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F. L. P. A. TRIAL 55 MEN ON TRIAL FOR TREASON

At a plan to start an open rebellion, President Wilson signed the conscription bill was discussed at a Cisco meeting of the Farmers & Laborers Protective Association and that a resolution advocating such a course was voted down in the meeting, was one of the sensational exposures at Abilene in the trial of more than fifty men charged with conspiracy.

The "revolt" alleged to have been discussed in the meeting was to spread throughout the country, it was testified, and the revolvers were to conscript other laboring men and make them help in the fight. Banks, railroads and entire towns were to be taken in charge by the revolvers and turned to their own use, it was testified one speech advocated. Laboring men were to be given one minute to "come down off the fence" by going to their houses and "reading the riot act to them." In case they showed a "preference for the capitalists" the revolvers were to "shoot the — and go on."

G. C. Anderson, who testified that he lived in the Midway community in Jones county, and was a farmer, was the first witness.

He said he joined the organization known as the Farmers & Laborers Protective Association at Midway in the middle of August, 1916. He was there when it was first organized. G. T. Bryant, one of the defendants, organized it. W. B. Lee, also one of the defendants, was the first man who spoke of the organization to witness.

Witness said that Bryant made a speech just before the organization and said that there was nothing in the organization to conflict with any man's politics or religion. Bryant called for members and witness said he became a member. In the first part of the initiation a bible was placed in view on which were placed a dirk, a pistol and a leather strap. Then the members took the oath, the substance of which was that each member was to

protect the lives of other members even to the loss of his own, should keep the passwords secret and all other rules and regulations, penalty for violation of which was death. Any member who should violate the oath of secrecy, witness testified, was said "should have his — head cut off and —." He said Bryant said that. After the organization, witness said that Bryant gave another talk in which he said in substance that "we had been downtrodden by the capitalist class," and gave instances where women and children were alleged to have been shot down by soldiers at Ludlow, Colorado, Huntington, W. V. and other places. The members were told that they must arm themselves. In case soldiers were sent against them, they were to shoot hell out of the soldiers." Bryant said in his speech that the organization was 50,000 men strong in Oklahoma; that the I. W. W. was 3,000,000 strong and had 3,000,000 rifles, and that "we must be ready to help them out when the time comes." Bryant, witness said, declared the organization was opposed to war and didn't propose to stand for it. In case any member was conscripted he was to "shoot the — officers with the gun the officer gave him and return home as quickly as possible."

Witness also stated that the members were instructed in case any member was arrested for any offense, to get as many members of the organization on the jury as possible in order to defeat the ends of justice. Members were also to go to the rescue of members when possible at any time, anywhere, and to rescue them from any one.

Witness said he saw no United States flag among the emblems of the order.

The second witness was R. D. Williams, a farmer, who resides at Eskota in Fisher county. He said that he had lived there since 1892. Joined F. L. & P. A. at Palava in October, 1916. Attended as a delegate a state meeting of the order at Cisco in Feb. 1917. Met W. T. Webb, and others at the meeting. There were about 70 delegates present. A resolution committee was appointed. W. T. Webb, a man by the name of Bergfeldt and myself were appointed. The resolution recommended that members re-

fuse to be conscripted and that they request the officers of the country from President Wilson to constable to resign and go fight it.

Witness further stated that he said the resolutions contained treason and that it was said on the floor of the house that "we better get in line while we can or we would have to march out at the rattle of machine guns." Witness stated that the words "United States of America" in the resolutions were stricken out and the words "capitalist class" substituted.

The witness testified that a verbal resolution was introduced, he thought by Bergfeldt, to the effect that in case of war and a conscription bill being passed, the members would agree to hold together and resist by force of arms. Witness said that a resolution was offered to appoint a committee to confer with someone from the I. W. W. organization regarding an amalgamation of the two orders. This resolution, he said, was passed.

Witness said that a resolution was introduced at Cisco making it obligatory on all members to purchase a high power rifle and 100 rounds of ammunition.

Witness stated that in conversation with Bergfeldt, the latter told him that he (Bergfeldt) had some papers in his possession that might send him to the federal pen; Bergfeldt said she was backed by 200,000 socialists and said that whenever he called on them they would have to back him up.

Witness also testified that there was a resolution offered to have the so-called Haskell resolutions printed in the Dallas News and Fort Worth Record, but it was ruled out of order.

On re-direct examination witness said Bergfeldt spoke in favor of having it printed. He said Bergfeldt declared that thereby the "people of our class can see what we are doing, and be encouraged to ally themselves with us." That it "would cause an upheaval and shake Texas from the Red to the Rio Grande, and shake old Wilson's toes in his shoes."

Witness said Bergfeldt had said that they had organized, about twenty men there as guards, all pretty good shots. That he understood that the purpose of the guard was to resist conscription in case the bill passed.

The third witness called by the government was G. T. Hughes of Munday. He said he joined the F. L. & P. A. on February 7, 1917 and was sent as a delegate to the Cisco meeting.

Testifying as to the secret code, he said it was to be used in buying and selling; and also that it could be used in warning members of the approach of drafting officers or soldiers, so they could make preparations to meet them.

The witness was asked if he knew if any Haskell resolution contained any reference to the buying of high-powered guns, to which witness answered, yes.

Witness Hughes was recalled and testified that the best he could remember the resolution referring to the high power guns recited that war was imminent and that drafting of men for the army was possible and that it was best for each member of the order to get a 30-30 high power gun and 100 rounds of ammunition in order to be prepared for any emergency.

He stated further that at one of the meetings of the local that a man they called Captain, had said that it would be possible for the order to secure guns and ammunition for lawful or unlawful purposes from the government. He said they told them that the guns were to be used should war be declared or conscription come; that Bergfeldt endorsed same. Witness said that at Cisco Mr. Bergfeldt said that he favored getting high powered guns. He also said that other members of the Cisco conven-

tion among them a man by the name of Burnett favored securing high power guns.

On cross examination he further said that the flag resolution was voted down at Cisco. The resolution to buy high power guns was gone over and witness said the speakers spoke of war with Mexico and Germany and any emergency. He said that coal mining troubles were also discussed and that it was said the guns were needed to resist officers.

State whether or not you heard Bergfeldt at the second Munday meeting say anything about the high power gun resolution.

Witness: Yes, he said that he regarded those who did not favor the resolution as a bunch of yellow legs.

B. B. Boland was the fourth witness. He said he now lived in Dallas and was a carpenter. He said Frank Wharton, one of the defendants, visited the lodge there on his way to Wichita Falls. Wharton gave the secret work and initiated some candidates he said; that some lodges were getting high power rifles to defend themselves in regard to conscription; Wharton seemed to think conscription was uncalled for and said the lodge was going to prevent it by use of guns where necessary.

R. T. Lewis was fifth witness called by the government counsel and testified he lived in the Center Line community in Jones county. That he arrived in Cisco on the afternoon of May 4.

One of the talks, he said, was by defendant Burnett, who said he was opposed to conscription and wasn't going to stand for it; if he had to fight, it would be here at home, with a club or gun or anything he could get; his hands on.

Defendant Bryant also spoke, witness said, and was bitter against "the fellows wanting to be feather-egged," referring to those who did not want to "stand hitched" to the obligation they had taken.

He said that in the meeting Saturday Bryant also spoke. Ways and means of combating conscription were discussed, witness said. An organized revolt against the government by the organization was suggested, witness said. "Bryant said he was an I. W. W. and they were all rearing to go." "That they had guns and ammunition—300,000 rifles—buried at their headquarters." Someone, witness said, suggested that they were not ready to fight, they had nothing to fight with. Clubs were suggested he said. Something else was said about soldiers being rushed in by train or motor truck. Dynamite for railroads and mines for motor trucks were to be had, he said it was suggested, and they could then get guns from the soldiers, cut the wires, take charge of towns, etc.

It was said in the meeting, witness declared, that the revolt was to start the day Wilson signed the conscription bill; they would go through the country and take charge of the banks and distribute the money among themselves to buy food and leave part of it with the women and children.

Witness said the revolvers were to increase their forces by conscripting other laborers. Barnett, a defendant, outlined a plan, he said. When Wilson began to conscript, that was the time for them to begin conscripting too, witness said the plan was, they were to go to men's houses and "read the riot act to them," and give them one minute to "get off the fence." If the laborer refused and showed to be of the opposite opinion they were to "shoot the — and go on."

There was a resolution adopted, witness said, to elect a committee to go to Oklahoma and confer with the Working Class Union and I. W. W. and all other labor organizations in Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana to see how they stood on the matter

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Everything in the grocery, hardware and implement line.

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Our Grocery Stock is Complete
Fresh Vegetables Every Day.

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of revolting and would line up with them.

Witness said each local was to "be ready" when the commission reported. Witness said they were instructed to get high power rifles and ammunition and not to be conscripted or allow their neighbors' boys to be conscripted. If there was to be conscription, he said, there was also to be revolt.

A Mr. Young said in a talk, witness testified, that "some of you fellows don't want war, but are trying to raise hell yourselves." Mills, in answer to this, witness said, remarked that it was too late in the day for the weak-kneed — to get feather-legged, "it was bound to come off." The said Mills declared he was an I. W. W. and had been one for eight years, that the I. W. W. had been working several years to "get the bridle on the farmer," and "now we have got it and he's got to stand hitched." Mills declared that he had sold his crop for \$35 and knew where he could get a high power rifle with which he could "kill a —" conscription officer a mile." Mills declared he was as "rebellious as hell and rearing to go; they couldn't scare him; some might be bigger than he but he "carried the difference around in his pocket."

Lewis was asked if anything was said at the Cisco meeting about the President, meaning President Wilson. "Yes," witness replied. "It was said that he would disappear."

