

### CONSTRUCTION WORK ON COUNTRY CLUB BEGINS

#### Attractive Resort Home Will Cost \$12,500, Architect W. W. Whipkey Says

F. J. Strong, of Colorado was awarded general contract to erect the club building when bids were opened by the board of directors and building committee of the Colorado Country Club Friday. Contract was given Mr. Strong on his bid of \$8,891, lowest bid received. Contract with Strong specifies erection of the building alone and heating, plumbing and furnishing contracts remain to be let. W. W. Whipkey, architect, estimates that the building, equipped, will cost the club \$12,500.00.

Bids received by the committee were announced by Whipkey as follows:

W. L. Ashby, \$8,965.00; F. H. Strong, \$8,891.00; Churchill-Humphrey Company, \$9,061.75; A. J. Nolan \$9,100.00; F. C. Cochran, \$9,595.19; J. M. Morgan Construction Company \$9,728.00 and J. E. Pond \$9,780.85.

The building, to be forty by eighty feet in size, is to be only one story. It is to be of concrete and stucco construction. Architecture is of the Spanish Mission type. The building will contain large living or assembly room, dining room, showers and lockers for ladies and gentlemen, kitchen, keepers quarters, store room and closets. A terraced porch, 10x40 feet will be erected across front of the building and a screened porch of the same dimensions will be built on the rear. A large cobbler stone open fire place will be included in the interior plans.

Whipkey stated that high line would be constructed from the West Texas Electric Company high voltage lines east of Colorado to the country club property. A private sewage system will be built on the property.

Furnishing for the new resort home have not been purchased. It is planned by the club membership to make of the place one of the most attractive country club homes in West Texas.

### Spade Section in Need of Rain, Ranch Manager Says

Farmers and cattlemen of the Spade section are needing rain, O. F. Jones, manager of the Spade ranch, reported while in Colorado Saturday. Mr. Jones said that the rains of last week which covered much of the county were nothing more than light showers in the south end of the county.

Cattle continue fat and the range is in excellent shape, Jones stated. Grass was beginning to burn to some degree from effects of the continued heat, but the cattlemen anticipated no telling results for the worse. As a whole the cattle industry was rarely in better shape the county over.

### Former Indian Commissioner Will Speak Here for Moody

Hon. Cato Sells of Fort Worth, formerly U. S. Commissioner of Indian Affairs under the Wilson administration, will deliver an address here Thursday afternoon, July 22, in interest of the candidacy of Dan Moody, according to information received here Wednesday from Fort Worth.

Cato Sells has been a conspicuous figure in political affairs of the Southwest for a number of years. He is an able speaker. Arrangements for the address will be made by the local Moody for Governor club of which Thos. R. Smith is president.

The Junior Christian Aid met Monday with Mrs. J. B. Pritchett, Mrs. Wyatt conducted the devotional. Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Lee gave talks on the plan of work for the future and the needs to be met. There were eight members present. The hostess served sandwiches, olives and tea. Miss Allen was a guest.

### VISITING LIONS TO BE GIVEN BIG RECEPTION HERE THIS AFTERNOON

Colorado Lions will turn out in a body to welcome the special train carrying delegates to the Lions International convention, when the train arrives in Colorado Friday afternoon. Headed by the Colorado Chamber of Commerce band, members of the local den will welcome the visitors to this city.

T. W. Stonerod, president of the local club, announced Friday that time of arrival of the special had not been definitely announced. This information will be given at the luncheon meeting today. The train, carrying Lions from over Texas to the convention in Los Angeles, is scheduled to make a fifteen minute stop here.

All members of the Colorado club have been directed to wear fezes for this occasion. The visitors will be trained and are to be welcomed to this city in an address delivered by a member of the local club, identity of whom has not been disclosed.

### Left Hand Turns Banned at Corner of Walnut and 2nd.

As the means of controlling vehicular traffic at Second and Walnut streets, the police department has placed a ban on left hand turns at this corner, the new rule to be in effect Saturdays only, at least for the present. The traffic in the business district has steadily increased to such volume as to demand traffic regulation to safeguard the public.

City Manager L. A. Costin announced Saturday that the new rule of the department was merely an experiment. "The city will probably extend this order to affect two other busy corners in the business district," Costin said. "For the present the rule is to be operative on Saturdays only, but it is considered only a matter of time until it will have to be made permanent."

Motor car traffic in Colorado Saturday was not as heavy as is the usual case. This was explained in the fact that many farmers were busy in their crops and did not come to town during the day.

A traffic cop was stationed at Second and Walnut throughout most of the day Saturday, directing motorists.

### Bridge on New Hope Road Goes Out Under Big Truck

The old wooden bridge spanning ravine one-half mile east of the Smartt lease north of Westbrook, gave way under one of the California Company's trucks Friday afternoon, catapulting the machine into the ravine. The driver escaped injury but it was believed considerable damage was done to the truck.

The bridge is on the New Hope road, connecting that community with Colorado and Westbrook. Owing to the fact employees in the Westbrook field use this road in traveling to and from work, it is one of the most important thoroughfares in the county.

County Judge Chas. C. Thompson stated early Saturday morning that he expected to have the bridge rebuilt and the highway opened for traffic without delay. Judge Thompson drove out to the place soon after learning that the bridge had gone down.

### Oley Lipps, Local Citizen Dies in Colorado Sunday

Oley Lipps, 49, carpenter, died at his residence in Colorado Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Deceased had been in poor health several months but his condition did not become serious until a few days before he died.

Members of Colorado Carpenters Union suspended work throughout the city Monday morning and attended funeral services in a body. The services were conducted at the Church of Christ with Elder J. D. Harvey presiding. Burial followed in I. O. O. F. cemetery.

### 200 CITIZENS EXPECTED TO ATTEND C. OF C. MEET

#### Banquet July 22nd Promises To Be Largest Ever To Be Held in City.

Enthusiastic citizens of Colorado and adjacent countryside who will attend the annual chamber of commerce banquet at the Barcroft Hotel Thursday evening of next week are expected to crowd the basement dining room to capacity, those directing plans for the annual meeting state. In addition to the representative number of citizens expected to attend from Colorado, a large number of farmers and cattlemen, as well as those representing oil interests, are expected from the country.

"Indications point to the best annual business meeting this organization has ever held," a statement made by an official of the chamber of commerce Thursday afternoon declared. "The people of Colorado have always manifested keen interest in their chamber of commerce and it is very evident that this rule is to be not only maintained but rather enlarged upon when we gather for the banquet next Thursday night."

Prof. A. C. Hewett, director of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce band, has promised to furnish a musical program. Prominent speakers are to be here for addresses. A president and 12 directors for the ensuing year will be chosen.

The invitation to attend this banquet is cordially extended every citizen of the county who is interested. There is no charge and no obligation. The only thing to do is merely make reservation with the secretary.

### Adoption of General Stock Law is Sought by Citizens

Adoption of the general stock law is sought by a number of farmers residing in that territory north of the Texas & Pacific railway and east of Highway No. 10, embracing approximately one-tenth of the county area. Petition calling for election to vote on adoption of the law in that district has been filed with commissioners court and this body ordered the election several days.

The special election, which will be held Saturday, July 24, will be held at the Valley View, Lone Star and Longfellow school houses. If the measure is adopted it will mean creation of a district embracing the most densely populated farming belt of the county in which stock will be restricted from running at large. Supporters of the measure believe voters will authorize its adoption.

Voters of the Fairview school district, several miles northwest from Colorado, adopted provisions of the general stock law last year.

### Pioneer Cattleman of Coke County Buried Wednesday

Judge H. L. Adams, pioneer cattleman of Coke county died at Brownwood Tuesday and the body was buried at his old home, Robert Lee, Wednesday afternoon. Adams was among the early cattlemen of this part of Texas and was well known among the settlers in Mitchell county. For several years he was county judge of Coke county.

Information of his death was received here in a message to Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McKenzie, close friends of the family. Mrs. Adams, who died a few years ago, was a half sister of Mrs. Edd S. Jones of Colorado.

### Auditor's Report and Tax Rolls for 1926 Accepted

Auditor's report of books of city officials and tax rolls for 1926 as submitted by City Manager L. A. Costin were accepted by the city night. Report of the auditor shown in regular session Monday and records of city officials to be in good condition.

### TEACHERS EMPLOYED BY THE RURAL SCHOOLS BEST IN YEARS, REPORT

Teachers employed to teach the twenty-five rural or common schools of Mitchell county another year represent the best teaching force ever associated with the schools, G. D. Foster, superintendent of public instruction, declared Saturday. Foster stated that every one of the school districts had employed teachers for next year.

Many of the school districts are adding another class room, employing an extra teacher or making other additions or improvements during the summer vacation period and will open the 1926-27 term as the best system of rural public schools ever claimed by this county, the superintendent continued.

With addition of Sulphur school district to jurisdiction of this county, the number of rural school districts is increased to twenty-five.

### "Some Corn," But Crop is Computed by The Bushel

W. J. Adams, manager of the R. P. Price irrigated farm, 15 miles south of Colorado on the Colorado river, is again demonstrating that irrigation pays and pays in a big way in Mitchell county. A sample of the Indian corn crop now maturing on this farm was left at the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday morning. It would be difficult to discount this corn anywhere.

The Price farm which has only been under irrigation a few years, is setting pace for a new era in agriculture in this section of Texas. At nominal expense water from the river are being utilized to irrigate more than 200 acres of valley land and the crops harvested every year are phenomenal.

### Two Youths Facing Terms in Reformatory at Gatesville

Marvin Ruple of Little Rock and George Williams of Oklahoma City, beardless youths, were placed under arrest early Tuesday morning by night patrolman Homer Key on charges of attempted burglary. The officer surprised the boys as they were breaking into the J. Riordan & Company store at 4:30 Tuesday morning. They had cut the screen from a rear window and had the window glass almost ready to lift from its place when Key accosted them.

County Judge Chas. Thompson stated Wednesday morning that the boys were evidently about sixteen years of age and would be tried in the juvenile court.

Nolan county officials were here Tuesday to check up on the boys. A store at Blackwell was burglarized several hours before the attempted burglary was staged here and it was suspected that Ruple and Williams might know something about the Blackwell job.

### W. O. W. Purchase \$125,000 Colorado Dist. School Bonds

Purchase of \$125,000 of the bonds issued a few months ago by the Colorado Independent school district by the Woodmen of the World, fraternal organization with headquarters at Omaha, Neb., is announced in a communication received from W. A. Fraser, head of the order.

The issue of \$150,000 was sold a few months ago by the school board to Kansas City brokers. The bonds brought par, accrued interest and premium of several hundred dollars.

### Mrs. Dixon Entertains

Mrs. Ross D. Dixon was host at a theatre party Wednesday evening honoring Miss Viola Thomas of Throckmorton, guest of Miss Eleanor Thomas, and Messrs. Slagel of Ohio, who are visiting relatives here. After visiting the theatre Mrs. Dixon the Misses Thomas and Messrs. Slagel motored to the beautiful new home of Mr. and Mrs. Dixon where dancing was enjoyed.

### CLUB WOMEN WILL FOSTER EXHIBIT AT ABILENE FAIR

#### County Home Demonstration Agent Enthused Over Interest Shown.

Mitchell county club women, members of home demonstration clubs working under supervision of the county home demonstration agent, Miss Ives Belle Jones, are to carry a creditable farm and garden exhibit to the West Texas Fair at Abilene this Fall. Miss Jones announced Thursday morning. Miss Jones declared that both women and girls throughout the county were keenly interested in the program fostered to exhibit their products at this fair.

In speaking of the importance to be attached to these exhibits the agent recalled that Mitchell county club women furnished an exhibit at the Abilene fair some three or four years ago, soon after Miss Lucwell came here as county home demonstration agent.

"This was the first attempt ever made by this county to compete for prizes in this kind of a contest, and the fact that this county won third place over a number of West Texas counties was a commendable record, she declared. "Now we have more club members than ever before. Our women and girls were never as proficient in the arts of producing prize winning products as they are today, and our farm and garden vegetables and fruit products are better than in the average. This all means that we shall expect to do credit to this county in the exhibit to be carried to Abilene."

Scores of women and girls are preparing fancy pack vegetables and fruits for this exhibit now, Miss Jones stated. Friendly rivalry has developed among several of the clubs each vying with others to produce a better type of show product. This condition assures an exhibit at Abilene of which the entire county may well be proud.

### Alamo Hotel Building to Be Remodeled by Keathley

E. Keathley, owner and manager of the Alamo hotel, three story building on Oak street, is having the building completely remodeled on the exterior. West wall of the building was rebuilt from the ground up. The front is to be remodeled and concrete porches for both the second and third floors built. Exterior of the building is being finished in stucco.

### Mrs. Hays Dies Suddenly While Traveling on Train

Mrs. Lucy Elizabeth Hays, 55, mother of Mrs. Jule Henderson of Seven Wells and Mrs. C. C. Pritchett of Best, died suddenly Monday morning while traveling on a passenger train near Albuquerque, New Mexico. In company with Mrs. Jule Henderson, Mrs. Hays was returning to her home here after spending a visit with relatives in California and Arizona.

Mrs. Hays and her daughter were occupying a seat together in the Pullman and Mrs. Hays remarked that she was beginning to feel chilled. As she reached for a wrap she collapsed and died instantly. The body was removed from the train at Albuquerque and later forwarded to Colorado. Mr. Henderson and Mrs. Pritchett met Mrs. Henderson and the body at El Paso.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of W. J. Pritchett in Colorado, with Rev. M. C. Bishop pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. Burial followed in the Lorraine cemetery. Mrs. Hays' husband died seventeen years ago.

Miss Pauline Pritchett after about two months illness is again back at her regular place, head saleslady in the piece goods department at Burns Dry Goods Co. Store. Miss Pauline says it's no fun being sick as some of her associates seemed to think.

### NEW BOARD FOR LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SHIPPED FROM FACTORY

The Southwestern Bell Telephone Company will soon begin the work of installing the new common battery switch board at the Colorado exchange, according to information received at the chamber of commerce Thursday morning. The board has been shipped from the factory and should arrive here within the next few days.

N. H. Moore of Abilene, district manager for the telephone company, spent several days of this week in Colorado directing work of the company in its expansion program here. Moore stated that during the past year the entire system has been rebuilt and placed in better condition than ever before. Much new cable has been strung, replacing the old iron wires.

The company will give this improved service to the Colorado patrons at the earliest possible date, according to Moore. Owing to phenomenal development throughout the Southwest, many towns and cities almost doubling in population annually, the company has been unable to keep up its telephone construction with demand. In Abilene, alone, Mr. Moore states, there is one large residence addition in which the company has not been able to afford telephone service at all.

The chamber of commerce, Lions club and other organizations of the city have sought improved telephone service in Colorado for several months. In February of last year officials of the telephone company agreed to install a modern system, including common battery exchange, at a cost of not less than \$40,000.

### Fort Worth Interests to Drill Semi-Wildcat Test

Frank P. Zoch and associates of Fort Worth are moving in material for a semi-wildcat of unusual interest, just north of the Westbrook field this county. The interest is due to the geological work done before location of this test, and the fact that a number of major companies which have not "played" this field have taken protection on the test. The location is in the center of the southwest quarter of section 33B, H. & T. C. Railway survey, slightly east of north from the field, and about four miles distant. There is a small production to the west. The location was made on the basis of subsurface geology, trend and belief that wells drilled in the area indicate increasing porosity toward this location from at least two directions. George B. McCamey of Fort Worth has the drilling contract on this test.

### Wife of Prominent Buford Citizen Dies Late Tuesday

Mrs. A. D. Powell, 55, wife of A. D. Powell, prominent citizen of the Buford section, died suddenly Tuesday and the body was buried in L. O. O. F. cemetery at Colorado Wednesday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted at the family residence at Buford by Rev. Johnson.

### MARRIED

Miss Elizabeth Sorrels and Mr. R. A. Moore were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage, July 5, Rev. Lawlis officiating. The ceremony was performed in the presence of only a few intimate friends.

Mrs. Moore is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sorrels, Colorado, and for some time has been employed as chief operator at the Bell Telephone office.

Mr. Moore is the son of Mr. S. H. Moore of Colorado. Both have a host of friends who wish them happiness in their journey through life.

WASHINGTON.—A cotton crop of 15,635,000 equivalent 500 pound bales this year is indicated by a condition of 75.4 per cent of a normal June 25 on the 48,898,000 acres then in cultivation, the department of agriculture today announced.—The above is the government's first guess.

### OTIS CHALK FIELD RECEIVES ATTENTION MANY OIL MEN

#### Five Locations in Sensational Shallow Field is Record For Past Week.

Development in the shallow belt at Otischalk, registered the most phenomenal gain during the past week of any field in the Colorado territory, with two completions and location for five new tests. A total of eleven strong companies are now identified with development in this area, all of whom plan active drilling campaigns on the properties controlled by them.

