones in the village graveyard.

On our recent trip out to El Paso, we bent both eyes wide open and our aural appendages attuned to the slightest vibration in the gamut of improvement of the towns and development of the country. We wished to compare Colorado and Mitchell county with every town and county through which we passed in that 400-mile journey, and nothing save the sable curtains of night kept us from seeing practically everything, dead or alive on both sides of the railway between El Paso and Colorado.

Twelve years had elapsed since we had been west of Midland on the old Teedapee. We had read every week of the great progress being made in towns and counties west of Colorado and Mitchell, until we had come to look upon Colorado (sidelong) with a vague suspicion of not being able to keep in the front rank of West Texas progressive towns, and that possibly, Mitchell county was not quite so great as its Prophet had been cracking it up to be. In short, we started out in an apologetic frame of mind. But if we had met some fellow from any town and county, who laid claim to his town and county being the best on earth, an argument had occurred on the spot.

As the train drew into the various towns between Colorado and El Paso, we quietly took out note-book and pencil to note the most protuberant advantages that particular place enjoyed over Colorado, or how badly the farming aspect showed the condition in Mitchell county. We say we made ready to note these things, but the pencil has not yet been sharpened on the note-book mutilated by a single mark in detrimental comparison of Colorado and Mitchell county, with any single community through which the Texas & Pacific railway runs.

By and large, there is not a town west of here that shows up to the disadvantage of Colorado in the excellent condition of its streets, the number of shade trees, the attractiveness of its homes, the modernness of its business houses and general air of prosperity, while in its agricultural development and quality of farm homes to be seen from a railroad train, Mitchell county is fully ten years ahead of any county through which we passed, at least that portion of it contiguous to the road. And we are informed by those who have made the trip, this same state-of-comparison exists along the dirt highways.

Big Spring and Midland are the only two towns—county seats—in the same class with Colorado; hence most of the ground is cleared for comparative notice. The heart throb of Big Spring can be easily felt and seen from the station. Its lifeblood is the Texas & Pacific interests at that place. There are located the machine shops of the road, with its attendant payroll. It is also the end of both freight and passenger divisions for the road's operation. This brings many families to the town who are independent of the prosperity of the community, and amounts in the business channels of the town, to an extra crop every year.

We are not "shying" a brick at Big Spring or at any other town. Both Big Spring and Midland are splendid towns, and of themselves have demonstrated more of the spirit of determined progress and the courage of Eli than has Colorado. Neither has either town suffered the inevitable reaction that follows inflation and the building upon any foundation other than permanent agriculture, that Colorado has.

The writer has been over practically every section of Howard county and is familiar with its agricultural development. The federal government has located an experimental station at Big Spring, for the trying out of the crops best adapted to the soil and cli-

matic conditions of West Texas. The station has proven a success, not only from a governmental standpoint, but it has been a valuable object lesson to the farmers of Howard and all other counties, who would heed the lessons taught by the experiments carried forward at this station.

Again, Howard county is fast coming into its own as, not only a staple crop section, but particularly as a truck farming section. The watermelons of Howard county have for several years ranked with the best grown anywhere, while the financial returns have surpassed many other sections claiming the watermelon as a specialty. Less than two and one-half per cent of the area of Howard county is planted to cotton yet when the aggregate number of bales of this year's crop is available, it will be shown that its yield per acre is on an average with the vaunted back belt of this state.

Midland has long enjoyed the reputation of being the wealthiest town in West Texas of anything like size. Several millionaires have their habitat in that thriving burg. It has the only four-story hotel on the Texas & Pacific road west of Fort Worth, (of course if the new Landon hotel at San Angelo, which hostelry we have not seen, is more than three stories, this statement don't go) and a fine college building aside from its high school building. Barring these most recent and up-to-the-second evidences of progressiveness, Midland is not one inch ahead of Colorado in its civic development, and we doubt if any town in West Texas under 5000 population, has made as many and decided improvements during the past year as has Colorado.

In its agricultural development, Mitchell county is the peer of any West Texas, county depending wholly upon the natural rainfall for the fructification of its crops. When it is considered that more than thirty per cent of the area of Mitchell county is yet devoted to cattle raising, and that one man owns 210 sections on which less than 50 people live, some idea may be had of what the county would do if all of it were as thickly settled as that portion now under the plow, and if this great extent of land now devoted to pasture, were under cultivation. It would add more than 3000 to the county's population and nearly \$3,000,000 to its taxable valuations.

Again, Colorado is not the only good town in Mitchell county. Lorraine, which has not been in existence as a town, more than twelve years, is in the heart of the best belt of purely farming land in the county, and doubtless has more acres tributary to its trade than any other town in West Texas, of like size. The town has a population of 1,200 enjoying the advantages of a splendid electric light system, good streets, schools, churches, mercantile and banking institutions, and bonds have recently been issued and approved providing for an ample water supply system.

Westbrook, ten miles west of Colorado, is another growing community. Though not so large as Lorraine, it is a progressive community and the country contributing to the town's business is some of the best in the county.

By and full, we returned to Colorado with a more favorable impression of the town and Mitchell county, than we had since reading of the "wonderful strides" being made by the towns around us. This was our first trip to El Paso within twelve years, and the only surprises that greeted us were within the city and county of El Paso themselves. Colorado and Mitchell county have more than kept abreast with the advancement of West Texas, and although much of the trade territory of the town has been cut off by the building of railroads and springing up of competing towns all around it, the intensive settlement and development of the immediate section has about compensated. Colorado and Mitchell county are all to the good.

When J. R. Hastings can't pull off a deal of some kind, particularly in the realty line, it's a chilly day in late August. He reports the sale last week of the Buck Rogers place to J. P. Hunter, consisting of 320 acres improved farming land, consideration \$25 per acre, cash. He also engineered the deal by which Mr. Hunter acquires the windmill and plumbing business of Winn & Payne. The new proprietor will assume charge on November 15th.

Get election returns Tuesday night at opera house.

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Reaction returns at opera house on Tuesday night.

Expenditures of the state government for this fiscal year, ending August 31, amounted to \$18,157,789 in state funds, as disclosed by figures compiled for the annual report of the controller, an increase of \$749,335 over the previous year.

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Week's Program

Monday, November 6:

"THE GRIP OF EVIL"—No. 11

"THE POWER OF MIND"—3 Reels.

"BILLIE VAN DEUSEN, THE CAVE MAN"—Comedy.

Tuesday, November 7:

"WINGED IDOL"

Featuring KATHARINE KAILLED and HOUSE PETERS.

KEYSTONE COMEDY.

"CROOKED TO THE END"—Fred Mac.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION RETURNS

Wednesday, November 8:

"Courting of Calliope Clew"—2 reels

"SEEING AMERICA FIRST."

"TOO BAD, EDDIE"—Comedy.

Thursday, November 9:

"Lillie and the Rose"

Featuring Lillian Gist, Rozsika Dolie and Willford Lucas.

2 Reel KEYSTONE COMEDY.

"THE GREAT VACANNE ROBBERY"—with Chas. Murry and Mack Swain.

Friday, November 10:

"Wall Street Tragedy"

MUTUAL MASTER PICTURE—Featuring Nat Goodwin.

Saturday, November 11:

"Ruth Ridley's Return"—2 reels

"JERRY'S CELEBRATION."

"REEL LIFE."

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ACCORDING TO THE LAW

The law as she's writ, is a curious thing. More men, if not wiser ones, than Charles Dickens, have marvelled at the law's alleged clearness and brevity. If one wishes to give a friend anything out of hand, it is only necessary to say: I give you this orange, and the thing's done. But if a lawyer were called in to do the thing up so that it would stick for time and then some, he'd fix the transaction up something like this: "I hereby give and consign to you, all and singular, my estate and interest, right title, claim and advantages of and in said orange, together with all of its rind, skin, juice, pulp and pips, and all right and advantages therein with full power to bite, cut, suck, or otherwise eat the same, or give the same away, as fully as I, the said A. B., am now entitled to bite, cut, suck, or otherwise eat the same orange or give the same away with or without the rind, skin, juice, pulp or pips, anything heretofore or hereinafter, or in any other deed or deeds, instrument or instruments of whatever nature or kind, forever to the contrary in anywise notwithstanding."—Lafkin News.

More than 19,000 negroes have left Florida alone for the northern states under promise of abundant work and big pay. There is a widespread suspicion that these negroes will be used in the election against President Wilson, as they are going to the so-called doubtful states.

USE "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS WHEN CONSTIPATED

When Bilious, Headachy, Sick, For Sour Stomach, Bad Breath, Bad Colds.

Get a 10-cent box. Take a Cascaret to-night to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a tick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, indigested and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret to-night will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action, a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

SHOW DAY IS COMING.

"When the show comes," is what people are saying to each other these pleasant days and THE show that they mean is the Cole Bros.' Big World-Toured Shows and Trained Wild Animal Exhibition which is greater and bigger than ever this season as the Cole Bros. are now offering their new, big, giant threefold show combined in one. This colossal organization will exhibit at Colorado, Tuesday Nov. 7.

This mammoth amusement enterprise with its myriad of high class performers and train loads of the most valuable beasts of the jungle offer the cleanest, grandest and most instructive entertainments ever presented in this city. Every thing imaginable in the way of trained animals—domestic and wild—is given from the smallest monkey to the largest elephant. No show on earth exhibits finer specimens of high school and high jumping horses. An interesting performance by Shetland ponies appeal to the children. Among the hundred arenic acts are astonishingly clever equilibristic feats of strength, acts of deftness and dexterity; difficult ladder balancing acts; also an innovation is being presented this year in the way of a novel dancing exhibit participated in by a number of perfectly formed young women.

This is the show to which you'll take your wife your mother or your sweetheart; this is the show that gives what it advertises—the show that pleases.

We sell Moline Double Discs, both large and pony size; Disc Harrows, Middle Busters, Turning Plows, and trucks for both.—Colorado Merc. Co.

Rev. Burkhardt received a Rhode Island Red rooster last week, the price of which throughbred, he declares it a shame to tell. But inasmuch as the report is current that the bird was invoiced at \$25 and that he paid that figure for it, he establishes an alibi for his money by stating that after the bird was paid for, a twenty-five dollar bill didn't look like much—there weren't many leavings.

Keep Colorado Money in Colorado.

CAR CAPERS

Mrs. N. T. Smith is on the sick list this week.

Messrs Will and Verdie Phillips motored down to Colorado Saturday.

Mr. Lannie Young, from the plains country is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Murphy of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Adams and family and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Garrett, of Big Spring, motored down to W. A. Murphy's Sunday.

Mr. T. M. Grant and sons, Ellis and Tom, went to Colorado Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Phillips were shopping in Westbrook Thursday.

Mr. W. H. Murphy was a business visitor in Colorado Saturday.

Mr. Aubra Reese was in Westbrook Saturday.

Grandpa Westfall came in from Stonewall county, Tuesday.

Mrs. E. T. Phillips was shopping in Westbrook Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Gregory and family moved to Abilene Monday.

Mr. J. H. Airhart has traded his farm to a man from Colorado, for land in Winkler county.

Mrs. Will Phillips and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Morris and family at Westbrook from Saturday to Monday.

Messrs Aubra Reese and Charlie Oliver, Misses Amanda Phillips and Ada Reese went to the fifth Sunday meeting at Westbrook Sunday.

Mr. H. A. Brown came in from the Dallas fair Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Terry went to Colorado Wednesday.

Mr. Arnett Daniels was seen en route to Colorado the last of the week.

There will be a meeting of the church Sunday. Everybody is invited to come out.

Mr. J. E. Sweatt of Westbrook was out to see his brother, Mr. G. W. Sweatt Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Stenson from East Texas, is out visiting his son, Carl. Mr. Stenson is looking out a location for a new home. He has been out on the plains and now is back here. He says he likes this country much better than the plains.

Our school will begin here the 15th. We will have new teachers this year.

We are expecting a fine school and want each and every pupil to be ready to start on the 15th.

Mr. John A. Thompson of Westbrook was out at Car on business Monday.

BLUE EYES.

A VALUABLE OBJECT LESSON.

The Abilene Reporter of last Monday contains an account of a farmer in the Hamby community, nine miles northeast of Abilene, that should prove an incentive to every other farmer in West Texas.

Six years ago B. G. Reeves bought a farm in the Hamby community, for which he went "in the hole," as he expresses it, \$7,000. The first three years he made only enough from it to barely pay the interest on his debt. But he stayed by the stuff, considering his time, expenses and experience, as part of his aggregate investment. He had faith in the section and did his part.

In the last three years Mr. Reeves has paid for his land, the expenses of equipment, made a good living, and now has on hand a number of live stock, abundance of feed, cottonseed unmarketed, besides a long list of accumulated things that his pluck and hard work have brought him. Had he lost his nerve and moved a few times, he would have lost everything that naturally comes by accretion. He couldn't tell just how or when he accumulated them, but to buy them out of hand would cost a considerable sum of money.

With a gasoline tractor, Mr. Reeves took to Abilene 42 bales of cotton. He used two wagons and hauled 7 bales to the wagon. He made 60 bales on his place this year. In commenting on Mr. Reeves' success, the Reporter adds:

"Mr. Reeves is not the only man who has 'made good' with Central West Texas land, but his success would be well worthy of commendation in any country on the face of the earth. Can you picture a man buying a black land farm and paying for it in three years, not to mention the accumulation of livestock and the good living that is a part of a glorious climate?"

