



# Friday and Saturday Dollar Days All Over The Store

READ EVERY WORD CAREFULLY THERE IS A SAVING. MAKE YOUR DOLLAR GO AS FAR AS POSSIBLE.

Ladies Vests, 7 for	\$1.00	Six yards 25c Gingham	\$1.00	Two yards of 75c Scrim	\$1.00
Brassiers, 3 for	\$1.00	Four yards 32 inch Gingham	\$1.00	TEN yards of Scrim for	\$1.00
Ladies Black and Brown Silk Hose	\$1.00	Three yards 50c Madras	\$1.00	Four Lace Curtains for	\$1.00
Ladies 35c Hose, 4 pair for	\$1.00	Five yards Challies for	\$1.00	35c Crepe, 4 yards for	\$1.00
20 Card Pearl Buttons	\$1.00	Two yards 36 inch Silk Poplin	\$1.00	Seven yards Cotton Plaids	\$1.00
Mens \$1.50 Dress Shirts	\$1.00	\$1.50 Parasol for	\$1.00	Eight yards Brown Domestic	\$1.00
Three 50c Ties for	\$1.00	Two yards RatINETTE for	\$1.00	Seven yards Bleached Domestic	\$1.00
Two pair 75c Sox for	\$1.00	Five Sanitol Rugs, 18x36,	\$1.00	Five yards 36 inch Outing	\$1.00
		Two 65c Towels for	\$1.00		

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## JONES DRY GOODS CO.

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**SECRETARY STATE HIGHWAY DEPT. MAKES CORRECTION**

(By V. D. FUGLER)  
Secretary State Highway Department.  
The following editorial appeared in one of our daily newspapers. The author of the editorial from all appearances was very sincere, but he is laboring under a false impression and has undertaken to write an editorial for his paper without the facts before him. The editorial reads as follows:

**Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic**  
For Pale, Delicate Women and Children. 60c

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Record is authorized to announce the following names for the offices indicated, subject to the Democratic primary July 26, 1924:

**COUNTY OFFICES:**

- For County Judge:**  
PERRY T. BROWN  
CHARLIE THOMPSON  
U. D. WULFJEN.
- For County and District Clerks:**  
J. LEE JONES  
W. S. STONEHAM.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector:**  
I. W. TERRY
- For Tax Assessor:**  
ROY WARREN
- For County Attorney:**  
R. H. RATLIFF.
- For County Treasurer:**  
OCIE GREEN  
(Re-Election)
- For County Commissioner Precinct 1:**  
TOM GOSS  
TOM HAMMONDS
- For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3:**  
JNO. D. LANE  
(Re-Election)
- For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:**  
TOM TERRY (Re-election)
- For Public Weigher (At Westbrook) Precinct No. 2:**  
J. R. OGLESBY.
- For Public Weigher (At Loraine), Precinct No. 4:**  
OTIS MUNS.
- For City Marshal: (City Election April 1):**  
T. A. HICKMAN  
(Re-Election)

Est. 1847  
**Allcock PLASTERS**  
A Standard External Remedy.  
Coughs and Colds  
(on chest and another between shoulder blades)  
Weak Chests,  
Any Local Pain.  
Insist on ALLCOCK'S—the Original.

**Dull and Heavy?**  
In FORCE you'll find the Snap and Pep to do things with a relish.  
**FORCE Tonic**

"There are in the State of Texas now, about 700,000 registered automobiles. The Highway Commission puts the average tax on these cars at \$14.70 each, which gives the state an automobile tax to be used for highway purposes, of an amount in excess of \$10,000,000. It is doubtful whether \$14.70 is a fair average, but even though it is, we find a huge sum of money attracted to one central point to be used for one specific purpose. Good business and good business methods would demand that that money be spent in a business-like way, and if it were so spent, but very few of us who pay it would have any reason to complain. However, if reports are true, it is taking 100 men to handle the highway department's business and at the low figures of \$5.00 each per day, we find this tax being eaten up in salaries at the rate of \$500.00 per day, or at the rate of all of \$1,500,000 per year, to say nothing of other expenses. In the absence of reliable proof, we would guess that under the present method of doing business the highway department spends of the \$10,000,000 collected all of \$2,000,000 in salaries, traveling and other expenses. The \$2,000,000 never sees the highways of the state and even if half of it were put on the roads it would do a powerful lot of good. We are not criticising the department. Those in charge of it might be doing all they can possibly do and do it right, but it does seem that as many as 100 employees in one department represents quite a lot of help and with that many a better showing ought to be made. We daresay 25 competent men could do more and better work. We also venture to state that a better system than now employed could be devised and put into operation to the everlasting benefit and credit of the State."

The author states that it requires the services of 100 men to handle the Highway Department's business, which at the low estimate of \$5.00 per day, he states would amount to \$1,500,000 per year. The fact is that during the last fiscal year the Highway Department proper or the engineering department had only 47 employees including the Highway Commission, Highway Engineer, division engineers, clerks, stenographers and draftsmen. The total amount paid out for salaries during the last fiscal year was \$93,995.00 or less than one-fifth of 1 per cent of the total cost of State and Federal aid projects completed last year. There were 4,400 miles of State and Federal aid projects and ten bridges on which State and Federal aid was used, completed last year at a cost of between \$47,000,000 and \$48,000,000. In addition to this there were 161 contracts awarded involving \$13,000,287 and there are under construction at the present time 1,606 miles of road and nine bridges involving an estimated cost of \$22,681,000. The Highway Department paid out to the counties last year nearly \$10,000,000 in State and Federal aid. The salaries paid were less than 1 per cent of the actual amount paid out to the counties. The total traveling expense of the Highway Department during the last fiscal year was \$13,125.00 which includes the traveling expense of the Commission, State Highway Engineer and all division engineers.

**Sick Headache**

"I have used Black-Draught when needed for the past 25 years," says Mrs. Emma Grimes, of Forbes, Mo. "I began taking it for a bad case of constipation. I would get constipated and feel just miserable—sluggish, tired, a bad taste in my mouth, . . . and soon my head would begin hurting and I would have a severe sick headache. I don't know just who started me to taking

**Theford's BLACK-DRAUGHT**

but it did the work. It just seemed to cleanse the liver. Very soon I felt like new. When I found Black-Draught so easy to take and easy-acting, I began to use it in time and would not have sick headaches."

Constipation causes the system to re-absorb poisons that may cause great pain and much danger to your health. Take Theford's Black-Draught. It will stimulate the liver and help to drive out the poisons.  
Sold by all dealers. Costs only one cent a dose. E-104

The salaries paid to the registration division of the Highway Department, which has no more to do with the building of roads than the Comptroller's Department, were \$26,660. This division keeps an accurate record of all motor vehicles registered in this State. The receipts for 700,000 motor vehicles are received from the tax collector, audited, typed and filed in alphabetical numerical and engine number files so that when either the name, the engine number or the license number of a motor vehicle is known, a full description can be found in a few minutes from the records. These duties are imposed upon the Highway Department by the law and have to do only with the collection of license fees. There are 19 persons employed regularly in this division.

The total operating expense for the Highway Department for the last fiscal year including salaries, traveling expense, stationery, printing of receipts, laws, etc., sundry supplies, postage, office equipment, repairs, telephone and telegraph expense, freight automobile maintenance and other sundry expense for the engineering and registration division was only \$163,450.50, or less than one-third of 1 per cent of the total cost of State and Federal aid projects completed last year, and a little over 1 1/2 of the amount actually paid out through the Department to the counties for road and bridge construction.

We have heard the statement made by misinformed persons that the Highway Department spends great sums of money traveling all over the world. I wonder how far the Highway Commission, the State Highway Engineer and the division engineers of the State Highway Department, who inspect regularly all work carried on under the direction of the Department, could travel on \$13,000 the entire traveling expense for last year, less than the cost of constructing one-half mile of concrete road.

The total operating expense herebefore enumerated would build less than four miles of 18 foot concrete road. It seems that as a matter of fairness to public officials who are trying conscientiously to do their duty, that before a newspaper editor or any other citizen for that reason, criticizes, he should have the facts before him and be satisfied as to their accuracy. The Highway Department records are public and the personnel of the Department in charge of these records will gladly furnish

any information any citizen of this State desires. Every cent that is expended can be accounted for and accurate records are kept of every receipt and every disbursement.

