

Colorado Record.

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COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS.

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XTRAGOOD

Clothes for Boys



The usual method is for a manufacturer to cut the goods and then "farm out" the pieces for small independent tailors to sew together at a contract price. These small operators hire whomever they can get to do the work. In their workshops the garments of several makers may be in course of construction; and the same people are often working on cheap, medium and better grades at the same time and with the same frenzied haste. In making clothing this way there is no definite standard of quality; little uniformity. There isn't the skill and there isn't time.

Most juvenile clothing is made in the above manner. But not the XTRAGOOD brand which we sell. XTRAGOOD is made after different methods: its the best boys' clothing produced. Here is the reason.

The makers of XTRAGOOD do all the work themselves. They cut the goods; they have their own machinery and trained employees who work under their personal direction. Their expert tailors are trained to their exclusive idea of what constitutes quality. Each workman devotes himself to but one grade of work. All garments are made with the precision and exactness of the best merchant tailoring. The fit and appearance is always correct.

The makers of XTRAGOOD take time to make every stitch right. In their own clean and thoroughly equipped shops they make clothes precisely as they should be made, as you want them made. There is no other method "just as good" and there are very few clothes made by this method. It's worth thinking about and understanding fully when you've got boys' clothes to buy.

This plain talk about the right way to make boys' clothes is something you have not heard about in the past and won't hear very much except from us. But we've investigated this matter of clothes making and we've bought the brand of clothes that we know represents the latest and best standard of quality. XTRAGOOD clothes are guaranteed. They're made so well that they can be guaranteed. You will find them more reliable, more satisfactory and more trustworthy than any other. Prices are just as low.

Russian and Sailor Suits;
Refers to the Small Boys,
Ages 3 to 10.

A. J. Payne
DRY GOODS - SHOES - CLOTHING

Norfolk, Double Breasted
Knee Pant Suits, Rain
Coats for Boys 7 to 17.

Austin May Dewberry Plants

For the month of March I will sell Austin May dewberry plants for \$2 per hundred. Now is the time to plant. They succeed well without irrigation by giving good cultivation. Address me at Colorado, Texas, or apply near Lone Wolf mountain. T. J. DAVIS.

Hereford Cattle for Sale.

Registered Hereford Bulls and Heifers: 44 Bulls 12 to 20 months old. 50 Heifers 12 months to 2 years old. All bred from best Bulls and Cows that can be bought in America. Prices considered low by good judges who have seen the cattle. Will sell one to a car load. Address V. W. ALLEN, Colorado, Texas.

Piano Tuner.

Geo. W. Mosher resident piano tuner. Leave your orders for expert piano tuning and repairing at new store, Haley building, north of Hubbard's.

A Blind Man's Trip.

G. N. Hayward is totally blind, but has half finished a feat that few men with two good eyes would care to tackle. He left Savannah, Ga. Nov. 15, 1905 with less than \$6 in money and a bunch of shoe laces, with the purpose of walking to Los Angeles, Cal.; or from ocean to ocean, a distance of about 2750 miles. He is now a little more than half way, and declares he is in better spirits, health, and finances than when he started. He walks on the rail except when crossing tressles, and then he uses the crossties. He has no graft of any sort to extort money, save the sale of the shoe laces; no wager or purse to win if he accomplishes his self-imposed task. He is doing it solely in the interest of the blind; demonstrating that a blind person of average mental and bodily vigor, is not so badly handicapped as the world imagines; that he is able to take care of himself. He believes that his humble feat will inspire hope and courage in other like unfortunates and lead them into spheres of self-help and usefulness, just as the wonderful accomplishments of Helen Keller have broken down the prison walls of eternal silence, darkness and living death, and brought sympathy, companionship and employment to many who groped in blank despair.

Mr Hayward had the Record sent to W. E. Goad, at Wall, in Tom Green county.

New Clubbing Rates.

From this date until Sep. 1st we will send the Record and Dallas News or Ft. Worth Record one year for only \$1.50. After September 1st, the two papers will be \$1.75.

W. T. Smith & Co. have employed a first class piano tuner who will be here about March 1. Hold your work for him. Smith knows for hes a piano tuner himself and will guarantee his work. He will be here to stay.

Letter files for sale at RECORD office.

Last of a Big Ranch.

Isaac Landers of Neosho, Mo., became a citizen of Colorado last week. He is the selling agent of the Kansas City syndicate that bought the remainder of the Bush & Tiller land in Mitchell, Scurry and Borden counties, and he comes here now to locate and sell off in 160 acre blocks to actual settlers.

They will however, sell any amount from 80 acres up, to any settler. On last Tuesday Mr. Brooks Bell drove Mr. Landers out to view the land and to lay out his plans.

The first thing will be the erection of a good house and secure a good family to go out there and keep house in order to entertain prospectors. The syndicate will run homeseekers' excursions from time to time to Colorado, where Mr. Landers will meet them and take them out to the land and entertain them while there until they buy. He will open an office in Colorado, and also one on the ranch, and operate from both ends of the line.

Mr. Lander is a shrewd business man and thinks he can sell the entire 25,000 acres by Sept. 1st, placing about 150 or 160 families on the tract, making good homes for them in one of the finest sections of the whole west.

Some Choice Lots.

I have a few choice lots left on College Hill, all East fronts—everybody wants East fronts, "with naught but outside sunny rooms"—am reserving the West fronts for my own use. Price—well they're not just what they were two months ago, and if you wait it will be higher yet. Terms cash of course preferred, but will arrange terms to suit you. C. H. EARNEST.

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

Don't take up with any new fangled notions but stick to the music house you know is reliable, and that is W. T. Smith & Co.

LEGAL BLANKS.

Remember that you can buy kind of Legal blanks at the Re office, such as notes, mortgages, deeds, releases, land contracts, in fact any thing in the legal blank form. Don't send away for th

A SALE

That cannot be Duplicated again in Colorado.

Our thirty days Sale closed Saturday night, February 23rd, and it was a great success. Numerous items left which we will put on sale again this week until sold out.

Hubbard's

Snyder Building.

COLORADO, TEXAS.

COLORADO
DRUG CO.

Pure Drugs.

Correct Prescriptionists.

Fancy and Toilet Articles.

Souvenir Postal Cards.

Your trade will be
appreciated during
the Year 1907.

COLORADO
DRUG CO.

THE BEST OF THEIR KIND

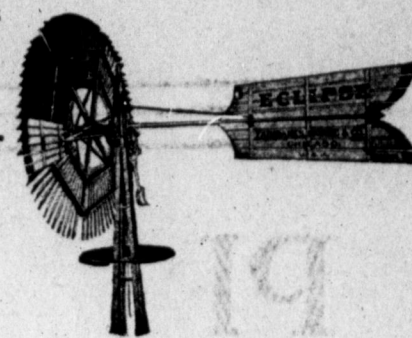


Bowsher Grinders. Eclipse Wind Mills.

John Deere  **ling Attachments for Walking Plows.**

Full line of Pipe, Casing, Cylinders, and all kinds of Water and Steam Fixtures.
AND DON'T FORGET THE CELEBRATED

PITTSBURG PERFECT WIRE FENCE.



Western Windmill & Hardware Comp'y.

INTELLIGENCE ON THE FARM.

A man who enters any of the professions these days without having first fitted himself in some school, or without having acquired a practical knowledge of the business to which he intends to devote his life, is behind the times. There is no place in the twenty-first century for the person who is not proficient, and particularly is this true in this country, where competition is so keen and a man not only has to devote his time and untiring energy, but his brain and ingenuity as well. The laggard and he who is slothful and careless finds himself in the rear of the procession. The successful business man, in whatever branch of the world's activity he plants himself, is the one who is continually seeking information on the latest and most approved methods of doing things.

Particularly is this true with the farming element. The cattle raiser makes little success unless he utilizes the experiences which his likely cost his predecessor to learn. The farmer who does justice to himself and his soil if he does not know the requirements of his soil eats just the same as the one who does, and if its requirements are not met it deteriorates and will not bring forth what is expected of it. The agricultural schools run by the various states and fostered by the government are kindergartens in which the novice at farming and stock production can go and become proficient. The time has passed in which farmers were wont to scoff at institutions whose ostensible business it was to inform them. Every one now admits that the agricultural college is a valuable and indispensable adjunct to a successful farming career. The little minded man who never could be taught by a "professor," who, he claimed, was a theoretical and not a practical farmer, has shriveled up and blown away. The agricultural colleges, through their splendid work in tutoring the farming classes, have done their share in hoisting our country to the topmost in the world's agricultural domains. And there is no reason why their achievements in the past may not be proven the very beginning in making the soil and other elements and agencies contribute to the welfare of the one who cultivates it.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Fuel oil which cost the electric light company \$65 per car a year ago, has been gradually raised till today it costs \$307.06 per car at Beaumont.

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

If your grocery bill has been too large try Birdwell this month.

