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Entered Into Eternal Life.

On the morning of May the 20th the messenger of Death entered the home of Lon and Hattie Maxwell, and summoned their dear Alva to his heavenly home. After long months of suffering, borne with angelic patience, he folded his hands, closed the dear eyes on earth and peacefully fell "Asleep in Jesus."

Alva was born near Forney, Texas, April 28th, 1890, and was therefore 17 years and 22 days old when he died, leaving a father, mother, four sisters, one brother and several relatives.

At the age of 12 years he became a Christian and his life was consistent with his profession. He was a dutiful son and a kind and affectionate brother.

He said death had no terrors for him and that he was prepared to go. What a sweet memory and what an abiding comfort to the loved ones left behind!

Oh, it is well with the precious boy, but the silent home, the vacant chair, the aching, aching heart!

The heartfelt sympathy of innumerable friends goes out to the stricken family. We do not ask the bereft ones not to grieve, for Alva deserves to be missed and his absence lamented; for his was a rare spirit and his life full of promise.

Look up sad hearts,

"Our absent one is very near,
The death intrudes between."

The funeral service was held at

the family residence, conducted by his beloved pastor Bro. W. K. Homan and other dear friends whose beautiful songs made the service so very impressive.

The floral offerings, were numerous and elaborate, and the large number of people present at the funeral, expressed not only by their presence, but also by their department, the deep sense of the loss sustained by the family and friends.

All that was mortal of the dear boy was laid away in the city cemetery and a floral coverlet spread by tender hands, covers the sacred spot.

"A few short years she shed a loving gladness,
Where'er his footsteps trod;
Now with the star of Hope to cheer our sadness,
We give him back to God."

HIS AUNT IDA.

Business Change.

On Wednesday L. F. Ware sold his interest in the bottling works to his partner, C. E. Williams, who will continue the business as sole proprietor. Mr. Ware goes to Little Rock, Ark., where he has a splendid position.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will have a tea at Mrs. Gustine's next Wednesday night from 4 to 7 o'clock.

C. S. Ellis and Chas. Rose returned Wednesday from a hunting and camping expedition, and report excellent success.

Judge Homan Resigns.

At a called meeting of the City Council Wednesday evening Judge W. K. Homan tendered his resignation as Mayor, and same was accepted by the Council and an election has been ordered to fill the vacancy. Judge Homan gave as his reason that his health was failing and that he must be released of every duty possible in order to regain his health. This is a severe loss to Colorado, as Judge Homan was making a most excellent mayor, and his place will be hard to fill. The Record hopes that he may speedily regain his health.

It now behooves our people to prevail on some other good man to allow the use of his name as a candidate for mayor and elect him, as this is no time for experiments.

Death of Alfred L. Runyon.

Mr. Alfred L. Runyon died at his home in west Colorado Sunday at twelve o'clock. Deceased was 86 years old and had lived in Colorado many years. He leaves a wife, one son and two daughters, Mrs. Fields and Mrs. Gill, living here, besides numerous grand children. All his family were with him during his last illness which was the result of old age. The end was painless and the spirit which had for these long years borne the body through great changes, was at last released and winged its flight to the vast realms of eternity.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. K. Homan at the family residence Monday at four o'clock. He spoke very feelingly of Mr. Runyon's great age, of the changes through which he had passed; how within his lifetime the railroad, the steamship, telegraph and telephone had become known to the world; of the opportunities that had been offered him for doing good, and how all his neighbors and friends testified that he was a good man.

The numerous grandsons gathered around the casket were admonished to so live that it might also be said of them, that they were good men. The body was laid to rest in the Odd Fellows' cemetery, where the large crowd of neighbors and friends attested the high esteem in which his memory is held. The pall bearers were Messrs John Prude, J. H. Haley, J. O. McCreless, Dr. Neil, John Doss and John Vaughan. The bereaved family have the sympathy of all in their loss.

A Fine Colt.

Last Saturday Mr. J. M. Green who lives out in the Union settlement; called at the Record office to show us a fine colt. The colt was five weeks old and measured 60 inches from top of shoulder to back of hip and 32 inches in height. It was sired by the fine horse of C. P. Conoway at Westbrook, and in size is as large as the average colts at four months of age. This colt is as sound in every particular as a new silver dollar, and is doubtless one of the best colts in the county. Mr. Green says he lost a colt equally as good as this one two weeks ago, it having run into the wire and cut its throat. Aside from being a breeder of first class stock Mr. Green is one of the best farmers in the west, and having long been a farmer in Bell and McLennan counties says he much prefers this country to make money farming and enjoy good health. Mr. Green is a valued friend of the Record, and we appreciate his friendship very much.

Choice South Front Residence Lots For Sale--Cheap.

We have eight nice smooth resident lots lying just East of the new School Building, all 50x136 feet, shallow free-stone water can be obtained at 38 feet, water stands 20 feet in well. Price \$50.00 each, terms \$10 cash and \$10 per month. No interest. See BUCHANAN, MORRISON & CO., Phone 202, next door west of City National Bank.

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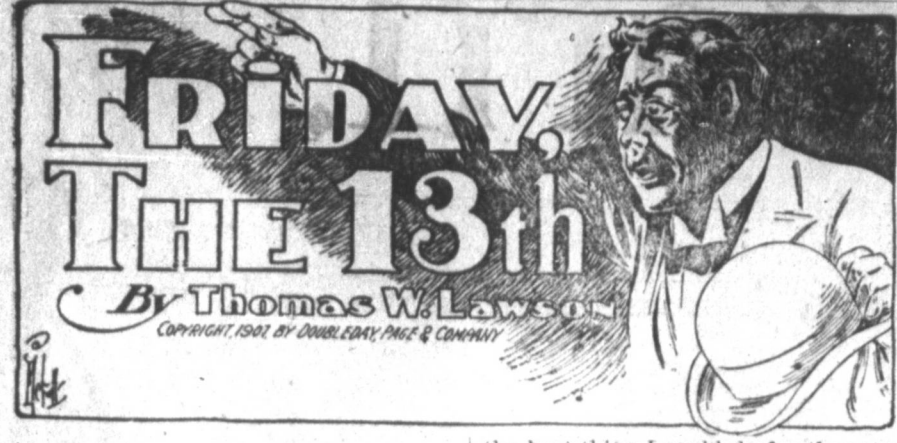
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COLORADO, TEXAS.



FRIDAY, THE 13th
By Thomas W. Lawson

SYNOPSIS.
CHAPTER I—Bob Brownley creates a panic in Wall street. He is a friend of Jim Randolph of Randolph & Randolph, bankers and brokers. Brownley and Randolph had gone to college together and entered the employ of Randolph & Randolph at the close of college days. Brownley is a Virginian by birth. Beulah Sands, daughter of an old Virginia house, calls on Brownley and tells him her father has been practically ruined by the stock operations of Reinhart. She hopes to utilize her own money in Wall street in retrieving her father's fortunes before his condition becomes known, and asks for employment in the office that she may have an opportunity to better understand how her money is invested. She does not want it used in a purely Wall street gamble, but in the buying and selling of legitimate securities. Brownley agrees to help her, and falls in love with her.

CHAPTER II—Brownley plunges in sugar stock. He uses the money of Miss Sands, his own and in addition is backed heavily by the Randolph millions. His coup seems successful, and he tells Miss Sands that she has cleared \$1,000,000. But the market had not closed.

CHAPTER III—Barry Conant, head broker for Standard Oil and sugar interests, suddenly begins to sell "sugar." In the midst of a panic he breaks the market and with its fall carries away the earnings and much of the capital of both Miss Sands and himself. A pretty love scene occurs between the two at the office when Bob attempts to tell her the terrible truth of their fall. Brownley takes a trip to Virginia.

CHAPTER IV.
The following week Bob returned to the office. He had not changed, and yet he had changed greatly. Rest had apparently done much for him. His color was good, his step elastic as of old, and his head was thrown back as if he were buckled up for the fray and wanted all to know it. Yet there was something in the eye, in the setness of the jaw, in the hair-trigger calm, yet fiercely savage grip in which he closed his strong hands on the arms of his chair, that told me more plainly than words that this was not the optimistic, soft-hearted Bob Brownley I had known and loved. I could not help feeling that if I had been a leader of the Russian terrorists, and this man who now sat before me had come to my ken when I was selecting bomb-throwers, I should have set upon him of all men as the one to stalk the czar and his marked minions. Surely the iron that had entered Bob's soul a week before had affected his whole being. I think Beulah Sands had some such thoughts. For I saw a shadow of perplexity cross her brow, low forehead after her first meeting with him, a shadow that had not been there before.