Wednesday afternoon a staff representative of The Record visited Otischalk and found considerable activity throughout the newly discovered shallow field. At two locations the pug designating where wells are to be drilled had recently been driven, crews at two other locations were rigging up to spud and at the fifth location the rig was under construction. Chalk One of Lockhart & Carey was being drilled in.

New locations announced in this field include Chalk 1-A of Lockhart & Carey, in section 95, block 29, three-fourths of a mile northeast from Owen & Sloan Chalk No. 1, discovery well and Magnolia Petroleum Company's Chalk No. 2, in section 114, block 39, 660 feet south of their Chalk No. 1, completed as a consistent producer last week and extending the field one fourth mile to the south.

Marland Oil is building rig on location for their Chalk No. 2, 460 feet south of their Chalk One in section 112, block 29. Ben Case, representing a San Angelo syndicate, is rigging up at location in section 111, block 29 of the Dora Roberts survey. Lockhart & Carey are rigging up at their Dora Roberts One in section 97, block 29.

At Bob Scott One of Lockhart & Carey the crew is underreaming 10-inch casing at 750 feet. This test is in section 86, block 29, two miles north of the discovery well. Chalk One of this company, offsetting the discovery well to the east, is the newest producer completed in the field. Crew was drilling this well in Wednesday night.

At the Deep Rock well, two and one half miles northeast from the shallow field the crew is cleaning out following a nitro shot a few days ago. This well continues to give promise of a consistent commercial producer. The well is being cleaned out from around 2,700 feet.

There are between forty and fifty men regularly employed in this field now. Most of whom are making their home at Otischalk, new town to spring up on the lease. In the town is a hotel, cafe, general store, filling station and rooming house, in addition to the several private camp houses erected for use of employees and their families.

Work on pipe line connecting the field with the Magnolia camp at Intan is being prosecuted. Much of the line is in place and should be taking crude at an early date.

Oil scouts representing a number of the larger companies are frantically hunting for more oil in this area. These men state that the Chalk area looks better to them than any oil sector in this part of the State, owing to the shallow depth at which production is found and general belief that a field of large size is to be developed there.

### Minister J. D. Harvey Holds Series Meetings in Jones Co.

Elder J. D. Harvey, minister of the Colorado Church of Christ, left this afternoon for Union, a few miles south of Anson, where he is to conduct a revival meeting of two weeks or more. He arrived home late Sunday night for a brief rest and visit with his family, following several weeks of work in meetings in Taylor and other counties in that section of the State. His last meeting was held at View, Taylor county.



Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels of Maria are here to visit her father, Judge A. J. Cox and other relatives.

# PALACE THEATRE

FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
July 16th and 17th

## "Prairie Pirate"

Starring Harry Carey. A hot western, lots of thrills and action. Harry's westerns are all first class.

Also a good comedy.

MONDAY & TUESDAY  
July 19th and 20th

## Brown of Harvard

Starring Jack Pickford, Mary Brian, Mary Alden and William Haines. This picture is absolutely a knockout. We guarantee it to be an A-1 picture, and to please all. You will want to stand up and cheer its picture that makes you live in it. It is one of the greatest football pictures ever made, with the best foot ball scenes ever screened. Only two days to miss it. Only two days come early. Its a Metro special with a special cast.

Also a good Pathe Comedy.

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY  
July 21st and 22nd

## 'Rain Maker'

With William Collier, Jr., Ernest Torrence and Georgia Hale. This is a brand new Paramount picture and is said to be very extraordinary and entertaining. William Collier, Jr. does some very fine acting in this picture.

Also Pathe News and Fables.

# SOCIETY

**Birthday Party**  
Saturday was Alice Harryman's twelfth birthday and she invited a number of her little friends in to spend the evening with her. The party began at seven. Punch was served as the youngsters gathered. Games were played, the gifts in honor of the occasion were admired. At the close of the evening the birthday cake with its twelve lighted candles was cut and served with ice cream cones, a delightful finish for a delightful affair.

**Morning German**  
Friday morning from two until five a. m., Miss Lena Smith Mann entertained a group of her friends with a morning German. Music was furnished by the Negro Orchestra and the crowd of gay young people had a most delightful time. Mrs. Mann served a delicious breakfast thus furnishing an acceptable close to a lovely party.

**Methodist Home Department**  
The Home Department of the Missionary Society met Monday with Mrs. Roy Dozier, in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. Merritt presided. Roll call was political news. The usual business was transacted. Mrs. Cook was received as a new member. Mrs. Pierce of Burleson and Mrs. Whitten were guests. The hostess served pineapple, salad, crackers, tea and cake. During the social hour an interesting discussion on summer trips and assemblies was given. Mrs. Walter King will be hostess in August.

**Young Folks Entertained**  
Mrs. J. B. Mills entertained in a very delightful manner Monday afternoon honoring her niece, Lillian Thomas Millsaps of Hamlin. The White swimming pool was engaged, ten boys and ten girls invited, after the swim and all the fun at the pool, the crowd returned to Mrs. Mill's where a lovely supper was served. Then 42 was played until a late hour. Nothing these young people have been invited to this summer has been more pleasant than this delightful party.

**Baptist Missionary Meeting**  
The Baptist Missionary Society met Monday at the church with Mrs.

Way and Mrs. Slaton as leaders. Mrs. C. R. Pains presided. The program was upon Nigeria, and a full discussion of the missionaries on the field was brought out.

# MISSION THEATRE

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Afternoon, July 17th and 17th

## 'Rustlers Ranch'

With Art Accord. A typical western picture. Comedy "Bear Cats."

SATURDAY NIGHT

An entire change of program. A good western and comedy.

MONDAY & TUESDAY

July 19th and 20th

## 'Compormised'

Starring beautiful Irene Rich and others. This is a good picture with a good cast and good acting.

Comedy "Heavy Swells" and Fox News.

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

July 21st and 22nd

## 'The Man in the Saddle'

Starring Hoot Gibson. Here's another Hoot special for regular prices. Don't miss this treat. Only two days, come early.

Also a good comedy.

**Mitchell County Federation**  
The county federation met Tuesday on the Arnett lawn as the guest of the Daughters of the King Sunday school class. On arrival punch was served, by Mrs. Walter King, Mrs. Van King, Mrs. Kiker and Mrs. Jeff Dobbs. Mrs. Ed Jones, the president called the meeting to order. A good report on library work was given by the chairman and it was decided to have a picture show benefit to add to the library salary fund. Mrs. Millwee, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. McCall Merritt and Mrs. Ed Jones were named as the committee to select and arrange for the picture. Mrs. L. B. Elliott was made chairman of the phoning.

The treasurer, Mrs. Wadjen resigned and it was voted for Mrs. Ledger Smith the incoming treasurer to take up the duties at once.

The Civic League reported that they were waiting for an opportunity to meet with the Chamber of Commerce and talk park to them. Reported weed cutting going on and that the weeds had been cut on the federation's lot.

P. T. A. reported executive sessions being held at which the plan of work for next year was being worked out. Daughters of the King were glad to report that both the winners in the clothing contest were members of their adopted girls club. Delphians all on a vacation. Hoopsters also resting. Home Makers representative present. Little Theatre 86 report. Lorraine P. T. A. not present. 1921 Study club on their vacation.

W. M. S. Westbrook, no report, 1923 no report. Self Culture having their vacation. Pioneer gave the most wonderful report. The number of chickens raised, butter made, cans of vegetables put up was so great that it was impossible to take it all in.

Miss Jones reported Mrs. Drake, sure cookers and Mrs. Robert Anderson ordered the "Hot" days, that the clothing contest had been held and club baseket contest were now being held, everything being completed up for the A. & M. show, August 2 to 7. The thing she needs is money to send the winner to College Station. Several plans for raising this was advanced and the president assured Miss Jones of the federations help when she got ready to get Mrs. Broadus to some of the spots of her trip to Atlanta. One of the stops at New Orleans and the trip over the city. Entertainment in the Atlanta of which Mrs. M. F. Clougham in Washington to the Texas delegation one senator and other notables there, of the great speakers of the convention, our own Mrs. Berry and Mrs. Pennsylvania. Over and over again she told us how wonderful was Texas until we were almost persuaded that even our government was not the worst in the world.

Mrs. Robert Smith of El Paso spoke for a few minutes on the League of Nations. She urged every interested person to take the magazine gotten out by those in favor of it. Those who subscribe for one year thus become members of the movement. Mrs. Smith is the district chairman and much interested.

Mrs. L. H. Connor of Ft. Worth, the organizer of the Mitchell County Federation happened to be in town enroute for California. It was a joy to have her tell how her dreams had come true in the growth of this work and what it meant to be among old-time friends, and how the Colorado club was a little bit of the home town carried to Ft. Worth.

The hostesses served sandwiches, pickles and tea and while they were doing so their daughters gave a little program. Irene Dora, played, Eva King sang, Maxine Dora, Sybil Kiker and Frances Lawlis gave delightful readings and Mrs. Lockhart played.

Mrs. George Mann joined as an individual member. Mrs. Donnelly of Pecos, Mrs. Robert Smith of El Paso, Mrs. Sherwin, Mrs. Gertine and Mrs. Mann were guests. Mrs. Connor is still counted a member. A sister vote of thanks were given the Daughters of the King for their entertainment. The August meeting is to be in the Legion Hut.

**Family Reunion**  
On Sunday, July 11, a family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. H. R. Rogers at Cuthbert, Texas, honoring her 71 birthday. It was indeed a happy day for this lady to have all of her eight children with her. There were 45 members of the

family present. The forenoon was spent in greeting those who were arriving and in conversing with one another. At noon a picnic lunch was served, sandwiches, salads, country ham, pies, cakes, iced tea, and all the good things that go with these. The lunch was prepared by the daughters and daughter-in-laws. After lunch a swim was enjoyed at the river by the young people, while the older ones looked on. Returning to the house the remainder of the afternoon was spent in taking pictures, playing the victrola and having a real "get-together" among the members.

This is the third annual reunion held by this family and was the largest and best we have had.

Those enjoying this delightful occasion were: Mrs. H. R. Rogers, the mother, Cuthbert, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rogers and family, Big Spring, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Moore and family, Midland, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hendricks, and family, Colorado, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rogers and girls, Colorado, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Rogers and girls, Colorado, Texas; Mrs. N. W. Smart and two children, Baird, Texas; Mr. Howard Rogers and son, Colorado, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Murry Rogers and son, Cuthbert, Texas.

**Auxiliary Meeting**  
Mitchell-Scurry Auxiliary met in Colorado Friday afternoon at four o'clock, the women of Mitchell-Scurry Auxiliary met in the first Baptist church of Colorado to hear Mrs. J. E. Lee, State corresponding secretary and treasurer of Dallas and Mrs. Atwood, district president of Abilene, speak on the work of the Women's Missionary Union. Mrs. Jack Smith presided reading as a scripture lesson the coming of Mary to Christ's tomb. Mrs. Custine led in prayer, then Mrs. Smith introduced the speakers.

Mrs. Atwood paid a high compliment to the Mitchell-Scurry Auxiliary with its ten splendid societies, three young women auxiliaries and one Sunday school. She stressed particularly the great importance of your people's work and told of Miss Vivian York the district worker who is available for places that need her. She told of the needs of the West Texas Sanatorium and asked for boxes of linen and offering of one dollar per member for this. She spoke very touchingly of the Rosa Bell Breckhoff loan fund, urged all to give to this, said a greater fund of Baptist Stewardship than this could claim the women attention. She told of the new department of religious education in Simmons and urged this county to support their school. Spoke of the discipleship and again expressed her pleasure of the work done by the association. She counted the women present. There were four from Snyder, five from Lorraine, twenty Colorado Baptists and a few visitors from other churches.

Mrs. Lee said she was not out to give instructions but to meet the women who are up and going and to get an inspiration from them.

We are just at the beginning of work in the Southern Baptist convention, one the edge of great opportunity, Mrs. Lee said. She sketched briefly the history of the church's pathfinders, Carey, Judson and Rice, in 1845 Southern Baptists sent their first foreign missionaries, now eight hundred missions being ministered to. A great heritage has been received from our missionaries, one that gives the workers courage.

Mrs. Lee had traveled ten thousand miles in her work and found all well along the line of womanhood in Texas. We have found that the same command that sent our brethren out applied to us. We are thinking and studying stewardship, missions, the awakening of women to tithing is going to make a few days among Southern Baptists. We are on an upward road, she said the permanent slogan of the union was "Laborers together with the Lord," and the one for this year was "Seek ye first the Kingdom of God," and the song was "Jesus Shall Reign Wherever the Sun doth His Successive Journeys run."

The seven aims of the union was, first prayer meeting as a filling station; second Bible study; third mission study; fourth Soul winning; fifth enlistment and training; sixth Personal Service and seventh Stewardship. She then conducted a round table, answering the questions asked. In conclusion she said such reports come from Mitchell-Scurry auxiliary it is a great comfort and encouragement to meet you.

Mrs. Guitler sang while Mrs. Terrell played. Refreshments of ice cream and cake was served in the Sunday school room.

What are you doing to help the chamber of commerce? The secretary is only the head of this organization and if you expect him to make

Big Special at  
**PALACE**  
Monday and Tuesday  
July 19th and 20th  
**"BROWN of HARVARD"**

Its a Metro Special and we guarantee it to be one of the best Metro pictures of the year. A special cast including Jack Pickford, Mary Brian, Mary Alden and William Haines. Its the kind of a picture that makes you want to stand up and cheer. Dont fail to see it.



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Wednesday and Thursday--July 21 and 22  
A brand new Paramount picture, said to be very unusual and interesting. No raise in prices.

your town a better place to live in and secure additional enterprises and good things for your town you should lend him your assistance, for a commercial club is only the citizen working together for the betterment of the town and county. So lend him all the assistance possible and see if wonderful things are not accomplished the coming year.

**HOOT GIBSON**  
in **"The MAN IN THE SADDLE"**

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Wed-Thurs-21 and 22  
A HOOT GIBSON SPECIAL FOR REGULAR PRICES  
Dont Miss It.

# SATURDAY

Will be the Biggest Selling Event of any Day Since Our Big Sale Began

The prices we will offer the people will be startling and you will wonder how we can afford to sell such merchandise so cheap. But all summer goods must go. No half way measure in this offer. We'll take our medicine in the matter of price and pass on to you some of the most remarkable values we've ever offered. Like ladies gingham aprons 100 to select from at 65c

15 ladies hats all good styles formerly priced \$3.95 to \$4.95, at \$1.48

54 inch Table Damask 75c values at only 42c

Mens dress shirts at 79c

All silk dresses at less than wholesale cost. Dont miss seeing them. The above items are just a few to let you see how cheap things will be sold here Saturday. Every piece of merchandise throughout each and every department will be marked to sell not to keep. We wish to send a message of thanks to the people for the nice business given us, and to those who have not yet had an opportunity to attend the sale, we invite you to join the crowds and let your dollars do double duty.

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The place where your Dollars have Cents



**FORMER COLORADO CITIZEN BECOMES BIG FINANCIER**

**C. C. McBurnett, San Angelo Capitalist, Lived Here For Several Years.**

There are many former citizens of Colorado who have made good in the banking, commercial, financial, and other fields of the world's activities. To record history of them all would require more space than this publication would be able to devote in months and months. Among these former Colorado citizens is to be included C. C. McBurnett of San Angelo, owner of a string of five modern hotels in West Texas. McBurnett spent his youth in this city and has many warm personal friends here who are proud of the success he has attained.

In a recent edition of the San Angelo Standard, the following interesting story of this man's achievement in the financial world is published:

A blacksmith in his youth, whence he derived the physique that has given him the power to push to success every endeavor he ever has undertaken; next a jeweler, then the operator of the largest string of hotels in West Texas, five hostleries in four cities and towns representing an investment of around \$1,000,000. That, briefly, is the story of the rise of C. C. McBurnett, whose enlarged St. Angelus Hotel here, greatest in the chain, is opening its Italian roof garden Thursday evening with an elaborate dinner dance. This distinctive and complete "top of the town," declared by architects, builders and decorators to be the peer of any in Texas is but another evidence of the progressiveness and enterprise of C. C. McBurnett, whose business operations have been of benefit to every city and town he has entered.

His holdings have been pyramided

from a start with \$1,800, all he had when he entered the jewelry business for himself in San Angelo on Oct. 25, 1909—all except a reputation for square dealing that gave him a good credit. The building of the St. Angelus in the face of a drought, after a standing local hotel committee had failed for years to interest outside capital, stands as the most notable feat in C. C. McBurnett's career as well as the turning point. His parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Henderson of San Angelo, actually financed the construction of the seven-story, 125-room hotel, but Mr. McBurnett had arranged for this with Zeke Doyle of Kansas City when Mr. and Mrs. Henderson decided to enter the venture, and he equipped and furnished the hotel.