A BUSY HOUSE.

Working Overtime on Rush Orders—An Enterprise of Which Colorado is Proud.

The busiest house in town seems to be the tin shop and plumbing establishment of C. W. Crawford just across the street in front of the postoffice. His entire force of seven men are rushed with work all the time, and it is remarkable the amount of tin and sheet metal work they are now turning out. Crawford makes a specialty of galvanized cisterns, tanks, flues, rain proofs, well casing and buckets, and the best evidence they have of good work is the continual and increased orders.

Mr. Humble has recently accepted a position here and is a very fine mechanic, competent to repair Bicycles, gasoline engines, etc., and is especially fine on windmill repair work. This business has built up to be one of the solid business institutions of Colorado and is worthy of your patronage. The Record man dropped into their establishment this week but was promptly ordered out, as they had no time to talk to newspaper men, and we went on the order given and give them this word up for spite, but every word of it is the truth just the same.

1906 Weather Chart.

There is some talk of drouth, and especially are the old timers getting scared. We give below the rain record for the past year for consultation:

Jan. 9.....	sno
Feb. 11.....	rain
Mar. 24.....	local rains
Mar. 28.....	heavy rain
Apr. 4.....	rain
Apr. 9.....	rain
Apr. 16.....	rain
Apr. 19.....	rain
May 1.....	rain and heavy hail
May 13.....	rain
May 17.....	rain
May 23.....	rain
June 1.....	rain
June 2.....	rain
Had three good rains during July but have no record of the dates.	
August 2.....	rains
August 31.....	heavy rains
Sept. 3.....	rain
Oct. 1.....	light frost
Oct. 13.....	rain
Oct. 21.....	cold rain, sleet, freeze
Oct. 24.....	heavy frost
Nov. 19-20.....	sleet, hard freeze
Nov. 23.....	rain
Nov. 24.....	rain
Nov. 28.....	rain
Nov. 29.....	rain
Nov. 30.....	rain
Dec. 1.....	hard rain

This is March 1st, exactly 3 months since the last rain, and aside from the fact that in some few localities the ground is getting a trifle hard to plow, this section is not suffering for rain.

Episcopal Church.

Rev. J. E. H. Galbraith the rector, will hold services at his church on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. All invited.

On April 1st, 1907

THE Dry Goods Establishments of C. M. Adams and V. D. Payne & Co. will be merged into one under the firm name of C. M. Adams, Mr. V. D. Payne still retaining his interest. They will occupy three spacious rooms in the old Opera Block; those now occupied by V. D. Payne & Co. and A. S. Henry & Co., and the one immediately in the rear of those two rooms. In the meantime, both houses are offering exceptional bargains in all winter goods. Call and get prices.

**C. M. ADAMS,
V. D. PAYNE & CO.**

New Wagon Yard.

We are in a position to serve the public at the Caldwell wagon yard and blacksmith shop. We have bought the yard and will endeavor to merit your patronage and hope for a continuance of the good will and business of all. We are new in this business but are old timers in Colorado and ask one and all to come and see us at the brick wagon yard.

SCOTT & NUNN,
Successors to H. C. Caldwell.

LEASES THE SHOP.

I have leased the blacksmith shop belonging to Scott & Nunn in connection with their wagon yard, heretofore known as the H. C. Caldwell shop, and expect to do a general blacksmith and horseshoeing business. I also want to ask the public to give me a trial. Logan Spalding.

Fruits of Advertising.

Last month the Record ran a small ad for L. C. Dupree, advertising a tract of land near Sterling City, and today received the following letter:

Colorado, Texas:— I sold 4 sections of the land advertised by you today, direct from the advertisement. I send you check for \$10 on this bank; many thanks
L. C. DUPREE,
Sterling City.

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

The Alamo Hotel

BEST OF MEALS, CLEAN, COOL AND COMFORTABLE ROOMS.
Rates from \$1.50 to \$2.00 per Day.
Mrs. J. R. Graves, Prop.
COLORADO, TEXAS.

Notice to Subscribers.

All papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance and the paper will be discontinued promptly when the time paid for expires. If you are sending the Record to friends or relatives remember it will be stopped when the time expires.

EL PASO HERALD for Texas News. Best general newspaper in Western Texas. Sixty cents per month.

The Record and Dallas Semi-Weekly News both one year for \$1.50

The Record is the people's paper; the hint is sufficient.

**C. A.
ARBUTHNOT.**

Wishes his customers and the public a Happy and Prosperous New Year, and returns thanks for all past favors.

I desire to call attention to a large stock of NEW WALL PAPER and PAINTS and VARNISHES of every description. Kindly call and look through.

**C. A.
Arbuthnot.**

Start The New Year Right

And have me do your Tinning and Plubing work. I also make the best

GALVANIZED TANKS AND CISTERNS

I also handle the celebrated

Buck's Stoves and Ranges.

and the world renowned

Keen Kutter Tools.



W. H. MOESER

HARDWARE, TINNING AND PLUMBING.

Burton-Lingo Co.

**LUMBER
and WIRE**

See us about your next bill of lumber, we can save you some money.

Colorado,

Texas

Palace Meat Market

C. L. GRABLE, PROP.

Choice, Fresh Meats of All Kinds,

and courteous treatment extended. Highest market price paid for fat cattle and hogs.

Your patronage solicited.

COLORADO,

TEXAS.

Colorado Cold Storage Market

Fresh Meats—Beef, Pork; Sausage Bologna and Weiners' Dressed Chicken every Saturday.

Telephone 106.

H. D. GILBERT, Proprietor.

Colorado,

Texas.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

We can save you money on all grades of Merchandise, bought early to avoid paying advance in prices.

SUITINGS.

Just received, some stylish new wool suiting for early spring styles. Plaids and checks in all the new popular shades. Price

50c to \$1.25.

PLAIN AND FANCY SILKS.

We are showing some splendid values in plain and fancy Silks. It's hard to beat the Taffeta Silk we sell for per yard

\$1.00

Special line of Silks just received. Prices per yard,

50c to \$1.50

Come and see these goods

"LINEN."

Best Linen we could buy for the money. We like them and know you will. Warranted pure Linen, for per yard

35c to \$1.00.

Colors, Pink, Red, Blue and White. Exceptional bargains.

DRESS GOODS.

We are opening handsome Dress Goods every day. Embroidered Swiss, Mercerized Chiffon, Embroidered Linen, Shirt Waist Madras, Persian Lawn, Figured Lawns, and many other new things in our Dress Goods department. New Collars, new embroidery, new Laces, new Belts. Our Hosiery department is stocked with splendid values. Ask to see them.

FINE SKIRTS.

Sorosis New Heatherbloom Petty Skirts. Prices are **1.25 to 4.00.** Free, a Skirt hanger with every skirt.



NEW DRESS SKIRTS.

We have just received by express new styles. Excellent workmanship, splendid quality. Price, **\$5.00 to \$10.00.**

Every day brings us something New. Come any time you may and we can show you something new in Spring Goods.

Our Grocery Department

Is always replete in every particular with the most complete line of Staple and fancy Groceries, and, we ask you to give us a trial. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Burns & Bell.

Who lesale and Retail Dry Goods, Groceries Hardware.

CLAIMS

ACCOUNTS AGAINST THE DISSOLVED CITY OF COLORADO.

Notice is hereby given that a claim has been presented to me in behalf of James Mills for \$417.84 for allowance against the dissolved City of Colorado, consisting of city warrants issued by the said city of Colorado, the dates and amounts of which are as follows:

DATE	AMOUNT.
March 1, 1886.....	\$ 1.50
April 27, 1886.....	2.00
October 15, 1886.....	5.50
December 6, 1886.....	5.60
December 6, 1886.....	4.00
February 4, 1887.....	2.50
February 4, 1887.....	2.50
February 5, 1887.....	3.00
April 2, 1887.....	5.00
April 7, 1887.....	2.00
April 7, 1887.....	2.00
April 7, 1887.....	5.34
May 14, 1887.....	1.25
May 16, 1887.....	5.00
May 17, 1887.....	1.00
June 2, 1887.....	12.14
June 4, 1887.....	5.00
July 2, 1887.....	5.00
July 7, 1887.....	5.00
July 7, 1887.....	5.00
July 13, 1887.....	4.00
September 30, 1887.....	10.00
September 30, 1887.....	10.00
December 8, 1887.....	1.00
December 27, 1887.....	10.00
December 27, 1887.....	4.00
December 27, 1887.....	4.00
January 3, 1888.....	5.00
January 3, 1888.....	5.00
January 15, 1888.....	3.00
February 17, 1888.....	29.75
April 3, 1888.....	5.00
April 3, 1888.....	1.25
April 3, 1888.....	3.75
August 2, 1888.....	3.45
December 26, 1888.....	5.00
December 26, 1888.....	3.00
December 26, 1888.....	2.00
January 18, 1889.....	6.00
January 18, 1889.....	2.00
February 14, 1889.....	2.09
February 14, 1889.....	32.50
February 14, 1889.....	10.00
February 14, 1889.....	9.90
April 7, 1889.....	2.00
June 3, 1889.....	10.00
October 13, 1887.....	3.00
January 11, 1888.....	1.00
May 22, 1886.....	5.00
August 5, 1886.....	10.00
August 5, 1886.....	10.00
August 5, 1886.....	10.00
August 5, 1886.....	10.00
August 5, 1886.....	10.00
April 10, 1888.....	2.00
April 14, 1888.....	2.00
April 20, 1888.....	2.00
April 21, 1888.....	1.00
April 23, 1888.....	2.00
April 23, 1888.....	2.00
May 4, 1888.....	5.00
May 4, 1888.....	5.00
August 3, 1888.....	2.00
August 3, 1888.....	2.00
November 1, 1888.....	10.00
December 8, 1888.....	3.00
December 8, 1888.....	2.50
December 8, 1888.....	2.50
December 10, 1888.....	5.00
January 22, 1889.....	3.00
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January 22, 1889.....	3.00
May 4, 1889.....	3.00
March 4, 1889.....	2.00
March 25, 1889.....	1.91
April 4, 1889.....	2.00
April 4, 1889.....	2.00
Total.....	\$ 417.84