**ONE DAY WITH RECORD READERS.**

A. A. Daniel out in thelatan community came in Saturday and squared himself with the Record books.  
Lee McGuire from Cuthbert came in Monday, knocked the snow off his boots and left a \$5 bill in the Record's box.  
A. L. Scott writes to change his paper to San Benito.  
H. B. and Clyde Linam out in the Lone Wolf mountain country came in Saturday and got \$7 worth of Record having one sent to M. L. Andrews at Tucumcari, N. M.  
W. C. Hooks is a renewal.  
Bill Hunter renews.  
C. L. Goode renews.  
S. D. Carpenter renews.  
Jenkins Hensley changes to Westbrook.  
Mrs. Gordon changes to New Orleans.

New ones last Saturday: J. I. Shults, Colorado Rt. 1; Jack Walding, O. D. Brackman; James E. Davis, Colorado Rt. 2. E. S. White; M. J. Dawson, Colorado; Mrs. Lon Kolb, Colorado; E. T. Strain, Cuthbert; W. C. Farrar, Loraine; Claude Swan, Loraine; W. R. Morris, Sweetwater.

**MARY SUCCEEDS ON MAIN ST.**

The Record this week begins publishing a series of articles, "Mary Succeeds on Main Street," written by Laura Miller; a noted pen woman. These articles will be run in the Club and Society columns and we ask the lady readers of the Record to read these articles and report to this paper their opinion of them. The first one appears this week.

**NOTICE IN PROBATE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County—Greeting:

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

**THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

To all persons interested in the estate of Y. D. McMurry, deceased, The City National Bank of Colorado, Texas, has filed an application in the County Court of Mitchell County, on the 23rd day of February, 1924, for an order of sale of real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, to satisfy a claim of the City National Bank of Colorado, Texas, against said estate, said claim being secured by a Deed of Trust upon the real estate described in which said application will be heard by said Court on the fifth day of May, 1924, at the Court House of said County, in Colorado, Texas, at which time all persons who may be interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Witness my hand and official seal, at Colorado, Texas, this 25th day of February, 1924.  
(Seal) W. S. STONEHAM,  
Clerk County Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

A true copy, I certify:  
I. W. TERRY,  
Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas,  
By C. E. Franklin, Deputy. 3-15c

**PRESIDENT SANDIFER OF SIMMONS IS IMPROVING**

President J. D. Sandefer of Simmons College, who underwent an operation in a Dallas sanitarium Monday, was very much improved, it was stated in a telegram received in Abilene Tuesday from his son, Gilbert Sandefer, who has been with his father for the past several days. Dr. Sandefer is resting quietly, it was said.  
President Sandefer has been ill in Dallas for the past three or four weeks, having gone there to attend the bedside of his brother, Dr. Geo. H. Sandefer, who died here week before last. A minor operation was performed two or three weeks ago. The operation performed Monday had been postponed in order that he might gain greater strength.—Abilene Reporter.

**Distinguished Visitor.**

Mrs. F. B. (Aunt Rose) Whipkey enjoyed this week a social visit from the distinguished visitor, Mrs. Fred Robinson, noted writer and club woman of Waco. Mrs. Robinson came to meet some of the leading women of the city in the interest of Senator Oscar Underwood of Alabama, who aspires to the Democratic nomination for the presidency.

Mrs. Robinson, wife of Fred Robinson, editor of the Waco Times-Herald, is herself an able newspaper woman. She is a well-known club woman and has held several important offices in the Texas Federation and is now chairman of one of the standing committees of the State Federation. She has long been identified with the "Texas Pen Women," is a fluent magazine writer, and well qualified to carry forward the work she has undertaken.  
She is an old time friend of Mrs. F. B. Whipkey and was a dinner

guest on Monday, where she met quite a number of the club ladies of the town.

What is expected to be one of the most crowded sessions of District Court in recent years will get under way in Sweetwater next Monday.

Two murder trials are scheduled, both on a change of venue. They are the Meador case, transferred from Barstow and the Hickox case, from Rankin. Both have been tried before and sent back for retrial from the Court of Criminal Appeals.—Sweetwater Reporter.

**NEW SURE WAY TO  
END BILIOUSNESS**

**Torpid Liver Fills Body With Poisons—Pepsinated Calomel Guaranteed to Relieve Between Sunup and Sunup—No Nausea.**

Calomel is the only medicine that will actually reach the liver, but ordinary calomel is so drastic that many have deprived themselves of its fine effects because of its harshness. This objection has been overcome in Pepsinated Calomel. Many who formerly could not take calomel are finding a most acceptable remedy in Pepsinated Calomel because it is English Calomel (which doctors recognize as the standard of purity), treated with pepsin and other soothing ingredients that not only stimulate the liver to normal action, but sweeten the stomach and aid digestion. Many report that the use of Pepsinated Calomel unclogs their systems of poisonous waste, brings back appetite, causes dullness to disappear and makes them "feel like new!"  
Colorado Drug Co., and all reliable druggists recommend and guarantee Pepsinated Calomel to bring relief between sundown and sunup or your money refunded. Try it—we guarantee you'll feel better tomorrow. (Adv.)

**Get This Power Thrill**

A big, virile engine to send you sweeping uphill—big, sure brakes to ease you downhill—patented Triplex Springs to melt the bumps away! One hour's drive is fifty minutes more than are needed to open your eyes to the bigger Overland power, sturdier construction and greater comfort. Champion \$695; Sedan \$795, L. o. b. Toledo.

**Overland**  
Towing \$495

E. H. WINN  
Colorado, Texas

# LORAIN NEWS

Local and Personal News About Loraine and Vicinity

MRS. ZORA DEAN

Mrs. Dean is also authorized to receive and receipt for all subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact all other business for the Waykey Printing Company in Loraine and vicinity. See her and take your County paper

**LORAIN**—xx x z i

A literary entertainment was immensely enjoyed at the school auditorium Thursday night, Feb. 21, when Thomas Elmore Lucey appeared under the auspices of the parent-teachers club, in his various impersonations, stories and songs. Mr. Lucey's complete character change on the stage were exceedingly clever and the cause of wonderment. A neat sum of \$14.80 was realized for the school library. Inclemency of the weather Friday resulted in the decision of postponing Arbor Day program indefinitely.

Mrs. M. Zellner who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. R. Seger, past week left for her home at Alamogordo, New Mexico, Tuesday.

O. Lambeth of Colorado was a business visitor Friday.

Mrs. E. E. Rice returned from Dallas business trip Saturday.

Mrs. M. A. Hanks of Nolan is visiting her son, Rev. Hanks and family this week.

Mr. Claborn Jones of Longview spent Wednesday night with his sister, Mrs. G. A. Hutchins, leaving Thursday morning for Stanton to visit his parents.

Miss Swan Farrar was home from Coahoma last of the week.

Mrs. J. F. Drennan was in from Hermleigh shopping Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. I. J. Pierce visited last of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Richards of Baumann.

Miss Elon McDonald left Thursday night for Westbrook returning Sunday.

G. A. Hutchins was a Roscoe visitor Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Phillips visited in

Roscoe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Baker left for Weatherford Tuesday to visit at Ft. Worth.

Rev. H. W. Hanks leaves Thursday afternoon for Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin were in from Longfellow purchasing furniture Monday.

Mr. T. J. Newton, son Bruce and daughter, Miss Bernice and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin visited relatives at Midland Sunday.

Mr. Mahon Compton of Valley View and Miss Lynn Shepherd of Pleasant Hill were married at Sweetwater Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 20th. Mr. and Mrs. Compton are well known here and have many friends who join in wishing them a full measure of success and happiness. The couple will reside at Valley View.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Morgan of Colorado were Thursday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Griffith.

Mrs. Pearl Bennett and Mrs. J. T. Ledbetter were Sweetwater visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. T. J. Newton left Thursday for Midland where she went on account of sickness in the home of her son, Horace and family.

News comes from Mr. J. N. Porter at Abilene that he is doing nicely since having his foot operated on Monday week.

Mrs. J. W. Pool came in from Abilene Sunday night to be at the bedside of Mrs. B. L. Templeton.

Little Francis Bennett is reported on the sick list with flu this week.

Mrs. A. Phillips entertained at her home Friday from 3 to 5 p. m. with

a Washington party. House decorations were red, white and blue. Before the games America led by Mrs. W. W. Rowland was sung. Paper and pencils were passed to each who were requested to name the ex-Presidents. Mrs. W. L. Hester, winning the honor of being able to name the most of them. In the "Washington Pie" contest a hunt was made for cut out letters spelling Washington and verses of poetry were written and read. Next was a parade to show off costumes. Mrs. Jno. Coffee was voted queen of the afternoon for the most appropriate costume. When everyone bowed courtesy, the queen presented each with small U. S. Flags. Refreshments of cherry pie, whipped cream and coffee was passed to the guests, dressed in Colonial costumes numbering about 18. On departing the hostess was bowed courtesy and claimed to be "the best ever."

