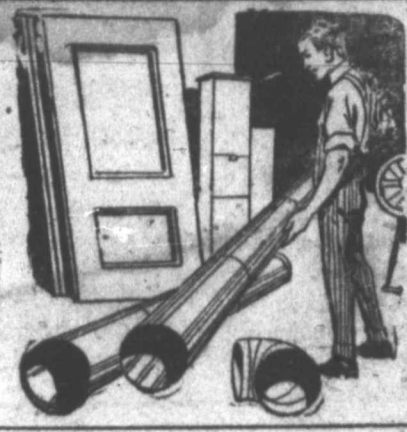


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WHAT THEY ARE DOING AT AUSTIN

SENATE PASSES BILL FOR THE WEST TEXAS A. & M. COLLEGE

ONLY GOVERNOR'S SIGNATURE NEEDED FOR CREATION OF STATE INSTITUTION.

Burton Introduces Bill for Junior A. and M. School at Arlington.

Austin, Feb. 12.—West Texas came into its own this afternoon when the senate, by a vote of 19 to 5, passed finally the bill creating the West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college.

It was a rousing victory for the efforts of the entire West Texas delegation in both houses, backed by a unanimous citizenship, and was won without the hard fight which had been anticipated in the senate.

Establishment of a West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college was a democratic platform demand. The senate's passage of this bill redeemed this platform pledge. This recalls the fact that the house already had passed the \$2,500,000 rural school bill which also was a platform demand. Democratic leaders predict that virtually every platform demand will be enacted into a law before the regular session comes to a close.

Senator Claude Hudspeth of El Paso led the fight for the West Texas bill in the senate. He made a vigorous speech in which the challenge was made to show from the records of either house where any representative from West Texas had ever refused to enthusiastically support any Texas educational institution. This legislation is the first of any consequence West Texas has ever asked for, he said.

Seated on the floor of the senate, near the desk of Senator Hudspeth, were Representatives Pledsoe of Lubbock, Bryant of Haskell and Smith of Scurry. These gentlemen successfully pushed the bill through the lower house.

But one amendment and that a minor one, was made by the senate to the bill as finally passed in the house. It provided that the site for the location of school buildings should not cost more than \$50,000. That the house will unanimously concur in this amendment was stated by the West Texas leaders in that body.

While the bill was being voted upon, the senate committee, appointed to report on whether or not the senate should enter into a prolonged investigation of the University of Texas, was in secret session.

What transpired is not known. Appearing before it today were President Vinson and Dean Battle of the university. Gov. Ferguson went into the committee room but returned to the executive office after telling the committee he would be ready to appear before it at any time.

The subcommittee which is drafting a "desert-dry" prohibition amendment was busy throughout the day. Representatives Cope and Spencer appeared before it and offered suggestions as to how to make the amendment drier than a powder horn. As finally drafted, the amendment probably will prohibit interstate and intrastate shipment of liquor storage, gift, manufacture of intoxicating liquors, have a phrase inclusive of vinous and malt liquors, and provisions will also include medicated bitters "capable of producing intoxication."

It was virtually decided upon by the subcommittee that the "desert-dry" amendment would carry with it a self-enacting clause. If submitted by the legislature and if carried by the people, statewide prohibition would become automatically effective Jan. 1.

Buy it in Colorado.

1918. Prohibition laws now in effect in dry territory would become operative over the entire state.

This means that violation of the provisions of the "bone-dry" amendment would, if it becomes a law, be a felony.

With the final passage of the West Texas A. & M. college bill, only Gov. Ferguson's signature is necessary to make it become a law. Ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature, a locating committee, composed of Governor Ferguson, Lieutenant Governor Hobby, Speaker Fuller, Commissioner of Education Doughty and Commissioner of Agriculture Davis will recommend the location for some West Texas city and then construction of the school will begin.

Until the bill finally passed, the rivalry between West Texas towns for the location of the institution had been submerged in a spirit of harmony. Lubbock called the "hub of the plains" growing from a bald spot on the prairie to a city of more than 5,000 in ten years, will be a contender. Abilene, already an educational city, Big Spring, Amarillo, Spur, Post City, Sweetwater, and San Angelo will be out for the honor.

Wichita Falls, one of the largest cities "west of the ninety-eighth," and Amarillo, the Panhandle railroad center, are said to want the school.

Thomas F. Hodze, secretary of the West Texas A. and M. College Association, who, in an advisory capacity has been here in the interest of the bill throughout the session also is secretary of the Sweetwater Chamber of Commerce. He is expected to lead the fight of that city for the school.

Twenty minutes after the Senate passed the West Texas bill the lower house by viva voce vote passed almost unanimously Clarke's bill providing for the establishment at Stephenville of John Tarleton A. and M. college.

Berry Miller, who was a member of the committee sent to Stephenville to investigate the merits of the proposition made by the Stephenville citizens to donate John Tarleton college buildings and campus to the state, will assist Representative Clarke in pushing the bill through the lower house.

Representative Burton of Tarrant county introduced a bill providing for the establishment of a junior A. and M. college at Arlington. This would take over the military school there.

That the next decade would see the reduction of denominational schools in Texas to one representative school for each denomination was the statement made today by two senators. They declare that the trend is toward state educational institutions.

AT LOGGERSHEADS.

Austin, Feb. 8.—Disagreement over the question of redistricting the congressional districts of Texas between members of the house and senate already has become apparent, and leaders predict that if a redistricting bill is passed during the present session it will be through the medium of a free conference committee. The house has passed to third reading a bill on this subject, and the senate is expected to pass its own redistricting bill. The house, it is said, will not adopt the senate redistricting bill; neither will the senate endorse the house bill. Two previous legislatures failed to pass redistricting bills.

President Wilson has signed the act establishing a national home for lepers and the public health service is drafting regulations covering the apprehension, treatment and detention of inmates. Approximately 150 cases, mostly native Americans, already have been located in continental United States.

GERMANY STAKES ALL UPON SUBS.

Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg counts upon the submarines to end the war quickly. "Every day badly employed is lost for Germany and gained for England, which perfects her means of defense. We must hasten our action. Five or six months will suffice. May God grant that we do not renew with our submarines our deceptive experiences with Zeppelins." Dispatches express the conviction that less than seven weeks of submarine war will "put England out of action."

MUNITION MAKERS HEAVY COTTON BUYERS.

Washington, Feb. 7.—American munition manufacturers used \$98,015 equivalent 500-pound bales of cotton fiber, including linters and hull fiber in 1916, the census bureau announced today. This was equivalent to 583,710 bales of bleached cotton fiber, against 244,003 bales consumed in 1915. The loss in preparing linters and hull fiber for gun cotton and other explosives is from 30 to 40 per cent.

SUBMARINE DETECTOR IS LATEST INVENTION.

A method for detecting the presence of submarines has been discovered, but the details and the question of whether the United States or one of the allied powers possess the secret are being carefully guarded. It was learned at New York, after a special meeting of the naval consulting board, the meeting which was behind closed doors was devoted almost entirely, it was said, to a discussion of the international situation and the part this country would play in the event of war.

BANKING RESOURCES OF U. S. THIRTY-TWO BILLIONS.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Nineteen sixteen was the most prosperous year in the history of the United States, according to the annual report of John Skelton Williams, comptroller of the currency, made to congress. The year has seen tremendous business expansion, free employment of labor and capital and general financial, industrial and commercial activity heretofore unprecedented.

In past years, the comptroller says, such business expansion has been accompanied by money stringency, high interest rates and often by panic. The absence of such drawbacks is attributed by him to the existence of the federal reserve system.

The last months of 1916 saw the banks of the federal reserve system possessed of resources aggregating \$15,980,000,000, an increase of more than 100 per cent in the last decade. The comptroller points out that the aggregate resources of the national member banks of the country exceeded by more than a billion dollars the combined resources of the Bank of England, the Bank of France, the Bank of Russia, the German Reichsbank, the Bank of Italy, the Bank of Spain, the Bank of the Netherlands, the Bank of Denmark, the Swiss National bank and the Imperial bank of Japan.

FORD WOULD LEAD FORTUNE TO NATION.

Henry Ford's spare money—and he certainly has a lot of it—"too much," he has sometimes remarked, "for any one man to try to keep all to himself"—will be at the disposal of the United States government, as well as the 40,000 employees and the wonderful Detroit factory he has already offered, in the event of the United States being drawn into the European war.

And the Ford fortune, if lent to the Government, will be lent on the same principle that he has already enunciated as to his factory, his employees and his own time.—No profit. "Whatever part the Government

needs of what I've got," Mr. Ford said to a reporter, "the government may have when it requires it. And the loan will be without any interest. There will be no percentage. No gain. I don't want to make anything. I would not take a cent of profit from the government under any circumstances."

UNION ITEMS.

Everything is at a high pitch in our quiet community enjoying in advance an anticipated rabbit drive on tomorrow. We hope to see a good turnout, especially our friends, relatives and acquaintances, and all their kind-folks and acquaintances.

Mr. E. M. McCreless celebrated his 68th birthday last Monday and had for his guest Mr. J. D. Dorn, a lifelong friend and relative; and the next day, Tuesday, Mr. J. M. Dorn celebrated his 68th birthday and had for his guest E. M. McCreless. These two, I learn, have been closely associated together from early boyhood.

Mr. Grover Smith from near Abilene is visiting Mr. Falkner and family this week.

Mrs. Reese Bedford is also visiting her parents this week.

Our people are pretty well up with their field work and we will have some good times destroying the destructive Jack rabbits. ELI

CAR CAPERS

Tuesday night at 11 o'clock the death angel laid its cold, icy hands upon our dear, good Grandmother Julian and took her out to her eternal home. Grandmother Julian was born in Alabama, Dec. 29, 1838, died Feb. 6, 1917, having past her 78th birthday. She spent the past several years of her life with her daughter, Mrs. F. P. Murphy of this place, where she was loved and honored by all who knew her, to such an extent that we feel our community has suffered a great loss by the departure of this dear, good woman. She was a member of the Missionary Baptist church and had lived a consistent Christian for 45 years, and was ever ready to lend a helping hand to those in need. Grandmother had been in very feeble health the past year, up until last Saturday, she grew seriously ill, lingering on until Tuesday, when the doors of death opened and she passed out to be with her loved ones, where no sorrow ever comes. She is survived by four daughters and two sons, several grandchildren, a number of great grandchildren and a host of friends to mourn her death.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, Feb. 8, at 3 p. m. by Rev. Huston, and the remains were laid to rest in the W. O. W. cemetery, where a large concourse of relatives and friends had gathered to pay the last tribute of respect to this good woman.

Mr. E. T. Phillips spent the week end with his sister Mrs. Sam Foster of Merkel.

Mrs. Will Morris is quite sick at this writing.

Mr. Green Sweatt is the owner of a spank-fired new jitney.

The Car basket ball team (girls) played Conaway on Westbrook ground Saturday; score standing 4 to 8 in favor of Car. Of course Car has a basket ball team. Those of you who don't believe it come out and watch them play a game.

Mrs. Willie George of Oklahoma, attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Julian.

Little Willard Phillips is convalescing from a spell of gripe.

Mrs. Joe Garrett returned home Thursday from Arkansas, where she was called to the death-bed of her father, Mr. Brooks, who passed away Jan. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Adams and family and Mrs. Floyd Murphy of Big Spring attended the funeral of their Grandmother, Mrs. Julian.

OPERA HOUSE PROGRAM FOR NEXT WEEK

THE BEST MONEY CAN BUY—TRIANGLE PROGRAM TUESDAY AND THURSDAY

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
LASS OF LUMBERLANDS, THE STARBUCKS—2 Reels. CALAMITY ANN GUARDIAN REEL LIFE. VAUDEVILLE. Prices 10 & 20c—For pictures 5 & 10c	ARYAN—featuring Wm. S. Hart. THE HUNT—2 reel Keystone. VAUDEVILLE. Prices 10 & 20c—For pictures 5 & 10c	AN ARTFUL DODGER, Novelty Com. SEEING AMERICA FIRST. UP THE FLUE—2 reel Vogue Comedy. VAUDEVILLE. Prices 10 & 20c—For pictures 5 & 10c	HAWAIIAN SINGERS AND PLAYERS No Pictures Admission 25 and 50c Seats on Sale at Majors'	MUTUAL STAR FEATURE. A WOMAN'S AWAKENING—5 Reels BIG V COMEDY	MUTUAL WEEKLY. WHEN THE TIDE TURNS—2 reels MUTUAL TOURS AROUND WORLD Also LAWKE, HEINIS and LOUIE.

FIRST THREE NIGHTS NEXT WEEK—VAUDEVILLE, 10c and 20c. But those desiring to see Pictures only—5c and 10c

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Ladies' New Spring
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COMMISSIONERS' COURT.
Accounts Allowed and Other Business Transacted by the Managers of the County's Affairs.

The regular February term of the Honorable Commissioners Court of Mitchell met last Monday and transacted the following business:

G. B. Harness, insurance on court house and county barns, \$188.58.
S-W Telephone Co., local and long distance service \$7.00.
Dorsey Printing Co., blanks and quarterly report, \$10.70.
Clarke & Courts, ink, pens, envelopes, etc., \$42.95.
O. Lambeth, 16 bales alfalfa hay and one sack oats \$17.10.
Charters & Sadler, mdse., \$13.60.
Winn & Payne, mdse., 50c.
R. G. Anderson, hay, \$45.54.
Dr. T. J. Ratliff, county health officer, professional services, \$18.50.
J. L. Cox, drayage, \$1.
J. S. Vaughan, hay, \$24.60.
Sherwin & Son, repairs on stoves, etc., \$4.50.
A. M. Nash, board for road hands \$4.
Chas. Taylor, glazing 17 window class and road sign, \$9.
City of Colorado, water, \$6.95.
Smith & Green, blacksmithing, \$5.

B. L. Cox, repairs on typewriter \$5.
County warrant No. 2083, Jan. 9th was canceled by reason of erroneous issue.
Colorado Mercantile Company, mdse., \$10.85.
H. L. Hutchinson & Co., mdse., \$12.40.
C. H. Gunn (Cuthbert) blacksmith work, \$10.15.
Bennett Printing Co., overseers' books, \$6.75.
Burton-Lingo Co., lumber, \$1632.10.
W. W. Porter (county clerk) quarterly statement from county finance ledger, \$40.00.
R. J. Ratliff, extra labor and time as road overseer, \$10.
Austin Bros., grader box \$1.16.
R. H. Watlington, J. P. Precinct No. 5 made his quarterly report which was received and approved.
W. A. Dulin, county demonstrator made his monthly report, which was received and approved.
A. W. Cooksey (sheriff) board bill for prisoners, \$39.50.
A. W. Cooksey (sheriff) account for attendance on district and county courts, \$30.
W. W. Porter (county clerk) keeping indices and care of records for quarter ending Feb. 12, \$29.
H. H. Carrell, fuel, \$23.34.
Smith & Green, blacksmithing, \$2.50.

Jake Maurer, board for county charge, \$16.
Burton-Lingo Co., Westbrook, lumber for road use, \$104.95.
J. B. Ray (Cuthbert) work on bridge \$8.00.
West Texas Electric Co. lights for Feb. \$436.
Womack & Co., (Cuthbert) mdse. for county, \$1.45.
Reckwell Bros. & Co., lumber, \$17.75.
Steam Laundry, \$1.65.
The petition of A. C. White, et al for a second class road was granted, notices posting be specifically waived.
Butcher's report of J. P. Turner was examined and approved.
W. D. McCarty for supervising roads 10 days, \$30.
B. O. Joyce, supervising roads, 10 days, \$30.
Lay Powell, supervising roads 3 1-3 days, \$10.
J. M. Helton, supervising roads, 10 days, \$30.
J. H. Bullock (superintendent) salary and postage, \$77.
J. H. Bullock (county judge) expenses to Austin as director of Fort Worth El Paso Highway Association, half to be paid by county (16.00) and fees in three criminal cases (9.00), \$25.
J. H. Bullock (county judge) made report of lot sold and the amount turned over to county treasurer.
R. B. Terrell, repairs to tank ordered by commissioner Joyce, \$2.85.
T. R. Smith (county attorney) made his quarterly report, which was received and approved.
W. W. Porter made his quarterly reports which were received and approved, hot has county and district clerks.
J. M. Terry made his quarterly report as to the number and description of cattle butchered.
W. R. Morgan (county treasurer) made his quarterly report which was received and approved.
After the singing of an appropriate hymn, seeing to the disposal of the official cuspadores in the cold storage vault the court dispersed, collecting as it went the sacred per diem of six iron men each, as souvenirs of the discharge of their patriotic duties.

