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SCHOOL ON WHEELS COMING.

Home Economics Car With Educational Train Here March 5th.

The first Home Economics school on wheels ever operated in Texas will arrive in Cotulla at 11:30 a. m. on March 5, 1913. This car has been equipped by the College of Industrial Arts and will be operated in connection with the agricultural train of A. & M. College. The car will be equipped with a model kitchen, in which a large number of labor-saving devices connected with the home will be used and displayed. In addition to this, there will be exhibits illustrating the principles of rural landscaping, interior decorations, house plans, and in fact all the latest devices and conveniences possible for the home will be displayed and explained.

Miss Martha T. Bell, of the Domestic Science Department of the College of Industrial Arts, and Miss Bettie Rogers, State Superintendent of Girls Canning Clubs of Texas, will be in charge of the demonstrations. Demonstrations will be given here, and chairs have been provided so that the greatest possible information may be secured by the audience. The audience will hear the lecture and demonstrations. The audience will hear the lecture and demonstrations. The audience will hear the lecture and demonstrations.

The first car equipped for this purpose in among the first to be in the South. It represents one of the many ways by which our great College for women at Denton is attempting to fulfill its share of usefulness by carrying the work of the College to thousands of homes throughout the State by giving our women a more intelligent comprehension of the ways and means of increasing household economy and efficiency.

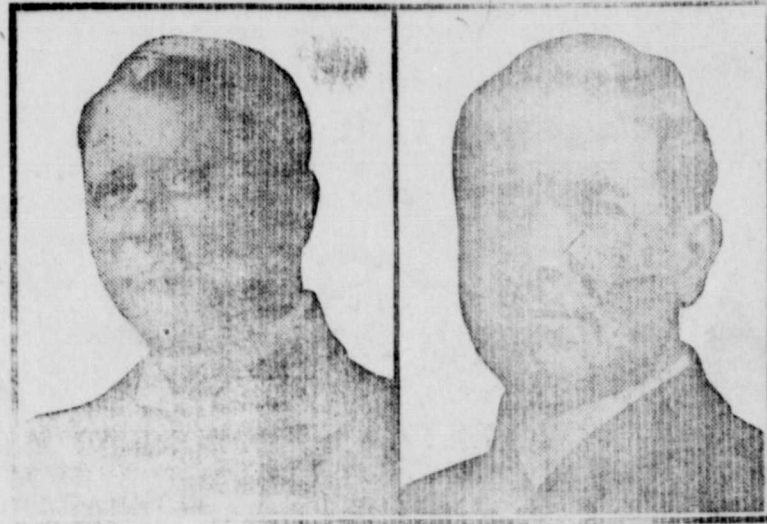
Church Notice.

There will be special services at the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning at eleven for the younger members of the congregation and the children of the church. The music will be conducted by the children and while the sermon will be especially dedicated to the young, the parents and friends of the children are invited to attend this service. Evening service at 7:30 H. W. Hamilton, Pastor.

NOTICE

My office days in Cotulla, will be Saturday and Monday of each week commencing Saturday, February 22nd. D. N. CUSHING, Dentist.

COTTON MILLS TO BE EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.



Jno. H. Kirby

V. A. Collins

Austin, Texas.—Hon. Jno. H. Kirby, chairman of the Committee on Manufacturing in the House, and Hon. V. A. Collins, chairman of the Committee on Manufacturing in the Senate, will probably have under consideration the exemption of cotton mills from taxation for a period of 25 years and many other measures calculated to encourage manufacturing.

Dixon to Speak at Laredo Feb. 12th.

Sam Dixon, well known among the agriculturists of the state will speak at Laredo on the night of 12th inst. Mr. Dixon is perhaps the best posted man in Texas on farmer's organizations and in his speech at Laredo he will dwell principally on the great necessity for perfect organization of the union growers of Southwest Texas.

The business men of Laredo are making an effort to have all parts of this section represented and the RECORD has been requested to have two demonstrators.

Cotulla district to go to Laredo on that date and hear what Mr. Dixon has to say.

Those who attended the San Antonio meeting last August will remember the talks by Mr. Dixon and it was through his efforts to a great extent that an agreement was reached between the association and the independents.

NOTICE

I have purchased the interest of Mr. W. C. Horgan in the drug firm heretofore conducted under the name of Horgan & Windrow, and the business will hereafter be run under the name of N. C. Windrow, at the same stand. I desire to thank the public for their liberal patronage in the past and ask for a continuance of same in the future, giving assurance of the best drugs at lowest prices. N. C. Windrow.

I have sold my interest in the Horgan & Windrow Drugstore to my partner, N. C. Windrow, who will conduct the business under his name hereafter in the same location. I take this occasion to thank the people for a generous share of their patronage in the past and trust you will be even more liberal with my successor. W. C. Horgan.

RESOLUTION

The relentless hand of death having again invaded the ranks of our chapter and removed our dear friend and Brother, J. B. Trice, therefore be it Resolved, that in the death of Brother Trice, Cotulla Chapter No. 328 Order Eastern Star, has lost a worthy and faithful member, whose cheerfulness and congeniality we sadly miss.

Resolved that the members of this chapter extend to the bereaved companion and sons, their most profound sympathy in their irreparable loss, and bid them look forward to a reunion in that eternal chapter, whose members will be remembered.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the deceased, a copy placed in the Chapter and a copy furnished the COTULLA RECORD for publication.

E. E. SCOGGINS
LIZZIE GILMER
MRS N. C. WINDROW
COMMITTEE.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dyson on 7th inst. Home made candy will be sold at the Valentine Party.

E. J. Jorgensen returned Thursday from Big Wells where they finished a painting contract for R. B. Seefeld.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kloster of Wichita Falls, Texas, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. F. I. Reek, at Rockwood for the past month, have returned home.

