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Mitchell County Election Returns.

OFFICES AND CANDIDATES	Colorado	Westbrook	Spade	Landers	Cuthbert	Car	Lorraine	Itan	McKenzie	Buford	Totals	Plurality	Majority
For United States Senator													
Morris Sheppard	677	116	62	21	69	34	511	13	12	78	1593		
For Governor													
W. P. Hobby	571	109	41	13	53	19	340	6	8	14	1206		
James E. Ferguson	99	8	22	7	10	15	150	7	2	34	354		
For Lieutenant Governor													
T. W. Davidson	115	17	10	4	20	5	109	5	2	13	300		
John R. Moore	60	7	17	4	4	9	53	4	1	23	182		
W. A. Johnson	334	75	12	7	23	6	197	1	2	25	657		
L. H. Bailey	15	2	1	1			13	1	1	1	34		
S. B. Cowell	53	24	7	1	5	2	42			2	119		
John M. Henderson	62	3	5	2	2	6	18		3	2	98		
For Attorney General													
C. M. Cureton	358	40	17	3	19	12	153	2		24	628		
John W. Woods	183	50	27	12	35	14	269	6	3	28	627		
Marshall Spoons	125	19	9	4	4	4	32	3	5	9	214		
For State Treasurer													
John W. Baker	413	84	32	8	40	20	287	7	9	42	942		
J. M. Edwards	240	24	20	11	16	12	160	5		20	524		
For Railroad Commissioner													
John L. Andrews	105	20	18	6	17	15	92	5	1	13	292		
C. M. Hurdleston	92	26	8	5	7	6	73	3		13	233		
C. E. Gilmore	449	66	27	8	32	9	285	3	6	31	916		
For Comptroller													
H. B. Terrell	186	28	14	9	23	14	107	6	6	19	415		
Sam H. Godlet	308	40	19	5	14	4	120	2	1	25	538		
C. C. Mayfield	140	39	18	10	19	12	203	3	1	14	459		
For Commissioner of Agriculture													
Fred W. Davis	199	29	22	2	18	14	156	4	3	24	471		
H. A. Halbert	459	79	31	17	38	17	285	7	6	40	979		
For Com. General Land Office													
James T. Robison	684	117	62	19	64	33	496	13	12	74	1574		
For Supt. Public Instruction													
Brandon Trussell	60	20	8	1	10	8	88	3	1	13	212		
Annie Webb Blanton	541	75	41	9	40	20	297	10	5	49	1087		
W. F. Doughty	60	16	7	9	10	5	72		2	7	188		
For Chief Justice Supreme Court													
Nelson Phillips	677	117	63	20	66	33	490	13	12	76	1567		
For Associate Justice Sup. Court													
J. D. Harvey	155	38	27	9	24	15	173	8	4	26	479		
T. B. Greenwood	479	70	23	10	29	13	262	4	1	32	923		
For Ass. Justice Court Crim. Ap.													
O. S. Lattimore	419	70	25	5	37	13	280	8	1	29	887		
F. B. Martin	13	4	4	4	2	2	21			4	54		
R. H. Ward	28	5	7		3	1	17		3	9	63		
W. M. Pierson	121	28	11	4	4	7	39	1	5	4	224		
C. A. Phippen	65	3	4	4	4	7	76	1	1	7	172		
For Ass. Justice Court Civil Ap.													
Irby Dunklin	679	117	63	20	67	32	490	13	12	75	1568		
For Congress 16th District													
C. B. Hudspeth	196	43	35	12	27	27	268	8	2	48	666		
Zach Lamar Cobb	477	71	25	9	37	7	222	4	9	26	887		
For Representative 101st District													
John J. Ford	687	112	62	20	68	33	504	13	12	79	1576		
For District Attorney 32nd District													
W. P. Leslie	675	116	62	21	65	34	502	13	12	79	1579		
For County Judge													
M. Carter	298	25	8	2	1	16	3	7		4	364		
W. L. Doss	175	36	20		40	11	8	4	11	25	330		
J. C. Hall	216	56	34	19	27	7	50	2	1	52	917		
For District and County Clerk													
W. W. Porter	680	116	61	21	69	34	506	13	12	78	1590		
For County Treasurer													
W. R. Morgan	679	116	62	21	69	34	505	13	12	78	1592		
For Sheriff and Tax Collector													
A. W. Cooksey	342	39	20	5	27	22	126	8	12	22	623		
W. J. Chesney	165	52	26	15	32	11	212	3		20	536		
L. A. Costin	187	22	17	1	10	1	158	2		37	435		
For Tax Assessor													
J. B. Holt	304	62	24	5	32	21	255	7	10	16	736		
Bruza C. Smith	149	28	14	8	23	7	199	4		50	482		
H. C. Mann	252	25	23	7	14	6	33	2	2	13	357		
For County Surveyor													
D. T. Bozeman	15		3		1						19		
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1													
A. J. Coc	258									16	274		
A. C. Gist	112									28	138		
Lay Powell	308									33	341		
For Commissioner Precinct No. 2													
J. W. Bird		117			58	33		13			221		
For Commissioner Precinct No. 3													
B. O. Joyce			29								29		
E. Barber			31								31		
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4													
Hallmark				7			198		9		214		
W. D. McCarley				14			284		3		301		
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1													
M. B. Roddy	681									77	758		
For Public Weigher Precinct No. 7													
J. L. Pratt				20			518				538		
Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1													
John H. Haley	255									59	314		
J. W. Nunn	357									20	377		
For Constable Precinct No. 5													
J. J. Ricens				18			462				480		
For County Chairman													
J. A. Buchanan	186	3	13	7	18	4				12	243		

FERGUSON ARTICLE HINTS AT CONTEST OF RECENT PRIMARY

Temple, Texas, Aug. 1.—That former Governor James E. Ferguson may contest the results of the recent primary in which he was defeated by Governor W. P. Hobby, is indicated by a statement appearing in the Ferguson Forum of Aug. 1 under his signature.

After relating several instances in which the writer believed the women had voted in an unconstitutional man-

ner and charging the "political preachers" with using their influence for Hobby, the statement says:

"In all probability I will give the palm singers and constitution howlers a chance to show whether they really care anything about the constitution or not.

"Let my friends be advised that we have not lost the fight, nor has it been in vain. Let us not be discouraged. Let us be on guard."

Fruit sandwiches must not be forgotten on the picnic.

HOBBY'S LEAD NOW IS PLACED AT 222,127 VOTES

With returns accounting for 4,100 out of the 4,399 precincts of the state received up to Tuesday afternoon, Governor Hobby's lead over Ferguson had increased to 222,127. The figures leave approximately 80,000 votes unaccounted for.

For Lieutenant Governor: Moore, 99,148; Davidson, 120,333; Johnson, 108,851.

NEW DRAFT AGES TO BE 18 TO 45 OFFICIALS HOPE

Secretary Baker Recommends to Congress that Limit be Fixed at That

YOUTHS CALLED OUT LAST

Older Men, if Bill Passes, Will be Called to Colors First in Order to Give Youths Chance to Mature.

Washington, Aug. 3.—From 18 to 45 years will be the new draft ages recommended to Congress in the bill embodying the war department's new manpower program which will be introduced in both houses of Congress Monday and expedited by committees with a view to prompt consideration when the regular session of the house is recommenced this month.

After announcing the new draft age today, Secretary Baker said all the possible combinations of age limit were carefully studied and it was found that in order to get the men in class one by the program, 18 to 45 was necessary. He said that the bill will contain a provision authorizing the president to call men of class one by classes according to age so that if it is found possible the men between 18 and 19 will be called out later than the elder men who are found eligible to class one.

The war department program, the secretary said, is purely a military one and cannot be called a conscription of labor.

There has been considerable opposition in congress as to lowering the minimum age, many members being reluctant to draft youths before they attain a majority and come into full citizenship. Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the senate military committee, said that he expected opposition on this score but expressed the opinion that there would not be the actual delay in passing the bill. Some members believe that the man power bill will be taken up immediately after the regular session starts and disposed of before the new war revenue legislation is considered.

Secretary Baker in discussing today the War Department's recommendations to congress of draft ages from 18 to 45, said there is no intention of calling to the colors youths between 18 and 19 until the other classes have been exhausted. This policy was decided upon, he said, in order to give the youths an opportunity to mature before they joined the army.

It is now certain that the bill will pass and Sept. 5th the day set for all to register.

RED CROSS WORK

The Executive Board of the Mitchell County Red Cross, met in regular monthly session Wednesday afternoon.

The regular business was attended to. The Canteen department reported that quite a number of boys who had left the past month had been remembered with stamps, cards etc.

The Woman's department reported the Summer quota of hospital garments almost completed. The Knitting department was instructed to buy yarn through local merchants, owing to delay in the yarn ordered from headquarters.

All writers take notice and be ready when notified to help fill the quota. An itemized report will be given of the woman's work next week. Owing to some misunderstanding the surgical dressings have been discontinued, but work will soon be resumed. Let every worker do her part when called upon.

The brewers told on Jimmie and he says he don't want any more of this kind of money.

For Attorney General: Cureton, 196,290; Spoons, 134,124; Woods, 189,050.

For Court of Criminal Appeals: Pierson, 83,314; Lattimore, 106,166.

For Railroad Commissioner: Andrews, 196,160; Gilmore, 224,512; Hurdleston, 122,635.

For Comptroller: Goddard, 164,252; Terrell, 138,731; Mayfield, 146,968.

Sprinkle fried bread crumbs, paprika and celery salt over string beans cooked for the table.

Oil Development

If you are interested in the Ranger-Cisco Oil Field. I have two lots and 5-room bungalow in good location in Cisco, which I will trade for farm land near Colorado, as I am now Section Foreman here and unable to properly see after my home, which is my only reason for selling. Consideration \$8000.00. See me at Colorado—Will show you photo of place, or best go see for yourself.

W. M. CASEY

SOISSONS, RAILROAD CENTER, WAS KNOWN TO HISTORIC FAME.

The National Geographic society issues the following wa. geography bulletin on Soissons:

"The strategic importance of Soissons, a city of 14,000 inhabitants at the time of the outbreak of the world war, is due chiefly to the fact that it is a great railroad center. It is situated on the left bank of the Aisne, twenty-five miles east of Compiègne and thirty-five miles west of Rheims. In the Paris-Laon railroad it is sixty-five miles northeast of the capital and twenty-two miles southwest of Laon.

"Before the war, Soissons was an important center for the grain trade of northern France, and was especially noted for its haricot beans. Its most flourishing industries were iron and copper foundries, boiler and agricultural implement factories, straw hat and glass works.

"Soissons is one of the oldest cities in France. Before the advent of the Suesiones, who held twelve towns of Gallia Belgica. Divitiacus, one of their most powerful kings, extended his sway even beyond the sea, among the Britons.

on the opposite bank are the ruins of the famous Abbey of St. Medard, where Pippin the Short was crowned by St. Boniface, the papal legate. It was in this abbey also, that the famous Abelard of Abelard and Heloise Memory, is said to have been imprisoned. In this vicinity, too, Thos. Becket, the fighting English prelate of Henrys II's time, lived during his long sojourn in France. Louis the Debonaire, one of the most unhappy of French Kings, made two enforced stays here as the captive of his two undutiful sons.

"No doubt, when the present war is over, Soissons will erect a second monument to commemorate those of its citizens who have fallen before the ruthless warfare of the Huns. In the place de la Republique there was erected in 1901 a memorial to the citizens shot by the Germans in the war of 1870.

