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Comparative Value in Texas and Illinois.

It cost approximately \$5 per head to ship cattle from Texas to the Chicago packing houses and the remainder of the difference in price is accounted for by the fact that Texas cattle are taken off the ranches and pastured and shipped to corn countries where a few bushels of corn are fed to them and \$10 added to their value. If we had enough packing houses in Texas to utilize our supply of live stock and did our own feeding we would add \$15 per head to our cattle, says the Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association.

Packing houses sufficient to meet the present needs of Texas would add \$13,700,000 to the value of our cattle, which is more than the packing houses would cost.



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JUST ABOUT TEXAS.

H. S. Nugent, traveling representative of the Houston Chronicle, fell to his death from the third story of the London Hotel at San Angelo, last week. He had arrived just about an hour before he fell from the window, and is believed to have been suffering from mental aberration.

The increase of taxable values of Dallas county the past year was more than \$6,000,000. The total amount as per the last assessment is but little short of \$100,000,000. During the past four years taxable values of the county have grown more than \$68,000,000.

State purchasing agent, White has awarded the following contracts: Sanger Bros., Dallas, merchandise to state institutions; A. B. Frank & Co., San Antonio, same; Texas Company, Houston, axle oil and paraffine; Bonner Oil Co., Houston, aqua purifier.

Based on the assumption that half a million votes will be cast in the coming democratic state primary on July

23, at the headquarters of R. V. Davidson, candidate for the nomination of governor, it was predicted that the former attorney general will be elected by a plurality of approximately 35,000.

The people of Jefferson and Orange counties, Ill. ask Governor Campbell to recommend a special law regulating the management of charbon, which disease has become chronically epidemic in these counties.

It is announced that the credit institutions of the east and of Europe have declined to advance any more money on cotton bills of lading, and this news has created consternation among the bankers and growers in north Texas. This action is said to be due to the failure of several southern cotton concerns. Texas Bankers Association will ask Governor Campbell to recommend a special law making railroads responsible for the acts of agents, and not depend on the question of general negligence. Another proposed remedy is an amendment of the anti-trust laws of Texas to enable surety companies to combine for the purpose of writing insurance on bills of lading.

The Texas Cotton Palace, with its many and varied attractions, will be formally opened at Waco, November 5th, continuing fifteen days. Besides a general exhibition of the varied industries of that marvellously rich section, there will be special feature dates, such as flower, poultry and air ship days.

A two-inch rain fell at Lubbock last week covering the entire county.

A big sauerkraut factory, one of the biggest in the country, is being established at Flatonia, Texas.

The most encouraging reports of the crop conditions come from east and central Texas since the recent rains. The corn crop especially is reported fine.

As result of a prohibition election in Cooke county last week 28 saloons were closed.

It is now certain that Texas has gained at least one congressman. Returns from 37 counties show more than 56 per cent increase. Only about one seventh of the population of Texas has yet been accounted for. On the present basis of representation, there should be two new congressmen.

Stock has been subscribed for the construction of a street railway at Cleburne, Texas.

Eastland county has the distinction of having as a citizen, one of the oldest living men, in the person of Mr. James Parkerson, aged 117 years. He is hale, hearty, and as active as men many years his junior. His first vote for president of the United States was cast for James Monroe.

The records of the secretary of state disclose the fact that during the past year the charters of 1,640 domestic corporations were filed in that office. This does not include amendments filed, of which there were 600, nor does it cover the foreign permits granted of which there were quite a large number.

The automatic tax board, consisting of the governor, state treasurer, and comptroller, fixed the tax rate last Saturday as follows: state ad valorem 4 cents, school tax remains at 16 1-2. The taxable values of the state are \$2,350,000,000, an increase of \$40,000,000 over last year.

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TROUBLE BEGINS AT AUSTIN.

The Legislature Opens In the Hands of the Administration Forces—Repeal of Fire Rate Board Law and Inhibition of Prize Fight Pictures Burden of Governor's Message.

Austin, Tex., July 19.—The third called session of the Thirty-First Legislature convened at 2 o'clock this afternoon, in response to the Governor's proclamation, and soon after organization, a warm message from His Excellency was read, treating the fire insurance rate law situation.

Each house had a quorum, an even 100 in the house and 23 in the senate. Organization was soon perfected and bills introduced and passed. However, the latter were mileage, per diem, and contingent expense bills.

Hurry to Begin Work.

So great was the hurry to get down to business that bills were introduced in the house before it had been officially notified of the senate's organization. In fact, the senate had not advised that it had a quorum.

In the senate, bills were presented before the Governor's proclamation covering the legislature was read. But the official records will be made to show everything in due form. It was another illustration of the haste in the legislature of this state.

Provide for Expenses of Session.

The mileage and per diem bills introduced in both houses carried \$51,000 and the contingent expense bill \$10,000. The \$51,000 was arrived at this way: At the last special session, \$23,000 was appropriated, and a deficit of \$1,000 resulted. In addition the mileage amounts to \$14,000, making a total of \$51,000. The house bills were presented in both branches under suspension of the rules, and the members will get their mileage at once.

Question of Adjournment Presented.

A significant occurrence was the refusal of the house to adopt the senate concurrent resolution providing for an adjournment until next Monday. The senate evidently thinks no work can be accomplished until after the primary, and that it will be a difficult matter to hold a quorum here after tomorrow. Several senators with warm contests on for office will return to their districts at once.

Tonight the senate had not heard officially from the house regarding the concurrent resolution, and adjourned until Friday.

The newly elected president pro tem, Senator D. M. Alexander of Weatherford, is a candidate for congress in the Fort Worth district.