Mr. Lewis Williams reported to be quite sick with measles at this writing.

Mrs. Howard Rogers of Cuthbert died night of Feb. 21st with pneumonia following measles. Mrs. Rogers was a sister of Mrs. H. W. Hanks.

Suda Ruth, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Crownover has been real sick with measles this week, but at present reported better.

Ladies of Loraine and vicinity are invited to inspect the new high grade millinery carried by Mrs. W. E. Reid at Burns' store at Colorado. Mrs. Reid sends word that she can please anyone. She has a fine line of Madge Evans hats for little ladies, Lady Frances hats for women and misses.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Martin, Mrs. W. L. Edmondson and daughter, Miss Mable, Mrs. Charlie Coffee and Robert Hendrick, Dr. T. A. Martin and family returned Sunday from Abilene where they heard Paderewski, world famous musician.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smiley returned from Artesia, N. M. Saturday where they visited their son, J. W., who returned home with them.

Mr. C. F. Glass spent the week-end home from Lubbock returning there Sunday. Mr. Glass has accepted a position as traveling salesman for C. C. Hornsby Machine and Supply Co. Mr. C. J. Martin will continue in charge of the Glass grocery store. Mrs. Sam McKee was here from Jacksonville Monday night visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Erwin who have been suffering from an attack of bronchitis, both Mr. Erwin and his wife are better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crownover are moving in from Barnett to the rooms vacated by Mr. and Mrs. McClure. Mr. and Mrs. McClure are on a trip to California for the benefit of Mrs. McClure's health.

**U. B. Thrifty says**



"A stone wall may lack speed, but it has staying qualities"

Ladies! Saturday a new copy

Fear of loss... age coming on finding... Now is the time to dispe... And while man has earning power... Systematic Saving.

We have worked out several helpful saving plans. You will find one that fits your circumstances exactly.

**COLORADO NATIONAL BANK**

**B. F. AVERY IMPLEMENTS**

Best in America. Let me supply your needs. Everything in the Racket Store line, at racket store prices.

**Harness Goods**

I am meeting any legitimate competition in Harness, Collars, Lines, Bridles, etc. Inspect these goods before buying.

**R. L. McMURRY**

**Womack & Neff**

Down where they do vulcanizing and sell all makes of Tires and other auto accessories; where they give quick service and sell gas and oils, told us if we did not change their ad this week we would get licked, so here is the change for

**Womack & Neff**

E. Z. TIRE CO.

**Investments**

If you want any thing in City Property, Oil Leases, or Royalties, look me up. I have it.

**J. L. Hart**

OFFICE AT CITY HALL

Have you ordered your Ford?

Last year 350,000 buyers waited for delivery.

Insure yourself against delay this spring by placing your order for a Ford Car now.

See the Nearest Authorized Ford Dealer

**Ford Motor Company**

Detroit, Michigan

**LORAIN MASON AN-NOUNCE STATED MEETING**

All Masons are requested to be present Saturday night, Feb. 23rd, this being our stated meeting. There is some very important business to be attended to, among which is the question of moving the time of our stated meeting up to Thursday night.

We earnestly ask all Master Masons to come out and vote as they think best.

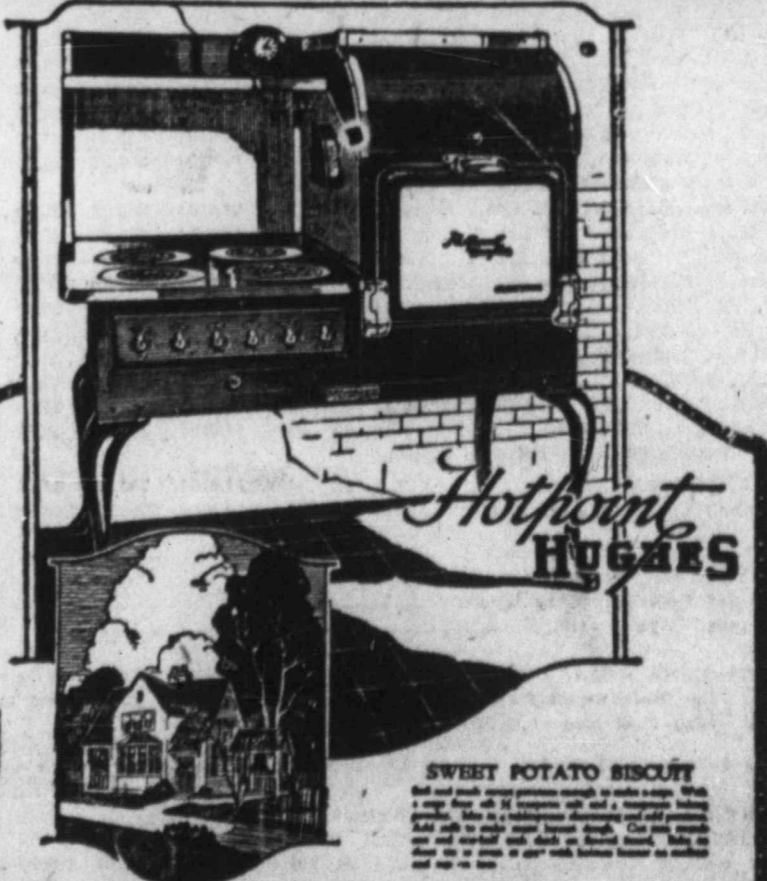
We have decided it best not to have the open meeting Friday night, the 22nd. But will have a number of talks in memory of one of our Grand Masters, Geo. Washington, Saturday night. Will serve refreshments. All Masons are cordially invited to come and be out with us.—Grand Master.

**WOMEN GIVE OUT**

Housework is hard enough when healthy. Every Colorado woman who is having backache, blue and nervous spells, dizzy headaches and kidney or bladder troubles, should be glad to heed this Colorado woman's experience:

Mrs. W. M. Cooper, Concho St., says: "I suffered a great deal with severe pains across the small of my back. I could hardly get out of bed in the morning, as my back felt like broken and it was sore and lame. I regular action of my kidneys. I read about Doan's Pills, so I got a box at The Drug store and their use removed the pains in my back and regulated my kidneys. I felt like a different person."

60¢, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. would get so dizzy, everything would turn black before me and I would have to grab on to something for fear of falling. I had severe headaches and was bothered by the ir-



**No Time Wasted on a Hotpoint Hughes**

Just place the food to be cooked in the oven. Set the thermometer at the desired cooking temperature and the pointers of the time control clock when cooking is so start and finish.

The range will do the rest. Just this one convenience has saved many hours during the day for American Housewives all over the country. It can do the same for you.

There is a Hotpoint Hughes Electric Range designed for every household requirement. Come in at your convenience and let us demonstrate the one that suits you best.

If more convenient for you to telephone, then call us and we will send our demonstrator with prices, photographs and complete specifications. The advertisement is one of a series carrying a new recipe. They are available. Get them out and use for reference.

**WEST TEXAS ELECTRIC COMPANY**

PUBLICATION OF THE HEREINAFTER SET FORTH RESOLUTIONS TO ALL OWNERS OF PROPERTY AND TO ALL OTHERS IN ANY WAY INTERESTED IN ALL MATTERS AND THINGS THEREIN CONTAINED, WHICH SAID RESOLUTIONS ARE:

IMPROVING AND ADOPTING ENGINEER'S ROLLS OR STATEMENTS, SETTING TIME AND PLACE FOR HEARING TO OWNERS OF PROPERTY, AND TO OTHERS INTERESTED, AND DIRECTING THE CITY SECRETARY TO GIVE NOTICE.

RESOLUTIONS, the City Council of the City of Colorado, Texas, has ordered that portions of streets in the City of Colorado be improved by raising, and filling same, and installing concrete curbs and gutters, where adequate curbs and gutters are not now installed on curb lines, and by paving with Warronite Bituminous Pavement on concrete foundation with necessary appurtenances. All as more fully detailed in the plans and specifications hereof, and contract for the making and constructing of said improvements has been entered into with the West Texas Construction Company, the said portions of streets so to be improved being as follows, to-wit:

OAK STREET from its intersection with the South line of Main Street to its intersection with the North line of Fourth Street, known as Unit or District No. Three (3).

