

Colorado Record

THIRTEENTH YEAR—NO. 9.

COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30 1917.

Whipkey Printing Company.

Moving Day

We are moving to the Brick GARAGE

We will still have our same line of

**Windmills and
Windmill Repairs**

**Pipe and Pipe Fittings
Tinning and Plumbing**

WINN & PAYNE

THE TOLL OF WAR

DEATH OF D. W. QUEEN.

Last week the press dispatches announced the death of Capt. Dudley W. Queen, and we take the following from his home paper, the Georgetown Commercial:

"The meaning of the war has come home to the people of Williamson county. Dr. Dudley W. Queen, a young man whom we all know, who was born and reared in our midst, is dead. The following telegram was received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Queen, of Georgetown, from the U. S. navy department: 'Washington, Nov. 20.—Accept the sincerest sympathy of the navy department upon the death of Dr. Dudley W. Queen on November 20, in base hospital, England. Remains will be shipped to the states by the first available transport.' This means that in a few days we will be face to face with the first results of the war as it comes to our door.

Dr. Dudley W. Queen was reared near Weir, where his grandfather settled in the 40's and was one of the pioneers of Williamson county. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Queen, of Georgetown and was about thirty years of age. He was educated in medicine at the Texas Medical College at Galveston and at Louisville Ky., and for several years was a house physician at the King's Daughters hospital in Temple. He was not drafted into the service but volunteered to go in defense of his country early in the war.

Dr. Queen was on the Cassin, the U. S. torpedo boat damaged recently by German submarine. He made his escape and was saved with others and for bravery on that occasion was promoted from lieutenant to captain. It is not known whether he was injured in that raid or not. It might have been his death was caused by the long exposure in the water when the Cassin was attacked by the German.

The details are scant enough, however. But they fell like a pall on the heart of the devoted mother so proud of her boy who won at its in the world and was serving in the army.

It is not that he gave his life for his country is enough. The father and devoted mother are awaiting the day when they can be reunited. He had been now in training and that would be mobilized. There is a family in the state that has no more members enrolled under the stars and stripes as a soldier of freedom.

The government of the United States, under the Soldiers and Sailors Insurance Law proposes to insure its splendid soldiers and sailors against total disability or death while fighting the nation's battles. Insurance is offered by the government to soldiers and sailors, which insures them against total disability and death, at

insurance to our homes and our country. Dr. Queen was a nephew of Mrs. F. B. Whipkey, and some six or seven years ago lived in Colorado. At that time he was a telegrapher. His Masonic membership is still here. A letter from the family states that they have been notified that the body will be sent to Georgetown and given a military or naval burial.

Program OPERA HOUSE

Chas. Taylor, Manager

Thursday Nov. 29,
Matinee at 2:30
Special Thanksgiving Program, presenting

SUDDEN JIM
Featuring CHAS RAY.
This is one of the latest Triangle releases; brand new (30 day release) and will be a picture worth seeing.

Also a 2-Reel Comedy will be shown.—All at the regular price of 10 and 20c (including revenue).

**FRIDAY
TRIANGLE NIGHT.**
November 30

SWEETHEART OF THE DOOMED
by LOIS GLAUM.

THE BOOK WORM TURNS—
A two-reel Comedy.
Children 9c and revenue tax of 1c
Adults 18c and revenue tax of 2c

SATURDAY
November 17
December 1

MUTUAL STAR NIGHT.
Matinee and Night.

SHACKLES OF TRUTH in 5 Reels.
Featuring WM. RUSSELL JERRY—in his comedy.

FORD WEEKLY—Educational.
Children 9c and revenue tax of 1c
Adults 18c and revenue tax of 2c

FRIDAY
December 8

TRIANGLE NIGHT
PADDY O'HARA, Featuring WM. DESMOND.

FINISHING TOUCH—Comedy
Children 9c and revenue tax 1c
Adults 18c and revenue tax of 2c

SATURDAY
November 24.
Matinee and Night.

MUTUAL STAR NIGHT.
December 8

BE GOOD
Featuring the Charming duo JACKY SAUNDERS

WEEKLY—Educational

FROM CAMP TRAVIS

Personal Mention of Mitchell County Boys, and Things About Camp Travis.

Corp. William C. Davis, of the 315 Supply Train, who has been in the base hospital with a slight attack of appendicitis, has returned to his company for duty.

Irvin W. Terry has been elected captain of the Tournament Teams of 2nd Co. Military Police, at Camp Travis, and under his efficient leadership, a good team is being organized.

Mitchell county is represented by five men in the 2nd Co. M. P., and is justly proud of them for they are all doing good work. They are as follows: A. G. Birmingham, J. H. Martin, Irvin W. Terry, and J. G. Waters of Colorado and R. E. Birmingham of Cuthbert.

Pvt. Chas. Sporer seems to like his job all o. k. He says that there is only one thing about it that he doesn't like—Reveille at 6:00 a. m.

Pvts. K. K. Sadler and Henry Smiley still work side by side in Co. Five.

Pvt. C. W. Davis has just returned from the hospital, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Pvt. Newton Haggerton was ticketed last week to get a cake from home. So were his neighbors, because the unwritten law here is that when one fellow gets a box of goodies from home, it shall be divided among the rest as far as it will go.

If John D. Givens doesn't stop eating so much hash and prunes, Uncle Sam will have to issue him some larger clothes. But he has nothing on the rest of the boys in the way of an appetite.

Newt. Haggerton received the cake spoken of above, from home, but it did not last long, as it was divided out among his friends.

Jack H. Cospier is rearing to see pay day, so that he can go to town.

Pvt. Robert W. Watson, Co. E, 315 Inf., received a box of cake and other goodies from Colorado. Bob comes from Paris, and has no relatives in Mitchell county, and the boys want to know who sent the eats.

Pvt. Chas. Sporer was exceedingly angry the other day because they got an order to use animal drawn transportation for work in the camp, instead of motor trucks. Charles misunderstood the order to mean that they were to skin mules, instead of driving the big Liberty Trucks that he had pictured himself upon.

Motor Supply Co. 5, 315th Trains, is quarantined as a result of measles. The men expected to find the confinement rather irksome, but thanks to the contribution of magazines and books for the company library, the time is being spent very profitably in reading, boxing, singing and ball games. The library now contains twenty-five books. W. A. Anderson the company carpenter, made a library table and two comfortable benches of white pine which were painted and finished in oak by Victor Yelton.

Starting immediately all men in this company will start dieting in order to whet their appetite and extend their capacity for the Thanksgiving dinner next Thursday, as Sergeant John E. Hobo, formerly Fred Harvey house manager at Slaton, has prepared the following menu:

- Relishes: Celery, Olives, Oyster Cocktail
- Roast Turkey, Celery and Oyster Dressing with Cranberry Sauce
- Braised Spring Lamb with Vegetables
- Vegetables: Creamed Corn, Lima Beans, Candied Yams, Mashed Potatoes
- Desserts: Pupkin Pie, Mince Meat Pie, Coconut Cake
- Apples, Oranges, Chocolate, Lemonade.

Fretting is a perpetual confession of weakness.

RED CROSS MEETING.

The Mitchell County Chapter of the Red Cross held a most enthusiastic meeting at the M. E. Church Tuesday evening.

The Chairman, Judge J. H. Bullock made an appropriate address on "The Result Should the Germans be Victorious." This was followed by timely talks by Drs. Ratliff and Coleman; after which the business was discussed in a most interesting and harmonious way.

Everybody is enthusiastic about the work and willing, though greatly feeling the effects of the hard times in this section of the country, to do his part in this most worthy organization.

Colorado has always done her part in all public welfare work and this will be no exception. There are now 150 paid members, and as there is a membership campaign on, this will soon be doubled.

The chairmen of the different standing committees have been appointed, and most of them have secured their helpers, and are now ready to commence real work. They are as follows:

- Membership—Dr. W. A. Williams.
 - Finance—J. C. Prude.
 - Publicity—Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.
 - Extension—Mrs. J. G. Merritt.
 - Womans Work—Mrs. Lee Jones.
- The departments of Women's Work are as follows:
- Knitting—Mrs. Broaddus.
 - Surgical Dressings—Miss Eleanor Coleman.
 - Hospital Garments—Miss Nellie Riordan.

Purchasing—Mesdames F. M. Burns, Thos. Dawes, T. W. Stoneroad, Civilian Relief—Dr. T. J. Ratliff, Military Relief—Mrs. Broaddus, Nursing Service—Mrs. Schroeder, Junior Red Cross—Supt. E. F. King.

While all of these committees are important and each necessary to the success of the whole, yet, perhaps the foundation of the future success of the Chapter rests on the Junior Work, for here the great principles are instilled in their minds and the work well begun, will be easier carried on when the burden is placed on their shoulders. So Mr. King should have the fullest sympathy and co-operation in this work.

These chairmen are selecting their assistants, and will no doubt be ready to go to work in earnest, at once.

It is most earnestly hoped that every person in Mitchell county will join this organization, and when the membership committee calls on you do not argue hard times, but give them your name and a dollar.

PRESIDENT ASKED FOR \$50,000,000 TO FIGHT DROUGHT

The Cotton Seed Crushers and Stockmen met in Houston on November 15th in conference with Dr. Chas. McCarthy, personal representative of Hon. Herbert Hoover, the national food administrator for Texas. The success of the meeting is assured or certain and it is believed that Texas' availing export has been ordered back into the drought sections to sustain the live stock. Commissioner P. C. Weinert of the Markets and Warehouse Department presided upon Dr. Chas. McCarthy to attend the meeting at Austin, called by Gov. Hobby, at which time the question of food, feed, seed and credit for the farmer to make a crop and the stockman to preserve his herds were represented as absolutely necessary for the salvation of the drought stricken sections. Dr. McCarthy endorsed fully Senator Weinert, who took the initiative in this all important matter.

Appeal to Wilson, Washington, D. C.

On Thursday a great meeting of cattlemen and stockmen and state officials was held at Houston to consider ways and means for helping the cattle industry in the drought stricken sections of the state. It is estimated that 150 out of 250 counties of Texas are areas about the size of Germany. Two million head of livestock are involved, besides an estimated money value of \$2,000,000,000 and more than that already sustained on livestock and cotton. Farmers in large numbers are abandoning this region in despair and unless quick help comes a large portion of this nation will be depopulated. For months the United States department of agriculture has been taking large numbers of cattle out of this territory, but now they are in great part too weak to be moved. This appalling national disaster at a time when food is so sorely needed to win the war can be testified to by all state officials, the United States department of agriculture, the state chambers of commerce, the Cattle Raisers' association, the Farmers' association and the United States food administration. It cannot be exaggerated called together this day by Governor Hobby, respectively ask you to take immediate action. At least \$50,000,000 are needed at once as a war measure to save the situation, to help the farmers remain on the land, to provide food, feed, beef, labor and credit. We respectfully suggest that this be

MULES WANTED

Will be in

Colorado, Dec. 3, 4, 5, 1917

To buy mules from 14 1-2 to 16 hands all stuff. Must be sound and clear from blemishes.

Bring your stock to C. E. Webb's wagon yard and get the highest market price.

J. T. Coleman

made a reply.