"I've noticed that the man who stays with it always gets rich," said an Abilene business man in speaking of Central West Texas farming. "There are fat years and lean years, but the fat years come oftener."

DO YOU HAVE SOUR STOMACH?

If you are troubled with sour stomach you should eat slowly and masticate your food thoroughly, then take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. Obtainable everywhere.

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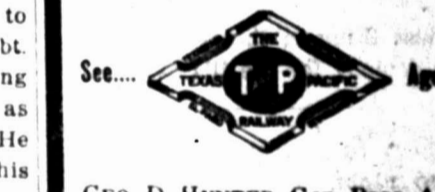
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"The Birth of a Nation" is decidedly the most remarkable historical spectacle ever presented in America. It will be seen at the Colorado opera house, November 27 and 28.

Petersburg and Atlanta, Appomattox and Ford's Theatre, the wild rides of the Ku Klux Klan live again in Mr. Griffith's 12,000 feet of superb motion pictures, which took eight months to produce, cost \$500,000, employed 18,000 people and 3,000 horses. The great spectacle is an epitome of scenes, incidents, characters, passions and emotions of the whole period from 1861 to 1876—the period occupied by the Civil War and Reconstruction. Suggested by Thomas Dixon's "The Clansman" and "The Leopard's Spots," it has a grandly epic quality of its own which stamps it as a masterpiece of genius. The enormous popularity achieved by it in New York, Boston, Chicago, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Dallas has been repeated in all towns on the route and the prospects are that it will crowd the local theatre at every performance.

With the price of everything the son of woman eats and wearies advancing by leaps and loops, conjoined with the fast approach of frost and 'simmons, we felt a little uneasy as to the stability of the 'possum crop and prospective supply of that succulent marsupial. Knowing that our senegambian fellow-townsman, and 'possum connoisseur Perry Bracy would be duly posted on both, we queried of him one morning this week as to the outlook. His reply was as convincing as it was laconic: "Boss," he said, with a deprecatory gesture, "to tell the pinblank truth 'bout it—'possums is riz, jes like everything else pore white fokes and niggers uses." What expert, we ask and pause for answer, could put it better? Bracy beats a possum ticker on the delicate shades of market fluctuations, every time.

WEST TEXAS TO HAVE BASEBALL LEAGUE.

Brownwood, Oct. 27.—A movement has been started here to organize a West Texas baseball league for next summer. A number of fans of this city have taken the matter under advisement and are feeling out the sentiment for such an organization.

Through the Chamber of Commerce other towns are being solicited to join in the movement, so that everything

Now Is the Time to -Buy-

Disc PLOWS

H. C. Doss Has 'Em

HENRY SEES THE POINT. Republican though he is politically, Henry Ford knows a good thing in the concrete when he sees it and enjoys it. Passing through Kansas City on his way back to Detroit, Henry Ford said to a newspaper reporter who asked him, "Then you are entirely satisfied with the Wilson foreign policy?" "He has kept us out of war, hasn't he? The country is prosperous, isn't it? There's no war, is there?"

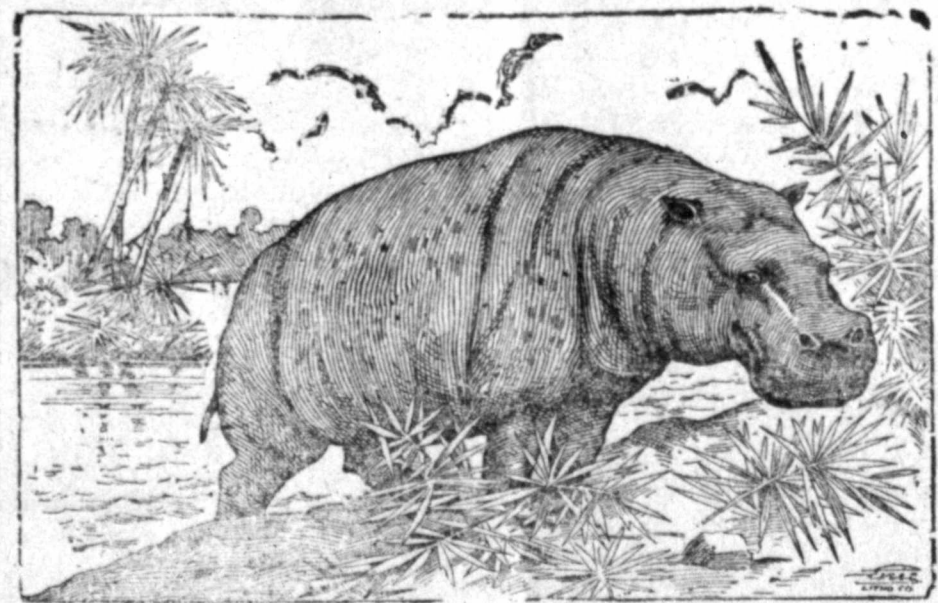
New York, Oct. 25.—Official announcement was made today by J. P. Morgan & Co. that a new British loan by American bankers aggregating \$300,000,000 had been arranged. It will bear interest at 5 1/2 per cent and is payable in two installments, one of three years and one of five years.

Post City will soon have a packing house in operation.

Colorado, Tuesday, November 7

CHEAP ROUND-TRIP EXCURSIONS ON ALL LINES OF TRAVEL TO THE COLE BROS' GREAT SHOWS ASK YOUR LOCAL TICKET-AGENT FOR PARTICULARS

WORLD'S GREATEST ATHLETES BERNIE BROS. STRONGEST MEN ON EARTH



will be ready for the opening of the season next spring, should the venture be received favorably by the several towns of this section of the state. It has been suggested that Brownwood, Coleman, Ba-Hinger, San Angelo Sweetwater, Colorado, Winters, Abilene and possibly Dullin or Comanche form the circuit.

John G. Perrine, formerly associated with the American and National

leagues and the National Association, has offered his services in organizing the league. Mr. Perrine is now in Kansas City.

Blacklegolds at W. L. Doss' drug store.

War is delightful to those who have had no actual experience in it.—Erasmus.

BUY YOUR MEATS FROM PICKENS & REEDER CLEAN AND ONLY CHOICE MEATS handled by us. **PICKENS & REEDER**

THE COMMITTEE IS NAMED.

Secretary Hodge of the West Texas A. & M. College Campaign Association named the following committee which will meet with a committee from the A. & M. College to draft the bill to be presented to the legislature, for the establishment of the school: T. F. Hodge, secretary, Sweetwater, Dr. P. C. Coleman, Colorado, Texas, president; Hon. E. R. Spencer, Nolan county; Senator C. R. Buchanan of Scurry county; Hon. C. B. Metcalf, San Angelo and Senator C. B. Hudspeth of El Paso.

The date and place of the meeting will be announced later. This will be determined by Mr. Hodge, he declared Sunday while in Fort Worth.

Colorado City, Big Spring, Sweetwater, Abilene, San Angelo, Lubbock, Snyder, Post, Spur and Amarillo are all in the race for the location of the proposed new school, although nothing definite will be done in the way of selection of a site until the appropriation is passed by the state legislature.

GOOD OLD TEE AND PEE IN HANDS OF A RECEIVER.

The appointment by federal judge Foster at Shreveport of J. L. Lancaster, Vice-President of the Texas & Pacific road and Pearl Wright of New Orleans, receivers for the Texas & Pacific, caused all kinds of rumors in railroad circles, says the Fort Worth Record of the 30th inst.

One of the rumors was that the International & Great Northern would retire from the Texas & Pacific and merge interests with the Santa Fe. Credence was given this rumor by the appearance of receiver Baker and general manager Whittington of the I. & G. N. with their private cars in Fort Worth Saturday.

It is alleged by the powers that be, that the placing of the Texas & Pacific road in the hands of a receiver was necessary in order to make such improvements to the road and to place it on a sound basis in reference to the establishing of a finance system that would be adequate to carry out these plans.

The placing of the Texas & Pacific in receivers' hands will now prevent the threatened strike of the railroad clerks, who have demanded recognition of their union and increased wages. The property is now under the jurisdiction of the federal court, and should a strike be called the strikers will be amenable to the federal law.

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TWENTY-THREE YEARS AGO.

From the Colorado Weekly Clipper of October 7th, 1893.

At this time H. L. Davis was editor and proprietor of the Clipper. The paper was in its 12th volume and its 27th number. It continued for ten years longer under various editors and fluctuating fortunes. After the removal of the West Texas Stockman to Fort Worth, the Colorado Clipper, being owned by the same company, was published as the "local edition of the Stockman" until the last issue in December 1913, when Hec McEachern was taken from Colorado and put on the Stockman at Fort Worth. The Clipper was then absorbed by the Spokesman, under the management of C. A. Ragland and J. L. Dow and called the Colorado Clipper and Spokesman.

Country newspapers experienced trouble in getting across with their regular supply of print paper in those days as well as now. Note this lament: "The Clipper looks kinder rocky this week. We did not receive our paper soon enough to go to press on time and had to cut up a lot of odd size paper and make it do."

The great Columbian exposition was in full swing at Chicago at this time, and everything new in the way of entertainment in the bucolic districts, was boosted as being "direct from the Midway Palisade."

The worst hurricane in the history of the gulf coast had just devastated the cities of Mobile, Ala., and New Orleans, La. The greater part of the former city was submerged for a day and night.

The People's Party was in the heyday of its popularity. Judge T. L. Nugent was the brightest exponent of that cult in the state, while Jerome C. Kirby was first lieutenant. E. R. Ponda spokesman-in-ordinary for the party had himself interviewed and gave out the following oracular observations:

"The prospects for the success of the People's Party are bright and growing brighter every day. A party that chaps up its platform into kindling-wood, like the democratic party has done, can not hold together, and its disintegrating particles will all fly to us. Politically, the democratic party is the embodiment of strife, looking one way in the north and another way in the south on all leading questions. In fact, the only difference between it and the republican party is in the color of its hair. From a business standpoint the democratic party is no more of a success. Here in Texas, with the people paying their taxes, the governor is trying to stand off the state's officers for sixty days, selling them there is no money in the treasury. State officers have been forced to hawk their warrants on the streets. If 15 cents on the \$100 valuation is too low a levy to pay the expenses of the state, it was the business of a democratic administration to make the levy suffi-

cient to keep the judges and other officials from starving. They could no more expect state officials to subsist on wind than they could a jay bird to fly without a 'ail."

Free silver and the repeal of the Sherman silver purchase act were burning questions before the national congress. President Cleveland and Secretary of the Treasury, Carlisle were threshing out another gold bond issue.

The postoffice at Westbrook had just been discontinued and all mail for that place was distributed at Colorado.

Quite a fire occurred the week before and the town was full of insurance adjusters. C. M. Adams and S. Lapowski & Bros., were the heaviest losers therein. The building of J. H. Drennan suffered also. And as from time immemorial in the legends of the craft, the "intelligent compositor" was made the scapegoat for the editor's inaccuracy, as this paragraph evidences: "In our writup of the fire last week the intelligent compositor made us say the damages were \$825,000, when it should have been \$55,000."

The Rendrebrook Hotel had been renovated under the management of Mrs. McLin and this invitation given the hungry public: "Come all ye hungry and feast on the fat of the land."

The death of Edwin Gustine, only child and son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gustine was announced as having occurred September 20th.

Mrs. Fannie Harrison had died the week before at her home in north Colorado.

Col. C. C. Pool was up and about after a fierce tussle with the dengue fever, looking "like the ragged edge of despair."

The "deadly parallel" was evoked on the record of Roger Q. Mills. A speech of his made in 1873 in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver, is printed cheek by jowl with a recent speech of his in favor of the gold standard. "Fifteen years before, it was reported that John H. Reagan rode from Palestine to Corsicana and sat up and prayed all night with Mills in order to keep him out of the green-back camp. But things and conditions had changed since then, and Mills had acquired such an inordinate lust for patronage that all the voters in Texas could not keep him out of the gold camp. Yet this arrant demagogue and political charlatan is called a statesman."

The Lubbock and Colorado stage and express line, O'Brannon & Love, proprietors, did a thriving business via Cuthbert, Knapp, Durham, Gall, Bely, Grassland and Dixie. The fare one way was \$6.50; round trip \$12.50 children half fare. The distance was 120 miles as the crow flew.

The prosperity, sobriety, peacefulness and general reputation of the county rested in the following competent hands:

Judge Wm. Kennedy was district judge and Sam H. Cowan, district attorney. Xavier Ryan was county judge

J. E. Hooper county and district clerk, Y. D. McMurry, sheriff; W. S. Stoneham was assessor, Dr. E. T. Terrell, county treasurer and M. Carter county attorney.

Mr. J. T. Harness was Lord Mayor at the time, with a city council consisting of C. C. Blandford, H. C. Townsend, C. C. Poo., M. T. Hall and Gus Bertner.

