

Enthusiasm Dominates at Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet

Culminating the most successful year in its history and setting a program of even larger proportions for the ensuing year, the Colorado Chamber of Commerce closed another fiscal year Friday evening of last week with the annual banquet and business meeting at the Pullman Cafe. On account of considerable sickness in the community and several members of the organization being out of the city, attendance was not as large as had been expected. The banquet was attended by only 100 of the business and professional men of the city.

The meeting was called to order by Dr. P. C. Coleman, president, who announced purpose of the meeting and introduced Rev. J. F. Lawlis, pastor First Methodist church, who pronounced the invocation. In his annual address, which covered briefly some of the accomplishments of the organization during the past year, Dr. Coleman declared that the Chamber of Commerce had closed the most successful year in its history declaring this record had been attained because of the loyalty received by the varied business interests of the community.

Col. C. M. Adams, president of the Lions Club, was the first speaker to be introduced. Col. Adams gave his unqualified endorsement of the Chamber of Commerce and appealed for support of the organization in the future. "A town or city without a Chamber of Commerce is like a ship without a rudder, a money drawer without any cash, a dummy dressed up in a show window with no place to go," Adams declared. He outlined that the Colorado Chamber of Commerce was filling a place in the civic and commercial life of Colorado and Mitchell county of which the citizenship could ill afford to do without.

Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of McMurry College of Abilene, delivered the principal address. In introducing the visitor, Dr. Coleman paid a tribute to the man who had come up from the ranks as a cowboy in a lonely line camp to become the founder and president of one of the best colleges in West Texas—a man a few years ago practically unknown and now recognized as a leader in religious, commercial and educational affairs of the Southwest.

Dr. Hunt became reminiscent and recalled his visits to Colorado when the town was a colony of tents. He grew up at Estacado and with his father, a pioneer physician, made frequent trips to Colorado when a boy. The speaker spoke in an illuminating manner in giving a description of the transformation of West Texas from a trackless waste into the leading section of Texas.

He appealed to the citizenship of Colorado to support its Chamber of Commerce and declared that the building of houses and developing our natural resources were not all to be considered in building a city. If a city is to stand and prosper it must be founded amid the proper atmosphere, where the demand for justice and righteousness is heard just as audibly as the demand for commercial advancement.

J. Steve Anderson, vice president and general manager of the Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation, was the next speaker and gave an interesting address outlining the operation of oil refineries. He pledged his full support to the Chamber of Commerce and recalled some of the programs such an organization is able to carry out successfully.

The annual report of the secretary was read outlining activities of the organization during the year.

The president and 12 members of the board of directors were re-elected unanimously for the ensuing year, as follows:

Dr. P. C. Coleman, president; R. O. Pearson, R. P. Price, H. L. Hutchinson, Joe H. Smoot, G. B. Slaton, T. W. Stonerod, Jr., A. B. Blanks, J. C. Pritchett, L. B. Elliott, O. Lambeth, J. Riordan, J. H. Greene.

Considerable enthusiasm prevailed when the chairman announced that the meeting would go into general discussion and subscribe to budget for the ensuing year. Every citizen present readily subscribed liberally to the budget and a number of them increased their monthly payments over the amounts subscribed last year.

Annual Report of the Secretary, Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1924, Colorado Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Chamber of Commerce:

During the fiscal year ending March 31, 1924, the Colorado Chamber of Commerce has extended its program of activities to cover the widest range of successful accomplishments in the history of the organization. This has been made possible through increased support coming to the chamber by the largest membership and paid up budget since the organization was founded.

Starting the fiscal year April 1, last year, the Chamber of Commerce had a membership of more than 200 of the business and professional men of the city. This roster has been maintained throughout the year. To be sure, some members originally supporting the organization at beginning of the year, have moved away, while others have left the organization through other causes, but new members have been obtained to fill these vacancies. Thirteen new members were added during the month of January this year.

The Chamber of Commerce has continued its support of the Colorado Booster Band throughout the year, paying salary of the director in full and financed, either in whole or in part, trips of the band to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at San Angelo last year, to Sweetwater for the Technological College Jubilee and to Lubbock for the jubilee there. The Colorado band was the first to telegraph Lubbock that it would come to that city and assist in celebrating location of the new school in West Texas.

The Chamber of Commerce operated a special train to the Sweetwater jubilee, carrying the largest delegation of any other town or city in Texas.

The Chamber of Commerce has given the work of the Extension Department, A. & M. College, in Mitchell County its fullest support, furnishing both the county farm agent and the home demonstration agent office accommodations and co-operating with them in the introduction of approved scientific ideas among the citizenship of the county. In connection with this work last year, an appropriation of \$750 was made to finance purchases of cans and cookers for farmers of the county. This fund was repaid by these citizens.

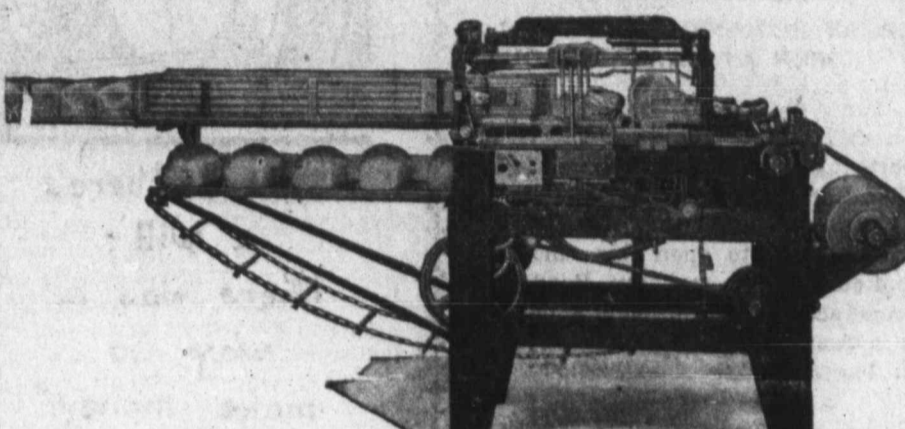
Through special efforts of the Chamber of Commerce, the first of a series of district conventions to be held by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce was called for this city.

The Chamber of Commerce sent delegations to Austin to appear before the State Highway Commission with request for aid account street paving in the city, additional allotment for Lone Wolf Creek Bridge and to support arguments that road connecting Snyder and Sterling City be designated as a highway. These representatives obtained State aid of more than \$20,000 to be applied on street paving and Lone Wolf Creek Bridge. The delegation was unsuccessful in obtaining designation of north and south highway.

The Chamber of Commerce co-operated with the public schools of Mitchell County in the annual inter-scholastic league meet held at Colorado recently by purchasing medals and assisting in bearing other expenses of the meet.

The Chamber of Commerce compiled a brief and filed same with the Technological Locating Board, requesting that this newly created college be located here.

The Chamber of Commerce has co-operated with the city in varied civic improvements here, including the street paving, white way street light-



THE WRAPPER ON YOUR LOAF OF BREAD

When you get your bread from Hurd's Bakery you often choose a wrapped loaf. This is a paper covering for the loaf, which keeps it clean, and bears the name of the maker of the bread and his brand-name for the kind of bread wrapped.

Bread that is wrapped has only once had touch of human hands, in the process of baking, and very often the hands of the operators are gloved in white cotton.

When the bread has been cooled, it goes into large castered trays, and these are rolled to the machine for wrapping them. A good illustration of one of these types is pictured above. A very small electric motor and a heating apparatus to take electric current care for the work of covering each loaf.

This wonderful machine is almost human, and it works very fast. It takes the bare loaves on the little canvas conveyor, as an operator lifts them from the trays that rise above small truck wheels in a tier of three or four loaf-wide lengths of ten feet or more. The operator touches a button, and the wrapping machine comes to instant life. The loaves travel up on the lower conveyor, and when a loaf is almost at the central framework, it is seized, moved forward to the paper sheet, and allowed to come to rest on a small platform.

ing, and other programs. Has given its full moral support and financial support where needed and practical, to the several other civic clubs of the city in carrying out programs calculated to advance the general interest of the city.

The Chamber of Commerce financed and supervised construction of the detour around the new bridge on Lone Wolf Creek and co-operated with Commissioners' Court in financing the bridge spanning the creek on this detour.

The Chamber of Commerce collected and exhibited an agricultural exhibit at the State Fair at Dallas last year, winning a \$150 cash prize, in spite of the fact that some of the specimens to be exhibited were delayed in arriving at Dallas, causing us to fail in filling the score card. The Chamber of Commerce exhibited Mitchell County sorghum grains at the Waco Cotton Palace last year and was awarded first prize. An exhibit of Mitchell County lint cotton at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show this year, collected and entered by the county agent, won the grand champion prize for the State. The Chamber of Commerce co-operated in causing this exhibit to be shown.

The Chamber of Commerce co-operated with the Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation in obtaining refinery site at Colorado, and much credit is due the organization for bringing this enterprise to the city.

Records of the organization show that all funds collected and disbursed by the organization during the year have been expended judiciously. No expense is authorized except merits of the cause for which the expenditure is proposed is well established, and an auditing committee makes audit of the books of the secretary and treasurer several times during the year.

The organization is planning the most extensive program during the ensuing fiscal year than ever before. One of the assets to Colorado sponsored and financed by the organization and which is expected to be concluded within the next few weeks is a modernly equipped tourists park near the city. The organization expects to continue its support to the varied progressive civic programs originating during the ensuing year.

While this is happening, a knife has cut the paper off to exactly the length that is needed for one loaf wrapper, and two arms at each side of the platform, before and behind the loaf, with wide flat plates on them rise from below. They bring the wrapper up around the loaf, and another flat plate above pushes the paper across the top of the loaf, with a fourth plate moving down to turn the extreme end of the wrapper neatly over the shorter paper on the other side. The loaf now has a lapped cylinder of paper around it.

The next operation is to crease and lap the ends, which fingers on the machine do much more neatly than human fingers, and the little oblong platform with its wrapped loaf rises between two electrically heated plates. These melt the wax on the wrapping paper, which instantly sets solid, sealing the wrapper. The loaf is now at the upper level of the machine, and is pushed out to the upper conveyor, moving away with wrapped loaves. There is just room for another loaf on this conveyor when the wrapped loaf is moved to it, but meantime the platform has dropped so a second loaf may be seized and wrapped. The operation is continually performed so long as there are loaves and paper supplied.

This goes on quicker than one could easily count for a length of time. Parchment, waxed paper, or waxed paper with unwaxed strips along it is used in bread wrapped on machines like this, and every loaf reaching the home is as clean as when it left the spotless, fly-proofed, shining bakery of Hurd's Bakery.

Your grocer has Hurd's bread hot from the oven every day.

STORY NOT WORTH SPACE GIVEN IT, EDITOR WRITES

Sunday morning the correspondent of one of the larger daily papers circulating at Colorado telegraphed a story to his paper, "covering" the busy scene at the Dulaney building, where 20 carpenters and almost half that number of employees of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company were rushing the work of repairing the building and installing the exchange in that this service be restored to Colorado at the earliest possible moment. The correspondent believed he was landing a "scoop" by wiring short report of this busy scene.

However, imagine the chargin of the local correspondent, whom, we are told, has often dreamed of some day becoming internationally known as a newspaper reporter, when he received a "baling out" through the mail from the State editor of the paper he represented.

"Your story was not worth the space you gave it, even though you had sent it by mail," wrote the State editor, and he had other things to say, all of which were calculated to make himself feel big and the local correspondent feel small.

Such is life in the Far West.

MEN NOT IN S. S. PLEASE READ.

The Baptist Men's Bible Class had 25 present last Sunday. We want more than that many more in our class. Will you be one? J. L. Bowen is spending much time in preparation to teach us and we are anxious to have a large class for him to teach. This means you. Come on.

Colorado should have a delegation of 200 citizens in Brownwood the second day of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention. This city is to be honored there and Mitchell County citizens should show their appreciation of the honor by attending.

Brownwood Program to Offer Most Spectacular Events

The program for the sixth annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which is to be held in Brownwood, Texas, May 13, 14 and 15, has been completed and is an array of talent display, music, attractiveness and spectacular that has never been comprehended in any three days program ever undertaken in Texas or the southwest.

The entire western part of Texas looks upon these annual meetings of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce as historic events and all are joining enthusiastically in making the coming meeting the greatest chamber of commerce meeting ever held in America.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is the largest regional Chamber of Commerce in the Union. Beginning its work six years ago in a modest way, it now has a membership of 8,000 in round numbers, and these are scattered in 283 West Texas towns, and the year closing has been the most successful in its history. Every member town will be represented in the annual meeting in Brownwood and the attendance from towns will range from one to one thousand. In addition to delegations from member towns, there will be representations from a regional organization, and will visit the meeting to gather inspiration and information. Men and women of national and state reputations appear upon the program and nearly every phase of human endeavor will be touched by the various speakers that appear upon the program.

The chief speakers of the first day will be Hon. A. B. Spencer, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce; J. W. Carpenter, president of the Texas Power & Light Company; E. J. Hoseny, Armour & Co.; Gen. Paul Malone, United States army; Hon. M. L. Corey, member of the U. S. Farm Loan board, Washington, D. C. The afternoon of the first day will be given over to agriculture, and a feature will be the attendance of the Boys' and Girls' clubs of West Texas.

The second day will also have talent of great ability, the speakers being Col. Alvin M. Owsley, former national commander of the American Legion; Gov. Pat M. Neff and Dr. P. W. Horn, president of the Texas Technological college.

The third day will be known as Educational day, and several thousand students from various educational institutions in West Texas will attend the festivities of this occasion. Speakers for this day are Judge G. N. Harrison, whose subject will be "Our Constitution;" Hon. J. D. Jones, Alamogorda, N. M., who will speak upon the subject, "Lincoln National Forest;" and Mrs. Phebe K. Warner, Claude, Texas, who will discuss "State Parks."

The Texas State Band Contest will occur simultaneously with the meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and already more than 40 bands have entered the contest. These bands will come from many sections of the state, because of the large purses that have been offered, aggregating more than \$2,500, the low rates granted by the railroads and the desire to participate in what, will in all probability be the largest band concert ever held in the state. Each band will be accompanied by numbers of its fellow townsmen, and during the stay in Brownwood will be distinct factors in the pleasure of the thousands who will attend the convention.

One of the features of the three-day program will be the spectacular illuminated parade, which will precede the pageant, and coronation of the queen. These attractions will be the second night, and will excel any attraction of its kind ever given in the state. Each of the various towns in West Texas have been invited to appoint duchesses and maids of honor, and in the spectacular illuminated parade, these duchesses will be featured. The pageant which follows will be climaxed by the crowning of the queen, Miss West Texas, and this with the array of West Texas beauties will form a panorama of beauty and grandeur that has not been excelled anywhere.

These annual meetings of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce have always been concluded with a mammoth banquet at which time the collection of the next place of meeting is made. The banquet this year is expected to be enjoyed by five thousand people, exclusive of the bands, and with three cities in the race for the honor, enthusiasm will run riot with good humor and fellowship that is so outstanding in West Texas.

All Texas railroads have given an open rate of a fare and one-half for this great gathering, the selling dates opening May 11, tickets good to return May 17. Already sixteen special trains have been chartered to come from all sections of West Texas, and the people who come upon these trains will live upon them while in Brownwood. All of the special trains will be spotted in convenient places, and there will be a veritable Pullman city during the convention. Every possible convenience will be afforded in this Pullman city, such as telephone and telegraph service, sanitation and other accommodations.

Fleets of automobiles from all over West Texas will bring thousands. Brownwood during the week of the convention will metropolitan in appearance. Traffic arrangements will be perfect in every respect, and Sergeant E. F. Post of the United States army will be chief traffic officer. Thousands of the autoists will camp in one of the three beautiful parks, in and near Brownwood and with these camping facilities, added to the people that will be accommodated by the special trains, the hotels and the hundreds of Brownwood homes that will be thrown open, the entertainment of the convention with an attendance of 25,000 or more will be easily accomplished.

It should also be stated that the United States army, the aviation corps of both the United States army and the national guard, and the national guard will be very much in evidence during the convention. The presence of these men in uniform will add materially to the inspiration of the occasion, and will be living demonstrations of the need and demand for a national defense.

The Business and Professional Women's clubs of Texas are keeping step with the progressive spirit of West Texas, and to show their appreciation of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, have called a state meeting at Brownwood, said meeting to begin the last day of the annual meeting of the West Texas organization and to continue one day after the great convention.

All business sessions of the convention will be held in the forenoon, beginning at 9:30 o'clock and ending at 12:30 p. m. each day. Afternoons will be given to group meetings as follows:

May 13—Agricultural, Hon. M. L. Corey, member of the Federal Farm Loan board, Washington, D. C., chief speaker. Farmers of West Texas interested in Federal Farm loans will find especial interest in this address as Mr. Corey is, of course, authority upon this matter. The Boys' and Girls' Community clubs will also be intensely interested in this address.

May 14—Commercial executives, Walter Yaggy, manager Board of City Development, San Angelo, presiding.

Live Stock, B. M. Whitaker, agricultural manager, West Texas Chamber of Commerce, presiding.

Pecans, H. G. Lucas, president Texas Pecan Growers' association, presiding.

Texas Band Teachers' association, Conway E. King, president, presiding.

May 15—Texas Business and Professional Women's Federation, Mrs. Katherine Vedder, national vice president, presiding.

The band contests in all classes will occur at 3 o'clock each afternoon, and the prize winners will be announced at the banquet.

Social features including dances will take place each evening, with



Buick is the Standard of Comparison

Table listing Buick car models and prices: Five Passenger Touring \$1295, Two Passenger Roadster 1275, Five Passenger Sedan 2095, Five Passenger Double Service Sedan 1695, Seven Passenger Touring 1565, Seven Passenger Sedan 2285, Three Passenger Sport Roadster 1675, Four Passenger Sport Touring 1725, Brougham Sedan 2235, Four Passenger Coupe 1908, Five Passenger Touring \$ 965, Two Passenger Roadster 935, Five Passenger Sedan 1486, Four Passenger Coupe 1395.

CARTER-DIXON MOTOR CO.

'Wasn't No Fo'th.' On the plantation of Senator Vardeman, of Mississippi, lived an old Negro who rented his one-horse farm from the Senator. It was a "share-crop." The Senator was to get one-fourth of the corn and cotton. One day in the fall of the year, meeting the old Negro, Senator Vardeman said: "Look here, Sam, have you gathered your corn?" "Yes, sah, boss, long 'go." "Well, wasn't I to get one-fourth?" "Yes, sah, bos, dat's de truf, but dere wan't no fo'th. Dere was jis' three loads and dey wuz mine." In practice the money stewardship ideas of a very large percent

of the professing Christian people are much like Sam's idea about the land-owner's fourth. And their contributions pan out just about as Sam's rent did. In the few remaining days of our campaign year, may every Baptist who reads these words set for himself some higher standard of giving than Sam had of paying his "fo'th" for rent.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

I have taken the agency over again for the Dallas Morning News and Dallas Journal, and the Semi-Weekly Farm News. I will handle your mail subscription again for same. 5-9c R. L. FARMER.

METHODIST PREACHER IN "ONE SIDED" CAR SWAP

Saturday afternoon A. J. Herrington, local Ford distributor, drove up in front of the Methodist parsonage and calling the Rev. J. F. Lawlis out suggested an automobile trade.

"I will swap you this new sedan for that old touring car," Herrington stated.

"No," came the reply from the preacher, "I am not able to swap with you now. I plan buying one of these closed cars some of these times, but not now. I am not able."