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"The city's present status as a railroad center is an inheritance of many centuries, for in ancient times it was a starting point of military roads to Rheims, Chateau Thierry, Meaux, Paris, Amiens and St. Quentin. It was at Soissons that Clovis, king of the Salian Franks, defeated the Roman general Syagrius, and it was here that he married the Christian princess, Clotilda. Three years after the marriage the king and three thousand Franks were baptized.

W. C. Bush has sold his crop and is absent this week, up about Honey Grove looking out a new location. This is the second time Mr. Bush has left us and says he will stay this time. He sold his crop to H. C. Doss and the rains still fail to make Henry's trade good.

FOR SALE—A good Jersey milk cow, fresh in milk. Bargain. First come gets her. See G. C. Curry at Herrington's Garage 89p

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AUGUST 30 and 31

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AT THIS CRITICAL PERIOD IN OUR HISTORY, OUR MANUFACTURERS ARE OFFERING THEIR MILLS, AND OUR YOUNG MEN ARE OFFERING THEIR SERVICES TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO DO YOUR SHARE AND HELP BY PUTTING YOUR MONEY WHERE IT WILL SUPPORT THE NEW FEDERAL RESERVE BANKING SYSTEM, WHICH THE GOVERNMENT HAS ESTABLISHED TO STAND BACK OF OUR COMMERCE, INDUSTRY AND AGRICULTURE?

YOU CAN DO THIS BY OPENING AN ACCOUNT WITH US, AS PART OF EVERY DOLLAR SO DEPOSITED GOES DIRECTLY INTO

THE NEW SYSTEM, WHERE MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM IT WILL ALWAYS BEREADY FOR YOU WHEN WANTED.

You pledged the President on June 28th as you should have done. Keep your pledge and buy your War Savings Stamps at this Bank.

City National Bank

"UNCLE SAM'S BOYS" FROM MITCHELL COUNTY

The Record again publishes below the complete list of Mitchell county boys who have gone into the service up to date. Here is the list as complete as we can get it. If anyone knows of a name left off or an error in the name please report to this office or to the Local Draft Board.

Cut his list of names out and file it away, twenty years from now it will be valuable.

- Dan Adams, Westbrook
- G. T. Adams, Colorado
- Roy Allmond, Colorado
- B. L. Autrey, Cuthbert
- Edgar W. Armstrong
- Clarence Ray Armstrong
- James Avant (Colored)
- John M. Alexander
- Henry B. Beights
- Earl N. Burk, Colorado
- Yancie David Buckalew
- Basil A. Daniel
- James Otto Arnold
- Eoscoe L. Bassham
- Lewis C. Bledsoe, Colorado
- J. C. Britton, Loraine
- John Berry, Cuthbert
- Charles H. Boswell
- John Brown
- F. W. Brown
- Ray S. Baird
- Chris. Boswell
- Chester T. Beight
- Charlton C. Barnes
- Robert H. Bennett, Loraine
- Albert E. Brook, Cuthbert
- Lee Buchanan, Colorado
- Claude Bagwell
- Russell P. Burrus, Cuthbert
- Thomas Emory Burrus
- Samuel L. Brown, Jr., Cuthbert
- James S. Boyd, Colorado
- Allen G. Birmingham, Colorado
- R. E. Birmingham
- Ruby L. Buchanan, Colorado
- Bloodworth, Colorado
- Melvin Leone Burrus
- John Henry Brown
- Yancie D. Buckalew, Westbrook
- Robert Babbs, (Colored)
- Dr. Reeves Coleman, Colorado
- Chas. W. Caruthers, Colorado
- Dan Lewis Coerham
- Clarence M. Cuthbert
- Bertice J. Cechler
- John L. Cargill, Colorado
- Malone E. Compton, Loraine
- Will Clayton
- Carroll S. Compton
- Wyze D. Cooper, Loraine

- Ralph M. Connally
- Jack H. Coper, Colorado
- Huron Costin, Colorado
- Wayne Cook, Colorado
- Champ Carter, Colorado
- Chester Campbell, Colorado
- Roscoe Dobbs, Colorado
- Roy Dozier, Colorado
- Bill Davis, Colorado
- Charles William Diggs
- Miss Leona Dyas (Nurse)
- Hall DeGarmo, Colorado
- George W. Green
- W. C. Davis, Colorado
- J. M. Daniel, Colorado
- Jim Dobbs, Colorado
- H. B. Derryberry, Colorado
- Barclay C. Derryberry
- John E. Derryberry, Westbrook
- Raymond Dorn (Colored)
- Pete Eudy, Colorado
- Jeff Everetts
- James H. Everests, Cuthbert
- John D. Estes, Westbrook
- Henry Enderly, Colorado
- Basil Farquhar, Westbrook
- Arthur Feaster
- James P. Felts, Colorado
- Dee Monroe French
- Alfred Fuller, Colorado
- Lem Fowler
- Arthur Filler, Colorado
- James H. Finley, Loraine
- Alvin Farmer, Colorado
- Jack Farmer, Colorado
- Pinkie G. Fuller, Colorado
- Herman Griffith (Serg.) Colorado
- Andy Boyl Green, Colorado
- Earl C. Green, Colorado
- Bus. Gressett, (Corp) Westbrook
- Leroy Gressett, Westbrook
- Herman Gist
- Douglas E. Gill
- John D. Givens
- Jesse Hill Garrett, Colorado
- Ulyss Hall
- Jesse Hall
- Dyron C. Harrison
- Jesse H. Henley
- Luther E. Haggood, Loraine
- George Hunter, Colorado
- Leo Hathcox
- William Hastings, Colorado
- Garrard Hargraves
- Charles Horn, Colorado
- W. Claude Hooks
- J. Key Hooks, Colorado
- Orza Hecker, Colorado
- S. E. Hallmark, Loraine
- O. H. Howell
- Jno. B. Henley, Colorado
- E. P. Henley, Colorado
- Jack Helton, Cuthbert
- N. B. Haggerton, Loraine
- George D. Haggerton

- Arthur L. Holder, Loraine
- Albert J. Hiser, Loraine
- Fred B. Ison
- Miss Kate Justice (Nurse)
- Richard Jackson, Colorado
- Chas. Earl Jackson, Loraine
- W. O. Jackson,
- Lewis Jackson, Colorado
- Wootton W. Jeffress, Colorado
- Cloize King, Colorado
- Seth Keltner
- Claude King, Colorado
- Russell E. Kidd, Loraine
- Wylie C. Key, Colorado
- B. D. Lee,
- Tant Lindsay
- Luther L. Logan, Westbrook
- Luther Loudermilk
- George Olan Lee
- Cullie C. Logan, Westbrook
- Harry Landers (Serg.) Colorado
- Tant Lindsay
- Arthur L. Land, Dunn
- David P. Land, Loraine
- Joe Mize
- Willie B. Matthews, Westbrook
- John H. Martin, Colorado
- Claude Mitchell,
- F. B. Morgan
- Samuel E. Meadows, Loraine
- J. B. Mason,
- Willie B. Mathews, Westbrook
- Jim S. Martin, Loraine
- H. D. Muns
- Jim Metcalf, Westbrook
- Bert Miller, Loraine
- Acker Miller
- Claud Muns, Loraine
- I. C. Muns, Loraine
- W. B. Morgan, Colorado
- A. L. Maines, Colorado
- Junius Merritt, Colorado, **
- Lee Mitchell, Colorado
- Miller Mitchell, Colorado
- John Majors, Colorado
- J. L. Moore, Westbrook
- John W. McGuire, Colorado
- Len McGuire, Colorado
- Madison G. McCarty, Loraine
- Leonard McCullough
- Wm. R. McAfee,
- Mila McNary
- Nelson McClellan, Colorado
- Grady Newman, Colorado
- Max Newman
- Thos. H. Nunlee, Loraine
- W. W. Nunn, Colorado
- Jim Nunn, Colorado
- Sam Nunn, Colorado
- Wade Nash, Colorado
- H. G. Newton, Loraine
- Willie Norman (Colored)
- Claude E. Odle, Westbrook
- Hugh O'Conill
- Chas. Oliver, Westbrook

- Floyd M. Parker, Westbrook
- James Gordon Peters
- J. S. Peters
- Clarence Prichett, Colorado
- J. B. Pritchett, Colorado
- Frank Pond, Colorado
- Howard Pyane, Colorado
- Carl Phenix, Colorado
- Vance Phenix, Colorado
- Dean Phenix, Colorado
- R. E. L. Porter, Loraine
- James R. Porter
- R. Powell,
- Cullen Powell,
- Lloyd Quinney, Colorado
- Gilbert Quinney, Colorado
- Floyd Quinney, Colorado
- Wm. B. Robertson
- Luther T. Reese, Colorado
- Dewey Reed, Cuthbert
- Joe Roddy, Colorado
- J. R. Riley,
- Thos. W. Reeves
- Frank Robinson, Colorado
- Lister Ratliff, Colorado
- Joe John Rhodes, Colorado
- Clarence Rowland, Colorado
- J. Pinck Russell
- Ernest W. Ross
- Arthur Rucker, Loraine
- Howard R. Rogers, Cuthbert
- Harry Ratliff, Colorado
- Marshall Walker Roberts
- S. C. Stovall
- Guerin Shaw,
- Leonard Spurlin
- Thomas A. Stevens
- Sewell M. Shultz, Colorado
- Homer G. Simpson (Serg.) Colorado
- Shep. Shelton, Westbrook
- Robt. M. Stoneham, Colorado
- Jeff Smith,
- A. D. Smith,
- Clay Smith,
- Sam Mann Smith
- Roy Smith, Colorado
- Phil Smith, Corporal, Colorado
- Richard C. Sparks
- Thomas R. Smith, Colorado
- Donald Sheaf, Colorado
- Robert Shepherd (Lieut) Colorado
- Alonzo A. Strain, Cuthbert
- Bennett W. Scott, Colorado
- Leonard Simon, Colorado
- Sidney Shuford, Colorado.
- Geno C. Simpson
- Jake Shuford, Colorado
- Joe Shuford, Colorado
- Alfred Stevens, Westbrook
- Charlie Snowden.
- H. O. Smith,
- Charles Sporer, Loraine
- Hugh K. Saddle, Loraine
- John Lee Strain
- Bob Sheppard, Colorado
- Manse Smith (Colored)
- Tom Terry, Colorado.
- Irwin W. Terry, Colorado.
- George Thornton, Colorado
- Tom L. Taylor, Roscoe
- Floyd Thomas
- Emmett Tilley
- Otha Sidney Thompson
- Albert C. Taylor, Roscoe
- Carl C. Tomlinson
- Ollie H. Thompson
- Burrell D. Taylor, Colorado
- Jesse James Uzzle
- Stanley Van Tuyl, Colorado
- Anthony Van Tuyl, Colorado
- Dewey Wilson
- W. A. Williams, D. D., Colorado
- John Worrell,
- Richard Williams, Colorado
- Roger Williams, Colorado
- Aubit Williams,
- Roy West, Loraine
- Ben T. Webb,
- Ivy T. Webb, Colorado
- Tine Walters,
- Arthur Waldo
- Charlie White,
- B. M. Williams
- Aaron James Williams
- John Sharpe Williams
- Lynton H. Welch, Colorado.
- Andy Wright, Colorado
- C. H. Womack, Cuthbert
- T. S. Womack, Cuthbert
- D. M. Womack, Cuthbert
- William E. Womack
- Solomon M. Wood
- James G. Waters
- Jos. H. Wathen, Loraine
- Will Watson, Loraine
- Clarence G. Wright, Colorado
- Maurice G. Walkup, Colorado
- James G. Waers, Colorado
- Ira Warren
- Walter Washburn, Loraine
- Homer A. Winberly, Loraine
- R. E. Warren, Colorado
- Mack Watson, Colorado
- Albert Young, Westbrook
- William M. Yater,
- Luther P. Young
- John M. Yater
- James L. York
- W. H. Yater

This makes a total of 299 young men from Mitchell county. All names followed by ** means that they gave their life for our country—died in service.

