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DISTRICT COURT.

Judge Shepherd will adjourn the district court on Saturday evening, this being the last week.

All of last week was put in on the Palnick-Queesenberry land case and Saturday evening it was put off till Thursday as other cases had to be taken up.

Monday morning the case of B. C. Kitchen vs M. A. E. Parker was called for trial. Judge Earnest is attorney for the plaintiff and Royall Smith for the defendant. This is a boundary dispute over land lying just south of Westbrook. After trying the case all day Monday, by mutual consent, it was agreed to dismiss the jury and leave it to the Judge.

On Tuesday morning the Judge took the matter under advisement and will decide later on.

The case of Bettie F. Smith vs R. B. Pyron was taken up next. This was a suit on note, tried by jury and verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$3362.30, the amount sued for.

The next case called was John A. Grant vs Harry Hyman et al; suit for trespass to try title. This case went to the jury on Wednesday and on Thursday morning a verdict was brought in awarding the land to the plaintiff and the improvements to the defendant.

On Wednesday morning the Polnick-Queesenberry land case was compromised and the jury dismissed. An equal division of the land in question was made and each paying half the court costs.

Thursday morning the case of A. B. Beard vs A. B. Robertson et al, a suit for performance of contract of sale, involving 7 1/2 sections of land. Plaintiff represented by non-resident attorneys who were not present; de-

fendant represented by Judge C. H. Earnest. Dismissed for want of prosecution.

The grand jury re-convened on Wednesday and will adjourn on Thursday evening.

Wednesday evening came up to be heard, the case of ex-parte Robert Rankin et al. This is the case vs the dissolved city of Colorado for claims on all bonds and debts amounting to about \$30,000, A. B. Robertson as receiver. The plaintiffs are represented by Ed J. Hamner. Judgment was rendered for plaintiffs and against the city by special Judge Cullen C. Higgins for the amount of claims as prayed for, the city making no defense.

County court meets regular July term on 15th.

The Commissioners Court met again on June 19th.

G. F. Reeder was appointed Justice of Peace precinct No. 7-Cuthbert.

J. W. Bird submitted his final settlement as tax collector for 1906-07.

A jury of view was appointed concerning the Ed J. Hamner road in West Colorado.

Frank Lupton asked for a change of certain road. Action deferred.

Bills and per diem allowed. The court then went into session as a board to hear complaints why certain property renditions should not be raised.

There were hundreds of complaints; some were listened to, and others were not. The tax matters were all adjusted and the 1907 renditions will show a large increase over any preceding year.

A CROP SYMPOSIUM.

On Saturday last a Record representative met quite a number of farmers and cattle men from the State territory of Colorado, and the same question was put to each one of them:

"What do you think of crop prospects now?"

Eleven of the thirteen farmers interviewed, spoke out loud and strong in meeting. Waiving the axiomatic fact that all kinds of crops were late, they could see nothing to beget discouragement in present or prospective conditions. The late rains had put the crops up and given them a fine start; the land was clean and chopping easy. A scarcity of labor was the only prevailing note of discord.

Two of them had been damaged to some extent by rain and hail, so, of course, the song they sang was pitched in a depressing key; yet, in their deprecating tone could be discerned symptoms of a broad flirtation with the hope, that some how, some way, all would come out right in the wringing.

Two others, seen later, didn't know. Hadn't been here long enough to get the "lay 'o things" but were big with expectation. One of them (Arkansaw) admitted that he had foretold the last three rains, at any rate.

The stock and cattle men are singing the anthem of the blest. The range and pastures are in the pink of perfection, and the cattle on a thousand hills are "fitten" as a fiddle."

And so it is. We've all had troubles we've never seen. So much has been said about crop failures on account of drouths, that when the good Lord fails to send rain at the behests of short sighted humanity, we miss planting time praying for rain, and waste the balance of the year wishing it would clear off.

The poet had his bearing dead ahead to right:

"As a rule, man's a fool. When it's hot, he wants it cool; When it's cool he wants it hot. Always wanting what it's not. —man's a fool."

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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's father 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 mill. His coup seems successful, and he tells Miss Sands that she has cleared \$1,800,000. 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—Beulah and Bob become engaged. Randolph wants to loan her father the money and his obligation. She refuses. Bob figures on how to beat the market. He goes to the office on Wall street at his own game. Sugar takes another sensational spurt upward, but Brownley keeps out.

CHAPTER V—The "bull" toss sugar to record breaking point, and the "street" goes wild. Barry Conant, for the system, pushes prices up and up, and a wonderful clean-up is promised when the exchange closes. Thursday, November 12, sugar opens higher Friday morning, November 13. When the price has passed all bounds Brownley steps into the pit and begins to sell. He sells every share "the system's" brokers will take, and pounds the price down and down until failure is of momentary occurrence, and "the system" has lost millions. He has made millions for Beulah Sands and her father.

CHAPTER VI—Beulah Sands insists upon being assured that there is no dishonor connected with the money he has made for her, and he cannot honestly answer "no." He leaves her to think it out. When she returns she finds her starting at the glaring headlines of a newspaper extra announcing that her father, while temporarily insane, had killed his wife, his daughter and himself, and Beulah Sands had gone crazy.

CHAPTER VII—Bob Brownley marries beautiful, insane Beulah Sands, and takes her to Virginia. The sight of the old home does not restore her reason, and he returns with her to New York and builds a palace for his bride, and a floor of which is designed especially for her. He begins plunging on the "street" and adds millions to his now great fortune. He always opposes the "system." His every appearance on the floor of the exchange means panicky conditions. Time after time he has "the street" seemingly at his mercy, but retreats before the great crash comes.

CHAPTER VIII—Brownley proposes to break Wall street. In the midst of a panic he has created Randolph threatens to commit suicide if he does not stop. He stops, but assures his friend that it is the last time he will stop, that the next time he will complete the job when he begins it. Brownley "beats the Anti-People's Trust stock." He pounds "the system's" prices down, down, down.

I rapped on Bob's private office door. I felt the coming struggle as I heard his hoarse bellow, "Come in." He stood at the ticker, with the tape in one hand, while with the other he held the telephone receiver to his ear. My God, what a picture for a stage! His magnificent form was erect, his feet were as firmly planted as if he were made of bronze, his shoulders thrown back as if he were withstanding the rush of the Stock Exchange hordes, his eyes aflame with a sullen, smoldering blaze, his jaw was set in a way that brought into terrible relief the new, hard lines of desperation that had recently come into his face. His great chest was rising and falling as though he were engaged in a physical struggle; his perfect-fitting, heavy black Melton cutaway coat, thrown back from the chest, and a low, turn-down white collar formed the setting for a throat and head that reminded one of a forest monarch at bay on the mountain crag awaiting the coming of the hounds and hunters. I hesitated at the threshold to catch my breath, as I took in the terrific figure. Had Bob Brownley been an enemy of mine I should have backed out in fear, and I do not confess to more than my fair share of cowardice. Inwardly I thanked God that Bob was in his office instead of on the floor of the Exchange. His whole appearance was frightful. He showed in every line and lineament that he was a man who would hesitate at nothing, even at killing, if he should find a human obstacle in his road and his mind should suggest murder. He was the personification of the most awful madness. Even when he caught sight of me, he hardly moved, although my coming must have been a surprise.

"So it is you, Jim Randolph, is it? What brings you here?" His voice was hoarse, but it had a metallic ring that went to my marrow. Bob Brownley in all the years of our friendship had never spoken to me except in kind and loving regard. I looked at Jim, stunned. I must have shown how hurt I was. But if he saw it, he no sign. His eyes, looking

straight into mine, changed no more than if he had been addressing his deadliest enemy.

Again his voice rang out, "What brings you here? Do you come to plead again for that dastard Reinhart after the warning I gave you?"

I clenched both hands until I felt the nails cut the flesh of my palms. I loved Bob Brownley. I would have done anything to make him happy, would willingly have sacrificed my own life to protect him from himself or others, but this madman, this wild brute, was no more Bob Brownley as I had known him than the howling northeast gale of December is the gentle, welcome zephyr of August, and I felt a resentment at his brutal speech that I could hardly suppress. With a mighty effort I crushed it back, trying to think of nothing but his awful misery and the Bob of our college days.

I said in a firm voice, "Bob, is this the way to talk to me in your own office?" At any time before, my words and tone would have touched his all-generous southern chivalry, but now he said harshly—"To hell with sentiment. What—?" He did not take his eyes from mine, but they told me that he was listening to a voice in the receiver. Only for a second; then he let loose a wild laugh, which must have penetrated to the outer office.