"Able or not, we are going to trade," Herrington stated as he drove away in the preacher's old car and left the new machine standing in front of the parsonage. "And you need not worry about the able part, we will call it an even trade."

The new car was given the minister by Mr. Herrington and wife.

CARD OF THANKS

In sorrow I come to thank in a feeble way but with sincerity in my heart. I express to you my gratitude to all friends and neighbors who so kindly helped me during the recent illness and death of the beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Strong. I thank you for sympathetic words, for flowers and all acts of kindness given.

Respectfully, F. H. Strong and family.

FAMOUS RANCH NEAR BIG SPRING TO BE COLONIZED

BIG SPRING, April 28.—The famous Slaughter ranch, north of Big Spring, is to be colonized at once. Surveyors are now plating a 37 thousand acre section which is to be sold in large or small tracts and on terms that will permit home seekers to secure a home in the Big Spring country. The office of the Lone Star Real Estate Co. of Big Spring will be the western headquarters of the Lone Star Land Co. of Ft. Worth who has the contract to sell the Slaughter land. Excursions will be run from Ft. Worth to Big Spring and will start immediately.

NOTICE.

We have opened a new and up-to-date Tailor shop at our store and will appreciate a part of your business. We call for and deliver.—J. H. Greene & Co. Phone 154.

POULTRY

LITTLE CHICKS NEED CAREFUL ATTENTION

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture)

The artificial method of brooding chickens consists in supplying, artificially, heat as nearly as possible like that furnished by the hen under natural conditions. The temperature of a hen is about 106 degrees F., but as hens seldom sit closely on chickens, the latter do not receive this degree of heat. Hens adapt their methods of brooding to conditions, such as outside temperature, size of the chickens, and wet weather, and the operator of an artificial brooder must meet these conditions as nearly as he can. Some of the most important faults in the management of brooders are overcrowding and lack of ventilation and the failure of chickens to get sufficient exercise. The brooder should supply the proper temperature, be readily adapted to meet the changes in weather conditions, be easy to clean, and be well ventilated.

Chickens are usually left in the incubator from 24 to 36 hours after hatching, without feeding, before they are removed to the brooder, which should have been in operation for three or four days at the proper temperature for receiving chickens. A beginner, says the United States Department of Agriculture, should try this brooding system carefully before he uses it. After being placed in the brooder the chickens can be given feed and water. Subsequent loss in chickens is frequently due to chilling received while taking them from the incubator to the brooder. In cool or cold weather they should be moved in a covered basket or other receptacle.

Brooder houses should have from 1/2 to 2 inches of sand, dry dirt, cut clover, or chaff spread over the floor and in the brooder pen. The hovers should be cleaned frequently, as cleanliness is essential in raising chickens successfully.

When chickens are first put into the brooder they should be confined under or around the hover by placing a board or wire frame a few inches outside. The fence or guard should be moved farther and farther away from the chickens as they are three or four days old or when they have learned to return to the source of the heat. Young chickens should be closely watched to see that they do not huddle or get chilled. They should be allowed to run on the ground whenever the weather is favorable, as they do much better than when kept continuously on cement or board floors.

Practical Suggestions for Getting Clean Eggs

The increasing number of graded eggs that are shipped makes it necessary that every practicable means be employed to keep eggs clean. The greatest help, outside of clean straw on the floor and in the nests, is a screen shutting the hens off the roosts during the day. A screen made of poultry netting is lowered in the morning and remains down until time for the hens to go to roost. Cleaning the dropping boards daily will not help so much as the use of one of these screens.

An added advantage is the fact that a hen on the floor is encouraged to activity. The hens that spend any great portion of their time on the roosts are fit subjects for colds and roup.

The practice of placing perches a foot or so above the dropping boards leads to soiled feet, soiled perches and soiled eggs. The hens, instead of walking on the perches, walk on the dropping boards and their feet become badly soiled.

Gathering eggs twice daily is also a help in producing cleaner eggs. By all means supply a plentiful number of nests. Eggs laid on the floor are invariably soiled. A nest may have eight or ten clean eggs in it and the entire number may be soiled by the hen laying the next egg.

Poultry Notes

The pullets must mature by November so they will begin to lay when eggs are high in price.

The Rhode Island Reds as a breed are usually considered vigorous and thrifty as any other breed.

If the chicks are inclined to fill their crops with buttermilk instead of with mash, give them something to eat before the buttermilk is left before them.

The dirt floor in laying house is a carrier of disease, unless five or six inches of the soil are removed and replaced each year. Board floors are all right, but expensive. Concrete floors are the most economical in the end.

Enough roosts should be provided in a poultry house to allow eight inches per bird. The roosts should be nine inches from the front of the dropping boards and nine inches from the back and they should be fourteen inches apart.

Advertisement for Goodrich Silvertown Cord tires, featuring an image of a tire and the text 'BEST IN THE LONG RUN', 'Silvertowns are built up to the highest standard of tire quality—not down to a price. And yet they cost no more than ordinary cords.', 'Goodrich SILVERTOWN CORD', 'Womack & Neff J. L. Pidgeon'.

KILLING MELON LICE

Each year in all sections of the country, some of the melon growers suffer an entire loss because of plant louse attacks. What we usually term "honeydew" is nothing more or less than the work of the melon louse, and those familiar with this insect do not doubt it's damaging effect.

Spraying, with a contact insecticide, is the only practical means of control. Nicotine Sulphate and Kerosene Emulsion are the two standard remedies, and are the ones to which we will devote our attention.

The stock solution of Kerosene Emulsion is prepared as follows: Dissolve one-half pound of finely cut laundry soap in one gallon of boiling water, remove from fire and while still hot add two gallons of kerosene stirring the mixture constantly. The solution, when cool, should be put in an air-tight container. The proper strength solution to be used in the spraying of melon vines, is one gallon of the above added to nine gallons of water.

A solution of Nicotine Sulphate is equally as good as the Kerosene

Emulsion and is easier to prepare, since nothing but the addition of water is required. Use one part Nicotine Sulphate to 800 or 1000 parts of water.

Any form of sprayer may be used with these solutions, and one should be careful to spray the mixture in a side direction so that the underside of the melon leaves will be reached and covered with the solution.

Either solution is good to kill insects on roses and other flowering plants, and may be used without injury to the plant.

Any further information relative to the above may be obtained from the county agent.

STAR PARASITE REMOVER

Given chickens in drinking water will rid them of lice, mites, fleas, chiggers, blue bugs, and all other blood sucking parasites. Will save many young chicks that are killed by insects, also is a good tonic and blood purifier, aids to feed value and increasing egg production—or money refunded. For sale by O. Lambeth, Colorado, Texas. 6-13c

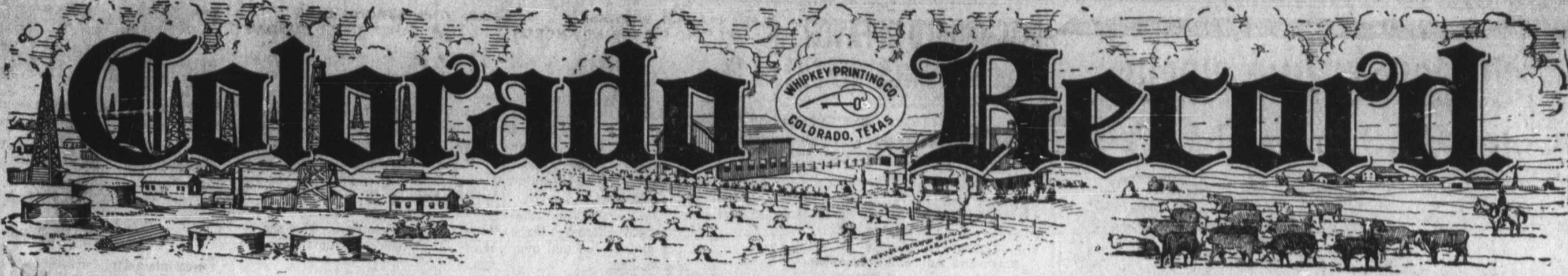
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF City National Bank OF COLORADO, TEXAS. At the close of business on March 31, 1924, condensed from the report made to the Comptroller. RESOURCES: Loans and Discounts \$540,382.84, U. S. Treasury Notes 257,699.57, U. S. Bonds 15,000.00, Liberty Loan Bonds 9,000.00, Federal Reserve Bank stock 2,700.00, Federal International Banking Co. stock 1,215.00, Banking, House, Furniture and Fixtures 19,250.00, Other real estate 250.00, Cash and due from banks 280,287.97. TOTAL \$1,125,785.38. LIABILITIES: Capital Stock \$ 60,000.00, Surplus Fund 30,000.00, Undivided Profits, net 44,151.58, Circulation 14,600.00, Deposits 977,033.80. TOTAL \$1,125,785.38. C. H. LASKY, President; D. N. ARNETT, Vice President; T. W. STONEROAD, JR., Active Vice President; J. C. PRITCHETT, Cashier; T. A. RICHARDSON, Assistant Cashier; CHAS. E. PRITCHETT, Assistant Cashier. J. D. WULFJEN, G. B. HARNESS.

Call Me--J. A. Sadler For Good Gulf Gasoline—there is More Power Supreme Auto Oil—Leaves Less Carbon Lusterite—Makes a Brighter Light. PHONE 154.

LISTEN The need for home-owning was never so urgent as it is now. Much of the present day social and industrial dissatisfaction and unrest, if traced to its origin, will lead to rented homes and landlords receipts. BUILD YOU A HOME. Rockwell Bros. & Co. LUMBERMEN

BURTON-LINGO COMPANY Lumber and Wire. See us about your next bill of lumber. We can save you some money. Colorado, Texas

TWEN... COLON... HE... This ad... portant... busin... seems to... tising... ed by t... effort... tionship... our ban... We ki... rated... within... such far... paign. T... banks n... that the... certed... The n... will sur... ing of t... true rel... will give... fulness... agricult... more or... Finally... will co-... local ad... We cons... step for... BITULI... ST... One s... extension... Third, i... tractor... south to... That sec... more at... ing the... Theo... ter con... work an... Oak stre... street w... base the... Ed H... eral man... struction... ad Tues... plete the... four blo... Oak, wit... GRASSH... SEVERA... Farmer... week reg... hoppers... nunities... are the... the Spad... there rep... Monday... county a... before th... er of da... tion. Farmer... crops las... the depre... jack rabi... is not exp... spring, si... them wer... in a sec... weeks ag... JUDGE V... CAI... Hon. V... 32nd. jud... for Dallas... of a spec... ill for tw... advice of... a few day... to return... During... M. Carte... the place... trict equ... Colorado... judge sta... no meals... recovery... few days... 30-FOOT... BU... Dr. B... that an... added to... Burk Ba... make ro... ments to... oven, cos... chased, D... be install



COLORADO BANKERS ARE HELPING THE FARMERS

This paper has long maintained that advertising for banks is as important to them as it is to any other business. The correctness of this view seems to be established in the advertising campaign now being formulated by the City National Bank, in an effort to bring about a better relationship between our farmers and our banking institutions.

We know of no movement inaugurated by the bankers of Colorado, within their history, that will have such far-reaching effect as this campaign. There is no disposition among banks not to advertise, but it seems that their efforts have not been concerted.

The messages run in this campaign will surely give a better understanding of the banks' functions, their true relations to the community, and will give a clearer idea of their usefulness in the promotion of better agricultural conditions, as well as a more orderly marketing of crops.

BITULITHIC TOPPING WORK STARTED ON ELM STREET

One section of the street paving extension, Elm between Second and Third, is completed and the contractor had about finished this work south to Main Thursday afternoon.

Theo. Montgomery, curb and gutter contractor, has completed his work and excavations for paving on Oak street are progressing. Main street was ready for the concrete base the first of the week.

Ed H. Aisles of Fort Worth, general manager of the West Texas Construction Company, contractors, stated Tuesday that he expected to complete the paving extensions on the four blocks, Second, Main, Elm and Oak, within the next few weeks.

GRASSHOPPERS APPEARING IN SEVERAL RURAL COMMUNITIES

Farmers coming to Colorado this week report the presence of grasshoppers in a number of rural communities over the county. Especially are the pests becoming numerous in the Spade section, farmers from there report, and they were here Monday to enlist services of the county agent in exterminating them before the crops are up and in danger of damage or probable destruction.

Farmers suffered losses to their crops last year from two sources—the depredations of grasshoppers and jack rabbits. The former, however, is not expected to do much harm this spring, since several thousand of them were slain in rabbit drives held in a score of communities a few weeks ago.

JUDGE W. P. LESLIE UNDER CARE DALLAS SPECIALIST

Hon. W. P. Leslie, judge of the 32nd judicial district, left last week for Dallas where he is under the care of a specialist. The judge had been ill for two or three weeks and at the advice of his physician left to spend a few days in Dallas. He is expected to return home this week.

During the absence of Judge Leslie M. Carter, local attorney, is filling the place as presiding judge over district court, which is in session at Colorado. Friends of the district judge stated that his condition is by no means alarming and his complete recovery is expected within the next few days.

30-FOOT EXTENSION TO BE BUILT ON BURK BAKERY

Dr. B. F. Dulaney stated Tuesday that an addition of 30 feet would be added to the building occupied by the Burk Bakery on Walnut street to make room for extensive improvements to be made at the plant. A new oven, costing \$1,200, has been purchased, Dr. Dulaney stated, and will be installed within the near future.

GRAND JURY RETURNS 29 BILLS OF INDICTMENT

The Mitchell County grand jury concluded its first week of interrogation Saturday afternoon and judging from its report to the court the week was a busy one with the 12 men who were empaneled and directed by Judge W. P. Leslie to make investigation into alleged law violations in the county. The grand jury reported 29 true bills of indictment, 12 of which were based on felony charges and 17 on misdemeanors.

With the report filed Saturday, was the request that the grand jury recess until May 1, which was granted by the court and the men were called to resume their work Thursday morning after a few days rest.

APPEAL IS MADE FOR BIG DELEGATION TO BROWNWOOD

A representative of the Chamber of Commerce delivered an appeal Friday evening at the annual banquet for the citizenship of this city and county to send a strong delegation to the Sixth Annual convention, West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Brownwood, in May. The speaker declared that the Colorado Booster Band, among the best in West Texas, was of a truth an asset to this city of which every citizen should be proud, and urged that a strong delegation of Colorado business and professional men accompany the band to Brownwood.

The speaker recalled that Mitchell County grain sorghums and cotton had, during the past year, won the grand champion prizes in Texas, and urged that this fact be paraded during the Brownwood convention.

OIL FIELD WORTH MUCH TO COLORADO, ANDERSON SAYS

"The oil field a few miles north-west of Colorado is worth a great deal more to the entire citizenship of Mitchell County than many people perhaps believe." This was the determination of J. Steve Anderson, of the Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation, in an address at the Chamber of Commerce banquet Friday night. The field here is to be one of long life, he outlined and will continue to grow with development.

"Those wells out there will be pumping oil in paying quantities 25 years from now," the refinery man stated. Anderson stated that this was one of the conditions considered by him in arriving at the determination to build a large refinery at Colorado.

The crude here is of a peculiar quality, Anderson stated. It is known among oil men as naphthene crude, the classification from which the best motor fuel in America is refined. Explaining the minute details of refining gasoline from crude as it comes from the wells, Anderson gave an interesting picture of the various processes through which the oil, passes from the wells to its final stage in the manufactured product.

An interesting history of oil development in the county was given by L. W. Sandusky. He recalled the days when Steve Owen, pioneer wildcatter into Mitchell County, came here more than four years ago and pledged his faith in this section, and backed up that faith with his money. The speaker also paid a tribute to S. S. Sloan, declaring that Sam Sloan had done more to develop the oil industry in this country than any other man.

Sandusky referred to the oil refinery of the Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation now being erected here as the project of another pioneer into Mitchell County and pleaded for the citizenship to give the corporation their full support.

DELEGATES ELECTED TO ATTEND LIONS CONVENTIONS

Delegates to represent the State and International conventions of the Lions Club were elected by the Colorado den Friday. W. W. Whipkey was named delegate to represent the local club at the State convention to be convened in Paris May 3, and T. W. Stonerod to attend the International convention which is to convene in Des Moines, Iowa, in June.

BUSINESS RESUMED IN FIRE DAMAGED DULANEY BLDG.

Telephone service was restored in Colorado Thursday morning after suspension of six days following the fire at the B. F. Dulaney building Friday morning which completely destroyed the exchange of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company here. Price Brothers have about completed the work of re-arranging their stocks on the ground floor of the building. Dr. C. L. Root is in San Antonio to purchase new ex-ray and other office equipment to replace that destroyed and Dr. Dulaney is expecting to reopen his dental offices within the next few days.

The toll taken by the fire, which is supposed to have originated between the ceiling and roof of the building at 4:30 Friday morning during a severe electrical storm, was not as large as previously announced. Estimates made of the damage Friday morning placed the total at \$41,000. The damage is now estimated at about \$27,000.

The Southwestern Bell Telephone Company was the heaviest loser, their exchange valued at \$12,000, being completely destroyed. Dr. Dulaney stated Tuesday that his loss would approximate \$5,000 to \$6,000. The office equipment of Dr. C. L. Root, including his X-Ray, was damaged \$5,000. The dental offices of Dr. Dulaney were also damaged by smoke and water. Stocks of the Price Auto Company and of Price Brothers, on the first floor of the building, were damaged by smoke and water.

The smoke had hardly cleared away from the damaged building before plans to repair the structure had been completed and J. E. Pond, Colorado contractor, was assembling a large crew of workmen and materials. The roof and practically all of the interior of the building from the second floor up had to be rebuilt. Carpenters and other workmen worked in night and day shifts during a part of the time in order to rush completion of the repairs and Monday at midnight the roof was completed.

As the large crew of carpenters worked to rebuild the second story of the building, a large force of telephone employees were busy assembling the new exchange equipment and during the night Wednesday completed installation of the plant. New equipment for the exchange was shipped to Colorado Saturday night by express from Fort Worth.

Within a few hours after the fire Friday morning the telephone company had re-established long distance telephone service from a temporary office at the Chamber of Commerce and this service was maintained there until Thursday morning. All telephones in the city were out, but long distance service was facilitated by messenger boys.

The flames were hard to combat owing to the fact that structural work between the metal ceiling and the roof was burning when the fire department reached the building. As the fire boys combated the fire, the new American LaFrance engine, recently purchased by the city, was standing on a car in the Texas and Pacific yards, having arrived in Colorado a short time before the fire.

Losses to the several business and professional interests in the building were protected by insurance. The company carrying policy on the building will replace the structure in as good condition as it was before the fire, accepting figures of Dr. Dulaney, owner of the property, as to amount to this expense.

COCA COLA BOTTLING CO. SETTING NEW EQUIPMENT

Equipment of the Coca Cola Bottling Company is being set in place in the new Price Brothers building on Elm street this week. Alvin Myhre, owner of the concern, stated Tuesday that he expected to start up by Saturday. Myhre was burned out when the old Opera House building, corner Second and Main streets, was destroyed a few weeks ago, entailing a loss of \$5,000. Much of the equipment being placed by him in the new location is new.

CONSTRUCTION REFINERY PLANT ADVANCING FAST

One would have to make a visit to site of the Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation refining plant near Colorado daily in order to keep up with progress being made there by the large crew of workmen who are assembling the various units of the plant. What a few days ago was a vacant stretch of land lying between the Texas & Pacific railway and the Bankhead Highway is today the scene of an industry in the making which will become the largest commercial asset Colorado has yet obtained.

