### COUNTY CONVENTION HELD ON SATURDAY

**RESOLUTIONS PASSED FAVORABLE** TO THE GOVERNOR.

Delegates to Numerous Convention are Selected—Only one Precinct is Represented.

The Randall county democratic convention was held Saturnay afternoon at the district court room, the only delegates present being from precinct one. This was the last meeting at which County chairman L. C. Lair presided, after a long term of service. He turned over the work to Geo. A. Brandon, the newly elected county chairman.

Geo. A. Brandon and Dr. S. R. Griffin were appointed a committee on credentials and organization. They recommended that L. E. Cowling be selected chairman and C. W. Warwick secretary to lets were in his stomach at least the convention.

C. W. Warwick was selected as delegate to the state convention at San Antonio on August 13th, with R. B. Cousins as alternate.

W. J. Flesher was selected delegate to both the 7th supreme judicial district convention and the 147th judicial district convention.

L. C. Lair was selected delegate to the 13th congressional convention.

delegate to the 123rd representative district convention.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTIONS

dall county, Texas:

1. That we extend to Mr. L. squads: C. Lair a vote of thanks for the Sergeant E. W. Reid, Privates proficient services he has rend- R. Donald, J. A. Moreland, G. S. ered the democratic party of Ballard Jr., J. E. Pipkin, Mack Randall county during the past Garner, B. A. Terrill, H. Vanyears as county chairman. At sant, T. G. Lair, O. E. Hensley, all times he has been diligent H. Holst, A. E. Key, L. E. Cowland faithful to the cause and ing Jr., C. A. Stratton, R. L. earnest in his labors.

ination of Woodrow Wilson as C. Gamble and Roy. Moreland, the standard bearer of the nat- were unable to go on the trip. ional democratic party and standing upon the national platform will do all in our power to elect Mr. Wilson by a large majority.

ceed Joseph Weldon Bailey and awarded the \$5 prize. pledge him our earnest support.

retirement of Joseph Weldon than ever before. There has ablest statesmen in our country. than for former years. A little His service to the state has been more effort on the part of the loyal and the democrats in this citizens and there will be practicounty greatly appreciate him.

5. That we rejoice in the nomination of Governor O. B. Colquitt and pledge ourselves to assist him in every way possible during his term of office. We by J. C. Hunt and Rector Lester by next year. appreciate what he has done for forming the law firm of Hunt & the state and especially do we Lester. Mr. Hunt has practiced extend to him thanks for his in Canyon for a number of years, kindly attitude to the Normal while Mr. Lester was recently schools of Texas, one of which is admitted to the state bar. They to him congratulations and with National Bank. them a pledge of fidelity.

6. That we hereby instruct the delegate from Randall county to the state convention at San Antonio, August 13, 1912, to board Monday evening Miss and vote for the policies advocat- Minnie Connor, of Commerce, his late campaigh before the in the public schools in place of primaries.

E-X-C-U-S-E M-E.

G. S. BALLARD POISONED.

Takes Wrong Medicine Saturday Night and has Very Narrow Escape

-Is Improving.

G. S. Ballard was badly poisoned Saturday night by making a mistake in taking medicine. He had suffered from a headache and going to the medicine chest took down a bottle in which he supposed was headache tablets, but which contained bichloride of mercury. He took one and one-half tablets, in which there were 10 grains, or enough to kill at least thirty men. In a few minutes he began feeling badly and going to the cabinet discovered his mistake. Physicians were called and worked with him for several hours before they were satisfied that all the poison had been thrown out of his system. It is supposed that his stomach was badly burned as one of these tablets moistenthe body will cause a blister within two minutes and the tabfifteen minutes.

He has been kept on an egg and milk diet this week and is recovering very nicely.

### Brave Boys to War.

The two squads of soldier boys from Canyon belonging to Troop elected. B. Texas National Guards left Friday to join their troop at Amarillo and on Saturday went to Austin where they join the of carbinated water on ice cream. for one day and present to them other members of the Guard in Dr. S. R. Griffin was selected a two weeks camp. The boys effect of hitching racks on the architecture. It is to be hoped will engage in actual war prob- public square. lems during the camp, but all blank cartridges. They may draw a pitching horse and be compelled to sleep in 'dog tents' Be it resolved by the demo- without straw, but they will cratic county convention of Ran- greatly enjoy the trip. The following men were in the Canyon

Shotwell and J. O. Turner, Jr. 2. That we rejoice in the nom- Two members of the squads, H.

### Wins Fly Contest.

Little Miss Lillian Thompson was the winner of the fly killing 3. That we recognize Morris contest given by the Canyon people of Texas for the office of closed last week. She killed in United States Senator to suc- all about 250,000 flies, and was

The "fly situation" in Canyon 4. That we recognize in the this year is very much better Railey from the United States been better sanitary conditions mate the loss of one of the generally and hence less flies cally no flies in the city.

### New Law Firm

A partnership has been formlocated in this county. We send have their offices over the First ous support in the primary elec-

### New Teacher Elected.

At a meeting of the school Miss Marian Etchison, resigned, with appendicitis for the past has ever had. Miss Connor has been attending month. Dr. Reeves accompanied the Normal this summer.

### **COMMERCIAL CLUB** SMOKER TONIGHT

GOOD TOAST PROGRAM HAS BEEN PARMER, DEAF SMITH AND RAN-

Big Get-Together Meeting Planned by Program Will be Much Better Tha the Club for all the Men of the City.

Tonight at 8:30 at the Foster building on the west side of the from Parmer, Deaf Smith and square the Commercial club will Randall counties will gather at with his family until about a give a smoker to which all the Normal college September year ago when he moved to Chibusiness men of the city are in- 2nd for a five day teachers instivited. The feature of the smok- tute. The program as prepared Springs about six months ago er is a general get-together will have more interesting featmeeting at which many phases ures than ever before and will be carpenter trade. He leaves his of life and business, both comic much more beneficial to the and serious, will be discussed. rural teachers than the county and one sister, Mrs. C. L. Dan-The Commercial club feels that institutes generally are. since the primary election is program will be devided into varover, the citizens of Canyon lous sections with strong men at ed and placed upon the skin of ought to get together and work the head of each section. Supt. emplary life. He has many for the building up of the city.

The menu will be served at lock have been authorized 8:30 and following that will be a Judge W. D. Scott to take full heartfelt sympathy to the famsplendid toast, as follows:

Toastmaster-B. A. Stafford. H. W. Morelock-Philosophy of Isaac Watson.

J. A. Hill-Normal statistics. M. S. Lusby-Time as an ele-

ment in true photography.

moral effect of shade trees.

Rey. C. Kilbourn-Men love sent. the fighting will be done with darkness rather than light. Can. A number of the Normal pro- ness. I have tried horses and before. yon's streets at night.

> ments and the washboard. Dr. F. M. Wilson-What is

clean town? C. O. Keiser-The white faced yearling; the redemption of the

T. J. Yoe-The public schools party Friday afternoon complia la the Ladies Home Journal.

tory as an orthodox proposition, was played at six tables until R. L. Marquis-The ex-communication of Pharaoh.

### Badly Hurt Monday.

in the head Monday when an ex- mints, and favors of sweet peas press wagon turned over on him brought the evening to a close. just north of the city. He was The guest list included Mesgoing down hill and running in- dames Guenther, Bennett, Turk, to a washout, the wagon started I. L. Hunt, Gamble, Burrow, to turn over. He jumped but Stanford, Winkelman, Harrison, Sheppard as the choice of the Lumber Company and which his foot was caught and the load Clayton, Lester, Warwick, Luke, of farm implements fell on him. Grimes, Ingham, Park, Pipkin, His right ear was almost torn off Shaw, Terrill, Rowan, Roach, and two deep gashes were made Anderson, Hoover, Cullum, Cleveon the left side of his head. He land, Stafford Morelock, Hutchis improving nicely.

### School in Affiliated List.

Supt T. J. Yoe has just receive ed a new bulletin from the state published the list of schools affil-

### Thanks Voters.

I wish to thank the voters of Randall county for their gener-M. P. Garner. two years.

her to Amarillo.

### TEACHERS INSTITUTE HELD IN SEPTEMBER

DALL COUNTY TEACHERS.

Usual With Many Interesting Side Lines.

About seventy-five teachers the past few months. T. J. Yoe and Prof. H. W. Moreby charge of the preparation of the | ily. program.

Special attention will be paid to the evening programs. large number of interesting slides have been procured from the state university on various C. E. Coss-How It feels to be school phases and will be presented with lectures.

Rev. Holmes Nichols - The A unique plan has been adopted in inviting all the school trustees Geo. A. Brandon - Artistic the latest plans for rural school

the program.

### Society Notes.

Mrs. C. C. Doniphan was most charming hostess at mentary to her sister, Mrs. Hord drouth. - Daily Panhandle. Rev. F. M. Neal-The ice fac and Mrs. Alexander. Forty-two late in the evening when tempting refreshments were served including chicken salad, bread and butter sandwiches, olives, ice tea, pink and white cream, Fulton Brown was badly cut cocoanut and marshmallow cake, ings, Cassles, Griffin, Garner, Ackley, Oldham, Word and Misses Casseday, Doke, Quirk, Turk and Lester.

Mrs. I. N. Hicks entertained university of Texas in which is the members of the Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian iated with the university. Can. church Tuesday afternoon. Aftcream and cake.