The first forty-six of said warrants are drawn on the general fund of said city of Colorado; the warrant of October 13, 1887, for \$3.00 was drawn on the water works fund of said city of Colorado; the warrant of January 11, 1888, for \$1.00, was drawn on the street and alley fund of said city of Colorado, and all other of said warrants were made payable out of any monies in the treasury of said city of Colorado.

A. B. ROBERTSON,
Receiver of the dissolved city of Colorado.

CLAIMS

ACCOUNTS AGAINST THE DISSOLVED CITY OF COLORADO.

Notice is hereby given that a claim has been presented to me in behalf of Alfred B. Connable, for \$9,520.00, with interest upon the bonds from the date of their maturity at the rate of 8 percent per annum, and 6 percent annual interest upon each of the coupons from the date of their maturity, against the said city of Colorado, the said claim consisting of fourteen city hall bonds of

said city of Colorado, dated October 1st 1883, and due October 1st, 1893, and numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14, together with fourteen coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st 1889; fourteen coupons for \$20.00 each, due April 1st, 1890; fourteen coupons of \$20.00 each, due October 1, 1890; fourteen coupons of \$20.00 each due April 1st 1891; fourteen coupons of \$20.00 each, due October 1st 1891; fourteen coupons of \$20.00 each due April 1st 1892; fourteen coupons of \$20.00 each due October 1st 1892; fourteen coupons for \$20.00 each, due April 1st 1893; fourteen coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st 1893.

A. B. ROBERTSON,
Receiver of the dissolved city of Colorado.

CLAIMS

ACCOUNTS AGAINST THE DISSOLVED CITY OF COLORADO.

Notice is hereby given that a claim has been presented to me in behalf of Alonzo White for \$3,300.00, together with the interest on the bonds from the date of their maturity at the rate of 8 percent per annum, and 6 percent annual interest upon each of the coupons from the date of their maturity, against the said city of Colorado, the said claim consisting of five Drainage and Sewerage bonds of said city of Colorado, dated October 1st, 1883, due October 1st, 1893, and numbered 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, together with five coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1889, five coupons for \$20.00 each due April 1st, 1890; five coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1891; five coupons for \$20.00 each due April 1st, 1891; five coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1892; five coupons for \$20.00 each due April 1st, 1892; five coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1893; five coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1893.

A. B. ROBERTSON,
Receiver of the dissolved city of Colorado.

CLAIMS

ACCOUNTS AGAINST THE DISSOLVED CITY OF COLORADO.

Notice is hereby given that a claim has been presented to me in behalf of William H. Young for \$1,350.00, with interest on the bonds from the date of their maturity at the rate of 8 percent per annum, and 6 percent annual interest upon each of the coupons from the date of their maturity, against the said city of Colorado, the said claim consisting of two Drainage and Sewerage bonds, dated October 1st, 1883, due October 1st, 1893, numbered 6 and 7, of the said city of Colorado, and there are two coupons of \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1889; two coupons for \$20.00 each due April 1st, 1890; two coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1891; two coupons for \$20.00 each due April 1st, 1892; two coupons of \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1892; two coupons of \$20.00 each due April 1st, 1893; two coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1893.

A. B. ROBERTSON,
Receiver of the dissolved city of Colorado.

CLAIMS

ACCOUNTS AGAINST THE DISSOLVED CITY OF COLORADO.

Notice is hereby given that a claim has been presented to me in behalf of the Mississippi Valley Trust Company for \$3,400.00 with interest upon the bonds from the date of their maturity, at the rate of 8 percent per annum, and 6 percent annual interest upon each of the coupons from the date of their maturity, against the said city of Colorado; the said claim consisting of five

said city of Colorado, dated October 1st, 1883, due October 1st, 1893, and numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14, together with fourteen coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1889; five coupons for \$20.00 each due April 1st, 1890; five coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1890; five coupons for \$20.00 each due April 1st, 1891; five coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1891; five coupons for \$20.00 each due April 1st, 1892; five coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1892; five coupons for \$20.00 each due April 1st, 1893; five coupons for \$20.00 each due October 1st, 1893.

The above bonds and coupons are owned by the Mississippi Valley Trust Company, Trust of Annie R. Logan, Mary Rankin, Jesse Rankin, and David Rankin.

A. B. ROBERTSON,
Receiver of the dissolved city of Colorado.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MITCHELL. —
Due of an order of sale issued by the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County on the 19th day of January, A. D., 1907, in the case of John S. Steely versus Nannie Glover, No. 1907, and to me as Sheriff, and delivered commanding me to sell as under execution, the highest bidder for cash, a sale to be subject to the approval of said court, I will, after giving the notice thereof required by law, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. on the first day in April, A. D., 1907, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest which both or either said John S. Steely and Nannie Glover had on the 19th day of January A. D., 1907, at any time thereafter, in and to the following described real estate to-wit: All of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Block No. Twenty-six (26) of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company surveys in Mitchell County, Texas, located for the said railway company by virtue of certificate No. 2-1366, and patented to said railway company by Patent No. 158, Vol. 52, dated Feb. 22, 1881, same containing 640 acres and being situated about three (3) miles northeast of the town of Colorado, and being known as the "Glover Place," such sale, however, to be subject to the approval of the Court.

Said property being sold as the property of the said John S. Steely and the said Nannie Glover, to whom the said Court has decreed respectively an undivided seven-eighths (7-8) and an undivided (1-8) interest therein, it having been adjudged that said land can not be fairly and equitably divided between said parties and that a sale thereof is necessary to partition the proceeds thereof, as more fully appears from said order of sale.

Given under my hand this 25th day of February, A. D., 1907.

J. W. BIRD,
Sheriff of Mitchell County, Tex.

By W. S. Stoneham, Deputy.
A true copy I certify
J. W. BIRD, Sheriff.
By W. S. Stoneham, Deputy.

Look Here.

Why not buy your pianos of a first class music house, one you have known for over six years and one that can sell you a piano cheaper and on easier terms than any other music house in west Texas? The old reliable house of W. T. Smith & Co., Colorado, Texas. Piano tuning a specialty.

BUY YOUR RESIDENCE LOTS

FROM W. M. MERRILL, on the Installment plan. Office up stairs in Snyder Building, COLORADO.

THE
Every Friday at Colorado,
tell County, Texas.
Key Printing Co.
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No. 253
Subscription Rates:
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second-class matter,
post office at Colorado,
for the Act of Congress of
1879.

HEARSAY, EVIDENTLY.

Our opinion west Texas has most cosmopolitan people of section of the state.—Roscoe
We don't recognize the word, if they're bad as it sounds, we'll be no use ever praying rain again, till they get over INTELLIGENCE Any cure for 'em?—Colorado
ord.

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purpose of saving Thaw's
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on the stage and has the thirst
for notoriety and dollars that
uch a life engenders. And the
portunity for both, her story
fords. The erotic literature of
he world contains no parallel in
its psychopathia sexualis. The
Decameron of Boccaccio, and Ma-
non Lascari, are pious homilies
in comparison. When published
in book form with nothing sup-
pressed, there'll be no dearth of
buyers.