MAIN STREET from its intersection with the West line of Elm Street to its intersection with the East line of Oak Street, known as Unit or District No. Four (4).

ELM STREET from five feet North of the center line of the House Track of the T. & P. Ry. Co. to the North line of Third Street, known as Unit or District No. Five (5).

WHEREAS, the City Engineer has prepared and filed with the City Council rolls or statements for each District or Unit, showing thereon the amounts proposed to be assessed against the property abutting upon the improvements in each such District or Unit, and against the owners thereof, and showing other matters and things necessary and pertinent thereto, and the same having been examined, and all errors and omissions found therein having been corrected;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO, TEXAS, THAT:

The said rolls or statements be and the same are hereby approved and adopted.

The City Council does hereby determine to assess a portion of the cost of said improvements in each District or Unit against the owners of property abutting thereon and against their abutting property in accordance with and under the terms of Chapter 11 of Title 22 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas of 1911, and the proceedings of the City of Colorado concerning said improvements and letting the contract therefor.

The cost in each District or Unit to be assessed against abutting property and the owners thereof shall, in accordance with the proceedings concerning such improvements, be apportioned among the respective parcels of property abutting upon the improvements according to front foot plan or rule, provided that if the application of this rule shall, in the opinion of the City Council result in particular cases in injustice or inequality or in assessments in excess of special benefits in the enhanced value of the property by means of improvements in the particular district or unit, then the City Council shall adopt such rules in each district as shall effect a substantial equality between the respective parcels of property abutting upon such district or unit and the owners thereof, considering benefits received and burdens imposed, and provided further that in no case shall any assessment be levied against any property or owner thereof for any part of the cost of improvements in any District or Unit in excess of the special benefits in the enhanced value of such property by means of the improvements in such district, as ascertained at the hearing herein provided for, each district or unit being considered as a separate and independent unit of improvement, and the omission of any improvement in any district or unit shall in no wise effect or impair assessments levied, and the omission of assessments shall in no wise effect or impair the validity of assessments. Assessments when levied shall be and constitute the first enforceable lien and claim on the property against which such assessments are levied, superior to all other liens and claims, except State, County and Municipal taxes, and shall be a personal liability and charge against the real and true owners of such property.

The descriptions of the parcels and tracts of abutting property, the several amounts proposed to be assessed against such parcels of property and the owners thereof, the total estimated cost of the improvements in each district, and the total amount proposed to be assessed against each parcel of property, and other matters and things as shown on the said rolls or statements, are as follows, to-wit:

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR STREETS AND DISTRICT SHOWN For Oak Street from Intersection with South Line of Main Street to Intersection with North Line of Fourth Street—District Number Three (3).

Table with columns: Owner, Location, Block No., Ft., Rate, Cost, Curb @ .475, Total Lin., Ft., Cost. Lists property owners and their respective assessments for Oak Street improvements.

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR STREETS AND DISTRICT SHOWN For Main Street from Intersection with West Line of Elm Street to Intersection with East Line of Oak Street—District Number Four (4).

Table with columns: Owner, Location, Block No., Ft., Rate, Cost, Curb @ .475, Total Lin., Ft., Cost. Lists property owners and their respective assessments for Main Street improvements.

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR STREETS AND DISTRICT SHOWN Elm Street from Five Feet North of the center line of the North or House Track of the T. & P. Ry. to the North line of Third Street Intersection—District Number Five (5).

Table with columns: Owner, Location, Block No., Ft., Rate, Cost, Curb @ .475, Total Lin., Ft., Cost. Lists property owners and their respective assessments for Elm Street improvements.

A hearing shall be given to the owners of property abutting upon the said portions of street, and to all others interested, whether they be named herein or not, all of whom are hereby notified to be and appear at the time and place herein named and fixed, which said hearing shall be held on the 5th day of March, 1924, at 4 o'clock P. M. in the City Secretary's office, in the City of Colorado, Texas, and which shall be continued from time to time and from day to day, if necessary, until all desiring to be heard shall have been fully and fairly heard, and at which hearing any mistake, irregularity or invalidity in any of the proceedings with reference to the making of the said improvements or assessments therefor may be corrected, and the benefits by means of the said improvements, and all sums to be assessed against abutting property and the owners thereof will be determined, and the apportionment of the cost of the improvements in each district will be made, and all other matters and things required by law and the proceedings of the City will be done and; after all hearing and presenting themselves to be heard, either in person or by agents, attorneys, or representatives, have been fully and fairly heard, the said hearing will be closed, and assessments will by Ordinance and in accordance with law and the proceedings of the City be levied against the said abutting property and the owners thereof, whether such owners be named herein or not; and at said hearing any person, firm or corporation, their agents, representatives, or attorneys, and any and all others in any wise interested shall have the right to appear and be heard, and to introduce evidence and subpoena witnesses.

The City Secretary of the City of Colorado, is directed to give notice to the owners of the property abutting upon the said portions of street, and to all others interested, of all said matters and things, by causing a copy of this Resolution to be published at least three times in some newspaper of general circulation in and published in the City of Colorado, Texas, the first publication to be made at least ten days before the date above fixed for such hearing. The City Secretary may also give notice by mailing to each owner at his or her address, if known, by registered letter, a copy of said notice, but the said notice by letter shall be only cumulative of the said notice by advertisement and publication, and the notice by advertisement and publication shall in all cases be sufficient, whether or not any other notice be given.

This resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage. Passed and approved this 11th day of February, A. D. 1924. JOE H. SMOOT, Mayor Pro-Tem., City of Colorado, Texas. ATTEST—L. A. COSTIN, City Secretary.

Citation by Publication

The State of Texas: To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell county, Greeting: You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Mitchell, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Burt King, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof to be holden in the county of Mitchell, at the court house thereof, in Colorado, on the third Monday in April A. D. 1924, the same being the 21st day of April A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 11th day of February, A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 4464, wherein Emma King is plaintiff and Burt King is defendant. The nature of the plaintiffs demands being as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff alleges that she is and has been for a period of twelve months prior to exhibiting the petition herein an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in the county of Mitchell for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit; that on or about the 25th day of February A. D. 1915 in Mitchell county Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant and that they lived together as husband and wife until on or about the 15th day of February A. D. 1916, when defendant left plaintiff with the intention of abandonment of plaintiff as his wife, since which time they have not live together as husband and wife; that defendant has been gone for more than eight years with the intention of abandoning plaintiff as his wife, during which time she has not heard from or of him; that said marriage relations still exist. Plaintiff prays for citation for judgment dissolving said marriage relations, for costs of suit and general relief. Herein fail not, and have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Colorado Texas, this 11th day of February, A. D. 1924.

W. S. STONEHAM Clerk District Court Mitchell County, Texas 3-7c

SPEAKING OF COLORADO.

In pointing out some of the reasons Colorado is a mighty good town and really doing things, the Abilene Reporter says in its issue for Tuesday: "The annual banquet and business session of Mitchell County Fair Association directors will be held Tuesday night, February 26, at the Pullman Cafe. J. A. Sadler, president of the association, stated today that a tract of thirty to fifty acres would be purchased near Colorado as the permanent home of the fair and construction of permanent buildings and other equipment is to be commenced within sixty days. The grounds formerly used by the fair association have become inadequate. "The Colorado Parent-Teacher Association claims to have the largest membership of any like organization west of Fort Worth. There are 272 active members enrolled with the organization and a drive is being arranged to increase the number to 300. "During the past few months the association has financed the purchase of \$1,000 worth of play ground equipment for the Colorado schools. "All bids submitted to Commissioners' Court for purchase and removal of the old court house were rejected and the county will raze the building and salvage and sell the materials. The building, a three story brick, was erected forty years ago and for many years was one of the largest and most attractive court houses in the state. The new Mitchell County court house, being built at a cost of \$115,000, is near completion. "The city has ordered paving extension on nine blocks, making a total of eighteen. The nine blocks effected in the first contract have been completed and accepted by the city. The white way street lighting system will be extended with the paving."

Rev. Holmes Nichols, after a pastorate of six years at El Reno, has been called back to a former pastorate at Mangum, where he served three years. The El Reno saints have under construction a \$50,000 building, and the Mangum church is one of the best equipped churches in the state in the way of buildings.

Pastor Nichols has the Mangum call under consideration.—Baptist Standard.