Both houses curtailed the number of their employees, the house having an economical streak. While the senate eliminated some of the clerks and assistants of last session, it increased the salaries of the secretary and journal clerk from \$5 to \$7.50 per day, while members and other officers receive \$5 per day. It was done over the protest of some nine senators.

Lieutenant Governor's Mother Dies.

In the absence of Lieutenant Governor Davidson, who buried his mother today at Georgetown, Senator A. J. Harper, president pro tem, called the senate to order. Speaker Marshall was present in the house.

The father of Lieutenant Governor Davidson, now nearing his 90th year, is also dangerously ill, and Gov. Davidson will remain at his bedside. The senate proposed to go to Georgetown tomorrow in a body for the funeral of Mrs. Davidson, accompanied by the Governor, but the obsequies were held today.

There were no features or fireworks in either house; in fact, the proceedings were dull and routine. Large galleries were assembled in each house, but soon left, as there was nothing to hold them. Representatives Ray and Hill, who are opponents in their districts, jollied each other in a joint debate, but their auditors could not vote in their campaign.

The surveyor who is to do the preliminary work in locating the site of the Lone Wolf creek dam, arrived Thursday morning and went directly to work with the survey. We hope by next issue to be able to state definitely that the project will be put through at an early day. The value of such a body of good water to any community is beyond dispute.

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JOINT INSTALLATION.

There will be a joint installation of officers of the Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges at the I. O. O. F. hall tonight (Friday), beginning at 8:30 o'clock. After the ceremonies of installation, a spread of refreshments will be made, after which, diversion from the serious business of the evening will be indulged, in which short talks for the good of the order will be enjoyed. Quite a delegation from Loraine, both of subods, and Rebekahs will be with the local lodges, which will add much to the spirit and pleasure of the occasion. Every Odd Fellow and Rebekah is urged to be on hand and do his or her part to do the hospitable thing for our visitors.

PLENTY OF GOOD WATER.

There is one thing certain, that, whereas, the City of Colorado has received some hard knocks from the knockers during the past few months, still we notice that Colorado is the only town for some distance around that has an abundance of pure water for drinking, for factory use, and for street sprinkling. If you want a drink of good pure water, drawn from 200 feet under ground, if you want a good cool bath, or if you want to build a factory that needs plenty of water, come to Colorado.

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A general strike of the conductors, trainmen and yardmen on the Grand Trunk railway was called on the 18th. The defection of other classes of labor is imminent and unless an understanding is reached, the entire 800 miles of road will be idle. Other lines are seriously affected.

SUMMER.

The fresh of Spring, neath summer's scorching ray
Dying, leaves the world to summer's melting way.
The birds' sweet caroled notes no more they pipe
To notes, in leafy woods, since summer's ripe.

The broadened highway, stretching hill and dale,
Lies white and hot and dusty from the gale;
The wild flowers droop neath burden of heat and dust,
And feebly sway, by the scorching western gust.

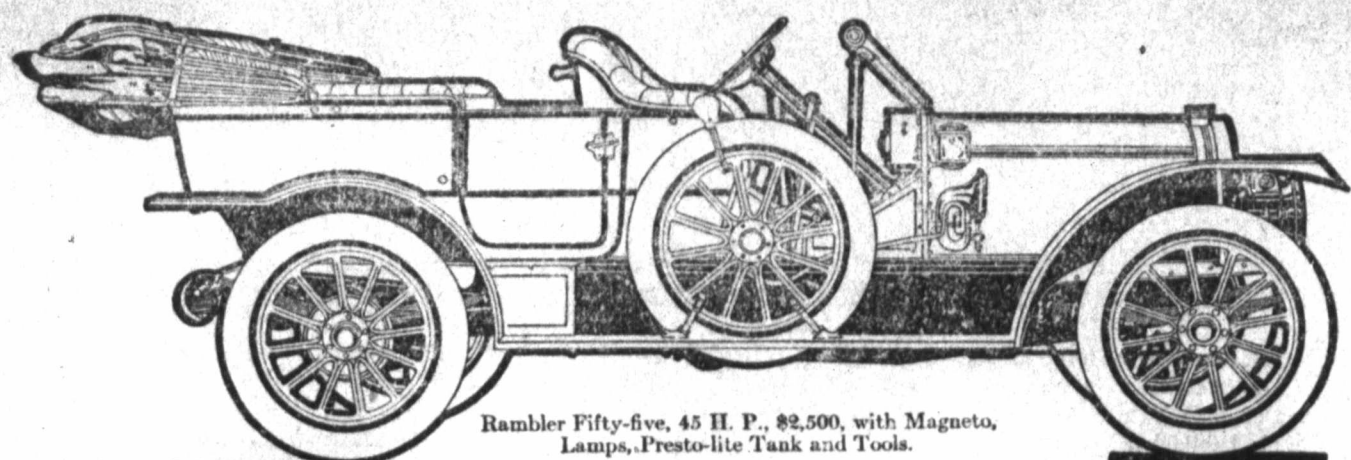
Summer's ripe and all the world in quiet waits
While queenly she with her scorching scepter sits,
And rules all nature with her melting charms;
Soothes troubled spirits of all foreboding harm.

The mountain streams with gentle murmur flows
O'er mossy banks, or lie in quiet pools where grows
The water lilies, and where fishes in the cooling ooze,
Lie sleeping, while the scorching noonday glows.

Oh, summer fair! bright and lovely as thy art,
The world is glad when thou hast done thy part,
And dying, leaves a legacy of ripened fruit and grain,
The spirit of Winter to revive, 'till thou shalt come again.

