

# Colorado Record.

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COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1907.

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## A CLOTHES TALK.

If a pure Clothes law should be passed, and pure Clothes inspectors appointed by the Government, special and honorable mention would be given to the

### XTRAGOOD



Brand that we Sell.

The reputation of our goods would be immensely increased. Every one would want to buy of us. We have received one shipment of the

### XXTRAGOOD

Clothes and look for another next week. We keep them a coming. Why? Because we cannot keep them. The mothers have learned it is economy to buy the BEST.

## A. J. PAYNE,

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES.  
COLORADO, TEXAS.

### CITY COUNCIL MEETS.

MEETING MONDAY NIGHT WAS A BUSY ONE--MUCH BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

The first regular meeting of the new city council was held Monday night at the fire hall. Mayor Homan in the chair, and aldermen John T. Johnson, W. H. Moeser, F. M. Burns and J. E. Pond, being present, and also H. L. Ransom city marshal, and F. B. Whipkey as a visitor.

The first business transacted was the election of a Secretary to serve until the April election when one will be elected. On motion of Alderman Burns the application of J. A. Fore asking for the appointment, was accepted and he was unanimously elected and took the oath of office.

At this juncture Alderman M. C. Knott appeared and he not having yet been inducted into the exalted office of chief alderman of the east side, the mayor administered the oath and he was then declared one of the city's chief driving wheels.

Alderman Moeser introduced an ordinance setting out and specifying the fire limits, and same was passed.

An ordinance prohibiting the erection of wooden or frame buildings within said fire limits, and imposing a penalty for the violation of any of its provisions, was adopted.

The office of city treasurer was abolished and the duties of said office placed upon the city secretary and his bond placed at \$500.

Dr. W. R. Smith was placed in nomination by Alderman M. C. Knott for city health officer and unanimously elected. The ordinances governing and regulating the city health department were suspended until next meeting in order that the council might confer and advise with Dr. Smith.

An ordinance was unanimously adopted by the council prohibiting the spitting upon the floor of any public building within the city limits, and also upon any side walk in the city. The name of public buildings within the meaning of this ordinance shall apply to churches, depot, the postoffice and court house, or any other place. This is a very wise and timely law, and if rigidly enforced will mean a cleaner and healthier city. There are a number of places around town, not only in public buildings, but on the side walks where crowds loiter around and squirt tobacco juice until a lady can hardly pass along that way, and it is not only filthy and unhealthy but ruins many ladies' garments. Fair warning is to be given and then woe to the offenders. If you must expectorate hereafter you had better walk near the gutter or spit in your pocket. "Help keep the city clean and be a public Benefactor."

The Colorado Record was adopted as the official city paper, and all ordinances and other legal notices ordered published therein.

Alderman Moeser moved that the mayor appoint a committee on fire ordinances, and streets and alleys, carried, and mayor appointed on fire committee, M. C. Knott and John T. Johnson; on streets and alleys Burns and Moeser. Alderman Pond was appointed to act with city health officer in regard to the sanitary work.

The council passed 23 ordinances in all, all of which are published in full in this paper, and every one of them are good and wholesome laws. We would suggest to the citizens that they clip these ordinances out of the paper and paste them up in their places of business, (say by your telephone), that you may refer to them easily. It might save you trouble. Hunt them up and read them closely, anyway.

A great deal of proposed and beneficial legislation was discussed pro and con, and the citizens of Colorado can rest assured that this council will look to the welfare of this people in everything they do. They are men who will want to do only that which shall redound to the good of all. Of course they will not please all, that is impossible, but if you will be patient for a few months you will see such a wonderful change for the better that you will be led to exclaim, "can it be possible, yea, verily it looked like a hopeless case, but I now see the wisdom of the men behind the guns." Let us all lend them our assistance and work for a greater Colorado.

The council invites every one of the citizens to meet with it at any meeting. You are welcome. Council adjourned to meet next Monday night, March 11th, at 8 o'clock. J. A. FORE, Secretary.

#### T. ke Notice.

The Colorado Gin will run only on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays of each week until further notice. We will grind meal and clover on these days.

COLORADO GIN Co.  
C. F. FRANKLIN, Manager.

Letter files for sale at RECORD office.

#### The Kindergarten Work.

The ladies of the Kindergarten are planning to hold a big poultry and dog show in the fall either in Sept. or Oct. Messers Allen, Dulaney, McIver, Scarborough, Merrett and other breeders of fine fowls have been asked to take hold of this and help the ladies make a success of it. With these gentlemen backing them, the ladies feel sure it will be a success. Ample time will be taken to properly advertise and give every breeder of fine chickens, dogs and pigs a chance to show what they have and let the people know what can be raised in this country, and aside from all this will help the Kindergarten folks with their work. It is the intention now to rent a large place, say like the Favorite Auditorium, and make it a fall fair with prominent speakers, good music and a set program. The exhibits will be open for all, including poultry, hogs, cattle, horses, farm products, ladies fancy work, cookery, etc., in fact a regular fall fair and carnival, and will be held some time in October. It will be properly advertised and will help to show all Missourians what can be done in Mitchell county.

#### Starving Millions of China.

Fifteen millions of people are in danger of starving to death in China. Rev. B. W. Dodson took a collection for this cause last Sunday. He will gladly receive cash on the collection all this week.

You who have plenty to eat, give something to help starving China. The money will be sent to the Christian Herald, New York City.

The old timers say that spring has come.

### COLORADO DRUG CO.

Pure Drugs.

Correct Prescriptionists.

Fancy and Toilet Articles.

Souvenir Postal Cards.

Your trade will be appreciated during the Year 1907.

### COLORADO DRUG CO.

#### Big Land Deal Near Roscoe.

Prentice Clubb, of Howard County, Kentucky, last week purchased from J. W. McMillan 1940 acres of tillable land near Roscoe, which will be used for farming purposes. The price paid was \$16 per acre, or a total of a little above \$31,000. Mr. Clubb says he was surprised to find good farming land in Texas so cheap. Land in Kentucky, he says, in his neighborhood can not be bought for less than from \$100 to \$500 per acre.

The Eastern Star Ladies had a called meeting on Tuesday night.

## OUR CLOTHES

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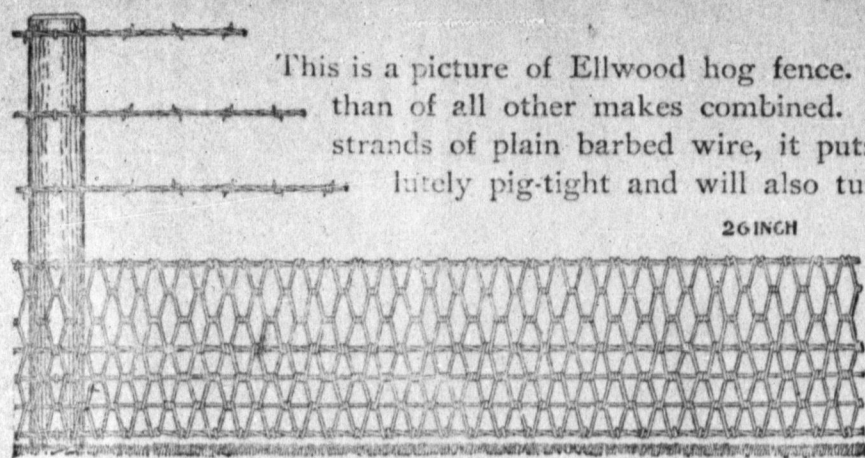
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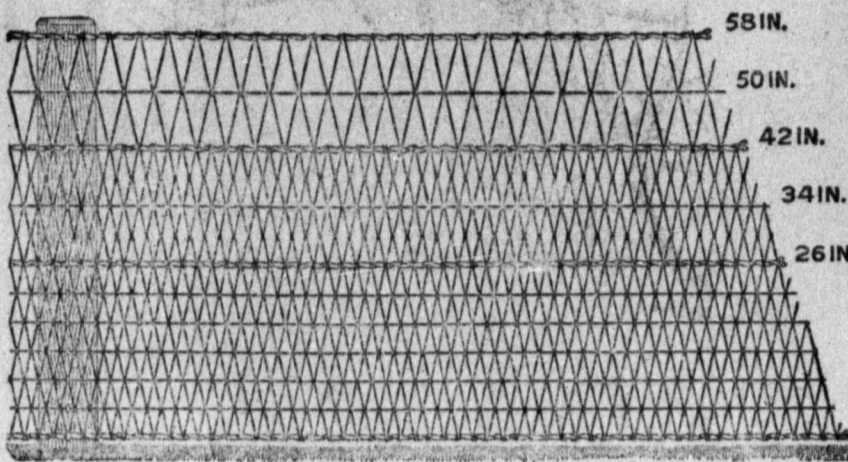
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### AT THE CHURCHES.

#### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. A. F. Wadkins of Buffalo Gap will hold services in East Colorado at the Cumberland Presbyterian church Sunday next at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

#### METHODIST CHURCH.

Subject of sermon at 11 a. m. "Entire Sanctification: What is it not?" This is to be a sermon on the Higher Life. The following matters will be discussed:

1. Is there any difference between entire sanctification and purity of heart?

2. What is the Baptism of the Holy Spirit?

3. Does entire sanctification destroy the tendency to sin; if so, why?

Every christian should hear this sermon.

Subject at 8 p. m., "Why does God take such a terrible disease as leprosy as a type of sin?"

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. H. Basden, Superintendent.

League at 3 and 4 p. m. Everybody cordially invited.

B. W. DODSON, Pastor.

#### CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Preaching next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "That Disciple whom Jesus loved." Evening sermon, "The seed that fell on good ground."

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.