Pastor Nichols went from Colorado to Mangum as a loan to Oklahoma from Texas and it is about time the loan is being returned back to the Lone Star State.

Personally we are not expecting to be summoned to Washington, but if we are we can prove we haven't any money in oil.—Dallas News.

Marshall News: A nation-wide poll taken by the Literary Digest shows that 85 per cent of those voting favor the Mellon tax reduction bill. That publication sent out 11,000,000 ballots and more than 2,000,000 have been returned. For a wonder the vote in favor of the bill is just as strong in Texas as it is in New York, as strong in the northwest as in New England, as strong on the Pacific coast as in the Mississippi Valley.

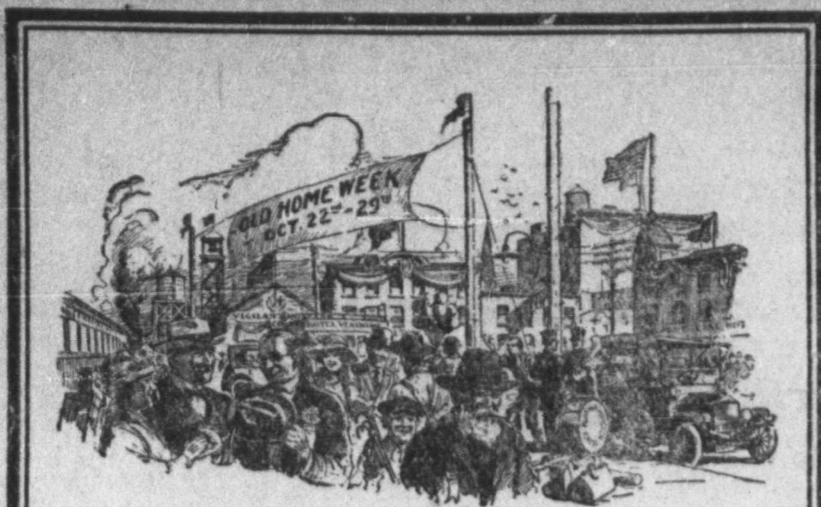
Read the classified columns and see the bargains offered. If you have anything to sell the classified column will do it.



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THE SUCCESSFUL SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER OF TODAY

(By Mrs. Minnie Manning) Successful! There is a fascination in the very sound of the word.

Every one wants to be successful in their undertaking. Nothing brings a greater thrill of joy than of realization that we have succeeded in some cherished undertaking, and nothing saddens the heart more than to know we have failed.

Let us consider some elements of success. The time is past for a young man or young woman to jump haphazard into a life work, but they carefully consider their natural adaptation. What are the talents God has given them? Their inclinations and abilities? No one can succeed in something to which he is not adapted.

Of course, the first consideration would be that the teacher is a genuine consecrated person. After that I think I would place adaptation. I am not sure but that teachers were called just as preachers are called.

But if they are, or if they are not, here is work for the pastor and superintendent and older Christians with a discerning spirit. The young man on whom God lays His hand to preach, often needs help to find himself, and so with the teacher. Those most gifted for the work are the most humble and least presumptuous and so need encouragement and drawing out. Next on the list of elements of success I would place preparation. This is a day of specialization, of preparation. The statesman, the lawyer, the physician, the teacher does not expect to attain success without the most thorough preparation.

The church is waking up and coming into her own along this line. Time was when the Sunday school teacher had very little to draw from but now there are helpers on every hand and there is no reason for the lack of preparation.

I believe in specializing in Sunday school work. I don't think teachers should change from one grade to another. Their best success will come from finding the grade or age to which they are most adapted and then concentrating on that.

To attain the highest success the teacher must be on very intimate terms with God, must be acquainted with His word and must know the

human heart; must be sympathetic, understanding, tender and patient.

With all of this the teacher needs persistency. I believe that people often lose courage and give up when just another persistent effort would win the victory.

The teacher should not be easily discouraged because their success may not always be visible to the eyes. It will be revealed in eternity.

Being a successful Sunday school teacher is no child's play. Like all other things worth while one must pay the price. I have a friend who sells goods, sometimes I say I can get a certain article cheaper from some mail order house. He says, if you pay a cheap price you get cheap goods, and it is true.

If our Sunday school teachers pay a cheap price we have a cheap Sunday school. Successful Sunday school teaching is burden bearing. Time that might be spent in pleasure must be given to prayer and study and anxious planning. But when the teacher pays the full price her or his reward is great. Their pupils love and trust them and no sweeter gift has this world to offer than the sincere love and confidence of a human being. We prize it too little and hold it too carelessly.

Such pupils strive to imitate their teacher's life and so grow into noble life and service and in the cloudless day of resurrection and peace, they will be a crown of rejoicing; jewels in the diadem of Jesus Christ. Is that not worth all it costs? Don't be discouraged, teacher, if you are not all that you feel a teacher should be, give God all your best and it will surprise you, what He can do with you.

TREES AND THE WEST

A West Texas farmer who returned to his old home in Tennessee after an absence of a number of years found that his brother who owned the old home place had cut down all the timber on the farm and so had the neighbors on their farms. The result was that there were not many more trees in that community, which had once been heavily wooded, than in the Texan's own prairie home. The West Texan told the Tennesseean that a fitting punishment for his tree cutting offence would be to live in a country where he couldn't see a tree.—Wichita Falls Times.

Geo. Randolph Chester is Dead. NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—George Randolph Chester, known to thousands as the author of "Get Rich Quick Wallingford," died in his apartment here today.

WITH THE CHURCHES

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Special Services for Lent. Every Wednesday in Lent beginning with Ash-Wednesday, March 5th, 9:30 a. m. Holy Communion.

4:30 p. m. Children's Story Telling hour.

7:30 p. m. Litany and Address. Sunday services in Lent will be 1st, 3rd, 5th and Easter Day.

In the season of Lent the Church calls her people to a companionship, a closer walk with our Lord as "He sets His face steadfastly to go to Jerusalem." When you love anyone dearly and they love you and "trouble is at hand" you want to be with them don't you? And they want to have you every near as much as is possible.

Let that thought be uppermost in our minds as we make our plans for this coming Lent.

First of all there are the Services some of which you can plan to attend.

Then there is our self denial, our giving up of things not necessary such as picture shows, dances, and parties of any kind. But what are you going to do with the time thus saved? May I suggest that you apply to me for some books that will help you to keep that thought of companionship before your mind. I have plenty of books you would be the better spiritually for reading. If you are a member of the Church school spend the time thus saved on your lesson for the following Sunday.

Try to practice a real unselfishness. (1) By doing all you can to be a help not a burden at home; don't be a "lean to Christian." (2) We can very often help our own souls best by intercession for another using our companionship to pray earnestly and diligently to our Lord for others and their needs.

Finally do use the Sundays I am not here to go to any of the other Churches in the town. They will be glad to have you and will help you keep your purpose.

May God bless each and all of us in our plans and lives this coming Lent.

REV. F. B. ETESON, Rector The rector will not be in Colorado for services next Sunday, but will be here next on Ash Wednesday, March 5th, then again the First Sunday in Lent, March 9th.

BAPTIST NOTES.

Just a word to encourage the faint hearted and to strengthen the feeble kneed. The work of a church is to help folks. That is what we are trying to do. If you need help in a spiritual way come our way. We are trying the best we can to teach the way of life. Our services are always at your disposal. If you are spiritually discouraged come and worship with us. The world is sin sick and really needs more help than it gets. Our doors are always open to give aid to the wayward and distressed.

Our S. S. meets at 9:45 each Sunday morning. We would be pleased to see the people of Colorado realize what a Sunday school is for and take hold in a manly way to make the school a great success. Why should men and women be so sinful and wicked as not to care for God's word. The righteous love the study of God's word.

Preaching at 11 o'clock and at 7:30 Let us insist upon your attendance next Sunday. We will promise to say something that will be helpful to you. This is a personal invitation to each and every reader. Bring someone and let us put it over in a great way. Will you help us?

THE PASTOR.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. J. M. Thomas, superintendent. As the sickness of the people gets better our Sunday school increases, of which we are glad. We have just organized a young mens class which promises to be very interesting. Any young man who is not in a Sunday school will be welcomed to this class. We have classes for all ages.

Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sunday school and preaching at Horns school house next Sunday at 8:30 and 4:30. The community is invited to these services.

All the Presbyterians of our city are urged to come and take your place with us. If you are here for only a short time come and help us while you are here. If you are a fixture bring your letter.