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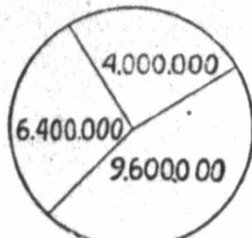
The general primary election will occur on Saturday, July 23rd, which will be a very busy day for the officers of the election everywhere. It is therefore of the utmost importance that every voter coming to the polls BRING HIS POLL TAX RECEIPT WITH HIM. There will be no time to make out affidavits that poll taxes have been paid. This matter is important, and failure to heed its wisdom may prevent many from voting. Take due notice hereof and govern yourselves accordingly.

J. W. BIRD, Presiding Judge.
Colorado, Texas, July 15, 1910.
County papers please copy.

Doss has many remnants of fine wall paper at bargain prices. To see them is to buy them.

Cotton Production

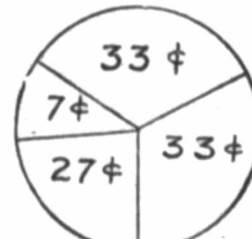
Production does not make a country influential in trade; in fact excessive production makes us helpless. The cotton factory will make us powerful in commerce; as cotton is used all over the world. The following illustration gives the cotton production of 1908.



World's Cotton Production.

Texas produces 4,000,000 bales of cotton annually; the United States except Texas produces 9,600,000 bales and the world except the United States 6,400,000. The United States produces 67 per cent of the cotton of the world but when we want to know what cotton is worth we wire England's factories for prices. If we doubled our production without home factories we would have even less to say about fixing prices of cotton; but, on the other hand, if we had 67 per cent of the cotton factories of the world, we could fix prices ourselves and take our rightful place as master of the world's commerce. English manufacturers located a thousand miles from the cotton field fix the prices. We have but one alternative; we must manufacture cotton and other staple articles in Texas or forever pay tribute to outside manufacturers, and governments, says the Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association.

When we buy cotton goods to the amount of one dollar, the farmer gets 27 cents, the transportation companies 7 cents, the English manufacturer 33 cents and the government 33 cents while with the factory in Texas the entire dollar would remain with us. The following illustration brings out the situation with clearness:



"Distribution of Cost."

The factory creates a large amount of wealth on a small area; rapidly circulates money and rapidly creates wealth. England can place all her cotton mills on a thousand acres of land and within that area will create more wealth and employ more labor than all the cotton fields of the South which approximate 35,000,000 acres. Out of every dollar received for the finished product the manufacturer must pay 30 cents for raw material; 25 cents for labor and the remainder for fuel, supplies, depreciation, use of capital etc.; the manufacturer must circulate wealth. The factory will take the raw material which the farm is months in producing, the forest years in maturing and the mines centuries in creating and within twelve hours double its value. The factory is a city builder and will build empires.

ROBERTS BUSINESS COLLEGE.

A knowledge of shorthand, type-writing and practical business methods is something that is a positive help to every person in any kind of business. As a stepping stone to higher things, take the case of George B. Cortelyou who, after receiving a training at a New York business college, went to Washington as a stenographer to the president, secretary, first secretary of commerce and labor, secretary of the treasury, and is now head of the great Consolidated Gas company of New York. The Roberts business college will take any pupil and in a short time make a finished stenographer, book-keeper, etc., of him or her. John T. Roberts, the head, has been ten years in this work, and is a Knight Templar, Mason and Shriner. Mr. Roberts has schools at Merkel, Texas, and in Bal-linger and Colorado as well. This school has been established six years and has an annual enrollment of 125 pupils. The class rooms are on the east side of the square, over the first National Bank building. E. L. Ousley, the principal, has been in this work for nine years, having before taught school at Waco, Brownwood and Denison. Positions are secured for pupils within thirty days from graduation.—Fort Worth Record.

Hon. G. C. Rankin, Washington, D. C. Men in high life, who are at a constant nervous tension, soon suffer from indigestion. Hon. George C. Rankin formerly of Monmouth, Ill., now holding a high position with the government at Washington, became afflicted in that way. He wants it known that he cured himself with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and recommends it to others similarly afflicted. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1 a bottle.

Tell the Truth About Texas

The Daily Union published at Schenectady, which, notwithstanding the fact that it takes three sneezes and a cough to pronounce, is located somewhere in the wilds of New York, and not in darkest Russia, as many would naturally infer, takes a polite poke at Grand Old Texas in the following editorial paragraph.

"Texas has a Tell the Truth Society. How the members can keep the pledge and talk about the state at ours and the same time is past ordinary comprehension."

No one who lives in shriveled Schenectady can conjure up thoughts big enough to fit Texas.

Does the Union know that Texas is the only state in the Union that has swamp lands enough in its eastern extremities to give malaria to every man, woman and child in the United States, and that it has ozone enough in its western sections to cure every case of malaria in less than two weeks' time?

Does the Union know that one can live in an altitude of 5000 feet in Texas and get a case of nervous shakes that will cause timid women to want to knock a hole in the sky every time there is a gust of wind, and that these same nervous people can move to the sea level without ever leaving Texas, and obtain a complete cure?

Does the Union know that in East Texas pine trees grow so tall they tickle the feet of angels and so thick that in certain sections the sun has not been able to hit the ground in twenty centuries, while in portions of the Panhandle of Texas a tree as tall as the average tombstone in Schenectady is so valuable it is covered with a tent and the owner reaps a rich harvest charging four bits a head of all who see it?

Does the Union know that in North-west Texas the sand is 40 feet deep, when clay is struck, while in south-west Texas the clay is 40 feet deep, when sand is struck?

Does the Union know that Texas is big enough, according to Henry Clews, an expert figurer, to furnish every man, woman and child in the whole world a full size building lot 22x44 feet in size, and then, after allowing for public highways, have one-third of the area of the state left for the production of food supplies?

Does the Union know that Texas has more wheat lands than both the Dakotas and Minnesota and Michigan, more corn lands than Iowa, Illinois, Nebraska and Indiana, more cotton lands than all the other Southern States, more oil land than Pennsylvania and California, and that it has an area now under prohibition as big as Kansas, Nebraska, Vermont, Maine, and Massachusetts, combined?