### High School Catalogue.

on Friday after having been ill neatest and more complete he I beg to remain,

"Excuse Me"

BERT FAIRBANKS DROWNS.

Was Formerly Resident of this City -Train Wreck in Colorado From Wash-out.

Sunday from Mrs. A. H. Fairbanks, stating that her son, E. S. (Bert) Fairbanks had been drowned last week in the wreck which occurred on the Fountain river near Pueblo, Colo., and that the body had not been recovered. Mr. Fairbanks had been working in the vicinity of Pueblo for

Mr. Fairbanks lived in Canyon cago. He went to Colorado and had been working at the wife and three children, mother The iels, who also lived here.

Mr. Fairbanks was a very devout christian and lived an exfriends in Canyon who are grieved at his death and who extend

### Says Panhandle Ideal Sheep Country

south of Vega in Oldham county, will be very large, but where the was in Amarillo today on his return from Kansas City where he nothing can be expected. shipped two cars of sheep. I have two thousand more which in excellent condition for wheat will begin shipping soon said planting. Conserving the mois-W. J. Flesher-The legal effect of the three counties to Canyon Mr. Burch. These are all weth- ture with the disc harrow will ers I bought last fall and winter- now be the chief work of the ed on kaffir corn. My loss was farmer. From reports the News practically nothing despite the has received from all over the that every trustee will be pre- hard winter. Next year I will county, the wheat acreage progo into the sheep raising busi- mises to be greater than ever fessors and prominent school cattle and in my opinion all L. E. Cowling-Delsartic move- men of the plains will appear on things considered the sheep raising business looks the most attractive to me."

Mr. Burch says that crops in Kansas and Missouri are suffering very much for want of rain and in some localities they are said to burned up with the

### Normal Closes in Two Weeks.

The summer quarter of the Normal will close on two weeks credit course last year.

### Commissioners Court Meets.

The regular session of the years. commissioners court will convene next Monday. Judge Scott reports that while there is no special work for the court, there will be a number of road and school matters for disposition.

### To the Voters of Randall County.

I desire to thank you cordially

hopes to receive full affiliation Misses Neva Hicks and Doris ability. To those who have heaven." Miss Ruth Nichols Winkelman, consisting of ice known me but a few short years will sing at the evening service. to vote against me from a mis- ship with us. Stranger welapprehension of the facts, I have comed. no words of censure. Believing The News job department has as I do, that a public office is a just completed a new course of public trust, and that the sertion and express my deepest ap study for the Canyon public vant is not above his master, I preciation for my nomination. I schools. The book covers the shall endeavor to execute that trust that our relations will be work of the different grades and trust in the interest of all the Mrs. D. C. Cleveland Tuesday very pleasant during the coming the high school department and people of Randall county. Again evening and lived only until will be of excellent service to the thanking you for your very lib- early Wednesday morning. The teachers and pupils during the eral support given me at the late funeral services were held Wed-Miss Malissa Thompson was year. Superintendent T. J. Yoe primary, and promising the nesday afternoon at 4 o'clock ed by Governor O. B. Colquitt in was elected to the fourth grade taken to her home at Eric, Okla., says that the book is one of the strictest fidelity to you interests, and the body interred at Dream-

Sincerely yours, CYRUS EARMAN, Tax Assessor Randall Co. their hour of sadness.

### TWO BIG RAINS INSURE CROPS

C. R. Burrow received a letter NEARLY FOUR INCHES FELL DUR-ING TWO NIGHTS.

> Row Crops are in Excellent Condition -Land put in Fine Condi-

Rain started Saturday at four o'clock and by midnight over two inches had fallen. Reports from other sections of the Plains indicate that the rains were general and that practically every section was visited. On Sunday night rain started again about 9:30 and continued far into the night, making in all for the two nights three and three-fourths inches.

The rain came in time to make a fine crop of kaffir and maize and to put the alfalfa in fine condition. The grain or row crops were just beginning to set on and the rains will insure a large well-filled head. Where the ground had been kept clean of weeds and well cultivated, the John Burch, whose ranch lays crop is in excellent condition and weeds have been allowed to grow

The rains will put the ground

### MORE RAIN

Another good half inch rain fell Tuesday night. This makes four and one-fourth inches for this week.

### **Burrow House Complete.**

The new residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Burrow will be wholly completed this week. The carpenters left Saturday and the painters will finish this week. The residence is one of the pretfrom Saturday. The second tiest and most complete in the series of the state examinations city. It is 34x50 feet, two stories closed last week and a number and has eight rooms besides went home. There are yet in bath rooms and closets. The attendance, 185 who 'are taking building is finished with a view the credit course. This number to comfort and convenience. Mr. is very high considering the fact and Mrs. Burrow are justified in that only 50 were taking the being very proud of their new home. C. R. says he has lived in Canyon for 13 years and trusts that he will get to live in this new home for another 13

### The Baptist Church.

At the morning hour of worship the pastor will preach the fourth of a series of sermons on the Lord's Prayer, namely "Thy Coming Kingdom," and at the evening service the subject will be "The Interpretation of The yon high school is listed affilated er the regular business session, for another expression of your Kingdom" based on the words with 11 1-2 credits. Mr. Yoe refreshments were served by confidence in my integrity and "Thy will be done on earth, as in and who may have been induced All are cordially invited to wor-

Holmes Nichols, Pastor.

### Infant Died Yesterday.

A son was born to Mr. and land cemetery. The citizen's of Canyon extend their sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland in



### Beautiful "Alba" Shades

Creamy "Alba" shades, come in and look at them. An electric iron is convenient if you have only a small amount of ironing to do. Try one and if you do not want it bring it back.

Throw away your old carbon globes and get the "Mazda" lamp. It will pay you in money and comfort.

| "Alba" shades for 25 and 40 watt lamp\$ | 80 |   |
|---|----|---|
| "Alba" shades for 60 watt lamp          | 85 |   |
| Mazda lamps, 60 watt                    | 75 |   |
| Mazda lamps, 15, 20, 25 and 40 watt     | 65 | 1 |
|   | 00 | 7 |

### Canyon Power Company Office in First National Bank

### See the News Printery

FOR THE SUPERIOR KIND OF

### Commercial Job Printing

### **ALL WORK CASH**

I wish to call your attention to the fact that all my work will hereafter be strictly for cash. I would like to figure with you on your plumbing. I am in a position to give you the very best work at the very lowest prices.

### PAT THOMPSON

N. J. Sechrest N. Dalmont Mail Orders Receive Prompt Attention. Ask for Catalog

### The Plainview Nursery Co.

Growers of Native Trees from the best selected varieties on the Plains. Fruit, Shade and Ornamental Trees; Evergreens, Privet Hedge, Roses, Flowering Shrubs, Bulbs; all kinds of Berries, Grapes, Rhubarb. Asparagus, Tomato, Potato and Cabbage Plants in season. Largest and best equipped Nursery in in West Texas, supplied with plenty of water, a necessity for handling Nursery stock. Investigation solicited.

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

### WANT MORE HOGS

pany to J. T. Holland, president the proper proportion of hogs. of the First State Bank; of this The company proposes to furn-ter, and say whether you will ish hogs to the farmers of this undertake to cooperate with us. section at absolute cost in order to increase shipments to their yards. The Plains country is one of the best sections in the state to raise hogs and every farmer should have a number. At the conclusion of this letter it is shown that the farmers have lost \$21,216,000 by not producing enough hogs.

Fort Worth, Texas, July 25th., 1912. Mr. J. T. Holland, Pres., First State Bank, Canyon, Texas.

Dear Sir: We would like to ask your cooperation on a matter that we believe we are mutually interested in. We have for the past six years made a persistant effort to encourge the raising of hogs in the State of Texas. We will admit for the sake of argument that this has not been done from a philanthropic motive but from a selfish interest. We believe, at the same time, that you will agree with us that the raising of hogs in this State will produce as much added wealth to the farmers as it has in Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois system becomes deranged. A and other States. If this is a fact, we believe that you will agree with us that what ever reof the Banks. This State has to faulty digestion. Try it. we seem to be on the verge of an sale by all dealers. unprecedented successful crop year, and the situation that now few hogs in the country to use be interested enough to under- For sale by all dealers. take to place amongst your farmers a carload or more of brood sows, and if so, we will be willing to go to the expense of gathering up these sows, shipping and delivering them at the actual purchase price plus the freight. In other words, we will not charge a cent for the expense of locating, purchasing, gathering and shipping these hogs but will turn them over to you at actual

This is a work that cannot be undertaken by any corporation or individual but must be cooperative if any good is to be accomplished, and we feel satisfied that you will receive this letter in the spirit in which it is sent and consider it from the mutual advantages it offers.

cost; the idea being, of course,

nucleus from which the farmers

would raise and select from,

We want to point out to you also that the hog situation has a bearing on the cattle situation in this state; in other words in ord- Dodson's Liver-Tone is a Safe Medier that Texas should reap the full benefit that the Fort Worth market offers, it is necessary that a sufficient number of hogs be developed and marketed in this State in order to insure its cattle to a more or less exly if this mixed carload cannot to be careful what you eat.