The new town of Hamlin is a
lusty youngster in lung, a giant
in hope. It will have to get a
new hat soon, or use a shoe-horn
to put on its old one. After the
recent pentecostal shower of
good things, in the shape of two
oil mills, a cotton compress, rail-
road shops, round house, freight
division, with innumerable so-
forths and so-ons for good meas-
ure, the town puts itself in the
class with Dallas and Ft. Worth.
but concede with a modesty that
gives jealousy the thumbs, that
it MAY not outclass them. Lord
bless its big, bustling, generous
heart! How we little villages
that squatted on the buffalo trails,
the outposts of civilization and
safety, that have passed through
the agony and bloody sweat of
burning drouths, blasting winds,
fictious values, deflated booms,
boundless hope and disillusion;
how we yearn to touch the hem
of the robe of omnipotent self-
confidence that drapes thy virile
limbs! Suffering has made us
conservative and tolerant; dis-
appointment has begotten cau-
tion and we remember Ahab and
Samaria. We were of the earth,
earthly—very; we had to grow.
add "fail" to the bright lex-
our youth.

NOT A SPARROW FALLETH.

One morning as I passed his
place I missed him. His little shop
was closed.

I failed to be greeted with his
regular salutation, "It's a fine
day: I say, it's a fine day," as he
sat out in front taking his morn-
ing smoke.

I inquired about him and was
told that he was ill, very ill, and
had the day before been taken
to the county poor farm that he
might have better attention, but
that his age was against him.

He had been ill a week but on-
ly those missed him who had been
in the habit of depending on him
for sundry small jobs that fell in
his line.

His form was bent with years
of service and the natural infir-
mities of age; his hands were
large and rough with honest toil,
and though they had lost much
of their cunning, yet he scorned
that the world was due him
anything except that for which
he gave an equivalent.

There was about this humble
man such a spirit of child-like
cheerfulness, of helpfulness and
good will, that his little smithy
with its smoking forge was a
mecca for all who had a burden
to lighten, a grief to assuage,
or a wound to heal, and yet the
even current of his life ran be-
tween confines so narrow that
many living within a stone's-cast
of his shop did not know of his
existence.

His sphere was not large; he
occupied but little space, yet he
was a link in the chain of God's
eternal and inscrutable purpose.

All his loved ones had preceded
him over the Great Divide, and
with his face to the setting sun,
he daily looked steadfastly up in-
to heaven, and with patience
awaited the summons to join
them.

There was a dog—a stray pup
which some one had abandoned
to starve or be shot, came into
the shop one day and receiving
a caress and bone instead of a
curse and a kick, had perman-
ently attached itself and become
a part of the old man's life.

The two were more than com-
panions—they were friends; and
the freemasonry of understand-
ing between them was complete.
With a regularity and concern
never given to his own simple
needs, he never failed to see that
"Ol' Shep" was fed and housed.
Just before the old man was
taken ill he had included in his
care another canine pariah which
came yelping into his shop as a
refuge from the persecutions of
a crowd of boys, and the scars of
it's former abuse had begun to
fade.

Small wonder then, I missed
their master, when I saw the
dogs waiting

"For the touch of a vanished hand,
And sound of a voice that is still."

They could not make out the
meaning of their loss—the old
man absent, the shop closed, the
ring of the anvil hushed, no bel-
lows' roar, or flying sparks to
chase them to cover.

The grief of "Ol' Shep" and
the mute question in his eyes,
was pathetic in its human in-
sensitivity. He would lie by the va-
cant bench all day, and at night-
fall would again take up his vig-
il before the door where they
twain had slept, whence no calls,
bribes or threats could move him.

Such was this humble life: was
it for naught?

If He who clothes the grass,
who robes the lily, who per-
fumes the violet, who tunes the
morning carols of the lark, and
notes the sparrow's fall: if He
cares for the things upon
which he has breathed a double
portion of His own humility, I
am thoroughly persuaded that a
life of such lowly but kindly
ministration, will in the final un-
folding of God's great compre-
hensive plan, not escape some
kind of reward.

"For as much as ye have done
it unto the least of my creatures,
ye have done it unto me."

THE RAVEN'S CROAK.

GIVE no ear to the premature
croakings of the prophets of evil,
who are the first to share in the
section's prosperity, and first to
turn upon it with abuse and mal-
dictions at the very suspicion of
disaster. They are long on pre-
dicting but short as pie crust on
realizing. In every good town
are found a few hysterical indi-
viduals who are always "seeing
things, and them skeery." De-
scendants of the tribe of I-told-
you-so. If one of them found a
\$20 gold piece in the road, he
wouldn't pick it up, but would
raise a rough house because it
wasn't \$60, and handed to him
on a silver platter and curse his
ill luck. They need an assafoe-
tida pill.

The poet was dead right when
he observed that as a rule man's
a fool—especially about the weath-
er. We spend half the time
praying for rain and then put in
the half wishing it would clear
off.

Already the forecasters have
looked with a billious eye into
the future, and can make out
nothing but trouble (and hit bad)
on the horizon. They note with
rising alarm certain signs that
never failed in the "early days,"
and by these tokens, we are now
on the selvage edge of a "long
dry drouth." One of the most
reliable and oft cited symptoms
of the impending dry spell, is the
absence of rain.

Let 'em croak and "see things"
to their heart's content; it does
not rattle the weather clerk a
little bit and affords them em-
ployment. We shall continue to
open the front door every morn-
ing for business and keep our
slicker and gum boots out of the
paw shop.

The vote of the senate was el-
even to fourteen for Senator Bai-
ley's vindication.

AND now gentlemen of the leg-
islature, that Mohamet and the
mountain have met, give the
common people a chance.

Well Deserved Prize.

Contrary to the popular idea of
a prophet being without honor in
his own country, the Snyder
Coming West remarks:

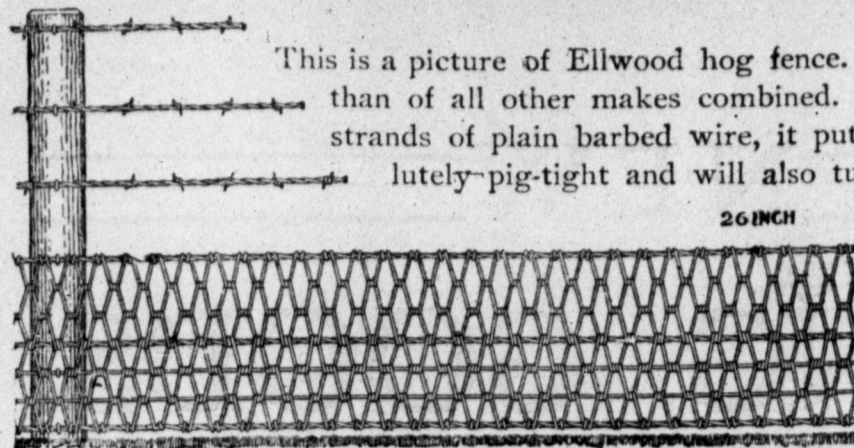
"The Coming West notes from
the Colorado Record of February
15th, 1907, that a petition num-
erously signed by Colorado citi-
zens has been presented to Hon.
W. K. Homan, of that city ask-
ing him to accept the nomination
for the office of Mayor of Colo-
rado. The associate editor of
this paper has known W. K. Ho-
man from childhood and can say
truthfully there is no purer man
on God's green earth than is our
lifetime friend, Will Homan. He
is honest, he is competent, and
Colorado people will never re-
gret the choice they have made
in the selection of W. K. Homan
to be their Mayor."

A HORSEY AFFAIR.

The horse has played a con-
spicuous part in the Bailey in-
vestigation. At the outset sen-
ator Bailey's friends met the ac-
cusation by asserting that there
was a dark horse behind the
movement behind him. Senator
Bailey was on his way to Ken-
tucky to see or sell some horses
when he stopped over in St. Louis.
Representative Cobb declared
Representative Duncan's resolu-
tion looking to an investigation,
a Trojan horse, and amended re-
solution was said to have been a
horse on the advocates of thor-
ough investigation. Next it came
out that Senator Bailey drew on
Gov. Francis for half a horse.
The Grapevine ranch was a horse
ranch. Committeeman McGreg-
or charges that Mr. Johnson is
playing horse with the commit-
tee, and chairman O'Neal has re-
ceived a letter in which the au-
thor informs him that somebody
heard somebody else say that
senator Bailey had presented to
him a fine horse.

Which puts the horse on the
chairman, rendering the whole
thing a perfect horse play and
altogether horsey. Cocke is the
biggest horse of them all, and
will never be heard of again af-
ter this grand stand farce is en-
ded.

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tate. Address P. O. Box 592,
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ness lot in Westbrook for young
horse, would pay a little differ-
ence. Address D. K. A. King,
Abilene, Texas. 3-1

For Sale—
Barred Plymouth Rocks,
Rhode Island Reds,
Buff Orpingtons.
15 eggs for \$1 delivered at my
house. W. SCARBOROUGH,
Colorado, Texas.

Wanted—A man and wife and a
single man to work on a ranch.
Apply at F. E. McKenzie's resi-
dence. 1-1

For Sale—3 nice, new residence
houses and some choice lots for
sale cheap, in the Phenix addi-
tion. See Dr. Phenix. 1-1

For Sale—Oak sideboard, dir-
ing table, refrigerator, chairs,
cook stove, gasoline stove, safe,
wardrobe, shot gun; all bargains.
J. M. Mathis, South Colorado,
1st Street, 2nd house.