Does the Union know that Texas has a longer coast line than any other two states in the Union, the best harbors on the Gulf of Mexico, more miles of rivers than any other two states, more mountains, more valleys, more hills, than any other two states in the Union?

Does the Union know that the man who today is at the head of more miles of railroad than any other man in the nation—Bob Lovett—is a native Texan? Does the Union know that Stillman, the great financier, is a native Texan? Does the Union know that President Taft of the biggest National Bank in New York is not only a native Texan, but he learned the game of finance in Texas; that the best city in the world is Houston, Texas; that it was a Texan who discovered the bacillus of dengue fever—Dr. McLaughlin of Austin; that the state capitol at Austin, the handsomest and biggest state capitol in America, is built of Texas granite; that—but what's the use?

Tell the truth about Texas! Man alive, one needs a bigger imagination than can be found in all the world to enlarge on the greatness of Texas.

The Record would invite the editor of the Union to pay a visit to Texas. If he comes he would return to his smoky Schenectady, and, like the late Queen of Sheba, he would tell the infidels and Republican heathens of New York, "The Half Has Not Been Told," and he would further agree that no man could possibly tell half about the good things to be found in Texas during any seven consecutive generations.—Houston Record.

Married.

At the home of Mrs. R. F. Frank- lin, three miles southwest of Colorado, by Rev. W. E. Lyon, at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Mr. Ollie Shurtliff and Miss Cleo Franklin. Mr. Shurtliff is the son of our fellowcitizen, Geo. Shurtliff, and holds a responsible and lucrative position with the Ovalla Lumber Company at Anson, Texas. The bride has many friends in Colorado, who wish for the twain, every good thing that comes to those who deserve them. They left for their home at Anson Sunday night.

Ads show which way the trade goes.—Watch them.

SPECIAL SCHOOL TAX.

State of Texas, County of Mitchell:

Whereas, on the 11th day of July, 1910, a petition was presented to me for an election in common school district No. 7, of this county, on the question of authorizing a tax of and at the rate of 20 cents on the \$100.00 valuation of taxable property in said district for the purpose of supplementing the state school fund apportioned to said district, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of property tax paying voters of said district and being in every respect in conformity with law:

Now, therefore, I, A. J. Coe, in my capacity as County Judge of Mitchell County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 6th day of August, 1910, at Roger school house, in said common school district No. 7, of this county, as established by order of the Commissioners' Court of this county of date the 16th day of May, 1908, which is recorded in book 2, page 566, of the minutes of said court, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property taxpaying voters of that district desire to tax themselves for the purpose of supplementing the state school fund apportioned to said district and to determine whether the commissioners court of this county shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually a tax of and at the rate of 20 cents on the \$100.00 valuation of taxable property in said district for said purpose.

Osie Green is hereby appointed presiding officer for said election, and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"For School Tax."

"Against School Tax."

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this state and of this county and who are resident property tax payers in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election.

The sheriff of this county shall give notice of said election by posting three notices at three public places in the said district for three weeks before the election.

Dated the 11th day of July, 1910.
A. J. Coe,
County Judge, Mitchell County, Texas.

A VALUABLE IDEA.

It was discovered long ago that wood posts could be made to last longer than iron in the ground, but the process was so simple and inexpensive that it was not thought worth while to make any kind of stir about the matter. Poplar, bass wood, or quaking ash, are as good as any other timber for fence posts. Bass wood posts, after being set seven years, were found to be as sound when taken up as when put into the ground. Time and weather seem to have no effect upon them. The posts can be prepared for less than 2 cents each. Here is the recipe: Take boiled linseed oil and stir into it charcoal to the consistency of paint, in which thoroughly soak the posts.

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You hear lots of people say they never had a sick day in their lives. Ask them further and you will find out they never have constipation and that they can easily digest everything they eat. That is the keynote of health—perfect digestion, perfect elimination. To obtain, these, use Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which cures all stomach, liver and bowel troubles in old or young. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free trial bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1 a bottle.

A Pertinent Query.

The printer's dollars—where are they? A dollar here and a dollar there; scattered over numerous small towns all over the country, miles and miles apart. How shall they be gathered together? Come home, ye heirs of thy father's house; ye wanted. Come here in single file, by column or platoon, so that the printer may send thee forth again, to battle for him and vindicate his credit. Reader, if you discover a stray dollar around your premises send him home tenderly for it is ours. We would also ask you to be sure you haven't a couple of printer's dollars sticking about your clothes.—Hale County Herald.

Mrs. J. K. Foster and little girls, who have been visiting in McKinney, Canton and Edgewood, returned home Sunday morning, and all is serene at the Alamo hotel again.

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179 acres nine miles north west of Colorado, 130 acres tillable, 90 acres in cultivation. Well improved. Price \$25.00 per acre. Terms.

160 acres ten miles southwest of Colorado, well improved, all tillable, 80 acres in cultivation. Price \$22.50 per acre.

160 acres eleven miles south-west of Colorado, all tillable, 70 acres in cultivation. Price \$23.00 per acre.

Four quarter sections, sandy land four miles north of Colorado, practically all tillable. \$25.00 per acre, will trade for stock of merchandise.

160 acres five miles southwest of Colorado, 135 acres tillable, 90 acres in cultivation \$26.50 per acre. Well improved.

Extra well finished five room house, well improved, quarter block, a bargain, \$2900.00.

Two room box house, one acre of land at the Salt Works west of town. \$150 cash and \$200 at \$10.00 per month.

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Colorado, Texas.

Official Democratic Ballot.