Next Wednesday "Dante's Inferno" at the Shadowland, that wonderful 5-reel special, depicting Dante's idea of hell.

Buggy and wagon paint at John L. Doos' Pharmacy.

Mutual Star Features every Friday at the Opera House.

A MIGHTY BUSY PLACE.

To find a busier place than A. J. Herrington's Ford Depository and Supply House, one would have to hunt and find a big fire.

The Record passed this scene of activity one day this week, and was attracted by the crowd inside. Herrington himself passed us up with the high sign saying we'd have to call when he was not busy. Asked when that time was, he said:

"Any time before seven a. m. and after 6 p. m."

So, we just stuck around and noticed things. There were half a dozen calls at the front for Mr. Free to give 'em oil and gas. Two customers were wanting casings and inner tubes, another was calling for a "trickermig" for his "Tin Lizzie," while yet another was waiting to figure on a new car.

For the best part of an hour these calls were repeated over and over again. Going into the back recesses of the establishment, we found a room kept sacred to the preservation of casings and inner tubes. On being told that the neat fortune of nearly \$5,000 was tied up in these accessories alone we realized the truth of the proverb that "them that ride must pay."

This visit impressed us with the idea that most all the automobiles in this county must be Fords. To test this assumption we stood on a corner and noted the per cent of Ford cars in the next 20 that passed—there were 14 of them, and Herrington had sold practically all of them.

However this may be, Herrington is doing the Business. Not only is he unable to keep within sight of the orders he already has booked (and he regards nothing as booked unless a deposit of \$50 accompanies), but has to almost scrap to keep his orders within the factory's assurance of delivery.

In connection with these lines of supplies and accessories, Herrington maintains an expert repair department under the direct supervision of Aubrey Herrington and Ed Jackson, than whom there are no better Ford Doctors in all West Texas, while T. J. Free is the engineer of the "gas plant" on the sidewalk.

There is a moral to these stories, while it is this: Honest, persistent advertising of Honest Goods, in a newspaper that the advertiser knows the people read, will bring certain results in business. Herrington keeps faith with every word he prints, and the buying public does the rest. This is the secret of the upbuilding and success of Herrington's automobile business in Colorado and Mitchell county. And having achieved success he intends keeping it up by the same process.

WOULD-TABOO LIQUOR ADS IN TEXAS.

Austin, Feb. 8.—Senator Robbins introduced a bill to prohibit liquor advertisements in any form in Texas. The bill, which is quite drastic, is designed to promote temperance and makes it unlawful to advertise upon any street car, railroad or other vehicle or upon any sign or bill board, circulars, periodicals or otherwise in Texas of any alcoholic, vinuous, malt or other liquors. Any advertisement or notice containing the picture of a brewery, distillery, bottle, keg or other receptacle representing as containing any of the above mentioned liquors, is prohibited by the bill.

EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL! HORRIBLE.

Calomel is Quicksilver and Acts Like Dynamite on Your Liver.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for 50 cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

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

HOGS SELL HIGHER THAN SINCE THE CIVIL WAR.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Hogs sold Monday at the Union stock yards at \$12.20 the highest price since the Civil war. Sheep also advanced in value and reached \$11.85 for wethers, this price, the highest ever seen in the Chicago market, being paid by city butchers. Cold weather which delayed many shipments were responsible for the increased prices. Advance in cattle prices was less marked.

The Weather Man promises us unsettled weather all during the month so you had better give up the idea of having the laundry done at home, for you will be sure to be disappointed about your clothes. Something will be sure to happen just when you most need them. Let us do them for you at the same time each week.

THE LAUNDRY.

The time for trial of the second Spanell case, in which he is charged with the killing of Col. M. C. Butler, and on which charge Spanell was granted bail in the sum of \$5000 and the trial of which was moved to Coleman county, will not be set until the next regular term of the Coleman county district court, which convenes April 9th prox.

One thousand persons of Teutonic birth renounced allegiance to the emperors of Germany and Austria in the city of New York in one day and took out first papers, entitling them to become citizens of the United States.

Why Everybody Should Take McCroskey's Tonic For Rheumatism.

It is a kidney and blood medicine, and will counteract the uric acid and remove it from the system and purify the blood, and that is the only sure cure for rheumatism. Liniments will momentary relief but will not cure. If you are suffering from pain in this case, and I do not care if you have had rheumatism for years, and tried every treatment known, and tried Hot Springs, Ark, for several months and it has failed, will guarantee that one dozen bottles will cure every case, unless it is where the joints are drawn out of shape; and there have been lots of cases cured with from two to six bottles. So call on your druggist, and if he will not get it for you, send direct to me and I will ship any amount you want. One large bottle \$1.00; twelve bottles, \$10.00. For sale by druggists everywhere.

Read this in regard to indigestion and stomach trouble:

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

We will gin and grind for the public on the 4th Saturday in February (the 24th day). Please take notice of same and bring your bolls and corn accordingly.—Watson Gin Co. 2-23c

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THE COLORADO BARGAIN HOUSE

YES, LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN!

Cincinnati Authority Tells How to Dry Up a Corn or Callus So It Lifts Off With Fingers.

You corn-pestered men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of freezone applied directly on a tender aching corn or callus, stops soreness at once and soon the corn or hardened callus loosens so it can be lifted out, root and all, without pain.

A small bottle of freezone costs very little at any drug store, but will positively take off every hard or soft corn or callus. This should be tried, as it is inexpensive and is said not to irritate the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house. It is fine stuff and acts like a charm every time. Adv. 4.

A MARKET'S THE THING.

Down at Henderson they have a trades day each month, which gives the farmers of Rusk county an opportunity to dispose of their surplus cattle, horses, mules, eggs and poultry. In Longview we have established a market where the farmer can sell anything he can raise on the farm any day in the week except Sunday. The best way for any town to draw trade from the country is to have a good market for the farm products all the year round. The trade will follow.—Longview Times-Clarion.

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Our homes, school grounds, county roads, towns and cities need more and better trees. Well-selected and properly-planted trees lend dignity and permanence to our homes. Their grateful shade and restful influence bring comfort and joy into our daily lives. On our school grounds, now so bare and uninviting, appropriate tree growth is invaluable. Children need association with the trees, nature in her best form, to teach them lessons of forbearance, sturdiness and helpfulness. Our main highways are rapidly becoming arteries of travel, not only for our own people but also for people outside the state. While we are improving traffic conditions on our country roads we might readily make them avenues of beauty as well as of convenience. In our towns and cities trees promote health, increase wealth and influence future prosperity not only of the local community, but of the state as a whole. Trees promote health by reducing summer temperatures through the moisture given off by the leaves and by supplying oxygen to the air. They increase wealth by increasing real estate values.

It is unquestionably true that well-planted residence districts show higher property values than do similar districts barren of trees. Not only is this true, but the value of the trees may be roughly measured by the so-called "Parker Standard." This standard gives a rating of 10 per cent to a tree which is perfect in position, species, trunk condition, top condition, general desirability and scenic value. Reductions on a percentage basis are made for defects under these headings and the resultant figures totaled. This percentage rating multiplied by a basal area valuation of \$1 per square inch gives the value of the tree. By this method one may calculate the healthy, well-formed trees two inches in diameter at breast height are worth \$3, which value increases with diameter until a tree 16 inches or over is worth \$100 or more. Planting a shade tree is an investment which becomes more and more valuable as the tree grows older. Trees guarantee future prosperity by attracting new residents to communities made more inviting by reason of their presence.

A small Swiss village determined to have an oak grove in the public square. A day was appointed and the entire community, men, women and children, carefully dug up saplings in the woods and planted them in the public square. For years afterward the anniversary of this day was observed by these people with appropriate ceremonies. Although it is not certain this is the true origin of Arbor Day. Not until April 1, 1872, however, was Arbor Day rec-

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ognized in the United States. That day saw more than a million trees planted in the state of Nebraska. From this beginning Arbor Day has become established in more than 40 states and millions of trees have been planted to transform cheerless surroundings into those of comfort and beauty. Our own state of Texas has designated February 22nd, as Arbor Day.

Just as we improve our streets with imposing buildings and better paving so should we beautify them with trees. But, as in the building operations we strive for a certain degree of uniformity, so should our tree planting be conducted. A ragged profile or sky-line in a row of buildings detracts no less from their general appearance than do the same defects in a row of trees. In street tree planting a particular residence block should not be planted with more than one species of tree and that preferably at the same time. If several different species are planted on the same street the planting will lack uniformity in later years because of variations in the form and rate of growth of the different trees. If the trees, even though they be of the same species, are of different ages, uniformity is obviously lacking, but this defect will be lessened as the trees grow older. In planting new residence districts a different species may properly be used for each street or block.

Nursery grown trees are best for planting, particularly street planting or whatever unfavorable growing conditions are encountered. Their root systems are more fibrous and compact and their crowns and stems are better formed. A good root system goes far toward insuring success in the planting as the young tree is better able to establish itself. A good crown is a good index of the form the tree will assume when it grows older. Wild stock, however, may be used if care is taken to select small, healthy trees with straight stems, compact crowns, and all the root which can be secured. In lifting large trees the greater portion of the root system is unavoidably lost and the tree is unable to survive the shock of removal. If small trees are used practically the entire root system may be secured and the tree when planted quickly establishes itself in the new situation. Less top pruning, small trees and as a consequence the tree in later years has a better form. It is necessary in the case of the and is less subject to disease and insect attack.

In choosing the species for any type of planting adaptability to local growing conditions is the controlling factor. Contrary to popular belief there is a comparatively wide choice of species for planting in Texas. Since soil and climatic conditions vary so widely, however, it is not possible to specify certain trees for the state as a whole, but one must consider it by sections.

The trees best adapted to street planting throughout Central and Eastern Texas are sycamore, the various oaks, particularly pin, red and live oaks, American elm, pecan, linden, green ash and hackberry. In the Panhandle black locust, American elm, silver maple, box elder, green ash, thornless honey locust, wild olive, salt cedar, hackberry, cottonwoods and mulberries do well. In South Texas most of the standard species of the North may be planted and in addition many excellent trees not frost hardy elsewhere, such as the palms, camphor tree, eucalyptus and the citrus varieties. Even mesquite, huisache and other native Southern species are excellent when given the proper attention. For planting in parks and private grounds evergreens such as the cedars, cypress, arbor vitae, several of the pines and the broadleaf evergreens should not be forgotten.

Here are 12 rules to observe when planting a tree.

1. Select well-formed trees, free from insects and disease and of the proper species of planting.
2. If nursery grown trees are used they should have been at least once transplanted; if wild stock is used better results will be obtained if the tree is not more than one to 1 1/2 inches in diameter at the ground, from four to eight feet in height and lifted so as to secure as much as possible of the root system.

3. Keep the roots of the trees moist from the time they are received from the nursery or dug in the woods until they are planted.

4. Trim off all bruised or broken parts of the roots and prune the crowns to properly balance the decreased amount of root. Make all cuts clean, using a sharp knife.

5. Space the trees from 25 to 36 feet apart.

6. Make the planting hole large enough in all directions to allow ample growing space for the root system of the tree.

7. Cover the bottom of the hole to a depth of several inches with loose, fresh, top soil.

8. Set the trees upright in the hole, at the same depth it grew previously, and tamp some more topsoil closely around the roots.

9. Fill the hole by layers, tamping and watering each successive layer, but leave the top layer loose to act as a mulch.

10. Fasten the tree to an upright stake, set close beside it, in order to provide support until the tree becomes firmly rooted.

11. Place a wire, wooden or iron guard around the tree to prevent mechanical injuries.

12. Keep the soil around the base of the trees loose and free from grass and weeds, and water the tree frequently.

Every advantage should be given the tree in its struggle to become established. The success or failure of the planting depends upon the man and not the tree. The tree always does its best. Man forgets that he has taken it out of the God-made forests where it could and did care for itself and has placed it in man-made surroundings where it is dependent upon man's care for thrift and growth.

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Sweetwater Sure It Will Get New A. & M. College.

Sweetwater citizens have lined up for a campaign to obtain the proposed new West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, according to T. V. Woodruff, an attorney of that city. Woodruff is stopping at the Metropolitan. The bill for the new college has been presented to the legislature.

"There is no doubt but what the bill will pass," said Woodruff, "and a committee of whom the governor will be one member will select the town for the college. A number of other towns are after it, of course, including Plainview, Amarillo, and Hereford. Because of our excellent location and railway services we believe our chances are the best but we are organized for a fight."

"Sweetwater now has 7,000 inhabitants and is more prosperous than at any time in its history because of the high price of cotton. Farmers are putting money in the banks and people are coming to locate there every month."—Fort Worth Star-Telegram, January 31st.

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Those who hate nasty medicines should try Chamberlain's Tablets for constipation. They are pleasant to take and their effect is so agreeable and so natural that you will not realize that it has been produced by a medicine. Obtainable everywhere.

TO KEEP SPARERIBS.

Do you have too much spareribs and backbones at butchering time? It is often the case when more than one hog is killed. The problem of disposing of them without waste or having to eat them all first, is sometimes perplexing. Put them in a keg containing a brine made of ten pounds of salt and four gallons of water and let them stay. They will keep for several months. To use, soak the pieces in boiling water to remove the salt and you will find the flavor has not been spoiled. The parts should not be salted down because there is so little meat on them they are almost sure to be over-salted.

HOGS SELL FOR \$19 IN THE INDIANAPOLIS YARD.

The highest price ever paid for hogs in the Indianapolis market, and probably the highest ever paid in America, was obtained for 33 thoroughbred Poland-China swine averaging 251 pounds that sold to the Hilgemeier Bros. Packing Company of this city, at \$12. They were fed and shipped by A. G. Burkhardt of Tipton, Indiana, who at one time represented that district in the legislature.—Indianapolis News.

The Burkhardt referred to above is father of Rev. J. W. Burkhardt of this city, pastor of the Christian church, and some raiser of thoroughbred stuff himself. We can now understand how he gets his bent in that direction.

SEVERE COLD QUICKLY CURED.

"On December 1st I had a very severe cold or attack of the grip as it may be, and was nearly down sick in bed," writes O. J. Metcalf, Weatherby, Mo. "I bought two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it was only a few days until I was completely restored to health. I firmly believe that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is one of the very best medicines and will know what to do when I have another cold." Obtainable everywhere.

Horace Greely once received a letter from a woman stating that her church was in distressing financial straits. They had tried every device they could think of—fairs, strawberry festivals, oyster suppers, a donkey party, turkey banquets, Japanese weddings, poverty sociables, mock marriages, grab-bags, box sociables, and necktie sociables. "Would Mr. Greely be so kind as to suggest some new device to keep the struggling church from disbanding?" The editor replied: "Try religion."—Western Evangel.

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On the 39 miles of road in Taylor county, the Santa Fe system pays into the office of the tax collector of that county the sum of \$9,741.84, being the largest tax payer in the county.

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For every section where fruits grow there are certain varieties that never or rarely fail to bear. This is especially true of peaches. For over forty years we have been observing, selecting and testing hundreds—yes thousands—of varieties for the different sections of the Southwestern part of the United States. No matter where you live, we really believe we can send you more varieties of extra value on your land than can be found anywhere else. Better to buy one Leona than to have two Elbertas given to you. Our Smith peach has never failed to bear. It is sweet.