#### BAPTIST CHURCH.

Pastor Nichols will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday at both hours. Topics: 11 a. m. "The Rock that is higher than I." 7:45 p. m. "Escape for thy Life"

The Sunday School meets at 10 o'clock sharp. 114 percent last Sunday, let us make it 150 next Sunday. All are cordially invited.

ROBT. M. WEBB, Supt.

#### New Wagon Yard.

We are in a position to serve the public at the Caldwell wagon yard and blacksmith shop. We have bought the yard and will endeavor to merit your patronage and hope for a continuance of the good will and business of all. We are new in this business but are old timers in Colorado and ask one and all to come and see us at the brick wagon yard.

SCOTT & NUNN,

Successors to H. C. Caldwell.

#### LEASES THE SHOP.

I have leased the blacksmith shop belonging to Scott & Nunn in connection with their wagon yard, heretofore known as the H. C. Caldwell shop, and expect to do a general blacksmith and horseshoeing business. I also want to ask the public to give me a trial. Logan Spalding.

The Record is the people's paper; the hint is sufficient.

### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE, REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1907, in the case of The State of Texas versus The Southern Investment Company and unknown owners, No. 1068, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 5th day of March, A. D. 1907, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on the first Tuesday in May, A. D. 1907, it being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Mitchell County, in the town of Colorado, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which The Southern Investment Company and unknown owners had on the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1907, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit: All of Block Number Ninety-three (93) in the town of Colorado, as the same is laid down and described upon the map or plat of said town, a copy of which map or plat appears of record in the Deed Records of said Mitchell County, Texas, in Volume 1, on page 488, said property being levied on as the property of The Southern Investment Company and unknown owners to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$50.74, in favor of The State of Texas, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand this 5th day of March, A. D. 1907.

J. W. BIRD,

Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas. By W. S. STONEHAM, Deputy. First publication March 8.

#### For Sale or Lease.

The best place for a brick yard with 10 acres for residence lots just west of the oil mill, reaching the oil mill switch; also the best machine yet invented to make hard smooth cement brick, the best in the world, with the county rights of Martin, Midland, Upton, Glascock, Reagan, Mitchell, Nolan, Taylor, Callahan, and Eastland counties, also 6 acres hard flint rock, only 100 yards from railroad switch; also cement sill, cap, steps, post, frame, flue and block machine, and 6 at a time pressed brick machine for sale or lease, also 3 good 6-room houses for sale. Write or see,

3-8 VICTOR DZIEDZIOCH.

#### Notice to Subscribers.

All papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance and the paper will be discontinued promptly when the time paid for expires. If you are sending the Record to friends or relatives remember it will be stopped when the time expires.

Try a "Lucky Jim" cultivator, riding or walking; it is absolutely guaranteed the best.

Y. D. McMurry.

You are careful in selecting your family physician, why not be as careful with your drugs?—Let W. L. Doss fill your prescriptions.

### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.—COUNTY OF MITCHELL.—By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County on the 25th day of January, A. D., 1907, in the case of John S. Steely et al. versus Nannie Glover, No. 1093, and to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered commanding me to sell as under execution, the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash, such sale to be subject to the approval of said court, I will, after giving the notice thereof required by law, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. on the first Tuesday in April, A. D., 1907, it being the 2nd day of said month, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which both or either the said John S. Steely and the said Nannie Glover had on the 5th day of January A. D., 1907, or at any time thereafter of in and to the following described real estate to-wit: All of Section No. Twenty-seven (27) in Block No. Twenty-six (26) of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company surveys in Mitchell County, Texas, located for the said railway company by virtue of certificate No. 2-1366, and patented to said railway company by Patent No. 158, Vol. 52, dated Feb. 22, 1881, same containing 640 acres and being situate about three (3) miles northeast of the town of Colorado, and being known as the "Glover Place," such sale, however, to be subject to the approval of the Court.

Said property being sold as the property of the said John S. Steely and the said Nannie Glover, to whom the said Court has decreed respectively an undivided seven-eighths (7-8) and an undivided (1-8) interest therein, it having been adjudged that said land can not be fairly and equitably divided between said parties and that a sale thereof is necessary to partition the proceeds thereof, as more fully appears from said order of sale.

Given under my hand this the 25th day of February, A. D., 1907.

J. W. BIRD, Sheriff of Mitchell County, Tex. By W. S. Stoneham, Deputy.

A true copy I certify J. W. BIRD, Sheriff. By W. S. Stoneham, Deputy.

We will save you money if you will let us figure your bill, at the new furniture store. H. L. Hutchinson.

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#### CITY OFFICIALS.

Mayor, W. K. Homan.  
Mayor Pro-tem, F. M. Burns.  
Marshal, H. L. Ransom.  
Aldermen, F. M. Burns, M. C. Knott, J. E. Pond, W. H. Moeser, John T. Johnson.  
City Health Officer, City Scavenger.

### RESIDENCE LOTS.

We have a few choice residence lots, beautifully located—just far enough out, and close enough in, that we can sell you at a bargain. We also have calls every day for residence property. If you have any for sale at a reasonable price, and will list the same with us, we can sell it for you. Knott & Ellis.

#### ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the court house in the city of Colorado, Texas, on Tuesday April 2, 1907, for the election of a Mayor, five aldermen, a city secretary and a marshal, for the said city of Colorado. A. J. Coe is appointed presiding officer of said election. Every person not disqualified by law, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and is entitled to vote for members of the legislature of this state, and shall have resided within the corporate limits of the city of Colorado for six months next preceding said election, is entitled to vote in said election, provided, if subject to a poll tax, he shall have paid the same prior to February 1st, 1907. By order of City Council.

W. K. HOMAN, Mayor.

Geo. W. Mosher is permanently located in Colorado, and is in the piano business with a new line of pianos; call and see them in the new Haley building north of Hubbard's store. For a good farm cheap; see R. O. Pearson, at Burton-Lingo Co.

J. L. DOSS, President. F. E. MCKENZIE, Vice-President. J. E. HOOPER, Cashier.

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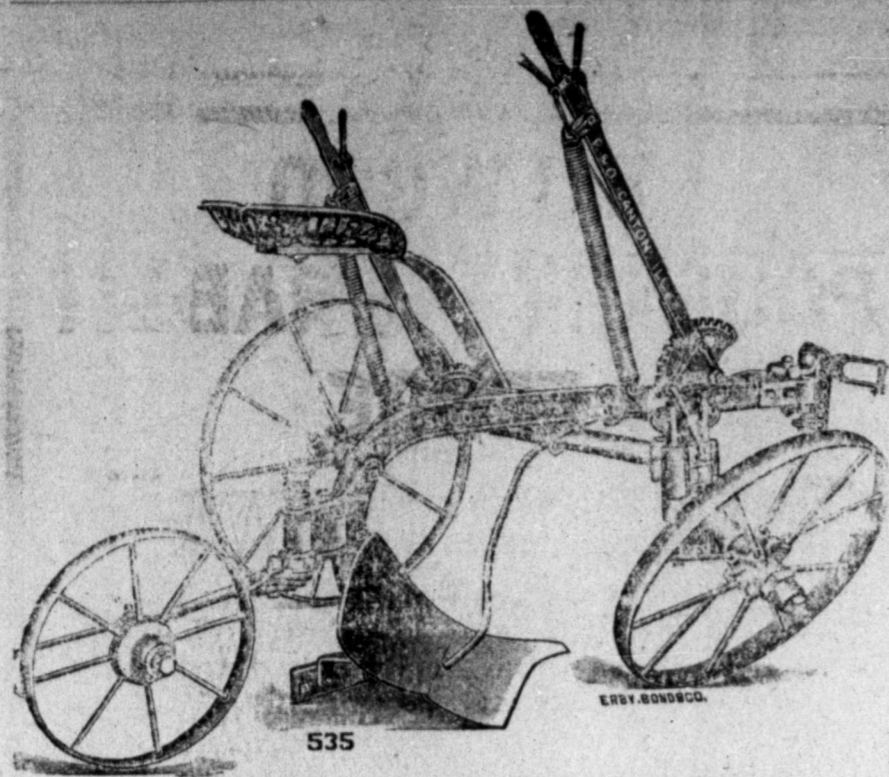
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Fine 16-passenger Wagonette. Meets all trains.

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**Fine Eggs For Sale**—Pure bred single comb White Leghorn eggs. \$1.00 per setting of fifteen delivered in Colorado. 3-29 C. E. WEBB, Colorado, Tex.

**For Sale**—Good seven room residence, close in. Well and windmill, 2 cisterns, 3 lots, all well fenced. Bargain for first taker. Call at this office.

**For Sale**—Span of good work horses, new Anchor buggy and harness. Also full blooded Jersey cow with young calf. Will sell cheap for cash. Apply to C. E. SPRULL, at Adams' store. 3-8

**For Sale**—For sale or trade at a bargain, 320 acres of fine farming land 6 miles East of Dunn, Scurry county, 175 acres in cultivation, balance fenced, good 4-room house, good barn, fine well of water in the yard, good windmill, and in fact an ideal home. Soil, dark sandy loam. Will take reasonable cash payment and balance 1, 2 and 3 years. A bargain, if taken at once. Address, J. T. BROWNING, Blanket, Texas. tf

**Patent Just Allowed**—on useful domestic article; want partner or will sell or trade state rights for land or other real estate. Address P. O. Box 592, Fort Worth, Texas. 3-8

**For Sale**—Barred Plymouth Rocks, Rhode Island Reds, Buff Orpingtons. 15 eggs for \$1 delivered at house. Call on or address W. SCARBOROUGH, Colorado, Texas. 3-22

**Wanted**—A man and wife and a single man to work on a ranch. Apply at F. E. McKenzie's residence. tf

**For Sale**—3 nice, new residence houses and some choice lots for sale cheap, in the Phenix addition. See Dr. Phenix. tf

**Eggs For Sale**—Fine Light Brahmah eggs for sale. Full bloods. Will sell at \$1.50 for setting. Phone or call at O. S. McIVER, 5 miles South-west of Colorado.