"Eighty and coming like a spring freshet," he said into the mouthpiece, "and the boys want to know if I won't let up now that Reinhart is down? Go back and smother them with all they will take down to 60. That's my answer. Tell them if Reinhart had ten more wives and daughters and they were all killed, I'd read his damned trust to help him dull his sorrow. Give the word at every pole that I will have Reinhart where he will curse his luck that he was not in the automobile with the rest of his tribe—"

"To hell with sentiment!" He was speaking to me again. "What do you want? If you are here to beg for Reinhart and his pack of yellow curs, you've got your answer. I wouldn't let up on that fiendish hyena, not if his wife and daughter and all the dead wives and daughters of every 'System' man came back in their grave clothes and begged. I wouldn't let up a share." I gasped in horror.

"When did these robbers of men and despoilers of women and children ever let up because of death? When were they ever known to wait even till the corpse stiffened to pluck out the hearts of the victims? It is now, and if I let up a hair may I, yes, and Beulah, too, be damned, eternally damned."

I could not stand it. If I stayed, I, too, should become mad. I reached for the doorknob, but before I could swing the door open Bob was upon me like a wolf. He grasped me by the shoulders and with the strength of a madman hurled me half across the room. I sank into a chair.

"No, you don't, Jim Randolph, no, you don't. You came here for something and, by heaven, you will tell me what it is! You know me; you are the only human being who does. You know what I was, you see what I am. You know what they did to me to make me what I am. You know, Jim Randolph, you know whether I deserved it. You know whether in all my life up to the day those dollar-frenzied hounds tore my soul, I had done any man, woman, or child a wrong. You know whether I had, and now you are going to sneak off and leave me as though I were a cur dog of the Reinhart-Standard Oil breed gone mad!"

He was standing over me, a terrible yet a magnificent figure. As he hurled these words at me, I was sure he had really lost his mind; that I was in the presence of a man truly mad. But only for an instant; then my horror, my anger turned to a great, crushing, all-consuming agony of pity for Bob, and I dropped my head on my hands and wept. It is hard to admit it, but it is true—I wept uncontrollably. In an instant the room was quiet except for the sound of my own awful grief. I heard it, was ashamed of it, but I could not stop. The telephone rang again and again, wildly, shrilly, but there was no answer. The stillness became so oppressive that even my own sobs quieted. I gasped as the lump in my throat choked me, then I slowly raised my eyes.

Bob's towering figure was in front of me. His head had fallen forward, and his arms were folded across his breast. But that he stood erect I should have thought him dead, so still was he. I jumped to my feet and looked into his face, down which great tears were dropping silently. I touched him on the shoulder.

"Bob, my dear old chum, Bob, forgive me. For God's sake, forgive me for intruding on your misery." I looked at him. I will never forget his face. No heartbroken woman's could have been sadder. He slowly raised his head, then staggered and grasped the ticker-stand for support.

"Don't, Jim, don't—don't ask me to forgive you. Oh, Jim, Jim, my old friend, forgive me for my madness; forget what I said to you, forget the

brute you just saw and think of me as of old, when I would have plucked out my tongue if I had caught it saying a harsh word to the best and truest friend man ever had. Jim, forget it all. I was mad, I am mad, I have been mad for a long time, but it cannot last much longer. I know it can't, and Jim, by all our past love, by the memories of the dear old days at St. Paul's and at Harvard, the dear old days of hope and happiness, when we planned for the future, try to think of me only as you knew me then, as you know that I should now be, but for the 'System's' curse."

The clerks were pounding on the door; through the glass showed many forms. They had been gathering for minutes while Bob talked in his low, sad tone, a tone that no one could believe came from the same mouth that a few moments before had poured forth a flood of brutal heartlessness.

Bob went to the door. The office was in an uproar. Twenty or 30 of Bob's brokers were there, aghast at not getting a reply to their calls. Many were pouring in through the outer office. Bob looked at them coldly. "Well, what is the trouble? Is it possible we are down to a point where the stock exchange rushes over to a man's office when his wire happens to break down?"

They saw his bluff. You cannot deceive stock exchange men, at least not the kind that Bob Brownley employed on panic days, but his coolness reassured them, and when they saw me it was odds-on that they guessed to a man why Bob had ignored his wires—guessed that I had been pleading for the life of "the street."

"Well, where do you stand?" Frank Swan answered for the crowd: "The panic is in full swing. She's a cellar-to-ridge-pole ripper. They're down 40 or over on an average. Anti-People's is down to 35, and still coming like sawdust over a broken dam. Barry Conant's house and a dozen other of Reinhart's have gone under. His banks and trust companies are going every minute. The whole street will be overboard before the close. The governing committee has just called a meeting to see whether it will not be best to adjourn the exchange over to-day and to-morrow."

Bob listened as if he had been a master at the wheel in a gale, receiving reports from his mates.

There was no trace now of the scene he had just been through. He was cold, masterful, like the seasoned sea-dog who knows that in spite of the ocean's rage and the wind's howl, the wheel will answer his hand and the craft its rudder. "Jim, come over to the exchange." The crowd followed along. "We have but a minute and I want to have you say you forgive me," he said to me. "I know, Jim, you understand it all, but I must tell you how sorrowful I am that in my madness I should have so forgotten my admiration, respect, and love for you, yes, and my gratitude to you as to say what I did. I'll do the only thing I can to atone. I will stop this panic and undo as much as possible of my work; and now that I have wrecked Reinhart I am through with this game forever, yes, through forever."

He pressed my hand in his strong, honest one and strode into the exchange ahead of the crowd. All was chaos, although the trading had toned down to a sullen desperation. So many houses, banks, and trust companies had failed that no man knew whether the member he had traded with early in the day would be carrying out his trades. The man who had been "long" in the morning, and had sold out before the crash, and who thought he now had no interest in the panic, found himself with his stock again on hand, because of the failure

turned to loss, because the man from whom he had borrowed his short stocks for delivery would be in no condition to repay for them, the next day, when they should be returned to him. The "short" man was himself, therefore, "long" stocks. He had bought to cover his "short" sale. In depressing the price he had been working against his own pocket instead of against the bulls he had thought of as opposing. All was confusion and black despair. There is, indeed, no blacker place than the floor of the stock exchange after a panic cyclone has swept it, and is yet lingering in its corners, while the survivors of its fury do not know whether or not it will again gather force.

CHAPTER IX.

The governing committee was holding a meeting in its room. Bob rushed in unceremoniously.

"One word, gentlemen," he called. "I have more trades outstanding, both buys and sells, than any other member or house. Before deciding whether to adjourn in an attempt to save 'the Street,' I ask your consideration of this proposition: If the exchange will suspend operations for 30 minutes, and allow me to address the members on the floor, I will agree to buy stocks all around the room, until they have regained at least half their drop—all of it, if possible. I will buy until I have exhausted to the last hundred my fortune of a billion dollars. This should make an adjournment unnecessary. I know that this is a most extraordinary request, but you are confronted with a most extraordinary situation, the most remarkable in the

history of the stock exchange. Already, if what they say on the floor is correct, over 200 banks and trust companies throughout the country have gone under, and new failures are being announced every minute. Half the members of this and the Boston and Philadelphia exchanges are insolvent and have closed their doors, or will close them before three o'clock, and the shrinkage in values so far reported runs over fifteen billions. Unless something is done before the close, there will be a similar panic in every exchange and bourse in Europe to-morrow."

The committee instantly voted to lay the proposition before the full board. In another minute the president's gavel sounded, and the floor was still as a tomb. All eyes were fixed on the president. Every man in that great throng knew that upon the announcement they were about to hear, might depend, at least temporarily, the welfare, not only of Wall street, but of the nation, perhaps even of the civilized world. The president spoke:

"Members of the New York Stock Exchange: "The governing committee instructs me to say that Mr. Robert Brownley has asked that operations be suspended for 30 minutes, in order that he be allowed to address you. Mr. Brownley has agreed, if this request be granted, he will upon resumption of operations purchase a sufficient amount of stock to raise the average price of all active shares at least one-half their total drop—all of it, if possible. He agrees to buy to the limit of his fortune of a billion dollars. I now put Mr. Brownley's request to a vote. All those in favor of granting it will signify the same by saying 'Yes.'"

A mighty roaring "Yes" sounded through the room.

"All those opposed, 'No.'"

There was a deathly hush.

"Mr. Brownley will please speak from this platform, and remember, in 30 minutes to the second, I will sound the gavel for the resumption of business."

Bob Brownley strode to the place

and banks throughout the country, and in a few minutes the news of it would be in the capitals of Europe. Never before in history did man have such an audience—the whole civilized world. Already arose from Wall, Broad and New streets, which surround the exchange, the hoarse bel-low of the gathering hordes. Before the ticker should announce the resumption of business these would number hundreds of thousands, for the financial district for more than an hour had been a surging throb.

For once at least the much-abused phrase, "He looked the part," could

be used in all truthfulness. As Robert Brownley threw back his head and shoulders and faced that crowd of men, some of whom he had hurt, many of whom he had beggared, and all of whom he had tortured, he presented a picture such as a royal lion recently from his cage might have made. Defiance, defiance, contempt, and pity all blended in his Anon, but over all was an I-am-the-king-you-are-the-many atmosphere of confidence that turned my spinal column into a mercury tube. He began to speak:



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A GRAND BARBECUE!