The Strong Withstand the Heat of Summer Better Than the Weak

Old people who are feeble and younger people who are weak, will be strengthened and enabled to go through the depressing heat of summer by taking GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. It purifies and enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. You can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect.

MEETING OF COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The County Executive Committee met last Saturday, canvassed the Vote, created a new Executive Committee, and appointed Election judges for the August 24 primary.

General apathy was exhibited in the selection of a County Executive Committee in the recent primaries, though J. H. Buchanan was elected County Chairman by a much larger vote than is usually cast for that important office. R. A. Hood of Precinct No. 3 (Spade) was the only committeeman elected. The new chairman has appointed the following committee to serve for the ensuing two years: Colorado, Precinct No. 1, R. G. Smith; Westbrook, Precinct No. 2, A. Petty; Landers, Precinct No. 4, Hunter Looney; Cuthbert, Precinct No. 5, N. T. Womack; Iatan, Precinct No. 6, E. B. Gregson; Loraine, Precinct No. 7, S. E. Brown; Car, Precinct No. 8, J. T. Elliott; McKersie, Precinct No. 9, F. E. McKensie; Buford, Precinct No. 10, C. W. Hagler.

The following officers were appointed to hold the second primary, and were allowed the following number of assistants, which they will choose themselves: 1—Earl Jackson, five assistants; 2—E. S. Hudson, three assistants; 3—Otto Jones, three assistants; 4—Harvey Cook, three assistants; 5—Geo. E. Goodwin, three assistants; 6—T. L. McKenney, two assistants; 7—A. C. Pratt, five assistants; 8—Steve Jones, three assistants; 9—Geo Adams, two assistants; 10—James F. Bodine, three assistants.

The reduction in number of election officials is due to the ballot being very short and the work very materially lightened.

SUMMER COMPLAINT.

During the hot weather of the summer months some member of almost every family is likely to be troubled with an unnatural looseness of the bowels, and it is of the greatest importance that this be treated promptly, which can only be done when the medicine is kept at hand. Mrs. F. P. Scott, Scottsville, N. Y., states, "I first used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy as much as five years ago. At that time I had a severe attack of summer complaint and was suffering intense pain. One dose relieved me. Other members of my family have since used it with like results."

Singer Sewing Machines, Needles and Oil for sale by E. Keathley.

W. K. MILES WRITES FROM FRANCE.

Am enjoying life the best in the world. Don't think we are having a hard time for we're not. I like here better than I did there and feel better every day. The more I see of this country the better I like it. Am in the best company I've been in since being in the army. Somehow I feel like we will be back soon. We are all in good spirits. The weather is very pleasant here. Will try to let you hear from me once a week. Can't write you anything of importance.—Keith Miles.

Less hot air. More War Savings Stamps. Save or fight. It's up to you.

NOTICE.

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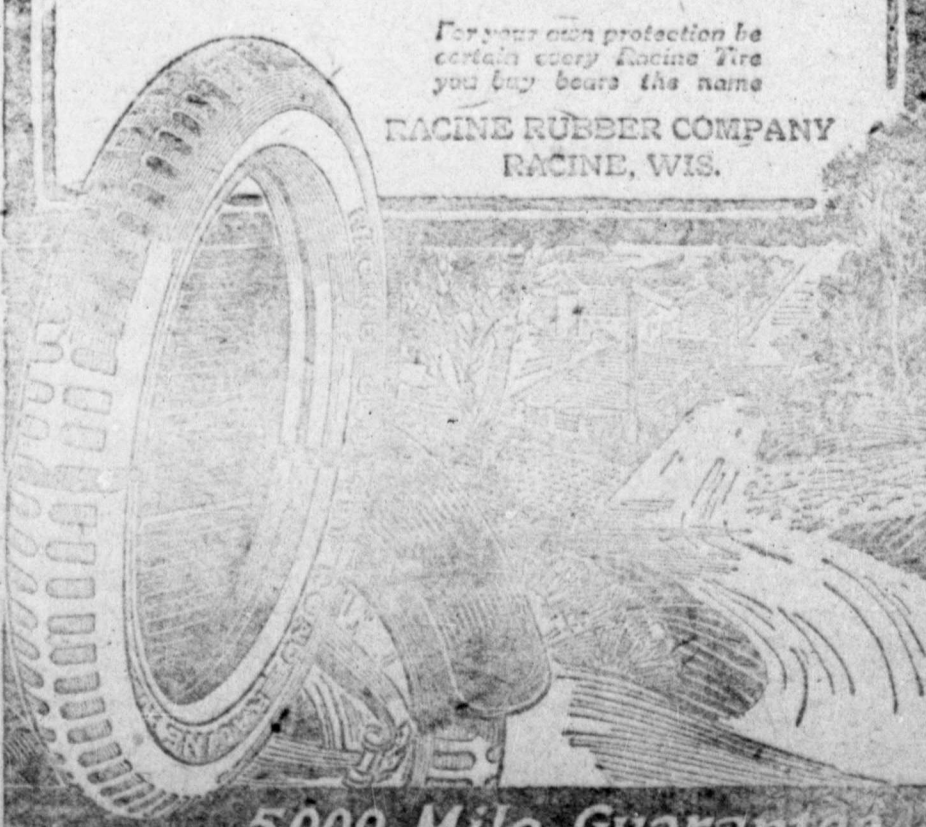
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County Engineer, O. Leonard, is pushing the Mitchell county road work as fast as possible.

On Monday of this week about 23 teams were put to work hauling gravel on the road commencing at the Nolan county line and coming this way.

On Tuesday something like 20 additional teams were put on, getting the gravel from the Porter pit, and teams were coming in and being added all the time.

In a few days, perhaps by Saturday, 75 additional teams will be put on. These will commence at Shepherd school house and come this way.

Mr. Abbott, who is S. E. Brown's concrete foreman is on the ground putting in the footings for a 30-foot girder concrete bridge just this side of Loraine.

Mr. Leonard asked us to say that all of those who have money due them for moving fence could get it on Saturday, as he would issue orders on that day.

Among some of the men, about hiring a certain man with eight big mules, and a road plow. It was claimed that the man did not live in Mitchell county.

Aside from this the work is going on smoothly and hundreds of men are and will be employed all through the month of August at least.

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DROUTH IN ARKANSAS

A letter from our good friend, C. N. Payne at Fort Smith, Ark., says in part, "This country is in a bad fix, everything burned up; leaves falling from the trees like in November."

The pictures over seas in Pershing's Crusaders, are complete and satisfying, and give an adequate answer to those who want to know what the boys are doing and what their life is like in and around the trenches.—New York Sun.

Cucumbers for sandwiches should be mixed with a French dressing seasoned with onion juice and parsley.

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To My Friends and Customers of Mitchell County and surrounding country:

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Thanking you for your patronage for the past thirty-six years, I hope to continue in your confidence and still share in your good will and patronage. It pays to pay cash.

Very respectfully,

F. M. BURNS

LORAIN LOCALS.

Mrs. Harley Meorse and baby returned Friday night to their home at Kemp, after a short visit with her people near Loraine.

Rev. M. L. Moody is conducting a meeting at Valley View this week beginning last Saturday night.

Howard Bell and family left the first of the week for Henderson county, prospecting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen left Saturday night for Mineral Wells to make their home, and his father, Tom Allen, and family also Lacey Allen and wife are loading a car this week for Mineral Wells where they will locate.

A. E. Burnett and family left Tuesday for the east to get employment.

Hubert Toler made a business trip to San Angelo this week.

Miss Pearl Allen left last week for Wichita Falls where she has a position.

Allen Nelson made a business trip to Putnam this week.

The Junior League enjoyed a picnic at M. D. Cranfill's place Tuesday.

Miss Lillie Nelson of Sweetwater spent Sunday with home folks in Loraine.

Mrs. W. A. Pendergrass and children returned Sunday morning from Brownwood where she visited her parents.

Alvin Brown and family are moving.

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to the W. J. Coon place in East part of town, this week.

Geo. Bryson and family started Sunday for Oklahoma to find a location.

Dewey Winstead left Friday for Corpus Christi to get employment.

Dewey Wilson left last week for the training camp.

The monument of the late J. H. Gregg was unveiled by the Woodmen, Sunday afternoon at Loraine. Despite the hot weather a large crowd witnessed the ceremony.

Dr. R. D. Broyles of Ft. Worth, visited in Loraine last week.

Hop Manley and family, Allen Nelson and family, Misses Bessie and Opal Evans and Cora Nelson, and Dewey Winstead spent a few days on the Concho river, last week, fishing. The reports were plenty of fish and lots of fun.

Bob Anderson is now working in the City Garage, he being a partner with the Kidd Brothers.

Estate of John R. Ledbetter, Deceased

To those Indebted to the Estate of John R. Ledbetter, Deceased:

The undersigned having qualified as executors of the estate of John R. Ledbetter, deceased, at the July term, A. D. 1918, and on the 22nd day of said July, A. D. 1918, during a regular term thereof, hereby notify all those having claims against said estate to present them to us, or to either of us, at our respective residence and address, Colorado, in Mitchell County, Texas.

This 24th day of July, A. D. 1918. CORA O. LEDBETTER, WILL H. LEDBETTER, Executors of the Estate of John R. Ledbetter, Deceased 815

MRS. GARRETT SUES HER HUSBAND

The Houston papers report the trial of Bessie Lee Garrett vs. her husband, B. N. Garrett, as now ready to go to the jury. Mrs. Garrett is suing her husband for possession of the children and \$100,000 alimony.

The Garretts formerly lived in Colorado, and are remembered here by many of the older residents. Since leaving Colorado it is reported that Mr. Garrett has become quite wealthy.

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COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

On Saturday last at 2:30 p. m., the Mitchell County Democratic Convention met at the Court House.

The meeting was called to order by J. A. Buchanan, County Chairman, when R. G. Smith was elected Temporary Chairman and L. W. Sandusky was elected Temporary Secretary.

A committee on credentials was then appointed to-wit: S. E. Brown, N. T. Womack and the secretary, who reported the following named accredited delegates from the various precincts of the County, which report was received and adopted.

COLORADO PRECINCT P. C. Coleman, R. G. Smith, L. W. Sandusky, W. P. Leslie, Hall Jarman, F. B. Whipkey, C. P. Conoway, J. H. Greene, J. R. Shepperd, U. D. Wulfrjen, J. H. Haley, W. W. Porter, B. Dobbs, A. L. Scott, W. R. Morgan, A. J. Coe, D. N. Arnett, Y. D. McMurry, J. A. Buchanan, A. E. Madden, J. M. Thomas and J. C. Hooker.

LORAIN PRECINCT S. H. Hart, J. M. Bruce, S. E. Brown, T. J. Coffee, Lee Kidd, J. T. Draper, A. C. Pratt, Daniel Gunn, George Hutchens, C. B. Reeder, and O. E. Stevenson.

SPADE PRECINCT E. Barber and W. D. Hargrove.

BUFORD PRECINCT D. J. Hunter.

CUTHBERT PRECINCT N. W. Womack.

Upon proper motion the Chairman appointed the following committees:

On resolutions; W. P. Leslie, D. J. Hunter and C. P. Conoway; on nominations to State and Congressional conventions; P. C. Coleman, W. R. Morgan and S. E. Brown. The Convention was then at ease when the committee on nominations made the following report of its nominations.