R. W. Mills of Abilene, at a meeting of the Delk local on May 8, used his home town as an illustration of how the F. L. P. A. could capture towns in West Texas. J. R. Hollis testified. He quoted Mills as saying that members could set fire to residence districts of the city and then rob banks and food supply houses, divide the spoils and escape while the populace was at the fires.

At the same meeting Hollis said Lon Hunter outlined a plan which he declared would overthrow the existing government in "three minutes time," which included "blowing hell out of the railroads and burning bridges."

"You'd better get guns because you'll sure need them," defendant Ezra Cloud told members of the Delk lodge, witness said. "I haven't money to get one but if I knew where I

could steal it I would."

Hollis asked Hollis if he told Judge J. F. Cunningham that he and certain others were to be killed by members of the lodge. He said he first told a neighbor and later K. K. Leggett, who called Cunningham into the conference and that he then told of a plan to kill certain Abilene citizens including Cunningham.

Last spring Hale county farmers were encouraged to plant experimental patches of sugar beets. The digging is at hand and the manager of a big beet sugar concern has completed a survey and tests of the beets grown as an experiment. Here is the result of the venture in dollars: If the farmers in the Plainview country will contract to plant 7,000 acres to sugar beets for the next five years, the beet sugar people will erect a \$1,000,000 refinery, pay the farmers \$7 a ton for beets and give them first consideration in the disposal of pulp for feeding purposes. Hale county is famous for its hog shipments. Cattle and dairy cows represent a growing industry. With the feedstuff products of the sugar beet to supplement milo and kafir in finishing livestock for market, Hale county would be in position to establish some fancy livestock records for Texas.

Mexico is said to be at peace with the world and more prosperous than it has been since the flight of the elder Diaz. All the mines are running full blast and all the smelters are in operation. Carranza made good, and when he made good the unexpected happened.

Good will and cheerfulness and staunch loyalty to the right, help without our ever knowing it. For when the heart is full of happiness it cannot be concealed any more than the fragrance of a flower, and kindness manifests itself as certainly as the warmth of a fire. Without trying to do so, without being conscious that we are of service, we help others by what we are.

The neutral nations will be able to get food from America again after it is definitely settled that there will be more than sufficient for our own people and our allies. In the meantime the neutrals can draw their belts up tighter.—K. C. Journal.

OPERA HOUSE PROGRAM FOR NEXT WEEK

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
BUFFALO BILL'S LAST PERFORMANCE and 101 Ranch Show Combined. Don't Miss It 10c and 20c	JIM BLUDSO—Wilfred Lucas. MALE GOVERNANCE—Triangle Comedy. 10 and 15 cents.	RAILROAD RAIDERS No. 10 Helen Holmes. NEGLECTED WIFE No. 11 Ruth Roland. 5 and 10 cents.	TRIANGLE NIGHT. THE CRAB—Frank Kenan. THE ROAD AGENT—Triangle Comedy. 10 and 15 cents.	MUTUAL STAR NIGHT. SINGLE CODE—By the Popular Matinee Idol CRANE WILBER 10 and 15 cents.	Matinee and Night. PERILS OF GIRL REPORTERS—RED HOT TRAIL—JERRY FORD WEEKLY—Educational. 10 and 15 cents.

Coming---"Buffalo Bill's Last Performance."---Next Monday

Supporting the Government-

This is a time for every citizen to support the United States Government, and many are doing so at considerable cost or sacrifice to themselves.

We have joined the Federal Reserve Banking System established by the Government to give greater financial stability and strength to the member banks and protection to their depositors.

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WE OFFER YOU PROTECTION For Your Funds

THE non-interest bearing and unsecured deposits of this Bank are protected by the State Bank Guaranty Fund of the State of Texas.

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If you are a customer of this Bank your funds are protected. If not, we offer you the protection of the State Bank Guaranty Fund of the State of Texas. It is war times—better

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FARMERS AND THE NEW BANKING SYSTEM

THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANKING SYSTEM with its thousand million dollars of resources stands back of its member banks and assists them in taking care of the needs of their depositors.

Our membership in this system gives us special facilities for enabling farmers to plant, gather and store their crops.

The next time you come to town stop in and let us tell you how this new system enables us to help you.

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The City National Bank

T. W. STONEROAD, Jr., Vice Pres. S. D. VAUGHAN, Cashier

No. 2801—Reserve District No. 11. —REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF—

The Colorado National Bank

At Colorado in the State of Texas at the close of business Sept. 11, 1917.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Resources include Loans and discounts, Notes and bills, U.S. Bonds, etc. Total resources: 538,684.51. Liabilities include Capital stock, Surplus fund, etc. Total liabilities: 538,684.51.

No. 1095

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

THE FIRST STATE BANK

at Colorado, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 11th day of Sept., 1917, published in the Record, a newspaper printed and published at Colorado, State of Texas, on the 21st day of Sept. 1917.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Resources include Loans and Discounts, Real Estate, Furniture, etc. Total resources: 63,054.14. Liabilities include Capital Stock, Due to Banks, etc. Total liabilities: 63,054.14.

State of Texas, County of Mitchell: We, J. H. Bullock, as president, and A. A. Dorn, as cashier of said bank each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

SEVEN CARS OF GRAIN SEED ARE SOLD.

We learn from the local dealers that they have disposed of approximately seven cars of seed wheat, rye and barley since the recent rains.

EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL! HORRIBLE!

Calomel is Quicksilver and Acts Like Dynamite on the 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.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Mitchell county, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the Estate of F. G. Thurmond, deceased. J. J. McLure, administrator of said estate, has filed in the county court of Mitchell county, Texas, his final account of said estate for settlement, which will be heard by our said county court on the third Monday in October, 1917, the same being the 15th day of said month, at the Court House of said county, in Colorado, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said Final Account, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with our return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Colorado, this, the 2th day of September, 1917.

W. W. PORTER, Clerk County Court, Mitchell County, Texas. By W. S. Stoneham, Deputy.

COAL PRICES TO BE FIXED BY U. S. GOVERNMENT

Washington, Sept. 15.—Lower retail prices on hard and soft coal will be fixed in a presidential proclamation about October 1. Fuel Administrator Garfield today advised consumers to await the new government prices before buying and revealed plans to prevent industries shutting down or households freezing for lack of coal.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER.

Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach.

ANY DOCTOR

Will tell you a fellow's constitution won't last forever—and in these strenuous times it needs a good overhauling occasionally.

Mineral Wells, TEXAS



OFFERS Excursion Rates Daily

Two or three weeks there will make you look and feel like new. BETTER GO WHILE THE GOING IS GOOD Ask the Ticket Agent. GEO. D. HUNTER, Pass. Traffic Mgr., A. D. BELL, Gen. Pass. Agent, DALLAS

WESTBROOK ITEMS.

Cuthbert, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rogers Sunday. Mrs. W. H. Butler is on the sick list this week. Geo. D. Shelton and family left Friday night for Fort Worth. We have not learned yet whether Mr. Shelton will make Fort Worth his home or not.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Candler were visiting friends in Loraine Monday. Mrs. N. W. Smartt and children of Colorado, are spending the week with W. F. Rogers and family. Guy and Claude Hooks, of Teville, were visiting their sister Mrs. E. V. Bell, Sunday. Bro. J. P. King left on No. 5 Monday for Big Spring, to visit his sister before returning to his home in Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Candler and Mrs. W. H. Butler motored out to Iatan Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Adams and Mrs.

A contemporary wants to know who took the "pot" out of potatoes. It would be more instructive to know who took the "cut" out of wheat.

New Millinery

We are getting in our new Stock of Millinery, including all the new shades

Purple, Artillery Red, Taupe, Sand, Navy and Brown.

Our goods are very reasonably priced. Come and See for Yourself.

Mrs. B. F. MILLS

HARRY L. KNIGHT OF MARSHALL, TEX. GAINED 26 POUNDS.

Popular Railroad Man Says He Has Found Out From Experience What Tanlac Will Do.

"When I finished taking my third bottle of Tanlac nearly three years ago, I had entire relief from rheumatism and found that I had actually gained twenty-six pounds in weight besides, I threw my crutches away and went to work and I have held my weight and have been well ever since."

The above remarkable statement was made to the Tanlac representative in Marvin's Pharmacy a few days ago by Harry L. Knight, of Marshall, Texas. Mr. Knight has for a number of years been connected with the bridge building department of the Texas and Pacific railroad and was a ways at his post of duty until he became so disabled by the rheumatism that he was forced to stop work and seek relief. Mr. Knight is a nephew of former Adjutant General A. J. Scott, who was formerly of Atlanta, Ga., but now of Ft. Worth, Texas, and he has many friends, especially among railroad people, in this section of the "Lone Star State."

Continuing his statement, Mr. Knight said: "Yes sir, I have found out the value of Tanlac by taking it myself. I certainly appreciate what it did for me and I'm glad to make this statement and give others the benefit of my experience with what I consider the best and most useful medicine yet discovered."

"Three years ago, I was taken with what is called articular rheumatism in a very severe form. I was laid up with it and remained in a hospital at Marshall for three weeks. I got no relief and had about given up. I just suffered as much as a mortal could, it seemed to me, and no treatment or medicine gave any relief. I had intense pain in the joints of my lower limbs and my feet were so swollen I couldn't wear my shoes. I had to use crutches and even then it was agony for me to navigate. I lost twenty pounds in weight and was badly run down. I was extremely nervous and this made my suffering worse as my pain was principally in my swollen joints and it was torture for me to move about at all."

