

# The Cotulla Record.

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COTULLA, TEXAS, SATURDAY, AUG. 25, 1906.

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## SCHOOL SEASON 1906.

### HEADQUARTERS FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

#### TABLETS.

Pencil Tablets, the kind you want ..... 5c  
Ink Tablets, ..... 5c and 10c  
Ink Tablets, better quality ..... 10c to 35c

#### PENCIL BOXES.

Large Assortment ..... 5c each

#### PENCILS.

Lead Pencils, from ..... 6 for 5c to 10c each  
Slate Pencils in plain or fancy wood ..... 5c box  
Fancy Colored ..... 5c and 10c box

#### PENHOLDERS.

Good ones at ..... 5c each

#### PENS

Full lines of all Pens used in Public Schools. Spencerian, Falcon, Gillet, Vertical, etc.

#### YOU'LL FIND HERE

School Bags ..... 10c  
Book Straps ..... 10c to 25c  
Good grade of Ink in bottles ..... 5c and 10c  
Three pocket leather Pencil Holders ..... 10c each



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#### HOSIERY

This is where we save you money and sell you goods with a Reputation.  
Topsy Black Hosiery, sizes 5 to 9 1-2, from 10c to 25c.

#### BOY'S KNEE PANTS

Well made and will give good service. 5-14, 8-16, 9-16.  
None better anywhere. Prices per pair, 10c to \$1.50.

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That wear and give satisfaction. Sizes 3 to 15. Prices \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.25, 2.50, and up to \$6.00.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

Mother's Friend Waists for Boys—the kind that wears. Ages 3 to 12.  
New line of Gingham for Boy's Waists and Girls School Dresses.  
Security School Shoes for Boys and Girls.  
Big line of Misses Handkerchiefs for School time, 5c.  
Ribbons—Certainly the girls must have ribbons for the hair. We have what you want at 5c per yd and up.

#### ANOTHER EXCURSION OF HOMESEEKERS.

##### NORTHERN MEN WILL FLOCK TO SOUTHWEST TEXAS THIS FALL.

There was another excursion of homeseekers into La Salle yesterday. One party left the I & G. N. at Millett and went out to Woodward where they are today looking over the lands. Another party in charge Mr. Winnegar of St. Louis got off here and are looking at the old Sam Johnson ranch, which is now owned by Mr. Winnegar.

D. J. Woodward expects to bring in an excursion every two weeks during the fall and as many other large ranches is to be subdivided and sold out at once Northern homeseekers will be coming in thick for the next few months.

The climate catches all of them. It makes them feel young when they step from the train after their long journey and fill their lungs with our pure ozone laden air. Another thing that opens their eyes and that is the almost perfect rule of the law. Of course all Northern people have an idea that Texas is a cut-throat country, but it does not take them long to change their minds after they are here awhile. One of the party at the Woodward ranch last week in a letter back to his home paper at Chillicothe, Mo., says: "You may throw your valuables on the ground beside you and find them there when the sun is high the next morning. And this is Texas!"

Another paragraph in the man's letter reads as follows:

"And, hark you, now I spring my surprise. I now open a box of astonishment and pop your eyes open. No liquor can ever be sold in the town of Woodward. It's that way in the deeds of transfer. And is this Texas, Texas, where we thought they measured the time since daylight by the number of drinks they had taken, fourth drink being about 8:30. A finer people never lived than the Texans."

#### URGE GROWERS TO ATTEND.

Executive Committeeman Says Next Meeting Will Be of Much Importance.

E. A. Keck, La Salle's representative on the Executive Committee of the Southern Truck Growers Association, urges all onion growers to attend the next meeting of the Association at San Antonio September 6th.

Mr. Keck says this will be a meeting of great importance to the growers and every one should by all means, be present.

A full and complete report of the past year's business will be made at this meeting and plans for the handling of the onion crop the coming season discussed. The fact the Association saved the last crop from disaster will bring in practically all of the growers that were not in last year.

Perfect organization among the growers will bring the top price for their produce and that is the object of the Association. It is necessary that every grower should be at the next meeting as urged by Mr. Keck.