Whereas the drought conditions prevailing in more than 150 counties of Texas embracing practically all of west Texas, south and north and a large part of central Texas, has existed for a period of a year or more, thereby preventing the farmers and stockmen residing in the drought stricken areas from raising food for humanity and feedstuff for their live stock for the winter, and rendering the pastures of Texas wholly barren, and

Whereas, Many hundreds of thousands of acres of the most fertile land has been, and will have to be, abandoned on account of no feedstuff for the work stock of the farmers and or want of adequate credit and labor; and

Whereas, There are more than a million head of livestock in the drought stricken area now without food and without pasturage for the winter; and

Whereas, To prevent a national calamity it has become necessary that the farmers and stockmen of those sections of the state have immediate relief therefore, be it

Resolved, First, that it is the sense of this committee that the federal government take immediate steps through its food administrator, Hon. Herbert Hoover, or otherwise to relieve the condition existing in this state at this time, and that the federal government be requested to commission a food administrator, or other competent authority, the sum of \$50,000,000, or so much as may be required to be loaned to the stock raisers, farmers and ranchmen in the drought stricken area of this

state for the purpose of purchasing feedstuff to carry their stock through the winter and to enable them to make a crop during the year 1918; such money to be loaned to the farmers, stockraisers and ranchmen on such terms and conditions as may under the prevailing conditions be expedient and just.

Third, that in order that the dire straining conditions existing in this state may be relieved immediately, the president of the United States or those in power be requested to render what assistance that may be needed to secure the proper transportation facilities in order that the railroads supply sufficient rolling stock to transport feedstuff for the livestock that is now in a starving condition.

Fourth, that the governor of Texas be requested to appoint a suitable committee to confer with the federal food administrator for Texas and also with the federal food administrator at Washington for the purpose of adopting such rules and measures providing for the immediate and future relief against conditions existing in said drought stricken areas; that such committee also be authorized to confer with Hon. William G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, with reference to taking steps and adopting such measures as in his wisdom he should deem necessary to provide relief for the farmers, ranchmen and stock raisers of the drought stricken area and to provide them with sufficient feed to enable them to carry their stock through the winter and to raise a crop next year."

DON'T BE MISLED.

Kidney trouble is dangerous and often fatal.

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Use a tested kidney remedy.

Begin with Doan's Kidney Pills.

Used in kidney troubles 50 years.

Recommended here and everywhere.

A Colorado woman's statement furnishes convincing proof of merit.

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Mrs. J. G. Davis, Colorado, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for several years, whenever I have needed them and nothing has ever done me so much good. At times the small of my back was weak and achy and I could hardly bend down or lift anything. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage and I had dizzy spells. Doan's Kidney Pills, which I got at Doss' Drug Store, have never failed to relieve me. They have helped me when other medicines have failed."

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Wooden heels put on and guaranteed to stay. Clean shop. Everything neat and clean. Now have an assistant workman.

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F. M. BURNS

Season for All to Magnify Blessings and Forget Crosses

WE CELEBRATE that great holiday, Thanksgiving, at this season. In the gay round of pleasures the day always brings, perhaps not one of us will stop a moment and seriously look back over the past year, now rapidly drawing to a close. Many of us—in fact, all of us—should pause a moment and quietly review the past months.

Perhaps these months brought us many trials, but they also brought us many blessings. It is the blessings we should cherish and magnify and forget the crosses. We may sigh discontentedly and say, "Well, last year I had many more reasons to be thankful than I have this year," but if we are fair and honest with ourselves we will have to admit that, even if troubles came our way, the blessings that followed them were far greater in number.

Who has not read the story of that first Thanksgiving Day? Fancy a woman in these times enduring the hardships and worries those strong hearted New England pilgrims endured; and what a wonderful lesson in unselfishness they have handed down to us!

Argue and elaborate as we will on our burdens, we know fate has been good to us. Life is not all sunshine. If it were we would very soon grow tired of life. Disappointments, setbacks, disillusionments come to every one, and we must expect they will come to us. Indeed, we have no voice in the matter. They will come to us as surely as day follows night; but do we accept them patiently? That is another story.

Many women look only on the dark side of life. "What's the use?" they say dejectedly. "Everything I try to do turns out a failure." There is a tiny breath of selfishness here. "I" is very prominent in these women's thoughts. Perhaps if they did something worth while for someone else their work would be crowned with success. Doing something for another has never yet turned out a failure. There isn't a case on record showing where failure has followed a kind deed done for another. Perhaps this other did not appreciate the efforts taken in her behalf, yet the fact remains that the woman who put herself out to make another woman happy experienced a wonderful happiness herself.—New York Evening Telegram.

Belongs to All Humanity.

Essentially our American Thanksgiving is least American of our holidays, for the simple reason that it is too human to be merely American. There were no most human things left for the New England fathers to originate. They are immemorably older than this country. There are no original ways of expressing gratitude. All the pathways of thanksgiving are very old paths.—James Lane Allen in Munsey's Magazine.

Make Use of God's Gifts.

"All that I have is thine," says God to us—earth and sun and rain and crops. Let us use them all the year for all they are worth.

COUNTY TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT.

Ending Nov. 12, 1917.
In the matter of the Quarterly Report of W. R. Morgan, County Treasurer of Mitchell county, Texas, and the affidavits of the Commissioners of said County.

In the Commissioners Court, Mitchell county, Texas, Nov. Term, A. D. 1917, this 12th day of Nov., A. D. 1917.

We the undersigned Commissioners of Mitchell County, Tex. and J. H. Bullock, County Judge of said Mitchell County, constituting the Commissioners' Court of said county, and each one of us do hereby certify upon oath that on this, the 12th day of Nov. A. D. 1917, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of W. R. Morgan, Treasurer of Mitchell county, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 13th day of August, A. D. 1917 and ending on the 12th day of Nov. A. D. 1917, and upon finding same correct, have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's report by said court which said order recites, separately, the amounts received and paid out of each fund on the said 12th day of Nov. since his last report in the Court and during the time covered by this report, and the balance remaining in each fund on the said 12th day of Nov. A. D. 1917, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of said Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Article 867 Chapter 1, Title XXV, of the revised Statutes of Texas, as assembled by an act of the 25th Legislature of Texas at its regular session.

And we, each of us, further certify upon our oaths that we have actually and fully inspected and counted the amount of money, in cash and other assets, in the hands of said treasurer, belonging to Mitchell county on this

W. L. DOSS
OLD RELIABLE DRUGGIST

Drugs all square, and drugs all fair, and all your money's worth.
Right here you'll find the proper kind, we keep the best on earth.
United here is high class cheer in creams and good cigars.
Great drinks or small, we handle all, the kind that leaves no scars.
Good postal cards and books by bards, and other books galore.
Inspect our glass before you pass the welcome on our door.
Soap, the best, it stands the test, our paints will stand it, too.
There's oils and ink, wall paper,—think, all waiting here for you.

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day and date and found the same to be as follows, to-wit:
Total cash on hand, belonging to Mitchell county in the hands of said Treasurer, \$7,959.98.

Assets in addition to the above amount of money as actually and fully counted by us, in possession of said County Treasurer.

Permanent School Fund invested in bonds \$1000.00.

Permanent School fund in land notes \$7856.00.

Total \$8856.00.

Assets \$16,809.98
Witness our hands, this 12th day of Nov. A. D. 1917.

J. H. BULLOCK, County Judge.

LAY POWELL, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.

J. M. HELTON, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2.

B. O. JOYCE, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3.

W. D. MCCARLEY, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. H. Bullock, County Judge, and Lay Powell, and J. M. Helton, B. O. Joyce and W. D. McCarley, County Commissioners of said Mitchell County, each respectively on this 12th day of November, A. D. 1917.

(Seal) W. W. PORTER,
Clerk County Court, Mitchell, Co. Tex

SPECIAL NOTICE.

I have leased my wood yard to Mr. Lambeth, as Mr. Connor has given it up. Mr. Lambeth informs me that he has ordered a full supply of good wood, just such wood as the public will require, and hopes to enjoy the liberal patronage that Mr. Connor and I have enjoyed for so long a time. Mr. Connor joins me in thanking the public in general for their patronage, and we commend Mr. Lambeth to one and all.

Respectfully,
W. W. PORTER.

In reference to the above notice I wish to say that I have ordered a large lot of the best wood obtainable which will be arriving in a few days. I am going to sell this wood to my customers at the lowest possible price. And I propose to give full measure—if you buy a cord of wood you'll get a cord. I will have different kinds, so that I can suit any customer. I promise to give the best and most prompt service. I ask a continuance of the patronage accorded my predecessors, assuring you that I shall do all in my power to deserve and retain it. Thanking you in advance, I am,
Yours truly,
O. LAMBETH.

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. W. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 50c.

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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 50c, 50c, and \$1.00.
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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.

Puretta Cooking Oil
Refined Cotton Seed Oil
The Cheapest and Best
Shortening on the Market;
In Two and Five Gallon Cans
AT THE OIL MILL

Read W. E. Watson's ad this week

NOTICE SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Texas, County of Mitchell.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Mitchell County, on the 30th day of October, 1917, by W. W. Porter, Clerk of said County Court of Mitchell County, Texas, for the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-three and 72-100 Dollars, with six per cent interest from October 16, 1917, and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of J. R. Hastings, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1255, and styled J. R. Hastings vs. J. D. Purdy, placed in my hands for service, I, A. W. Cooksey as Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas, did, on the 1st day of November, 1917, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: All of Lot No. Three (3) in Block No. Sixty-five (65) of the Town of Colorado, in Mitchell County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof of record in Vol. 1, p. 488, Deed Records of said County, upon which I had on July 19th, 1917, levied a writ of attachment in this suit, which said attachment lien was preserved in and by the judgment aforesaid, and levied upon as the property of J. D. Purdy; and that on the first Tuesday in December, 1917, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door of Mitchell County, in the city of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. virtue of said levy and said attachment on said judgment, I will above described Real Estate vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of J. D. Purdy on from and after 1917.

And in compliance with this notice I have on hand a consignment of
SILK SHIRTS
and
GLOVES,

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The Best Goods and The Best Price

Phone 35 for
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AS YOUR FALL HOUSE CLEANING AND REPAIRING CONTINUES

You will find many places where a board could be very useful for making an extra shelf in your kitchen or closets. When you discover them just phone number 21, just remember it will be a pleasure to serve you.

THE PRICE IS THE THING?
Rockwell Bros. & Co.

FORMER STUDENTS IN MILITARY SERVICE.

An effort is to be made to obtain and put in record form a complete list of all former students of the University of Texas who have entered the military service of the United States or any of the allied countries. It is recognized that it may be somewhat difficult to obtain the names of all these patriotic and heroic young men, as they are widely scattered and belong to various branches of the military service. The assistance of all who may have knowledge of the names of such students, their place of residence, and, if possible, the military organization to which they belong is earnestly desired in the compilation of this roster. It is requested that all names of former students who are now in the army, either that of the United States or the allied governments be immediately sent to the Division of Publicity, University of Texas, Austin.

FREE OF CHARGE.

Why suffer with indigestion, dyspepsia, torpid liver, constipation, sour stomach, coming-up-of-food after eating, etc., when you can get a sample bottle of Green's August Flower free at W. L. Doss. This medicine has remarkable curative properties, and has demonstrated its efficiency by fifty years of success. Headaches are often caused by a disordered stomach.

August Flower is put up in 25 and 75 cent bottles. For sale in all civilized countries. Adv2

Good Thought for the Day.

There can be no better thought for Thanksgiving day than that which expresses honest gratitude for what our fathers won for us, and determination to confer its blessings unimpeded on our offspring.

Wall paper bargains at W. L. Doss 5c to 25c a roll.