Several of the large pumps which will carry the oil through various stages of refining, from the huge crude storage tanks finally into the tanks to receive the different manufactured products, are in place in the pump house. The two large fuel oil tanks and the battery of run down tanks are in place on their base, as are the gasoline storage tanks. Brick layers are constructing fire box underneath the huge crude still. The steam still, another of the large units of the plant, is yet to be set.

The condensers, through which the vaporized oil will pass in its circuit from the still to run down storage, are in place, ready for connection with other units of the plant. The two large boilers, from which steam to operate the refinery will be generated, are in place near the pump house. Work is progressing on the office building to be erected on the site.

J. Steve Anderson, vice president and general manager of the corporation, and who is personally directing construction work at the plant, stated Wednesday that to date he had received 25 cars of machinery and equipment for the refinery, and that six additional cars were in transit, placing the total number at 31. In addition to this large purchase of equipment for the refinery, much material that will go into the plant is being purchased locally.

The pump station to be maintained on the Smartt Lease in the field, will also represent a large investment by the corporation. In addition to the pump station equipment, which will be sufficient to force crude through pipe line from the field to Colorado, a distance of 14 miles, will be erected two storage tanks, each of 1000-barrel capacity. At the plant will be erected three of these crude storage tanks. One will have capacity of 500 barrels, another 1000 barrels, and the third 5000 barrels.

DALLAS TRADE TRIPPERS TO ARRIVE THIS MORNING

The special train carrying 150 business men of Dallas, representing the jobbing and wholesale interests of that city, was scheduled to arrive in Colorado this morning at 8:28 o'clock and spend forty-five minutes in the city. The delegation is accompanied with the famous Red Hussar Band, one of the best bands in the Southwest.

The Colorado Chamber of Commerce sought to have the visitors make a stop at Westbrook long enough for a visit to the oil fields, but they could not be induced to change their schedule, which as originally planned would not permit of such a stop.

NEW AMERICAN LAFRANCE FIRE TRUCK IS RECEIVED

The New American LaFrance fire truck, purchased recently by the city, was received Friday of last week and Monday was given a series of trial runs and demonstrations in the city. The new fire fighting machine, the latest improvement in this country, will give to Colorado adequate fire protection in the future. The truck cost the city \$11,500.

The old truck will be rebuilt into a special hose and chemical truck.

WALLS PRACTICALLY UP FOR TWO NEW BUSINESS HOUSES

Stone and brick work on the Palace Theatre, corner Third and Walnut, and the J. B. Pritchett building, in the 200 block on Oak street, is seventy-five per cent completed. The walls are to be up and roofs in place within the next week or ten days.

BUILDING LOAN ASSN. IS URGED BY C. H. EARNEST

Recalling the acute condition of the housing problem at Colorado, Judge C. H. Earnest appealed for organization of a building loan association at Colorado Friday night in an address delivered at the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce. Judge Earnest stated that Colorado was losing numbers of desirable citizens because there were no places available here for them to live.

The speaker also urged that a census be taken of Colorado in that some of the concerns advancing loans for erection and improvement of city property be induced to do business here. The federal census report of 1920, placing population of Colorado at 1,780, is a severe handicap to the city, he said.

E. F. King, superintendent of the Colorado schools, stated that a total of 960 children were enrolled in the schools. This figure, it was pointed out, indicated that Colorado was now a community of from 4,000 to 4,500 population.

DETOUR ROAD COMPLETED AND READY FOR TRAFFIC

Commissioner U. D. Wulfjen stated Tuesday that the new road, running north from the High school and to a connection with the Colorado-Snyder road north of the cemetery, would be completed and ready to take traffic the following day. This detour was opened by the county to be used by the public while needed repairs were made to Lone Wolf Creek bridge, north of the cemetery, and which for several months has been in bad condition.

NEW PLANT COLORADO OIL-COTTON CO. TO BE MODERN

The new plant of the Colorado Oil-Cotton Company, to replace the one destroyed by fire a few months ago, will be among the best cotton oil mills in West Texas, strictly fire proof and equipped with new and modern machinery throughout. Excavations for the three units of the mill have been commenced and the plant will be completed and ready for operations by the beginning of the next cotton season.

The three units of the plant, the press room, mill room and lint and roller department, are to be reinforced concrete construction, with metal roof, metal windows and concrete floors throughout. Not a piece of wood or other inflammable material is to go into construction. The entire plant will be motorized, electrically driven motors being installed to drive each of the numerous mills, presses, linters, conveyors and other machinery in the plant.

John Guitar of Abilene, principal owner of the plant, made the statement here on the day following destruction of the old oil mill that the plant would be rebuilt. He recognizes the fact that Colorado is the marketing point for one of the best cotton producing territories in the State and will construct a plant in this city of which the entire community may well be proud.

PETITIONS REQUEST PAVING NORTH ON CHESTNUT STREET

Petitions, requesting the board of city commissioners to extend paving north on Chestnut street from the Second street intersection are being circulated this week among property owners on that street. Chestnut is one of the principal residence streets of the city, and in case the paving is extended there, the First Christian, First Baptist and First Methodist church properties will be affected.

PRICE BROTHERS BUILDINGS COMPLETED IN FEW WEEKS

The new business buildings of Price Brothers, on Elm street between Second and Third, are expected to be completed and ready for occupancy within the next few weeks. Outside walls of the two buildings, which have a street frontage of 100 feet, are up, the roof in place and metal ceiling is up. Workmen are rushing completion of the concrete floors and interior partitions.

CREWS ERECTING RIGS FOR 3 NEW TESTS IN OIL FIELD

The California Company is building rigs at two new locations on their Miller lease this week, offsetting wells of the Sloan Oil Company on the Smartt lease. The company expects to complete derricks, string tools and spud these tests in record time.

The Tidal Oil Company is moving in materials to location in Section 1, Block 28, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, offsetting Badgett No. 1 of W. J. Thomson. This is the first location to be made by this company in the Mitchell County oil field. Contract to drill the test has been awarded W. J. Thomson.

The crew at Abrams No. 4 of the California Company was preparing the hole for a nitro shot Thursday afternoon. This well is down 3,093 feet and is showing up well. At Butler One the crew is on top of the Morrison sand at 3,104.

Eight and one-quarter inch casing is being landed at Abrams No. 1 at 2,535 feet. At Morrison No. 1-A, deep test of the California Company, the crew is drilling at 4,575 feet.

All other wells of the California Company are on pump and holding good production records. Producers of the Sloan Oil Company, S. A. Sloan et al., and of Fred Carey in the Westbrook sector are maintaining satisfactory pumping records.

Badgett No. 1 of W. J. Thomson is connected with pipe line and production is being taken by the Rio Grande Pipe Line Company. The Thomson well is pumping 75 barrels daily on day light time of 12 hours.

Smartt No. 3 of the Sloan Oil Company is nearing the top of pay sand at 2,850 feet, with Smartt No. 4 following closely at 2,800 feet. Smartt No. 5 is down 2,200 feet.

WORK BEGUN AT LOCATION GIST TEST NORTH OF CITY

Spudding of the first well in territory immediately north of Colorado is expected within the next few days and this test, located on the A. C. Gist lease three and one-half miles north of Colorado, will be watched with much interest by oil men of Colorado and Westbrook. The rig contractor was digging cellar at location Tuesday preparatory to erecting derrick.

This well will be drilled by M. E. Eddleman, who has completed one or two wells in the field near Westbrook. Geologists and oil men who have investigated the territory north of Colorado report favorably and support the belief that production will be obtained there.

BAND REHEARSING THREE TIMES WEEKLY FOR CONTEST

The Colorado Booster Band is going through rehearsal practice three times each week now and this work will be continued until the band leaves for Brownwood for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention. Director M. S. Goldman says the band was never in better trim and he expects to be awarded a substantial prize in the contest to be staged at the convention.

Goldman stated Thursday that coupon sales were lagging and again urged the public to purchase one or more coupon books. Business men of the city are financing expense of the band going to Brownwood thru these coupons.

COLORADO SCHOOLS CLOSE FRIDAY, MAY SIXTEENTH

The 1923-4 session of the Colorado schools are to close Friday May 16, after the most successful year in history. The graduating class is to be unusually large and commendable work has been done in every department.

CUTHBERT AND ROGERS SCHOOLS CLOSE FRIDAY

The public schools at Cuthbert and Rogers closed for the term today, according to information from the office of the county superintendent of public instruction. The rural schools will be closed in large numbers during the next few days.

KINDRED FLYING CIRCUS

Colorado, Sunday, MAY 4



Let's Go!

LOCATION OF FIELD
On J. W. Kay Farm 2 1-2 miles east on Loraine Road.

A Troupe of Famous World War stunt fliers—Herbert Kindred, Frank Armstrong, Clarence Reynolds, Rachel Robbins and Chas. Hardin.

NEW AND THRILLING STUNTS!

Featuring Frank Armstrong and Herbert Kindred in the most spectacular and daring stunt ever before shown before the American public. Armstrong is the originator of this act and the only man in the world attempting such a hazardous stunt.

PARACHUTE DROP from 3000 feet altitude landing directly in front of the crowd.

BALLOON BURSTING CONTEST—Something new—featured at San Antonio's during the Balloon Races.

Landing Airplane With Dead Motor

Battle Formations—Thrilling Airplane Races—Wing many other daring stunts.

Walking—Trapeze Performing—Stunt Flying and

PERFORMANCE STARTS 2:30 P. M. GATES OPEN 12:30—Don't wait until the last minute—come early and avoid congestion at the gate.

ADMISSION 45c—WAR TAX 5c.—TOTAL 50c
Children under 12 free when accompanied by parents.
Plenty of Free Front Line Auto Parking Space.

Have you heard the scandal about Diana? Little Theatre, Legion Hut, Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Williams of Big Spring were in Colorado Sunday to visit friends.

OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO THE LADIES.

A BIG SHIPMENT OF GLASSWARE INCLUDING EVERYTHING YOU NEED FOR SUMMER TIME AT LOWEST PRICES. COME IN AND LOOK IT OVER.

- Ice Tea Glasses, 75c to \$2.50 a Set.
- Water Glasses, plain and etched, 60c to \$2.25.
- Extra Large Goblets.
- Dainty Stemmed Sherbets and Glasses with exquisite etching.
- Glass Pitchers, light and heavy.
- Beautiful etched water set, pitcher and six glasses, \$2.50
- Large covered glass bowls, 75c and 85c
- Open Glass Bowls, 25c, 35c, 40c, 60c, and 90c.
- Large Sugar and Cream, 70c set.

Fruit Stands, Jelly Dishes, Vinegar Cruets, Pickle Dishes, Salt and Peppers, Lemon Squeezers and Coasters.

IF IT ISNT ON THIS LIST, ASK FOR IT.

J. Riordan Co.

MACDONALD IN FAVOR OF EXPERTS REPORT

PUT PLAN INTO OPERATION WITH ALL HANDS BEHIND IT, PREMIER URGES.

FAVORS UNITY AMONG ALIES

Wants Entente Accept Germany's Word and Advocate Admission into League of Nations.

York, Eng.—Take the reparations experts' report as a whole and put it into operation all at once with everybody back of it, was the course advocated by Premier MacDonald in addressing a crowded labor meeting in the Theater Royal here. He urged that the allies should accept Germany's word and advocated her admission to the League of Nations as another step for bringing peace to the Continent.

In urging unity among the allies in applying the plan outlined by the report, MacDonald said it was clear from that document that if they went on for another two years and carried out the policy that had been practiced for two or three years past, there would be no hope of relief, no hope of reparation and none for security or peace.

To take the chance that now was offered and put the plan into operation as a whole and then "go on and finish the job and bring peace and security to the Continent," was what he cared about and what he was going to work for.

By letting Germany join the League of Nations, they could complete the organization upon which he would like to found the future peace of Europe. He regarded the rise of an extreme nationalism in Germany as a very great menace—dangerous to Europe and deplorable for Germany as well. The policy of the allies, he said, was largely responsible for this rise of the German nationalist movement.

He urged that the allied attitude should be to accept Germany's word, and he pointed out that the greatest danger Germany offered to Europe now was the danger of industrial deterioration.

The Prime Minister declared the Anglo-Russian conference in London had started well, and he believed it would succeed.

UNITED STATES IS SEEKING DE LA HUERTA

Department to Keep Him Under Surveillance When Found to Prevent Coup.

Washington.—Department of Justice agents have been ordered to make a diligent search for Adolfo de la Huerta, leader of the recent Mexican revolution, who is believed to have fled to the United States.

The department will keep his movements under observation to see that he does not foment a second revolt from the American side of the border, or orders may be issued for his arrest on the ground that he has unlawfully entered the United States. In this event he may be deported, it is understood.

"Our operatives are under orders to locate De la Huerta if he is in the United States," said William J. Burns, chief of the bureau of investigation. "We have officially investigated a report that he was in a hospital at Rochester, Minn., but he is not there. If he has entered the United States he has evaded immigration and department of justice officers. If he is in the United States he will be located soon."

Since De la Huerta evacuated Frontera, Mexico, his last stand when federal troops advanced, his whereabouts has been a mystery. It was reported that he was lost at sea shortly after leaving Frontera. His wife, who is in the United States, insists that he is safe and indicates that he is here. The Mexican government is positive he left Mexican soil with the collapse of his revolt.

Berlin.—Bananas have been so rare in Germany for the last two years that a Berlin fruit shop almost created a panic by exhibiting two complete bunches on Potsdamer street. Crowds gathered about and eagerly asked the price. The bananas sold for 5,000 marks each, which at the current rate of exchange was about 6c.

'King' of Con Men Dies.
Canyon City, Colo.—Leu Blonger, 74 years old, alleged king of an international ring of confidence men who were convicted in Denver last summer, died in the state penitentiary here after a long illness. He was serving a sentence of seven to ten years.

Sets 'em Up With Excess Booze.
New York.—Captain Felix Murass of the French liner Paris, announced the discovery of a new method for disposing of liquors in excess of the medical allotment which his vessel had brought to the twelve-mile limit. Instead of dumping it to the sea, as has been the practice, he stowed it on all the second and third-class passengers aboard the Paris. Thus, according to Captain Murass, he disposed of 500 liters of wine, cordials and beer.

2,500 PEOPLE WITNESS FLYING CIRCUS AT ANGELO

Feats of skill and daring in the air most of which had their inception by necessity during the World War, were staged Sunday afternoon at San Angelo by Herbert Kindred and associates from Fort Worth on the Louis Williams pasture, south of San Angelo. The flying circus attracted an estimated crowd of 2,500 people, whose automobiles formed a big semi-circle about the field where the three planes took off and landed and over which they performed.

Most thrilling of the stunts was Frank Armstrong's parachute drop after leaping from an airplane at an altitude of approximately 3,000 feet and his wing walking and acrobatic beneath the ship by means of a rope ladder attached to the landing gear. Mr. Kindred piloted the plane for both these exhibitions and following the parachute drop cut off his motor and landed with a dead propeller. Conditions for flying were good, except for a light air, which made climbing difficult. This accounted for the seemingly long period that the plane was up before the parachute drop was made.

A number of people had their first trip aloft preceding and following the flying circus, as many women as men taking the trips. The show started with the releasing of small rubber balloons, which the aviators burst by driving their machines into them. Only one of the balloons got away. Frank Armstrong next gave his "swing of death," climbing down a rope ladder from a plane where he swayed at dizzy heights, then going back into the cockpit. Tail spins, barrel rolls, wing-overs, side slips, loops and other maneuvers were given by Mr. Kindred. The parachute drop was perfect. Mr. Armstrong coming down within a short distance of the crowd.

Members of the Kindred Flying Circus here Sunday included Clarence Reynolds, and Reg Robbins, pilots; Charles Harding, manager and advance man and Mrs. Harding. Mr. Robbins and Mr. Reynolds left Monday for Colorado where the Flying Circus will stage a return engagement next Sunday. Mr. Kindred and Mr. Armstrong go to Mineral Wells in the other ship for stunts, including the parachute drop, on next Thursday at a trades day. Around 2,300 persons paid admission to the field Sunday, it was reported Monday and there were present several hundred children, who were admitted free.—San Angelo Standard.

This Flying Circus is billed for Colorado next Sunday, May 4th, 2 1/2 miles east of Colorado on the Loraine road.

Herbert Kindred, a Colorado boy, will demonstrate the successful landing of an airplane after the motor has stopped.

A parachute drop from altitude of 3,000 feet, the performer landing directly in front of the audience.

Many other daring stunts. A troupe of world war stunt fliers, including Herbert Kindred, Frank Armstrong, Clarence Reynolds, Rachel Robbins and Chas. Hardin. Performance starts 2:30 p. m. Gates open at 12:30. Admission 45c, war tax 5c, total 50c. Children under 12, Free, when accompanied by parents. Don't wait until the last minute, be early and avoid the congestion. Passengers will be carried for \$5.00 each. Read the big ad in this paper.

Fires are coming thick and fast. Have you all the Fire Insurance you ought to carry? If not, I would like to figure with you right away. I have been writing insurance in our city since November 26, 1907. Write, phone or see E. Keathley, Agent 5 23

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, GREETING:

Tom Jenkins, Guardian of the estate of Lethe Jenkins, Minor having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the estate of said Lethe Jenkins, Minor, numbered 207 on the Probate Docket of Mitchell County, together with an application to be discharged from said Guardianship.

You are hereby commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a newspaper printed in the County of Mitchell you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the May term, 1924, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court house of said county in the City of Colorado on the 5th day in May, A. D. 1924, when said account and application will be acted upon by said court.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in the City of Colorado this 14th day of April A. D. 1924.
(SEAL) W. S. STONEHAM,
Clerk, County Court Mitchell County, Texas.

MRS. F. H. STRONG DIES AT HOME HERE SUNDAY

Mrs. F. H. Strong, 36 years of age, died at the family residence in Colorado Sunday. Funeral services were conducted at the residence Monday afternoon by Rev. M. C. Bishop, pastor First Baptist church, assisted by Rev. J. F. Lawlis, pastor First Methodist church. The body was buried in I. O. O. F. cemetery. Mrs. Strong is survived by her husband and five children. The family came to Colorado about two years ago.

Mother's Day May 11th.

FOR OVER 200 YEARS

haarlem oil has been a world-wide remedy for kidney, liver and bladder disorders, rheumatism, lumbago and uric acid conditions.



correct internal troubles, stimulate vital organs. Three sizes. All druggists insist on the original genuine GOLD MEDAL.

A Far Greater Car Than Its Price Indicates

Judge the Maxwell by the standards you associate with a much higher price, and even then the good Maxwell will lead by a wide margin.

Everything in it is good and true—fine chrome nickel steel is used in as many places in the good Maxwell as in cars selling at nearly twice as much.

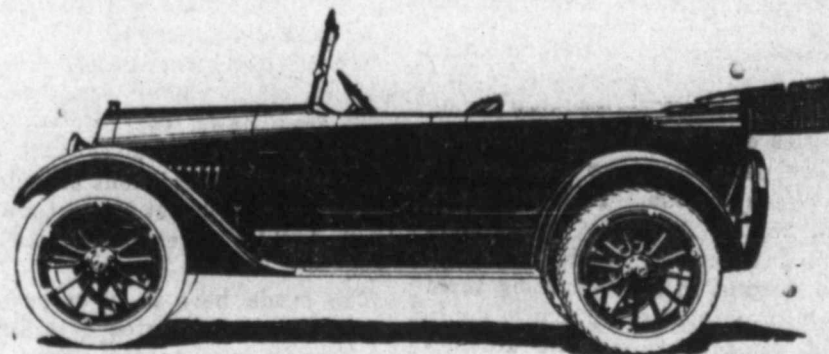
All the efforts of a great and powerful organization are directed towards making it the best buy in the world at anywhere near its price.

