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Notice.

Don't fail to attend the Reunion at Maverick the 1st 2nd and 3rd of August. And go prepared to have Photos made. I will erect my tent and do first class work there those three days. Be sure and give me a trial and I will treat you right for I guarantee satisfaction in all my work.

Respectfully,

G. A. Beeman.

New Hope & Olga News.

Ed Ruttler:—As the fine rain has given me energies enough, I will give you the news once more. The rains come in time to help corn wonderfully. If the rain continues we may raise considerable of cotton yet Stock looks well considering the dry weather. Messrs Bob Henderson and Vining Summerall are having wells drilled. Mr Oscar Russell and wife have returned from Sheerwood, and are visiting at New Hope this week. Mr. George Sheppard will teach the Olga school next term. Miss Pearl Smith will teach at New Hope. Mr. W. F. Robinson and his sister Miss Ella were visiting at Mr. George Hammon's this week. Mr Henry Hammon is at Sando helping to build the Methodist church. A singing at Mr. Bud Kirkland's was enjoyed by quite a number of our young people last Sunday evening. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Obuch on the 3rd a fine boy all three getting along well.

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An Antis Dream

Yes we got there by the hardest we got there with both feet, but we had to work for it and the Bro worked, too, most of them. Some of them were generous enough to not vote against us. Such generosity we'll never forget, but will set'em up to them for he that is not against us is for us. But those who worked so hard against us if they get any thing to drink at my

saloon will sure have to pay for it and plank up the cash at that.

Saloon are not so bad as some makes out they are; whisky is a good thing to have around some times. It is often needed in sickness and if we were to get snake bit we might die before we could get whisky to save us. Yes! I could have some brought over on the stage but I could not get it off with out the men seeing me and they would be sure to come around and shake hands with me if I had a full bottle and it would look so stingy in me to not let them sample it and, when we have all sampled it and I take the rest home the women folks soon use it for medicine, and when an emergency comes we have none. So I am in favor of having it near us. It helps to build up a town and excites business and make things lively. It is said it takes a country to build up a town and when we get saloons the country will sure build this town or a portion of it. When we get saloons here the stock men who always have money will come to town twice as often as they do now and wont mind to spend ten or twelve dollars for the drinks and have a good time with the boys and those who have not so much money, who are complaining of hard times will come oftener and take drinks too. Even if they borrow wife's chicken money "She wont know where it went" and some of the Pros nichols will drop through the slots, but we can stand that so we get their money and there is big money to be made selling whisky. I can make three barrels out of one with chemicals, fresh berries, sugar of lead, pepper, a little struck nine tobacco, and dried peaches I recollect the other things but the receipt will tell and lots of them can't tell the difference and when they don't know the difference does it not do them as well? It makes drunk some alright. Of course some men can tell, but we will have some on hand not doctored for them. It has been along time since we had a saloon here we'll have them now, plenty of them, but more the merrier. when I get my saloon started I will have one grand rally, the Odd fellows, Woodmen, and Masons

have had their day and it is our time now. We will bring off the women folks our wives, daughters sweethearts, and all the women who advocate our principles, if their men folks are Pros, and our banquet will be the jolliest of any of them all. And we will bring the children, little boys enjoy the funny things said in saloons and saloons are character builders you know if you don't look at the boys who have had free access to saloons and see what noble specimens they are. I want my boys to follow in my foot steps and have characters and stand for the personal liberty our fathers fought, bled, and died for our county. I will begin training them young so when they are old they will not depart from it and we will invoke the good of saloons to guide and direct us through this great fiddler taking and through comic life even through the dark lonesome valley and shadow of death, and to gather us to our fathers on the other shore. It was proved that Christ was an Ant when on earth, he got out still and will be not hunt us out from among the Pros, and conduct us through the gates into the Holy City, the New Jerusalem where the pure river of life clear as crystal flows from the throne of God. Christ while on earth, turned water into wine for his friends and will be not turn as much of this pure river into wine as we can drink, knowing we love it so well and we can go on drinking through endless ages with the fear of delirium tremens. The tree of life grows on each side of the river its leaves are for the healing of the nation and if we begin to see snakes we can chew some leaves and go on with our drinking. Hurray for us we are getting there! Whoop! What have I been sleeping? Yes, and such a dream I have had though we beat them but they downed us, no saloon to be here and I won't bring any more whisky or beer here for the folks if they all get sick and die. Well this is not the only town in West Texas. I am going where my efforts in building town and characters are more appreciated and I don't care if Robert Lee never builds up.

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Glass, though proverbially brittle, will stand any amount of hard usage; but once it is broken the only thing that remains to be done is to throw it away. Cementing will not do much good. If the stem of a wine glass or vase is broken mending is sometimes possible by applying to the joints some easily fusible cement, such as shellac, through a silver tube.

Glass that has been properly annealed will stand variations of temperature perfectly well, but if this hasn't been done it is likely to break instantly and without apparent reason.

Frequently globes and chimneys fly to pieces when not properly heated. This is due to draught or moisture upon the chimney, especially lamp chimneys, which will crack from top to bottom, even after the lamp has been extinguished.

Glass vases used for flowers frequently become coated with an unpleasant deposit in the inaccessible parts of the inside. This is due to decayed stems of flowers that are left too long in the water. This deposit may be removed by cleaning with a cloth that has been dipped in pumice stone powder. Care, if beaten flat with a hammer and dipped in the powder, makes an excellent brush and holds the pumice stone in position between the fibres.

Hydrochloric acid, one part acid to eight parts water, will remove any ordinary deposit. If this does not have the desired effect the quantity of acid may be increased. It is advisable to keep the hands out of the acid as much as possible, as it is injurious and often cracks the finger nails.

OUR LOVE FOR SWEETS.

Americans are a sugar-loving people, and our taste for sweets is increasing. We not only increase our consumption with the increase of population, but individually we consume more each year, says the Atlanta Journal. Last year we consumed 2,219,847 tons of sugar, which was 141,779 tons more than we ate the year before. This does not mean only that our sugar devouring population had increased, but it means that while each man, woman and child—if he got his or her proportion—consumed sixty-one pounds of sugar in 1899, he or she consumed a little more than 66½ pounds in 1900.

DRESS FOR LITTLE GIRL.



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FOR THE AUGUST BRIDE.

The "something old" which Miss Vivian Sartoris, daughter of Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris, will wear on the day she marries Archibald Balfour, in London, in August, will be fine old point

MIDSUMMER HATS.



1. Leghorn, flat, with black velvet ribbon and roses under the brim.
2. Yellow straw, with yellow crepe, gold buckle and black plume.
3. Ebru straw, with satin, black plumes and pink roses.
4. Brown straw, with double brim, separated at the side by black plume.
5. Yellow straw, field flowers and black plume.

WOMAN AND HOME.

lace which belonged to her grandmother, Mrs. U. S. Grant, says the Chicago News. The wedding gown is simple, and its beauty is to be found in the simple lines and the beauty of the heavy ivory satin and the lace. The waist is simply cut, fitting the figure, and with a little fullness drawn in at the waist line in front. It has a high-cut neck and is fastened in the back finished with a box plait, which has the effect of being continued in the skirt, where a single box plait is carried down to the long train. The skirt is without trimming, and the waist is embroidered in the front and around the collar with pearls, the yoke being of mousseline outlined with pearl embroidery. A tapering effect is given to the waist by the lace, which is carried over the shoulders and slopes down in the waist back and front. It falls well over the tops of the sleeves and more of it is a full frill at the wrist of the gown. Miss Sartoris' trousseau contains many, charming but not over-elaborate gowns.

SMART GOWN OF MUSLIN.



Narrow lace and ribbon.

THE ORIENTAL CRAZE.

Japanese fret work in simple conventional designs is used for many purposes in summer houses, on the walls of doorways, and to make cool looking cosey corners, says the New York Times. The Japanese carvings in wood are used for more elaborate summer houses as well as for city apartments. These carvings are wonderfully inexpensive, considering their beauty and the work in them. A deep piece which will fit into the top of a small doorway costs only \$9. There is an interesting design of dragons in it in fine workmanship.

Alaska Bake.