The more spiritual fortunes of the community were in the direct keeping of Rev. T. J. Robinson, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church; Rev. J. H. Ziveley, pastor of the First Presbyterian church; Rev. E. Hightower, pastor of the Methodist church; Rev. D. H. Fallen, pastor of the Christian church; Rev. R. S. Stuart, rector of the Episcopal church, while the Baptist pastorate was at that time vacant, but Bro. G. P. Putnam upheld the standard of the faith as superintendent of the Sabbath school.

Mrs. Mary Mann was president of the W. C. T. U. while Mrs. J. E. Riordan was corresponding secretary. The town had not then reached that stage of culture when the various woman's clubs filled so large a place in the sun of publicity as now.

POOR LO A PROGRESSIVE.

At last Poor Lo is getting his just deserts. No longer are the aboriginals exploited by unscrupulous Indian and whites. Secretary Lane and Indian Commissioner Sells have saved millions of dollars for their wards during the years they have had them in charge. They have not only saved the Indian millions of dollars and protected him from his covetous neighbors, but they have led him to a higher plane of living and taught him a deeper appreciation of national life. Steadily and surely are the young Indians being trained for civic duties and for social contacts which will put the red men of the future into the full stream of national life. Tribal residence, habits and customs and nomadic traits are rapidly becoming history. The natives are becoming producers, self-controlled, industrious and intelligent workers. In short, the Indian is becoming Americanized. With Uncle Sam as his protector and adviser, his teacher and friend, his banker and lawyer, Poor Lo is getting so he can stand on his own feet. And although barred of citizenship now, some day perhaps, Uncle Sam will see fit to allow the Indian the privilege of being a citizen instead of only a ward of the government.—Fort Worth Record.

A CHILD'S TONGUE SHOWS IF LIVER OR BOWELS ARE ACTIVE

If Cross Feverish, Sick, Bilious, Give Fruit Laxative at Once.

Every mother realizes, after giving her child "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Adv5

Miss Ella M. Haas of Ohio has spent thirty-three years in a factory and for the last seven years has been a member of the Board of Factory Inspectors of her state.

With the fall days comes colds and other more serious contagious diseases. Is it not the safest and most sanitary for you to send the children's school clothes to be laundered where they will be, thoroughly sterilized without injury to the color or the fabric. "Safety First" is our motto, and if you are wise you will make it yours this winter.—The Laundry.

Take your tin vessels of all kinds to R. B. Terrell for quick and lasting soldering. He does it while you wait to take it home.

Vote for the amendment giving local option in the matter of taxation for school purposes.

Buy it in Colorado.

FOR ITS A GREAT SCHOOL.

Among the students of the University of Texas for the present session is one young man who walked a hundred and fifty miles to Austin, arriving at the University with only \$8 in his pocket. He has already enrolled in the University and has secured a position where he is earning his board and other expenses. Another young man is living in a shack near the University which he erected at a cost of \$14, and here he intends to spend the entire school year. In recent years students have been known to ride in to Austin on the bumpers of freight trains. One came four hundred miles on horse back; two others floated down the Colorado river, four hundred and fifty miles in a canoe; and still another rode a hundred and fifty miles on a motorcycle. Nearly fifty per cent of the students belong to the self supporting class, and more than one hundred during the present session have secured employment through the bureau run by the Young Men's Christian Association of the institution.

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The sickening, nauseating feeling that follows the use of calomel is the natural result of disarranging your entire system. Doctors everywhere are agreeing that the action of calomel is much too strong, and leaves the body sick and weakened.

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Too many men regard the square deal only as something that they ought to get from the other fellow.—The Mediator.

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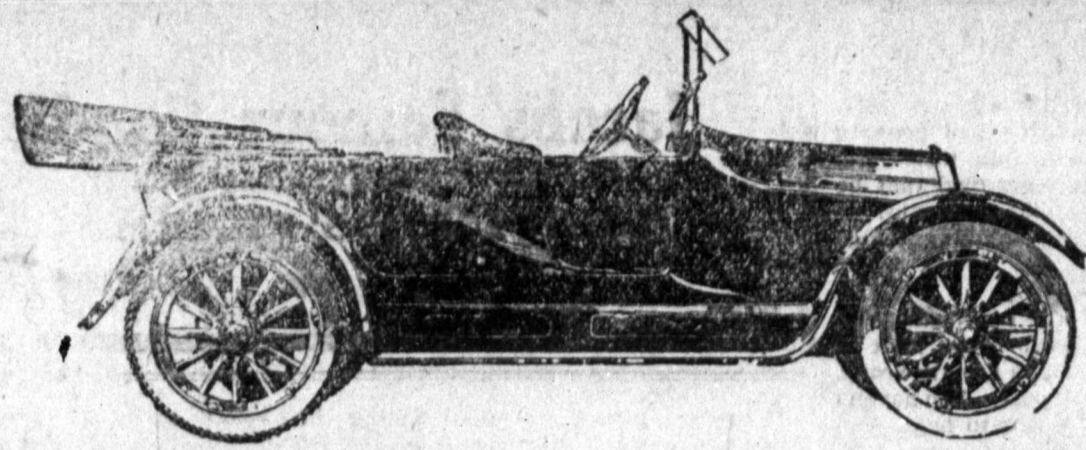
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You may have in mind some model overcoat, but say, you ought to see ours. It will only take you a minute to look them over, if you will stop in today. We have loose overcoats, tight fitting overcoats, long ulsters, and short dress coats—so we must have exactly the overcoat you want.

PUT ONE OVER ON JACK FROST BY COMING IN TODAY AND GETTING MEASURED. WE'LL DO THE REST.

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We have opened a service station at the Ford salesroom, and are doing only Ford work. Having been associated with the Ford car ever since it came to this county, we feel that we can give you the best service obtainable. We know our business and will treat you right.

When you want your FORD worked on take it to the FORD Service Garage

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LORAIN LOCALS.

Miss Jessie Lon Everetts of Sweetwater visited friends here this week.

Misses Board and Reese visited in Westbrook from Friday to Sunday.

Mr. R. L. Lowery of Roscoe was busy here Thursday.

Mr. Marvin Couch of Eskota is visiting his cousins Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Shipp.

Hon. W. P. Leslie was over from Colorado Friday.

Stoves, Stoves, a full line Charter Oak make.—See us before buying.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. M. A. Copeland returned to Trent Saturday after visiting with her children a week. She was accompanied by Mrs. C. Swan and children.

The Ladies Aid and Fidelis will give a dinner on Nov. 7th, election day, at the Higginbotham building.

The Ladies Aid elected the following officers: Pres., Mrs. Bruce Phenix; V-Pres., Mrs. Heath; Sec., Mrs. C. B. Reeder; Treas., Mrs. W. J. Coon. They are having the church repainted and other good work done.

Miss Emma Wimberly of Snyder, came in Monday to visit Mr. Ben Caswell and family.

You can buy a good Oil Heater from us at \$4.00.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kennedy arrived Monday from Coleman and will make their home here again.

Mrs. Mattie Nance of Odessa visited Mrs. S. D. Dunnahoo the earlier part of the week.

Enameled ware has advanced, but we can sell you at old prices.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Coker and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Echols of Hermleigh accompanied Miss Oma Gregg home Sunday and visited in the C. E. Jameson and J. H. Gregg homes.

Mrs. McGuire left Friday night for Fort Worth in answer to a message received stating that their son, Carl, had fallen from a wagon and was badly hurt.

Misses Ethel and Vera Thomas were Sunday visitors in the J. M. Bruce home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hopper and children of Roscoe visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Onzo Phillips Sunday.

Stoves, Stoves, a full line Charter Oak make.—See us before buying.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. W. W. Porter of Colorado was here Monday.

Messrs A. C. and J. R. and Jesse Pratt and families, and Prof. J. S. Rives and family and S. D. Dunnahoo and family motored to Seven Wells on Sunday.

Little Carlos Smith celebrated his birthday last Friday by inviting a number of his friends to his home. The

usual games were played and a general good time enjoyed. Cake and cream were served to all by Mrs. Smith.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dunn on the 27th, a son.

We have one good second-hand Hay Baler at a bargain.—Colorado Merc. Co.

Mr. J. W. Boyd of Sweetwater was busy among the cotton buyers Monday.

Mr. J. E. Stowe and family motored over from Colorado Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith entertained Sunday a number of relatives and friends with a sumptuous turkey dinner. The guests were, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Hall and children; Misses Sloan Erwin and Willie Gregg; Mrs. M. L. Mullin and daughter Doris; Mr. and Mrs. F. Oakley, Mrs. J. F. Oakley, Miss Annie May Oakley and Mr. Arthur Oakley.

Mrs. Cornette Wimberly and little daughter left Monday for Waco where she will reside.

Buy you an oil stove before we are forced to advance the price.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. W. A. Pendergrass and family moved out to their new home in the Lone Wolf community, while Mr. Miller and family moved into the house made vacant by Mr. Pendergrass.

Miss Ida Nelson motored to Snyder on Thursday and took Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas to visit their daughter Mrs. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith left

Thursday for Rolla where they will reside. Their many friends will miss them, but hope for them a prosperous change of residence.

We sell Moline Double Discs, both large and pony size; Disc Harrows, Middle Busters, Turning Plows, and trucks for both.—Colorado Merc. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Phenix entertained most delightfully a few of their friends on Halloween evening with a seven o'clock dinner. The table was pretty in decorations. In the center rested a huge bowl of yellow chrysanthemums to which were attached yellow ribbons bearing the place-cards which were jack-o-lanterns. The guests were: Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Brown, Mesdames Graves and A. M. Erwin.

Miss Mann visited home folks in Colorado from Friday to Sunday.

Buy the best and lightest draft tools made, from Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. H. R. Looby entertained on Halloween evening a number of friends. The house was decorated throughout for the occasion. The guests wore masqued costumes which added mer- riment and interest. A very interesting contest in which they guessed at the names of each, was enjoyed. Mrs. Homer Smith carried off the prize in this contest. After this they all assembled in the parlors, where a huge wheel of fortune graced the wall. Here each one shot an arrow at the wheel and received their fortune. In the judging of best costumed, Miss Dell Parks as gypsy, and Mr. Drew Givens as school boy, won prizes. Refreshments consisting of baked apple, sandwiches, pickles and coffee were served.

We can show you a full line of shelf hardware. Come look it over.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

The Loraine demonstration show will be held Tuesday Nov. 7th. Everybody is invited to be present and help out in this worthy cause. It is a good time to show what Mitchell county can do along agricultural lines. It is both to the farmers' and business men's interest. Let everybody turn out and make this first show a success.

The W. M. S. begins next Monday, Nov. 6, their annual week of prayer and meetings will be held at the homes of the members. A free will offering will be made for the work.

Mrs. Eunice Lee returned to Midland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sloan of Roscoe and Mr. and Mrs. Adeock motored through here Sunday to Seven Wells. Buy the best and lightest draft tools made, from Colorado Mercantile Co.

Messrs G. G. and C. G. Reeder and Harry Allen and Floyd Thomas made a business trip to Dunn Saturday.

Mrs. R. W. Shipp returned Saturday from Carbon, where she visited the past week.

You can buy a good Oil Heater from us at \$4.00.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Messrs H. E. and A. E. Green of Colorado visited their sister Mrs. C. M. Black, Sunday.

Mr. Charles Bartlett of Roscoe was busy here Monday.

We are just opening up a full line of queensware—some pretty patterns. Come see them.—Colorado Merc. Co.

All Sorts, Shapes, Sizes and Prices

Comprise the Line of Stoves I Now Have

ON HAND. IF YOU HAVE NOT EXAMINED THE

Jewel Oil Stove

you have a revelation in store as to economy, quickness of service and perfect cooking.

That New Set of Furniture

of individual piece you have proposed buying this fall, is ready for you here.

From Parlor, Window Shades, Dining Tables, Sideboards, Dining Chairs,

Refrigerators, Easy Chairs, Divans and Davenport—*are here.*

Don't forget we still harp on our New Home Sewing Machines and

Columbia Grafanolas. Come see the machine mortar and hear the new records.

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ELECTING A PRESIDENT 18



WILSON.

Party
Split
Helped
Wilson
In
1912.

THE Democrats with Woodrow Wilson came back to power in the election of 1912. The Republican convention in Chicago nominated Taft, who was now opposed bitterly by Roosevelt. There were many contested delegates, and those in authority seated a majority of delegates with Taft proclivities.

Roosevelt had many warm supporters and was an avowed candidate. When Taft was nominated Roosevelt formed the Progressive party and ran on the third ticket.

The vote in 1912 was: Wilson, 6,293,019; Roosevelt, 4,119,507; Taft, 3,484,956. Wilson received 435 votes in the electoral college. Roosevelt 88 and Taft 8. Thomas R. Marshall of Indiana was elected vice president.

No wonder the balance of trade is running largely in favor of the United States when the exports from the port of Galveston alone reach as much as \$5,000,000 in one day.

A Philadelphia surgeon is reported to have performed a "most successful operation" last week, but the patient died. This trifling incident seemed in no way to detract from the success of the operation.

The thugs of Dallas have discovered a new source of quick revenue. They slug pedestrians and after relieving the victim of whatever money, watch, etc., he may assay at the time, they knock out all his teeth showing gold fillings or crowns.