For days after Bob's return I saw little of him. I think Beulah Sands saw less. During stock exchange hours he spent most of his time on the floor, but he executed few of our orders. He merely looked them over and handed them out to his assistants. As far as I could learn, he spent much of his time there yesterday through hope's graveyards, a not uncommon pastime for active exchange members whose first through specials have been open-switched by the "System" workman. So strong had become this habit of going about from pole to pole with bent head and a far-off gaze that his fellow members began to humor and respect it. They all knew that Bob had gone up against the Sugar panic hard. No one knew how hard, but all guessed from his changed appearance and habits that it must have been a bone-smashing blow. Nothing so quickly and so deeply stirs a stock exchange man's feelings for his brother member as to know that "They" have ditched his El Dorado flyer—that is, if he has been a good fellow. They will humor his every whim and patiently await the day when he shall be again in normal condition; for all stock gamblers whom Fate, or the old hag's hunchback twin, the "System," has dumped, either remain below the surface or eventually round to. Every day as soon as the stock exchange closed, Bob disappeared, whither I could not learn. I had tried once or twice to draw him out, under pretense of insisting upon his accepting my wife's invitation to dine with us. He always had a ready excuse for me to take to Kate, but that was all. Apparently he had no idea that I took any interest in his movements after business hours.

As for Beulah Sands, there was but one change noticeable in her. Whenever a footstep stopped in front of her office she looked up from her work with an expectant, almost appealing gaze, as though she were always waiting for some one. I had not seen Bob in her office since that disastrous Sugar day, and as he went directly to the exchange every morning and left there every afternoon without returning to the office, doing all his business by messenger or over the wire, there was but little chance of his meeting her.

November 1st had come and gone, and the books showed no change in Beulah Sands' account. There was the poor little \$30,000 balance; no other entries. One afternoon Beulah Sands had asked for a meeting between Bob and myself in her office. She could hardly have asked Bob to come without me, but I knew it was Bob she wanted to see, and I felt that

the best thing I could do for them was to leave them alone. So I made some excuse for a moment's delay at my desk telling Bob to go into her office, and promising to follow shortly. He went in, leaving the door partly open. I think that from the moment he entered the room both of them utterly forgot my existence. From her desk Beulah could not see me, and Bob sat so that his back was half toward me. "I dislike to trouble you about my account," I heard her begin in a voice a trifle uneven, "but as I must go back to father Christmas week, I wanted to get your advice as to the advisability of writing him that, though there is still a chance for doing wonders, I do not think we shall be able to save him. Of course I won't put it in just that blunt way, but it seems to me I should begin to prepare him for the blow. I have not talked over any more plunging with you, Mr. Brownley, since the unlucky one in Sugar, and—"

"Miss Sands, I understand what you mean," Bob broke in, "and I should apologize for not having consulted with you about your business affairs. The fact is, I have not been quite clear as to the best thing to do. I hope you don't think I have forgotten. Never for a moment since I took charge of your affairs have I forgotten my promise to see that they were kept active. Truly I have been trying to think out some successful plunge, but—but—"

"There was a hoarseness in his voice—"I have not had my old confidence in myself since that day in Sugar when I killed your hopes and destroyed the chance of saving your father—no, I have not had that confidence a man must have in himself to win at this game."

"Well, Jim, dear old Jim, where did you come from? Like all eavesdroppers, you have heard no good of your self. Own up, Jim, you did not hear a word good or bad about yourself, for it is just coming back to me that we have been selfish, that we have left you entirely out of our business conference."

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rested. I have covered the arms of your chair, that your strong, brave hands had gripped, with kisses. Night after night I have knelt at your desk and prayed to God to shield you, to protect you from all harm, to brush away the black cloud I brought into your life. I have asked Him to do with me, yes, with my father and mother, anything, anything if only He would bring back to you the happiness I had stolen. Bob, I have suffered, suffered, as only a woman can suffer."

She was sobbing as though her heart would break, sobbing wildly, convulsively, like the little child who in the night comes to its mother's bed to tell of the black goblins that have been pursuing it. Long before she had finished speaking—and it took only a few heart-beats for that rush of words—I had broken the power of the fascination that held me, had turned away my eyes, and tried not to listen.

For fear of breaking the spell, I did not dare cross the room to close Beulah's door or to reach the outer door of my office, which was nearer hers than it was to my desk. I waited—through a silence, broken only by Beulah's weeping, that seemed hour-long. Then in Bob's voice came one low sob of joy: "Beulah, Beulah, my Beulah!"

"I realized that he had risen. I rose, too, thinking that now I could close the door. But again I saw a picture that transfixed me. Bob had taken Beulah by both shoulders and he held her off and looked into her eyes long and beseechingly. Never before nor since have I seen upon human face that glorious joy which the old masters sought to get into the faces of their worshippers who, kneeling before Christ, tried to send to Him, through their eyes, their soul's gratitude and love. I stood as one enthralled. Slowly and as reverently as the living love touches the brow of his dead wife, Bob bent his head and kissed her forehead. Again and again he drew her to him and implanted upon her brow and eyes and lips his kisses. I could not stand the scene any longer. I started to the corridor door, and—"

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important letter. Answer as soon as you receive."

The following afternoon the letter came. It showed Judge Sands in a very nervous, uneasy state. He said he had been living a life of daily terror, as some of his friends, for whose estates he was trustee, had been receiving anonymous letters, advising them to look into the judge's trust affairs; that the Reinhart crowd had been using renewed pressure to make him let go all his Seaboard stock, which they wanted to secure at the low prices to which they had depressed it, in order that they might reorganize and carry out the scheme they had been so long planning. Judge Sands went on to say that the day he was compelled to sell his Seaboard stock he would have to make public an announcement of his condition, as there could be no sale without the lawyer's consent. His closing was:

"My dear daughter, no one knows better than I the almost hopelessness of expecting any relief from your operations. But so hopeless have I become of late, so much am I reliant upon you, my dear child, and eternal hope so springs in all of us when confronted with great necessities, that I have hoped and still hope that you are to be the savior of your family; that you, only a frail child, are through God's marvelous workings to be the one to save the honor of that name we both love more than life; the one to keep the wolf of poverty from that door through which so far has come nothing but the sunshine of prosperity and happiness; the one, my dear Beulah, who is to save your old father from a dishonored grave. Dear child, forgive me for placing upon your weak shoulders the additional burden of knowing I am now helpless and compelled to rely absolutely upon you. After you have read my letter, if there is no hope, I command you to tell me so at once, for although I am now financially and almost mentally helpless, I am still a Sands, and there has never yet been one of the name who shirked his duty, however stern and painful it might be."

When I handed the letter back to Miss Sands, she said:

"Mr. Randolph, let me tell you and Mr. Brownley a little about my father and our home, that you may see our situation as it is. My father is one of the noblest men that ever lived. I am not the only one who says that—if you were to ask the people of our state to name the one man who had done most for the state as a state, most for her progressive betterment, most for her people high and low, white and black, they would answer, 'Judge Lee Sands.' He has been, and is, the idol of our people. After he was graduated from Harvard, he entered the law office of my grandfather, Senator Robert Lee Sands. Before he was 30 he was in congress and was even then reputed the greatest orator of our state, where orators are so plentiful. He married my mother, his second cousin, Julia Lee, of Richmond, at 25, and from then until the attack of that ruthless money shark, led a life such as a true man would map out for himself if his Maker granted him the privilege. You would have to visit at our home to appreciate my father's character and to understand how terrible this sorrow is to him. Every morning of his life he spends an hour after breakfast with my dear mother, who is a cripple from hip disease. He takes her in his arms and brings her down from her room to the library as if she were a child. He then reads to her—and he knows good books as well as he knows his friends. After he takes mother back to her room, he gives an hour to our people, the blacks of the plantation and his white tenants throughout the county. He is a father to them all. He settles all their troubles, big and little. Then for hours he and I go over his business affairs. Every afternoon from four to five he devotes to his estates and the men and women for whom he acts as trustees. He has often said to me: 'We have a clear million of money and property, and that is all any man should have in America. It is all he is entitled to under our form of government. Any more than that an honest man should in one way or another return to the people from whom he has taken it. I never want my family to have more than a million dollars.' When he went into the Seaboard affair, he explained to me that it was to assist the Wilsons—they were old friends, and he acted as their solicitor for years—in building up the south. He discussed with me the right and advisability of putting in the trust funds. He said he considered it his duty to employ them as he did his own in enterprises that would aid the whole people of the south, instead of sending them to the north to be used in Wall street as betting for the 'System' grinder. These fortunes were made in the south by men who loved their section of the country more than they did wealth, and why should they not be employed to benefit that part of the country which their makers and owners loved? I remember vividly how perplexed he was when, at the beginning, the Wilsons would show him that the investments were returning unusually large profits."