February the fourteenth the Baptist ladies will entertain at Dr. and Mrs. Wichmann's.

Mr. E. B. Zachry came in Saturday last from San Antonio and will locate in Cotulla, and will become identified with the business interests of our city. He expects his sister here within the next few weeks.

Do not forget the date of the Valentine Party at Mrs. Wichmann's February 14th.

Fred L. Anderson, W. H. White, of Rosston, Ark., L. D. Warmack, J. L. Boswell and S. M. Stewart of Bodeaw, Ark., were in Cotulla yesterday and spent several hours looking over our irrigated farms. These gentlemen have land in the Gardendale colony and are highly pleased with Southwest Texas. Nearly all of them have visited this section before. They are all readers of the Record, consequently keep up with what is going on in this part of the world.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Good Number In Attendance and Meeting Helpful to Workers.

The third annual convention of the LaSalle county Sunday School Association met at the Presbyterian Church Jan. 28-9. There was a good attendance from all parts of the county.

J. M. Adams, State field worker, met with the Association and the meeting was greatly benefited by his presence.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year. H. C. Fullerton, President; W. A. Tarver, vice-president; J. H. Gallman, sec'y-Treas.

Division Vice-Presidents: W. H. Collett, Gardendale; W. E. Earnest, Millett; L. L. Simmons, Fowlerton; M. H. Meisenheimer, Woodward; Claud Rock, Rockwood; Geo. B. Wiltse, Artesia and Artesia Wells; J. B. Shanks, Encinal.

Departmental Superintendents, Mrs. J. H. Gallman, elementary; Miss Elsie Gardner, adult; Rev. T. N. Barton, teacher training; E. E. Scoggins, temperance.

The budget for the ensuing year was fixed by the finance committee at \$120. This amount is to be raised by the Sunday schools of the county.

The entertainment and registration committee reported a total attendance of 180, as follows: Teachers, 42; delegates,

15. Collections with 3 Sunday Schools no represented \$122.00.

The advisory committee reported an enrollment of 709 in the Sunday schools of the county.

Prof. R. A. Taylor was elected a delegate to the Waco Convention in March. H. C. Fullerton was elected alternate.

The next meeting of the convention will be held at Fowlerton, April 17th, 1913.

NOTICE.

The undersigned will receive propositions up to and including February 28, 1913, for the furnishing of suitable premises for post office purposes at Cotulla, Texas under a lease for five or ten years from March 1st, 13, in accordance with the attached blank form, which, as will be noted, calls for the furnishing of rent, heat, light, water, closets, urinal, safe or vault, and all necessary furniture and equipment for the proper conduct of said office at a stated price per annum.

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Good day-light. Location not too far from business center and within eighty rods of railroad depots are points for general consideration.

Blank propositions may be obtained from the postmaster. The form of lease may be examined at the post office.

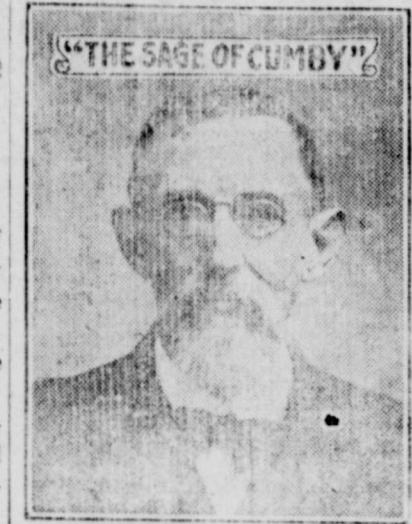
Diagrams of the room offered should be submitted, showing dimensions, windows, ect.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

A. R. Bulter,
Post office Inspector.

The Eastern Star will have a call meeting for February 17th. for initiation.

New Law For County Officers.



R R WILLIAMS

Austin, Texas, Hon. R. R. Williams, representing the 34th district in the Thirty-third Legislature, will introduce a bill in the House in favor of four-years term of office for State and County officials.

METHODIST CHURCH.

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BOND ISSUE IN FRIO CARRIES.

Citizens By Large Majority Vote \$80,000.00 Road Bonds.

Last Saturday by a vote of almost three to one Frio county voted a bond issue of \$80,000.00 for building good roads. The victory was won by greater majority than anyone anticipated. Ever since last summer a fight has been going on in that county. The issue even entered into the primaries in the election of county officials, and at that time it appeared that those opposed to the issuance of bonds had the best of it. But the fight went on, and when the final election was held it was found that public opinion had changed greatly. Judge S. T. Dove of Pearsall was in Cotulla Thursday and was feeling good over the outcome of the election. "It was a bitter fight," said the Judge, "but we won with plenty of votes to spare." Judge Dove was one of the leaders for the bond issue, and is to be congratulated on the victory. Every precinct in Frio county carried for the bonds except Covey Chapel, and the vote there was a tie.

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Casaday two-horse Planters at	26.00
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\$40.00 Steel Field Rollers, 6-ft., at	31.00
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\$50 Disc Harrows, with Seeder, at	38.00
\$45 Grain Drills, 5-disc, at	37.00
\$70 Grain Drills, 8-disc, at	61.00
\$80 Grain Drills, 10-disc, at	71.00
Chattanooga Single-Disc Plows at	42.00
Chattanooga Double-Disc Plows at	56.00
\$67.50 Transplanters, with Watering Barrel, at	56.00
Farm Wagons, 2 1/2-inch, at	75.00
Farm Wagons, 3-inch, at	83.00
Farm Wagons, 3 1/2-inch, at	92.00
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Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 28.—The second trial of Clarence S. Darrow, a former Chicago lawyer, on a charge of jury bribing in the McNamara dynamiting trial, in which he acted as chief counsel for the laboring men, has begun with Darrow as his own attorney. Judge O. W. Powers has been retained by Darrow, but the labor attorney shows clearly that he himself will conduct the most important part of the case.