M. S Kelli

The following letter from the age that it should have on ac-Fort Worth Stock Yards Com- count of its neglecting to furnish

Kindly give this matter your city, should prove interesting to early attention and give us the the farmers of Randall county. benefit of your advice in the mat-

Yours very truly, Fort Worth Stock Yard Co. O. W. Matthews, Secretary and Treasurer. WORTHY OF CAREFUL

Hog slaughtering capacity of Packing houses at Fort Worth

CONSIDERATION.

for 9 months 1,500,000. Hogs marketed first 6 months

1611, 314,000. 6 months shortage in 1911, 1.186,000.

Hogs marketed first 6 months 1912, 175,000. 6 months shortage in 1912,

1,326,000. Increased shortage in 1912 as compared with 1911, 140,000 or

Actual shortage first 6 months as compared to actual demand.

Loss to farmers in failing to produce above shortage, \$21,-216,000.00.

A vast amount of ill health is due to impaired digestion. When the stomach fails to perform its functions properly the whole few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets is all you need. They will strengthen your digestion, indounds to the financial benefit of vigorate your liver, and regulate the farmers must of necessity your bowels, entirely doing away add to the increased prosperity with that miserable feeling due just gone through three years of Many others have been permandrouth, but at the present time ently cured-why not you? For

"Were all medicines as mericonfronts us is that there is torious as Chamberlain's Colic, plenty of feed on hand and but Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the world would be much better it up. This applies particularly off and the percentage of sufferto your section, and we would ing greatly decreased," writes like to know whether you would Lindsay Scott, of Temple, Ind.

### Oscar LaRoe Killed.

One of the saddest accidents that has happened in many days happened Tuesday when Oscar LaRoe lost his life in an accident at Happy. Mr. LaRoe was assisting in moving a house when in some way he fell in front of the trucks which passed over his body causing his death a few hours later. Immediately after that these hogs shall form the the accident Mrs. LaRoe and a sister left for Happy, the father and mother being only a few their seed stock" for future miles away at the time of the accident. Mr. LaRoe was thirtythree years of age and had made Tulia his home for a number of years. He leaves a wife and two small children besides a father, mother and eight brothers and sisters, to mourn his departure. -Tulia Herald.

BILIOUS SPELLS

NO LONGER DANGEROUS

cine to Take the Place of too Powerful Calomel.

In the days when calomel was the only liver remedy, a torpid liver, or a spell of biliousness was a serious thing. Calomel is slaughter locally of the cattle a powerful mineral substance that are raised in the State. In that compels the liver, no matter other words, a packing house has how weak it is, to do it's work, to regulate the slaughtering of but does nothing to strengthen the liver and a large dosesometimes the usual dose-may tent, according to the number of cause salivation. Dodson's Livhogs that it slaughters, for the er-Tone is a builder that strengreason that the distributing thens the liver while making it houses of the packing plants do do its work. It is entirely vegnot call for a straight car load of bad after effect and is perfectly etable, pleasant to take, has no beef but for a carload of provi- suited for children as well as sions and beef, and consequent grown people. You don't have

be made up at these packing houses they have to be made up from northern packing houses and the State loses the advent.

City Pharmacy will sell you a bottle and guarantee it to give you perfect satisfaction. If it doesn't you can get your money had the State loses the advent.



for all toilet purposes are selected by us with great care. We can furnish soaps suitable for washing the dirty boy, for bathing the baby, for washing the teeth, for washing the hair, for the ladies toilet and the mechanic's dirty hands. We also sell medicinal soaps. Come in and see our soap displry. We are having a special sale.

### CITY PHARMACY

THE "REXALL" STORE



SAFE SOUND CONSERVATIVE **ACCOMODATING** GROWING

A GUARANTEE FUND BANK

The First State Bank

A good grain crop by not having

**Hail Insurance** 

The St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Co., an old line stock company with over \$8,000,000 cash assets will protect your grain crop against damage from HAIL. Liberal contracts, reasonable rates, attractive terms.

Will also insure your building, household goods, implements, and live stock against FIRE AND TORNADO.

### C. R. McAFEE G. N. HARRISON

J. E. WINKELMAN St. Paul policies offer gilt edge protection. Losses paid in ten years, \$22,559,204.

### S. A. Shotwell & Co.

Wholesale and Retail

Goal, Grain, Hides and Field Seeds.

Best Grades of Nigger Head and Maitland Coal.

CASH

the Ads in this issue

Notice is hereby given that on the first Tuesday in September, A.D.1912, being the 3rd day of said month, within lawful hours, at the Court House door of Randall county, in Canyon, Texas, as Sheriff of said county I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, those thirteen parcels of land situated tn Randall county, Texas, containing in the aggregate eight thousand, six hundred, ninety-two and 35-100 acres, all of which were located by virtue of certificates issued to the International & Great Northern Railroad Company and were patented to said Campany as being part of its Block No. Six in said county and more particularly described as follows:

Survey No.102 containing 672.91 acres Survey No.103 containing 673.05 acres Survey No.104 containing 672.85 acres Survey No.105 containing 672.61 acres Survey No.120 containing 673.7 acres Survey No.121 containing 673.77 acres Survey No.122 containing 673.28 acres Survey No.123 containing 672.93 acres Survey No.134 containing 662.72 acres Survey No.135 containing 662.71 acres Survey No.136 containing 662.76 acres Survey No.137 containing 663.11 acres Survey No.138 containing 655.95 acres which said lands are known as part of the Timber Creek Pasture Lands and are situated about eight to twelve miles East from the city or town of Canyon in said Randall county, Texas.

The said sale will be made by virtue of an order of sale issued but of the District Court of Travis county, Texas, upon a judgment in favor of Thomas R. White, Jr., John J. Phelps and Charles W. Cox against Thomas H. Rowan on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1912, for the sum of Forty, nine thousand, six hundred, two and 44-100 dollars (\$49,602.44) with ten per cent interest thereon from said date and costs of suit, and foreclosing the plaintiffs' vendor's lien on the lands herein described as the same existed on the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1908, and as it has at all times since existed against the defendant, Thomas H. Rowan and against all the other defendants in said suit, viz: Joseph L. Moore, W. S. McCuen, William L. McMillian, The Buffalo Pitts Company, A. T. Renfro, Robert Moore, Charles A. Blair, B. M. Seward and the First National Bank of Canyon, Texas, and upon a judgment rendered in said suit foreclosing a lien upon said lands secondary to plaintiffs' lien in favor of the First National Bank of Canyon, Texas, against defendants, Joseph L. Moore and W. S. McCuen, in satisfaction of a certain judgment rendered in favor of said bank against said Moore and said Mc-Cuen for the sum of Eight thousand, one hundred, sixty-three and 10-100 dollars (\$8,163.10) with interest thereon at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum from the 7th day of November, A. D. 1911, -which said order of 'sale bears date August 2nd, A. D. 1912, and the same was levied by me upon the aforesaid lands on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1912. Witness my hand on this, the 6th day

of August, A. D. 1912.

Worth A. Jennings, Sheriff Randall county, Texas.

Whereas on the 28th day of October 1909, E. C. Thomas and C. M. Thomas did execute and deliver to me their certain deed of trust of that date conveying to me all of lots No. 11 and 12 in block No. 39, Canyon City, Randall county, Texas, as shown by the recorded plat of said town in the deed records of said county and block No. 17 in Bomar addition to Canyon City, Randall county, Texas; as shown by the recorded plat of said addition in the deed records of Randall county, Texas, which deed of trust is of record in the records of Deeds of Trust in Volume No. 4, page 181, and Whereas said Deed of Trust was given to secure the First National Bank of Canyon in the payment of a certain note in said deed of trust fully described and which note was originally for the sum of \$3500.00, and whereas said note is unpaid except as to credits to the amount of \$590.00 which are shown on same, and

Whereas the owner and holder of said note, The First National Bank of Canyon, desires me to sell said above described property as provided for in said deed of trust:

Therefore, I, D. A. Park, trustee as aforesaid, will proceed to sell said above described property under the terms of said deed of trust on the first Tuesday in September A. D. 1912, the same being the 3rd day of September, 1912, before the Court house door of Randall county to the highest bidder for cash, and the proceeds of such sale will be applied as provided for by the terms of said deed of trust.

D. A. PARK, Trustee.

ds.

Mr. W. S. Gunsalus, a farmer living near Fleming, Pa., says he has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in his family for fourteen years, and that he has found it to be an excellent remedy, and takes pleasure in recommending it For sale by all dealers.

# ALL SUMMER GOODS MUST GO

Our buyer is now in market purchasing our fall stock, and to make room for new goods and to also get cash to pay for them, we are putting on the greatest reduction sale that has ever been offered to the people of Canyon and Randall county. Come early and get first pick. The stock will move rapidly at these prices.

# THESE PRICES ARE FOR CASH ONLY

### Men's Suits

Good assortment in browns, grays, serges, and fancy patterns.

| \$25.00 | Suits |   | - | 19L | - |   |   |   | \$17.0 |
|---------|-------|---|---|-----|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 22.50   | Suits | - |   | -   |   | - |   | - | 15.5   |
| 20.00   | Suits |   | - | -   | - |   | - |   | 13.5   |
| 16.50   | Suits |   |   | •   |   | - |   | - | 11.5   |
| 15.00   | Suits |   | - |     | - |   | - |   | 9.0    |
| 13.00   | Suits | - |   | -   |   | - |   | - | 8.0    |
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### Claring

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### Hats

| \$6.00 | Stetson for | 1 1 = 1 | - \$4.83 |
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| 5.00   | Stetson for |         | - 3.98   |
| 3.00   | Hats all go | for -   | - 2.20   |
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|        |         |      | 10.35 |   | N. Carlotte |     |    |      |        |

### Shoe Department

600 pairs Men's, Ladies and Children's Oxfords and Pumps go in this sale at 20 per cent reduction.