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Fort Worth clearing house receipts last week were \$7,903,000, an increase of 45.6 per cent, the greatest per cent increase of any city in the United States, according to Bradstreet's.

IN THE SOCIAL REALM.

The Hesperian Club held its last regular business meeting on Friday with Mrs. Greenwood. All club study was finished and the annual reception this year will be a picnic held on the Arnett lawn, Friday May 24th, at four o'clock. Every member will invite a friend, fix something good to eat and prepare for an enjoyable afternoon.

The Standard Club met Friday with Mrs. P. C. Coleman. After an hour's business session a few invited friends came in and they and the club ladies played "42" until night. At the close of the game Mrs. J. E. Hooper received a piece of hand painted china, being the winner of the first prize. A pretty hat pin was presented to Mrs. Arthur Bailey the guest of honor of this pleasant affair. A delicious salad was served by Misses Louisa Roe, Eleanor Coleman and Exa McLure. The ladies present besides the club members were: Mesdames W. V. Johnson, Bertner, Lindsay, Artie Bailey and Misses Riordan.

The musicale given Thursday evening by Miss Henry's advanced pupils assisted by Mr. Clarence MaGee, of the Southwestern Conservatory of Music, Dallas, Texas, was a fitting close to a splendid year's work on the part of both Miss Henry and her pupils.

Miss Isla Smith had been called away by the death of her uncle, but Miss Lonnie Henry took her place with Miss Katie Warren in the first number on the program, which was beautiful. The Valse by Martha Earnest, was excellent, and evinced a surprising knowledge of technique. The duet by her and Lonnie Henry was a gem, both in theme and execution. Katie Warren gave two numbers, "To a Water Lily" and "Deux Arabesques," both of which were of unusual excellence. Without invidious distinctions we wish to say in simple justice to meritorious work, as well as in appreciation of an high order of talent, that Katie is a born pianist. The charm of her playing lies as much in her ability to interpret the conception of the composer, as in the thorough instruction she has enjoyed.

A quartette by Katie Warren, Lonnie Henry, Pearl Ruddick and Mary Resinger, concluded the piano numbers. Mr. Hugh Willis Peck who had been engaged to come and assist, was prevented by illness. His instructor, Mr. Clarence MaGee, a tenor of more than state-wide reputation, filled his place. Every one of Mr. MaGee's songs was an unalloyed pleasure and the audience encored each with hearty appreciation. Miss Henry was indeed fortunate in securing Mr. MaGee.

After the recital, Miss Henry entertained her advanced pupils and those who assisted her Tuesday night at the Colorado drug store, where a four course banquet was served. This consisted of strawberries and powdered sugar, salted peanuts, chicken salad, olive and wafers, ice-cream and cake.

Those present were: Mesdames Lindsay, Bertner and Henry; Misses Knott, Adams, Martha Earnest, Ophelia Arnett, Katie Warren, Pearl Ruddick, Lonnie Henry, Mamie Riordan, and Griffith and Westbrook of Big Springs; Messers Bertner, Henry, Magee, Muse, Gross, Dud Arnett, Pat and Ed Henry.

Miss Henry left Tuesday for a summer's vacation and musical study in Kentucky. She expects to have an assistant next year and thus give more time to social affairs.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Jane Jarman, J. P. Jarman, Kate Wilcox, Isabel Hanna, Samuel Hanna, James Hanna, William Hanna, Jr., J. G. Hanna, J. L. Hanna, Mamie Hanna, Lizzie Hays, Sarah Dunlap, Hugh D. Dunlap, Mary Hicks, A. F. Hicks, Henry Creswell, Samuel H. Creswell, William Creswell, Minnie Creswell, Clementina Pease, R. S. Pease, Bell Townsend, Albert E. Townsend, Samuel H. Hutchinson, and the unknown heirs of J. L. Hanna and Isabel Hanna, formerly of Lampasas county, Texas, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in the Colorado Record, it being a newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Mitchell county, Texas; to be holden at the court house thereof, in Colorado, Texas, on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1907, the same being the third day of June, A. D. 1907; then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1907 in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1112, wherein A. P. Bush Jr. and Ben J. Tillar, composing the firm of Bush & Tillar, are Plaintiffs, and Jane Jarman, J. P. Jarman, Kate Wilcox, Isabel Hanna, Samuel Hanna, James Hanna, William Hanna Jr., J. G. Hanna, J. L. Hanna, Mamie Hanna, Lizzie Hays, Sarah Dunlap, Hugh D. Dunlap, Mary Hicks, A. F. Hicks, Henry Creswell, Samuel H. Creswell, William Creswell, Minnie Creswell, Clementina Pease, R. S. Pease, Bell Townsend, Albert E. Townsend, Samuel Hutchinson, and the unknown heirs of J. L. Hanna and Isabel Hanna, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that Plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple and are in possession of and entitled to the possession of the following described land, to-wit:

FIRST. Survey No. 63, Land Scrip No. 35-62, Block No. 20, Lavaca Navigation Company surveys in Scurry and Mitchell counties, in Texas, patented to W. C. Phillips August 5, 1862, by patent No. 96, volume 8, containing 640 acres of land.

SECOND. Survey No. 71, Land Scrip No. 39-66, Block No. 20, Lavaca Navigation Company surveys in Scurry and Mitchell counties, in Texas, patented to W. C. Phillips August 5, 1862, by patent No. 97, volume 8, containing 640 acres of land.

THIRD. Survey No. 73, Land Scrip No. 40-67, Block No. 20, Lavaca Navigation Company surveys in Scurry and Mitchell counties, in Texas, patented to W. C. Phillips August 5, 1862, by patent No. 99, volume 8, containing 640 acres of land.

FOURTH. Survey No. 69, Land Scrip No. 38-65, Block No. 20, Lavaca Navigation Company surveys in Mitchell and Howard counties, in Texas, patented to W. C. Phillips August 5, 1862, by patent No. 98, volume 8, containing 640 acres of land.

FIFTH. Survey No. 79, Land Scrip No. 43-70, Block No. 20, Lavaca Navigation Company surveys in Borden county Texas, patented to W. C. Phillips August 5, 1862, by patent No. 8, containing 640 acres of land.

That Defendants on January 1, 1907, unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed plaintiffs of said premises and with hold from them the possession thereof, and that plaintiffs have been in peaceful and adverse possession of the aforementioned premises, cultivating, using and enjoying same, and paying all taxes thereon, and claim under special warranty deed made, executed and delivered by A. L. Sloan to A. P. Bush, Jr., March 30, 1891, and which said deed was filed for record March 30, 1891, and recorded in book 2, page 603, deed records of Scurry county, Texas.

Plaintiffs pray for judgment decreeing title in them, for all costs of suit, and for all other relief, both legal and equitable to which they may show themselves entitled, and affidavit has been made by their attorney that the names of the heirs of J. L. Hanna and Isabel Hanna, formerly of Lampasas county, Texas, are unknown to affiant, and that the other parties named in the petition as defendants are non-residents of the State of Texas.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: Earl Morrison, Clerk of the District Court of Mitchell County.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, this the 17th day of April, A. D. 1907.

[SEAL] EARL MORRISON, Clerk District Court, Mitchell County Texas.

A true copy. I certify: J. W. BIRD, Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas.

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HOME GOODS SALE.

-The-
First Saturday
 -In-
JUNE.

We wish to call your attention to the following prices for our "SPECIAL SALE,"

Sat. June 1st

- 60c Medium size best quality Galvanized Iron Tub
- 20c 12 quart Galvanized Iron Water Bucket.
- 25c Heavy Galvanized Iron foot tub, size 16x12x6, two riveted side handles
- 55c Full size Enameled Water Pail, triple coat on steel base, guaranteed acid proof.
- 40c 14 quart best quality beautiful blue enameled dish pan.
- 75c No. 8 9 quart best grade enameled Tea Kettle.
- 15c Enameled Kitchen Dipper 2 quart, round iron handle, hole for hanging.
- 35c Biscuit Board; made of select basswood, mortised cross ends to prevent warping, size 18x24
- 15c Oblong hard wood Butter molds holds one pound
- 5c Cork lined maple wood Faucets, nicely finished.
- 25c Coffee Mill, hardwood varnished box, made for holding in lap, good grinders with screw adjustment.
- 60c Heavy metal meat and food chopper. Hopper 1x14 inches, just the size for kitchen use.
- 25c 1 dozen full size table Tumblers, either plain or fluted bottoms.
- 25c Medium size, covered Fruit Bowl on stand, made of clear plain glass
- 5c One dozen best white rubber fruit jar rings. Will fit any size Mason Jar
- 25c Window Shade, size 36x72 inches, trimmed with fringe, fitted with automatic spring rollers.