The San Angelo Standard is curious to know where the great number of bull frogs came from just after the recent rains in that section. We hope to see Pat Murphy shortly and will tell him face-to-face. We dare not commit the secret to white paper at its present price.

The Record thanks many of its subscribers for promptly sending in their subscriptions in reply to a notice of the near expiration of their time. No paper ever had a more loyal clientele than the Colorado Record. They read the paper and pay for it, realizing that no business can give its best efforts unless adequately paid for it. You get about what you pay for, whether in the mercantile business, the services of a laborer, doctor, preacher, lawyer and newspaper. The people want a quid pro quo for their money and the Record tries to give it them.

We confess it. When it comes to the intricacies of mixing politics with finances and reaching the hot poll through its pocket book, the average editor of the country newspaper is as helpless and hopeless of understanding the game, as a celluloid fice in hades is of catching an asbestos rabbit. The proposition is both too deep for us and wholly outside our experience and province. Its plain sailing telling the president of the United States just what should be done in Mexico and putting Kaiser Bill and all the other European Billies dead right in conducting their little intermarriage scrap; but when it comes to understanding why the throwing of the good old reliable Tee and Pee Railway into the hands of a receiver just on the eve of a national election, should have any bearing on the chances of the republican party electing Hughes—it is simply a huckleberry over our mental persimmon. But the wise ones say that's why it was done. You can search us!

THE GREAT HUGHES.

Not since the "Little Corsican" has there appeared one on the scene of human activities, who was so conscious of his own powers and authority, as candidate Hughes. He has finally answered the query about the Lusitania case, at least to his own satisfaction. When pressed to know what he would have done about the sinking of the ship, he now says "it would not have sunk." So there you have it. He would have so impressed the Kaiser and the heads of all the European governments, that no trespass on the high seas or elsewhere that would cause the death of an American citizen would be committed.

His proclamation. His diplomatic actions all would have inspired confidence and fear. And that to the extent that the Kaiser's "U" boats, U-53 if you please, or "U" anything else, would steer clear of threatening towards British vessels or any other vessel carrying American citizens as passengers. Now that is virtually the answer of Mr. Hughes. Now that is all of it. It would seem that candidate Hughes has really put himself in the attitude of a bulldozer. How does that sound for a Justice of the great court? Mr. Hughes takes himself a little too seriously we think, and we are not yet persuaded that the American voter will take him at his word on this.—Commercial Appeal.

HERE'S THE GOSPEL.

The advertising manager of one of the biggest mail order houses in America, said his company regularly maintained a bureau, charged with reading each week, the weekly papers from all over the territory from which the houses drew business. Where a town is found in which the local merchants do not advertise in their local paper, that town is immediately flooded with catalogues and literature. It always brings results far in excess of the same effort put forth in territory where the local merchants use their local paper regularly. This manager also gives the following word of advice to country merchants: "If your paper is a live one, help it along; if a weak one, help put 'pep' into it. If its a dead one, help bury the corpse and induce an up-to-date paper in its place. If you want to keep mail order business out of your community and your money at home—you can do both by pursuing the same methods and as continuously as the mail order houses. They usually stay out of any community where the local merchants appreciate the value and importance of regular advertising."

Saturday was a red letter day in Colorado business circles. There was a big crowd, even for this time of the year and cotton selling around 18c the pound. All lines of business did well; several of the dry goods houses were not able to serve their customers at the full hours of the day's business. As the Record has observed several times before, and the observation is worth repetition a thousand times—less money is being thrown away this fall on the street fakers than ever in the history of the town. As a rule, the presence and persistence of this class of gentry, is a fairly good index to the prosperity of the country; but the people are learning that in the business world, their home merchants are able to give them better values, all things considered, for their money, than some fellow up in Chicago, St. Louis or New York, who must have the money before their goods will be shipped. In short, the good people of Mitchell county have about taken the "cure" for buying a pig in a poke.

The campaign for the creation and location of an agricultural and mechanical college in West Texas, will be energetically pushed until the meeting of the next legislature. The joint committee will soon meet to formulate the bill to be introduced before that body. Several state senators and many representatives have already committed themselves to the unqualified support of the bill. As to where the institution will be located is a matter to be settled after it has been secured.

Henry Ford declares he will spend \$100,000 in promotion of the re-election of President Wilson. Of course, Henry has no advertising idea in this generosity.

Two special trains of all steel cars the only all steel show train in the world, will bring Cole Bros.' World-Toured Shows and Trained Wild Animal Exhibition to Colorado on Tuesday, Nov. 7, for two performances, afternoon and night, rain or shine. The Cole Bros.' Show is larger and greater than ever, with nothing old but everything new. The slogan of this mammoth organization is "Different, Up-to-Date and Ahead of That."

Figure with G. W. Donaldson on a Metz car.

PASSES BELIEF.

So unbelievable, in the light of past wars, has the destruction of human life and property been in Europe the past two years, that battles that at the beginning of the war had shocked the world, have become of almost daily routine. At Verdun alone the slaughter has been unequaled on any other part of the various fronts. For a year the tide of butchery has ebbed and flowed, but not for a day has it ceased. Each side has had time to emplace permanently, its most deadly engines of destruction. Both sides dug themselves into the earth for many feet, so that efforts to dislodge the men in the trenches increases in violence.

The French have astounded the world in the perfection of their big guns since the war began, in which respect they were at a decided disadvantage in the beginning. Last week all previous efforts by the French to dislodge the Germans at Douaumont and Vaux, were eclipsed by the violence and continuity of their attacks. A staff officer, writing of the capture of these villages, incorporated the following description in his report:

"The hellish ultra-modern gunfire increases the losses of the other side nearly in the same ratio that it reduces your own. Therefore, it is not surprising that General Joffre swept up practically the whole German force south of Douaumont and Damloup. For 150 hours General Nivelle's heaviest guns had blasted the Meuse forts, trenches and redoubts. More than 4,800,000 shells weighing about 10,000 tons, not only wiped out every obstacle in the way of the invaders, but wrought slaughter as efficiently as a death scythe sweeping along the Teuton positions."

VALUE OF THANK YOU.

A little store "out West" has had a neatly printed message placed upon the wrapping paper and paper bags which it uses—modestly worded, pleasantly phrased, and delightfully frank, says the Dayton (Ohio) News. It appears under the heading "Thank You," and reads:

"We take pleasure in thanking you for your patronage; we believe the goods bought of us today will give you entire satisfaction and that you will come to us again when you need anything in our line. However, if for any reason you are not perfectly satisfied with your purchase, we ask, as a favor, that you report to us at once, and we assure you that we will gladly adjust the matter to your satisfaction. We want you to make this store your store and if you trade here we shall make it our business to see that whatever you buy is entirely satisfactory."

The fellow who claims that business is a cold blooded proposition isn't going to succeed in business. The human element still enters as in everything else under the sun. The "thank you" is still potent in trade and we fancy that the merchant who has devised the pleasant card to his customers has done a wonderfully profitable thing, if only he will live up to the promise he makes—and there is no reason to believe that he does not do so.—Exchange.

It is the purpose of the Record editor and management to attend the big San Angelo fair on the last day of its operation, Saturday, November 14th, when the West Texas Press Association will be organized. We also anticipate the pleasure of meeting on that occasion, our old friend and former Mitchell countian, Frank C. Van Horn, who for several years has been the "big noise and vis a tergo" at Christoval with the Observer.

Take your county paper.

The Only Fool

By M. QUAD

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Sarah Martin married Jim Hewson because she was a bired girl and working for \$2 a week; because, again, she was tired of work and wanted a home.

Jim Hewson married Sarah Martin because he also wanted a home and because he knew that she earned \$8 a month. That would pay the rent on a cottage in a village in those far back days.

Jim was lazy. He was born that way and couldn't help it. He hadn't energy enough to sweat a shirt collar, and therefore when he worked he got paid according to his energy, which pay seldom exceeded 15 cents a day.

The bridal tour of the newly weds consisted of walking a mile arm in arm, each with a basket on the free arm, to a huckleberry swamp a mile away. There they picked twelve quarts of berries—that is, Sarah picked ten quarts and Jim two. Then they walked back to town and sold the berries

to a grocer for 60 cents in cash.

"You see," said Jim as he juggled the money in his hand, "we can get along as easy as grease. This money would buy us provisions for a week."

The bride half laughed at the remark, but soon felt serious and hadn't much more to say. Two weeks later, however, she had. Jim had gone to see her in the kitchen in which she worked and was feeling glad that he was a married man when she said:

"Jim, I have been thinking things over."

"Well?" was the query.
"I have come to the conclusion that I was either a imatic or an idiot to have married you. You are all wrong. You are lazy and shiftless. You haven't got the energy of a potato bug. You want me to work and support you instead of it being the other way. If you were the best husband in the state I wouldn't do it."

"Well, what are we going to do?" asked the husband after a lapse of a minute.

"I can't get a divorce from you, Jim, for I haven't got the money to put one through. If we agreed on a separation it would do me no good, for I'd still be bound to you. If I was free altogether I might stand a chance of getting a husband who would provide a home and comforts for me."

"You mean if I should die you'd have your chance?"

The wife didn't reply. She only looked at him.

Jim rose up and left the house without a good night and went to his bed of hay in the stable, and for an hour he did more thinking than he had done in a year before.

In about a week he tried suicide. He went over on the railroad track in mid-afternoon, and when the 3 o'clock express came along he was standing between the rails and facing it. The whistle screamed and tooted, but Jim stood there as if spiked to a tie. The engineer tried to stop the train, but the pace was thirty miles an hour when the cowcatcher did its work. Five minutes later a man who had witnessed the accident from forty rods away came running up just as the victim was climbing the fence of a cornfield into which he had been hurled. He had a slight limp in the left leg, but that was nothing for Jim to kick about.

Sarah had heard of this attempt and started out to look for Jim, but she didn't have the luck to find him. He was missing from his usual haunts for three or four days, and then he turned up on a bluff overlooking the mill pond half a mile from the bridge. He was going to try the water cure this time. The bluffs were thirty feet above the water, and Jim couldn't swim a stroke. Instead of striking the water, however, he struck a strip of mud.

"You blamed idiot! What did you jump for? I saw you when you made the leap!" said a passerby.

"I wanted to die," replied Jim.

Sarah got every loose boy in town to hunt for Jim, but they hunted in vain. He had one more attempt coming to him, and if found at all he wanted to be found dead. He went two miles away from town and hired to a farmer to sprinkle paris green over the potato vines of his patch. The farmer left him alone for an hour, and Jim mixed a big dose of the powder and drank it down. It was an overdose, however, and it was thrown off, and his life was saved again.

Received Daily
Jacobs' Famous Candies
"THEY WERE MADE LAST NIGHT"
JOHN L. DOSS' PHARMACY

It was when poor Jim was tottering down the road toward the village that a man in an auto overtook him and halted to say:

"If you aren't drunk, then you are sick. Get in here. Now, what's the matter?"

Jim told him all, and, curiously enough, the autoist proved to be an uncle of his whom he had not heard of since his boyhood days. When the uncle had heard the story to its end he said:

"Jim, you had a fool for a father. You have got three fool brothers and

fool sisters and about five or six fool uncles and aunts, and the Lord only knows how many fool cousins, but you are the first fool in all the family that ever owed up to being a fool. You shall be rewarded in consequence. I will buy you a house and lot in the village, give you \$5,000 to set you and Sarah on your feet and bet that you'll come out very near the top. A man who is a fool and knows it is a better man than one who thinks he is a better and doesn't know it."
And Jim and Sarah made up and have lived happily ever since.

TRACTORS

And Other Farm Machines Need

**TEXACO
CRATER
COMPOUND**

To SAVE The GEARS

TEXACO CRATER COMPOUND is intended for use on heavy gears of all types, and on chains and sprockets. Stays where it is put, defies heat, pressure, or flying dirt.

Clings to gear teeth, protects them from wear, rust, or cutting.

Gears run quieter, last longer, mesh properly. Easier pulling and more power.

A can of "CRATER" will convince you. Use it along with TEXACO URSA OIL for cylinders, TEXACO CUP GREASE for bearings, TEXACO GASOLINE for fuel.

A complete line of oils and greases for all purposes can be had from the TEXACO Agent in your town.

THE TEXAS COMPANY
GENERAL OFFICES: HOUSTON, TEXAS
AGENTS EVERYWHERE



DORT

A Twice Better Car

Although the Dort does not sell for double the price of some cars — it is a twice better car.

Although it sells for almost half the price of some cars — it will do all that any of them will do.

So the \$665 that you pay for the Dort delivers you more automobile than any car near its price.

