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SHIPPING ROOSTERS BY THE CAR LOAD

E. A. Jeanes, of E. A. Janes & Co., stated Wednesday that after much work his firm was at last realizing a better trade and co-operation from the poultry growers in the infertile egg business. Mr. Jeanes has been preaching infertile eggs for several years and pays a better price for this class of eggs, and as a result the poultry growers are learning the importance of ridding their poultry yards of the roosters after the breeding season.

As an evidence of the increase in infertile eggs Jeanes & Co.,

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W. C. Barrett and T. J. Ford, of the Norton country, Ed Chapman, Wallace Hawkins, Harris Mullin, Jack Pierce, of Winters; Sam Brookshire, B. J. Clayton, and Sam Boyer of the Benoit country; were among the business visitors in Ballinger Tuesday.

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MORRIS ACCUSES FERGUSON OF CRAFT

For some reason the speaking date for Chas. H. Morris, candidate for governor, had not been announced in Ballinger, and that gentleman arrived in Ballinger unannounced Tuesday, and began at once to advertise his speaking. He addressed between fifty and one hundred men at the court house, Tuesday afternoon, speaking for about two hours, during which time the majority of the crowd listened very attentively to what Mr. Morris had to say.

Mr. Morris stated that it was the first time in his life he had ever asked for any kind of political favor. He declared that he was a business man, and a successful one, having worked his way from the very bottom. In speaking of his private record he stated that he was the son of a Methodist preacher and had lived up to the teaching taught him by his father, and had never taken a drink of whiskey in his life, did not know one card from another and never appeared on the ball room floor in his life. He said he was a pro in all that the term applies, and considered the open saloon one of the greatest curses to the American people.

Before taking up and discussing the various planks in his platform, Mr. Morris devoted considerable time to exposing the waste full extravagance, as he termed it, of the Ferguson administration. He exhibited charts and tax tables showing that the amount paid by the tax payers of Runnels county during the Ferguson administration was double the amount paid during two years in the history of Texas. He stated that the tax rate for the Ferguson administration was double that of any two years in the history of the state, and he referred to the appointees filling the new offices created under the Ferguson administration, as tax eaters, and a burden to the tax payers.

The speaker exhibited quite a number of certified bills which he had secured at considerable expense, showing how Gov. Ferguson was checking on the various appropriations made by the legislature for his personal expense. He exhibited grocery bills, auto bills, gasoline bills, candy bills, and an item of \$50 per month which was being paid for salary for social secretary for Mrs. Ferguson, and criticized the governor for paying out the people's money for such items, claiming that they were being paid out of appropriations made by the legislature for other purposes. In discussing the penitentiary system Mr. Morris criticized Gov. Ferguson for buying another convict farm at a cost of \$350,000 after the commission had declared that the penitentiary farms were being operated at a loss, and stated that the new farm was bought on a credit, taxing the tax payers a big interest, and stated that Jake Wolters and two other lawyers received \$50,000 for putting over the deal.

Mr. Morris declared himself in favor of the Robertson insurance law, and criticized Ferguson for opposing this law. He said Ferguson's argument in favor of the repeal of the Robertson law was that it would bring cheap money into Texas was a good deal like his tenant law, was made only to catch votes, and he asked where the tenant law had benefited any one. He said Ferguson was posing as a friend to the tenant class he was not practicing what he preached and was oppressing the tenant class, and stated that Ferguson had purchased another farm since he was elected governor, and the first thing he did was to kick out all the tenants and employ hands to work on the farm.

The candidate for governor ridiculed the people who referred to the Ferguson administration as a business one and stated that it was for big business interest and against the tax payers of Texas, and exhibited a chart showing how the revenue from taxes had been increased during the Fer-

guson administration and the revenue from big business decreased.

It was not an enthusiastic crowd who head Mr. Morris speak, and only when he stated that if he was elected governor he would not leave Austin and take the stump in the interest of some local campaign, that he was applauded.

Mr. Morris stated that Ballinger was one of the towns in which he was not acquainted, and it was some time after he arrived here before he met any one who was personally acquainted with him. His supporters here were not very active, and it began to look like he would have trouble getting before his crowd, when Judge J. H. Baugh volunteered to introduce the speaker, and he was given a respectful hearing, and no doubt made a favorable impression on those who heard him, or quite a number of them at least.