TEST—I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

For Governor
ROBERT VANCE DAVIDSON
Of Galveston County.
JAMES MARTIN JONES,
Of Cherokee County.
CONE JOHNSON,
Of Smith County.
WILLIAM POINDEXTER,
Of Johnson County.
O. B. COLQUITT,
Of Kaufman County.

For Lieutenant Governor
H. BASCOM THOMAS,
Of Hopkins County.
A. B. DAVIDSON,
Of DeWitt County.
J. H. WEBSTER,
Of Dallas County.
A. S. HAWKINS,
Of Midland County.
JAMES T. HAMMONS,
Of Eastland County.

For Attorney General—
JEWEL P. LIGHTFOOT,
Of Camp County.
For State Treasurer—
WILLIAM WINNINGHAM,
Of Limestone County.
SAM SPARKS,
Of Bell County.

For Comptroller—
BOB BARKER
Of Bexar County.
B. F. TEAGUE,
Of Washington County.
D. C. BURKES,
Of Bell County.
EDWIN WALLER,
Of Waller County.
W. P. LANE,
Of Tarrant County.

For Railroad Commissioner (regular term)—
ALLISON MAYFIELD,
Of Grayson County.
L. T. DASHIELL,
Of Leon County.
J. W. BLAKE,
Of Hill County.
THEODORE G. THOMAS,
Of Harris County.

For Railroad Commissioner (unexpired term)—
WILLIAM D. WILLIAMS,
Of Tarrant County.

For Commissioner of the General Land Office—
J. T. ROBISON
Of Morris County.
CHARLES W. GEERS,
Of Tarrant County.
H. ELLIS HILL,
Of Harrison County.

For State Superintendent of Public Instruction—
P. M. BRALLEY,
Of Fannin County.
For Commissioner of Agriculture—
ED R. KONE
Of Hays County.

For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals—
FELIX J. MCCORD,
Of Smith County.
P. A. TURNER,
Of Bowie County.
A. J. HARPER,
Of Limestone County.

For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court—
T. J. BROWN,
Of Grayson County.
For United States Senator—
CHARLES A. CULBERTSON
Of Dallas County.

For the submission by the Thirty-Second Legislature of the State of Texas, a Constitutional Amendment to the people of Texas, for their adoption or rejection, prohibiting within the State of Texas, the manufacture, sale, exchange and intra-state shipment of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors and medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, except for medicinal and sacramental purposes.

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For Congress, Sixteenth District—
W. R. SMITH,
Of Mitchell County.

For Chief Justice of the Second Supreme Judicial District—
T. H. CONNER,
Of Tarrant County.

For Representative, 101st District—
J. J. DILLARD,
Of Lubbock County.
FRANK JUDKINS,
Of Ector County.
T. J. O'DONNELL,
Of Lynn County.

For District Attorney, 32nd Judicial District—
R. N. GRISHAM,
Of Martin County.

For County Judge—
R. B. HOOD,
A. J. COE.

For County Attorney—
G. W. CARNES,
W. P. LESLIE.

For County and District Clerk—
MISS ZILPHA FOX,
JESSE H. BULLOCK.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector—
I. A. COSTIN,
G. B. COUGHRAN.

For Tax Assessor—
EARL JACKSON,
PUPERT WOMACK,
JACK SMITH,
EUELL BRADFORD,
W. H. GARDNER,
A. C. (AI) JONES.

For County Treasurer—
J. J. PATTERSON,
SAMUEL GUSTINE.

For County Surveyor—
R. H. CRUMP.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1—
W. M. GREEN.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2—
W. M. GREEN.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3—
J. S. BARBER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4—
W. B. WIMBERLY.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1—
FRED MEYER.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 2—
E. N. RIDENS,
R. H. WATLINGTON.

For Constable, Precinct No. 1—
GEORGE W. DUNN,
W. K. EUDY.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1—
C. E. FRANKLIN.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 5—
C. H. (CINT) THOMAS.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No.
FRANK RIDENS,
J. R. COON,
J. R. BURDITT.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No.
For Constable Precinct No.
For County Chairman—

For Precinct Chairman, Precinct No.

LEGISLATIVE LETTER.

With the brilliancy of Halley's comet, the special session of the Legislature occupies the political horizon and the approach of the wanderer is watched with intense interest. Its official orbit is within the Fire Rating Insurance firmament but an examination of the statute book indicates that it is a great traveller and its route is as uncertain as that of an amateur tourist. The Governor has shown a commendable spirit throughout the Fire Rating Insurance controversy and it is fair to assume that he will not permit the state to become sore in a new place by untried schemes of legislation, but so long as there is a stranger in the heavens, prophets will prophesy and men will stand in fear and trembling.

The Fire Rating Insurance law is an immigrant from the Eastern hemisphere and, like the African negro, has its good and bad points, but it is not a legalized citizen and takes its position among the economic problems of the hour and we must either assimilate it or send it back to its native heath. Public opinion has gone into insurrection against the law but the Fire Rating Board has put a healing balm on the irate policy holders by reducing their rates and it is known that the administration will move to amend. During the last session of the legislature, the scepter had more to do with the passage of this law than the appeal to reason, but many of the experts who possessed fabulous wisdom during the time the bill was pending are now talking on both sides of the subject in order to find something to say and legislators who voted through faith at the last session are doing their own thinking and when the time comes, will do their own voting. The personal inconvenience of a special session inclines the membership to take no chances on another special session and they will make their brains save their heels by voting against further experiments.