W. E. Watson handles cotton seed products, coal and all kinds of feed.

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LAX-FOS IS AN IMPROVED CASCARA
A Digestive Liquid Laxative, Cathartic and Liver Tonic. Contains Cascara Bark, Blue Flag Root, Rhubarb Root, Black Root, May Apple Root, Senna Leaves and Pepsin. Combines strength with palatable aromatic taste. Does not gripe. 50c

Big Sale of Groceries at Reduced Prices CASH for these Goods only.

Sale commences Saturday, Nov. 24 and will continue for Fifteen days

100 lb. Extra High patent flour.....	\$5.75	1 10-lb. can Green Velva Syrup.....	85c
100 lb. High patent flour.....	5.50	1 10-lb can New South Syrup.....	85c
5 lb. Graham flour.....	35c	1 10-lb can White Swan Syrup.....	85c
5 lb package Arbuckle Coffee.....	95c	1 10-lb can Everybody's Syrup.....	80c
5 lb. package Victos Coffee.....	90c	1 10-lb can Red Karo Syrup.....	80c
10 lb. bucket Purity Lard.....	2.00	1 10-lb can Doro Syrup.....	80c
10 lb. bucket Cottolene.....	2.40	1 10-lb can Blue Karo Syrup.....	75c
1 gal. can Peanut oil.....	2.25	1 10-lb can Mary Jane Syrup.....	75c
2 cans, No. 3 Tomatoes for.....	25c	1 10-lb can Wapco Syrup.....	75c
1 can, No. 2 Tomatoes for.....	10c	1 10-lb bucket orange top sorghum	66c
2 cans Woodford high grade corn...	25c	One case syrup 6 buckets.....	3.75
2 cans No. 3 Hominy.....	25c	Large size Quaker Oats.....	25c
2 cans No. 3 Kraut.....	25c	2 packages Grape Nuts.....	25c
2 cans No. 2 Blackberries.....	25c	1 package large size Postum.....	20c
2 cans No. 2 Gooseberries.....	25c	1 package Post Tosties.....	15c
2 cans No. 2 Black eye Peas.....	25c	4 lbs best grade Peaberry Coffee.....	\$1.00
2 cans, large size Pork and Beans.....	35c	5 lbs good flat grain Coffee.....	1.00
2 cans Pink Salmon.....	35c	1 lb can Wapco Coffee.....	20c
2 cans No. 3 Pie Peaches.....	25c	25 lb Salt.....	25c
1 can No. 3 Early June Peas.....	15c	3 cans Babbett Lye.....	25c
1 can Extra sifted Peas.....	20c	3 cans Swiss Lye.....	25c
3 packages Mince Meat.....	25c	1 box 12 gage, New Clubshells.....	60c
3 packages Co Co Nut.....	25c	1 box 12 gage, Smokeless.....	75c
3 packages Faultless starch.....	25c	1 box 22 Target, less smoke.....	15c
1 gal. can Pickles.....	75c	8 lbs Pink Beans.....	\$1.00
1 qt. can Pickles.....	20c	7 lbs Lima Beans.....	1.00
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GOVERNMENT INSURANCE

The Congress of the United States at its last session enacted a most unique and a most important bit of legislation. It is popularly known as "The Soldiers and Sailors Insurance Law."

Every family in Texas is directly and vitally interested in the Army now in training and that will hereafter be mobilized. There is hardly a family in the state that has not one or more members enrolled under the stars and stripes as a soldier of freedom.

The government of the United States, under the Soldiers and Sailors Insurance Law proposes to insure its splendid soldiers and sailors against total disability or death while fighting the nation's battles. Insurance is offered by the government to soldiers and sailors, which insures them against total disability and death, at

absolute cost. Every man in the service has it within his reach to provide himself with insurance against death or total disability. This insurance is offered by the government. The government of the United States is the insurer.

Policies may be had for as small a sum as \$1,000 or as much as \$10,000 and at a minimum of cost. A policy for \$10,000 will cost the soldier at the age of 25 the sum of only \$6.60 per month. For younger soldiers the cost is relatively smaller and is, of course, more for older soldiers.

If a soldier, who has equipped himself with a \$10,000 policy should die in the service, the government will pay the beneficiary named in the policy and chosen by the soldier, the sum of \$57.50 each month for 240 months. If the soldier, after so equipping himself with such a policy, should become totally disabled, the

government will pay him \$57.50 a month.

Not only does the government offer insurance to its soldiers, but should any of its men lose their lives in line of duty, it will compensate his wife, or his child or his widowed mother, for the loss they have sustained. Or should the soldier become either totally or partially disabled in line of duty, the government will compensate the soldier for his injury. This compensation is paid in addition to the insurance.

The same law provides for allotments of pay by the soldier, by which he can provide for his family out of his salary while he is away from home and the government will pay such family in proper cases a like sum of money as an allowance. In other words, the soldier allots a part of his pay to his family and the government pays an allowance to them under restrictions contained in the law.

Two Thanksgiving Proclamations of Revolutionary Days

THE last Thanksgiving proclamation of the revolution was reported to congress October 18, 1783, by Duane, Samuel Huntington and Holten. It was written by Mr. Duane and given to the people on the second Thursday in December. It expresses thanks for the discharge of troops in the following words:

"Whereas, it has pleased the Supreme Ruler of all human events to dispose the hearts of the late belligerent powers to put a period to the effusion of human blood, by proclaiming a cessation of all hostilities by sea and land, and these United States are not only happily rescued from the dangers and calamities to which they have been so long exposed, but their freedom, sovereignty and independence are ultimately acknowledged; and, whereas, in the process of a contest on which the most essential rights of human nature depended the interposition of divine providence in our favor hath been most abundantly and most graciously manifested, and the citizens of these United States have every reason for praise and gratitude to the God of their salvation; . . . the United States in congress assembled do recommend it to the several states to set apart the second Thursday in December next as a day of public thanksgiving."

The first national Thanksgiving to be promulgated after the adoption of the Constitution of the United States was written by Washington and issued on October 3, 1789. This was a general recommendation of thanksgiving for the establishment of the Constitution. The whereabouts of the original of this instrument is unknown. The earliest Thanksgiving proclamation of Washington as president in the possession of the department of state is one dated January 1, 1795, and was issued in view of the suppression of the rebellion in western Pennsylvania, which for a time threatened the safety of the union.

This document was written by Alexander Hamilton, secretary of the treasury, and bears amendments by Edmund Randolph, secretary of state. The original copy is yellow and the ink is faded, but it is yet legible. It is the engrossed copy which bears the great seal of the United States and the signatures of Washington and Randolph. The proclamation is as follows:

"When we review the calamities which afflict so many other nations, the present condition of the United States affords much of consolation and satisfaction. Our exemption hitherto from foreign war, an increasing prospect of the continuance of that exemption, the great degree of internal tranquility we have enjoyed, the recent confirmation of that tranquility by the suppression of an insurrection which so wantonly threatened it, the happy course of our public affairs in general, the unexampled prosperity of all classes of our citizens, are circumstances which peculiarly mark our situation with indications of the divine beneficence toward us. In such a state it is an especial manner our duty as a people, with devout reverence and affectionate gratitude, to acknowledge our

Cold weather is coming; better get that window glass. Rockwell Bros. & Co., has the size and price. See 'em.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, Lucas County, Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Texas, County of Mitchell: Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District court of Comanche County, of the 16th day of October, 1917, by the Clerk of said Court for the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred Four and 85-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of K. M. Vanzandt et al, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 4269 and styled K. M. Vanzandt et al vs. M. M. Graham et al, placed in my hands for service, I, A. W. COOKSEY as Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas, did, on the 12th day of November, 1917, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: All of a certain tract or parcel of land situated in Mitchell County, Texas, and containing 160 acres of land, and being 160 acres off of and across the west side of a tract of 260 acres heretofore deeded to J. H. Magness and J. D. Eubanks by J. J. Barker, and which deed is duly recorded in Vol. 28 page 544 out of the deed records of said Mitchell County, Texas, and the 260 acre tract being out of the west half of Section No. 49, Block 29, T1N T. & P. Ry. Co. Survey. Said 260 acre tract being all of the west one half of said section lying north of the T. & P. right of way through said section and situated in Mitchell County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of M. M. Graham et al, and that on the first Tuesday in January, 1918, the same being the 1st day of said month at the Court House door, of Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said M. M. Graham, et al.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell County.

Witness my hand, this 12th day of November, 1917.
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Gov. Hobby should call the Texas legislature together to impeach the Kaiser.

Our wheatless and meatless days are here, and next week the Record will inaugurate an "eatless day."

The lowering clouds presage rain. We had hoped to say this week that a two-inch rain had fallen, but not yet—not yet.

It is expected that our soldier boys at Camps Travis and Bowie will get a Christmas furlough, and many of them will spend the holidays at home.

The Record predicts the war will end by the middle of the summer of 1918. Nevertheless let us not slack up on our preparations. Getting good and ready will shorten instead of prolong the fearful thing.

There is now no limit on the amount of taxes that may be levied and collected by counties, cities, towns and sub-divisions of counties in Texas for school purposes, according to an act passed by the last session of the legislature, and which bill has been duly approved by Governor Hobby. Before the enactment of this law, a limit of 50 cents on the \$100 of property valuation was placed. Now the limit has been taken off and it is up to the voters of a county or sub-division thereof to determine the amount. Prof. W. F. Doughty, state superintendent of public instruction, considers this act one of the most important pieces of legislation enacted by the legislature in many years and that it will do much toward improving our school conditions.

TRUE REFORM IS REPEAL.

The esteemed Dallas Journal has come to see that whatever of bad government we have in Texas is due to the Terrell election law; hear it: "Isn't it something more than a coincidence that, since the inauguration of the compulsory primary election system in this state, and especially since the prescription of the plurality rule for nominations, the personnel of the state government has deteriorated, expenses have grown enormously, pork-barrel legislation has budded and flowered, and that useless offices have multiplied? Why treat the symptoms only, while ignoring the cause? The failure of the primary election system illustrates the evil of relying upon systems, and the folly of believing that Government is an automaton that will work while we sleep; a perfect machine that anybody can run. The fact is that more depends upon the engineers of government than upon the engine. The picking of men to serve in these capacities, according to the Jeffersonian rule—competency and honesty—is of paramount importance. We can make no progress toward good government in Texas until we take the State's nose out of the political concerns of the people. We have here a fresh illustration of what's true in all lands and in all times, to-wit: True reform is repeal.

According to Mr. Leddy, registrar and general counsel of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, the people will be given the opportunity in the

POSSIBLE DIVISION OF TEXAS.