PAIN HITS ROOSEVELT IN LEFT SIDE

By United Press.

NEW YORK, June 14.—Theodore Roosevelt was taken ill with a severe pain in his left side this afternoon, and arrangements are being made for an X-ray examination. The physicians report that severe coughing strained the ligaments.

On account of the sudden illness Mr. Roosevelt has been forced to cancel all his engagements for the next week.

JAPAN SENDS NEW AMBASSADOR TO U. S.

TOKIO, June 14.—Aimero Sato has been appointed ambassador to the United States to succeed Ambassador Viscount Chinda, who will be transferred to London.

BUYS LIVERY STABLE.

J. C. Nix closed the deal a day or two ago in which he bought the J. R. Deen's Livery Stable on Seventh street and took charge of the same first of this week. We do not know what Mr. Deen's will do but hope he will see fit to remain in our city.

WILL ATTEND SPECIAL TERM CHICAGO UNIVERSITY

Misses Maryatte Smith and Tennie Ladwig left Wednesday afternoon for Chicago, going by the way of St. Louis. The young ladies are two of the successful teachers in the Ballinger schools, having just been re-elected. They go to Chicago for a special course in a summer term of the Chicago University, and will visit points of interest after completing their special work, and better preparing themselves for teaching.

WILSON AT HEAD FLAG DAY PARADE

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—President Wilson marched at the head in the combination preparedness and flag day parade here today, marching afoot. Mr. Wilson led the parade at a rapid speed, breaking all local parade records, walking one mile and a half in fifteen minutes.

Democrats to Make Strong Bid For Progressives Vote

(By United Press)

CONVENTION HALL, St. Louis, June 14.—National Democratic Chairman W. F. McCombs called the National convention to order today promptly at one thirty-one. Fifteen thousand delegates join in one great chorus, singing National Anthems and at the same time waving thousands of flags. The scene was the most enthusiastic and inspiring ever witnessed at a Democratic convention.

Rev. James stepped to the edge of the chairman's platform as he singing stopped and offered the invocation, thanking God for the conservatism of our president.

At twelve forty-three Mr. McCombs began the opening address, and perfect order prevailed while the speaker briefly outlined the work at hand.

It is the opinion of the Democratic platform leaders that the platform will contain a string bid for the support of the Progressives who are not in harmony with the Republican platform, or there will be a hard fight for such a platform.

W. J. Bryan's appearance in the newspaper reporter's stand started a great ovation, and for several minutes the convention hall rang out with cheers for the Nebraskan.

Temporary Officers Elected

At one forty-five temporary officers were elected with Martin H. Glynn as temporary chairman. Mr. Glynn began the keynote address immediately. At the first mention of President Wilson's name the crowd began cheering and the cheering continued for sixteen minutes before order was restored.

The Texas delegation is easily located in the big convention hall being located under a large Lone Star flag.

St. Louis, Mo., June 14.—For the first time in decades, Democracy's hosts met in quadriennial session today with complete agreement on the choice of national standard bearer.

There wasn't a delegate who didn't agree to the renomination of President Woodrow Wilson.

The bitterness of the factional strife at Baltimore four years ago was gone. Advance indications were for a regular "love feast" with the only possibilities for optimistic, cheering and confident through that responded to the bang of National Chairman William F. McCombs' gavel. No

spectator of an internecine fight intruded.

First of all, the delegates were meeting in Missouri, one of whose favorite sons four years ago was a defeated candidate in the battle of the ballots.

That same favorite son—Speaker Champ Clark—as if to emphasize the healing of the wounds dealt him by the Baltimore gathering, was one of the loudest in his praises of the men who took from him the honor of leading the Democratic hosts.

"I believe the convention can adjourn by Friday, if it so desires," Chairman McCombs said just before convening the assembly.

The delegates, themselves, however, indicated early in the meeting their desire to hear "glorification" speeches and this excess of enthusiasm was expected to prolong the convention until Saturday morning.

St. Louis began playing the host to the visiting thousands in royal fashion. Non-partisan committees galore, whose interest and energy was bent solely toward making visitors comfortable and happy, were constantly in attendance.