**For Sale or Trade**—For land, one good 7-room residence on 2nd street, close in, see B. O. Shurtliff, office in Snyder Building.

**For Sale**—My Poland China herd Boar, Van Zandt Chief, 75573, farrowed Aug. 3, 1902; he is a large; heavy bone, short, wide head, good color, good sire and kind disposition. Will take \$35.00 for him or trade him for a good milk cow. Also some fine buff or pinglon cockerels for sale. D. M. Vinson, Loraine, Texas. (2-1-tf)

**Lots**—For T. & P.-railway town lots in Colorado and Loraine, and T & P railway lands, see W. B. Crockett, Colorado, Texas. I also have a fine list of other lands and town lots for sale. Office over Colorado National Bank.

**For Sale**—Ranch of 15670 acres in Nolan and Fisher counties has 8 separate houses, a number of tanks, wells and mills; 400 acres in cultivation all rented. Plenty of timber for domestic use. Can be cut so that most every section can have fine farm and plenty of timber. For particulars see or write B. O. SHURTLEFF, Colorado, Texas. tf

**For Sale**—162 1-2 acres of good smooth farm land in Mitchell county, out of the Bush & Tillar ranch. Price \$12.50 per acre; will take \$800 in trade as first payment, balance 1 to 4 years at 6 per cent. What have you to trade? See B. O. Shurtliff, Colorado, Texas.

For Sale.

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#### Committees for Federated Club Meeting in April 1907.

Home Committee—Mrs. M. B. Smoot, Chairman; Blandford, Prude, Gross.

Train—Mrs. Donaldson, Bertner, H. B. Smoot, Riordan, Miss Clark, Mrs. Phenix.

Reception—Carter, Chairman; Mrs. Hooper, Burns, Waldo, Vincent, Landers, Earnest.

Entertainment—Coleman, Chairman, Mrs. W. R. Smith, Root, McKenzie, Adams, Gary, Williams, Miss Henry.

Seven Wells and Bellevue—Mrs. Looney, Chairman; Mrs. Whipple, Waldo, Radford, Annis, Crockett, Jim Cooper, Greenwood, assisted by the presidents of the four clubs.

Church Decorating Committee—Mrs. Dupree, Walter Stoneham, Crockett, Sherwin, Miss Clark, Henderson, Bromley, Arbutnoot.

Pages—Miss Jo Dry, Chairman; Byrd Blandford, Mary Arnett, Maggie Smith, Nellie Riordan, Angie Buchanan, Ethel Majors, Eva Hamner, Lillie Morrison, Sadie May Hughes.

The Homes Committee have reported homes for 40 guests. The Seven Wells committee reports that they would have carriages in which to convey the guests to Seven Wells Wednesday. They will return to Mrs. Root's beautiful home, where a two-course luncheon will be served by Mrs. Root assisted by the committee, the presidents of the four clubs, and the pages.

Mrs. M. B. Smoot will be the guest of honor on this glad occasion. On Thursday the husbands of the club women will give a barbecue dinner on Mrs. Prude's lawn.

Verily its a good time to be a club woman. Thursday afternoon will be given up to visiting the public school and the reception at Mrs. H. B. Smoot's.

The entertainment program will be published soon as it can be arranged.

Program Mitchell County Teachers' Institute, Colorado, March 28, 29, and 30.

#### THURSDAY.

9-10 The teaching of English composition—Miss Corn Miller.  
10-11 Grammar, The sentence.—Miss Bobbie Clark.

11-12 Spelling; how it should be taught.—Miss Mammie Riordan.  
2-3 Square Root—E. T. Sterling.

3-4 Physiology, The Sensorial System—J. W. Watson.

4-5 Physical Geography, Hydrography—T. J. Yoe.

#### FRIDAY

9-10 Tardiness; causes and remedy—Miss Mildred Ellis.

10-11 The Correlation of History and Geography—Miss Hudspeth.

11-12 The Making of a Program—A. Phillips.

2-3 To what extent may Agriculture be taught in the Public Schools—J. M. Hood.

3-4 School Room Decoration; Something Practical—Miss Mozella Dry.

4-5 Libraries, and how to obtain them for the rural schools—Mr. C. V. Miller.

#### SATURDAY.

9-10 The Relation of the Superintendent to the School and Teacher.—Judge W. B. Crockett.

10-11 How may we best reach and improve the Rural School.

11-12 The Place of Supplementary Reading in the school.—Miss Jeannette Roe.

2-3 What ought to be accomplished in Fourth year Language work.—Miss Julia McLure.

3-4 What may we gain from the proper celebration of the birthdays of Great Men.—Miss Vera Churchill.

4-5 Business Session.

All teachers are urged to be present, as under the law certificates can not be renewed without five days attendance on the county institutes. T. J. YOE, Superintendent.

#### OUR FRIENDS.

Jno. H. DeMoss, Queen, N. M.; M. Phelan, Roscoe; C. L. Lander, Fate; Earl Vaughan, Van Horn; J. W. Woods, Big Springs; Brand, Hereford; T. J. Corcoran, Seagoville; Mollie F. Landers, Neosho, Mo.; D. L. Clayton, Pullman, W. Va.; W. C. Bush, T. J. Ratliff, J. F. Clayton, W. S. Justice, John Haley, Albert Winn, J. S. Muns, C. H. Winfrey, J. S. Vaughan, D. L. Buchanan, J. M. Shurford, Colorado.

#### LOCALS

Colorado Fuel Company, Dan Beaman, Manager.

Coming, "A Messenger Boy," Wednesday, March 13.

J. C. Faulk and Pat Gallegger came up from the Union neighborhood for a coffin for Mrs. S. E. Gish, who died on the 6th inst.

"Mr. Bill" Planters, the best made, sold only by Y. D. McMurry.

Mr. C. C. Thompson, of Snyder, died March 6th and was brought to Colorado and embalmed by McClure, Basden & Co., and will be shipped to Yoakum, Texas, to-night.

Coming, "A Messenger Boy," Wednesday, March 13.

It takes money to buy and coal. Orders filled on cash on delivery.

COLORADO Fuel Co. Dan Beaman.

W. T. Smith, of himself interest in his business to Mr. A. J. Adams, of Highland, Texas, who is an old piano man of long experience. This makes the music house stronger and adds one more salesman to our force, and now look out, we are going to visit you at your houses and sell you a piano or organ SURE, so be ready. We must sell and we are going to make to you such prices you cannot help but buy. Piano tuning a specialty, as our Mr. Adams is a first-class tuner and repairer.

W. A. Coggin and Willia Wilkes are home again from cattle shipment to Fort Worth. Andrew says the coming stock show will be well attended from the west.

Whose your druggist—W. Doss?  
D. H. Snyder is here this from his El Paso camp.

Horse clipping on ice at Green's Meats or Coming, A Messenger Boy, Wednesday, March 13.

Our venerable Hyde, has been quite a week, but is reported as genuine, unadulterated east Texas ribbon cane at the old reliable house of Y. D. McMurry.

Chas. Sparks is in San Antonio this week, a delegate from the I. O. O. F. Lodge here to the State Grand Lodge, in session there this week.

When in town and hungry go to Jakes restaurant. He will please you.

The Eastern Star had a called meeting on Tuesday night in the new Masonic hall, which has been nicely furnished throughout. Seven candidates were initiated into the order. The work was beautifully rendered and at the close of the ceremony a sumptuous banquet was spread in the new dining room.

A Messenger Boy. The public has a treat in store. Geo. D. Sweet's new comedy dramatized, A Messenger Boy, which is to be here shortly, is superior in talent, beauty, novel specialties and the necessary adjuncts of magnificent costumes and refreshingly new scenery, to any other similar attraction. The musical part of the enterprise is under the direction of Prof. C. L. Henry.

Plenty of wood and coal by the Colorado Fuel Company. All orders filled same day as ordered. Have your horses clipped at Frank Green's stable where the work is done promptly and done right. Hot coffee and chilli at Vincent's. Must sell my farm at once, see Pearson at Burton-Lingo Co.

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Entered as second-class matter, March at the post office at Colorado, Texas, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

OUR friend Wilmeth was one of the 40.

AND now for the simple life for Senator Bailey.

THE foundations of a mighty empire in this bully country are being laid broad and deep. Are you helping to do it?

THE investigation committees in the Bailey opera bouffe, came out at the same end of the horn where they went in. What good?

AND now for a spell, the country will not split asunder. The nepotism law has passed. That hydra headed monster that reared its crested front and licked out its dark like tongue at the very basis and perpetuity of our most sacred institutions, consecrated by the blood of our forebears, has at last been scotched. In other words, we stand a better numerical chance of getting a job the other fellows held.

WE need more smoke stacks. A dozen of them are worth more to a town than any college or any other like institution. Colleges only exchange wealth—and not do much at that, while mills and factories create new wealth every hour they run. And it re- serves men to keep these smoke stacks a hot and mills going. God take such a families often, as leprosy as a type of fed, clothed Sunday School at 9:15 town where J. H. Basden, Superintendent is benefited? League at 3 and on to sentiment, or Everybody corvyou please, that can B. W. DODS in the very article CHRISTIAN CHURCH agonizing form of Preaching to eat beans of praise, a. m. and ly worth while. When the morning Larchmont sank in col- whom sion on Feb. 11th, in Long Is- land sound, a number of the Sal- vationists without clothing and with the cold below zero, gath- ered on the deck and sang in perfect harmony, the battle hymn "Onward Christian Soldiers" as long as their heads were above water. Mantic frenzy? Then let's all try to catch it.

E. H. HARRIMAN, the railroad king, in explaining the hostility of the people to railroads, said recently: "It has been the habit to welcome a railroad into a new country, and then assault it for paying dividends or for not pay- ing dividends. For this hostile feeling, bad management and the autoeratic manner of local agents, are largely responsible."