These and many other items that you are in daily need of in your home, will be on display on our counters on

Saturday, June 1st.

Prices good for that day only.

Racket Store

One Price to Everybody.

THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT.

A Resume of Business Transacted At the May Term.

Last week the Record published part of the proceedings of the Commissioner's Court, and below we publish the full proceeding up till the court adjourned on Saturday:

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

- Geo. D. Barnard & Co. acct. for blanks, etc., \$51.52.
- Maverick, Clark Co. for five volumes of Statutes and blanks, \$64.25.
- Texas Printing Co. blanks, etc., \$8.45
- Hargraves Printing Co., one half dozen bottles ink, \$13.50.
- The Tribune Printing Co., acct. for school election blanks, \$6.75.
- Remington Typewriter Co. one McMillan Book for typewriter, \$21.45.
- Bennett Printing Co. for J. P. dockets and blanks, \$25.50.
- Whipkey Printing Co. for printing and envelopes for county officials, \$30.75.
- West Texas News, for printing Treasurers report, etc., \$16.90.
- A. J. Roe, lumber, etc., \$134.35
- Burton-Lingo Co. lumber etc., \$83.25.
- Higginbotham, Harris & Co. wire, etc., \$648.90.
- W. H. Moeser, screens, etc., \$8.05.
- J. O. McCress, acct for soap \$3.75.
- A. J. Payne merchandise \$9.45.
- C. H. Lasky, for hose, etc., \$21.35.
- Colorado Water Co. for water, lights and telephone for May, June and July, 1907, \$108.45.
- D. M. Kent for 8 days service as official stenographer, \$40.
- Victor Dzedzioch for work and material used on Beal's Creek bridge, \$33.00.
- J. D. Bryson for care and attention of small pox patients 11 days, \$22.
- M. T. Crawford, putting up screens and doors at jail \$17.50.
- J. W. White, one day's work on road with team, \$3.
- Morris & Knott, merchandise furnished small pox patients at Lorraine, \$36.40.
- T. J. Runyon, for material for gates and steps in Mitchell county, \$16.95.
- Huffman and Ricks, for 3 dozen chairs, \$60.
- Dick Sparks for hauling off dead steer \$1.50.
- J. W. Bird, for having cess pool dug at jail, \$7.50.
- H. F. Wheeler, for 2000 pounds of coal, \$10.50.
- Account of Earl Morrison for reports of births, amounting to \$22.75, approved.
- Earl Morrison acct. for statement from ledger, etc., amount \$50, allowed.
- Theo. C. Merrill, account as county physician for \$103.40 was allowed.
- Ernest James, waiting on small pox cases \$73.10.
- Scott Taylor same \$39.28.
- Joe Scallion same \$8.93.
- Fred Meyer, holding inquest \$5.
- J. M. Baker commissioner of prect. 1, one day supervising road work \$2.
- J. M. Baker acct. for having 1-2 mile fence put up for Mrs. Bottles, \$13.34.
- Earl Morrison account for express, etc., \$8.10.
- Acct. of Dr. J. W. E. H. Beck for care of small pox patients \$224.05.
- McLure, Basden & Co. one dozen office chairs, \$38.55.
- J. H. Airhart for 900 pounds of barbed wire, \$270.
- P. G. Avery, acct. for repairs on Lone Wolf bridge \$6.
- Henry W. Gamel acct for White's Statutes, by county attorney, \$12.
- J. W. Bird for feed of prisoners, \$85.05.
- J. W. Bird, trip to Mineral Wells and telephone, \$3.35.
- W. B. Crockett, trial of criminal cases, \$15.
- W. B. Crockett ex-officio county superintendent, \$37.50.

Dr. N. J. Phenix for quarantining small pox, etc., \$102.

Frank Johnson for building sheds at jail, \$15.

W. F. Robinson for latches on gates, \$1.50.

I. C. Sheffield, 3 days supervising road work, \$6.

T. Y. Pool, 4 days road supervising, \$8.

Account of S. T. Shropshire, H. C. Beal, F. D. S. Pond, P. G. Avery and F. L. Aycock, for viewing out road from West bridge on Colorado river, \$26.

H. W. Stoneham for surveying roads, \$10.

L. L. Franks, repairs on Colorado river bridge, \$1.

P. G. Avery, repairs on Lone Wolf bridge, \$1.50.

Account of J. W. Bird for attendance on county court, \$22.

Palace Market, meat furnished small-pox patients, \$11.50.

W. W. Barnes appointed road overseer in prect. 6, J. L. Moats in No. 10, and in No. 19 for the east end Dan Phillips, and for the west end D. P. Smith.

Report of C. L. Grable for animals slaughtered up to Feb. 17, '07, examined and approved.

Report of W. B. Crockett on fines collected on convict bonds approved and he was given credit for \$50.

Insurance on jail and court house let to M. C. Knott and G. B. Harness, with an equal division. The court house is insured for \$25,000, and the jail for \$2,500.

Quarterly report of Samuel Gustine to May 11th, approved.

In the matter of opening first class road 60 feet wide on last 1-2 of section 42 block 26, T. & P. railway survey, report of jury of view accepted and treasurer ordered to pay Ed J. Hamner \$150 on demand out of court house and jail No. 2, and said road as laid out by said jury is hereby declared a first class road and declared open to the public, the same having heretofore been cleared out and now being traveled. But this order in no wise waives or relinquishes in any manner, any rights, title or interest Mitchell county

other road, roads on roads on said E. 1-2 of section No. 42 in block 26, T. & P. survey, in Mitchell county, Texas, whether acquired by litigation or otherwise. None said roads nor any part is a done by this order.

In matter of transfer of county funds, the treasurer is hereby authorized to transfer enough cash from court house and jail No. 2 to road and bridge No. 2 road and bridge vault bond fund to balance these accounts.

Petition of B. D. Smith et al for second class road refused. Petition of W. H. Hendrix et al for second class road, refused. Quarterly report of H. D. Gilbert, butcher, examined and approved.

The court then voted their per diem as follows, and adjourned: W. B. Crockett \$15. J. M. Baker, \$15. T. Y. Poole \$15. I. C. Sheffield \$15. H. C. Landers \$12

Death of Joe Clark.

Joe Clark, the youngest son of J. C. Clark, died last Thursday night at their home in south Colorado. He had tonsillitis which developed into blood poisoning, causing his death.

Joe was a bright boy of thirteen years, and his death is a sad affliction to his father, and brothers, all of whom the sympathy of the community in their loss. The funeral occurred Friday at 4 o'clock at the family residence. The men and Circle had charge. Mr. and Mrs. Clark being bereaved of these orders. The was tenderly laid to rest in old cemetery by the side of mother. Many beautiful testified to the friendship and love of neighbors and friends.

See Mon. Tue. Wed. Thu. Fri. Sat. **DURING** Sun. Mon. Tue. Wed. Thu. Fri. Sat. **July**

JUNE AND **AUGUST**

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THE BEST IS CHEAPEST AND NONE TOO GOOD.

The school is the hand-maiden of the church, and is second in importance to its mistress only, in vital influence upon the community. In fact the standard and soundness of its intellectual equipment, is of greater concern than that of the sacred desk. A superficial teacher is the most costly investment possible for a community to make, in money, scholarship and time; while a thoroughly competent one—one fast grounded on the bed-rock of the elements of head and heart that make the born teacher, is cheap at any price.

Colorado is entitled to have as thorough scholarship as high curriculum and as modern methods, as are had in the same class school, anywhere. It pays enough to secure these benefits. The average university professor does not receive as much thoroughness as to a school what character is to a man—strength.

When the election of a superintendent of our city schools next year, naturally there will be applicants enough and to some will base their hope on the consideration of church connection, others on the influence of the pull of a friend or number of friends, and still others will give their expectations to the power of some fraternal organization.

THE Texas Press Association will meet at Mineral Wells next year.

THERE are two things no man will take advice about—horses and women.

BEFORE judging a man to be a liar, be sure that he is—then keep it to yourself.

R. S. Fisher now adorns the nail keg in the sanctum of the Clairmont Enterprise.

THE RECORD'S subscription list is growing daily, while the demand on its advertising columns, is on an equal pace. The reason is that it is so easy to seek—it goes into the hands of the buying public.