We will demonstrate gladly—for riding comfort and ease of handling make the car itself its own best spokesman.

HUBERT TOLER

Colorado, Texas

Touring Car \$875 F. O. B. Detroit
Tax Extra.



THE LOAF YOU LIKE



Each day with unflinching regularity, you can obtain at your regular source this bread of ours. The finest materials go into it. The highest skill and workmanship stands behind it. Our busy and carefully tended ovens work steadily to turn out the even grained and sweet creamy heart surrounded by the richly browned crust that so many love. Day after day, month after month, our bread knows little change. The nutrition is high, and such value is included in your daily loaf as is in no other food at the price asked. It pays to use our scientifically baked bread.

HURD'S BAKERY

"Your Grocer Has Our Bread Fresh Every Day"

TEN REASONS WHY OUR BUSINESS IS GAINING:

- WE GUARANTEE OUR GOODS AS REPRESENTED**
- WE SAVE OUR CUSTOMERS MONEY ON EVERY ARTICLE BOUGHT AT OUR STORE.**
- WE HAVE THE BEST VALUES IN LADIES' DRESSES AND HATS**
- WE ARE ABLE TO SHOW YOU SOMETHING NEW EVERY TIME YOU VISIT OUR STORE**
- WE ARE SHOWING THE NEWEST CREATIONS IN PIECEGOODS.**
- WE HAVE MANY PERFECTLY SATISFIED CUSTOMERS**
- WE TAKE PLEASURE IN GIVING YOU A PERFECT FIT, IN EVERYTHING**
- WE NEVER DECEIVE YOU BY THE WORD "SALE" TO GET YOU IN OUR STORE**
- WE NEVER PROMISE SOMETHING FOR NOTHING**
- WE HAVE NO BIG P's AND LITTLE U's, ONE PRICE TO ALL**



Some men are paying from \$2.50 to \$4.00 more for their Dress Shoes than they are worth; look at our \$6.50 Dress Shoes. We sell the J. W. Carter guaranteed Shoe for men and boys at prices that make all competitors imitate the Ground Hog on a bright sun shiny day. If you fail to find hospitality at our store please report it to the proprietor.

WE BELIEVE IN ICE WATER AT THE PROPER PLACE. YOU WILL FIND IT IN THE WATER COOLER IN THE REAR OF OUR STORE—FREE TO ALL.

GARBER DRY GOODS COMPANY

SUCCESSORS TO J. M. WHITE & COMPANY



If you have failed to see the last shipment of ladies' Hats you have lost a real treat; they are perfect beauties.



LORAINNE 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 Whiskey Printing Company in Loraine and vicinity. See her and take your County paper

O. C. Compton, age 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Compton, died at his home at Baumann Monday at 3:30 p. m. following an illness of nearly three weeks from pneumonia. He is survived by a father, mother, two sisters, Mrs. W. A. Dunn, and Mrs. G. O. Lee, one brother, Reginold Compton and a number of other relatives and friends. He was born in Eastland county Jan. 15, 1904, was converted in 1921 and was a member of the Baptist congregation of Bethel. Interment was made in the Loraine cemetery at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. G. C. Farris of Sweetwater. Friends and acquaintances of the deceased join with the bereaved relatives in sorrowing for the passing of one so young and dearly loved.

Mr. Fred Ison left for Glen Rose Sunday night in company with his brother Leon, who will remain in the interest of his health.

Mr. J. K. Taylor is visiting relatives at Ennis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas returned last of the week from Snyder, where they visited relatives.

Mrs. Mary Free of Sylvester is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Compton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Norman were down from Hermleigh visiting friends and relatives last of the week.

Mrs. S. A. Hallmark was a Sweetwater visitor Tuesday.

Mr. R. B. Smith of Wastella was a visitor and trader here Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Land and daughter, Lorene and Mrs. J. J. Land of Baumann, were Colorado and Loraine shoppers Saturday.

Misses Lillian and Annie May Porter and brother Lacey, motored to Abilene Saturday, where they visited their father, Mr. J. N. Porter, who is under treatment at the Alexander sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Lankford and sons, Messrs. C. L. and L. C. Lankford, were in from Wastella last of the week trading.

Mrs. J. L. Pratts Sunday school class surprised her very much Saturday evening when they all rushed in her home while Mr. Pratt was eating supper and announced their intention of spending the night. Mrs. Pratt was wondering about the supper when she learned they had brot supper with them. A fine supper and plenty of cream was enjoyed. Those present were Bessie Marie Duren, Dorcas Reeder, Evelyn Kimble, Ona Walker, Blesse Hearn, Guenn Britton, Ivy Crutcher, Edith Wilkerson, Mary Miller, Lott Britton, Ovella Lee, Emma Kate Spurgur, Ruth Miles, Virginia Welch, Leola Mahoney, Addie Lee Howell, Lela Hagens and Hazel Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Reeder and daughters, Misses Cora and Dorcas, and Miss Evelyn Kimble, visited in the Hall DeGarmo home at Colorado Sunday.

Mr. M. A. Richburg and family of Shepherd attended church services here Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Land.

Mr. J. C. Hooker and wife were over from Colorado Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Evans were in from Champion last of the week shopping.

Mr. W. P. Hairston and Mrs. J. E. Hairston of China Grove were Loraine visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Allen of China Grove returned from Marlin Friday where Mrs. Allen has been under treatment for the past four months. Her condition is reported much improved.

Miss Elon McDonald visited in Abilene Saturday the guest of Miss Inez Chapman.

Mrs. Charlie Gabler of Barnett was a Loraine visitor and shopper Saturday.

Mr. Earl Cooper of Colorado was a Loraine visitor Sunday.

Miss Fannie Jarratt visited friends in Roscoe Sunday.

Mr. J. S. Sloan and family, Mrs. Dewey Geer and J. E. Hopper of Roscoe were visiting here Sunday.

Mrs. S. Y. Hamilton and Mrs. H. J. Mearse visited Mrs. Pearl Grooms at the Colorado sanitarium Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Swan were the guest of Mrs. A. J. Cary Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. H. Sipes and brother and Miss Noma May of Valley View were shopping here Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. W. A. Thornton returned to Glen Rose Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hallmark visited their son, H. W. Hallmark and family at Lone Star Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis were Valley View visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bodine and family of Buford were Sunday afternoon visitors in the H. Cranfill home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fine, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smiley and family, Mrs. Ruby Robertson, Mrs. Jessie Garrett, Miss Alice Stalcup and Professor and Mrs. S. C. Harris were among those from Loraine who attended singing at Bethel Sunday.

Mr. A. K. Turnbow who is attending school at Abilene was a visitor to home folks last of the week.

The Senior class of the Loraine high school entertained the Juniors of the Loraine high school Monday night the 28th with a party at the home of Professor and Mrs. S. C. Harris. Novel games and other forms of amusement were introduced after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Every one reports a very enjoyable evening.

Mrs. Jim Marshall and children returned from Nimrod Sunday where they visited Mrs. Marshall's parents.

Mr. Irvin Pinkard of Odessa was a week-end visitor in the J. G. Bruce home.

Mrs. Dona Hall, who has been sick for some time is reported to be improving slowly.

Rev. Albert Ruff left Wednesday for Wichita Falls to attend the conference of the Lutheran church there this week.

The post office building owned by Mrs. J. H. Neill, was sold by Britton & Smith this week to A. Phillips. Mr. Guitar of Abilene, owner of the E. Loraine gin purchased the vacant lots east of the gin this week.

Mrs. L. L. Jarratt and daughter, Miss Annie visited their son and brother F. T. Jarratt and family of Champion Monday where a real dinner was served in honor of Mrs. L. L. Jarratt's birthday.

Mr. Richey, son Boyd, Alton and Alma Richey, motored to Matador and Turkey Saturday. Mrs. Richey who has been there visiting returned home with them Monday.

Mr. J. W. Porter and family and Mrs. J. M. Collins and baby of Lone Star, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunlop.

Mrs. G. L. Crownover, was called to Abilene Saturday to be with her sister who was reported to be real sick.

Pauline May, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee May, is on the sick list this week.

Mr. C. M. Jackson, who has been real sick is reported better at this writing.

Mrs. Joe Bennett, Mrs. Pearl Grooms and Mrs. Lee Walker who have recently undergone operations at the Colorado sanitarium are all reported at this writing to be doing nicely.

Earl Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Phillips, is reported recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

The Star Club girls were on a hike Saturday morning, April 26th. It was agreed that the side who brought up their work the best were to be entertained by the losing side, who chose a sunrise hike and met at the school house at 6 o'clock Saturday morning and started on their way strowing corn in their path. The other side arrived at 6:30 and followed the trail to the T. J. Coffee pasture southwest of town, where they reached their journey's end. A camp fire was burning brightly and breakfast, which consisted of bacon, eggs, toast, coffee, jelly and fruits was being prepared. Pleasant jokes and riddles were told by each in turn while seated around the camp fire, after which followed a lively baseball game and the way back to town.

ROBERTS TOP COMPANY
INSTALLS PAINT SHOP
B. J. Roberts, manager of the Roberts Top Co., stated Wednesday that he had completed equipment of a paint shop in connection with the top and upholstering department. The concern is located in a new building on Third street, between Elm and Walnut.

NEW SHOE SHOP
We have bought the Ed Jackson Shoe Shop and will appreciate your trade. Also have a complete line of Watkins products for sale at our shop.—Westfall and McClain. 5-30p

Judge Jas. T. Brooks, district attorney, spent Sunday in Big Spring with his family.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County up to 10 o'clock a. m., on Monday, the 12th day of May, 1924, for the purchase by said county one Holt 10-Ton Tractor, with regular equipment to be used upon the roads of said county. Bidders shall be required to bid on condition that such tractor or road machinery shall be demonstrated upon the roads of said county for a period of three days prior to the date of awarding the contract, and all bids shall be addressed to the County Judge of said county, and shall be marked "Sealed Bids" and bids so marked shall not be considered. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J. C. HALL,
County Judge, Mitchell County, Tex.
ATTEST—W. S. Stoneham, County Clerk.

Sentimental Maude finds real life in the Florist Shop.

7 OUT OF 10 HEADACHES
Are caused by eyestrain. If you suffer from headaches you ought to question the condition of your eyes. Often with vision apparently normal, eyes greatly need the help of lenses—only an examination can make sure.
Have our Registered Optometrist examine your eyes without delay—Jeweler and Registered Optometrist
J. P. MAJORS
COLORADO, SWEETWATER

Auto Tops



AND PAINTING. LET US RECOVER AND REPAIR YOUR CAR. WE HAVE A DUST-PROOF AND CAN GIVE YOU GOOD WORK. SEAT COVERS 1924 BACK CURTAINS, AND LIGHT BOW AND BOW SOCKETS, DENTS TAKEN OUT OF BODIES AND RUNNING BOARDS RECOVERED

ROBERTS TOP COMPANY
One Block North Colorado Drug Co.

.. Mother's Day ..

MAY 11

Get your Mother's Day Cards at Record Office. Beautiful designs to select from.

MOTHER'S DAY
MAY 11th.

Red Bottom Tanks
Fresh water—plenty of it—makes healthy stock. Keep it always before them. Do it economically and conveniently with Red Bottom Tanks. There is a size to fit every need.
Two styles—the round and the oblong with round ends. Made of select galvanized steel reinforced at top with patent Tube Top, at bottom with Double Lock Base. Sides made doubly strong by triple corrugations. Bolts are present in all seams. Entire bottom and lower edge coated, inside and outside, with rust-preventing paint made in our own laboratories. Applied by special heat process. Five year warranty is die stamped in the side. Not genuine unless so stamped.
COLUMBIAN STEEL TANK CO., Kansas City, Mo.
Sold from stock by

J. B. PRITCHETT, Colorado, Texas.

R. B. TERRELL

Dealer In
Windmills, Pipe, Pipe Fittings, and Plumbing Goods
PHONE NO. 405
Colorado, Texas.

RAINFALL FOR COLORADO FOR LAST NINETEEN YEARS
This record is made from the Government Gauge, now in charge of, and accurately kept by E. Keathley. He can give you any other information.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
1904	1.88	.62	1.42	2.01	5.01	1.57	1.77	6.07	1.93	.45	.59	.22	22.52
1905	.30	.63	5.05	2.71	2.73	2.46	4.20	4.07	3.71	1.69	1.74	.57	29.85
1906	.29	.73	1.43	3.10	6.01	2.12	3.15	7.82	2.92	2.77	2.33	.62	33.32
1907	.21	.24	2.94	2.4	2.19	2.33	3.42	.15	.17	6.83	1.82	.44	35.79
1908	.45	.68	.33	5.73	6.61	.52	3.71	1.23	1.54	.62	1.71	.21	31.62
1909	.03	.62	.37	.96	1.33	.91	2.75	1.99	1.18	1.33	4.58	.11	13.36
1910	.22	.48	.69	1.40	.13	3.0	1.14	.90	5.53	.88	.11	.42	11.42
1911	.41	4.48	.72	2.12	.67	.23	2.97	2.11	.45	2.90	19.96	.11	31.42
1912	.90	.90	1.11	.89	1.67	1.98	2.92	.06	1.92	1.56	1.21	.11	12.11
1913	.17	.40	2.07	1.73	1.30	2.77	2.69	.10	2.69	2.70	1.57	.23	23.33
1914	.15	.40	3.85	5.37	4.70	2.75	6.53	.70	5.73	.81	1.53	.11	31.96
1915	.17	.21	2.1	5.05	2.24	2.41	2.55	2.80	6.58	2.68	.49	.25	25.84
1916	.09	.08	.84	2.22	1.72	.35	.38	.62	.60	.30	.31	.11	7.84
1917	.11	.11	1.55	.47	.14	1.50	.57	.07	.07	.30	.31	.11	4.47
1918	.15	.47	.11	.59	2.58	3.48	.74	.24	.96	2.56	.81	.15	14.36
1919	1.19	.24	4.48	2.48	2.19	6.81	7.04	1.63	2.74	5.28	.83	.25	36.28
1920	2.11	.68	.18	1.41	5.66	.27	1.67	3.31	2.94	2.68	.27	.11	32.91
1921	.28	.59	1.48	.42	.87	4.99	.48	1.99	2.27	.11	.11	.11	12.81
1922	.73	.17	1.27	12.28	4.98	2.65	.14	.21	.11	.81	1.61	.22	25.07
1923	.75	3.35	1.79	3.78	3.84	5.13	.13	1.70	2.15	5.32	1.62	.10	28.31
1924	.09	.10	.69										.79

Look at the Label on your Record. All papers will be stopped when time is out. If your label reads, 1Mar24, it means your time was out then.

COLORADO RECORD

Published in Colorado, Texas, at 110 Walnut street, one door south of the Postoffice and entered as second class matter at the Post office under the act of Congress of March, 1879, by the WHIPKEY PRINTING COMPANY

F. B. WHIPKEY A. L. WHIPKEY
Editors and Proprietors

WALTER W. WHIPKEY, Adv. Manager
W. S. COOPER, Local and City Editor
W. E. REID, Machinist-Operator

SUBSCRIPTION RATES
One Year (Out of County) \$2.00
One Year (In the County) \$1.50
Four Months (Straight) \$.75

No want or classified ads taken over the phone. These are cash when inserted.

Look at the Label on your Record. All papers will be stopped when time is out. If your label reads, 1Mar24, your time was out March 1, 1924.

FAITH BUILDS CITIES.

It has been said of Messrs. Anderson and Prichard, owners of the oil corporation by their name, that they came to Colorado as the location for their Texas refinery because of the faith they had in the future of the Mitchell County oil field. And there is no one who is able to successfully contradict that statement. The conservative business man, as each of these gentlemen have been found to be, does not investigate his capital in a project wherein doubt would exist as to the practical business resources involved.

The faith of these gentlemen, so well expressed through an investment of \$150,000, is to be appreciated by the entire citizenship of this city and county. Men with faith build cities, and Colorado certainly has for its foundation many of the basic assets upon which a city might be built.

In this connection The Record desires to state that these two men, J. Steve Anderson and his corporation partner, are the exclusive owners of the Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation and that every dime of the money going into the large refining plant at Colorado is money owned exclusively by them. Their coming to Mitchell County will mean the addition of outside capital with that of our citizens to augment the program of developing our resources in the field and furthering the program of extending the commercial interests of Colorado. And then, too, Colorado is always proud to welcome men of the type of J. Steve Anderson among its citizenship.

Whatever else the Colorado Chamber of Commerce might have accomplished during the past year, there is nothing of such importance to this city as this new commercial industry. And since the Chamber of Commerce had a part in bringing this corporation to Mitchell County, the organization should be entitled to commendation of the citizenship.

The Record made the suggestion last week that the Colorado delegation to Brownwood advertise the fact while there that Mitchell County cotton had been declared the best produced in Texas by authorities of A. & M. College. We are repeating the suggestion again this week. Mitchell county cotton and Mitchell county oil are two assets of which every citizen should be proud. There will be several thousand visitors in Brownwood during the convention who know nothing about these assets unless we tell them. Some kind of novelty advertising along this line would, it appears to us, be a fine thing for the Lions Club to furnish.

Perhaps Colorado's paved streets and white way street lighting system would look like a million and a half dollars to Editor Minor Shutt of the Sweetwater Reporter now, since extension of Elm street is completed. While in Colorado recently, Editor Shutt was so impressed with the streets of this town that he wrote an editorial for his paper, declaring the paving and street lights formed such an attractive combination as to look like a million dollars.

If Colorado had few dozen A. J. Herringtons we could easily build some new churches and do many other things for Colorado that really ought to be done. During the day Saturday, Mr. Herrington gave his church \$1,000 in cold cash and it was not an unusual day for giving, either.

While the tea pot boils at Washington, the Milwaukee federal court continues to sentence fake oil promoters to pen terms and the politicians everywhere are peddling the usual dope so prevalent in the spring time of each election year, Colorado continues to build into one of the real forward looking small cities of West Texas. New cotton oil mill, street paving, court house, brick buildings, attractive cottage homes, new oil refinery and many other items would go into the program now being staged in this city.

Judging from the manner in which Colorado business and professional men continue to support the Chamber of Commerce, they are placing the stamp of approval upon the organization stronger than ever before. The committee raising the budget for the ensuing year reported Tuesday afternoon that scores of old members were voluntarily increasing their membership dues and that new names were being added to the membership roster. The organization has grown stronger from year to year.

The Record believes Colorado delegates to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Brownwood should support W. W. Rix of Big Spring for the presidency of the organization another year. Rix is a real West Texan, qualified from any angle for the responsible office of president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and then, again, he hails from a neighbor city which we esteem very highly.

The Record trusts that Colorado will turn out in large numbers this morning to welcome the Dallas visitors to our City. The special train bearing 150 boosters from Dallas is scheduled to arrive Friday morning at 8:28 o'clock and will spend 45 minutes here. Meet them at the station, with the band, and let's impress them with the fact that Colorado is proud to have them.

Evidently there is little interest manifest among Mitchell County democrats. At any rate, we have heard no call for the usual precinct primary conventions, which are scheduled to be held throughout the State Saturday. If there be no precinct conventions, there can be no county convention, and if there be no county convention, Mitchell county will have no part in the State convention.