All Men's belts. All Ladies belts. All Ladies skirts. All fancy parasols. All Boys wash suits.

One lot Ladies shirt waists. All Ladies white silk dresses.

All white and fancy hand bags. All Men's and Boys' straw hats. All 5c laces, embroideries and insertions.

All Ladies and Children's hats in millinery department.

All colored lawns ranging in price from 5 to 30 cents.

20 per cent off on all silks, messalines and fancy silk dress patterns.

20 per cent off on Men's, Ladies and Children's silk, lisle and cotton hosiery.

20 per cent off on all Boys' suits.

20 per cent off on all Ladies and Men's eckwear.

20 per cent off on all trunks, grips and suit cases.

20 per cent off on all Men' and Boys' trousers.

20 per cent off on all table linens.

Red Seal ginghams 12 1-2 ct. grade for 10 cents.

All \$5.00 Silk kimonas for \$3.35. All \$1.50 Crepe kimonas for \$1.15.

33 1-3 per cent off on all fancy vests.

20 per cent off on all ribbons.

20 per cent off on Men's and Boys' summer caps.

Cash when you get the goods at these prices, everything charged at regular prices

SALE BEGINS THURSDAY, AUGUST 1 AND CLOSES SATURDAY, AUGUST 10



Entered at postoffice at Canyon, Texas, as We" Houston street.

We wish to call the reader's attention to four proposed constitutional amendments which appear on page six of this issue. These amendments were passed November election when each you. voter will pass judgment 'upon them. The amendments are published in every county in Texas and no voter has the right to go to the polls in the general election saying he knows nothing about these amendments. The News believes that all four mously approved by the voters | Canyon. of the state.

The milo maize crop in the West is very fine and all those who have planted milo maize wont have to buy feed next year. Maize is a great substitute for corn, and is almost a sure crop in the west. The time will come when maize and kaffir will be

JUDGE FOR YOURSELF.

Which is Better-Try an Experiment or Profit by a Canyon Citizen's Experience.

Must be proved to be as represented.

The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit.

endorsement of But the friends is.

Now supposing you had a bad

A Lame, Weak, or Aching one, Would you experiment on it? You will read of many so-called

Endorsed by strangers from faraway places.

It's different when the endorsement comes from home.

Easy to prove local testimony. proof that backs every box of Doan's Kidney Pills.

Read this case: C. E. Coss, prop. of hotel, Canyon, Texas, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and I have received very satisfactory results. This remedy acts as advertised."

For sale by all dealers. Price his horse were quite badly crip-50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., pled. Buffalo, New York, Sole Agents for the United States.

Remember the name-Doan's -and take no other.



### **EXCURSIONS**

State Democratic Convention, San Antonio, Aug. 13-15, ticket sale Aug. 10-12, limit Aug. 18. Marshal and Tax Collector. 17t4 Round trip. \$22.00.

Panhandle Bankers Association, Plainview, Aug. 13-14, ticket sale Aug. 12-14, limit Aug. 15. Round trip \$2.30.

Cotton Carnival, Galveston, hunting is allowed on same. Aug. 7 to 17. Ticket sale Aug. 6 hope that no parties will persist to 15, limit Aug. 19. Round trip \$23.15.

Merchants Meeting, Dallas, August to September. One and one-third fare on certificate plan. First meeting Aug. 5 to 14.

Summer Tourist round trip rates to Texas and other Summer Resorts in United States. Phone or call at ticket office.

R. McGee, Agt.

the universal crop of the west and Indian corn will be abandoned. -Texas Farm Co-Operator,

The News acknowledges receipt of a very pretty booklet from the Young Men's Business Club of Canadian advertising their city. "We Canhandle the Panhandle" is the slogan of this organization and every fellow in the club is a born booster. W. A. Palmer is secretary of this

A few people are inclined to by the last legislature and will be "sore" over the results of the be voted upon by the people of primary. Forget it. Put the Texas before their final adoption. the same amount of energy in Every voter should read each boosting Canyon as you expendamendment and study them so ed upon your favorite candidate as to be thoroughly acquainted and you will forget your trouwith them by the time of the bles. All together now for Can-

> Hereford Recorder: We are Just wondering how many of the successful candidates that said

Get into the booster band wagon tonight and attend the Comare good and should be unani. mercial club smoker. Boost for

> Join the crowd tonight and attend the Commercial club smoker

Send the News back home. The Folks" will appreciate it.

"EXCUSE ME."

Sunny Hill Items.

Rev. DeVolt is conducting a splendid revival meeting at Sunny Hill school house. It is not known how long the meeting will continue, but will probably close in a few days as the evangelist has another engagement. A good deal of interest is manifest and many hope the meetings may continue through the week. Rev. DeVolt is very ably assisted by his two daughters who sing and play.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allison returned Thursday from a several days fishing trip.

Miss Jessie Gill of the Normal was the guest of Sunny Hill friends Sunday.

Miss Abbie St. John is visiting with Miss Bertha Rushing and Mrs. Ellis Knox.

Grandma Allison has been vis iting with Canyon and Umbarger friends for some time.

An excellent rain fell Sunday night which will be a great help Home endorsement is the to all the row crops. The rain began to fall shortly after the close of the meeting and very few of those in attendance were able to get home until Monday morning on account, of the darkness. Only one accident has gentle for ladies to drive. been reported, Miller Currie ran 16tf Grady Oldham, Canyon. his horse through the fence, in the darkness, and both he and

"Excuse Me."

City Taxes.

Notice is hereby given that City Taxes, for Canyon City, Texas, for the year 1912 will be due August 1, 1912, and will be delinquent September 1, at which time a penalty of ten per cent on amount of taxes will be added.

J. H. JOWELL, City

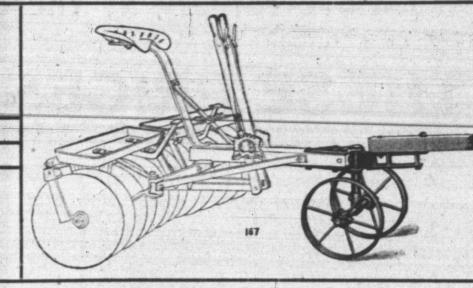
Notice is hereby given that my land in Survey No. 1, Block B-5, has been posted. No fishing or in giving me trouble so that pro-

secution will be necessary. L. T. Lester.

One of the most common ailments that hard working people are afflicted with is lame back. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the parts thoroughly at each application and you will get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

# Preverve the Moisture Best done by killing the weeds

"Follow the binder and header with the disc harrow," say the expert agriculturists, "in order to kill the weeds and preserve all the moisture until the ground can be plowed." Many farmers are doing this, but all should be in this class, especially since good rains have fallen. Nothing can be done early that will do more to preserve the moisture than by forming a mulch with the disc harrow.



# P. & O. Disc Harrow

Leads them all, it positively has no equal. It is made in all sizes. Also can be equipped with tandem attachment so as to double disc as you go. It is the longest life and most substantial disc harrow on market. See us before buying.

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harness and Studebaker buggy. I. L. Vansant.

FOR SALE-Good horse and harness. Good young horse,

FOR SALE- At bargain, one horse and buggy. Apply at this

WANTED-Would like to rent a good piano. Phone 169.

FOR SALE: - The N. E. 1-4 and the S. W. 1-4, Sec. 134, Blk. 9, Randall Co. Will sell in a body or by the quarter, price \$15 per acre. Address Box 69, R. F. D. No. 3, York, Nebr. 17p4

For Sale-Good dairy business in Canyon, doing good business. Herd of good Jersey cows.

A. D. Dooley.

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One of the finest improved sections in Randall county, three miles west of Canyon, all under cultivation, fenced in four fields, word for first insertion and 1-2 cent good thirteen room house, all modern, well, barn, cattle sheds, 566 forty rods to school. Will trade FOR SALE-Good set single trade for good ranch where I can lease plenty of grass. What have you? Address J. P. Anderson, Canyon, Texas.

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# GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE OF FURNITURE

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Stock must be closed out, so come early while you can get bargains.

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LUTION.

An Act proposing an amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new section thereto, to be entitled "Section ment shall have written or printed on 30a"; providing that the members of their ballots, the words: "For amendthe Board of Regents of the State University, and the boards of trustees or Constitution, authorizing cities of managers of educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions of the to adopt their charters by a vote of State and such other boards as have the people;" those opposing said been or may hereafter be established by law, may be elected or appointed for term of six (6) years, one-third of the members of said boards to be elected or appointed every two (2) years in the manner provided by law, fixing to adopt their charters, by a vote of making the appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution be amended by adding a new section thereto, to be known and designated as "30a." and to read as

Section 30a. The Legislature may provide by law that members of the Board of Regents of the State University, and Boards of Trustees or Managers of the educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions of the State, and such boards as have been, or may hereafter be established by law, may hold their respective offices for the term of six (6) years, one-third of the members of such boards to be elected or appointed-every two (2) years in such manner as the Legislature may determine; vacancies in such sailors and their widows, and to soloffices to be filled as may be provided diers who served in the militia and in by law;" and the Legislature shall enact suitable laws to give effect to this frontier and their indigent widows, section.