Eggs For Sale—Fine Light
Bramah eggs for sale. Full
bloods. Will sell at \$1.50 for
setting. Phone or call at
O. S. McIVER.
5 miles South-west of Colorado.

For Sale or Trade—For land,
one good 7-room residence on 2nd
street, close in, see B. O. Shurt-
liff, office in Snyder Building.

Wanted—To know the present
address of Mat Kennedy, who lived
in Mitchell county about the
year 1892. This information is
important to the party named
above. J. J. DILLARD,
Lubbock, Texas.

For Sale—My Poland China herd
Boar, Van Zandt Chief, 75573,
farrowed Aug. 3, 1902; he is a
large; heavy bone, short, wide
head, good color, good sire and
kind disposition. Will take \$35.
00 for him or trade him for a
good milk cow. Also some fine
buff or pington cockerels for sale.
D. M. Vinson, Lorraine, Texas.
(2-1-1f)

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

I also have a fine list of other
lands and town lots for sale. Of-
fice over Colorado National Bank.

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TRAIN SCHEDULE.

(Effective January 5th 1907.)

WESTBOUND.

No. 3 Due to arrive.....10:33 p. m.

No. 5 Due to arrive..... 7.39 a. m.

EASTBOUND.

No. 4 Due to arrive..... 7.39 a. m.

No. 6 Due to arrive..... 8:59 p. m.

Colorado and Sterling Mail and Hack Line.

Leaves Colorado Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 7 o'clock, a. m., arrives at Sterling City at 7:30 p. m. same day.

Leaves Sterling City Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 7 a. m., arrives at Colorado 7:30 p. m. same day.

Colorado-Snyder Mail and Hack Line.
Daily, including Sunday. Leave Colorado 7:00 a. m., arrive at Snyder 12:45 p. m. Leave Snyder 2 p. m., arrive at Colorado 7:45 p. m.

Colorado and Durham via Cuthbert, Mail and Hack Line.

Daily except Sunday. Leave Colorado 7 a. m., arrive Colorado 8 p. m.

Colorado and Pyron via Winston, Mail and Hack Line.
Daily except Sunday. Leave Colorado 7 a. m., arrive Colorado 8 p. m.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

PERSONAL MENTION

Call at the Racket Store and inspect the new Fox visible Type Writer.

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

Mrs. Lee Jones of Colorado, and her father, J. C. Cox, of Eastland, visited friends here Wednesday.—Big Springs Herald.

All my groceries are new and fresh—phone in your next bill to Birdwell. No. 85.

W. D. Womack renews for the Record and Dallas News this week.

If you want to sell or buy real estate see B. O. Shurtliff, real estate agent. Office up-stairs in Snyder Building.

Our old friend, W. Scarborough called this week and placed an ad in the Record for his fine poultry and eggs. Brother Scarborough has some very fine fowls and it will pay any one to go and see them.

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

Geo. L. Carpenter of Dunn, was in last Saturday and sent the Record to his father L. B. Carpenter at Ardmore, I. T. Mr. Carpenter says his community is prosperous and no one but new comers anticipate a drouth.

The "Lucky Jim" Cultivator was built with an eye to service, as well as convenience, with the result that we have the best type and best built cultivator ever produced. Y. D. McMurry sells them.

Phonographs and supplies at W. L. Doss's.

The reorganizing of the Colorado orchestra is all right and a good thing, but the boys ought to organize a band also.

The Edwin Clapp Shoes are the best Shoes made. Sold only in Colorado by C. M. Adams, who has a full line and complete stock.

Mrs. Q. D. Hall, who lives north of Colorado, has just returned from a visit to her son, Harry Hall, who is in the jewelry business at Sweetwater, and dropped in and had the Record sent to her son there. The Record is growing, we are adding from 15 to 25 new names to our list each week.

Buy your winter's wood and coal right now from H. F. Wheeler, the wood and coal man.

Professors Yoe and Barden took the High School base ball team up to Snyder last Friday where three fast and furious games were played. The Colorado boys were gloriously defeated in every game.

Geo. W. Mosher is Colorado's resident Piano tuner. Leave orders Haley building north of Hubbard's store.

L. L. Wozencraft came in last week and had the Record sent to his father-in-law, W. H. Prickett, at Horton, Ala.

C. E. Spruill spent Tuesday in Loraine on a visit to his brother T. A. Spruill.

A full stock and complete line of the well known and famous Edwin Clapp Shoes at C. M. Adams.

When the Spooner Dramatic Company returns to town on the 18th they are sure of packed houses all the week.

Pyrography goods at Arbuthnots.

Judge Edward Hamner is reported on the sick list this week.

The prayer meeting rally and social will be held at the Christian church next Wednesday night. Members of other churches are urged to attend after their prayer meeting are over. Come and be social.

Wm. Flournoy, the new minister for the colored M. E. church is a worker among his people, and is building up the church. Last Sunday was Rally Day for his people. They have improved the parsonage at a cost of about \$125.00, and he called on his people who responded with a contribution of \$153.34, which is an exceedingly creditable showing.

People who know the Edwin Clapp Shoes are glad to know that they can now buy them at C. M. Adams's.

Our friend E. T. Collins came in this week and sent the Record to his brother-in-law, T. J. Scalown at West Point, Texas. Mr. Collins left on the Thursday mornings' train on a several months' visit to West Point and in his absence has appointed G. Robertson deputy animal and hide inspector. Mr. Collins who is afflicted with throat trouble, says that March is his worst month here and he goes for rest and will remain until April.

For plain sewing, neat and nice phone, No. 112. 3-15.

Hubbard's big sale closes tomorrow.

The Spooners are coming.
Pyrography outfits at Arbuthnots.

Kitten Crawford and Beal Stoneham, the two energetic and handsome tanners at Charlie Crawford's shop, are a pair that it will take four aces to beat. They can make or mend anything that is in the tinware line, and what is more they do it right. They are good boys, especially so when asleep.

They all buy Peter Schutler wagons from A. S. Henry & Co.

Double Edge Stalk Cutter, the most successful stalk cutter in the field. It is practically all steel and wrought iron; has no castings that break. For sale by Y. D. McMurry.

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

G. T. Spears, until recently editor of the Grand Saline Sun, was in Colorado Tuesday, prospecting for a new location.

If its kept in a drug store Doss has it.

Doss the druggist wants to see you.

Whipkey Brothers, of Colorado, Texas, have added a new 8x12 Chandler & Price jobber and a lot of American faces to their big busy plant.—American Advertiser

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

Jas. D. Sherwin.
Born, Monday morning to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gray, a girl.

Carbolum, the great disinfectant, at Arbuthnot's.
is made specially by us, perforated head, bound in of money.
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J. S. week fr he has h
ncy Stationery.
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See the new Iron Beds, see the new Rocking Chairs, Center Tables and Picture frames sold by Jas. D. Sherwin.

Dallas News and Colorado Record both one year for only \$1.50.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. J. Leggett from Winston were in shopping on Tuesday last and reports the Winston country prosperous. Mrs. Leggett has just returned from an extended trip to the old home at West in McLennan county, and also visited at Mt. Calm in Hill county. She reports that country very dry and that many of the best people are moving to the west.

You will find our goods and our prices right at the new furniture store. H. L. Hutchinson.

Congressman Burleson informs the old Confederate soldiers who want pensions that they must make formal application for the same as the law is not automatic. Your county clerk can give all the information necessary.

"The Fort Worth Record is a mighty good paper. The Colorado Record is better still. Both one year for \$1.50.

Meet me at Jakes Resturant.

Mr. C. S. Knott, the rustling real estate, was dangerously ill the first part of the week, but is now improving.

You can save money by trading with the new furniture store this year. H. L. Hutchinson.

Judge Hamner, who was reported sick the first of the week, left last night for Dallas for treatment.

Carbolum, for hen lice, ticks, and as a general disinfectant - Arbuthnot.

WEST TEXAS A FINE COUNTRY.

"The croakers who are crying dry times in West Texas already should be cremated," said Hon. A. B. Robertson of Colorado City this morning. "Such people should learn that the West Texas farmer can do without rain until May and then make a bigger cotton crop, with less work, than the average black waxy farmer can make with rain every two weeks in the year. It doesn't take a world of rain to raise cotton. Mitchell county land is naturally so fertile that if the farmer gives his cotton seed half a chance they will sprout of their own accord.

"Another thing the croakers are croaking about merely shows their dense ignorance. The new settlers in Western Texas are not plastering their places with mortgages. A majority of those who have bought lands, and have opened farms have paid cash for the lands and improvements made. Those who haven't paid all cash have paid from one-fourth to one-half cash, and have ten years in which to pay the balance. They are in a financial position to stick, and they are in the best country in the world to stick to. That's why I say that the fellow who is crying drouth and the like is merely bawling to hear himself howl.—Ft. Worth Star.