#### "The Family of the Sniggleses

has just arrived in town," and anyone desirous of imagining himself perfectly entertained in the Royal Palace of "Queen Victory" should fail not to be on hand at the Court House Monday night Aug. 27. Don't expect another opportunity; the famous Sniggles Family sails in a few days for foreign shores. Their coming to America has been a serious blunder as the Royal Circles of European society have been completely demoralized. There will be another play on program, "Prospering by Proxy," a roaring farce. The young men should come and see how not to propose. The program will contain other numbers and will be well worth seeing. Proceeds to go to the pew fund of Methodist church.

Adults 25c, children from 7 to 12, 15c.

#### LABOR DAY PROCLAMATION.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 22.—Governor Lanham today issued the following Labor day proclamation: "Labor conquers everything." Our splendid civilization attests its power. Ordained of God, it has been the vital principal of the world's progress. In every age and in every department of the human industry it has determined the worth of individuals and nations. Labor, which, "wide as the earth, has its summit in heaven," has been, is ever and will be the genius of development. Accordingly the State of Texas has appropriately set aside by statute an annual holiday in recognition of and as a tribute to its dignity.

Therefore I, S. W. T. Lanham, Governor of Texas do hereby request the people of the State to observe Monday the 23 day of September, A. D. 1906, as Labor Day, in such manner as their judgment may dictate, to the end that the terms of the law may be properly complied with and that all who toil may enjoy a day of rest and recreation in such appropriate ceremonies and diversions as may suit their pleasure.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed by name and caused the seal of State to be hereon impressed at the City of Austin, the 22d day of Austin, A. D. 1906.

#### City Barber Shop Changes Ownership.

The City Barber Shop was sold this week by R. E. Robinson to W. L. Pease, who took charge of the establishment yesterday morning.

The invoice of the furniture of this shop was over \$600, and it is one of the most modern and up-to-date shops in Southwest Texas.

Mr. J. H. Mabry, who has held down a chair in the shop for the past two years, will continue with the new management. Mr. Pease, the new proprietor, will hold down the other chair. We are informed by Mr. Pease that strictly first class work will be given in everything in the tonorial line, and hot or cold baths can be had at all hours.

#### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

J. M. English of Benevides was here this week.

R. E. Jennings and family have moved back to Cotulla.

J. M. Ramsey of Artesia came up this morning on business.

Mrs. T. J. Wiley is up from Laredo visiting Miss Dottie Reed.

D. L. Neeley, center street grocery merchant, spent Thursday at Millett.

Dudley U. S. Customs Woodlief Thomas is up from Rio Grande for a few days.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. L. Pease have returned from an absence of several weeks at San Antonio.

J. W. Campbell, a prominent merchant of Carrizo Springs was here Thursday on his way to San Antonio.

S. V. Edwards, S. D. Beach and several others came up from Laredo this morning to attend the Convention here today.

Mr. Cohenour, of Illinois, an uncle of E. D. Cohenour of this city is here spending a few days. He likes the climate of Southwest Texas.

Dr. J. D. Motheral has purchased the residence of Mrs. A. Armstrong and will move into same about the fifteenth of September. The consideration was \$2500.00.

Avory R. Russell and bride of Ft. Worth were here this week visiting Mr. Russell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Russell. They were on their return home from a bridal tour of California and Colorado.

T. K. Hall, who lives about 20 miles above here on the Espee lost 40 head of goats about a month or six weeks ago. After searching for them two weeks without being rewarded, he put a 50c ad in the Record. It did the work. Mr. Hall was notified that the goats were on the other side of A. G. Startz ranch in the Eastern part of the county, at least 40 miles from home.

#### WILL BUILD SKATING RINK.

Work Will Begin Monday Morning and Rushed to Completion.

R. E. Robinson and T. H. Poole will build a skating rink on the East side of the railroad just opposite the depot. Work on the building will begin Monday morning and it will be rushed to completion. The dimensions of the rink will be 45x99 feet.

#### Cotton Caught Fire.

A bale of cotton on the depot platform was discovered to be on fire last night about ten o'clock by Woodlief Thomas. It was in the center of probably twenty bales and had it not been discovered when it was, it is likely that the depot would have been burned. It is supposed a spark from a passing engine started the blaze.

Only about thirty pounds of cotton was burned and a small amount damaged.