SEC. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a digent and dependent wives and widvote of the qualified electors for the members of the Legislature, at the next ors, and such women as aided the general election to be held in this Confederacy, and authorize a special State, at which election all voters fav- ad valorem pension tax, and making oring said proposed amendment shall appropriations for same. have printed or written on their bal-"For the amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of or Managers, heretofore or hereafter read as follows: established by law." And all voters opposed to said amendment shall have lature shall have no power to make hereafter established by law."

quired by the law of the State.

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ticle II of the Constitution of the home. State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

for that purpose, adopt or amend their lars valuation for the purpose of crethe State, or of the general laws en- navies, organizations or militia. acted by the Legislature of this State: said cities may levy, assess and col- is hereby directed to issue the neceslect such taxes as may be authorized sary proclamation for the submission by law or by their charters; but no tax of this amendment to the qualified votfor any purpose shall ever be lawful ers of the State of Texas at the generfor any one year, which shall exceed al election of State officers, in Novemtwo and one-half per cent. of the tax- ber, 1912. At which election all voters able property of such city, and no debt favoring this amendment shall have shall ever be created by any city, un- written or printed on their ballots the less at the same time provision be words: "For the amendment to Sec-

TIONAL ELEEMOSYNARY AND is hereby directed to issue the necessions." PENAL INSTITUTIONS SHALL sary proclamation, submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of much thereof as may be necessary, is FOR THE TERM OF SIX YEARS Texas at the next general election held hereby appropriated to pay the exin this State, or in case any previous penses of carrying out the provisions election shall be held in this State for of this resolution. other purposes, then this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State. At such election, those favoring the amendment to Section 5, Article' II, of the more than five thousand inhabitants amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against amendment to Section 5, Article II, of stitution by adding thereto Section 58, the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants sioners, and making the term of office the time for holding the election, and the people." The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much as is necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the Treasury of the State of Texas out of moneys not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of the publication of this amendment and the proclamation for the election.

> PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTUTITION SO AS TO AUTHORIZE THE GRANT OF AID TO INDIGENT AND DIS-ABLED SOLDIERS AND SAIL-ORS AND THEIR WIVES.

S.J.R. No. 9.)

Senate Joint Resolution to amend Section 51, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to authorize the grant of aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and organizations for the protection of the and to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for the inows of Confederate soldiers and sail-

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section 51, Article the board of Regents of the State Uni- 3, of the Constitution of the State of versity, and other Boards of Trustees Texas be so amended as to hereafter ARTICLE 3. Section 51. The Legis-

printed or written on their ballots the any grant or authorize the making of persons favoring said amendment words: "Against the amendment of any grant of public money to any in-Article 16 of the Constitution of the dividual, association of individuals, State of Texas, regulating the term of municipal or other corporation whatoffice of the Board of Regents of the soever; provided, however, the Legis-State University, and other Board of lature may grant aid to indigent and Trustees, or Managers, heretofore or disabled Confederate soldiers and their ballots "Against a six years' sailors who came to Texas prior to SEC. 3. The Governor of this State January 1, 1900, and their widows in is hereby directed to issue the neces- indigent circumstances, and who have sary proclamation for said election, been bona fida residents of the State and have the same published, as re- of Texas since January 1, 1900, and who were married to such soldiers and SEC. 4. The sum of five thousand sailors anterior to January 1, 1900, to dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as indigent and disabled soldiers, who may be necessary, is hereby appropri- under special laws of the State of Texated out of any funds in the State as, during the war between the States Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, served for a period of at least six to defray the expenses of said proclat months in organizations for the promation, publication, and election. 19t4 tection of the frontier against Indian raids or Mexican marauders, and to PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE indigent and disabled soldiers of the CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZ- militia of the State of Texas, who were ING CITIES OF MORE THAN in active service for a period of at 5000 INHABITANTS TO ADOPT least six months during the war be-THEIR CHARTERS BY VOTE tween the States, to the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent cir-(H.J.R. No. 10.) House Joint Reso- cumstances, and who were married to such soldiers prior to January 1, 1900, provided that the word "widow" in House Joint Resolution proposing he preceding lines of this section shall an amendment to Section 5, of Article not apply to women born since 1861, II, of the Constitution of the State of and also to grant aid for the estab-Texas, providing for cities of more lishment and maintenance of a home than five thousand (50000) inhabitants for said soldiers and sailors, their to adopt their charter by a vote of the wives and widows, and women who aided in the Confederacy under such Be it resolved by the Legislature of regulations and limitations as may be provided for by law: provided, the Legislature may provide for husband SECTION 1. That Section 5 of Ar- and wife to remain together in the

The Legislature shall have the power to levy and collect, in addition to Section 5. Cities having more than all other taxes heretofore permitted by five thousand (5000) inhabitants may, the Constitution of Texas, a State ad by a majority vote of the qualified valorem tax on property not exceedvoters of said city, at an election held ing five cents on the one hundred dolcharters subject to such limita- ating a special fund for the payment tions as may be prescribed by the leg- of pensions for services in the Conislature, and providing that no chart- federate Army and Navy, frontier orer or any ordinance passed under said ganizations and the militia of the charter shall contain any provision State of Texas, and for the widows of inconsistent with the constitution of such soldiers serving in said armies,

SEC. 2. The Governor of the State made to asses and collect annually a tion 51, Article 3 of the Constitution

ROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE sufficient sum to pay the interest there relating to increase of Confederate STATE CONSTITUTION PRO- on and creating a sinking fund of at pensions;" and the voters opposed to VIDING THAT MEMBERS OF least two per cent thereon; and pro- said amendments shall have written or THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF vided further, that no city charter printed on their ballots the words: THE STATE UNIVERSITY AND shall be altered, amended or repealed "Against the amendment to Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution, re-SEC. 2 The Governor of this State lating to increase of Confederate pen-

SEC. 3. The sum of \$5,000,00 or so

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION CRE-ATING THE OFFICE OF PRIS-ING THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PRISON COM-MISSIONERS SIX YEARS.

H.J.R. No. 22.) HOUSE JOINT RESO-

A Joint Resolution proposing to amend Article XVI of the State Concreating the office of Prison Commisof the members of the Board of Prison Commissioners six years, and making an appropriation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section which shall be known as Section 58 and shall read as follows:

Section 58. (Article XVI.) The Board of Prison Commissioners charged by law with the control and management of the State prisons, shall be composed of three members appointed by the Governor, by and with the consent of the Senate, and whose terms of office shall be six years, or until their successors are appointed and qualified; provided that the terms of office of the Board of Prison Commissioners first appointed after the adoption of this amendment shall begin on January 20th of the year following the adoption of this amendment, and shall hold office as follows: One shall serve two years, one four years and one six years. Their terms to be decided by lot after they shall have qualified, and one Prison Commissioner shall be appointed every two years thereafter. In case of a vacancy in said office the Governor of this state shall fill said vacancy by appointment for the unexpired term thereof.

SEC. 2. The Governor of this state is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to the qualified voters for members of the Legislature of the State of Texas at the next general election to be held in this State. All shall have written or printed on their ballots "For a six years' term for Prison Commissioners' and thosh opposed to the adoption of this amendment shall have written or printed on term for Prison Commissioners."

SEC. 3. The sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby approriated out of any funds of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of publication of the Governor's proclamation submitting this proposed amendment. 19t4

Meeting every Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at I. O. O. F. hall in the Smith building. C. Taylor, Noble Grand. J. F. Smith, Sec. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

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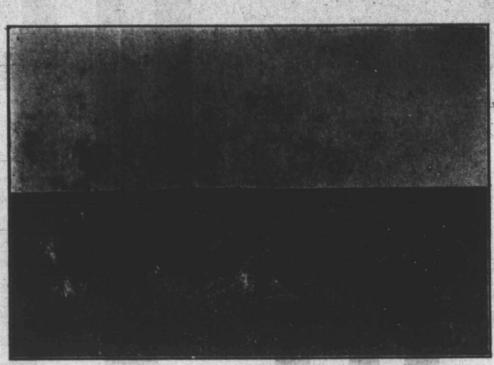
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The successful outcome of flax culture, demonstrated last year under conditions much less favorable than can confidently be reckoned on in the future has added another to the list of our resources.



Farms can be bought here now cheaper than they can later on, at prices which are certain of a steady advance as the summer and fall emigration stimulates the demand.

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TALE OF THE PLAINS

By RANDALL PARRISH of "MY LADY OF THE SOUTH," EN WILDERNESS WAS KING," etc.

by DEARBORN MELVILL.