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McKinney, Tex., Feb. 3.—It has become known that a physician working with the rescuers among the burning wreckage of the Mississippi dry goods store, ended the life of a young man who was pinned and burning. Another man, an aged banker, begged for a similar release from agony, but it was denied him.

Fifty men were working in a frenzy of effort to release E. N. Presley, a clerk, who was found caught between two timbers that could not be moved. With the group of rescuers was a physician.

Bees to Be Shot.

"Somebody shoot me," the sufferer was begging repeatedly.

His feet, bared of shoes by the fire, were naked among the coats. Presley caught sight of the physician, who came close to his side.

"Can't you do anything, doctor?" pleaded Presley.

"There is nothing I can do," said the doctor.

"Then can't you—can't you do something—to end it?"

"You know I can't do that," the doctor said. "Don't ask that, man."

The young man shrieked his agony. The physician grew pale.

"Perhaps this hypodermic—"

he began. And he applied the needle. The injection was so strong that Presley died a moment later in a convulsion.

Banker Dead When Released.

In another part of the wreckage was Leslie Bush, a banker, 67 years old. He, too, was pinned and begging for death. But there seemed a chance in a thousand to rescue him. His moans grew fainter as rescuers worked. Finally out. He was dead.

Employees of the dry goods store that the building was shaking in a collapse. All the schools were closed.

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Beekeepers Notes

By E. G. LeSturgeon

THE PARTRIDGE-PEA AS A HONEY PLANT

J. J. Wilder.

There are two well known species of partridge pea. One that grows on low, damp land where the water stands near the surface. It grows mostly in sections where there are lakes and along the coast, and is distinguished from the other by its ragged leaves, and it does not grow as tall.

This species does not secrete nectar, while the other plant grows from 18 inches to 5 feet, and on higher land, and is perhaps the greatest nectar yielding plant known. The plant blooms profusely, but does not yield its nectar through its bloom, but through nectar cells at the bases of its leaves. Here it collects in drops and runs down to the ground during the night or damp, cloudy days.

The greatest mystery about this plant is why the bees do not gather more honey from it, as it yields so heavily, and the duration is so long, about 100 days. But the bees do store from one to three supers during its flow of very fine, light honey. The flow begins in June and lasts until about the first of October.

The point I want to make is that a very large section of Dixie would be almost a desert so far as beekeeping is concerned were it not for this plant. It grows out over the forest and uncultivated land in the poorest sections of our country; thus making bee keeping possible even in seemingly the most unfavorable sections. It is not always a sure "hit" for its honey, but by taking several seasons in succession it makes bee keeping profitable. Then, too, there are two other minor honey plants which grow on the same kind of soil, and these very often give a yield of nectar that makes up fully for the partridge-pea during its off seasons.

THE VALUE OF A BEE JOURNAL.

(American Bee Journal.)

When I took up beekeeping I read everything I could find on the subject with the hope of finding some system of management that would suit me and my environments. Needless to say I did not find it, but my picking up an idea here and yonder

from the experience of others as given in the bee papers and from observations of my own, I was able to evolve a system of my own that suited me. Then, a few years later, I moved about a thousand miles, and the first season showed me that my system was not good in my new location. I was up against the question of how to prevent swarming, make a reasonable amount of increase, and get a crop of honey while operating outwards. I had to either solve that question or quit.

I read everything on the subject that I could find, and finally by combining the systems of two prominent writers, with some ideas I had gained by experience, I evolved a new system of my own that I am still following. It has been worth more to me than the subscription price of all the bee papers in America will amount to as long as I live. That is just one instance. I am constantly picking up new ideas that I consider worth all the papers cost me.

And if I knew all there is to be known about beekeeping, I should still want the papers in order to keep in touch with other beekeepers and see how they are getting along, their prospects, successes and failures, hopes, etc. I should want to know about markets, about legislation, favorable or unfavorable to beekeeping, and about diseases of bees and the manner of treatment for them and all the news of the apicultural world.

When a man says he has no time to read beekeepers, it simply means that he has lost all interest in beekeeping. It does not necessarily mean that he has found the pursuit unprofitable, but that he has become interested in something else. I do not have time to read agricultural papers or medical journals, and yet I know farmers and doctors who are making more money than I am. I do not read those papers for the reason that I am not directly interested in those pursuits. When a subscriber tells you that he has no time to read bee papers, you might just as well tell him "So long. I wish you success in your new vocation." It never was intended that we should all be beekeepers or all farmers, or all doctors, and a man is not to change his vocation and acquire new interests to the exclusion of old ones.

H. D. MURRY.
Malts, Texas.

FARM NOTES

From FARM AND RANCH

THE POOR MAN'S FRIEND.

Eight Goats Can Be Kept at the Cost of One Cow.

The goat has been appropriately termed "the poor man's cow," and certainly a better designation could be found to express the position of this useful creature among our domestic animals. Such statistics as have been kept in Europe show that the milk goat is prized more highly than in America, says an expert in Farm and Home. Spain, according to the latest report, has 3,500,000 goats, France almost 2,000,000, Prussia 1,500,000, Italy nearly 2,000,000, and so on throughout the other European countries.

In feeding any kind of milk stock there is this question to be considered—what description of food will produce the largest return in milk? According to carefully conducted experiments made some years ago in Germany to ascertain the influence of different foods on the quality and quantity of milk, in so far as the relative proportions of its constituents are concerned, the milk is in no way altered by any particular diet, but depends on the breed and peculiarities of the individual animals. The quantity, however, may be affected by the nature and character of the nourishment taken.

Goats can be tethered out, being secured by a stout dog collar to which is attached a chain of rope. A tethering pin about 18 inches long with a ring in the end will answer the purpose to a nicety. They should be moved at least once a day. They are very fond of wild carrots, weeds, blackberry brush clippings; in fact, anything of that nature.