White of six eggs. Six tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar. Two quart brick of ice cream. A thin sheet of sponge cake. Make a meringue of the egg whites and the sugar, cover a board with white paper, lay on the sponge cake, turn the ice cream on the cake (which should extend one-half inch beyond the cream), cover with meringue and spread smoothly. Place on the oven grate and brown quickly. The board, paper, cake and meringue are poor conductors of heat, and prevent the cream from melting. Slip from paper on ice cream platter."

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DAIRY AND POULTRY.

INTERESTING CHAPTERS FOR OUR RURAL READERS.

How Successful Farmers Operate This Department of the Farm — A Few Hints as to the Care of Live Stock and Poultry.

Dairy Notes.

Similar facts can be brought out in almost any native herd of cows in this country—that is a herd that has not been selected with the idea of getting only good milk and butter producers. The ordinary herd is picked up here and there without much reference to ancestry. Their capacities are judged of by the amount of milk they give when fresh, and this standard often proves a very unreliable one. The writer has known cows to give extraordinary yields a few weeks after calving, only to dry up in six months. Such cows were not profitable. Yet they were kept because they could at least be sold again to another farmer at the next time of calving. It is frequently said that if lightning would strike half of the cows in any one of our states, the dairy industry would be helped. It is a fact that a good many cows are kept that produce no revenue whatever. The testing of the cows would eliminate this factor, and only good cows would be the order of the day rather than the exception.

In this country the testing associations would soon develop into something more—that is, into associations that would also provide for the application to all of the herds of the tuberculin test. A sentiment would be created in favor of healthy cows, and it would become impossible to dispose of a cow at a sale unless she were positively known to be free from any of the contagious diseases, especially tuberculosis. At the present time the cost of applying tuberculin to a single cow is prohibitive. In the vicinity of Chicago a charge of \$15 is made for the application of the test for tuberculosis. That is because the veterinarian must come a number of times to see the animal, often from considerable distance. Were large numbers to be given the treatment at the same time, the time element per cow would shrink to an insignificant amount. The cost per animal need not exceed \$2 or \$3, and could be made even less if all conditions were favorable. In fact, the only practical way of getting either the milk testing done or the tuberculin test applied is for the owners of cows to co-operate in the work and expense.

Mr. J. H. Monrad recently asserted that at the present time nothing is needed in dairy methods in this country more than the establishment of testing associations, such as have existed for the last six years in Denmark. The Farmers' Review has previously referred to these associations and has urged that the work be taken up here. Mr. Monrad says that the work in Denmark began in 1895, with 13 farmers. They formed the first Danish testing association. The men hired a young agricultural student at about \$30 per month to go from herd to herd and make monthly tests. The work on the thirteen farms took his entire time. The cost to each farmer was only nominal. The results soon began to make themselves seen. The poor cows were weeded out and the good cows increased in number. The butter fat began to show a decreasing cost per pound. So successful was this first association that it was followed by another and another. After only six years there are in Denmark more than 200 of these associations, each taking the full time of a student in doing the testing work on the farms. More than this: The work has so grown that the associations have taken steps to combine under the supervision of the government. We agree with Mr. Monrad that this work should be taken up here. A score of farmers could be found in almost any locality devoted largely to dairying who would be willing to form an association to have the testing of their milk carried on systematically. Young men can be found that are capable of doing correct work with the Babcock tester, and men, too, that can be secured at a reasonable price. The cost to each farmer would probably not average more than \$2 per month, a very small sum, when the value of the tests is considered. In one of the tests in Denmark, one cow was found making butter fat at a cost of 15 cents per pound and another at a cost of 78 cents per pound. Of course the cow that made butter fat at a cost of 78 cents per pound did not long continue in the business.

Poultry Briefs.

Dilapidated old shacks for poultry houses do not indicate success with poultry. A few may make a fair showing under such conditions, and aspire to nothing better. But to most men the dilapidated affair means non-interest in poultry. The best way to "repair" such buildings is to tear them down and build new ones.

The well-versed poultryman should not be too ready to give advice to amateurs that will enthrall them in the

poultry business. Often novices rush into poultry keeping on a large scale and lose all they have, while if they had been held back and induced to go slow success might have crowned their efforts.

Houses and runs should be in proportion. It is seldom that the yards are large enough for the houses. In cities and villages it is no unusual sight to see a good-sized house and a run no larger than the house in the area covered. The result is a perfectly bare and often dusty ground plot. The area of the yard should be at least ten times that of the house in which the birds are kept, and if the yard is still larger it will not be of excessive size. In fact, it is best to have the area of the run so large that it will remain green through the entire growing season.

A writer on poultry subjects says: "Put 100, 200 or 300 eggs into an incubator, and after the second day you can notice the odor of what the stock that laid them have had access to. This is no fanciful idea, any careful operator has noticed this. Likewise such a fowl when boiling in the pot gives out the same unmistakable odor, and while the same can not be detected when cooking the egg the flavor can. A fowl with access to the manure pile or pig pen is not fit food for man, nor are the eggs." Doubtless there is more truth in the above than we generally believe. We are in the habit of looking upon our fowls as perfect strainers, thinking that we can feed them anything and that they will eliminate from the food all that is undesirable, even in smell. Scientists are coming to believe that only pure food should be fed our domestic animals at any time.

A successful poultry raiser says. "There is a class of enthusiastic novices who write to know if they can make a living at poultry-keeping. They might as well ask if they can make a living at bridge building. A living can be made at bridge building, by one who knows all about it, but for one, we would soon be in the poor house if we had to depend upon bridge building, as we would not know how to begin on a bridge. And one can make a living at the poultry business—if he knows how. No novice can do it, and we are frank to say so, but it will at least cost the novice less to begin and try to learn at the poultry business than in any other direction." It is rather strange that a man should expect to succeed in a business in which he has had no experience; yet we find new men every year rushing into poultry keeping, certain that they will succeed, though without a moment's experience in poultry-raising.

Live Stock News.

Reports from the Northwestern portions of the United States and from Canada indicate that there is a good demand from western ranches for stockers, at good prices. Many are being shipped from Canada and from points as far south as Texas. The western movement of pure bred bulls is also very noteworthy, and the expansion of the ranching interest is said to be greater this year than ever before.

The Billings Gazette reports that shearing in Wyoming is progressing nicely with but few delays. The clips in almost every instance have been a surprise to the flockmasters, in that they are much lighter this year than ever before. The wool is shorter, looser and cleaner than for years. One large clip is said to have fallen short of last year's weight over 25,000 pounds and the same number of sheep were sheared this year as last. Others will fall short from 5,000 to 15,000 pounds. The flockmasters of that section are of the opinion that the clips will be much lighter than last year.