Now ain't that the truth? Who ever entered the railroad office at some small way station but has felt the contempt and conde- scending pity in which the \$40 agent holds the common herd; his placid indifference to ques- tions the public has a right to ask. If one has the temerity

ask about the trains, one is LEAKY to escape with a plain in- I have it. His self-importance is in shop belirect ratio to the insignificance in connt of the job he holds. The presi- yard. dent of the road might be con- vined of error, but the local Or- gre—never! He says "we" with all the easy assumption of the right to take what he wants, never considering that the only mortals possessing the vested right to say "we" are the editors of country papers, hen- pecked husbands, and people with tape worms. A great head has the local agent, but the cocanut has a grater.

MAKE THE TEMPORARY OFFICERS PERMANENT.

It has ever been a democratic practice to carefully select officers for temporary organizations, conventions, etc., with the view of making them permanent. As a rule this has proven safe as well as democratic practice, and in the instance of our city officers it would be eminently so. No better ticket could be selected if the town were raked with a fine tooth comb. They are all in hearty sympathy with the spirit of a "larger, better and cleaner Colorado" and the impartial en- forcement of the law; all are progressive, broad view men, who stand for a just and frugal policy toward civic affairs.

Again, by the time the next election occurs, on April 2nd, the temporary board of mayor and aldermen as well as the city marshal, will have become so familiar with the conditions and the needs of the town that a change of regime would greatly interrupt and impede whatever policies the present board may have inaugurated. Besides, if the present officers feel there is a probability of their retirement, they can hardly enter with the same enthusiasm on their duties they would display, if they felt their tenure was to be permanent. Truly, we can not better the personnel of our temporary board. THE RECORD moves its permanency.

THEY EXCUSE HIM.

THE spectacle of a man who has a true wife and trusting children at home, hanging around town, maudlin, slobbering, idiotically drunk, an object of dis- gust to even his low associates, and of contemptuous pity to his betters, is enough to convince the most "broad-gauge" anti- prohibitionist that unlimited whiskey is not a good thing for any community. The excuse that his friends urge for bearing his insults and injury to their business—when he is around, that "John's a fine fellow when he's sober" is one of the very things that encourages him in his maudlin, disgusting habit. Drunkenness is no palliation for anything the fool may say or do. He is thoroughly and personally responsible for his condition and therefore, responsible for any- thing that condition may lead to. Instead of treating a drunken man, who takes such occasions to say and do things he is afraid to do when sober, with indulgent patience, if he were laid out with a bungstarter, by the first man he insulted, it would do him more good than all the excuses and moral lectures that have been given from the days of Melch- edek down to the last exhorter.

As long as a periodical drunk- ard is held up and excused by his friends, just so long will he abuse their friendship and con- tinue his course. It were better to grease his downward way and let him hit the bottom quickly as possible. Then if he is worth saving from himself, he will appreciate the efforts made in his behalf.

EDITOR S. J. Thomas of the Comanche Chief is belting the globe for the first time, evident- ly; as witness his snub of the President: "I did not go in to see the Pres- ident because of his discourtesy in locking his doors and placing a big man with a blue coat and bright metal badge to guard them. I do not believe I was rude and uncivil in absolutely declining to see him under the circumstances."

How cool, as Mr. Dooly would say. But the President is recover- ing. THANKS, Bro. Stovall, of the Loraine Advertiser, for the philo- logical illumination. We fear the irony of the RECORD's first paragraph was wasted. As to the meaning and derivation of the word, our nurse explained all that in Attic Greek to us before the war. But in—

THE RECORD'S OWN IDEA.

It would at least be quick, devilish and effective. Clearing the question at once of all scientific and technical entanglements, we will consider the naked problem of "breaking up the adhesions" only.

Think of it—nearly \$600,000, 000 have been dumped by the French and us, into the swamps of Panama, and nothing done yet. Nothing flies thereabout, except good money and carnivorous buzzards.

With that sum of money a silver roadbed with golden rails could have been built from Colon to Panama. THE RECORD dis- claims any engineering knowl- edge, but it has some idea what money and dynamite will do. With half a billion dollars a strip of country one or more hundred miles on both sides of the pro- posed canal route could be pur- chased and every living thing warned to get further. This sum would also buy enough dynamite, giant powder, etc, to sow down the canal route from end to end at any depth. Tell the totter- ing thrones of Europe and the hoi polloi to get a firm grip on the earth and hold their breath; touch a button at Washington, and there's the canal, dug at sea- bottom level. The natives could then squat on the fragments of the remains, and resume the pleasant pastimes of gambling, revolution, and burying the dead. This method would eliminate all such minor questions of what to do with the dirt, how to con- trol the Charges, where to put the Gatun dam. The blast would settle all these details and incidentally alter the official map a trifle.

But the most mainest thing in the business would be done with a quickness and strenuousness to warm the cockles of even the Presidential heart. Among other advantages of this method, may be mentioned, its freedom from graft, an incentive to get the job over quick, discouragement of the habits of smoking and profanity, say nothing of the dim, religious feeling that would pervade the atmosphere as the workmen trod lightly over a hundred thousand tons of un- certain, impulsive dynamite.

THEY DON'T JUSTIFY.

A young lady friend has asked us what is the meaning of "Ex" at the end of so many articles in the papers. We told her that when we fellows who have the habit of getting the same thing from the same place and claiming it as our own, run across a 64 point article in a paper whose editor has a 5 1/2 point head- piece, we know he has cribbed it—the two don't justify. In order to use it ourselves without assuming its authorship and at the same time withholding a credit that the 5 1/2-pointer does not deserve, we consign it to the anonymous oblivion of "Ex- change." Sabe Arabella?

For instance: a west Texas paper quite recently contained the following literary gem, ostensa- bly as an original, editorial ut- terance: "He has achieved success who has lived well, laughed often and loved much; who has gained the respect of intelligent men and the love of little children; who has filled his niche and accom- plished his task; who has left the world better than he found it, whether by an improved pop- erty, a perfect poem or a rescued soul; who has never lacked ap- preciation of earth's beauty or failed to express it; who has al- ways looked for the best in others and given the best he had; whose life was an inspiration; whose memory is a benediction."

A city paper reproduced it giv- ing the credit to the country pa- per, which honor it did not de- serve. Just a little "Ex." after the final period, would have dis- tributed the faulty justification. A Boston firm recently offered a prize for the best definition of what constitutes success. A Kansas woman was awarded the prize, and the above was her answer. You perceive Arabella, that others than Sampson have "ploughed with his heifer."

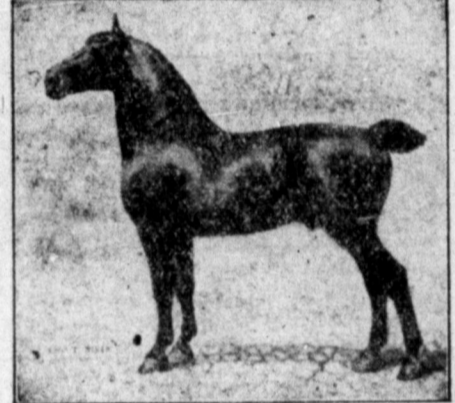
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THEY EVER WERE SOUR.

West Texas is said to be en- joying great prosperity. This fact is chronicled so that any Van Zandters who feel the fever coming on them may go now, in- vestigate and return in time to make a crop. It would be too bad to miss raising a good crop, you know,—Wills Point Chronicle.

The advice of the above para- graph is sarcastically ingenious, but far from ingenious. It is more creditable to the head than to the heart. It not only reflects upon the discriminating judg- ment of the good people of Van Zandt county, but attempts to discredit a section the writer quite likely knows little about.

There is in it a tang akin to a conscientiousness of playing on the losing side. The Chronicle declaims with grace and correct English upon conditions in West Texas, but these accomplish- ments do not lay the suspicion that the writer has not resided in East Texas long enough to recover from the "itch of proph- ecy" that assails all new comers with varying virulence.

Texas, the west half particu- larly, has ever been the despair and Jonah of prophecy.

There are in this immediate section a number of former Van Zandters; men who did well back there, but are doing much better out here—making better crops with less work than they ever did in east Texas. THE RECORD has talked with many of them, and has yet to hear one regret his move. All express them- selves as pleased with conditions and prospects.

Any investigation made upon the esteemed Chronicle's advice, of "west Texas," between this date and time to begin a crop, would be as unreliable and un- safe for the prospector as it would be unfair to this section.

Again: There is no place out- side the fatuous propaganda of socialism and pearly gates of the new Jerusalem, where the frugal, intelligent and industrious citizen will not get on and ahead, or where the shiftless, lazy and improvident will ever be else than he is. Opportunity and ge- ography are not factors in it. He shuffles around a vicious circle, completing every orbit at

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C. H. LASKY

the old home. The other kind stay and sub- due the country.

EITHER by reason of natural difficulties or the schemes of the trans-continental railroads, the canal project has come to a stand-still with a jolt. Shonts and Stevens have capitulated to the railroads for more money. President Roosevelt seems to be the only one connected with the enterprise who touches it with clean, faithful hands. He for one, we believe, is in earnest and above corruption—the high- est coefficient of his "square deal" policy. If after his term of office has expired, he should be given the job of making the canal, he'd do it if it can be done. THE RECORD believes he is the man to do the work. It would be a fitting rounding-out of the most dramatically successful career in American history.

