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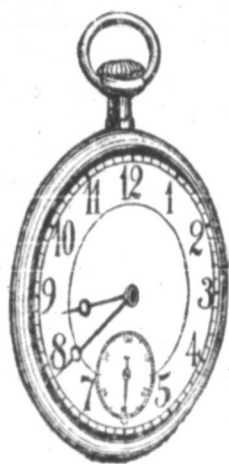
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We have just returned from the Eastern Markets, where we have been purchasing goods for Fall.

We found the goods as we had anticipated, much cheaper; therefore you may look for some tempting bargains at our Store this Fall, and from a new stock from which to select.

New Goods Arriving Daily

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- Hats, Caps and all Furnishings for the Boys

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Your Money Back if Anything is Wrong

ROOSEVELT RUN 1916

LONGWORTH EXPLODES A BOMB IN REPUBLICAN CAMP BY HIS

Announcement That Roosevelt Would Seek the Presidency After Taft Has Served Two Terms.

Chicago, Oct. 3.—The bombshells that eliminated Joseph B. Foraker and Chas. N. Haskell from the present campaign, were as squib firecrackers alongside a four inch gun, compared to the political mine exploded by Congressman Nicholas Longworth at Sterling, Ill., when he unboomed himself of the startling announcement that Roosevelt intended to succeed Taft in 1916.

Republican managers were almost crazy already trying to explain why Roosevelt took a shot at Judge Preist without stopping to find out that national committeeman Nagle and candidate Taft were in direct line of fire, and why he taunted Richard Olney with the American Railway Union strike settlement, when Taft judicially upheld it.

The rebellion of Foraker in Ohio, the open revolt of Missouri against the attack on Nagle, the Hughes' mess in New York, all had combined to make more trouble than any republican campaign for many years had witnessed.

LONGWORTH'S BAD BREAK.

But Mr. Longworth's break was the last straw. The men who are trying to elect Taft are ugly and angry. They can not understand why Mr. Longworth displayed such a sudden break of Roosevelt intemperance. They don't see how any man in his sober senses could possibly make such a foolish statement at such a critical time, and they fear the effect on the campaign.

They are at a loss how to combat the democratic argument that if the openly avowed plan is to re-elect Mr. Roosevelt in 1916, there is no telling where it may stop. This is a free country that

democrats argue, a republic, a self-governing people.

The most disastrous effects are feared in the states that have favorite sons. The ambitions of Fairbanks, LaFollette, Cummins, Hughes, and others whose booms are being quietly nursed, are very much alive.

NEGRO HAS A VERY CLOSE CALL

Abilene Mob Search the Jail in Vain for Joe Oxshear Who Attempted an Assault at Sweetwater.

When Sheriff Cunningham received word Saturday night at 10:15 from the Nolan county sheriff that a hundred men had boarded the midnight train for Abilene with guns, pistols, and rifles, bent on taking the negro, Joe Oxshear, who had been placed in the Taylor county jail on Saturday morning, for safe keeping, charged with making a criminal assault upon Mrs. Isaacs at the City Hotel in Sweetwater Saturday morning at 3 o'clock, Sheriff Cunningham got busy and took the negro out of the way of the frenzied mob by just a few minutes, at one time they were within a stone's throw of him.

At 10:30, Sheriff Cunningham, with Deputy Sheriff Henderson, Reddel and Len Hemmer, carried the negro Joe Oxshear and another negro, Sparks, who had been in jail for some time charged with shooting his wife, both chained together, to a barn near Lytle lake, after which Messrs. Cunningham and Reddel retreated to the jail to meet the mob.

On being told the negro was not there, a committee was sent in to search the jail. Thorough search failing to find the negro, the committee returned and reported to the crowd. Some boys told the crowd they had seen the officers taking the negro toward the lake. The officers having the negro in charge being apprised of this, took the negro across the country to Baird where they met the sheriff of Tarrant county who carried the Oxshear negro to Ft. Worth.

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BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

The Sweetwater Baptist Association, which closed at Big Springs last Sunday was a decided success. The messengers who attended from Colorado all report a good time and are loud in their praises of the hospitality of the Big Springs people. Fifty-three churches reported during the session, showing an increase in conversions and collections to the different objects fostered by the association. On account of the great increase in membership in the last two years, a new association was organized, taking thirteen churches from the old association, but the same number of churches, recently organized, was received into the fellowship of the Sweetwater association, leaving it as strong numerically and financially as before. The Colorado church remained with the old association. Dr. O. H. Cooper was elected moderator of the old association, and Ernest Keathley was re-elected clerk and H. F. Wheeler was elected a member of the executive board. There was not a discordant note during the entire session, and the reports show that the Baptists are keeping pace with the rapid development of the West. The next meeting will be with the First Baptist church of Merkel on Thursday before the first Sunday in Oct. 1909.

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TEXANS PROMINENT AT THE BIG MEETING

Washington, Sept. 29.—Texans were conspicuous today in the International Tuberculosis congress.

The president of the body appointed Dr. Brumby a member of the committee of awards to judge exhibits for which several thousands dollars in prizes and many gold medals are to be given.

Dr. M. M. Varrick of Galveston was elected secretary of the section of surgery of orthopedics of which Dr. Charles Mayo, the famous surgeon of Rochester, Minn., is president.

Dr. Gallagher of El Paso discussed Meyer J. Sturn's paper on construction of hospitals for tuberculosis.

At a meeting of the Texas delegation in the ball room of the New Willard it was voted to give State Health Officer Brumby a \$200 gold medal in appreciation of his efforts in the anti-tuberculosis crusade in Texas. Dr. T. B. Fisher of Dallas and Dr. M. B. Carrick of Galveston will go to New York to have the medal designed.

Dr. H. F. Phillips of Big Springs, who is a delegate to the congress, received notification today of his appointment as army surgeon, and will remain here eight months to attend the army medical school.

The first of the three propositions which Texas, Missouri and Kansas have agreed to urge on the tuberculosis congress was drafted at a joint meeting of the three delegations to-night. It is a resolution calling on each state legislature to provide for a state sanitarium for tuberculosis patients. The matter will be presented to the congress at one of the sections this week. Oklahoma and Louisiana have joined in the movement.

NOTICE

We will be open from 8 to 10 a. m. on Sunday, but will not open in the afternoon, only in case you want prescription work done. If so phone No. 232 and we will be on hand.

COLORADO DRUG COMPANY.

We have received from the Commissioner of Agriculture at Austin, a bulletin on corn culture and after reading it, it does seem that we could make from 80 to 90 bushels in our garden and not half try. It contains much valuable information, for the corn raisers and hog raiser as well and ought to be in the hands of every farmer in Mitchell county. It is free on sending a request for it to the commissioner at Austin. And don't fail to read the article in this issue about the \$1000 in prizes to be paid the corn raisers of Texas next year by the Farm and Ranch.

PROGRAM OF COUNTY UNION LECTURER

Buell Bradford, Lecturer of the Farmers' Co-operative and Educational Union of Mitchell County, will lecture at the Locals of the county as follows: Loraine, Monday night, Oct. 12. Calaway, Tuesday " " 13. Seven Wells, Wed. " " 14. Herbert, Thursday " " 15. Union, Friday " " 16. Westbrook, Satur. " " 17. Rogers, Monday " " 19. Daniels, Tuesday " " 20. Cuthbert, Wednes " " 21. Chapel Ridge, Thur. " " 22. Longfellow, Friday " " 23. Colorado, Saturday " " 24. Zellner's Monday " " 25. Baumans's, Tues. " " 26.