Mr. Robertson returned home Sunday night and reports a most pleasant time. He always puts in a good lick for Colorado and Mitchell county and it never fails to benefit the county and town.

Oil Mill Running.

The big oil mill is now under a full head of steam running with a full force day and night, and are turning out oil, meal, hulls and cake galore. The compress is very busy, the big stock pens are under construction and there is something doing down that way. About 75 men are employed and all are behind with their work. Something like 700 tons of seed are on hand with about 50 tons as daily receipts, and still it comes, but the big mill eats up about 60 tons per day, and it is expected that the mill will find grist to grind until the middle of the summer. Superintendent Bicknell is a busy man, but he always has a kind word for all who come to see the plant, and there has been quite a lot of visitors the past week.

Comic Opera Company.

Tonight and tomorrow night the Comic Opera Company will play at the opera house. This is the same company that played here earlier in the season, and gave such universal satisfaction. An advance notice says:

"Said Pasha" opened the engagement of the Columbia Opera Company at Dreamland last night, and, judging from the repeated demonstrations of the large house, took the town by storm. The unanimous approval as voiced by the first audience assures the reputation of the company in Globe.

Constructed primarily for laughing purposes, "Said Pasha" scores its points with grace and abandon and the cynic who went away dissatisfied last night must be afflicted with jaundice. The brain-fagged man of affairs who grinds by day and hies himself forth to court recreation by night to drive dull care away, has been the causation for the staging of frivolities ever since Aristophanes tickled the classic Greek profile into horizontal wrinkles.

Married.

At the home of the bride's parents in West Odessa, Judge L. M. Wilson officiating, Mr. W. W. Ruckland, of Dayton, Ohio, to Myrtle Haynes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ruth. The Ruckland's will make their home in Colorado City.—Ector County Democrat.

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GENERAL PASSENGER AND TICKET AGENT,
DALLAS, TEXAS.

Knights of Pythias to Attend Church in a Body.

To all Knights of Pythias:
During our last session at Castle Hall, and in keeping with the custom of our order to attend public services on the nearest practicable Sunday to February the 19th, Rev. Holmes Nichols was heartily and unanimously invited to preach a sermon on the "Principles of Pythianism." All members of the order are therefore requested to meet at Castle Hall, over Lasky's grocery store, at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, March the 3rd, to attend services at the First Baptist Church in a body at which time the pastor will preach a sermon, as per the request of the body at our last meeting. All visiting Knights are requested to meet with us. Signed, J. Max Thomas, C. C. Tom P. Cooper, K. of R. and S.

Some of our citizens seem to think that the growth of neighboring towns will sap our trade and finally kill Colorado. Especially is this so and referred to in the growth of Snyder with her new railroad. They lose sight of the fact that new people coming in settles the country more densely, and while our trade territory is being gradually cut smaller yet the volume of business grows larger. It used to be Colorado sold goods to ranches in New Mexico, but we do not need now to extend over a territory of several hundred miles each way. The big ranches are giving way to the farmer and we have all the trade we can handle. Let the new towns spring up, let them grow. Down in Central Texas Temple and Belton are only eight miles apart and are both good towns. Dallas and Fort Worth are only 30 miles apart. Colorado does more business, has twice as many people, and is continually acquiring new enterprises. It used to be Saturday in Colorado was no busier day than any other, but it is different now. Last Saturday for example, the stores were all busy, the hotels full, the gins and mills running over time, the streets crowded all day, everybody in a rush, all good natured and happy and the old town a busy mart. By 1908 Colorado will have a population of six or eight thousand people, and within several years we will have a good farmer on every 1-4 section in the county.

Liberal Reduction.

On all holiday left over goods, I have a specially large lot of fine dolls which will be sold very cheap.

W. L. Doss.

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

H. B. Smoot and J. F. Ruddick have both erected nice barns.



Good Meals for Travelers

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great influx of people to handle country, instead of increasing, is establishing new roads, according to figures sent out by the railroads handling the immigrants into that promising section of Texas.

During the past month the Ft. Worth & Denver City alone handled over 175 solid carloads of immigrant outfits to points along its line in the Panhandle section, while probably half as many cars were diverted to other lines, especially to the Wichita Valley road. Calculating upon the recognized basis that one car represents one family and that five persons average the family, it can be seen that during four weeks the Denver has carried over 1,300 people to those sections, prepared to settle and make their permanent abode.

The other roads having Panhandle inlets, notably the Rock Island and the Santa Fe, have carried car after car of passengers, but the figures are not obtainable. Considering the fact that the Denver has carried over 1,300 people to those sections, prepared to settle and make their permanent abode, it is figured that these two roads carried at least 3,000 people into the business past thirty days, and that the number of this number is times. The increase shown in the number of people to the Panhandle is indicative of the fact that the interest in that section has increased, wherewith, but is constantly on the up grade.

The passenger department of the Denver has compiled figures showing the number of passengers carried to the Panhandle who is slothful during 1906. These figures show that 3,375 were received from foreign (non-Texas) and that slightly over that number were received from local sources. In 1905 less than half the number were handled to the Denver; Amarillo, Vernon, Quanah and Dalhart got the bulk of the new settlers during the past year. Freight department figures show that during the last six months of 1906 as many as 418 cars were handled to the Panhandle. For the first six months of 1906 a total of 395 cars were loaded, while during the latter six months the number of cars of immigrant outfits totaled 637.—Fort Worth Record.

What is said of the Panhandle may be said of all West Texas. Never in the history of this country has the influx of people been so great as now. Mr. Isaac Landers who is here from Neosha, Mo., for the purpose of selling out the Bush & Tiller ranch to actual settlers, says all eyes are turned Texasward, and that we people have no idea of the wonderful amount of immigration. Every train is crowded and they are nearly all well to do people.

OUR FRIENDS.

Those who have paid and become new subscribers to the Record since our last issue are:

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THE EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Subject—The Duty of Testimony. Acts 1:8.
Leader, M. K. Jackson.
Song. Song.
Scripture lesson.
Prayer.

The importance of public testimony—Dera Wuljen.

A feeling of gratitude should prompt every Christian to perform the duty of testimony—Miss Julia McLure.

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Sentence prayers.

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A way for all to testify—J. B. Annis.

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Wholesale Business For Abilene.

The Abilene Reporter has the following:

"It is gratifying to be able to state that Abilene will soon have a wholesale sash and door company with unlimited capital and that this whole section will be benefitted both by reason of the additional volume of business and by a reduction in prices of the most expensive materials in building."

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OUT OF SORTS.

The Belton Reporter seems to be a trifle shy on the sorts case, this week. Hear it:

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Then listen at this:

"Might as well admit the unpleasant fact, we are in the midst of a drouth, and one, if it continues a few weeks longer, will become serious to the farming interests."

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the court house in the city of Colorado, Texas, on Tuesday April 2, 1907, for the election of a Mayor, five aldermen, a city secretary and a marshal, for the said city of Colorado. A. J. Coe is appointed presiding officer of said election. Every person not disqualified by law, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and is entitled to vote for members of the legislature of this state, and shall have resided within the corporate limits of the city of Colorado for six months next preceding said election, is entitled to vote in said election, provided, if subject to a poll tax, he shall have paid the same prior to February 1st, 1907. By order of City Council. W. K. HOMAN, Mayor.

Renters Wanted.

Want at once 2 good renters to move on well improved places. See Stoneham or Morrison at the court house.

WINSTON NEWS NOTES.

Joe Griffin has the mumps. We are having beautiful weather at this writing.

Leo Northcut and sister, Miss Josie, are sick with grip.

Miss Hanna Wemken is visiting her sister at Sweetwater.

Ike Kidd of Lamesa was in our midst last week.

Mrs. Bettie Mahoney and Mrs. Emma Leggett and little son, Georgie, have returned from Hill county.

Geo. Pagan has gone to Arizona to get rich, for he has tried awful hard and failed.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Crownover on the 17th, a girl.

It is with a sad heart we note the death of little Willie Kidd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kidd. The remains were laid to rest in Lone Wolf cemetery Saturday.

A large concourse of relatives and friends were present.

Rev. Adams of Abilene preached here Saturday.

Mrs. E. J. Crownover and little Ora Peavy, let for their home at Abilene Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Britton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Caswell.

Messrs Earnest Baker and Robert Swinford were pleasant callers at Mr Mahoney's Sunday night.

Tobe Haggerton and wife are now domiciled in their new home.

The Literary Society meets every other Saturday night at the Champion school house. Joe Griffin is president and Miss Eunice Griffin is secretary.

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City Health Officer, City Scavenger.

Horse Taken Up.