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**TRAIN SCHEDULE.**

(Effective January 5th 1907.)  
WESTBOUND.  
No 3 Due to arrive.....10:33 p. m.  
No. 5 Due to arrive..... 7.39 a. m.  
EASTBOUND.  
No. 4 Due to arrive..... 7:39 a. m.  
No. 6 Due to arrive..... 8:59 p. m.  
**Colorado and Sterling Mail and Hack Line.**  
Leaves Colorado Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 7 o'clock, a. m. arrives at Sterling City at 7:30 p. m. same day.  
Leaves Sterling City Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 7 a. m., arrives at Colorado 7:30 p. m. same day.  
**Colorado-Snyder Mail and Hack Line.**  
Daily, including Sunday. Leave Colorado 7:00 a. m., arrive at Snyder 12:45 p. m. Leave Snyder 2 p. m., arrive at Colorado 7:45 p. m.  
**Colorado and Durham via Cuthbert, Mail and Hack Line.**  
Daily except Sunday. Leave Colorado 7 a. m., arrive Colorado 6 p. m.  
**Colorado and Pyron via Winston, Mail and Hack Line.**  
Daily except Sunday. Leave Colorado 7 a. m., arrive Colorado 8 p. m.

**LOCAL HAPPENINGS**

**PERSONAL MENTION**

Call at the Racket Store and inspect the new Fox visible Type Writer.  
Some sign painters we have met are mighty poor spellers.  
See the "Lucky Jim" Cultivator, best and cheapest, at Y. D. McMurry's.  
Place your orders for calendars now. The Record has the swellest line ever brought to Colorado. Come and see.  
For cheap farming land and ranches in El Paso county address West Texas Immigration Bureau, Box 193, El Paso, Texas.  
Don't spit on the side walks or on the floors of public buildings.  
The "Lucky Jim" Cultivator was built with an eye to service, as well as convenience, with the result that we have the best type and best built cultivator ever produced. Y. D. McMurry sells them.  
Mrs. C. A. Pierce and her sister, Miss Lucile Curry, were appreciated callers at this office this week, and cast a ray of sunshine athwart the portals of the sanctuary and watched the presses run.  
Bran and chops by the car load at Birdwell's.  
New buildings are going up all the time, on all sides, and the demand no nearer supplied now than it was twelve months ago.  
Finest candies and all the latest novelties in fancy groceries at Birdwell's.  
Our venerable friend Monroe Smith, out six miles north of town, has been quite sick this week, but we are glad to report him better now.  
Phonographs and supplies at W. L. Doss's.

Colorado now has a fire limit; no more wooden building or sidewalks can be erected within the fire limits.  
Geo. W. Mosher is Colorado's resident Piano tuner. Leave orders Haley building north of Hubbard's store.  
We publish this week the first ordinances and every one should read them carefully, so that all may observe the law.  
When the Spooner Dramatic Company returns to town on the 18th they are sure of packed houses all the week.  
The Record has been chosen as the official organ by the city.  
**Pyrography goods at Arbuthnots.**  
Promptness is Birdwell's motto. For groceries phone him.  
**Carboleum, for hen lice, ticks, and as a general disinfectant - Arbuthnot.**  
Mrs. H. G. Towle, of Snyder, Texas, is here this week the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. P. Ruddick.  
Every sack of "Pride of Texas" flour sold by Birdwell, is guaranteed.  
Read the city ordinances this week and keep posted.  
New, clean, fresh and fancy groceries at Birdwell's.  
W. M. Green, from the Green ranch, was in town Wednesday.  
Phone Birdwell for groceries.  
D. T. Bozeman, the Cuthbert merchant, spent Tuesday in Colorado.  
The old reliable house of Y. D. McMurry, is the place for all kinds of the best farm implements and hardware.  
Bridge add Beach stoves and ranges at Y. D. McMurry's.  
A letter from Earl Vaughan, out in El Paso county, gives a glowing report of that country and that he is well pleased with his new home.  
You can save money by trading with the new furniture store this year. H. L. Hutchinson.  
Dr. and Mrs. Cheeny, of Westbrook, were in Colorado last Friday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mosher.  
Meet me at Jakes Restaurant.  
May Stewart at the Opera House Tuesday night in Ingomar, was unusually good. On Wednesday night The Hunchback was rendered to a good sized audience.  
See McMurry today about that "Mr. Bill" Planter.  
C. G. Birdwell has just received a car of Pride of Texas flour. Every sack guaranteed to be the best. Also a car of bran and chops just received.  
The Fort Worth Record is a mighty good paper. The Colorado Record is better still. Both one year for \$1.50.  
Groceries, hardware and implements, a full line and prompt service at Y. D. McMurry's

For plain sewing, neat and nice phone, No. 112. 3-15.  
Mrs. John L. Doss visited her parents this week, in Abilene.  
The Spooners are coming.  
Mr. and Mrs. James F. Foote were called to Hamilton this week, to attend the funeral of Mr. Foote's sister-in-law.  
McMurry is the old reliable house that handles the Bridge & Beach cook stoves and ranges.  
**Pyrography outfits at Arbuthnots.**  
Mrs. W. L. Doss and Miss Willie Smith are spending the week in San Antonio, attending the meeting of the Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., while the State Grand Lodge is in session there. A letter from Mrs. Doss tells of a joyous time and that on her return she will stop in Austin and visit the state capitol.  
They all buy Peter Schutler wagons from A. S. Henry & Co.  
The poultry show held last Saturday in the building north of Hubbards, by the Ladies' Kindergarten Association, was quite a creditable affair and brought out the fact that fine poultry is raised in Mitchell county. The ladies realized a neat little sum and were rewarded for their trouble.  
Double Edge Stalk Cutter, the most successful stalk cutter in the field. It is practically all steel and wrought iron; has no castings that break. For sale by Y. D. McMurry.  
Dr. and Mrs. N. J. Phenix returned home last Saturday from a week's stay and most pleasant trip to Houston and Galveston. The doctor was summoned as a witness in an important railroad case and Mrs. Phenix went along to take care of the doctor. While in Galveston the doctor plunged 'neath the waves in the murmuring sea in his regular annual bath.  
I have pleased hundreds of people at my restaurant, Why not you. Try me. Jake Maurer.  
The School Board held an interesting meeting on Monday night and received the report that the new school building would be finished and turned over to them on April 1st. It was decided to screen the basement windows with heavy wire. It is understood that about April 1st the students and faculty will dedicate the new building with an informal reception, in what they call a house warming, and every man, woman and child in Colorado is expected to help christen the new house.  
If its kept in a drug store Doss has it.  
The new school building and grounds are being fenced by public subscription. The enclosure will add much to the beauty of both.  
Doss the druggist wants to see you.  
Gus Bertner, the widows' and orphans' friend, has set a good example by building a splendid concrete sidewalk in front of his residence. It is hoped others on the same street will follow his example.  
See us for picture mouldings, window shades, Exchange of furniture or repairing.  
Jas. D. Sherwin.  
Dud Thompson from the H. S. ranch was in town Tuesday and when last seen was with J. D. Wulfjen, Ben Van Tuyt, Bob Gray and V. Wallen. The wink had been given, and as they turned the corner the reporter heaved a sigh.  
**Carboleum, the great disinfectant, at Arbuthnot's.**  
See the new Iron Beds, see the new Rocking Chairs, Center Tables and Picture frames sold by Jas. D. Sherwin.  
Dallas News and Colorado Record one year \$1.50.

W. A. Lowder came in this week and had the Record sent to his brother, C. L. Lowder, at Fate, Texas, and it goes on its missionary journey.  
Moeser sells it for less.  
W. B. Burgett who lives at Kansas City, Mo., was here this week prospecting and bought a section of land off the Bush & Tiller ranch near Cuthbert. He with other parties will settle at once.  
Fort Worth Record and Colorado Record both one year for only \$1.50  
Prof. T. J. Yoe who attended the meeting of the Summer Normal Teachers in Abilene last week, returned home Saturday and reports the Summer Normal to begin June 9th and that quite a deal of interest is already manifest among the teachers.  
You will find our goods and our prices right at the new furniture store. H. L. Hutchinson.  
Mrs. C. G. Birdwell returned Tuesday night from Big Sandy after more than a month's absence and they are now at home at the Dr. Sneed place. Mr. Birdwell, by his strict integrity and business sagacity, has built up a fine trade here in a remarkably short time, and the family are valuable acquisitions to the citizenship of Colorado.  
We carry the largest stock of furniture and undertakers goods in Colorado, H. L. Hutchinson.  
Warranty deeds at The Record office.  
Mr. James T. Johnson and wife will soon leave for their new home in Snyder. Mr. Johnson has formed a partnership with Mr. Howard Towle of that city, and they have already let the contract for a large concrete building, where they will conduct one of the most up-to-date jewelry establishments in West Texas. Mr. Johnson is now in Cincinnati taking a course in watch making and repairing. Colorado regrets exceedingly the loss of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, but our unbounded good wishes go with them to their future home.  
Skidoo—23 come and get your eggs.  
Headquarters for groceries at Y. D. McMurry's.  
W. K. Homan, of Colorado City at one time a famous temperance lecturer of Texas, is here on legal business this week.—Hereford Brand.  
We will send The Record one year and Holland's Magazine one year for \$1.50, both to one address or to separate addresses.  
Shall we have a curfew law in Colorado?  
"Mr. Bill" Planters, the best made; sold only by Y. D. McMurry.  
Rev. M. Phelan, who has been living in Colorado for about one year, moved to Roscoe with his family this week where he will reside and serve as pastor of the Methodist church at that place and Lorraine. His people have just completed a handsome parsonage at Roscoe, and while our city loses a most excellent family our loss is Roscoe's gain, and we commend Bro. Phelan and family to those people as being a most excellent family indeed, and we wish them all kinds of good luck in their new home.