#### ALTILO PASTURE

##### SOLD AGAIN.

##### WILL BE SUB-DIVIDED AT ONCE AND SOLD TO SETTLERS.

A deal was consummated this week in which the Altilo pasture became the property of M. L. Oppenheimer, of San Antonio, Harry Landa, of New Braunfels, Earnest & Daniel, of Cotulla and Adams, Kirkpatrick Company of San Antonio. Each of the above hold a fourth interest. The deal was negotiated by Earnest & Daniel of this city.

This pasture contains 22,808 acres of land and the deal represents over \$100,000.00. This pasture has been sold three times within the past six months, but this is the last time it will go in a bulk, as the new purchasers will begin in a few days to sub-divide it to actual settlers.

By spring it is expected that a considerable part of this land will be owned by the actual settler.

## Get Ready!

Now is the proper time to buy a Galvanized Iron Cistern to catch the winter rains. We make them any size you want.

#### BOATS AND CANOES—WE MAKE THEM

We repair anything you want repaired. Saddles, Harness, Guns, Pistols, Windmills, Tinware, etc.

#### COOK STOVES.

We sell the best cook stoves on the market. Prices are right. Don't you need a kitchen sink? We have them and can put them up for you.

#### COME TO SEE US.

## Roland A. Gouger.

# The Cotulla Record.

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## Announcements.

### TAX ASSESSOR

We are authorized to announce G. G. Salmon of Encinal as an Independent candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of La Salle county at the ensuing November election.

### Nominees of Democratic Ticket.

- For Congress 15th District.  
JNO. N. GARNER.
- For Representative 97th District.  
JNO. T. BRISCOE.
- For County Judge.  
C. C. THOMAS.
- For Sheriff & Tax Collector.  
W. T. HILL.
- For Tax Assessor.  
R. L. HENRICHSON.
- For District and County Clerk.  
G. H. KNAGGS.
- For Treasurer.  
L. W. GADDIS.
- For Justice of the Peace.  
GEO. COPP.

Bailey said the "Campbell's are coming," and he was not mistaken. They were not long coming either.

The Republicans have put forth two candidates for Governor of Texas. When one don't stand a ghost of a show what can two do?

The Congressional, Senatorial, Representative and Judicial Conventions are being held today. Then the curtain drops until the election, November 6th.

On demand of the citizens the negro troops at Brownsville have been moved to El Reno, O. T. They should be moved to the Philippines or Africa or off the earth.

Just a week now and all the glories of vacation will be a dream of the past. The boys and the girls will take up the studies of the school room to prepare themselves to soon take the places of the men and women of today.

Colquitt and Bell both died hard in the Dallas Convention. Colquitt was given a great deal of credit for his actions, but we fail to see where such was due him. He was a defeated man before he gave up and what he did was the only thing left for him to do.

The catalogue for the term 1906-7 of the Cotulla Public Schools was printed at the Record office this week. The school will open September 3rd, which is next Monday and the management desires that all parents will endeavor to have their children begin at the beginning.

The great State Convention is a thing of the past and the boys from the forks of the creek are back at home telling how "it was done at Lucknow." Campbell will be the next Governor of Texas; Brooks has gone back to his seat on the bench of the Supreme Court; Colquitt has resumed his position as Railroad Commissioner, while Bell is the only man who really got left.

### Price Of Farm Products Falling.

The farmer who votes the Republican ticket is scratching his head and thinking seriously that something is wrong with the protective tariff. He finds the price of wheat in the Chicago market has fallen 12 cents a bushel in less than six weeks, he also finds the price of cotton, corn and oats falling and that all he buys still continues at top prices. He has been told by the Republican leaders and the Republican newspapers that protectionism is the salvation of the farmer, because it increases the home market for his products and keeps up prices and therefore produces prosperity for the farmer as well as the protected trusts. As long as the wheat crop was only a moderately good one in the United States, with short crops abroad, protectionism seemed to work out as standpatters said it would. But now comes a bumper crop of wheat weighing over 60 pounds to the bushel and good prospects for crops abroad and down comes the price to the export basis—that is the price the Liverpool market, where all other countries compete, is willing to pay—and the beautiful theory of protectionism is found lacking. The farmer finds the tariff on wheat of 25 cents a bushel is a delusion and a snare, for of course no wheat is imported when we raise more than can be consumed here and have to hunt a foreign market for the surplus.