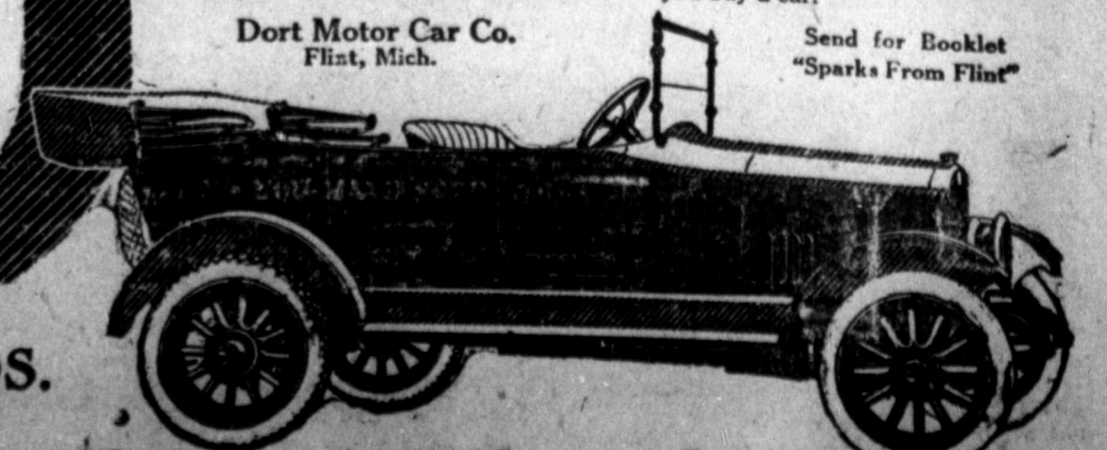
The Dort gives you more in all-round quality and more in high-grade equipment; for example the Westinghouse Two-Unit Starting and Lighting System, the Connecticut ignition, the Jacox irreversible steering, Detroit demountable rims; one-man top.

It gives you more in big car features of comfort; for example the 50 x 2-inch full cantilever rear springs; deep upholstery; ample leg room in both compartments. — and it gives you more in service; in dependability; in economy of upkeep and operation. Investigate the Dort before you buy a car.

Dort Motor Car Co.
Flint, Mich.

Send for Booklet
"Sparks From Flint"

DOSS BROS.
Local Agents



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

—BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY—

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

The clouds hang heavy round my way,
I can not see;
But through the darkness I believe
God leadeth me.
'Tis sweet to keep my hand in His
While all is dim.
To close my weary, aching eyes
And follow Him.
Through many a thorny path He leads
My tired feet.
Through many a path of tears I go,
But it is sweet
To know that He is close to me.
My guard, my guide;
He leadeth me, and so I walk
Quite satisfied. —Unknown.

THE CLUBS.

Bayview.

The Bayview met with Mrs. Carter, with Mrs. Brennan leader. Their lesson was—Roll call, quotations from Shakespeare. Richard II, Act II, Scene 1. Adam Bede, Chapters three and four. At the social hour ice cream and cake were served.

Standard.

The Standard met with Mrs. Guitar. Roll call was noted prelates of England. Shakespeare, Henry V, Act II, Scenes 3, 4. Mrs. Crockett, History, John DeWycliffe, the morning star of the reformation. Mrs. Looney, Paper, Introduction of christianity into England and the growth up to the time of Wycliffe, Mrs. Coleman. At the social hour the hostess took her guests to the Barcroft, where an elegant three course luncheon was served.

Hesperian.

The Hesperian met with Mrs. T. J. Ratliff, with Mrs. Sam Wulfjen leader. Roll call was current dramatic notes. Stratford, Act III. Historical events between Acts 2 and 3. Mrs. Rafter. Table talk, some leading movie actors. At the social hour croquets, pickles, peas in patty cases, wafers and coffee were served. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Collier.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mrs. R. O. Pearson entertained ten little boys after school Thursday evening honoring Richard Jr. on his eleventh birthday. The time was spent with games that boys of that age particularly enjoy. The decorations and favors were of Halloween nature. Gelatine with whipped cream and cake were served.

CAMPFIRE GIRLS.

The Campfire Girls had an interesting meeting with Miss Carrie Mae Cooksey Saturday. Several of the girls had won honorable mention by the faithful work they had done at home. With Mrs. Cooksey at the piano the girls learned the Campfire song. Refreshments of hamburgers, potato salad and hot chocolate were prepared and served by Misses Jewel Mitchell, Hazel Costin and Carrie Mae Cooksey. The meeting this week is with Frank Ball Root, with Ruby Schroeder and Fern McDonald as her assistants.

PROGRAM.

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet at the high school building October 7th at 3:30 p. m., with the following program:
Song—America.
Roll Call.—Some of the things in connection with the present school term for which you are thankful.
Paper.—Origin and Spirit of Thanksgiving, Mrs. Merritt.
Reading.—Miss Smith.
Round Table.—Are we as diligent as we should be in teaching our children to observe National Holidays.
Social hour.

Everything the children need at school to be found at Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Keep Colorado Money in Colorado.

ITCH

"Itch's Cure" is absolutely guaranteed to cure Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter, or any skin disease; or purchase price cheerfully refunded. Sold for 50c the box and guaranteed locally by
CHARTERS & SADLER.

HALLOW'EN PARTY.

The Halloween party given at the home of Mrs. M. K. Jackson Tuesday afternoon, by the primary teachers of the M. E. Sunday school was a success in every way.

The teachers entered into this as heartily as teaching the children, for they wished to give their friends a pleasant time and secure their aid in helping fix the Sunday school rooms more convenient and attractive for the little folks.

The rooms were tastefully and appropriately decorated with Halloween emblems and autumn tints.

On entering the darkened hall, Mrs. Barcroft and Mrs. W. L. Doss ushered the guests in and assured them that the live cat in the chair would not scratch, but was there only to receive the little bags with the offerings. From there they went to the front parlors where they fished for their fortune and had it interpreted by a good-natured witch. They all proved to be satisfactory. From there they went to the back parlor where a sure enough ghost presided, and after being blindfolded, they were told the story of Uncle Peter; passed their hands over his nose, hands and windpipe until they cried for Uncle Peter to return to his resting place and their landages to be removed. After getting out of this alive the smiling face of Mrs. Doak was heartily welcomed, as she showed them to the dining room. This was a scene of beauty, with its lovely decorations of flowers and autumn leaves, with Misses Smith and Poe graciously pouring tea, while Mesdames Lasetter, Leslie and Jackson served sandwiches, pickles and doughnuts. This left such a pleasant feeling that all horrible ones were forgotten and all left with best wishes for the hostesses and the primary department.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Services at the Methodist church next Sunday will be as follows:
Sunday school 9:45.
Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor—subject, "The Preacher."
Preaching at 7:30, subject, "Twins—Strength and Tenderness." At the 11 o'clock service Miss Pauline Payne will sing.
League at 6:30 p. m.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Services at All Saint's Episcopal church next Sunday as follows:
Holy Communion 7:30 and 11 a. m.
Evening Prayer, 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Friday—Litaney 7:30 p. m.
G. C. RAFTER, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Services at the Baptist church as follows:
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunbeams 3 p. m., and B. Y. P. U at 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. A cordial welcome given to all to come and worship with us at any or all these services.
W. I. WILLIAMSON, Pastor

SENIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Leader—Winnie Vaughan.
Song—37.
Scripture reading.
Prayer, followed by Lord's Prayer, all joining.
Roll call, answered with bible verses, and payment of dues.
Song—148.
Reading—Miss Smith.
Why Consecrate Influence.—Erl King.
Song—40.
Appointment of Committees.
League Benediction.

Garrett, Texas.

Mr. G. W. McCroskey:
Dear Sir.—I am so well pleased. I had indigestion for a long time, and in September I began taking your tonic and took two bottles, and have not been troubled since; besides, I had smothering spells and shortness of breath. The doctor called it neuralgia of the stomach, and it cured me, and I have not been bothered since.
MRS. J. J. HALL.
For sale by W. L. Doss Adv10.23

Something special at opera house tonight (Friday). If you miss it you will miss it. 10c and 20c. See Fatty, he's great. Watch for circulars.

College Quartette Entertains at Aspermont.

Aspermont, Texas.—The Simmons Quartette, assisted by Miss Conaway as pianist, rendered a delightful program here last evening to a very appreciative audience. The entertainment was a musical treat to the people of Aspermont, and we can say without fear of contradiction that their program was superior to any of its kind that has ever been given here. Each number was a feature although there were some which especially pleased.

Miss Conaway seemed perfectly at home at the piano. Her manner and power of interpretation gave evidence of critical study and careful training. The tenor solo "A Little Bit of Heaven," rendered by Mr. Hodges, brought forth rapturous applause, which did not subside until interrupted by a number from the Quartette.

Another of the principal features of the evening was the reading, "Rip Van Winkle," given by Mr. Miller. In this reading Mr. Miller displayed good ability in his presentation of character. His interpretation of the "drunken Rip" was splendid.

Mr. Morgan in his splendid baritone voice, rendered in a very pleasing manner two exceedingly humorous selections: "Jenny" and "Microbes."

The sacred duet, "In Heavenly Love Abiding," given by Messrs. Hodges, was especially well done and was the best of the sacred numbers.

This Quartette will be at the Colorado Baptist church tonight (Friday) Nov. 3. Lovers of music are invited to come out and hear them.

LUNCHEON FOR GUESTS.

On Wednesday evening Mrs. J. E. Riordan entertained a few intimate friends with a three course luncheon, honoring her sister, Mrs. Townsend of Omaha, Nebraska, and Mrs. Shepherd, mother of Mrs. Duff, of Independence, Missouri.
The decorations were autumn leaves and Halloween emblems. The center piece was a haystack bordered with apples and miniature pumpkins. The place cards were hand painted with jack-o-lantern designs, and the napkins also were decorated with designs in keeping with the other decorations.

Besides partaking of the hospitality of this home, it was a pleasure to renew the friendship of Mrs. Townsend, who visited here years ago, and form the acquaintance of Mrs. Shepherd who is a new guest in the city.

Those present were Mesdames P. C. Coleman, G. W. Smith, C. H. Earnest, B. S. Van Tuij, Sherwin, Duff, Shepherd Townsend, Riordan, J. E. Riordan and Misses Riordan.

HER SON SUBJECT TO CROUP.

"My son Edwin is subject to croup," writes Mrs. E. O. Irwin, New Kensington, Pa. "I put in many sleepless hours at night before I learned of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mothers need not fear this disease if they keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house and use it as directed. It always gave my boy relief." Obtainable everywhere. Adv

COLORADO BOY HONORED.

Leftwich Shepherd has been elected president of law department class at the State University. We are not surprised and hope to hear of still greater things for Leftwich. Colorado rejoices in the good fortune of her sons and daughters.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY.

Mrs. C. T. Harness entertained her Sunday school class of little boys with a Halloween party Tuesday evening, at the home of Mrs. A. C. Beckner. They all came as ghosts and after they had enjoyed all the stunts belonging to ghostdom they were taken for a car ride by Mr. and Mrs. Beckner and Mr. J. E. Stowe. After that refreshments were enjoyed at Ben Morgan's. The boys all vote Halloween the time for fun.

One of those famous opera house specials tonight (Friday). It includes Fatty whom all want to see. The price will be 10 and 20 cents. Look for bills on the street.

SIX DAYS' DEBATE.

Beginning November 23rd, at the union tabernacle in Colorado, there will be a six days' debate between Rev. Brewer of the Missionary Baptist church and Rev. Early Archineaux of the Church of Christ. The moderators for this debate will be Rev. Joe Lockhart for the Baptists and Rev. W. A. Shultz for the Church of Christ. The public is cordially invited to attend these debates, with the assurance that it will be conducted in a spirit of kindness and brotherly love.

Take your county paper.

MASS MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT

Pursuant to a call by the Chamber of Commerce, Board of School Trustees and City Council of the City of Colorado, a mass meeting of the citizens of Colorado and patrons of the public schools, was held at the First Christian church Tuesday night, to devise means to protect the school property of the town from destruction by fire.

Dr. Coleman stated the purpose of the meeting, and asked Superintendent Judd to make a statement as to the condition of the school, after which the chair made a full statement of the urgent need of fire protection for the school buildings, giving the cost of the proposed extension of a six-inch main from Lone Wolf bridge to a common protective point between the two school buildings, as \$750.

Mayor Adams explained that owing to the demands upon the city exchequer, the city already having reached the limit of its taxing power, there was not a dollar available in the city treasury for this purpose.

The chair then called for voluntary subscriptions, which amounted to approximately \$200. A motion prevailed that the chair appoint a committee to solicit subscriptions to that end, with the suggestion that every patron of the school be seen. The personnel of the soliciting committee is J. H. Greene, W. W. Porter and L. A. Costin.

The public school of Colorado and its property is the common property of every citizen of the town, and whether he has a child in the school or not, does not affect the individual obligation in the larger responsibility of good citizenship, to do what he can to support the institution. The school is a common good, in which all share, either directly by the education of one's children, or indirectly by elevating the standard of citizenship, increasing the earning power of the younger generation, and more fully guaranteeing the safety of life and security of property. We are all shareholders in the capital stock of every institution fostering the public welfare.

CEMETARY ASSOCIATION.

The Cemetary Association met with Mrs. G. W. Smith, Wednesday. The committee reported the grounds in good condition. They decided to employ the sexton for only part time during the winter months.

LORAIN WEDDING.

(By the Record Correspondent.)

On last Wednesday evening at seven o'clock at the home of the bride, in North Loraine, Rev. C. E. Jameson in a most impressive manner, spoke the words that united the lives of Miss Jimmie Lillie Allen and Mr. Herman V. Richards. Only the relatives of the bride and groom, and Miss Nola Muns witnessed the ceremony, after which a supper was served to the guests. The bride looked her best in a gray taffeta gown, with accessories to match. Her going away suit was of green broadcloth with gray boots and hat. Miss Allen has grown to young womanhood here and graduated in the school last year, is a splendid christian character and well fitted to be the wife of the one she has chosen for life.