"Well, I read about Tanlac in the Dallas News and decided to give it a trial. I just began to improve on my first bottle and, as I have already said when I finished my third bottle I was entirely relieved, threw away my crutches and went back to my old job with the railroad. I picked up twenty-six pounds, which was six pounds more than I had lost. I have enjoyed

good health and the free use of my limbs, without any pain, ever since and Tanlac did it all. My work keeps me exposed to the weather a great deal and I decided to come here and get me another bottle of Tanlac to keep my system in good shape and fortify myself against the dangers of the winter season and I know Tanlac will do it. I am very grateful for what it did for me nearly three years ago and for the good health I don't enjoy ever since then and I don't hesitate to tell anybody about it."

Tanlac is sold in Colorado by W. L. Doss, in Loaine by Garland and Elliott and in Westbrook by J. H. Board

The Scurry county commissioners' court, in regular session last week ordered a bond election for an issue of \$100,000 five per cent sinking fund 40-year road bonds. The plan, if the election carries, is to employ government engineers, who will be instructed to employ only men who are on the poll tax rolls at a minimum of \$2 per day for men and \$3 per day for team. A \$300 restriction will be placed on each family.

A BIT OF ADVICE.

First—Don't Delay. Second—Don't Experiment.

If you suffer from backache; headache or dizzy spells; if you rest poorly and are languid in the morning; if the kidney secretions are irregular and unnatural in appearance, do not delay. In such cases the kidneys often need help.

Doan's Kidney Pills are especially prepared for kidney trouble. They are recommended by thousands. Can Colorado residents desire more convincing proof of their effectiveness than the statement of a Colorado citizen who has used them and willingly testifies to their worth?

J. H. Cooper, prop., blacksmith shop, Sixth and Oak Sts., Colorado, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills several times in the past, getting them at Doss' drug store. I took them for trouble with my back and from the good results obtained, I think they are a good, reliable medicine. I gladly recommend them to anyone, for they have benefited me."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Cooper had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.

\$130,000 ROAD BONDS FOR EASTLAND COUNTY

Cisco, Tex., Sept. 15.—The bond election in road district No. 1, Eastland county, known as the southern route of the El Paso-Fort Worth Highway, was carried today by over 117 majority. The issue is for \$130,000. Ranger, Eastland, Cisco and others are in the district.

THE VERY CHOICEST BEEF

We have purchased of Sheppard & Grabel about 40 head of the very choicest stall-fed beef stock, and will kill it for the patrons of our markets in Colorado and Lorraine. No better beef can be had than this lot of cattle. The best is none too good for our customers. PICKENS & REEDER Market.

BRANCH STORE AT TEAGUE.

C. M. Adams and all hands were busy all the week packing goods for the new branch store at Teague, in Freestone county. Mr. Adams has bought quite a lot of new goods and shipped to Teague and will divide his stock here, which will give him a large stock at that place. Mr. Adams with Miss Jessie Smith and Mr. Rountree will go down the last of this week to open up for business. Mr. Adams says later on he will return and send some of the other boys down to take charge. His stock here was entirely too large and he hopes by this means to reduce it, and tide over the drouth period, and when the rains come again the store will be restocked and made larger and better than ever. Of course his stock will be kept full in every department especially the staple lines, and his customers here can get the usual first class service that has made this store famous in West Texas.

CLIP THIS AND PIN ON WIFE'S DRESSER

Cincinnati Man Tells How to Shrive Up Corns or Calluses So They Lift Off With Fingers.

Ouch! ! ? ? This kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called freezone when applied to a tender, aching corn or hardened callus stops soreness at once, and soon the corn or callus dries up and lifts right off without pain.

He says freezone dries immediately and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. A small bottle of freezone will cost very little at any drug store, but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Millions of American women will welcome this announcement since the inauguration of the high heels. If your druggist doesn't have freezone tell him to order a small bottle for you. Adv. 2.

Nor shall we worry about women's being reduced to half hose next winter on account of the scarcity of silk. Men have been wearing that kind for generations and some of them are still able to pass the army's physical test.—Indianapolis News.

APPEAL TO REASON IS REFUSED CHARTER.

The state charter board at Topeka Kansas, refused to grant a charter to the "Appeal to Reason," a Socialist publication issued at Girard, Kansas. The publication is refused admittance to the mails.

WILL GIN COTTON THIS FALL.

This is to let the farmers know that I will run my gin this season. As I have a crop myself, and in order to take care of my own crop I will run the gin. I will appreciate the ginning from all my old customers, and all the new customers I can get. I will gin your cotton as cheap as I possibly can, and will pay the market price for cotton seed. I will also try to be in the cotton market. WATSON GIN CO. W. E. Watson, Manager.

LIST OF SECOND INCREMENT.

29 Men Will Leave Friday For Camp Travis, to Become Part of Uncle Sam's Army.

Friday evening at 8 p. m. twenty-nine men will leave Colorado for Camp Travis, to become Uncle Sam's soldiers. The following names have been selected to make up the second increment of 29 men with 10 per cent extra.

- 90—Jos. H. Wathen, Lorraine
- 90—Pinkie G. Fuller, Colorado.
- 6—Will Watson, Lorraine.
- 112—James H. Everts, Cuthbert.
- 440—Allen G. Birmingham, Colorado.
- 183—S. E. Hallmark, Lorraine
- 574—Alonzo A. Strain, Cuthbert
- 298—Albert E. Brooks, Cuthbert
- 117—John D. Estes, Westbrook.
- 140—Luther E. Hagood, Lorraine.
- 392—Russell E. Kidd, Lorraine.
- 656—Clarence G. Wright, Colorado.
- 335—Thos. H. Nunlee, Lorraine.
- 297—Roy Allmond, Colorado.
- 406—Luther T. Reese, Colorado.
- 182—W. C. Davis, Colorado
- 212—Jack H. Cosper, Colorado
- 8—Willie E. Mathew, Westbrook
- 305—James P. Felts, Colorado
- 713—Charlie Horn, Colorado
- 267—Maurice G. Walkup, Colorado
- 156—N. B. Haggerton, Lorraine
- 421—Samuel E. Meadows, Lorraine
- 410—Chas. Sporer, Lorraine
- 672—Arthur L. Holder, Lorraine
- 198—James H. Finley, Lorraine
- 26—Hugh K. Saddler, Lorraine
- 272—James G. Waters, Colorado
- 254—R. E. Birmingham.

LEMONS WHITEN AND BEAUTIFY THE SKIN

Make This Beauty Lotion Cheaply For Your Face, Neck, Arms and Hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quartet pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from your grocer and make up a quartet pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands. Adv2

GERMAN TO BE TAKEN OUT OF TEXTBOOKS

Minneapolis, Sept. 15.—Revision of German text books, used in Minneapolis public schools with a view of eliminating pro-German sentiment was decided upon today at a special meeting of the board of education.

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COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

The following bills were allowed: O. Lambeth, hay, \$37.74. Higginbotham-Harris Co., lumber, \$13.15. Avery Co., road supplies, \$43.92. Bennett Printing Co., \$7.50. Hill Printing Co., \$5.80. City of Colorado, water, \$8.00. Colorado Merc. Co., \$4.82. Colorado Ice Co., \$3.00. H. L. Hutchinson & Co., \$7.40. Bennett Printing Co., \$35.00. West Tex. Elec. Co., lights, \$1.00. C. H. Lasky, \$5.65. J. S. Vaughan, hay, \$5.40. J. Riordan Co., \$1.60. C. F. Finch, shop work, \$2.50. Colorado Laundry, \$1.25. Coon & Hazelwood, \$1.30. Malten Drug Co., gas, \$5.00. W. D. McCarley, supervising road, \$21.00.

Election officers Precinct No. 1, \$8; No. 3 \$10; No. 4 \$10; No. 5 \$8; No. 7 \$10; No. 8 \$8; No. 9 \$6; No. 10 \$6.

E. B. Greyson holding trustee election, \$1.00. B. F. Carter, holding trustee election, \$1.00. W. R. Morris, dragging road, \$5. J. S. Franklin, holding trustee election, \$1.00. Bruce DeGarmo, map board \$2. Telephone Co., \$6.65. A. W. Cooksey, compiling delinquent record, \$247.65. Lay Powell, supervising road, \$18. J. M. Helton, supervising road, \$21. B. O. Joyce, supervising road, \$30. J. B. Holt, clerk hire on tax roll, \$150.00. J. H. Bullock, railroad fare to Austin, etc., \$68.00. J. H. Bullock, stamps, \$2. D. L. Buchanan, mdse, \$32.20.

Application from Colorado National Bank and City National Bank, to be made county depository for county and school district funds. The banks were appointed for two years, ending Feb. 1, 1919, the banks to pay 4 per cent on daily balance.

Application from M. B. Roddy to be appointed public weigher to fill out the unexpired term of Frank Crawford who has moved from the State. The application was granted and M. B. Roddy appointed, upon his giving bond as required by law.

Bonds of City and Colorado National Banks for county depositories, examined and approved. Bond of M. B. Roddy, public weigher examined and approved. Per diem allowed and the court adjourned.