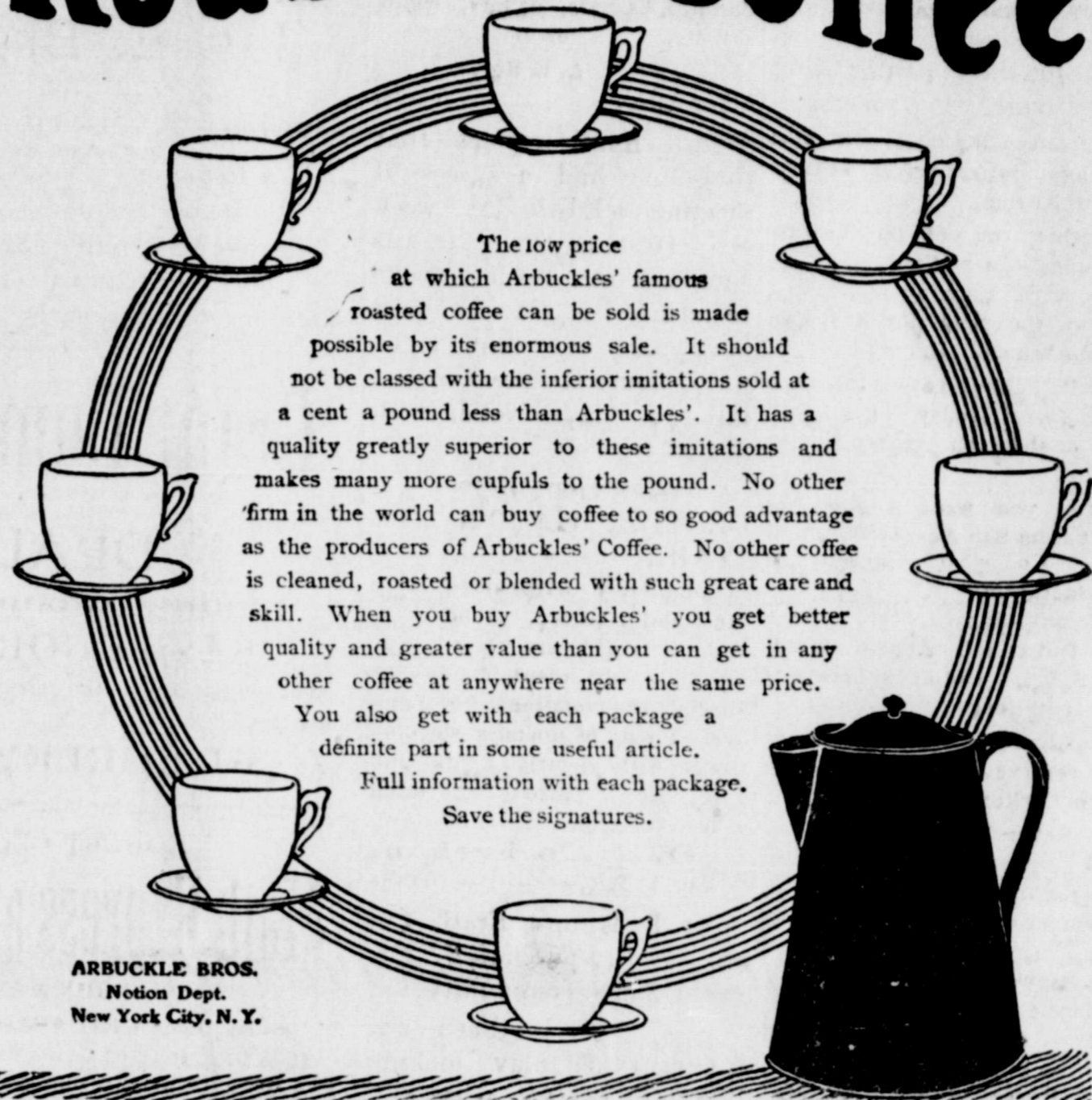
The Rocky Mountain Husbandman says that while the owners of live stock, horses, cattle and sheep, have been very much frightened about the season, and not without reasons, the indications at this writing are that Montana is to have an exceptionally fine grass crop. The snowless winter and the dry spring, especially in the eastern part of the state, and the fact that a succession of snowless winters and dry seasons were followed by an exceedingly dry summer, created considerable alarm about the beginning of April. But the fact of general rains throughout the entire country, and some rain in the eastern portion of the state, with the opening of May, is rather reassuring, and it is scarcely probable now that the grass crop will be short. Had things been as favorable a month ago stock cattle would have ranged at least \$2 per head higher than they now do, and much larger purchases of southern cattle would have been made.

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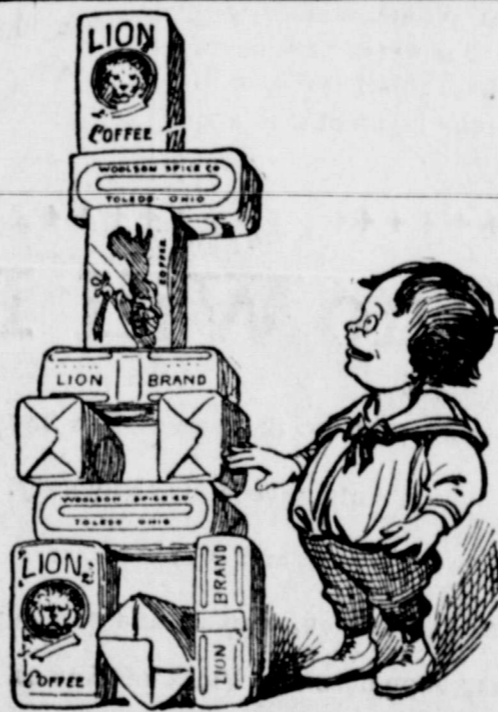
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Vote as you please on Prohibition, but buy your drugs of Hubert Pearce.

Bro. Hazel's son was seriously hurt by a male kicking him in the face one day this week. Bro. Hazel says he

wanted to thank the people of Robert Lee for their kindness shown to his son while he was absent.

Mothers who would keep their children in good health should watch for the first symptoms of worms and remove them WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. Price, 25 cents at H. H. Pearce's.

Mr. Jim Fletcher left for his home near Big Springs last Tuesday.

We learn that Jack Crockett's son Clark had his eyes blown out accidentally by powder last week.

If the stomach performs its functions actively and regularly, the food of which it is the receptacle, is transformed into blood of a nourishing quality which furnishes vigor and warmth to the whole body. HERBINE gives tone to the stomach and promotes digestion and assimilation. Price, 50 cents at Pearce's Drug Store.

Mr. Elton Durham went to San Angelo last week for medical treatment. He is reported quite low at present.

Rev. N. D. Bullock will hold a protracted meeting at Cedar Hill on Friday night before the fourth Sunday in this month. Every one are invited to come and camp if they like if not we will see that they are taken care of. We want to have a good meeting and each and every one must do their part in making it a success.

Humbag

May deceive the public for a time but sooner or later they will awake to the proven fact that to secure dollars worth of goods for one hundred cents they must purchase there.

Saddles, harness, collars, whips and etc.

A. F. Roe.

San Angelo, Texas.

Bro. Hazel reports that they have had a successful meeting at Edith last week six professions, one man was converted that hadn't spoke to his brother-in-law for seven long years but went right to his house the next morning and made friends with him.

Opposite Post Office.

CENTRAL WAGON YARD.

Completely overhauled, remodeled and repaired. Good seats and corals all in first-class shape the most convenient in the city special accommodations for families. Plenty of upstairs sleeping rooms with electric lights and telephone for patrons. All kind of feed for sale.

D. E. Cochran.

San Angelo, Texas

Mr. E. Walls of Erath Co. has recently purchased lands in the Sanco community.

Mr. Tubb of Nanhattie was in town Tuesday looking after land matters as usual.

Our neighbor W. L. Clawson knows a good thing when he sees it so purchased Steel Star Mill of the San Angelo Windmill Supply Co.

Solid gold rings at Pearce's. Arsenic at Pearce's. Wall Paper at Pearce's.

Mr. J. W. Brooks and Dave Wallace of Wilson county are in our own this week prospecting and are favorably impressed, and think of Lee in among us soon.

THE NAME OF
The Chicago Live Stock Commission Company
HAS BEEN CHANGED TO

The National Live Stock Commission Company, Capital Stock increased from \$100,000 to \$300,000, all paid up. This is simply a change of name and not of management. We solicit your shipments and have unlimited money to loan on Cattle.

Remember the new name when shipping to either St. Louis, Chicago or Kansas City. C. A. BROOME Agent, **SAN ANGELO TEXAS.**



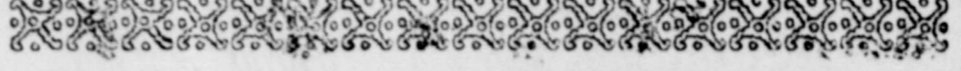
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Has a full line of nice

Watches, Clocks, Chains, Rings, Silverware, Spectacles, Eye-glasses And everything call Jewelry. "Engraved Free"

His Watch and Jewelry repairing is unexcelled and he will treat you right. See him when in BALLINGER.

First National Bank Building.



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Will sell as cheap as the cheapest. A trial is all we ask to convince you. Opposite court house square.

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Hack leaves Robert Lee and Ballinger every day (except Sunday at 6:30 and arrive at Ballinger in due time to catch the east bound train. Express and other business entrusted to our care will receive prompt attention.

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For the best Whiskey, Wines Cigars and Beer,
SITES & OGDEN
PROPRIETORS.

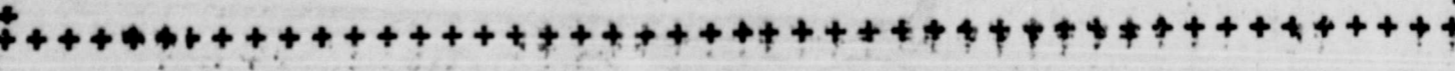
Who Will Be Our Officers.