TO THE STATE CONVENTION.

L. W. Sandusky, W. P. Leslie, O. E. Stevenson, P. C. Coleman, W. R. Morgan, R. A. Jeffries, R. H. Looney, Mrs. J. G. Merritt, Mrs. Hubert Toler and Prof. King.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

P. C. Coleman, O. E. Stevenson, A. C. Pratt, L. W. Sandusky, Mrs. De Garmo and Mrs. J. C. Prude.

The report of the Committee was then called for and the following resolution was introduced, read and unanimously adopted by the Convention:

WHEREAS, during the past year the Nation at large and Texas especially have made more progress in moral reform than during the dozen years prior thereto, and, Whereas, we have witnessed (1) unrelenting warfare on social vice, (2) a growing unity among our citizens, (3) an enthusiastic, unselfish and liberal support of the nation's program in the suppression of "Hun" barbarism and international piracy, and, Whereas, our Government both State and National has shown profound patriotism and wisdom in the direction of our affairs both Military and civil, NOW, THEREFORE, Be it resolved by the democrats of Mitchell County, Texas, in County Convention assembled:

FIRST: That we congratulate the Nation in the wise leadership it finds in our President, Woodrow Wilson, and we rededicate ourselves in a most complete cooperation with him and the administration along all lines that makes for an early and decisive winning of a complete victory by the forces of Democracy over the forces of greed, selfishness and barbarism.

SECOND: That we congratulate the people of our State in their last Saturday's choice of Hon. W. P. Hobby for the next Governor of Texas, and we believe the citizens of our great State should felicitate themselves on the glorious outcome of that primary election for the following reasons: (1) The fact that Governor Hobby was nominated by a Quarter of a Million Majority is a righteous, mighty and crushing protest on the part of the people against dishonesty in government and it constitutes an unmistakable demand by a sovereign people that public officials shall not serve two masters; (2) It is a reaffirmation of the time-honored principle of government that "A Public Office is a Public Trust," and not a private "Snap" to be bartered and exchanged and manipulated for private advantage under promises written in "blood" between Breweries and coarse bred politicians who fain would hide from the eyes of an avenging public their crimson deed.

(3) Because the result of said primary is a demand in language so loud and unmistakable that even political demagog and dullard can not fail to know henceforth that the public de-

mands a single standard of morality in the realm of personal life and public policy, and that the judgment day of swift and complete destruction awaits the official who would exploit a public office for private gain.

THIRD: Be it Further Resolved: That we express our hearty appreciation of the results of woman suffrage to date, that we congratulate them on their new and well-earned privilege, and that we especially congratulate them on their ability to diagnose the ill and diseases of our society and their courage in administering in heroic doses the curative necessary to cleanse the weakness of our political system; and we venture that their presence in the political arena will henceforth have a salutary effect, terrifying the cheap politician who would thrive by creating class distinctions and class prejudices, arraying one against the other and who, though charged with the enforcement of the law, yet, mocks the law and has the audacity to ask the people to repudiate Constitutional Government.

FOURTH: Be it Resolved, That we express our thanks to Governor Hobby for the great war measures he has caused to be enacted into law in Texas, and we pledge him our united support in all he does that makes for cooperation with the National Administration and which would make Texas the most helpful of all States in the winning of the war. We have confidence in Governor Hobby as a man and we do not doubt his ability and purpose as an official to keep from all entangling alliances with the expiring liquor forces in Texas, and believing his face is toward the future and that his heart beats true to the best interests of the whole people, we again congratulate the State on its choice for next Governor and express our renewed faith that a new and better day for Texas is dawning.

FIFTH: Be it further Resolved, That the Democracy of Mitchell County go on record in favor of unrestricted woman suffrage by Constitutional Amendment and that we make a like declaration in favor of prohibition, State and National; and that we hereby instruct all delegates to the next State Convention of the Democratic Party of Texas to work for and vote first, last and all the time and as a unit for such men, measures and resolutions as will secure the earliest possible submission to the people of Texas of Constitutional amendments whereby the people of Texas may be given an opportunity to write into their Constitution the measures herein approved.

SIXTH: Be it further Resolved, That we indorse M. H. Wolfe for Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee and so instruct our delegates to vote accordingly.

Respectfully submitted, W. P. LESLIE, Chairman, D. J. HUNTER, C. P. CONOWAY.

The Convention accepted said report and unanimously elected said parties as delegates to the respective Conventions.

There being nothing further before the Convention, a motion to adjourn was made and carried.

R. G. SMITH, Chairman L. W. SANDUSKY, Secretary.

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1905	.30	.63	5.04	2.72	2.73	2.46	4.20	4.07	3.71	1.69	1.74	.57	30.87
1906	.29	.73	1.43	3.10	6.01	2.12	3.15	7.82	2.96	2.77	2.33	.62	33.32
1907	.21	.60	2.04	.34	2.10	2.33	9.42	.15	.17	6.63	1.93	.44	25.76
1908	.45	.08	.33	5.73	5.61	.52	3.71	1.22	1.54	.62	1.71	.00	21.52
1909	.03	.02	.37	.06	1.33	.01	2.75	1.69	1.18	1.33	4.58	.00	14.31
1910	.00	.20	.48	.60	1.40	.13	.16	1.14	.90	5.53	.88	.00	10.42
1911	.41	4.48	.72	2.12	.67	.00	2.53	2.97	2.11	.00	.45	2.90	19.72
1912	.00	.90	.00	1.11	.89	1.67	1.08	2.92	.06	1.92	.00	1.56	12.41
1913	2.17	.40	2.07	1.75	1.30	2.77	2.69	.16	.00	2.60	2.75	4.57	23.23
1914	.00	.15	.40	3.85	5.37	4.70	2.75	5.85	.70	5.75	.81	1.53	31.96
1915	.17	.21	.21	5.05	2.24	2.41	2.55	2.86	6.58	2.63	.00	.43	26.94
1916	.09	.08	.84	2.22	1.72	.00	.38	.58	.62	.90	.30	.31	7.94
1917	.11	.00	.00	1.55	.47	.14	1.56	.77	.00	.07	.00	.00	4.47
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THE CROP OUTLOOK

Not a drop of rain in Mitchell County since the 2nd day of June, right at the time when the crop needed it the most, all of July was bone dry. This is the first July in fourteen years that it has failed to rain some. The crops in Mitchell County are holding up remarkably well; we have talked to quite a number of farmers and they all say if it will rain anytime in August that late cotton and feed will make a fair crop. Early feed and early cotton are both gone and it looks now as if a very small crop of anything can be made with the best of rains.

Crops all over Texas are suffering for rain. In the black belt of North Texas, cotton is needing rain to make a larger weed, and farmers say unless this comes right away the crop will be cut short at least a half of what was promised the middle of July. South Texas is dryer than this section, Central Texas is burned up, East Texas is suffering, and only a small section in Northwest Texas has good crops. Many other States are also being hit hard by drouths, which appear to be general with the exception of isolated spots.

Yet all this is but poor consolation to us who are experiencing a three year's drouth.

J. S. Lanier, who lives at Mineral Wells, Texas, said that crop conditions in that section of the country were bad owing to lack of good rains. The corn was burned up long ago, and now the cotton is practically all burned, and there will not be any to gather, he said.

J. M. Dobie, prominent cattleman of San Antonio, was in Fort Worth on Wednesday on the return trip from Oklahoma, where he has been looking after his cattle interests. He reports some sections of Oklahoma are feeling the effects of continued drouth and that cattle will soon suffer if the drouth is not relieved.

Austin, Texas, Aug. 1.—Cotton crop prospects in Texas are 2,000,000 bales less than it was 30 or 40 days ago, in the opinion of W. B. Year's, cotton marketing specialist of the state department of agriculture, who has just returned from an investigation of cotton conditions throughout the state. He stated that that portion of the state which suffered so severely from drouth last year, is, as a whole, in as bad shape as it was this time last year. Practically all of north and east Texas where bumper crops were made last year, is now badly in need of rain.

Houston, Tex., July 31.—The hot and drouthy weather of the past week caused further deterioration of feed crops, cane, peanuts, sweet potatoes, and ranges. The dry weather has stopped the growth of cotton and deterioration was more or less general. The plants are small blooming at the top, shedding and opening prematurely. Late corn is a failure except where timely local rains occurred.

W. A. Halford, of Abilene, has just

returned from Dallas County, says, "Crops there are good, though cotton is needing rain, and we heard more drouth complaint in two days there over a three week's dry spell, than we have heard in Taylor County over a three year's drouth. While cotton is not growing much now, it is in fair condition and should make around a third of a bale per acre without more rain. Wheat was extra good, threshing twenty to forty bushels, and oats made an average of about sixty bushels.

From Fort Worth this way, crops are burning up, and very little will be made.

Tarrant and Parker counties had good prospects up to a month ago, but lack of rain has blasted these.

From talking with people from all sections of the state we gathered that the only part of the state blessed with average crops is a small tier of country in the northeast corner, from Dallas north and east. Crops there are above the average taken as a whole. South and east Texas are burned up or suffering for rain and it looks as if the grand old state will be mighty short on production this year.

The Baylor County Banner, at Seymour says, "This country is about blown up as far as crop conditions are concerned. It is going to be necessary for a portion of our population to go somewhere and work while the rest of us stay and try and hold things together. Don't go if you can stay, and if you go make your arrangements to come back again. For the next few years is likely to be good here and it may be bad somewhere else. And don't go away with the idea that such a course marks "Paid in Full" on all your obligations. If the drouth gets your crops, that is bad. If it gets your honor, that is irretrievable. Those whom you are indebted to are in no measure responsible for the drouth."

The Record is optimistic, and it is a fact that many sections of Texas are hard hit by the drouth this year. The old black waxy belt is having its troubles, just like the west. The only difference is that the people of the west have the spirit to withstand the knocks of adversity better than the black waxy people. Everything will come out in the big wash. Stick it out and keep smiling.

For more than two years, now we have predicted the return of a normal rainfall and tried to urge people not to become discouraged, and after seeing two crops wither away like chaff and the fertile lands lie barren and bleak beneath a burning sun, we are still hopeful of the all-reviving moisture to save a mead of crops for this year. History proves that one extreme always, without fail, follows another. And on this theory when the rains do begin to descend again we will have an abundance of moisture and the country will bloom like a rose in a steam heated hot house. And it can't possibly be many more weeks before these rains begin falling. Already the drouth has lasted beyond the length of any preceding one, and this one must end sometime. When it does the west will come into her own with a vengeance.

The primary election table has now been corrected as per the count of the Executive Committee and is correct. Cut it out and keep it until the next election.

In politics and in your every day life, don't try to smear your neighbor with mud, you will find it hard to keep some of it from sticking to your own skin.

The German birth rate is said to be falling off rapidly, and the German death rate is increasing by leaps and bounds. We are ridding ourselves of the menace, both going and coming.

R. B. Terrell announces that he now handles the Eclipse Windmill and repairs, also all kinds of water pipe and fittings. Fred Harris now has charge of the tin shop and plumbing. All work done promptly and guaranteed.

PREDICTED ROOSEVELT WILL BE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENCY IN 1920

Prominent Part Played by Former President in New York Convention Cited as Proof of His Dominating Influence in His Party's Councils.

Washington.—The prominent part played by former President Roosevelt at the recent New York state convention has started inquiries as to whether Roosevelt is to figure again as a candidate.

It is now certain that he will figure again, probably as a republican presidential candidate in 1920.

Colonel Roosevelt's attitude toward the presidential situation was set forth in an interview with him several weeks ago.