Unqualified moral support of an organization goes as far, in some cases, as financial support. Let's continue to give the Colorado Booster Band both. This organization will carry more head lines in the daily papers covering the Brownwood convention than any other one attraction from this city. Colorado should give the band personnel its strong moral support by sending a big delegation with it to the convention.

HELLO GIRLS MOVE TO OLD OFFICE WEDNESDAY NOON

Temporary long distance office of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. were moved from the Chamber of Commerce to the company's permanent offices in the Dulaney building Wednesday at noon. This is a record for which telephone officials and Dr. B. F. Dulaney, owner of the building, are to be congratulated. The second floor of the building was burned Friday morning, the telephone exchange being completely destroyed. After five days service was restored from the same building.

In order to establish this record, however, J. E. Pond, contractor superintending repairs to the building, his large crew of carpenters and the force of men employed by the telephone company, have worked day and night. Before the lapse of one week after the fire, local telephone service has been restored, and the service is, according to claims of telephone officials, better than it was before the fire.

Church Tea

The Episcopal church tea was with Mrs. J. L. Doss last Thursday. An offering was taken. Refreshments were served.

WHO SHOULD EAT BREAD CRUSTS?

By ALICE H. REYNOLDS

MRS. CRANDALL was getting more nervous every moment. If her caller stayed any longer she would simply have to excuse herself and hurry to get dinner. Mrs. Devoe was, as usual, taking her leave by instalments. Mrs. Devoe sensed that her audience was not with her, and completed her departure.

Mrs. Crandall flew kitchenward, glancing at the clock as she passed through the dining room. Five minutes of twelve, and in just fifteen minutes her husband would be home for his dinner.

In this household, meals were not movable feasts. During forty-six years of married life there had been few occasions when the Crandalls had sat down to a belated meal.

At 6:30 they arose. Exactly twenty-five minutes later Mrs. Crandall placed breakfast on the table; at 7:20 Mr. Crandall started on his morning walk down Main street to the Gaines County bank, where for many years he had been bookkeeper. In ten minutes his steady, deliberate gait brought him to his desk. At 12 noon he laid down his pen and went home to dinner.

At 12:00 he would turn the corner from Main street into their own Maple street. At 12:10 he would enter the house. Two minutes later he would have washed at the kitchen sink and seated himself at the table. Simultaneously his wife would have placed dinner before him.

The old clock, in its mahogany case, seemed to look down approvingly on them from its place on the dining room mantel. It had told the time truthfully so many years that no one thought of questioning its veracity. When it announced the noon hour you knew that legally and officially it was twelve o'clock.

Dixie, the big black cat, was also a spectator at the family board. Although of more recent origin than the clock, he was almost as regular of habit. In the dining room stood Mrs. Crandall's sewing machine, not the modern drop-head sort, but one of the older style, topped with removable wooden cover.

On this eminence, affording command of the dining table, Dixie would station himself at meal time and sit in silent watchfulness. Never did he ask for anything, not even when he saw favorite dishes on the table and observed them rapidly disappearing. When the family arose from the table, Dixie would descend and remind his mistress of his presence.

On the day of Mrs. Devoe's tooth-longly call, Mr. Crandall left his work at the usual time. Mrs. Simpson, who lived on Main street, halfway between the bank and the Crandall home, watched for him. Her clock had stopped. When she saw him pass the house she set her clock at 12:05, as well satisfied as if she had received time from Washington.

In her race with the clock, Mrs. Crandall won. With the steaming dinner on the table, she sat down, flushed from hurry. Just as her husband took his seat, the black cat mounted to his observatory atop the sewing machine. As Mr. Crandall reached for his plate of freshly-baked homemade bread, a passing vehicle attracted his attention to the street. When he looked at the piece of bread he had taken, he put it back hastily. It was a slice from the heel of the loaf, a crackly crust.

"I didn't mean to take your crust," he said.

His wife looked at him as if she had not understood. There seemed to be a slight wistfulness in his voice.

"Why, you don't like crusts," she said. "Do you?"

"Yes, I do," he admitted. "I think they are the best part of the loaf."

Mrs. Crandall leaned back in her chair as if she were suddenly tired.

"Then, why haven't you been eating them all these years?" she asked. "I thought you wanted them," replied her husband. "You always take them."

Mrs. Crandall did something which in all her well-poised life she had not done before. She began to laugh, then to cry, then to do both at once, and in a moment was having a perfectly good attack of hysterics. The black cat gazed at her with horror in his round yellow eyes. Mrs. Crandall looked on helplessly.

"What's the matter? Are you choking?" he implored.

She shook her head.

"I'm—all—right," she gasped.

Her husband rushed upstairs to the medicine cabinet to get the bottle of camphor. When he returned, Mrs. Crandall had regained her self-control and was wiping her eyes with a corner of her white apron.

"What is it all about?" he demanded.

"I guess I'm nervous," explained his wife. "Mrs. Devoe stayed so long it got me all flustered for fear I wouldn't have dinner ready on time. And then those crusts were the last straw."

"What about the crusts?" inquired Mr. Crandall.

"Why, I thought you didn't like them, and the children never would eat them, and so all these years I've been eating them just to save them. And to think that all the time you've wanted them, and I've hated them. Isn't it funny?"

Her husband patted her work-roughened hand.

"No," he said, "I don't think it is funny; seems to me it's tragedy."

Handbook Issued on Better Stock Feeds

Different Classes of Animals Considered Separately.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Practically all farmers in every section of the country should be interested in the new publication, a Handbook for Better Feeding of Live Stock, just issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, as a part of a recently organized service for better feeding methods. This booklet contains in condensed form practical and up-to-date information on the feeding of cattle, hogs, sheep, horses and poultry, compiled as a result of a country-wide study of farm-feeding problems.

In this handbook all the different classes of animals are considered separately. For instance, there is special information on feeding young animals, dry cows, sires in service, weaning pigs and calves. Consideration is given to the feeding of farm wastes and by-products, the use of mineral feeds, the use of self-feeders, tonics, hogging down crops, commercial feeds, dehorning and castrating, with relation to feeding and management, mixing feeds and making up balanced rations, shelter for animals as it affects their production, water and salt. Sample rations are given for the various kinds of animals under different conditions. The importance of good breeding in obtaining maximum gains is emphasized.

"No set of specific feeding rules can be wisely applied throughout the country," says John R. Mohler, chief of the bureau of animal industry, in a foreword to the handbook. "Local conditions, seasonal changes, and many other factors," he continues, "combine to make the best feeding practices change from place to place and from time to time. This handbook discusses the main points most commonly encountered in feeding, but which should always be adapted to local conditions. More general discussions of feeding practices will be found in Farmers' Bulletins and other publications of the department, also in publications of the state agricultural colleges and experiment stations."

Grass Quite Essential for Starting Goslings

Goslings do not thrive in small enclosures as they are naturally grass eaters. A range abundantly covered with tender grass and shade are essential to their growth. During the heat of the day they need protection from the hot sun. A high mortality rate results when goslings are placed in bare fenced enclosures with the idea of protecting them from injury by other birds or animals, writes R. G. Kirby in the Farm and Ranch.

Tender grass can be used as the only feed for goslings for the first two days. Then use a moist mash five times a day. An easily made mash consists of two-thirds middlings and one-third corn meal, bran, middlings and rolled oats moistened with skim milk. Some breeders start the goslings on bread and milk. The bread is soaked in milk and squeezed nearly dry before feeding. After the first week the goslings will relish scalded cracked corn. The goslings are grass eaters and not grain eaters, and if any part of their ration is ever neglected be sure it is not the regular supply of tender green grass which they can soon harvest for themselves on the right kind of range.

April Favored by Many for Sowing Red Clover

Many farmers seed clover as early as February, while others wait until April and sow with apparently equal success. Some sow half the seed early and half late, since a very light seeding will be sufficient under favorable conditions. The month of March is recommended by many. A honey-combed or dry, frozen condition of the soil is likely to exist at that time. A dry, cracked condition develops a little later and it is considered by these men as second choice.

FARM FACTS

Drilled oats outyield oats broadcast.

Swiss chard, kale and collards make fine greens and stand the heat of summer.

Sweet corn is one thing no one need be without if proper choice is made of soil and variety.

Old sheds or sheep barns can sometimes be used for poultry houses by using a straw loft for ventilation.

A farm without good live stock is poorly equipped. Generally they are unprofitable four years out of five.

If you feed rats they will make themselves at home. Make your buildings as near rat-proof as possible.

If a small amount of grain is fed while running on alfalfa, hogs will make a rapid and profitable growth.

DO YOU HAVE AN ACHE OR PAIN OF ANY KIND?

Would you like to get relief and have the cause of your ailment removed by harmless natural means? If so, why go elsewhere for relief, when, at less cost, you can obtain in the City of Colorado, Texas, service second to none?

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.

TO THE RIGHTEOUS WILL TO THE HELPFUL HAND TO THE KNOWING MIND NATURE'S WAY IS GRAND

C. H. LANE

J. W. MOYLETTE, Associate

MASSEUR, CORRECTIONIST, HELPER

Room 3 Doss New Bldg. Open Day and Night

COURTESY—SERVICE—INTEGRITY

Phone 76

SNAKE JOURNEYS FROM TROPICS TO COLORADO

A large snake, peacefully nestling in the packing of a banana crate, was found at the H. B. Broadus & Sons grocery Monday when employees at the store opened a new shipment of this tropical fruit. The reptile, claimed to have been a native of South America had no doubt gone through

the process of cold storage, apparently was none the worse from his long and eventful journey to Colorado.

Get your Mother's Day cards at Record office. Nice assortment of beautiful designs.

Mrs. H. B. Broadus has returned from a visit with friends in Dallas and Fort Worth.

NOVEL FEATURES ENHANCE CHILDREN'S KNITTED WEAR



NOTHING new under the sun? But there is! Look at the picture and be convinced. A knitted "A, B, C, D" pocket dress! Surely it will not require much coaxing on the part of mother to persuade little daughter to wear a cunning frock like this, which tells the very letters of the alphabet on its wee pocket. Especially since said quaint dress is knitted of the prettiest sort of soft bright navy wool. Of course if a lovely crimson shade, or the new poudre bleu, or a brown with tan trimmings is preferred, it is obtainable at most any juvenile knitted outer-wear department or specialty shop.

More and more designers of knitted clothes are catering to childhood's whims and fancies when it comes to outfitting the little folks. For instance there is the cleverest slip-over sweater brought out this season, which has quaint animal and nursery figures interknit in a wide border. Not mother or big sister in all their glory of Tutankhamen prints and silks can display designing more unique than this.

Then, too, there are checks and plaids to be had in children's knitted frocks.

The latest achievement is the knitted "pantie frock." The knickers are knit to match an oversmock with long sleeves. There is no end to the interesting colors and details of collar, cuffs and pockets which these practical two-piece dresses boast.

Much attention is given to the fastenings of junior and infants' knitted dresses. Sailor collars, Byron collars, chemise openings are supplemented with cord and tassel ties, double rows of buttons, pretty contrasted bindings and various effects, always, however, maintaining the silverer feature for convenience' sake.

The scarf-dress and scarf-sweater now such a vogue for grownups is produced in replica for children. Indeed a "scarf with every dress" is a slogan as applicable to junior fashions as to those of their elders, and this new vogue finds its happiest expression in the knitted realm.

JULIA BOTTMLEY, (© 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

MRS. RICHARDS OF LORAINIE DIES HERE WEDNESDAY

Mrs. L. V. Richards, of Loraine, died at the Colorado Sanitarium Wednesday afternoon. The body was forwarded to Loraine Thursday by J. H. Greene. Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at three o'clock at the First Christian church at Loraine.

Maude didn't care if orchids cost two dollars each. See The Florist Shop, May 6, Legion Hut.

Mother's Day May 11th. Get your Mother's Day cards at the Record office.

Mrs. Pearl Shannon is home from a visit in Decatur and Dallas.

"SAID I WAS INCURABLE"

Ferrasal Brings Relief After 25 Years. Physicians are beginning to agree that a majority of our health troubles are caused by some form of Colitis. It has been found that Colitis causes kidney trouble, rheumatism, high blood pressure, bad blood, boils, pimples, acne and even tuberculosis.

A physician discovered a preparation known as FERRASAL, which will dissolve the food wastes in the Colon, heal the mucus lining where broken down and eliminate the accumulated poisons. It also aids digestion, keeps the kidneys regular and is absolutely harmless. It proved successful with hundreds of his patients and now FERRASAL can be purchased at your drug store.

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

"I suffered for 25 years with Mucosa Colitis and in addition had chronic constipation and auto-intoxication. I was told that my condition was incurable. I started taking FERRASAL last April and was benefited from the first box. Gradually all my ailments passed away and today my health is fine. I am a well man and FERRASAL did it."

"AM A WELL MAN." "J. W. LOOMAS."

11605 Elm St., Dallas, Texas



COLORADO DRUG COMPANY

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County—GREETING: You are hereby commanded to summon J. J. Holliday, if he be living, and, if he be dead, to summon his unknown heirs by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in Scurry County, Texas, as well as by making publication once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper in Mitchell County, Texas, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Scurry County to be held at the courthouse thereof in Snyder, Texas, on the sixteenth Monday after the first Monday in February, A. D. 1924, the same being the twenty-sixth day of May, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1924, the same numbered on the docket of said court, Number 2282, wherein E. P. DuBose is plaintiff and J. J. Holliday, if living, and if dead, his unknown heirs are defendants, said petition being an action of trespass to try title to recover the following described property situated in the town or city of Colorado in Mitchell County, Texas, and described as follows, to-wit:

A part of lots 12-13-14 and 15, in Block 41 in the town or city of Colorado according to the map or plat of said town or city, a copy of which is of record in the Deed Records of Mitchell County in Volume "C" pages 16 and 17, beginning at a point 50 feet north of the southwest corner of said lot 15, said point being in the west line of said lot 15 on Oak St.; thence on a line parallel with the south boundary lines of lots 12, 13, 14 and 15 in an easterly direction the distance of 100 feet to a point in the east boundary line of lot 12; thence south 50 feet to the southwest corner of lot 12; thence westwardly 100 feet to the southwest corner of lot 15; thence northwardly along the west boundary line of lot 15 a distance of fifty feet to the place of beginning.

Plaintiff set up the statute of limitation of five and ten years, and for the particular allegations in that respect reference is here made to plaintiff's original petition.

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

Given under my hand and seal of the said court in the city of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, this 4th day of April, A. D. 1924.

JEAN GRIGGS, Clerk of District Court, Scurry County, Texas. (SEAL)

JEAN GRIGGS, Clerk of District Court, Scurry County, Texas.

Charlie Thompson Ewell G. Thompson THOMPSON & THOMPSON ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW Office Colorado Nat'l Bank Bldg.

C. L. ROOT, M. D. Strangers calling must be vouched for. OBSTETRIC WORK AND X-RAY WORK STRICTLY CASB.

M. B. NALL Colorado, Texas DENTIST 20 feet to the City National Bank Bldg. Phone 9

DR. R. E. LEE PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON Calls Answered Day or Night Office Phone 261. Residence Phone 28 Office Over City National Bank

C. M. McMILLAN, M. D. Formerly Army and State Surgeon. Specialist on Flu and Internal Diseases. Careful attention given in Obstetrics. Office Hutchinson Bldg., over Pullman Cafe. Phone 199.

T. J. RATLIFF, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON Office Over Jas. L. Doss Drug Store

There is less carbon in that Supreme Auto Oil—get prices before

R. H. (Harry) RATLIFF LAWYER Practice in all the Courts Office over Colorado National Bank

GERMANY TOLD TO START WORK IMMEDIATELY

Commission Lays Stress on the Unity With Which the Document Was Approved.

Paris.—The reparations commission has virtually told Germany to get down to work preparatory to a blanket acceptance of the experts' reports. Prior to this the commission decided unanimously to take note of Germany's reply adhering to the experts' reports, and to approve the conclusions and adopt the methods proposed.

Need for speed was the outstanding feature of the commissioners' communique, which tells Germany, to prepare enabling legislation for the commission's approval, so that when the allied Governments—as seems taken for granted—adopt the experts' reports, the groundwork of the structure which Brig. Gen. Dawes, Owen D. Young and the other experts envisaged will already be laid.

Pending Germany's compliance with the reparations commissions' demand feelers will be put forth from London, Paris and Brussels designed to bring the experts' projects into concrete form as rapidly as possible, for, obviously, the members of the reparations commission did not reach their decision without the full approval of their Governments.

The commission's aim, as outlined by one of the members, is to get a general agreement on all non-controversial points of the plan before taking up debatable questions, such as abandonment of economic exploitation of the Ruhr.

"Nothing appears to require immediate decisions by the reparations commission," is the way in which queries have been met concerning the commission's intentions respecting the gaps purposely left in the experts' findings.

The reparations commission lays particular stress on the unanimity with which the document was approved; they point out that their decision followed logically the decision taken recently. Their sole desire, it is explained, is to get the big work under way as soon as possible, putting in the background any controversy as to whether certain recommendations of the experts run counter of the treaty of Versailles.

It is considered most unlikely that the reparations commission can find anything in the Dawes report of an anti-treaty nature, but, as one member expressed it, "if Germany and the allies agree on a common solution, what does it matter if it is outside the treaty?"

As a special courtesy, Dr. Ruppel, the new president of the war burdens commission, and other German members attended the session.

COTTON MILLS PLANNED TO COST \$3,000,000

Corporation to Build in San Antonio, San Marcos and Austin.

San Antonio, Texas.—A corporation will be formed within a few days with the purpose of building and operating three cotton mills, one in San Antonio, one in Austin and one in San Marcos, following a meeting of some of the promoters of the company.

A San Antonio attorney is authorized to file application for charter for the Planters and Manufacturers' Cotton Mills Company with a capital stock of \$3,500,000, under the blue sky laws of Texas. The corporation would build mills with 10,000 spindles and 300 looms, each costing about \$1,000,000, in the three cities mentioned, according to the announcement.

The plan calls for a mill employing about 300 to 350 persons in each city. The one in San Antonio would be built on a site now being negotiated for and construction work is due to begin within thirty days, the promoters declared.

Gray goods would be made here, outing flannels at San Marcos and fine shirting at Austin, according to the plan.

Four New England textile machinery manufacturers, whose names were not given out, have agreed to take blocks of stock in exchange for machinery for the proposed plants, the promoters indicated.

The first proposed plant would be built in San Antonio.

Large Acreage in Majors. Weatherford, Texas.—Farmers of Parker County are busy planting. There will be a large acreage in cotton this year. Prospects are very favorable at present. There will also be a large acreage in melons and feed crops.

U. S. Planes to Dutch Harbor. Seattle, Wash.—Three planes of the United States Army world-flight expedition which reached Chignik, Alaska, Tuesday, have been ordered to proceed to Dutch Harbor, Alaska, according to dispatches received from Washington. At Dutch Harbor they will await the machine of Major Martin, commander of the expedition, which was forced to alight in flight from Seward to Chignik and has been taken to Kanatak, Alaska, by the de-

Max Berman's Big Removal Sale



STARTS 9 A. M. SATURDAY, MAY 3RD

The pleasing growth of our business makes it necessary for us to move to more commodious quarters.

Prior to doing so, we are going to dispose of all merchandise in our store, and to enable us to do so, we are placing our stock on sale at prices which, we feel confident, will present an opportunity to secure bargains that the ladies of Sweetwater and neighboring towns, will be quick to appreciate and take advantage of.