The New Mexico papers are taking part in the discussion of the possible division of the state of Texas in a manner that shows they are in hearty sympathy with the suggestion. In fact, there has been a sentiment prevalent in Southern and Eastern New Mexico very evident prior to statehood, in favor of combining with West Texas in the formation of a new state. Since New Mexico has been elevated to the dignity of statehood however, there has been no recurrence of this sentiment that was apparent. In discussing the division of Texas, however, the Clovis Journal says:

"For many years—from away back yonder in the early seventies—there has been talk of a more or less serious nature of slicing up Texas a bit and adding to the number of possible units in our great sisterhood of commonwealths. But, there has always, on the other hand—particularly on the Texas hand—been a scattering few who didn't like the idea and who were always ready to throw, and usually did throw, cold water, varying from a small size tumbler to a large size bucket full, upon the suggestion. Texans have always taken more or less pride in the fact that their state was the biggest thing of its kind anywhere round about. You can scarcely hold it against Texans that they didn't want to give up this big asset for bigness, because some Texans we know could not truthfully boast of possessing anything else of considerable proportion but the state that they did not have anything personally to do with its creation or keeping. And so you see opposition is what defeated the division of Texas long ago, just as it has kept William Jennings out of the white house and Bill Lorimer out of the senate, all of which goes to show what opposition will do to a fellow or a something if it's stirred up frequently enough with a nice sharp stick. Texas newspapers used to throw one fit after two more when somebody over in West Virginia or Idaho suggested that we might as well make Texas three, or when Bill Robinson of the Roswell Register-Tribune or some other country editor, over on the New Mexico side of the line supporting the ambitions of some anxious East Side New Mexico politician—or statesman—who wanted a few Texas Democratic votes and some of her territory to make a way for him to congress, suggested that we take the Panhandle of Texas and put it with that Democratic part of New Mexico which up until Nov. 7, 1912, extended to the Pecos River (but which since that time has included the whole state) and make it the state of Lincoln, Roosevelt, Peary or somebody else with a large reputation. There wasn't any use talking with Texas about this. It seemed all settled, since the laws of our country were so shaped that both the national congress and the state concerned in this splicing, piecing or chopping-up ceremony must both be consulted and the consultation favorably reported upon by both parties to the agreement, and most of us over on this side of the line drop traces at the end of the last row and took out. Nothing doing! But the Journal has taken on a renewal of faith in the possibilities of the problem of dividing Texas, and getting part of New Mexico into the deal during the shuffle. We see in glancing over this week's exchanges a Texas paper ardently in favor of making Texas three!"

YOU AND I AND CO.

The Government of the United States! Do you think of it merely as some great big machine up in Washington that levies taxes and eats up a good deal of money keeping its machinery moving? If you do you are wrong. The United States Government is a business corporation run for the good of the citizens, who are its shareholders. Its head office is at Washington. You and I hired some of the cleverest men we could find to run this business for us. Now, when you hire a man to do a big job for you you must give him your support, in both money and good feeling. You know what it would mean if you were to hire a man to run your farm, or your store, and then went about amongst your neighbors grumbling about him and "cussing" him. Would you get good results? Would the business be a success? These fellows that we have hired to work for us in Washington are real human beings. Take our President. Read some of his speeches. Read what people say who have talked with him constantly. They will tell you that he is the most human of men, with a great big sympathy for everyone, whatever his position in life. By the way, the President is a Southerner. Take the Secretary of the Treasury, too, who is asking you to buy Bonds—a boy from Georgia, growing up among the people of the South, having to work hard at an early age for a living, he studied law and became a lawyer whom everybody trusted because he was straight. He knows just as much of your conditions and is just as much your friend today as he was when he was a lawyer in a country town. These people need your support in the biggest job that any men ever tackled. They want your friendship, your good will. Quit "cussing" the government, if you ever did this, and shake hands with our "boss foremen," good fellows. Oats, Corn and Chops, big lot on hand.—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

Wake Up

In a little town in Southern England a local newspaper reported recently that every house on a certain street in that town bore the sign of mingled grief and pride, signifying that a member of the household had given his life in the great war. A French newspaper reported recently that a soldier on being given leave, refused it, saying: "My wife and only daughter have met with shame at the hands of the Germans. I do not want to go home."

Think of these things, you prosperous farmers, you, who are making high prices today because of war conditions. The lifeblood and misery of others is being coined into money for you; you people who have been educated, protected, and shielded, by our government until you are in danger of losing your sense of gratitude. Think of these things, you well-fed Americans, while you make money out of the war-time activities, then go home to a meal which is not stunted by the necessities of other human beings, spend your evening with your children, and pass a dreamless night, imagining that you have done your day's duty as an American citizen. Contrast the stories outlined with your own enviable condition, and then try to realize that you are as truly and as fully committed to the purposes of this war as are those English widows, facing life anew without the bread winner: just as truly pledged to win this war as the French soldier, suffering agonies of mind which it is difficult to fathom. These people are bearing more burdens than human nature should ever be asked to carry. And what are you doing? Taking things comfortably, subscribing, it may be, of your surplus wealth to the Liberty Loan, and talking about "Uncle Sam cleaning up the Germans."

Wake up! Wake up! Get out of that dream in which you are indulging. If the first jolt has not awakened you, think of the man you know, who had a good job, or it may be a good medical practice, who threw it up, left wife, family and friends, and went to France to fight for you, besides the now dead Englishmen, and the Frenchman who will never smile again. If you are not awake yet think of the girls in the Department Stores, and the telephone and telegraph operators, who bought a \$50.00 Liberty Bond of each issue out of their \$10.00 to \$14.00 a week. In charity, we will assume that you are now awake. All you are asked to do is to speed up production in your business, contribute to the national wealth, work harder, economize in the household, cut out senseless pleasures—even pleasures which though harmless in themselves, can still be done without. Save every cent you can. If you have not bought a Liberty Bond, go and get one now at the bank, in order that you may not be branded "slacker." And whatever you do, remember that early next year you will be called upon to subscribe to another Liberty Loan. What do you say? Are you awake now?

LET'S GET THIS THING STRAIGHT

"Why don't the Government arrange short term Loans? People don't care to tie up their money for ten, twenty, or thirty years." How often do you hear these words. Sometimes people say these things because they really do not understand the situation, and sometimes they say them because they think it forms a good excuse for not subscribing to the Liberty Loan. In either case, they are wrong. It is just as easy to get at the money invested in Liberty Bonds, when the term for repayment is thirty years, as when it is ten years. Very few of the Bonds sold today will be held by the original purchaser when the Bonds are redeemed by the Government. Many purchasers will die, many will deed away their Bonds, many will sell, and probably sell at a profit, if only they will hold the Bonds until the war is over. When you buy a bond you do it with the idea of lending the money to your Government for just as long as you can conveniently, without hurting yourself or your business. When you cannot lend this money any longer, then sell your Bond to some one else. Remember just two things—as long as you hold the Bond and the Government has the use of the money, you are doing a sensible, patriotic act, and drawing 4% interest. When you pass the Bond to some one else, you have ceased to help your Country, you have placed your responsibilities as an American citizen upon somebody else's shoulders, and have given up the safest investment in the world. Your banker still has some Liberty Bonds on hand which he can sell you. Go and talk it over with him. He will tell you that you could not possibly do as well with your money, as by purchasing these Bonds.

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Good going Scout? If on our route, and you are broken down, Assistance here, and high-class gear, the best within this town. Right here is where you're treated fair and never treated mean. Arrest your pace and rest your face—and get some Gasoline! Great jobs or small, we handle all, from sparking-plug to tire. Escape your woes and saves your clothes, we'll do what you desire. Right here where your car can lodge —AT THE— Paramount Garage.

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Thanksgiving Time

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

—BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY—

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

MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Missionary Society of the M. E. Church met Monday afternoon in regular monthly business session. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Merritt presided. Besides the regular business, a committee was appointed to collect the pledges before the close of the year. A program on Christ the Healer was given. Mrs. S. D. Vaughan read a paper on Medical Missionaries in China. Mrs. Lasseter one on Work at Home.

HEAR ABOUT IT.

Sunday morning at the Baptist Church Pastor Garrett will tell about the great State Convention, at Dallas, from which he has just returned. He will no doubt give some very interesting facts in regard to the work of this denomination. Every member of the church should be present, and the public, as is always the case, are especially invited to hear him.

ENTERTAINED CLASS.

Mrs. Ed Dupree entertained her Sunday School class of boys Saturday evening. Each boy invited a guest, and they met at her home, and from there went to the picture show, after which they returned to her home and played games. Cake and ambrosia were served.

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SENIOR '18 DRAMATIC CLUB.

Miss Lottie Landers was hostess for the Senior '18 Dramatic Club at Mrs. Ed Dupree's last Friday evening. The roll call was modern plays. The time was spent on discussion of the different kinds of plays, led by Miss Wilson. Miss Hallie Roddy entertained by reading "By Courier." Stansel Whipkey gave a violin solo with Miss Lottie Landers at the piano. Ambrosia and angel food were served. The next meeting is with Miss Geneva Holt, December 7.

A SOCIAL GATHERING

There is a new organization in which the husbands are included, that meets evenings, purely for recreation. So far the diversion is 42. But no doubt the husbands will use these occasions to learn to knit. The members are Mr. and Mrs. Sam Majors, Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Majors, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Doss, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Majors.

They met with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Majors Thursday evening and spent a most enjoyable evening. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Jackson, Mrs. D. C. Byrne, Mrs. Byron Byrne and Mrs. J. P. Majors of Sweetwater. Refreshments of brown bread, cheese sandwiches, olives, macaronis and tea were served.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY.

The Young Peoples' Missionary Society of the M. E. Church met with Mrs. Barcroft last Thursday in business session. The president, Miss Sallie Herrington, conducted the devotional lesson which was on Faithfulness. The treasurer reported \$3.55 as a result of the social tea given last month. She also reported \$3.25 from the self denial during the week of prayer.

PROGRAM.

The following program will be given by the Parent-Teachers Association at the high school building, Dec. 4, at 4 p. m.

Opening song—The Star Spangled Banner.

Christmas reading—Miss Leonora Ehrlich.

Christmas song—First grade.

Answer to roll call—Childhood reminiscences of Christmas.

Should the Myth of Santa Claus be Observed?—Mrs. Broadus.

What can be done for the inattentive child?—Round table discussion led by Miss Lucille Russell.

Closing song—America.

B. W. M. W.

The B. W. M. W. met in Dallas last week with a splendid representation from all over the state. In the annual report of the treasurer it was seen that this body had had a large share in all departments of the work fostered by this denomination. It was noticeable how the young women are doing war work and helping in various ways to spread the gospel and relieve the suffering of mankind. An inspiration was given the meeting by the presence of six missionaries who have done most excellent work in foreign countries. The women pledged \$10,000.00 to Buckner orphans Home. The other work was on a par to that.

To Mrs. A. F. Beddoe of Dallas, secretary of the organization, much credit was given for the activities of this organization. The women now have 1,575 societies; 811 young women's auxiliaries and 635 Sunbeam Bands. The Women's Missionary Societies raised a total of \$265,045 during the year; the young women auxiliaries raised \$9,242 and the Sunbeam Bands raised \$2,562.

THE CLUBS.

Mrs. Burns was hostess for the Standard. Their lesson was roll call, current history. Shakespeare, Henry VI, Part III, Act 1, led by Mrs. Prude. History, Gladstone, led by Mrs. Coleman. Social hour.

Mrs. Collier, who was a former member, entertained the Hesperian before leaving for her home in Temple. Mrs. W. L. Doss was leader, and the lesson was on Tennyson's Princess, Part III. Mrs. Riordan made a talk on the Story of Esther and its application in Part II. Paper, What is the Purpose of Melissa? Mrs. Winn. Feeding. What was Ida's Prophecy of the New Woman, Mrs. M. Doss. The hostess had as a diversion, a contest on famous women. Bran cookies and tea were served. Mrs. Allan Soper was a guest.

The Bayview met with Mrs. D. H. Snyder. The lesson was on Shakespeare and Washington Irving, led by Mrs. S. T. Shropshire. Light refreshments were served after the study hour. The meeting this week is with Mrs. J. W. Person.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR.

The ladies of the Christian Church will hold their annual Christmas Bazaar at Colorado Mercantile Co. store, December 7th and 8th, beginning at 10 o'clock Friday morning. They will have a supply of all kinds of hand made articles suitable for Christmas; doll clothes and novelties. For several years this has been their custom and many people are waiting to make their purchases from them, so be on time, and get your selection.