W. M. ELLIOTT, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Come on time. We are getting better Sunday by Sunday. We have one hundred new song books, they are good ones. Come and join us. Mr. Foster will have charge Sunday.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. R. A. Stewart, the presiding

elder, will preach at 11 a. m. and we will have the communion service following the preaching.

At 3 p. m. we will hold our second quarterly conference. Let all the official members take notice and be on hand.

At the evening hour I will preach on the second commandment and my subject will be, "Is America a Christian Nation?" I will have something to say about the aims and purposes of the founders of this country and as to whether or not we cherish these aims or are merely drifting without purpose, without a sense of direction or without a sense of danger? Come and hear this. Bring a friend with you. We had forty eight out last Sunday evening and a good service. The Sunday evening before we had about two hundred and fifty. Our people sure do fear the weather. I hope it will accommodate us and be just right every Sunday from now on through the year. J. F. LAWLIS, Pastor.

YEGG PLANNED TO LOOT SWEETWATER BANK, REPORT

From Sweetwater Reporter:

With tears streaming down his boyish face and in a trembling voice Melvin Taylor, alias Sidney Hodges, 17-year-old youth, who recently escaped from the Gatesville Reformatory, Saturday confessed to County Attorney R. D. Cox to having burglarized the J. B. Hawkins hamburger stand early Saturday morning.

Taylor gained entrance through the rear of Otto Carter's Plumbing Shop and made away with loot amounting to nearly \$75.

Local authorities were notified just before noon and in less than six hours had apprehended the thief and recovered approximately all of the stolen money.

An astonishing angle to Taylor's signed confession was the statement that he had planned to rob the Texas Bank & Trust Co., last Thursday night. He intimated that the time was not "ripe" and that he had temporarily postponed the bank robbery. He had planned to rob the bank single-handed.

Taylor said that he had been convicted of robbery at Jefferson, Texas, over a month ago and sentenced to four years in the reformatory at Gatesville. With four other boys he escaped recently and was in search of work. Asked why he left the reformatory, Taylor said:

"I could not bear to think of spending four years at Gatesville. We got

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Each as long as they last.

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in bad there and they made us lie on the floor and gave us from ten to twenty lashes on the bare skin with a thick rawhide whip."

The rawhide was lodged in the county jail where there are nearly a dozen other boys facing charges of hi-jacking, forgery and other violations of the law.

Taylor probably will be tried Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each of our many friends who were so kind to us during the illness and loss of our loved one. There will always be a warm spot in our hearts for each of you.

Howard Rogers Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Bozeman and family.



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You'll see what we mean when you come in here to inspect the new Spring Suits and topcoats just arrived from the House of

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**NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION**

The State of Texas  
County of Mitchell

To the resident property tax paying voters of Mitchell County, Texas

TAKE NOTICE—That an election will be held on the 22nd day of March, 1924, within Mitchell County, Texas, to determine if said County shall issue bonds and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof, in obedience to an election order entered by the Commissioners Court, on the 11th day of February, 1924, which is as follows:

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this the 11th day of February, 1924 the Commissioners Court of Mitchell County, Texas, convened in regular session, at the regular meeting place thereof, in the court house at Colorado, Texas, all members of the court, to-wit:

J. C. Hall, County Judge,  
U. D. Wulfjen, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1;  
H. A. Lasseter, Commissioner

of Precinct No. 2;

Jno. D. Lane, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3;

W. D. McAdams, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4;

being present, came on to be considered the petition of C. J. Martin and 110 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by said Mitchell County, Texas, in the sum of Three Hundred and Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$325,000.00), bearing interest at the rate of not exceeding Five and One-half per cent (5½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, and the principal of said bonds to mature at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a concrete-paved Highway and Turnpike, running through said county from the Mitchell-Nolan county line to the Mitchell-Howard county line and known as the Bankhead Highway, or in aid thereof, in said County of Mitchell; and whether or not a tax shall

be levied upon the property of Mitchell County subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity;

AND IT APPEARING to the Court that said petition is signed by more than fifty (50) of the resident property taxpaying voters of said Mitchell County, Texas, and

IT FURTHER APPEARED That the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Mitchell County, Texas;

IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED AND ORDERED by the Court, that an election be held in said County, on the 22nd day of March, 1924, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said county shall be issued in the amount of Three Hundred and Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$325,000.00) bearing interest at the rate of not exceeding five and One-half Per Cent (5½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, and the principal of said bonds to mature at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a Concrete paved highway and turnpike, running through said county from the Mitchell-Nolan county line to the Mitchell-Howard county line and known as the Bankhead Highway, or in aid thereof, in said county of Mitchell; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of Mitchell County subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity. The said election shall be held

under the provisions of Article 627 to 641, inclusive, of Chapter 2, Title 18, Revised Statutes of 1911, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 203, Acts 1917 Regular Session.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this state, and of this county, and who are resident property taxpayers in this county, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds, shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"For the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment thereof."

And those opposed, shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment thereof."

For voting Precinct No. 1, held at Colorado, Texas, in the Court House thereof, A. A. Dorn, presiding judge.

For voting Precinct No. 2, held at the Methodist church in the town of Westbrook, J. C. Costin, presiding judge.

For voting Precinct No. 3, held at the school house at Spade, R. A. Hood, presiding judge.

For voting Precinct No. 4, held at Landers school house, W. E. Wimberly, presiding judge.

For voting Precinct No. 5, held at Bozeman's store in Cuthbert, W. C. Berry, presiding judge.

For voting Precinct No. 6, held at Car school house, G. W. Sweatt, presiding judge.

For voting Precinct No. 7, held at J. J. Riden's office in the town of Loraine, J. L. Pratt, presiding judge.

For voting Precinct No. 8, held at the store house in Itan, E. B. Gregson, presiding judge.

For voting Precinct No. 9, held at the McKenzie school-house, G. A. Brown, presiding judge.

For voting Precinct No. 10 held at the Buford school house, I. K. Gailey, presiding judge.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the Statutes hereinabove referred to.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in the Colorado Record and the Loraine Leader, newspapers published in the county, for four consecutive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at three public places in the county, one of which shall be at the court house door, for three weeks prior to said election.

The county judge is hereby directed to cause such notices to be published and posted, as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers, and received by the Court.

Given under my hand, with the Seal of the Commissioners' Court affixed, this the 11th day of February, 1924.

J. C. HALL  
County Judge Mitchell County, Texas. 314c

Too much attention cannot be paid to the selection of seed for cotton planting. The costly experience of a number of Hale County farmers who planted seed which did not come up is fresh in the memory of many of the farmers. Not only was the price of the seed lost, but the labor put in on the land and the production that one expects from his land. Interest and taxes went on, the seed were paid for, the farmer was out his labor, and his family suffered.—Plainview Herald.

"West Texas needs more railroads" says the Abilene Reporter. West Texas doesn't need more railroads half as much as it needs highways. The paved highway and transportation by motor truck is fast supplanting rail lines and bringing convenient transportation to the doors

of communities that never were by a railroad before.—Breckenridge American.

Look over the classified ads this week. See the lost and found and other items advertised in this column.

**REGAINS HEALTH AT 74**

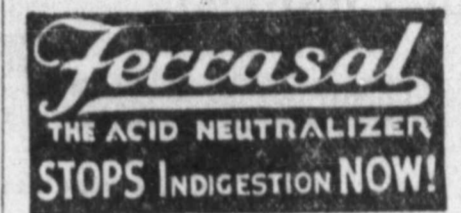
As we grow older the heart pumps the blood less vigorously, we exert less and there is a gradual slowing up of the digestive organs of the body. The food wastes cling to the sides of the alimentary canal, become hardened and generate toxic and uric acids.

A physician discovered a preparation, known as Ferrasol, which dissolves the hardened food wastes, neutralizes the toxic and uric acids and keeps the colon clean and disintegrated. It also aids digestion, keeps the kidneys regular and is very beneficial to older people. It proved successful with hundreds of his patients and now Ferrasol can be purchased at your druggist's.

Take FERRASOL regularly night and morning for a month. It will do the work for you or your money refunded.

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If your ailment is one of an old chronic character, then a reasonable period of time will be essential in perfecting the equation of things; however, if you have my attention for ten days in succession and you are not pleased, I will be glad to return every cent you shall have paid me. Be your own judge. Give nature a chance.

Though Satan may say, "Oh, not today"  
Spirit will whisper, "Do not Delay."