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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

No. 252. The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County—Greeting: Tina Little, Administratrix of the Estate of H. S. Little, Deceased, having filed in our County Court her final account of the condition of the Estate of said H. S. Little, deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration.

You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Mitchell you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper, on or before the April Term, 1917, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the City of Colorado on the Third Monday in April, A. D. 1917, when said Account and Application will be considered by said Court.

Witness W. W. Porter, Clerk of the County Court of Mitchell County.

Given Under My Hand and Seal of said Court, at my office, in the City of Colorado, this 23rd day of January, A. D. 1917.

W. W. PORTER, Clerk County Court, Mitchell County. A True Copy, I certify: A. W. COOKSEY, Sheriff, Mitchell County.

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WESTBROOK ITEMS. IATAN INKLINGS

Honor roll of High School for January:

11th Grade—Coit Butler, 99; Beecher Airhart, 95.

10th Grade—Romelle Hamilton, 97; Lawrence Candler, 97; Xenia Smartt, 95; Inez Board, 93; George Candler 90.

9th Grade—Robbie Hudson, 94; Jno. Airhart, 93.

8th Grade—Tilmon Gressett, 91; Anne Dean Smith, 90.

7th Grade—Basil Hudson, 96; Lula Helton, 95; Bettie McDonald, 93; Walsh Martin, 91; Susan Smith, 90.

The basket ball games last week resulted in score: Fairview and Westbrook, second team, 3 to 17 in favor of Westbrook. Vincent and Westbrook on Westbrook grounds, 18 to 26 in favor of Westbrook. Vincent and Westbrook girls, 2 to 11 in favor of Vincent. Girls game on Vincent's grounds 8 to 5 in favor of Westbrook. Boy's second team, on Vincent's grounds, 7 to 15 in favor of Westbrook. Boy's first team on Vincent's grounds 8 to 10 in favor of Westbrook. Loraine and Westbrook 7 to 37 in favor of Loraine. Wildhorse and Westbrook, 14 to 13 in favor of Westbrook.

Wildhorse and New Hope on Westbrook grounds 8 to 4 in favor of New Hope. Games scheduled for the week end are: Westbrook, second team, and New Hope, on Westbrook grounds at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon. Westbrook second team, and Wildhorse on Westbrook ground, Saturday at 2 o'clock.

The High School literary society will have a box supper the first Friday night in March. A nice program is being prepared and will be given in connection with the supper. Everybody is invited to come and bring a box.

Mr. J. T. Candler is the proud owner of a new Ford.

Mesdames J. H. Adkins and T. B. Moore of Cuthbert are guests of Mrs. J. M. Helton.

Mr. R. F. Harris, W. O. W. deputy of Sweetwater, spent several days here this week in the interest of building up this camp.

Mr. Jim George of Paris is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Tina Little.

Mr. E. V. Bell made a business trip to Arizona last week.

Mr. A. M. Bell left Friday with a car of cattle for the Fort Worth market.

Mr. J. M. Helton returned Saturday from Dallas where he attended a social meeting of commissioners.

Mrs. J. A. Thompson and daughter, Miss Ola of Colorado, visited friends and relatives in Westbrook Saturday.

On account of the bad weather and so much sickness, the Methodist meeting has been postponed for about two months.

Mrs. Bernice Board of Loraine, spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. J. M. Garlington, representative of the Walker-Smith Co., spent several days looking after business here.

Mr. D. H. McNairy and family moved to their ranch near Iatan last week.

Prof. W. R. McAfee was visiting in Hornleigh Saturday.

The baby child of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Rembert was very sick the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Page and Mrs. C. L. Root of Colorado, attended the burial of Mr. J. D. Felker Wednesday.

Mr. Guy Hooks of Teville, spent several days in Westbrook last week, as the guest of his sister Mrs. E. V. Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Langley have returned from the east, where they have been visiting for several months.

Mr. Coit Butler spent Saturday and Sunday in Abilene visiting his brother, Griggs, and attending the debate at Simmons College.

Mr. F. M. Nessmith and family of Lamesa were the guests of Mr. T. Y. Pool and family Saturday.

Mrs. Golden of Big Spring is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sadie Felker.

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Since our news is very short this week we are glad to put in a few school notes. Especially to parents.

Do not fail to make allowance for slight exaggerations when hearing of pranks in school.

Do not accuse the teacher of undue favoritism, if she is kinder to one child than to another. It's because that one does not take advantage of the liberty allowed him. This is simple justice.

Do not tell the teacher that children will not lie. She may know better. Do not condemn the teacher without a fair hearing. This is accorded to even the worst criminal. There are usually two sides to the story.

Do not send a scathing note to the teacher by Jane, the contents of which she knows. Her aggressive look of triumph is not soothing and the teacher is only human.

Do not make unfavorable comment upon the methods of the teacher in the presence of your child. Send him to carry in wood while you are doing so, if it must be done.

Do not expect the teacher to understand Jimmie's disposition the first day. You have studied it for six years and there are still kinks in it which you have failed to straighten out.

Do not plead lack of time to visit the school. There is no excuse for shirking a duty.

Do not reproach the teacher with the fact that "Tommy has not learned a single thing the entire year." She is not responsible for his lack of brains.

Do not send a verbal request to have Jimmie's seat changed. There is often no vacant seat and one change usually means at least half a dozen.

Do not forget that the teacher's interest in your child is personal. She will do more to help him than anyone except yourself.

Do not expect the teacher to manage without friction a child whom you yourself have never been able to control.

Do not insist that the teacher is keeping your child back through spite. She will hardly risk her reputation as an instructor to gratify a personal grudge, however disagreeable the child may be.

Do not forget that the parents owe a duty to the teacher just as surely as the teacher does to the child.

Bro. Fulton filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon and evening. He delivered a good lecture on Character Building, which was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. B. F. Carter is on the sick list this week.

Johnnie Boyce is a business visitor in Coahoma this week.

Mr. W. H. Lightfoot was trading in Westbrook Monday.

Messrs Griffiths and wives motored over from Coahoma to attend church here Sunday.

Mr. Bob McNairy and family have moved to Iatan. We are glad to have them with us.

Mr. James of Cleburne was out visiting Mr. W. H. Lightfoot and prospecting the land proposition. He seems to like the western land mighty well. Especially the oil boom in Iatan.

Miss Ora Jenkins and Mr. Charlie Snowden of Colorado attended church in Iatan Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Bell McNairy and sisters motored over to Colorado Friday afternoon to attend the movies.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Witt were visiting in Wildhorse community Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Bell Boyce who has been visiting in Coahoma this week has returned home.

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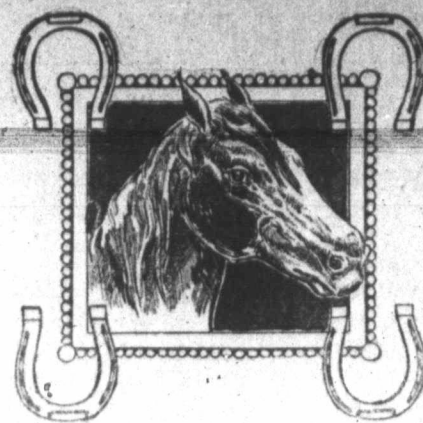
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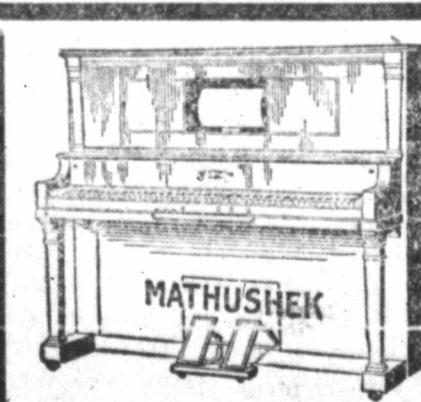
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

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We still have a few Hoosier's left so if you failed to get one before Christmas you may purchase one from us now. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Guaranteed pure strained Honey at Pickens & Reeder's Market.

Sheriff Cooksey and his office force were busy last week serving subpoenas for witnesses in the trial of George T. Waller, which begins next Monday the 19th at Big Spring. We understand more than 75 persons have been summoned.

W. L. Doss handles the very best blackleg vaccine.

The best mattresses and springs that are made or we will take them back and refund your money. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Mr. J. H. Burkett, the pecan expert of the state agricultural department, secured a contribution of 54 pecan trees about 6 feet in height, from the various nurseries of the state, which were sent to county demonstrator W. A. Dulin for distribution among the farmers of the county, for experimental purposes. The trees are from the Arp, Ballinger, Rusk and two other nurseries, duly inspected by the department, and are of the best paper-shell varieties. The experiment will be watched with a great deal of interest.

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If its TANLAC you want Charters & Sadler have it.

C. F. Feaster of Colorado and J. A. Dunn of Dunn were here last Friday. - Snyder Signal.

I have plenty of Corn and Oats as well as all kinds of Hay and other feed. O. Lambeth.
1884-Jakes. Still here-1916.

WHAT IS **LAX-FOS**

LAX-FOS is an improved Cascara (a tonic-laxative) pleasant to take. In LAX-FOS the Cascara is improved by the addition of certain harmless chemicals which increase the efficiency of the Cascara, making it better than ordinary Cascara. LAX-FOS is pleasant to take and does not grip or disturb stomach. Adapted to children as well as adults. Just try one bottle for constipation. 50c.

Miss Ethel Mann, who teaches at Lorraine, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Mann.

Nujol, something new at Charters & Sadler.

Miss Eril King who teaches in the school at Car, spent Sunday with home folks.

I sent an order off last night for a \$150 monument. Let me quote you prices before you buy. I have two monuments on the road and orders out for more. I mention this that you may know some folks are waking up to the fact that my monuments stand the test in price and in workmanship. E. Keathley.

Mr. Conaway and daughters motored to Abilene last Friday.

COAL—I have Colorado and New Mexico coal. Guaranteed good coal at \$8.00 per ton. A. M. Bell, Westbrook, Texas.

WILL DISCONTINUE PREMIUMS

After the First of April I will give no more premiums on purchases at my store. Those having cards will please have them punched out and get their premiums by that date, as the cards will not be honored after April 1st. 2-23 J. F. MCGILL

COOPER TO PROVE FAMOUS THEORIES.

His Celebrated Medicine Accomplishing Remarkable Results In Leading Cities.

Referring to the visit to Texas of Mr. L. T. Cooper, the Millionaire Philanthropist and Lecturer, who has commanded such wide-spread interest in the North and East with his health theories and celebrated medicine, Tanlac, G. F. Willis, his Southern and Western representative recently said in Houston:

"Thousands of the most prominent people in Houston, San Antonio, Galveston, Beaumont, Memphis, Atlanta, Birmingham, Nashville, Chattanooga, Louisville, Knoxville and other cities where his celebrated medicine has been accomplishing such remarkable results are even more enthusiastic over Tanlac than Mr. Cooper himself.

"As previously stated, Mr. Cooper contends that nine-tenths of the diseases and ill-health of the average person is due to a catarrhal condition which produces faulty digestion and improper assimilation of the food.

"In a recent interview, Mr. Cooper was asked if Tanlac would relieve kidney trouble, liver complaint, rheumatism and a dozen other ailments, and in this connection, said:

"As I have recently said, my medicine acts directly on the mucus membrane, stomach and blood, expelling from them the impurities and toxic poisons, and rendering to them a strong healthy condition. I am convinced that the stomach regulates the condition of the blood, and is the fountain head of health or disease, as the case may be. My medicine is intended primarily for the regulation of the stomach and catarrhal inflammation, but it is no uncommon thing for persons who have used it to come to me and explain that it has relieved them of rheumatism and many other ailments not generally recognized as having their origin in stomach trouble.

"The ingredients or medicinal elements which make Tanlac come from remote sections of the earth—the Alps, the Pyrenees, Russia, Asia, West Indies, Mountain states, near the Rocky Mountains, Mexico and Peru are among the points from which the principal parts of the preparation are obtained. In the principal laboratory of the Cooper Medicine Co., Inc., under the efficient direction of Her Jos. Von Trimbach, a native German chemist of note, these medicinal herbs, roots and barks are assembled in the rough and painstakingly developed so as to attain that high standard of efficiency shown by the uniform preparation of Tanlac."

In referring to the unprecedented demand for Tanlac in Atlanta, Mr. Chas. A. Smith, Manager of the Jacob's Pharmacy Co., said:

"I have been in the drug business in Atlanta twenty-five years, and not in my experience have we handled anything that even approached Tanlac as a seller. In less than five weeks time we sold and distributed through our eleven stores over 9,000 bottles, and on one Saturday alone over 700 people called at our stores to obtain the medicine. Judging from the repeated sales and the many expressions of satisfaction from those who have actually tested Tanlac, the preparation must be something of extraordinary merit."

Tanlac is sold in Colorado by W. L. Doss, and in Lorraine by Garland & Elliott. Adv.

Big lot of coal on hand at O. Lambeth's. Let me stock you up before it is all gone.

HE KNEW ABE LINCOLN.

A Resident of Colorado, Tells of Collecting a Shoe Bill From the Great Commoner.

Doubtless the only man in West Texas, and possibly in the state, who knew Abraham Lincoln before he became president of these United States, lives in Colorado.

Last Monday was the anniversary of the birth of President Lincoln and the banks and postoffice were closed in honor of his memory and virtues. Justice of the Peace, Fred Meyer, came from near Springfield, Illinois, and often saw Mr. Lincoln before he came to be president.

Mr. Meyer, being in a reminiscent mood last Monday, told us of an incident that brought him into business relation with the martyred president, 57 years ago. Fred was at that time working for an uncle of his in the shoe business at Springfield, and was sent to the Lincoln home to collect a bill made by members of the family. Another employee had been sent to the Lincoln home to collect the bill a few days previous, and had gone directly to the front door and inquired for "Mr. Lincoln." He had been told by Mrs. Lincoln that he should have gone to the rear door on such business. The collector returned in something of a "huff" and refused to go back for the bill on Mr. Lincoln's return home.

When Mr. Lincoln came home, Fred Meyer took the bill to him for collection, which Mr. Lincoln examined and approved every item except a "pair of slippers for Robert," the purchase of which Mr. Lincoln knew nothing about. Fred assured him he had sold the slippers to Robert Lincoln himself, and that the charge was all right, whereupon Mr. Lincoln promptly and cheerfully paid the bill.

That was 57 years ago, before Mr. Lincoln had received the nomination for president of the United States, in 1860.

BAD COLD! HEADACHY AND NOSE STUFFED

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Colds and Grippe in a Few Hours.

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses, then all gripe misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and sniffing. Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitutes. Adv2

The spirit of adventure still survives in the breast of Young America, as was evidenced by two kids about 13 years old of the town, who borrowed the six-cylinder car of the grandfather of one of them, about 15 gallons of gas from the father of the other one and then hitting the highroad for San Angelo at a good clip. They were soon located however, and benevolently detained by the officers of that city until help arrived from home. Such stunts are rather rough or fine cars and depleting at the present high cost of gasoline, but nothing will bring a kid to appreciate the blessings of a good home and regular meals like a few "runnings away."

GET THEM NOW.

Special bargain in trees. I have lots of Black Locust trees 8, 10 or 12 feet high, will sell at 10c each as they stand. Now is the time to plant trees. Get a dozen and put them out. F. B. Whipkey.

The many friends of Mrs. John Greenwood sympathize with her in the death of her aged father, which occurred at his home in Plainfield, N. J. on last Friday. She had been with him several weeks before the end. He seemed much better when she first reached him and knew her and was able to talk to her, but a few days later grew worse, until the end came last Friday.

Keep Colorado Money in Colorado.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. A perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. L. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 50c. The Hall's Family Pills for constipation.



In The First Place,

the ability to save is one of the very first rules in the game of success.

In The Second Place

did you ever meet a successful man who at some time did not owe his success to his co-operation with some bank? Our success depends on your success.

Think It Over.