Mr. Richards has resided here the past nine years and is also a graduate of the school. He has been the bookkeeper for the Loraine Mercantile Co. for a year, and is noted for his sterling business qualities and other admirable traits and has a large circle of friends who will extend congratulations and best wishes to him and his bride. They left on the east-bound train for Dallas that evening, where they enjoyed the fair and a honeymoon trip for several days. They will be at the home of her parents until the first of the year, then go to a farm down on Silver.

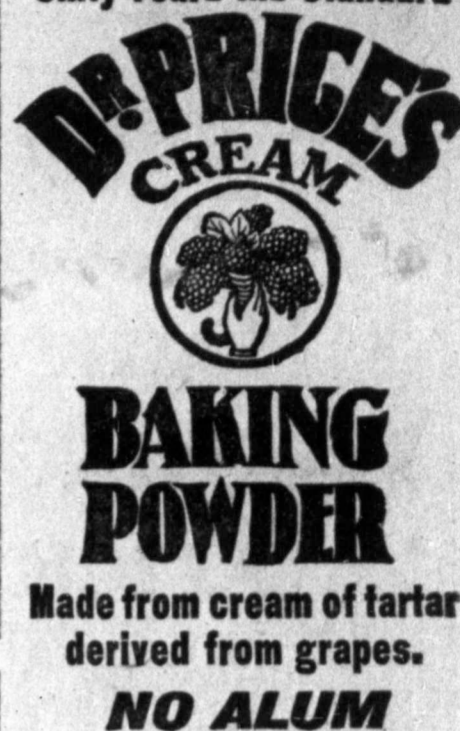
A jolly crowd of friends, school mates and teachers were at the train and showered them with rice and congratulations, and wished them bon voyage.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

We have over 1000 good citizens of Mitchell county who owe us from one to three dollars each on the paper, and we ask all to come see us within the next thirty days. Cotton selling at 17c and seed at \$40, surely the newspaper man ought to get a dollar. Print paper has more than doubled in price, and everything else in proportion, yet we have not advanced the price of your paper. Consider this as a personal request to you and come in to see us. The Democratic slogan is, "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of the party." The Record's slogan is, "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of the paper."

Trade with home merchants.

Sixty Years the Standard



One Glasgow firm employs forty women cab drivers.

For Bulbs and Winter Blooming plants, go to the Colorado Green House Mrs. J. W. Smith, Prop.

Women miners in Bohemia receive 28 cents a day.

RHEUMATISM IS PAIN ONLY, RUB IT AWAY
Instant Relief From Pain, Soreness, Stiffness Follows a Rubbing With "St. Jacobs Oil"

Stop "dosing" rheumatism. It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain and distress. "St. Jacobs Oil" conquers pain! It is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; stops sciatica, lumbago, back-ache, neuralgia and reduces swelling. Limber up! Get a small trial bottle of old time, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and in a moment you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away. Adv2

BETTER THAN EVER!

WE are now permanently located in the Earnest building up stairs, better equipped than ever before to display our goods, with more space and convenient quarters. The

Latest Styles and Models in Approved Millinery

are the only lines we carry. Our stock is large enough to afford the widest range of choice and taste.

—If undecided as to your Hat or Bonnet, we have experts, whose life work it is to do this work for you. They know what you should have—the style and model.

—Our many years experience and dealing with the people of Colorado and Mitchell county give us an advantage in acquaintance with the local tastes.

—We invite every lady in Mitchell county to come in and inspect our stock. Our prices ARE AS LOW AS IS CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY OF MATERIAL AND WORK.

MILLS

Mrs. B. F. Mills

New Earnest Building



What is

RICHARDS' **MAGIC WASHING STICK**

It is **NEW**

Nothing like it has ever been discovered before.

It is **HARMLESS**

It has absolutely NONE of the burning, clothes eating, hand stinging disadvantages of common quick cleaners.

It is **EASY**

You do NO rubbing—only HANDLING. You need no elbow grease—no wash board and VERY little time.

It is **CHEAP**

It costs less than 2c a washing—sold in 25c boxes. It washes colored clothes without fading—woolens without shrinking or hardening, and positively will not rot or weaken lace curtains so they tear easily, but keeps them strong besides absolutely clean.

Sold by all Druggists and Grocers everywhere. If yours doesn't handle it, show him this ad—he'll get it for you. Or send 2c in stamps to K. Roberts Co., Kansas, Kan.

WESTBROOK ITEMS.

The Fifth Sunday Meeting.
On last Thursday, seeing many automobiles entering our town, and Rev. J. P. King, accompanied by his wife, arriving on the morning train, we were reminded of the fact that the Fifth Sunday meeting was on hand, and was to be held at this place.

The first service was held on Thursday night by Rev. W. H. Muston, his subject being Fidelity to the Church, and was both interesting and profitable.

On Friday morning at 11 o'clock service, Rev. W. A. Bowen, pastor of the Baptist church at Big Spring, delivered an able and interesting discourse on "Ethics," and his audience was held spell bound as he held up before the people the necessity of purity in the church; and therefore the necessity of corrective discipline, emphasizing at the same time a charitable and sympathizing nature toward the sinner, or would-be christian, thereby showing the spirit of our Savior.

We also had the pleasure of listening to Bro. Bowen, as on Friday evening, he again enraptured his hearers with the subject, "The Gleaners," taking for his text, Ruth 2:7. The significant words of Ruth to Boaz, "Let me be a gleaner," and telling the beautiful story of Ruth, typical of the loyalty and devotion we should manifest toward our Savior and King.

Many beneficial and interesting sermons were delivered, and talks were given by laymen of the various churches, which were heartily enjoyed by all present. On Sunday last, the meeting was closed by three lectures on the subject of education, by J. D. Sandefer, president of Simmons College at Abilene. His remarks were eloquent and well chosen, portraying the fact that christianity and desire for education were inseparable and the importance of improving opportunities, holding up higher ideals before the audience.

The people of Westbrook appreciate greatly the honor of having President Sandefer in our midst, and will be rejoiced to welcome him again in the near future.

We would also mention J. A. Kinard, a singer, of Big Spring, whose impressive solos and excellent leadership aided Mrs. Robinson, our organist, greatly in the selections and rendering of the music for the occasion.

Many visitors were present, among them, Mr. C. P. Conaway and family, formerly most highly respected citizens of this place, now of Colorado.

The meeting was presided over by our beloved pastor, Rev. J. P. King, of Abilene, and, altogether it was a most enjoyable affair, both spiritually and intellectually, and was uplifting to the entire community. The meeting

closed with the regrets upon our part, that our visitors could not tarry longer among us, and wishing them, one and all, a God bless you, and success in their noble calling.

Class Entertains.

In a recent contest between classes Nos. 2 and 3, at the M. E. Sunday school, for best attendance on Rally Day, class No. 2 lost, and Saturday night the winning class was entertained by witches and choice spirits of darkness, at the home of Mrs. Annie May.

They were met at the gate by the Witch of Wind, who gave them the pass word. At the porch they were hailed by four witches, who made them jump the broom as they reached the top of the steps. Then Mr. Dago, the clown, led the way to the door and as each one gave the pass word to the Witch of Darkness, she opened the door and told them to pass in, where nothing could be seen or heard, only the gleam of a dim yellowish light from one of the recesses of the room, and the moans and groans of the hidden spirits.

After removing the wraps they were led into the parlor, which was lighted with dim candle light, and the walls and curtains covered with black cats, owls, bats and gypsies; and in conspicuous places hung skeletons of different animals.

The peanut race was the first on the program. The boys entered and knelt upon the floor, side by side, and each was to blow a certain peanut across the room, the first to get the peanut into the goal being the winner. Mr. Jack Helton won the prize.

A thread and needle contest was provided for the girls. The one threading a needle the quickest while sitting on a round bottle, being winner. Miss Xenia Smartt won this prize.

Twelve candles, one representing each month of the year, were lighted and placed in a circle. The candle put out while pumping them, represented the month in which they are to be married. Mr. D. I. Reed was the most successful in putting out the greatest number, which means that he will be married four times.

The Pumpkin seed hunt was next and Mr. Griggs Butler won the prize for finding the most seed.

The guests then repaired to the backyard, where the witches' stew was brewed and served to guests by the ghosts.

The closing feature of the evening was a song—"There was an old woman all skin and bones," by one of the spirits.

Box Supper.

There will be a box supper at the school house Friday night under the auspices of the Home Builders of the M. E. church. Everybody is invited to come and bring a box. There will also be a candy and popcorn booth, and lemonade and hot chocolate stand. Remember the date, Nov. 3.

Personal Mention.

M. C. Williams attended Scottish Rite reunion in El Paso last week. Lester Williams and Hollis Verry of Abilene visited M. C. Williams Sunday.

You will want a gun. We have a full line; also shells.—Colorado Mercantile Company.

Mrs. Sam Cromer and children of Colorado visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hudson, several days last week.

Mr. Clyde Danner spent several days at the state fair last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bell and children and Miss Ramelle Hamilton motored over to Snyder, Saturday and spent the day with relatives and viewing the city.

Misses Sibbie McKinney and Tie Williams of Colorado were guests of Miss Maza McKinney Sunday.

Miss Bernice Board, who is teaching in Loraine, spent the week-end with her parents.

You can buy a good Oil Heater from us at \$4.00.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Miss Ruby Campbell of Colorado, spent the week-end in Westbrook, as the guest of Mrs. W. H. Butler.

Mr. Garlington of Ballinger, was looking after business here last week.

Mr. C. P. Conaway and family of Colorado attended the fifth Sunday meeting here Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Hines returned from the Baptist Sanitarium at Dallas, last week, where she underwent a serious operation for cancer. We are glad to report that Mrs. Hines is able to be up and about.

Miss Hattie Conaway of Colorado visited Miss Arah Phillips Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Ethel and Annie Gregg, of Loraine, came in Saturday, preparatory to the opening of their school at Conaway. They attended services here Sunday.

Mr. J. H. Board is looking after business in Fort Worth this week.

Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Root of Colorado



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were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Page Sunday.

Mr. C. H. Arrington of Coahoma was shaking hands with friends here Monday.

Messrs E. V. Bell and J. M. Helton returned from the eastern markets Saturday, where they went with a car of mules.

Mr. J. L. Feiker is on the sick list this week.

We have one good second-hand Hay Baler at a bargain.—Colorado Merc. Co. Rev. A. D. Leach spent last week in Dallas.

Messrs McNairy and Agnes Hooper spent Saturday in Colorado.

Miss Vinnie Barnes returned from Houston Thursday after an extended visit with her father.

Mr. Leroy Gressett returned Monday from his trip to California. He reports a pleasant time.

Mr. Preston Phenix spent several days in Hamlin last week on business.

Mr. M. C. Williams is in El Paso attending the Thriners.

Mr. A. M. Bell shipped another car of cattle to Fort Worth Tuesday.

Miss Elliott of Sweetwater is visiting Mrs. Ernest Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Majors of Colorado were visiting at the home of Mr. G. J. McKinney Sunday.

You will want a gun. We have a full line; also shells.—Colorado Mercantile Company.

Mr. D. I. Reed and Miss Thelma Hudson, who are attending school in

Colorado, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bird were shopping in Colorado Tuesday.

Mr. Griggs Butler of Abilene, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

The many friends of Mrs. W. H. Butler are glad to have her back again after an absence of several months.

Mr. Jim Metcalf left Saturday morning for Big Spring.

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NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, in Bankruptcy, Abilene Texas.

In the matter of Eugene Brown, Bankrupt, No. 528 in bankruptcy, Abilene, Texas, October 31, 1916, Office of Referee.

To the creditors of Eugene Brown of Loraine in the County of Mitchell and District aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 31st day of Oct. A. D. 1916, the said Eugene Brown was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the city of Abilene, Taylor county, Texas, on the 11th day of November, A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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NEXT TUESDAY, NOV. 7th

will be our Big Stock and Contest Show in Loraine, as well as election day and in order to benefit you on that date call and get our prices on the specials we will have. As we are expecting grandpa and grandma, pa and ma, John and Jim, and Mary and Kate, all to come to town that day, we want to have something for them all. We request you to bring your money and surplus of chickens, turkeys, eggs and butter, in fact, everything you may have to sell. For we mean to pay the price and have lots of buyers for what is offered for sale.

FOR THAT DATE ONLY WE WILL PAY

13c a pound for hens and fryers; 15c a pound for turkeys weighing ten pounds and upwards; and 12c a pound for young turkeys. But we request you to hold your young turkeys for the holiday trade.

We are planning to have a lot of attractions and a general big day, Tuesday, Nov. 7th, and if you have any kind of stock or farm grown products of which you are proud, bring some to Loraine on this date. If for sale there will be special arrangements to buy all marketable fat and fancy stock and fowls. Come prepared to buy some of the prize stock and poultry which will be for sale—if you have none of your own and care to raise the grade of your breed of stock and poultry. Come prepared to buy as well as to sell as this will be an opportunity to supply yourself with choice fine fowls, horses, mules, milk cows and hogs.