(Copyright, A. O. McClurg & Co., 1910.) "Sure; it's clear enough how that came about. The boy told him about the lost heiress his father was searching after, and showed him his sister's picture. 'Black Bart' instantly recognized her resemblance to Christie Maclaire, and thought he saw a good chance for some easy money. He needed the papers, however, to ascertain exactly the terms of the will, and what would be necessary for the identification. He never intended to go into court, but hoped to either get Waite out of the way, or else convince him that Christie was the girl, relying on her gratitude for his profits. When Waite played into his hands by coming to Carson City the chance was too good to be lost. I'm not sure he meant to kill him, but he did mean to have those papers at any cost. Probably because she was so ignorant of her

That knocked over the whole thing." first touch of the cool night air, the sionally sent the doctor hurriedly first glance up and down the noisy within, and up the stairs. He stood, street, brought Keith to himself, his just outside her door, quaking like a mind ready to grapple with the prob child, the perspiration beading his lem of Hope's disappearance. It forehead, but a light streamed seemed to him he had already looked through the transom, and he could everywhere, yet there was nothing to plainly hear movements within. At do except to continue the search, only last, in a sudden spasm of courage, more systematically. The sheriff as he knocked softly. Even in that noisy sumed control-clear headed, and ac- spot she heard instantly, opening the customed to that sort of thing-call- door without hesitation, and standing ing in Hickock and his deputies to fully dressed within. She was no assist, and fairly combing the town longer a discouraged, sobbing girl, from one end to the other. Not a rat but an aroused, intent woman, into could have slipped unobserved whose pathetic, lonely life there had through the net he dragged down that come a new hope. She appeared long street, or its intersecting alleys younger, fairer, with the light shim--but it was without result; nowhere mering in her hair and her eyes smilwas there found a trace of either the ing welcome.

gambler or his companion. vaded boarding houses, and explored shacks and tents, indifferent to the protests of those disturbed-but without result. They found several who knew Hawley, others who had seen the two together passing by the lighted windows of the Trocadero, but beyond Sheridan, and beginning to fear the worst, the searchers separated, and sented itself. Keith, with the sheriff mosphere." and two or three others, had groped flush of dawn, they found themselves vine, near the foot of "Boots Hill." ed the rigid form over until the dead face was revealed in the wan lightit was that of the red moustached Scott. He staggered back at the rec-

ognition, barely able to ejaculate. "Here, Sheriff! This is one of Hawley's men!" The sheriff was bending instantly above the corpse, searching for the

truth. "You know the fellow?"

"Yes, his name was Scott." 'Well, he's been dead some hours, at least six I should say; shot just hurt." above the eye, and good Heavens! look here, Keith, at the size of this

bullet wound; that's no man's gun in

this country-no more than a '32' I'd

Bay. "Miss Waite had a small revolver. why did they leave the body here to be discovered?"

The sheriff arose to his feet, prowling about in the brightening glow of ly claim the championship." the dawn.

"They were in a hurry to get away, and knew he wouldn't be found before morning. A six hours' start means a good deal. They did drag him back of her." out of sight-look here. This was where the struggle took place, and here is where the man fell," tracing it out upon the ground. "The girl put up a stiffefight, too-see where they dragged her up the path. From the footprints there must have been half a dozen in the party. Get back out of the way, Sims, while I follow their trail."

It was plain enough, now they had daylight to assist them, and led around the edge of the hill. A hundred feet away they came to where horses had been standing, the trampled sod evidencing they must have been there for some considerable time. Keith and the sheriff circled out until they finally struck the trail of the party, which led forth southwest across the prairie.

"Seven horses, one being led light," said the former. "That was Scott's, "That's the whole story," replied

the sheriff, staring off toward the

bare horizon, "and the cusses have at

least six hours the start with fresh horses." He turned around. "Well, boys, that takes 'em out of my bailiwick, I reckon. Some of the rest of you will have to run that gang down."

CHAPTER XXXII

Fairbain and Christie.

Dr. Fairbain had originally joined the searching party, fully as eager as Keith himself to run down the renegade Hawley, but after an hour of resultless effort, his entire thought shifted to the woman they had left alone at the hotel. He could not, as yet, fully grasp the situation, but he remained loyal to the one overpowering truth that he loved Christie Maclaire. Fairbain's nature was rough, original, yet loyal to the core. He had lived all his life long in army camps, and upon the frontier, and his code of honor was extremely simple. It never once occurred to him that Christie's profession was not of the highest, or that her life and associations in any way unfitted her for the future. To his mind she was the one and only woman. His last memory of her, as the little party of men filed out of that room, haunted him until he finally dropped out of the search and drifted back toward the hotel. It was a late hour, yet it was hard-

ly likely the woman had retired. Her excitement, her interest in the pursuit, would surely prevent that; moreover, he was certain he saw a light still burning in her room, as he looked up from the black street below. Nevertheless he hesitated, uncertain of his you know the rest-the girl was easy, reception. Bluff, emphatic, never afraid to face a man in his life, his parentage, and nothing prevented heart now beat flercely as he endeav-Hawley from winning except that ored to muster the necessary cour-Waite got mad and decided to fight age. Far down the dark street some roysterer fired a shot, and sudden fear They were outside now, and the lest he might be sought after profes-

"Oh, Doctor," and her hands were They dug into saloons, bagnios, thrust out towards him, "I am glad dance-halls, searching back rooms you have come. Somehow, I thought and questioning inmates; they routed you would, and I have wanted so to talk to some one-to you.

"To me! Do you really mean that, Miss Christie?"

"Yes, I really mean that, you great bear of a man," and the girl laughed lightly, dragging him into the room and closing the door. !'Why, who else could I expect to come to-night? You that-nothing. Convinced, at last, that were the only one really good to me. the parties sought were not alive in You-you acted as if you believed in me all the time-

"I did, Christie; you bet I did," began spreading forth over the black broke in the delighted doctor, every surrounding prairie, and by the light nerve tingling. "I'd 'a' cleaned out of lanterns seeking any semblance of that whole gang if you'd only said trail. There was no lack of volun- so, but I reckon now it was better to teers for this work, but it was day let them tell all they knew. It was light before the slightest clue pre- like a thunder storm clearing the at-

"Oh, it was, indeed! Now I know their way outward until, with the first | who I am-who I am! Isn't that simply glorious? Sit down, Doctor Fairat the opening of a small rocky ra- bain, there in the big chair where I can see your face. I want to talk, talk, Peering down into its still shadowed talk; I want to ask questions, a thoudepths, they discerned what appeared sand questions; but it wouldn't do any like a body lying there motionless. good to ask them of you, would it? Keith sprang down beside it, and turn- You don't know anything about my family, do you?"

"Not very much, I am afraid, only that you have got an almighty pretty half-sister," admitted the man, emphatically, "and old Waite possesses the vilest temper ever given a human being. He's no blood kin to you,

though." "No, but he is awfully good underneath, isn't he?"

"Got a heart of pure gold, old Waite. Why, I've seen him cry like a baby over one of his men that got

"Have you known him, then, for a long while?"

"Ever since the Spring of '61. I was brigaded with him all through the war, and had to cut a bullet or so out of his hide before it ended. If She must have shot the fellow. But there was ever a fight, Willis Waite was sure to get his share. He could swear some then, but he's improved since, and I reckon now he could like-

> "Did—did you know my mother also?" and Christie leaned forward, her eyes suddenly grown misty. "I haven't even the slightest memory

The doctor's heart was tender, and he was swift to respond, reaching forth and grasping the hand nearest him. He had made love before, yet somehow this was different; he felt half afraid of this woman, and it was a new sensation altogether, and not unpleasant.

"I saw her often enough in those days, but not since. She was frequently in camp, a very sweet-faced woman; you have her eyes and hair, as I remember. Waite ought to have rec-

ognized you at first sight. By Heavens! that was what made me so infernally mad, the mulish obstinacy of the old fool. Your mother used to come to the hospital tent, too; one of the best nurses I ever saw. I thought she was a beauty then, but she's some older by this time," he paused regretfully. "You see, I'm no spring chicken, myself."

Her eyes were upon his face, a slight flush showing in either cheek, and she made no effort to withdraw



"You Know What I Mean-That I Love You."

her imprisoned hand. "You are just a nice age," with firm conviction. "Boys are tiresome, and I think a little gray in the hair is an improvement. Oh, you mustn't imagine I say this just to please you-I have always thought so, since-well, since I grew up. Besides, fleshy men generally look young, because they are so good natured, perhaps. How old are you, Doctor?"

"It isn't the gray hairs I mind, either," he admitted hesitatingly, "but I'm too darned bald-headed. Oh, I ain't go with him? She isn't that sort of a so old, for I was only thirty-five when girl." the war broke out. I was so thin then I could hardly cast a shadow. tle. I've changed some since," casting his eyes admiringly downward, "and got quite a figure. I was forty-three last month.

"That isn't old; that's just right." "I've been afraid you looked on me as being an old fogy!"

"I should say not," indignantly. "Why should you ever think that?" "Well, there were so many young fellows hanging about." "Who?"

"Oh, Keith, and Hawley, and that bunch of officers from the fort; you never had any time to give me.". She laughed again, her fingers tightening in their clasp on his hand.

"Why, how foolish; Hawley is older than you are, and I was only playing with Keith. Surely you must know that now. And as to the officers, they were just fun. You see, in my profession, one has to be awfully nice to

"But didn't you really care for Hawne insisted, bluntly probing to facts.