A CORRECTION. In the issue of the 1st week, a correction was made, that during the day school institute meeting conducted by Bro. Meigs, that the Nichols made two excellent addresses, but this was an error. The addresses were made by Bro. Dodson, and were very well appreciated by all who attended. This correction is the poor reason. In other entries, Sands had a conversation with Bob and she could have come without a Bob she wanted.

AT THE CHURCHES.

Pastor Holmes Nichols will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday at the usual hours. Topics: 11 a. m., "Am I my Brother's Keeper?"—Gen. 4:9. At 8:30 p. m., "Reconciliation."—2 Cor. 5:20. The Sunday School meets at 10 o'clock sharp. One hundred and forty-seven present last Sunday. Let's make it 150 next Sunday. Visitors welcomed to all these services.

METHODIST CHURCH. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. by the Presiding Elder Rev. J. T. Griswold. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., J. H. Basden, Supt. Junior League at 3 p. m., Senior League at 7:30. Everybody cordially invited.

The second quarterly conference will be held at the church Monday at 8:30 p. m. All the church invited.

Death of Alva Maxfield. One of the saddest things that has occurred in Colorado in a long time, was the death of Alva Maxfield, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Maxfield, Monday morning. Some months ago he had an abscess on his lungs and from that tuberculosis developed. For more than a month he was in bed but no one realized that the end was so near.

Alva was a bright and popular boy, an earnest Christian, a dutiful son. The funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. W. K. Homan at the family residence, Tuesday at 10 a. m.

A large number of relatives and friends were present. The pall bearers were his friends and schoolmates. The floral offerings, those mute tokens of love and sympathy, were numerous and beautiful.

To the bereaved father, mother, brother and sisters, as well as to the sorrowing relatives, the RECORD voices the universally profound sympathy.

L. T. Britton, a successful farmer of the Winston community, was in town yesterday. He dropped a dollar into the bottomless missionary box of the RECORD, and said, "Let 'er come on, its a good paper." He was accompanied by his brother-in-law, Mr. G. W. Caswell of Norton, Runnels county. Mr. Caswell says that they have had no rain over there since January. He likes this section very much and will probably locate near Winston.

THE primary object of education is less to enable one to earn a better salary than to equip him to entertain, amuse and inform himself. The uneducated man is gregarious in his habits—runs in herds. He can not amuse or entertain himself, and is never so lonely as when by himself. His efforts have no individuality, and only help to swell the tumult of the crowd. The truly educated man is a part of all he has read, met and seen, and never has a dull moment when alone.



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LOCALS

Mr. Chas. Adams is beautifying his elegant home by putting down a concrete walk along the front and side streets.

Burns & Bell are keeping pace with the spirit of improvement and are adding a new awning to their front.

Rev. Dodson preached the commencement sermon at Snyder last Sunday. Rev. Shuford occupied the Methodist pulpit at 11 o'clock and Rev. Nichols at night.

The old reliable house of Y. D. McMurry, is the place for all kinds of the best farm implements and hardware.

Chas. Lasky is putting a sheet iron awning in front of his brick block.

Of course some districts must be suffering cruelly from desolation when the thousands who are moving into west Texas are accounted for as they come from somewhere.

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

Mrs. Ward Gross attended the commencement exercises of the Snyder school this week.

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

Mrs. C. S. Knott is very ill at her home in east Colorado.

Meet me at C. A. Arbuthnot's Fountain.

Messrs Sidney Mahon and Sidney Jeffress, two knights of the grip, were adorning the town with tobacco ads this week.

Mrs. R. C. Crane of Sweetwater visited Mrs. A. J. Payne on Tuesday.

If your home needs disinfecting we are prepared to do the work. McLure, Basden & Co. School supplies at Doss's.

Mrs. Henry Doss of El Paso county is visiting Mrs. Jno. Doss this week.

See McMurry today about that "Mr. Bill" Planter.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Vera Churchill and Mr. Robert R. Smothers at the First Baptist church, Tuesday, June 4th, at nine o'clock.

If its kept in a drug store Doss has it.

Groceries, hardware and implements, a full line and prompt service at Y. D. McMurry's.

Mesdames Looney and Lindsay visited Mrs. Young of Big Springs last week.

Studebaker buggies, the best on earth; sold only by the Colorado Mercantile Co.

Messrs Scott and Jones are moving into the house vacated by Mrs. Henley.

Genuine, unadulterated pure, east Texas ribbon cane syrup at the old reliable house of Y. D. McMurry.

Miss Louise Westbrook came to town Thursday for Miss Henry's musicale, and visited Mrs. Sam Majors Friday and Saturday.

Grant Humble, who has been working for C. W. Crawford for the past several months, will return to Dublin Sunday, where he has a splendid job by his former employers.

Every day this week has given promise of rain, but the clouds were dissipated toward noon and Old Sol showed his shining face.

See Gus Bertner for life insurance.

Miss Louise Moorar was called home St. Mary's Saturday on account of her mother's illness. As she has passed all her final examinations she will not return this year.

Mrs. J. E. Hooper left Monday to attend the commencement exercises of Baylor College, where her daughter, Miss Eisie graduates.

Let the Colorado Mercantile Co. make you prices on a Studebaker buggy.

Capt. W. J. Cook left last Monday for St. Joe, Texas, Montague county, where he goes to spend several days with relatives and friends, and his numerous friends here wish for him a most enjoyable trip and a safe return home.

Prof. Yoe is in receipt of a letter from J. L. Henderson of the University of Texas, and visitor of schools, to the effect that the Colorado High School had been affiliated with the State University in Physics. He further says that Dr. Benedict, who visited this school last month, speaks in the highest terms concerning the work done in this school.

Guaranteed pure ribbon cane syrup at Ledbetter, Gray & Co.

There will be a chance for the contract for the erection of the \$10,000 school building to be let to a contractor who will obligate himself to see that all the hands employed will be home men, and that all the money is spent here in Loraine and surrounding country.—Advertiser.

With all due regard for the exigencies and vagaries of West Texas weather, the meteorologist of the RECORD, hands out the tip to Gentle Annie that she may now with safety "take 'em off." Its plumb summer.

Try a Studebaker buggy at the Colorado Mercantile Co.

Clarence Smith of Stamford, is on a visit with his father's family. Esquire Smith, this week. He has the distinction of being a brother of our inimitable and pulchritudinous friend, Harry.

Everybody says so. What? That Bob's restaurant puts up the best 25 cent meal in town.

We announce an appointment for Rev. O. S. McIver at the C. P. church on Sunday next at 11 a. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Rev. O. S. McIver informs us that Mr. and Mrs. Dan Phillips, living east of town, are the happy parents of a fine boy. Mr. McIver had the pleasure of naming him Joseph Weldon Bailey.

A fishing party comprising A. J. Coe, Kirkpatrick, Ed Jones, D. N. Jones, and John Pruitt, went down on the big Concho last Thursday to glut their vengeance upon the finy tribe and get the fluff out of their throats with copious draughts of ozone. John Pruitt returned Monday and reports the others as worrying along.

Hooker, the barber, is an hard man to satisfy in his aesthetic tastes. Not content with what he had done to the convenience and appearance of his hirshute depository last week, he has literally dyed his hands in further luxury. A porcelain-lined wall lavatory, a brass trimmed 'shining' outfit, 'gwin' an' comin', swinging doors in the partition, to say nothing of a streaked and striped, bulbous barber pole that adorns the front, have all been added. But the shavers pay the freight.

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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
Barred Plymouth Rocks
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15 eggs for \$1.00, delivered at my house. Call on or address, W. SCARBOROUGH, Colorado, Tex. 6-1

Milk Cow For Sale—I have a good milk cow and young calf for sale. If you want a good milk cow see me before you buy. I live 8 1-2 miles southwest of Colorado on the Sterling road. If you want a cow that will give you plenty of milk and make you plenty of butter see me. W. H. Weatherman, Colorado, Texas.

Attend the Baptist Ladies tea at Mrs. Gustine's Wednesday 4 to 7 o'clock.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Maxfield and family wish to express their sincere gratitude to those friends whose acts of kindness and words of sympathy were such a consolation to them in the sad hours of the recent illness and death of their dear son and loving brother, Alva.