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YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1904	1.68	.02	.00	1.42	0.01	5.01	1.57	1.77	6.07	1.93	.45	.59	22.62
1905	.30	.63	5.06	2.72	2.73	2.46	4.20	4.07	3.71	1.69	1.74	.57	30.87
1906	.29	.73	1.43	3.10	6.01	2.12	3.15	7.82	2.95	2.77	2.33	.62	33.32
1907	.21	.00	2.04	3.4	2.10	2.33	9.42	.15	.17	6.63	1.93	.44	25.76
1908	.45	.08	.33	5.73	5.61	.52	3.71	1.22	1.54	.62	1.71	.00	21.52
1909	.03	.02	.37	.06	1.33	.01	2.75	1.69	1.18	1.33	4.58	.00	14.31
1910	.00	.29	.48	.60	1.40	.13	.16	1.14	.90	5.53	.88	.00	10.42
1911	.41	4.48	.72	2.12	.67	.00	2.53	2.97	2.11	.00	.45	2.90	19.72
1912	.00	.90	.00	1.11	.89	1.67	1.08	.06	1.92	.00	1.56	.00	12.41
1913	2.17	.40	2.07	1.75	1.30	2.77	2.69	.16	.00	2.60	2.75	4.57	23.23
1914	.00	.15	.40	3.85	5.37	4.70	2.75	5.85	.70	5.75	.81	1.63	31.86
1915	.17	.21	.21	5.05	2.24	2.41	2.55	2.86	6.58	2.63	.00	.43	26.34
1916	.09	.08	.84	2.22	1.72	.00	.38	.38	.62	.90	.30	.31	7.94
1917	.11	.00	.00	1.55	.47	.14	.00	.57					

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T. & P. TIME TABLE.

East Bound.
Sunshine Special 7:02 a.m.
Daily Passenger, No. 6 8:03 p.m.

West Bound.
Daily Passenger, No. 5 8:37 a.m.
Sunshine Special 10:30 p.m.



Stay by the stuff and when the rains come again, and come they will, he who stays will win.

Germany is preparing another peace proposal through the Pope. No acceptable peace terms will ever be offered by Germany for the simple reason that this and the allied countries will never accept any peace terms, that does not do away with autocracy, banish the Kaiser, and provide for disarmament of all nations. These provisions will never be agreed to by Germany unless she is forced to it.

In explanation of the large prohibition vote given in Dallas county, one of the strong anti leaders says: "Many Dallasites, heretofore antis, beholding the peril which almost swamped the State's greatest educational institution, viewing the enthronement of political ideals in the public respect that could not command their respect, beholding a trend in the political life of the State that was plainly downward, attributed these alarming symptoms in at least an important degree to the liquor traffic, and surrendered."

It is pretty generally believed that Ferguson's acts had much to do with bringing about the prohibition victory in Dallas county. It will be remembered that Ferguson helped very materially to make Bell county dry.

One thing is certain; no hope of another anti victory can be reasonably entertained unless the anti faction can reconstruct the personnel of its leadership in such a way as to regain the public confidence which has been sacrificed. Whether that be possible it remains for time and events to tell.

The aeroplanes are destined to be the great factor in bringing the great war in Europe to a close. The aeroplane is becoming a formidable part of the war machinery. It is being used more effectively than at any time during the war and its usefulness increases daily. The air fighting daily becomes more extensive, important and deadly. Some of the reports from the scene of the recent fighting speak of the air having been "crowded" with a number of aeroplanes sent out by the allies. These overpowered, destroyed and drove away the German airships and materially assisted the British to gain the victory. America is building or preparing to build, thousands of these air fighters. Once they are on the front Germany will learn what air attack is.

THE UNREST OF RUSSIA.

When the Russian people overthrew autocracy and banished the Czar, it turned loose several million of people without a government. These men were mere atoms, with no regard of responsibility, government or co-operation of any kind. They each proclaimed liberty or individual freedom. They were drunk with personal liberty. They had been ruled for generations by the iron hand of a despot, and their release "went to their head" and created such a condition, that as yet no one man or set of men have been found who is able to collect these atoms and form them into any kind of government. So it was, in France immediately after the revolution, during the reign of terror, when the streets ran red with the blood of nobles—both men and women—and the French at that time, were far superior in civilization and education, to the peasants of Russia. The recent threatened civil war in Russia is only the development of the present chaotic state which exists in that country. But the history of every country in the world, is that when a man is needed to do a certain thing, he suddenly appears upon the scene. Kerensky may be the man to redeem Russia, if not his day will soon be done and one mightier than he will be raised up to rule these people. Let us hope it is he, and that the terrible state of affairs in the land of the Bear, be soon settled on the broad plain of democracy, equality and liberty.

EXAMINING WEST TEXAS TROUBLES.

For the purpose of gathering coloring matter for a series of articles concerning general conditions in West Texas, and particularly the conditions of the range, the cattle and the farmers of this section, Colonel W. G. Sterett, formerly state game and fish commissioner and now the mainstay of the staff correspondents of the Galveston-Dallas News, has been spending several days in this section of the state. Col. Sterett was in Colorado several hours Wednesday on his way back to Dallas. He has split open what is known as the dry section of the state for the purpose of seeing and studying conditions at first hand.

Col. Sterett is now preparing a series of articles, the first which appeared in Sunday's News, dealing with conditions of the West as seen by him and suggesting remedies. Col. Sterett does not exaggerate. He writes facts, and if there is a man in the state who can make a comparison of the existing conditions with those of former days, he is the man.

"The conditions are worse than I expected," said Col. Sterett. "But the people of West Texas are full of grit—I don't mean dirt, I mean they have the sand in their craws—and they will find a way to fall out of this, or any other trouble. You can't get away with people like that. Why, while the people of other sections are moaning, you fellows are going right along, knowing that you will pull through anything from the results of a horse race to a fight with the Indians."

"Bill" Sterett is one of the pioneers in the newspaper game in Texas. He has been in it so long that he has forgotten when and where he broke in. Those who have been reading his articles are willing to swear that he knows more ancient history—Texas or any other history—in thirty minutes, than the average college

professor knows in a week. Further "Bill" Sterett knows more facts connected with articles he writes than a score of the younger set of quill-pushers now connected with the Texas papers, and for that reason he heads the staff correspondents of the News.

HEAR THE WISE MAN.

A few weeks ago the Record threw out casually the question as to where the frogs went during drouth and whence they came ten minutes after a rain. There were several answers. The esteemed Roscoe Times ridiculed the tenacity and variety of our memory, that there was ever any such thing as rain in this section. Other papers assayed more or less serious answers, but "Bill" Kellis of the Sterling City News Record consorts science with entertaining information on this subject, as follows, under the subject of "Frogs and Fishes."

"The answer to the above query is very simple. When the water begins to dry up, froggie digs a hole in the ground, pulls it in after him and there goes to sleep until it rains again—no matter how long that may be. When it begins to rain and the water softens the ground around his domicile, he wakes up, stretches his legs and crawls out of his hole to join the other members of the choir. During froggie's waking hours, he eats enough food to last him until the next rain. That may be two days, or two years, but it is all the same to him, for he is so built that a long time between lunches does not concern him.

"When a boy, we used to wonder why a certain tank in which we fished would go dry and stay dry for weeks, when the rains filled it with water, it would be full of catfish again. The tank had no connection with any other body of water, so it was certain that they did not come up stream. Some people said they "rained down," but it was certain that they would be killed if they fell from the clouds.

The tank finally became so full of mud that it had to be cleaned. When the mud had dried sufficient, plows and scrapers were set to work to take the mud out. When the plows reached moist mud, great numbers of "mudcats" from an inch to a foot long, were found burrowed in the mud. They were alive, but they appeared to be asleep. When placed in water, they would soon wake up and be as lively as ever. Thus, the mystery was solved.

"Nature seems to have a way of taking care of its own. Lakes on the plains will go dry and stay dry for long periods, but when it rains and they are full of water, it is not long before they are filled with aquatic insects and animals—the seeds of which, no doubt, is preserved in a state of suspended animation in the mud."

The Panhandle expects to produce the great bulk of the wheat crop of Texas next year. Indications are that the acreage will be increased 500 per cent. The best season in years lies dormant in the ground and with occasional snows this winter and showers in the spring, the production will be enormous. The crop this year averaged around 10 bushels over the Panhandle.

A German alienist announces that the Kaiser is insane. Is this going to be the defense at the trial?—Charles-ton News.

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—BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY—

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

Loneliness is like the solitude
Of one who daily walks among his kind,
And mingling in the vast, mixed multitude
No soul congenial to his soul can find;
No heart responsive, his to understand
And no true sympathy, in joy or care!

Hath ere an exile to a desert land
Found desolation such as may compare?

So gropes my soul toward eternity
Revealing not the secret of my breast;
Still longing for the things that may not be
A careless world may never know thy quest;
And none shall care, for none shall ever guess
A heart hath broken in its loneliness.

—A. H. Weston.

Jimmy's mother had been giving him castor oil frequently and when she did so she put a bib on him to protect his clothes. Upon his first visit to the barber to have his hair cut, when the barber placed the cloth about his neck, he protested, and said "You're not goin' to give me no old oil."

We know we can please you, both as to late and wanted styles in headwear, and in prices. We invite your inspection.—Mrs. B. F. Mills, millinery at Adam's store.

Its getting fall now, send us the quilts, blankets, bed spreads and curtains you put away in the spring without washing, and let us clean them up for you. We will also wash those old clothes you are planning to make over for "war times" in a way that will make your neighbors think they are new. Always remember its our business to help the home maker.—Colorado Steam Laundry.

KINGS DAUGHTERS.

The Kings Daughters met with Mrs. Q. D. Hall last Thursday. Mrs. Davis led the lesson. They gave \$10 to the Texas-Mexican special school fund, and will purchase a rug for their room. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Merritt, President; Mrs. W. L. Doss, Vice-President; Mrs. Green Delaney, Secretary; Mrs. D. N. Arnett, Teacher; Mrs. Van King Assistant Teacher. The next meeting is with Mrs. Annis.

BIBLE STUDY.

Under the leadership of their pastor Rev. W. C. Garrett, the ladies of the Baptist church have again taken up their bible study. The first meeting was at the church last Thursday with quite a nice class present. They are now studying the New Testament and the next lesson will be the first year of Christ's ministry on page 29 of Beauchamp's outlines. All wishing to take the study will be at the church Thursday, Sept. 27, at 4 p. m. Please do not forget the days—every second and fourth Thursday.