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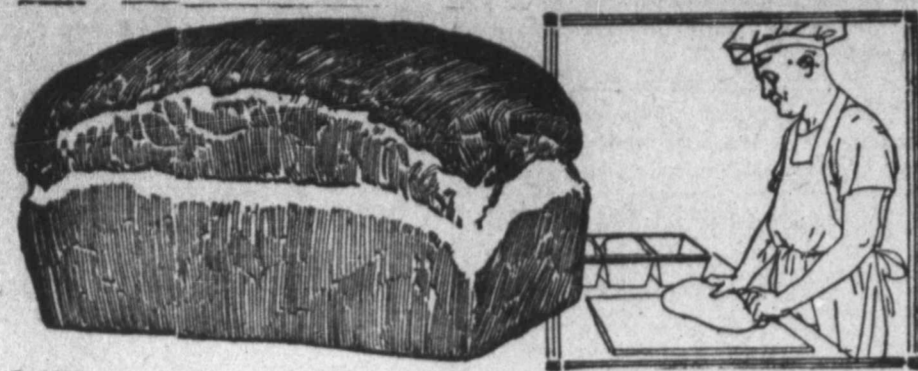
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DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 28.—John Shelby Wisdom, who recently deeded his farm of two hundred acres near Duncanville, Dallas county, to the Dallas Boy Scouts, has given Southern Methodist University a large number of cedar trees which will be used in beautifying the college campus of 133 acres. Mr. Wisdom is 74 years old. In explaining the reason for the gift, Dr. A. D. Schuessler, business manager of the University, said: "Mr. Wisdom is interested in young people and gave the trees as one means of adding to the happiness of students."

Practice paper at Record office.

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#### HEALTH HINTS. BY LEE O. BURKE

Are you in good health. You may say yes, but are you? To be in perfect health you should be able to run several miles, to jump in fact anything that is natural. How long would you last in a strenuous game of any kind?

In this article I will tell you a few things that will help you. This article will deal with breathing and light exercises.

Not more than one out of every thousand persons know how to breathe and only one of every hundred do what they know. But this is written for those who do not know.

A man or even a woman that does not drink strong drink or use tobacco could by correct breathing and ten minutes exercise each morning keep himself in such condition that it would not be at all impossible to run ten miles. This sounds exaggerated but it is just a plain fact.

If you are weak it is your own fault, perhaps, through your lack of knowledge of physical culture or perhaps it is neglect. Of course there are a few unfortunate ones who could not offset the handicap placed on them by nature, but these few are the exceptions.

You no doubt think a few deep breaths in the morning should be enough but that is not so. Every breath taken should be a full one; not a strain but as full as can be taken without straining.

The exercise taken in the morning should be those that stretch the muscles, not strain them, by heavy exercise of stretching too far. Do not exercise one set of muscles until they are tired and most important of all, are the exercises that bring into play the abdominal muscles.

I have cut this article short but will lengthen the future articles making them more explanatory; not excessive.

#### EDUCATIONAL

An unusual story in connection with the educational movement of the Southern Presbyterian church has been given out as evidence of the interest shown by members of that church in the effort to secure \$1,350,000 for the schools and colleges under control of the Southern Presbyterians in Texas.

Rev. E. W. Mitchell, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of Refugio, Texas, wrote Mr. S. P. Hollirake, state director, the following letter:

"Enclosed find \$1.50 for the cause of Christian education in Texas. This widow's mite has a history I trust you will pardon me for relating. It is a gift from Mrs. Sarah Staruch, member of the Refugio Presbyterian church. She is 83 or 84 years old and circumstances denied her an education.

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"When a girl of 12 or 14 she and her sister were stolen by Indians from their home about 18 miles from here. The sister was scalped and left on the prairie, but was found soon after and nursed back to life. Mrs. Strauch some months later was exchanged for an Indian boy that the U. S. Cavalry had captured. She was returned to her parental home where she afterwards married. In late years she has been living with her family in Refugio. Her life has been one of toil and hardship, and she still does her own work, though increasing infirmities come with the years.

"She sends this gift to help some boy or girl have the chance that was denied her. The gift comes unsolicited and because she has had read to her some of the literature sent out by the committee."

#### DIED AT CUTHBERT.

Mrs. Howard Rogers, age 24, died at 3:30 o'clock Friday morning at the home of her father, D. T. Bozeman at Cuthbert, and the body was buried Friday afternoon in the Cuthbert cemetery. Mrs. Rogers, with her husband and 2-year-old son, lived in Colorado. She was convalescent from an attack of measles and went to Cuthbert to recuperate in the home of her father. She relapsed with pneumonia and died within a short time.

Several Colorado people attended the funeral services.

#### POLITICS.

Walter L. Cohen, negro republican leader of Louisiana, will be continued in office by President Coolidge as comptroller of customs at New Orleans, despite the recent senate rejection of his nomination, a press report from Washington Monday indicates. Politics promises to be a big factor in governmental affairs for a long time to come. And the two big parties, Republican and Democrat, apparently are at par in proficiency at playing the game. The republican party desires to continue to control the negro vote of the South—thus the negro's fat job.

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#### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Mitchell, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Willis M. Dilworth, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District court at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the county of Mitchell at the court house thereof, in Colorado, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1924, the same being the 21st day of April A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 11th day of February A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 4465, wherein Ruby Wilson Dilworth is plaintiff and Willis M. Dilworth is defendant. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff alleges that she is and has been for a period of twelve months prior to exhibiting the petition herein an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas and has resided in the county of Mitchell for at least six months next preceeding the filing of this suit; that on or about the 3rd day of January A. D. 1920 in Howard County, Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant and that they lived together as husband and wife, until on or about the 26th day of March A. D. 1920, when defendant left plaintiff with the intention of abandonment of plaintiff as his wife since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife; that defendant has been gone for more than three years with the intention of abandoning plaintiff as his wife, during which time she has not heard from or of him; that said marriage relations still exist. Plaintiff prays for citation, for judgment dissolving said marriage relation; that her name be changed back to Ruby Wilson; for costs of suit and for general relief. Herein fail not, and have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Colorado, Texas, this the 11th day of February, A. D. 1924.

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### DEVELOPMENT OF THE COUNTIES WEST OF US

The Hockley County News this week carries a story of the development of the counties west of us that bears out the statements of this paper that the towns are not growing faster than the surrounding country is developing. The News says:

"A few years ago this was a 'cow country.' It was thought to be useless to try to cultivate this land and make it produce cotton, corn, maize and other kindred crops, but a few fellows that jumped in to the farming game such as Lee Cowan, John Doyle, Andrew Blankenship, Sloan Cowan, Walter Frazier, the Timmons' and others, proved to the entire satisfaction that this country not intended for an exclusive cattle country, but was good for people who want to raise agricultural products as well as gradually the ranches have been crumbling, and the people have been going more and more into the farming game with increasing success, till today West Texas is one of the outstanding sections of the United States from an agricultural standpoint.

"With the division of the large tracts of land in Hockley and Cochran counties a new era is beginning in the development of the country, and this year will see marked changes in these two counties.

"Where the round-up grounds have formerly been, there will be cotton patches, towns and school houses. Where there have been dog towns there will be cotton gins and other institutions that will help to develop the industries of West Texas.

"We note, even now, that thousands of acres of rich soil that is being turned upside down where the grass has had full swing for the past 1900 years cotton will bloom and produce thousands of bales of cotton, that will require many gins to handle and will demand additional railroad facilities to haul it away.

"The two youngest counties on the Plains promise to become the heaviest producers, and they will be heard from in the coming agricultural exhibitions at Dallas, and other points. Just stand by for a moment and watch the scene change.

"West Texas is attracting the attention of the whole United States and hundreds of people are going to own homes in West Texas during the next twelve months."

What is said of Hockley and Cochran county can be said of more than thirty of West Texas and possibly a dozen counties of Eastern New Mexico, so dear reader you can, with a few moments with your paper and pencil, the exercise of your mind, figure out what wonderful area of fertile land there is here that is just now beginning to settle up. In this territory there is more than twenty million acres of lands and eighty per cent of it is subject to cultivation, and will produce crops of a good yield. Then why need there be any great surprise that this country is attracting the attention of the people far and near? It is natural and the development is going to continue.

Thousands of acres of cotton will be planted this year, and in all probability this section will be checked up as the biggest body of land planted to cotton in the State this year, and the 100,000 bales produced last

season will look small compared with the yield this year.

### SENA TOR SHEPPARD WANTS TO DEVELOP POTASH FIELD

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas has asked Uncle Sam to declare a potash trade war against Germany.