A sorrel horse, blaze face, about 1 1/2 hands high, no brand, came to my place 5 1/2 miles north of Colorado Feb. 4th. Owner can get same by paying for his keep and this notice. W. E. Watson.

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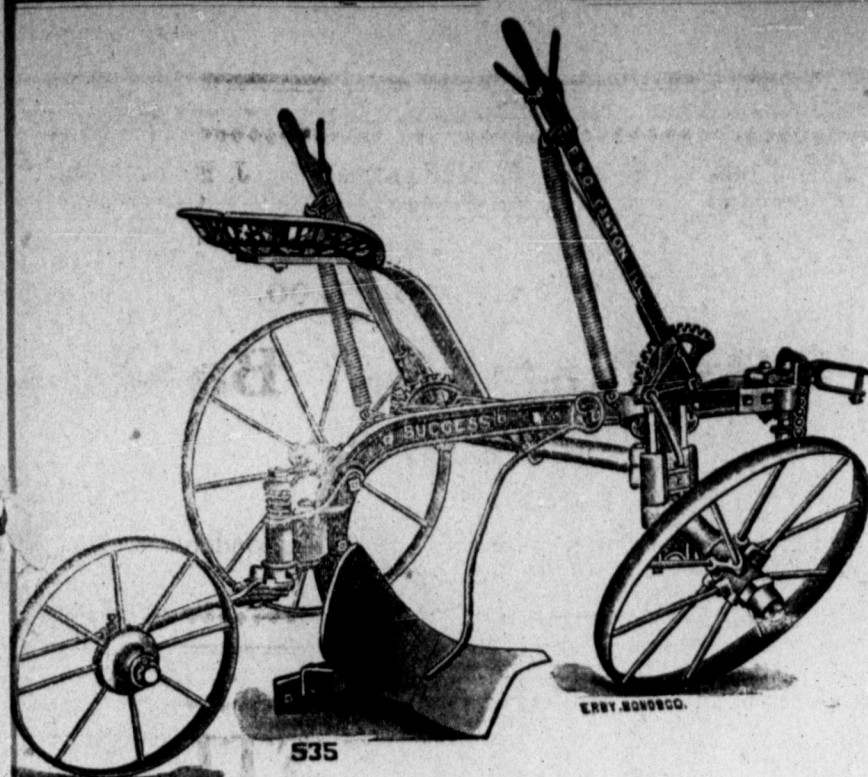
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LOCALS

Whose your druggist—W. L. Doss?

Bridge add Beach stoves and ranges at Y. D. McMurry.

J. S. McCall and wife returned from Ft. Worth Wednesday morning and report a pleasant trip.

R. O. Pearson at Burton-Lingo Co. for a bargain in a farm. See his ad.

Mrs. W. R. Dawes who lives at Big Springs is here this week on a visit to her niece, Miss Sadie Mai Hughes.

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

Hon. Jas. L. Shepherd has been presiding over the district court this week. Glad he is well again. —Midland Reporter.

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

We carry the largest stock of furniture and undertakers goods in Colorado, H. L. Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clark of Memphis, Tenn., but recently of Colorado, Texas, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ligon. —Midland Reporter.

Warranty deeds at The Record office.

Eugene Thompson is dangerously ill with double pneumonia, at the Alamo hotel, but his friends hope now the worst is over.

Headquarters for groceries at Y. D. McMurry.

Our friend C. C. Blandford is at home this week from a trip over the west, representing a wholesale saddlery house of Ft. Worth. He reports the entire west in a most prosperous condition and every body has plenty of money.

Stockmen and Farmers use Carbolium at Arbutnots.

J. S. Vaughan returned this week from El Paso county where he has been holding down his 8 sections of school land near Van Horn. Earl was doing the holding down and was well pleased with his job. Asked about rain, he said: "We don't need rain, and another thing is, we ain't looking for rain."

Birdwell guarantees every sack of "Pride of Texas" flour as the best.

A. J. Payne is back from the eastern markets, he having come in on Tuesday. Mr. Payne reports goods high and scarce; all factories are behind with their orders and the wholesale houses are short on goods. He bought a large lot of spring and summer merchandise.

We have some good resident property for sale. O. B. Shurtliff office up-stairs in Snyder Building.

The first number of the public school lyceum course was given last Monday night when Prof. W. C. Frost delivered his historical lecture on Napoleon Bonaparte. A good house greeted him and the lecture was well received, and while it was historical it was instructive and enjoyed by his hearers. The next number is on March 21st, and is Geo. A. Landrum an impersonator, reader and story teller. He is happy in the choice of his material and always up to the standard in the interpretation of it. Some of his programs are one story, some two story, some three and some regular "sky scrapers," but in all of them there is a touch of the funny side of nature which makes you glad you came.

Good heavy dray team for sale or to let out on halves. I will furnish feed stuff. See Victor Dziedzich.

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Horses clipped on short notice at Green's stable.

Must sell my farm at once, see Pearson at Burton-Lingo Co.

W. S. Singleton went to Colorado Tuesday to see his wife who is visiting her mother. —Dawson News.

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

Wallace Fore has accepted a position with J. F. McGill and will be glad to have his friends call and see him.

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

Judge E. N. Riden, Justice of Precinct No. 5, was in Colorado yesterday from Loraine and reports a wonderful lot of trading in lands and lots in and around Loraine.

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W. A. Jones has sold his automobile line from Big Springs to Lamesa to the Western Automobile Co. and the machines are now making daily round trips in five hours—if nothing happens.

Vol Stephens is in today from his ranch at Van Horn and reports everything as lovely.

Hot coffee and chilli at Vincent's.

Miss Neily Mills has returned from a visit to the fashion emporiums in the east, where she purchased her spring stock of millinery.

For a good farm cheap; see R. O. Pearson, at Burton-Lingo Co.

J. A. Fore rented the W. S. Stoneham place this week for one year.

Fine line of imported lineoleums at the new furniture store, H. L. Hutchinson.

The post office robbery at Trent a few weeks ago, promises to involve a merchant of that place who it appears, robbed himself.

Phonographs and records at W. T. Smith & Co's.

Prof. W. W. Lackey superintendent of the Midland schools, was here this week, the guest of Prof. Yoe.

If it's new, A. J. Payne has it. School supplies at Doss'.

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

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For Sale.

Thirty coming 3 and 4 year old mules for sale in pairs from \$200 to \$275 per span. See Ed Dupree.

I saw it in the Record.

THE BIRTH OF WORDS

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More Than Four Hundred Words in Our Language Are Related to the Hand Alone and Almost as Many Are Derived From the Head.

The human body—its limbs, fingers, toes, mouth, nose, ears, head and some of the internal organs—has originated hundreds of words. In one of the large dictionaries more than 400 are found related to the hand alone and almost as many to the head.

Index, indicate, predicate, from a Greek word for finger, mean that which points out. So oracle and orator refer to what comes out of the mouth. Audience, audible, auscultation, the auditing of accounts, originally after a "hearing" of the officials, are traceable to the ear. Spirit means the breath and is also found in conspire, "to breathe together;" inspire, "to breathe in," and even in perspire, "to breathe through." Impediment is something against the foot. Ell, the cloth measure, is the length of the forearm. The hair in capillary attraction means the power exerted through the capillary or hairlike tubes.

The heart (cordis) is to be observed in a cordial, or heartening, drink; a cordial, or hearty, manner; the core of an apple. Dents in wood or metal get their name from their resemblance to tooth marks. The tongue sticks out in several words, like language and linguist.

In some countries anybody may rise by his own merits to be somebody, even to the "head" of the nation or of the church; be a head master of a school, head a revolution, take up "arms" and prove to be a capitalist—that is, a headmost—soldier and the chief (head) of the army.

Corporal punishment is bodily punishment; capital punishment is punishment by decapitation, or taking off the head. A corporal—that is, a corporal—means the same as captain—that is, the head of a body of foot soldiers. A colonel is one who has been crowned. The commander in chief, or head commander, compels the chieftains, or headmen of the enemy, to capitulate—that is, surrender according to an agreement that is divided into capitulas, or little heads, or chapters.

A heady and headstrong ruler sometimes makes people wish he was headless. To make headway against his foes he may have to rush headlong into difficulties or take a header into the unknown sea of politics. Among some peoples one with the big head is likely to lose it. Under some the headship of the ship of state does not make headway against the head winds of events or around the "cape," or headland, just ahead. He may plunge into trouble over head and ears, and his opponents have to put their heads together to head him off, so as to prevent a head-on collision with another nation. Some men hate to be treated as deadheads at political headquarters or as so many head of cattle or as nutton heads or cabbage heads, cabbage itself being from an old Spanish word meaning head.

Some men "play their hand" for all there is in it. Some stretch out the glad hand to every one. Some keep hand in glove with those engaged in underhand proceedings as well as with those who have climbed to high places hand over hand. When the right man says "Hands off!" even his right hand man would not lay hands on what was forbidden. The clock hands tell us if we are beforehand or behindhand.