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MEETING OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS CALLED

Pursuant to the action of a meeting of Confederate Veterans held at Rotan Sept. 7, 1908, when "the Central West Texas Independent Brigade U. C. V." was organized. The veterans composing said brigade having named me as commander, I now call a meeting of the officers of the brigade and all Confederate Veterans living north and west of Ballinger in the state of Texas, at Sweetwater, Texas on the 17th day of October, 1908, to effect a more permanent organization and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

W. T. Hightower,
Commander West Texas Independent Brigade, U. C. V.

Sweetwater, Oct. 1st, '08.

Papers friendly to the veterans please copy.

The people of Sweetwater will see that the Veterans have a pleasant time and cordially solicit one and all to attend.

PLOWING SOME

The development of the panhandle country is so rapid that the prairies are ripped up day and night alike. The work is all done with engine power, the traction engines pulling the plows and each engine carries a headlight. Lanterns are used by the men. Some eight or ten outfits are at work in the immediate vicinity of Hereford and 25 to 30 acres a night is a good run. From 35 to 50 acres can be plowed by an outfit in a daylight run but at this the work is paying big at night and will be continued.

TO THE PUBLIC.

You are hereby notified that on and after Sept. 1st, 1908, anyone caught camping, fishing, hunting or otherwise trespassing in and upon premises owned or controlled by me, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. W. R. FELKER, Proprietor H S Ranch. (8 284f) By H. L. RANSOM, Mgr.

GOOD NEWS FOR THE LADIES

Ladies, good news for you. Mrs. J. V. Smith, makes a specialty of making skirts and Tailor suits, up-to-date as to fashion, finish and workmanship. If you appreciate first class sewing, phone 317.

O. P. Thomas of Abilene has been appointed organizer of the Texas Commercial Secretaries Association with jurisdiction over the entire state.

Do you want the town of Colorado to become a quitter and a laughing stock for her neighbors and competitors? The surest way to make her so, is to abolish the corporation. The best interests of the town can not afford it.

See DOSS for fishing tackle.

DR. PHENIX WRITES

Interesting Letter Concerning Tuberculosis Congress and Its Aims.

Washington, D. C.,
Sept. 29th, 1908.

EDITOR RECORD:

I wrote you from St. Louis about the active measures the Texas delegation had begun in the great war against consumption, and I stated that the paper read by Dr. Moody, of San Antonio, would be sent your paper for publication. Dr. Moody promised me a copy of the paper but Dr. Brumby, the Texas health officer, delivered it to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat for publication. I failed to get a copy.

I now send you in place of that the opening address to the International Congress of Tuberculosis, by Secretary Cortelyou. Later I will select some other good address that will teach the people the contagiousness of consumption and the methods of preventing it. A public dissemination of this knowledge is one of the duties of each delegate, for without reaching the laity the main objects of this great congress of the most learned men of the earth will not be attained.

You would be surprised to see the enthusiasm already kindled and we think it will spread to every nook and corner of the earth. I hear that Germany's motto is: "No tuberculosis after the year 1930."

I want you to work up an enthusiasm in West Texas. In less than three months every man, woman and child in Mitchell county must know how to prevent consumption. The newspaper is the strongest factor in diffusing a knowledge on any subject, and we know that our Mitchell county papers will be willing to enter into this tremendous life saving enterprise. Impress upon your readers that the whole world is united in one gigantic warfare against the greatest enemy to mankind. Every delegate in this congress seems to be thrilled with the thought that he is to return home and be actively engaged in the saving of many lives in the future.

Sincerely hoping that our friends and neighbors will catch some of the enthusiasm that I feel, I beg to humbly subscribe myself. Your friend,
N. J. PHENIX.

WESTBROOK NEWS ITEMS

(Mitchell County News.)

Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd's little child died near Herbert Tuesday and was buried in the cemetery here Wednesday.

Mr. J. L. Stribling is remodeling his building for the occupancy of Miss Della Harrell, who put in a stock of millinery.

Mr. C. A. Nelson has bought the old stand of Burton-Lingo Co. and has moved into his new quarters.

Mr. H. H. Griffin of Bainbridge, Ga., nephew of Mr. John E. Lasserter, arrived here last week and will make Westbrook his home.

Mr. J. H. Parker will commence the erection of a store building on his lot south of Hamilton-Lasserter's soon and a stock of goods will be put in as soon as completed.

Mr. John Langley has bought Mr. W. S. Costin's place in the northern part of town and has moved in. Mr. Costin has moved to his father-in-law, Mr. Kitchen's place, four miles south of town.

Mr. W. Johnson has nearly completed his store building.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Luckey, who lives on the Smith ranch, have a fine boy at

their home. "Uncle Dick" Adams, the grandfather, says his son-in-law phoned him the baby was learning to smoke already.

Mr. E. B. Gamel, who lives six miles north of Itan, was in town Monday. He reports a new school house under construction just over the line in Howard county. Since the 1st of April he has made 6000 bushels of feed and will gather 100 bales of cotton. He added his name as a subscriber for the news.

Mr. Will Morrison of Colorado was in town Wednesday on his way out to the Morrison ranch accompanied by Mr. E. G. Langhammer and five other gentlemen from Brenham. It is reported that Mr. Morrison has already consummated a deal with the Brenhamites by which he will transfer 3000 acres to them, which would make the consideration about \$40,000 or \$50,000. If this deal is made the land will be settled by thrifty Germans and they know how to get results out of the soil.

RATIONAL CURE FOR ECZEMA

No More Dosing the Stomach--Cure the Skin Through the Skin.

When you have a scratch on your hand you wash it out and cleanse it and then the skin cures itself. You do not take blood medicine to cure a festering wound.

The best skin specialists today are agreed that the only way to cure the skin is through the skin. The fact that eczema is a skin disease and not a blood disease is evident from statistics which show that nearly all eczema sufferers are perfectly healthy in all other ways except as to their skin. If the eczema patients were really suffering from an inward malady, the entire body and not only the skin would be diseased.

You can prove immediately the relief of a true skin cure by using oil of wintergreen as compounded in D. D. D. prescription. This liquid attacks the disease germs, numbing them while building up the healthy tissue of the skin. We have now handled this meritorious and thoroughly scientific remedy for so long and have seen its reliable results so many times that we freely express our confidence. W. L. DOSS.

A QUIET MARRIAGE

Mr. T. S. Henderson and Miss Nellie Smith were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents in south Colorado, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock by Rev. Holmes Nichols. The groom is a deserving, industrious young man, with many friends who wish for him and his bride all the happiness and prosperity this life contains. The bride, though not reared in Colorado, has since coming here made a lot of friends who join the Record in hearty congratulations. After the ceremony an old time wedding supper was enjoyed by the favored guests who were present.

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LUMBER YARD

Mr. Editor: One of my competitors says he has "the middle man knocked out." Too bad, ain't it? Another says he is "selling very cheap." Ah, the third one says he "can save you money." My, my, Mr. Editor, what is left for me to say, only that I

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COLORADO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1908

Dupont didn't blow up, but he simply blew out.

There is no such thing as an ideal man to the woman who has been married.

"None but full citizens can vote" runs the headline of an Oklahoma paper.