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**Public School Benefit.**  
Prof. Geo. A. Landrum who is an impersonator, reader and sard funny story teller, is the next number on the Public School Lyceum course and comes on Thursday night, March 22, at the Opera House. All holding season tickets will bear in mind the date. The pulpit and press are a unit in recommending the entertainments given by Mr. Landrum. The Public School folks very much desire that everybody attend this number, so they can realize as much money as possible for the school. The Lawrenceburg (Ky.) Herald says: Mr. Landrum very justly occupies a place among the very best impersonators of the day. He is a man of marked ability in the field of expression. He dispenses a high class of humor in a truly pleasing style that captivates his audience at once.  
The Bonham, (Tex.) Favorite has the following to say of him: When one man can carry on a dialogue engaging half dozen people, distinguishing them perfectly in tone of voice and gesture, that man is very much out of the ordinary. Landrum does it.  
**Liberal Reduction.**  
On all holiday left over goods, I have a specially large lot of fine dolls which will be sold very cheap.  
W. L. Doss.  
**Must Have It.**  
Queen, N. M., Feb. 5, '07.  
Whipkey Ptg Co.  
Please send me sample of the best paper in Mitchell county, as I wish to subscribe, and oblige.  
Jno. H. DeMoss.  
Of course the Record was sent him as he demanded the best.



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# HOSE! HOSE! HOSE!

Large shipment fresh from the Factory. All kinds of Hose and Water Fittings, Hose Bibbs, Sprinklers and Sprayers. Rubber Lined Cotton Hose, Garden Plows.

## Western Windmill & Hardware Comp'y.

### Fine Horse Sold.

On Tuesday of this week Geo. Root sold his fine horse, "Doctor Homan," to Ben Van Tuyl for a fancy price and Mr. Van Tuyl is as proud of his new purchase as a boy with his first boots.

"Doctor Homan," No. 38019, American Trotting Register, is beyond question the handsomest stallion in Texas today, being a dark cherry bay, 15 hands and 3 inches high in front and 16 hands and 1-2 inch high behind, 3 years old and weighs 1175 pounds. He is strictly a high-class trotting stallion and his blood lines are the best. He is a half brother to Williams on his sire's side and Williams is his uncle on his dam's side. Williams is the sire of "Miss Marigold," 2.19 1-4, Tom Miller, 2.20, (sire of Tom Miller, 2.10, Inter Ocean, 2.07 1-4 Holy Miss Williams, 2.06 1-4, and "Homan himself shows record bursts of speed.

Every man are kept busy. this sermon, lay of this week C. W. Subject at sent Beal Stoneham God taken Crawford, two of his as leprosy workmen, out to West-Sunda to go up a big lot of tin J. H. B. roofing, guttering and cistern for C. B. Hooper, S. P. Eved, J. R. Hastings, Mr. Adams. Westbrook school house, and several other parties of that place.

When the boys landed there the mayor of Westbrook wanted to run them in as box-car tourists, but as soon as the boys were turned loose on the work they demonstrated by their ability and workmanship that the mayor had made a mistake. The boys have been out there all the week and are not near up with their work yet. This popular house is busy these days filling out of town orders up and down the T. & P. road. The demand for galvanized cisterns and tanks and windmill work is more than they can at present supply, but Charlie Crawford says he will put on more men and do the work. The reason given for this unprecedented rush of work is the prompt service, good work and reasonable prices that is the motto of the C. W. Crawford tinning and plumbing house.

### To the Farmers of Mitchell County.

A. J. Allbritton, of Scurry county, Texas, will deliver public lectures at the following places in this county in the interest and for the benefit of the Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of Ameeriba:

Chapel Ridge, Saturday night, March 23; Loraine, 25; Seven Wells school house, 26; Liberty, 27; Dorns, 28; Daniels, 29; Cuthbert, 30; Westbrook, April 1; Colorado, 2.

Mr. Allbritton comes highly recommended by President E. A. Calvin and the state executive committee, and each locality will be expected to give him a good audience.

Y. D. McMurry is the old reliable house and is headquarters for groceries.

### Ex-Confederates Meet.

Pursuant to agreement, Albert Sidney Johnston Camp No. 113, U. C. V. met at the court house in Colorado Sunday, March 3, at 3 o'clock p. m. The meeting was called to order by L. H. Weatherly, captain, and was opened with prayer by Comrade J. M. Shuford.

Roll was called and four new members enrolled. The Camp now has a membership of thirty.

The camp then proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year, as follows:

L. H. Weatherly, captain; J. H. Haley, first lieutenant; Thos. Q. Mullin, adjutant; W. H. Smith, quartermaster; J. M. Shuford, chaplain.

An invitation was extended to the wives, daughters and sons of Ex-Confederates to meet with us at our future meetings.

It was agreed to meet every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock with a hope that all Ex-Confederates, their wives, daughters and sons will meet with us.

The meeting adjourned to meet next Sunday, March 10, 1907, at 3 o'clock p. m., with the motto, "God be With You Till We Meet Again."

### Wood Yard Changed Hands.

I beg to notify the public, that I have this day taken charge of the Wood Yard, Mr. H. F. Wheeler having sold out the entire business. 1000 cords of the best mesquite wood and 100 tons of McAlister coal will be added at once, and the yard is in a position to deliver coal and wood the day ordered. Please send in your orders and try me, and I promise honest measure and honest wood.

Very Respectfully,  
COLORADO FUEL CO.,  
DAN BEAMAN, Manager.

THE RECORD scribe stood the other night on the railroad opposite the oil mill and watched the busy scene, and contrasted it with what the same point of view disclosed only six months ago. Between the railroad at that point and the river nothing but the most miserable specimen of a negro shack, made of goods boxes and old tin roofing, marred the landscape and offended the eye. Scrubby mesquite tossed its scanty foliage in the wind, while the numerous heaps of tin cans, bottles, shoe leather and rags, gave the only evidence that, this particular piece of ground was within ten miles of a town. It simply looked desolate and undiscovered. - But what a change is there today. Nearly every acre of land between the railroad and the river, that is adapted to use, is covered with houses, platform, cotton, cotton seed, lumber, coal or machinery of some sort. It is an inspiring sight when both oil mill and compress are running at the same time.

Phone No. 254 for wood and coal. Delivery at once.  
COLORADO FUEL CO.,  
Dan Beaman, Manager.

### Delling-Hale.

Married, at 3:30 Sunday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Payne, Abilene, Texas, Miss Rosebud Delling and Mr. Howard C. Hale.

The bride accompanied by her mother, Mrs. L. W. Delling, came out from Dallas Saturday evening and were met at Abilene by the groom, Miss Evelyn De-Moss of this place and Mr. and Mrs. Payne.

Miss Delling is a former Colorado girl, having lived here until three years past. She is the daughter of the late L. W. Delling, sheriff of this county for years; and she was one of Colorado's brightest and most popular girls.

Mr. Hale is connected with the T. & P. offices of Abilene and is a young man of sterling worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Hale will make their home in Abilene.

We wish for them a long life, and a happy one.

I saw it in the Record.

### THE EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Leader, Roy Dodson.  
Subject, Life through Christ.  
John x.10-28.

Opening song.  
Responsive reading, Psalms xxiii, xxiv, xxv.

The Lord's prayer.  
Song.

Christ the good Shepherd in contrast with the indifferent Shepherd. John x.10-28, leader.

Christ giveth his life—Miss Julia McLure.

Song.  
Our responsibility, Miss Katie Warren.

Bible illustrations.  
Song and benediction.

The Record prints the news.

At the Colorado opera house Wednesday, March 13, Geo. D. Sweet presents Beatrice Terry in the 4-act comedy drama, "A Messenger Boy," with a strong supporting company of sterling actors.

## On April 1st, 1907

THE Dry Goods Establishments of C. M. Adams and V. D. Payne & Co. will be merged into one under the firm name of C. M. Adams, Mr. V. D. Payne still retaining his interest. They will occupy three spacious rooms in the old Opera Block; those now occupied by V. D. Payne & Co. and A. S. Henry & Co., and the one immediately in the rear of those two rooms. In the meantime, both houses are offering exceptional bargains in all winter goods. Call and get prices.

C. M. ADAMS,  
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## Colorado Opera House

Wednesday Night, March 13th.

Mr. Geo. D. Sweet takes pleasure in presenting

"A Messengr Boy."

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Band and Orchestra. This attraction is one of the most brilliant and fascinating of all American attractions. Watch for noon day parade.

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And have me do your Tinning and Plubing work. I also make the best

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Fresh Meats—Beef, Pork; Sausage -Bologna and Weiners' Dressed Chicken every Saturday.

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# NEW SPRING GOODS.

We can save you money on all grades of Merchandise, bought early to avoid paying advance in prices.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SUITINGS.</b></p> <p>Just received, some stylish new wool suiting for early spring styles. Plaids and checks in all the new popular shades. Price <b>50c to \$1.25.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PLAIN AND FANCY SILKS.</b></p> <p>We are showing some splendid values in plain and fancy silks. It's hard to beat the Taffeta Silk we sell for per yard <b>\$1.00</b></p> <p>Special line of Silks just received. Prices per yard, <b>50c to \$1.50</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Come and see these goods</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>"LINEN."</b></p> <p>Best Linen we could buy for the money. We like them and know you will. Warranted pure Linen, for per yard <b>35c to \$1.00.</b></p> <p>Colors, Pink, Red, Blue and White. Exceptional bargains.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>DRESS GOODS.</b></p> <p>We are opening handsome Dress Goods every day. Embroidered Swiss, Mercerized Chiffon, Embroidered Linen, Shirt Waist Madras, Persian Lawn, Figured Lawns, and many other new things in our Dress Goods department. New Collars, new embroidery, new Laces, new Belts. Our Hosiery department is stocked with splendid values. Ask to see them.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>FINE SKIRTS.</b></p> <p>Sorosis new Heatherbloom Petty Skirts. Prices are <b>1.25 to 4.00.</b> Free, a Skirt hanger with every skirt.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>NEW DRESS SKIRTS.</b></p> <p>We have just received by express new styles. Excellent workmanship, splendid quality. Price, <b>\$5.00 to \$10.00.</b></p>
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Every day brings us something New. Come any time you may and we can show you something new in Spring Goods.