The City National Bank

S. D. Vaughan, Cashier. T. W. Stoneroad, Jr., Active V.-Pres.

Spot CASH Only COAL, GRAIN, HAY, AND ALL KINDS OF FEED

I Must Sell FOR CASH--Positively
Cash to Everybody

My Stuff all comes bill lading attached. I have to pay for it before I see it.

I will make the LOWEST CASH PRICE possible on coal and feed stuff.

Save \$1.00 to \$5.00 per month on your feed bill if you buy from me for cash.

O. LAMBETH Coal, Hay Grain and Feed

-- RIDE THE --

"Sunshine Special"

BETWEEN

TEXAS, ST. LOUIS, MEMPHIS AND THE EAST

Saves Half a Day.



-- RIDE THE --

"Louisiana Limited"

BETWEEN

NORTH TEXAS, SHREVEPORT AND NEW ORLEANS

Observation Sleeper.

The Quinine That Does Not Cause Nervousness or Ringing in Head

Because of its Tonic and Laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. It removes the cause of Colds, Grip and Headache. Used whenever Quinine is needed.

—but remember there is Only One

"Bromo Quinine"

That is the Original

Laxative Bromo Quinine

This Signature on Every Box

C. W. Grove
Send the World Over to
Cure a Cold
in One Day. 25c.
Make also of the Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chamber Laxative

JUST ARRIVED

Ladies' New Spring Skirts in the latest styles and weaves, priced at \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and..... **\$15.00**

Fitrite Petticoats in fancy Silks, in all colors, priced at \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00 and..... **\$6.00**

Also the Same Make of Petticoats in black and colored Satens, priced at \$1.25, \$1.50 and..... **\$2.00**

The Season's Newest Spring Waists in Fancy Voiles, Plain Voiles, Embroidered Organdies, Lace Trimmed Organdies, Crepe de Chines and Georgette Crepes, priced at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50 and..... **\$7.00**

Ladies' Gingham Dresses in solid colors, plaids and stripes, priced at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and..... **\$2.50**

Just Received

An express shipment of Ladies' Kid Gloves in Black, Grey, Tan, White and Brown; also black with white stitching and white with black stitching. Prices \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50. Kid Gloves are very scarce and the market is constantly advancing. It will be the part of wisdom to purchase your gloves **NOW**.

Our assortment is full and complete and we would urge upon every lady to call at once and make her selection.

CHAS. M. ADAMS

GO TO THE ENTERPRISE RACKET STORE

FOR FLASH LIGHTS, BATTERIES and BULBS, TELEPHONE IGNITION BATTERIES ALWAYS FRESH STOCK ON HAND ALSO TELEPHONE KNOBS.

Mr. F. M. Burns returned from the eastern markets last Monday, where he laid in a big spring stock.

Fresh shipment of Jacobs Candies at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Fish and Oysters served any style at Jake's.

F. M. Bourn this week purchased of C. W. Simpson, the two lots north of the tabernacle on the corner and will build a residence—possibly two of them, later on.

Buggy and wagon paint at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

COAL—Four car loads of coal just received. O. Lambeth.

WILL CALL MEETING SOON.

Upon receipt of the news of the passage of the bill by the senate for the establishment of the West Texas A. & M. College, and the assurance that the governor would sign the same at an early date, Dr. P. C. Coleman of this city, who is president of the campaign committee, said he would call a meeting of that committee at some central point, soon after the adjournment of the present session of the legislature.

Now that the establishment of this institution is assured many other towns than those now already in the lists, will hoist their lightning rods in the hope that the locating commission may strike them. This commission will consist of Governor Ferguson, Speaker Fuller of the lower house and the state Commissioner of Agriculture, Fred W. Davis.

A salient feature of the bill authorizing the establishment of this institution, is that no bonus offered by any contesting town either in money or land, will be considered as any advantage by the locating commission. Politics are presumed to cut no grass in the selection of its site. Only the greatest service to the greatest number will be the basic considerations. But as to this feature, we shall see what we shall see, further along.

ARE NOW PREPARED.

The Thomas-Dupree Rubber Co. have moved to the Manual building on Walnut street, just north of the Paramount Garage, where they have increased their equipment and enlarged their scope and facilities for work. There is no longer excuse for throwing away your cut casings or selling them to the junk man for a trifle of their worth. Take them to the Thomas-Dupree Rubber Company and have them made good and serviceable as when new. They are equipped with the latest steam vulcanizing apparatus, that does the work as it is done at the factory when the casing is first made.

They also repair inner tubes and inner linings while you wait. In short, all kinds of rubber goods, such as water bottles, fountains, sanitary bags, gloves, bands, etc., can be repaired and given long usefulness. This service is of much importance to the public, as one of the greatest handicaps to the sale of all kinds of soft rubber goods heretofore, has been their liability to puncture and impossibility of quick repair. They can repair anything in the rubber line except chronic "rubber-rotting."

Take your rubber troubles to the Thomas-Dupree Rubber Co., at their new location, next door to Paramount Garage, and have them vulcanized.

Tomorrow, Saturday, matinee and night at the Shadowland will be shown one of the funny Fox Comedies and a three-reel feature—"The Brainstorm."

Buy your corn from A. M. Bell at Westbrook.

The eight-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thrasher, while playing in the street last Thursday afternoon in front of the residence of Wm. Cooper on the South side, was run over by the Will Franklin car. No evidences of injury were found on the child, though he has been confined to the bed since. The accident was wholly unavoidable, as the little fellow jumped from a float directly in front of the car without seeing it.

Attorney Royall G. Smith spent several days in Fort Worth on professional business this week.

MESQUITE WOOD FOR SALE. I have a lot of good sound mesquite wood for sale at \$6.00 the cord. See or phone L. L. Franks.

Bring in your hogs Friday, Feb. 23rd Will pay highest prices for all kinds. 2-23 DUPREE & BELL.

The Hawaiians are fine. Hear them at opera house next Thursday—25-50c

Opera House

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 22

Hawaiian Singers and Players

An evening of Entertainment and Music of the highest order.

25c and 50c Seats at Majors

R. T. Manuel has been living and working in Colorado only about ten years, quietly but persistently prosecuting the cross-legged craft. But evidently he has acquired a competency theret, as he has closed out his tailoring business and we understand, is looking around for a ranch investment large enough to fit his monetary increment.

A. M. Bell, Westbrook, sells Grain, Hay, Corn, Cotton Seed Meal, Hulls and Cake.

G. L. Moore of Fort Worth, division freight agent for the T. & P. railway, was a business visitor here this week.

It will cost just \$1.00—TANLAC. At Charters & Sadler's.

The Western Union Telegraph Company did a rushing business on Wednesday, the 14th, which was St. Valentine's Day, in delivering valentines as set forth in that company's book of forms for every conceivable occasion and contingency.

Fish and Oysters every Friday and Saturday at Pichens & Reeder's Market.

Don't miss the extra special at the Shadowland next Wednesday—Dante's Inferno. It's a wonderful five reeler.

Get your window glass from W. L. Doss. He keeps all kinds and sizes.

G. R. Roach of Route 2, left Wednesday night for a six months' stay at his old home in Mt. Pleasant, Texas.

Ed Dupree wants all your coming two year old mules, will pay good price. Ed Dupree.

See the Mutual Star Features at Opera House every Friday—10 cents.

The case against W. A. Bordeaux, charged with "bootlegging," was tried in county court Wednesday and the verdict of the jury of six men was that he was "not guilty." Sic transit gloria mundi.

Buggy and wagon paint at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Harvey Cook and family of Silver visited his sister, Mrs. DeGarmo last Saturday.

Ed Dupree and Alvin Bell left Thursday night for Seminole on business.

Scott Roertson of Baumann visited his aunt, Mrs. DeGarmo Wednesday.

Bring in your hogs Friday, Feb. 23rd Will pay highest prices for all kinds. 2-23 DUPREE & BELL.

Leonard Simon is on the sick list this week.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. It is W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 50c

Mrs. R. S. Franklin of Plainview visited her son, C. E. Franklin, this week.

Vaudeville at the opera house Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, 10 and 20c, but if you want to see the pictures only it will be 5 and 10

Mrs. I. A. Griffith and little daughter Louise, visited in Abilene this week.

Jay Franklin is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. F. M. Burns left Thursday night for San Antonio, accompanied by her grandson, Francis Harrell.

We have just received a shipment of the best grade of white China matting. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Master Richard Pearson is able to be at school again after a siege of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Longbotham and little daughter and Bounds, of Roscop motored up and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce DeGarmo, Monay.

Mrs. Ed Jones received a message from El Paso Wednesday saying her mother was very sick. She left on the night train.

CLEANSES YOUR HAIR
MAKES IT BEAUTIFUL,
THICK, GLOSSY, WAVY

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

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

Besides beautifying the hair, one application of Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair. Danderine is, to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

You can surely have pretty, soft, lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will just get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it as directed Adv7

FREE WAGON YARD
Free Water and Yard

Stop at my Wagon Yard. Everything ABSOLUTELY Free.

W. B. HIPP
Opposite Presbyterian Church.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE—Ford car in good condition and running order. Cheap for the cash. See or address A. J. Cooper, Colorado, Texas. It

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Pony double disc plow, good condition, at bargain for quick action. See or address G. F. Harper, Route 2. It

FOR SALE—Sorghum mill, used only one season, belt driven. Also one "Advance" silage cutter. Bargain in both for quick sale. See Carl Phenix, Colorado, Texas. It

EGGS FOR SALE—Settings (15) S. C. Rhode Island Red, finest strain in Texas, guaranteed to hatch. Infertile eggs replaced. \$1 for the run of yard; \$1.50 for eggs selected from the pen. Write or phone 373-3 rings, Mrs. A. C. Gist, Snyder Route, Colorado, Texas. It

FOR SALE—Single Comb Rhode Island Red hatching eggs, ready for delivery. A good hatch guaranteed. No stock for sale. Phone 303, J. W. Burkhardt, Colorado, Texas. It

FOR SALE—Eight work mules, three and four years old. Dr. W. H. Butler, Westbrook, Texas. 2-16-c

FOR SALE—I have for sale a lot of good horses, mules, Durham and Hereford bulls. Prices and terms reasonable. See C. P. Conaway. It

6 1/2 Per Cent Money—Quick Service. By dealing direct with borrowers, I can make loans on land at the rate above mentioned and can give you the best service ever offered in the west. Abilene Inspector, Abilene attorneys, Abilene MONEY—no red tape, no frills, no delays. Terms, brokerage and expenses reasonable. Write me for full particulars. E. B. BYNUM No. 5 Radford Bldg. Abilene, Texas. 2-25-c

LOST—One coming two year old white faced bull, branded — on right jaw; one coming two year old Durham heifer, branded either 4 or 2 on left side. Will pay \$5.00 per head delivered at Coleman Smith's. Jack Smith, Phone 362, 3 rings. It

6 PER CENT MONEY—On good improved farms. Twenty-five years here in the business. Write us what you have and find out what we can do for you before you place your loan. Compare & Compare. District Managers, Abilene, Texas. It

Famous Wash Heals Skin

D. D. D., the greatest of skin remedies, will remove those unsightly and troublesome skin afflictions that have made your life a burden. That intolerable itching, burning and discomfort will disappear under the magic influence of this remedy. It has cured many cases pronounced incurable and will reach your case. It will take just a few moments to step in and ask us for a trial. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Your money back unless the first bottle relieves you. D. D. D. Soap keeps your skin healthy. Ask us about it.

D. D. D. For 15 Years the Standard Skin Remedy

JUST RECEIVED

Big lot of sound, straight OAK WOOD. Also have MESQUITE WOOD in cooking stove and heater lengths. Prompt delivery and satisfaction guaranteed in every instance.

JUST PHONE
A. D. CONNER
The Reliable Wood Man



As usual Doctor Buchanan will be in his Colorado office Saturday.

Mrs. Myrtle Cooper of Lamea is visiting her sister Mrs. Jule Henderson.

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

Despite the lack of rain since the middle of last October, the farmers say the ground was never in better case for plowing than now. There is plenty of moisture in the soil and it pulverizes like an ash bank as it falls from the wing of the plow.

I am in the market for all your coming two year old mules. Ed Dupree.

Windsheed glass at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Ben Morgan and Jess Gage left Tuesday morning for a fish and hunt down on the Llano.

Grain, Hay, Cotton Seed Meal, Hulls and Cake. See A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

I want all your coming two year old mules. See me, Ed Dupree.

SHADOWLAND Theatre



THURSDAY—(TO-NITE)

BLANCHE SWEET
—IN—
"THE DUPE"

FRIDAY—(TO-DAY)

ALICE BRADY
(World Picture)

—IN—
"THE GILDED CAGE"

SATURDAY—MATINEE and NIGHT

"THE FOX COMEDY"

...and...
"THE BRAINSTORM"
A 3-REEL FEATURE.

WEDNESDAY

EXTRA SPECIAL!
"Dante's Inferno"
(5 REELS)
Depicting HELL

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"IN THE EARLY DAYS OF ART"

workmen wrought with no greater care than do we in ornamental tin and sheet metal work. A completely equipped shop, and the experience resulting from years of satisfying critical property owners, insure all of our patrons the satisfaction that goes with work well done. And we don't charge for reputation.

Winn & Payne

SALAZAR DEFILES UNITED STATES

Mexican Bandit Sends Word, Announcing Intention to Massacre All Male Inhabitants of American Town Soon.

Hachita, N. M., Feb. 15.—Jose Ynez Salazar threatened soon to raid an American city or town and kill all the American men, according to Bunk Spencer, the American negro who, with his Mexican wife, was captured by Salazar's force at Ojito. Spencer reached the border yesterday to obtain a ransom for the release of his wife. According to Spencer, Salazar gave him the following message to take to the border:

"Tell the American people that Jose Ynez Salazar is going to visit them shortly and distribute a few pounds of lead in their midst. Just as soon as the forces I am expecting reach me, I shall strike some American city or town and no American force or Carranza will prevent me from carrying out my plans. Columbus will be as nothing compared to my strike. During my stay I will make every effort to protect American women and children, but the men of 'Gringoland' will have to take care."

The Warren ranch interests are understood to have agreed to pay \$15,000 ransom for Spencer and his wife. Spencer returned to Salazar shortly after meeting his employers. Spencer declared Salazar had threatened to kill Mrs. Spencer if he failed to come back.

JUDGE SMITH APPOINTED.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Congressman William R. Smith of El Paso will be appointed to the new judgeship just created for the Northern and Western district jointly. Senators Culberson and Sheppard agreed today to recommend his appointment to President Wilson. Smith retires from congress March 4, after fourteen years' service.

NOT A PLEASING SUGGESTION.

A canning factory has been started in West Texas for the purpose of canning jack rabbits. Let us hope that the temptation to adulterate with a little cogote now and then will not be indulged.—Bonham Favorite.

Keep Colorado Money in Colorado.

GOOD PROGRESS MADE.

Prospects For El Paso-Fort Worth Highway Very Promising.

Last Friday night J. D. Fauntleroy, a district engineer for the federal government for the 6th and 7th districts; W. B. Starr, secretary and J. E. Merriwether, engineer of the Highway Association, were all in Colorado in the interest of this important project and met the citizens of the community at the Chamber of Commerce at 7:30, where the matter was discussed for more than two hours.

Mr. Fauntleroy explained just what part and burden the people must bear in order to secure state and federal aid for the project. He answered all the questions asked him by interested parties relative to this class of highways particularly.

Mr. Starr of Midland, explained in detail what each county this highway traversed, was doing in the premises. Several were at work already, while others were getting ready to get ready. Some of the counties have held bond elections in aid of the highway.

These gentlemen all report that much enthusiasm prevails along the entire route as the people come to be more and more acquainted with the importance and potentialities of this great artery of travel and commerce.

The necessary surveys, etc., will be made as soon as a state board of highways can be organized and get in working order.

One pleasing and promising feature of the matter is, that the new county of Culberson became a certainty, the county of El Paso voted the sum of \$50,000 for the construction of this highway in the new county, and bore the burden itself.