Under the contract awarded Jan. 10, 1917 to the Hedrick Construction company of Dallas, the building cost more than the 150,000 local citizens had bargained for when they raised a cash bonus of \$38,700. Ready to serve the public late in October, 1917, the St. Angelus equipped cost \$249,700. Mr. McBurnett heard a lot of criticism about the magnitude of his investment "overstepping himself to make a splash in a cow town that cared nothing for fine accommodations," some said, and one critic cynically reminded him of the old adage about "a fool and his money." Mr. McBurnett had sold his business, his farm and his home and went in debt, "placing all his eggs in one basket" to realize his dream.

But he has seen it fulfilled beyond his expectations. The St. Angelus today is worth probably \$600,000 and is leased by Mr. McBurnett from his mother-in-law, Mr. Henderson, a pioneer cattleman, since has died and his widow and daughter lately have come to live in one of the finest apartments of the new seven-story, 100 room annex. They sold their palatial home in Angelo Heights to an oil man for \$30,000.

This deal typifies the greater development and prosperity that have come to San Angelo and this section of West Texas through oil, a factor that primarily caused the St. Angelus annex to be built and induced C. C. McBurnett early in 1925 to invest \$40,000 in erecting and furnishing a two-story frame hotel of fifty-six

rooms at Best, Reagan county. Best was but a designated switch in the grasswood at the base of a hill when materials for Hotel Best were placed on the ground, but not far away were tall derricks blackened by oil—the tapped resource that has made of Best a thriving town of 1,500 people and McBurnett's hotel a paying proposition.

With the success of the St. Angelus assured, Mr. McBurnett in 1922, acquired control of the Landon hotel, San Angelo's largest hostelry until the St. Angelus was built. He leased the property from S. A. Naylor of Vernon and bought the fixtures from Frank Roberts. In October, 1924, Mr. McBurnett helped organize the Brady Hotel company, which erected at Brady a three-story hotel, a duplicate of the original St. Angelus on a smaller scale, at a cost of \$85,000. The San Angelo loaned it and furnished it at a cost of \$40,000. Later he leased and now operates the Hotel Martin, a four-story hotel of seventy-nine rooms, at Temple.

When the Landon was destroyed by fire on Aug. 20, 1925, Mr. McBurnett suffered a heavier loss in the wiping out of his lease on a valuable property, long the stopping place of ranchmen, than he did materially. He at once interested S. A. Naylor in erecting a larger and more modern, fire-proof hotel of six stories with 125 rooms, containing a theatre, garage and many store spaces. He leased this hotel and will open it sometime in November. This will increase the McBurnett chain of five hotels with a total of 555 rooms and employing over 200 people.

C. C. McBurnett has only one relaxation, golf, and in it, as in business he is a winner. He was the first champion of the West Texas Golf association, previously holding the Oil Belt title, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce trophy of 1924 and the championship of the San Angelo country club. He holds a 74 for eighteen holes.

Mr. McBurnett is only 43 years old. He was born April 17, 1883, in Randolph county, Ala., and moved to West Texas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McBurnett when only six months old. The elder McBurnett acquired four sections of land in Nolan county, his brother obtained four

more, and together they developed good farms. When C. C. McBurnett was three years old, the family moved to Colorado City, and there he spent his boyhood. Those were pioneer days that required unceasing toil and not a few hardships to wrest a living from a country but little developed compared with it today.

It was but natural that C. C. McBurnett early should learn to work and before he was nine years old he held his first job, sticking with it until he was 19. After school hours and during vacations, he wielded a blacksmith hammer and other tools in Bob McBean's shop. In this there was no loss of taste, or sacrifice of family pride, for in those days jobs were scarce, every youth had to do his bit and the blacksmith shop ranked in importance in the town next to wagon yards. C. C. McBurnett knows now that the hard work benefitted him not only physically, but taught him the value of a dollar and started him on the thrift road.

He managed to get through the eighth grade of the Colorado school, his wages increasing finally to \$1.50 a day, as much as he first had earned in a week. On his nineteenth birthday he found he had saved \$417 which enabled him to satisfy his ambition to get out and see some of the world. He wanted to learn the watch making business and went to Fort Worth, having been taught the rudiments of engraving by a man from Peoria, Ill., who had boarded at the McBurnett home in Colorado. He was unable to find a job as apprentice, but finally two Jews in the jewelry business accepted his proposition to work for nothing in order that he might learn the trade. When his savings were exhausted, he was started at a low wage. But even then the job didn't last long.

Mr. McBurnett went to Midlothian substituting or a watchmaker who was on his vacation and waiting on the trade at a drug store fountain. Later he worked for Arthur Everts in Dallas, then was offered and accepted a position with J. P. Majors, jeweler at Colorado. It was while with Majors that Mr. McBurnett answered an advertisement in the Dallas News that changed the whole course of his life. It was from H. D. Leffel, pioneer San Angelo jeweler, for a young man to do his watch and jewelry work under an expert engraver. He reached San Angelo on Dec. 8, 1904, the trip from Colorado that is now made by automobile in a few hours requiring two days by horse-drawn stage. Mr. McBurnett, then 21 years old, went to work at \$35 a month. He remained with Leffel's jewelry for five years, then branched out into business for himself, with \$1,800 capital.

For \$19,998, he bought the stock, fixtures, accounts and good will of the W. E. Heald company, the oldest jewelry house in San Angelo, paying \$9,000 cash (most of it borrowed) and gave an unsecured note for \$2,000. Business was good from the start, so good, in fact, that sixty days later Mr. McBurnett felt financially secure enough to marry. He took as his bride, on Dec. 28, 1909, Miss Mary Henderson, daughter of Sam H. Henderson, wealthy San Angelo cattleman. They have one daughter, Virginia Anne. Mr. Henderson, the next spring for \$20,000 bought the A. J. Baker building on Chadbourne street, then being vacated by the San Angelo Bank & Trust company.

which was going into more pretentious quarters. Mr. McBurnett rented the place from his father-in-law and established in it one of the finest jewelry stores in West Texas. He continued to make money and when he gave up the active management he was in a fair position to take advantage of the larger opportunity that partly presented itself but large-

ly was developed by himself—a big hotel for San Angelo.

Bring your tire repairing to the Lone Wolf station. Quick service—Jens Gage.

T. L. Palfrey who lives at Rising Star spent the week here the guest of his brother, W. A. Palfrey up at the Furniture Exchange.

Charter No. 2801 Reserve Dist. No. 11  
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE  
**THE COLORADO NATIONAL BANK**

AT COLORADO, TEXAS  
At the close of business on June 30, 1926.

RESOURCES	
1. (a) Loans and discounts, including rediscounts	
acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank	\$862,068.49
Total Loans	\$862,068.49
2. Overdrafts, sec'd, none; unsecured, \$4,881.02	4,881.02
4. U. S. Government securities owned:	
(a) Deposited to secure circulation	25,000.00
Total	25,000.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc., owned:	
Banking house, \$51,000.00; furniture and fixtures, \$13,000.00	64,000.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	5,869.69
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	67,204.96
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	123,762.49
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the U. S. (other than included in items 8, 9 and 10)	4,556.99
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	1,866.23
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13	\$130,185.68
(b) Miscellaneous cash items	259.94
18. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,250.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,181,869.04</b>
LIABILITIES	
17. Capital stock paid in	100,000.00
18. Surplus fund	100,000.00
21. (a) Undivided profits	\$1,949.23
21. Circulating notes outstanding	41,949.23
25. Amount due to national banks	25,000.00
24. Amount due to State banks, bankers and trust companies in the U. S. and foreign countries (other than included in items 22 or 23)	48,818.00
28. Cashier's checks outstanding	217.94
Total of items 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28	38,287.37
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
29. Individual deposits subject to check	652,614.76
30. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	10,000.00
31. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	110,981.74
33. Dividends unpaid	8,000.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34	780,996.50
37. Other time deposits	47,100.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, items 35, 36, 37 and 38	47,100.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,181,869.04</b>

State of Texas, County of Mitchell, ss:  
I, Joe H. Smoot, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
(SEAL) JOE H. SMOOT, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1926.  
W. DORN, Notary Public

Correct—Attest:  
P. C. COLEMAN,  
C. M. ADAMS,  
J. M. THOMAS, directors.

Charter No. 5276 Reserve District No. 11  
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE  
**THE CITY NATIONAL BANK**

AT COLORADO, TEXAS  
At the close of business on June 30, 1926.

RESOURCES	
1. (a) Loans and discounts, including rediscounts	
acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank	\$670,507.93
Total Loans	\$670,507.93
2. Overdrafts, sec'd, none; unsecured, \$3,182.05	3,182.05
4. U. S. Government Securities owned:	
(a) Deposited to secure circulation	15,000.00
Total	15,000.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc., owned:	
Banking house, \$16,200.00; furniture and fixtures, \$5,428.60	21,628.60
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	250.00
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	57,064.91
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	245,950.96
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the U. S. (included in items 8, 9 and 10)	9,701.90
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	889.48
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13	255,622.34
(b) Miscellaneous cash items	777.10
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	756.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,036,982.23</b>
LIABILITIES	
17. Capital stock paid in	60,000.00
18. Surplus fund	30,000.00
21. Undivided profits	22,663.29
21. Circulating notes outstanding	15,000.00
25. Amount due to national banks	50,924.71
28. Cashier's checks outstanding	2,232.16
Total of items 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28	53,156.86
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
29. Individual deposits subject to check	580,493.62
30. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	89,800.99
31. State, county, or municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	6,000.00
33. Dividends unpaid	111,668.50
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, items 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34	700,162.18
35. Other time deposits	155,000.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, items 33, 34, 35, and 36	155,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,036,982.23</b>

State of Texas, County of Mitchell, ss:  
I, J. C. Pritchett, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
(SEAL) J. C. PRITCHETT, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1926.  
THOMAS R. SMITH, Notary Public

Correct—Attest:  
C. H. LASKY,  
D. N. ARNETT,  
J. D. WULFJEN, directors.

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Your home will possess added comfort and the charm of an improved interior, if you allow C. P. Burgoon to install a complete bathroom outfit or a modern wash basin or new equipment in your kitchen.

New Plumbing and Fixture store  
**C. P. Burgoon**  
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**Your Motor Needs Lubrication — Not Just "A Quart of Oil!"**

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**Q** Lubrication is the most important care; more cars go to the junk heap because of improper lubrication than all other causes together.

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Local Distributors of Simms Gas and Simms Motor Oils:

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bad spells relieved

"NOTHING can take the place of **Thedford's Black-Draught** with us because we have never found anything so mild and so effective," says Mrs. Hugh Nichols, R. F. D. 4, Princeton, Ky.

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WALL FOR COLORADO FOR LAST NINETEEN YEARS...

Table with columns for months (Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, Jul, Aug, Sep, Oct, Nov, Dec) and years (1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926).

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"LEST WE FORGET"

Programs given for the entertainment and inspiration of the Colorado public during that best beloved of all National holidays, July the Fourth...

"Lest We Forget" was the title of the cantata given at Union Tabernacle Sunday evening July 4th...

Colorado has profited by the inspiration given her people through the medium of those programs...

Mitchell county, with its wealth in natural resources, a development program in both town and rural divisions not surpassed by any county in this part of West Texas...

"Colorado is one of the five ones I have found in Texas," was the statement of C. P. Trotter of Dallas...

RED BLUFF CELEBRATION

The faculty and students of Sul Ross State Teachers College and the citizens of Alpine will be represented in the Pecos Valley Celebration on July 20...

The college will provide a Sul Ross float appropriately decorated for the occasion. All ex-students of the institution present are urged to wear Sul Ross caps and colors...

The occasion for this celebration marks a new era for West Texas. The possibilities of West Texas are just beginning to appeal to investors...

Only a nickle will buy a 3-quart pudding pan at Berman's Variety Store.

MITCHELL COUNTY PROSPERITY

Colorado banks report deposits totaling almost two million dollars, a condition to be accepted as defining continued prosperity throughout the Colorado territory...

This story is not unusual for Colorado and Mitchell county, however. Time has not been during the past six years when our banks did not register a topnotcher in accounting for conditions as were prevalent among the people...

And as to immediate outlook, we have never seen things in quite such an optimistic light. Development of the shallow oil belt at Otisbalk, with ever enlargement of the field at Westbrook and Cuthbert...

"Moody Fighting in Area Jim Calls Own," "Campaign now at Lie Stage Says Lynch," and "Brown Throng Roars as Jim Lashes Dan," says headlines in the papers Thursday...

There is small probability that the cotton flea will endanger the cotton crop in this county, H. L. Atkins, county farm agent, has recently announced following a careful inspection of a number of fields in the county...

A 50,000-bale cotton crop in Mitchell county in 1926. That is the estimate of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce and we will have to admit that organization has been hitting a bull's eye on crop estimates for past years...

The new high school building, under construction in Highland Park, will be a credit to the public of this independent school district.

THE RIGHT WAY

The logical method of combating foreign monopolies is about to be applied in the case of the Franco-German potash monopoly.

The various protests and explanations of the Franco-German syndicate can not wipe out the clear fact that the syndicate is a monopoly.

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PAISANO BAPTIST ASSEMBLY JULY 23

The fifth annual meeting of the Piasano Baptist assembly, in Piasano Pass, fourteen miles east of Marfa and thirteen miles west of Alpine, will be held July 23 to August 7...

This assembly meets annually at this location in the Davis mountains, a mile above sea level. Dr. George W. Truett of Dallas and Dr. I. E. Gates of San Antonio will be the preachers at the assembly.

Don't fail to buy our bargains this week. See them in our windows. Berman's Variety Store.

Mr. and Mrs. White of Jayton are guests of Mrs. White's family, the Kikers.

THINKS MR. FISHBURN WILL HAVE CHANCE TO REMAIN

My old-time friend, Sam A. Fishburn, distresses me when he threatens to leave Texas, but, on the other hand, when he bases his threat on the re-election of the Ferguson, my mind is somewhat relieved.

Only once did I have a serious purpose to leave Texas and that was Aug. 5, 1887, the morning after the prohibition amendment was defeated by a majority of over 92,000.

But I didn't. A season of better judgment intervened and I stayed in my native state. I do not expect to leave Texas until my spirit leaves its tenement of clay and then I expect for my mortal remains to be buried in Texas soil.

Let my friend, Sam Fishburn, bear in mind that even if the Fergusons should by any means be returned to power, Texas remains the greatest State in the Union and in due time will right itself.

J. B. CRANFILL, Dallas.

HUNDRED AND FIFTY YEARS

Glimer Mirror: In less than a month we shall be celebrating the 4th of July, the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence...

Her affliction was great and she suffered almost constantly, but she bore it all so bravely and patiently.

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Present prospects of the 1926 cotton crop are above the average reports received by the county agent from several commercial crop estimates.

According to reports received, rains have been ample in most sections of the cotton growing area to produce a vigorous growth and a normal development.

FOR YOUR HEALTH'S SAKE CONSULT C. H. LANE MASSEUR 13 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

HOW TO HELP YOUR SICKLY CHILDREN

Just read this if you have a child that is thin and weak, is timid or backward.

Here's a good fair offer: Give the little one McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets as directed for 30 days and if he doesn't gain in weight—in strength—in keenness of mind the druggist who supplied you will return your money.

McCoy's has helped tens of thousands of frail, emaciated children to grow strong and sturdy—why won't they help your ailing little one?

You can get 60 McCoy's tablets for 60 cents at Colorado Drug Co., or any druggist anywhere in America and the vitalizing vitamins will help any weak, worn-out man or woman to better health.

OBITUARY

Mrs. A. D. Powell.—The death angel entered the home of Mr. R. Cecil Powell, Tuesday evening, July 13, 1926 and took away his beloved mother, Mrs. Ella Powell who was visiting at his home.

She was married to A. D. Powell God blessed their home with eight children, five sons and three daughters who with their aged father, one sister and many other relatives and friends and two brothers are left to await God's own time for a reunion with her.

She was a member of the Methodist church and always an active attendant at church and Sunday school.

She was a devoted wife and loving mother and true home lover and friend, always ready to help with anything for the upbuilding of the home and community.

Everyone loved her and her death brought grief and sorrow to the entire community.

We will miss her pleasant smiles, the inspiration of her presence and the glorious example of her Christian life. The look upon her face as she lay in death so peaceful, so trustful, so restful and so triumphant that it seemed to tell us she had found that rest for which she had so long labored for and had heard the welcoming summons.

Her affliction was great and she suffered almost constantly, but she bore it all so bravely and patiently.

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Given in water or feed will rid your chicken of all blood sucking lice, mites, fleas, bluebugs, intestinal worms and keep them healthy or money back.—Colorado Drug Co. 7-23p

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WARNING—Take Notice. The Ell-wald lands are posted according to law. Hunting and fishing absolutely not allowed. Better take notice in time. Trespassers are warned to stay out.—O. F. Jones, Manager. 1f

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dent and treasurer of the Southland Life leading the list with \$1,336,000 insurance on his life. J. H. Jones of Houston comes second with \$1,025,000 and John H. Kirby third with \$955,500.

Other cities prominent in the list are El Paso with 15; San Antonio, 11 Fort Worth 5; and Waco, Wichita Falls and Bishop 4 each.