PROGRAM NEXT SUNDAY.

On account of the repairs on the church house not being completed, the program was not given at the Christian Sunday School last Sunday as was announced, but will be given next Sunday at the 10 o'clock hour. The church has been newly papered and fumigated and will be ready for next Sunday. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

The U. D. C. will give their Christmas party, honoring the Veterans at Mrs. M. E. Lindley's, Tuesday, Dec. 18th. All Veterans are invited. The committees are as follows:

Refreshments—Mesdames V. W. Johnson, Geo. Smith, F. B. Whipkey, M. Callen, Carrie Gustine, M. E. Lindley.

Programme—Mesdames Ed Dupree, F. M. Burns, John Doss, J. G. Merritt.

Invitation—Mesdames Allan Soper, Vivian Shropshire and Jo. Dry.

Mrs. Annis, Secretary.

Miss Mozella Dry, Pres.

SURGICAL DRESSING.

The Surgical Dressing Committee, which was organized here about the first of August desires to make the announcement that every one of their grown members have joined the Red Cross and are in hearty sympathy with this movement, but they will continue their work as surgical dressing committee as this is a national auxiliary to the Red Cross. This order has sent between four and five thousand articles to headquarters since the organization, and have received words of commendation on each list sent. Having the work well in hand and being able to use articles not prescribed by the Red Cross, they deem it wise to go on as usual. Anyone having old table or bed linen which they can spare, it will be gladly received and utilized for hospital work.

THANKSGIVING BOX.

Last Sunday was observed as Thanksgiving day for Buckner Orphans Home at the Baptist Sunday School, as is their annual custom. Each child brought some kind of canned goods and this was sent for their thanksgiving dinner.

FREE KNITTING LESSONS.

There will be free knitting lessons given next Wednesday afternoon from three to five at the residence of Mrs. C. T. Harness (near Baptist church).—Mrs. H. B. Broadus, Chm. Knitting Committee.

REPORT ON BUCKNER ORPHANS HOME.

Buckner Orphans Home at Dallas is the largest institution of the kind in the world, with the exception of one in London, but the latter is supported by the government. We give a few facts about this great home for orphans, taken from Dr. Buckner's annual report made to the State Convention at Dallas last week:

"This is the thirty-ninth annual report I have made consecutively concerning this special work of sweet charity to which I have unreservedly and untiringly devoted forty-one years of the most active part of my life, in connection with the Christian ministry. Buckner Orphans Home has proved itself worthy of the confidence and care of many friends. Since the beginning 12,000 children have been cared for, 700 this year. Nearly a hundred have gone out this year to homes and business—28 into the government service—but as many have come in and taken their places.

Money is now coming in by mail and products from home industries are being offered for sale and the situation has improved. We have fed and clothed 700 boys and girls, notwithstanding the high cost of living.

The Home has been made an independent school district. The land included in the school district includes 1,800 acres in a body, and it all belongs to the orphans home.

There are now 596 on the school roll. Seven graduate teachers, all holding state certificates, not including the music department nor the school in stenography and typewriting. There is a two story school annex, containing ten rooms, which cost \$8,000, all paid for this year. There is a library of 3,000 volumes and a museum donated by August Feintz and the A. J. Holt Museum, which are valued at \$50,000.

Industrial education is a prominent feature. Six of the girls have received instruction in stenography, and now have good positions. They have their own bakery in which three have finished and are now employed elsewhere. Some of the boys are receiving theoretical and practical training in the mercantile business in our cash supply house, which has turned it to the current expenses of the home \$10,357.90 from sales.

The dairy department is a big thing furnishing 136 gallons of good milk daily. There are five dairy barns on which was spent this year \$6,145. Also have three big silos.

Besides storing for winter use, products from the farm have been sold to the amount of \$19,405.95.

Mrs. Royal A. Ferris has spent about \$2,000 on a play park, just in front of the home, containing eight acres. Mrs. E. M. Reardon is furnishing a tennis court. Wichita Falls has given a car load of flour, and Plainview has also given a car of flour. The groceries for this institution the past year cost \$18,955.57.

The Home received last year in cash donations from individuals and churches, \$165,382.85, and the report shows no balance on hand.

Many a man who thinks he is ready money resembles a dollar minus 70 cents

Caronations—fine as you have ever seen at Mrs. Jim Smith's.

This season, as usual, the noblest things in shoes is a bunion.

Oats, Corn and Chops, big lot on hand.—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

The German militarist party made Germany a burglar in Belgium. You do not end burglary by putting a burglar in jail. Nor by leaving him with the swag.

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.

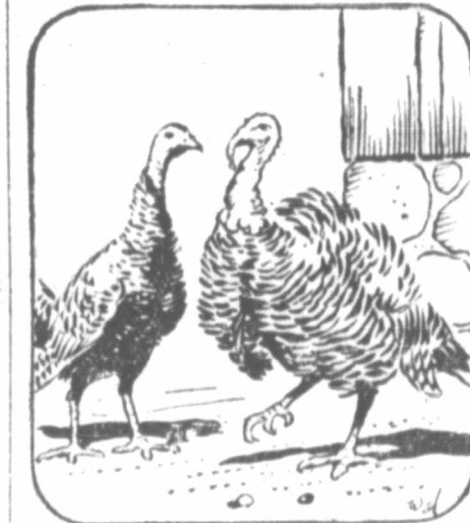
The Meaning of Thanksgiving Day

By Mary Graham Bonner

The turkeys in the barnyard were gobbling, and if we had been able to understand their language this is what we would have heard them saying, several days before the last Thursday in November:

"My father was at one of the merriest of scenes last year," said Mr. Gobbler. "He was kept for our own jolly farmer, his wife and their four fine children. The farmer's wife dressed him up so well, cooked him until he was brown and tender, and then she served him on a big platter as the principal part of the meal. To be sure, she had many other goodies, such as soup, stewed corn, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes, squash, pumpkin pie, nuts and apple cider, but he was the main thing! He was the center of attraction, and when he was brought in on the platter, piping hot, the rosy-faced children screamed with delight and said:

"Oh, isn't he a beauty!" The two boys ate as much as they could, so did



"My Father Was at One of the Merriest of Scenes Last Year"

the two little girls with the blue eyes and the soft brown hair. And so did the mother and daddy. But even then my father had not entirely vanished, and with one accord they said that they had never had such a Thanksgiving dinner."

The turkeys, as well as the other creatures in the barnyard, had gathered around to listen. "You are so proud of being eaten," said the pigs and ducks, "and how can you enjoy being proud—your joy is so soon over? Why do you want to be fed so much when it only means that soon you can have no more to eat, because a hungry family has eaten you?"

"That's because you don't understand turkeys," said handsome Miss Turkey. "We consider it such a splendid honor to be eaten on such a notable day. We are not eaten any time at all, like some creatures I know of."

The other barnyard animals hung their heads. They knew of whom she spoke, and they were suddenly much quieter, clucking, quacking, grunting and squealing in low voices.

Mr. Gobble, cousin of Mr. Gobbler, had begun to speak: "Your father was very fortunate in being the one saved for the farmer's family. And a great treat he was. But listen to my tale of a greater treat." They all drew nearer. "Gobble, gobble, gobble," repeating his own name and the call of Turkey-land, "my father served a far better purpose.

"The farmer knew of a family in the city, far from here, where there



Mr. Gobble, Cousin of Mr. Gobbler, Had Begun to Speak.

are no barnyards and where there are streets and houses everywhere, instead of hayfields and meadows and woods.

The daddy of the family had once been a school friend of the farmer, but he had gone to the city to live, and he had had a very hard time. He, too, had four children, but their faces were pale, and often, often they had not quite as much to eat as they needed. My father turkey was sent to this family. The turkey paused, gobbled three times, then began to talk again.

"Ah, when my father arrived, there was such joy! The four children looked at the feet peeking out of the box, and there were some feathers left on his handsome legs and around his neck. 'He has fur boots,' they shouted, 'and a fur collar. Oh, what a rich bird he must have been! Isn't he too rich to eat?'"

"They called him a rich bird—they didn't know he was still greater than a rich bird—one of the turkeys of the great Thanksgiving day. But their daddy told them how Mr. Turkey had come from the country, and that he would be cooked and would be eaten that day for their dinner—as soon as he was nice and brown and while he floated in a little pond of gravy!"

"Now, wasn't my father the lucky one? He was used for children who had never known a Thanksgiving dinner before. And weren't they thankful? Oh, weren't they happy! Such a surprise as my father gave them, such a meal as he made for them, and how happy the little pale children were that there was a day in the three hundred and sixty-five set aside for Thanksgiving—and for turkeys!"

"While you creatures in the barnyard got so many of the goodies left from the Thanksgiving table, so did old Dan, the dog, get the bones from my father—such bones as he had never before tasted. Even Dan knew the meaning of the day!"

"We were both right," said Mr. Gobbler. "My farmer's children were thankful because they knew they never had to long for food. They always had enough. They never needed to long for fresh air and a place for playing. And they did not wish for something they did not have. So were the family to whom your father went thankful. They were happy they had



Even Dan Knew the Meaning of the Day.

each other and they were delighted to share your father and to have such a meal and treat. For them, too, there was Thanksgiving turkey. And they talked of better days ahead.

"Yes," said Mr. Gobbler proudly, "Thanksgiving day is well named—a holiday of giving thanks because we are eaten. Our fathers were eaten in both those homes—the poor and the rich, and in both made happiness equally great. And so will we make happiness in a very few days."

But back of Thanksgiving day, back of the idea that eating a turkey is the great and important event of the day, there is something else.

In 1621 the Plymouth colony in New England set aside one day of thankfulness—thankfulness for what they had; not for what they thought they should have. They had known hard days of self-denial and struggle. Yet they were thankful, for in a new land they saw great things ahead. And it is our duty to see that their hopes were not in vain.

Thanksgiving day—the day to give thanks. But are we to be thankful on one day only, and then return to three hundred and sixty-four days of grumbling and of regret for what we don't possess? No! Let us have one day as simply the first day of many, many others in which we are thankful for all we have. Not only for Mr. Turkey,

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 Nov. 20, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c)	380,532.17
Deduct:	
Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold) (see Item 55a)	11,000.00
Overdrafts, secured, 404.32; unsecured, 411.27	815.59
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	25,000.00
Liberty Loan Bonds, unpledged, 3 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent	12,300.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	6,000.00
Value of banking house	8,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	1,425.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	20,967.88
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	70,484.35
Net amount due from banks, bankers and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14, 15	1,535.94
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)	1,641.11
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18	73,661.40
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank, and other cash items	368.97
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,250.00
Interest earned but not collected (approximate)	3,750.00
Total	525,071.01

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	100,000.00
Surplus fund	100,000.00
Undivided profits	34,863.36
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	28,538.53
Interest and discount collected but not earned (approximate)	3,375.00
Amount reserved for taxes accrued	7,497.91
Circulating notes outstanding	25,000.00
Net amount due to National Banks	7,403.58
Total of items 31 and 32	7,403.58
Demand Deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
Individual deposits subject to check	205,019.71
Cashier's checks outstanding	430.05
Dividends unpaid	120.00
Total Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40	205,569.77
Time Deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):	
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	386.25
Other time deposits	47,300.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 41, 42, 43, and 44	47,686.25
Total	525,071.01

Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d) 11,000.00
Total contingent liabilities 11,000.00
State of Texas, County of Mitchell—
I, J. M. Thomas, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. M. THOMAS, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Nov., 1917
EARL JACKSON Notary Public
Correct—Attest:
F. M. BURNS, Directors
C. H. EARNEST, Directors
JOE H. SMOOT, Directors

STORE FARM WATER AND SAVE THE WASTE

Reservoirs Properly Built Conserve the Supply for Irrigation and For Live Stock.