Everything looks exceedingly promising for the early construction of this highway and Mitchell county and Colorado have great cause to congratulate themselves in being on its line.

Joe Welsher, Oklahoma City, was given five years in the penitentiary for unknowingly aiding a bank robber.

Put a 2 per cent tax on the site value of land and four jobs will run after three men.

The way to condemn shacks and fire menaces without law or police is to tax site value of the land.

TRIAL OF GEO. T. WALLER, CHARGED WITH KILLING DR. N. J. PHENIX

DEFENDANT PLEADS FOR A SUSPENDED SENTENCE.

Over One Hundred Colorado Witnesses Present and Court Attendance Largest in History of Big Spring.

(Reported by Special Staff Correspondent of the Record.)

Big Spring, Texas, Feb. 19.—The third week of the district court at this place started at 9 o'clock this morning, with District Judge Beall presiding.

At 9:30 o'clock the case of the State of Texas vs. George T. Waller, for the murder of Dr. N. J. Phenix at Colorado, Texas, on December 30th, 1916, was called. This case was changed from Colorado to Big Spring, on application for change of venue made by the defendant at the December term of the court at Colorado.

The State is represented by District Attorney W. P. Leslie and L. W. Sandusky, of Colorado, and Messrs Morrison & Morrison of Big Spring; the defendant being represented by Hon. Jim Cunningham, of Abilene, and John B. Littler, H. R. Debenport and S. A. Penix of Big Spring.

The defendant filed his application for suspended sentence, and both parties announced ready for trial.

The special venire of 100 men was then called, and the jury was chosen to try this case at 3 o'clock p. m., after 64 of the veniremen had been examined; the defendant having exhausted his full number of peremptory challenges, and the State having only one challenge left.

The jury as chosen is as follows:

- J. H. HULL,
- J. K. SCOTT,
- A. K. MERRICK,
- M. F. HANCOCK,
- H. F. TAYLOR,
- W. J. CURTIS,
- J. J. DARBY,
- J. S. ANDERSON,
- C. P. MANSFIELD,
- P. F. CANTRELL,
- N. G. HOOVER,
- E. M. NEWTON.

The indictment was then read, the defendant pleaded "not guilty," and after a short recess the court proceeded with the hearing of evidence.

There were about 100 witnesses in attendance, when the case was called, and several more are expected to be in attendance tomorrow. The following witnesses from Colorado were in attendance:

- Lee Allmond, J. M. Page, W. R. Charters, J. A. Sadler, Ed Jones, C. L. Root, C. M. Sparks, Tom Henderson, H. L. Givens, Amy Green, Green Deane, Hall DeGarmo, A. R. Wood, A. H. Weston, R. B. Foy, W. R. Morgan, Miss Annie Wilkinson, R. P. Price, Mrs. Loving, Mrs. A. J. Hagler, Mrs. A. L. Whipkey, Miss Lela Whipkey, W. A. Dozier, Fred Meyer, F. Britton, C. Dennis, Mrs. Myrtle Tate, J. A. Griffith, A. B. Hardy, Foster Carsey, A. W. Gooksey, Clifton Dennis, Albert Connor, Charley Fowler, Walter Scott, Ed Mullinex, W. F. Crawford, Mrs. Schroeder, Miss Elma Sparks, Dr. P. C. Coleman, Dr. T. J. Ratliff, John Haley, Bill Hastings, Dr. C. L. Root, Mrs. A. B. Hardy, Ed Glover, Pearl Davis, Charley Davis, Morgan Stell, Col. Wright, Mrs. J. A. Free, Mrs. Myrtle Robinson, Harry Loving, Mrs. Loving, John Williams, Mrs. Williams, Miss Tis Williams, Mrs. Zilla Bonner, Bill Smart, Tom McGuire, Grandpa Barnett, Grandma Barnett, W. R. Eudy, Jim Hastings, R. G. Anderson, Charley Waller, Bedford Manasco, Mrs. J. R. Altizer, J. S. McKinney, Mrs. McKinney, Miss Coby McKinney, Mrs. Goodwin, Judge Bullock, Mrs. Jess Wallace, H. D. Womack, Mrs. Tim Harvey, Mrs. Lydia McCorkle, H. M. Malcomb,

Henry Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Costin, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Doss, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dulaney, H. C. Doss, Lee and Dean Phenix, Mrs. F. M. Burns, J. C. Prude.

Before the adducing of any evidence all the witnesses present were sworn, and with the exception of a few court officers from Mitchell county, all the witnesses were placed under rule.

After the witnesses had retired from the court room their places were immediately taken by spectators to the extent that the capacity of the room was taxed, there being several standing during the entire proceedings.

The first witness called by the State was Miss Amy Green, who testified that her residence was Colorado, Texas, that she knew the defendant Waller, and had known him for three or four years; that she also knew Dr. Phenix in his lifetime, and had known him for fifteen years, that she had worked for Dr. Phenix in the capacity of nurse off and on for the past twelve years, both in his home and in his sanitarium; that he had a sanitarium at Colorado. Witness then went on to particularize as to the different times she had worked in the sanitarium and at the home of Dr. Phenix during the year 1916. Witness stated that she remembered the date of the transaction in which Dr. Phenix was killed; that it was December 30, 1916; that she was in Colorado on that date and saw the deceased on the Burns & Bell's corner, where she had a talk with him, that the Burns' corner is in the business part of town, located about a block east from the Charters & Sadler drug store, where the killing occurred. When she first saw Dr. Phenix he was in his auto coming from the east, going west, that he stopped right there in front of the dry goods store where she was waiting, and came straight to her, where they conversed for eight or ten minutes, after which he went on up the street west, walking; going in the direction of Charters & Sadler's drug store, but did not notice how far in that direction he went. She was right in front of Burns' dry goods store when the killing occurred, just a few feet from where she had been talking with deceased, when she heard that he had been shot; that she did not hear the report of a gun; that it was about fifteen or twenty minutes before she heard he had been shot.

She further testified that on that afternoon she saw the defendant Waller standing in front of the racket store, which was across the street, but not exactly opposite from Charters & Sadler's drug store, that he was just standing there in the door and she spoke to him, and he spoke to her.

On cross examination by Mr. Cunningham she stated that she knew defendant's wife, Mrs. Fronie Waller, that she had known her about a year, that she worked there at the sanitarium too, not, however, in the capacity of nurse, but just taking care of the sanitarium, kept the rooms clean, and just kept the sanitarium; she helped nurse some while she was there, but she wasn't hired there to nurse, that she nursed more in emergencies more than anything else, when she first began; that she didn't know when Mrs. Waller began working there, that she was there in April when witness went

back, but she did not know how Mrs. Waller had been working there, but that Mrs. Waller wasn't there in January when the sanitarium opened; that she did not know whether she was there in February or not, as she did not know when she began working there; that witness first saw her working there on April 6, she thought, that she was there then, and she did not know how long she had been there. Witness stated that she did not know how long Mrs. Waller had worked there until she quit, and that she did not know whether she was there on the 17th of April or not, that she was not there herself on that date. Witness said she would swear that she saw the defendant just a little while before deceased was killed, that she didn't know how long before, it might have been an hour, but she saw him in the afternoon and spoke to him; that she did not believe there was any one with defendant at the time she saw him, that she believed he was alone, just standing there in the door of the racket store; that the racket store was across the street from where the killing occurred, but further east. Dr. Phenix wasn't on the streets at that time; that she didn't remember whether she came right on down and met the doctor or not, but that he had been to the country, and she didn't remember exactly whether she came right on down and met the doctor, thought she might have done it. The talk that she had with the deceased took place about 3 or 4 o'clock, and not very long before the killing, 15 or 20 minutes, probably a longer or shorter time, she didn't remember. She didn't remember whether it was about an hour before that she had seen the defendant or not, that she didn't remember whether she had been somewhere else after meeting and speaking to the defendant, or whether she came right on down, that she did not pay any attention whatever to it at the time, that in her best judgment as well as she now remembers it was about an hour.

On re-direct examination by Mr. Leslie she testified that after passing the defendant in front of the racket store she didn't remember where she went unless she came right on down to the Burns & Bell corner; that she was walking on the south side of the street at the time she spoke to defendant; that the racket store is on the south side of the street; that she kept right on down that side of the street going east until she got to the Adams corner, about a block distant, where she crossed the street and went over to the Burns & Bell corner, where she waited for the doctor and met him there. That the racket store is away up there and on the south side of the block from the corner where she met Dr. Phenix, and that there was nothing between to obstruct the door from the racket store, and the place where she met the doctor, just a plain open street.

Ed S. Jones was the next witness called by the State, who testified that his residence is Colorado; that he knew the defendant Waller, and also knew Dr. Phenix in his lifetime, and remembered the circumstance of his killing. He saw Dr. Phenix on that day passing by witness' place of business, going west; that witness' occupation is a barber, and his place of business is about half a block from the Burns & Bell corner, that it was about the middle of the east half of the block in which the Burns & Bell store was located, his barber shop being west of that store, his shop at that time being located about four doors west of the Burns' store. It is just about a block from witness' shop to the Charters & Sadler drug store, on the north side of the street; the barber shop of the witness, the Burns store and the Charter & Sadler drug store are all on the north side of the street, the same side walk runs by each one; it is something near a block from his shop to Charters & Sadler's drug store, and in going from his shop up to that drug store you have to cross

an alley and a street, that is you cross an alley, the west half of that block in which the witness' shop is located, cross a street, and then the drug store is two or three doors from the street west. Witness further stated: When I first saw Dr. Phenix he was coming from the east, walking, he was on the sidewalk; he did not come into my place of business, nor did he stop there, or in front of my place. At the time Dr. Phenix passed my place of business the defendant was in my shop, but I don't know whether he saw Dr. Phenix or not, he was sitting there and could have seen him if he had wanted to; my shop has a glass front, and the glass was clean, and the defendant was sitting back probably fifteen feet from the door, the front door of my shop, when the doctor passed. I cannot say that I saw him look in the direction of the front door when the doctor was passing, he and one of my barbers were talking and cutting up—joking, you might say. I recognized Dr. Phenix when he passed the door, and then just looked back over in the house, you might say I looked all over the house, and I saw the defendant; and I didn't do anything only just looked at him; the defendant was looking that way, and he just kind of winked with his left eye, just about the time that the doctor was passing. I was sitting right in the corner of the shop, right by the window, and the doctor passed in about four feet of me, just outside of the window. The next thing that the defendant did was to get up and walk out, but I couldn't say how soon. I guess it was five or six minutes though. I don't know where the defendant went; he just walked out at the front door, but I couldn't say whether he turned and went east, west, north or south; but when he walked out the door he told this barber he would have to come back and throw him out in a few minutes—he was just talking and joking. I did not hear any shots fired immediately after that, I didn't hear them; it was not over fifteen minutes after that, as well as I remember, that I ascertained that the killing had taken place. I guess it would take a minute or two, to walk from my place up to the Charters & Sadler drug store, depending on how fast a man would walk. The killing took place in Charters & Sadler's drug store."

On cross examination by Mr. Cunningham witness again stated the distance from his shop to the drug store, that his shop was east of the drug store where the killing occurred; that at the time he saw the doctor pass the shop the defendant could have seen him; that he was quiet in his shop at that time, and they were not doing much and the look that he gave back over the house was just a casual glance, and there was nothing which caused him to look at the defendant after seeing the doctor pass. Witness testified that he knew the defendant had a defect in his left eye, and that he could not say whether the wink he was giving him was voluntary or involuntary, that when he looked at defendant the defendant just winked that eye, and that he had seen him wink that eye that way before that. That the defendant was in there two or three times before on that day, and that he stayed in there about five minutes the time he was in there and the doctor passed by; that witness did not hear the shooting, but heard of it.

The next witness called by the State was J. A. Sadler, who testified: I live in Colorado, Texas; I have lived there about three years; I am engaged in the drug business, in which business he has been engaged something like fifteen years; that Mr. W. R. Charters is his partner in said business at Colorado; I knew Dr. N. J. Phenix in his life time; also knew George Waller, the defendant. My place of business in Colorado is located just a block and the third door west of the Burns dry goods corner, on the second block west—or rather the first block west of the block on

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OPERA HOUSE PROGRAM FOR NEXT WEEK

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TRIAL OF GEO. WALLER FOR KILLING DR. PHENIX

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which Burns corner is located. I know where Ed Jones' barber shop is located; at present it is the second door west of Burns; but on December 30th it was in the fifth door west of Burns corner. In passing from Ed Jones barber shop to my store you go west, crossing an alley and one street. On the 30th of December 1916 I was in the drug store. I saw Dr. Phenix in the drug store on that date about 3 o'clock in the afternoon; but I think the doctor was in there three or four times that day probably; I also saw him drive his car up in front of the drug store and stop it in the street on Second street.

Witness then handed a sketch of the floor plan of his drug store which he identified as having been drawn by himself and Mr. Charters, showing the inside arrangement, and explained the sketch to the jury, identifying the different articles of furniture and showing their position in the store at the time of the killing, and continuing with his testimony stated:

Dr. Phenix came into my store that afternoon about three o'clock, and the defendant came in about three minutes past three, or something like that; at the time defendant came into the store Dr. Phenix was standing in front of the cigar case, which was a little on the west side of the building, and about 20 feet from the front door, talking to Charters and myself, and he must have been there about a minute when Waller entered the store, and walked over to the toilet case on the east side of the store, which was the opposite side of the building to that on which Dr. Phenix was standing. The defendant was about fifteen or sixteen feet from the front door when he stepped at the toilet case. When Waller came in and walked over to the toilet case I walked from where I was standing by Mr. Charters and went behind the toilet cases going in between the two cases; I went behind there to see if Mr. Waller wanted anything, and I said "George, what can I do for you?" he said "I wanted a pencil, but I have one," and just kind of felt in his pocket like that for one; then I just stepped back, just kind of relaxed, you know, against the case, and Dr. Phenix turned and started to the door; and just as Dr. Phenix passed Waller, Waller started after him to follow him, and circled past him toward the door, and as Dr. Phenix reached with his left hand to take hold of the latch on the door Waller jerked his gun out of his pocket and fired. Dr. Phenix had in his right hand his overcoat and the medicine that we had sold him, I think it was varinol that we had just sold him. When the shot was fired Dr. Phenix fell with his head near the west door facing, with his feet out toward where

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Waller was standing. There were five shots fired, but the first shot killed deceased, it entered just at the spot place here in his head (indicating near the temple). At the time this shot was fired Waller must have been three feet or a little better from Dr. Phenix, just a little to the left and to the rear. After Dr. Phenix fell Waller took one step from his then position and just kept shooting into the doctor's body; the doctor fell on his back. As to what portion of the doctor's body he shot, well, I didn't see but one of the wounds and that was just about the center of the breast. He shot the doctor five times. At the time the first shot was fired the doctor was facing the street, or rather facing the doors where the doors come together, and had just reached for the latch of the door; Waller was following him to the door, and just as doctor stopped Waller stopped and made his first shot just as he stopped to open the door.

On cross examination by Mr. Cunningham witness testified: I know that because I was watching him, and doesn't a man generally stop to open a door when he starts to go out of a door that is shut; that is the only thing that I know he stopped for. I don't know that that is what he stopped for, but that is my opinion of it, I know he stopped and reached his hand out. It is my conclusion that he stopped to open the door, because I saw him take hold of the door or take hold of the latch before the shot, just as he took hold of the latch Waller shot, it was all instantaneous. I was on the west side of the store with the doctor facing me when Waller came in, and Waller turned to the east side and stopped and was looking in the show case; I then left doctor and Charters and went around to the east side, and Waller told me he wanted a pencil.