FOURTH BIRTHDAY.

Little Miss Jo Kate Annis reached her fourth mile stone Monday, and properly celebrated the important event by having about twenty little friends come play with her. Each little friend brought a suitable gift for the occasion and after the joy of receiving them was over, a birthday cake with its four tiny candles was admired and the candles blown out. After games ice cream and cake were served. Frank Ball Root, Margaret Davis and Frances Mitchell assisted Mrs. Annis in entertaining the children.

GOD SPEED THE SOLDIER BOYS

The citizens of Colorado are asked to meet at the Tabernacle Friday evening at 7 o'clock, where a short program will be given in honor of the twenty-nine departing soldier boys. Lunches, keepsakes, comfort kits, etc. will be presented to the boys, and after a speech by Hon. L. W. Sandusky they will march to the train, and take their departure for Camp Travis, at San Antonio. Everybody is asked to come out and give them a rousing send-off and show their appreciation of these boys going to the front to fight for OUR country, while we stay at home.

Y. W. A.

The Y. W. A. met with Miss Mabel Smith this week. The lesson for the day was The Frances Willard of Japan from Comrades in Service. The new officers for the year will be Miss Elsie Hooper, President; Mrs. Joe Smoot, Vice President; Miss Mabel Smith, Secretary; Mrs. Henderson, Treasurer; Miss Cecil Conaway, Leader. They planned for their Christmas offering to China. These young ladies have always been most faithful in all departments of the work and especially in their Christmas offering—they really have the Christ spirit. At the social hour ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. ORGANIZED

At the last regular conference of the Baptist church, Mrs. W. C. Garrett was unanimously chosen to be the leader of a Junior B. Y. P. U. to be organized at an early date. On Sunday afternoon this organization was perfected with nineteen members. The officers are, Mary Terrell, President; James Adams, Vice President; Robert Barber, Secretary; Hume Garrett, Treasurer, Lois Whipkey, Organist. Lee Jones was chosen to lead next Sunday. Just as soon as possible they will begin the study of the regular B. Y. P. U. literature which has programs for each Sunday. These little folks are much interested in this work and with the aid and co-operation of their parents they will continue to be so. Mrs. Garrett asks that parents do their part.

Dorothy's little brother arrived recently and Dorothy became much attached to him. One day she was mischievous and as a punishment threatened to send her little brother back. She replied: "Mother, you can't, he's been used."

NEEDLEWORK GUILD CAMPAIGN APPEAL

We are now facing the gravest need that has confronted the Guild in the thirty-two years of its history. The increased cost of living will manifest itself in increased illness and will leave for the very poor little or no money for clothing. The institutions have grown to depend on us. In response to our inquiry of one hospital we received the official statement: 'We require fully 8000 garments more than our supply to meet the actual needs of our outgoing patients every year.' An institution for children reported: 'We need 22,000 garments a year more than our present supply.' We are the largest organization in the world with the specific duty of clothing the needy poor. We have offered the Guild to the Government and now is the time to prove that this offer was not empty words, and that the thirty-two years of our service for humanity have fitted us to serve our country in this crisis.

At a special meeting called by Mrs. Newberry for July 11th, it was decided to have a "Wake-up Needlework Guild Campaign." The conduct of the campaign will be in the hands of an expert and the aim is to secure two million members.

To meet its expenses we must draw on the good will and co-operation of every member. Will you contribute 25 cents or more to accomplish this great result? This is only the second national appeal for money to our branch members in, thirty-two years. Please send your money for the campaign by or before September 30, to Mrs. B. S. Van Tuyl, President.

LOCAL U. S. MARINE SCORES AS SHARPSHOOTER

Coming rapidly to the front thru his ability as a rifleman, Clarence C. Pritchett, of Colorado, has qualified as a sharpshooter in the United States Marine Corps. His name is on the official list of those who qualified in the shooting trials, held recently on the range at Port Royal, S. C.

Young Pritchett, who is the son of Mrs. Victoria Pritchett, of Colorado, answered the call for volunteers on May 9, last, at Abilene.

The above was sent the Record this week from New York by Capt. Ross Powell, captain in the United States Marine Corps.

BOY SCOUTS.

The Boy Scouts met at the club rooms last Friday for the purpose of electing officers. Those elected were Brooks Bell, Jr., Captain; Bill Broadus, First Lieutenant; James Douglas Adams, Second Lieutenant; Travis Pritchett, First Sergeant; M. B. Roddy, Jr., Second Sergeant; Lee Jones, Jr., First Corporal; Earl King, Second Corporal; Paul Terrell, Drill Master; Carley Bozeman, Secretary and Treasurer. The Junior scouts also elected their officers, they were: Richard Pearson Jr., Captain; George Edward Stowe, First Lieutenant; Dick Delaney, Second Lieutenant; Garland Shepherd, First Sergeant; Earl Buchanan, Second Sergeant; Willis Jones, First Corporal; Ray Pickard, Second Corporal.

This organization has proven to be one of the most helpful things for these boys that could have been given them. "Captain" John W. Person, who has spared nothing to help the boys, is in their estimation about the biggest man in Colorado. Not only have they been benefitted by the drilling, but enjoyed many hikes, and a week's camping on the Concho that will always be a red letter day to them. Mr. Person his several assistants and every attention is given to the boys when they meet for practice or go on a hike.

On Saturday night, Mr. Fisher, representing a rifle manufacturing concern, made the boys talk, explaining to the boys about the government rifle clubs, and how they could win gold and silver medals, not only from his company, but from the government. He gave the boys lots of good advice, about smoking cigarettes obeying their parents, and in every way conducting themselves as gentlemen. Of course the boys are enthusiastic about the rifle club now—if they can get the rifles.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

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

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ONE PRICE---THE LOWEST

COLORADO BOYS AT SAN ANTONIO

A letter from Junius Merritt this week tells about life in the camp. The four boys who left here on the 5th are at San Antonio, and are well satisfied with Uncle Sam's treatment of them. They have to work of course but have time for recreation. The boys have sent for their bathing suits and will enjoy swimming in clean clear water. One of Junus' first duties was to wash dishes, but being properly raised, he did not mind that. The boys are loud in their praise of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. C. L. McDonald former superintendent of Colorado schools has charge of the Y. M. C. A. hall part of the time, and the boys have found in him, as of yore, a warm friend. Twenty-nine more of our boys leave tonight.

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

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

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

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

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

CHRISTIAN AID SOCIETY.

After the summer vacation the ladies aid society of the Christian church met with Mrs. Sandusky last Thursday. Besides the regular business definite plans were made for their Christmas bazaar which will be held the first Friday and Saturday in December. They will meet each week now and bring their work.

Mrs. A. L. Whipkey, who has been agent for the Ladies Home Journal for twenty-five years, asks that you let her send in your subscription for either the Journal, Saturday Evening Post or Country Gentleman. In all that time she has had fewer than a half dozen complaints. It is her pride to send subscriptions for these publications. Renew your own subscription and send the Post to some soldier boy—he'll appreciate it.

UNION ITEMS.

Health is good. Drouth still on in some localities but the greater portion of the country has had rain sufficient to start the grass to growing and if such conditions continue, there will soon be sufficient grass for the few stock left in the country. So let everybody take on a fresh supply of courage each day that comes.

Rev. J. Jackson preached his farewell sermon at Union last Sunday. The quarterly meeting will be at Union on his next preaching day. We hope to see some of our Colorado people out on that day.

Our new school house is progressing nicely. If we can just get Van to work a little it will soon be ready for use.

O. R. McClesless has returned to his home and is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Reese Bedford of the Buford community is at present visiting in the home of her father.

Mr. Martin, who left some time ago in search of better quarters, has returned to his home in this community. Eli predicts that the time is not far distant when many who left here can be seen coming back, better satisfied to stay than ever before.

While everything looks quite desolate now, we know with normal condi-

tions Mitchell county lands will yield half a bale of cotton per acre, and feed in proportion. When everything is favorable as it has been at times in the past, the yield will be double. And that will be the case again. I've been here long enough to prophesy, and I predict something good for another year. Come on back you old timers and bring some one with you. EL!

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This is a medicine that every family should be provided with. Colic and diarrhoea often come on suddenly and it is of the greatest importance that they be treated promptly. Consider the suffering that must be endured until a physician arrives or medicine can be obtained. Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has a reputation second to none for the quick relief which it affords. Obtainable everywhere. Adv.

Madam Housekeeper:—Laundries were established primarily to assist the overworked housekeeper, and now that school is going to open and your burdens will be increased by having to get the kiddies off on time, with clean faces and hands, as well as clothes, had you not better take advantage of this help? As we have told you before, it is cheaper to send us everything, paying by the dozen, than it is to furnish fuel, soap, starch and water for the extravagant wash-woman, who has to have good pay and often two meals for herself and children. These are hard times, but the best laundry service is still the cheapest. If you have not done so, give it a trial.—The Laundry.

Matinee at the opera house every Saturday at 3:30, always a good show.

TAN-NO-MORE
The Skin Beautifier

The most scientific and most wonderful facial preparation of the modern age. It imparts to the skin a velvety softness and delicacy which is delightful in appearance and pleasing in its effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the Sun and Wind. In the evening its use assures a faultless complexion. All dealers 35c, 50c, and \$1.00.

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Life Was a Misery

Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes: "From the time I entered into womanhood . . . I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. . . Nothing seemed to help me until, one day, . . . I decided to

TAKE CARDUI

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"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain. . ."

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If you suffer pain caused from womanly trouble, or if you feel the need of a good strengthening tonic to build up your run-down system, take the advice of Mrs. Jones. Try Cardui. It helped her. We believe it will help you.