And W. O. W. Picnic, August 8th.

Street Parade, Decorated Floats, And Divers Amusements.

The West Texas Log Rolling Association meets in Colorado August 8th in their annual celebration. The city of Colorado and community will co-operate with the local Woodmen and give a grand barbecue and West Texas Picnic on that date. The Log Rolling Association takes nearly all west Texas in its territory and hundreds of delegates and Woodmen will be here from all over the state. The citizens will join in, raise a fund and thoroughly advertise the occasion.

A most attractive program will be arranged; plenty of amusement will be furnished. Music and public speaking galore. An abundance of shade and ice water.

United States Senator Chas. A. Culberson, Hon. Morris Sheppard, Hon. Pat M. Neff, and Hon. O. S. Lattimore and others are to be secured as speakers.

The barbecue will be held at the Court House Park. The Woodmen have appointed the following committee: C. M. Adams, Robt. M. Webb, Judge R. W. Smith, A. J. Coe, and W. L. Doss.

The Progressive Club met Monday night and appointed the following citizens committee to act with the committee from the Woodmen: F. E. McKinzie, A. S. Henry, P. C. Coleman, R. O. Pearson and F. B. Whipkey. This committee were given full power to go ahead and get up one of the biggest blowouts that ever happened in west Texas.

The joint committee met again Tuesday night with all present except Judge Smith and Robt. M. Webb, who were both out of town. The matter was taken in hand and organization effected by electing A. S. Henry, permanent chairman and F. B. Whipkey, Secretary. The following committees were then appointed:

FINANCE AND PRIVILEGE COMMITTEE.

A. S. Henry, Chairman, W. L. Doss,
Robt. M. Webb, R. O. Pearson,
F. E. McKinzie, F. M. Burns,
C. M. Adams.

The duty of this committee is to raise all the funds needed and sell the stand and amusement privileges.

BEEF, BREAD AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE.

A. J. Coe, Chairman, W. V. Allen,
Hall Jarman, Jno. Lovelady,
W. E. Warren, Joe Merritt,
Joe Stokes, Ben Van Tuyl,
F. E. McKenzie.

The duty of this committee is to secure all the beef, bread and grounds, and have all provisions delivered on the day to the proper parties.

BARBECUE COMMITTEE.

Dr. P. C. Coleman, Chairman, Tom Smith,
A. J. Coe, H. C. Beal,
Jerry Williams, F. E. McKenzie,
Ed Dupree, Joe Stokes,
Joe Merritt.

The duty of this committee is to receive all meats, have it dressed and properly barbecued, either by contract or their own labor.

ADVERTISING COMMITTEE.

F. B. Whipkey, Chairman, E. Keathley, T. P. Cooper.
This committee is to thoroughly advertise the event and get the crowd.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE.

A. B. Robertson, Chairman, also Marshal of the day.
W. L. Doss, Royall Smith,
Judge W. R. Smith, Neal Gross,
Dr. P. C. Coleman, Judge W. B. Crockett.

This committee is to get up a program, secure speakers and furnish amusement. A. B. Robertson as Marshal of the day, is to take charge of the program on that day, act as master of ceremonies, and see that the program is carried out, and have charge of the trades display or street parade.

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE.

E. E. Radford, R. M. Webb, W. R. Smith, Ed W. Smith.
This committee is to secure low rates on all railroads for the big barbecue, and are instructed to act at once so it can be advertised.

DECORATION COMMITTEE.

C. M. Adams, C. A. Arbuthnot, A. J. Payne, P. A. Hazzard;
John Doss.

This committee is to see to it that all the business houses decorate on that day, and also decorate the grounds and public buildings.

TABLE AND ORDER COMMITTEE.

R. O. Pearson, Chairman, Will McKinzie,
T. H. Roe, Jim Fulkerson,
J. H. Ransome, W. H. Goodwir,
Frank Johnson, W. W. Gross,
M. C. Ratliff, A. B. Maxfield,
Andrew Cooksey, S. T. Shropshire,
Logan Spaulding, Earl Morrison,
L. A. Costin.

This committee is to build the tables; provide knives, forks, spoons, cups, plates, etc., arrange for ice water, keep order, serve the dinner, etc. The program committee was instructed to write to Senator Culberson at once, also to extend a cordial invitation to Col. E. P. Turner, General T. & P. Passenger Agent, and to bring his photographer along.

A CALL MEETING

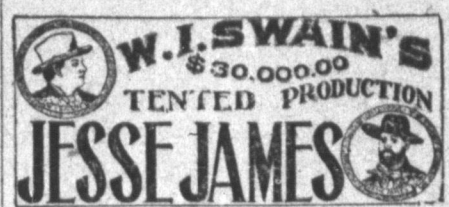
On Monday night, July 6th, all members of the above committee is to meet at the club rooms and report for duty. It is important that all should attend Monday night.

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Worth going to see; be there early.

Basket Picnic July 4th.
Albert Sidney Johnston Camp of United Confederate Veterans, at their regular meeting last Sunday at the court house, decided to have a general basket picnic on the court house lawn, Thursday, July 4th, 1904. Senator C. A. Culberson will be invited to speak, and a general good time will be had by the old ex-Confederates and their friends.

The following committee was appointed: L. H. Weatherly, J. H. Haley, W. H. Smith, J. M. Shuford, T. Q. Mullens, S. Cooksey, W. C. Kolp, B. Z. Cooper, N. Dry, J. R. Graves, Samuel Gustine, C. C. Graves, J. R. Gore, W. S. Justiss, J. R. Moor, J. W. Nunn, J. D. O'Daniel, E. J. Oldham, J. B. Pond, L. F. Ridgway, W. C. McCallum, J. L. Van Zandt, B. F. Ware, R. M. Walker. The duty of this committee is to hustle out and get up a big rousing and patriotic picnic for the "ever glorious Fourth." Let none refuse to help these grand old veterans of a noble cause to make the occasion a red letter day in their lives. Some of them may not be with us on the next 4th of July. If the committee does not see you, you are nevertheless specially invited to come, but don't neglect to bring a basket filled with "pies an' things" like mother used to make. Be sure to do it.

Every Man his Own Doctor.

The average man cannot afford to employ a physician for every slight ailment or injury that may occur in his family, nor can he afford to neglect them, as so slight an injury as the scratch of a pin has been known to cause the loss of a limb. Hence every man must from necessity be his own doctor for his class of ailments. Success often depends upon prompt treatment, which can only be had when suitable medicines are kept at hand. Chamberlain's Remedies have been in the market for many years and enjoy a good reputation.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints
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It irons smooth.

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Residence Wanted—Wanted, August 1st, nice 4 or 5 room cottage in pleasant neighborhood. Address Crowell Baptiste, care McCord-Collins.

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For Rent—A six-room concrete house cool inside, nicely finished; porches, arbor, cow lot, sheds, cistern and well water, First street in South Colorado, opposite the depot. Victor Dziedzioch.

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

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Lots—For T. & P. railway town lots in Colorado and Loraine, and T. & P. railway lands, see W. B. rockett, Colorado, Texas.

I also have a fine list of other land and town lots for sale. Office over Colorado National Bank.

Lost—Either on the streets of Colorado or on the San Angelo road, coming into town, one gentleman's coat. Color, brown and white mixed, with large check. Any information will be gladly received at the Record office. Will pay reward. E. P. Luckenbill. 2t-p.

For Sale—Good gentle family horse, buggy and harness, cheap for cash, or on time to right party. See J. J. Bromley, at the Racket Store. 6-28tf

Strayed—Two dun mares with foretop cut out. Two gray mares and two brown mares, one with young colt and one with yearling colt. One dark iron-gray two-year-old filly. One sorrel two-year-old filly, and one blaze-face yearling filly. One bay mare. Liberal reward for information leading to recovery. W. H. NEELY, Roscoe, Texas.

For Rent—Good 3-room house with cistern, 3 blocks north of court house, see Ben Morgan, at Lasky's.

To Sell or Lease—My Steel Hay Press. S. N. SHERWIN.

WANTED—I wish a man and wife to keep house on ranch. Very little work. Call at Alamo Hotel. ISAAC LANDERS.

Strayed.
One bay horse 2 years old, 15 hands high, no brands or white on him. Finder will notify A. N. Pledger at Abilene and receive a liberal reward.

Base Ball.
Two to one in favor of the Midland Colts. Details would be unkind to the home talent. The Colts are still unbranded.

Livery Stable Changes Hands.
W. A. Coggin has purchased the Moor Livery and Feed Stable and hack lines, and will put in new buggies and teams and reach out after more business. Coggin is a hustler and will at least make a noise like something doing, that will cause the people to know he is here.

If your grocery bill has been two large try McMurry this month.

\$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.