When the shooting occurred I was standing just behind the toilet case from the wall; the toilet case is on the east side of the house. I was near Waller when the shooting occurred; I suppose I was about 7 or 8 feet right straight across the case to where Mr. Waller was. When Waller told me he wanted a pencil but had it, Dr. Phenix didn't pay him any attention at all, and when I asked him what he wanted, the doctor paid no attention at all. I saw this defendant look over toward the doctor; he looked over toward him before the doctor started out; he just looked across at him, the doctor had his back to him, talking to Charters, with his overcoat over his right arm, and he was standing that way at the cigar case when George asked for the pencil. The doctor started to the door first, and had gotten a little over half way to the door when the defendant started, and was somewhere near the center of the front part to the south door; and at the start the doctor was further away from the door than the defendant, but when the defendant started the doctor was a little closer to the door than the defendant, he must have been two or three steps closer when the defendant started; the defendant did not walk fast, nor did he walk slow, he took about the gait that Dr. Phenix had. Waller never did get to the door at all, he was about three and a half feet from the door, that is about as close as he got, and the doctor was at the door, and had gotten hold of the latch. It was the east door that opened, and it opens into the building, from the middle of the doors. The door has no knob, it has a latch with a big brass handle. The doctor had his overcoat over his right arm, and reaching for the latch with his left hand; he did not turn and look around, and he was shot in the head that way owing to Waller's position when he shot. He had taken hold of the latch with his left hand and was shot in front of the left ear; and at the time that Waller shot he was a little to the left and

right straight behind the doctor, and I was over here right where this second juror is, relatively speaking. I do not know that the doctor turned and looked at Charters, and I account for his being shot in the temple by him turning and looking the other way as he was going out the door. I don't know what he was doing with his right hand when he had hold of the latch of the door with his left hand; I could not see his right hand, and I conclude what I said with regard to his right hand being filled with things from the fact that he had sold him this medicine, and he had his glasses and the medicine that we had sold him in his right hand. Charters was closer to him than I was. I saw the first shot hit, or just the same as saw it, and the doctor fall, and when the shot was fired the defendant was standing within something like three feet of the doctor, and I judge the gun to be in about eighteen inches of the doctor's head when he fired; he wasn't powder burned to speak of.

No words passed between the doctor and Waller before they reached the door, no words passed between them at any time. The doctor fell, and four more shots were fired into his body, but I didn't see but one of the wounds in the body, that was right in front, yes sir, right here (indicating). The defendant had his gun in his right hand. The doctor's body lay in the front of the store for five or six minutes I suppose, maybe ten minutes, and there was myself and Mr. Page, Dr. Root and some others carried it to the rear of the building, behind the prescription case, but we did not understand it; I was not present when the body was undressed; Mr. Greene, the undertaker came and got the body. I did not examine the body to see whether he had a pistol, and I don't know whether he had a pistol or not. When the shooting occurred Charters was just behind the cigar case facing Dr. Phenix, and was behind Dr. Phenix and was right there behind the cigar case where he had been all the time, and the doctor was going from him, going towards the door.

On redirect examination by Mr. Leslie he testified: I did not see the body searched. (Witness then illustrated the respective position of deceased and defendant at the time the first shot was fired). Dr. Phenix had in his right hand an overcoat and medicine that I had sold him, and his overcoat was lying across his arm, and he had his glasses in his right hand also. Just as George was making his last step before he shot Dr. Phenix he drew his pistol, and at that time the doctor had made his last step to the door, and he must have been two and a half or three feet in front of Waller.

On recross examination by Mr. Cunningham he testified: There was an examination made of that wound by Dr. Root, a physician; I wasn't present when he examined all of the wounds, he only examined the two I have spoken of when I was present, which was before the body was carried away. Dr. Root is not here, he is in Colorado, but he has been subpoenaed. Besides myself at the time the shooting occurred there were in the store Mr. Charters, Dr. Phenix, J. M. Page, W. C. Beard, G. Beard, W. R. Morgan and Flem McSpadden; and their respective positions are marked there on that sketch; J. M. Page was at that position marked at the toilet case, at the north end of the toilet case. I was standing behind the toilet case, and he was about six feet, that is a ten foot case. W. C. Beard was standing facing the south between the candy case and the cigar case at the place marked there, and his position at the time of the shooting would be almost directly behind the deceased. I have drawn the position of the cuspidors, they are in the center of the house for the patrons use, they do not obstruct the view at all. G. Beard was leaning against the west end of the candy case right next to his father. W. R. Morgan was near the front end of the soda fountain behind, just about here (indicating). I have got that a little bit too far. Flem McSpadden was about four feet from the end of this here (indicating). Mr. Charters was standing talking to the doctor at the time he started out. Mr. Beard and his boy were standing back there, they didn't move at all, and Mr. Page was standing at the end of the toilet case as I went around, with his arm upon the case—he was just standing there in the store, and had been there something like thirty minutes, and he had no special business in the store, just a visitor. I wouldn't miss the position that I have given those different parties 18 inches in the building, and that sketch is at least substantially correct. I was assisted by Mr. Charters in the preparing of that sketch, no one else assisted me. I think I have named all that were in there. Mr. Morgan was the first party that went to the body, I was the next one, and I don't know who came next, I couldn't say positively; I am certain though that Mr. W. R. Morgan was the first one and I

was the second one to the body. Mr. Meyer, the justice of the peace there, was the first one to take hold of the body, he got there in just a minute or two; well, I believe Dr. Root beat him there just a little bit, just a few seconds. I did not stay right there with the body all the time until it was carried back and searched. I think all those parties gathered around it that were in there, unless it was the old gentleman, Mr. Beard, W. C. Beard, I don't know whether he ever even went up to the body or not, and the rest of us did.

The defendant passed on out the rear door, that was the north door, he never stayed there any time after the shooting; he wasn't there with the body nor present when anything else was done, that I know of; I didn't see him; I don't suppose he took any pistol off of him when he left, I know he didn't, I saw him leave and I saw him when he quit shooting, and he did not stoop down and take anything off of the body; and as to knowing that he didn't carry any pistol away, I don't know that to be a fact, but I just judge that he didn't. There was quite a crowd gathered around there in the street, but not inside of the store. The body was taken back to the rear of the drug store, and turned over to the undertaker, Mr. Greene. There was no inquest at all there. In just two or three minutes after they got the body to the rear Mr. Greene drove up in his car, and they helped him put the body in the car. I did not keep my eyes on the body of the defendant to see that no one took a six-shooter off of it, and I don't know whether one was taken off or not.

On redirect examination by Mr. Leslie he testified: We closed the door and that kept the crowd from coming in; and first and last there must have been twelve—ten or fifteen people, something like that, around the body in the store. A great crowd gathered around the front of the building, but they were not permitted to enter nor surround the body.

When he shot his last shot the defendant just says, "You son of a bitch, I guess you won't do that anymore," that is the way I understood it; I was standing in six or eight feet of him.

On recross examination by Mr. Cunningham, he testified: I am sure that was something near his language; I think he placed an oath at the first of it. He did not say, "You son of a b—h, you won't ruin another member of my family," nor did he say "You son of a b—h, that is the last one of my family that you will disturb," but he said, "You son of a b—h you won't do that any more," that is the words he said; and he did not say anything else besides that.

At 5:15 p. m. the court adjourned till in the morning at 8:30.

The State rested at this point and Mr. Waller was next put on the stand and his examination occupied most of the day Tuesday. The Record expected to have Tuesday's evidence, but owing to some trouble in the mail the report was not received in time, but we will give the remainder of the trial with the charge and the verdict in our next week's issue.

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SAYS GOVERNOR NEEDS INCREASE IN SALARY.

Supporters of the proposal to increase the salary of the governor of the state, find argument for their contention that the present salary of \$4,000 is inadequate in the report of two members of the legislature who conducted an investigation of expenditures for the governor's mansion during the past two years. The report shows that the Thirty-fourth legislature appropriated \$2,000 a year for fuel and other incidentals at the executive's mansion, and that in addition to this sum the governor approved deficiencies amounting to \$2,550. Of this last amount, according to the report, \$2,548.00 was expended in connection with expenses incurred at the governor's home.

The total expenditures at the governor's mansion according to the report, in addition to the \$4,000 salary, was \$6,548.11. A proposed constitutional amendment now pending would increase the salary of the governor to \$10,000.

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ATTACK ON THE PRESS.

It is a sad commentary on the intelligence, broad mindedness and provincial honesty of men of the great Lone Star state that a member of congress from a Texas district has allowed himself to make an attack on the press of the country, such as was probably never before recorded since the beginning of this government. And still greater is the fact to be regretted that he finds virtually his only support in that of a republican congressman from Pennsylvania.

Of course the Texas congressman is Representative Calloway, from the Ft. Worth district, the one who has opposed President Wilson in the stand he has taken relative to the German situation and who has opposed other party measures in the past few months. Mr. Calloway has made the broad statement that the "house of Morgan & Co." had formed an alliance to control the press of the country. "They found," asserted Mr. Calloway, according to the dispatches, "that it was only necessary to purchase control of twenty-five of the greatest papers."

It is also stated that "he declared that the twenty-five papers were selected and the policy of the papers was bought and paid for by the month, an editor was furnished each paper to properly supervise and edit, information regarding questions of preparedness, militarism financial policies and other things of international nature considered vital to the interests of the purchasers." It is also stated that he added "the contract is in existence at the present time."

It is hard to believe, and it is not probable, that Mr. Calloway has half a dozen constituents in his district who believe that the great American press is a purchasable quantity.

Papers standing for preparedness have been standing for what is the view of the great mass of the American people, a view which was so fully expressed at the November election when President Wilson, with his views on preparedness fully known to every voter, received the most thorough endorsement ever given to a presidential candidate.

Mr. Calloway is out of tune with the democratic administration. He is out of tune with the men who elected him and he is out of tune with, not only all the voters of Texas, but of the nation. It is hard to believe that even Mr. Calloway believes the press of the country is a purchasable quantity as he alleges.

Mr. Calloway will not return to congress. It is well.—Austin American.

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Prisoner Who Has Served Forty-One Years in Solitary Confinement Studies Arabic

Boston, Mass. —Jesse Pomeroy, who has been forty-one years in solitary confinement in the state prison at Charleston, was granted equal privileges with other prisoners by the state executive council today. Convicted of murder at 15, Pomeroy two years later was locked up in a cell lighted from a window in the ceiling so that he might not gaze on his fellow men and barred as far as possible from human companionship. Two years ago the sentence was enforced less rigorously to accord with modern ideas of prison reform.

Now at the age of 57 years Pomeroy will move into a cell where he can see passersby, will be allowed to exercise with other prisoners, sit with them at the church services and at the prison entertainments and will be given such work in the prison shops as his somewhat enfeebled health will permit.

Governor McCall announced tonight that he approved the commutation. Pomeroy was convicted of the brutal murder of two children following a series of degenerate acts which had terrorized the South Boston and Dorchester districts of this city. He was sentenced to be hanged, but because of his youth, the sentence was commuted to solitary confinement for life.

When Pomeroy began his sentence he was poorly educated. Now he can read in seven languages and at the age of 57 is studying Arabic. He has also been diligently studying law as it bears on his case. Beyond attempts to escape, he has been on the whole, his keepers say, a quiet and model prisoner.

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How the Wolf, Wild Cat and The Rabbit Bounties Were Paid.

Austin. —Interesting figures on the expenditure of the \$100,000 appropriation made by the Thirty-Fourth legislature for scalp bounty, has been prepared by Comptroller Terrell.

According to this statement the appropriation which became effective on June 20, 1915, was exhausted on March 17, 1916, and was shared in by 173 counties and 17,449 people. Of the animals covered by this law, wolves to the number of 79,876 were paid for; 17,583 wild cats and 813,100 rabbits. The state's proportion of such bounty is \$1 for each wolf, 50 cents for wild cats and two and a half cents for rabbits. The county's proportion is the same. Atascosa county led in the number of wolves killed, with 3,492, although Starr county was a close second with 3,372. Jim Wells county led in the number of wildcats, with 1,178 and Live Oak county was second with 1099. No itemized county record was kept on the 813,100 rabbits on which bounty was claimed.

CASHIER KIDWELL MISSING SINCE JANUARY 27.

L. H. Squires, state bank examiner, has filed a complaint with the district clerk at Anson, Texas, against E. W. Kidwell, formerly cashier of the Hawley State Bank, of Hawley, Texas, charging misappropriation of funds.

Mr. Kidwell has been missing since Saturday, January 27th. It is known that he spent the Friday night previous in Abilene and went to Hawley the following morning. Since then his whereabouts is not known.

Henry James of this city, who is president of the Hawley State Bank,

stated that an audit of the bank's books shows a discrepancy of several thousand dollars, which is fully protected.

It is likely the directors will elect a cashier during the present week. Abilene Reporter.

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WILL ORGANIZE FARM LOAN BANK

W. A. Dulin, county farm demonstrator, attended a meeting of the farm demonstrators of this district, called at Waco last week. He reports a pleasant and instructive trip. One of the chief features of the convention was lectures by a representative of the farm loan bank at Houston, on the organization, procedure and management of local farm loan associations. Mr. Dulin came home full of the question and is prepared to give any information on that head. Numerous parties in this section are interested in the organization of such association in Colorado, and Mr. Dulin will take lead in the matter. He will get the necessary blanks and other paraphernalia relating to organization and management, and will have something to say to the farmers of Mitchell county on this subject, in next week's Record.

These associations or local branches of the farm loan bank are being organized in many counties around us, and the farmers of this county are interested in trying out our Avicular Relative Samuel, as a creditor. They have had some experience with Isaacs and even Barbas. So, watch for Mr. Dulin's communication in next week's Record. He will tell us all about the modus operandi of the new banking system.

GIRLS! THICKEN AND BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR AND STOP DANDRUFF

Try This! Your Hair Gets Wavy, Glossy and Abundant at Once.

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If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.

LONG DISTANCE HOWDY-DO

E. A. McMath, a new comer to Dawson county from Scurry, and one who has bought a place in the Loyola section, was a pleasant caller at our office first of the week and placed his name with the big family of News readers.—Dawson County News.

The above personal spans the lapse of thirty-two years in the memory of the Record editor and we visualize a long-legged, not painfully good looking country kid, caught in the fastness of the vicinity of Duck Hill, Yallabusha county, Mississippi, and kept behind the iron grated general delivery window in the Oxford, Mississippi postoffice, under the first democratic incumbent after the civil war. That was Ed McMath. Wherever he is, and whatever he may do, he is always a christian gentleman, straight as a string, clean as a new pin. Dawson county has gained a desirable citizen.

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THE HOMESTEAD LAW.