That we may be able to offer you a complete selection in this sale, we have just received extensive shipments of the very latest in Ready-to-Wear and Millinery, which are included in the offering.

We expect to begin this sale with a "Bang" and accordingly the greatest values of the sale are offered for the opening day.

Above all things dont miss the opening day.

SAVE 40 to 50 PER CENT—ENTIRE STOCK INCLUDED IN THIS SALE—EVERY ARTICLE MUST GO—NOTHING CARRIED OVER.

FREE—With the first five Dresses sold on opening day—Bathing Suit and Cap—FREE.

Max Berman

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear and Millinery, Where Style Predominates SWEETWATER

BELIEVE IN AND AID THE BOY BEST WAY OF DOING GOOD

From Dallas News:

I sat on the wide porch of a girls' school in West Virginia last summer and the principal of the school told me a fascinating story.

An old man mowed industriously the spacious and velvety lawn before us, today by hand. I noticed, but yesterday, so great was the expanse of ground to be covered off in the more distant parts of the school premises, he and the mower performed with the aid of a horse.

The principal of the school remarked:

"You see old Mr. Blake diligently at his labors. Some months ago he passed me on the lawn en route to the workshop at the rear and said: 'Miss D, this is my birthday and I got a present of \$5,000. Five thousand dollars!' I exclaimed, 'Gracious what will you do with so much money and who gave it to you?' 'One time, he said, 'I knew a boy in whom I believed. I liked his face and thought if he were given a chance he would make good. He thought his best chance lay in the West and I gave him the money to get there on. Today he sent me \$5,000. He said it was out of gratitude.'"

We read about these things happening but somehow they seem so far off, they're more like fiction. With this incident so vitally and obviously true before me, I was intensely interested in the old man, and as I watched him mowing back and forth over the lawn so contentedly and conscientiously I ruminated on the story of him, the romance that was his.

There were many beautiful thots to be dwelt on, not the least of them the fineness of the boy who had it in him to know gratitude and remember the kindly man who had given him his chance, and he man's attitude after acquiring his fortune, of continuing to work while he was still able, and putting away his legacy in bonds for his old age or a rainy day. But the most inspiring thought on that beautiful summer afternoon as I looked out at the persevering veteran, and beyond him in the distance the "gap" at Harper's Ferry, was that he had believed in a boy. "One time," he had said, I knew a boy in whom I believed—and he gave him his chance.

The other day I read of a boy of 9 years who was arrested after it was found he had sold a check protractor for 50c that was valued at \$90. The humane officers looked in to the case and they found that the boy lived in a tent on the outskirts of town, a ragged, questionable, poverty-stricken outskirts like every city has. A score or more of near-destitute families lived in the little tent colony around him, and a woman among them declared the boy was a good boy, would not steal anything unless in dire distress and that what he needed most was a good bath, clean clothes and a little education.

Some one to believe in him, that was all. Some one who saw that if given a chance he could make good, become a manly boy and in time a good citizen. The country is full of running over with boys who need to be believed in; who need council and friendship; who need material help, and who need to be shown how to help themselves.

Enter into discussion with any group of men and not one, perhaps but can tell of an instance where they have helped some one similar to the boy in West Virginia, who that his best chance lay in the West, that he bought a ticket for a down-and-out comrade to where he wanted to go;

they have "loaned" a stranger a sum because he begged for a chance. And they have no pretty story to recount as to how it was returned a hundred or a thousand fold.

Seldom, it is true, does an altruism come back in the coin it is made in. Seldom does a loan, a lift of any sort, return in after years to surprise and delight the heart by enhancing the bank account downtown. Not always has the one believed in made good, not always has making good been reckoned by material success that can give an accounting in dollars; not always do other circumstances permit it, not always, alas, is the inclination there.

But a reward does come. Usually it is in the satisfaction of having aided some one a fraction more in need than oneself, and in having had a good deed put down to one's credit for that final accounting by and by; often it comes in the knowledge of what that life helped has performed in the world itself, and often it comes in material prosperity by other and divergent routes.

For it has been promised: Cast your bread upon the water and it will come back to you fourfold. In no other way is this apt to be so abundantly proved than to "believe" in some boy and help him to be a man.

COLORADO TO DECORATE AUTOMOBILE FOR PARADE

Colorado will carry an artist from here to Brownwood to decorate the automobile in which the Colorado duchess and her maid are to ride in the great illuminated parade the second evening of the Sixth Annual convention, West Texas Chamber of Commerce, J. H. Greene, chairman of the committee arranging details of the trip to Brownwood, stated last week that this would be done.

Several of the West Texas towns and cities planning to have a part in the parade are contracting with a Brownwood concern to furnish these decorated cars, but the local committee deemed it best to personally direct this work.

The sponsors and advance delegation from Colorado are scheduled to leave Colorado Sunday afternoon, May 11 and go to Brownwood that night over the Santa Fe. The band and additional delegates are scheduled to go to Brownwood Monday afternoon, May 12th.

ANNUAL SINGING CONCLAVE TO CONVENE HERE SUNDAY

The annual convention of Mitchell County Singing Association is scheduled to convene at Union Tabernacle in Colorado Sunday morning at 10

o'clock with the president, Clauð Womack, presiding. Arrangements for the day's program are complete and an entertainment of merit is promised.

The annual business meeting of the association will be held at the First Baptist church Saturday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. At this meeting officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

The annual observance of serving luncheon on the grounds at noon will be carried out. In this connection, however, officials of the association request that all families expecting to remain for luncheon bring a well filled basket, in that plenty be available for all visitors coming from a distance.

25 per cent discount on all Spring Millinery at Mrs. B. F. Mills. These hats are good stylish ones, including patterns from well known firms, such as Gage, Fisk, Ach, King B and a number of others. Our mid-summer stuff does not go in this sale, but it is reasonably priced.



Outstanding Beauty! Here's a style car that catches the eye at once. Moderately priced but built like an expensive car. More than 150 separate pieces of lumber are especially milled for the stalwart body-frame. Cylinder walls are honed to mirror-like finish. That guards against piston scoring or seizure. And its powerfully flexible performance matches its beauty.

FOURS and SIXES

Models range from \$915 to \$2190, f. o. b. factory

THE DODGE GARAGE

THE BEST THEATRE

Friday Night and Saturday Matinee.

Jack Hoxie

-in-

"CUPID'S BRAND"

And YOUNG AND DUMB Comedy, also Leather Pushers

Saturday Night

A Hard Riding Western

"BLASTED HOPES"

And Pardin Me Comedy

Monday and Tuesday

Johnny Hines

-in-

"DADDIES"

And Hollywood Bound Comedy

Wednesday & Thursday

Mabel Uorman

-in-

"SUZANANA"

And Second Childhood Comedy

Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

WOLK'S

Endicott-Johnson Shoes and Robert Johnson Shoes, the best shoes on earth, also the best in dry goods, hats, caps, etc. at Wolk's Store in the Lasky building on West Second street. No matter what U buy, you save money. We sell for cash, have little expense and can make the price cheap on the best of goods. We sell only good goods and have a complete stock. You can save big money by trading at Wolk's Come in and get the goods, we have them and want your business bad enough to let you have them right. Remember, Wolk's at the Lasky corner, under I.O.O.F. Hall.

WOLK AND SON

IN SOCIETY AND AT THE CLUBS

Whipkey-Bywater Wedding
Stansil E. Whipkey and Miss Lewellyn Bywaters were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. H. Elizabeth Bywaters, 3705 Euclid avenue, at noon Saturday by the Rev. George W. Truitt, pastor of the First Baptist church. The couple left for a trip to Austin and San Antonio by automobile. They will be at home at 3705 Euclid avenue within a few days.—Dallas News.

Stansil E. Whipkey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whipkey. He is a graduate of the Colorado High school and held a position with the Colorado National Bank here for two years, and now holds a responsible position with the Dallas Chamber of Commerce. He has many friends who wish for him a life of usefulness and happiness.

Hesperian.

The Hesperian club met with Mrs. J. A. Sadler. Mrs. Dawson led the lesson on Sidney Lanier. Mrs. Merritt read a paper on Sidney Lanier the ideal Southern Poet. Mrs. Shropshire gave a talk on Lanier's Musical Powers as expressed in his poetry. Mrs. Dawson read the "Song of the Chatahochee. Refreshments were served at the social hour. The meeting will be with Mrs. Whipkey this week.

Standard.

The Standard club met with Mrs. Coleman. Mrs. G. W. Smith led the lesson on South America. At the social hour a salad course was served Mrs. Snyder will be hostess this week.

The Shakespeare

The Shakespeare club met with Mrs. E. F. King. The lesson was on Love's Labor Lost and Current History. This was the last lesson and the club adjourned for the summer. Delicious refreshments were served at the social hour.

Parent-Teacher Association.

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association will be held at the high school auditorium Tuesday at three o'clock. A good attendance is desired as this will be the last meeting this year. Music by high school orchestra. Come.

Harmony Club.

Mrs. McKenzie entertained the Harmony Club Tuesday. The invited guests were Mesdames H. E. Grantland, Jack Smith, Maud Scott, C. H. Lasky. After the games, the daughter Mrs. Dixon, assisted by Miss Eleanor Thomas, served fresh strawberry ice cream and two kinds of cake.

1921 Study Club

The 1921 Study club met with Mrs. R. H. Ratliff. The lesson on social problems was led by Mrs. Simpson and papers were read by Miss McGill, Mrs. C. E. Pritchett, and Mrs. Simpson. The hostess served ice cream and cake. Mesdames Moody and DuBose were guests. The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. L. Root.

Sister Honored

Mrs. Ed. Jones entertained the Merry Wives and their friends Wednesday with 42 and Mah Jongg, honoring her sister, Mrs. Moody, of Ontario, Calif., who is here on a visit.

Buy Your Oil and Gas at **W. R. Morgan's Filling Sta.** SERVICE OUR MOTTO Federal Tires and Tubes We will appreciate your business Across St. South Presbyterian Church.

Three Correct Hats for Little Misses



Hats for little misses have become so important that specialists in designing devote their entire time to them. Here are three illustrations of correct headwear for small girls: At the top a taffeta hat with fringed ruching of the silk for trimmings; below an aristocrat in millinery of fine milan with an equally fine ribbon sash; and finally a straw shape with silk sash.

These and many other high grade hats, both for children and Misses and the latest thing for ladies of all ages will be found at the two millinery shops of Colorado, and they are making special prices and big reductions in prices of these good quality stylish hats.

MRS. W. E. REID
MRS. B. F. MILLS

The only Millinery Shops in Colorado Buy here and you will not be sorrow.

Mrs. Moody lived here several years ago and had many friends to enjoy renewing memories of other days besides the time spent with games. The invited guests were Mesdames H. L. Doss, Bill Broadus, R. O. Pearson, L. W. Sandusky, A. L. Whipkey, O. C. Lambeth, M. Clear-ety, Jim Johnson, J. L. Pritchett, C. L. Root, H. L. Hutchinson, L. H. Gaskins, Allen Soper, U. D. Hardison, Jack Smith, Throup, Earnest Pullman, of Windom, Misses Mabel Smith, Minnie Bellah and Maud Farmer. The hostess served chocolate and white brick ice cream and black and white cake.

Missionary Meeting

The Missionary society of the Christian church had a treat Monday afternoon when it met with Mrs. W. R. Mitchell and were addressed by Mrs. McMasters, general secretary of R. W. B. M. work and Miss Taylor, field worker, from the College of Missions at St. Louis on the Golden Jubilee. The hostess served ice cream and cake. There was a program in the evening at the church for the entire membership.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank one and all our friends and neighbors for their kindness and help by acts and sympathetic words in the recent illness and death of the dear father, R. M. Walker, familiarly known as "Grand Pa." Walker. Our hearts are sad at his passing but memory of loving friends is a consolation for which we thank you.

J. M. WALKER
MRS. W. S. JUSTICE
MRS. LUM BAILEY

Mrs. J. M. Thomas and daughter, Miss Eleanor and Mrs. Allen Soper, made a shopping trip to Dallas last week.



you will drive a longer stretch between stops if you get yourself into the habit of stopping for gas at the

TEXACO

Pumps

R. D. HART
AGENT

PHONE 333

MILITIA TO ENFORCE ARIZONA BLOCKADE ON THE BORDER

Guardmen Hurried to Yuma to Hold Quarantine on Foot and Mouth Disease.

Phoenix, Ariz.—State troops have been ordered to Yuma to stop the advance of motorists coming from California in violation of the State's embargo. It has been announced at the Governor's office.

The troops will be sent on recommendation of the County Attorney of Yuma County, who reported local authorities were unable to cope with the situation, according to the announcement.

Adjutant General Harris, acting on orders of Governor Hunt, ordered four National Guardsmen and one officer to proceed from Casa Grande, Ariz., to Yuma, with one machine gun. The men are members of Company D, and are under command of Lieut. Jesse B. Hill. Four other guardmen have been ordered to proceed to Yuma from Phoenix.

The Adjutant General said he believed the eight troopers and Lieutenant Hill could handle the situation at Yuma. "If more men are needed they will be made available," he said.

El Centro, Cal.—Officials of Imperial County, California, cut the barriers that held several hundred east-bound autolists penned on the desert blockaded by Arizona's foot and mouth quarantine order, because this blockade was interfering with regular traffic on the El Centro to Yuma, California State highway, according to a statement issued by District Attorney E. R. Utley.

The District Attorney declared he and Sheriff C. L. Gillett gave the order to cut the barriers. Any further interference with Imperial Valley highway traffic will not be tolerated, he said.

Utley explained that inspectors on the California side, about ten miles from Yuma bridge, had been co-operating with Arizona officials to keep back the rush of autolists headed eastward. Unauthorized persons erected the barriers on California soil, which kept the travelers penned in the desert miles from water and food, he declared.

Nearly 175 automobiles have reached the west side of the bridge from Knob. The motorists have declared to Yuma authorities that they are "standing on Government property" while they are on the bridge and are reported to have declined to return to California soil.

The total number of cars in the motorcade was estimated at 700 persons.

The travelers were led through the Federal quarantine district reservation to the bridge by authorities of Imperial County, according to local authorities.

Mrs. W. C. Geirs, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. W. Sandusky, left this week for a visit in Dallas.

There is higher priced Auto Oil, but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

For State Senator:
HARRY TOM KING
of Abilene.

COUNTY OFFICES:
For County Judge:
PERRY T. BROWN
CHARLIE THOMPSON
U. D. WULFJEN.
W. W. PORTER.

For County and District Clerk:
J. LEE JONES
W. S. STONEHAM.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
I. W. TERRY
J. R. SHEPPARD.

For Tax Assessor:
ROY WARREN

For County Attorneys:
R. H. RATLIFF.

For County Treasurer:
OCIE GREEN
(Re-Election)
GRADY NEWMAN

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
SAMUEL C. HARRIS.
MRS. STELLA E. BENNETT
G. D. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner Precinct 1:
TOM GOSS
TOM HAMMONDS

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2. (Westbrook):
J. C. COSTIN.
GEO. W. SWEATT.

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.
L. HAZLEWOOD.
L. H. McCARTY.

For Public Weigher (At Loraine), Precinct No. 4:
OTIS MUNS.

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Williams of Big Spring were in Colorado Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lister Ratliff and other friends.

JAKE'S HOTEL
Rooms-Restaurant
Established 1884

I have fed you for 35 years
now I want you to sleep with
me 35 years. Try my beds. 1st
door north of Barcroft Hotel,
across street from Burns' store
JAKE.

Call me for good coal oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.



I want another Buckeye Colony Brooder

People who already own Buckeye Brooders are our best customers—because they all make big profits. And they put their money into more Buckeyes for still bigger profits. Ask the Buckeye user—he knows. He'll tell you, you can't get Buckeye results with anything but a Buckeye Colony Brooder—whether coal or oil burning. You'll grow three chicks where one grew before, at the lowest running expense—and you'll raise them to maturity and make real money. Come in and see these remarkable brooders today. We have the very size you need.

For Sale By
O. LAMBETH

RAISE EVERY RAISABLE CHICK

Weak Back

Mrs. Mildred Pipkin, of R. F. D. 8, Columbia, Tenn., says: "My experience with Cardui has covered a number of years. Nineteen years ago... I got down with weak back. I was run-down and so weak and nervous I had to stay in bed. I read of

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

and sent for it. I took only one bottle at that time, and it helped me; seemed to strengthen and build me right up. So that is how I first knew of Cardui. After that... when I began to get weak and 'no account', I sent right for Cardui, and it never failed to help me." If you are weak and suffering from womanly ailments, Cardui may be just what you need. Take Cardui. It has helped thousands, and ought to help you. At all druggists' and dealers'. E 27

W. C. MORROW
I have bought out W. C. Bush and now own the best well rig in the west.
NEW SPUDDER MACHINE
if you want a well any kind, any depth see
W. C. MORROW

Take



for the liver

Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

J. A. THOMPSON
TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.
Piano and Household Moving
Our Specialty
Regular Transfer Business
Any Time
I now have a first class warehouse and will do storage of all kinds.
PHONE DAY OR NIGHT

Order a Roast Today

WHATEVER KIND OF A ROAST YOU HAVE IN MIND FOR DINNER TODAY, YOU WILL FIND US ABLE TO SUPPLY IT FROM OUR AMPLE ASSORTMENT OF HIGH QUALITY MEAST.

Phone your order and we will deliver promptly

City Market

PHONE 179

WE DELIVER

Overland CHAMPION

Now Reduced to
\$655
f.o.b. Toledo

World's Lowest Priced Closed Car with Doors Front and Rear. Order Now for Earliest Possible Delivery!

E. H. WINN
Local Agent

LISTEN!

The Colorado Bargain House COLORADO --- TEXAS Great Economy Sale Opens Friday, May 2nd, at 9 A. M.

This Store will be closed all day
Thursday, May 1, to slash prices
FOR THIS GREAT EVENT!



A Real SALE!

TWO FULL WEEKS IN WHICH TO SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS FOR THE SPRING AND SUMMER AT A GREAT SAVING. LIBERAL DISCOUNTS AND SPECIAL PRICES WILL BE FEATURED. WE ONLY MENTION A FEW OF THE MANY ATTRACTIVE ITEMS IN STORE FOR ALL WHO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS OPPORTUNITY. EVERY ONE KNOWS WHEN THIS FIRM ADVERTISES A SALE THAT THERE WILL BE A GENUINE REDUCTION OF REGULAR PRICES AND THAT THERE WILL BE NO JUGGLING OF FIGURES IN ANY MANNER. ALL GOODS ARE MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES SO WHERE THERE IS A DISCOUNT YOU CAN DO YOUR OWN FIGURING. IT IS ONLY THROUGH EXPERT MERCHANDISING THAT ANY ONE CAN OFFER YOU SUCH VALUES AS WE ARE OFFERING YOU FOR THIS SALE. OUR METHOD OF DOING BUSINESS IS TO BE WIDE AWAKE AND KEEP BUYERS ON THE LOOKOUT FOR BARGAINS. IN THIS MANNER WE CAN ALWAYS GIVE YOU THE SAME GRADE MERCHANDISE FOR LESS MONEY.



Just a few HINTS from our Shoe dept

We lead in Style and Quality when it comes to Footwear. In our stock you will find the newest novelties in Ladies Footwear to be found in any of the larger cities. The prices we have placed on these shoes will enable you to get the most distinctive shoes at a great saving. Be on hand early and get first choice.