"Our fleet" is at Manila, and "cersietee" in that old colonial burg is doing the two step.

With Bill Lawson sick and Bill Greene, the Copper King, busted, preferred stocks took a tumble last week.

Is it probable that Son-in-law Longworth let the cat out of the bag accidentally, or is he simply indulging his little joke?

Mr. Roosevelt will tackle no game in Africa more dangerous or harder to handle than Jilly Benning Bryan.

The merchants of Ft. Worth say that never in the history of the city, has business been as good as it is this fall.

\$1,000,000 a day is the amount of the decrease in the production of intoxicants in the United States during the months of July and August last.

Although west Texas is not regarded as a corn country, yet the present crop will make even Illinois and Iowa sit up and take notice.

In North Carolina, the Southern Cotton Oil Co. has been notified by the night riders that unless it closes down until cotton reaches 12 cents, the torch would be applied.

To say the best of it, the rag-chewing contest between Roosevelt and Bryan, befits a couple of Billingsgate fish women, more than the two foremost citizens of the land.

It is devoutly hoped some member of the legislature will enterest himself in forestry sufficiently to introduce some laws looking to the conservation of what forests we have and the reforestation of west Texas.

The Christian Observer refers the Mr. Hearst as the independent candidate for president. And by the way, it does begin to look like he was losing his candidates in his own shadow. He makes them his excuse and opportunity for stirring up the other boys.

When Mr. Bryan said: "I have lived in vain, if Mr. Roosevelt's attacks have lost me one friend," he crystalized in words the invulnerable defense of the perfect man. And though regrettable that he was drawn into the undignified muck-raking bout with the president, he proved himself more than a match for that Hotspur, as well as the ablest pamphleteer since the days of Junius.

Now what kind of a letter do you suppose the Big Stick will write to Son-in-law Longworth about his little joke?

Idle people are being put to work in all lines of manufacturing industries and the entire country will soon feel the renewed impetus to business.

One hundred thousand idle steel workers started to work this week throughout the country, as a result of an order to resume operation of all plants.

Georgia has gotten rid of two great evils. It has abolished the convict lease system and the legislature has adjourned. Texas will have both on hands this winter.

War clouds are lowering over the Balkan states. Turkey and Bulgaria are trying to get together about a railroad, and the other powers are standing by to scramble over the fragments.

Raisuli, the Moroccan brigand, is said to be contemplating removal from that country to some other part of the world more congenial to his business. He need not go to Ohio; the field is crowded.

The San Antonio man who was flimflamed out of \$90 by the bunco crook in Boston, ought never have told where he was from. He should have thought of the state's reputation.

Statisticians have told us that the use of tobacco is decreasing. Mebbe so; but if the number of people who use it is falling off, those who still destroy the weed must be doubling-up on their consumption, as revenue was paid on 7,914,111,079 cigars, 55,402,336,113 cigarettes, 22,000,000 pounds of snuff and 364,000,000 pounds of tobacco, for the year ending July 1st 1908.

The American Medical Journal gives the statistics of injuries sustained on July 4th, last and their effects. 5,623 men, women and children were injured in the United States on that day. The deaths were 163; 11 totally blinded; 93 lost one eye; 57 lost a leg, one arm or a hand, and 184 lost one or more fingers. The giant fire cracker was responsible for more than half of the accidents. Fire arms claimed 481 victims, and blank cartridges caused 58 cases of lock jaw.

No doubt honest Ben Tillman felt that he had an "I-told-you-so" coming when McLauren's connection with the Standard Oil Co. was disclosed. They'll never read any letters with Tillman's name signed them. No senatorial broker will ever write "My Dear Mr. A." that Senator Tillman would be a good "investment." Not much. Tillman's bed rock qualites are being appreciated these latter days of lightning striking surprises, for no one expects he will ever be touched.

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MEETING OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS CALLED

Pursuant to the action of the meeting of Confederate Veterans held at Rotan Sept. 7, 1908, the Central West Texas Independent Brigade U. C. V. organized. The veterans com-

The Dallas News, Nebraska State Journal and other big dailies that circulate chiefly in local option territories, announce that after the expiration of present contracts they will run no more whiskey ads. This is their only consistent course. When the people banish whiskey from a town or county, newspapers circulating therein and carrying the ads of liquor dealers, are but aiding and abetting in efforts to override the will of the people, who will naturally resent it. If they carry the ads they should be willing to lose the patronage of the dry territory.

Monday, October 19th will be official Press Day at the Dallas Fair. There will be lots of "free doings" for the members of the "Fourth Estate" on that occasion. The local supply houses will entertain them Saturday and Saturday night, and on Monday all the shows will keep open house for them. But alas and alack! that little mileage book was overlooked in the extended courtesies. For what boots it to a legless man how cheap footwear may be? And now watch for little compliments on the the stinginess of the west Texas gang, from the fellows who use "boiler-plate guts" and live near enough to walk in after supper. No sir; lack of a pass would never keep them from such a great "educational up-lift."

WAR IN THE EAST IMMINENT

Since 1873 the dissolution of the Turkish empire has been prevented solely by the jealousy of the European Powers. Each has been afraid the other might get the largest share of the carcass, and wily old Abdul Hamid has kept playing one nation against the other and carrying things with a high hand. The Balkans have been a storm center for hundreds of years and Turkey has held a suzerainty over the principalities. Bulgaria has revolted and the reigning prince, Ferdinand, has declared its independence. Troops of both countries are mobilized at the frontiers and a clash is daily expected. Such a war would draw a new alignment of the powers, and possibly involve other countries in the conflict. The fighting strength of Turkey is nearly four times as great as that of Bulgaria.

THE LAW'S OBVIOUS FAILURE

There is an appalling exhibit of lawlessness everywhere, which betokens a dreadful apostacy. By many it is attributed to the practical breakdown of the judiciary, and the seeming refusal on its part to meet the responsibility for which it is continued in existence. How common is the expression that "the courts are a farce," or "it is easy to evade the law." It matters not what a man does, if he can pull the strings he can escape, and it seems more fact than fiction that the life of a murderer is safer than the life of a railway brakeman, as the death rate is lower.

The breakdown in the law is so complete that friends, money, church or lodge membership, trivial technicalities and expert lawyers, rarely fail to save the guilty from the law. Without these potent aids however, justice is both swift and sure to overhaul the guilty wretch. The statistics are—one execution for murder in seventy. It is calculated that murderers have multiplied five fold in the last twenty-five years and that for nine thousand murders annually there are but five hundred and twenty-five executions.

One may now strike down his fellow-man in death, and it matters not how cold-blooded and ghastly the deed, the prime question is not that of law and its just penalty, but the defeat of justice and escape from the penalty by every means, from dependent arraignment, prejudiced or suborned witnesses, creating sentiment, influencing the pardoning power, to tricks of doubtful practice and downright dishonesty. This same easy way characterizes the the commission and adjudication of other crimes.

Thus, our criminal law has become a refuge and a comfort to criminals and the occasion for license, lawlessness and libertinism in the masses.