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COUNTRY SCHOOLS ARE HUN UNDER HANDICAP

Asks All Friends of Education to Support Amendment to be Voted on November 7th.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 14.—To All Friends of Education: Notwithstanding the fact that there is a general and widespread awakening of public interest in behalf of the new educational amendment known as House Joint Resolution No. 30 to be voted on by the people on Nov. 7, much work yet remains to be done by the friends of the schools to insure its adoption at the polls. The aroused determination on the part of the country people of the State, however, to demand as good free school opportunities for their children as are now enjoyed by the children of the cities and towns, and the disposition on the part of the people of the cities and towns to help the country people secure such privilege for their children, augur well for the amendment.

The amendment proposes no tax of itself, but extends the democratic principle of self-government by allowing the voters of any district to tax themselves not exceeding \$1 on the \$100 valuation of the property for the support of their own schools and by allowing the voters of any county to determine by popular vote if all the property of the county shall be taxed not exceeding 50c on the \$100 valuation of property to support all the schools of the county.

The country schools have been handicapped, as compared with the city schools, for lack of money. I have never begrudged the city schools one cent of their money. On the other hand, one reason I am supporting this amendment is that it enlarges the opportunity of the cities to increase the support of their own schools. The fact remains, however, that if the country children ever come into their own in the matter of securing an adequate common school education, we must have more money for the country schools. It is idle to say that a six months' term of school with seven grades of work in a restricted course of study carried on in a ramshackle school-house without libraries or laboratories, on a bleak and desolate school ground, is adequate to country children's needs. The county tax provided for this amendment will go a long way toward overcoming these defects.

Twenty-one states now provide for a county tax for the support of schools. The proposed amendment does not in any way interfere with the present State ad valorem tax for schools, nor does it interfere with present methods of support of common and independent district schools, but it does provide that a tax may be voted on all the property of the county for the support of all the schools of the county, the proceeds of which will be apportioned to all schools of the county on a per capita basis. This proposition is democratic, just and equitable and should receive the unanimous support of all friends of the schools. Sincerely,
 W. F. DOUGHTY,
 State Superintendent.

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The Grand Duchess Titiana, eldest daughter of the Czar of Russia, and a number of court ladies of Petrograd have adopted a new war style in clothes and have taken an oath never to wear anything but black on every occasion until Russia is victorious over Germany.

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UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS.

The ex-students and friends of the University of Texas will be interested to know that Dr. Robert E. Vinson, the new President elect of the University, will be inaugurated at Austin, on November 20th, 1916. On the same day the Thanksgiving foot-ball game will be played between the University and A. & M. College on the athletic field. The occasion will be appropriately celebrated by the largest gathering of students and ex-students, and the largest home coming of students' and ex-students that has ever taken place at Austin. Ex-students and friends of the University are all cordially invited to be present on this eventful occasion and urged to begin now to make arrangements to attend.

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NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell, do hereby certify that the undersigned is the holder of the described lands and that no other persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being relinquished to the State of Texas and County of Mitchell for taxes, and the same being and being situated in the County of Mitchell and State of Texas, to-wit:

The South part of Lots Nos. Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15) in Block No. Forty-one (41) of the Town of Colorado, in said county, as shown by the map or plat thereof recorded in Book "C" page 207 of the Deed Records of said Mitchell county, Texas, and being 50 feet off of the south end of said Lots Nos. 12, 13, 14 and 15 in said Block No. 41.

Which said property is delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Mitchell for taxes for the years 1881, 1886, 1896 and 1909 to 1915, inclusive, for the following amounts: \$19.92 for state taxes, and \$62.23 for county taxes aggregating the sum of \$82.15, including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the State of Texas and County of Mitchell, to secure the payment thereof; and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the state for the collection of said taxes; and you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house of said county, in the city of Colorado on the fifteenth Monday after the first Monday in September, being the third Monday in December, A. D. 1916, the same being the 18th day of December, A. D. 1916, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said court on the 19th day of October, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 3291, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff, and Unknown Owners of the hereinbefore described land and lots, Carrie E. Graves, John R. Graves, J. J. Holliday and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Colorado, in the County of Mitchell, this 20th day of October, A. D. 1916. (L. S.) EARL JACKSON, Clerk District Court, Mitchell County, Texas. 11-10 By J. C. Pritchett, Deputy.

HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Patron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff of any Constable of Mitchell County.—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon Carrie E. Graves, John R. Graves and J. J. Holliday, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mitchell County, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof, in Colorado, Texas, on the fifteenth Monday after the first Monday in September, 1916, being the third Monday in December, A. D. 1916, the same being the 18th day of December, A. D. 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1916, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 3291, wherein the State of Texas is Plaintiff and the Unknown Owners of hereinafter described land and lots, Carrie E. Graves, John R. Graves, J. J. Holliday and all parties owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, are defendants, the nature of plaintiff's demand being as follows:

An action by Plaintiff praying for judgment against the Defendants for the sum of Ninety-seven and 89-100 Dollars, on account of State and County taxes, interest, penalty and costs, to-wit: for the taxes, including school taxes, with penalty and interest, assessed and due on each tract or lot of lands hereinafter described for the following years, to-wit: 1887, 1895, 1896, 1906 and 1909 to 1915, inclusive; that said taxes, with interest, penalty and costs are a lien upon each tract or lot of the following described lands, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, to-wit:

The South part of Lots Nos. Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), and Fifteen (15) in Block No. Forty-one (41) of the Town of Colorado, in said county, according to the map or plat thereof, recorded in Book "C" Page 250 of the Deed Records of said Mitchell County, and being 50 feet off the South end of said Lots Nos. 12, 13, 14 and 15.

And Plaintiff further prays for the foreclosure of its said lien, for an order of sale, a writ of possession, costs of suit and for general and special relief, all of which will more fully appear from Plaintiff's Original Petition now on file in this office.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Colorado, Texas, this 20th day of October, A. D. 1916.

(L. S.) EARL JACKSON,
Clerk District Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

By J. C. Pritchett, Deputy

11-17

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NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell To the Unknown Owners of the hereinafter described land, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Mitchell for taxes, and the same lying and being situated in the County of Mitchell, and State of Texas, to-wit:

All of Abstract No. 222, Survey No. 21, Certificate No. 14-41 in Block No. 19 of the Lavaca Navigation Company's Surveys, containing 137½ acres, more or less; which said property is delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Mitchell for taxes for the years 1899 and 1901 to 1915, inclusive, for the following amounts, \$41.55 for State Taxes and \$92.05 for County taxes, aggregating the sum of \$241.22, including interest, penalties and costs; said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the State of Texas and County of Mitchell, to secure the payment thereof; and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes.

And you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court house of said county, in the city of Colorado, on the fifteenth Monday after the first Monday in September, 1916, being the third Monday in December, A. D. 1916, the same being the eighteenth day of December, A. D. 1916, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said court on the 16th day of October, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 3290, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff, and the Unknown Owners of the above

described land and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in the City of Colorado, in the County of Mitchell, this 16th day of October, A. D. 1916.

(L. S.) EARL JACKSON,
Clerk District Court,
Mitchell County, Texas.

By J. C. Pritchett, Deputy. 11-10

OBITUARY.

The Death of J. L. Ross.

The Death Angel came on Sunday morning, Oct. 8, 1916, to the bedside of our beloved friend and neighbor, J. L. Ross, and took his soul away.

Our community has met with an irreparable loss in his death.

Mr. Ross was taken sick in August with liver trouble, and failing to get relief, went to the Sanitarium at Temple, Texas, with the hope that he might be restored to health. Everything was done for him that the best physicians could do, but of no avail.

Mr. Ross was born in Eufala, Ala., July 15, 1859. The family moved soon to Georgia, where they lived until 1883 when they moved to Kaufman county, Texas. There he married Ida M. Goodwin, and came to Mitchell County, Texas, where they have lived for 25 years. He was converted and joined the Baptist church early in life, and later the Christian church of Colorado, and has lived a most exemplary christian life ever since.

His quiet, peaceful demeanor and kind disposition made friends of all who were privileged to know him; to whom his death came as a sorrowful shock.

He leaves a wife and five children, besides two brothers and five sisters, one of whom, Mrs. R. S. Haley of Fortney, Texas, and a nephew, A. S. Johnson of Terrel, Texas, were with him during his last illness.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Burkhardt, of the First Christian church of Colorado, and the remains laid to rest in the Odd Fellows cemetery of that place. His pall bearers were the friends of his immediate neighborhood.

Our hearts are sore and heavy and we can not understand why he has gone away; one whom we had learned to love and respect for his sterling worth; one to whom we might go at all times for strengthening words or help in times of vexation and trouble.

Home was a hallowed spot to him, and 'twas there you learned his true worth and character. They who knew him best can truly say how dear he was. Sympathy and loving kindness in abundance have been given, and sweet indeed is the memory, but the Great Comforter will give daily strength and guidance, and sometime the good God who knoweth best will call the faithful wife and children and loved ones to meet the dear ones gone before, and may they have so lived that they can pass away like one "who wraps the drapery of his couch about him and lies down to pleasant dreams."

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Fiense, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Show one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

READ THIS.

All that have pictures they would like to have enlarged, and have paid their account, are ready and willing to pay, bring in your pictures and I will do the rest.

J. E. ELLIS,
11-3p The Watkins Man.

Jacob's candy at Jno. L. Doss' pharmacy.

MORE MONEY NEEDED BY TEXAS SCHOOLS.

With the enforcement of the compulsory attendance law and the steady increase in the population of Texas more available funds for the public free schools has become one of the insistent needs of the hour. Without additional means of increasing school moneys new conditions considered, the danger of the present high standard maintained in the schools is in imminent danger of being lowered through the insufficiency of equipment, the inadequacy of the teaching force and the cutting down of the school term.

At the general election, Nov. 7, the electorate of the state will find themselves face to face with a plain proposal of voting on an amendment to the constitution providing a way for raising additional school funds in both counties and districts. Reduced to its simplest form the amendment means:

1. Authority of law to vote a county tax for school purposes not exceeding 50 cents on the \$100 valuation.

2. Authority of law to raise the limit of taxation in common and independent school districts from 50 cents to \$1 on the \$100 valuation.

Under the constitution as it now stands the limit of local taxation for school purposes in both common and independent districts is 1 mill on the \$1 valuation, which is the equivalent of 50 cents on the \$100. To exceed this limit would be to disregard a plain constitutional inhibition.

In this connection it might be cited that many counties in the western division of the state formed a central school district at the time of organizing. Naturally the first settlements were made upon the best lands in these counties and at the same time the limits of the school districts were fixed long distances from the center. These districts prospered as the lands within them were improved. During subsequent years little school districts were organized here and there in sparsely settled portions of these developing county units, but throughout their existence they have had a hard struggle. Available funds have been meager and school facilities of a like nature. Terms of school necessarily are short and the children are being denied advantages which they have a right to expect. They believe they should share in the taxes that are derived from the greater wealth inclosed within the confines of the big central district.

If the taxpayers of a county or a school district are competent to manage their own affairs and minister to the temporal needs of their families they ought to be competent to say by their votes whether or not they should assume an additional tax for the education of their children.

The money that could be raised under the proposed amendment would be used exclusively in the county or district where voted for building, equipping and maintaining public free schools. Not a dollar of it could be used for state supervision or anything of that sort. The only interest the state department of education has in the matter is the desire to see Texas keep full step with the progress of the times and maintain and improve its system of free school education.

The compulsory attendance law is bringing into the schools of Texas 250,000 school children who are becoming acquainted for the first time with what education means. This means a larger number of school houses, more school equipment and additional teachers. To provide these, additional funds must be provided and under the constitution as it exists today these funds are not forthcoming.

Out of 650 independent school districts in Texas 467 already have reached the constitutional limit of taxation. Approximately 2000 common school districts (rural schools) also have reached the limit. This makes a total of 2500 school districts that cannot raise another dollar of school money unless the proposed constitutional amendment is put through by the voters of the state.

It is estimated that D. W. Griffith took more than 3,000,000 separate scenes for the original make-up of his great spectacle "The Birth of a Nation." These were subsequently assembled into the story as it now appears in dramatic form upon the stage and reduced to a total of approximately 200,000 distinct scenes. As each scene lives before your vision for an infinitesimal part of a second, you can understand why such a tremendous number is required to cover an evening's entertainment of nearly three hours. This picture will be shown at Colorado opera house, together with the orchestra music, written expressly for it, on Monday and Tuesday, November 27th and 28th.

Stovepipe time is now at hand. R. H. Terrell is the man to see about it.

OVERLAND AGAIN WINS PLACE OF HONOR AT AUTO SHOWS.

In face of the keenest competition ever known in the history of automobile manufacturing, the Willys-Overland Company, of Toledo, Ohio, has for the fourth consecutive year been awarded the position of honor at the New York and Chicago automobile shows in January, by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

The space allotted at these shows are based entirely on the volume of business handled by the exhibitors, which include all but one of the prominent companies in the United States, and it is because the Overland Company has sold more cars than its competitors that it is given the highest honor of the automobile year.

Each member of the organization must submit a sworn statement showing the amount of business done during the year and on the strength of those statements depends their position at the shows.