In winter they should be stall fed. At each meal for one milk goat give one pint of a mixture of one part crushed oats and two parts beans, with one pint clover chaff added occasionally. Green food, as much as they will eat night and morning of mangels, etc.

Another diet: First thing in morning, hay, corn and bran. Mid-day, roots or cabbage leaves, bread, biscuits or anything they fancy for a change. Evening, hay, oats corn, bran, etc., about 6 o'clock.

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CONSERVATION AT HOME.

Farm Woodlot Offers Fine Opportunity.

The farm woodlot is a place where "conservation" can and should be practiced. Lumber is growing scarcer and the supply coming on should be taken care of. Clean up all the wood which is lying on the ground and rotting to waste. Dead stubs should be cut, as they harbor bugs and beetles, which are harmful to trees, says Farm and Home. A selection of all the poorest standing timber should be made each year for the wood supply as far as possible.

Clumps may be thinned, leaving the best and thickest for perfect growth. Hemlock and pines are handy for patching up bars and various uses around the farm. Basswood makes excellent potato crates, which find a ready sale if more than the farm requires. Chestnut makes posts for the fences, oak, hickories for wagon or sleigh boxes and ash for wagon tongues and whiffletrees. These are perhaps the commonest outside the hardwoods which usually go to the stove.

Many times the stuff lying on the ground is nearly worthless, but the woods are better off if cleaned up. There is less danger of fire, it is easier to get around in and it looks better. Cows are sometimes allowed to "browse" in the woods. This is harmful to young stuff coming up, as they bend over and eat off terminal branches.

Some women marry for love, some for money and some just because.

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C E MANLY, Editor and Proprietor.

According to a press reports some of the legislators are breaking laws as well as making them.

Madero still occupies the throne in Mexico, and if his enemies don't get a move on them, he will yet serve out the term to which he was elected.

Baltimore reports an ice cream trust but nobody cares anything about an investigation this time of the year. Perhaps it will have the attention of the good people later.

The El Paso Herald is not making preparations to attend the Presidential inauguration because of the possibility of witnessing something quite exciting just across the Rio Bravo.

Postmaster General Hitchcock favors increasing the maximum weight of parcels post packages. That's all right, the democratic mail carriers will carry any load that may be put on them.

One can get almost any kind of vegetables wanted from the irrigated farms now. This is the first season that this could be done, and the farmers are finding that it is more profitable to raise a greater variety of vegetables and less onions.

John Henry Kirby, millionaire lumber man and representative from Harris county in the Texas Legislature, says he is not in accord with the anti-lobby law, and has not noticed any improper conduct around Austin recently. He thinks that all the talk that has been going the rounds and even got in the columns of the daily papers about a notorious gang of lobbyist is all tommyrot. Perhaps Mr. Kirby has not given Mr. Kirby much attention because no doubt, his time could be spent more profitably in other fields.

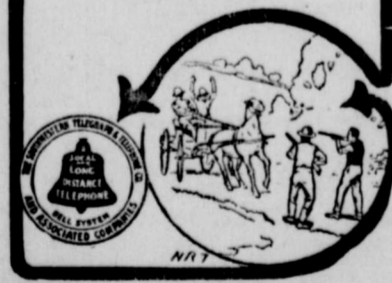


GIVES MIDNIGHT ALARM

Farmer Stout was awakened from a sound sleep by the ringing of his telephone bell. The barn of his neighbor, three miles down the turnpike, had been broken into and a driving horse stolen.

The horse-thieves were headed toward the Stout farm. Calling his hands he armed his forces, lined them upon the turnpike, captured the thieves and held them until the arrival of the Sheriff.

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The press generally, over the State uphold the faculty of the Agricultural and Mechanical college for dismissal of 466 underclassmen. The students have issued a statement to the press stating their side of the affair and charge that politics is at the bottom of it all. Nevertheless they admit that hazing had been going on, which was against the rules of the institution.

No doubt most of the boys who joined in the demand for the reinstatement of the hazers were acting under the coercion of a few leaders, and it is said that many of these are now repenting for their actions and returning to the school. We believe that these boys should be reinstated under certain conditions, but the leaders of the strike should be fired out for all time. Practically all schools have passed rules against the brutal and cowardly practice of hazing; the public has condemned it, and the lines should be drawn tightly against it, especially in colleges supported by the taxes from the people.

ANTITYPHOID VACCINATION IN CHILDREN.

The use of antityphoid vaccine among children has, as yet, received scant attention. Osler says that "typhoid fever is a disease of youth and early adult life. Of the 1,500 cases treated in Johns Hopkins Hospital, there were under 15 years of age, 231; between 15 and 20, 253; between 20 and 30, 680; between 30 and 40, 227; between 40 and 50, 88; between 50 and 60, 11."

In a recent issue of The Journal of the American Medical Association, Major Russell of the Army Medical Corps discusses the inoculation of 359 children, between the ages of 2 and 16 years, who have been vaccinated by fifty different physicians in many parts of the United States. No harmful effects have been reported in any of the 359 and, so far as known, none has contracted typhoid fever, although some of the vaccinations were made over three years ago. Major Russell regards it as a particularly valuable method in the case of children and young people leaving home for summer vacations, school, college, etc. The importance of checking typhoid among the young is shown by the fact that in the registration area of the United States there were in 1909, the last year for which complete mortality statistics are available, a total of 3,366 deaths from typhoid fever in patients under 20 years of age, out of a total of 10,722 of all ages, or almost one-third of all deaths from the disease. They were distributed according to ages as follows: under 2 years, 97; under 3 years, 139; under 4 years, 132; under 5 years, 110; 5 to 9 years, 647; 10 to 19 years, 2,174. A very large proportion of these deaths can, without question, be prevented by the more frequent use of antityphoid vaccine.