The convention is St. Louis' first chance since the Louisiana Purchase Exposition of 1904 to entertain distinguished guests, and St. Louisans were determined to make the occasion a memorable one.

One topic which was eagerly discussed by the crowds in the streets and hotel lobbies was the so-called "unit rule" and "two thirds" regulation which from time immemorial has ruled at Democratic convales.

There was general belief expressed that the regular quadriennial attempt to overthrow these ancient rules would succeed this year.

Delegates recalled that the attempt was made four years ago in Baltimore and defeated mainly because there was such bitter strife between the candidates. If the two-thirds rule had not been in effect at Baltimore, Champ Clark, Missouri's favorite son, would have been named.

This year, it was conceded, will be an excellent opportunity for the Democratic party to abolish the precedent requiring a two-thirds majority as necessary to a

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A. W. SLEDGE, Editor
S. P. SHEPHERD, Business Mgr.

Every farmer in Runnels county is invited to the Farmers' Short Course school to be held at the South Ward school building next week. It's free.

Texas is a mighty big state and there is much to be done before

the resources of the state are developed, and if the people do not keep an eye on the political game, we predict that politics will get as rotten as the rankest.

While the crime committed and the injury done by Mexican bandits along the border has been great, the American government should not intervene with a motive for revenge, but intervention should take place at once for humanity's sake. Conditions in Mexico are deplorable and are growing worse every day. Nothing short of intervention will suffice.

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TWO PHONES 66 AND 77

TEACHERS ELECTED FOR ROWENA SCHOOL

Prof. Chas. Plachy, for the past two or three years principal of the Rowena public schools, was in Ballinger Tuesday and reported that the board had made up the faculty for the coming term. Mr. Plachy was not an applicant for the principalship this year, and will go to another point to continue his work. He will be succeeded by Prof. C. W. Kopecky. Miss Stella Hix has been elected as intermediate teacher and Rev. and Miss Edna Hix will have charge of the primary.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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A. R. Jones, bookkeeper for the Walker Drug Co., left Monday to visit his mother at Snyder for a few weeks vacation.

For the June Bride, Community Silver and Haviland China, beauty and utility combined. Hall Hardware Company. 2-dtf

Miss Leila Latham, of Brownwood, who had been visiting her aunt Mrs. Mike C. Boyd and family, returned home Tuesday afternoon.

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever," this means Community Silver and Haviland China. Hall Hardware Company. 2-dtf

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Minchew and baby, of Waco, who had been visiting his brother near Norton, passed through Ballinger Tuesday en route home.

Stomach Troubles and Constipation.

"I will cheerfully say that Chamberlain's Tablets are the most satisfactory remedy for stomach troubles and constipation that I have sold in thirty-four years' drug store service," writes S. H. Murphy, druggist, Wellsburg, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

E. H. Zander left Tuesday afternoon for Shiner to join his wife on a short visit to relatives, and they will return home in a week or so.

Will My Child Take Dr. King's New Discovery?

This best answer is Dr. King's New Discovery itself. Its a pleasant sweet syrup, easy to take. It contains the medicines which years of experience have proven best for Coughs and Colds. Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery longest are its best friends. Besides every bottle is guaranteed. If you don't get satisfaction you get your money back. Buy a bottle, use as directed. Keep what is left for Cough and Cold insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. George left Monday in their auto to visit relatives and spend a few weeks vacation at points in East Texas.

Bad To Have A Cold Hang On.

Don't let your cold hang on, rack your system and become chronic when Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will help you. It heals the inflammation, soothes the cough and loosens the phlegm. You breathe easier at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a laxative Tar Syrup, the pine tar balsam heals the raw spots, loosens the mucous and prevents irritation of the bronchial tubes. Just get a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey today, its guaranteed to help you. At druggists.

Knox Howlett, who is doing some work in Ballinger for the West Texas Telephone Co., left Wednesday for his home at Brownwood to recuperate a few days.

Mrs. Eddie Voelkel and baby and Master Sam Hunter of Fort Worth, came in Wednesday at noon and will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Voelkel and family a few weeks.