MONEY LOANED
ON REAL ESTATE
LONG TIME EASY PAYMENTS
RELIABLE REPRESENTATIVES WANTED
The Jackson Loan and Trust Co.
120 WEST CAPITAL ST. JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

WINONA and RUSHFORD WAGONS AT COST
Best on Earth
Made of good seasoned timber. Metal covered hubs, which will not crack or check, two-piece fellow, patent outer bearing axles, oak hubs, spokes and fellows. Hubs are cupped behind, forming sand protection. Spokes closely fitted and dirven in hot glue. Rivets on each side of spokes. Hub band put on hot. Seamless cast skein. Every wagon we sell has a full guarantee. Come, let us show you all the good points about these wagons.
PRITCHETT & SONS

SCOTT & NUNN
GRAIN, HAY AND HIDES
Conducts a First-Class Wagon Yard and Blacksmith Shop in Connection. Mr. Logan Spalding has charge of the blacksmith Shop. He is a first class blacksmith and horseshoer.

NEW Millinery STORE
WE have just opened up a beautiful and complete line of Fall and Winter Millinery in Colorado, including everything new and nobby. Whether you want a smart tailored Street Hat or an elegant Dress Hat, we can suit your wants. You are cordially invited to come and look through our stock.
New Seasonable Millinery
Medium Priced Goods Predominate Here.
Style and Quality Before Everything Else
Display of New Fall Hats
OUR exquisite display of new Fall Styles in Dress and Walking Hats in all the latest colors, shapes and designs at prices that are incomparable. You should by all means visit our place before making your millinery purchases.
WE TRIM HATS TO ORDER
Miss Blanche Bell
Front Room Upstairs over Burns & Bell Dry Goods Store

No Hurrah,
No Fakes,
No Baits.
Satisfaction,
True Value IN
Every Deal.

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Never before
have Values
been So Big.
Never before
were Styles
So Pretty.

Our Mammoth Stock

of Seasonable, Up-to-Date Fall and Winter Merchandise at Matchless Prices

Every Department shows Complete Lines of the Best Styles, at Lowest Prices money could buy. We claim for this year a greater effort has been made on our part to get the newest and best values, and we can, with the strongest assurance, invite you to our store, knowing you will be pleased with our elegant display, and the low prices will especially delight the economical buyer. We call your attention below to a few of the many bargains awaiting your coming

Dress Goods

In this department the season bursts forth with a glory of fascinating merchandise, rich silks and beautiful dress goods.

- 27-inch wash Silks, all colors—blue, brown, black, green, red and white, per yard..... **50c**
- 25-inch black Surrah Silk..... **50c**
- 19-inch black Taffeta Silk..... **50c**
- 19-inch new Bengelene Silk, white, cream and all pastel shades..... **75c**
- 19-inch bordered and flowered Crepe De Chin, only..... **65c**
- Lyk Silk, a new fabric in solid colors; all the wanted colors are here; 27 inches wide, only..... **35c**
- Mohair Waisting, in stripes and checks, pink, blue, lavender and gray..... **50c**
- 19-inch Silk Poplin, new fabric, satin finish, all colors..... **50c**
- 54-inch heavy blue, gray and brown Flannel, worth 50c, for..... **35c**
- 36-inch wool plaid Suiting, 25c and 54-inch Broadcloth, plaids and solid colors, worth \$1.50, for 75c and..... **85c**
- 36-inch Stripe Mohair, blue, brown and black, worth 75c, for..... **50c**
- 46-inch solid color Mohair..... **50c**
- 54-inch black Serge worth \$1.25, for 38-inch Serge, solid colors, worth \$1.00, for..... **75c**
- **50c**



Ladies' Suits, Skirts and Coats a Specialty

Styles and fabrics that create no little comment. They are strictly up to the minute in style. Made of every conceivable model and fabric. Come and look through this department before making your purchases.

October Patterns

Just Arrived

Home Journal Patterns make the sewing easy. They have every worthy feature in paper patterns. Price 10c and 15c

Ask for a

Free Fashion Plate



Our Grocery Store

is headquarters for every kitchen and table necessity or luxury obtainable. We handle the best in eatables, such as would pass creditable inspection by government food inspectors, and those who trade at our grocery may always feel assured of getting the cream of the market.

We are extensive dealers in Country Produce and are always in the market for

Chickens, Eggs, Butter, Etc.



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The House of Kuppenheimer
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Men's and Boys' Clothing

Never before were we better prepared to serve you in this department. Never before have we had a greater variety or greater values than this season.

The Royal Brand Clothes for boys are made to stand the wear and tear that only a youngster can give them. The prices are \$1.00 to..... **\$5 00**

Youths' Clothing in abundance—Clothing with style, snap and quality. prices range from \$5.00 to..... **\$15 00**

Kuppenheimer Suits for men; fabrics of quality that give you pleasure to wear, and distinguish you from the commonplace. Whatever price you pay for a Kuppenheimer Suit, you get style, quality and workmanship. Prices of Men's Suits \$10, \$12, \$16, \$18, \$20 and **\$25 00**

Shoes for Everybody

Shoes of style, snap and quality. Shoes of the best known factories in operation. You will find the lines of Shoes we carry in stock in the best shoe stores in all the principal cities.

- Infants' Shoes, 25c to..... **50c**
- Childrens' Shoes, 65c to..... **\$1 25**
- Misses' Shoes, \$1.25 to..... **\$2 50**
- Ladies' Shoes, \$1.50 to..... **\$4 00**
- Men's Work Shoes, \$1.75 to..... **\$3 50**
- Men's Fine Shoes, the celebrated Alden, Walker & Wild manufacture, \$3.50 to..... **\$5 00**
- The Famous Stetson Shoes, \$5 00 to..... **\$6 00**

STETSON SHOE WEARERS



never grumble about the price. One pair convinces the most economical man that cheaper shoes lack just the qualities the right shoe ought to have.



LOOK FOR THE RED DIAMOND ON THE STRAP.

Stetsons cost from \$5.50 to \$9.00 the pair.

Wash Goods

- Keswick Suiting, a new wash fabric, worth 25c per yard, our low price..... **10c**
- Rossmore Suiting, beautiful patterns..... **10c**
- Rheim's Novelty Suiting, checks, plaids and stripes..... **10c**
- Surat Cloth, a new fabric, will wash, all colors..... **10c**
- Gold Star Zephyrs..... **10c**
- Starlight Percale..... **10c**
- A. F. C. Gingham..... **10c**

Staples

- The best Calico money can buy is now being sold at our store at, per yard..... **5c**
- Outing Flannel..... **5c**
- Cotton Checks..... **5c**
- Good 10c-quality Gingham..... **8 1-3c**
- 12c-quality Outing—150 bolts—dark, light and medium..... **10c**
- Best A C A Feather Tick..... **15c**

Blankets and Quilts

- 10-4 gray and white Blankets..... **75c**
- 11-4 gray and white Blankets..... **\$1 25**
- 12-4 white Blankets with pink and blue border..... **\$1 50**
- Heavy Quilts, good size, \$1.25 and up to..... **\$5 00**
- 10-4 Wool Blankets..... **\$3 00**
- Better grades and larger sizes, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$8 and..... **\$10 00**

Money Saved

by trading here, also you can always get what you want.

BURNS & BELL

Wholesale and Retail
Dry Goods, Groceries and Hardware

Colorado, Texas

HOMER L. HUTCHINSON

FURNITURE, UNDERTAKING AND EMBALMING

LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

Moeser sells it for less.
Fancy stationery, in all the latest styles at DOSS'.
Mrs. Charley Lasky went to Abilene last Friday and attended the circus.