At that time he stated frankly that he was not interested in the presidential office, but is interested in forwarding certain policies which he regards as important.

Win The War Now.
The winning of the war is, of course, the first of these.

He believes that it is no time to think in political terms. His attitude is best expressed in his own words delivered at the recent Saratoga convention, where he said:

"Everything we do now and everything we say must help win the war. The president had said, 'Politics is adjourned.' He is certainly right, in so far as politics is to be used for personal ends or party triumph.

"But popular government, even in war, must be carried on by parties.

Party organization of public opinion may be the best way to secure needed government action. That is the present case.

"The nation needs the Republican party to give popular expression to an affirmative aggressive war policy. Its success at the polls in November will spur the administration to adopt one. A Republican congress will enact legislation to initiate and carry it on. . . . 'We are not now concerned with the national election of 1920. That may take care of itself. Its outcome will depend on circumstances which one cannot now foresee. Our present task, as patriots and Republicans, is to help the present administration organize the potential force of this country into a knock-out blow to William of Hohenzollern and his compliant German people.'"

Couldn't Win Today
If the national presidential convention were to be held tomorrow it is the opinion that Colonel Roosevelt would decline to be a candidate against Woodrow Wilson. While there has been some criticism of the administration's handling the war and war preparations, it is a fact recognized by all politicians that the country as a whole is quite solidly behind President Woodrow Wilson, and any candidate, even as popular as Colonel Roosevelt would make poor headway against Wilson.

The spirit in which the administration has taken criticism is evident in the willingness of the secretary of war and others to correct any shortcomings which might be pointed out, and the strong efforts made to speed up the war activities have increased the number of supporters of the administration and have done much to put the presidential campaign in the background.

The main significance in the Roosevelt phenomena today is the fact that the Republican party is beginning to function as a party of opposition, and is looking to him for leadership. What ever leadership is exercised in the Republican party will be exercised by Theodore Roosevelt, and whatever candidate is chosen in 1920 will be chosen by Roosevelt's advice and consent.

LIKE AN ELECTRIC BUTTON ON TOES

Tells Why a Corn is so Painful and Says Cutting Makes Them Grow

Press an electric button and you form a contact with a live wire which rings the bell. When your shoes press against your corn it pushes its sharp roots down upon a sensitive nerve and you get a shock of pain.

Instead of trimming your corns, which merely makes them grow, just step into any drug store and ask for a quarter of an ounce of freezone. This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. A few drops applied directly upon a tender, aching corn stops the soreness instantly, and soon the corn shrivels up so it lifts right out, root and all, without pain. This drug freezone is harmless and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin.

We use the best CENTEX lens in all our spectacles.—J. P. Majors.

SAVED FROM ETERNAL DISGRACE

Not only has the Democratic Party of New York been saved from disgrace and degradation, but out of the Saratoga Convention have come a ticket that Democrats can support and a platform that Democrats can ratify.

The credit for the complete victory over disloyalty and demagogy that was won at Saratoga belongs to those up-State Democrats who uncompromisingly refused to accept William R. Hearst as the party candidate. In particular it belongs to William Church Osborn, who had the moral courage to make Hearst the issue in the primaries as well as in the convention and boldly met the challenge of the Hearst candidacy.

When Tammany entered into partnership with Hearst last fall to make Hyman Mayor of New York City, it invited the situation that all but discredited the Democratic Party of this State. It was inevitable that Hearst having selected the Tammany candidate for Mayor, would next insist upon his right to select the regular Democratic candidate for Governor and used his influence over Hyman to club Tammany into line.

This is what happened, and naturally enough, in the selection of a candidate for Governor, Hearst turned to himself. What he had to offer Tammany in exchange for the nomination was the disloyal vote of New York and the vote of the un-American Bolshevik elements whose notion of free government is the despoiling of all property-owners for the benefit of those who have not yet acquired property.

That this vote is considerable, that it might easily hold the balance of power in a closely contested election, was shown in New York City last fall, and Hearst is peculiarly its leader and spokesman. For more than a dozen years he has been the persistent champion of Bolshevik doctrine, and from the beginning of the war he was an essential part of the German propaganda, so much so that the Kaiser praised the work of the Hearst Newspapers in behalf of the German cause.

Unquestionably Tammany would have taken Hearst as a candidate for Governor if it had not been for the certainty of a party split which developed at the Saratoga Convention. It might have taken him reluctantly, as it did in 1906, but it would have taken him if the up-State Democrats had not stood firmly for party honor and party patriotism.

It was they who brought about the designation of Alfred E. Smith for Governor. It was within the Tammany and Brooklyn organizations that the chief opposition to Mr. Smith's nomination centered, in spite of the fact that he is a Tammany leader and a Tammany office-holder. As Tammany rejected Mr. Smith for Mayor last fall regardless of his extraordinary ability and his great popularity, so it would have rejected him for Governor if the up-State Democrats had not forced his nomination and thereby rescued their party from unspeakable shame.

The Saratoga Convention has turned out so much better than anybody had a right to expect that the whole State is to be congratulated on the result. Although it is unbelievable that a candidate with Hearst's record could be elected Governor of New York at a time when the country demands 100 per cent loyalty from every citizen, the very fact of his nomination would have been a blot upon the war record of the Nation. Every

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the Second Democratic Primary, Saturday, August, 24th:

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
We are authorized to announce A. W. Cooksey for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector.

We are authorized to announce W. J. Chesney for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector.

For County Tax Assessor:
We are authorized to announce J. B. Holt for the office of county Tax Assessor.

We are authorized to announce Bruza C. Smith for the office of County Tax Assessor.

For County Commissioner Precinct No 1.
We are authorized to announce Lay Powell for the office of County Commissioner for Precinct 1.

We are authorized to announce A. J. Coe for the office of County Commissioner, Precinct 1.

element of disloyalty and pro-German pacifism in the United States would have taken new courage from the nomination of such a man for Governor by the Democratic Party—the party of Woodrow Wilson—in the most populous state of the Union. From William R. Hearst to Alfred E. Smith is like emerging from a sewer into sunlight, and in that choice we believe the Democratic voters of New York have found a true expression of their principles, their loyalty and their patriotism.

Joe Mize, out in the Hermleigh neighborhood, came in on Tuesday and volunteered for the Navy, and left the same evening for El Paso to report.

WOMEN ARE NEEDED TO HELP IN WAR

Women can be usefully employed in nursing the wounded, in making up the soldiers' kits, and in a thousand other ways. Many American women are weak, pale or anemic from woman's ills. For young girls just entering womanhood; for women at the critical time; nursing mothers and every woman who is "run-down," tired or over-worked, Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a special, safe and certain help. It can now be had in tablet form for 60 cents. All druggists. Send Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c. for trial package tablets.

PARIS, TEXAS.—"I was in ill health, was suffering from weak and nervous spells. I tried several kinds of medicines but got no relief until I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I found that it did me more good than anything I ever took. It cured me and I will always praise Dr. Pierce's Remedies."—MRS. JULIA A. DOSS, 187 N. West Street.

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA.—"I can truly and thankfully say I have taken Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it did me a world of good."—MRS. GUSSE HUDSON, Stock Yards Station. Dr. Pierce's Pellets are the original little Liver Pills. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic. Sold by druggists for nearly 50 years, 25 cents a vial.

Metropolitan Business College
A. RAGLAND, President, DALLAS, TEXAS
"THE SCHOOL WITH A REPUTATION"
The Metropolitan has been in successful operation thirty-one years—it stands first in Texas as a thorough and reliable Commercial School. Write for full information, stating the course desired.

DON'T Slow Up Advertising NOW!

Never has there been a time when the public has looked more keenly for MERCHANDISING NEWS than now. Never has there been a time more auspicious for the enterprising tradesman to secure HIS FULL SHARE OF TRADE than now. People must continue to eat, to wear and to use. The tendency is to cut out luxuries, and luxuries are only a relatively small portion of your business. For every luxury cut out you have a chance to increase your movement of staples. How short-sighted is the policy of reducing advertising expense to "save money." You will only lose trade. You will only lose prestige. Advertise to increase sales and make more money don't cut it out to save money. Study your advertising as you never did before—do it wisely and well. Be prosperous and let the people know that you are prosperous. Success was NEVER achieved by stopping advertising for by wearing old clothes and talking pessimism.

Be Wise—and Advertise!

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS WILL SAVE SOLDIERS

Miller's Garage
The Ford Hospital
Is now owned and controlled by the Miller Garage and will be converted to
UPMOBILE
Service Station and Home of the AJAX Tires
Ford Car work a SPECIALTY. Oils, Gas and Accessories. U. S. L. Storage Battery Service. All Battery Parts carried in stock. SERVICE CARS, with careful and expert drivers, ready to go anywhere any time. Meet all trains.
MILLER'S GARAGE
Foot of Second St. NEWT MILLER, Proprietor

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

POETRY

The war has developed quite a number of would-be poets and other kinds of poets. Here is an effusion sent in from a subscriber at Seymour, Texas. We publish it to please said subscriber and not for its rhyme or reason.

There were waving hands and banners, as the car went rolling by, There were shouts from merry children ringing to the summer sky; Then a strain of music rose and swelled and pealed along the street As their gay, tumultuous clamor melted in a chorus sweet:

"O say can you see, by the dawn's early light, What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?

Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous night, O'er the ramparts we watched were so gallantly streaming!"

Oh the starry flag is glorious, and the children love it, too; And the land is safe and happy where the children's hearts are true. How their youthful ardor thrilled me as the revelation came That the guard is ever changing, but the flag remains the same.

Flag at peace or flag at battle! children, it is yours to love, Will you honor and defend it as the gift of God above? Ah! the children's hearts are loyal—from a myriad array, North and south there comes the answer as it came that summer day:

"Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just And this be our motto, 'In God is our trust.' And the Star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave."

WOUNDED SOLDIER BACK TO AMERICA.

A letter from Lem Fowler, to relatives here says he is now back from France in the hospital at New York. Lem went from Loraine and has been in the trenches for some time. He has been severely wounded four times and badly gassed, which practically will ruin his health for life. His father, W. G. Fowler, moved from here to Salem, Alabama.

Auxiliary to C. W. B. M.

The Auxiliary to the C. W. B. M., met with Mrs. A. J. Coe last Thursday. The subject was, "The Deciples of Christ in China" read by Mrs. Jones.

The program began with response to roll call—a Chinese custom. Mrs. James gave an interesting paper on what the Christian Church has done in China. Mrs. Majors told of the education of children in China.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Crowder.

The Campfire girls, chaperoned by their guardian, Mr. J. G. Merritt, returned from their outing to Renderbrook Ranch, Sunday afternoon. They report a splendid time and are loud in their praises of the generous hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Jones. They exhibited the contents of well-filled smokehouses; and turned them loose in their irrigated garden of beats—sure enough beats—peas, Cantaloupes and Watermelons. It is needless to say they did justice to them all.

ATTENTION LADIES!

Our Government has asked that each county organize a "WOMAN'S COMMITTEE of the National Council of Defense," and in accordance with this request, EACH lady in Mitchell county is URGED to come to the tabernacle in Colorado on Saturday, August the tenth at four o'clock for the purpose of organizing this committee.

This is not to be another organization, but is to correlate all the war activities now being done, so that they may be able to do the very best service for our Government. It acts as the mouth-piece of the Government, to all the woman's organizations of the country.

The objects to be achieved will be fully set forth and explained at the meeting, and it is important that each lady be present if possible. If, however, it is impossible for you to attend, please see to it that your community is represented.

"This is a time to forget all smallness, all prejudices, all personal feelings of unwillingness to work with this or that woman, and to remember only that we are women of America, and that America needs our united efforts NOW."