Rev. W. T. Allan left Wednesday at noon for San Angelo on a short business trip.

3 DAYS PROGRAM FOR FARMERS SCHOOL

The farmers short course instructors will arrive at Ballinger next Sunday and at nine o'clock Monday morning the school will convene at the South Ward school building. Everything is being arranged for the three days work and every farmer in the county who is interested in the betterment of farm conditions and who wants to keep abreast of the times should arrange to attend this school. The instructors are coming here free of all expense to the farmers. The Business League is footing the local expense bill and the lecturers and demonstrators come at the expense of the agricultural department. Following is the program for three days, and other matters will be discussed if the farmers will attend and ask any question on any subject they wish to be enlightened on.

JUNE 19.

Joint Session of Men and Women in Forenoon.

9:00 to 9:30 Registration with the Secretary.

9:30 to 10:30 Judging Cattle—D. T. Griswold.

10:30 to 11:15 Kitchen Conveniences—Mrs. G. M. Garren.

11:15 to 12:00 Growing Legumes for Soil Improvement—G. M. Garren.

Afternoon Session—For Men.

1:30 to 2:30 Feeding Cattle—Silos and Silage—D. T. Griswold.

2:30 to 3:30—Exchanging Cotton Seed at Oil Mills for Meal—G. M. Garren.

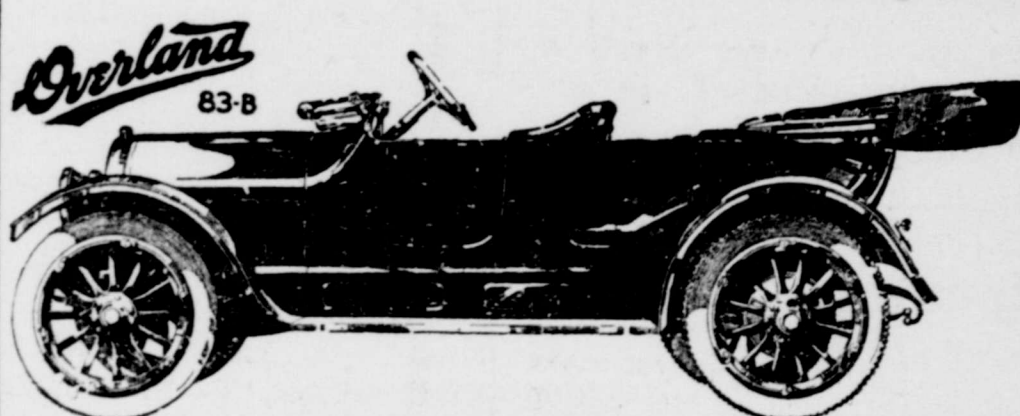
Afternoon Session—For Women.

1:30 to 3:30 Bread and Yeast—Mrs. G. M. Garren.

JUNE 20.

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Joint Session of Men and Women In Forenoon.

9:00 to 10:00 Value of Foods—Mrs. G. M. Garren.

10:00 to 11:00 Horse Judging—D. T. Griswold.

11:00 to 12:00 Preparation of Seed Bed—G. M. Garren.

Afternoon Session—For Men

1:30 to 2:30 Orchard Planning and Cultivation—W. B. Lanham.

2:30 to 3:15 Sheep Raising—D. T. Griswold.

3:15 to 4:00 Conservation of Moisture—G. M. Garren.

Afternoon Session—For Women.

1:30 to 3:30 Canning and Pickling—Mrs. G. M. Garren.

JUNE 21.

Joint Session of Men and Women In Forenoon.

9:00 to 10:00 Milk and Eggs—Value as Food—Mrs. G. M. Garren.

10:00 to 11:00 Hog Feeding—D. T. Griswold.

11:00 to 12:00 Corn Growing—G. M. Garren.

Afternoon Session—For Men.

1:30 to 2:30 Pruning: Insect Disease and Control—W. B. Lanham.

Afternoon Session for Women.

1:30 to 2:30 Fireless Cooker Demonstration—Mrs. G. M. Garren.

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J. O. WOODWARD.

Representative 111th District:

WALACE E. HAWKINS.

C. R. STEPHENS.

For County Attorney:

C. P. SHEPHERD.

SAMUEL C. HARRIS.