If you have anything to sell or trade, list it with the Hastings Land Co. They are awake to your interest.

City politics are warming up a bit and the question of corporation and anti-corporation is pushing to the front.

Best and purest perfumes in the state at DOSS'.

W. T. Pankey from Memphis, Tenn, has acquired a third interest in the News Printing Co., at Abilene.

Competition is the life of trade, and in the instance of the competition for cotton seed, it helps the farmer. A raise from \$10 to \$15 per ton means something for the cotton raiser.

If you know of a friend that might want to buy a farm, ranch or city property, it will be to your friend's interest to give the Hastings Land Co. a call.

J. F. Foote, who has been the bench workman at the jewelry establishment of J. P. Majors, for some time, has resigned and gone to Big Springs where he has a similar position with the J. L. Ward Drug and Jewelry Company. Mr. Foote is not only an expert workman, but a gentleman of the first water. The removal of this estimable family is a distinct loss to Colorado and the Record most heartily commends them to the people of their new home, as in every way worthy of the highest confidence and esteem.

FOR SALE—A splendidly equipped Moving Picture show and Vaudeville in Central Texas city of 15,000. A bargain if taken at once. Apply to this office. 2t.

Mr. Woodmancy an expert jeweler from south Texas has accepted a position with J. P. Majors and he with his wife has moved to Colorado and is now a welcomed citizen among us.

Mrs. Dodson has been quite sick this week.

Mrs. J. J. Bromley is visiting in Abilene this week.

D. N. Arnett and A. F. Curry are out at Rendrebrook rounding up.

Mrs. P. C. Coleman left Saturday for Dallas to be with her daughter Mildred.

Miss Lena McNairy came in from Westbrook Monday to attend school. She is boarding with Mrs. Arnett.

Ladies' skirts, all wool, \$3.00 up to \$8.00. Everything else in proportion at Mrs. M. C. Ratliff.

The most urgent need of Mitchell county, is a multitude of small farmers. When every quarter section shall support an industrious owner, old Mitchell comes into her own.

The Alamo hotel has installed a new lighting system for the office and dining room, which is as far ahead of the incandescent light, as the latter is ahead of the tallow dip.

The farmers of Mitchell county will be in better shape for making a crop next year than they have ever been.

Latest styles in hats, all new goods, \$1.75 up to \$5.00, at Mrs. M. C. Ratliff's.

A. S. Johnson, who held a position here in the freight depot here winter, has been returned to Colorado, and is holding his former job.

Miss Nellie Riordan returned this week from an extended visit in California.

Messrs Collier, Ben Morgan, Raymond Johnson, Bromley and several others, had business with the federal court at Abilene this week. Most of them attended the circus while there.

It seems the corporation is, at least, not a positive evil until it runs counter to some fellow's personal views or purse. Then it is nothing else than a farce or class machine. This is the trouble in every instance—private grievance.

Mrs. Prude, Mrs. Willis R. Smith and V. D. Payne are on the sick list this week.

Money saved is money made. See the new hats, and cheapest all-wood Panama skirts for cash at Mrs. M. C. Ratliff's.

Mrs. Artie Bailey came in Wednesday on a visit to her mother Mrs. A. A. Bailey.

Marriage license was issued to Ruben Hart and Miss Lena Dorn this week.

J. R. Hastings spent Saturday and Sunday with his children at Scranton, where they are in school. He reports a good school and the children well pleased. He returned home on Monday.

There was a goodly crowd in town Saturday and the merchants did a good business.

The family of Mr. Chambers, employed at Payne's store, arrived last week and as soon as a residence can be procured they will go to housekeeping.

A. B. Robertson returned from Beaumont, Kansas Saturday, where he had marketed a bunch of fat cattle, about one thousand head.

Mr. Freeman spoke at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night in the interest of the endowment fund of the Theological department of the Baylor University. He made excellent talks on both occasions.

C. M. Coggin has purchased the interest of W. A. Coggin in the livery stable, and the latter will move with his family to Post City, where he will go into business.

The address to the men's meeting Sunday afternoon by Rev. O. G. Jones was a practical and helpful one.

Misses Martin and Johnson of Lampasas are visitors at the home of Mrs. J. L. Allen.

Miss Zilpha Fox, who has for sometime been the efficient and pleasant deputy county and district clerk, is now bookkeeper at the popular grocery house of C. H. Lasky.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITY NATIONAL BANK OF

Colorado, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, Sept. 23, 1908.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$179 527 70
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2 985 82
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	15 000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	6 200 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	798 48
Due from State Banks and Bankers	119 31
Due from approved reserve agents	8 663 77
Notes of other National Banks	1 300 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	378 32
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$ 5 880 00
Legal tender notes 1 000 00—	6 880 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent circulation)	750 00
Total	\$222 608 40

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	60 000 00
Surplus fund	25 000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	7 294 18
National Bank notes outstanding	15 000 00
Due to other National Banks	1 412 97
Due to State Banks & Bankers	828 84
Individual deposits subject to check	60 059 76
Cashiers checks outstanding	22 15
Notes and bills rediscounted	39 485 50
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	13 500 00
Total	\$222 608 40

STATE OF TEXAS)
County of Mitchell) ss
I, J. E. Hooper, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. E. Hooper, Cashier.
Correct—Attest:
J. D. Wulfjen,
J. L. Doss,
F. E. McKenzie,
Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of September, 1908.
G. B. Harness, Notary Public.

A CHOICE BARGAIN
South half of survey No. 1 in Block No. 35, four miles east of Lamesa, in Dawson county, the entire 320 acres is of the best grade of farming land. For sale at a bargain, if bought within the next sixty days. Address O. B. PORTER, Colorado, Texas. 10-2p.

Laborers Wanted
20 good, strong, able-bodied working men can get steady employment until next spring by making application to us at once. No professional "soldiers" or tramps need apply. We want only those that are able and willing to work.
COLORADO SALT CO.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Land propositions of all kinds. Tracts large or small to suit purchaser and on terms of easy payment plan. Call on or address J. R. Hastings Land Co., Colorado. Office in Record Building.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE COLORADO NATIONAL BANK

at Colorado, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, Sept. 23, 1908.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$374 689 25
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5 698 15
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50 000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	10 000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	1 195 23
Due from State Banks and Bankers	211 23
Due from approved reserve agents	45 094 80
Checks and other cash items	395 40
Notes of other National Banks	2 160 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	515 70
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$ 6 829 25
Legal-tender notes 17 000 00	23 829 25
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2 500 00
Total	\$1 516 289 01

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$100 000 00
Surplus fund	100 000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	27 507 40
National Bank notes outstanding	50 000 00
Due to other National Banks	1 204 88
Due to State Banks and Bankers	461 03
Individual deposits subject to check	230 115 70
Demand certificates of deposit	2 000 00
Notes and bills rediscounted	5 000 00
Total	\$1 516 289 01

State of Texas,) ss;
County of Mitchell,)
I, W. J. Hatch, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. J. HATCH, Cashier.
Correct—Attest:
H. B. SMOOT,
F. M. BURNS,
C. M. ADAMS,
Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of September, 1908.
C. H. EARNEST,
Notary Public.

TO TRADE
For grazing land 100 head of registered Hereford cattle, prices reasonable, see or write J. R. Hastings, Land Co., Colorado, Texas.