"It was impossible to secure all of the names that have a rightful place in this Texas list of men and women whose lives are insured for \$100,000 or more," says Callaway.

CISCO SANITARIUM

Snyder Man Praises Brown's Drug-less Sanitarium, Cisco, Tex. To whom this may concern:

My little girl had been past walking, talking—could not use her hands and arms for five months, (caused from St. Vitas dance.) Had three different doctors treat her, doing all they could. I took her to Cisco to Dr. Brown and placed her under his treatment. In five weeks I brought her home well, and she is running and playing, talking as good as other children. And what he has done for my child, he can do for yours.—W. E. Young, Box 19, Snyder, Texas.

WANTED

WANTED—I want to buy a good milk cow. Must be a good one or no trade. Phone 9050 or see A. D. Priddy. 1tc

COMPETENT unincumbered middle age lady wants general house work in private home or O. B. nursing in private home. Phone 170. 1tp

MISCELLANEOUS

I LEAVE THIS week on an extended trip to Alabama and will leave my monument work with my son, Roy McCreless, see him for orders or any information wanted about monuments.—E. M. McCreless. 1f

THE FROCK SHOP—We are making beautiful spring coats of any description. Flannel dresses, dance dresses, evening frocks, dinner dresses, sport clothes. Beautiful clothes for children, layettes and trousseaus. Hemstitching, piecing, designing and plaiting, up stairs south east corner of Adams old store, thru C. H. Earnest Bldg., Mrs. W. P. Edwards. 8-6c

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Rabies (Hydrophobia) can be prevented. Have your dog vaccinated. Prevent the spread of this dread disease. Protect the little children. Safeguard human life, save your dog by a single injection, a humane and inexpensive treatment. Consult your Veterinarian. 7-79p

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LOST—One bay mare mule, 5 years old, 15 hands high, branded V on left jaw. Left pasture Tuesday night, June 29th. \$5.00 reward offered for mule or any information leading to recovery of mule. A. L. Maines, Colorado Route 2. 9-16pd

REWARD—German police pup (female) six months old; color silver gray, has wire line brand around fore leg above ankle, when taken June 28th she had on her collar, name, address, tag No. 41, also rabies serum tag. Reward \$25 for her return or information as to where she is. Address P. O. Box 900, Sterling City, Tex. 7-25p

LOST—At Iatan Lake, small leather purse containing canceled check with Cooper & Son signature also \$3.00 in change. Especially value cancelled check. Please return to A. D. Murray, Colorado. 1tp

NURSING WANTED in private home, excellent cook and housekeeper. Would like in home with children. Ask at Record office. 1tp

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**Bridgettes**  
Mrs. Louis Collier was hostess for the Bridgettes Thursday. On entering the members were introduced to the guest line. At the head of this stood the hostess. Next her aunt Mrs. Fry who is her guest. Mrs. Robinson from San Antonio visiting Mrs. Bennett. Mrs. Long, Mrs. Lee Jones, Jr.

and Mrs. McClesky, cousin of Mrs. Jones.  
There were eleven tables of players and a most delightful afternoon was spent. Mrs. J. M. Thomas won high score and Miss Marcella Price followed. A refreshment course of ice cream and cake was served. Mrs. Bradford Landers is the hostess next week.

### It Fools Them

Everyone I met today said they liked my new suit. That's a joke on them, because its an old one I had cleaned and pressed. Pond and Merritt did it. Nuff said.

They clean womens wear equally as well—finest equipment on the South Plains.

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## Opening of New Service Station

The Ed Womack new service station will open up for business on

**Saturday, July 24 Election Day**

A nice souvenir will be given free to the first 200 customers on that day. Get yours and watch what we have to say next week.

**Ed Womack**

### PROMINENT MEN TO VISIT FARMERS

Many of the state's most prominent educators, as well as the nation, are to be on the program of the farmers short course at Lubbock August 2-8, according to an announcement received by county agent here.

Among the many speakers will address the attendants at W. M. W. Splawn, president University of Texas; Dr. T. O. Tilton, president of A. & M. College; Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs, wife of state superintendent of public instruction; Mrs. Florence Field, president of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs; Miss Susan Landreth, director community organization North Carolina Cotton Growers Association and J. G. Halpin, professor of poultry husbandry, University of Wisconsin and regarded as the ablest poultrymen in the States.

In addition to these lectures attendants will have the opportunity of hearing the regular A. & M. college faculty of teachers and will be able to confer with them about various agricultural problems. Reports from the college in that there will be the largest at this farmers' short course has ever attended these meetings. The county agent states that a number of farmers from this county are planning to avail themselves of these unusual advantages that offered to the rural people without cost.

### LUBBOCK READY FOR CHAMBER SECRETARIES

LUBBOCK, July 14.—The number of chamber of commerce secretaries ever gathered in Lubbock is expected here July 22, 24 when the twentieth annual convention of the Texas Commercial Club Association will be held. According to the number of letters of reservation which have been received in the past few weeks by J. H. Ellaw of Ennis, secretary-treasurer of the association and A. B. Lubbock, in charge of arrangements.

Everything is ready for the convention, Davis says. Lubbock half million dollar hotel, which has been under construction since fall, is nearing completion and will be turned over to the secretaries their use during the convention will probably be open for immediately following the convention, according to Manager La Fon.

The secretaries of the entire Plains section will be here according to Davis, to assist in entertaining the visitors to this section and to help show the advantages and resources of this part of the State, and to make their stay as pleasant and interesting as possible.

The leading secretaries in the Chamber of Commerce problem the various parts of Texas, and the discussion of the paper.

### HOUSTON WILL HAVE FOUR STORY HOTEL

DALLAS.—R. S. Sterling, lawyer, capitalist and publisher of Houston Post Dispatch, today announced that he will construct a 400,000 hotel at Texas, San Jacinto and Carolina streets, Houston. The hotel building will be stories in height and will open business in the spring of 1927 and will be known as the Baker and will be operated by the interests of Texas. It will be of the most modern, if not the modern hotel in the south. Hedricks and Cootland of Houston have been chosen as the architect for the structure. With its location the Baker hotel interests operate in Texas 3,650 hotel rooms in buildings costing a total of 600,000 with 2,100 employees will make this company one of the very largest hotel operating concerns in the south. It now operates hotels in Fort Worth, Mineral Wells, Dallas, Houston and Austin and in San Antonio.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our kind friends for help and sympathy during the illness and death of our loved one. May bless each of you in time of trouble.—Miss Katherine Millican, Mrs. Millican, Mrs. T. J. Collin, and Mrs. C. C. Formwalt, and family.

Miss Katie Buchanan, who been spending an extended stay in New York arrived home Wednesday. The Lone Wolf Filling Station. Gas, oil and tire repair. Jess G.

upon the subject and mulling them out hoping that they will be read intelligently that they may thus fulfill the mission whereunto they have been sent. Now whether my efforts will be as pearls cast before swine—trampled under foot or as bread cast upon the waters—found after many days, or as seed sown upon good ground—bringing forth a hundred-fold, remains to be seen.

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LEST WE FORGET
Programs given for the entertainment and inspiration of the Colorado public during that best beloved of all National holidays, July the Fourth, were centered about the traditions of American patriots who have lived and died for the American flag and for liberty since the days of early Colonial times down to the present.

Colorado has profited by the inspiration given her people through the medium of these programs. At the tabernacle Sunday evening and again at Seven Wells Monday afternoon, speakers, appreciated in this community for their devotion to righteousness and recognition of equity in man's dealing with man, advanced our love of country and her traditions through the messages they brought.

RED BLUFF CELEBRATION
The faculty and students of Sul Ross State Teachers College and the citizens of Alpine will be represented in the Pecos Valley Celebration on July 20, commemorating the passage of the Red Bluff Irrigation Project.

MITCHELL COUNTY PROSPERITY
Colorado banks report deposits totaling almost two million dollars, a condition to be accepted as defining continued prosperity throughout the Colorado territory.

This story is not unusual for Colorado and Mitchell county, however. Time has not been during the past six years when our banks did not register a topnote in accounting for conditions as were prevalent among the people. We have a fine combination at Colorado and contiguous territory to render such an excellent condition.

Moody Fighting in Area Jim Calls Own, Campaign now at Lie Stage Says Lynch, and Brown Throng Roars as Jim Lashes Dan, says headlines in the papers Thursday, captioning articles dealing with political speeches delivered by the three major gubernatorial candidates the day previous.

There is small probability that the cotton flea will endanger the cotton crop in this county, H. L. Atkins, county farm agent, has recently announced following a careful inspection of a number of fields in the county. There is, however, a persistent danger confronting farmers of this county through another cotton pest. The leafworm, Atkins warns, is coming this way and may make his appearance any time.

A 50,000-bale cotton crop in Mitchell county in 1926. That is the estimate of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce and we will have to admit this organization has been hitting a bull's eye on crop estimates for past years.

THE RIGHT WAY
The logical method of combating foreign monopolies is about to be applied in the case of the Franco-German potash monopoly. The Department of Commerce, making use of a \$100,000 appropriation which was voted by Congress in its last session, will endeavor to develop the vast potash fields of Texas to commercial production on a large scale.

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Sub Debs
The Sub Debs met Wednesday with Virginia Thompson with the usual four tables of forty-two players. Nell Harper Greene won the prize a dainty powder box. Miss Lillian T. Millsap of Hamlin was an out of town guest. The hostess served sherbet and cake.

Don't fail to buy our bargains this week. See them in our windows. Berman's Variety Store. Mr. and Mrs. White of Jayton are guests of Mrs. White's family, the Kikers.

THINKS MR. FISHBURN WILL HAVE CHANCE TO REMAIN
My old-time friend, Sam A. Fishburn, distresses me when he threatens to leave Texas, but, on the other hand, when he bases his threat on the re-election of the Fergusons, my mind is somewhat relieved.

HOW TO FIGHT
Just read this and seeks not truth has no opinion that is thin and he is blind. When the blind backward, the blind they both fall into the little one Me.) Hating covetousness. Or we Compound Test say, hating unjust gain.

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**WHAT THE PEOPLE SHOULD KNOW ABOUT APPENDICITIS**

(By Dr. C. L. Root, Colorado, Texas, to his clientele).

Every year since the Colorado Sanitarium has been open we have been compelled to witness the un-

necessary deaths of several dying of neglected appendicitis. Such deaths are not God's calling, but the direct result of lack of information, negligence of action, or possibly both, upon somebody's part. These deaths could have and should have been prevented. And usually to make these

deaths doubly sad and deplorable is the fact that practically all of them occur in children and young adults. While neither extreme of age is exempt from the disease, yet in children and young adult life it is far more prevalent. Moreover, it should be borne in mind that the disease progresses much more rapidly in childhood than in older persons. In a child only a few hours is necessary for the disease to advance to an almost hopeless condition. So im-

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**Treatment**

The late Dr. William Osler, professor of medicine, Johns Hopkins University, and perhaps the greatest International Medicine man of the 20th century—not a surgeon at all—says this: "There is no medical treatment of appendicitis. There are remedies which will allay the pain, but there are none capable in any way of controlling the course of the disease. The general practitioner does well to remember that the surgeon is often called too late, never too early." Medicine does no good other than to relieve pain. But there is a medicine that will convert a mild case of appendicitis into a gangrenous or ruptured appendix. Calomel will do this, and is doing it practically every month for somebody in this vicinity. Every reputable physician knows that an early operation is the safest treatment for appendicitis. Every dependable physician knows and everybody else ought to know that Calomel and delay—either singly or both together—are the patients' greatest enemies and the undertaker's best friend.

I have seen numbers die of appendicitis who were never operated upon at all; but trusted their fate to other remedies. I have seen numbers die of appendicitis who after trying various other things before submitting to operation as a last chance for hope were operated upon. I have seen numbers die of appendicitis who were operated upon after the first day of the attack. But I have never yet seen a death of appendicitis who was operated upon during the first day of the attack.

One attack does not immunize against subsequent attacks. On the other hand, the patient who has one or more attacks, and sooner or later will go down with an attack that will end in death, unless saved by surgical procedure. No patient suffering of appendicitis, unless operated upon early in the attack, has any right to any assurance whatever that the appendix will not abscess, rupture or become gangrenous and cause death by general peritonitis. And whether it be the first, second or third or some other attack makes no difference.

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**Review Pointers**

1. Practically all deaths of appendicitis could be prevented by early operation.
2. The disease progresses much faster in childhood than in adult life.
3. Symptoms: pain, sick stomach, may or may not vomit, some cases constipated, some cases have diarrhoea. No two cases alike in symptoms.
4. The word "colic" is a misnomer when used in any other sense than pertaining to the colon. Pain in the belly (babies excepted) is much more apt to be grave yard misery than it is harmless colic.
5. Other than to relieve pain, medicine does not do appendicitis any good.
6. Calomel is a very dangerous medicine to give when there is severe pain in the belly. It will cause rupture or gangrene of the appendix, if the appendix is the cause of the pain.
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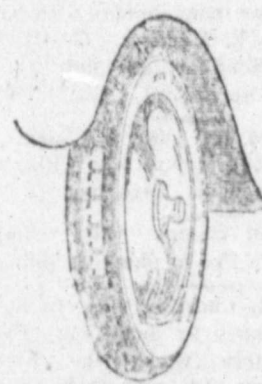
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"Of Course Quality Has Something to do With it"

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# The Stuff the Mode is Made of

Fabrics are captains of the mode, and they are more audacious leaders than ever this summer. Both foreign and domestic materials are surpassingly beautiful in texture and design.

Silks and chiffons are brightly flowered or dotted, and wools are plaided or of tweed mixture.

A wide selection is offered at unusually moderate prices.

## C. M. ADAMS



Special 3-quart tin pudding pan for 5c at Berman's Variety Store.

Mrs. Chas Taylor and son Lewis returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Ft. Worth.

The price is right on arsenic, Paris green, stock chloroform and all worm medicines. Jno. L. Doss Pharmacy. 7-30

Miss Frankie Riordan is visiting the Duffs in Sherman.

Mrs. Lorena Herman of Ranger is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jim Smith.

PHONE 333 FOR TEXACO KEROSENE. Prompt deliveries.

Don't fail to buy our bargains this week. See them in our windows. Berman's Variety Store.

Mrs. Bill Robertson who has been visiting Mrs. Rebecca Bennett returned Monday to her home in Temple.

All ready trimmed hats at half price. No hats trimmed at this price and nothing charged. Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Mrs. Allen of Big Spring visited her daughter Mrs. Walter King, Monday.

Scissors and shears, every pair guaranteed, \$1.00 to \$1.75. J. Riordan Co.

Hand made cow boy boots at Frank Herrington's.

Postmaster M. B. Howard of Sweetwater spent several hours in Colorado Tuesday.

PHONE 333 FOR TEXACO KEROSENE. Prompt deliveries.

A girl baby was born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Alexander. Weight 9 pounds.

Miss Clippie Bennett is spending several days with the Blanks down on the Concho.

Half gallon cedar buckets 65c, at McMurtry's.

Beautiful pattern hats at half price. Mrs. B. F. Mills.

MILK COOLERS—and pans. Scott's Tin Shop. Phone 409.

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Only a nickel will buy a 3-quart pudding pan at Berman's Variety Store.

Hand made cow boy boots at Frank Herrington's.

"The coolest place in town" to be served with Shaw Bros. cream and sherbet and all fountain drinks. Jno. L. Doss, Pharmacy. 7-30

Mrs. M. Carter, Jack and baby Moncre left Tuesday for an auto trip through Colorado. They will be joined in Amarillo by the Tol Ward family.

Jno. L. Doss Pharmacy for perfumes, vanities, bleaching cream, lotions. 7-30

\$1559 For Hudson Brougham Delivered in Colorado, fully equipped.—Price Bros.

The above prices include following equipment: Bumpers, front and rear; Automatic Windshield Cleaner; Rear View Mirror; Transmission Lock, built in; Radiator Shutters; Motor; Combination Stop and Tail Light.

Full line golf supplies, bags, balls, clubs, Jno. L. Doss Pharmacy. 7-30

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stoner and daughter, Virginia, and Roddy Brooks Merritt, left Thursday morning for Roswell, Clouderoft, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Denver and Yellow Stone Park.

Misses Clippie Bennett and Margaret Mann returned to the Dove Creek camp with A. B. Blanks Tuesday. They will spend two weeks down there with Mrs. Blanks.

Auto top and harness work done right and quick at Frank Herrington's.

MILK COOLERS—and pans. Scott's Tin Shop. Phone 409.

Mrs. R. H. Watson of Alpine is visiting her sisters Mrs. Brennan and Mrs. Doss.

Auto top and harness work done right and quick at Frank Herrington's.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Majors and Marvin left the first of the week on their vacation. They are going to camp in cool Colorado.

Pianos. Come and see us. Victor, Columbia and Brunswick records, player piano rolls, sheet music, jaw harps, lipo's and other string instruments. Colorado Music Co. 3rd and Elm street.