NEVER BEFORE IN THE HISTORY OF OUR BUSINESS

have we ever placed on sale such a tremendous stock of Ladies, Mens and Childrens Shoes. Our shelves are too crowded. We are realizing that we will soon need room for our fall stock. With these facts before us, we have reduced the prices on our entire shoe stock more than any other sale we have ever undertaken. Our shoe stock is absolutely complete. You can find very near any thing you are looking for, at a far less price than you would pay elsewhere. Every pair of shoes we sell is sold under a bonifide guarantee to give you satisfaction. We carry the well-known lines of Standard makes such as Stacey Adams Shoes for men; Reynolds Shoes for young men; Sweet Sally Lunn Shoes for ladies; Friedman-Shelby Red Goose Shoes for children. All have been greatly marked down regardless of their cost to us. It will pay you to bring in your whole family to be shod during this great sale.

Did you ever stop to think why your child always demands Red Goose Shoes? We can tell you why. Your child knows that they will wear him or her longer and they look much better. This shoe is so well known that whenever a child sees a goose it makes them think of Red Goose Shoes. This will be your best chance to buy Red Goose Shoes at low prices.

**SPECIAL REDUCTIONS ON MILLINERY
SPECIAL REDUCTIONS ON MEN'S WORK
CLOTHING.**

LADIES' HOSE IN BLACK AND BROWN WILL GO DURING THIS SALE AT, PER PAIR 10c
MEN'S SUMMER UNIONS REG. 95c VAL. WILL GO AT 55 CTS.
FOR THE MAN WHO CARES TO DRESS WELL ONE SPECIAL LOT OF \$3.50 VALUE ENGLISH BROADCLOTH SHIRTS GO AT \$2.29

A REAL NICE SILK HOSE IN ALL THE LEADING SHADES WILL GO AT, PER PR ... 85c
IMPORTED FRENCH GINGHAM, 32 IN. WIDE, ALL COLORS, TO GO DURING THIS SALE AT, PER YARD 29 CTS.

LADIES, NOW IS YOUR CHANCE. IMPORTED DOTTED SWISS, BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF COLORS, REGULAR \$1.25 VALUE, AT ONLY 89 CTS.

ALL COLORS TABLE OIL CLOTH WILL GO DURING THIS SALE AT PER YARD **28c**

THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF SALESMEN TO HANDLE THE CROWDS. HURRY!

Colorado Bargain House

GREAT ECONOMY

Opens Friday, May 2

The Most Sensational Sale in the History of

BATHING SUITS

Swimming days will soon be here. So buy your suit early, while you can get your choice of our beautiful line and while you can get them at such remarkably low prices. Beautiful assortment of colors and styles.

To the Sweet Girl Graduate—We have some lovely materials such as Two-tone Taffeta, Cantons, Voiles and Organdies in exquisite and dainty shades for that graduation and baccalaureate dress. You are fortunate that this sale is now on, as you can save many dollars that you did not figure on.

Childrens novelty and pantie Dresses from 2 to 6 years, in good quality fast color Gingham; in checks and solid colors, Peter Pan collars, hand embroidered in various designs at a remarkable reduction.

Dresses for The School Maid from seven to fourteen, in Gingham and Linene, plaids, checks and solid colors, contrasting trimmings and novelty cuffs and collars. A beautiful assortment at a great reduction.

Little fellows wash suits, good quality and fast colors, in solid white, blue and tan, also combination colors, at a BIG Reduction.



**LADIES' LISLE HOSE,
IN BLACK AND COR-
DOVAN, FREE!**

LIMIT TWO PAIRS TO A CUSTOMER. BE HERE ON TIME SATURDAY MORNING AT THE HOUR OF 10 TO 10:30. WE WILL GIVE ONE PAIR OF OUR HIGH GRADE LADIES' LISLE HOSE AT OUR REGULAR PRICE OF FIFTY CENTS A PAIR AND WILL GIVE ONE PAIR FREE!!!!

Down Go Prices

Save Money On Your Purchases
And Start A Bank Account

Ladies don't fail to visit our Ready-to-Wear department during this Great Economy Sale. As we have some wonderful bargains to offer you in Canton Crepes, Satin Back Cantons, and Crepe de Leen, also some beautiful wash satin and flannel dresses for sport wear.

Millinery - Half Price!



MILLINERY. The greatest reduction in hats this season. In all the pretty shades and new patterns. Come early before they are picked over. As they will go during this sale at ONE-HALF price. We have also just received 65 new hats, that will be reduced accordingly. Remember ONE-HALF PRICE.

Embroidered Voiles make lovely summer Dresses. \$1.35 val ...98c
Beautiful patterns in figured Crepes for dresses and blouses, \$1.25 values go at89 cents

Ratines, assorted colors and plaids, new patterns.
\$1.25 Value goes at89c

\$2.25 Value goes at\$1.69

\$1.75 Value goes at\$1.39

Men's Khaki Pants, all sizes, will go during this sale at\$1.49

Just received a shipment of the very latest Umbrellas. All silk and fast colors, in the newest shades and designs. Prices range from \$2.50 to \$10.50.

JUST A WORD FROM THE MANAGEMENT—We wish to state that everything offered on Sale is of the very highest quality and we can guarantee you satisfaction on any thing you may purchase. This sale is not put on to work off old or non-seasonable stock. Anything you select will be worth 100 cents for your dollar. The main thing we want to call your attention to is be here early and reap the benefit of our low prices—L. LANDAU, Manager

Ladies' Suits and



SOFT-SPUN TOWEL

Special Prices on TOWELS

ONE OF OUR GREATEST IS HAVING THE GOOD WILL OF THE BUYING PUBLIC.

Having the good will of the buying public established by this store by tireless toil and ingenuity at all times. Now with the opening of this mammoth sale that comes through every door, offering you the greatest possible value in merchandise that is of quality that is sure, makes this Colorado's master stroke. We urge you to be here at the earliest possible time for the values that this store has this great sale are beyond description. You tell your friends that they, too, should come from this great event—COME.

COME AND BE CONVINCED!

We can not commence to describe in this limited items that are specially priced. These are some of the best. Others are here. Come and be convinced.

Every thing sold at sale price during this sale is subject to our approvals.

44 inch Indian head, every piece stamped to insure will go during this sale at

36 inch Indian Head same as above will go at, per yard

Dainty Nainsook, for lingerie and infants wear, comes in neat packages, 10 yards to the package. This sale for only

Colorado Bargain House

THE PRICE IS

Bargain House Colorado, Texas

ECONOMY SALE

Friday 2nd, 9 o'Clock A.M.

History of Mitchell and Surrounding Counties!

Ladies' Suits and Dresses at Wonderful Prices

Men's Clothing at Greatly Reduced Prices



SOFT-SPUN TOWELS
Special Prices on All TOWELS



Silks Beau Monde

OUR GREATEST ASSETS
LIE IN THE GOOD WILL OF
THE BUYING PUBLIC.

The good will of the buying public has been won by this store by tireless toil in providing values at all times. Now with the launch-ammouth sale that comes right at your door offering you the greatest possible values for the money that is of quality that is safe and this Colorado's master merchandising urges you to be here at the earliest possible moment for the values that this store affords in its sale are beyond description. We want our friends that they, too, may share in this great event—COME.

Our ladies' Ready-to-Wear department is complete, and have in stock, ranging in price from \$7.90 to \$55.00. The price on these Dresses has been reduced accordingly. We can not explain to you in our ad the bargains we are offering you in this department, and would advise that you come and look for yourself. We are sure that we will make it worth while for you to investigate. We have one special lot of Silk Dresses which we will close out at \$5.90. We only have a limited number of these and we reserve the right to limit these purchases to one Dress to a person, in order that we may divide these specials to all our customers. Would advise that you be here promptly at nine o'clock Friday morning.

SUITS, SUITS, SUITS, FOR THE LADIES. Act quick or they will be gone during the first days of our sale. 75 in this lot, in Poirer Twill, Tricotine and Flannels, in all the leading colors, as sand, beige, grey, in checks and in the mannish stripe. These suits formerly sold from \$17.50 to \$35.00, have been divided into four lots and reduced to—

Lot No. 1 at \$13.95; Lot 2 \$16.95; Lot 3 \$19.85; and Lot 4 \$24.50
We have always contended that the Henderson Corset is the best Corset on the market. At this sale you will be given a rare opportunity to get just what you are looking for at a price you are looking for. Once a Henderson Corset always a Henderson Corset customer. Great reductions in prices during this sale.



Nothing has been overlooked in our Clothing department. We have in stock Hart Schaffner & Marx and other standard brands, which we may term the cream of our nation, and you are now in position to buy good clothes at wonderful reductions. Our Economy Sale will give you an opportunity to dress in good clothes as good as the best, for little money. Space does not permit us to quote you prices, so we ask you to come and let the yellow tickets tell the rest. We have one special lot of men's suits which we are going to close out at.....\$9.90 Men's Dress Shirts, all colors, in Madras, Percale and English Broad-cloth. At wonderful reductions, see them and be convinced.

COME AND BE CONVINCED

It is hard to describe in this limited space all the various values that are being offered. These are some of the headliners. Come and be convinced.

The price during this sale is strictly cash and no credit.

Every piece stamped to insure genuine quality, and we guarantee it at 29c. The same as above will go at, per yard 23c. Lingerie and infants wear, lovely quality soft packages, 10 yards to the package, will go during this sale at \$2.39 per pkg.

Remember the
Date
May 2nd

BE HERE FRIDAY MORNING WHEN THE CLOCK STRIKES NINE TILL NINE-THIRTY. WE WILL GIVE 5 YARDS OF EAGLE BRAND GINGHAM FOR ONLY 55c. THIS IS A GOOD GRADE OF GINGHAM IN CHECKS AND PLAIDS, ALL COLORS.

DON'T MISS IT!

Bargain House
THE THING

READ EVERY WORD IN THIS
ADVERTISEMENT

Colorado Bargain House, Colorado, Texas

Great Economy Sale!

STARTS FRIDAY, MAY 2, At 9 A.M.

OUR GREAT ECONOMY SALE OPENS FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 2ND, promptly at 9:00 A. M. in which our entire stock of highest grade merchandise is offered at great sweeping reductions, regardless of cost or value, every piece of goods must move---nothing reserved. It's going to be the greatest and busiest bargain selling event of the season, as we offer you our regular stock of standard brands and makes of the best known brands that you see advertised in all nation-wide magazines and other national papers---all go in this great Economy Sale at, in many instances, less than wholesale cost or replacement prices. Every item sold during this sale must be entirely satisfactory or we will hand your money back as quick as a wink. Now, carefully note a few prices quoted in this circular just to give you an idea what this great saving means to you. COME.



Be Here and
Meet Your Friends

Our Store Will Be Closed All Day Thursday, May 1st, to Prepare and Mark Down Prices for this Event

We Carry the Following Standard Brands:

Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes, Stacey Adams Shoes, Friedman-Shelby Red Goose Shoes, Kerry Kut Underwear, Headlight Work Clothing and many other standard brands too numerous to mention. We offer you nothing but the best, at very lowest prices.

America's Greatest Apron Leader. An attractive lot of Bungalow Aprons, in good quality and fast colors, in various colors and combination, assorted styles, and sizes, will go during this sale at79c

A wonderful value in ladies and misses Nainsook Gowns in white and pink, tailored models, V and round necks, pink, blue and lavender, shirred and hemstitched fronts, \$1.25 values, at a remarkable low price of only89c each

Dainty Envelope Chemises, in novelty striped and checked voiles, peach, blue and lavender, shirred fronts and rosette trimmed, \$1.35 values, will go during this sale at95c

REMEMBER, THIS IS A COLORADO BARGAIN HOUSE SALE. We employ no sale promoters to come and mislead the public through some trick by giving something for nothing. We talk to you in a plain business way. There is more than one reason why we owe you this great sale. One is that you have helped us grow and to show you the appreciation of your patronage, we feel that we should divide with you a part of our earnings. Another reason is that we are after the turn-over of merchandise. In that way, we can place ourselves in position with any mail order house as our buying power in all our stores exceeds a million dollars a year.

The Early Bird Gets The Worm. Mens Sox 4c Per Pair
25 dozen Socks in this lot in all colors, just the thing you want for your work socks, will be placed on a table and sold to the one who comes first as long as they will last at FOUR CENTS a pair, limit 3 pair to a customer.
Apron Checks—We were fortunate to get a good supply of Apron Checks and will sell10 yds for \$1.00
81—90 Seamless Sheets will go during this sale at\$1.39 Each

Special Notice to Out of Town People:

We will pay your railroad fare or gasoline bill at the rate of three cents per mile within a radius of one hundred miles on purchases amounting to Fifty Dollars or more.

GOOD WEIGHT BROWN DOMESTIC, 40 inches wide, short lengths, all you want, as long as will last at EIGHT YARDS FOR\$1.00

Ladies you cannot afford to miss this bargain.
Ladies felt House Shoes in all colors and sizes, if you want to be fitted all you have to do is come early. These beautiful shoes will go at79c per pair

Dotted Percale in good colors, will go at9c per yard
Heavy weight Blue Shirting, just the thing you want for your work shirts, will go at6 yards for 95c
Limit 12 yards to a customer.

Just think, 40 inch wide all new colors Voile will go during this sale at25c per yard
36 inch wide Cretonne will go during this sale at only17 1-2c per yard

ABSOLUTELY NOTHING ESCAPES THE MURDEROUS SWING OF THE AXE. This is the time we give everything in the house the final mark down stroke. Its room we need and must have in order to be able to handle the flow of fall goods which our Mr. Landau will soon start shipping from the Eastern markets, yet it is a long time before we will need any cold weather goods, so now is the time to fill in and complete your wardrobe for the season. Every item in the house with the exception of Stetson Hats, will be marked with a special sale ticket and it will be just as easy for a baby to shop as a grown person. As usual everything offered you during this sale is under our guarantee to give you satisfaction or your money back.

Colorado Bargain House, Colorado, Texas

THE LITTLE THEATRE

OF COLORADO, TEXAS
Presents Three One-Act Plays:
"A FANTASY OF FLOWERS"
"HE SAID AND SHE SAID"
"THE FLORIST SHOP"

MUSIC BY THE JUNIOR BAND
AND THE SYNCOPATED ORCHESTRA

LEGION HUT TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 6TH
8:00 O'CLOCK
BENEFIT AMERICAN LEGION HUT

Plan of the Little Theatre Mrs. H. B. Broaddus
FANTASY OF FLOWERS DEDICATED TO AMERICAN LEGION
Mrs. Guitar.

Queen Clo Miss Terrill
King Clo Miss Hunton
Prince Raymond Jones
Princess and Flower Seller Mary Broaddus
Attendants—Jessie Stell, Laundry Smith, Tommie Smith, Johnnie Chesney.

Herald Lois Warren
Queen of Flowerland Mrs. W. R. Martin
Puck Alice Harriman
Forget-me-not—(Love) Maurine Morris
Trailing Arbutus—(Vanity) Gladys Jones
Patriotism Mrs. Bill Dorn

Our Flag Beatrice Logan
Lillies Elizabeth Terrill
Sallie Miller
Roselle McKinney

Poppies 7th Grade
Bluebonnets 6th Grade

Daisies—(Strength) 5th Grade
Roses—(Beauty) 4th Grade
Butterflies—(Frivolity) 3rd Grade
Violets—(Humility) 1st and 2nd Grades

The Scene—A Garden.
Directed by Mrs. Guitar, assisted by Mrs. Dupree.

HE SAID AND SHE SAID—THOUGHT PLAY

Winifred Hawkridge
Mrs. Haldeman Katie Buchanan
Mr. Felix Haldeman Joe Smoot
Diana Chesbrough Hazel Costin
Mrs. Packard Mrs. L. Smith
The Scene: The Haldeman Living Room.
Directed by Mrs. Simpson assisted by Miss Smith.

FLORIST SHOP—A LIGHT COMEDY

Alice Gerstenberg
Miss Wells, Spinister Mrs. R. H. Ratliff
James Jackson, Bachelor Charles Knobloch
Slovesky, Proprietor Joe Pond
Henry, Clerk Henry Vought
The Scene: Slovesky's Floral Shop.
Directed by Mrs. Simpson assisted by Miss McGill.

STAFF EXECUTIVE BOARD

Miss McGill, Miss Costin, Mr. Earnest, Mrs. Lee Jones, Mrs. J. L. Doss.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES

Posters Mrs. R. H. Ratliff
Publicity Joe Earnest
Tickets Mrs. J. T. Pritchett
Ushers Jack Helton
Wardrobe Miss McMurry
Mrs. Ed. Dupree and Mrs. Frank DuBose

SYNCOPATED ORCHESTRA

Banjo Jack Norris
Drums Boyd Dozier
Piano Joe Earnest
Clarinet Raymond Jones
Saxophone Robert Whipkey

JUNIOR BAND

Director Raymond Jones
Personnel Thirty members—age 8 to 16

WITH THE CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Regular services will be held next Sunday at the First Christian church. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching both morning and evening. Subject for the morning sermon, "Absent When Jesus Came." We would like for every member of the church to be present and hear this message.

We fell down, slightly on our attendance last Sunday. Let's do better next Sunday. We were greatly blessed with the visit of those two fine workers from the Women's Missionary Society on Monday. They met with the Ladies at the home of Mrs. Mitchell in the afternoon and gave two splendid addresses at the church at night. The attendance was disappointing and far below the character of the addresses merited.
J. E. CHASE, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Epworth Leagues, Intermediate 4 p. m. and Senior 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.
Our services were good last Sunday. 246 in Sunday school with 10 new pupils. Let our teachers and class officials be careful in making out reports. There were some not counted last Sunday. We had more than 250 present but the count did not show it and of course we must be governed by the class books.

Dr. J. W. Hunt preached for us Sunday morning and says we have one of the best congregations in the country. We can and must keep the good work going. Hunt travels all over the country and when one speaks thus well of us it should make all of us do our best.

I shall preach on the tenth and last commandment Sunday evening. Our present state of restlessness and its cause and remedy. I want you to hear this one. What ever good you have gotten out of this series of sermons I want to assure you that I have gotten more. Everybody come and make yourselves at home in our services.

J. F. LAWLIS, Pastor.

BAPTIST NOTES.

Another fine day last Sunday with 226 in Sunday school and two fine audiences with five additions to the church. The congregations are growing and the spirit is growing, too. Some of the folks are enjoying the series of sermons on the Second Coming of Christ. We invite you to be with us next Sunday.
M. C. BISHOP, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Last Sunday was a fine day for us in every way. Every member who failed to be in these services missed a great deal. One of the disciples failed to see Jesus one time when he failed to be in a meeting that he ought to have attended. Get in the habit of attending every service at your church thereby honoring your Lord. It is fine for all of us to be in one place in one accord.

Sunday school at 9:45, a. m., J. M. Thomas, superintendent. Classes for all ages. "What kind of a church would our church be, if every member were just like me?"

What kind would it be
Sunday school and preaching at Horns Chapel Sunday afternoon.
W. M. ELLIOTT, Pastor.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Roy E. Cogdell, our Boy Preacher, of Abilene, will preach at the Church Sunday at 8:00 o'clock. It is a treat to hear this young boy and you are invited to come and enjoy the services.

Epworth League Program.

For Sunday, May 4th.
Subject—All At It.
Leader—Jessie Stell.

Opening songs, 16 and 126.
Scripture lesson—Acts. 6:1-6;
Romans 12:4-8.

Prayer.
Teamwork—Millard Smith.
Reading—Miss O'neal
The Sacrifice Hit—Mr. Burke.
Solo—Miss Burke.
Keeping in Trim—Gordon King.
Discussion.
Closing song.
Benediction.