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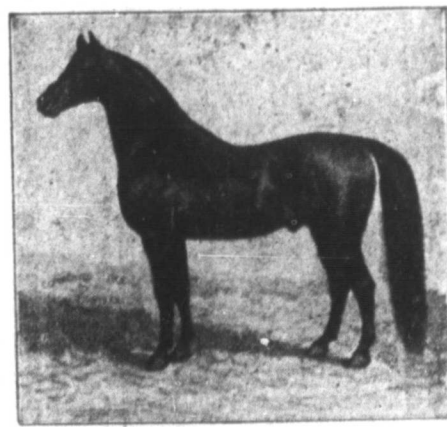
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ESTABUINO, being a strong inbred Hal, will produce combination or all purpose horses with plenty of size, style, speed and stamina, from any kind of mare. He is chestnut sorrel, star in forehead, right hind foot white, 17 hands high, weight 1300 pounds. Following is an extract from a letter to Mr. Root from Thos. C. Parsons, Registrar of National Pacing Horse Breeders Association, which says: "In Estabuno you have one of the richest bred pacing bred stallions in the world, and the people of Texas will make a big mistake if they fail to avail of his services early in his career in the Stud. (Signed) Thos. C. Parsons."

"PARFAIT."

Registered French Coach Stallion, Brown, 15 hands high, 2 year old and weighs 900 pounds. He is as pure bred and as grand an individual as there is in the United States. First come first served. For any further information call on or address

GEO. B. ROOT, Colorado, Texas.

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.

Composition on Cotton.

The following is a little girl's composition on cotton:

The cotton is a plant that grows nearly all over the United States. The Southern people raise more than the Northern. The cotton has long, rough branches that turn dark brown.

When you start to plant your cotton you plough up the ground and take a planter and put the seed into it and start out to planting. When the cotton first blooms the blossom is pale yellow. It turns pink and soon falls off.

And then comes a little green boll. It gets ripe and pops open, and has four little bundles of cotton in it. When a farmer starts to picking his cotton he gets his cotton sacks and goes to work. He takes the cotton and sends it to the gin. After the farmer gets through with his part, he sells the cotton seed and it is made into cotton seed oil, and cotton seed meal, and cloth.

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Special T. & P. Excursion Rates.

Account of United Confederate Veteran's Reunion, Richmond, Va., May 30th to June 3rd, Colorado and return \$32.45; date of sale May 26, 27, and 28, final limit to leave Richmond on or before June 11th. Route, via St. Louis, Memphis, Shreveport, or New Orleans.

Norfolk, Va., and return, account of the Jamestown Ter-Centennial Exposition, April 26th to Sept. 30th, Colorado and return class A, \$66.50, on sale from May 1st to Sept. 30, final limit Dec. 15th. Class B, \$58.15, on sale May 1st to Nov. 19th, final limit 60 days from date of sale. Class C, \$45.70, a fifteen days limit ticket. See W. A. Crowder, local agent, for all rates and routes.

Another Good Meeting.

As usual, there was something doing in the Hall of the Woodmen of the World Thursday night, May 16th. Prof. K. M. Watkins took time by the forelock, joined the Woodmen, was initiated and went on his way rejoicing with his policy for \$1000. The applications of three other good men were received. Of course it is nice to attend these meetings, but your insurance is just as safe whether you attend or not. We appreciate the interest manifested by our citizens in our Log Rolling Association which meets here in August. Ernest Keathley, Clerk.

Sunday School Picnic Postponed.

On account of the death of Alva Maxfield, and the funeral occurring on the 21st, and he being an active member of the Christian Sunday School, it was decided to postpone the picnic until Tuesday, the 28th inst. The former arrangements will be carried out on that day if not providentially hindered. Union Committee.

Relief From Rheumatic Pains.

"I suffered with rheumatism for over two years," says Mr. Rolland Curry, a patrolman of Key West, Fla. "Sometimes it settled in my knees and lamed me so I could hardly walk, at other times it would be in my feet and hands so I was incapacitated for duty. One night when I was in severe pain and lame from it my wife went to the drug store here and came back with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I was rubbed with it and found the pain had nearly gone during the night. I kept on using it for a little more than two weeks and found that it drove the rheumatism away. I have not had any trouble from that disease for over three months." For sale by W. L. Doss.

LAND FOR SALE.

Since I have bought the coal and wood yard, and wish to give all my time and money to this business I offer 800 acres of land for sale at a good bargain, one mile west of "Seven Wells" school house, 5 1-2 miles from Colorado. 200 acres first-class cat-claw land being put in farm. Two new houses and one fine well and windmill. Make me an offer. M. T. CRAWFORD. 5-24-4t.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, an Alwise Creator in His wisdom has called from our midst Brother J. M. McCullough who departed this life April 27, 1997.

Therefore, be it resolved by Herbert local Union No 2671 now in session that it is with resignation that be bow to the will of God in thus taking from our midst our brother, who was a faithful member of our Union.

Be it further resolved that this Union extend to the family and relatives of the deceased brother our sympathies in their great loss.

And be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of this order, one sent to the family of deceased and one sent to the Colorado Record with a request that same be published.

R. F. Hargrove,
J. D. Falkner,
R. Raso,
Committee.

COLORADO STEAM LAUNDRY.

Keep Colorado money in Colorado. T. J. Newton now has his fine new steam laundry running and guarantees satisfaction. He asks the public to give him a trial. \$5000 has been expended getting this laundry started, and every citizen in Colorado should patronize it. Give the new laundry a chance. Laundry collected and delivered promptly. Phone No. 298 and the wagon will come promptly. Remember everything is guaranteed, and as it is a home institution they are entitled to your patronage. Keep home money at home. Try the new steam laundry, located near the Christian church.

Commencement Sermon at Snyder.

Rev. B. W. Dodson preached the commencement sermon of the Snyder High School last Sunday. The Methodist church was crowded to its utmost capacity, the Baptist and Presbyterian churches uniting in the service.

The sermon was the same sermon which Bro. Dodson preached to the graduating class of the Colorado High School, so we all know the line of thought and the striking illustrations which show how easy it ought to be for every one to believe in Jesus Christ. The superintendent of the High School declared that Bro. Dodson's sermon was given up to be one of the most able sermons ever delivered in Snyder.

We are glad to see that Snyder knows where to come when she wants something strictly first-class. Next year let her try Eld. W. K. Homan or Rev. Holmes Nichols and she will find that all of the preachers of Colorado are up to the high water mark of ability.

Bro. Dodson speaks in loud praise of the kind hospitality of the good people of Snyder, and says Snyder is a progressive and growing city.

Moeser sells it for less.



When You Want Pure White Lead, Get It

Probably there is no other article of commerce subjected to so much dulteration and misrepresentation as White Lead.

Out of 18 brands of "White Lead" recently analyzed by the Government Agricultural Experiment Station of North Dakota, 5 contained absolutely no White Lead, 5 less than 15% of White Lead, and only 3 over 90% of White Lead.

There is, however, a way to be certain of the purity and genuineness of the White Lead you buy, and that is to insist upon

Collier or Southern Pure White Lead

bearing the Dutch Boy trade mark. This trade mark is positive guarantee of absolutely Pure White Lead made by the Old Dutch Process.

SEND FOR BOOK

"A Talk on Paint," gives valuable information on the paint subject. Sent free upon request. All lead painted in 1907 bears this mark.

NATIONAL LEAD COMPANY

Clark Ave. and 10th St., St. Louis, Mo.

For Sale by all Dealers.

If You Want CHOICE RESIDENT LOTS in North Colorado at a bargain call on W. M. MERRELL Office in Snyder Bld'g.

Aristocrat.



(ARISTOCRAT.)

ARISTOCRAT, Registered French Coach Stallion, blood bay, 15 hands high, 3 years old and weighs 950 lbs. He is pure bred and as grand an individual as there is in the United States. First come first served. Will make the coming season at Dunn. For any further information call on or address J. C. BEAKLY, Dunn, : : Texas.

LOTS FOR SALE.

A bargain in 2 lots on College Hill, well located, clear of brush and will sell at a bargain, easy terms. Call at Record office.

Chas. G. Birdwell, THE GROCERY MAN.