The establishment of the Federal Farm Loan Bank in Texas has brought attention to the Texas homestead law, which prohibits property designated as a "homestead" from being mortgaged. There are two opposing sides, one declaring that the law must be amended so that owners of single pieces of property may take advantage of the loans to be made by the government, and another side declaring against any change in the homestead law. The reason and common sense is on the side of those who say the law should be amended, and we strongly suspect that there are some professional pamphleteers and politicians on the other side leading many others who have never read or studied the Federal Farm Loan Bank law, who are making their opposition to amending the law so that the usurers and the short-time ten per cent loan sharks may have another two years in which to trade. It is absolutely certain that, at best, it will be most difficult for a person who owns a single farm, home or piece of land, to borrow money from the Farm Loan Bank, as the law now stands. And if such, and they are the ones in need of long-time money at a low rate of interest, do damage to borrow, they will have to be put to the expense of setting aside a portion of their small property as a homestead, having the fact duly recorded, and then applying for a loan on the balance. This may work in some cases. There are a lot of so-called leaders, or would-be leaders, in public matters, who are idol worshippers. They worship the homestead law now because it was a good measure forty to sixty years ago, although conditions as to land holdings have wholly changed. Today the homestead law is a menace to home-owning; it has caused thousands of people to rent homes instead of buying them, because the capital invested in homes is tied up and unusable in business. This is a developing country—changes in industrial and commercial conditions are constantly being made. The city of tomorrow is not where it was thought forty years ago the city would be; the industry of tomorrow was unheard of forty years ago; the crops of tomorrow are not the kind of crops that were thought to be valuable crops forty years ago. Even in the simple pursuits of cotton growing and cattle raising, conditions have entirely changed. The men who produced cotton and cattle today the way they were produced forty years ago would go broke in a jiffy. If forty years ago it had been asserted that cotton and cattle could be produced under the methods a vogue today, he would have at once been set down as a fit subject for a lunatic asylum. The assets of the small capitalist should be as liquid as those of the big ones, or more so. The man with a small amount of money is distinctly discriminated against by the homestead law. If he ties up his mon-

ey in a homestead it is lost as an investing fund, therefore thousands of Texans put their money into savings banks, bonds or other investments to earn an interest where they can get cash on them when quickly desired. If there were no homestead law at all, men would invest the first cash they get in a home, for it would form a fine security when money was needed for investment. The only benefit the homestead law does anyone now, is the rich thief who can tie up a million dollars' worth of property as a homestead and laugh at his creditors. And this fact, more than anything else, has made money skeptical of investment in Texas, and thereby made extortionate interest rates, for the man who took a chance charged therefor, and had a good field because many lenders kept out of it. Forty years ago, in 1876, when the homestead law provision was enacted in the Constitution, it was a good law for the reason that there was one sole investment and that was land. There was then little if any knowledge about climatic conditions, and freak years in this respect in the various widely separated sections of east, west, north and south, caused people to go mad almost by hearing about one-year conditions of prosperity in one section or another and kept them always on the move. From crop-gathering time to planting time was moving time. Now we know better and act with better judgment. Again, after the Civil War closed, there was a great era of immigration to the state, and consequently much railroad building and there was a constant change in conditions caused thereby, and this helped to break nearly every one of us land-mad folks. Those were the conditions that made the homestead law a good land law forty years ago. It forced the people to stop moving and speculating in land. Those conditions do not exist today, and people are not as land-mad as of yore. The homestead law must be amended, at least, if the small land owner is to get any benefit from the Farm Loan Bank. It would be one of the best things that ever happened to Texas if it was wiped off the statute books in toto.—Texas Mineral Resources.

GO TO THE RESCUE.

Don't Wait Till It's Too Late—Follow the Example of a Colorado Citizen.

Rescue the aching back. If it keeps on aching, trouble may come. Often it indicates kidney weakness. If you neglect the kidneys' warning, look out for urinary disorders. This Colorado citizen will show you how to go to the rescue. C. N. Payne, Hickory street, Colorado, says: "I was troubled by my kidneys. My back was weak and lame and aching. The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage and highly colored. One of my friends who had used Doan's Kidney Pills with good results, advised me to try them and I got a box. They helped me so I got another box, which relieved me of the complaint. I am glad to recommend such a good medicine as Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Payne had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, New York. 3-30

TRINITY AND BRAZOS NOT INCLUDED.

The absence of the Trinity and Brazos Rivers from this year's rivers and harbors appropriation bill gained at least one vote for the measure on final passage, that being Representative Treadway of Massachusetts. Representative Summers of Texas explained why the Trinity was not included, saying that on behalf of local interests last year he offered to contribute \$3,000,000 toward the completion of the project upon the estimate of that being half the required sum. Since, however, he said the engineers had reported it would require \$13,000,000 to complete the improvement. Owing to the increase in the estimate, he said, the Dallas people wanted further time to determine just what proposition they could make to the Government. Mr. Summers said that he had not asked the committee to include the Trinity, but would do so next year, when he hopes to be able to make a definite proposition.

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PERSONAL CHARACTER AND FARM LOANS.

After all it is the man. He must have a farm. However much of a farm he may have he cannot get a loan through the Rural Credit Act unless he is regarded as a good risk as a farmer by his neighbor farmers. To get into an association, after its organization, he must meet the approval of two-thirds of the directors. His loan must be appraised by three neighbor farmers. The basis of valuation must be the general worth of the land and its general productivity. Even if the land is fertile and under his management it produces nothing he cannot get a loan. Therefore he must farm intelligently.

Further, he must meet his obligations in a business-like way. Else his neighbors will not want him as an associate in the organization. When the time comes for interest payments he must be ready. Nor will next week or next month do. The day of date is the day, as the day of date is the day for the merchant or the manufacturer to see his banker about that note due. Enforced sound business practices in regard to the farm loan will have the effect of strict attention to other business demands promptly.

Most men measure up to the demands of the responsibilities thrust upon them. Too many farmers are prone to wait till demand enforces it. Therefore the demands of the Farm Loan Bank will have a most salutary effect upon the business practices of the farmers of the country.—Southland Farmer.

All the ports of the central empire are blockaded by Great Britain. All the ports of the British Isles and France and Italy are blockaded by the German submarine. In the face of this Herbert C. Hoover says there are 5,500,000 destitute persons in Belgium and northern France, and that it will take between \$150,000,000 and \$200,000,000 to carry on the work of the commission another year. Who is to furnish the blockade runners?—Fort Worth Record.

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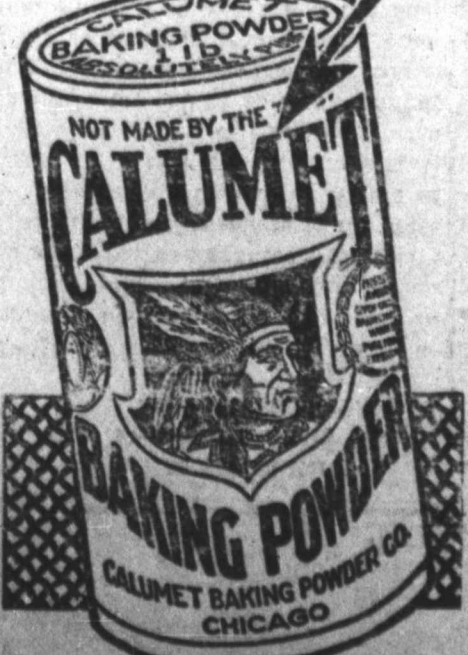
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POISON RECIPE FOR PRAIRIE DOGS

Recommended by U. S. Government and Found Very Effective in this Section.

The time is approaching now when many a non-resident and possibly a number of resident land owners are going to be penalized for not killing their prairie dogs. It is compulsory under the Biggers Prairie Dog Law for all land owners to have their dogs ALL killed by July 1, 1917. If you haven't done the job by then, someone will be legally authorized to do it for you and you'll pay for the killing, at a good stiff price.

The cost will be taxed up against your land, same as a regular property tax, and if you don't pay, the state will step in and sell your land, sell it at public auction, and you'll get what is left after all costs are paid.

It is rather a grim proceeding, but had you ever thought that the existence of prairie dogs is the most serious menace to the western ranges? This is a fact, and the Biggers law is a just one.

You have barely more than two months now of favorable weather in which to kill dogs. When spring grass gets here it is practically all off until the mid-winter following.

We are again going to give our readers the government receipt for killing prairie dogs. It has proven very effective in this section and we are reprinting it for the benefit of those who failed to preserve the formula:

"Dissolve one ounce of strychnine (sulphate) in one and a half pints of boiling water. Thicken this solution to the consistency of thin mullage by stirring in a small quantity of gloss starch previously mixed with a little cold water. Dissolve one ounce of baking soda in a half cup of hot water and stir into poisoned starch. Add a scant teaspoonful of saccharine. Mix with twelve quarts of either feterita, milo maize or oats. Prepare 24 to 48 hours before using, and stir occasionally until nearly dry.

"To dissolve strychnine (alkaloid) in the above poison add a fourth of a pint of vinegar to every ounce of strychnine used.

The best results come from distributing the poisoned grain at the time food for prairie dogs is scant. Each quart of the prepared grain is sufficient to treat about 40 holes, and if thinly scattered on clean hard places in the proximity of the dog holes this quantity will not endanger stock."

We trust the reader will preserve this recipe, and use it—use it now. Confirmed action will destroy all the dogs.

SEVERE COLD QUICKLY CURED.

"On December 1st I had a very severe cold or attack of the grip as it may be, and was nearly down sick in bed," writes O. J. Metcalf, Weatherby, Mo. "I bought two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it was only a few days until I was completely restored to health. I firmly believe that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is one of the very best medicines and will know what to do when I have another cold." Obtainable everywhere.

Not long ago a New England grocer purchased from a commission firm a barrel of apples for which he paid \$6.50. On taking off the head of the barrel and removing a few tiers of the fruit he came upon this note, written by the producer: "I got \$2.50 for this barrel of apples; how much did you have to pay?" Whatever effect this discovery may have had on the apples in the thought of the grocer, the story will lose none of its flavor because it happens to be true.—Christian Science Monitor.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

Society's Minstrels at the Open House.

Buggy and wagon paint at John L. Doss' pharmacy.

Uncle John Langley of Westbrook who spent the past six months in Henderson county, returned to his home at Westbrook last week and will "traffic around" for a while, after which he says he'll locate in some permanent business. He came in to have his paper changed from Mercherson to Westbrook.

COAL—I have Colorado and New Mexico coal. Guaranteed good coal at \$8.00 per ton. A. M. Bell, Westbrook, Texas.

Dr. W. R. Lindley of Colorado was a business visitor here this week.

Frank M. Smith was in town from his ranch near Iolanthe this morning. Mr. Smith says his cattle are doing fine.—Sterling Record.

One piece middle busters also Mr. Bill sweeps and by the way we still have some horse colars and chain harness left.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Kreso Dip, good for cattle, horses and hogs, at Charters & Sadler's

H. W. Stoneham, of Colorado, and Arvays Lee Upton and S. C. Autry of San Angelo, were here Monday night enroute to Colorado.—Sterling Record.

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

Kreso Dip, good for cattle, horses and hogs, at Charters & Sadler's

EGGS FOR SALE—We have the single comb Rhode Island Reds all of laying strain, headed by cocks of prize-winning strain. The hens also are of prize-winning strain. Price of eggs from \$1 to \$2.50 and \$3 per setting of 15, postage paid.—Thos. W. Fields, Colorado, Texas. 1tp

Vojol, something new at Charters & Sadler.

WHAT IS LAX-FOS

LAX-FOS is an improved Cascara (a laxative) pleasant to take. LAX-FOS the Cascara is improved by the addition of certain harmless chemicals which increase the efficiency of the Cascara, making it better than ordinary Cascara. LAX-FOS is pleasant to take and does not gripe nor disturb stomach. Adapted to children as well as adults. Just try one bottle for constipation. 50c.

The chief propeller of the Record's news columns, Dr. A. H. Weston, is absent this week from his desk, attending court at Big Spring. Also the "society" editor is doing duty at the same place. The paper may not be quite up to its usual high standard on this account, but we know our readers will be lenient with their criticisms on this account.

Frank Smith was in from his Iolanthe ranch on Monday laying in supplies before the big rains, when the roads should be muddy.

"HIS TREATMENT IS REMARKABLE," HE SAYS.

Capt. F. S. Patty, Ex-Passenger Agent Northern Pacific, Discusses Former Troubles.

Nearly everybody in Knoxville, especially railroad people, know Captain F. S. Patty, for twelve years district passenger agent for the Northern Pacific railroad, with local offices in Chattanooga and general offices in St. Paul, Minn.

On account of generally failing health Captain Patty was forced to discontinue active work and for the past few years has been making his home in Knoxville, where he numbers his friends by his acquaintances. He is a kind, genial gentleman of the old school, and is beloved by all who know him. The following interesting statement was made by him in person to the Tanlac representative:

"I am 69 years old and always enjoyed good health up to about six years ago, when I suffered a nervous breakdown and my health generally failed me. My principal trouble was indigestion and catarrh, but my whole system seemed to be out of shape. My condition finally got so bad I couldn't sleep at night and always after eating I would suffer so from indigestion and heartburn that I felt just like there was a coal of fire in my stomach. My hearing and vision were also affected. I consulted several doctors here in Knoxville and other cities and they helped me considerably and I finally got so I could go around, but somehow I just couldn't feel right and could not sleep at night, which made me awfully nervous and nothing I would eat seemed to agree with me.

"I began reading about this Tanlac when you first came here, but did not decide to try the medicine until I talked with a friend of mine who had actually used it. He said it was the best thing he had ever taken, and that was sufficient proof for me.

"I have just finished the first bottle and came here this morning, not only to buy the second bottle, but to tell you just what it has done for me. I began enjoying my meals from the first few drops. My nervousness is gone and I can sleep like a child and always wake up in the morning ready for breakfast and feeling refreshed. I am very fond of onions, but was almost afraid to eat them, because they always disagreed with me so; I could taste them for hours afterwards. I ate one for dinner the other day and it agreed with me perfectly and I felt no bad after effects whatsoever. I tell you I am beginning to feel like a different man and am always going to keep this Tanlac on hand. It has done me more good than anything else in the medicine line I have ever taken. I certainly do recommend it to my friends. It is really remarkable."

Tanlac is sold in Colorado by W. L. Doss, and in Loraine by Garland & Elliott. Adv.

GOOD MINSTREL SHOW.

Plenty of fun and frolic, comedy of a high order, several splendid voices, a good ensemble and a finale entirely out of the ordinary, characterized the production at the Grand Opera House last night by the Old Virginia Minstrels. Some of the best voices ever heard in a minstrel show in Texarkana delighted the audience last night. Especially good were A. J. McFarland, the tenor, and Rae Wallburg, soprano. Billie Jones has a clever monologue and the imitation of a steam calliope was one of the evening's hits. A rendition of "Silver Threads Among the Gold," "Trail of the Lonesome Pine," and "Suwanee River" added much to the entertainment and reflected much credit upon the singers.

The comedians, Watts and Edwards, were far above the average and be it said to their credit, that throughout the performance their comedy was clean and at no time did it approach the crude or vulgar. An acrobatic stunt would have done credit to the highest paid performance of a circus and a clever bit of magic helped to make a splendid show. The Old Virginia Minstrels presented a high-class show, one well worth the price in every respect, and one that pleased and delighted the audience from start to finish.—Four States Press, Texarkana, Ark.

We are absolutely selling furniture from 20 to 30 per cent under the present market prices.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

WHY NOT COLORADO.

The subscriber is a reader of the Record and would like to see the West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College located in Colorado and the Record to start a movement to its attainment.

Now that the college is an assured fact, there remains the location to be settled. What will Colorado do to obtain it? What can she offer? Something for the citizens to be thinking about. I am sure we will not get it if we do not make an attempt.

A move should be started at once to secure it; the press is the best means. Other towns will be putting forth their best efforts and energy to secure the school. There is no question but that the establishment of the college would help the town and county to a great extent. Following are a few of the resultant advantages:

Increase in Population.

Increased activity in all lines of business.

Proximity of the college to our farmers would cause the use of more scientific methods on the farms.

Among the advantages Colorado offers for the location of the school may be noted:

Centrally located.

Good farming land.

Mean climatic conditions and altitude.

Adaptability to most crops produced in West Texas.

Soil that is representative of West Texas, as a whole.

An abundance of good water.

Other reasons equally sound could be adduced to show that Colorado is a most eligible point for the school's location. The only argument opposing towns can maintain against Colorado is that it is nearer the eastern boundary of West Texas than some others, and that it is served by only one line of railway. But these purely physical features are far outweighed by more important advantages.

"PUBLICUS."

The Record regrets to learn that Rev. George Churchill Rafter, who has been Rector of All Saint's Episcopal church at this place for the past several years, has been moved by the Bishop of this Missionary Diocese to Clearendon, and the present Rector of that parish will be sent to Colorado, with oversight and charge of all the other churches on the Texas & Pacific road west of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Rafter have made a host of friends in Colorado, who regret to see them leave, but who wish them well wherever their lot may be cast.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Regular meeting of the council of Royal and Select Masters will be held on Friday (tonight) at the Masonic hall. Work in the R. & S. degrees, and refreshments. All members urged to be present.

HEAD AND NOSTRILS STUFFED FROM COLD

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends a Cold or Grippe in a Few Hours.

Your cold will break and all gripe misery end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

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

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute. Adv2

WILL DISCONTINUE PREMIUMS

After the First of April I will give no more premiums on purchases at my store. Those having cards will please have them punched out and get their premiums by that date, as the cards will not be honored after April 1st. 2-23 J. F. MCGILL.