YOU CAN'T BEAT IT.

You may take the Editor's word for it that if you will spend \$95.00 for tuition, board and books to complete a course of Shorthand and Typewriting, or \$110 to complete the Bookkeeping and Business Training course, or \$115 for a course of Telegraphy and Station work, or \$175 and complete any two of these courses combined in the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas, you will have made the best investment of your life. What man or woman is there in our community who cannot raise \$95 with which to secure a practical business training that will enable them to earn a splendid living the rest of their days? You had as well try to be a successful physician without attending a medical school as to try to be successful in business without first getting a practical business

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In keeping with our word last week we give below a few articles on which we will make a Special CASH PRICE during next week. There is nothing in this list that is not first class. It is taken from our regular stock and offered for a limited period at from 10 to 30 per cent discount.

Our reason for doing this is purely to reduce our stock. Besides the list we append there are various articles go at discount. Here are a few:

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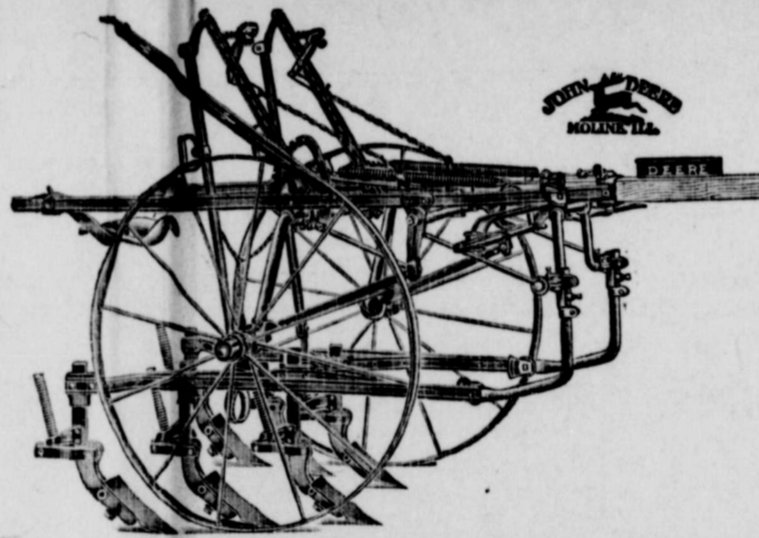
Lily Hot 20c. size 15c., 30c. Indian Relish 25c., 15c. Horse Radish 10c., 50c. Mangoes 35c., \$1.00 (gallon size) Pickles mixed or plain 90c.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Marischino Cherries, regular 50c. size at 40c., Top Notch Grape Juice 35c. size at 25c., Pure Virgin Olive Oil 40c size at 30c., Bear Brand Asparagus 40c cans at 30c., California Asparagus Tips 30c cans at 25c., Regular 25c Ketchup, quality guaranteed 17c, 2 lb. cans "Veribest" sausage meat, regular 30c sellers at 20c., Introductory price POST TAV-ERN, same as Cream of Wheat, 15c size at 10c., Choice Evaporated Apples 6 1-2c per lb.

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NEW JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

The lawyers of Frio, Dimmitt and LaSalle counties are making an effort to have the judicial district changed by this legislature, so to put Webb county in another district. As it is at present, the district is Republican, and the Democratic aspirants to the office of District Judge and District Attorney have but little show. It is understood that there is no objection in Webb to us wanting to cut loose, so being agreeable all around there is but little doubt but what there will be some re-districting done.

One of our citizens has had some correspondence with our representative Hon. F. H. Burmeister, in regard to the matter, and from him it is learned that the districts all down the Rio Grande will be changed. He favors creating a new district out of the counties of McMullen, Frio, LaSalle, Dimmitt and Zavalla, with a new number, giving the power to the Governor to appoint the first District Judge and Attorney. Following is an extract from a letter from Mr. Burmeister along these lines.

"In regard to the judicial Redistricting bill will say, that I have been requested by several House members to defer the matter, as we intend to reorganize every district from El Paso down the Rio Grande, river. I have assurance from the Webb County Representative, that Judge Mullaly and District Attorney Valls have no objection to dispense with La Salle, Dimmitt, and Frio Counties and I intend to create a new district composed of McMullen, La Salle, Dimmitt, Zavala, and Frio counties under a new number, giving the Governor the authority to appoint the first District Judge and District Attorney.

Please, discuss this with your and my friend La Salle County and advise how it suits them."

We believe this will be a factory to all counties conce as the vote of all counties nearly equal that no part of district would have an advantage over the other in naming the officials after the first term.

SOCIETIES

MASONIC LODGE—Cotulla Lodge No 892 A. F. & A. M. meets Thursday night before full moon in each month. Visiting brethren invited—R Wildenthal, Jr., W. M., P. A Kerr, secretary.

I. O. O. F.—Lodge No 123 meets in Woodmen Hall first and third Wednesday nights in each month. Cordial invitation to visiting brethren.

Carl Wildenthal, N. G. D. L. Neeley, Sec'y.

Royal Arch Chapter No 245, meets in Masonic Hall second Monday nights in each month. D. N. Cushing, H. P. W. A. Cox, Sec'y.

Eastern Star Chapter No. 456, meets first Monday night in each month in Masonic Hall. Mrs. T. R. Keck, W. M. A. D. Riddle, Sec'y.

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Local and Personal.

Geo. E. Wittse was here Wednesday from Artesia.

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Sam J. Jordan of Encinal was in the city between trains Monday.

Judge C.C. Thomas returned Monday night from a business trip to Laredo.

Send the Record office your job printing. We can please you in quality of work and price.

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R. H. Seefeld was down from Big Wells this week. His new home on the Nueces is about completed.

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Glenn Smith, deputy Inspector of Customs of Hebbronville, was here this week visiting his mother.