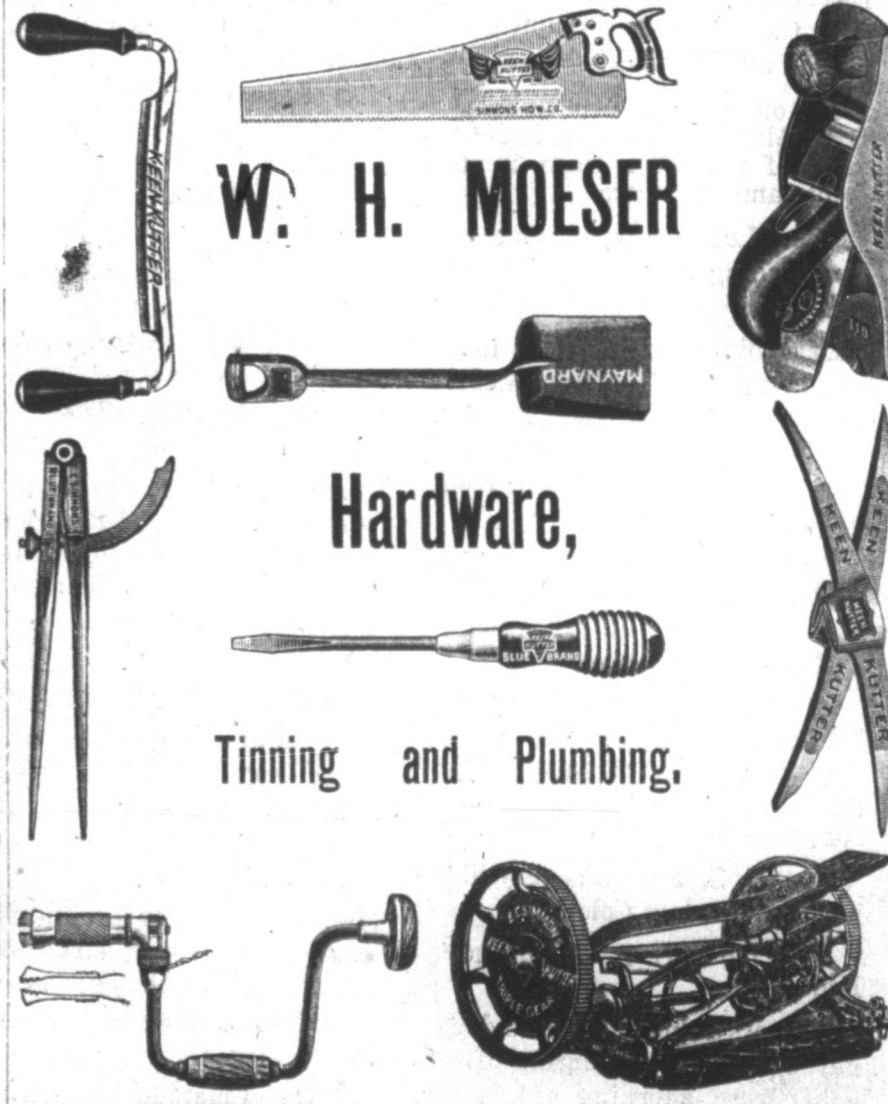
Everything Good to Eat. All pure and Fresh. A liberal discount on present prices for cash orders. Pay cash and save a good per cent on your grocery bill. Special prices for CASH.

HARDWARE.

I also handle a complete line of Shelf Hardware, Poultry and Screen Wire. My prices are the lowest on these goods. If you wish to save money come and see

C. G. Birdwell. Phone 85. Colorado, Texas.

MILLINERY! All new 1907 Spring and Summer Hats. Just arrived, a shipment of the latest and most stylish shapes and novelties. Come and see them and be convinced. My desire is to please you both in goods and price. No trouble to show goods. (Enquire) at A J Payne's store. Mrs. W. J. GRAVES.



W. H. MOESER

Hardware,

Tinning and Plumbing.

C. W. Crawford

Is the man to see if you are in need of

Tin or Sheet Metal Work of any Kind

such as tin roofs, flues, gutters, rain proofs, gvanized tanks or cisterns. Also do plumbing, wind mill work. Will build your tower and put up your mill. All work done promptly and guaranteed. MY PRICES ARE RIGHT.

Colorado, Texas.

SCREEN DOORS?

Yes, Plenty Of Them.

—AT—

A. J. Roe's Lumber Yard

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

PERSONAL MENTION

Hot coffee and chili at Vincent's.

Mrs. Gordon Lastinger, of Oaxaca, Mexico, is visiting Mrs. Samuel Gustine.

Try a "Lucky Jim" cultivator, riding or walking: it is absolutely guaranteed the best. Y. D. McMurry.

Alderman John T. Johnson has received his fine Automobile and now rides in ease and comfort.

Screen Doors, did you say? Well, we've got 'em, and at the lowest prices. Roe's Lumber Yard.

J. E. Bond has recovered from what was attack of measles, and is able to be out again.

If you saw it in the Record it will be relied upon.

Charles Rose has been absent several days the past week, and it was rumored that he would return a benedict, but the report could not be verified.

Before buying your Screen Doors go to A. J. Roe's lumber yard and get their prices. They will save you money.

Alderman W. H. Moeser has set the pace on side walk building, and has one of the best and most substantial side walks in town. Let others do likewise.

It's new. A. J. Payne has it.

Some people in town are not paying much attention to the ordinance forbidding the throwing of rubbish, tin cans, etc. in their back alleys and yards. A hint to the wise ought to be sufficient.

Horses clipped on short notice at Green's stable.

Miss Jessie Trott of Georgetown Texas, came in last week on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Edwin Goddy, and will spend the summer in Colorado.

See the new Iron Beds, see the new Rocking Chairs, Center Tables and Picture frames sold by Jas. D. Sherwin.

G. W. Shurtleff stopped in to see us Monday, and when asked he would have any crop, said: "Why, I have a fine crop already and it is doing fine." He said corn was knee high, cotton and growing, and feed stuff ore. In fact he said he was happy as a nigger in water on time.

Mortgage notes at The Record.

The "Lucky Jim" Cultivator built with an eye to service, all as convenience, with the best that we have the best type best built cultivator ever sold. Y. D. McMurry sells

Whose your druggist—W. L. Doss?

Miss Bernice Nichols of Artesia, N. M., came in Saturday night on a visit to Mrs. D. C. Byrne.

Ledbetter, Gray & Co. for 20th Century Flour, best on the market. Every sack guaranteed.

Miss Lizzie Clark has been suffering from an attack of blood poisoning caused by a cut on her hand. She is improving.

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

A. L. McCarty came in from a trip west and spent Sunday with the home folks.

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

Dr. B. F. Dulaney went down to Sweetwater Saturday night.

I saw it in the Record.

Judge and Mrs. Earnest spent Sunday in Abilene visiting Mrs. Earnest's sister, Mrs. Howard Hale.

Dallas News and Colorado Record one year \$1.50.

Mrs. Jno. Moor was on the sick list last week.

Doss the druggist wants to see you.

Mrs. Radford has a very sick baby.

The Studebaker buggy is the best. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Edward Dupree and daughters, left last week to visit Mrs. Dupree's mother, and will be away all summer.

I have pleased hundreds of people at my restaurant. Why not you. Try me. Jake Maurer

Mesdames D. C. and Byron Byrne and little son, were in from the ranch Friday and Saturday.

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

Mrs. H. C. Landers and children and Mrs. Evert Ross left Sunday for a week's visit to their mother in Stanton.

Phonographs and supplies at W. L. Doss.

Mrs. T. T. Hensley and children left Saturday night to join Mr. Hensley in their new home in El Paso.

Meet me at C. A. Arbuthnot's Fountain.

B. N. Garrett left last Saturday night for points east, to be absent several days.

All kinds of legal blanks at the Record Office.

J. H. Thompson has sold the ice business to J. M. and E. E. Radford, who will continue the business.

Meet me at C. A. Arbuthnot's Fountain.

Chas G. Birdwell visited his old home at Big Sandy this week.

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

Mrs. Louis L. Armstrong and baby left Sunday morning for an extended visit at Chattanooga, Tenn.

We have in our Undertaking stock the SOZONIAN Metal Casket Case. McLure, Basden & Co.

Judge C. H. Earnest, wife and two children went east on the train Sunday morning.

The best farm implements and most reliable kind are found at Y. D. McMurry's.

Chas. Taylor and wife left last Sunday night for their former home in McKinney.

See the "Lucky Jim" Cultivator, best and cheapest. at Y. D. McMurry's.

Miss Viola Henry will spend the summer with friends at Lexington, Ky.

Plenty of Screen Doors at A. J. Roe's lumber yard. Get our prices before buying.

Mr. Sterling returned Tuesday night from visiting friends at Snyder.

How better can you invest \$1 than taking the Record into your family?

Prof. Yoe and the crowd of boys who went fishing last week have returned.

Have your horses clipped at Frank Green's stable where the work is done promptly and done right.

Superintendent C. E. Evans of Abilene is visiting T. J. Yoe.

Special attention is given to the buying and selling of country produce at this store. Ledbetter, Gray & Co.

J. B. Blandford was in from the Spade ranch Saturday.

McMurry is the old reliable house that handles the Bridge & Beach cook stoves and ranges.