For County Clerk:

W. C. McCARVER.

C. C. COCKRELL.

A. L. SPANN.

For Tax Assessor:

C. C. SCHUCHARD.

T. H. CURRY.

JOE TURNER.

WILLIE STEPHENS.

H. O. RHODES.

For County Treasurer:

W. E. BROWN.

For Tax Collector:

W. T. PADGETT.

MIKE C. BOYD.

M. B. CHASTAIN.

For Sheriff:

J. D. PERKINS.

E. F. (Earl) EDWARDS.

For County Judge:

O. L. PARISH.

C. H. WILLINGHAM.

For District Clerk:

(Miss) MARY PHILLIPS.

For County Superintendent of Schools:

E. L. HAGAN.

L. S. BIRD.

JNO. C. WELLS.

For Commissioner Pre. No. 1:

E. C. MOOR.

R. P. KIRK.

R. W. (Bob) GILLIAM.

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Mrs. Chas. Tibbs, of Itasca, came in Tuesday at noon to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gregory and family and Ballinger friends a few weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Paxton and baby, of Winters, passed through Ballinger Monday en route to San Saba to visit relatives a week or two.

THE BUS YSHOP

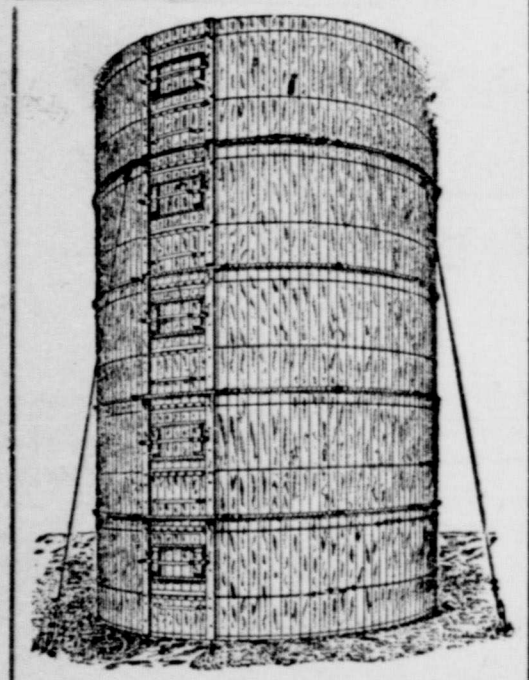
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Each a torture of itself.

Together hint at weakened kidneys.

Strike at the root—get to the cause.

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Here's convincing testimony from a Ballinger woman:

Mrs. G. W. Newman, 906 Sealy Ave., Ballinger says: "My kidneys didn't act regularly and I was bothered by pains in my back. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved this trouble. I consider them a very good medicine and don't hesitate to recommend them."

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JUDGE WILLINGHAM MAKES A PLAIN STATEMENT

There are times in every man's life when he must show his manhood, if he has any. A private citizen may have inalienable rights which he may not, and must not attempt to exercise as a public officer or servant. This being true it is time for me to speak out boldly and honestly. It is to my sorrow that I have all my life been a "boose fighter." And as I am now a candidate for the office of county judge of Runnels County, the people of this county have a "Divine Right" to know what I am going to do about it.

The time has come when no man can or should hold any of the offices and be a "boose fighter."

Any man who has sense enough to fill an office has sense enough to know this, and the people cannot be fooled. Hence I desire to say unto my people that I have absolutely quit the use of strong drink; have dissolved partnership

with "John Barleecorn," and here and now honestly and conscientiously promise and pledge myself to them my unwavering fidelity to my own manhood, and to their public interest, if I should be elected.

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Democrats to Make Strong Bid For Progressive Vote

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choice. There is only one candidate in the minds of the delegates

—Wilson—and this offers a free road to revision of the rules.

Most important also, in the minds of the gossipers and hotel lobby debaters, was the platform upon which Democracy will make this year's race. The Democrats believe they have the "edge" on

the Republicans, simply because they will have an opportunity to see what sort of a statement of principles the Chicago convention has enacted, and to meet those principles in the Democratic pledges.

Forethought.