If the water goes to waste on the farm in times of plenty were conserved for times of drouth, gardens and fields might be saved from failure and live stock from a sacrifice market. Farm reservoirs store water of streams, pump off water or run off water until it is needed. A widely increased interest in pump irrigation has created a demand for storage facilities to retain the water lifted by the pump overnight and to provide a large irrigation stream for the following day. That farmers who contemplate building reservoirs may be properly guided in the work, a new publication, Farmers' Bulletin 828, Farm Reservoirs, discussing the various types and details of construction, recently has been published by the U. S. department of agriculture. The use to which the farm reservoir is to be put should determine the type of construction, according to the writer of the bulletin. If it is intended to use any part of the stored water for drinking or even for culinary purposes, the entire supply must be kept free from pollution, while if the supply is intended for irrigation only, the purity of the water need not be considered. If a reservoir is intended for both irrigation and the watering of farm animals, care should be taken in planning and building so that damage cannot be done by the trampling of stock. Problems of building, how to locate a reservoir, how to build inlets, outlets, waste ways, embankments, and how to protect the reservoir, all are discussed and illustrated in the bulletin. The most common source of supply for farm reservoirs is the well, from which water is raised to the necessary height by a windmill, gas engine, or electric motor. The flow from springs, lakes, flowing wells, and small creeks forms another source of supply. Also, in that borderland between humidity and aridity known as the great plains area, and throughout the arid region, the so-called "dry

creeks" carry considerable water at times. Part of this run off can often be led into a reservoir and stored for watering stock and irrigating. Nearly every farm in West Texas has a dry branch, swag, valley or depression, which if properly dug out, dammed or built up, would impound enough water in ordinary seasons, to irrigate a considerable garden patch, which in many instances would bring more revenue to the farmer than his hundred acre cotton patch.

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CERTAIN CURE FOR CROUP.

Mrs. Rose Middleton, of Greenville, Ill., has had experience in the treatment of this disease. She says, "When my children were small my son had croup frequently. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy always broke up these attacks immediately, and I was never without it in the house. I have taken it myself for coughs and colds with good results." Adz.

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No. 5276—Reserve District No. 11.
—REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF—
The City National Bank
At Colorado in the State of Texas, at the close of business Nov. 20, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c)	235,936.12	235,936.12
Overdrafts, secured, 5,567.98; unsecured, 152.20		5,720.18
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	15,000.00	
Total U. S. Bonds (other than Liberty Bonds) and certificates of indebtedness	15,000.00	15,000.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	2,700.00	
Value of banking house	18,804.43	
Furniture and fixtures	2,700.00	
Real estate owned other than banking house	19,309.43	
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	21,471.47	
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	113,800.92	
Net amount due from banks and bankers and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14 and 15	272.95	
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)	783.50	
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18	114,450.45	
Fedemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	750.00	
Interest earned but not collected (approximate)	581.00	
Total	437,830.00	

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	60,000.00
Surplus fund	30,000.00
Undivided profits	20,928.95
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	4,072.23
Interest and discount collected but not earned (approximate)	3,320.00
Amount reserved for taxes accrued	1,500.00
Circulating notes outstanding	15,000.00
Net amounts due to National Banks	827.65
Net amount due to banks and bankers and trust companies (other than included in 30 or 31)	47.88
Total of Items 31 and 32	875.53
Demand Deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
Individual deposits subject to check	268,239.71
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	7,120.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	3,918.01
Total Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40	279,277.75
Other time deposits	31,000.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 41, 42, 43 and 44	31,000.00
Total	437,830.00

State of Texas, County of Mitchell—
I, S. D. Vaughan, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
S. D. VAUGHAN, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Nov., 1917.
J. C. PRITCHETT Notary Public
Correct—Attest:
C. H. LASKY, Directors
D. N. ARNETT, Directors
G. B. HARNES, Directors

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 29th day of Nov., 1917, published in the Record, a newspaper printed and published at Colorado, State of Texas, on the 30th day of November, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	26,198.11
Loans, real estate	4,175.00
Real Estate, (banking house)	6,150.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,000.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents net	12,949.35
Cash Items	27.00
Currency	3,070.00
Specie	669.79
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund	900.00
Other Resources as follows	
U. S. Treas. Certif. Indebtedness, Dec. 15th Maturity	15,000.00
Checks in process of collection	13.84
Total	70,153.09

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	30,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	50.67
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check net	849.47
Individual Deposits, subject to check	39,252.95
Total	70,153.09

State of Texas, County of Mitchell:
We, J. H. Bullock, as president, and G. B. Slaton, 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.
J. H. BULLOCK, President
G. B. SLATON, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me the 27th day of Nov. A. D. 1917.
F. D. S. POND, Notary Public, Mitchell County, Tex.
W. L. LINDSAY, Directors.

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"I tried every kind of treatment and medicine I heard of but got no relief until I began taking Tanlac, but three bottles of the medicine have made me feel like a brand new man through and through. I have never in all my life had such a ravenous appetite and you may know everything agrees with me or I could never have gained so much in weight. I sleep all night long without waking and my nerves are as steady as a clock. All the swelling and pain has left my feet and legs entirely and I'm never bothered any more with gas on my stomach, shortness of breath or other signs of indigestion. You may want me among the many Tanlac boosters and you are welcome to this statement, which I hope will be the cause of others finding relief."
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THANKSGIVING
By REV. JAMES M. FARR

Thanksgiving is not a day; it is a habit. We cannot be thankful on Thanksgiving day unless we have been learning how every other day in the year. There are some simple rules: Walk on the sunny side of the street; live as much as possible in the best room in the house; think about your friends, not your enemies; talk about your good luck, not your bad. These are some of the ways of acquiring the spirit of cheerfulness which is the only soil on which the flower "Thanksgiving" will grow.

many and great obligations to almighty God, and to implore him to continue and confirm the blessings we experience.
"Deeply penetrated with this sentiment, I, George Washington, president of the United States, do recommend to all religious societies and denominations, and to all persons whomsoever within the United States, to set apart and observe Thursday, the 10th day of February next, as a day of public thanksgiving and prayer, and on that day to meet together and render their sincere thanks to the great ruler of nations for the manifold and signal mercies which distinguish our lot as a nation, particularly for the possession of constitutions of government which unite and by their union establish liberty with order, for the preservation of our peace, foreign and domestic; for the reasonable control which has been given to the spirit of disorder in the suppression of the late insurrection."

By the President
George Washington
Edwin Randolph

Be Thankful Every Day.
The purely passive contemplation of all good ought to be granted to common days on which no more has occurred than the daily round of little pleasures and the absence of more than ordinary annoyances. With the evening offering of a silent thanksgiving to God we take conscious possession of simple happiness and enjoy it once again, instead of slipping off past God's best gifts as men so often do. Thus thanksgiving involves the recognition: All this good is from God, and this recognition reacts on our own mood, creating conscious joy and humble trust in the God who will continue to bless in things both great and small.
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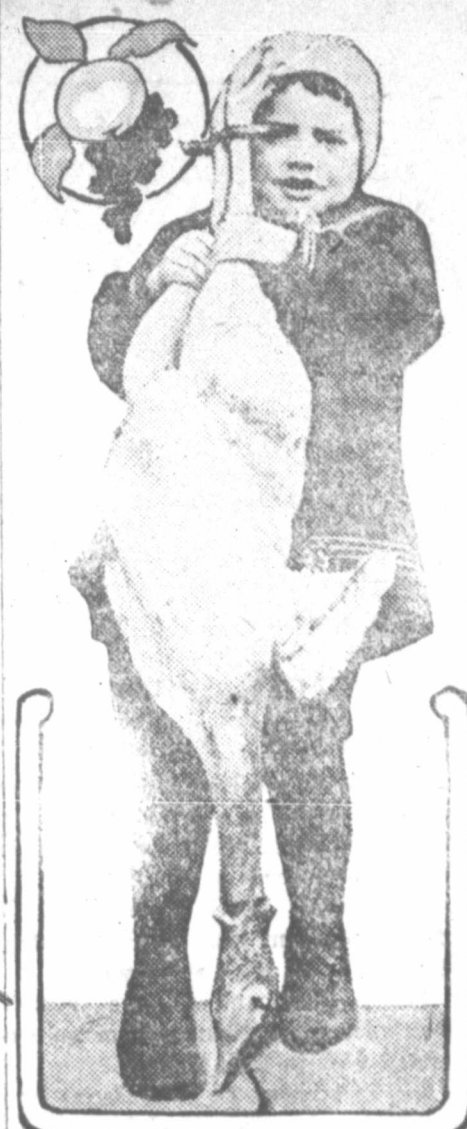
Laundry Agency.

As the Colorado Laundry has been closed, and this work will have to be sent out of town, I have secured the agency for the Sweetwater Laundry, this will make it more convenient for the people of Colorado, as Sweetwater is a good town and also a friend to Colorado, and will be more satisfactory as to service and this laundry having the use of pure mountain water can and do the best laundry work in west Texas.

We will call for Laundry anytime. The baskets will leave Monday and Wednesday, the Monday basket being back Wednesday, and Wednesday basket back on Friday. Phone 406.

TOM HUGHES

Heavy Responsibility



DISTRICT COURT.

The District Court is busy this week with the case of First State Bank of Loraine vs. D. C. McRae et al. This is a suit against his bondsmen in which \$2066 is involved and is being tried before a jury. Attorneys Touchstone and Morgan of Dallas represent the defendants and Messrs Smith & Smith, and Shepherd & Sandusky represent the Bank. The only out of the county witness is a Mr. Schuler of Dallas.

On Monday will be called the case of The State of Texas vs. Jeff Brinberry, charged with the murder of his wife, and transferred here from Nolan county. The woman was drowned while they were fishing. Mr. Wimber, father of the woman, is here from Denton county.

The grand jury adjourned until Dec. 10th and made no report.

FOR SALE—Good gentle milk cow, coming 6 years. See or phone J. P. Ehrlich.

COTTON REPORT

Thursday morning, Nov. 9.—There has been ginned in Colorado, up to date, 707 bales: Watson gin, 404 and Lambeth gin 303. Weighed in the public yard, 746; weighed at Loraine 399; Total 1145. It is estimated now that the county will get about 1200 bales this year. The price prevails at 28.50 to 28.75.

Don't you need a new floor in that room this fall before bad weather sets in? Rockwell Bros. & Co. have just what you want—Sag them.

The bank statements published this week show a combined deposit of over \$600,000. Not a bad showing to be at the end (or near the end) of a two year's drouth.

W. L. Doss is making his annual clean up sale on wall paper. Prices 5c to 25c per roll.

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF AUTOMOBILES

The number plates for cars registered with the State Highway Department have been received, so every person in Mitchell County who has complied with the law can get his number and seal. The law requires that the seal and the number plate BOTH be displayed on the front end and the number plate on the rear end. These numbers belong to the CAR and are transferred with it. Any other number cannot be carried. Notice is hereby given that anyone operating a motor vehicle on any highway in Mitchell county, after November 30th, 1917, without the seal and number being affixed as required by law, will be subject to prosecution. Conviction is punishable by a fine of not more than \$100 for the first offense, and of not less than ten nor more than two hundred dollars for a subsequent offense.

Under the provisions of the law, all motor vehicles must be equipped with lights which do not project direct rays at a height of more than four feet, or must not be capable of producing a dazzling light.