The Fire Insurance companies have refused to comply with the recent order of the Fire Rating Insurance Board reducing rates and have announced that they will write no more insurance. This contingency was evidently not contemplated by the legislature. We can lead the railroads to water and make them drink, but the insurance companies have no fixed property in Texas and there is no way of forcing obnoxious fluid into their system. After all, regulation is sometimes a question of whose ox is gored, but in this instance both animals have shed the crimson liquid and the end is not yet. The insurance company drew first blood and a great cry arose throughout all Israel and now the policy holders have had their inning and the insurance companies have retreated from the arena to await the action of the legislature. Who created all this disturbance? Who demanded the law? Certainly the policy holders did not and the insurance companies deny the charge, although the law undoubtedly bears their birthmark. If indeed, they did not conceive it. This marvelous piece of legislation refuses to permit an agreement between an insurance company and the policy holders. The state appropriates the right of contract and transmits it to the Fire Rating Board whose members ultimately get their salaries from the insurance companies. There has never been any differences between the insurance companies and the policy holders and what interest has a third party in the transaction? There lies the milk in the cocoanut, and thinking men can well afford to pause and give the subject thoughtful consideration.

The supreme gift of the politician is the power of explanation and while the speech crop is being harvested in the legislative halls, the tax payer is putting up mileage and per diem and has nothing to show for his money except a tax receipt and a business disturbance.

Headquarters State Democratic Executive Committee of Texas

San Antonio, Texas, May 10, 1910
To the Chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committees of Texas:—

Dear Sir:—Information has reached the headquarters of the State Democratic Executive Committee, through letters and other reliable sources, that plans are being formulated by which the time-honored usages of the party are to be ignored in certain counties, to the extent of permitting Republicans and other alien elements to participate in the General Democratic Primary Election to be held on July 23, 1910. We consider it to be our duty to warn all democrats, particularly County Chairmen and election officers, against countenancing in any manner, the carrying out of such conspiracy. To permit Republicans or other known opponents of the organized Democracy to participate in the action or counsels of the Democratic party would be in violation of the spirit, if not the letter, of the primary election law of the State and in defiance of the well established custom and usage of the party in Texas. Such violation would be a scandal on the name of Democracy and tend to party demoralization and political debauchery.

You, as County Chairman, are instructed to inform all presiding officers of election in the different counties, to use every effort to keep Republicans, and others, not democrats, out of the Democratic Primaries on July 23. Where there is a reasonable question of a man's Democracy, presiding officers should challenge him and administer, under oath the party test, printed at the head of the official ballot.

A list should be kept of all such challenged and sworn voters.

It should not be forgotten that the primaries to be held on July 23, are intended, solely and alone, for Democrats, and no person of any other political party or organization should participate therein, or be permitted to participate, if he attempts to do so.

A. B. STOREY,
Chairman State Democratic Executive Committee of Texas.
J. C. McNEALE, Secretary.

Notice to Election Officers.

Colorado, Texas, July 19, 1910.
To the Democrats of Mitchell County:—
It has been reported to me that some of the Socialists, as well as a few of the Republicans are going to participate in the Democratic Primary which will be held on July 23rd.

Under the law the presiding Judges have authority to administer oaths touching upon any matter with reference to the election. I have been instructed as you will see from the following letter, to inform the Judges, if they have any reason to believe that any party offering to vote, is other than a democrat, to swear this party, and then read the test to him under oath, which is: "I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary."

I have discussed this matter with each of the presiding Judges, personally, and have furnished each of them with a copy of the letter from Mr. A. B. Storey, and they will do their best to enforce the rule; yet these Judges might not know the political standing of some parties that might offer to vote, that are not true Democrats. It is in this respect I call upon each Democrat in Mitchell county to aid and assist the judges, to see that only true Democrats be allowed to vote in the Democratic Primary on July 23, and if any party who should vote, other than a Democrat, then he does so at his own risk and peril.

EARL MORRISON,
Chairman Democratic Party, Mitchell County.

TO STOCK SHIPPERS.

For the benefit of the live stock shippers shipping to the Fort Worth market this company will endeavor on and after July 20th, 1910, to run a train each day for handling less than train load lots of cattle.

This service is being put on that all small shipments can be handled on the same train with a view of arriving at Fort Worth for the following morning's market and to make it a success we must have the co-operation of all shippers by them having their cattle in the pens ready for loading before the time shown opposite each station and by assisting the agent to get cattle loaded before the arrival of the train so that there will be no delays.

Leave Big Springs 8:00 a. m.
Leave Lufkin 9:00 a. m.
Leave Colorado 10:00 a. m.
Leave Roscoe 11:00 a. m.
Leave Sweetwater 11:30 a. m.
Leave Eskola 12:00 noon.
Leave Trent 12:30 p. m.
Leave Merkel 1:00 p. m.
Leave Abilene 1:45 p. m.
Leave Baird 2:00 p. m.



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Cars for this train must be ordered at least three days in advance so that we can figure on getting cars bedded and placed to load, as well as figure on how many engines will be needed, as it might quite frequently occur that more than one train would be needed.

Cattle getting into open pens after this train has passed will have to take chances on dead-freight trains with full tonnage and will stand a poor show for the next afternoon's market.

We feel that both the shippers and commission men will appreciate this service and arrange to get their stock loaded on this train.

This train will not wait if you are not ready. It delays the cattle already loaded as well as the man further on.

J. W. WARD, Div. Supt.
CUTHBERT.

We had a light shower on the 12th but are needing more rain now.

We had the candidate's show with us Tuesday night. It was a pretty nice exhibit and was under good management. Lots of good men out for office.

Dr. P. C. Coleman spoke at this place Saturday night in the interest of Hon. Cone Johnson. Had a good hearing.

We are sad to report the death of James Steakley, age 16. He has been here only a short time, and sick but two weeks. He died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Dan Westfall, and was buried Sunday afternoon. Rev. McGaha conducted the ceremony. Dr. Steakley of Hugo, Oklahoma, attended the bedside of his son, and returned to his home Sunday evening. Dr. Steakley arrived here just a short time before his son died.