+++++ This is the question that some of us have already began to think about. As far as we know the present incumbents have done their duty. But who will put in our county the most and best line of Goods, Wares, and Merchandise. Something that will decrease the hard labor. Take it off of our men, women, and children. And at the same time increase our products. Insure our happiness and Bless our homes At a price that is reasonable and just. Is the man or set of men we want. Now we intend to do our part in Hardware and Implements, in Saddles and Harness or any sort of Leather Strops, House furnishing goods and Wares. Call at Bronte and be convinced that we carry out what we advertise.

YOURS TRULY.

J. A. HAYS' & CO.

BRONTE TEXAS.



Fort Worth
AND
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The Great Southwestern
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The Ideal Live Stock Route

To cattle markets and the Indian Territory. Time and expense saved shippers over this route. The shortest and most direct route from points in the San Angelo country to all points

North, East and West

Via Brownwood and Fort Worth.

F. W. & R. G. train No 4 leaving Brownwood at 10 o'clock, p. m. has a Pullman Buffet sleeping car and is an ideal train for the public, as it arrives in Ft. Worth before departure of any of the early morning trains on other lines.

For further information regarding rates etc. apply to or address any agent of the company or to L. B. COMER, G. P. A., Agent Fort Worth,

D. F. Johnston.
Brownwood, Texas.

Elder Ben S. Sullivan filled the regular Baptist appointment here Sunday morning and night. He is a very forcible and pleasing talker, and of course, had good attention as all preachers receive in Robert Lee.

R. C. Waters representing Hagelstein, of San Angelo, has been "doing" work in Coke for some days.

When you get dry and hot call at W. W. Crawford's and try some thing cold to drink.

Rev. H. Q. Kendall, Dolporter, has been doing some work in Coke of late. He gives bible fire to those who are unable to buy them.

Smith and hail, of San Angelo, have put in a Lumber Yard here. It is under the management of J. H. Burroughs, and will do a good business.

Many women fail to digest their food, and so become pale, sallow, thin and weak, while the brightness, freshness and beauty of the skin and complexion departs. Remedy this by taking HERBINE after each meal, to digest what you have eaten. Price 50 cents. For sale at H. H. Pearce's.

Nanhattie

As I have not written to the dear old Rustler in a good while I will now give you some news. Children's day at Cedar Hill Sunday was greatly enjoyed by all who were present. Mr. Henry Lamb was visiting Nanhattie Sunday. Mr. Albert Lamb has been sick but is improving we hope he will soon be well. Mrs. Allison and children were visiting in Nanhattie Saturday. Mr. Edgar West a nice young man of Sterling county was visiting at Nanhattie Sunday. Miss Doria Lamb was visiting at Nanhattie. Miss Dora Westfall was visiting the Misses Lamb one day last week. Miss Bulah and Mr. Ben Tubb were visiting their uncle Mr. George Tubb Saturday. Mr. Miller and Miss Myrtle Humble and their cousin Miss Willie French were visiting at Mr. O. W. Tubbs Mrs Mary Wiley and baby are visiting at Nanhattie this week

Mocking Bird.

A. S. GANTT, Furniture, Wall paper, Paints, Oil and Glass. San Angelo, Texas.

LOCAL CHIPS.

Messrs Howard Wilkins Eddie and Bob Cumbie three of Bronte's most brilliant young gentlemen came in town on last Sunday. The Bronte boys insist on having "back shake" when they come to Robert Lee.

It is said that Mr. Robert Walker is partly the cause of the Sanco mail drivers team giving out Saturday evening.

Posey & Bell keeps a nice clean wagon yard, call on them on the North side of the square.

Cantor Disc Plows, at Hagels teins, San Angelo.

Mr. Geo. Beeman and Miss Lena Smith attended the protracted meeting at Edith last Sunday.

Try W. W. Crawford's wagon yard when in town.

Misses Dosia McGee and Minnie Chambers, of Sterling City, are two of the brightest Normal students.

Miss McKee, of Coleman is attending the Summer Normal at Robert Lee.

Star and Leader Windmill at San Angelo Supply Co.

Blackberry phosphate at Dan nelly's and infact everything in the cold drink line.

Mrs M. L. Doweil of Mineola Texas is visiting her parents Mr and Mrs. Childress here at this place.

Ice, icecream, cold drinks of all kinds at Dillion Dannelleys.

Henry Hagelstein, Angelo makes the best stock saddle in the world and uses nothin but the best of leather and saddle trees.

Miss Boatright, an accomplished young lady from Mitchell county is attending the Normal here.

Mr. Joe Lindley from Ft. Chadbourne is enrolled as one of the Normal students.

Didn't Marry For Money.

The Boston man, who lately married a sickly rick young woman, is happy now, for he got Dr. King's New Life Pills, which restored her to perfect health. Infallible for Jaundice, Bilious ness, Malaria, Fever and Ague, and all Liver and Stomach trouble. Gentle but effective. Only 35c at Pearce's drug store.

Chain Harness at prices to suit the buyer at Henry Hagel stein saddle and harness store at San Angelo.

Mrs. Edd C. Good was up visiting the first of the week

For Sale
14 Section of land, 60 acres in farm, 22 head good cattle, 8 head hogs, plows, 300 bushels wheat and oats, 250 bushel cotton seed. For father partiglar call on.
Rastler.

The rain that fell last week was appreciated by all. Put a good season in the ground stoped the dammagement of grasshoppers and put the farmer to work.

Windmill and Well Supplies, at C & G Hagelstein Co., Angelo.

Genuine old Casady Sulky Plow at C & G Hagelstein Co. Angelo.

Obituary

Another happy home has been made sad and lonely by the death of one its inmates. Our darling Nora lovely to us, not only because of her smiling face and naturally sweet disposition, but because of a heavenly beauty, which expressed itself in every feature and action of this young and faithful follower of Jesus. Mrs. Nora Lewis wife of Arthur Lewis died at her home in Roswell New Mexico, suddenly of congestion, on July the 2nd 1901.

Dear ones do not weep she is not dead but sleepeth, and although she can never come to us but we can go to her.

A Friend.

For any thing you need in the saddle or harness line at the best figures for the purchaser dont fail to call on Henry Hagelstein at Angelo.

The Mexicans brought in three large wagon loads of lumber for the J. H. Burrough Lumber Yard last Monday.

PEARCE'S

IS THE PLACE TO BUY

DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND

In fact, everything usually needed in a first-class—Coke County—Drug stock.

Wall-Paper, Books, Stationery, Jewelry, Sundries.

HUBERT H. PEARCE.

Heating and Cook Stoves, at C & G Hagelstein Co., Angelo.

There is some prospect that Robert Lee will have a system of water works in operation before many more moons.

If you are in need of a good saddle call on Henry Hagelstein Angelo, and see his stock of saddles, ranging in price from \$3.50 boys' saddles to as high priced as you want them.

JEWELRY of all kinds at Jas. E. Brewer's, Ballinger, Texas.

A WHOLE LOT OF WATCHES at Jas. E. Brewer's Jewelry Store. Go in and see them when in Ballinger.

Some watermelons were sold in Robert Lee last Saturday at a profitable price.

Notes

All parties indebted to the firm of Drs. Latham & Toliver will please come forward and make satisfactory settlement at once. The said firm having dissolved partnership and all account are in my hands for collection.

Respectfully,

G. W. Perryman.

Mr. J. E. Stewart made a business trip to Sweetwater this week.

If you want a first class shave try Buchanan and King.

A young Mr. Millican says he has caught six of the one hundred wolves that were advertised for several months ago. And is ready to turn them over to advertiser at any time.

Genuine old Casady Sulky Plow at C & G Hagelstein Co., San Angelo.

A Birthday Sociable, on Friday night, July 12th at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart in honor of Miss Mae, was attended and enjoyed by most of Robert Lee's young people. Music rendered by Messers Jim Fletcher Henry Cain and Miss Ollie Green, was excellent and greatly appreciated by all lovers of music.

Crqkinole, dominoes and other games of amusement were among the pleasures participated in, on the occasion. Before we were aware that time was flying some of our crowd noticed that the hands of the clock were now pointing to the hour of midnight and we must take our departure. Then with happy hearts we bade our kind host and hostess good night and wished Mae many more happy birthdays like this one we all made our way home ward.

Uncle Zack Boosier and wife were in town last Monday and had some photo work done.

Don't miss a golden opportunity. But come at once, and have Photos made for I will leave here the 27th and will not be here any more until fall. I will be absent from the tent Monday 22nd.