It will be rather awkward for Speaker Cannon, and the other Republican speakers, in the campaign to elect a Congress, to explain to the farmers how the tariff protects them when they have to sell in the cheapest market and buy in the dearest. There should be no such trouble in explaining why all the farmer buys has increased on the average 48 per cent because the Republican speakers can point with trusts and combines who are protected by the tariff.

It is evident that these comparatively few protected interests are of more consequence to the Republican managers, who declare they will stand pat on the tariff, than the great agricultural interests that are the chief basis of all the wealth of the United States.

### Criticism of Public Servants.

Senator Bailey is reported to have said to the platform committee that he was disgusted at the attacks which Texas Democrats were making on the Texas Democratic Legislature. He said the criticism should be left to Republicans and Socialists. The Senator's view, in the judgement of the Post, is utterly at variance with the best interests of the party or the welfare of the State. Suppression of criticism might serve to shield men who are unfaithful to duty, but would certainly endanger the public welfare. It would be a great calamity in a State where there is but one political party to silence the voice of fair criticism. It would subject the people, the party and the Government to a period of boss domination that in the end would destroy the party itself. So far as the Post is concerned, whenever it deems it just and proper to criticize the Legislature or State officials it will speak its mind. Otherwise it could not in good faith discharge its duty to the people.—Houston Post.

Fearless expression of opinion of the acts of public servants is the very breath of a Democratic Government. Senator Bailey cannot have meant to decry that perhaps he had in mind some of the indiscriminate abuse of the last Legislature (some of which was richly merited). At all events men and measures will come in for thorough criticism in the free State of Texas in the future as in the past.—S. A. Express.

**TWO SOLES WITH BUT A SINGLE THOUGHT—DIAMOND BRAND QUALITY**

We are one of the largest users of Rock Oak Sole Leather in the World.

The other materials used in Diamond Brand shoes are just as superior.

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WE MAKE MORE FINE SHOES THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE IN THE WEST.

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SAINT LOUIS

### WHY? WHY?

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keeping and business training combined, taught on the plan "Learn to do by doing," one that has given thousands of young people the key of practical knowledge admitting them into the very best banking and clerical positions to be found in our larger cities? Why attend a small school whose diplomas are not known in the business world, when you can attend one that enrolled more than 1,000 students from 20 different states during the past year, and employ a faculty of 15 experts? A school that can do something for itself can do something for you. How can you learn business and the principles of success from men who have failed to make a success of their own business? If you want advice on a business proposition, would you go to a man running a peanut stand, or to a banker? Why not use the same judgement in selecting a commercial school? Select the one that has made the greatest success, not only for itself but for its former students. Investigate the Tyler Com'l College of Tyler, Texas. Its large illustrated catalogue may be had free for the asking.

The Immigration Law restriction in treating Mexicans the same as all other foreigners is working a great hardship in this section of Texas. Heretofore, during the fall months hundreds of Mexican laborers crossed the Rio Grande to pick cotton, but this year this is forbidden and planters are finding it extremely difficult to get hands. In fact enough pickers cannot be had and much cotton will be ruined in the fields.

Reports of too much rain and boll weevil damage are coming in from nearly all parts of the state. Ten days ago the prospects for a mammoth crop was most excellent but today in many counties the situation is gloomy for the farmer. How fast things change in Texas.

The skating craze has struck town and the dead have come to life. Actually, people who never worked are putting in the hardest licks of their life "learnin' how". It's alright when you know how but the learner has a rough road to travel.

### WORK WEAKENS THE KIDNEYS.

Doan's Kidney Pills Have Done Great Service For People Who Work in Cotulla.

Most Cotulla people work every day in some strained, unnatural position—bending constantly over a desk—riding on jolting wagons or cars—doing laborious house-work; lifting, reaching or pulling, trying the back in a hundred and one other ways. All these rains tend to wear, weaken and injure the kidneys until they fill

the poisons from the blood. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys, put new strength in bad backs.

Cameron, Zamora, 1407 Turbide St., Laredo, Texas, says: "I was troubled with backache and other symptoms of kidney ailment for several years. Whenever I caught cold or did a little extra work the symptoms appeared at their worst. The pain in my back would get so bad sometimes that I could not stoop over to save my life and the secretions from the kidneys were scant and painful. One box of Doan's Kidney Pills cured this difficulty and it is now some time since my back has given me any annoyance. I can certainly recommend this remedy to any person similarly afflicted."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

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

### TEXAS DEPUTY IN GHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—White M. Adams, a deputy sheriff from Waco, Texas, attempted to introduce "gun" tactics in Chicago last night and was locked up.