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COLORADO SANITARIUM

To Be Taken Over By Drs. Coleman Root and Whitmore.

A contract has been effected by us with Drs. Ratliff and Ratliff, by which we have leased the Colorado Sanitarium, and same will in the future be open to the public for the care and treatment of surgical diseases. The care and management of the building will be in charge of a competent and experienced lady, which assures its being kept in a clean and sanitary condition. Graduate nurses will be obtained from Abilene, at a cost to the patient, within a few hours, when deemed necessary. It shall be our prime aim to have good and suitable facilities for the care and treatment of all surgical cases entering the sanitarium, and at the same time with a minimum cost to the patients.

We have not undertaken the project of keeping the Sanitarium open with the aim of making one single dime above actual expenses. We have leased it solely for the convenience it will be to ourselves and the additional safety it will give our patients who may need operative treatment. Hereafter we have been doing quite a number of operations in the homes of the patients purposely for the saving to the patient the additional fee which going to a sanitarium would entail. In these home cases we have always experienced a very great inconvenience in preparing, properly, for the operation; and have often done these operations with very poor and insufficient light. Moreover, the after care of these cases have usually proven to be very expensive to the patient, else quite a burden to the attending physician. In many cases both. In consequence of these facts, learned by past experience, we have leased the sanitarium and shall endeavor to run

it on the charge of minimum fees, carefully figured from the actual cost of its lease and maintenance.

We invite the co-operation and patronage of all neighboring physicians. Respectfully submitted,
P. C. COLEMAN, M. D.
J. T. WHITMORE, M. D.
C. L. ROOT, M. D.

HOW TO GIVE GOOD ADVICE.

The best way to give good advice is to set a good example. When others see how quickly you get over your cold by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they are likely to follow your example. This remedy has been in use for many years and enjoys an excellent reputation. Obtainable everywhere. Adv.

FEDERAL FUNDS FOR STATE HIGHWAYS ARE APPORTIONED

The State Highway Department made its first allotment out of Federal and State funds for the State Highway system on Monday, September 10. The appropriation went to Culberson county. There was appropriated \$22,500 out of the Federal fund for that portion of Highway No. 10, running north and south of Van Horn, the county seat of Culberson county, and the State went the limit allowed by law on Highway No. 1, known as the Texarkana-El Paso highway, running through Culberson county, which will amount to about \$12,500.

SPECIAL PRICES ON MONUMENTS.

S. M. Johnson of Sweetwater will save you big money. Marble or Granite. W. O. W. monuments larger than agents sizes. Drop me a card. I'll do the rest.

HURRAH! RINGLING DAY ALMOST HERE

Big Circus and Great Spectacle Occupy Five Trains Cramped With Wonders.

The big event for which the youngsters and grownups have been impatiently waiting is drawing near, for on Saturday, Sept. 22, Ringling Bros. circus is to exhibit afternoon and night in Abilene. Expectancy never ran so high before and it is likely that this district will send a large delegation to feed the elephants. Unusual interest centers around the gigantic spectacle, "Cinderella," with which the famous showmen are this season opening their wonderful main tent program. Cinderella is probably the best loved of all fairy tales and to see it produced with more than 1000 persons, hundreds of dancing girls and glorious pageants, indeed gives promise of making "childhood's golden dreams come true." In the same great tent, will come the marvelous circus numbers in which 400 men and women performers, scores of trained animals and a galaxy of special features are introduced. The majority of the acts are entirely new to America, the Ringling Bros. having secured the pick of all European performers who have been compelled to seek engagements in this country. The all-new street parade will take place show day morning.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 30c.

Tom Watson's paper is barred from the mails for disloyalty, but it is printed in English, which accounts for the distinction.—Portland Oregonian.

FROM EAST TEXAS.

As many of the Record readers have once been citizens of Arkansas, Louisiana and East Texas, it may be of interest to them to read a few lines from these localities.

Crops here are better this year than for several years past, especially corn, and all kinds of food and feed stuff, and cotton picking began at \$1 per hundred, for the first time in many years.

Farming is still carried on by the old primitive methods. The old Blue-Kelley and Georgia stock, with one horse, is still used throughout the timbered regions. These one horse farmers are adepts in their line however, and an expert or demonstration agent could not show them and convince them of a better method. They seem to believe in what their great-grandfathers taught, and abide by what their fathers taught in regard to methods of farming. Yet, they make a good living, and generally something to sell.

In some portions of this country there are small areas of prairie land where the traction engine and other modern farm machinery is now being used. Here wheat and oats are sown, also many car loads of hay are cut and shipped, each season; and many tons of peanuts, sorghum, peas, maize and rice in the southern parts.

Very little interest is taken in stock raising, except hogs. Since the adoption of the hog law, it seems that every farmer tries to breed up the quality of standard types; but with cattle it is different. The cattle here are classed as "piney woods scrubs" of every conceivable type and color. Many train loads of a standard variety of cattle could be sold throughout these regions this fall at fancy prices. Also these people depend on western shippers for horses and mules. Most every town of any size has a stock dealer, with stock yards and barns large enough to accommodate several cars of cattle, horses and mules at a time, and it is the custom to receive stock from shippers and sell them one at a time to individuals who offer highest bid at auction sale. County demonstration agents in almost every county, can give full particulars to shippers—Longview, Jefferson, Marshall, Little Rock, Shreveport, Texarkana, New Boston, Clarksville, and in fact nearly all county seat towns are prepared to receive and handle large shipments of stock.

The writer has only one objection to this timbered country and that is the storm cellars here are always kept so jammed full of potatoes, pumpkins, syrup, canned fruits, etc, that there's never room enough in one to admit but one person during a storm, and that's generally the cook. S. E. HARVEY.

ARE YOU LOOKING OLD?

Old age comes quick enough without inviting it. Some look old at forty. That is because they neglect the liver and bowels. Keep your bowels regular and your liver healthy and you will not only feel younger but look younger. When troubled with constipation or biliousness take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are intended especially for these ailments and are excellent. Easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Obtainable everywhere. Adv.

CITATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon M. D. Mahoney by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the thirty-second Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mitchell County, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof, in Colorado, on the 3rd Monday in November, A. D. 1917, the same being the 19th day of November, A. D. 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 11th day of August, A. D. 1917, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 3669, wherein Missouri State Life Insurance Company is Plaintiff and Joseph A. Traylor, H. T. Carrol, O. P. Scott and M. D. Mahoney are Defendants; the nature of plaintiff's demand being as follows: Suit to foreclose deed of trust lien to collect note for the sum of \$2500.00, interest, taxes and attorney's fees and costs of suit, etc. Plaintiff alleges that on March 5th, 1913, defendant, Joseph A. Traylor and wife, Sarah J. Traylor made, executed and delivered to John C. Koyt, Trustee for Hartford Fire Insurance Company, a Deed of Trust, conveying the South half of Section

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No. 10 in Block No. 28, T. 1 N. Tex. & Pac. Ry. Co. surveys, located in Mitchell county, Texas, to secure the payment of one principal note in the sum of \$2500.00 executed by said Joseph A. Taylor, payable to said Hartford Fire Insurance Co., of even date with said Deed of Trust, bearing interest from date at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, represented by interest coupons attached to said note due on the 1st day of January, 1914, and annually thereafter on the first day of January. Plaintiff alleges that by the provisions of said deed of trust, in the event taxes or assessments of any kind made against said property, the owner or holder of said indebtedness might pay same before it became a lien, which payment should bear interest from date of payment at the rate of 10 per cent per annum. Said note provided that in case same was placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, 10 per cent additional was made for attorney's fees, etc. Plaintiff alleges that it has paid the taxes for the years 1915 and 1916, aggregating \$79.55. Plaintiff alleges that the interest coupon note for the sum of \$200.00 due on Jan. 1st, 1917 is past due and unpaid, that no part of the principal note of \$2500.00 has been paid, and that the \$79.55 paid on taxes have not been paid. That Plaintiff acquired this indebtedness by purchase. That defendants, Carroll, Scott and Mahoney are asserting some sort of title to said land, the nature of which is unknown to Plaintiff. Plaintiff prays that upon final hearing it have judgment foreclosing said deed of trust lien for said indebtedness, etc. Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Colorado, Texas, this 12th day of September, A. D. 1917.
W. W. PORTER,
Clerk District Court Mitchell County, Texas.
By W. S. Stoneham, Deputy.

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LOCAL NOTES

Mrs. Paul Snively left Monday with the baby on a visit to her mother at Dublin, and will be gone several weeks.

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

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis visited in Snyder last Saturday. Mr. Davis was looking after the laundry trade since the laundry at Snyder was burned.

Pickens & Reeder keep the very best of seasonable meats that money can buy.

J. F. Hiser, one of Mitchell county's best farmers, who lives south of Loraine, dropped in to see us last week and said he had not made a thing this year, but was not worrying and would make it through some way.

Just received—a fresh shipment of Jacob's Candy—J. L. Doss Pharmacy

Mrs. J. F. Dockery left last Friday on several months' visit to her folks at Liberty Hill, La.

Charters & Sadler serve all the leading cold drinks and gives the best of service in all other lines. If its legitimate they handle it.

L. F. Feaster, who lives up near Dunn, will make, perhaps, the largest cotton crop of any farmer in the county. He has already picked out five or six bales, but is not selling at the present price.

Most popular cold drink fountain in the city is that of Charters & Sadler.

The editor and family returned Saturday night from a visit with relatives in Mitchell county. That part of the country is extremely dry, and livestock of all kinds are suffering for grass. Crops are almost a total failure and many people have left in search of work.—Lubbock Avalanche

Charters & Sadler keep everything carried by a modern drug store. Prescriptions are their specialty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vaughan returned home Sunday evening from a ten days trip in their car. They went from here to Leander in Williamson county to visit their daughter, Lola; and from there motored to Ft. Worth where they picked up their son, Earl and his wife, and went on up to McKinney to visit Mrs. Earl Vaughan's parents. They report a pleasant trip and no car trouble of any consequence, except in mud in several places.