VOTE FOR JNO. T. GOULD. For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1. Owing to a misunderstanding with the committee, I failed to get my name on the ticket and I now ask the voters to write my name under the caption Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1.—Jno. T. Gould. (Adv.) 7-23c

Mrs. Garner Hammock arrived in Colorado Wednesday from California where she spent an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. P. Allmond is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Costin of Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richardson, Lula Helton, Henry Doss and J. P. White left Thursday for California. They will tour the West and stop at points of interest enroute.

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

Read Beans Grocery ad, something new. Help your church.

Miss Fay Hubbard of Dallas who visited her father and mother, Dr. and Mrs. Hubbard last week has gone to the coast for the remainder of her vacation.

Judge and Mrs. Truman H. Connor were in Colorado a few days the first of the week.

Miss Mildred Coleman left Friday for Detroit to visit her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Burchard.

A bargain, two quart cream freezer for \$1.25. J. Riordan Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morgan and J. B. Jr. left Sunday morning for an auto trip to Stephens, Ark., where they will visit Mr. Morgan's family.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE for chickens and eggs at Colorado Produce Co.

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A real value is something that meets a real need.

Patents that are RELIABLE.

Drugs of the PUREST.

Sundries which include an immense line.

Stationery that you will be proud to use.

In fact every thing found in a modern well equipped Drug Store.

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Next to Postoffice

J. M. DOSS

J. F. MERRITT

## LOCAL NOTES

Hoot Gibson is at the Mission this week in a rip-roaring western serial, Wednesday and Thursday. No radio in prices.

Mrs. Jim Geltner and the children left Thursday for Gulfport, Miss., to visit Mrs. Geltner's sister.

\$1264 For the Hudson Coach and all equipment delivered in Colorado.—Price Bros.

The best service for your automobile to good. Smith and Griffin. Phone 184.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Russell are visiting in ochiltree Co.

Mrs. W. A. Pilgrim is visiting her father and mother in Amarillo.

Look what Spalding is doing. Gold Bond stamps given with every cash ice book.

When you see lung lines on a wine in your pantry, deg's a reason on full 35-day shop. You'll see the honey; jar on top you see the crowds ewine inside. Piggly Wiggly stc' deg's a reason for dat, too—day done (can) de honey jar.



Carbon paper all size sheets at Record office.

Good typewriter for sale cheap.

MILK COOLERS—and pans. Scott's Tin Shop. Phone 409.

Mrs. Claude McNailey is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jones at Cross Plains.

The Colorado Produce Company handles all kind of feed, grain, hay, corn, oats, chops, bran, chicken feed, meal and cake. Just phone 395 for your feed. We deliver.

Miss Claudia Rogers of Dallas is visiting her sister Mrs. Jim Smith.

Beautiful pattern hats at half price. Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Mrs. T. A. Leeman has returned from Dallas where she visited her mother.

One 21 model coupe \$285.—One 24 model coupe \$185.—One 24 model touring car \$165, at Ford Garage.

Picnic time, how about a portable? Colorado Music Co.

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

Mrs. Lay Powell and Earl Powell spent Sunday in Christoval.

PHONE 333 FOR TEXACO KEROSENE. Prompt Deliveries.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. T. Russell of San Saba are visiting their daughter Mrs. Thos. R. Smith.

PHONE 333 FOR TEXACO KEROSENE. Prompt Deliveries.

Beautiful pattern hats at half price. Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Can you play one? Jazzitha, the new one string instrument. Colorado Music Co. 3rd and Elm.

We fix flats. Call us.—Smith & Griffin.

L. H. Gaskins and family returned Wednesday afternoon from a motor car trip to San Antonio, Austin and other points in South Texas. They visited the Valley southwest from San Antonio and Mr. Gaskins reports conditions good all along the route.

Record ads are worth reading.

Read Bean's ad this week.

Oil is the life of your motor, let us drain and refill your crank case. Jess Gage.

All kinds of feed, will save you money. Just phone Colorado Produce Company.

Mr. Walter Mangum and daughter of Sweetwater spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Madden. The Maddens and Mangums are old time friends and neighbors.

Given free for your ice book; I give Gold Bond stamps free with every cash ice book. Spalding.

Gold Bond stamps with every cash ice book. See or phone Spalding.

Mrs. J. M. Charlton went to San Angelo Monday to meet her two little daughters who have been spending some time with their aunt, in San Antonio.

Given free for your ice book; I give Gold Bond stamps free with every cash ice book. Spalding.

Gulf Gas and oil at the Lone Wolf Filling Station. Jess Gage. 7-23

PHONE 333 FOR TEXACO KEROSENE. Prompt Deliveries.

Who gives service? Smith and Griffin. Phone 184.

Mrs. Marcus Snyder was the guest of Mrs. D. H. Snyder last week.

Battery Service. Smith and Griffin.

Mrs. Leslie Thomas spent Sunday in Big Spring.

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

Birthday Party

Mrs. Whitmore entertained last Thursday afternoon in honor of her little daughter Amoria Rogers, whose sixth birthday it was. Games were played and the usual good time had by the youngsters. Favors of kewpie dolls for the girls and balls for the boys were given each guest. Chocolate ice cream and cake was served. Many pretty gifts were received by little Miss Rogers.

All ready trimmed hats at half price. No hats trimmed at this price and nothing charged. Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Scissors and shears, every pair guaranteed, \$1.00 to \$1.75. J. Riordan Co.

Special 3-quart tin pudding pan for 5c at Berman's Variety Store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rix and daughter Alice Ann of Lubbock came through from Camp Temple and spent the day with the Adams.

PHONE 333 FOR TEXACO KEROSENE. Prompt deliveries.

Stop at the Lone Wolf. The station with the orange top. Gulf gas and oils. Jess Gage. 7-23

Mr. and Mrs. John Hale, father Hale, Sam and Bill Hale left Tuesday on an auto trip to San Antonio where they will visit the Ben Morgans.

First Class shoe repairing while you wait at Frank Herrington.

Miss Velma Thomas of Throckmorton is the guest for her school friend, Miss Eleanor Thomas.

Carbon paper at Record office.

## Who's Who TODAY



GOV. NELLIE ROSS "Money makes the mare go" is plain horse sense."

## Service Spells Success

We have worked hard to serve our customers with the very best grade of Groceries at prices that satisfy.

We especially pride ourselves on our Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Department because it gives our customers every thing that the market affords.

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Phone 251

SPECIAL FOR A FEW DAYS

One box of Linen Pound paper, one package of Linen Envelopes, total value 70c, special at 39c

Just arrived a new supply of "Kro Flite" golf balls, Silver King and Spalding Dimple.

Let us show you our merchandise. No trouble, but a pleasure to us. We appreciate your business.

## Crosthwaite Drug Co. Inc.

THE NEW DRUG STORE  
PHONE 251

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The experienced motorist knows that Automobile Insurance is essential to every automobile vacationist.

We will be glad to have an expert call and explain this important protection to you.

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22ND YEAR—NO. 42

COLORADO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JULY 16, 1926.

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### PREPARE FIGHT LEAF WORM CO. AGENT ATKINS WARNS

#### Cotton Pest Begins to Make Appearance in Several Parts of State.

Farmers of Mitchell county are warned to be on their guard to combat the leafworm in a statement made for publication Tuesday by H. L. Atkins, county farm agent. The pest has already appeared in several sections of the State, Atkins said. The county agent says:

"It is our belief that damage from this pest will become more or less general over the more eastern part of Texas during July, extending toward the Panhandle country the latter part of the month or sometime in August. Especially is this to be feared if the showers at present being experienced in Texas, continue.

"The cotton flea has delayed the fruiting of cotton. This damage is expected soon to cease, but a condition has been created that makes it unusually desirable to prevent the ravages of the leafworm for the remainder of the season. Consequently farmers should keep a close watch for the appearance of this latter pest and be fully prepared to control it on its first appearance.

"Calcium arsenate is the best poison to use, considering its cheapness and effectiveness. This may be dusted on by the pole and bag method, but preferably by means of some type of dusting machine. Best results are obtained if dusting is done while the dew is on the plants, so the poison may adhere; but usually enough adheres to the plants, even when applied during the heat of the day, or in the dry climate, to make it highly effective. Use from three to six pounds per acre according to the size of the plant.

The next best poison to use is lead arsenate. Apply in the same amount as is recommended for calcium arsenate.

"Paris green may be used but is apt to burn the plant. Hence, it should be diluted with equal parts of air-slacked lime. Many persons use as high as four parts of the lime to one of the Paris green, or substitute a cheap grade of flour for part of the lime. This procedure is all right, but in any case some lime should be used to prevent leaf injury. Apply any such mixture so that two to three pounds of actual Paris green is applied per acre.

In the drier sections many farmers prefer to spray. All spray machinery should be so constructed that the mixture of poison and water is kept agitated; otherwise the poison will settle to the bottom. Any of the three poisons previously mentioned may be used, the proportions should be about two pounds of either lead arsenate or calcium arsenate, or one and a half pounds of Paris green, to fifty gallons of water. Where Paris green is used, an equal quantity of quick lime should be slaked, and the resulting milk of lime be added to the mixture, after straining through cheese cloth.

"White arsenic, mixtures of white arsenic and soda compounds or stock dip, are apt to burn the cotton and are not advised by the Extension Service."

#### Band Renders Concert on Rathiff Lawn Friday P. M.

The Colorado Chamber of Commerce band appeared in the first of a series of concerts Friday evening of last week. The concert was rendered on the lawn at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Rathiff on Fourth street.

Prof. A. C. Hewett, band director, has announced these concerts are to be given every Friday evening during remainder of the Summer. The public is invited.

Frank McClure, former citizen of Colorado, was here from Dallas last week. Mr. McClure is a son of J. H. McClure, former Colorado business man.

#### Farm Women Busy Canning Products of Garden-Field

Mitchell county farm women are busy these days tinning garden and field products, Miss Ives Belle Jones county home demonstration agent, reports. Miss Jones stated Tuesday that Mitchell county gardens were never better and that club members and others throughout the county were preserving peas, beans, corn, beets, cucumbers and other vegetables.

These women have preserved products of this kind in large quantities for the past few years and found the venture most profitable. They do not stop at tinning vegetables. Annually thousands of cans of chicken, beef and pork products are preserved for both market and the home pantry.

#### Industrial Dept. is Added by School at Valley View

Trustees of Valley View school, one of the leading rural schools of the county, announce addition of an industrial department for another year. This department will be provided to give instruction in farm shop work and vocational agriculture for boys and domestic arts for girls.

This is the first rural school district in Mitchell county to announce addition of this important department. G. D. Foster, county superintendent, stated Tuesday morning that he considered the move of much importance.

#### Candidate for Attorney General Speaks Tuesday

Thomas S. Christopher of Dallas, candidate for attorney general, visited Colorado Tuesday morning and delivered an address from the street in support of his candidacy. The address was delivered from corner Second and Walnut.

Mrs. Pierce of Burlington is visiting her cousins, Mrs. Roy Dozier, Mrs. Anna Dobbs and Mrs. Gordon.

### C. OF C. DIRECTORS HOLD BOARD MEETING ABILENE

#### Budget of \$100,000 is Fixed By Board for Ensuing Fiscal Year.

First quarterly meeting of directors and officials of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, held Monday in Abilene, ended as one of the most enthusiastic board meetings ever held by the organization, W. S. Cooper of Colorado, who attended the meeting as the proxy representative of Dr. P. C. Coleman, vice-president, reported Tuesday morning.

Confirmation of appointments recommended by Manager Homer Wade and adoption of a budget for the forthcoming year featured the morning session of the executive board. Sessions in the director's room of the Abilene State Bank, were attended by 45 directors and committeemen representing every section of the territory.

Welcome addresses by W. B. Keeble and T. N. Carswell, president and secretary of the Abilene Chamber, were responded to by J. A. Wheat of Seymour.

President Duggan, presiding, announced the slogan for the year as coined by Jess Mitchell of Littlefield was "Bigger and Better and More Active Than Ever."

He declared the goal for 1926 was 10,000 members. He declared the diversification program launched by R. Q. Lee was to be continued and recommended that equalization of taxes be made a major program.

Duggan announced creation of three districts with assistant managers in charge of each.

Staff appointments as announced by Wade are:

Ray Leeman, assistant manager in charge of West Central District, headquarters Fort Worth; B. F. Bennett, assistant manager in charge of Western District, headquarters Amarillo; E. H. Whitehead, full time publicity manager; B. M. Whiteker, exhibit, agriculture and convention manager; U. S. Pawkett, traffic manager, San Antonio; office secretaries retained as at present.

All appointments were confirmed unanimously. The budget read totaled \$100,000 for year. Discussion of different phases of the budget were engaged in. On motion of A. B. Spencer the budget was adopted unanimously. Estimated revenues are \$115,000. Last year's budget totaled \$104,000. During discussion it was brought out that the organization always had operated on a cash basis and retiring Manager Whaley declared the chamber never had made a single note. It was voted to end the fiscal year June 1, hereafter, instead of Jan. 1. Audit of books to July 1 was ordered on request of Whaley.

Wade's salary was set at \$7,500 the same as received by Whaley.

Report of the Sesquicentennial exhibit committee was made by Chairman C. M. Caldwell. All affiliated towns are eligible to send material to the exhibit. B. M. Whiteker, exhibit manager, recently returned from Philadelphia and he discussed the exhibit and urged towns to send in material, consigned to West Texas Chamber of Commerce in care of the Sesquicentennial Exposition, Philadelphia. The report was adopted.

The traffic committee report was made by Chairman Pawkett. Opposition developed to the proposal to endorse legislation permitting construction of interstate railways without permits. After discussion the matter was referred back to the committee with instructions to thresh the matter out and report at the next quarterly meeting.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce annual convention will henceforth be a two day session instead of three as decided by the executive board in session that afternoon. The convention bureau reported favoring the proposal on the grounds that the three-day session imposed a hardship upon visiting delegations and a burden upon the host city.

The ninth annual convention scheduled for 1927 in Wichita Falls, will be held in May as early as will suit the convenience of Wichita Falls.

A remarkable paper was read by Jess Mitchell of Littlefield, advocating a closer correlation between the church and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. A recommendation to put in a new department of the organization with a secretary to work

in connection with churches of West Texas utilizing business policies of the organization for the churches was strongly considered. A committee was appointed to analyze the matter and report to the next quarterly meeting.

A closer tie-up with the press of West Texas, particularly the country press, was decided upon and a dinner in honor of the press will be a feature of the next annual meeting.

A committee on military affairs to work in harmony with the American Legion was proposed by Wade and referred to a special committee to work out the details. Houston Hart of San Angelo proposed a resolution urging support of an amendment to tax school lands in counties and presented striking evidence to illustrate unfair burdens placed on counties with large tracts of school lands. The motion carried unanimously.

The West Texas Chamber will institute a national campaign of advertising for West Texas and a committee of five was appointed to formulate plans for the work. The body voted to put over the special all West Texas train to Philadelphia at a date to be elected by the manager.

The afternoon session followed a sumptuous luncheon at the Abilene Country Club and the session was largely taken up with meetings and reports of the bureaus. Reports were made by the legislative, traffic, conservation, publicity, agricultural, public utilities, exhibit and immigration, Texas Tech, sesquicentennial committees. Economic problems of interest to the area including the problem of car shortage and cotton flea menace were discussed and plans laid to secure relief.

Porter Whaley was presented with a magnificent watch as testimonial of board and officers of the organization.

Mrs. M. A. Berry and daughter, Miss Lucille left Monday for Detroit, Mich., where Miss Lucille will be placed under a stammering expert for treatment. They will be gone about three months.

#### Sulphur School District Be Transferred to Mitchell Co.

Sulphur school district, common school subdivision north of Colorado on the Mitchell-Howard county line, is to be transferred to jurisdiction of Mitchell county, G. D. Foster, county school superintendent announced Saturday. Foster stated that the school formerly under supervision of Scurry county, was being transferred to this county upon application of patrons.

The school district embraces territory in the two counties. Foster stated that Scurry county held slightly more territory in the district than Mitchell.

#### Confession Made by Negro After Arrest by Officers

Fred Burns, local negro, was locked up Thursday and charged of burglary booked against him by the authorities. Burns, charged with having burglarized the stores of Pond & Merritt and the J. A. Holt Dry Goods Company, made a confession acknowledging his guilt, Sheriff I. W. Terry stated Saturday.

The negro is charged with a series of burglaries here. The Pond & Merritt establishment is believed to have been entered by him two or more times. Articles of clothing and dry goods found in the negro's possession were identified by owners of the stores.

#### Custer Returned to Face Two Charges of Forgery

Lee Custer, under indictment by the Mitchell county grand jury, on charges of forgery, on two counts, was apprehended at Caprock, New Mexico, last week and returned to jail at Colorado by Sheriff I. W. Terry. Custer was indicted here last year and with other prisoners held in the county jail affected his escape several months ago.

The daughters of the King will have a food sale Saturday at the Herrington building.