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## ORDINANCES

### OF THE CITY OF COLORADO,

ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
MARCH 4, 1907.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO, That the following articles shall hereafter constitute ordinances of the City of Colorado:

**ARTICLE 1.** That all laws in the Penal Code of the State of Texas, together with all amendments to the same, defining and prescribing punishments for misdemeanors against the laws of the State of Texas, be, and the same are hereby adopted and made part of the ordinances of the City of Colorado, including all such laws and offenses as come within the jurisdiction of a Justice of the Peace, and no others.

**ARTICLE 2.** The fire limits of the City of Colorado are hereby established and defined as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Front Street and Pine Street, on the East line of Pine Street; thence North with East line of Pine Street to the South line of Third Street; thence East with the South line of Third Street to the West line of Hickory Street; thence South with the West line of Hickory Street to the North line of Front street; thence West with the North line of Front Street to the beginning.

**ARTICLE 3.** It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation, or association of persons to erect, build, place, move or repair any wooden building within the fire limits as they are now or may be established by the ordinances of this city.

**ARTICLE 4.** It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation or association of persons to move or put within the fire limits of this city a wooden building from without said fire limits, or to remove any wooden building from one place to another within said fire limits.

**ARTICLE 5.** It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation or association of persons to make, build or construct within the fire limits of this city any building out of any kind or class of materials other than such as shall be classed as fire proof; provided, that rock, brick or concrete walls, and tin, sheet iron, slate or granite roofing shall be considered fire proof material within the meaning of this article.

**ARTICLE 6.** It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation or association of persons to rebuild or repair any wooden building within the fire limits of this city when the same shall have been damaged from fire or other cause to the extent of fifty per cent of the value thereof, said damage to be ascertained by reference of the same to three disinterested carpenters to be selected and appointed by the City Council with reference to each building.

**ARTICLE 7.** Whenever any building, awning, or sidewalk attached to or forming a part of such building, within the fire limits of this city shall, from age, neglect or otherwise become dilapidated or dangerous, the same shall be considered a nuisance and obstruction, and upon complaint being made to the Mayor he shall cause such building, awning or sidewalk to be inspected by three disinterested freeholders of the city, and if the same be reported by them to be in such dilapidated or dangerous condition as to be a nuisance and obstruction, the Mayor shall notify the owner of such building, awning or sidewalk, or his agent, to pull down and remove the same, giving ten days notice to said owner or his agent to pull down and remove the same, so that the nuisance and obstruction shall be abated; and upon the failure or neglect of such owner or his agent to comply with such notice, the Mayor shall cause such building, awning or sidewalk to be pulled down or removed as he may deem best.

**ARTICLE 8.** Any mechanic or other laborer in the employ of the owner of any property mentioned in the preceding articles, or of the agent of such owner, who shall undertake to construct, move, rebuild, or do any of the acts prohibited therein, shall be deemed equally guilty with such owner or agent, and shall be prosecuted and punished in the same manner as such owner or agent.

**ARTICLE 9.** Whoever shall do any act prohibited by the foregoing articles relating to the fire limits of this city, or shall fail to do any act required by said articles or any of them, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars, for each offense; and each day that any wooden building or any portion of the structure thereof, or any building constructed of material not fire proof, shall remain within the fire limits of this city, or the doing of any act forbidden by the preceding articles relating to fire limits and buildings therein, or omitting to do that required, shall constitute a separate offense; and in case such violation be

committed by a firm, corporation or association, of persons each member thereof shall be deemed guilty of the offense, and shall be punished accordingly.

**ARTICLE 10.** Whoever shall suffer or permit any cellar, vault, drain, pool, privy, sewer, yards, grounds, or premises belonging to, controlled or occupied by him within this city, to become from any cause nauseous, foul, offensive or injurious to the public health, or unpleasant or disagreeable to adjacent residents or persons, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense.

**ARTICLE 11.** If any person shall within this city carry on any trade, business or occupation, injurious to the health of those who reside in the vicinity, or shall suffer any substance which shall have that effect, to remain on premises in his possession, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and fined not less than one nor more than fifty dollars.

**ARTICLE 12.** Whoever shall cause or permit any noxious, foul or putrid liquor or substance, or any liquid or substance likely to become nauseous, foul, offensive or putrid to be discharged, placed or thrown on, or to flow from, or out of any premises into or upon any adjacent premises, or any public street, or alley, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be fined not less than five nor more than fifty dollars.

**ARTICLE 13.** Whoever shall deposit or place in or on any premises, public or private, inclosed or common, within this city any vegetable or animal matter or slop, or any filth of a character likely to affect the public health or to produce offensive smells, or allow the carcass of any dead animal, which at its death belongs to him, to be or remain in or upon any such place more than six hours after its death, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than five nor more than fifty dollars.

**ARTICLE 14.** If any person shall spit upon any sidewalk, or upon the floor or walls of the postoffice, court house, railroad depot, or any church or school building or other public building within this city, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall upon conviction be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars.

**ARTICLE 15.** Whoever shall ride or drive any beast of burden in, along or across any street, alley, road, highway or other public place within this city, at a gait faster than ordinary, unless in case of urgent necessity, or shall drive any dray, float, or heavy wagon on any such street, alley or other public place in a gait faster than a walk in case of a loaded vehicle, or faster than a trot in case of an empty vehicle, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine not less than five nor more than fifty dollars.

**ARTICLE 16.** Whoever shall within this city ride or drive any beast of burden in any public place in such manner as to come in collision with any person, animal or vehicle, or shall ride or drive any animal usually driven with reins, in such public place without holding the reins in hand, or with a bell or bells attached to such animal, or shall ride, drive, lead or place any beast of burden or vehicle on any sidewalk, pavement or banquet in this city, otherwise than in going into or out of premises owned or controlled by him or his employer, or shall leave any beast of burden standing in any public place within this city unless the same is securely tied; or shall turn any horses, mules or cattle loose on any public place, street or alley, or drive any such animal upon any sidewalk; or shall leave any team or beast of burden attached to a vehicle in any street, alley or other public place within the city without being securely tied; or shall stop any beast of burden or vehicle on any street or alley crossings, so as to obstruct any street or passway; or shall occupy any portion of any street or alley, or sidewalk in this city with animals, for purposes of trade, exhibition or sale; so as to obstruct such street, alley or sidewalk wholly or partially, or prevent the free use thereof by the public, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars.

**ARTICLE 17.** If any person shall hitch or tie any horse or other beast of burden, or any team attached to any vehicle, to any awning post in front of any business house within this city, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine not exceeding ten dollars.

**ARTICLE 18.** It shall be unlawful for any transient or traveling person, going from place to place, to sell or offer to sell any trinkets, patent or proprietary medicines, remedies, or goods of any description, on the public square, streets, alleys or sidewalks of this city.

**ARTICLE 19.** It shall be unlawful for any persons to advertise their goods, wares, or merchandise by means of shows, or entertainments of any description whatever, or in any manner, directly or indirectly, to seek to make profit by shows or other entertainments,

or to exhibit any pictures or sleight of hand performance, on the public square, streets, sidewalks or alleys of this city.

**ARTICLE 20.** Every person violating any of the provisions of the two preceding articles shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars, and each day that such offense shall be committed shall constitute a separate offense.

**ARTICLE 21.** It shall not be lawful for any person, firm or association of persons in this city to place, keep, or suspend any merchandise on or over any sidewalk or street in front of any house or tenement, or upon any sidewalk or street to expose or offer any merchandise or other property for sale at auction or otherwise, or to obstruct any sidewalk or street by placing, leaving or causing to be placed or left thereon any vehicle, machine, chicken coop, coal box, barrel, table, box, or other article or thing whatever. Any person violating any of the provisions of this article shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine not more than twenty-five dollars, and each act and every day's violation hereof shall constitute a separate offense, and each member of any firm, corporation or association violating this article shall be deemed guilty, and shall be punished accordingly.

**ARTICLE 22.** The preceding article shall not apply to any resident merchant or trader placing packages or merchandise which he may be receiving or sending away, upon sidewalks, if the same do not occupy more than one half the width thereof, nor remain there more than three hours, nor to any resident merchant or trader occupying a house and exhibiting samples for show only, upon or above the inside line of the sidewalk within a space not exceeding two feet.

**ARTICLE 23.** It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or association of persons to obstruct any street, avenue, alley, sidewalk, pavement, platform, foot-bridge, or other public place in this city, by placing, depositing, throwing or leaving thereon, or causing the same to be done, any vehicle, machine, chicken-coop, box, barrel, cotton, sign, lumber, rock, house, railway engine or cars, (when remaining thereon longer than allowed by ordinance) or any other matter or thing by whatever name called, which interferes with the exclusive control and power of the city over the streets, alleys, avenues, public grounds and highways of the city, or which may interrupt trains, vehicles or teams; and the designation of the foregoing objects shall not be deemed to except any other object or thing whatever which may encumber, obstruct or encroach upon the free and easy passage over such streets, alleys, sidewalks and highways, or which does or may interfere with the exclusive control and power of the city over said places. Every person violating any of the provisions of this article shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than five nor more than fifty dollars. Each act of violation, and each day the same may be persisted in shall constitute a separate offense, and each member of any such firm, corporation or association, their agents, servants and employees, shall be deemed equally guilty, and shall be punished accordingly.

The foregoing ordinances, embracing Articles 1 to 23, inclusive, are approved, this 4th day of March, 1907.  
W. K. HOMAN,  
Mayor of the City of Colorado.  
Attest: J. A. FORE,  
City Secretary.