People are learning that a little forethought often saves them a big expense. Here is an instance: E. W. Archer, Caldwell, Ohio, writes: "I do not believe that our family has been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since we commenced keeping house years ago. When we go on an extended visit we take it with us." Obtainable everywhere.

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ERROR IN WOOL SALE REPORT

Our attention has been called to a slight error in the report made in this paper of the wool sale last Monday. We should have stated that the Edgar Littlefield clip was sold to H. M. Cummings for 24c per pound, and the E. S. McWilliams clip to S. D. Ranier for 28 3/4c per pound.

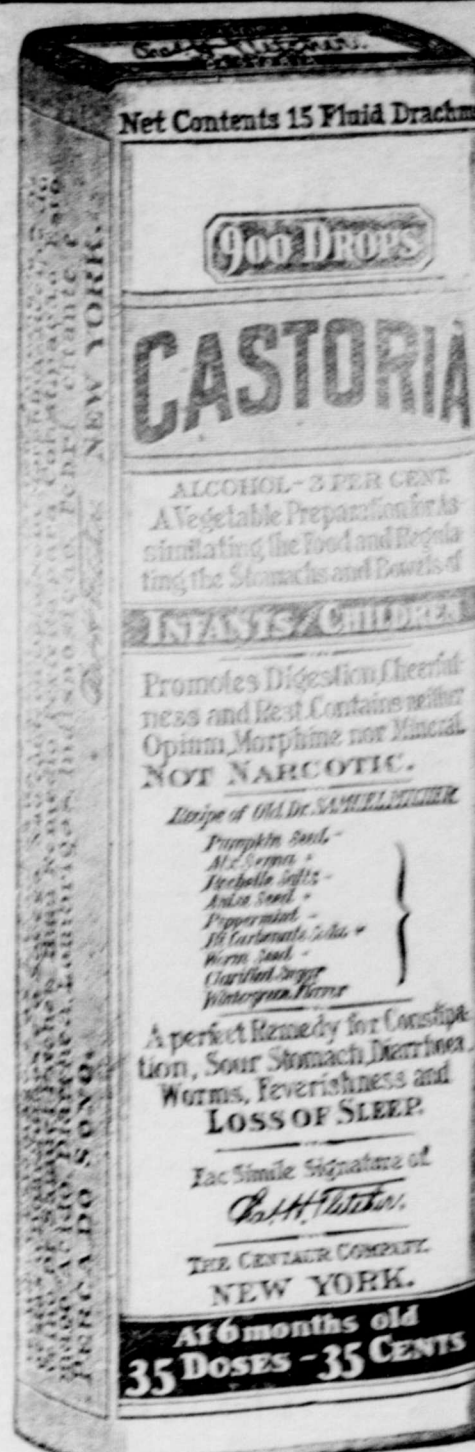
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H. E. Brooks, of Miles, who had been in our city to visit his uncle Jarvis Jones the past day or two, returned home Wednesday at noon. We are sorry to note that Mr. Jones is still in quite feeble health.

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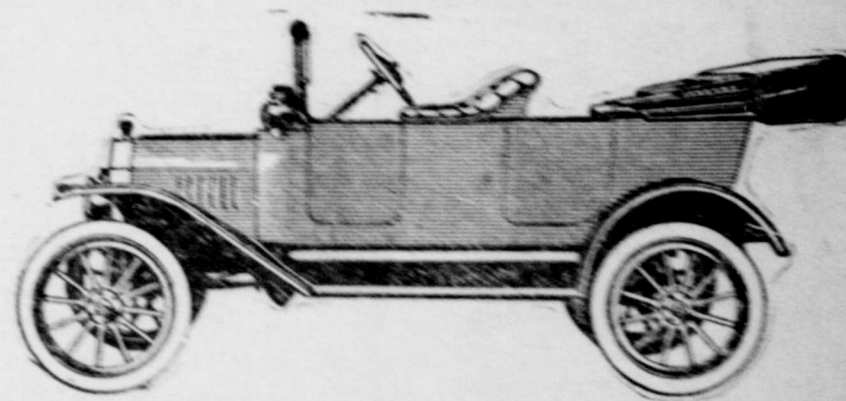
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