### TAXABLE VALUES INCREASE OVER \$600,000 FOR YEAR

#### Total Renditions as Given by Tax Assessor Reach Over Eight Million.

With an increase of more than \$600,000.00 over last year, property values in Mitchell county as rendered for taxes in 1926 total \$8,555,420. Roy E. Warren, assessor, stated Saturday. Warren stated this total was an increase of \$627,300 over last year when total renditions were placed at \$7,928,120.

Of this amount \$437,350 is shown to have been credited on the resident roll and \$232,850 on the non-resident roll. The unrendered roll shows a decrease of \$27,530 from the total reported for 1925.

Much of the increase in property wealth is to be traced to properties owned by oil companies operating in the county, Warren said. Properties rendered by the Texas & Pacific and banks of the county are about the same as shown by the rolls for 1925.

#### Iron Stair at Old Building Must Go, City Attorney Says

The old iron stair, which has served its purpose for more than forty years at the old Colorado National Bank building, Second and Walnut street, must, City Attorney M. Carter has announced. A recent ordinance passed by the city specifies that the stairway must be moved.

#### Alleged Fugitive Arrested by Police Chief Hickman

J. C. Cottle, wanted by Potter county authorities on charges of swindling, was placed under arrest here last week by H. S. Hickman, chief of police. Chief Hickman delivered the man to officials who came for him from Amarillo.

Mrs. Mattie Donnelly of Pecos is visiting her cousin Mrs. Jack Smith.

## What Is a Good Provider?

A good provider looks beyond comforts of today to the provision of tomorrow.

The birds and the bees; the beasts of the fields—all nature has thought of coming needs—yet man, alone, the greatest of all the living things—cultured, able, educated, and alive to Earth's demands—often fails to make provision for the years to come.

What are you doing for the future twenty years from today? A good provider does not overlook the importance of a strong bank account. If you are not already identified with this bank, we invite your account here.



# City National Bank

## Piggly-Wiggly

Helps Those Who Help Themselves

### Special for Saturday

**CORN** FRESH, GREEN AND TENDER GATHERED FROM LOCAL FIELDS EACH **2½c**

**TOMATOES** TEXAS FIRM PINKS AND RED **5c** POUND

**TEA** TETLEY'S OR MAXWELL HOUSE **21c** ¼ POUND **42c** ½ POUND

**MALT** PURITAN, The Kind That Brings the Results Per Can **66c**

## PIGGLY WIGGLY

HELPS THOSE WHO HELP THEMSELVES







**ACROSS THE CONTINENT IN AN AUTOMOBILE**

**Some of the High Lights and Observations of a Tourist to California and Other Places**

On Saturday, June 12 at 9:30 a party composed of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whippley, their son, Robert and Miss McDaniel of Dallas left Colorado in an automobile for a tour of the West. We went to Alpine in the Davis Mountains of Texas, arriving there Saturday evening.

We spent Sunday at Alpine with our daughter, Mrs. T. R. Moody, having a picnic lunch in Ranger Canyon, a beautiful spot in the mountains. Alpine is one of the prettiest places in West Texas and if properly promoted and advertised, would be a famous summer resort as the climate and mountain scenery is equal

to many of the famous places of California. We left Alpine Monday morning for El Paso, going up the "Border Route." This is a new highway and is part of the Old Spanish Trail, running from San Antonio to El Paso. The old trail runs by Del Rio, Ozona, and Ft. Stockton, joining the Bankhead at Kent. The new road runs from Del Rio, thru Alpine to Van Horn, being much shorter and more scenic than the old road. This is a splendid graded and graveled road throughout, without any heavy grade and we advise all motorists to use this road between San Antonio and El Paso.

Arriving in El Paso early in the evening we went over to Juarez, of course. We went through the Mission Guadalupe, which is nearly 400 years old with rafters and beams hand carved on mahogany logs, this work being done with stone knives and hammers by native Indians. The guide rang the chimes on the original bells which still hang in the steeple. There were many fine paintings and rich carvings, many of them with fabulous prices, as much for their antiquity as for their artistic merit.

Juarez is lined from one end to the other with gambling houses and saloons. The most famous saloon was Jimmy O'Brien's, but since his death it has not kept its reputation. O'Brien had an advertisement on one of the larger mountains, the letters being 400 feet high and his name half mile long. It could be seen and read for 25 miles. We went to the Tivella, the principal gambling house, which is always crowded with American tourists. Every game was in full

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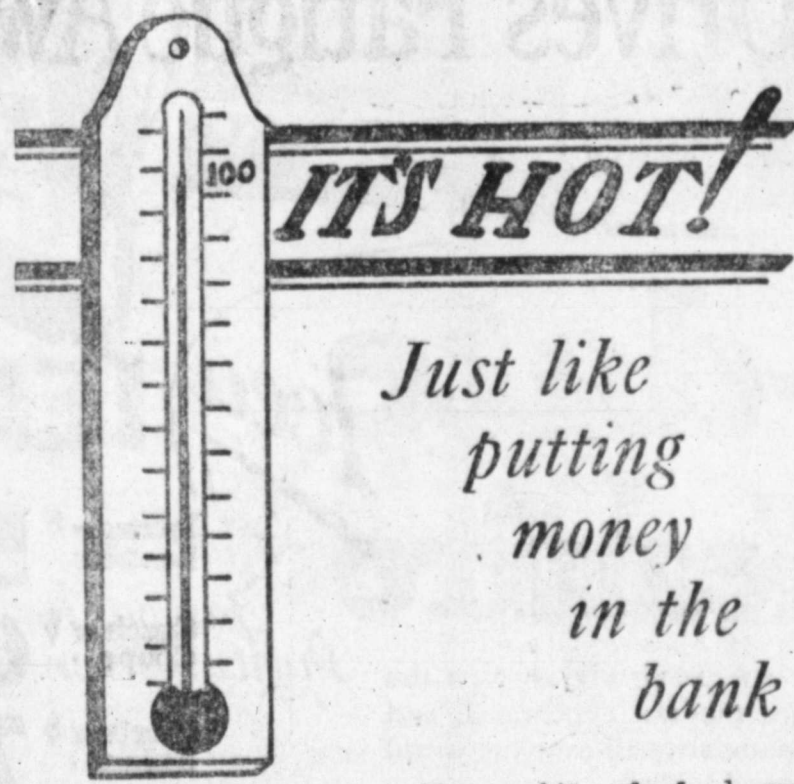
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swing and money in great stacks on every table. If you have any surplus cash you want to get rid of here is where you can do it very quickly. Mrs. W., not feeling in a lucky mood, we passed them all up, but it was a novelty to us to see others play. Neither were we thirsty, so did not deplete their stock of beer to any great extent.

We spent the night at "Camp Grande" which was one of the best we found anywhere on the road. We had a 3-room cottage with private bath, gas range, splendid bed, rocking chairs, etc., all at very reasonable prices. We spent the evening driving over the city, seeing the fine public buildings, beautiful homes, etc. The Mt. Franklin drive is very beautiful, from the top of which you can look down and see the entire city spread before you. While there we went to the C. of C. offices to see Miss Sealy, who was formerly farm demonstrator for Mitchell county, but who now holds the same position in El Paso county. She was not in, so we left a note for her, and started on our journey West.

We drove over paved roads and through five irrigated farms to Mesilla, from here we drove down to Mesilla Dam, which is a big irrigation plant. There is an amusement park here in a beautiful grove of trees, and good fishing in the lake. Our next objective was Elephant Butte Dam which we reached early in the evening. This was a fine graded and graveled road all the way being a highway from El Paso to Socorro. The dam was about ten miles from the main road and in going over this we all got a thrill. This road is very scenic and also very dangerous as it runs on a shelf across the buttes and cross canyons, with steep grades and fearful curves, and only occasionally where two cars could pass. We made open camp here that night, but were quite comfortable in our auto tent. We camped on the brink of the lake, all of the accommodations being free for everybody, such as fine water, wood and electric lights. We "went in swimming" here, and it was fine, but pretty cold. We will not go in to detail as to size, cost, etc., of this big dam, as most of you readers have read many articles about it. It is a wonderful and famous piece of engineering and a sight to behold. The valley from El Paso to this dam is practically all under irrigation and

we saw some fine farms and crops. We left here Wednesday morning for Socorro, N. M., where we connected with the National Old Trails road which runs from New York to Los Angeles. All of this was natural dirt road, but smooth and in fine condition. The distinction this road has is that what time you are not going up you are going down. We crossed numerous canyons, arroyos and gulches. The road would wind around to get down into one of these from 100 to 500 feet down; then wind still more to get out on the other side. We were in sight of Elephant Butte lake till noon and went up the Rio Grande river all the way. Some irrigated farms, but not much agricultural country.

Socorro is a nice little town, has an elevation of 4582 feet, it has modern public buildings and a splendid hotel, where we had lunch. In leaving Socorro we turned due west and got our first real experience in mountain roads as we went out through Blue Canyon and climbed to an elevation of 5725 feet. Socorro peak to our right rising to over 7000 feet. This was a wonderful road, built on the sides of the mountain, looking down on one side 2000 feet and up on the other side 2 or 3 thousand. This is called Blue Canyon because it is so deep that the atmosphere is always hazy and has the appearance of being filled with light blue smoke. This same phenomenon occurs to a greater extent in the Grand Canyon of which we will speak of later. From here we paralleled a branch line of the Santa Fe railroad as far as Magdalena. The road is natural dirt and graveled, but well graded and kept in fine condition. The surrounding country is mostly low lying hills but after leaving the mountains a rather wide valley is traversed. We never saw any more agricultural country until we reached California.

All this region is historic ground. With the incoming of the Spaniard and the arrival of the Jesuit and Franciscan Fathers, a startling change took place among the image-worshippers. By 1629 no less than 34,650 natives had been baptized, and thousands of idols burned or reduced to fragments. The sign of the cross replaced these in the dwellings of the aborigines, and the chanting of the Te Deum resounded where the beating of the rude skin instruments had ushered in the primitive ceremonies of the Indian religion. From these earlier days down to 1609, Fray Juan de Torquemada was the historian who recorded the happenings in this newly acquired territory of the Spanish conquerors.

Twenty-four and a half miles from Socorro we reached Magdalena, a small town in the mountains at an elevation of 6565 feet. Seventy-nine miles is the distance between Magdalena and Quemado, the next section of the National Old Trails route to be covered on the journey westward. A flat valley extends west of Magdalena for approximately 35 miles, thru which an excellent gravel surfaced road is followed. A short distance before reaching Datil we began a gradual climb. The road from Datil thru Datil Canyon and over the Continental Divide has been improved, and from the summit a fair road follows along the ridge into Quemado. Mountainous or hilly ground characterizes this part of the journey, with here and there an occasional cattle ranch.

The comparatively deserted aspect of portions of New Mexico affords a striking contrast now to those prehistoric times when the first inhabitants of the country lived and flourished. At one time eleven towns contained 40,000 people. These desert pagans erected chapels, handsomely trimmed and painted which were dedicated to the Devil to rest himself in as he traveled from one town to another. They represented, by paintings, the sun, moon and the stars as their principal objects of worship. Building edifices for his Satanic Majesty to take his ease in, is not, so it has been claimed, a purely ancient custom, nor one confined exclusively to heathen peoples.

From Quemado it is a distance of 51 miles to Springerville, the next objective in the journey west, where we intended to spend the night. Low rolling hills are traversed almost the entire mileage and an elevation of approximately 7,000 feet is maintained thruout. The road which is improved, was found in fair condition. On this portion of the southern route the journey thru New Mexico is completed, the State of Arizona being entered 16 miles east of Springerville. In New Mexico we entered a region teeming with historical interest to all antiquarians, and to those who have studied the early annals of the Great Southwest. In 1534, Alvar Nunez Cabeza de Vaca and three companions were the first white men

to set foot upon the soil of what is today New Mexico. Antonio de Espejo entered the country in 1583. The original natives of New Mexico were idolatrous tribes, worshipping stone and wooden idols. Some of these were only a few inches in length, while others were four or five feet in height. The Historical Society of New Mexico has a number of their idols in its possession. Nothing like them has been discovered in Europe, and their suggestion of strange rites and ceremonies marks a weird chapter in the book of primitive man.

We spent the night at Springerville, having splendid accommodations at the auto camp. The night was cold on account of the elevation, and we used all the blankets we had.

Thursday morning proceeding from Springerville to St. Johns, 29.5 miles distant, we traversed a flat valley for approximately 19 miles, crossed the summit and continued along the mesa, then slightly down grade into St. John. The roadway on this section of the journey has been improved and from twenty to thirty miles an hour can be maintained. Just after leaving Springerville the highway crosses the Little Colorado River and this stream is paralleled the entire distance to St. Johns altho it is visible only at intervals. The direction traversed is almost due north.

(Continued next week.)

to him, both out and in through thick and thin, holding him to your heart, till death you part?" Bet modestly acquiesced then came the benediction as follows: "Through life's alternative joy and strife, I now pronounce you man and wife. Go up life's hill till you get to the level and salute your bride you lucky devil?"

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stoner and daughter, Virginia, also Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whippley made a business visit to San Angelo Saturday and spent Sunday in Christoval.

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Notice is hereby given that all parents wishing to transfer their children from one common school district to another, or from or to an Independent District within the county for school purposes, must file a written application with the county superintendent asking for such transfer, said application must be filed before August 1, 1926.—G. D. Foster, Co. Supt. 7-30c

**A Rhymed Wedding**

Taken from the Mexico Ledger, performed by a magistrate who united a negro couple by using the following ceremony: "Jim will you take Bet without any regret, to love and to cherish, till one of you perish and is laid under the sod, so help you God?" And as Jim answered in the affirmative he turned to Bet. "Bet will you take Jim and cling

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The third quarterly conference of the Methodist church was held at Spade Saturday July 18th, with a splendid crowd in attendance. Every place in the charge being represented.

Bro. Hardy (the presiding elder) brought us a great message at the eleven o'clock hour after which dinner was served and the business session was held. Good reports were made from every place in the charge both as to finances and the general condition of the church.

BUILDING LOAN

Monthly Payments—a better one cannot be obtained

R. W. MITCHELL

Quite a number of the Westbrook people motored over to Sweetwater Wednesday afternoon to hear Dan Moody speak, but on account of the heavy rain some of them had to spend the night and returning home Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burleson and son of Paris, Texas are guests in the home of Mrs. Burleson's sister, Mrs. J. B. Pirtle this week.

Rev. L. E. Northcutt returned from Dallas Thursday where he spent two weeks attending school at S. M. U. He was accompanied home by his niece, Miss Nettie Northcutt of Emory, Texas, who will spend several weeks with him.

Mr. Lasseter is at home again after several weeks stay in Dallas where he has been under the care of a specialist.

Miss Dorris Jefferies was hostess to a birthday party at the home of her sister, Mrs. Melvin Ellis, Monday afternoon from two till four.

After the gifts were displayed the children enjoyed to the utmost the interesting games which had been planned for them. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to about twenty guests.

Bro. Northcutt is holding a revival meeting at Union this week.

Mr. Jim Costin, who has been in Mineral Wells for the past two weeks in the interest of his health, returned home Saturday night, we are glad to report that he is much improved.

Mrs. Grove of Mansfield who has been the guest of her daughter Mrs. Morgan Morris for the past few weeks returned to her home last Monday. Mrs. Morris accompanied her home for a few days visit.

Mrs. Mitchell of Olden returned to her home Wednesday after a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Munn.

Mrs. Rowland left last week for California where she will spend some time visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Parm Saylor have moved to McCamey where Mr. Saylor will work in the oil field at that place.

\$1264 For the Hudson Coach and all equipment delivered in Colorado—Price Bros.

Colorado Visitor Was Honored at a Breakfast

In compliment to Miss Ruebell Smart of Colorado City who is visiting friends here, Mrs. Bill Puerifoy and Mrs. Tot Posey entertained a few friends Friday morning with a out-of-doors breakfast and party.

The gay crowd went first to Lytle Beach, then to the natorium on the Elmdale Road, and near there the tempting breakfast was daintily served.

The guest list included Miss Smartt, Mesdames Lasseter, Fred Stirman, Waddell, Puerifoy and Tot Posey.—Abilene Sunday Reporter.

Special price on pocket knives at McMurry's.

BUD FISHER'S WIFE GIVEN ALIMONY; FEES FOR LAWYER

NEW YORK.—Supreme Court Justice Ford today awarded Mrs. Aedita Fisher, wife of Henry C. "Bud" Fisher, the cartoonist, alimony of \$250 a week and counsel fees of \$10,000 pending her trial for a separation.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following names for the respective offices, subject to the Democratic primaries July 24th, 1926, Mitchell county:

For County Judge Chas. C. Thompson (re-election)

For Sheriff and Tax Collector R. E. Gregory H. S. (Dick) Hickman. W. J. Chesney

For County and District Clerk J. Lee Jones (re-election)

For County Treasurer H. C. Doss (re-election) For County Attorney George Herman Mahon.