Yours Truly

G. A. Beeman

Look not on the goods of others with an envious eye.

All Kinds Farm Implements, at Hagelstein's, Angelo.

WE HAVE PRICES

to suit

The Dry Weather—Now is a chance to get bargains in Hardware and Saddlery.

Yours for trade

J. A. HAYS & Co. BRONTE, TEXAS.

Fear not your duty, but proceed with courage do to the same promptly.

Cantor Disc Plows, at Hagels tein, San Angelo.

Stop at Posey & Bell's Wagon yard when in Robert Lee.

For errand and hay call on Posey & Bell the Wagon yard men.

A song practice at Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pearce's, Saturday night, was enjoyed by nearly all the young people in town.

Stock saddles made of the best leather and trees sold under guarantee by A. F. Rose Angelo

Fine watch repairing a specialty—Send me yours—I will guarantee it to run and keep good time. Jas. E. Brewer, Ballinger, Texas.

Prof. Durham visited his home at Sterling City last Sunday.

Dennis Maddox bought the Deat's residence and moved it west of Grandma Stepp's residence.

Your Jewelry repaired neat and durably by Jas. E. Brewer, Ballinger, Texas. First Natl. Bank bldg.

Friendship is an attribute that cannot have its value overestimated.

MRS. M. B. INGRAM,

Dealer In

MILLINERY, Trimmed Hats, Etc.

Also carry the State School Books, and other school supplies.

South Side Square, Robert Lee, Texas

The People of Coke

Are invited to patronize the PEARCE HOTEL when they have Occasion to visit Ballinger, Texas. H. D. PEARCE, Prop.

J. N. Buchanan.

John King

City Barber Shop.

J. N. Buchanan, Prop.

Courteous treatment and good work at all times.

When in town, come in and try this well known shop.

NEXT DOOR TO J. L. BARRON, ROBERT LEE, TEXAS.

San Angelo Marble Works.

W. K. SHIPMAN, Proprietor.

Dealer in

Tombs, Tablets, Marble and Granite of all Kinds,

Also Handle Iron Fencing.

Twenty per cent discount when work is received at Marble Yard.

C. H. MURPHY, Salesman. SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

WHEN in San Angelo

DONT fail to call on J. J. Crenshaw

For good Whiskey, good Grab and good Beds.

There is NO Excuse

for you to buy that cheap whiskey advertised as the very best at \$3.20, WHEN YOU CAN

BUY GOOD WHISKEY AT

EDDIE MAIER'S

SAN ANGELO TEXAS,

FOR

\$3.50.

SADDLES & HARNESS

A. F. ROSE

In SAN ANGELO has them and if you intend buying a saddle set of harness, collars, whips, straps, goods or any thing sold in a first class saddle shop, It Will Pay You to call and examine goods & prices before buying elsewhere. I have just received a nice line of side saddles call and see them whether you want to buy or not.

W. W. CRAWFORD

DEALER IN,

Confectionerys, Cold Drinks, and fine Candies.

WAGON Yard IN CONNECTION.

WORMS! WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE!

For 20 Years Has Led all Worm Remedies.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Prepared by JAMES F. BALLARD, St. Louis.

For sale by H. H. Pearce Robert Lee Texas.

J. E. STEWART & CO.

DEALERS IN

General Merchandise,

Staple and Fancy Groceries, Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Pants and Gents Furnishing Goods.

THE RUSTLER.

TOM DURHAM, Publisher.

ROBERT LEE, - - TEXAS.

FARM AND FLOCK.

Hot weather is hurting fruit. Corn is in bad shape in many places. Peaches are being marketed around Arp.

Cattle are in good condition in Martin county.

Whole fields of corn are dried up in portions of Montague county.

A fine ranch house is being built on the L X ranch near Amarillo.

People around Arp have received about \$30,000 for their truck crops this season.

Cotton and corn in a wide district of Mills county have been eaten up by grasshoppers.

J. C. Paulton and Nance & Paulton shipped a train of sixteen cars of cattle north from New Braunfels.

Owing to the intense heat on July 4, over 200 head of cattle were found dead in cars at St. Joseph, Mo.

A half bushel of open cotton bolls were shipped from Beeville to the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo.

E. D. Farmer of Parker county shipped to Chicago nine cars of 3 and 4 year-old beef steers. Charley McFarland made a shipment of six cars.

The first carload of Elberta peaches was shipped from Rusk on the 9th to Chicago. They are of extra size and quality and the crop is large in that vicinity.

A special from Casper, Wyo., says that one big commission firm has purchased over 1,500,000 pounds of wool this season in central Wyoming on an average of 11 cents.

Russell & Godfrey have recently purchased about 1000 2 and 3-year-old steers. These cattle will all be pastured during this season in Menard and Schleicher counties.

The census shows that during the past ten years the number of farms in the United States has increased something over 20 per cent, the number being 5,700,000 against 4,500,000 in 1900.

Martin Burdg has cut his second crop of alfalfa this season twelve miles from Denison. Mr. Burdg expects to cut three more crops this year and says he can realize \$15 per ton by shipping.

A trade was consummated at Fort Worth whereby Davidson & Curtis Bros. sold to Jack Serruys of Montana for the Wetboux ranch 3000 yearlings on the D Z ranch, the price paid being \$15. They are to be shipped Aug. 1.

Arp shipped this season over thirty carloads of tomatoes and about a fifth as much by express. From that place over \$5000 worth of strawberries were also shipped. One man sold two acres of cabbage and one acre each of beets and peppers.

A green bug is attacking the corn and cotton in the vicinity of Collinsville. The bugs leave a greasy substance similar in appearance to honey dew. Innumerable ants follow the bug and are destroying thousands of them. They are unlike wheat green bug.

Jacksonville is shipping considerable fruit, as are also several towns near by. Palestine is not shipping much fruit, owing to the damage done by the severe hailstorm that occurred in that vicinity several weeks ago, and which totally destroyed the tomato crop.

Green corn, beans, tomatoes, peppers, squash and other vegetables are being sold in goodly quantities at Waco by street vendors and others, who obtain their supplies from irrigated truck farms in and around that city. These farms are a great success in every respect.

The butter now furnished to Porto Rico is shipped in tin cans containing from five to fifty pounds, the best of it selling for from 50 to 75 cents, while the more inferior grades bring from 20 to 30 cents, according to grade.

The first bale of Texas cotton, which was shipped from Alice, Tex., to Houston on the 21st of June, was sold at auction in New York city, bringing 9 cents a pound. The proceeds were given to the New York Herald's free ice fund.

An organized band of cattle thieves recently got away with 300 head of cattle near Chaney, S. D. An organized posse went for the rustlers and recovered thirty head of cattle that had been secreted on an island in the Missouri river.

FETE OF FRENCH.

Anniversary of Fall of the Bastille Duly Remembered

BY THE CITIZENS ON SUNDAY.

The Enthusiastic Populace of the Capital City Cheered President Loubet, Who Reviewed the Military.

Paris, July 15.—Telegrams from all parts of France show that the national fete day, the anniversary of the fall of the Bastille, was celebrated everywhere throughout the country with much enthusiasm and without disorder. There were reviews at all military and naval stations, followed by illuminations, fireworks and balls in the evening.

The Parisians participated with their customary zest. Wreaths were placed on the Strassbourg monument in the Place de la Concorde by various deputations, although the police removed those of the socialists, which were inscribed, "To the Fatherland's Victims."

The police also dispersed a delegation of the League of Patriots, who were cheering for Paul de Roulede as they placed wreaths in his name upon the pedestal. A pro-Boer demonstration by students was stopped by the police.

President Loubet, while driving to the Longchamps racecourse to witness the grand annual review, was cheered all along the route. In the presidential tribune with him were members of the cabinet and the ambassadors. Gen. Horace Porter, the United States ambassador, sat just behind M. Loubet, and in his black frock coat was the most conspicuous figure among the many brilliant uniforms on the stand.

President Loubet left the tribune and decorated six generals amid acclamations. The company of military cyclists, who had ridden to Paris from Sedan, received special attention and applause. M. Loubet was cheered heartily while returning to the Elysee palace. Early in the day he had sent congratulations to the army in a letter to the minister of war, Gen. Andre.

Crescent City Celebrates.

New Orleans, La., July 4.—The French society conducted its annual fete at the fair grounds, the proceeds being used for the free school for boys, where both French and English are taught.