A. J. COE,

County Chairman of National Council of Defense.

MRS. JEROLD RIORDAN
Temporary Chairman of Woman's Committee of the National Council of Defense.

GIRLS! LEMON JUICE IS SKIN WHITENER

How to Make a Creamy Beauty Lotion for a Few Cents

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. Advl

The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Will Ledbetter was buried at the I. O. O. F. Cemetery, Sunday morning. Though they were denied the little life here, yet heaven will be the sweeter by knowing it is safe there.

M. E. CHURCH

There will be regular services at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and evening. Preaching by the pastor. Bro. Garvin did not get off on his vacation this week as intended, but he and Mrs. Garvin will leave Monday for an extended trip into New Mexico.

Ask Anyone Who Has Used It.

There are families who always aim to keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house for use in case it is needed, and find that it is not only a good investment but saves them no end of suffering. As to its reliability, ask anyone who has used it. Adv.

Y. W. A. MEETING.

The Y. W. A. met with their Counselor, Mrs. Simon, Tuesday. A good number was in attendance. After the regular business the time was spent in bible study. Just as soon as the books arrive they will begin the study of Japan. All young ladies of the Baptist church are urged to become members and take up this study.

ATTENTION! BOY SCOUTS

Official Order No. 20—Boy Scouts will meet Friday evening at 7 o'clock at the Court House. Every scout is expected to be present. Jno. W. Person, Scout Master.

News comes from Sweetwater that Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer are the proud parents of a brand new set of twin babies, born August 8th—a boy and a girl.

Mrs. G. D. Adams and daughter, Miss Daisy and brother, Mr. Thomas, motored to Strawn to spend a few days with Mr. Adams, and from there they go to visit relatives in Weatherford.

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

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

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

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

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

ANY PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTION—

You exercise your best judgment when you select your family physician and should show the same care in selecting your druggist.

It is your pleasure to take any physician's prescription to any druggist you prefer, because the prescription is your property.

No physician in this locality will question our ability to give you high-grade service.

Let us fill your prescriptions. Ask your physician about us.

GET IT WHERE
THEY'VE GOT IT

Charters & Sadler The Druggists

Judge W. P. Leslie and family will leave the last of the week on a ten days outing in camp. They will visit some of the cities of Central Texas, and probably spend a few days at Lake Worth at Fort Worth.

Ex-Mayor of Dunn, J. P. Billingsley was here Wednesday on a business venture concerning scurry County Oil interests.

Eugene Hagler who now has a run on the Santa Fe out of Lubbock, North, came in on Monday on a weeks visit here to home folks.

John Vaughan visited a sister at Cisco Saturday and Sunday. She was reported quite sick but improving now.

Oscar Price, with his father, T. D. Price, and two sisters, Misses Callie and Pearl, all left yesterday on a trip back home at Windom in North Texas. They went in their Hup, and will make the run in about a day and a half.

Preston Phenix came down this week from Hamlin to attend to some business and to see if it was as dry here as there.

Mrs. John Miller left this week for Amarillo, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Weatherly.

Mr. J. P. Hunter and family left Wednesday for a two week's fishing and outing on Devil's run; John Miller went as mechanic and chief Mogul.

Lark Costin, Jr., is now in the arsenal plant at Edgewood, Md. A letter to his parents reports him making good.

CLOSED A YEARS WORK

At the monthly Baptist Conference Wednesday evening, Pastor W. E. Garrett gave a summary of his year's work that had just closed. Considering the unrest of the people this is a splendid year's work. Never has the church had a more loyal or spiritual pastor than Mr. Garrett. He works for his people with his whole heart, ready at all times to counsel with them and suffer with them, if need be. After a few words of appreciation of his work by Supt. Greene, the church gave him a vote of thanks for his untiring efforts and pledged co-operation in the coming years. It could be honestly said of this pastor that he "lives at the side of the road and is a friend of man."

PERSHING'S CRUSADERS COMING AUG. 30-31

"Pershing's Crusaders," or "Following the Flag to France," in eight reels, official United States war films released by the Committee on Public Information, is divided into two parts of one hour each, the first, America Preparing, and part two, The Stars and Stripes Over There.

One is impressed by the general excellence of the photography, which may be due to the fact that most of the scenes are taken in the open air. The composite assemblage is intensely interesting and calculated to inspire confidence in our army and navy, as well as the visual assurance that our Government is doing all in its power to push forward war work in all its branches. It opens with President Wilson's address to Congress. Then comes a suggestion of the invasion of Belgium, the appearance of the Deutschland submarine in our waters, a flash of the Lusitania, the Liberty Loan, engineers at work, American agriculture, our 33 cantonments, capable of housing 1,000,000 troops, the making of army clothing, women in service shops, shoes, meats, bread, camp laundries, Red Cross in camps, Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Masonic and Y. W. C. A. buildings in our camps, shipyards, our big guns, drafting, camp kitchens, drill, medical corps, ambulance driver, aviation, aerie photography, the navy, housing of naval recruits, our submarines, torpedoes, etc.

After an intermission, camps in France, signal corps, trenches, camp sports, aviation camps, wireless from planes, American soldiers in front-line trenches, dressing stations, snipers, gas alarm (putting on gas masks) dispatch riders, camp postoffice, close up of General Pershing, Secretary of War Baker at the front, camouflaged guns, Pershing and President Poincaré at the front, Germans captured by our men, the Kaiser overlooking the goose step in front of his palace in Berlin, President Wilson, ending with a huge shadow of the American flag covering it all. The play is attracting great crowds, and giving satisfaction wherever shown. Opera House, Friday and Saturday, August 30th and 31st.

RED CROSS NOTICE.



Headquarters at St. Louis has sent us the following notice in regard to surgical dressings:

"Even though at the present there are to be no changes in surgical dressings or any quotas given, you will find it advisable during the summer months, owing to a shortage of gauze, to run your surgical dressings shop on a half time basis."

In compliance with this request the work room will be open the following days—Monday 4 to 7; Wednesday, 3 to 6; Friday 3 to 6.

"The National Movie is in town. The exhibition has been made and is being shown by the National Government. As an entertainment it is of the very best."—Editorial in Cleveland Plain Dealer.

CALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK

Acts Like Dynamite on a Sluggish Liver and You Lose a Days Work

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when a few cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel.

It is a pleasant, vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and cannot salivate.

Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone, because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more biliousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you.

To the Public of Mitchell and Surrounding Counties:

KNOW YE, that I am in the Shoe Shop again, and doing my own repair work at the lowest possible living price.

I have also started to make new work, using French Calf, at a lower rate than any shoemaker in west Texas.

Awaiting your repairing and orders, I am

Very truly yours,
FRED MEYER.

MASS MEETING

A mass meeting has been called for the women of Mitchell County at the Tabernacle, August 17th at 4 p. m., for the purpose of organizing a Mitchell County Woman's Democratic League.

A chairman, Vice-chairman and Secretary will be elected at this time.

Let every woman remember the date and come to have a voice in electing the County officers.

WORTH KNOWING

Bread should be made at home. Loaf bread can be made with baking powder.

A rice omelet may be made with left over peas.

Hand-to Mouth buying means expensive living.

Corn Meal mush can be the main breakfast dish.

Sponge made with barley flour is very successful.

Cheese should always be served with corn bread.

Frankfurter sausages are good to boil with cabbage.

Add apples to the rhubarb pie, it will be less sharp.

Food should look attractive as well as taste well.

Mashed potatoes left over may be made into biscuits

One pint of milk makes two and a half ounces of fat soft cheese.

Pastry and soft foods are both expensive and indigestible.

The best cheese is made from milk before it has soured.

Even in a small back yard something edible can be raised.

One of the best substitutes for a piece of bread is a potato.

Shortcake may have its crust made of barley and rice flour.

After washing lettuce place in a paper bag and put on ice until used.

Orangeade should be made with boiling water and a little lemon juice.

Never waste time in canning or preserving imperfect fruit or vegetables.

If you can get fresh peach leaves they can be used instead of almond flavoring.

To produce when possible and save always is the duty of every housewife.

Leftover corn bread can be made into cakes.

Cherries, white currents and raspberries all lend themselves to sun preserving.

Meals should be planned at least three days ahead. This aids economical buying.

French dressing made with peanut oil instead of olive oil is a pleasant change.

A very small amount of meat can be combined with rice or macaroni to make croquettes

A given measure of buckwheat flour thickens more than the same measure of wheat flour.

It is easier and just as effective to run cheese through the food chopper rather than to grate it.

An abundance of 8 per cent money to lend on land. See G. B. Harness, Colorado, Texas. 830

All our watch and clock work guaranteed one year—J. P. Majors.

For Weak Women

In use for over 40 years! Thousands of voluntary letters from women, telling of the good Cardui has done them. This is the best proof of the value of Cardui. It proves that Cardui is a good medicine for women.

There are no harmful or habit-forming drugs in Cardui. It is composed only of mild, medicinal ingredients, with no bad after-effects.

TAKE CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic

You can rely on Cardui. Surely it will do for you what it has done for so many thousands of other women! It should help. "I was taken sick, seemed to be . . ." writes Mrs. Mary E. Veste, of Madison Heights, Va. "I got down so weak, could hardly walk . . . just staggered around. . . I read of Cardui, and after taking one bottle, or before taking quite all, I felt much better. I took 3 or 4 bottles at that time, and was able to do my work. I take it in the spring when run-down. I had no appetite, and I commenced eating. It is the best tonic I ever saw." Try Cardui.

All Druggists

ANY PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTION—

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No physician in this locality will question our ability to give you high-grade service.

Let us fill your prescriptions. Ask your physician about us.

GET IT WHERE THEY'VE GOT IT

Charters & Sadler
The Druggists

FREE SOUL KISS Face Powder

Here is your opportunity to try, at our expense, the exquisite Soul Kiss Face Powder. No matter what kind of powder you've been using, Soul Kiss will develop complexion possibilities beyond your fondest hopes. It's like opening up a treasure-chest of charm and beauty.

Cut out this ad—take it to your druggist today—and he will give you, free of charge, a generous trial packet of Soul Kiss Face Powder. This offer is only for a limited time, so get your free packet now.

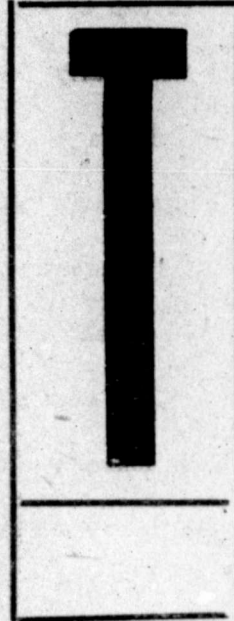
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Soul Kiss Perfume is also very fine

All This Week

At Your Druggist's

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE GRAB IT!



THIS COMPANY has now accomplished what has been declared the impossible. We are about four months old, and we have our first "FOUR-WHEEL-DRIVE" Tractor nearing completion. This is the right policy, and it will win. Our prompt action in putting Tractors to work this fall to prepare ground for the 1919 crop, will win the approval of our "Government," and, by putting our shareholders' money to immediate and profitable use, we will have the confidence of our own good people of Texas. We own what we have every reason to believe worth millions of dollars—the invention on the Four-Wheel-Drive Tractor—the Tractor that pulls on all four wheels—is steered by engine power instead of by hand—and the Tractor that will turn around on its own length. The Four-Wheel Drive Invention is adaptable to our Trucks also. We have made the necessary arrangements for our first lot of Trucks, and if the unforeseen does not happen we will have our Trucks actually doing service here in Texas within the next Thirty to Sixty days. You know this Company is doing things—not next year, but right now, and, to accomplish the above, we are extending to you the opportunity of your lifetime. We have decided that we can well afford to distribute among our friends 2000 Shares of our Capital Stock at 50 Cents on the Dollar. That we may realize upon certain inside advantages that are ours by having the ready cash to handle them with, we cannot publish this before the deals are closed, but you are going to be mighty pleased when we can tell you about them. Remember, there has never been a share of our stock sold for less than \$10, its par value, and the proceeds from these 2000 shares are being used for special purposes; and this does not effect in any way the selling price of our stock which is \$10 per share, its par value. There is no agent's commission being paid upon these 2000 shares, therefore the entire amount is used for the benefit of the Company.