FAMILY WASHING WANTED
Will take family washing for a few families. Reasonable prices. Apply to house in front of Claude Gill.
MRS. C. D. COPE.
10-9-p.

A GOOD BARGAIN
160 acres north of Colorado, priced at \$16 per acre, 70 acres in cultivation, good residence and well. Is a fine proposition for a good home. Can take stock on this trade, mules, horses and cattle. It will pay you to investigate this offer.
J. R. HASTINGS LAND CO.

FOR SALE—A splendid buggy, nearly new, at a bargain. See me quick at Scott & Nunn's wagon yard. D. C. TURBERVILLE. 10-2tf

LIST YOUR LANDS WITH E. N. RIDENS & CO.

REAL ESTATE OF ALL KINDS
Lands of all kinds—black, sandy; raw and cultivated.
Farms of from 10 to 1,000 acres at from \$12.50 to \$30 per acre.
Town lots from \$30 to \$75 each.
Houses and lots from \$350 to \$1,250 each.

I Can Sell on Terms to Suit You

Give me a call. Will take pleasure in showing you around. I have been here seven years and think I know good land when I see it.

E. N. RIDENS & COMPANY, Lorraine, Tex.

THE BEST.

Of Beef, Veal, Pork, Sausage, Cooked Ham, Cured Ham, Bologna, Weiners, Barbecue and Bread always on hand at

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Prompt delivery morning and evening. Fresh oysters. Phone No. 106. Ring. The Market That Pleases the People.

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The Best of Their Kind

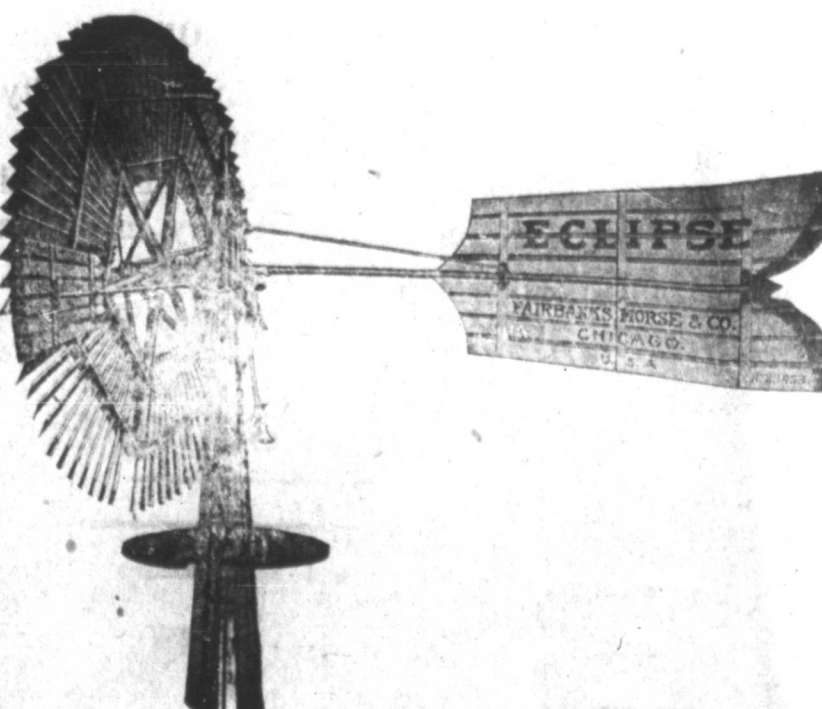


Bowsher Grinders, Eclipse Wind Mills, John Deere Implements, Riding attachments for walking plows.

Full line of Pipe, Casing, Cylinders and all kinds of Water and Steam Fixtures.

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Pittsburg Perfect Wire Fence

The Only Sweep Mill that Successfully Grinds Corn and Milo Maize on the Head.



Western Windmill Company

THE SOCIETY REALM

Mrs. J. G. Merritt, Editor

The first meeting of the Hesperian Club was held Friday with the president, Mrs. Merritt at the home of Mrs. Arnett. There was a full attendance and the entire afternoon was most delightful. After an appropriate greeting from the president a beautiful response was given by Mrs. Carter. Mrs. Bell sang most sweetly Consolation. The Constitution and by-laws were read. Mrs. John T. Johnson gave an exquisite piano solo: Miss Jo Dry read "The First Settlers' Story" so beautifully that she was enthusiastically encouraged and responded with "Got to go to school;" Miss Hallie Dupree's song "When I think of you" was very sweet. A delightful piano solo by Mrs. Majors closed the program. Refreshments of chicken salad, peas in patty cases, jelly, cheese straws, pickles, crackers and coffee were served by the hostess assisted by Miss Arnett and Mrs. Curry. The meeting next week is with Mrs. Bell, with this program.

Leader, Mrs. Smith.
Lesson, Macbeth questions Act. I. Scenes 1, 2, 3.
Roll Call. Quotations.
Parliamentary Drill.
Macbeth's mind was not open enough to understand the apparition, therefore he could not have prefigured them affirmative Mrs. Bell; negative Mrs. Leslie; map study Florence, Mrs. Carter; Tacks the founding of Florence, Mrs. Collier.

The Circle ladies gave their husbands a delightful treat in the shape of a moonlight picnic and chicken fry over at the "cut" Monday evening. The weather was beautiful the moon shone brightly and all were in holiday humor. When the merry party had gathered the chickens dozens of them were fried. While they were being cooked the cloths were spread and a lunch fit for the Gods was spread. There were vegetable salads, bread, pies, cake, coffee, and first and last and always the delicious hot chicken. This was the very nicest affair of the many nice ones the Woodmen and Circle have enjoyed this year.

The Woman's Study club met Tuesday with Mrs. Vincent and a very pleasant meeting was held. The regularly appointed program was given. The papers being especially good. Mrs. Martha Smoot was a welcome visitor while three new members were welcomed into the club. At the close of the program delicious salad, bread and butter with pickles, coffee and wafers were served. The meeting next Tuesday's with Mrs. Collier with this program.

Roll Call. Something about our Women's colleges.

Does a college education benefit a house wife and mother.—Mrs. Griswood.

What Texas is doing for her girls.—Mrs. Gross.

Table Talk. College Stories. A delayed paper.—Mrs. Bass. Time of meeting four o'clock.

Miss Sadie Mae Hughes was hostess for the card club Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Allen and a very nice meeting was held. Mrs. Allen won the royal prize, Miss Wulfjen the lone hand and Mrs. Thomas the guest.

The Standard Club met Friday with Mrs. Burns with all the members who were in town present. The president, Mrs. Coleman was not with them, having gone to Dallas to be with her daughter Mildred. The first meeting was very pleasant indeed a promise of the good things in store for the members during the year. At the close of the evening elegant refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Frank Lupton was hostess for the Twenty-one Club Wednesday and an especially nice meeting was held. The game was most interesting there being eight tables of 42 players; there being many visitors but Mrs. Inez Claire Byrne was the only out of town guest. Miss Arnett assisted the hostess by scoring and in serving the dainty and appetizing cream and cake at the close of the game. The meeting next week is with Mrs. John T. Johnson.

The Wednesday Social Club enjoyed a delightful meeting this week with Mrs. Allen. The guests were welcomed by Mr. Allen and afterwards by Messdames Allen and Johnson. There were three tables of 42 players and a lovely time was had by all. At the close of the game delicious croquettes, chicken salad, sweet pickles, beaten biscuit, coffee and chocolate was served by the cordial hostess. The drive home in the moonlight was delightful as was the time spent in such pleasant company.