John McNew and family are back again after about two week's visit in the New Hope neighborhood.

Dr. Edwards and wife of Ira, visited relatives at this place Saturday and Sunday.

Little Maxwell and Elenor Thomas of Colorado visited Mr. Bozeman's family last week.

Mr. A. E. Sadler who left some time ago, reports that he has accepted a position in Dallas and his wife will leave soon for that place.

Mr. Z. T. Howell, father of Mrs. M. L. Hill, came in Saturday from El Paso county. He has sold his place there and will go east. He says that country is in fine shape.

The Methodist protracted meeting will begin next Saturday night.

The Mitchell County Singing Convention will convene with this class the first Sunday in August. If you are not interested in music, you ought to get interested and have your class represented.
M. L. Hill paid Loraine a business visit Saturday.

For Buttermilk phone 264.

"The Wind Mill Man."

HAVING BOUGHT THE WESTERN WINDMILL STOCK IN COLORADO, CONSISTING OF BOWSER FEED CRUSHERS, SEVEN DIFFERENT KINDS OF WINDMILLS, ALL KINDS OF PUMP, WATER SUPPLY MATERIAL, BRASS AND STEAM GOODS, BLACKSMITH COAL, ETC. I AM NOW READY FOR BUSINESS. ALL KINDS OF LUBRICATING AND WINDMILL OILS BY GALEON OILS BULK.

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COLORADO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JULY 22, 1910

Tomorrow will end the agony—
And no matter how 'twill go,
We'll all gild and kill the chap
That says "I told you so."

We shall all be able to see further
into the political millstone after to-
morrow than heretofore.

Sure, and 'tis every wan fer hiself,
and may the best mon win, in tomor-
row's hurdle race.

The same grin Companion sits in
the flying machine that rode with the
driver of the first racing automobile.
His name is Death.

Be sure to bring your poll tax re-
ceipt with you to the polls tomorrow,
for there will be little time for af-
fadvits to be made out.

If every dog has its day, the canines
to which last Saturday and Sunday be-
longed, must be dog-goned rank ones.
Come and git 'em.

It begins to be questionable whether
sound character is likely to be sus-
tained apart from the spiritual ideals.
If it be evident that the men need re-
ligion, it is not less evident that re-
ligion needs the men.

Special to voters tomorrow:—Keep
your head cool, your feet warm, your
temper tranquil, and your shirt on—
and bring your poll tax receipt. No
matter how the battle issues, it will
not make it any easier for the likes of
us to pay the rent, taxes or buy bread.

Keep talking up the dam across
Lone Wolf creek; it will prove one of
the best investments the town ever
made. Don't forget that water, good
in quality and plenty of it, is the safest
and most abiding capital in the world.

The Texas & New Orleans railway
has put on a solid "hog train," which
will gather up a train load of hogs in
various parts of the state and put
them into market on limited time.
This is the train we used to ride on
our incidental excursions.

A church which is two-thirds wo-
men cannot fully represent the divine
life; it cannot make a true impression
of the great realities of religion upon
the community in which it stands.
There can be no doubt that the Church
has been greatly enfeebled by this
withdrawal of a large number of men
from active participation in its life.

Had it occurred to you, neighbor,
that while almost every town on the
Rio Grande division of the Texas &
Pacific road has been short of water,
the town of Colorado has had an
abundance of the very best water to
be found in this section of the state.
This is worth much money to any
community, and is an asset as material
as money itself.

The political pot is in violent ebul-
lition, the geysers of enthusiasm and
the rumble of partisan heartburnings
portend a billing over. But in truth,
the game is so mixed that the ordi-
nary run of us don't know the bosom
of whose pants we are scratching;
and that's a fact. But we'll try to
pull through if the great old common-
wealth of Texas holds together.

The deadly set-screw continues to
get in its work of populating the grave
yards. Scarcely a week but the pa-
pers contain an account of some good
man's life being crushed out by his
clothing catching on a set screw in
line shafting. There should be a law
compelling the manufacturers of all
shafting that turns in an exposed
place, to provide counter-sunk set
screws. The record of mortality they
write, is frightful.

President M'Harg, president of the
Texas Central Railroad, in turning
over the road to its new owners re-
membered all the old employees, who
had been on the pay roll for three

consecutive years, by distributing one
month's salary to each. The aggre-
gate amount distributed was \$40,000,
from his private purse.

The Democratic Socialism offers us
the most beautiful dream imaginable
if we could only dream it, but it won't
dream. If we could just get both eyes
shut and think of getting land, all the
money we want, railroads, telegraph
working, everybody working—mighty
pretty dream. Plato dreamed it and
so did Moore, but they only dreamed
it, and hardly dreamed that anybody
would be fool enough to take it for
more than a dream.—Stamford News.

It matters not how large they may
build their engines, how fine they may
make their coaches, how heavy they
may run their rails or how wide and
solid the road bed, the strength and
safety of the American railway system
will never be any greater than the
method of fastening the rails to the
ties. The majority of the wrecks are
caused by spreading rails, which at
all times depend on the little four inch
spike that holds it in place, and which
in turn is the instrument of the spite,
deviltry and malice of every tramp,
thoughtless boy or beaten litigant that
can handle a crowbar.

The action of the voters in the Colo-
rado independent road district, in
voting bonds to the amount of \$30,-
000, seems to have had a stimulating
influence on many localities. The
newspapers in nearly every county
with which the Record exchanges,
have only words of commendation for
the spirit of the people, who deter-
mined to throw off the burden and ex-
pense of the old dirt road and pay a
less tax for good ones. If the whole
of Mitchell county should vote bonds
for the improvement of all the public
roads in the county, in sheer self de-
fense, it would force contiguous coun-
ties to do the same thing. By making
it easier, quicker and cheaper to haul
farm products to Mitchell county
towns than to competing towns, a pre-
mium is placed upon bringing the pro-
ducts to this county. Mitchell county
deserves credit for taking the first
steps in this greatest of all internal
improvements. Fellow-citizens, we
did ourselves proud.