A handsome man originally was one who used his hands skillfully and so was graceful and probably, therefore, good looking. Although every one carries a palm in his hand, people no longer, with palms in their hands, welcome their heroes. One may have his finger in too many pies and tread on too many toes. One's chirography, manuscript, handwriting—they are all one—may be rather coarse, but his fine hand is detected in many a public document and so arouse opposition to his handling the funds. This might prove a severe handicap, which was originally so called from the jockeys putting their hands into a cap and drawing lots for the places that their horses were to have in the race. Footstool and foot rule sound alike, but in the first foot is the literal, in the second the figurative, use of the word.

Though the politician put his best foot forward he may find his foothold getting insecure and begin wondering what's afoot. His coachman, mounting the footboard, may be insolent; his footman, contemptuous; his chef, or head cook, neglectful. He may be ridiculed before the footlights as a social footpad, living a hand to mouth existence at the expense of the taxpayers. While they are insisting on his toeing the mark and he is hanging to his position by the toe nails, as the saying is, he may well wish he was back on his native foothills.

Were he arrested he might be handcuffed and fetters, or fetters, placed upon his feet. He might not even have an opportunity of making mouths or showing his teeth at his enemies. He might in other days be turned over to the headman, but there would be no newspaper headlines proclaiming that fact. Only a small headstone might tell his fate to the pedestrians, or foot passengers, going by.—New York Tribune.

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IN THE SOCIAL REALM.

GEO. WASHINGTON RECEPTION.

The Literary department of the Epworth League, with Mrs. J. R. Collier as its able president, entertained last Friday evening, in a most delightful manner, the Leaguers and young people of the Methodist Church, with a Geo. Washington reception. The invitations and "At Home" cards were in League colors—white and gold—but only the faintest suggestion was given therein of the good things in store for all. This memorable reception took place at the home of Rev. B. W. Dodson and wife, which suffices to say how hearty and how cordial was the greeting extended to every guest.

Miss Julia McLure presided in the reception hall, which was beautifully decorated in the League colors; graceful festoons of white and gold extending from the ceiling to the center of the room terminated in large rosettes of the same colors. Touches of gold here and there shone resplendent in the light emanating from numerous candles.

Miss Mabel Dodson led the way to the cloak room, and the Misses Alice Shuford and Allie Robertson pinned on the dainty little souvenirs, Maltese crosses—the League emblems, with a bunch of fresh violets—the League flower. From the reception hall Mrs. Dodson led the way to the parlor where stood the receiving line, which was indeed composed of "Ye old colonial royalty." Bro. Dodson introduced the guests in his own inimitable manner. Gracing the head of the line, in full dress, was Gen. Geo. Washington, (Mr. C. S. Ellis) invested with that stately dignity and gentlemanly bearing that has always characterized our honored patriot; beside him stood Mrs. Martha Washington (Miss Exa McLure)

beautiful indeed in her silken robe, powdered hair and jewels. Following in succession were Miss Martha Custis (Miss Lena McLure), Lady Fairfax (Miss Nell Ruddick) Mrs. Lawrence Washington (Dera Wuffjen) and Mrs. Harry Lee (Miss Pearl Ruddick) all beautifully gowned and looking every inch true Colonial dames.

The parlor and dining room were most artistically decorated in patriotic colors, red, white and blue bunting, draping windows and doors and U. S. flags and colonial pictures adorning the walls. The light was furnished from golden candelabra, which materially heightened the effect of an already charming scene.

The program of the evening consisted of a paper on colonial literature by Miss Nell Ruddick; history of the first U. S. flag, Roy Dodson; Yankee Doodle song, A. C. Dodson, interspersed with some patriotic violin solos by Dr. Merrill, Miss Katie Warren accompanying.

A historical contest followed, which very ably tested the memory of those taking part.

Mrs. Collier next ushered the guests into the dining room and the daintiest of menu cards were passed, being designed from the "Liberty Bell" and in the patriotic colors. A two course luncheon was served; pressed chicken, jelly, wafers and tea, were followed by pumpkin pie, Washington cake and cherries.

So very pleasant was it to linger "Over the tea cups" that the time passed unheeded and the hour hand pointed to the midnight hour ere the good byes were spoken. Every one expressed themselves as having spent a most delightful evening, and the Leaguers feel very grateful to Mrs. Collier for her noble and untiring effort in their behalf.

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AT THE CHURCHES.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sacrament at 11 a. m. Subject of morning sermon, "An almost universal but unthought of sin." At night, subject, "Christ not a luxury, but a necessity for every man who seeks the highest development."

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Leagues at 3 and 4 p. m.

Subject for prayer meeting on next Wednesday evening, "The life and character of Melchizedek." Everybody is cordially invited. B. W. Dodson;

Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Judge Homan, who has been absent all the week, will return tonight and will occupy the pulpit at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening. This will be foreign mission day and a large crowd is expected. All, especially strangers in the town, are invited.

Four Lumber Yards For Snyder

R. O. Pearson, manager for Burton-Lingo Co., returned from Snyder last Saturday, where he just closed a deal for a half block on Main street on which he proposes to put in a big lumber yard at that place. They will build their sheds, etc. and have everything ready by the time the railroad is completed and the lumber is gotten there. The Snyder paper says:

Just as we go to press Cornelius McDowell have sold half a block near the union co ton gin to the Burton-Lingo Lumber Co. R. O. Pearson, manager of the company's yard at Colorado, and A. DeFebach of Ft. Worth, secretary of the company, paid this office a pleasant visit. They stated that their company had come to Snyder to stay. This makes us four yards. The Light extends the company a hearty welcome to Snyder.

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Quarterly Conference.

The first quarterly conference for the year 1906-'7, was held at the Methodist church Tuesday night, Presiding Elder Griswold in the chair. The reports from the pastor and stewards and other officials showed the church to be in excellent condition, finances in good shape, and the church witnessing a steady growth in membership. Plans were discussed for better work in the future, especially so in regard to the Sunday school.

Among other business transacted was the election of M. C. Knott as recording steward, also the confirmation of J. O. McCreless and J. A. Fore as stewards. The conference also confirmed the election of the following Epworth League officers: J. A. Fore president, Miss Alice Shuford first vice-president, Miss Nellie Ruddick second vice-president, Mrs. J. R. Collier, third vice-president, Miss Lena McLure, fourth vice-president, Miss Julia McLure secretary, Miss Mabel Dodson, treasurer, J. H. Basden Epworth Era agent.

Sudden Death.

The little six-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Whitmore of Snyder, died suddenly Wednesday morning in this city at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hale, parents of Mrs. Whitmore. The little fellow had been unwell for several days, and on Tuesday drove over from Snyder to this city, and it was thought that he was getting all right, but about 7 o'clock Wednesday morning he grew worse and died in a few minutes. Little Hooker was a very bright young boy and his untimely death has almost crushed the hearts of the dear parents. His little body was tenderly laid to rest yesterday evening in the Odd Fellow's cemetery. The sympathy of many friends go out to the bereaved relatives in their sad hour of trouble.



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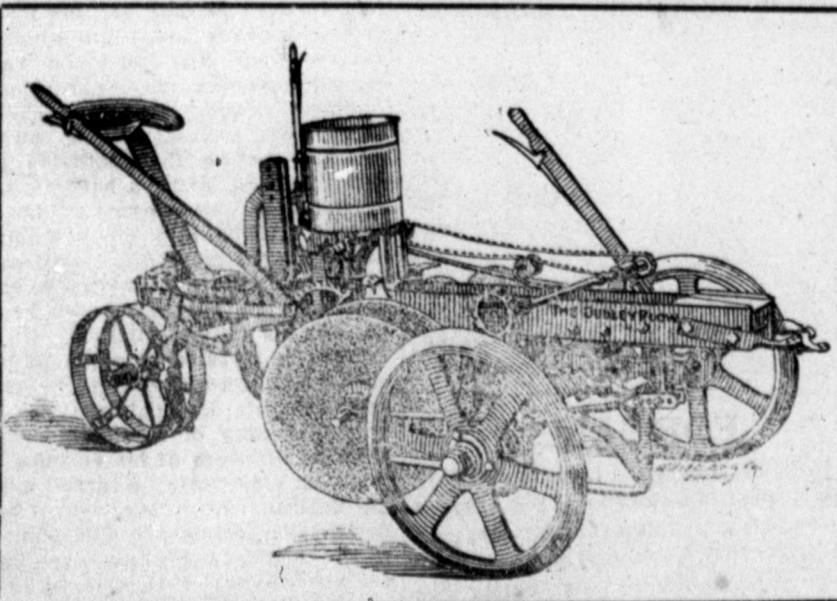
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Notice to Teachers.

Teachers' institute will be held on the last Thursday, Friday and Saturday in March. Program will be published in paper next week. W. B. CROCKET, County Superintendent.

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