There were the usual speeches and patriotic songs, automobile races and other sports, and the night programme was made especially brilliant, the militia taking part in the pyrotechnic spectacle of the capture of the Bastille and the reproduction of the Palais Royal scene, with Camille Desmoulin addressing the people.

A torchlight parade and tableau, with thousands singing the "Marseillaise," concluded the festival. There was fully eight hours of constant celebration, and its attendance was very large.

To Hold a Convention.

Cleveland, O., July 15.—On July 31 Ohio Democrats who believe in Bryan and the issues which he represents, which the recent Democratic convention ignored, will assemble in Columbus and make up a state ticket. Ten men met Sunday in a downtown office building in this city and decided that a bolt should be made and that a new party should enter the field of Ohio politics.

The attendance at the conference was larger and represented a larger part of the state than was expected by those who called the meeting. A formal statement of principles was submitted to the conference and was adopted. This will be printed and sent throughout the state to those who are known to be faithful to the Nebraska. A convention was decided upon, to be held at Columbus July 31. To this convention may come all those who sign their names to the declaration of principles.

Another Effort.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 15.—The proprietors of the Midway shows at the Pan-American exposition made another effort to open their concessions on Sunday. E. S. Dundy and J. H. Marks opened their shows Sunday evening. They were promptly arrested by the exposition police force and taken to police headquarters.

W. E. Cash, superintendent, was called upon by Capt. Demar to prefer charges against Dundy and Marks, but declined.

WATER WAS SCARCE.

But the Citizens of El Reno Promptly Furnished a Supply.

El Reno, Ok., July 15.—The crowd Saturday was the largest since the registration began. There was a big rush at the booth in the morning, but that afternoon the clerks were not very busy. Four thousand, four hundred and seventeen were registered, making 20,039 in all. The heat was intense, 106 in the shade. There were several heat prostrations and one death. Thomas Jensen, upon whose land part of the town of El Reno was built, dropped dead from the effect of the heat. The ice plant and the water works both closed down for repairs and for a while caused quite a panic. People began hauling water from the North Canadian river, two miles away, but in the afternoon the water company's pumps were again in order. The ice plant, too, resumed business shortly after noon. The citizens came to the relief of the thirsty crowd, and now barrels of ice water are kept on almost every street corner. For a while they were emptied as rapidly as they could be filled.

Gov. Richards threatened to move the registration booths to some other town if the water supply ran short, and the citizens here have taken steps to double the supply and maintain it.

Gov. Richards issued a notice to the effect that any one who had served one and one-half days in the army or navy during the actual war, including service in the Philippines, and had been honorably discharged, although under 21 years of age, is entitled to register.

SWEPT SEAWARD.

Six Persons Drown at a Picnic in Vicinity of Savannah, Ga.

Savannah, Ga., July 15.—The Hebrew Gamahl Hasad held its annual picnic at Dafuskie Beach Sunday. Between 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon a number of the picnickers went into the ocean for a surf bath. A strong southeast wind was blowing and the tide was at flood.

Fifty yards off shore is a shoal. Between the shoal and the shore is a sluice. The party were bathing on the shoal. Finding the tide getting rather high, the bathers concluded to go nearer the shore. Almost at once they found themselves in the sluice, over their heads, with mountainous waves pounding and a sweeping current running. Out of the twelve who started six were drowned.

Mrs. Dickstein's corpse was found floating in the surf an hour after the tragedy, but the others were swept out at sea.

Steyn Escapes.

London, July 15.—Gen. Broadwood, says a dispatch to the Daily News from Bloemfontein, surprised Reitz, due east of Lindley, at dawn last Thursday (July 11). He took twenty-nine prisoners, including Gen. A. P. Clowne and Gen. Wessels, Comandant Dwaal, First Cornet Piet Steyn (President Steyn's brother), Thomas Brain, secretary of government, and Roches DeVilliers, secretary to the council. Steyn himself fled without coat or boots.

Leaguers Robbed.

Glennwood Springs, Colo., July 15.—The organized gang of pickpockets operating at Colorado Springs is responsible for a party of twenty Epworth Leaguers becoming stranded at this place. Men and women alike were robbed, not only of every cent they had with them, but of railroad tickets as well, and unless the railroads will issue tickets back home on their proof of having purchased and paid for the trip to San Francisco and back they will be compelled to ask aid from county.

Fourteen Destroyed.

Duncan, I. T., July 15.—Fire was discovered in a hall on Main street. Fourteen buildings in the heart of the business part of the city were consumed.

Wants Mounted Men.

London, July 15.—Lord Kitchener has advised the government, so the Daily News understands, that it is possible to withdraw a large number of infantry regiments from South Africa, amounting virtually to the greater part of the unmounted army. At the same time he requests that he be supplied with more mounted men. The government is considering this, according to the Daily News, and will probably be guided by Lord Kitchener's advice.

PRICES IN THE PIT

Caused Great Excitement on New York Produce Exchange

AND THE TRADING WAS HEAVY.

Cereals Were Decidedly in Demand, Owing to Advances Relative to the Drouth, Quotations Going Skyward.

New York, July 13.—Visitors to the Produce exchange Friday saw a scene never before witnessed in this city. Produce brokers were widely excited in the face of a bull market, with prices soaring in all the cereal commodities, while on the same floor, on the Stock exchange side, prices were crumbling away in panicky fashion. The excitement was due and was produced by identical causes. The same news which caused prices of corn, wheat and oats to advance brought about recession in stock securities.

On the Produce exchange the day's business exceeded that of any day in recent years. Prices jumped 2 1/2c during the day in corn, making 6 1/2c advance for the week. Orders poured into the market so fast that brokers could scarcely execute them at the prices desired, and the usually small crowd around the corn ring was increased to such an extent that at times it almost rivaled that in the wheat pit. The farmers have taken the bull side into their hands and in the face of heavy realizing on the part of professionals have kept prices going until the cry is for 60c corn in Chicago. Already prices are so high in the southwest that farmers are feeding their stock with wheat, and unless rains come very soon only half the corn crop will be gathered, while only a month ago it looked as if it would be one of the largest yields recorded. Where the present bull movement will end depends a great deal on weather conditions in the corn states.

Wheat also took an extraordinary jump and from being a position almost entirely friendless at once leaped into popularity with the bulls and gave corn a close race for leadership in the matter of advance for the day.

Many Applicants.

Guthrie, Ok., July 13.—The officials in charge of the registering at El Reno are not the only ones who are having a rush these days. For the past four days Gov. Jenkins has been besieged by hundreds of hungry place-hunters wanting appointments in the new country. All day and until late in the evening the governor's office and waitingrooms, the secretary's office, and even the stairways have been thronged with these office-seekers and their backers, and delegations even call at the executive mansion before the governor is up.

Frame Row Burns.

Mountain View, Ok., July 13.—Fire was discovered in the rear of Maxwell's store. There was no wind to encourage the flames, but it was impossible to stop the fire before the entire frame row in which it originated was destroyed. The heat from the opposite side of the street was intense, and it was only by hard work that any of the business part of town was saved. Men worked heroically to save the Reynolds Drug company's building.

Bryan and Watterson.

New York, July 13.—A special to the Herald from St. Louis contains the following:

Bryan says: "I do not object to having it distinctly understood that I intend to fight to the bitter end every effort to force abandonment of the Chicago and Kansas City platforms." Louisville, Ky., July 13.—Henry Watterson, in an editorial, says: "Mr. Bryan has had his chance and day." He predicts victory for the Ohio Democracy.

Frequently Fired On.

Manila, July 13.—Cebu, capital of the island of that name, is still frequently fired upon by the insurgents. Gen. Hughes, in command of the Visayas island, reports progress in the task of penetrating the island of Samar and scattering the insurgents.

Died of Lockjaw.

Guthrie, Ok., July 13.—Walter Tearney, a 13-year-old boy who injured himself with a toy pistol on July 4, died from lock-jaw.

RICHARD B. HUBBARD DIES.

The Noted Texan Departs This Life at His Home in Tyler.

Tyler, Tex., July 23.—At his residence in this city. Hon. Richard B. Hubbard, ex-governor of Texas, died Friday, after an illness of over a month. He had an attack of erysipelas last April which left his constitution in a weakened condition and about a month ago he was stricken with cystitis, which resulted in his death.