If its in a first class market you'll find it at Pickens & Reeder.

Rev. Guy B. Duff of Colorado was a visitor here this week.—Big Spring Herald.

Rev. A. D. Leach was a pleasant caller this week and reports good work being done in all his churches. Bro. Leach was made moderator of the Big Spring Baptist Association, which met last week with the Salem church.

W. L. Doss' drug store is headquarters for all kinds of school supplies.

W. A. Dulin, county agent of Mitchell county, but now doing extension work under the U. S. Department of Agriculture, spent Monday and Tuesday here, conferring with the Commissioners' Court and citizens, with a view of having a county agent appointed for Howard county.—Big Spring Herald.

Charters & Sadler have taken over the agency of the Dalas Morning News. Prompt delivery.

Latest styles in millinery at prices that will please are to be found at Mills Millinery at Adam's store.

Rev. W. P. Garvin and wife of Colorado, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mitchell this week. Rev. Garvin is brother of Mrs. Mitchell. He is pastor of the Methodist church at Colorado, and preached to the Methodist congregation here Wednesday.—Post City Post.

Nuxated Iron, ask for it at Charters & Sadler's drug store.

Messrs P. B. Rodgers, immigration agent for Texas from Fort Worth, and H. S. Bramwell, development agent of New Orleans, La., were both here on Friday last, looking into the condition of this county.

New Creation—the latest candy made by King—get it at W. L. Doss.

Monday of this week was Jewish New Year. The Jews, on Sunday eve, entered their houses of worship to usher in their Rosh Hashanah, or New Year 5678, which marks the beginning of the cycle of sacred observances held during the month of Tishri the seventh month of the Jewish calendar. The day was observed in Colorado by our Jewish friends.

If its right prices and up to date millinery you desire, be sure to visit Mrs. B. F. Mills at Adam's store.

Tom Smart came in home this week from Clovis, N. M., where he drove his herd, and says he now has them on fine grass, and they will be ready for the market about Nov. 1.

School Books! School Books at Jno. L. Doss Pharmacy.

Jack Smith left Tuesday for points in New Mexico hunting grass to ship his cattle to.

Dallas Morning News and Evening Journal at Charters & Sadler.

Misses Marion Adams and Madeline Looney left Tuesday for St. Marys at Dallas.

Willie Doss left Monday for Galveston where he will finish his course in pharmacy this year.

The ladies of Mitchell county are invited to visit Mrs. Mills Millinery at Adam's store, and inspect her fall line. You are sure to be pleased with her styles and prices.

Miss Annie McMurry left this week for Milford to attend the T. P. C.

Miss Lula Mae Dulaney left Monday night for Dallas, where she will again attend S. M. U.

Keep flies off the cow while you are milking—get the dope at W. L. Doss.

Misses Ethel and Pauline Pritchett left Sunday night for Denton to attend the state normal there.

Miss Olive Greenwood left Saturday night for Texarkana to attend business college.

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

Misses Shell and Lulu Merrell left Sunday night for Denton. Miss Shell will finish in literary work and Miss Lulu will study public school music.

Claud Mitchell of Abilene spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Mitchell.

Jacob's Candy—made last night—John L. Doss Pharmacy.

Sam Wulfjen who was summoned as a Federal juror at Abilene, was excused because he was a reader of the Appeal to Reason. At least that is what McGill tells on him.

Homer McRae of Dallas was here this week on a visit and business trip combined.

Nujol, something new at Charter & Sadler's drug store.

Friend H. C. Carr of Vincent dropped into see us this week and when asked about things in general, said: "A rather dismal and gloomy picture, but conditions will surely change. People are ordering seed wheat and contemplate the largest acreage of grain ever seen in the west. Nil Desperandum is the watchword of these energetic and enterprising people of the west, which is destined to again blossom as the rose."

Constipation the Father of Many Ills.

Of the numerous ills that affect humanity a large share start with constipation. Keep your bowels regular and they may be avoided. When a laxative is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. Obtainable everywhere. Adv

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pool of Sterling City sold out their holdings there and moved to Estancia, New Mexico, where their daughter, Miss Lote has a position in the public school. The Record men and Andy Pool hunted rabbits together in the postocks of Milam County, when barefoot boys together, and later went with the same girls to the country church.

W. B. Ralph, the genial T. & P. ticket agent, reports that on Sept. 14, a letter was mailed out to all operators and agents on the road, advising them of a 10 per cent increase in their wages, effective August 1st, last. There were also other concessions granted making it much more pleasant and remunerative for the agents and operators.

KEEP YOURSELF UP TO SCRATCH.

Fortify Your System before It is Weakened by Ills.

Don't wait until you are actually sick to take a laxative, you know "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." If you will just take LIVER-LAX regularly, it will keep you continually in the best possible shape, bright, energetic and happy. It is made of harmless vegetable matter, and by acting gently but effectively keeps the system cleared of poisons and ready to perform its best work.

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A Record man this week stepped into Charters & Sadler's drug store and Mr. Saddle was dancing and cavorting around over the store, until the bottles on the shelves fairly rattled. We feared some tragedy had been enacted until we heard the following conversation: "What's up?" asked the soda clerk, "Have you been taking something?" No, but you remember when our water pipes were frozen last winter?" "Yes, but what—" "Well, the plumber who fixed them has just come in to have a prescription filled."

PLANTING WHEAT WITH AUTOMOBILE.

J. H. Latham, down on the Charlie May ranch, is putting in about 300 acres of wheat. Mr. Latham has a Cadillac car and hitches a big double disc to the car; Mrs. Latham drives the car and Mr. Latham rides the disc, and they have seeded in nearly 200 acres in this manner.

GOOD ROADS MEETING.

September 26th is the date for the annual meeting of the Fort Worth-El Paso Highway Association, and this meeting will be held at Big Spring. As this is the time for electing officers for the ensuing year, and since further plans looking to the beginning of work all along the highway are being advanced, this meeting will be a most interesting one and from one to two hundred delegates are expected to be present. Colorado no doubt will be well represented.

NOTICE OF INFORMATION.

W. A. Crowder, the Railroad Agent has a letter from the management of the T. & P. Ry. Co., which might be of interest to anyone who contemplates leaving this country. Mr. Crowder turned the letter over to the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and the information can be given by Mr. Crowder or Mr. Greene. The T. & P. road proposes to assist parties leaving here in securing work of some kind, anywhere on their lines, and say they now have openings for at least 200 families. If you are going east, see Mr. Crowder or Mr. Greene.

All the official school books, adopted by the state, are kept by W. L. Doss. Go there for all your school supplies.

PAY WHAT YOU OWE ME.

I have accommodated you in the past and now need the money due me. I must have the money in order to meet my own obligations. Don't neglect this if you know yourself indebted to me.—Fred Meyer.

A FAIR WARNING TO MARKET PATRONS.

On and after May 15th, our business will be on a STRICTLY CASH BASIS. This applies to all alike, without the least discrimination. Do not ask us to charge any purchase. It will not be done. This notice is to save any embarrassment. The rule will not be violated in any case. PICKENS & REEDER.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

My gin is now ready to run and in first class condition to do good and prompt ginning. I will keep up steam all the time, so can gin your cotton at any time, immediately on arrival at gin. Will buy your remnants of cotton—be sure to give me a chance at all your remnants. Also buy cotton seed, paying the highest market price for same. Yours for the best and most prompt service.—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. Henthorn.

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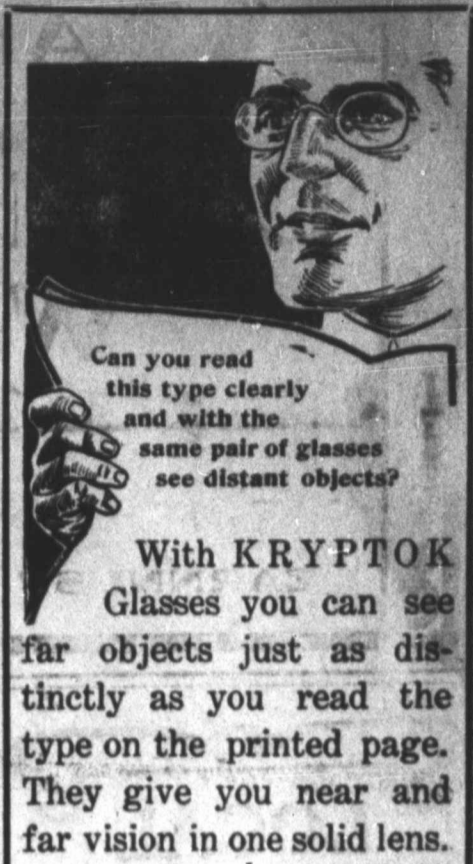
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C. M. ADAMS

EARNNEST BUILDINGCOLORADO, TEXAS

LOCAL NOTES

Tuesday Colorado had no trains until late in the evening, caused by a wreck east and a washout west of us. The trains passed here about 4 o'clock.

Pickens & Reeder strive to please both as to quality and service.

W. M. Cooper and L. A. Costin with the latter's son, Huron, all left this week in the big Studebaker for points in California looking out a location at which to stay until Mitchell county comes into its own. Huron says he went along to make some new moving pictures for Charley Taylor and on his return will put on "Cactus Bill from Dead Man's Gulch."

School Books? School Books at Jno. L. Doss Pharmacy.

Messers Gage and Conaway were on the Fort Worth market the latter part of the week, returning home Monday morning.