"During the twelve months ending Sept. 30, 1916, we sold 174,273 Overland and Willys-Knight cars—a volume of business totalling almost one hundred million dollars," said John N. Willys, president of the Company.

If thinking of painting your home don't hesitate on account of the supposed high price of paint. See W. L. Doss first, and you'll let the contract right away.

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Wednesday, Nov. 8

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Splendid program balance of the week

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Guitler of Merkel, motored up Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Guitler.

Finest line of perfumes, toilet waters, talcum and face powders at Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Get your blackleg vaccine from W. L. Doss.

Mesdames Floyd Beall, D. N. Arnett Jr., and Tom Stonerod Jr., returned from Fort Worth Monday, where they had been attending grand opera.

We want your business and we are going to get it if you will just give us an opportunity.—H. L. Hutchinson & Company.

Miss Mildred Coleman returned from her visit to Fort Worth on the belated train Tuesday.

We have a few wagons will sell at old price.—Buy quick.—Colorado Mercantile Company.

Mrs. Townsend of Omaha, Neb., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Riordan.

\$1 down will place a Hoosier Cabinet in your home and \$1 a week will pay for same.—H. L. Hutchinson & Company.

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Druggists are glad to recommend this soothing, cooling liquid. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Come to us and we will tell you more about this remarkable remedy. Your money back unless the first bottle relieves you. D. D. D. keeps your skin healthy. Ask about it.

W. L. DOSS.

The Rev. G. C. Rafter made a short visit to Midland last week.

John L. Doss receives the famous Jacob's Candy daily. 'Twas made last night.

The family of Vivian Shropshire are now located with him at Post City.

The Metz car is the best low priced car on the market. Runs on less gas and has no up keep. See G. W. Donaldson for free demonstration and terms.

J. R. Ledbetter and wife attended the Dallas fair last week. Mrs. Ledbetter went thence to Delta county, where she will visit relatives for some weeks. J. R. declares the fair had to shut down soon after he left it.

If you want the Saturday Evening Post, the magazine with a circulation of over 2,000,000, phone 157.

Doctor Buchanan, Colorado office, Saturday the 4th. Office with Dr. Henthorne.

Have a full line of fine buggies, all kinds, and at bargain prices.—H. C. Doss.

J. C. Hopkins, representing the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, was stirring up circulation for that paper here last week. Mr. Hopkins informed us that he was preparing to start another weekly paper at Sweetwater, to be known as the weekly Democrat, and asked that the Record be sent in exchange.

After the picture show, refresh yourself and lady with a hot drink at Ben Morgan's. Coffee, chocolate, bouillon, pies and sandwiches.

Beautiful new shades and styles in millinery at Mrs. Mills, Earnest new building.

Invitations are out to the marriage of Miss Callie Lurienne Pickens to Mr. Oliver Roy McCreeless, which event will be celebrated at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pickens in the Plainview community, Thursday November 16th, at 8 p. m. The Record offers felicitations.

Get a quick lunch at Ben Morgan's—hot coffee, chocolate, bouillon, pies and sandwiches.

Fort Smith Wagons, the best and cheapest wagon on the market.—H. C. Doss.

Myron Smith returned Saturday night from a trip to El Paso. He witnessed the dedication of the Elephant Butte dam and attended the soil products exposition.

The best hot coffee, chocolate, tomato, chicken and beef bouillon at Floyd Beall's.

W. L. Doss keeps all kinds of window glass. He cuts it to size.

The east side of the McCall building, to be occupied by the Colorado Bargain House, has received a heavy coat of concrete making the wall look like new. Other improvements and changes will be made to accommodate the special needs of the business, when the Bargain House stock will be moved. Its new quarters will give ample room for increased stock and display.

Floyd Beall now serves all kinds of hot drinks—the best coffee, chocolate, tomato, beef and chicken bouillon.

Mrs. J. L. Shepherd received the sad news Monday of the death of her brother's wife in Beaumont.

We have a few wagons will sell at old price.—Buy quick.—Colorado Mercantile Company.

The Ladies Home Journal will make a splendid Christmas present—Phone me about it. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.

Miss Ella Dry visited relatives in Fort Worth last week and attended grand opera.

If you want the best stove pipe on earth for the least money, go to H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Miss Martha Earnest returned from her visit in Dallas, Tuesday night.

The Guitler babies are wrestling with the whooping cough.

Binders twine at H. C. Doss.

Mr. Ed Dupree is getting about again after convalescence from the operation he recently underwent.

Good supply of Diamond and Putnam Dyes always on hand at Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Triangle programs at opera house Tuesday and Thursday—10c

Mr. E. L. Skaggs, prominently connected with the Stockyards National Bank of Kansas City, was a business visitor here this week.

Stoves, Stoves, a full line Charter Oak make.—See us before buying.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Lindley of Coleman, were Colorado visitors this week.

Jacob's Candies were made last night. Get it at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

W. R. Fairclough and Mrs. S. Williams left this week for their respective homes at Richmond, Maine and Ridgewood, New Jersey, both expressing their purpose to return and visit Colorado at no distant day.

We are just opening up a full line of queensware—some pretty patterns. Come see them.—Colorado Merc. Co.

Mutual Master Pictures Friday night Opera House.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith visited his mother in Brownwood this week.

Princess Jeffress is visiting his parents this week. He now has an express run on the Frisco between Dallas and Paris.

Enameled ware has advanced, but we can sell you at old prices.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Master A. C. Beckner happened to a painful accident this week. He fell on a fence and ran a large splinter in his arm. He received medical attention at once and is out again.

Special program tonight (Friday) at opera house, 10c and 20c, including Fatty. Watch for handbills.

We can show you a full line of shelf hardware. Come look it over.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Misses Myrtle Maddin and Jessie Person attended grand opera at Fort Worth last week.

G. W. Donaldson is agent for the Metz car. See his new car and get free demonstration.

Buy your genuine Deering and McCormick twine from H. C. Doss.

See how Wilson made his landslide at opera house Tuesday night.

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Let us plan your fall hat at Mrs. Mills.

We have a few wagons will sell at old price.—Buy quick.—Colorado Mercantile Company.

Miss Irene Whipkey is visiting friends in Big Spring this week.

Window glass and putty at Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

I have opened my house for the sick, as I have a good healer in with me. I know my place is healthy for my children were always well as long as they stayed at home and drank this water. We are making things comfortable if not fine.—MRS. M. F. WEBB Red Brick Sanitarium, East College Ave., Colorado, Texas. 11-24c

Mrs. J. P. Payne, son Max and daughter, Miss Omi Del, returned from Vicksburg, Miss., Tuesday.

See the beautiful line of Ivory toilet articles at Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Mr. H. C. Crenshaw of Gainville is visiting Colorado with a view of locating here. While here he is the guest of his brother-in-law and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Beckner.

A complete line of queensware, glassware and enamelware at B 4 the war prices.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Mrs. Shropshire and daughter, Miss Juanita returned from an extended visit in California Tuesday night.

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LOCAL AGENTS WANTED.—For the Wales Heating and Lighting System. Address J. J. Copley, Box 787, Sweetwater, Texas. 11

FOR SALE.—Small initial payment, remainder on easy terms, a farm of 160 acres, one mile from school. If not sold very shortly, will tie it up with another year's lease.—C. H. Earnest, Colorado. 11

WANTED.—To trade my home for an automobile. See me for trade.—Tom Payne. 11p

MONEY LOANED.—On Colorado City property if well improved. Five years time.—J. F. Wellington, Fort Worth, Texas. 11-17

LAND FOR SALE.—I have one more tract of land for sale—160 acres.—After this week write me at Abilene.—J. B. Cranfill. 11-10p

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FOR SALE.—Fifty head white-face Herefords, well bred, all under four years of age. See J. R. Ledbetter. 11

FOR SALE.—Some grand, good utility cockrels, single comb Rhode Island Reds, for immediate delivery, \$1.00 to \$5.00; also a few pullets to spare. Also hatching eggs from best pens for Nov. delivery at \$1.50 per setting.—J. W. Burkhardt, Colorado, 11

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—Standard bicycle, in good condition, 24-inch frame, two speed coaster brake, cheap for the cash or good trade. See Cloize King at Rockwell Bros. & Co., lumber yard. 11c

FOR SALE.—Just from the pen, I have 12 white Leghorn cockrels for sale at \$1 each. Bred from the highest registered stock in the state. Phone, call or write—J. E. GARRETT, Westbrook, Tex. 10-27p

HAVE BUYER for 400 to 700 acres in cultivation in one tract. Write us minute description of city property or farms you have for sale or exchange together with outline of what you desire. Twenty-five years in the land business in Abilene.—Comper & Comper, Realty Department, Abilene, Texas. 11-17c

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A number of out-buildings. See me at the Root farm on Nov. 9, 10, 11 or 12th.—Mrs. J. D. Gordon, Anson, Tex. 11-10c

FOR SALE.—Will sell cheap a good mare, gentle to work and ride. See the mare at Dan Beeman's farm. Apply to R. B. McDonald, Colorado, or the Record office.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—A good folding bed. Will sell cheap or trade for any old thing.—Harry Smith 11

FOR SALE.—Two residences, one 3-room, the other 4-room, in East Colorado; both have good cisterns and outbuildings. Small cash payment with balance on very easy terms. See Bruce De Garmo, or phone 176. 11

FOR SALE.—Small house and lot; terms, small cash payment, remainder on easy terms, is not for rent. See Chas. H. Earnest. 11

FOR SALE.—Good ranch buggy, little used, at bargain for quick sale. See J. Preston Scott. 11

FOR SALE.—Three quarter Jersey cow, giving about two gallons milk. Will be fresh about first of year. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE.—A good Edison Phonograph in first class condition. Bargain, sale or trade.—Lee Phenix 11c

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STOVE BARGAIN.—I have for sale a Garland \$22.50 cook stove, used less than six months. Will sell or trade cheap.—Oscar Majors. 10-27c

FEWER PEOPLE GROWING OLDER

The Public Health Service reports that more people live to the age of forty years to-day, but from forty to sixty years mortality is increasing from degenerative diseases.

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FOR SALE.—One four burner Quick Meal oil stove and one one-burner monkey stove, with drum. Both been used only this summer. Will take half price for them in cash. Phone 79.

TRESPASS NOTICE.—My pasture south of Westbrook has been posted according to law and all hunters, wood haulers and other trespassers are warned to keep out, as they will be prosecuted.—C. P. CONAWAY. 11

Vote For A Good And Staying Man

Precinct Number One has up to date been a bit unfortunate in the sticking powers of the men elected to the honorable and ancient office of Constable. Either the emoluments, perquisites and hereditaments of the office are not sufficient enticement for a good man, or the moral standard of the community is so high and automatic that his office is purely a sinecure. Be these suppositions as they may, the last two incumbents of this highly honorable office have given it the high hall and injun sign. Though the latest nominee's name will appear on the ticket next Tuesday, he has removed to another county permanently, and can not of course, qualify.

The friends of John Ellis have been trying to persuade him to accept the office of Constable for this precinct. He is a good man, a fixture, and will do his duty as he sees it. The Record speaks by the card when it says he will accept the office and discharge its duties if his friends will write his name on the ticket next Tuesday instead of that of Jas. Fulkerson, who was nominated in the July primary. So write John Ellis' name on your ticket and let's have a good and active Constable in Precinct Number One.

ATTENTION VOTERS.

As the regular nominee for Constable, Precinct 1, has moved from the county, but his name will appear on the ticket, I request my friends to scratch his name and write mine instead. I want the office again, and will appreciate the favor.

W. R. EUDY, Present Constable.

SHORTHAND PUPILS WANTED.

I will teach a class in Stenography at the High School building from 7 to 8 p. m., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Class limited so that individual attention may be given. Terms reasonable. Class will open Monday evening, November 6th. Those wishing to join should see me on or before that date.—Juanita Shropshire. 11

NOW LOOKOUT.

When a cold hangs on as often happens, or when you have hardly gotten over one cold before you contract another, lookout for you are liable to contract some very serious disease. This succession of colds weakens the system and lowers the vitality so that you are much more liable to contract chronic catarrh, pneumonia or consumption. Cure your cold while you can. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation. It is relied upon by thousands of people and never disappoints them. Try it. It only costs a quarter, and it is obtainable everywhere.

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Either on account or note, I have it for collection, and all such will save expense by calling on me at D. L. Buchanan's store and settling same at their earliest convenience.

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I am now located in the new Laaky block, better prepared than ever before to serve my customers in every line of my business.—J. B. ANNIS.

New line of Jacobs superb candies, made last night.—Jno. L. Doss Pharmacy.

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W. L. Doss makes a specialty of all sizes and qualities of window glass. See him.

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Latest in millinery in styles and prices at Mrs. Mills.

Full election returns will be shown on curtain at opera house as fast as they come in, Tuesday night.

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"I have been subject to severe headaches for about seven years. My head would ache so badly at times that I could scarcely stand it. Doctors and headache medicines did no good. Hunt's Lightning Oil gave me almost instant relief. Have not suffered from those dreadful headaches since I found out about your wonderful liniment," writes Mrs. W. T. Dickson, Sherman, Texas.

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