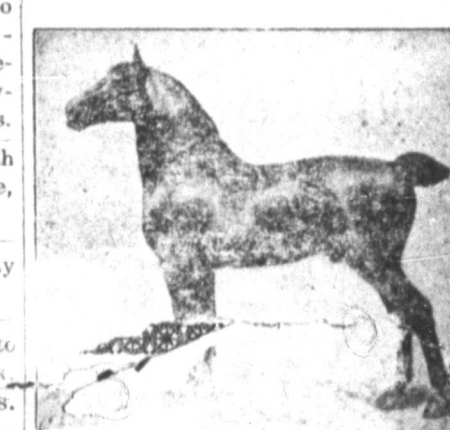
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TRAIN SCHEDULE.
(Effective January 5th 1907.)

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.

The melon colic days are near.

South-westward the star of the empire takes its way.

WEST Texas isn't worrying; that's the other fellow's job.

THE sign has been just right for fishing these lazy day.

What's the matter with our own Bob Smith for a speaker on August 8th.

The town grows apace, but the most crying need is for more business houses.

THE vertical rays of the Monday sun make the average citizen who must labor for his keep, sigh to take off his skin and sit in his bones.

ALREADY there may be heard the detonation of an experimental shot, as the available congressional timber try the priming in their pans.

THE crop conditions of West Texas are improving daily. From a careful reading of about twenty exchanges we glean nothing tidings of hope and signs of abiding prosperity.

How we country editors do pity the cringing, hedged-in crown-heads of Europe. Beset by enemies on all sides and menaced by invisible dangers, they can't even step out and spend what loose change they have.

Judge W. R. Smith is at Mineral Wells and other points in the eastern end of the district this week. Judge Smith goes to hear Bryan speak and incidentally lay up a few knocked-off rails on his congressional fence.

THE "Best equipped office west of Fort Worth," claim is becoming as meretricious as it is common. The addition of a new font of type, a few reams of paper, or the more pretentious acquisition of a drum cylinder press in exchange for an "Armstrong" pattern, is trumpeted in double leaded lines as the "installation of the most complete printing plant in west Texas." It's the same story of the boy who was raised on the bank of a duck pond. When a gentle rain had raised it one inch, he exclaimed, "Lord, what a whopper!" Some of us have been around and about a great deal—around the house and about the barn.

Fort Worth Record and Colorado Record both one year for only \$1.50

ANOTHER GUESS COMING.

Senator W. J. Greer and son Earl, returned last Wednesday from a trip to west Texas. Senator Greer made stops at Abilene, Lorraine and Pecos, in some places making trips into the country. From Abilene to Pecos he found a very beautiful country and also very dry. Rain, a few weeks previous to that had been sufficient to bring up cotton, but unless it has more rain soon will not make anything. At all the stops he found Van Zandters. At Lorraine, the Blakeleys, who moved from this county last fall, are engaged in the mercantile business and seemed satisfied. He found a good many Van Zandters dissatisfied also. It is his candid judgment that people make a great mistake to break up and move from this country there.—Wills Point Chronicle.

Cheek by jowl with this depressing 'impression' of the windy west is the following admission of conditions in the good old "Free State":

"While crop prospects are gloomy in Van Zandt, it might be well to impress upon the public the fact that they are as good and in many instances better, than other sections. This affords neither consolation nor satisfaction, but while we are worrying over the situation, we want the outside world to know that 'ourn's as good as their'n."

Right you are, Brother Gilmore. Weans are just like you-uns, only different. West Texas isn't worrying at all, at all. The conditions out here give the newspapers of east Texas, whose sections are being depopulated much more concern than the people of the arid west. Since the visit of Senator Greer, this section has been saturated with rain three several times, not to mention the refreshing showers. True, all kinds of crops are from two to four weeks late, but the recent rains have done marvels in bringing out the crops, the past three weeks, and there is no earthly reason to apprehend any worse conditions from now until the crops are gathered, than there obtained last year. West Texas is ALL RIGHT; able to stand alone and care for itself. The "dry drouth" bogie has been worn to a frazzle to frighten the timid and deter the weak. Let west Texas alone, and it will work out its own salvation with courage and hope. Even those who come and paint the country in the blackest hues when they return to "God's country," usually drift back "when it rains" and things look easy.

US TOO.
Bob Henry doesn't carry a rabbit's foot in his vest pocket, like Senator Culberson, but he gets there just the same. Democratic congressmen over the country are looking to Mr. Henry as the man to be minority leader on the floor of the next house. That is what comes of having a chance, by continued service, to prove his ability and his capacity for usefulness. Four, and six, and eight years ago, when the Tribune in the campaigns was telling the voters: "Keep Henry in congress, the time will come when you will see the wisdom of so doing," there were those who dissented and talked much about "rotation in office." But time has shown that it was wise to keep Henry in the house and thus equip him for greater usefulness and service.—Waco Tribune.

The Record man takes to himself some credit for the keeping of Henry in congress; for we "fit, bled and died" shoulder with Bro. Mac through three very heated campaigns for Bob Henry, and the same argument used then is applicable in this district regarding our own Bob Smith, who is but now at the very height of his usefulness in

the national congress, and every additional term the people send him back, only increases his influence and power for usefulness to his constituents. To change for a new, inexperienced and untried man at this juncture would not only be the sheerest political folly, but a jeopardy to the interests of this district as well.

Resigned.
We were duly appointed correspondent, and have been trying to represent the Dallas News at this place, but by reason of the fact that the News has seemingly made it a point not to publish anything sent from here, we have resigned and so notified them. Within the past month, we have sent in rain reports, crop conditions, court news, and various other items covered by their instructions, but none of them were printed, and for this reason we resigned.

F. B. Whipkey.

Death of Mrs. W. F. Altman.

The friends of the family were shocked on Friday evening when the news was brought from Lorraine of the death of Mrs. W. F. Altman. Mr. McLure went down and embalmed the body which was shipped to Hico on Saturday for burial.

All of skill and care that physicians and a loving family could employ, were brought to her relief, but the fiat of Him who rules our incomings and outgoings, had gone forth, and after a brief struggle, despite the prayers and entreaties of all who knew and loved her, their appeals were overruled and her spirit took its flight to that celestial home, which the christian believes to be the fulfillment of the life everlasting.

Free Lecture.

Rev. J. D. Young, business manager of the Polytechnic College, will lecture at the Methodist church Saturday night, June 29th; subject: "Grit, Gizzards and Greenbacks." This lecture is specially adapted for young people. Dr. Young is an able speaker and if you fail to hear him you will miss a treat. There will be no admission fee and no collection. Hear him. 2t

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been issued since last week:
E. R. Young to Miss Abbie Murphy, out near O'Daniel school house.
Frank Kirby to Miss Belle Helms of Lorraine.
R. A. Curtis to Miss Mable Brewer of Westbrook.
H. A. Lowe to Miss Ina Casper.

Ledbetter Gray & Co. want all your chickens, eggs, butter etc. See them.

**For Sale
Or Lease**

My Steel Hay Press.
Owing to the state of my health, I wish to dispose of the PRESS with some work now in sight.
S. N. SHERWIN.

A public bath house would be a means of grace in that it would adduce to cleanliness, which is twin-sister of godliness. Ergo, a public bath house would prove the most promising basis for a successful revival, which desideratum is devoutly to be wished. Logic is logic, sophistry to the contrary notwithstanding. Let's have the bath house right away. A fund sufficient to build it can be raised before breakfast, only concerted action can be had in the matter.

The City Council of Georgetown passed an ordinance declaring it a nuisance for pigeons to run or fly at large in the city. The penalty is the killing of the pigeons.

Pocket and Table Cutlery.

McMurry has a large line of the very finest cutlery in Colorado, anything from a pocket knife to the best of razors.

New Poultry Yard.

"Con." Harness has bought a five-acre tract of land in south Colorado and will spend about \$4000 fixing it up for a chicken ranch. In talking to him this week he said he intended to build houses, barns, and sheds, coops and pens, put in incubators, stock up with the very best breeds of fowls and raise poultry for the market. He will give it a thorough trial and we predict for him success.

If the season continues Mitchell county farmers will make a bale of cotton to the acre, and may grow bow-legged from the dead weight of silver they will have to lug around. And prices too, will be worn high next fall, it is generally conceded. It's distressing about this—to be suffocated with the very excess of fatness!

AN INVITATION

FROM THE
New Furniture Store.

We invite one and all to call and inspect our goods and our prices and bring your Catalogues with you, compare our prices with those of the Catalogues, and we assure you that we will save you money. We only ask that you give us a chance at your business and be convinced of what we can save you. Hoping to meet you in our store in the near future, we remain yours for business,

HOMER L. HUTCHINSON
Furniture and Undertakers' Goods.

Store Phone 285 Residence Phone 286
J. I. PAYNE, Funeral Director and Embalmer, Phone 318.

A Record man interviewed a few of our most successful diversificationists this week as to the status of the peanut and watermelon crops and it was a matter of much concern lifted when we learned that both were in a highly prosperous and promising condition.