Mr. James Greene and F. W. Darling representing the Plateau townsites out at Plateau, in El Paso county, spent several days here this week working in the interest of their new town. James Greene is well and favorably known in Colorado and he tells us that the new town of Plateau is now platted on his land, adjoining the depot and that lots will be sold reasonably low and nothing misrepresented, and his many friends hope to see him make of it a fine success. Mr. F. W. Darling, the gentleman with him is their traveling representative, a man of good appearance and one on whom the people can rely. Their work in Colorado has been very successful and with these men to push it Plateau will yet be made a town.

THE BEST BARGAIN YET

I am offering the best bargain in a 320 acre tract of land 4 1/2 miles north of Loraine to be found in the west. 130 acres in cultivation, 4 room house, well fine water, new windmill, barn, 230 acres tillable. Price \$25.00 per acre. \$3000.00 cash, balance 6 annual payments. Will take as part payment good mules, steers or stock cattle at cash values. L. E. LASSETER, Owner. 10-2 tf. Colorado, Texas.

Galveston, Tex., Oct. 1—The bronze statue of Judge John H. Reagan arrived today on board the steamship Irak. The statue was made in Rome by Rambio Coppini for the Daughters of the Confederacy, and is to be unveiled at Palestine. It goes forward to-night.

\$5.00 REWARD.

Stolen from my barn in south Colorado, Breast strap and buggy traces. \$5.00 reward for their recovery. L. C. DUPREE. tf.

A NEW ENTERPRISE

The Colorado Commercial Orchard Company has been organized with the following stockholders: B. F. McLure, Alberta, La.; J. J. McLure, John Basden, A. L. Clark, J. J. McLure, J. A. Forbes, and others. It is a duly chartered company with a capital stock of \$4000. One hundred and sixty acres of land one mile north of town have been purchased of C. H. Earnest, and the work of putting out 8000 trees, consisting of plums, peaches and pears, will begin this fall, and next year the other 80 acres will be put in fruit trees. This is the beginning of the fruit industry in Mitchell county on a commercial scale, and will no doubt lead to the planting of many more orchards. The personnel of the men forming the company is a guarantee of success.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Colorado People Know How to Save It.

Many Colorado people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Sick kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger when all diseases and aches and pains due to weak kidneys can be quickly and permanently cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills.

J. C. Smith, cotton buyer, 701 Elm street, Abilene, Texas, says: "Being annoyed considerably by a weakness of the kidneys, and having heard Doan's Kidney Pills spoken of, I procured a box. They helped me from the first and I believe them to be a good kidney medicine. My nephew, who was staying with me at that time, also used them with excellent results."

For sale by all Dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole Agents for the United States.

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

FOR SALE

50 acres of cotton 4 miles from Colorado on N. L. Smith's farm. Promises half bale per acre. Will take \$350 if sold within the next ten days. See Hastings Land Co.

Farm and City Property For Sale.

I have for sale on good terms 480 acres of good catclaw land, 3 miles south of Colorado. Residence, well and windmill, 2 living springs of fine water. 100 acres in cultivation. My city property consists of half block, 6 lots, 7-room residence, good orchard, all well improved. For prices and terms write to J. F. CLAYTON, Colorado.

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 26.—Col. W. C. Greene, the copper king and railroad magnate, is financially ruined, a broken-hearted bankrupt, and, broken in health, is seeking recuperation in the mountains of northern Mexico.

Wall paper in new styles at DOSS'. Extra low price on closing out patterns.

The lease contracts at the Record office are the best; get one.

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Arriving daily and embracing all the newest and latest creations for fall wear, will soon be on exhibition. We are better prepared to fill your wants this year than ever.

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Come in and see the latest fall hats, which, by the way, is the most comprehensive showing ever made so early in the season. The styles are extremely beautiful, nay, stunning. The hats are large and have a wide range of prices.

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No time or money has been spared to ascertain the very best styles brought out. Our showing of imported dress and street hats is the reflection of the latest styles. Our exhibit of autumn headgear is a wealth of exquisite conceptions. The most exacting persons are welcomed. We feel confident we can please them all right.

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We are now offering some special bargains in FURNITURE to make room for our new stock which will arrive soon. Come and take advantage of our low prices.

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LOCALS

Citizen Moeser is refurbishing up the front of his store with a fresh coat of paint.

George Dunn went to Ballinger last week to see his brother who was reported seriously ill.

Now is the time to paint; see Doss for oils and paints.

A young negro who worked at the compress had his ankle broken last week by being caught under a falling bale of cotton.

Let's keep digging at the 1st Monday idea. Because the last one was not a success, is no indication the thing can't be done.

J. R. Hastings went east Friday in the interest of some land deals he has on the tapis.

DOSS, your druggist, wants to see you.

A moving picture show will occupy the building vacated by the Hiawatha joint.

Mrs. Tabor of Thurber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Knott, who has been visiting her parents, returned home Friday.

For Fire or Tornado Insurance see E. Keathley at Dr. Coleman's office.

Mrs. Homer L. Hutchinson, accompanied by Mr. Hutchinson returned from El Paso, Friday, where the former had been in a sanitarium.

Base ball and all kinds of sporting goods at DOSS'.

The Hiawatha joint conducted by Murphy & Co., against which an injunction was gotten out by county Attorney Robinson, on the grounds of being a public nuisance, has moved out and the place that knew it once, will know it no more.

Beautiful new patterns in wall paper at DOSS'.

WANTED—A home on some ranch, man and wife without children are willing to work, wife to keep house for our board.

C. N. COLLINS, Colorado, Texas.

Whereas the Record is for an incorporated town, first, last and all the time, it is of the opinion that it would be better to satisfy the reactionary faction with an election and settle the question, than to be continually harassed by the ever recurring attempts to secure one. Incorporation is stronger today than it was at the first election and there is no doubt that it would carry, even a majority vote. The opposition would have to carry a two-thirds majority.

Any attempt to individually mention the circus excursionists to Abilene Monday, would be to enumerate half the population of Colorado. They ranged in age from the septegenarian who went along to take care of the children (some of whom were 40 years old) to the infant in the arms. It is said that the Barnum & Bailey show can not make expenses with less than 15,000 paid admission. If every town contributed as large a quota of that number as Colorado and Big Springs, there must not have been standing room in 300 feet of the show.

No town can hold its legitimate trade long, unless it makes concessions and offers inducements. West Texas is filling up so fast and new towns are becoming so numerous and anxious for trade, that it goes to the highest bidder.

Magnolia Flour—white as the snowdrift; sweet as the delicate fragrance of the Magnolia blossom. C. H. LASKY, Sole Agent.

Jesse Morris, who has held a job with Coggin & Coggin, has resigned and gone to Abilene.

Mrs. W. L. Gross mother of Ward Gross, who has been sick at her home in Snyder is reported yet quite sick with the fever.

The new S. N. Sherwin residence in north Colorado is nearing completion and will be quite a handsome home when finished.

Mr. McCarley who lives out on the rural route north of Loraine was in town on Saturday and called at the Record office. He reports that he was ploughing up 8 acres of peanuts and getting 40 bushels per acre and while here bought a lot of white pearl onion sets to plant the 8 acres in onions. McCarley is a good farmer and makes money by planting some of all kinds of crops.