Adams entered a saloon at Hubbard court and Wabash avenue at midnight, and about the first thing he noticed was Henry Berger, a colored bootblack. The idea struck Adams that it would be nice if the colored person would dance a jig for the entertainment of the bar room.

He requested Berger to do so, but the latter declined with thanks. At this Adams reached for his revolver; it was a 44 caliber affair, vicious looking. "Now you dance, you nigger," he said to the bootblack, whose eyes rolled in terror as the Texan flourished the weapon in the vicinity of his feet.

About a second later, as deputy Adams began shooting holes into the floor and the negro danced, police detective Quinlan heard the shots and rushed into the saloon and placed Adams under arrest. The Texan put a stiff fight, but Quinlan overpowered him and took Adams to the Harrison street station. There the Texas man exhibited papers to prove he was a sure enough "Texas deputy sheriff." In the police court this morning Adams was very tame, but was fined \$50 and cost. He said he had enough of Chicago and would return home at once.

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SAL-TE-NA is a safe, certain cure for these troubles and acts quickly. Take a dose of SAL-TE-NA before breakfast, and the bowels will move copiously in one hour. It doesn't gripe and is pleasant and agreeable to the most delicate stomach.

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Every one of our readers should take advantage of the liberal offer of the Mutual Drug Company of using the 10 cent Coupon.

This offer is only for a limited time. The Coupon with 15 cents will pay for a 25 cent bottle of SAL-TE-NA. Cut out the Coupon at once and present it at your nearest drug store.

Act at once.

10c **TEN CENT COUPON** 10c

This Coupon, with 15 cents, will pay for a 25 cent bottle of

**Sal-Te-Na Fruit Seltzer**

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Address.....

State.....

Not Transferable. Only one bottle to each person. Good in any City.

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When you want the best things to eat, come this grocery. When you want to get sixteen ounces in every pound, you'll find them here. When you want your dollar to buy a big, honest, one hundred cents worth, this is the place to purchase. I guarantee every article I sell. If you receive something from me that is not satisfactory, you will do me a favor by sending it back. I will either give satisfaction or return your money.

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Fruit, Candy and Cigar trade. My prices are right and I will treat you white.

S. COTULLA,

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**QUARTERLY FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF LA-SALLE COUNTY FOR QUARTER ENDING AUGUST 1ST, 1906.**

Showing the Aggregate Amounts Received and Paid Out of Each Fund and the Balance to their Debit or Credit.

JURY FUND.	
DR.	CR.
To Balance last quarter.....	\$ 11.19
Amount received during quarter.....	441.19
Amount paid out during quarter.....	\$ 411.00
Commission on amount received.....	11.03
Commission on amount paid out.....	10.27
Amount to balance.....	19.99
	\$452.29

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.	
DR.	CR.
To balance last quarter.....	\$ 1030.04
Amount received during quarter.....	146.43
Amount paid out during quarter.....	\$ 512.96
Commission on amount received.....	3.66
Commission on amount paid out.....	12.77
Amount to balance.....	647.10
	\$1176.49

GENERAL FUND.	
DR.	CR.
To balance last quarter.....	\$ 1990.68
Amount received during quarter.....	78.68
Amount paid out during quarter.....	\$ 757.50
Commission on amount received.....	1.97
Amount transferred to other funds.....	500.00
Commission on amount paid out.....	18.94
Amount to balance.....	790.95
	\$2069.36

COURT HOUSE AND JAIL FUND.	
DR.	CR.
To balance last quarter.....	\$ 177.89
Amount received during quarter.....	158.68
Amount transferred from other funds.....	500.00
Amount paid out during quarter.....	\$ 548.00
Amount transferred to other funds.....	150.00
Commission on amount received.....	3.97
Commission on amount paid out.....	13.70
Amount to balance.....	150.00
	\$836.57

ROAD AND BRIDGE SINKING FUND.	
DR.	CR.
To balance last quarter.....	\$ 843.72
Amount to balance.....	\$ 843.72
	\$843.72