"He—he interested me," admitted the girl, hesitatingly, her eyes darkening with sudden anger. "He lied and I believed him-I would have believed any one who came with such a story. Oh, Dr. Fairbain," and she clung to him now eagerly, "you canfor what he brought me. I wanted so hated this life!" She flung her disengaged hand into the air with a gesture expressive of disgust. "I was showed it in his whole manner to new life. ward me, and I resented it; just for that, deep down in my heart, I hated him. I know it now, now that I really understand his purpose; but some way, when I was with him he seemed to fascinate me, to make me do just ly stimulated Keith to greater activity. as he willed. But you have never It was clearly evident the fugitives been that way; you-you have acted were endeavoring with all rapidity as though I was somebody—somebody possible to get beyond where the hand nice, and not just a music-hall singer. of law could reach them—their trail be, deep down you don't think I'm any the barren southwest was proof of this want you to think I am, and I am they would proceed very far in that going to tell you the truth, and you direction, as such a course would must believe me—I am a good girl."

he blurted out. "Don't you suppose ger than that from which they fied. bothering me, lassie. Why, I'd 'a' tended making for Carson City, where fought any buck who'd 'a' sneered at he could securely hide the girl, and you. What I wanted to know was, where he possessed friends to rally whether or not you really cared for to his defence, even an influence over any of those duffers. Can you tell me the officers of the law. The one thing that, Christie?"

She lifted her eyes to his face, her lips parted. "I can answer anything you ask."

"And you do not care for them?" "No." He drew his breath sharply, his

round face rosy.

"Then you have got to listen to me, for I'm deadly in earnest. I'm an old, rough, bald-headed fool that don't know much about women-I never thought before I'd ever want to-but you can bet on one thing, I'm square. Anybody in this town will tell you I'm square. They'll tell you that whatever I says goes. I've never run around much with women; somehow I never exactly liked the kind I've come up against, and maybe they didn't feel any particular interest in me. I didn't cut much shine as a ladies' man, but, I reckon now, it's only because the right one hadn't happened along. She is here now, though, all right, and I knew it the very first time I set eyes on her. Oh, you roped and tied me all right the first throw. Maybe I did get you and that half-sister mixed up a bit, but just the same you were the one I really wanted. Hope's all right; she's a mighty fine girl, but Could you—could you care for such a ger at some discovery the girl had Her lips were smiling and so were

her eyes, but it was a pleading smile. "I-I don't think it would be so really wanted me to."

you—wish you to be my wife?"

you wanted me." "Yes, and-and you will love?" he did not realize the significance of been Christie, and not Hope, he purthe action until her lips touched his posed bearing away with him, and the

"I do," she said; "you are the best querade.

man in the world." Fairbain could not move, could not seem to realize what it all meant. The prising, that all power of expression the man's perplexity, for instantly she led his mind to other things.

"But let us not talk of ourselves any more, tonight. There is so much wish to know; so much that ought to be done." She sprang to her feet. 'Why, it is almost shameful for us to stay here, selfishly happy, while others are in such trouble. Have they discovered Hope?"

"No; we scoured the whole town and found no trace. Now they are outside on the prairie, but there can be little chance of their picking up a trail before daylight." "And Hawley?"

"He has vanished elso; without doubt they are together. What do you suppose he can want of her? How, do you imagine he ever got her to

She shook her head, shivering a lit-

"He must have mistaken her for me-perhaps has not even yet discovered his mistake. But what it all means, or how he gained her consent to go with him, I cannot conceive." She stood with hands clasped, star-

ing out of the window. "There is a little light showing already," she exclaimed, pointing. "See, yonder. Oh, I trust they will find her alive, and unhurt. That man, I believe, is capable of any crime. But couldn't you be of some help? Why should you remain here with me? I am in no danger."

"You really wish me to go, Chris-

"Not that way-not that way," and she turned impulsively, with hands outstretched. "Of course I want you here with me, but I want you to help bring Hope back."

He drew her to him, supremely happy now, every feeling of embarrassment lost in complete certainty of pos- | brance of old cavalry days to guide |

"And I will," he said solemnly. "Wherever they may have gone I shall follow. I am going now, dear, and when I come back you'll be glad to see

"Shall I?" her eyes uplifted to his own, and swimming in tears. "I will not realize how hungry I have been be the happiest girl in all the world, I reckon. Oh, what a night this has to know the truth of my birth. Oh, I been! What a wonderful night! It has given me a name, a mother, and the man I love."

He kissed her, not in passion, but crazy to get away from it. That was in simple tenderness, and as he turned what made the man look good to me away she sank upon her knees at the he he promised so much. You will window, with head bowed upon the believe me, won't you? Oh, you must; sill. At the door he paused and I am going to make you. I am a looked back, and she turned and singer in music halls; I was brought smiled at him. Then he went out, up to that life from a little girl, and and she knelt there silently, gazing of course, I know what you Western forth into the dawn, her eyes blurred men think of us as a class. Hawley with tears-facing a new day, and a

CHAPTER XXXIII.

Following the Trail. The withdrawal of the sheriff mere Perhaps it's just your way, and may striking directly across the plains into better than the other do, but—but I purpose. Yet it was scarcely likely bring them straight into the heart of "Great God! of course you are," the Indian country, into greater danknow? That isn't what has been Keith felt no doubt that Hawley inwhich puzzled him most was the man's object in attempting so desperate a venture. Did he know his prisoner was Hope Waite? or did he still suppose he was running off with Christie Maclaire? Could some rumor of Waite's appeal to the courts have reached the gambler, frightened him, and caused him to attempt this desperate effort at escape? and did he bear Miss Maclaire with him, hoping to keep her safely concealed until he was better prepared to come out in open fight? If this was the actual state of affairs then it would account for much otherwise hard to explain. The actress would probably not have been missed, or, at least, seriously sought after, until she failed to appear at the theater the following evening. This delay would give the fugitives a start of twenty hours, or even more, and practically assure their safety. Besides, in the light of Waite's application to the sheriff for assistance, it was comparatively easy to conceive of a valid reason why Hawley should vanish, and desire, likewise, to take Miss Maclaire with him. But there was no apparent occasion for his forcible abduction of Hope. Of course, he might have done so from a suddenly aroused fit of anmade, yet everything pointed rather to a deliberate plan. Both horses and an' it was all over town by then

men were certainly waiting there under orders, Hawley's adherents in very hard," she admitted, "not if you charge, and every arrangement perfected in advance. Clearly enough "You know what I mean—that I love the gambler had planned it all out before he ever went to the Troca-"I supposed that was it—that—that dero-no doubt the completion of these final arrangements was what delayed his appearance at the hotel. If Her head dropped slowly, so slowly this was all true, then it must have latter was merely a victim of her mas-

What would result when the man discovered his mistake? Such a discovery could not be delayed long, aloutcome had been so sudden, so sur- though the girl was quick-witted, and would surely realize that her personal deserted him. In bewilderment he safety depended upon keeping up the lifted her face and looked into her deception to the last possible moment. eyes. Perhaps she realized—with the Yet the discovery must finally occur, swift intuition of a clever woman and there was no guessing what form Hawley's rage would assume when he found himself baffled, and all his plans for a fortune overturned. Keith fully realized Hope's peril, and his own helplessness to serve her in this emergency was agony. As they hurried back to the town, he briefly reviewed these conclusions with Waite and Fairbain, all alike agreeing there was nothing remaining for them to do except to take up the trail. The fugitives had already gained too great an advantage to be overhauled, but they might be traced to whatever point they were heading for. In spite of the start being so far to the west, Keith was firmly convinced that their destination would prove to be Carson City.

Procuring horses at the corral, their forces augmented by two volunteersboth men of experience—Keith, Waite, Fairbain and Neb departed without delay, not even pausing to eat but taking the necessary food with them. The sun had barely risen when they took up the trail, Keith, and a man named Bristoe, slightly in advance, their keen eyes marking every slight sign left for guidance across the bare plain. It was a comparatively easy trail to follow, leading directly into the southwest, the pony tracks cutting into the sod as though the reckless riders had bunched together, their horses trotting rapidly. Evidently no attempt had been made at concealment, and this served to convince the pursuers that Hawley still believed his captive to be Miss Maclaire, and that her disappearance would not be suspected until after nightfall. In that case the trail could not be discovered before the following morning, and with such a start, pursuit would be useless. Tireless, steadily, scarcely speaking except upon the business in hand, the pursuers pressed forward at an easy trot, Keith, in spite of intense anxiety, with the remem-



Keith Bent Over to Study the Tracks.

him, insisting upon sparing the horses as much as possible. This was to be a stern chase and a long one, and it was impossible to tell when they could procure remounts. The constant swerving of the trail westward seemed to shatter his earlier theory, and, brought him greater uneasiness. Finally he spoke of it to the old plainsman beside him.

"What do you suppose those fellows are heading so far west for, Ben? They are taking a big risk of running into hostiles."

"Oh, I don't know," returned the other gravely, lifting his eyes to the far-off sky line. "I reckon from the news thet come in last night from Hays, thar ain't no Injuns a rangin' thet way jist now. They're too blame busy out on the Arickaree. Maybe them fellers heerd the same story, an' thet's what makes 'em so bold.'