Jake, the Old Reliable, serves dinner every day. Fish or Oysters any style. Established 1884, still here. Phone Jake's.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATION, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood-poisoning disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a permanent preservative. It is composed of the best tonic known, combined with the best blood purifier, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. A perfect complexion of the face is the result of its use. Such wonderful results in curing such a variety of ailments, free of charge. Send for particulars, free. E. J. CHENEY & CO., Proprietors, Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Catarrh Pills for constipation.

THE BEST RECOMMENDATION.

The strongest recommendation any article may receive is a favorable word from the user. It is the recommendations of those who have used it that makes Chamberlain's Cough Remedy so popular. Mrs. Amanda Gierhart, Waynesville, Ohio, writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in my family off and on for twenty years and it has never failed to cure a cough or cold." Obtainable everywhere.

I have plenty of Corn and Oats as well as all kinds of Hay and other feed. O. Lambeth.

Dr. L. G. C. Buchanan, practice limited to diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat. Office, Big Springs. For the accommodation of patients in the vicinity of Colorado, I will be in Colorado 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month. Office with Dr. Henthorne.

Trade with home merchants.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

We will give prizes for the public on the 4th Saturday in February (the 24th day). Please take notice of same and bring your bottles and corn accordingly.—Watson Gin Co. 2-23c

Whenever You Need a General Tonic

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

We are doing more and better work than ever before, and we invite you to send us your laundry. All our workers are first class and every article will be done just right. Give us a trial and be convinced.

THE LAUNDRY.

For nice clean rooms and board see me across the street from Judge Coe's residence. Apply to Mrs. M. J. Beck.



UNCLE SAM

spends many millions every year for the National Defense. To fail to do so would be to invite disaster.

The individual defense fund is a BANK ACCOUNT. It commands respect, guards against the attack of poverty and insures a safe future.

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Observation Sleeper.

The Quinine That Does Not Cause Nervousness or Ringing in Head

Because of its Tonic and Laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. It removes the cause of Colds, Grip and Headache. Used whenever Quinine is needed.

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That is the Original

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This Signature on Every Box

E. W. Grove

Remember also of the Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

JUST ARRIVED

—Ladies' New Spring Skirts in the latest styles and weaves, priced at \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and..... **\$15.00**
Fitrite Petticoats in fancy Silks, in all colors, priced at \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00 and..... **\$6.00**
 —Also the Same Make of Petticoats in black and colored Satens, priced at \$1.25, \$1.50 and..... **\$2.00**

—The Season's Newest Spring Waists in Fancy Voiles, Plain Voiles, Embroidered Organdies, Lace Trimmed Organdies, Crepe de Chines and Georgette Crepes, priced at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50 and..... **\$7.00**
 —Ladies' Gingham Dresses in solid colors, plaids and stripes, priced at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and..... **\$2.50**

Just Received

An express shipment of Ladies' Kid Gloves in Black, Grey, Tan, White and Brown; also black with white stitching and white with black stitching. Prices \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50. Kid Gloves are very scarce and the market is constantly advancing. It will be the part of wisdom to purchase your gloves NOW.

Our assortment is full and complete and we would urge upon every lady to call at once and make her selection.

CHAS. M. ADAMS

THE ENTERPRISE RACKET STORE

SELLS

Window Shades - Curtain Rods - Furniture Polish
 Singer Sewing Machine Oil
 Varnish, Stains and Brushes



Abe Dolman went out to Stanton on Wednesday to check up some 20 cent cotton.

COAL—Four car loads of coal just received. O. Lambeth.

Mrs. Arterburn and Mr. and Mrs. John Hoover left Wednesday morning returning to their home at Quito, after a stay here with relatives.

It will cost just \$1.00—TANLAC. At Charters & Sadler's.

A. M. Bell, Westbrook, sells Grain, Hay, Corn, Cotton Seed Meal, Hulls and Cake.

James T. Johnson returned home on Monday from a visit to Mrs. Johnson at Ballager. He reports Mrs. Johnson as very much improved in health.

Fish and Oysters every Friday and Saturday at Pickens & Reeder's Market.

Miss Nealy Mills returned home on Tuesday of this week from a visit to the millinery markets, where she purchased a large stock of all the latest fads in millinery.

Get your window glass from W. L. Doss. He keeps all kinds and sizes.

Preston Scott is now located at Fort Worth and on Tuesday night his family left here to join him at that place.

Guaranteed pure strained Honey at Pickens & Reeder's Market.

Cliff Pritchett who now has a freight run out of Clovis, N. M., came in on Monday on a short visit to home folks.

If we can't save you some money on your next bill of furniture you don't have to buy of us.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Grain, Hay, Cotton Seed Meal, hulls and Cake. See A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

Upon the death of H. M. Perry at Roscoe, the Edmondson store here was closed on Monday as Mr. Perry was manager of the Edmondson store at Roscoe. Several Colorado people attended the funeral which occurred at Lorraine.

Mr. Winchester of Oklahoma came in this week on a few days visit to his son, G. C. Winchester.

Remember that we can furnish your home complete and we are the only firm in Colorado who can do so.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Mrs. John R. Daniel came in Wednesday from their Fort Stockton home on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Coe.

Ed Dupree wants all your coming two year old mules. Will pay good price. Ed Dupree.

Ben Morgan and Jess Gage returned home Saturday last from an extended hunting trip down on the Llano river. Neither one will make any kind of report as to the success of their trip.

Bring in your hogs Friday, Feb. 23rd Will pay highest prices for all kinds. 2-23 DUPREE & BELL.

F. L. Baker, an uncle of W. B. Ralph who lives at Dewitt, Mo., came in this week on a short visit with his nephew. Mr. Baker seemed very much puzzled to understand how a country could go since October without rain.

Corn and Oats in great abundance, as well as Hay and all kinds of feed at O. Lambeth's.

Born—Monday, the 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Adair, a fine boy. The doctor reports that the father is now able to take nourishment and is rapidly recovering; and that "Grandpa" Garey is slowly regaining his equilibrium.

Make house cleaning easier by having us send you a bottle of O-Cedar Oil and a Mop.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

See the Mutual Star Features at Opera House, every Friday—10 cents.

Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Dulaney were called to Sweetwater Monday on account of the death of the baby of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flack. Mrs. Flack was formerly Miss Fay Dulaney, and a niece of Dr. Dulaney.

Buy your corn from A. M. Bell at Westbrook.

Bring in your hogs Friday, Feb. 23rd Will pay highest prices for all kinds. 2-23 DUPREE & BELL.

Come to my office, or phone or write me, and I will visit you, and show you my designs and make you the right price for a tombstone to mark the grave of your departed loved one.—E. Keathley.

I want all your coming two year old mules. See me. Ed Dupree.

Fresh shipment of Jacobs Candies at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Mesquite Camp No. 244, W. O. W. reported on 362 members last month. Have you a W. O. W. Certificate, if not, why not? \$3 will get you one now. We had six deaths in our Camp last year and every Certificate was promptly paid. See me and I will tell you how it is done.—E. Keathley.

See us at once about a black-smith outfit, we have just what you want.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. H. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

J. C. Gray who lives south of Roscoe was here on Monday and reports a good rain on his 250 acres of wheat, and says it looks fine. Mr. Gray is one man who makes money on the farm.

Christy's All White Minstrels at the opera house tonight, Friday.

Mrs. A. H. Webb is quite sick with rheumatism.

You can get Pape's Cold Compound at Charters & Sadler.

CAB OF HAY.

See me if you want the best and cheapest Johnson grass hay in town. P. A. BURNETT.

Mr and Mrs. N. L. McKenzie, of Sterling, Illinois, came in Tuesday night on a visit to the family of his brother, Mr. F. E. McKenzie. They will probably spend the winter here; then go to Denver, Col. to visit other relatives before returning to their home.

Buggy and wagon paint at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

W. J. Cook is visiting his sons on Silver creek.

Fish and Oysters served any style at Jake's.

Henry Cook spent Monday with his sister, Mrs. DeGarmo.

Henderson George has returned from Lorraine, where he spent several days.

Buggy and wagon paint at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

I am in the market for all your coming two year old mules. Ed Dupree.

Mrs. John Marshall and baby spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her aunt Mrs. DeGarmo.

If its TANLAC you want Charters & Sadler have it.

J. E. Stowe, the handy man, held down the prescription case at Charters & Sadler's this week while the proprietors were at court at Big Spring. He was ably assisted by Mrs. Sedler, who presided at the soda fount.

Big lot of coal on hand at O. Lambeth's. Let me stock you up before it is all gone.

Col. J. P. Majors, the Sweetwater jeweler, was here this week on business connected with the store at this place. J. P. reports business fairly good and is very optimistic for this coming season.

If in need of any kind of cook stove or heaters see our line for we certainly have just what you want.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Grain, Hay, Cotton Seed Meal, Hulls and Cake. See A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Hubert Toler announces that he will open a sales room in Colorado, and will handle Dodge Bros. and Maxwell cars. A complete stock of parts for both cars will be carried in stock and first class service and advice given at all times.

Mr. Toler takes this means of expressing thanks to his patron friends for past favors. To those contemplating buying cars he respectfully asks a chance to show and demonstrate the good merits of his cars to you.

He will appreciate your coming and talking the matter over with him whether you are going to buy now or sometime later.

The salesroom will be located on Walnut street opposite the postoffice. This will be satisfactory news to Maxwell and Dodge owners as all the parts will be carried in stock, and any trouble will be quickly adjusted.

This announcement also may mean the final location in Colorado of Mr. Toler and family; in which case Colorado would welcome them heartily as they are most excellent people.

J. W. (Jim) Smith who has been quite sick for some time, upon the advice of his physician was moved to the Sanitarium at Brownwood and was accompanied by Mrs. Smith. He asked us to say for him that he had appointed three men to assess taxes for him, and would later on appoint more, so as to get the assessment in as soon as possible. Those appointed and who are now at work are: Sam Jeddford in the northeast part of the county. J. W. Page in the northwest and Roy McCreless in the southwest part of the county.

Since the above was written Mr. Smith was called by death's hand to the great beyond, and the assessors office is in the hands of the county commissioners.

THE BEST COAL.

We are expecting to receive this week a car of deep shaft McAllister coal of the very best grade and will sell this extra quality coal at the same price we have been getting for the lower grades. It has been impossible to get the deep shaft coal heretofore, and we would suggest that you get enough fuel to finish out the winter immediately upon the arrival of this car, as it is hard to get and the price is liable to advance at any time. Colorado Ice and Fuel Co.

NOTICE.

To all persons holding accounts or in any other way interested in the estate of JAMES B. COUGHRAN, will please file same at my Colorado store, and it will receive my prompt attention. J. P. MAJORS, Temporary Administrator.

READ WHAT OTHER MANAGERS SAY.

The following commendations are taken from letters by managers where Christy's Minstrels have recently played. They will be at the Colorado Opera House, to-night, Friday, February 23rd.

Oakland, Oregon, April 11.—Boost Tom Christy's Minstrels strong. Take it from me, this is a show that will make good.—A. F. Edwards.

Strayton, Oregon, April 9.—The Christy Minstrels are good and the best we have seen in this town. Best of references from former managers. You will make no mistake in giving them two or more nights.—T. Riggs.

La Grande, Oregon, April 6.—Tom Christy's Minstrels played my house. They are very good and proved an attraction.—Sherry Theatre.

Dayton, Oregon, April 7.—The Tom Christy's All White Minstrels played here March 15th and 16th. They were good. Mr. Christy's is certainly a good one and the show is well worth seeing.—S. J. Shippy.

Redding, California, May 21.—I will say I worked Christy Comedy Minstrels two nights and sadly regret it was not much longer, as the entire audience will surely miss them when they are gone. They gave entire satisfaction. The music is great.—Mrs. Jane Olney, manager Dreamland and Victory Theatres.

ECHOES OF THE PAST.

Judge C. H. Earnest received a letter on Tuesday of this week from M. C. Nason, an old time Coloradoan, and who will be remembered by the old timers as having been in business here away back in the 80s, associated with Mr. Arbuthnot.

Mr. Nason is now in business at Los Angeles, Calif., and remembers his earlier days in Colorado, for he says in his letter:

"As you see I have become a business man again and am right into it. I have rented my ranch. Give my best regards to your son, also M. Carter and the boys. There were lots of ducks and quail, and hunting was good. I know Mr. Carter would have enjoyed it. Wonder if he has forgotten our big hunt on Concho river on Wade's ranch, when we shot turkeys, ducks, quail, etc., and caught several possums. Hope to see you out this way again.—M. C. Nason.

MESQUITE WOOD FOR SALE.

I have a lot of good sound mesquite wood for sale at \$6.00 the cord. See or phone L. L. Franks.

FREE WAGON YARD

Free Water and Yard

Stop at my Wagon Yard. Everything ABSOLUTELY Free.

W. B. HIPPO
 Opposite Presbyterian Church.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

EGGS FOR SALE.—Barred Plymouth Rock, fine strain, \$1 per 15 at my place on Aycock farm near West Salt works. Infertile eggs replaced.—H. E. Green, Colorado, Texas 3-29

EGGS FOR SALE.—Single comb Rhode Island Reds. Have one pen headed by a cock raised in Iowa, a fancy bird and 10 fancy young hens of prize winning strains. Price out of this pen, \$3.00 for 15, postpaid.—Thos. W. Field, Colorado, Tex. 3-19

LOST.—A gold bar pin set with five small diamonds. Finder will please return to Mrs. J. G. Merritt or to this office.

FOR RENT.—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply Mrs. M. C. Ratliff, Phone 304. 3-19

FOR RENT.—I have for rent a nicely furnished room, close in, and good location—Will Ledbetter at Colorado Mercantile Co.

FOR SALE.—Good second hand Ford car, a bargain for quick sale or trade. See Will McElroy at A. J. Herring's sales rooms. 2-23

FOR SALE.—Sorghum mill, use only one season, belt driven. Also on "Advance" silage cutter. Bargain for both for quick sale. See Carl Phenix Colorado, Texas.

EGGS FOR SALE.—Settling—S. C. Rhode Island Red, finest in Texas, guaranteed to hatch. Infertile eggs replaced. \$1 for the pen of 15; \$1.50 for eggs selected from the pen. Write or phone 372-3 rings, Mrs. A. C. Gist, Snyder Route, Colorado, Texas. 3-19

FOR SALE.—Single Comb Rhode Island Red hatching eggs, ready for delivery. A good hatch guaranteed. No stock for sale. Phone 303, J. W. Burkhardt, Colorado, Texas. 3-19

FOR SALE.—I have for sale a lot of good horses, mules, Durham and Hereford bulls. Prices and terms reasonable. See C. P. Conaway. 3-19

6 1/2 Per Cent Money—Quick Service. By dealing direct with borrowers, I can make loans on land at the rate above mentioned and can give you the best service ever offered in the west. Abilene inspector, Abilene attorneys, Abilene MONEY—no red tape, no frills, no delays. Terms, brokerage and expenses reasonable. Write me for full particulars. E. B. BYNUM No. 5 Radford Bldg. Abilene, Texas. 2-23

LOST.—One coming two year old white faced bull, branded — on right jaw; one coming two year old Durham heifer, branded either 4 or 2 on left side. Will pay \$5.00 per head delivered at Coleman Smith's. Jack Smith, Phone 362, 3 rings. 3-19

6 PER CENT MONEY—On good improved farms. Twenty-five years here in the business. Write us what you have and find out what we can do for you before you place your loan. Compere & Compere, District Managers, Abilene, Texas. 3-19

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Big lot of sound, straight OAK WOOD. Also have MESQUITE WOOD in cooking stove and heater lengths. Prompt delivery and satisfaction guaranteed in every instance.

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 The
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Elaborate Special Scenery

Prices 25c, 50c and 75c

Seats On Sale at J. P. Majors' Jewelry Store