Muffler "cut-outs" can not be used within the limits of any incorporated town or city, or on any highway where the territory contiguous thereto is closely built up.

No intoxicated person shall drive or operate any motor vehicle on any highway.

No person shall employ as a chauffeur any person not licensed as provided by law, i. e., must have a chauffeur's license if driver operates his car for hire or for wages.

Motor vehicles must keep to the right in passing others going in opposite directions; to the left when going in the same direction. Cars must keep to right of road, unless there is a clear view for at least two hundred and fifty feet on the left side.

No racing nor speed contests shall be held upon any public highway.

The speed of motor vehicles is limited to 25 miles per hour; in closely built up districts, limited to 18 miles per hour and to 15 miles per hour in the business district of any incorporated town or city of not more than 40,000 population. In passing each other, vehicles shall slow down to 15 miles per hour.

Violation of any of the above provisions of the law is punishable by fine of not more than \$100 for the first offense and not less than \$10 nor more than \$200 for subsequent offenses.

The law will be strictly enforced, so this explanation is given that no one may suffer through ignorance.

T. R. SMITH, Co. Attorney
A. W. COOKSEY, Sheriff
W. G. DeLANEY, City Marshal

LOCAL NOTES

Mrs. J. P. Majors returned to her home in Sweetwater Wednesday after a visit with her children here.

Feed, coal, meal and hulls, corn and cake—everything handled by W. E. Watson at the warehouse.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Bell of Westbrook, a girl.

Good wood a plenty, either split or in blocks at O. Lambeth's.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Cowan are entertaining a new baby girl at their home.

Special Thanksgiving show at the Opera house Thursday afternoon and night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Urdie Wulf-jin, last Friday, a fine girl.

Watson will take care of your coal orders.

Mrs. Floyd Beall of Lubbock is visiting relatives here this week. Mr. Beall will spend Thanksgiving day here.

If its wood you want, I have it in abundance either split or in blocks.—O. Lambeth.

Born Sunday, to Mr. and Mrs. Charley Mann, a fine girl.

Charter Oak stoves at Colorado Mercantile Co.—Heaters, Cook and ranges.

Mrs. S. T. Shaw of Cuthbert has returned home after a two week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Givens. She enjoyed the Cotton Palace while there and reports a delightful trip.

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

Judge R. H. Looney has returned home from his trip to Hot Springs and other northern points, and reports a fine trip.

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.

Good stock of feed on hand, especially meal a hells—at O. Lambeth's.

A. L. Whipkey received this big barrel of fine apples from some in Indiana. They were sent from her sister, Mrs. Ike A., and came in just right for giving and Christmas.

Don't wait, but buy your coal now. We sell at old last year's prices. Colorado Mercantile Co.

J. D. Bell of Roby, formerly of Westbrook, visited Colorado this week on business and while here called on the Record and renewed his subscription. Mr. Bell is one of our old-timers. He has been taking the Record more than twelve years.

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

Ed Dupree returned home on Tuesday from the plains country, and reports fine rains and prosperous times.

Phone Watson for coal.

Shoe Shop Loyd A. White Shoe Repairing

Wooden heels put on without tacks and guaranteed to stay on. Shop at Fire Station. Second hand shoes for sale.

The inimitable, irrepresible and congenial M. C. Ratliff is with us once again, after a summer's sojourn at Roswell, New Mexico. Mike tells it in big letters, but says Mitchell county for him.

Pea green Alfalfa, plenty of it—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

Chrysanthemums large as a saucer at Mrs. Smith's greenhouse.

Pastor W. C. Garrett returned on Tuesday morning from the Baptist State convention at Dallas.

Good show at opera house Thursday matinee and night.

Plenty of Coal on the yard at A. M. Bell's, Westbrook.

When you see this local turn and read Watson's feed and fuel ad; and save at least \$1.00 on your first order.

Ernest Keathley, who has been attending the Baptist State convention at Dallas, returned Tuesday.

Cow feed, meal and hulls in a great plenty at O. Lambeth's.

Word comes from C. M. McDonald down at Bedias, that his condition is gradually growing worse, and the doctors say he will likely never recover. Mr. McDonald is the man who was hurt in October, out at Westbrook, by a well derrick falling on him.

Charter Oak Stoves, Cooking, Heating and Oil.—Colorado Mercantile Company.

W. R. (Rube) Morgan has a temporary position in a drug store at Sweetwater.

Don't forget to phone Lambeth for Wood or Coal—He has it.

We have secured an expert Cleaner, Presser, Bushelman and Hatter. Let us do your work. We guarantee all work—J. H. Greene & Co.

I. A. Griffith came over from Abilene on Monday of this week and says he will return to Colorado when the rains come again.

Hay of all kinds—lots of bran. Lowest possible prices.—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

C. R. Earnest sends for the Record to go to him at Strawn.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System
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.

Friend Shuford sends the Record to his son Jake, who is on his way "over there" with a branch of the aviation corps.

See W. E. Watson and order a ton of coal. Teaxs coal \$7.50, Colorado coal, \$9.50. per ton.

T. J. Davis, the truck gardener at Loraine called on Monday and left a dollar. Mr. Davis in company with Malcom Blakely was on their way for a big hunt in the Big Bend country down on Devils River, and of course promised the Record a share of the deer he kills.

Alfalfa, Oats, Bran, Chops, Hay, Corn and Coal.—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

Watson's coal on the track \$7.50 and \$9.50 per ton.

By the kindness of certain parties the Record now goes to the Y. M. C. A. at Camp Travis and Camp Bowie.

who is growing to be an expensive luxury these days, but for those many things upon which all the hard times in the world will have no effect. Those things which riches can never buy—the old, old gifts of health and laughter, with the stars smiling upon us by night and the great warm sun beaming down upon us by day—trying so hard to reach our hearts to keep them warm and sunny on all the days of the year beginning with Thanksgiving day. (Copyright, 1917, Western Newspaper Union.)



PRETTY GOOD KIND OF MAN

Deacon Opydke's Action Showed He Was Only Properly Appreciated by His Neighbors.

"Well, he is this kind of a man," said the livery stable keeper, when I asked him about his townsman, Deacon Opydke: "Last year the deacon had some extra work to do on his farm on the upper road, and I hired out my old Bill to him. At the end of a month the horse came back in good condition, the deacon paid the price, and everyone concerned was satisfied, including Old Bill, I guess. About about Thanksgiving time the deacon dropped in here and inquired about the horse. Seemed real pleased when I told him Bill was spryer than usual after his summer's work. Asked to see him, but the horse was out on a job. 'Quite a member of society, that horse is,' he said, and went away after inquiring how many horses I had in the stable, boarders and all.

"Thanksgiving morning there wasn't much doing here after the regular chores were done, and we all sat around the office stove, when the deacon's hired man drove up and unloaded a gunny sack full of something. I remember thinking he had borrowed that kind of satisfied smile of the deacon's, as he said I would find a note inside the bag. I did; and this was about what it said:

"You will find enough carrots here to give every horse in the stable a good dessert after the regular feed today. Be sure and have them cut fine enough so they won't choke, and tell the horses that Old Bill is standing treat."

"That's the kind of a man I've found Deacon Opydke to be," said the liveryman, with what I thought was considerable conviction.—Youth's Companion.

Autumn.
Now when the time of fruit and grain is come, When apples hang above the orchard wall, And from a tangle by the roadside stream A scent of wild grapes fills the racy air, Comes Autumn with her sun-burnt caravan, Like a long gypsy train with trappings gay And tattered colors of the Orient, Moving slow-footed through the dreamy hills, The woods of Wilton, at her coming, wear Dits of Bokhara and of Samarcand; The maples glow with their Pompelan red, The hickories with burnt Etruscan gold; And while the crickets fly along her march, Behind her banners burns the crimson sun. —Bliss Carman in the ATLANTIC.

Mrs. P. O. Stuchell Tells How She Cured Her Son of a Cold.

"When my son Ellis was sick with a cold last winter I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It helped him at once and quickly broke up his cold," writes Mrs. P. O. Stuchell, Homer City, Pa. This remedy has been in use many years: Its good qualities have been fully proven by many thousands of people. It is pleasant and safe to take. Adv.

JEWELRY

THE IDEAL

GIFT



Every Christmas thousands of dollars are spent in making gifts that afford only TEMPORARY pleasure to the persons receiving them. Yet there is no other class of merchandise that will give as many years of enjoyment and service as good Jewelry will give.

What other gifts can you purchase even at GREATER COST that will bring back as fond recollections of the giver as a Ring, a Watch, or a Piece of Silver?

We are prepared to furnish you with useful and attractive presents for each member of the family gifts that will be appreciated and cherished.

"WEALTH SPENT FOR GOOD JEWELRY IS CONSERVED NOT WASTED"



Come in and examine our complete and varied line of Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, and Novelty Lines.

Our prices will surely interest you.

J. P. Majors

Colorado - Sweetwater

ABOUT OUR SUBSCRIBERS

B. T. Daughtry has moved to Mercury and has his paper follow him. He goes from there shortly to Oklahoma. He wants the Record so as to keep up with the rains in this county.

A. C. White changes from Hermingh to Colorado, Rt. 1.

Mrs. Arbuthnot's street address is changed to 810 W. 1st St., Dallas, Worth.

Dr. W. H. Henthorne has moved from Gainesville to Sherman.

J. M. McMurry goes from Cuthbert to Polytchnic.

Mrs. P. M. Ramsdell of Oklahoma City is a new one.

Mrs. R. A. Taylor, Marshall, Tex., and A. R. Pool at Estancia, N. M., are new subscribers this week.

These have paid since last issue: E. S. Glover, Colorado; J. S. Curry, Colorado; T. J. Davis, Loraine; Mrs. Chas. McDonald, Lovington, N. M.; G. W. Plaster, Colorado; W. E. Warren, Colorado; J. P. Ehrlich, Colorado; John Guitart, Electro, Calif.

J. T. shaw goes from Cuthbert to Tioga, Texas.

How about recovering that roof this fall before the rains set in?—Rockwell Bros. & Co. have it.

NOTICE TO DEBITORS AND CREDITORS.

State of Texas, County of Mitchell.

To those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of William DeBusk, deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Wm. DeBusk, deceased, late of Mitchell county, Texas, by J. H. Bullock, judge of the county court of said county, on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1917, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence at Colorado, Mitchell County, Texas, where he receives his mail.

This the 9th day of November, A. D. 1917.

JOE Y. FRASER, Administrator of the Estate of Wm. DeBusk deceased. 12-7c

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership formerly subsisting between F. M. Bourn, of Mitchell County, Texas, and Dan McCunningham of Cheataqua County, Kansas, under the firm name of Bourn & McCunningham, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 12th day of November, A. D. 1917.

Colorado, Texas, November, 12, 1917

F. M. BOURN
DAN MCCUNNINGHAM

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's.
The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 60 cents.

NOTICE.

Th undraigned will not be responsible for indebtedness or other acts or contracts of Mrs. J. T. Golden, or minor children, Bessie, J. T. Jr., Billy, and Jimmie; or wife's mother Mrs. Bessie Young (latter named account my having recently been defendant in action for an indebtedness of hers). You are further warned to not employ any of such minor children, I, their father, being qualified, capable and desirous of caring for and educating them.

J. T. GOLDEN, Kanima, Okla., October 14, 1917.

AN OLD MAN'S STOMACH.