Colic and Diarrhoea.
Pains in the stomach, colic and diarrhoea are quickly relieved by the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by W. L. Doss.

To Celebrate Aug. 8th.
The committee appointed by the Woodmen to work with the citizens for the August 8th log rolling and celebration, are at work and there will be something doing.

"Turk."

Is a small terrier dog owned by Stansel Whipkey, and named for one of Opie Reed's famous novel characters. The boy and dog are boon companions and inseparable. On June 5 the dog followed some one into the new school building and was accidentally locked in. He was missed at home and it was thought he had been gathered in by the city Marshal, although he wore the proper tag.

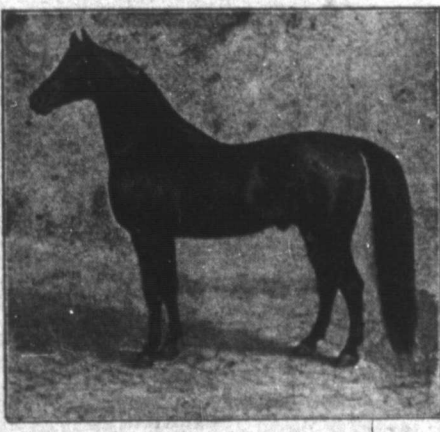
On June 18th the building was opened and the dog was found. He is a good school supplies of Doss'.

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ESTABUNO P. 531

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"PARFAIT."

Registered French Coach Stallion, Brown, 15 hands high, 2 years 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, G. Henry, Texas.

DEATH OF
(WRITTEN)
A good man Allman died at North-East of o'clock p. m., after an illness He had inflammation which finally and caused Many of his of his illness Mr. Allman county, Texa ed the office ioner, which for several saw a letter judge of Hou Allman after ploring the him from th they missed all their del no one in ou a time had than J. P. and asl 40 and no hope on the storr Savior who the will to s your husba me say to father left better herit is he set yo honest, upr life, which lives will gl man.
Mr. Allm friend of th county in th these long y self to be a tleman, co of all good years old. Methodist has been a since boyh member of a Mason. Masonic ho concourse of the countr their last r Cemetery of I Cemetery ing. We mourn his "Thy will be don
Notice All the r committee O. W. log meet Monr orado Clu for duty. urged to a Farme The stoc (Co-Operat will meet Monday, This is the all stockhe ent. W Meet m Fountain.

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

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DEATH OF H. P. ALLMAN. (WRITTEN BY A. S. HENRY.)

A good man gone. Mr. H. P. Allman died at his home 7 miles North-East of Colorado, at 6:30 o'clock p. m., Friday June 21st, after an illness of only one week. He had inflammatory rheumatism which finally went to his heart and caused his sudden death. Many of his friends did not know of his illness until after his death. Mr. Allman came to this county about 2 years ago from Houston county, Texas, where he resigned the office of County Commissioner, which position he had held for several years. The writer saw a letter from the county judge of Houston county to Mr. Allman after he came here, deploring the fact of having lost him from that body and saying they missed his wise counsel in all their deliberations. Possibly no one in our county for so short a time had made more friends than H. P. Allman. He leaves a widow, Mrs. W. L. Doss, and four children, a son, Fryling, 40 cents in the man and no high even for Methodists, and no hope, but a leaning on the strong arms of a loving Savior who has the power and the will to save you as He saved your husband and father. Let me say to his children, your father left you a greater and better heritage than money; that is he set you the example of an honest, upright, sober, christian life, which if you emulate your lives will glorify God and uplift man.

Mr. Allman was a young man friend of the writer in Navarro county in the 70's and all through these long years has proven himself to be a good christian gentleman, commanding the respect of all good people. He was 49 years old. His father was a Methodist minister, and "High" has been a member of this church since boyhood. He was also a member of the Odd Fellows and a Mason. He was buried with Masonic honors and a very large concourse of friends both from the country and the city paid their last respects to all that was mortal of H. P. Allman at the Cemetery last Saturday evening. We commend those who mourn his loss to emphasize "Thy will oh God and not my will be done."

Notice of Called Meeting.
All the members of the various committees on Barbecue and W. O. W. log rolling are asked to meet Monday night at the Colorado Club rooms and report for duty. Every committeeman urged to attend.

Farmers Union Meeting.
The stockholders of the F. U. Co-Operative Warehouse Co., will meet at the court house on Monday, July 1st, at 2 p. m. This is the regular meeting and all stockholders should be present. W. H. Goodwin, President, and J. E. Coe, Secretary, are invited to attend. Meet me at C. A. Arbuckle's Fountain.

THE SOCIETY REALM

Mrs. J. G. Merritt, Editor

Mrs. Carter entertained the W. H. M. Society Thursday afternoon at four o'clock with a splendid showing of membership. Bro. Dodson gave the bible study lesson on the life of Christ, then new members were taken in, there being four. The Golds, Mrs. McDonald's side, were ahead, but everybody was working. Delicious sandwiches, ice tea and cake were served by the hostess. The losing side will have to entertain next month.

Every member of the Methodist church is urged to become a member of this Society. We need you; need your time, influence and money. If you are not a member of any church, come and work with us, until you find a better place. The contest is to stimulate interest. Get you out and let you see what we are doing.

Mrs. J. G. MERRITT,
Press Supt. W. H. M. S.

Friday evening Mrs. W. B. Crockett entertained in honor of Mrs. H. B. Lindsay. The hostess and Mrs. R. N. Gary welcomed the guests at the door and introduced them to the receiving line which consisted of Judge Crockett, Mrs. Lindsay, Will Hubbard, Miss Looney, Hall Homan, Mr. and Mrs. John Doss.

After all had arrived, 42 was played, there being 14 tables. Everybody had a pleasant evening, but the lucky 42 players, Mr. Gardner Harness and Miss Exa McLure were the most pleased of all, when it was found they had secured the royal and 42-84 hand prizes, a stick pin and a burnt leather card case. Ice cream and cake were served and then good night was said.

The young crowd were entertained at George Waddell's last Thursday night by Arthur Woodward, Edgar Majors and Roy Irby with a play party and general good time. Games were played and a fine time had by everybody. Ice cream and cake were served by the Misses Waddell. The party was in honor of Master Walter Earnest of Ft. Worth and Miss Kate Waddell, who left the next day to spend the summer on her uncle's ranch near Odessa.

Miss Mary Pond gave a party Friday night in honor of Al Cas- five Coe. Refreshments were made for the young folks for a delightful time.

OBITUARY.

Colorado citizens were thrown into sorrow Friday evening upon receiving the sad news of the sudden death of H. P. Allmond, who lived six miles north-east of town. He had been in town only a few days before and aside from complaint of rheumatism, was in good health. He was on his way home from town and was attacked with acute or muscular rheumatism, and soon after reaching home Friday evening it struck his heart and he died suddenly.

Mr. Allmond was a good man, a loving husband a kind father. He moved here from Houston county near Augusta, in November 1905, and was among our best farmers. He was a man above the average in intelligence being a close reader and observer. He was an Odd Fellow and a Mason and was buried under the auspices of the Masonic lodge here at Colorado. He was 49 years of age and leaves a wife and five children, a large circle of acquaintances and friends to mourn his sudden demise. Mr. Allmond was held in high esteem by all. In his home county he served as county commissioner, and was quite active in politics here. If he liked a man he was indeed a true friend.

The burial Saturday evening at the I. O. O. F. cemetery was largely attended, attesting the high esteem in which he was held in the community.

Poet nor artist has ever been able to portray the grave in colors of brightness and beauty. Bryant in the "Hymn of Death" could not make the subject beautiful, and yet the cemetery with its marble and its dead, the chair that has no occupant, the fancied echo of the silent voice, and the vacant place in home, social and lodge life, are mellowing and uplifting in their influence. They bring the best of human nature into the fullness of vigor, crowding back the selfishness and imperiousness of men, and impressing them with the duty of recognition of the value of the friendship. It is the gloom of the churchyard that reveals to us more clearly the beauty of life. It is the broken ties at the grave that prompts us to a fuller appreciation of the tenderness of the ties that are not yet broken; and so while we mourn the loss of our dead we may rejoice that there is no cloud so dark that there is no light behind it, no sorrow so poignant that there is not a balm for the wound it inflicts. Requiescat in pace.

Mitchell County Union.
The Mitchell County Farmers Union will meet in regular session at the court house in Colorado on Friday July 5th, at 10 o'clock a. m. It is urgently requested that all local Unions in the county be represented.

W. H. Goodwin, Vice-Pres.

How better than take your vest \$1 than take your family.

Election in Garza County.

Garza county held its first election last Saturday and chose a full complement of county officers. There were about 70 votes polled. Bud Boren was elected county judge; O. B. Kelly, sheriff; H. B. Murry county and district clerk; Dave Stiles assessor; B. F. Wilks treasurer; Sam C. Wilks, commissioner Precinct 1; Davies, Precinct 2; Walter Roy, Precinct 4. Post City was chosen as the county seat. Garza county did well, she chose good and efficient men to fill her offices. —Snyder Coming-West.