COURT HOUSE AND JAIL SINKING FUND.	
DR.	CR.
To balance last quarter.....	\$ 7124.36
Amount to balance.....	\$ 7124.36
	\$7124.36

COURT HOUSE SINKING FUND.	
DR.	CR.
Amount transferred from other funds.....	\$ 150.00
Amount to balance.....	\$ 150.00
	\$150.00

RECAPITULATION.	
Balance on hand in Jury Fund.....	\$ 19.99
Balance on hand R. & B. Fund.....	647.10
Balance on hand General Fund.....	790.95
Balance on hand C. H. & J. Fund.....	120.90
Balance on hand R. & B. Sinking Fund.....	843.72
Balance on hand C. H. Sinking Fund.....	7124.36
	\$9547.02

We, the undersigned, County Judge and County Commissioners of said county, and each of us, hereby certify under oath that on this 15th day of August, 1906, at a regular quarterly term of our said County Commissioners' Court, the requirements of Article 867 Chapter 1, Title XXV of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas as amended by the 25th Legislature by bill approved March 20, 1897, have been in all things fully complied with by us at this term of court in respect to the examination and approval, of the report hereinbefore mentioned, and that the cash and other assets mentioned in said report as made by said Treasurer, and by said Treasurer held for the county, have been fully inspected by us; the money on hand in the hands of said L. W. Gaddis, County Treasurer, and counted by us being \$9547.02.

C. C. THOMAS, County Judge.  
 B. WILDENTHAL, Commissioner Prec. No. 1.  
 J. W. BAYLOR, " " " 3.  
 W. H. JACOBS, " " " 4.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, C. C. Thomas, County Judge, B. Wildenthal, S. J. Jordan and W. H. Jacobs, County Commissioners of said La Salle County, each respectfully on this 15th day of August, 1906.

[L. S.] G. H. KNAGGS, County, Clerk, La Salle County, Texas.

Letter to C. F. Howard, Cotulla, Texas.

Dear Sir: Some people get disappointed in painting; it doesn't come out as they thought it would. C. B. Edwards, of Edwards & Broughton, printers, Raleigh, N. C. painted his house Devco three years ago; he had used 30 gallons paste paint before bought 30 gallons Devco. Had 16 left.

Paste paint is extra thick—with white wash. Mayor W. W. Carroll, Monticello, Florida, says: My painter said it would take 25 gallons to paint my house; it took 20 gallons Devco. His house is the best paint job in town; and he says Devco is the whitest white of all white paints.

Jones & Rodgers bought 5 gallons Devco to prime Mr. Pratt's house at Merkel, Texas. It painted two coats.

The reason for nobody guessing little-enough Devco is: they learned in a bad school; other paints.

Yours truly,  
 F. W. DEVOE & CO.  
 New York.

P. S. T. R. Keck sells our paint.

**Directory**

**CHURCHES**

**METHODIST**—Rev. T. G. Woods, Pastor, regular services every 2nd and 4th Sundays. Sunday School every Sunday. T. R. Keck, Supt.

**PRESBYTERIAN**—Rev. F. A. Barnes, Pastor, regular services every 1st and 3rd Sundays. F. A. Barnes and J. H. Gallman, Supts., 89 S. Teachers Training Class every Thursday night, choir practice every Friday night.

**BAPTIST**—Rev. W. G. Gilstrap, Pastor, regular services every 1st and 3rd Sundays, Sunday School every Sunday, Song practice every Tuesday night.

**SOCIETIES**

**A. F. & A. M.**—Cotulla Lodge No. 892A, F. & A. M. meets Saturday night after the full moon of each month. W. A. Kerr, W. M., C. E. Manly, Secretary.

**EASTERN STAR**—Eastern Star meets Saturday afternoon after full moon in each month. T. G. Woods, W. P., Mrs. G. Philippe, W. M., Mrs. L. W. Gaddis, Secretary.

**W. O. W.**—La Salle Camp No. 125, Woodman of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights of each month. DANIEL SMITH, C. C. B. WILDENTHAL, Secretary.

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 Haircuts in the latest style  
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 High Grade Work. Work guaranteed.  
 Reasonable Prices. and kept in repair.  
 Will visit Cotulla on special dates.