As we grow older and less active, less and less food is required to meet the demands of our bodies. If too much is habitually taken, the stomach will rebel. When a man reaches the advanced age of 85 or 90, you will find that he is a light eater. Be as careful as you will, however, you will occasionally eat more than you should and will feel the need of Chamberlain's Tablets to correct the disorder. These tablets do not contain pepsin, but strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels.

The Record has in stock a lot of fine Lithograph Blank Vendors Lien notes. Look like money. Let us sell you your blank notes.

Everything for Everybody

This is one of the best places to buy your fall goods because you can come here and find just what you want for the entire family and save all the bother of shopping around. Everything you get here carries an absolute assurance of correct style and the utmost in value for the price. Don't put off your shopping another day. Come and see us now. We are prepared to abundantly furnish you with

SUITS, COATS, SKIRTS, WAISTS, DRESSES, HATS, SHOES, HOSE
A full line of wearables for every member of the family.

C. M. ADAMS

EARNEST BUILDING

COLORADO, TEXAS

LOCAL NOTES

A new release of a Triangle feature on Thanksgiving—matinee and night.

Mrs. Chas. McDonald, of Lovington, N. M. sends a dollar and says, "I do not want to miss a copy."

Hat Work done at J. H. Greene & Co.—All work guaranteed.

Don't forget that we have wire, cedar posts, at the right price.—Rockwell Bros. & Co.

Jacob's Candies, fresh and fine, at Jno. L. Doss—"made last night."

Three more names sent in as having enlisted in the army from Mitchell county. They are James Kay Hooks, Jo John Rhodes, and Bennett W. Scott. So soon as we get the list complete we will again publish it.

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

Mr. M. K. Jackson left Wednesday morning for a business trip to Cisco and other points.

Beautiful chrysanthemum blooms at Mrs. Jim Smith's greenhouse.

Mrs. Edwin Fowlkes and the children are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Prude.

Cleaning, Pressing and Hat Work done by J. H. Greene & Co.

Mrs. Barcroft returned Tuesday from a week's visit in Dallas.

Hay, Grain, Feed, Cotton Seed Products, Wood and Coal.—Lambeth

Rev. S. J. Vaughan, who was pastor of the M. E. Church for four years and who has been in Gatesville for quite a while, has been moved to Cisco.

Phone Watson today for coal—now on the track at \$9.50 per ton.

Frank Robinson and Harry Landers of Camp Bowie, will spend Thanksgiving with home folks.

Pea green Alfalfa, plenty of it—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

A rhyming ad artist was in town this week. By reading the ads of W. L. Doss, Sam Majors, Spalding & Hemphill and the Paramount Garage you'll get a sample of his style.

Watson gins cotton, sells grain hay and coal.

W. C. Bush and family have returned to Mitchell county from their temporary East Texas home.

Get your winter stove now at the old price.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Sudden Jim—A new Triangle release Thursday, matinee and night.

The bank statements in this issue show a total deposit of \$512,512.40. Not a bad showing at the end of a two year's drought.

Hay, Grain, Feed, Cotton Seed Products, Wood and Coal.—Lambeth

Cloize King came in from Lovington, N. M. on Monday, and will leave in a few days for Camp Travis to enter the aviation corps.

Made last night—Jacob's candies at Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

J. B. Annis has been busy all the week packing up his goods to move to Clarendon, and expects to get off with his family Saturday night.

Oats, Corn and Chops, big lot on hand.—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

M. C. Holt returned home this week from North Texas. While there Mr. Holt bought a car load of feed to be shipped in for himself and a few of his neighbors.

Better buy that oil stove now—Cookers and Heaters.—Colorado Mercantile Company.

See Sudden Jim, the new Triangle release Thursday, matinee and night.

Wood, Wood, Wood—of all kinds, split or in blocks.—C. Lambeth.

Henry Doss left Tuesday night, on a trip through Oklahoma, Missouri and Illinois on a feed buying expedition. Henry says he will buy some ten or twelve car loads of feed and contract for more, to be shipped when needed.

J. R. Hastings reports the sale this week of the W. A. Cockreham 240 acre farm just east of town, known as the Wulfjen place, to Mr. C. G. Gay of Sanger, Texas in Collin county. Mr. Gay will take possession at once and Mr. Cockreham, with his family will move to Haskell.

Our old friend Bro. McCreless at Lewisville, Texas, promised to ship the Record a keg of home made sorghum, but as yet we have not seen it. We had hoped to be able to sop our corn pone in this lasses, but it looks now like we will have to continue to eat it dry so.

PLEASE PAY.

Those who owe me for Jack Service will please pay me now. The money is due and I need it. Feed is high and times are hard. Those who know themselves indebted to me are kindly asked to pay me at once. G. J. MCKINNEY, Westbrook.

FOR A WEAK STOMACH.

As a general rule all you need to do is to adopt a diet suited to your age and occupation and to keep your bowels regular. When you feel that you have eaten too much and when constipated, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets.

A PATRIOT'S CALL.

There are two classes of people in our country, Americans and traitors. Almost every week we read of disloyal acts of those traitors who are trying to stab the American soldier in the back as he advances to defend the honor of his country. Those who are not permitted to go and fight for their country should be true soldiers at home. If a farmer, he should put forth an extra effort to increase food production; and the city folks should encourage and practice economy. This is being done by both town and country people. Every patriotic man and woman in our country is willing to make sacrifices for their country's cause. There will be a few copperheads who will hiss, but their hissing will be drowned by the wave of patriotism that will sweep this country when our brave lads, the very flower of the country, march to the front, where some of them will give their lives for the cause of liberty and justice. Some people claim this war is unpopular; say we should not have gone into war. No doubt there were some people in the 17th century who said the same thing in regard to this country going into war with England; but where is the man or woman today who does not say that our forefathers were wise and patriotic? Could the immortal spirit of the father of this country speak to his descendants, what do you suppose he would say? Could the immortal spirit of Patrick Henry speak to this generation, I think he would speak as he once did, when he fired the hearts of his countrymen, of which I will quote a part if permitted space:

"It is vain, sir, to extenuate the matter. Gentlemen may cry peace, peace—but there is no peace. The next gale that springs from the north will bring to our ears the clash of resounding arms; our brethren are already in the field. Why stand we here idle? What is it that gentlemen wish? What would they have? Is life so dear or peace so sweet as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery? Forbid it, almighty God! I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty or give me death!"

Look yonder, Americans. See her ascending slowly to the top of that high staff. Take off your hats to old glory! Who can look upon that emblem without feeling emotion? The world has never known a banner more humble in its origin, yet more daring in its conception. For nearly a century and a half it has sent forth a message to liberty-loving people the world over, bidding them welcome to "She's up there, old glory; 'She's up there, old glory; No tyrant-dealt scars, No blur on her brightness, No stain on her stars. The brave blood of heroes Hath crimsoned her bars; She's the flag of our Country forever!" —Bachelor Boy in Farm and Ranch

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR RENT—To right parties, a cottage, close in, toilet and bath, good underground cistern. Apply to Mrs. Stewart Cooper or C. H. Earnest. tf

WANTED—Saw Mill Labor, Log Cutters, Log Haulers, Railroad Track labor, and farm hands. Good wages. Address, Caddo River Lumber Co., Rosboro, Arkansas. 12-14p

TO THE PUBLIC.

I call your attention to the fact that I am still making boots at moderate prices. Repairing done neatly and with dispatch. I have a man that does nothing else but repairing. Soliciting your work, I am yours,—FRED MEYER.

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

Big supply of fresh Jacob's candies "made last night," at Jno. L. Doss.

WESTBROOK ITEMS.

Mrs. R. C. Beal left last week for El Pas, where she will take treatment at a sanitarium. She expects to be gone two or three weeks.

Miss Susie Leach is home again after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Ruddick at Floydada.

Misses Ethel and Adaline Morris have recently returned from an extended visit in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hudson and family were guests of Mrs. S. H. Cromer of Colorado, Sunday.

Mrs. Martin of Fort Worth is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Martin, this week.

R. M. Rembert left Saturday for Pelican, La., to spend his vacation with home folks. Mr. Yates of Coahoma is acting as agent during his absence.

Clint Myrfick returned home from Dallas Thursday, where he had been at work.

Rev. J. W. Fulton was called to Coahoma Saturday to conduct the funeral of Grandpa Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Danner returned from the Baptist sanitarium at Dallas Monday. Mr. Danner did not undergo an operation, and returned sooner than he expected. His condition is not much improved and he may yet have to have an operation.

We are glad to report that little Sophia Brown is out again after a lingering spell of typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rogers and little daughter, Nina Lee, and Mrs. W. H. Butler and little Pete, were Abilene visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

Preston Phenix and son Carl, of Lamlin, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Donaldson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bell and Mrs. F. Hamilton and daughter Romelle, were shopping in Colorado Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Skelton received word Monday that her father, C. M. McDonald had made a change for the worse and they were expecting him to pass away at almost any time.

How about that new ceiling for the kitchen this fall?—Rockwell Brothers & Co., have it.

Jo R. Sheppard and H. L. Givens left Sunday night for Waco to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge. Sheppard goes before the committee to renew his certificates. Mr. Givens goes to represent the Council from this place. H. E. Grantland will go next Sunday night as High Priest, and J. S. Vaughan to represent the Blue Lodge here.

Phone W. E. Watson for coal.

Keeping Yourself Well

That Lingerin' Cold

is a steady drain on your physical stamina. It impoverishes the blood, distresses the digestion, and exhausts your vigor. It affords a fertile field for serious infection and is likely to become chronic.

You Needn't Suffer

from it if you will take Peruna and use prudence in avoiding exposure. Peruna clears up catarrhal conditions. Thousands have proved this to any fair person. Get a box of the tablets today—prove it yourself. Many prefer the liquid form. Both are good.



GOOD

Candy, gum, here's where you come to get the best on earth. Inspect a stock that none can knock, and get your money's worth.

Golden cream, a "cold-cone dream," and soft drinks up-to-date.

Assemble here for high-class cheer, you'll find our kind is great!

Real briar pipes, of many types, Tocacco's that are true.

Soda, best, and here you rest, when feeling sore or blue.

Spalding & Hemphill

Successor to Ben Morgan

J. L. PIDGEON CASH E. H. WINN

THE BRICK GARAGE

WINN & PIDGEON, Props.

The Largest and Best Equipped Garage in Mitchell County

Mr. Pidgeon, who is recognized as the leading mechanic in this section, will have the management of the business, thereby insuring to everyone the best possible workmanship and prompt, courteous treatment at all times. We solicit your business on the strength of being able to give you the best in our line.

OVERLAND

Service - and - Sale - Headquarters

Residence Phone (J. L. Pidgeon) 74. Shop Phone 164

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.

You can give your support to this great Government enterprise and also obtain its protection for your money by becoming one of our depositors.

THE COLORADO NATIONAL BANK

COLORADO, TEXAS

Saturday Ginning

From now on I will run my Gin every Saturday.

Will buy your remnants.

Bring me your Cotton Saturday.

WATSON GIN CO.

Just look what's here, the whole long year, to give to your best girls! Everything, from Chain to Ring, Diamonds, Rubies, Pearls, Watches, Clocks that stands hard knocks and sound a loud alarm. Each one is right, run day and night,—say get that gold stone charm? Latest style in things worth-while, from spoons to cut-glass bowls. Established trade, that we have made with gems that shine like coals. Repairing done for everyone—we'll fix that watch, old pard, we fix it don't forget. You'll surely win, if you come in, so keep this little card, you'll get your one best bit.

It Points the way to **SAM MAJORS**