Will Wilks is here this week on a visit to W. A. Coggin, and says that his father, Capt. B. F. Wilks, wears his new honors very gracefully.

A Card to the Public.

M. T. Crawford is my authorized deputy for weighing loads on the platform scales. Mr. Crawford can always be found at the wood yard.

D. G. FIELDS,
Public Weigher.

County Singing Convention.

The Mitchell County Singing Convention will meet at Cuthbert on Saturday before the first Sunday in July at 2 p. m. All singing classes in Mitchell and adjoining counties are requested to come and join in the singing. Everybody invited. Come and bring your baskets. Dinner on the ground Sunday. All business of the convention will be transacted on Saturday evening except the selection of the place of next meeting.

Welcome address will be delivered by Prof. Horan Holly of Cuthbert, and response by Jesse Bullock of Colorado.

A. J. COE, President.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

Notice is hereby given to the property tax payers of Colorado that the City Board of Equalization of Colorado will meet in final session on Monday the 8th day of July, 1907, and those whose property has been raised are notified to appear before the said board on that day and show cause, if any, why said raise should not be made final.

Done by order of the City Board of Equalization on the 25th day of June, 1907.

J. A. FORE,
City Secretary of Colorado, Tex.

Protracted Meeting.

Elder O. R. Rasco will begin a protracted meeting at Westbrook, on Friday night before the 3rd Sunday in August. The public is cordially invited to attend and all christian workers are urged to help.

Aid Society Tea.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist Church will have a Tea Tuesday afternoon July 2nd, at the home of Mrs. J. E. Hooper, from 5 to 7 o'clock. All the ladies of the church are expected to come and bring their friends.

Dallas News and Colorado Record one year \$1.50.

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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.

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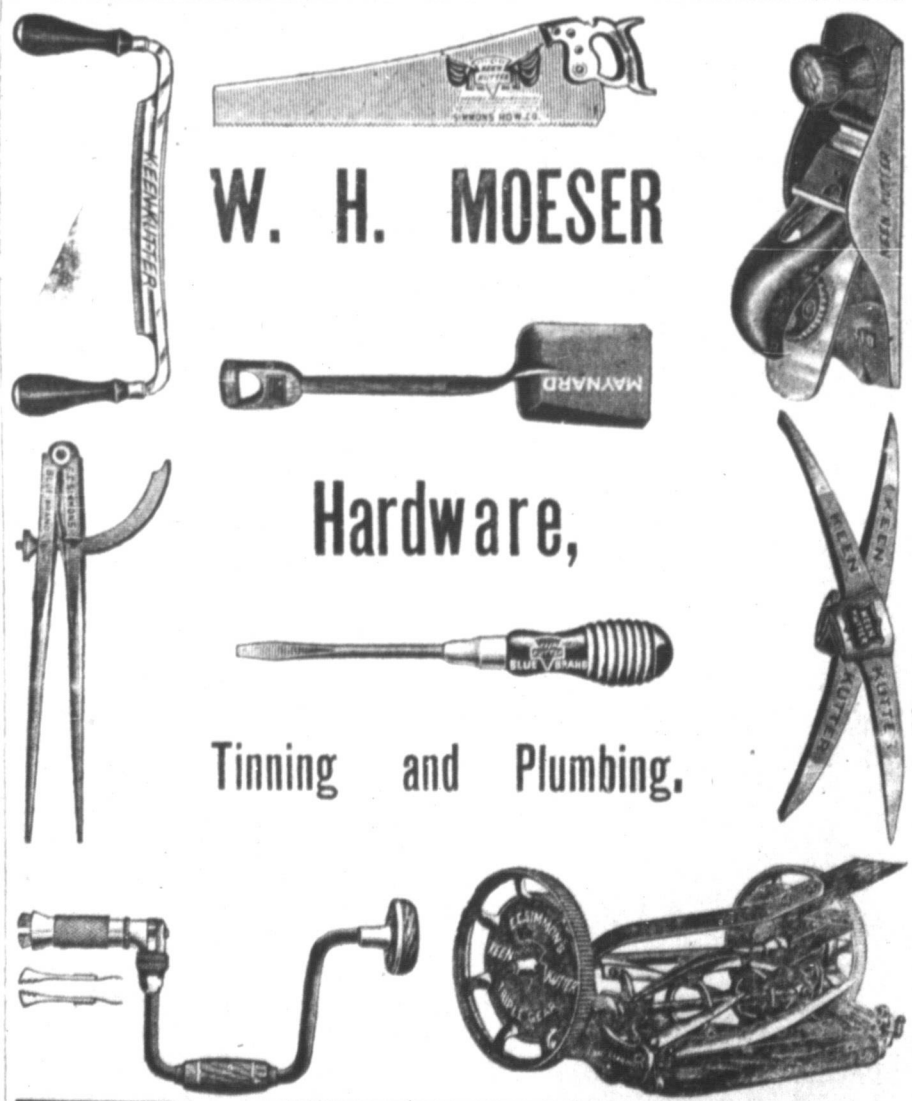
I also handle a complete line of Shelf Hardware, Poultry and Screen Wire. My prices are the lowest on these goods. If you wish to save money come and see

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Hardware,

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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, gavanized 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.

I saw it in the Record.

Moeser sells it for less.

Meet me at Jakes Restaurant.

A. G. Hubbard, a prominent banker of Paris, Texas, visited his sons, Will and John, of the Hubbard store last week, and was well pleased with the business this store is doing.

Big refrigerator at Ledbetter, Gray & Co. Everything is kept fresh and cool. Phone in your orders for anything good to eat.

J. W. and J. H. Woodard have purchased an interest with B. N. Garrett and have organized the West Colorado Land Co. See their ad. in this paper. They will push this proposition until the lots are all sold.

Fresh vegetables every morning at McMurry's. Phone in your orders to No. 38, and delivery wagon will deliver promptly.

Mrs. J. J. McDowell and Mrs. O. G. Jones of Big Springs, Mrs. W. L. Downing of Van Horn, and Mrs. L. H. Bradfield of Abilene, came in Tuesday morning as the executive board of the El Paso Women's Mission Union to meet here with Mrs. B. S. Van Tuyl, who is treasurer. Mrs. McDonald was entertained by Mrs. Arbutnot; Mrs. Bradfield by Mrs. Bertner, and Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Downing by Mrs. Van Tuyl.

We will send The Record one year and Holland's Magazine one year for \$1.50, both to one address or to separate addresses.

All kinds of legal blanks at the Record Office.

C. A. Pierce who has just returned from a visit to Dallas county, at Lancaster, reports crops as very gloomy there.

Those new Skirts you should see at A. J. Payne's.

T. A. Rogers, the village blacksmith up at Ira, spent Monday in Colorado and reports crops fine as silk, in all that country.

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

J. R. Porter, a good farmer in the Loraine country and a firm friend of the Record, was in to see us Saturday.

Call and see those new \$3.50 to 15.00 Panama and Voile Skirts at A. J. Payne's.

G. W. Furlow, the newly elected mayor of Loraine, spent Saturday in Colorado getting pointers on city government.

Doss the druggist wants to see you.

H. R. Looby the Loraine concrete man, spent Monday in Colorado.

McMurry "the old reliable," for groceries and feed.

Dr. Alphabet Beck of Loraine, spent Monday in Colorado. The Doctor is an enthusiast about his town and veritably believes that Loraine will make a better town than Colorado.

The Record and the Dallas semi-Weekly News one year only \$1.50.

New fall styles in Ladies' Skirts just received by A. J. Payne.

Died, on Sunday night last, the infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whittenton. The little body was laid to rest on Monday in the Odd Fellows Cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of a host of friends.

All kinds of heavy and shelf hardware at McMurry's.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Anderson of Juanawata, Mexico, were the guests of his brother, R. O. Anderson and wife last night. They went up to Colorado this morning to visit another brother but will return here before going home.—Merkel Telegram.

Joe Merritt and Frank Smith are dipping J. S. Johnson's cat-tail this week.

If you want the best buy it at McMurry's.

Notwithstanding some damage done by hail, crops are fine in all parts of the county. This country was never in better shape than at present.—Western Light.

Hay, chops and bran at C. G. Birdwell's.

A. C. Wilmeth is hobbling around this week as a result of the breaking of some tissues in his leg, caused by heavy lifting.—Snyder Western Light.

The Colorado ball team came down last Tuesday for the purpose of putting a "brand" on the Midland Colts. But oh jee, what was their sad surprise when they tried it. Both teams were pretty evenly matched but the Colts are still the unbranded mavericks of the West, but the game was close, the score being 3 to 4 in favor of the Colts.—Midland Reporter.