Senior B. Y. P. U. Program.
Sunday, May 4th.
Subject—Why should I read my Bible?

Song.
Prayer.
Song.
Business.
Bible leader's drill.
Leader—Dale Hall.
Introduction by leader.

1. Our guide book and our guide—Byron Lindsey.
2. The book unfolds Jehovah's mind—Laundry Smith.

3. Be like the bereans—Beatrice Logan.
4. The bible, a book of wisdom—Mildred Cook.
Special music.

5. In times of temptation—Lester Lindsey.
6. Attaining Christian culture—James Logan.

7. Rich rewards of bible reading—Delma Bishop.

BAPTIST SCHOOLS

DALLAS, May 1.—There are sixteen schools in Texas under the control of the Baptist General Convention of Texas including the professional schools of the State, having a total property valuation and endowment of \$9,466,742.18. Dr. F. S. Groner, general secretary of the executive board of the convention reports. Of this amount approximately \$1,250,000 is endowment. The schools have doubled their property values since the opening of the Baptist 75-Million Campaign in 1919. At that time the property of the schools was valued at \$4,022,579.48 with endowment totaling \$931,000.

There are twelve schools in Texas under Baptist control at the beginning of the campaign, including the schools of medicine and dentistry of Baylor University located in Dallas. Since that time the schools of pharmacy and nursing have been established under the direction of Baylor University.

There are over 8,000 students enrolled in the Baptist schools of this State this year while at the outset of the campaign the denominational institutions registered 6,200 students. The number of ministerial students in Texas Baptist schools in 1924 is 623 and in 1919 the number was 416. There are 606 volunteers for special service in addition to the ministerial students this year, including a large number of those who plan to enter service in foreign fields. In 1919, 195 persons were preparing for foreign service. The faculties of the schools are composed of a total of approximately 317 persons while five years ago the number was 216.

AT REST

Death entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Pinson and took their darling little boy, John Henry, age 7 years, the 26th of April. Oh, how sad, he was only ill 3 days, but Oh, what consolation to know and feel he is with our savior who doeth all things for the best. At the tender age he was he talked about Jesus and the angels. A short while before his little life went back to the one who gave it, he looked up at the motto on the wall of the little angels and Jesus and says, "Daddy I'll have little wings and be an angel like that won't I?" That tender, sweet smile he had for everyone so affectionate and kind to all made him dear to us. He is not dead but sleeping. God giveth and God taketh away. May those dear little hands that loved to

Mother's Day

SUNDAY

May 11th



MOTHER'S Day awakens fond memories and sweet sentiments. Prompts the desire to give expression by some token of your love for HER who was ever your counselor and guide. Gladden the heart of MOTHER with a box of



CHOCOLATES
FOR AMERICAN QUEENS

Nothing more appropriate or appreciated than King's Chocolates. These candies are delicious. And they are packed in such beautiful boxes, with decorations which reflect the sentiment of Mother's Day.

Drop in and place your advance orders NOW. Candy sent by Parcel Post to any address.

Colorado Drug Co.



go out and gather wild flowers for mother and daddy and his friends, have the influence in our lives that will lead us on and help us to bear the cross. May God's richest blessings be with that dear father and mother and two little girls and help

them to look to Him who doeth all things well.—One who loved him.

Materials are being assembled for construction of an attractive brick cottage by D. L. Buchanan on the site of his former home, destroyed by fire a few weeks ago.

LOYED WHITE'S DAIRY

Pure, fresh Sweet Milk for sale all the time—Delivered.

All Cows Tubercular Tested

MILK FURNISHED IN ANY QUANTITY ANY TIME

See
LOYED WHITE

New Transfer Business

I wish to announce that I am now operating a Transfer business in Colorado and wish to serve the public as well as the business interests. Hauling of all kinds and Household moving done quickly and very carefully.

Office at Pullman Cafe
Phone 134. Residence Phone 38

VICTOR TERRY

Spalding & Richardson

FEED

All kinds of the best Feed on the Market.



Alfalfa, Prairie Hay, Oats, Bran, Chops, Meal and Hulls, Chicken Feed. We buy our feed in car load lots and sell on the closest possible margin.

PHONE 373

WE DELIVER



\$10,000

Were once offered by citizens of New Orleans for Gen. B. F. Butler's head.

A sweet, young Southern lady tried to raise the reward to \$60,000. Though General Butler felt greatly flattered by these liberal proposals he kept his head till long after the Civil War.

Housekeepers who wish to "keep their heads" and make the best use of them, will keep their tables supplied with

CHASE & SANBORN'S COFFEES AND TEAS, WASHBURN-CROSBY CO.'S GOLD MEDAL FLOUR.

The Public Market

SOLE DISTRIBUTORS

Free Delivery

Phone 295

White Lilly Flour

Highest Patent Flour on the market and every sack guaranteed.

Our pride is new fresh groceries all the time and fresh Vegetables every day.

PRITCHETT GROCERY CO.

OUR NEW LOCATION

McMURRY'S RACKET STORE

is open again in Farmer Building on Walnut Street, with well selected stock of NEW Racket Store Goods.

R. L. McMurry

Phone 284

J. W. Moylette

ONE DAIRYMAN SHOULD TELL ANOTHER.

Why not stick to our policy—to get the BEST possible price for Cream. Direct shipping pays. It's economy—You get better prices—We get better cream.

THINK IT OVER
El Paso Creamery Co.
El Paso, Texas

LOCAL NOTES

H. L. Atkins, Mitchell county farm agent, left Monday afternoon for Benders in response to a message stating his father was seriously ill.

Miss Wells learns that the pedestal on which Mr. Jackson had placed her was only a shelf. See the Florist Shop, Tuesday night.

Charley Shannon left Saturday night for the W. O. W. Hospital at San Antonio. His friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

Phone J. A. Sadler for that Supreme XXX Auto Oil, none better. At all leading garages.

Mr. and Mrs. John Herd and little son are visiting her mother, Mrs. S. T. Shropshire.

NOTICE
You have eat with me for 18 months with pleasure. How about shaving with me 18 months with ease? All barber work guaranteed first class workmanship. Satisfaction is our motto. Shower Bath, hot and cold 30c. Give us a trial. Across the street from post office.—A. L. Baker Barber Shop. Leon Jenkins, Mgr.

Dr. C. L. Root left on Monday night for San Antonio to attend the State Medical association in convention there. While in San Antonio Dr. Root will purchase from Victor X-Ray Corporation of Chicago, who will have all kinds X-Ray exhibits at the medical society meeting, all necessities for bringing his X-Ray laboratory again up to the standard of the best in the state. Dr. Root's X-Ray laboratory suffered about \$3,000 loss by the fire in Dulaney building last week.

Tornado, Wind and Hail Insurance is too cheap for you to be without it. I will write you a \$1000 policy for one year for \$4.00 or for three years for \$10. See, write or phone E. Keathley, Agent. 5-23c

A. B. Blanks, who left two weeks ago to accompany Mrs. Blanks to Rochester, Minn., is expected to return to Colorado Saturday, according to a communication received from Mr. Blanks by Chas. Farris Tuesday. Mrs. Blanks is under treatment at Mayo Brothers hospital at Rochester.

Call for me at the Alamo Hotel and see my bargains in tombstones. I have several dozen satisfied customers and want as many more. Will be glad to show you whether you buy or not.

E. KEATHLEY.

Several Colorado club women and members of the Colorado. Choral club were in Sweetwater Tuesday to attend the opening program of the Parent-Teacher Association convention. The Choral club rendered a program at the First Methodist church. The visitors were entertained at luncheon at the Wright Hotel.

To get a real good straw hat that's right up to the minute just say, "KEITHS"—J. H. Greene & Co.

Rid your poultry of all insects. Call for free sample at O. Lambeth's 5-23

A crew of the Postal Telegraph & Cable Company began work on constructing the company's lines through Colorado Tuesday. Poles are up on either side of the city limits.

For every purpose for which a liniment is usually applied the modern remedy, Liquid Borozone, will do the work more quickly, more thoroughly and more pleasantly. Price 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all leading druggists. 5-31

SPECIAL NOTICE.
To those who are runing a thirty days account with us. On account of our Economy Sale which opens Monday morning we will not send out a collector this month. However, we will have your bills ready and ask you to kindly call for same, and to all those paying between the 1st and tenth of May will be given 5 per cent discount.
Colorado Bargain House.

An attack of heartburn or indigestion calls for a dose of Herbine. It relieves the distress instantly and forces the fermented food into the bowels. You feel better at once. Price 60c. Sold by all leading druggists 6-1

That's what they said. No doubt it's all over town now about Dina and Felix. May 6, Legion Hut.

The bouncing girl, born last week to Mr. and Mrs. Lister Mannering is the most attractive young lady in West Texas, according to the proud father, who has returned to his place at the Colorado Drug Company. "Aunt Minnie" Mannering, grandmother of the young lady, is equally proud of the new arrival.

There is higher priced Auto Oil, but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages.

Maude said that red carnations are the sign of a gink. The Florist Shop, Tuesday night.

Thomas Hurd is the name of a fine young fellow born Wednesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Lister Raliff. Lister will now be prompted to blow first bass in the Colorado Band better than ever, and the elated grandpapa, E. H. Hurd, will attempt to bake even better bread than ever before.

When your breath is bad, appetite poor, and you feel "blue" and discouraged, you need Herbine. One or two doses will set you right. It is a great system purifier. Price, 60c. Sold by all leading druggists 6-31

Fantasy of Flowers by Mrs. J. H. Guitar Tuesday night, Legion Hut.

Mrs. Earnest Pullman, of Windon, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. P. Price.

Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

Beautiful designs in Mother's Day cards at Record office.

FARMER BUILDING IS BEING IMPROVED FOR JONES STORE

A crew of carpenters and decorators are building shelving, newly decorating the interior walls and otherwise improving the Farmer building to be occupied by the Jones Dry Goods Company, which concern will carry one of the largest stocks of dry goods in this city. The management stated Wednesday that the store would be opened within the next few days. Already large shipments of goods, show cases and other equipment have arrived.

The Jones Dry Goods Company entailed a complete loss in the fire which burned the Levy building to the ground a few weeks ago. Only the cash register and a few other articles were saved from the burning building.

CITY TO EXTEND SEWER MAINS NORTH OF 9TH ST.

Sewer pipe is being assembled for an extension of one block of the sewer main between Oak and Walnut streets one block north to serve residents in the 800 and 900 blocks on those streets. The north end of the sewer main between those streets is at present in center of the 800 block, ending at alley in rear of residence of W. S. Cooper.

C. OF C. BOARD TO MEET THURSDAY AT PULLMAN CAFE

The Chamber of Commerce board of directors were scheduled to convene Thursday afternoon at 6:15 o'clock at the Pullman Cafe for the first executive session of the new fiscal year. Election of a vice president and treasurer and the several departmental chairmen was expected to constitute the principle business.

Douglas Burns drove in from Tulsa arriving here at noon Thursday on a visit to his father, F. M. Burns and his two sisters, Lennie and Brookie, before they leave for their homes in Fort Worth and El Paso.

Mrs. Allen Soper was in Dallas and Fort Worth this week.

Sixteen pages this week. Read all the ads.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

That the natural trade territory of your city is a rich section—CULTIVATE IT!

THAT if it is properly cultivated, it will develop much new business for your city.

THAT for your city to be a more live trade center is what you want, and what you must have in order to increase your business.

THAT it is good for a city to have a section which it can claim as its trade territory, and where it can cooperate in an active and helpful way in the development of business for the whole community.

THAT it should be the ambition of every business concern to develop the trade territory is now has and to add to it as much as possible.

THAT the best way to increase business is to advertise. Let the people know WHO YOU ARE; WHERE YOU ARE; and WHAT YOU HAVE. People are always looking for this kind of information, and it is good business to let them have the information they want.

THAT if your business is not up to your ambition, you should start advertising. You must have faith in your business or you wouldn't be in it.

YOU SHOULD BE PROUD OF YOUR BUSINESS AND IF YOU ARE, YOU SHOULD ADVERTISE AND TELL OTHERS.

Democrats to Confer on Stand Relative Full Cash Payment.

Washington.—On the basis of reports that President Coolidge probably would approve the pending insurance bonus bill, some Democratic Senate leaders are considering withholding their support in the measure of a full cash payment option.

Reports of the President's attitude were received through American Legion officials, Democratic Senators with the word that inclusion of a full cash payment option requiring an immediate Government bond issue would endanger the prospects of the bill becoming law.

While Senate Republican leaders expressed the opinion also that the insurance bill had better prospects than a combination insurance and cash measure, it was stated that no word had been received as to the President's attitude.

In his message to Congress, President Coolidge made the brief comment that he favored no bonus bill. Senator Walsh, Massachusetts, a Democratic member of the Finance Committee, who has been drawing up a minority report on the bill with a view to demanding the cash option, said that while many Democrats thought this substitute would be a much better bill, both for veterans and the Government the party did not wish to stand in the way of success of a bonus measure.

COLORADO METHODISTS HELP FINANCE GIRLS DORMITORY

Several hundred dollars were subscribed Saturday and Sunday by Colorado Methodists to a fund now being raised to build the first \$50,000 unit of a new dormitory for girls at McMurry College at Abilene, Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of the college, announced Sunday morning. Hunt filled the local Methodist pulpit Sunday morning and spoke of the needs of the school. He stated that A. J. Herrington had personally given \$500.00 to the fund and that a class of young men in the Sunday school had given an equal amount. Colorado Methodists will be asked to contribute \$2,500 to the fund.

Dr. Hunt left Sunday afternoon for Lorraine where he preached at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

There is higher priced Auto Oil, but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages.

DR. CAMPBELL
of Abilene
Will be in office of Dr. C. L. Root
SUNDAY, MAY 4
when he may be consulted account Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

R. M. WALKER, AGED CITIZEN DIES NEAR CITY WEDNESDAY

R. M. Walker, 83, died Wednesday morning at the home of his son, J. N. Walker of the Seven Wells community. The body was forwarded Wednesday night by J. H. Greene to Greenville for burial.

ALL HIGH GRADE SPRING

Millinery

Goes at
Big Reductions!
Many Fine Quality Hats go at
25 TO 50 PER CENT OFF
All Childrens Hats included in this offering.
Mrs. W. E. Reid
AT BURNS STORE
Buy Here and you will not be Disappointed

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Want Ads Bring Results—One Cent a Word, each issue—50c minimum price. No Classified Ads Charged. It's Cash.

\$10.00 REWARD—Strayed on April 17th, a brown mare mule, 15 hands high. Branded OOO—Bar on left hip. Finder notify L. A. Drake, Rt. 1, Colorado, Texas and receive reward. 1tp

FOR SALE—Good corner residence lots at Bargains.—O. B. PRICE.

POSTED—All lands owned and controlled by undersigned is posted and trespassers are warned to stay out. No hunting, wood hauling, etc. will be permitted. Take warning.—Lead-ers Bros. 1tp

FOR SALE—Lands. One section of tillable land five miles from Westbrook to be sold in quarter sections on easy terms. See Earnest & Earnest Colorado National Bank bldg. 1tc

POSTED—Notice is hereby given that all lands of J. J. Ford are posted according to law and trespassers are warned to stay out. No passing over or under fences or breaking down fences will be tolerated. Violators will be prosecuted. Richard McFarland, Manager. 5-2p

MUTUAL INSURANCE—The best and cheapest life and accident insurance is what you should have. A policy in the Colorado Progressive Mutual is both. See or telephone W. H. Rogers, our Colorado representative.—Mrs. Mable Sligh, Secretary. 9-9c

FOR SALE—Good corner residence lots at Bargains.—O. B. PRICE.

GAINS COUNTY FARM LANDS at reasonable prices and at attractive terms—Very little ready money is required to own a good farm in the South Plains of the Texas Panhandle. Payments for your farm are on about the same basis as paying rent. At Seagraves, Gaines County, Texas, we offer you farm land at prices from \$12.00 to \$20.00 per acre, cash payment down only one dollar per acre, four yearly payments of one dollar per acre and the balance in yearly payments of two dollars per acre with interest at six per cent. This is strictly a general farming country. Abundance of pure water, no boll weevil; and cotton a sure crop. At present prices of cotton it will not take a great many bales to pay for a 160 acre farm in one season. This is your big opportunity. If interested in securing farm and home for yourself and family on very unusual terms, now is the time to act. Address W. A. SORELLE, General Agent, 12 Santa Fe Bldg., Seagraves, Gaines County, Texas, for terms of sale and descriptive folder. 1tp

FOR SALE—Good six-room house and two lots, well and windmill and cistern, east front, a dandy good place at a bargain, worth the money. Also good residence lots on Walnut street for sale, good terms. See or phone 422.—J. H. Parker. 1tp

FOR RENT—I have two or three unfinished rooms for rent. See Bob Porter at Klassy Kleaners. 1tp

WANTED—Married man 34 years old, no children from N. E. Texas, wants permanent job on farm and ranch or either. Am reliable, want with reliable people or none, State full particulars in first letter.—C. WATTS, Big Spring, Texas. 1tp

NOTICE TO BIDDERS—Sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Judge until 2 p. m. June 9, 1924 for one Best 60 Tractor tractor. Bidders shall be required to demonstrate said tractor to the satisfaction of the Commissioners' Court prior to awarding the contract. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.—J. C. HALL, County Judge. 5-23c

BANKRUPT SALE—Under order of Honorable D. M. Oldham, Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy, the trustee will sell assets of W. L. Orr at bankrupt's place of business, Stamford, Texas, May Third, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-four at Eleven o'clock, a. m. Assets consist of high class gents furnishings, invoice value Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars; fixtures invoice value Twenty-five Hundred Dollars; open accounts face value Four Hundred Twenty-five Dollars.—E. L. HARWELL, Receiver Abilene, Texas. 1tp

LOST OR STRAYED—A pair of three year old matched ponies, a horse and mare, black, blaze face, three white feet, branded, left the parsonage First Christian church, Colorado, a week ago. Reward—Rev. J. E. Chase. 1tp

TAKEN UP—One gray horse with shaved tail and one brownish mare mule in the J. M. Shultz pasture, on the C. M. Adams farm, Cuthbert road. Come and get them. 1tp

FOUND—A bunch of keys at this office. 1tp

Polo Cloth Coat in Semi-Sports Style



Fine gray polo cloth makes this handsome spring coat which may be classed as a semi-sports model, available for all usual wear and for sports as well. Note the unique collar and graceful sleeves. It is a straight-line affair with side fastening, bearing all the hallmarks of the new season.

We have a complete assortment of cool, light weight Summer materials, such as—

- Dotted Swiss Voiles
- Printed Crepes, Both in Cotton and Silk
- Hand Drawn Crepes
- Printed Voiles
- Fast Color Suitings (Summer Weight)

And many, many other materials that will work up into a light, airy Summer frock. We also have a large stock of laces for summer trimming.

F. M. BURNS DRY GOODS CO.

The House of Kuppenheimer Good Clothes

IT PAYS TO PAY CASH.

WE HAVE A WONDERFUL SHOWING OF

New Spring & Summer Coats, Suits & Silk Dresses

WE HANDLE ONLY THE BEST NATIONALLY ADVERTISED GOODS

Printed Silks Serve the Cause of Blouses



To see the lovely new blouses of printed silk is to want one. The blouse pictured shows how simply they are made; it is a slip-over model piped with plain crepe and trimmed with a band of the same and pendant balls.