For Tax Assessor O. R. (Roy) McCreless Roy Warren (re-election) Benton L. Templeton. Julian Hammond J. W. (Winfred) Halbert

For County School Superintendent: G. D. Foster (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1 A. A. Dorn

Commissioner Prec. 2 J. C. Costin (re-election)

Commissioner Prec. No. 3 John D. Lane H. H. Van Zandt.

Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1 Walter Phelan Chester S. Thomas (re-election) W. S. Stoneham.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1 Sol Robinson Tom Terry (re-election) Owen C. Powell T. S. Henderson Jno. T. Gould E. M. Smith H. D. Womack.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2: L. Hazelwood. J. H. Burrow. F. D. Green

For Representative 117th Representative District composed of Nolan, Fisher and Mitchell counties. J. C. Hall.

NOTED SPEAKER WILL ADDRESS PEOPLE OF MITCHELL CO. IN BEHALF OF MOODY

Hon. Cato Sells, Commissioner of Indian affairs under President Wilson, will address the people of Mitchell county at the tabernacle in Colorado Thursday, July 22nd at 8 p. m., in behalf of the candidacy of Dan Moody for governor. Everybody invited to come and hear this forceful speaker discuss the issues of the campaign.

SEVEN WELLS NOTES

We are glad to say that Mitchell county still gets plenty of rain and most of the crops are looking nicely.

Mrs. P. M. Bassham is still on the sick list. J. D. Mildred and Mary Bassham have the mumps this week. The 1923 club met with Mrs. U. D. Wulfjen last Wednesday and planned their garden exhibits for the fair.

The picnic at the Wells on the evening of the fifth was just great, there being about 300 people there. Everybody had a real good time and went away feeling proud of such a wonderful spot on which to go for recreation and a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershall Ball from Eastland have been here visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wallace. Grandpa Wallace returned home with them to spend a few days and then he will go to Bonham for a visit with home folks there.

Mrs. L. L. Bassham and Carl and Lanier also Mrs. Nell Westfall and Miss Ives Belle Jones our home demonstration agent from Colorado motored over to Abilene Wednesday.

Carl entered Draughon's business college. They had a wonderful visit with Miss Jones' parents in their pretty home, and all enjoyed the day very much.

The bunch just 50 in number went to the Concho on the evening of the Fourth and stayed all night and all

day Monday, fishing and picnicking. Just ask Roscoe Bassham if they had a good time.

Roscoe is just home from Denver, Colorado where he has been in training camp. Everybody was glad to see him and to hear him laugh once more.

Mr. Earl Robison is at Stanton this week he said he was going to work but we believe he is just resting over his Concho trip.

Mr. Will Brown isn't improving as fast as we would like to see him. We were all made very sad Monday when word came of the death of Mrs. Hayes. The mother of Mrs. J. K. Henderson, caused of heart trouble which occurred on their way home from their visit to California. Details have not been learned.

Our hearts go out in deep sorrow for her children in their bereavement.

Hollie and Velma Towery, Charlie Parker and Mary Alice and Stella May Bassham and several others visited in L. L. Bassham's home Sunday.

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Your Patronage Will be Appreciated

During the last two weeks of the Dan Moody campaign 137 volunteer speakers will be distributed throughout the State, the headquarters announced, while the Dallas County and the Tarrant county headquarters will send out approximately 170. Approximately 350 speakers will be sent out for the last week from the State and various county headquarters.

Everything is getting better and better, cheaper and cheaper at the red front, just around the corner. —R. L. McMurry.

Miss Kate Justice visited her sister, Mrs. Jack Henderson last week. She was on her way to Dallas from a government hospital in Colorado.

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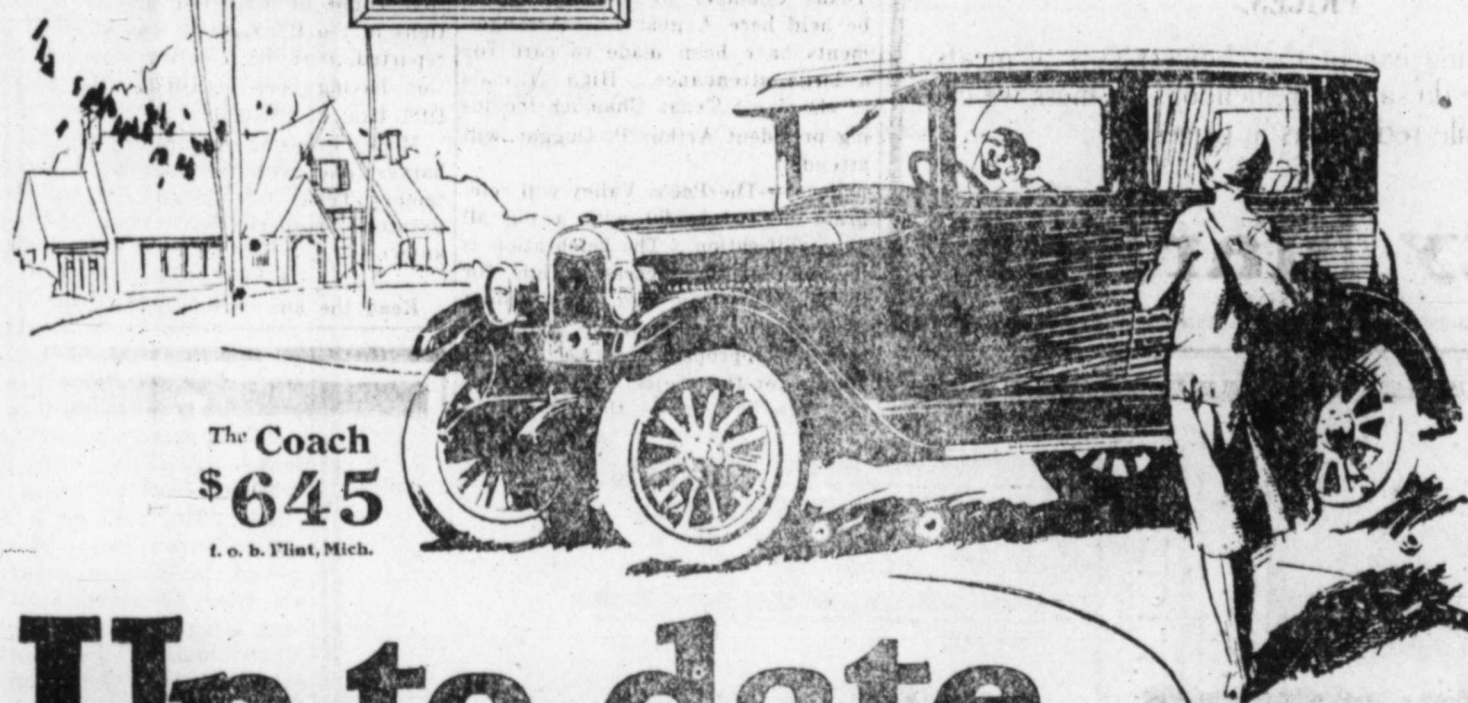
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WEST TEXAS DEVELOPMENT

Littlefield—Captain Arthur P. Duggan, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will make his first tour of West Texas territory during the month of August. As planned at present he will open his tour at Big Spring August 9th and will visit the recreational sections of West Texas and Eastern New Mexico. He will visit the Davis Mountain section and attend the district convention in Marfa August 12, then will swing west to El Paso and go into eastern New Mexico to attend the district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in that district August 16. It is expected that he will open his campaign for equalization of taxes on this tour. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Duggan also Manager and Mrs. Wade.

Washington, D. C.—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce intervened in the recent hearing of the Department of Agriculture relative to control of the Thurbria weevil which is ravaging the cotton fields of Arizona. The West Texas organization strongly urged regulatory measures to prevent spread of the pest to West Texas and was instrumental in getting measures passed which it is believed will control the weevil.

Marfa—The Davis Mountain-Bend district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held here August 11. Arrangements have been made to care for a large attendance. High officials of the West Texas Chamber including president Arthur P. Duggan will attend.

Pecos—The Pecos Valley will celebrate here July 20 with a big all day jollification. The celebration is in honor of the successful fight for the appropriation for Red Bluff dam on the Pecos River. Congress recently appropriated two million dollars for the project and President Coolidge has signed the bill. This project will reclaim half a million acres of land and is expected to bring a period of development to the Trans-Pecos country. A barbecue will be prepared for twenty thousand persons and it is expected that many will be here on July 20. Pecos invites West Texas to join in the celebration.

Lubbock—Lubbock will be host to the Texas Commercial Executives Association July 22-23-24 when more than one hundred commercial executives from all over Texas will hold here their three day convention and school.

Artesia, N. M.—The eastern New Mexico district of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will hold their annual meeting here August 16. Artesia is planning a big event and heavy attendance is anticipated.

Lamesa—William A. Wilson former secretary of the Munday Chamber of Commerce has assumed his duties as secretary of the Lamesa Chamber to succeed C. T. Watson resigned.

San Antonio—Porter A. Whaley, former manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has arrived in San Antonio to assume his duties as secretary of the local organization.

Amarillo—The greatest wheat crop in years is now being threshed on the plains. The Santa Fe Railway reports that there is a great scarcity of cars to handle the crop despite the fact that they had concentrated eight thousand cars in anticipation of the needs. Increasing use of combine harvesters and threshers has sped up movement of grain and swamped the railway service.

Plainview—Work is progressing rapidly on the new elevators of the Harvest Queen Mill here. When completed this mill will have storage capacity ranking with the largest in the entire country.

Alpine—A determined effort to

exterminate wolves in this section of the State is bearing fruit. A comprehensive system of poisoning is under way with 11 stockmen co-operating. Literally hundreds of coyotes and number of lobo wolves have been killed.

AGRICULTURAL DOPE SENT OUT BY SWIVEL CHAIR ARTISTS

Those Texas farmers who heeded the advice of planting more grain and feed are now assured of a certain prosperity no matter what happens, according to crop reports compiled for the month of June by the Department of Public Relations of the Southland Life Insurance Company.

The greatest "small grain" crop Texas has ever raised is now practically harvested and, in a short time, will be in. It is true, of course, that grain prices are somewhat below normal but the value of these crops for feed exceeds their market value and for that reason the crops must not be discounted.

The eyes of Texas are now on cotton and in practically every section of the state "more cotton on fewer acres" is flourishing. Intermittent rains during the past few weeks have assured cotton its early growth and a few heavy storms have done little damage. Although late, cotton needs nothing now but sunning and perhaps a good rain later in the season.

One of the surprises of the improvements of the past month has been the improvement of the cotton crop in many sections, notably the Eastern and West. The corn crop has likewise exceeded all expectation for it and the chances are that the crop for the entire state will be more nearly normal than that could have been hoped for a month ago.

The boll weevil, dreaded enemy of the cotton crop, has put in an appearance but up to the present time has done little or no damage and the army appears to be weak in numbers. Other pest are few, according to reports, although the hopper has already taken some toll in the northern part of the State. Perhaps the worst sufferer since the last report was Knox county where a heavy hail storm in June played havoc with crops.

In the normal course of events it is expected that a bumper crop of cotton will be produced in Texas. The vegetable crop in East Texas, all that could be expected and conditions in the Rio Grande Valley, it is reported, were never better. Production having been credited with the first bale of cotton.

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Elser Appreciates Article Published in The Record

Mr. Elser, Closs, writes The Record to express his appreciation of the oil article published last week. Elser has been a close observer of development in this county since the field was discovered and has made some heavy investments here. Mr. Elser says:

"I read with much pleasure your interesting article on the Mitchell county oil fields. Think of it, only 27 producing wells and they last fall...

"In your oil flow, you missed three very important points: first, the Mitchell county oil is the only oil outside of Texas that contains benzene in its natural state. Benzene, you know, is now made from coal tar. Second, in the oil in its natural state, it has the highest anti-carbon and anti-rust qualities. Second, Mitchell county oil, while low in gravity, makes excellent and sometimes more so gasoline than the oil from Beaumont and Eastland counties. Third, the Mitchell county oil, coming from a sandy time, produces a low flash.

"I would like to add nothing about the oil in your article, because the new hundred thousand dollar appropriation made by the government for research work in Texas and in New Mexico is now being carried out and it is expected that the results will be of great value to the oil industry. I will be glad to see the results of the work done in Texas and in New Mexico. I will be glad to see the results of the work done in Texas and in New Mexico. I will be glad to see the results of the work done in Texas and in New Mexico.

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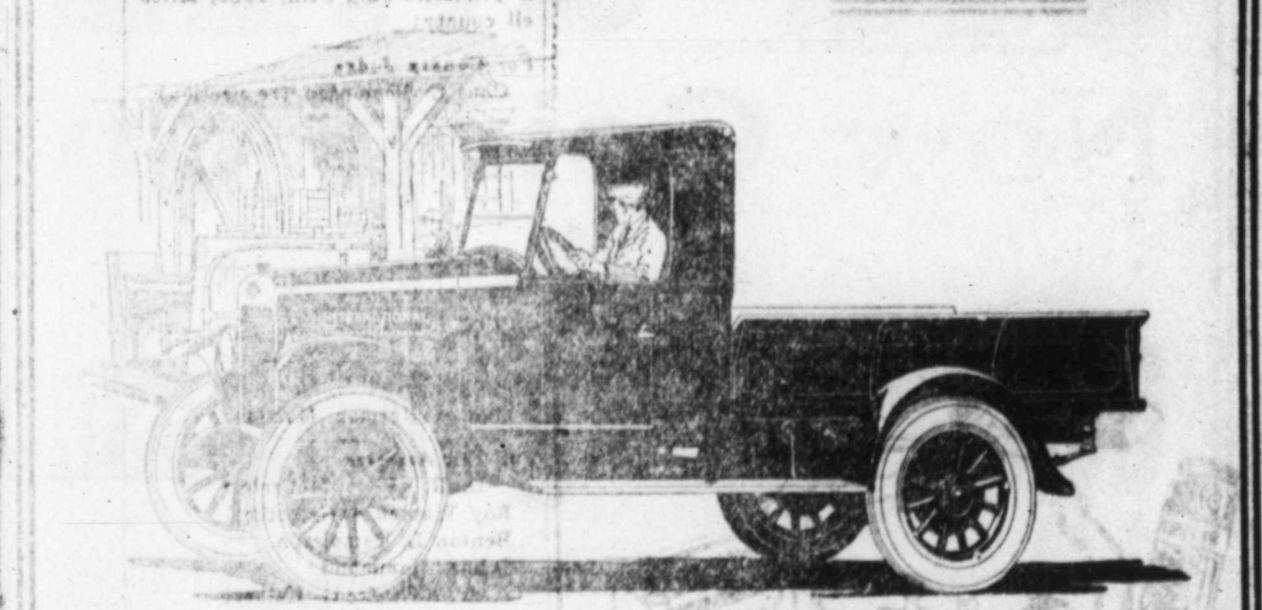
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## LORRAINE NEWS

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

**ROOMS FOR RENT**—Half of my house is for rent. If interested in rooms call and look them over. First house west of the Presbyterian church. Complex preferred. No objection to children in the school age. Phone 87.—Mrs. Zora Dean, Loraine.

Mr. Marvin West, wife and babies were here from Snyder Sunday visiting the W. S. Thomas home.

Mrs. Chas. Womack and children have returned to Cuthbert after a few days visit here.

Mrs. L. Westbrook and daughter, Lindal of Snyder, are the guests of Mrs. Nora Hardin and family this week.

Misses Eva and Era Richburg of Lone Star visited in the Marvin Martin home here Saturday.

Mrs. Allie M. Erwin of Abilene, visited friends and relatives here the first of the week.

Mr. Deo Land is erecting a new filling station between the Central office and Mrs. Bennett's residence.

Mr. Albert Vowell has purchased the Claude McCollum station on the highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude McCollum are now at home at the Loby residence.

Mr. W. F. Westbrook is reported on the sick list at his home this week.

Mr. G. Miller and family will move into their new home the last of the week, which is being erected in the north part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Manly have returned from a visit to Grimes, Walker county where they have been visiting relatives for the past three weeks. Mr. H. F. Manly, a brother accompanied them home.

The Loraine Leader office has been recently moved from the Model Grocery building to their former location at the Masonic building.

Mr. Fred Brown, sold his Model Grocery and feed store Monday to G. C. Harris of Hargood, Texas, who expects to return and assume charge of same soon.

Word was received Tuesday from Glenrose that Mr. Edmondson who is there under treatment of physicians "was improving."

Mrs. Sharon Adams who has been visiting in the E. J. Adams home returned to her home at Lamesa Sunday. Miss Vera Adams accompanied her.

Mrs. W. H. Harris is enjoying a visit from her sister this week.

L. A. McGee and family have returned from a 10 days pleasure trip to Corpus Christi and other southern points.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Neill are visiting relatives at Baird. They left Tuesday.