Mrs. S. T. Shropshire and two daughters, Juanita and Eloise, left Tuesday night to spend the Summer in Pasadena, Cal. Mrs. Shropshire has two sisters living there.

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

Mrs. G. W. Mosher left Monday night on a visit with her parents at Los Angeles, Cal.

McMurry sells big bills of groceries to a majority of the farmers and ranch men because he sells at close prices and handles only reliable goods.

Don't neglect to help the Confederate Veterans get up their picnic.

Uncle Alf Sloan, the Poo Bah of Knapp, up on Bull creek, was in town this week, recruiting his stock of goods and seeing the sights. He is literally the main guy of that ambitious village, performing the functions of every line of business from postmaster to undertaker. He is an old-timer, coming to this country when Lone Wolf mountain was only a great hole in the ground. It is also a tradition that Uncle Alf helped dig the ditches for the Colorado river to run in.

Mrs. Mary Mullin is visiting relatives in Flatonia, Texas.

Mrs. R. A. Jeffrest is enjoying the Jamestown Exposition.

Dick Arnett went east Wednesday night.

Messrs Wallace and Gurley returned from a lengthy trip to Fisher county this week. They report every body over there as dipping.

McMurry's is an old established house with a reputation second to none, and he will sell only reliable goods. Hardware, leather goods, stoves and groceries. Everything guaranteed. Honest weights and prices and just as represented.

Mrs. M. Carter and son, Dick, went to Snyder yesterday, also Miss Lizzie Clark.

Mr. Geo. S. Seaman of Dallas, was here Wednesday representing the Murry Gin Co. and while here sold three new gin outfits. The Colorado Gin Co. will tear down and thoroughly remodel their plant; putting in 3 new Murray stands; D. Halcom of Ira bought a plant and will erect a gin there; and May & Crump of Herbert also bought from Mr. Seaman a new outfit and will erect a fine plant at Herbert. Mr. Seaman has a brother that owns property in Colorado.

Well Located Residence Property For Sale.

My residence, fronting south on court house square, with one lot or six lots. Will sell lot with or without improvements. Cash or on time. Most conveniently located property in town. For particulars see Buchanan, Morrison & Co., or H. W. Stoneham, at court house.

Judge and Mrs. W. K. Homan returned Tuesday night from a visit to relatives at Caldwell, Burleson county, and report having had a very pleasant time. The country visited has a good prospect for a fine crop of cotton. The boll weevil is in evidence; but may not do great damage except where the plants have a rank growth, affording shade to the weevil. The banks at Caldwell report heavier deposits and greater general prosperity than at any previous time in the history of the country, and land has advanced in value as in other sections.

A. B. Robertson is home again from the ranch.

Mr. Patterson of Robert Lee, who owns the lot where the shooting gallery is, was here this week figuring on the erection of a concrete block store building.

Don't fail to hear the lecture at the Methodist church Saturday night by Dr. Yongg on the subject of "Grit, Gizzard and Greenbacks."

For fear we forget to chronicle the fact, will now state that Mr. W. W. Porter spent Sunday in Fort Worth.

William Wilkes is down from Garza county.

Mrs. C. A. Arbutnot is quite ill this week.

Mesdames A. J. Payne, Annis, Donaldson, Blanford, and Merritt, left Thursday for Snyder to attend the district conference. Mesdames Jackson and Griswold also attended conference, going to Loraine and thence to Snyder by automobile.

Miss Kate Carnes, a popular and engaging school mar'm of Ira, has been spending the week with Mrs. W. S. Page.

Mrs. Edward Dupree is home from a visit to her mother at Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Dodson and daughter Ethel left for Snyder, where they went to attend the district conference.

Mrs. F. B. Whipkey has been quite sick this week but is improving now.

J. L. Ellwood, of DeKalb, Ill., came in from his Plains ranch Wednesday and went out to Renderbrook Thursday.

Mrs. C. C. Blanford entertained her Sunday School class with a party Tuesday evening. Each member of the class was allowed to bring a friend, and about 20 were present. Games were played on the lawn and a general good time had by the youngsters. Orange ice and cake were served by the hostess and her pupils and their friends consider themselves very lucky in having a teacher who remembers that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy."


Masonic Officers Elected.

On Friday night last the Royal Arch Chapter met and elected the following officers: J. S. Vaughan, High Priest. J. P. Billingsley, King. W. H. Moeser, Scribe. F. M. Burns, Treasurer. H. E. Grantland, Secretary. The following appointive officers were installed June 25th by P. H. P. J. E. Hooper: F. E. McKenzie, C. H. F. Lupton, P. S. W. C. Neal, R. A. C. G. M. Donaldson, M. 3 V. W. C. Pritchett, M. 2 V. H. C. Mann, M. 1 V. G. W. Waddell, Guard.

BLUE LODGE OFFICERS.

On Saturday night the Blue Lodge met and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: J. A. Buchanan, Worshipful Master. J. A. Dodson, Senior Warden. Dr. W. C. Neal, Junior Warden. F. M. Burns, Treasurer. W. S. Stoneham, Secretary. Pete Britt, Tyler.

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BOOMING, BECAUSE WE
BOOM IT
WE BOOM OUR BUSINESS
BY GIVING OUR PATRONS
GOOD STUFF FOR THEIR MONEY
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JUST NOW WHEN BUSINESS IS SO RUSHING IT IS BARELY POSSIBLE THAT YOU MAY NOT GET THE GOOD QUALITY OF GOODS YOU DESIRE, UNLESS YOU COME TO THE STORE THAT CARRIES NOTHING BUT GOOD GOODS. WE KNOW YOU ARE GOING TO CELEBRATE BUT YOU ARE NOT GOING TO WASTE ALL YOUR MONEY ON FIREWORKS, ARE YOU? WHY NOT BUY GOOD THINGS TO WEAR. FIREWORKS DON'T LAST LONG, BUT CLOTHES DO IF YOU GET THEM AT THE RIGHT PLACE. IF YOU COME TO US WE WILL SELL YOU THAT SUIT, THE NECKTIES, SHIRTS, UNDERWEAR, AND HOSE SO REASONABLE THAT YOU CAN AFFORD TO BUY FIREWORKS TOO.

Burns, Bell and Buster

Miss Nellie Ruddick took her Sunday school class out for a picnic and outing last Saturday evening, and with one accord they all say that Miss Nellie certainly made them have a good time.

Prof. W. D. Carpenter of Dublin, representing the Texas Life Insurance Co. of Waco, was in the city this week and spent part of the time very pleasantly with his old Gatesville friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fore.

AT THE CHURCHES.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
 Judge Homan having returned there will be preaching morning and evening at the Christian church next Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
 Dr. Theron H. Rice, a noted divine from Atlanta, Ga., has accepted the call of the Presbyterian church of Colorado and with his sister Miss Lucy, arrived this week. Dr. Rice will preach on Sunday at 11 a. m. All are cordially invited.

Electric Piano.

One of the chief attractions on Innovation Day at the Colorado Drug Company's store on Thursday, was the fine electric piano recently installed by Geo. Mosher, the music man.

But few people understand the mechanism of this wonderful invention. It is just like any other fine piano, except when you tire of playing, you can attach an electric wire and the piano plays itself. The installation of this wonderful instrument shows enterprise on the part of Mr. Mosher. Many and varied were the compliments by the ladies who were here last evening.

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 Patented in the United States.

The first Laundering Machine ever invented having a Stationary Tub-Rest, Rotary Washboard with Automatic Adjustment, High Pressure White Rubber Wringer and Folding Clothes Rack combined.

IT WASHES 'EM CLEAN,
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IT WRINGS 'EM DRY,
IT IRONS 'EM SMOOTH.

The machine is worth 50 cents a week to do washing and 25 cents a week for ironing, saving the clothes from wear 25 cents, making a dollar a week. If you use the machine a year, that is fifty dollars. We warrant the Machine and make good any defective part.

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And ten times fifty is five hundred dollars, and we will pay five hundred dollars for a machine that will equal it in merit. Business chances for making money and good investment for those who wish a profitable business. AGENTS WANTED.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

M. C. Knott, Fire, Tornado Insurance. Old Line Companies only. Prompt settlement in case of loss. Office in St. James Block.

Colorado can boast of three very fine drug stores.

Cotton chopping hoes, all kinds at Birdwell's.

Congressman Morris Shepperd can be secured as a speaker for the grand W. O. W. celebration on August 8th. Mr. Shepperd is a noted orator.

A prompt, pleasant, good remedy for coughs and colds is Kennedy's Laxative High Syrup. Children like it. W. L. Doss.

Frying size chickens are 35 to 40 cents in the market. Too high even for Methodists.

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

Machine for windmills and cultivators at Birdwell's. The very best only 50c per gallon.

Hon. Chas. A. Culberson is to be one of the speakers at the West Texas rolling in Colorado on August 8th. Culberson is a sure enough real live U. S. Senator, and quite popular, too.

Photographs and supplies at W. L. Doss.