"What story? I've heard nothing. "Why, it's like this, Cap," drawling out the words, "leastways, thet's how it come inter Sheridan; 'Sandy' Forsythe an' his outfit, mostly plainsmen, started a while ago across Solomon River an' down Beaver Crick, headin' fer Fort Wallace. Over on the Arickaree, the whole damned Injun outfit jumped 'em. From all I heerd, thar must a bin nigh onto three thousan' o' the varmints, droppin' on 'em all at oncet, hell-bent-fer-election, with ol Roman Nose a leadin' 'em. It was shore a good fight, fer the scouts got onto an island an' stopped the bucks. Two of the fellers got through to Wallace yist'day, an' a courier brought the news in ter Hays. The Injuns had them boys cooped up thar fer eight days before them fellers got out, an' I reckon it'll be two or three days more fore the nigger sogers they sent out ter help ever git thar. So thar won't be no Injuns 'long this route we're travelin', fer the whole kit an' caboodle are up thar yit after 'Sandy.'" "And you suppose Hawley knew

about this?" "Why not, Cap? He was hangin 'round till after ten o'clock las' night,

Tain't likely he's got an outfit To with him thet's lost any Injune. I don't know whar they're bound, no mor'n you do, but I reckon they're reasonably sure they've got a clar road."

They pulled up on the banks of small stream to water their horses. and ate hastily. The trail led directly across, and with only the slightest possible delay they forded the shallow water, and mounted the opposite bank! A hundred yards farther on Bristoe reined up suddenly, pointing down at the traff.

"One hoss left the bunch here," he declared positively. Keith swung himself out of the saddle, and bent over to study the tracks. There was no doubting the evidence—a single horse the only one shod in the bunch with a rider on its back, judging fro the deep imprint of the hoofs, had swerved sharply to the left of the main body, heading directly into the southeast. The plainsman ran forward for a hundred yards to assure himself the man had not circled back; at that point the animal had been spurred into a lope. Keith rejoined the others.

"Must have been about daylight they reached here," he said, picking up his dangling rein, and looking into the questioning faces about him. "The fellow that rode out yonder alone was heading straight toward Carson City. He is going for fresh horses, I figure it, and will rejoin the bunch some place down on the Arkansas. The others intend to keep farther west where they won't be seen. What de you say, Ben?"

"Thet's the way it looms up ter me, Cap; most likely 'twas the boss him-

"Well, whoever it was, the girl is still with the others, and their trail is the easiest to fellow. We'll keep after them."

They pushed on hour after hour, as long as daylight lasted or they could perceive the faintest trace to follow. Already half-convinced that he knew the ultimate destination of the fugitives, Keith yet dare not venture on pressing forward during the night, thus possibly losing the trail and being compelled to retrace their steps. It was better to proceed slow and sure. Besides, judging from the condition of their own horses, the pursued would be compelled to halt somewhere to rest their stock also. Their trail even revealed the fact that they were traveling far less rapidly than at first, although evidently making every effort to cover the greatest possible distance before stopping. Just as the dusk shut in close about them they rode down into the valley of Shawnee Fork, and discovered signs of a recent camp at the edge of the stream. Here, apparently, judging from the camp-fire ashes, and the trampled grass along the Fork, the party must have halted for several hours. By lighting matches Keith and Briston discerned where some among them had laid down to sleep, and, through various signs, decided they must have again departed some five or six hours previous, one of their horses limping as if lame. The tired pursuers-went into camp at the same spot, but without venturing to light any fire, merely. snatching a cold bite, and dropping off to sleep with heads pillowed upon their saddles.

They were upon the trail again with the first dimness of the gray dawn, wading the waters of the Fork, and striking forth across the dull level of brown prairie and white alkali toward the Arkansas. They saw nothing all day moving in that wide vista about them, but rode steadily, scarcely exchanging a word, determined, grim, never swerving a yard from the faint trail. The pursued were moving slower, hampered, no doubt, by their lame horse, but were still well in advance. Moreover, the strain of the saddle was already beginning to tell severely on Waite, weakened somewhat by years, and the pursuers were compelled to halt oftener on his account. The end of the second day found them approaching the broken land bordering the Arkansas valley, and just before, nightfall they picked up a lame horse, evidently discarded by the party ahead.

By this time Keith had reached a definite decision as to his course. If the fugitives received a fresh relay of horses down there somewhere, and crossed the Arkansas, he felt positively sure as to their destination. But it would be useless pushing on after them in the present shape of his party -their horses worn out, and Waite reeling giddily in the saddle. If Hawley's outfit crossed the upper ford, toward which they were evidently heading, and struck through the sand hills, then they were making for the refuge of that lone cabin on Salt Fork. Should this prove true, then it was probable the gambler had not even yet discovered the identity of Hope, for if he had, he would scarcely venture upon taking her there, knowing that Keith would naturally suspect the spot. But Keith would not be likely to personally take up the trail in search for Christie Maclaire. It must have been Hawley then who had left the party and ridden east, and up to that time he had not found out his mistake. Yet if he brought out the fresh animals the chances were that Hope's identity would be revealed. Bristoe, who had turned aside to examine the straying horse, came trot-

"Belonged to their outfit all right, Cap," he reported, "carries the double cross brand and that shebang is upon the Smokey; saddle galls still bleeding."

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### Social and Personal Notes

"EXCUSE ME."

Miss Ruby Ballard spent Saturday in Amarillo.

B. Frank Buie was a business caller at Channing Tuesday.

G. W. Wharton, of Amarillo, spent Sunday in the city with friends.

Miss Dixie Harrison arrived Tuesday to visit at the home of her brother, C. N. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones, of Hereford, spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. R. S. Pipkin.

powder this week-25 cents can Mich., arrived last week to visit for only 20 cents. Market Gro- at the home of her daughter,

F. P. Guenther is entertaining this week two brothers from ed Monday to visit for a month F. Heller. Mr. Roberts owned through in their car.

G. G. Foster announces that the subscription list to the new Market-Grocery every Monday. to Clovis Friday to visit his Sunday school room at the Meth- We give 5 per cent off on all brother. Mr. Rogers returned odist church may be found at weekly payments of grocery home Tuesday and reports that the First National Bank where bills. those subscribing are asked to to call and settle.

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Rev. Nance, of Hereford, preached Sunday night at the Christian church.

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Mrs. Felix Robinson, of Dallas is visiting at the home of C. D.

Miss Carrie Quirk was down from Amarillo over Sunday visiting friends.

Lloyd Cook, of Henrietta, is visiting at the C. R. Burrow

Special price on K. C. baking Mrs. Stanford, of Detroit, Mrs. Travis Shaw.

C. B. Bates, of Prosper, arriv-Lavoca county. They came at the parental W. E. Bates home.

All collections are made at the

B. A. Stafford, Jr., went to Portales, N. M., Monday to attend the city schools institute. with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they Mr. Stafford was recently elected to the position of latin and the city Tuesday trying to find English teacher in that city.

> Miss Florence Mash, who has been attending the Normal at Canyon, visited with the J. O. place her children in school. Brown family, returning Thurs-

Mrs. S. W. Yoe, of San Saba arrived today to visit at the home of her son, Supt. T. J. Yoe.

I will have another car of peaches here about Aug. 15, at \$1.00 per bushel. D. N. Redburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike D. White, of Austin, are visiting at the Geo. A. Brandon home. Mr. White is one of the most prominent attorneys in the state.

The Merchant of Venice was presented at the Normal auditorium Monday night by the senior English class. The presentation was exceedingly interesting.

In connection with a full line of drugs, glass and paints, S. V. Wirt handles a full line of wall paper.

Miss Skiles, of the Turk & Armstrong Dry Goods Co. clerical force, left Saturday for a ten days vacation trip to Sulphur,

Mrs. Henderson returned Monday to her home at Hillsboro after spending two weeks at the home of her brother, D.C. Cleve-

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Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Keiser and daughter. Phyllis, arrived Wednesday from Keota, Iowa, where they have been visiting relatives. Mrs. Brier was called to Pennsylvania by the death of her sister and will not return to Canyon for some time.

Mrs. M. C. DeGraftenreid bought two lots this week just east of the Joe Service residence from F. P. Luke, consideration

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S. E. Roberts is here from Missouri visiting with his sisters Mrs. John Knight and Mrs. W. the first store in Randall county. but left here many years ago.

J. E. Rogers and family drove big rains had fallen all the way from Clovis to Canyon. He re ports the crops looking fine.

Mrs. Mary E. Cartwright and son, Wilford, of Hartley, were in a house to rent. Mrs. Cartwright intends to move to Canyen in a few weeks in order to

If you have lost anything, want on of the two ingredients is what pro-uces such wonderful results in curing the Stoneback school for the thing for sale, put a few lines day. While here she secured to buy something or have any-F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. coming year. - Hale County Her- among the classified ads. They are cheap and will bring results.

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G. W. Leverton went to Channing Monday on matters of busi-

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cook, of Henrietta, are visiting at the C. R. Burrow home.

Miss Kate Garner returned Friday to her home in Montague county after spending two months with relatives in the city.

Mrs. W. F.Garner and mother Mrs. Meadow, returned Friday to Plainview after spending two weeks with relatives in the city. | column.

Miss Ritchie went to Amarillo his home at Mineral Wells after weeks. spending two months in the city.

Mrs. G. R. Reid received the sad news of the death of her mother, Mrs. R. G. B. Fain, which occurred at Chillicothe Sunday morning. Mrs. Fain some time and her death was a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Hanna Friday, accompaning her nephew returned Saturday-from Califor-George Ritchie, who returned to nia where they have spent two

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Park and family went to Amarillo Monday where they joined the M. S. Park family for a week's outing on the canyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Coffee went had been in feeble health for to Amarillo Tuesday to spend a

Mrs. Jack Cavet and children, Try a want ad in the classified of Ft. Worth, are visiting rela

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