Mr. Cullen B. Palmer and Miss Edna Bennett accompanied by friends were married Saturday night at the Methodist parsonage. Rev. H. W. Hanks performing the ceremony. This was a surprise wedding to their many friends who join in wishing them much happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer will reside here.

Mr. C. C. Hendrick and wife of Breckenridge are the guest of their father G. W. Hendrick and wife this week.

Mr. J. M. Templeton of Dublin arrived back home Tuesday for a few days visit with friends and relatives.

### METHODIST CHURCH

The shower kept part of our people away last Sunday, we had only 158 present. We should have 250 next Sunday. The meeting is starting off well. Dr. Dodson is a strong

gospel preacher the people are delighted with his messages. We are having large crowds and the attention and interest is splendid. We believe we are going to have a great meeting. Come and be with us in all these services. The meeting will close next Sunday night. We urge all to attend the service Sunday morning. Dr. Dodson will use as his subject at this hour "Is the Methodist Church a New Testament Church?" Come there is a treat for you.—H. W. Hanks.

Mr. T. J. Classcock of Abilene and Mrs. Anah Lynch of Bowie are visiting their daughter and sister Mrs. W. F. Westbrook and family.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon Jim Carmean, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Mitchell County, to be held in the court house thereof, in Colorado, Texas, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1926, the same being a petition filed in said court on the 19th day of November, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, number 1497, wherein the Colorado National Bank of Colorado, Texas, is plaintiff, and Georgia F. Carmean and Jim Carmean are defendants, the nature of plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

On February 27th, 1925, for a valuable consideration, defendant, Georgia F. Carmean, who at that time was named Georgia F. Laceywell, made, executed and delivered unto plaintiff her promissory note in words and figures substantially as follows, to-wit:

\$503 Colorado, Tex., Feb. 27, 1925 Ninety days after date, without grace, I, or either of us as principals, promise to pay to the order of the Colorado National Bank of Colorado, Texas, five hundred, sixty-three and No-100 dollars, with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date until paid, for value received, and further promise, if this note is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, to pay ten per cent additional on the full amount due for attorney's fees. Payable at the office of the Colorado National Bank, at Colorado, Texas. (Signed)—Georgia F. Laceywell.

This said note is now past due and unpaid, either in whole or in part, and plaintiff has placed said note in the hands of attorneys who have brought this. That since the institution of this suit, the defendant, Georgia F. Laceywell has married and is now the wife of Jim Carmean, whose whereabouts are unknown.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of office this 6th day of July, A. D. 1926. J. LEE JONES, Clerk County Court, Mitchell County, Texas. Issued this 6th day of July, A. D. 1926. 7-30c (Seal) J. Lee Jones, Clerk

### MC-CRELESS ON THE RUN

I am still rambling around seeing lots of folks and hearing much of interest. The most noticeable is concerning the manufacturing interest in this grand old state, using Texas cotton to meet the demands of their trade. On account of the staple we produce, this to my mind is something worthy of notice. I am still well and gaining new experiences every day. Since commencing this script I arrived in Greenwood a very popular town surrounded by a very healthy country and a very spotted one so far as agriculture is concerned. Still I love it because it's my native State and still worth-while in many particulars, and none too late for S. C., to come to the front as it once has been. But at this critical period its tax burdened beyond question and to my mind, every other state that I know of is following in its foot steps and me think its high time to call a halt. Start afresh and quit our shameful foolishness. S. C. is almost a net work of cotton mills and public highways and second to none either, especially the latter, but whether they are worth what they cost or not is for someone else to say. I imagine the same slogan exists now with reference to roads that did in slavery time, concerning the Negro. Which was, plant more cotton to make more money to buy more negroes to make more cotton to make more money to buy more negroes and so on to the end. So to my mind it is with the road proposition, build more roads to get more taxes to build more roads to



**SALE of used Cars**

HERE ARE SOME BARGAINS THAT YOU CAN USE AND SAVE MONEY, FOR THEY ARE PRICED TO SELL.

- 1926 Ford One Ton with closed cab and farm body
- 1924 Ford One Ton Truck, new rubber.
- 1924 Ford One Ton Truck that has been well cared for
- 1925 Ford Touring Car.

All of the above were taken in trade by us on New Chevrolets and have been thoroughly re-conditioned and are ready to give you service.

**Mills Chevrolet Co.**

get more taxes and so on until we taxpayers can almost see the black bear coming over the hilltop. These facts freshen in my mind as I travel and learn of existing conditions and now as I am taking the back track I find many places still suffering for rain.—E. M. McCreless.

### Tribute to Legion Auxiliary

The women of the Oran C. Hooker unit sent a rhyme and a dollar bill to each of their adopted boys in Ft. Lyon for the Fourth. The following little poem is the answer of one of them:

U.S.V. Bureau Hosp. No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo., July 6, '26 Colorado, Texas Legion Auxiliary: The "one spot" reached me today And I have a few words of thanks to say. Also three great big cheers For all the Colorado, Texas Legion Auxiliary dears.

Do you know that things like this Fill our sad hearts full of bliss? And even tho' I am miles away, My heart is glad this very day.

Thanks, thanks and thanks again And I hope all the boys write the same. May God bless each and every one: Watching over you until your day is done.

Sincerely yours, MORRIS EDGETT.

### NEW \$100,000 HIGH SCHOOL AT TAHOKA

TAHOKA.—The one hundred thousand dollar Tahoka Independent School district bond issue sold here for accrued interest to date of delivery and a premium of one thousand and twenty five dollars at an auction sale. The bonds bear five per cent interest and mature serially over a period of forty years. R. H.

King, cashier of the Security State Bank of Tahoka, bought the bonds.

Everything is getting better and better, cheaper and cheaper at the red front, just around the corner.—R. L. McMurry.

George Goodwin and family left Tuesday morning for their home in Hidalgo county after spending an extended visit with relatives at their former home in this county. Mr. Goodwin is an enthusiast for the Valley country.

## GIVING AWAY

BEGINNING JUNE 1ST, I WILL DONATE 2 PER CT. of my CASH sales to Baptist Church of Colorado, and July to the Methodist Church and August to the First Christian Church and September to the American Legion, October to Colorado Football team, November to Church of Christ and December to Presbyterian Church Remember, this 2 Per cent means on ALL my CASH sales. We carry the highest class of groceries and prices are as low as the lowest. Fresh Vegetables and Fruits will be found in season at our store.

**Bean's Grocery**  
FREE DELIVERY—PHONE 193

# BIG SALE

## Now Going On at the Colorado Bargain House

Many new items have been added to our stock and we are in a better position to offer you more and better bargains. Pay us a visit and we will guarantee you a saving from 15 to 45 Per Cent.

Be on time SATURDAY at the hour of two to two-thirty we will sell regular 20c per yard Gingham, 32 in. wide, three and one-half yards for only

**29c**

Limit 3 1-2 yards to a customer.

**Colorado Bargain House**  
THE PRICE IS THE THING

**IF** the dentist waited three months before filling your aching tooth,

**IF** the grocer didnt deliver your groceries for sixty days, and

**IF** the ice man didnt come until two months late,

YOU WOULDN'T LIKE IT and we wouldn't blame you.

BUT the same thing holds good when you buy goods and do not pay for them until sixty, ninety days or longer.

Your merchants, your doctor, your dentist and the business man with whom you deal feels just like you would feel if these things happened to you when they look over their books and find your account delinquent.

IT PAYS TO PAY

**Retail Merchants Association**



# Announcement

We hereby announce the sale of the Toler Motor Company of Colorado, and the Chrysler franchise for the Colorado territory, to Messrs. Frank Murchison and Louis B. Collier, who will continue the business under the firm name of Murchison & Collier, Chrysler dealers, and who will strive to give even a better service than we have been able to give in the past.

We wish to thank the public for their patronage in the past and for the courtesies extended us, and assure you that the new firm of Murchison & Collier will take care of every want of the Chrysler owners in this territory.

## TOLER MOTOR CO.

### Supplemental Announcement

By way of supplementing the above announcement, we wish to state that we have purchased the franchise and business of the Toler Motor Co., Chrysler Distributors for the Colorado territory, and will continue the business as heretofore at the new home of the Chrysler on Third Street. We assure the public that we will strive to give a service that Chrysler owners, prospective owners, and the general public will be proud of, and we invite everyone to call on us at our salesroom. We will be glad to serve you in any way we can. We solicit a continuation of the splendid business the Chrysler dealer has had here, and hope to merit the same.

**Murchison & Collier**  
FRANK W. MURCHISON                      LOUIS B. COLLIER



**OFFICIAL BALLOT**

PLEDGE—I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees in this primary.

**For Governor:**  
EDITH E. WILMANS, of Dallas County.  
O. F. ZIMMERMAN, of Morris County.  
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON, of Bell County.  
LYNCH DAVIDSON, of Harris County.  
KATE MILLER JOHNSON, of Bexar County.  
DAN MOODY, of Williamson County.

**For Lieutenant Governor:**  
BARRY MILLER, of Dallas County.

**For Attorney General:**  
JNO. W. HORNSBY, of Travis County.  
CHAS. L. BRACHFIELD, of Rusk County.  
T. K. IRWIN, of Dallas County.  
JAMES V. ALLRED, of Wichita County.  
CLAUDE POLLARD, of Harris County.  
THOS. SIMPSON CHRISTOPHER, of Dallas County.

**For Comptroller of Public Accounts:**  
S. H. TERRELL, of McLennan County.

**For State Treasurer:**  
GROVER CLEVELAND HARRIS, of Dallas County.  
W. GREGORY HATCHER, of Dallas County.  
J. R. BALL, of Fannin County.  
ED. A. CHRISTIAN, JR., of Bexar County.  
LON GARNER, of Stephens County.  
G. E. JOHNSON, of Jones County.  
GEORGE G. GARRETT, of Dallas County.

**For State Superintendent of Public Instruction:**  
S. M. N. MARRS, of Travis County.  
J. A. HUMPHRIES, of Hockley County.  
W. W. BENNETT, of Dallas County.

**For Commissioner of Agriculture:**  
T. R. BOLIN, of Morris County.  
GEO. B. TERRELL, of Cherokee County.

**For Land Commissioner:**  
P. B. TERRELL, of Titus County.

**J. T. ROBINSON,** of Morris County.  
**For Railroad Commissioner:**  
CHARLES E. BAUGHMAN, of Brown County.  
C. V. TERRELL, of Wise County.  
ROBT. E. SPEER, of Dallas County.

**For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court:**  
WILLIAM PIERSON, of Hunt County.

**For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:**  
LEE P. PIERSON, of Dallas County.  
F. L. HAWKINS, of Ellis County.

**For Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals: (11th Supreme Judicial Dist.)**  
WILLIAM PANNILL, of Pann County.

**For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals: Place No. 1. (11th Supreme Judicial District)**  
W. P. LESLIE, of Mitchell County.  
JNO. B. LITTLER, of Eastland County.

**For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals: Place No. 2. (11th Supreme Judicial District)**  
J. E. HICKMAN, of Stephens County.  
GEO. L. DAVENPORT, of Eastland County.  
THOMAS B. RIDGELL, of Stephens County.

**For Congress, 16th Congressional District:**  
C. B. HUDSPETH, of El Paso County.

**For Representative 117th Legislative District:**  
J. C. HALL, of Mitchell County.

**For District Attorney, 32nd Judicial District:**  
JAMES T. BROOKS, of Howard County.

**For County Judge:**  
CHAS. C. THOMPSON.

**For County and District Clerk:**  
J. LEE JONES.

**For County Attorney:**  
GEO. HERMAN MAHON.

**For Tax Assessor:**  
ROY E. WARREN.  
JULIAN HAMMOND.  
J. W. (Winfred) HALBERT.  
O. R. (Roy) McCRELESS.  
BENTON L. TEMPLETON.

**For Sheriff and Tax Collector:**  
W. J. CHESNEY.  
H. S. HICKMAN.  
R. E. GREGORY.

**For County Treasurer:**  
H. C. DOSS.

**For County School Supt.:**  
G. D. FOSTER.

**For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:**  
W. S. STONEHAM.  
WALTER PHELAN.

**For Constable, Precinct No. 1:**  
N. A. PENNINGTON.  
L. L. POND.  
T. H. SMARTT.

**For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:**  
OWEN C. POWELL.  
H. D. WOMACK.  
T. S. HENDERSON.  
TOM TERRY.  
SOL ROBINSON.

**For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:**  
A. A. DORN.

**For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2:**  
H. A. LASSITER.

**For Constable Precinct No. 2:**  
Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2:  
J. H. BURROW.  
L. HAZELWOOD.

**Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:**  
J. C. COSTIN.

**Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4:**

**Constable, Precinct No. 4:**

**For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4:**  
C. B. REEDER.

**Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:**  
W. E. WIMBERLY.

**C. D. SMITH.**  
**J. M. BRUCE.**

**Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:**  
H. H. VAN ZANDT.  
JNO. D. LANE.

**For County Chairman:**

**Chairman, Precinct No. 1:**

**Chairman, Precinct No. 2:**

**Chairman, Precinct No. 3:**

**Chairman, Precinct No. 4:**

**DAN MOODY**

DALLAS, Texas.—Dan Moody's prohibition record is eminently satisfactory to the Texas Women's Citizens committee and the Women's Christian Temperance Union, according to a statement given out by Mrs. Jane Y. McCallum, chairman of the former organization. Her statement reads: "The complaints of a despairing candidate anent Dan Moody's pro-

hibition record have heretofore been ignored.

"Today, our committee received our first suggestion that some uninformed persons have been misled by continued misstatements, and to set these rumors at rest we wish to submit Moody's answers to the Women's Christian Temperance Union questionnaire that is every two years sent all candidates for State office," she said.

"Are you a bone dry prohibitionist?"

"Yes, and have been always, and always will be."

"Are you a total abstainer from the use of alcoholic beverages?"

"Yes, and have been always. Have never used it in any form."

"Do you believe in keeping the Volstead Act in its entirety?"

"The Volstead law is the act of Congress now in effect pursuant to the national prohibition amendment. I do not know whether it is the best law Congress could enact. But if I were a member of Congress I should support that measure most efficiently designed, in my judgement, to carry out the purpose of the prohibition amendment. I am opposed to any modification of that law."

Dan Moody will begin the final week of the present campaign for governor with a speech in Clarksville, Monday afternoon, July 19, and will wind up the present campaign at Lockhart Friday night, July 23.

Half gallon cedar buckets 65c, at McMurry's.

**Standard Mattress Co.**


Old Mattresses Made New—New Mattresses Made to Order—Work Called For and Delivered.

**STANDARD MATTRESS CO.**

L. K. SHAW

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PHONE 207

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Here's the "Gospel" of Modern Service He Preaches to the Southland Men:

The Mission of a Life Insurance Company is to insure lives, and that company is best, whose agency organization has full realization of the fact that he who best serves the insured and the beneficiary, best serves his company.

Don't be a policy peddler; intelligent service gets more business than strong arm selling.

Think of those you call on as your clients—not as "prospects" or "sales problems."

Nine out of ten men have no definite insurance plan. Find out their needs and help them build one that really fits their needs—that's a service that'll win.

Nobody doubts the wisdom of insurance nor the safety of standard companies—the things you must overcome are neglect and procrastination.

Yours is a high calling—he proud of it—your mission to the world properly fulfilled is a service to humanity ranking above all charity for eventually it will make charity unnecessary.

Remember always that without policyholders, the Southland would not be a Life Insurance Company and that our best guardianship of the interests committed to our care, is the only justifying reason for company existence. And herein is the secret of the Southland's growing strength and widening influence year by year.

*Harry H. Seays*  
PRESIDENT

**Southland Life**

SOUTHLAND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY  
HOME OFFICE, DALLAS, TEXAS

**GEORGE B. ROOT AGENCY**  
Geo. B. Root and D. A. Crawford, Local Solicitors.

**For Constable, Precinct No. 3:**  
J. C. COSTIN.

**Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4:**

**Constable, Precinct No. 4:**

**For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4:**  
C. B. REEDER.

**Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:**  
W. E. WIMBERLY.

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People are surprised to learn that this beautiful and sturdy car now sells for \$895.

They have heard so much about its exceptional value that they are under the impression it sells for a higher price.

Moreover, the Sedan possesses all the roominess and character of closed cars that call for a much greater investment.

It is substantial in appearance because it is substantial in fact. And serves its owners far beyond the period usually expected of a car at any price.

The body is all steel—safe, sturdy, fireproof, and smartly finished below the belt line in coolie blue lacquer, with cartouche yellow stripe—upper body in black lacquer—shields and fenders in black, oven-baked enamel.

Blue Spanish genuine leather upholstery, removable rear seat-back, and optional wood or steel wheels are included among many other features that commend themselves forcefully to the buyer.

Many who expected to buy a cheaper car, now find that Dodge Brothers product is well within their means. Many who had expected to buy something more expensive, now find everything they could possibly desire in these smart and dependable vehicles.

See the cars for yourself—and investigate our attractive time-payment plan.

Touring Car	\$795
Roadster	795
Coupe	845

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Colorado, Texas