D. N. Arnett went to Big Springs Saturday on land business.

Meet me at Jakes Restaurant.

For cheap farming land and ranches in El Paso county address West Texas Immigration Bureau, Box 193, El Paso, Texas.

Dr. Cooper Curtis of Washington, D. C., Dan McCuningham, and Frank Smith left Thursday on a tour of tick investigation. They got only as far as the Spade ranch when they were recalled by a telegram from Dr. Joseph Parker of San Antonio, stating that he would be here Saturday and wished to see them. Dr. Parker is head of the tick eradication bureau, of the southern division.

All kinds of feed at the new store of Ledbetter, Gray & Co.

THINGS YOU NEED.

- Souvenir Postal Cards
- Nice Fresh Candy
- Late Books and Magazines
- Fine Perfumes.
- Latest Stationery
- Toilet Preparations.
- Everything Suited to the Bath.

Our Goods are all fresh and clean and the store more attractive than ever. Come in and see us. You are welcome.

C. A. Arbuthnot.

The friends of Miss Belle Chaplain are the recipients of dainty invitations to the commencement exercises of the Denton Normal, where Miss Chaplain graduates this year with honors, having made excellent grades all year.

See us for picture mouldings, window shades. Exchange of furniture or repairing.
Jas. D. Sherwin.

THE EVIDENCE IS CONCLUSIVE



A Good Judge will recommend BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT

IT POSITIVELY CURES Rheumatism, Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Sprains, Corns, Stiff Joints and all the ills that Flesh is Heir to.

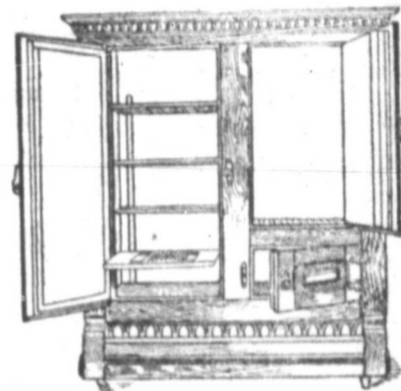
G. W. Wallace, Cripple Creek, Colo., writes: I have used your Liniment in a severe attack of Rheumatism caused by cold and exposure to the weather. Two applications relieved me and I recommend it highly.

PRICE 25c, 50c, \$1.00

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After All is Said and Done



Is not the amount you pay for a Refrigerator only a "drop in the bucket?" Think of it—the foods your family eat are kept in it. Can anything keep your foods too well? Is there an advantage in keeping foods just right, food odors not mixing, no dampness, no mould, but everything crisp and cold, and dry and pure as when put in? Then use the

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The Store of Quality

Big Reduction on Hanan Shoes.

Having discontinued the agency for HANAN'S SHOES, we offer the following bargains in HANAN'S OXFORDS: All Patent Leathers at \$4.40. Regular price \$5.50. All Vicis in Blacks and Tans, \$4.15, Regular Price \$5.00 All sizes, all widths, all toes. These goods are seasonable and in fine condition. Terms cash. None charged at these prices. Come early to get first pick.

CHAS. M. ADAMS.

Dealer in Everything You Wear From Head to Foot.

The Store of Quantity

A Pleasant Occasion.

Mrs. George Root had invited a number of little tots out to Belleview Wednesday at 4 o'clock to celebrate with her little daughter, Frank Ball, her fourth birthday. All arrangements for transportation had been made. Mrs. Willis Smith was to take some, Martha Earnest more, and Ophelia Arnett, a crowd. Wednesday Mrs. Roots' baby developed chicken pox; so the party had to be postponed much to the regret of the little ones who were preparing to enjoy it.

The baby is not seriously ill, but of course the children could not take the chances of infection.

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.

Card of Thanks

We take this method of extending to our dear friends and neighbors our heart-felt thanks for their kind attention and consoling words in the sickness and death of Grandfather Runyon. May Heaven's richest blessing be your everlasting portion. Yours in sorrow, Grandmother Runyon, Thomas and I. J. Runyon. Mrs. Gill. Mrs. Fields, Mrs. Ham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Payne returned home Tuesday morning from Italy, Texas. Mrs. Payne visited relatives and friends at Italy, while Mr. Payne attended an embalming school in Dallas. They came by way of San Antonio, where Mr. Payne passed a highly creditable examination, and will in a few days be prepared to meet the most exacting demands in this line at Hutchinson's.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Subject, Africa in the South--A Mission Field.
Leader, Miss Julia McLure.
Song.
Scripture Lesson.
Prayer.
Leaders address.
What is my responsibility to the Negro? Mrs. H. E. Grantland.
Is the Negro my neighbor? Mattie Shuford.
Song.
Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. M. K. Jackson.
How may we help the Negro? Orin McCreeless.
Notes of the work of the M. E. Church South along such lines. J. B. Annis.
The Woman's Home Mission Society.
Mrs. B. W. Dodson.
Preparation is needed for this work.
Mrs. J. A. Fore.
Thoughts on the lesson by Leaguers.
Sentence prayers, song and benediction. Every body invited.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Pursuant to an order of the City Council of the City of Colorado, made at a meeting of the Council on May 22, 1907, an election will be held at the court house in Colorado on Tuesday, June 4, 1907, for a Mayor for said City of Colorado, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of W. K. Homan. 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 who, if subject to a poll tax shall have paid the same prior to February 1, 1907, and shall have resided within the corporate limits of the City of Colorado for six months next preceding the election, is entitled to vote in said election.

W. K. HOMAN,
Mayor, City of Colorado.
Attest: J. A. FORE, City Secretary.

\$30 Reward

To any one who can not buy a 5-drawer drop head automatic lift New Home sewing machine at McLure, Basden & Co's.

Meeting of City Council.

A called session of the City Council was held Wednesday evening in the office of the mayor, all the aldermen being present except J. E. Pond.

After passing on a few accounts against the city, Alderman Burns moved that a street and alley fund be created, and all money now on hand or that may be hereafter collected from occupation taxes, dog taxes, license taxes and poll taxes go into this fund, and used only for this purpose.

Mayor Homan tendered his resignation and same was accepted and mayor authorized to order an election to fill the vacancy.

No other business the council adjourned. J. A. Fore, Sec.

Headquarters for groceries at Y. D. McMurry.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

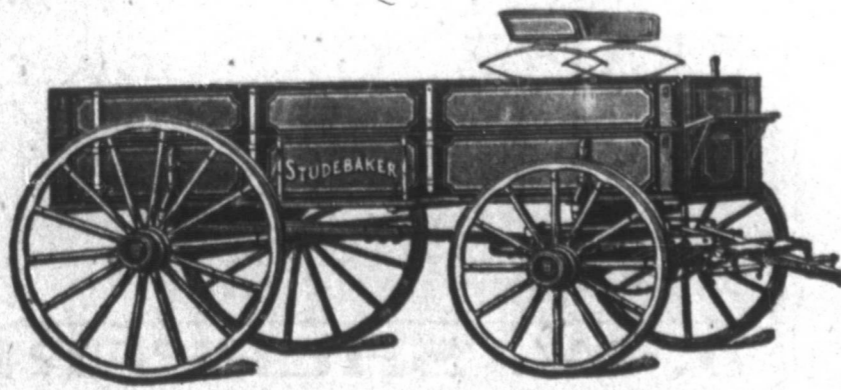
I have purchased the machinery, stock and business of the Colorado Fuel Co. and will continue the business at the same stand. As the cash system adopted by this Company has given universal satisfaction I will continue to run it on this basis. I ask a continuance of the patronage of this company as well as the trade of my old customers. I guarantee perfect satisfaction in every particular and for the present will sell good stove wood at \$3.50 half cord and \$7 per cord.

5-17-4t M. T. CRAWFORD.

Forney Hay.

A full car just received of bright, best Forney Hay, at Ledbetter, Gray & Co.

Subscribe for the Record at \$1 per year.



Studebaker Wagons, the highest priced, the very best and every one guaranteed. Wire in car load lots. Sweet William Planters, Duchess Planters, New Texas "Dandy" Cultivators, Dutch Uncle Cultivators.

See us and get our prices before you buy. We can save you money on everything in our line.

Hardware, Groceries, Implements.

PLANTERS. We handle the SWEET WILLIAM and DUCHESS PLANTERS, Best on the market.

CULTIVATORS. See our new "TEXAS DANDY," see the "DUTCH UNCLE" CULTIVATORS.

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World Buggies

When you buy a Studebaker Buggy you get the best. See our World's Buggy for a medium price. Nails, Car load lots

Shelf Hardware, Queensware, Enameled Ware, Tinware, Etc., all at

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