All kinds of school books, tablets, Pencils, Inks, Rulers, and everything for school, at W. L. Doss'.

John Lovelace left Monday morning going east to join a bridge gang on the T. & P., working between Ft. Worth and Big Spring.

H. F. Smith is now chief propeller at Beal's grocery.

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. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.

Nelson Vaughan has returned from Amarillo and is now holding down a job for J. E. Stowe & Co. Nelson says Colorado is good enough for him. He says he had good jobs and good salaries, while gone, but that landlords and boarding houses took it all away from him for rent or board.

Jacob's Candy—made last night—John L. Doss Pharmacy.

W. A. Crowder had all things arranged for a trip to New Orleans to attend a traffic manager's cotton meeting, but was notified this week that the meeting had been postponed.

The combined bank statements of Colorado, published this week, show individual deposits of \$586,657.45—over a half million. Not a bad showing for this kind of year, and the conditions of the country.

Get your meats from Pickens & Reeder's market. Only the best stuff is butchered.

Lee Mitchell of the U. S. Navy, radio service, who has been here on a ten days furlough, left Monday night for New York to report again for duty. Lee said he had no idea where he would be sent.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

G. F. Adams handed us a dollar this week and said I'm going east to grass with my work stock and will drop you a card for the address of my paper. Of course Mr. Adams is coming back and will make a crop here next year.

Has just arrived at Charters & Sadler's—a new supply of TANLAC.

Miss Louise Roe left Wednesday night for Taylor, to join her father and from there they will go to Austin.

Mrs. Robert M. Webb, who has been visiting friends here will return to her home in Fort Worth Saturday morning. Mrs. Webb lived here for more than fifteen years and it was a delight to her many friends to greet her again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones and children and Mrs. Burkhardt spent Sunday in Sweetwater.

Mrs. J. A. Gray of Anson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. T. Myers.

Dr. B. F. Dulaney attended the dental association in Sweetwater last week.

Mrs. Jeff Dulaney, of Sweetwater, spent Monday the guest of Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Dulaney.

Robert Barber, grand-son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Conaway is suffering from a broken arm, the result of trying to crank a Ford.

R. B. Terrell, the tinner, announces that he has all kinds of water pipe, and pipe fittings; also windmill parts. Phone 405 and R. B. TERRELL, Tinner and Plumber, will do your work right now.

Fly dope at W. L. Doss'.

Mrs. Green Delaney and Mrs. W. L. Doss left Wednesday night for Anson to attend the West Texas Odd Fellows Association. Mrs. Delaney is president of the association this year.

Mrs. W. A. Crowder is visiting her son Claude in Amarillo.

If its TANLAC you want Charters & Sadler have it.

Mrs. Joe Key who has been visiting friends and relatives here and her daughter in Dallas, returned to her home in El Paso Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Harper of Anson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Myers over Sunday.

Just received—a fresh shipment of Jacob's Candy—J. L. Doss Pharmacy.

E. M. Baldwin will leave tomorrow for the ranch and will remain until after the holidays. Most of the people on his ranch have left for other and greener fields.

Try the new candy—New Creation—at W. L. Doss.

J. C. Ethridge has returned from Melrose, N. M. and has again taken his old position at C. M. Adams.

Choice of all meats and accompaniments at Pickens & Reeder.

Jacob's Candy—made last night—John L. Doss Pharmacy.

A letter from Donald Sheaff, written from New York last Sunday, says: "We leave in the morning for France." By this token they are now on the big pond.

Inks, Pens, Tablets, School Books John L. Doss Pharmacy.

Ed Gurien, who lives and farms up near Dunn sold a bale of cotton here Wednesday to Henry Doss, which brought him \$160.00.

Arthur Taylor, better known as "Friday," and who has been working in the tailoring and cleaning department of J. H. Green's store for a number of years, leaves Sunday for Dallas where he says he has a good job. Everybody knows Friday as a reliable colored man, and an expert workman in the cleaning and repair department. We wish Friday well.

W. L. Doss has a fly dope that will keep flies from the cow while milking.

Mrs. George Gray and son of Hamlin, motored over Wednesday.

LORAINÉ LOCALS.

Charley Thompson, Jr., returned Sunday from Palo Pinto and entered high school at Loraine Monday.

W. H. Finley left last week for Hico, to take treatment for cancer of the face.

Miss Nora Weaver of Corsicana is visiting the family of S. M. Halmark. Jack Payne left Sunday for Fort Worth to find employment.

D. D. West who is working at Plainview, spent a few days with homefolks last week.

Miss Minta Finley returned Friday from Fort Worth, where she visited relatives and friends.

The W. M. S. met Monday afternoon with Mrs. T. A. Davis, after their summer vacation all were ready to enter into their missionary work.

Mrs. S. D. Donnahoo left the latter part of the week for Temple, where she will undergo another operation. Grandpa and Grandma Bryson are staying with the children while she is in the sanitarium.

W. A. Dulin of Colorado was busy in Loraine last Thursday.

Miss Marie Coffee left Wednesday night for Fort Worth, to reenter school at Polytechnic.

George Bryson is very sick with appendicitis and was taken Wednesday night to Abilene sanitarium for an operation.

J. R. Walker, who has been working at Fort Worth returned home this week.

Mr. Roberts of Coahoma visited friends in Loraine last week, before entering military service.

Mrs. G. W. Whitten and daughter, Florence, left Tuesday night for Ft. Worth to join Mr. Whitten, who is already there.

Miss Dell Parker left Friday night for Fort Worth and Dallas to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Ethel Gregg left Friday morning for Big Spring, where she will teach school this term.

Miss Annie Gregg who is teaching school at Roscoe spent Sunday with her father, J. H. Gregg, near Loraine.

Mrs. T. H. Walden and children left Tuesday night for West Texas, where they will join Mr. Walden, who has been there for several weeks working in a barber shop. They will make their home there for awhile.

Dee Land Henry Nunlee, Ed Halmark and Russell Kidd, left this week to report in the military service.

James Bennett of Sweetwater was in our city Tuesday on business.

Mrs. C. E. Jameson and children are visiting her parents in Tahoka this week.

Miss Gene Hall left Friday for San Antonio to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Daniel. She will visit Mrs. Clyde Fairbairn on her way there.

Rev. J. L. Elliott preached Sunday at the Presbyterian church, and left this week for Dora, where he will attend the Synod which meets there.

The Germans continue to insist that the Americans are not in earnest. Maybe they could be convinced if the Federal authorities stood one of their spies up against a stone wall before a firing squad. It would be worth trying.—Rochester Herald.

COTTON

Thursday morning Colorado had received 60 bales.

Watson Gin Co	40
O. Lambeth	20
The warehouse yard weighed	52

Seed selling strictly at \$60 per ton. Cotton prices, Thursday ran from 20c to 21c. Estimated one-third of crop is now gathered.

THE CAR OF WHEAT.

Judge Looney's car load of wheat came in Friday. Instead of 700 or 800 bushels as was expected, there were 1100 bushels, which was so much the better. As soon as it was known that the car had arrived, it was hauled out by the farmers and by this time most of it is in the ground.

MEN WANTED AT \$5.00 A DAY

W. A. Dulin has a letter from Miami, Arizona wanting men to come there and work in the mines at \$5.00 per day, 8 hours. The mine owners have decided to work all Americans, and anyone well recommended can get a job. See Mr. Dulin and list your name and he will get you the job.

Bobbie (who had just been to school for the first time)—"But you know, auntie, they're awful strict. One of the rules is that no boy is to speak a word if the teacher can see him."

Fly dope at W. L. Doss'.

The Germans have Riga and they may get Petrograd. It is recalled that once upon a time Napoleon took Moscow—and wished he hadn't.—Savannah News.

SEED WHEAT.

I have a lot of fine seed wheat, seed rye; also best No. 2 oats, and a full car of trico, corn and corn chops; two cars of alfalfa hay, all for sale at the lowest possible price. Wheat and Rye seed sold to farmers at actual cost.—C. E. WEBB. 9-21p

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Pursuant to the Election Proclamation issued by the Acting Governor of Texas, on August 30th. ult. Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on Monday, September Twenty-fourth (24) 1917, in all election precincts in Mitchell county, and in the One Hundred and Twenty-first Representative District of the State of Texas, composed of the Counties of Mitchell, Nolan and Fisher, for the purpose of voting for and electing a representative for said One Hundred and twenty-first district of the State of Texas, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Honorable Edwin R. Spencer. In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal this 6th day of September, 1917.
J. H. BULLOCK,
County Judge, Mitchell Co., Texas.

The newest and best thing in King's candies is "New Creation"—Get it at W. L. Doss.

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Every grocery order means an outlay of real cash. Cash should always seek its best interest and those who spend their cash with us make no mistakes. It has ever been our purpose to serve you in a way that proves our interest in your welfare. Just one order will prove this to your entire satisfaction. Order today. Just phone 35.

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The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 60c.

FT. WORTH-EL PASO HIGHWAY

Advices from Ward county inform us that an election has been called for October 13th to vote upon a \$60,000.00 road bond issue.

The election held in Eastland county on September 15th to vote upon the issuance of \$130,000 worth of road bonds, carried by a vote of nearly three to one. This insures the building of our highway across Eastland county, as it is intended to spend the above amount upon this work.

The annual meeting of the Fort Worth-El Paso Highway Association will be held at Big Spring on Wednesday, September 26th. At this meeting, officers will be elected for the ensuing year, and other important business will be transacted. Our association has been able to accomplish much during the past year, but there still remains much work ahead which will require close co-operation, so that there should be a good delegation at this meeting from every county. The meeting will convene at 9 a. m. Remember the date—Wednesday, Sept. 26th.
W. B. STARR, Secretary.

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