While the death of Gov. Hubbard was not expected, yet the fact came as a great shock to this, his home city and county, where he had lived for half a century.

Richard Bennett Hubbard, late minister of the United States to the Japanese empire, was born in Walton county, Georgia, in the year 1834. He enjoyed excellent early advantages and graduated at Mercer university in 1851. Having afterward attended a course of law lectures in the University of Virginia, he graduated in the law department of Harvard college in 1852, and soon afterward removed to Texas and located at Tyler, where he entered upon the practice of his profession and has since continued to reside.

In 1855 he canvassed the state in the interest of the Democratic party against the Knownothings organization. In 1852 he was sent as a delegate to the convention at Cincinnati, which nominated Mr. Buchanan for the presidency, and canvassed Texas in advocacy of his election. Through the influence of Gen. Rusk and J. Pinckney Henderson, he was appointed by Mr. Buchanan United States attorney for the western district of Texas, and discharged the duties of that office until 1858, when he resigned it and was chosen to represent his county in the legislature. In 1860 he was elected one of the delegates from Texas to the Charleston convention, in which he was a supporter of Breckenridge and Lane.

He favored secession, raised and commanded the Twenty-second regiment of Texas infantry and served in the field until the close of the war. He then returned to Texas and devoted himself to agricultural pursuits on his farm in Smith county, until his political disabilities were removed, when he resumed his practice.

He was chosen by the Democratic convention of 1872 one of the electors for the state at large on the Greeley ticket. In 1874 he was the president of the Democratic state convention which assembled at Austin, and was made chairman of the state executive committee. He was also a candidate for the nomination for governor; received the next highest vote for governor and the next highest vote to that which nominated Gov. Coke, and afterward the choice of the convention for the office of lieutenant governor. The new constitution of 1875 vacated all the offices of the state, and in the following convention at Galveston he was renominated for lieutenant governor and re-elected.

In December, 1876, he was elevated to the gubernatorial chair in consequence of the election of Gov. Coke to a seat in the United States senate.

In 1884 he was sent as a delegate to the convention at Chicago which nominated Mr. Cleveland for the presidency, and was chosen temporary chairman.

During the presidential campaign of 1884, at the request of the Democratic national committee, he canvassed the state of Indiana for the election of Cleveland and Hendricks.

After his return from abroad he traveled extensively in the lecture field. Mr. Hubbard was twice married. His first wife was Miss Eliza Hudson, daughter of a distinguished physician of Lafayette, Ala., and his second wife was Miss Jennie Roberts of Smith county. He leaves two daughters.

Conflagration at Cooper.

Cooper, Tex., July 13.—The most disastrous fire in the history of Cooper occurred Friday morning, when \$53,925 worth of property was consumed.

About 3 a. m. flames were discovered in the rear of the Delta National bank building, upstairs. The alarm was promptly turned in and the citizens responded, working like Trojans until 5 o'clock, when the flames were controlled and the fire stopped. Almost the entire west side of the square, composed of brick buildings, was burned, only one brick building being left.

Standard Oil company has ordered two tank steamers to Sabine to load oil.

DEATH BY BRIDGE.

Structure Collapsed With Locomotive and Three Cars

AND NINE MEN WERE CRUSHED

To Death, They Being Employes of the Railroad Company and at the Time Performing Their Duties.

Cleveland, O., July 12.—According to information given out at the headquarters of the Nickel Plate railroad here, nine men were killed as the result of the collapse of a bridge at Springfield, Pa., while a westbound freight train was passing over the structure. The bridge was being repaired. When the locomotive and the cars went down a gang of Italian laborers working beneath the bridge were caught in the wreck. At least seven of the Italians were killed and a number of others badly injured. P. A. Moore of Conneaut, the conductor of the construction train, was also instantly killed. The wrecked bridge is located seven miles east of Conneaut, O. It spanned a gully eighty feet deep.

The bridge that collapsed was thought to be unsafe and the laborers were filling in the bridge. Three cars loaded with broken rock were standing on the span ready to be dumped. Conductor Moore was on one of the cars, while the crew of workmen were waiting underneath to level the stone as it was dropped. Without a moment's warning the bridge gave way. The three cars with their heavy loads were hurled into the gully, a distance of about eighty feet, into the very midst of the workmen and many were crushed into shapeless masses.

Fifteen minutes before the bridge collapsed a heavy passenger train had rushed over it.

Special trains from Conneaut and Erie carried physicians to the scene of the wreck. The work of recovering the dead and rescuing the injured was difficult, as they were buried under the heavy cars.

POPULATION OF CITIES.

Figures Showing the Proportion of Rural to Urban Inhabitants.

Washington, July 12.—The census bureau issued a bulletin concerning the urban population of the country. It shows that 28,411,698 people in the United States live in cities and towns of over 4000 population. This is 37.3 per cent of the entire population, a gain of almost 5 per cent since the census of 1890, when the percentage was 32.9.

The percentage of people living in cities and towns as compared with the entire population of the places ranges from 91.6 in Rhode Island to 2.5 in the Indian Territory, the entire list being as follows:

Rhode Island 91.6, Massachusetts 86.9, New York 71.2, New Jersey 67.5, Connecticut 65.5, Pennsylvania 51.1, Illinois 51.0, California 48.9, Maryland 48.2, New Hampshire 46.7, Ohio 44.8, Delaware 41.4, Colorado 41.2, Michigan 31.2, Washington 36.4, Maine 36.2, Missouri 34.9, Wisconsin 34.5, Minnesota 31.0, Indiana 30.6, Utah 29.4, Montana 28.9, Wyoming 28.8, Oregon 27.6, Hawaii 25.5, Louisiana 25.1, Vermont 21.0, Nebraska 20.8, Iowa 20.5, Kentucky 19.7, Kansas 19.2, Florida 16.5, Virginia 16.5, Texas 14.9, Tennessee 14.1, Georgia 13.9, South Carolina 11.7, West Virginia 11.6, Arizona 10.6, Nevada 10.6, Alabama 10.0, North Carolina 8.0, South Dakota 7.2, Arkansas 6.9, Idaho 6.2, New Mexico 6.1, North Dakota 5.4, Mississippi 5.3, Oklahoma 5.0, Indian Territory 2.5.

Temperature at Nashville.

Nashville, Tenn., July 12.—The highest temperature recorded for July in Nashville since the weather bureau was established thirty-one years ago was that of Thursday. From 2 o'clock p. m. until 4 o'clock the thermometer at the weather bureau registered 102 degrees. The highest temperature recorded heretofore for this season was 98 degrees on June 24. The highest temperature ever recorded here before in the month of July was 101 degrees, which temperature was reached on July 7 and 11, on July 11 and 12, 1879, and on July 10, 1881.

The humidity averaged about twenty-two for the day and existence was thereby made possible.

FIVE THOUSAND

Persons Registered Second Day at El Reno and Two Thousand at Lawton.

El Reno, Ok., July 12.—More than 5000 people were registered Thursday. At this rate 80,000 may be registered by July 26, but it is doubtful whether the number will run as high as 50,000 here. Two thousand were registered at Lawton. The crowd here remains about the same in size. Every incoming train brings hundreds, but the same train takes away an equal number who have secured certificates.

There is plenty to eat and drink. The ice supply from the local plant is short and it is being supplied from other towns. An immense amount of beer is consumed daily, but there is very little drunkenness.

A perfect system of organization has been effected by those in charge of the lines, and there is now no trouble whatever. The streets are still crowded, but there is not the rush and scramble of Wednesday. The band gives nightly concerts to entertain the crowds.

Large numbers continue to arrive overland, and every vacant lot in the residence portion is occupied by campers. The booths will remain open until the 26th, but the bulk of the work will be finished this week, it is thought.

The land office will not be ready for occupancy for several days. El Reno is now being complimented on all sides for the manner in which she is taking care of the crowd. The applicants, to a man, express satisfaction and consider that the drawing will be one of perfect fairness. Many will remain here until the drawing takes place.

The cattlemen in the Indian country will not suffer by reason of the opening, as has been reported. Their grass leases have been held to Oct. 1, and the government will not eject them. Ample pasture lands have been provided for them in the southern part of the Kiowa country on the Texas line, where all the cattle have been moved.

FATALITY BY FROG.

Children Fed it Dynamite, Was Crushed and Serious Results Followed.