Gardner Harness is trying to organize a building and loan association for Colorado. We believe with the right kind of an association of this kind organized here that 50 residence houses would be built at once.

There is no case of indigestion, no matter how obstinate, that will not be speedily relieved by the use of Kodol. Kodol contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Sold by W. L. Doss.

D. G. Fields waited until the last rain and then pulled out for an extended visit in Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska. He has a son living at Irwin, Nebraska, and will spend most of his time there. Mr. Fields says he expects to weigh more cotton this year than last.

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

Fruit and vegetables are plentiful in Colorado.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is soothing, cooling and healing. Sold by W. L. Doss.

The Oil Mill is busy these days crushing seed and shipping oil.

We have an Undertaking Machine Metal Case for sale. Sold by Basden & Co.

Whose your druggist—W. L. Doss?

The Record man spent a short while out on the Dr. B. F. Dulaney section north of town and found him surrounded with some 30 or 40 registered Jersey cattle, a fine lot of pure bred Berkshire hogs and famous Plymouth-rock chickens. Dr. Dulaney has one of the best wells of water in this country, and in fact an ideal home where he enjoys life.

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

The City Board of Equalization was in session Tuesday and had a hard day's work going over the tax renditions. Some of the renditions were raised and some few were lowered.

Sharpen up your tools. Grind rocks and fixtures at Birdwell's.

Wallace Fore left last week for Waco where he will reside in the future with his parents.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are unequalled for Backache, weak kidneys, and all urinary troubles. Sold by W. L. Doss.

Jas. T. Johnson has returned from Peoria, Ill., and he and Mrs. Johnson have moved to Snyder, where Mr. Johnson has made arrangements to enter the jewelry and optical business.

Horses clipped on short notice at Green's stable.

Ed. W. Smith spent part of the week in Dallas.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, famous little pills. Sold by W. L. Doss.

Hon. A. C. Wilmeth was in Colorado Wednesday.

If you saw it in the Record its to be relied upon.

Mrs. J. R. Graves attended the Big Springs town lot sale on Wednesday.

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

Congressman W. R. Smith will deliver an address on July 4th at Post City.

Poultry and screen wire at C. G. Birdwell's.

The town of James in Fisher county, has had its name changed to Blackwell, by the Post-office department.

If your home needs disinfecting we are prepared to do the work. McLure, Basden & Co.

Two block machines are now in operation to build the new gin and other houses.

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

J. E. Pond will leave in a few days for St. Louis to purchase cables and other machinery for a mill to be placed in the river, for loading sand and gravel on the bars.

The twelve room concrete residence that Victor Dziedzich is building in South Colorado is nearing completion.

Ladies' parlors at Hollis & Co.

If new ties are not put in soon between the depot and the bridge west, there is liable to be a serious wreck right in Colorado.

The Studebaker buggy is the best. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Roe's lumber yard team ran away Monday over the bridge and after three blocks run in South Colorado, was stopped and returned by Mr. John Nunn.

Fresh fruits received daily at Hollis & Co.

Messrs D. A. Forbus and Jeff Ison, of near Winston, were in the city last Friday and called to see the Record.

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

Misses Louise Roe, Rhoda Shepherd and Nettie Waddell left this week to attend the summer normal at Abilene.

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

Mrs. J. J. McLure and daughter Lena and son Roy, left Tuesday night on an extended visit to the old home in Arkansas.

Beautiful enameled ware at the Colorado Mercantile Co.

Prof. C. T. Boggs and daughter Pearl, with Miss Scott, who have been here on a visit from Stephens, Arkansas, to his daughter Mrs. A. L. Scott, left last night for their home.

Hot coffee and chilli at Vincent's.

Married, on Tuesday evening by Rev. Holmes Nichols, Frank Kirby and Miss Belle Helm, both of Loraine.

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

Mrs. W. M. Merrell and daughter, after a visit to relatives and friends at Hamilton and other places, returned home last week accompanied by Mr. Merrell's mother and sister.

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

Judge C. H. Earnest, with his two daughters Martha and Jeanette, will leave Sunday for an extended trip north. They will visit Washington and from there to New York to visit his son, Chas. R., and then to Jamestown, and will be absent several weeks.

"This little pig went to market," doesn't amuse tonight. Baby's not well; what's the matter, her dear little cheeks are so white; Poor little tummy is aching, naughty old pain go away, Cascasweet mother must give her, then she'll be bright as the day. It is sold by W. L. Doss.

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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

LOCALS

Mrs. Pete Snyder is quite ill. New arrivals in Ladies Skirts just received at A. J. Payne's. McMurry is headquarters for groceries, fresh and reliable. Neppie Crockett left Monday for her home in Bay City. Best ice cream in town at Hollis & Co. R. E. Morris of Tehoka visited here Saturday and Sunday. Amos is with us again—Amos Keeter. Have you met him? Let the Colorado Mercantile Co., make you prices on a Studebaker buggy. Fancy and all kinds of cold drinks at Hollis & Co.

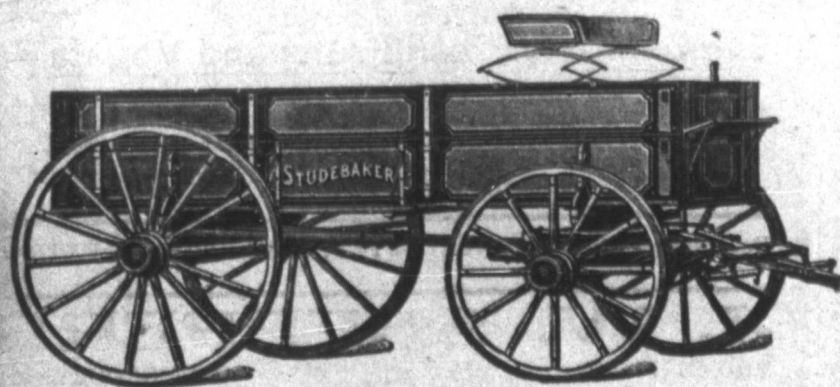
Cool, clean, and inviting; just the place to rest, at Hollis & Co. John Arnett was in from the Renderbrook ranch Sunday. Every train brings new people to the west and prospectors are daily seen on our streets. The best and freshest candies, nuts and fruits, at Hollis & Co. Misses Ina Wulfjen, Nell Ruddick, Julia McLure and Pearl Ruddick, went to Snyder Tuesday to attend the district conference at that place. If it is new A. J. Payne has it. This time it is the new fall Skirts in Panama and Voile. Bryan Ware of Fort Worth is visiting his cousin, Champ Carter. Try a Studebaker buggy at the Colorado Mercantile Co.

The festive and pestiferous fly has a grievance and registers the following kick: Have your horses clipped at Frank Green's stable where the work is done promptly and done right. Sharpen your teeth—watermelons and the roasting ears will soon be amongst us. Louisiana Cane Sorghum at Birdwell's. Walter Ford of Brownwood, who has been here on a visit, left Tuesday for his home. Special attention given to all kinds of country produce by Ledbetter, Gray & Co. Young man, if you want a buggy, you are advised to go to the Colorado Mercantile Co., where is sold the famous Studebaker and Worlds buggy.

Mrs. R. H. Waldo and children left Thursday for Sewanee, Tenn. where she will put Arthur in school. During July and August she and the other children will visit relatives in other parts of the state. Headquarters and the best place in town for cigars and tobaccos—Hollis & Co. Hon. Pat M. Neff, county attorney of McLennan county and ex-speaker of the house of representatives, spent Friday in Colorado and at night lectured at the court house on the subject of Fraternalism, and incidentally touched on Modern Woodmen of America, he being the state lecturer for that order. While here Mr. Neff met many old friends and made many new ones and greatly enjoyed his visit to the west.

If its kept in a drug store Doss has it. J. A. Thompson of Westbrook, enrolls his name this week for the best paper in Mitchell county. Yes, the Record. Georgia Cane Syrup in barrels, guaranteed pure, only 45c gallon at Birdwell's. See the new Iron Beds, see the new Rocking Chairs, Center Tables and Picture frames sold by Jas. D. Sherwin. Mr. and Mrs. Z. Davis with two sons, spent last Friday in Colorado, the guests of Rev. H. Nichols. Mr. Dayis is a ranchman at San Angelo and they were on their way to Snyder. He also owns a fine farm in the Bronte community, with 200 acres under irrigation. Red Upion oil at Birdwell's.

The new blue and brown Panama and Voile Shirts, just received by A. J. Payne. For fear we forget to mention it; there is nothing that would add as much to the public pleasure and entertainment as a public bath house. Why can't we have one? Surely there are enough people in Colorado addicted to the habit of a semi-occasional bath, to be able to take something for it. For cheap farming land and ranches in El Paso county address West Texas Immigration Bureau, Box 193, El Paso, Texas. Ledbetter Gray & Co. make a specialty of clean and fresh groceries, country produce bought and sold. Everything kept fresh and cool. Try them with an order, if you have not.



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