Mrs. J. Albert Strwan is at home again after an absence of several weeks visiting relatives in Karnes county.

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F. D. McMahon bought a car of fat cattle at Fowlerton last week and shipped them to the San Antonio market.

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Change in the appearance of front street since the were lowered is very noticeable and the change is a improvement.

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Attorney John W. Willson went over to Carrizo Springs during the week where he was interested in a civil suit in the District Court.

Rev. H. M. Hamilton returned from Encinal Monday, where he preached the day before. He recently held a very successful revival there.

After a considerable delay in waiting for material work has been resumed on the Stockman's Bank building and contractor Binkner says it will be completed within a short while.

Altse Salmon was here during the week from Artesia Wells.

D. A. Walker was down from San Antonio the early part of the week looking after his farm interests.

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M. Holderman, president of the June Machinery Company of Waco, and Judge Davis, a prominent attorney of the same city were in Cotulla this week. Mr. Holderman is interested in land in La Salle county.

Report of the Condition of THE STOCKMENS NATIONAL BANK at Cotulla, in the State of Texas, at the Close of Business February 4, 1913.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$184,735.95
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	246.04
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	60,000.00
U S bonds to secure postal savings,	3,000.00
Bonds, securities etc.	38,678.89
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	3,227.16
Other real state owned	1,000.00
Due from Nat'l Banks (not reserve agents)	648.73
Due from State and private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and savings Banks	697.99
Due from approved Reserve agents	25,407.35
Checks and other Cash items	235.16
Notes of other National Banks	3,250.00
Fractional paper currency, nickles, and etc.	54.35
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz: Specie	10,110.00
Legal-tender notes	1,525.00
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	3,000.00
Total	335,816.62

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	75,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	17,186.46
National Bank notes outstanding	60,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	158,399.90
Certified check	100.00
Postal savings deposits	130.26
Total	335,816.62

State of Texas, County of La Salle, ss:

I, L. A. Kerr, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. A. Kerr Pres.
Sworn to before me this 6 day of February, 1913.
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Judge C. C. Thomas went to Laredo Wednesday night. He and Roe Oliver crossed a train load of cattle from Lampazos yesterday and sent them to the Ft. Worth market today.

Chickens like to eat, buy their food and all your cane, corn, Cotton seed meal, bran, chops, cane seed, kaffir corn, maize, and german millet from W. H. Fullerton & Son.

Ward F. Higgins, of Birmingham, Ill., was among the arrivals Thursday. Mr. Higgins expects to spend probably a couple of weeks at Cotulla and study the conditions of the country. He is interested in irrigation and owns some land East of town.

W. N. Guinn of the Hillcrest Farm left on exhibit at the State Bank Thursday a perfectly shaped turnip that measured 22 inches in circumference and weighed 8 pounds. We did not get to see Mr. Guinn therefore do not know whether this was one of the small variety he is raising or just the average size.

George M. Newman, prosperous ranchman and farmer from the Northeastern part of the county was in the city one day this week. Mr. Newman said while conditions were bright for the farmer in his section a good rain would be of great benefit just at this time. It was his first visit here in quite awhile, and he was glad to note the improvements going on in the business section.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

The State of Texas, County of LaSalle,
To These Indebted or Holding Claims against the Estate of W. P. Butler, Deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the Estate of W. P. Butler, Deceased, late of LaSalle Co., by Hon. C. C. Thomas, Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 13th. day of January 1913 during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to hereby notified to present them to the undersigned at his residence in Cotulla, La Salle, County, Texas, where he receives his mail

Dated this January, 14th, 1913
J. T. Carr
Administrator of the Estate of W. P. Butler, Deceased.

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MEN TO BLAME FOR WOMEN'S DOWNFALL

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., Censuring Stronger Sex, Explains Aims of His New Bureau.

New York, Feb. 3.—In a statement explaining in detail the aims of the bureau of social hygiene, through which he hopes to find a solution of the social evil in this and other large cities, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., expressed the opinion that man, not woman, is responsible for its organized commercial phase.

"The idea of establishing a permanent organization to cope with the evil in this city," said Rockefeller, "was the outgrowth of my service six months as foreman of the special grand jury appointed in New York City at the beginning of 1910 to investigate traffic in women. I came at that time to realize the extent and horror of the evil and to believe that it constituted one of the great and vital world problems of the day."

As to whether the unfortunate woman is a victim or a contributor to her own vicious career, Rockefeller said:

"I say unhesitatingly that in the vast majority of cases she is a victim. The women are merely tools in the hands of the stronger sex. It is a business run for profit, and the profit is large."

RIOTS IN TURKEY; MAY RESUME WAR

Government Is Overthrown Amid Scenes of Terror as New Party Takes Power.

London, Eng., Feb. 3.—Again the Balkan situation has been thrown into turmoil, but renewed fighting in the Balkans, which has since last week been regarded as a possibility, will not occur for several days, in any event.

Determined to resume war, the Balkan allies decided to respect the agreement under which peace negotiations were conducted. This provided that should either side decide to end the armistice, four days' notice should be given.

Overthrowing the government's power just at a time when it seemed that a peace treaty, including the giving of Adrianople to the allies, was about to be signed, the Young Turks party aroused the dying war spirit in Turkey, threw Constantinople into terror, caused the assassination of Gen. Nazim Pasha, commander of the army, and shattered all peace plans.

Now the Young Turks announce that Turkey will renew the war, if necessary to preserve her rights. There is suspicion here that this is another instance of the bluffing ability of the Turks, but the representatives of the Balkan countries have tired waiting for definite action on the peace treaty.

The Young Turks declare that Adrianople, the holy city of the Turks, will never be abandoned. At the time when they suddenly stirred the populace of Constantinople into revolt and overthrew the government, the Sultan had agreed to give up Adrianople. Question of the possession of this city has been the bar to progress in the long drawn out peace negotiations.