Now, this advertisement has not appeared before, and it absolutely will never appear again. This extraordinary offering is to newspaper subscribers only; and to get any of this stock it will be necessary for you to send your subscription at once, or, to absolutely protect yourself, it would be best to telegraph us the amount of stock you want, mentioning your newspaper, and then send in your remittance by mail. Should your application reach us too late we will immediately return your money to you.

Over \$12,000 a Year From \$1,000 Investment

Starting out with nothing, Billy Grove is today a man of considerable means.

Among other evidences of his success and prosperity he is now the owner and manager of the popular and profitable Downey House in Lansing, Michigan, the same hotel in which he was once a desk clerk. But Billy didn't make his money in the hotel business.

In the days when he was still a desk clerk, he managed to lay by his first \$1,000; saved it out of a salary which today would scarcely pay his garage bill.

If Billy had listened to the well-meant advice of older heads than his, he would have left that \$1,000 in the savings bank at 4 per cent interest.

But Billy was the kind of a young man who likes to do his own thinking. He had worked hard for that \$1,000, and he figured it ought to work equally hard for him. He put it into the Reo Motor Company, which was then just beginning business. That was at a time when the automobile business was still in its infancy, and a time when few people ever dreamed of the wonderful future ahead of it. Moreover, the Reo Company in those days had mighty little in the way of tangible assets.

In the twelve years since then—counting both cash and stock dividends, and including the increased value of the stock—that \$1,000 has earned a total of over \$70,572.50. At the present time his income is over \$12,000 a year. And that is something like 12 times as much every month as Billy himself ever earned in wages in the days when he was a hotel clerk. Note: A member of our Company received a letter from Mr. Grove on the 3rd of this month confirming the truthfulness of the above statement.

A Rare Opportunity to Combine Service with Investment

Transportation is a tremendous word today—second only to PRODUCTION. We now have the greatest opportunity in the history of this country. The World's markets lie at our feet.

We should build more and bigger factories, train more workers and salesmen, and get ready for the biggest business boom that any nation ever had.

Good Roads and QUICK HAULING is the imperative demand. Good roads are building, they are assured, even transcontinental ones.

The farmers of this country, according to well-known economists, are losing a BILLION (1,000,000,000) Dollars a year through lack of PROPER DELIVERIES of their products.

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LOCAL NOTES

Hall DeGarmo is now in the signal corps, Barrack 215, at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Can make you a long term loan at 8 per cent on your farm or ranch—G. B. Harness, Colorado. 830

Charles Norris, one of the aldermen at Cuthbert, was here this week looking out a position on the road work.

Have that clock or watch cleaned by a man who knows how.—J. P. Majors.

A letter from Judge and Mrs. C. H. Earnest at Colorado Springs, report having arrived safely with no car trouble, and are having a good time. The Looneys came in just four hours behind them.

Summer necessities for your vacation—Thermos Bottles, Fountain Pens, Kodaks, Umbrellas, Flashlights Sun Glasses and Eye Shades.—J. P. Majors the Jeweler.

Pastor W. C. Garrett will be in his pulpit at the Baptist church next Sunday, morning and evening. It is the first service of the second year of his pastorate. Hear him.

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 or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 30c.

On Saturday last, Otto Jones came in from the Spade ranch to receive 500 head of the best white faced cows in Mitchell county. These cattle were shipped in from the Lubbock ranch and were received here in good condition. Mr. Jones, manager of the ranch, says they have plenty of good grass, but of course would like to see a big rain.

Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect. Price 60c.

Bryce Webb, who is in the Sanitarium where he underwent an operation on his foot, is on the road to recovery.

Miss Catherine Eason of Big Spring, is the guest of Mrs. Canady.

We guarantee the fit of our spectacles.—J. P. Majors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Key, who have been visiting friends and relatives here the past week, left Monday for their home in El Paso.

Plenty of money to lend on land in Mitchell and adjoining counties—G. B. Harness, Colorado 830

Mr. and Mrs. John Doss left Monday afternoon in their car for Corpus Christi to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reese.

A card from Mrs. J. W. Budkhardt at New York, says they will move at once to Tipton, Ind., and that Mr. Budkhardt is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Robinson, editor of the Waco Times-Herald will arrive in Colorado Sunday morning, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Whipple, for the week.

Mrs. Leslie Crowder and little daughter, Mary Lee, are visiting relatives in Ft. Worth and Stephenville.

Dr. and Mrs. Ratliff and Kirk, returned from their visit to East Texas Saturday night.

Claud Gill renews for the Record this week from Abilene.

LOST:—Somewhere on the road between Colorado and the R. G. Anderson place, a Small Black Hand Grip. Please return to the Record Office.

Hugh O. Cordill, who was in the July 26th draft, came in on the August 5th call and left Tuesday night for Camp Travis, where he goes into training.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, blind, bleeding or protruding Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

STATEMENT. The Consolidated Oil and Gas Company makes the statement that they have temporarily closed down the well drilling at Iatan on account of the scarcity of water. They will make a drilling contract for the completion of the well just as soon as water can be obtained.

Teach the children to buy thrift stamps.

CAPTAIN HARRELL DECLARES HE HAS FOUND RIGHT THING

Daughter Had Suffered All Her Life—Now In Splendid Health—Troubles Gone And She Plays All The Time.

"You ought to see what a wonderful change Tanlac has made in my little girl, why, she's like a different child," said Captain T. M. Harrell, residing at Ingleside Georgia, who was for twenty-five years a conductor on the Seaboard. "The child was never strong and had suffered ever since a baby," he continued. She complained of headaches most all the time and her kidneys gave her no end of trouble. She had no appetite and what little she ate soured on her stomach and would put her in misery for hours, so that she could hardly sleep at night. She was weak and nervous and could not play like other children, although she wanted to. We gave her one thing after another, but nothing did her any good. "I found the right thing for her tho' when I started giving her Tanlac. She began picking up right soon after she started taking it. Her strength has been built up wonderfully, her kidneys don't worry her like they did and she eats and sleeps like any other healthy youngster. Tanlac has given her health and happiness and she's now going to school and playing along with the other children as if she'd never been sick at all.

Tanlac is sold in Colorado by W. L. Doss; Loraine by Garland & Elliott; in Westbrook by J. H. Board. Adv.

WESTBROOK ITEMS

The Westbrook Auxiliary of the Red Cross met in regular monthly session July 31, with Chairman Miss Maja McKinney presiding. The minutes were read, corrected and approved. The following reports were made: Chairman Maja McKinney, 6 garments completed, no material received from the chapter; Miss Margaret Lasseter reported for the treasurer; Miss Thelma Hudson, no money received in July and amount paid out for local expenses were: E. S. Hudson Store \$1.30, and 5c for stamps, 15c for machine oil and 20c for telephone bill. There was no report from the membership committee. Miss Maja McKinney reported for Mrs. Oliver on financial work—\$1.80 collected for local funds. Mrs. Rooney and daughter were appreciated guests, they offered their assistance at the sewing rooms which was graciously accepted. The Auxiliary is greatly in need of workers; we came out behind on the number of articles completed in July and we must make it up in August. We were greatly hindered in July on account of not having patterns or samples to go by and being out of material. We will be glad to have new members, but whether you are a member or not will not bar you from the sewing rooms, we need your help and we need it badly. Won't you come and help us? We have the best home in the world, "America." We are free in body and soul, we are not held down by autocracy. We have a voice in our Government. These rights and privileges are now threatened by the most ruthless military machine the world has ever produced. The young men of our Country are in the trenches now, fighting to preserve these rights and privileges, and they are on the job, too, regardless of rain, snow or mud, twenty-four hours a day while we are at home under good conditions, enjoying the countless comforts which our soldiers sacrifice. Taking advantage of excuses to lay off: "It's too warm," "I am too tired to go when I get through with my work." There are others who feel more like working than I do, who don't they go to work? Just such excuses as these are all that can be had argued Westbrook, because there is nothing else to do, and an excuse of this nature is worse than being a slacker because they do not only fail in their own duty, but obstruct others who are willing to do their utmost. Our fighting men "Over There" do their duty regardless of work, hours, feeling tired, Sundays, holidays or anything else. What are we doing? We are not giving those poor boys at the front a square deal unless each and every one of us puts our shoulder to the wheel and do our utmost in whatever work we can. We must be cooperative and not obstruct, they cannot fight throughout the cold winter months without sufficient clothes to keep them warm. Have you a son, brother or friend in the army? If you haven't you have soon, then think of the trials he

is going through, or will have to go through; of the suffering almost beyond the power of words to describe; of the torture of living for days in the trenches with shells bursting all around him; a month in the hospital torn with shot and pierced with lances, bleeding slowly his life away. What are we going to do? Tears will not bind a wounded limb, or soothe an aching pain, it takes bandages and garments and a Red Cross nurse to do this. Then what are we going to do? Get behind the boys at the front in doing Red Cross work, or stay at home and have the finger of obstruction pointing at us? There's too much at stake for us to lay down on the job now. We must be loyal to our boys, and true loyalty can be expressed better in works than words now.

The workrooms are open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:30 to 5:30 or 7 o'clock, and workers are badly needed especially buttonhole workers. If you are not a member that will not bar you from the work rooms. We also need more machines, and if anyone has one that they can possibly spare it will be greatly appreciated if you will bring it to the hotel lobby.

Mrs. A. B. Hines, who now lies up on her bed of affliction, has never been able to come to the sewing rooms, but she wants to do something for the boys and has offered the use of her sewing machine. The ladies have no way of getting the machine over here and we are going to ask the men to get this machine for us as soon as possible, thanking you in advance.

Brother Hanks will begin his meeting at Westbrook Sunday night. Services will start promptly at sundown, not dark; remember the choir practice Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. You are cordially invited to come and help in the singing.

Bro. Hanks insists that all Christians co-operate with him in the meeting and help make it a great revival; he has just closed a good meeting at Cuthbert, having a number of conversions. This week he is in a meeting at New Hope.

Bro. Garrett will preach at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. He was unable to be here on his regular day, the 1st Sunday.

Miss Ethel Morris left Saturday night for Dallas.

Miss Birdie McNairy, and little brother, Jack and Granville and Wilford Carter, of Iatan, spent the week end with Misses Bertha and Grace Carter.

Misses Robbie Hudson and Lula Helton are spending a few days with Miss Iva Reed at Stanton.

Miss Ramelle Hamilton was a Colorado visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hudson and Basil and Mrs. E. Hamilton attended the meeting at Cuthbert Sunday.

Coit E. Butler dropped in for a few hours Saturday. Coit is mail clerk on the T. & P.

TO THE VOTERS OF MITCHELL COUNTY.

I hereby express my gratitude, and tender my sincere thanks, to all of my friends (the ladies of course included) who so loyally and generously supported me in the late primary.

Allow me to remind you, that I am still in the race, and I earnestly and heartily appeal to the voters of the county, generally, to come forward, at the primary on August 24th and give me victory.