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 Do not neglect them. If they are weak they need attention. I employ the latest and best methods of scientifically examining the eyes. The different Anomalies of Hypermetropia, Myopia, Asthenopia, Stabismus or Cross-eyes, Astigmatism in its different forms cured if not of too long standing. Eyes straightened with the proper glasses if not too badly crossed. I guarantee to cure Headache, Neuralgia and Nervousness caused by weak eyes.  
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For sale at Gaddis' Pharmacy.

## Going Fast!

We are running out all Lawns and Percales at very close prices. Now is the time to buy.  
Ladies Canvass Slippers going at . . . \$1.15  
Ladies White and Tan Slippers, \$2 and . . . \$2.50

## Our Buyer

leaves today for St. Louis to select the Fall and Winter Stock of Goods. In order to make more room, all summer goods in the house will be closed out at close figures.

## Sewing Machine

Automatic Drophead, ball-bearing \$65.00 machine for \$35.

L. A. KERR.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

We are constantly receiving new graphophone records.  
Gaddis' Pharmacy.

Cotton pickers are very much in demand.

Miss Lizzie Williams is in San Antonio visiting friends.  
Graphophones for sale at Gaddis' Pharmacy.

T. H. Poole returned Wednesday from up the I. & G. N.

Gone hog wild—who? Just take a peep into the skating rink.

Judge C. C. Thomas returned Thursday from Galveston.

Pleas McMains and sister were in the city from Prairie View Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams of Prairie View were in the city Thursday.

Work has begun on the residence of R. H. Hall, just South of the Baptist Church.

Eugene M. Irvin came out from San Antonio Monday, where he had been for a few days.

R. A. Gouger made a flying trip to Millett yesterday.

We will sell you a talking machine on the installment plan.  
Gaddis' Pharmacy.

Ed Evetts has just completed a very large barn for J. G. Childers on his Ranch.

Mrs. W. T. Hill and children spent the week at the Irvin Ranch, the guests of Mrs. Jourd J. Irvin.

Mr. Harcastle, the Millett gin man, was here Wednesday. Up to that date 120 bales of cotton had been ginned at Millett.

A new line of fancy box stationery at Gaddis' Pharmacy.

Misses Mary Hargus and Susie Barris visited at Cochina Ranch last Sunday and reported having a very nice time.

Robert, Roy and Turner Williams were made Woodmen of the World at the meeting of that order last Saturday night.

Just send your Laundry bundles round to the Record office if you want the best work done—The White Star does it.

Whit Neal, Harry Knotts, Ed Moyahab and Lige Porter, all railroad boys, came down from San Antonio Thursday for a few days fishing on the Nueces.

Wm Burwell, formerly Sheriff of La Salle, who now resides at Amarillo, sends us a \$ with instructions to keep the Record coming.

We have a letter from Mrs. A. Burks ordering the Record to Mineral Wells, where she and Miss Mary Baylor are spending a few weeks. They are well pleased with the resort.

Public school opens September 3rd. Don't forget the date and get there on the first day. Boys, if you want to get in the front row when you become a man, start in at school while you are a boy.

Mrs. B. J. Pate and children after about a three months visit to friends and relatives in San Antonio, Stockdale and Temple, have returned to their home at the Cochina Ranch.

In this immediate vicinity the rainfall has been very light this week, but heavy showers have fallen in some parts of the county.

## MONEY TO LOAN.

On Farms and Ranches. Vendor's Lien Notes bought.  
FARM AT A BARGAIN.

655 acres in Frio County on the Leona River, seven miles from Dilley. Good rich land, all suitable for cultivation, two irrigating plants, three houses, two wells and windmill; 35 acres in cultivation. A shingle mill is on the property, and you can make money on clearing the land. Price of this farm, \$12.00 per acre.

J. TOM WILLIAMS,  
Mgr Real Estate  
Department.

E. B. CHANDLER,  
102 Crockett St.  
San Antonio, Texas.

Hall & Bowen, W. E. Campbell, and J. M. Tarver gave the Record orders for Job Printing this week.

Miss Kate Burwell left Thursday for St. Louis to purchase the Fall and Winter line of goods for the One Price Store. She had intended to leave Monday, but illness prevented. She will be gone probably two weeks.

The Record wants you to send in personal and local news items. It is impossible for newsgatherer to get everything, and it would be very little trouble for you to inform us when you have friends visiting you, etc.