He declares that Texas probably has more potash than Germany and can mine it as cheaply. He offers as proof for his statement reports of experts of the Geological Survey, who although handicapped by lack of sufficient appropriations to carry out exhaustive potash survey, have discovered the presence of the mineral in sections of the panhandle, south plains, western and southwestern regions of the Lone Star State.

The more valuable deposits, so far as is known are in the area of the following counties in Western Texas: Culberson, Reeves, Loving, Winkler, Ward, Gaines, Andrews, Ector, Dawson, Martin, Midland, Upton, Borden, Howard, Glasscock, Reagan, Scurry, Mitchell, Sterling, Iron, Fisher and Nolan.

Sheppard has asked Congress for an annual appropriation of \$500,000 for five years to be used by the Geological Survey in determining the potash deposits in Texas and small part of New Mexico. Under the provisions of the measure, a report would be made to Congress at the end of each year, setting forth the findings of the surveyors and containing recommendations as to the feasibility of commercial mining of the potash by them.

In introducing his bill the Texas Senator pointed out that he had obtained estimates, which would tend to show that Texas is fabulously rich in her potash possessions. He explains that one government expert told him that where Muscle Shoals figures are given in millions, ten or hundreds of millions should be used in speaking of the potash possibilities, particularly in Texas.

Three essentials go to make up the balanced fertilizers required in renewing lands impoverished by years of cultivation. Of these three the United States is protected in two, phosphorus, which is found almost all over the country and nitrate, now being investigated by the Department of Commerce with the idea of making the United States independent of the Chilean monopoly. The development of nitrate at Muscle Shoals at some time in the future also is virtually assured.

Samples have been taken which tend to indicate that a bed of phosphate lies in the western portion of the state in what was the floor of an ocean years ago, which will run about five feet thick. The content of water-soluble potassium oxide runs around 11 per cent and in some cases exceeds 15 per cent. The value of this closely approximates the Stassfurt "kanite," which sells at a price around \$15 a ton or more, depending upon the distance from the Atlantic seaboard.

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### OVERLAND CLIMBS TO TOP OF COURT HOUSE STEPS

Featuring the Triplex Spring, patented, the strength of the rear axle and particularly the powerful motor, J. P. Gough, branch manager for the Overland automobile, in the presence of numerous West Texas sales agents and a large crowd, Friday afternoon staged a extraordinary unique performance on the public square.

Ira Armstrong, district agent for the Overland car, without previous experience, successfully drove an Overland stock car from the bottom to the top of the county courthouse steps.

In many respects it was the most unique demonstration ever given locally and a large crowd that had gathered on the courthouse lawn to witness the performance, departed fully convinced that the Overland will climb and that the rear axle is capable of withstanding terrific jars.

Mr. Armstrong drove the car to the top of the steps at a rapid speed and with apparent ease. Once at the top he released the brakes, purposely, and descended at an alarming speed in order to demonstrate the remarkable elasticity of the rear axle, with a terrific thud the car struck the cement landing without apparent injury to its mechanism. It was truly a spectacular demonstration.

Branch Manager Gough, with headquarters at Dallas, is conducting a sales conference in the field and called many agents in West Texas here for this demonstration. Among those present, in addition to local agent Henry Davis, were: Frank Koch and Ira Armstrong, wholesale representatives; Elmer Batts, Ballinger; Irvin Mitchell, Baird; Ernest Haughton, Abilene; E. H. Winn, Colorado; J. W. Hendryx, Snyder; Jim Black, Big Spring; L. L. Rice, Bronte and T. H. Mayfield of Roby.

"We are conducting a sales conference in the field," Mr. Gough said "It is our idea to facilitate matters in making deliveries from the factory to the branch and to arrive at a better analysis concerning various problems of our field men."

Other like demonstrations will be given in several West Texas cities, it was stated.—Sweetwater Reporter.

### MAN TRIES TO REACH MOTHER BY TRIP NAILED IN BIG BOX

"I had been told that my mother was critically ill at Parkland Hospital, following a serious operation. I couldn't get a discharge from the Marine Corps, so I started home and I was not going to stop until I saw my mother. I was willing to try any scheme that would help me reach her bedside."

Thus William Baker, 18 years old, formerly of 5204 Santa Fe street, South Dallas, explained why he was found nailed inside a pine box in the baggage coach of a passenger train en route to Dallas recently.

"I was at San Diego, Cal., Feb. 5, when I received the telegram. I couldn't get a discharge from the Marines, so I just started out. I had enough money to buy food, but didn't have enough to ride a passenger train. I managed to reach Prescott, Arizona. It was so cold I decided I'd never reach Dallas in this way so I got in a box and got a fellow I had never seen before to nail on the lid and have me shipped.

"I stood it as long as I could and then called for help. The baggage man got me out of the box in West Texas and turned me over to the

authorities at Barstow.

"After they released me I continued my way to Dallas and saw my mother. She is much better now and I was preparing to ask Marine officials to take charge and send me back to my station, when police officers took me in charge Saturday night.

"I'll probably be severely penalized by the Marine Corps officers for coming to see my mother without obtaining proper leave, but I just had to see her. If it were to do over again and I knew that was the only way to get to her side in time I'd do it all over again. She's my one best friend, my mother, and when she needs me I'll always go to her if I can."

Baker was found at the residence of his mother when police officers went to search for him Saturday night.

Officials say the experience of young Baker is one of the most unique in their knowledge.—Dallas News.

### THE SNOW.

Monday morning all West Texas was covered with a blanket of snow. Reports reaching Colorado from the Texas and Pacific, Santa Fe and Orient Railroad offices indicate that the snow is general from Altus, Okla. and Panhandle Plains points west to Sierra Blanca, with a large territory south. While the moisture will be welcomed on Winter grain and plowed land for Spring planting, fears are felt for range lambs and calves already beginning to drop in some sections. Temperature here is 27 degrees.

MILES, Texas. The roofs of several business houses have fallen in under the weight of the heaviest snow in years.

SAN ANGELO.—Ranchers after visiting their herds reported here that livestock was in excellent condition and that no losses had been reported as the result of the foot of snow that covered the range country in this section. Brush and the broken country afforded protection to cattle and sheep from the cold, it was said.

DALLAS.—The weather was clear over North and East Texas today, following the heavy snow of Sunday and Monday. Continued cold for tonight is forecast, with frost to the coast, excepting the lower Rio Grande valley. Freezing last night extended as far south as San Antonio and nearly to Houston.

Palestine and Lufkin reported heavy snow.

BRYAN, Texas.—Six inches of snow here last night melted quickly but left light and power lines as well as telegraph and telephone communication crippled.

YOAKUM, Texas.—Snow fell here last night for the first time in two years. It melted quickly.

Mr. Vanderlip's Teapot Dome test turned out to be a heavy gasser.

### RED CROSS ACTIVITIES.

The housewives of Mineral Wells, Texas, have just ended a cake contest, the proceeds of which have been given to the Red Cross of that town. The first prize in this contest, which was ten dollars in gold, was won by Mrs. E. E. Smart; the second prize by Mrs. Ben Yeager, and the third prize by Mrs. George M. Smith. The fourth prize, a sack of flour, went to Mrs. M. E. Sims. The cakes were sold and the money which they brought, \$25.85, was donated to the Red Cross chapter.

In the Southwestern Division, American Red Cross, there are 65 chapters having life saving corps, divided as to states as follows: Arkansas, 6; Colorado, 4; Kansas, 16; Missouri, 13; New Mexico, 1; Oklahoma, 8; and Texas, 17. Two hundred and twelve persons have qualified as examiners, 87 of whom are men and 125 women; and 3882 persons have passed the life saving test. Of this number 1378 are Juniors, 1221 men and 783 women.

Texas shows the largest percentage in actual numbers of both life savers and examiners of any of the seven states constituting the Division, but Kansas has the largest percentage in proportion to the population.

The Southwestern Division, though inland except for the Texas coast, is developing great swimming and life saving enthusiasm and hopes to have a record each year which will compare favorably with that of any other division in 1924.

May change its name to aJekpot Dome.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals addressed to J. C. Hall, county judge of Mitchell county, Texas, for the construction of paving the property owned by Mitchell County in Blocks 23 and 24 and fronting on Oak street, will be received at the office of the county judge until 10 o'clock a. m., March 19th, 1924, and then publicly opened and read. Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination and information obtained at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Colorado, Texas. 3-14c

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