Terror in Constantinople.

The French Reign of Terror was rivaled in Constantinople early this week when wholesale arrests were made at the behest of the Young Turks. More than 200 influential men, supposed adherents of the government, were jailed. The Sultan and his aids looked on helplessly. Riots had daily endangered his life.

But the Young Turks feared they might be going too far if they harmed him. Martial law was put into operation and this did much to avert great slaughter.

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Big Negress Escapes From Hospital and Fights Men.

Alton, Ill., Feb. 3.—Using her teeth to draw nails from boards that held her prisoner, Libby Hamilton, a 350 pound negress, escaped from St. Joseph's Hospital. When ten men attempted to take her back she fought them for thirty minutes before she was conquered.

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INDIANA WOMAN KILLED TWO GIRLS TO HIDE CRIME.
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Evansville, Ind., Feb. 3.—Nellie Mills, charged with strangling Jessie McCune, has been given a life term in the penitentiary, having been convicted of murder in the first degree. The jury was out only an hour and took but two ballots.

The 23-year-old resortkeeper, who, the evidence showed, took the lives of two 16-year-old girls within the space of a week to cover up white slave operations, heard the verdict read without giving a sign of emotion.

As the verdicts were read in court, her face, the girl read the result in advance. She stiffened a trifle in her chair, but made no outcry nor moved a muscle when Foreman Gerard read the verdict. Ten minutes later, after she had been locked up in her cell again, she broke down and began to weep and cry out hysterically.

The convicted woman, according to the story she told when put on the witness stand in her own defense, was born in Madisonville, Ky., and lived for a time in Henderson. She denied all complicity in the murder of either Eunice Gray or Jessie McCune and seemed to make a fair witness for herself. But when the prosecuting attorney began his cross-examination the fiercer he came to the surface. Her face set hard and fast as she shot back angry replies to him. She displayed a fierceness of temper that even her lawyer showed amazement at her conduct in the witness chair.

BABY SENT BY U. S. MAIL

Mother Has Rural Carrier Take Child to Grandma as Package Just Within Limits of Law.

Batavia, Ohio, Feb. 3.—Vernon O. Lytle, mail carrier on rural route No. 5, is the first to accept and deliver a live baby under parcel post conditions. The postage was 15 cents for \$50.

The baby, a boy weighing ten and three-quarter pounds, just within the ten-pound weight limit of the parcel post law, is the child of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Beagle of Glen Este. The package was wrapped and ready for mailing when the carrier got it. Its measurements reached seventy-one inches, also within the law, which makes seventy-two inches the limit.

Lytle delivered the parcel at the address on the card attached, that of the child's grandmother, Mrs. Louis Beagle, who lives about a mile from his home.

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Alvin, Tex.—The strawberry growers of this section were astonished to learn that their berries were selling on Fort Worth and Dallas retail markets at five cents per berry. The producer gets less than one-half cents on each berry sold at this time of the year. Stated another way the producer gets \$6.50 per crate and the consumer buying berries at five cents each, pays approximately \$72 per crate leaving a profit of \$65.50 per crate for the middleman.

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Splendid Family Resort.
Hot Wells Resort is designed and equipped to care for the best tourist and family patronage as an all-the-year-round resort. Every accommodation has been provided. In a 200-acre natural park of great beauty, where grow Spanish evergreens, palms, live oaks, banana trees, and weeping willows along the river banks, where Nature has "already done for this spot what neither man nor money can do for any place," stands Hot Wells Hotel. It is a handsome and substantial modern structure with buff brick finish, roomy, comfortable, steam heated and electric lighted throughout. There is running hot and cold water in every guest room. The furnishings and appointments are of the best. The dining room, grill room, lounge room and retiring rooms are parlors, as well as the private rooms, are cheerful and airy. The big lobby is handsomely furnished. The fine verandas are large and inviting, and there is an open air cafe. World Famous Hot Sulphur Baths, Bath House—Handsome, Commodious and Comfortable.

The bath house is handsome, commodious, comfortable and excellently appointed and communicates directly with the hotel by a covered passage. It contains separate departments for the various kinds of baths, including the famous Hot Sulphur Baths, the best in the country for all rheumatic and gouty ailments, and of marvelous restorative value to all who may be nervous or anemic. Their fame as a corrective of stomach, liver and kidney troubles is national. The water also has a most salutary effect upon the skin. Analysis shows it to be richer in valuable mineral elements than the water at either Hot Springs, Arkansas, or Carlsbad, N. M., are three large bathing pools at different temperatures; also private bath rooms. Arrangements for alcohol rub, salt rub, blanket pack, hand massage, Swedish movement treatment, etc., are perfect. Vapor and Turkish baths, with attendants, are also provided. There are manicure rooms for ladies and gentlemen. To take advantage of these Hot Wells baths is to make nature your physician. The baths have proved their efficiency in restoring depleted physical strength and building up the entire system. The process seems magical and yet is really simple enough. All the organs are stimulated in their proper functions, the nerves are opened, the blood is purified and given nourishment and its circulation improved, until the whole body feels the invigoration. The most delicate thrive in the glorious sunshine and dry air. There is no malaria around Hot Wells.

Recreation.
At Hot Wells there is opportunity for every form of wholesome sport and recreation. Golf enthusiasts may enjoy the links; tennis is another diversion. The park affords boating also on a smooth, pleasant stretch of the San Antonio river, overhung by luxuriant foliage. The surrounding country is well stocked with game; there is good fishing in the river, and only a short journey away is the Gulf of Mexico, with its famous tarpon fishing. One can take excursions on foot, on horseback, or by automobile, through beautiful scenery, and to a score of point of great historic interest. Chief among these are the famous Missions, dating back to the dawn of civilization in America, and including the romantic and historic Alamo, with the De La Espada, Concepcion, San Jose and San Juan Missions. There are also San Fernando Cathedral, Fort San Houston, Brackett Park, Riverside Park, the Monument, San Pedro Springs, and West End Lake. The roads, bordered with palm and pecan groves, are excellent, and automobile is a pleasure the whole year through. We maintain our own livery, garage and repair shop for the convenience of our guests.