Judge R. W. Hudson and Atty. S. T. Phelps are here from Pearsall. The Democratic Convention of the 36th Judicial District will convene in this city this afternoon and nominate Mr. Hudson for District Judge and Mr. Phelps for District Attorney.

That awful headache may come from defective eyes. Quick relief may come by accurately fitted glasses. Here you may be sure of accurate, skillful, polite service, guaranteed work.—HALL, Optician; office at Gaddis' Pharmacy.

Mr. J. J. Werner left Wednesday for Paola, Kan., to move his family here. He will move into Col. W. A. H. Miller's residence, for which he has about closed a deal. Mr. Werner has men at work clearing land which he bought down the river.

You can buy a Victor Talking machine as cheap from Gaddis as you can in San Antonio.

A stalk of cotton from B. Vesper's farm was on exhibition at G. Philippe's store Thursday. There wasn't any evidence of Mr. B. Weevil about it. The stalk contained 85 bolls besides numerous squares. Mr. Vesper has some of the finest cotton in the country. It is planted in 4-ft rows and checked.

Robt. West returned Sunday from an absence of several weeks at the Encampment at Austin. Robt. says "soddiering" is not exactly what it is cracked up to be, and while he wouldn't have missed the encampment for anything, he hopes Teddy won't get too foxy with his "big stick" and stir up trouble with some heathen country, until his term of enlistment is out.

Roland A. Gouger, who has charge of the Skating Rink tells us that he has had a hard time getting skates here fast enough. He got in about fifty pair from St. Louis by express Thursday, and fully that many had been sold previous to that time. The rink is crowded every afternoon, which is given to the ladies, and at night a house three times the size of the one used is needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond H. Seefeld and baby arrived Wednesday from Speedwell, Va., where they have been spending the summer with Mrs. Seefeld's parents. R. H. says he has the finest looking, and best baby in Texas, and offers proof for it, that it looks just like its papa, and on a journey of 2000 miles it never cried even one time which characteristics it also takes after its father.

### An Eight Section Ranch For Sale.

Three sections proved up School Land, five sections leased; fenced and watered, ten miles from railroad in Brewster county. Address: J. H. ROGERS, Alpine, Texas.

W. A. Kerr returned Wednesday from an absence of ten days. Mr. Kerr attended the Dallas convention and after its adjournment went to Waco where he spent several days the guest of Messrs. L. C. Puckett, D. T. Bollinger and Tom Padgett. Mr. Kerr says these gentlemen showed him a royal time—in fact, he had such a good time, that it was hard matter to break away and come home. Mr. Kerr was particularly struck with the city of Waco and thinks that place would have taken better care of the State Convention than did Dallas. He was "automobilized" out in the country and said in every direction the roads were graveled and graded for several miles. The business men and farmers were doing most of this work and Mr. Kerr suggests this idea to improve some of the roads leading out of Cotulla.

### A Pleasant Affair.

The three primary classes of the Presbyterian Sunday School were delightfully entertained at the residence of Miss Kate Burwell on Saturday afternoon, the 18th, inst.

The three hostesses Miss Katherine Poole, Miss Winnie Burwell and Miss Florence Poole were beautifully dressed to receive their little guests and pupils.

The color scheme for the house decoration was pink and green, the bright flowers making a fitting background for the laughing happy faces of the children.

Each class was well represented, only a few being absent. Twenty-seven being present.

This scribe was called back to the dining room to witness a scene that was indeed almost a dream of fairyland. A beautifully decorated room—in the center of which was a long low table snowy white, with center piece of pink flowers and foliage suspended from center of ceiling were gay festoons of pink ribbon and smilax, reaching to the corners of the table.

At this fairy board fifteen wee tots were seated at one time in little chairs, just a "comfy" size for their tiny occupants. Misses Esther Burwell, Jessie Copp, Hattie Burwell and Berdie Brown, wearing white aprons and pink caps, waited upon the children in a dainty but substantial way, helping each one to a bountiful supply of ice cream and cake.

The children enjoyed two hours of fun and frolic, and on saying goodbye to their teachers were given a lovely pink heart shaped booklet, containing the memory verse reference for the following Sunday.

### A GUEST.

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Aug. 27.

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