## C. A. ARBUTHNOT.

Wishes his customers and the public a Happy and Prosperous New Year, and returns thanks for all past favors.

I desire to call attention to a large stock of NEW WALL PAPER and PAINTS and VARNISHES of every description. Kindly call and look through.

## C. A. Arbuthnot

# A. S. HENRY & CO.

## HEADQUARTERS FOR FARMING IMPLEMENTS,

Buggies, Hacks and Peter Schuttler Wagons. Come and see our "BLACK HAWK" PLANTERS and Middlebusters combined. It is A. 1. Our Champion Jr. Sulky Plow has more good points than any Sulky on the market. Our price on this Plow is only \$37.50. The BRADLEY STALK CUTTER is A. 1. It cuts the stalks and don't ride them, because it has the weight and is made right. We have a big lot of these and to close out have reduced the price from \$35 to \$32.50. See our double row Champion corn and cotton Planter. Every one guaranteed. We have a complete line of Cultivators, Walking Plows, Harrows, &c. Our line of implements are the Bradley Goods, and in the language of the farmers who have used the Bradley Implements, "I never saw Bradley's name on anything but a first-class Implement." See our goods and prices before you buy.

# A. S. HENRY & CO.

COLORADO, TEXAS.

P. S. We will move our business about March 1st to the new and commodious building specially arranged and built for us. Opposite Moor's Livery Stable.

### IN THE SOCIAL REALM.

#### Church Tea.

The Baptist Tea was held last Monday at the residence of Mrs. Holmes Nichols, who was assisted in receiving by Mrs. F. B. Whipkey. Quite a number of ladies were present on this occasion, and all report a most delightful afternoon.

The Misses Henry favored the guests with some beautiful piano selections, and Miss Lucile Curry sweetly sang "Sing Me to Sleep."

An interesting contest followed—an original device of the hostess—which consisted of our most common place quotations and expressions given, but to name the author of the expression afforded a deal of thinking. Mrs. Willis R. Smith was most successful and received a volume of poems.

The guests were next ushered into the dining room where Mrs. W. W. Gross and Miss Bernice Terrell presided and served the daintiest luncheon of chicken salad, pickles, wafers, coffee and tea. The evening shadows gathered before this merry throng dispersed, each feeling that it was indeed good to be there.

#### Commissioners' Court.

Commissioners' Court met March 2, 1907, it being a special term, and the following business was transacted: School districts No. 3 and 4 were established in the northwest part of Mitchell county, the balance of the county being left in districts No. 1 and 2 as heretofore laid out. The contract was awarded to Texas Bridge company for a 120-foot steel span bridge across Silver creek, in F. E. McKenzie's pasture, in the southeast part of Mitchell county.

#### New Clubbing Rates.

From this date until Sep. 1st we will send the Record and Dallas News or Ft. Worth Record one year for only \$1.50. After September 1st, the two papers will be \$1.75.

#### Colorado's New Orchestra.

A new organization has been formed in our city, which promises to become very popular. An orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Ed Jones and composed of ten of our leading musicians, has already demonstrated its ability to play well together, though having held only two rehearsals, and upon the arrival of the new instruments, which they have gone to quite an expense to purchase, we may expect something good in a musical way.

The organization is not a financial venture, but is formed entirely through the love of music and we believe should have the support and good will of all the music loving people of Colorado.

We understand that a concert is to be given in the near future in which the orchestra will be assisted by the best local talent, the proceeds to be used to buy music and instruments. Mr. Mosher has been appointed by the orchestra to arrange the concert, which will be given about the middle of April.

It is the intention of the orchestra to play open air concerts during the summer at the City Park, and we are sure that these entertainments will be greatly appreciated by everyone during the long summer evenings.

#### Notice of School Trustees Election.

Notice is hereby given that there will be an election held at each school house in each rural school district in Mitchell county, on the 1st Saturday, this being the 6th day of April 1907, for the purpose of electing trustees to serve two years from the 1st day of May 1907. In district No. 1, successors to Trustees (G. W. White and A. J. Smith) will be elected. In district No. 2, successors to Trustees J. W. Bird, and G. J. McKinney will be elected. In district No. 3, three trustees will be elected to succeed

In district No. 4, three trustees will be elected. W. B. CROCKETT, County Judge, Mitchell county

Lithographed vendor's lien notes for sale at RECORD office.

#### A NEW PRESS.

The Record stands for progress, and holds that the best is none too good for its patrons, and this policy has been abundantly justified by the very liberal support they have accorded it during the past year. To such an extent has the business grown that the fifth press has been ordered and is now in transit by the Mallory line from Plainfield, N. J., via Galveston and is expected some time in June.

With the installation of this new Scott book press and latest four-face linotype machine for which we are now negotiating, the Record will pass out of the "best equipped west of Fort Worth" class, into the "good as the best, anywhere." Without the least solicitation, the subscription list is growing at the rate of 100 net gain per month. Great is Mitchell county. The Record is its Prophet! Bismillah!

#### Skldoo 23.

On Saturday last the Kindergarten folks sold a setting of fine Plymouth Rock eggs. They sold them by number. We have the eggs at this office and No. 23 wins them. The party holding the above number will please come and get them. Their value is \$1.50.

#### The Fire Limits.

The boundaries of the fire limits were fixed Monday night by the city council, and are as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of Field's cotton yard thence north on the east side of Pine street, to the corner of Pine and 3rd street, thence east on the south side of 3rd street to the corner of Hickory (J. E. Rogers' corner) thence south on the west side of Hickory street to north Front street, thence west on north side of Front St. to point of beginning. These limits include 8 business blocks and within this prescribed territory there shall be no wooden buildings of plank side walls erected hereafter.

#### WESTBROOK ITEMS.

Mr. Stribbling has been quite sick but is now some better.

Jay Grow and Jim Board of Mansfield have returned home after a visit to their land near here.

There are quite a number of the school pupils at home with the measles this week and on account of the teacher, Mr. Phillips, being sick Monday morning, school was dismissed.

Mr. Fred Poole is able to be at work again after being kicked over the eye by a horse which he was trying to drive to a buggy.

Mrs. C. B. Hooper's mother is here for a few month's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis spent a part of last week in Reeves county.

Quite a nice crowd attend singing Sunday night at Mr. Pelis'.

Mr. Reed and family of Delta county will make Westbrook their future home.

The Literary Society will meet next Friday night week. Mr. Leon Niel is president; Miss Olla Shaw, secretary.

Mr. John Cash has moved into his new cottage near the section house.

The addition to the hotel improves its appearance as well as increasing its capacity.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bulloch were welcome visitors to Westbrook Sunday.

Mr. Emmet Isaak with a smiling face met his wife and little daughter at the depot Saturday morning. JUNIUS.

#### Telephone Book.

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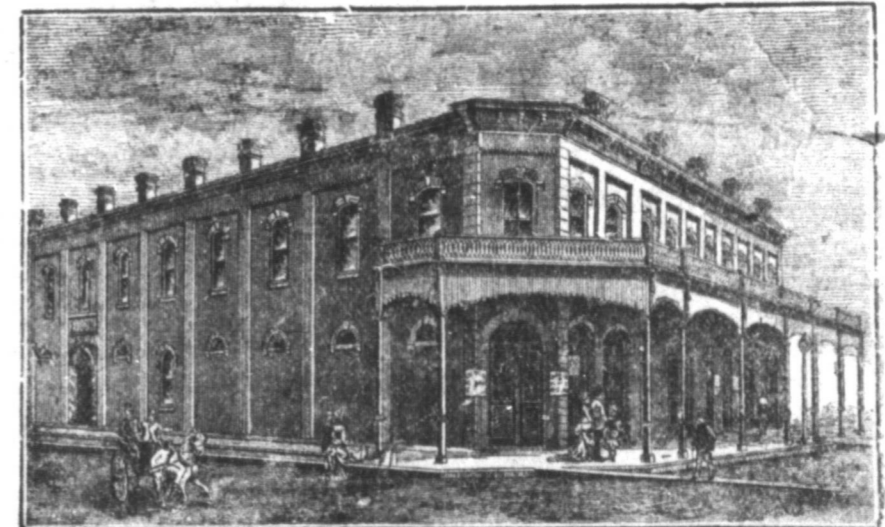
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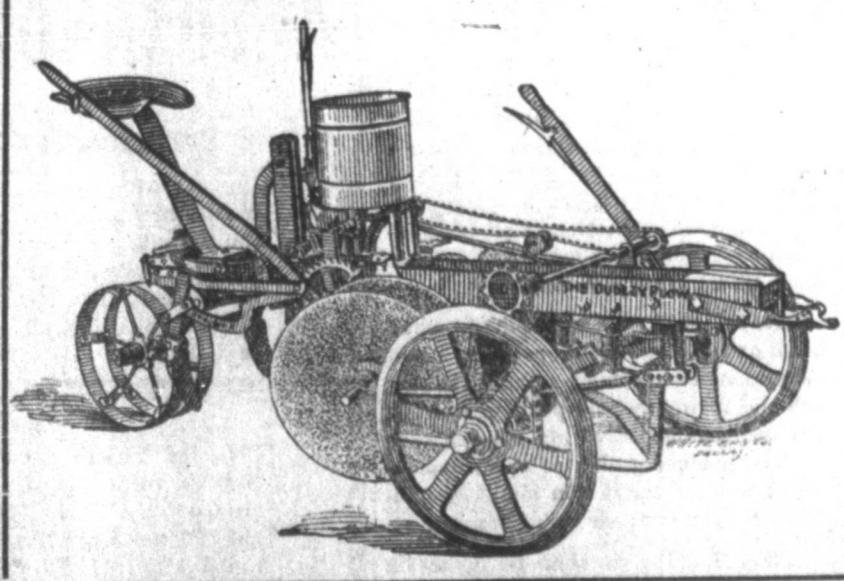
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