The meeting which commenced last Sunday night in the Presbyterian church has increased daily in interest and enthusiasm. Rev. W. M. Elliott, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Colorado, is assisting Rev. W. L. Downing in this meeting and has proven to be a first-class and able speaker in every respect. His sermons are practical and to the point and he speaks with an earnestness that deeply impresses all who hear him.—Midland Reporter.

Miss Bessie McMurry has returned from a visit to Dallas.

I have just returned from market; so new hats, skirts, and all else in the millinery line, await your coming at Mrs. M. C. Ratliff's.

The showers this week while not needed by the crops, were very acceptable to the stock interests.

Earl Jackson of Loraine has a position with Sheriff Bird.

Ben McGuire of El Paso county made a business trip to Colorado.

Get your money's worth by figuring with Mrs. M. C. Ratliff.

There has never yet, nor ever will be, a municipal government that pleased everybody, and usually those who contribute least to its support while appropriating most of its benefits, are its most carping critics and obstinate opponents.

Raymond Johnson was called to Abilene this week as a federal juror.

Mrs. P. C. Coleman went to Dallas this week.

For cheap and stylish skirts, hats see Mrs. M. C. Ratliff.

Mrs. Slater of Marshall is visiting Mrs. Will Singleton.

Earl Lovelady went to Kansas City with a bunch of cattle.

Jerry Coffee was circulating among old friends here last week.

Mrs. T. J. Coggin of Merkel is visiting the families of W. A. and C. M. Coggin.

The Record learns with regret that the condition of Mr. M. K. Jackson, who has been down several weeks with typhoid fever, continues unimproved.

Go to the Kindergarten Bazaar at the Club rooms tonight and help the ladies.

Mrs. J. K. Foster was called to Oak Cliff Saturday by the death of her mother, who had long been in very low health. She returned Wednesday night.

Read the harness and saddle man's ad this week—J. B. Annis.

Magnolia Flour Best in Colorado. Best in Texas. Best in America. Best on earth, or anywhere else. C. H. LASKY, Sole Agent.

Mr. John Hailey who lives in north Missouri was the guest here on Sunday last of Mrs. and Mrs. Brooks Bell. Mr. Hailey has business connections with R. L. McCauley at Sweetwater and run over here on Sunday to spend the day. Mr. Hailey is a well posted man in politics and while he is a staunch democrat he says there is no chance to elect Bryan.

What has become of the grading contract for the work on Front street. The railroad will soon be ready to do its part. Will Colorado fall down?

A BARGAIN—Single buggy and harness, both in good condition and a snap if taken soon. See Harry Smith at Record office.

The cotton seed war still abides and we understand neighboring towns are paying \$16 to \$16.50 per ton for seed to get the trade to those towns. Well, it was ever the longest pole that knocked the highest persimmon.

Don't fail to help the ladies in their bazaar to-night. It is a most meritorious cause and deserves the encouragement of every citizen of the town.

FOR SALE—Bungalow cottage, 2 blocks east of Burns & Bell dry goods store, 3 lots, a bargain. Easy terms. B. L. COOPER.

Magnolia Flour has a reputation throughout the entire south, and has been the standard of excellence for forty three years. C. H. LASKY, Sole Agent.

Fancy box candies at DOSS'.

Seed rye for sale at Snowden's.

LOST—Dark blue broadcloth cloak, with gray stripes through it and lined with blue satin; has my card in pocket. Dropped out of buggy between Dr. Phenix' residence and the cemetery. Return to Mrs. R. H. Waldo, for suitable reward. (10-9)

Roy Raby of Shelbyville, Tenn., a visitor with relatives here, left Friday for Greenville.

Fancy Lump Coal.

M. T. Crawford is now offering the best McAllister Lump Coal at \$5.50 per ton, or \$8 at the car; all lump. Plenty wood in transit. Your patronage will be greatly appreciated.

METHODIST CHURCH
Preaching at 11 a. m. Followed by the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Preaching at 8 p. m., Subject at night "Why more women than men attend church." Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Senior League at 7 p. m. Everybody cordially invited, and strangers are especially welcomed.

B. W. DODSON, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Holmes Nichols will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday at both hours. Topics: 11 a. m. The Ark of Safety; 7:45 p. m. A Prudent man. The pastor will also resume his work in east Colorado, and will preach at the C. P. church at three o'clock. All are cordially invited to all services. Strangers welcomed.

<p>Chas. M. ADAMS</p>	<p>We carry in stock at all times a complete line of Carpets, Matting, Art Squares, Rugs, Linoleums, Trunks, Suits Cases, Valises, Telescopes, Tents, Wagon Sheets, Tarpaulins, Wide Duck for Hack Tops, Black Oil Cloth</p> <p>Lowest Prices at the very</p>	<p>The Store of "Quality"</p>
<p>Sole Agents in Colorado for Hart Schaffner & Marx Fine Clothing</p> <p>"Viking" System Clothing for Boys.</p> <p>Edwin Clapp's Celebrated Shoes for Men.</p> <p>The Famous "Walkover" Shoe for \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00</p> <p>The Perfect Fitting "Ultra" Shoes for the Ladies</p> <p>Selz "Roal Blue" Shoes for \$3.50 and \$4.00</p>	<p>Some Real BARGAINS In Shoes</p> <p>We offer below some good values in Shoes and Slippers at very Attractive Prices, all being offered at actual cost. This is an opportunity to make a big saving on your Summer Footwear. Make your selection early.</p> <p>21 pairs Ladies' patent leather strap Sandals, worth \$3.50 for \$2 50</p> <p>17 pairs Ladies' vici Cuban heel strap Sandals, worth \$3.00 for 2 09</p> <p>19 pairs Ladies' vici Cuban heel strap Sandals, worth \$2.50 for 1 65</p> <p>27 pairs Ladies' white canvas Oxfords, cushion heel, worth \$2.50 for 1 65</p> <p>37 pairs Ladies' white canvas Oxfords, cushion heel, worth \$2.00 for 1 27</p> <p>13 pairs Ladies' gray canvas Oxfords, cushion heel, worth \$2.00 for 1 28</p> <p>29 pairs Ladies' blue canvas Oxfords, cushion heels, worth \$2.00 for 1 27</p> <p>1 pairs Ladies' white canvas Oxfords, cushion heels, worth \$1.25 for 83c</p> <p>14 pairs Ladies' white canvas Oxfords, low heels, worth \$1.75 for 1 10</p> <p>A full line of sizes in the above. Also 100 pairs Misses and Childrens canvas Oxfords in white and gray from 60c to 83c. 24 pairs Ladies' calf shoes, sizes 5 to 7 at 75c, worth \$1.50 These shoes cost us from 83c to \$1.10. These shoes are displayed in our show-windows.</p>	<p>Sole agents in Colorado for</p> <p>Royal Worcester, Dowager and Bon Ton Corsets</p> <p>Wilson Bros. Shirts and Neckwear</p> <p>Hawes Famous \$3.00 Hats</p> <p>Lion Brand Collars and Cuffs</p> <p>Monarch Shirts</p> <p>Dependon Dress Goods</p> <p>Shawknit Hosiery</p> <p>Buster Brown Hosiery</p> <p>Monarch Hosiery</p> <p>Hamilton Brown Shoes for the whole Family.</p>
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