With the assurance of my highest appreciation of each and every vote which may be cast for me, at the coming primary, on August 24th, and with the cherished hope that I may be successful, I solemnly pledge myself, if elected, to exert my very best efforts to make you a faithful and efficient sheriff and tax collector. Yours very respectfully, W. J. CHESNEY

AMONG OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

Mrs. J. H. Williams changes from Sherman to Dallas. Rev. Burkhart changes from New York City to Tipton, Ind.

Since last week the following have renewed:

- J. M. Green, Colorado
 - J. A. Holt, Amarillo
 - Joe Green, Colorado
 - Lola Dinmitt, Beaumont
 - J. S. Vaughan, Colorado
- Since last week the following are new ones:
- T. M. Holt, Center Point
 - Claude Gill, Abilene
 - W. M. Carey, Colorado
 - B. W. Scott, Am. Exped. Forces
 - L. H. Costin, Edgewood, Md.
 - Will Shroder, Am. Exped. Forces.

We fit your eyes with spectacles and guarantee them to give satisfaction.—J. P. Majors.

DRILLING CONTRACTS IN SCURRY COUNTY

Snyder, Texas, July 27.—Three drilling contracts have been closed in Scurry county the past week.

J. Burris Mitchell of Los Angeles, Cal., has closed a drilling contract with Nelson & Snuffer for a block of acreage lying between Hermleigh and Camp Springs, for a test, to commence at once. Mitchell has his rig and material ready to go to work. He is interested in the firm of Mitchell & Sons, who brought in the first well in Coleman county on the Gray ranch. Contract for early drilling has been awarded on the W. A. Johnson ranch north of town, to Tulsa, Okla., parties. Drilling will commence within ninety days.

Another contract has been awarded by Matthews & Griffith to Wichita Falls drillers on their block of acreage west and south of Fluvanna. This makes a total of four bona fide contracts.

In pulling the casing out of an old well on the Ben Reynolds ranch, northeast of Snyder, a few days ago,

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a steady flow of gas was obtained. This is about seven miles northeast of town.

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LOCAL NOTES

FOR SALE—Good large Jersey milk cow for sale. Giving 2 gal. now and will be fresh in October. Price \$60.00 See E. J. Leonard on Logan farm, six miles east of Colorado. 816p

Miss Lula Merrill, who has been taking a course in Public School Music at Denton Normal, returned home Monday.

DODGE CAR WANTED—If you want to sell your used Dodge automobile, write W. A. Schawe, Ballinger Texas 816p

The Rev. Mr. Griswold, presiding elder of the Sweetwater district, very ably filled the pulpit at the M E Church last Sunday evening.

Miss Lottie Pritchett left Sunday night to visit her sister at Ft. Stockton, and will teach school near there the coming winter. Miss Pritchett was one of the High School graduates here the past session.

Master James Schroeder is on the sick list but is reported as improving. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beal of Lubbock, spent a few days with relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sullivan and baby, of Austin, are visiting their cousin, Mrs. F. E. McKenzie.

Mr. Foster of Merkel, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. M. E. Lindley.

Mrs. Beal Stoneham of Roswell, N. M., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Logan Spaulding, and other relatives here before moving to her future home in California.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Cummins of San Angelo, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Stoneham Beal.

Tombstones, Singer Sewing Machines and \$20 Buggy and Harness for sale by E. Keathley.

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic destroys the malarial germs which are transmitted to the blood by the Malaria Mosquito. Price 60c.

A card received on Tuesday from William A. Hunter says, The ship on which I sailed has arrived safely over seas." Mr. Hunter is in Co. F., 111th Engineer Corps, with the American Expeditionary Forces now in France.

Mrs. Shelton and little daughter of Abilene are guests of Mrs. Sam Wulf-jen.

Miss Frances Sanderson of Cisco is visiting her cousin, Miss Ewell Gary.

Mr. A. J. Herrington and family left this week in their cars for a two weeks outing. They will visit in San Antonio, Galveston and Corpus Christi

Nearly every farmer say they will make a good crop yet IF—

Mrs. Sam Majors is on the sick list.

Jesse H. Garrett who has been in training at Paris Island in South Carolina, is now in the Machine Gun School at Quantico, Virginia. Jesse has already won a medal as a sharp shooter, and seems to be making good

Otto Jones came in from the ranch Wednesday morning to meet his wife's sister Mrs. M. T. Higginbotham of Iampasas who will visit out here several weeks.

FOR SALE—I have for sale at \$1.50 each, Four Thoroughbred white Young Orpington Roosters. W. S. Stoneham, at County Clerk's office. tf

FOR SALE: Two fine young Sows and Pigs. See City National Bank or phone F. C. Dale, Phenix farm. 816c

W. H. Yater came in on Tuesday and volunteered for the U. S. Navy and left that night for El Paso to enlist.

Mr. E. S. Harrison of Rule, was here this week on his way to Miami, Ariz., looking out a new location. While here he was the guest of Rev. W. C. Garrett, his former pastor.

FOR SALE Several Spans of good Work Horses for Sale CHEAP; also one good Milk Cow. See or Phone 327—(3 rings) E. BARBER. tf

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*Every American will be intensely interested in seeing the baking of mountains of bread for the army, the making of millions of uniforms, the manufacture of tons of guns, the launching of thousands of airplanes into the air and thousands of ships into the sea.

You will thrill with a vital pride at sight of our Navy and our Army in action—our own crusaders striding in legions on to victory.

You will see our boys "over here" and "over there." The first line trenches in France, the first batch of German prisoners caught by the Yankees—the hundreds of important and interesting details of modern warfare. You may see your boy, or your neighbor's boy, or your friend, behind the lines at work or play or marching down the streets of a little French town.

This great Government picture has been secured by Mr. Taylor, and will be shown at the opera house some time this month. Watch for the date.

Mr. Taylor has secured this picture at a very heavy expense, and unless the public will show their appreciation and come to see it, he will lose money on the venture. However he has determined to give this wonderful picture to the Colorado public, believing that it is patriotic to do so and that it will be patriotic for you to see it. At least it will do more to educate the public along war lines, what this country has done, and what it is capable of doing than all the reading you can do. Read the ads and announcements at other places in these columns.

All in favor of no more elections in Texas until after the war signify by saying aye.

HEADWATERS OF SALT RIVER

August 5, 1918.

Dear Folks at Home:—

About 8 o'clock on the evening of July 27, the close of a strenuous day of a most exciting (?) campaign, I wended my weary way into my place of business, sought a quiet corner and a comfortable chair, and there gave myself over to quiet contemplation and fond anticipation. After the worries and excitement of the day just closing, my weary body was in that state that puts one's mind in a whirl. Gradually the noise of the street and the din of voices in the store, grew less noticeable, and with out knowing just how or when, I seemed suddenly caught up by an unknown power and borne away into a most delightful country. After traveling for what seemed hours, I gradually descended and was gently placed in the midst of enchantment. Looking around, I saw only beauty on every side. Such a scene of loveliness and beauty as I there beheld, had existed before only in imagination. Before I had half enough of this soul-inspiring, earthly paradise, there appeared within the range of my vision a form, dimly at first, but gradually taking the shape of a man—you have seen them appear on the screen. Without words, but by signs unmistakable I was made to understand that this was to be my guide. At his indication and without protest I followed. I was led across a broad plain thickly carpeted with flowers of the most gorgeous colors the fragrance of which was so delicate and intoxicating that I wished that time might have no end. They seemed to be on dress parade that I might review the beauties of creation. The prairie daisy and the wild buttercups made their obeisance and bowed me a welcome. As they nodded in the gentle breezes, I could see in their eyes the diamond teardrops of joy, and their voices, clear and plain, were proclaiming, lo! our conquering hero comes.

All too soon we passed through this enrapturing scene. We came now to a most wonderful forest. As we approached in the early dawn, the songsters of the wood suddenly burst into one glad united song and it seemed that the great organ of eternity was playing from the world's end to the world's end. We walked in the cool shadows of the great monarchs for quite awhile, coming at last to the bank of a broad, but turbid river. Under the shade of one of the great giants that stood on the bank of this stream, my guide waved me to an inviting bed of moss. As I sat here, slowly my head fell forward and I buried my face in the cup of the waxen lily and there dreamed of the times that were and the time to come. In panoramic view, the incidents of a more or less well-spent life rolled before me. I dreamed of what I had done in the immediate past, of the political campaigns I had fought and won. I was in a great convocation of people, borne aloft on the shoulders of admiring friends, who shouted and went wild with joy and enthusiasm over the success of their hero. I saw great highways built from county line to county line, I saw an old dilapidated court house renovated and made new, I saw school systems flourish under my administration, I decided cases at law so justly that the whole people exclaimed, "A Daniel has come to judgment."

I was rudely aroused from this most pleasant dream, for, alas, it was only a dream, by the blast of a great siren the echoed and reverberated through the adjacent hills, like the thunders in the caves of perdition. Looking in the direction from which the sound came, I beheld an old, but strong and commodious craft stubbornly making her way toward the headwaters of the river. My guide standing on the bank made signal to those on board to approach our landing. The skipper did not want to stop, but the guide placed his hands

to his mouth and sent out such a command as could not be ignored. Then it was that I heard my guide's voice for the first time and I at once recognized it. It was the voice of the people, from which there is no appeal. The boat at once changed its course and soon a gangplank touched our shore. With a majestic wave of the hand the guide bade me embark. I did not want to go, but that all-compelling gesture must be obeyed. Wearily, I started for the boat. Then, as if by magic, other forms came from among the shadows of the forest. I at once recognized them all as old friends. They all had the same ticket that I had. However, not a single one seemed to be enjoying the trip. One fellow finally mustered up courage enough to ask me if I had been fishing. I told him, yes. He then wanted to know what I caught? I told him it was a water haul (haul).

As our boat dropped back to mid-stream, I looked back to a high hill not far away and I saw several men standing outlined against the sky. They were standing in pairs and arguing very heatedly about something. Occasionally one would place his hand on the other's shoulder and point toward our craft, then the other would cast off his hand and point in the same direction. It must have been that each was trying to get the other to go aboard.

The incidents of the trip up are all blank to me. It had all come upon me so suddenly that I lost consciousness and a great many hours later I was awakened by the captain punching me with his foot and bawling, "Three minutes to get ashore." Numb in both body and mind, I finally made my way to a salt rock at the end of the gangplank. There I sat for hours and thought it over. After a while, it came to me that it would be well to investigate my new environment. I staggered to my feet and slowly made my way around the point of a great boulder where I came out upon a large amphitheater. In the back center of this was a commodious rostrum in front of which was a vast gathering of people, and on the rostrum were already gathered all my old friends of Mitchell, each had one hand placed on the bible and the other on his heart and proclaiming in stentorian tones that he had been a lifelong prohibitionist, had always said that women should vote, and that he was against Ferguson first, last and all the time. Then it was that my dream vanished and I was wide awake. I saw it all suddenly. I had been drugged and put aboard that measly old boat with a through ticket for the headwaters of Salt River. Well, friends at home, I am here and I read carved on the rocks and trees the names of many old comrades. In addition to those who came with me, the skipper said he would bring along another cargo about the 24.

This is a great country, and we are going to have the best government in the world, because they have sent the very best people up here. Isn't it strange how they always pick the very best for this trip? I suppose it is only the best that can stand it. We have a national anthem. I have learned only a few words of one stanza which runs like this:

"Be sane ladies and gentlemen, be sane,
Whatever you do, don't give it to Loraine"

And a part of the chorus runs:
"The barque that held the Prince went down"

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