Albany, Mo., July 12.—An accident in which three children, a pet frog and some dynamite figured here resulted in one death, two persons seriously injured and a part of a dwelling demolished. The three children of George McCurry, a prominent contractor, found some dynamite in the cellar of their home and, thinking it was putty, fed it to their pet frog. The pieces of dynamite resembled insects and the frog ate them. A large foot chest fell on the frog and exploded the dynamite which had been eaten. A chisel pierced the temple of the youngest child and killed him. Another child and Mrs. McCurry in the kitchen above were seriously hurt.

Rather Torrid.

Louisville, July 12.—With a maximum temperature of 103 at 3:20 Thursday was the hottest of the year in Louisville. The highest temperature this season previous to Thursday was 98 degrees. The highest temperature ever reached here was 104.6 degrees on Aug. 12, 1888.

The fact that the humidity was only twenty-three, whereas the average for July is twenty-six, explains why there was comparatively little suffering from the heat. Special dispatches say that the thermometer registered 107 at Bowling Green and 104 at Paducah. Whether these readings were from an official thermometer was not stated.

Probable Promotion.

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 12.—A rumor reached this city from Washington, and was repeated by several prominent Republicans, to the effect that Hon. Charles E. Smith, postmaster general, would shortly resign his office, and that Hon. H. Clay Evans will be appointed to this place. Hon. Newell Sanders and others of Mr. Evans' personal and political friends had heard the rumor, but would give no confirmatory information if they had any.

Sales of Coffee.

New York, July 12.—The sales of coffee on the New York Coffee exchange for the year ending June 30 aggregated 7,383,000 bags, against 5,879,500 bags in 1900. The sales of 1889 were 4,060,500 bags. The transactions the past year exceeded those of 1900 by 1,503,500 bags, the gain being partly due, it is said, to the large crops abroad.

WONDERFUL TRACT.

On Some Land Near Palestine is a Variety of Minerals.

Palestine, Tex., July 15.—Six miles west of Palestine, on a direct line from Corsicana to Beaumont, lies a 3000-acre tract of land which for richness in mineral wealth can not be equaled anywhere in Texas—except Spindletop Heights, near Beaumont. This tract of land contains, first, a vast and inexhaustible quantity of pure salt. As far back as the early 60's, during the great struggle of the southern states, it was known that salt existed here. Farmers and other citizens would come from far and near to gather salt from these waters, when it was impossible to secure it in any other place. The wells from which this salt was then extracted were about twenty feet deep and were called seep wells. Water was taken from them and put in huge vats to evaporate and leave a hardened scum of salt.

After the war salt became plentiful again and these old salt wells were soon forgotten. A few months ago a fine quality of lignite coal was discovered near these old wells and a company was formed to work the mines. The coal is of a superior quality to any now found in Texas and is called by some experts candlelight coal. Hundreds of tons have been mined and brought to Palestine from this spot and it is used by many of the mills here in the place of wood.

The discovery of these lignite beds near these old salt wells again roused interest in them, and a well was bored to a depth of 268 feet, going through 100 feet of rock salt as pure as ever is found. At a depth of 200 feet a large quantity of salt brine was found, and it is pronounced by experts who have examined it to be 100 per cent pure proof solution.

The lignite coal mine and this wonderful supply of salt, both within sight nearly of each other, seems incredible. Just across a ridge from these two deposits is found a big deposit of carbonate lime rock. This rock has been tested for fluxing iron ore at the state ironworks at Rusk and pronounced to be superior in quality to any ever found in Texas, far surpassing the Austin deposits in quality. These three deposits alone are worth man millions of dollars to Anderson county and her citizens, and they are all found within one-half mile of each other.

Near this deposit of lime rock is found a huge spring of water heavily charged with sulphur, so much so as to render it unfit for drinking purposes, and where this water flows a yellowish sediment settles on the bottom. Not far from this spring is a forty-foot vein of the finest fire clay, and several test wells have been put down, and this clay proves to be of the highest quality, and is found in abundant quantities. This clay has been tested by several experts for brick-making purposes and it turns out as fine a quality of brick of both white and red colors as can be found anywhere, and it can be worked cheaply.

Besides all of these famous and valuable minerals, this tract of land has unmistakable signs of oil and gas. The fact that gas exists near here has already been tested. A match held close in an opening in the earth near the lignite coal deposits will sputter and burn as if powder was being dropped upon it.

Four-Handed Fight.

Houston, Tex., July 15.—A lively shooting affray took place Sunday night near the corner of LaBranch and Franklin streets. The cause, so far, is a mystery to the police. Carlo Tamborillo received a bullet in the abdomen just below the navel, producing a dangerous wound. Four shots were fired, and it appears four men participated. Two Italians were arrested shortly after the shooting. A man with a shotgun was seen running from the place. The police have not found him. The wounded man, in answer to questions, stated that he did not know the cause of the shooting; that they all met there and the shooting was started.

Wooten Elected.

Dallas, Tex., July 15.—Dudley G. Wooten, Democratic nominee for congress from the Sixth district carried all seven counties over Lindsley, Republican. As far as heard from Wooten's majority is over 4000. The vote was very light, particularly in the city of Dallas, where about 10 per cent was polled.

Storm Sunday at Denison partially wrecked a church and did other damage.

Her Mind All Made Up.

"Supposing," he said, "that I were to ask you to agree to such a marriage as Professor Herron and his wife had the other day, what would you think?"

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"And what is that, dearest?" he asked, attempting for the first time to take her in his arms.

"That you couldn't scrape up the price necessary to get a preacher," she answered, giving him a push.

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Visible Asset.

The Chicago Tribune is authority for this: "You people down here spent \$50,000 boring a hole in the ground for coal, didn't you?" asked a passenger who was walking up and down the platform to stretch his legs while the engine was taking in a feed of coal and water.

"Yes, sir," returned the hump-shouldered native, sitting on a nail keg. "That's about the size of it."

"And what have you got to show?" "Well, mister," said the native, taking a fresh chew of Missouri plug, "we've still got the hole."

At Wichita, Kan., a small boy went into the studio of a photographer and said he wanted his picture taken. "I want it taken on my horse," said the boy, and jokingly the photographer answered, "All right, bring your horse up." The boy disappeared, but in a minute there was smash and bang on the stairs that almost shook the buildings, and in came the boy leading his saddle pony. The photographer was game, however, and, finding his bluff called, he mounted the boy on the pony and took his picture in a sedate way.

It is not always the most pleasant duty to be a schoolmaster even in New York City. The other morning fifteen of the pupils in the room taught by Max Dudin in the One Hundred and Tenth street public school, advanced in a body upon the unfortunate tutor, threw him to the floor, and got even for all the thrashings they had received and for all the times they had been "kept in." One of the boys, the ring-leader, is in a police station, and the schoolmaster is in a hospital as a result of the onslaught on the teacher.

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(By Mrs. Maud Sheppard.)

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'Tis a word freighted with tender recollections to those who have had the dire misfortune to lose it set a man a drift in the cold world; a weary wanderer and if he ever had a home, if there is a word calculated to enthuse sweet memories, to a muse pathos in the dark recess of his nature 'tis "home" 'twas there he was reared around the old hearthstone, surrounded by brother and sister admonished by a kind father and caressed by a fond mother, or perchance had a home of his own where a dear wife was ever waiting with a kiss of affection for his return when away, where the bright sunshine of her nature, the untiring energy of her devotion to duty made that home all that heart could wish.

Let him loose all these and be left all alone with out fortune friends or home 'tis then that he realizes their value if not before. The tramp footsore and weary unto death as he drags himself into some born or deserted solitary house as his only shelter from the cold stormy winter winds realizes the fact that "be it ever so humble there's no place like home" see an exile from his native land as the ship nears the port; how his bosom swells with anxious anticipations.

His eyes glisten with hope on a gain reaching the land of his nativity his home.

And last take the soldier! hardened as he may be at night when all is still he thinks of the loved ones at that home far away.

And if on the morrow the battle rages hot. The death angel sweeps through the ranks and he falls with his comrades on the bloody field wounded unto death where he must lay and agonize his life away desperate with thirst and surrounded by the death groans of mangled slain, with horse and rider blent in death upon the battle field. Oh! man 'tis then that home seems dear. What would that soldier give to be there if only but to die. But Alas! he can only turn his eyes in that direction and whispers with his dying breath "Home".

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