There is always good fun at the swimming pools. There are shallow parts for beginners and deep places for diving; the chutes, or toboggan slide, furnish endless amusement for the users and entertainment for those who look on.

In cool evenings there is professional entertainment in the hotel; and the billiard and pool room and the bowling alleys are well patronized. The hotel orchestra gives concerts regularly and provides excellent music for dancing.

For the children, especially, these amusement park features in our own premises are a constant means of lively entertainment. There is plenty of space for baseball, croquet and archery. There is a shooting gallery, a native Mexican curio shop, Indian weavers, relic vendors, and soap sayers. There are burros to ride and canters, swines and all the paraphernalia of a children's playground, with a corps of nurses in attendance, under whose watchful eyes the younger tots may romp and exercise to their heart's content.

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As on lifes pathway we prolong,
May each day our mission be,
A demonstration for thee
Oh, Christ, Love, Devine
In purity of thought and mind.

MISS IDA ERNEST HOSTESS

The Presbyterian Missionary Union, were entertained by Miss Ida Ernest in her specially appointed way. A gentle mist fell all day, but it would take more than this to keep at home this body of ladies, besides it was Miss Earnest's first opportunity of being hostess since becoming a member, and the Southern hospitality that prevades this home brought a response from twenty-one members and invited guest.

The devotional period held as an innovation the twenty third Psalm repeated in unison; a Bible drill upon the subject Faith, after which Mrs. T. H. Poole conducted the Bible lesson, giving every question unlimited value. For next week roll call, Faith will be the watchword.

Mrs. Taylor read in a most impressive manner a beautiful poem entitled, "The Ambassador for Christ" which left its lesson. The society enjoyed the privilege of hearing Mrs. Earnest sing in a touching manner, "Face to face," as she was accompanied by Miss Ida at the piano.

Mrs. Jim Murry will be hostess for next Thursday. The social hour came as a closing feature of this afternoons' enjoyment, during which Mrs. Steffin, Mrs. Ernest and Miss Jessie Copp contributed several vocal numbers. The serving of a salad course and hot coffee reminded them the time was far spent. Three new members were added to the membership, Mdms. Bob Gouger, Steffin, and Miss Rose Ernest. Miss Pearl Guinn was a welcome visitor.

MOTHERS CLUB

Friday afternoon was the regular meeting of the Mother's club at the school Auditorium. An interesting program awaited about twenty, who assembled. Mrs. T. R. Keck read a paper upon the "Morals of Children" in which she left the responsi-

lity upon the parents, in proportion to the examples set by parents so the child will be. Mrs. Passmore and Miss George led the discussion. "Ignorance of parents a menace to child morals," giving out the same line of thought. Music was enjoyed from Miss Wildenthal. The domestic science girls served a splendid luncheon thus complimenting these mothers which was duly appreciated, contributing much praise to the girls for their pains-taking, and dainty service.

MRS. WICHMANN HOSTESS

This was the regular meeting of the Baptist Aid of which Mrs. Wichmann is a member. Tuesday, [beautiful in appointment] is the day set aside by these ladies which brought fifteen members and five visitors in response to Mrs. Wichmann's invitation, Mrs. Couch (Col.) Hatten (Fowler) Howard (Can.) Misses Ora Rock (Rockwood) and Rose Ernest. The opening of the meeting was conducted by Mrs. H. B. Stedham, with the reading 105th. Psalm concluding with a song, "Trust and Obey," as Mrs. T. B. Poole accompanied with the piano. The Bible lesson was interestingly taught by Mrs. Will Tarver, gleanings were the lessons drawn from Moses as he exhorted the Israelites "to fear God." She, admonishing all, to make a careful study of God's word, and obey his commandments.

Mrs. Chevalier read a commendable essay, as a new years greeting to the members which received a hearty response.

Miss Rose Ernest was listened to in sweet song, the piano accompanant by Mrs. Wichman. As a feature for entertainment for the fourteenth of February the Baptist ladies will be at home to the public, in the form of a Valentine Party, at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Wichman. Home made candy and other relishes will be sold at a nominal price.

Business being set aside, the hostess passed dainty refreshment plates before the adjournment of the members and guests to meet next Thursday at the church where every member is expected to be present.

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Basket-ball-boys, plyd. 4 won 2 p. c. 50

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Basket-ball-girls, plyd. 2 won 0 p. c. 0

COTULLA
Base-ball, plyd. 3 won 1 p. c. 33
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The purpose of this Association is to encourage a local school spirit in the schools concerned, and to encourage all kinds of healthy athletics under proper supervision also to increase the interests in High School debates. No pupil is allowed to participate in any mach game unless he has made a passing grade the preceding month.

Cotulla has not yet been able to secure a joint debate this year, as the clubs in the towns mentioned are newly organized and hesitate about meeting our more experienced debaters.

Two years ago Cotulla debated Devine but this year the Supt. of the Devine school has not joined in with the schools mentioned above and hence we can not meet them, unless he does. We regret very much that Devine does not come in with us as there are a fine lot of boys and girls in the Devine school whom we would enjoy meeting in athletics and in debate.

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Due from approved reserve agents	14,530.37
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check	231.23 14,761.60
Cash Items	367.28
Currency	2,914.00
Spice	717.15 3,998.43
Contingency Funds	447.13
Total	62,783.53

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus fund	2,000.00
Undivided profits, net	2,661.23
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Time certificates of deposit	1,004.00
Total	62,783.53

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H. B. Miller, Vice-Pres.
A. F. Childs, Cashier.

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