The mortality of the last Fourth of
July shows a marked decrease over
former years. Outside the large cities
of the country the occasion passed
with but little explosiveness and death
in staid old Philadelphia, the cradle of
American independence, the casualties
reached a record of 482 injured.
New York had fifty deaths and ninety
two injured, as compared with five
dead and 186 injured last year. The
casualty of the entire country, leav-
ing out the rural districts, was 42
dead and 2,484 injured. Outside of
New England, where the celebration
seems to have been as deadly as heretofore,
there was a decrease of about
33 per cent in deaths and injuries.
The full record is not yet in, but
these figures will hardly be material-
ly changed. The wonderful feature
about the whole thing is, that Chicago
—think of it—Chicago took the lead
in this move for a safe and sane cele-
bration of the Fourth of July.

The suggestion made by the Record
last week regarding the advisability of
investigating the possibility of secur-
ing the location of the Catholic school
at Stanton, was not without results.
We are in error as to the number of
pupils from Colorado, who attended
there the past session. Instead of
only two there were four. The system
of education, prejudice aside, that is
followed by the Catholic schools for
girls, goes further than the mere
training of the mind. The accom-
plishments and elegances of life are
given special attention, while the men-
tal discipline is usually thorough.
The personal oversight by the Super-
loress, and jealous care with which the
pupils are kept from all distracting
associations, is another salient feature

of their system of education. The
matter may be well worth looking
into.

Is there any difference between the
voter who participates in the primary
of a party which he has fought and
maligned, in order to defeat some can-
didate, and then refuses to support the
nominee if his favorite is beaten; is
there any difference between such and
a soldier who deserts and betrays his
army into the hands of the enemy? It
is as much the duty of good democrats
to protect themselves in a primary in
which men participate with the pur-
pose of betraying the party, as it is
their duty to keep out of the primaries
of other parties. Just because there
is no iron clad test by which to deter-
mine a voter's consistency, it is none
the less incumbent to protect the pri-
mary against those who would partici-
pate for purposes of vengeance and
spite. What think you of a voter's
professed principles, who would de-
sire to take part in a primary of a
party he professes to oppose and de-
spise. He falsifies his own pretensions
and writes himself a hypocrite.

The Record does not—never did or
will pose as a town "booster." The
word is a misnomer, and is but a
variation of that kind of promotion
one hears and sees at the entrance of
snake shows and "improper" exhibi-
tions. To boost, in its primitive
meaning, to bait, and snarks of salt-
ing a mine and crimping the wrong
card. To boost, is to brag, blow and
claim the earth, without regard to
facts or merit. This kind of work has
done more to hurt West Texas than
all the drouths and short crops ever
experienced. A section can recover
from the effects of drouth and crop
failure in one year and completely re-
deem itself, but the effects of "boost-
ing" thirty years ago, have left a bad
taste in the mouths of thousands of
people all over the United States who
do not believe, even in the face of pal-
pable evidence to the contrary that
"any good thing can come out of west
Texas." An honest tale speeds best,
being plainly told.

It is the duty of every voter in
Mitchell county to repair to the polls
tomorrow and cast his vote for whom-
soever he wills. It is of much im-
portance that the fullest possible vote
be polled. Vote as your judgment
dictates and not in order to accom-
modate friends. Your individual vote,
by you the humblest citizen of this
great commonwealth, is just as im-
portant, counts just as much in the
determination of its destiny, as that
of the governor. Preserve, unbought
and unsullied, the great heritage for
which our forebears marched to the
ensanguined fields. Lose no opportuni-
ty of good men to the value of
your vote in every election. The Indif-
ference of good men to the value and
importance of participating in every
plebiscite, is the cause of much of the
corruption and graft in the machin-
ery of our government.

IS IT WORTH LOOKING INTO

Articles of incorporation of the
Texico-Farwell & Gulf Railroad, a
line running from Texico to some
point on the gulf, have been filed at
Santa Fe, New Mexico. The road will
be extended south to some point on
the Texas & Pacific, and a Texas
charter will be taken out as soon as
the bonus matters along the route can
be arranged. The construction from
Texico to Tucumcari will be begun at
once.

Again: The Stamford & Eastern
Railroad is now an assured fact; con-
tractor Burns is making preparations
to begin construction. This road will
run from Stamford into the coal fields
of Young and Jack counties, and pos-
sibly on to Fort Worth or Dallas.
This invasion of the territory of the
Rock Island will force that road to
seek an outlet to the west and
connection with its line
in New Mexico, or it may cross
the Texas & Pacific somewhere in this
section of the state. Already several
towns on the Texas & Pacific are af-
ter this extension of the Rock Island,
chief among which is our neighbor
Sweetwater.

It is a fact that every railroad the
town of Colorado allows to cross the
Texas & Pacific within seventy-five
miles of it, lessens the chance of se-
curing a north and south road until
the country is much more thickly pop-
ulated than it is now. With
good country roads now assured in
the territory immediately tributary to
the town, Colorado would serve its
highest and best interests by bending
every effort and every dollar to the
securing of another railroad. If we
can demonstrate to people who build
railroads that we possess better water
both in quality and quantity than any
town on the Texas & Pacific, it would
be a trump card in the game of play-
ing or all kinds of enterprises. So
let us take up another hole in our belt
and go after both the water and an-
other railroad.

ELEPHANT BUTTE DAM.

The Largest Artificial Water Storage
In the World, Now Building.

Government engineers are now com-
pleting final surveys of the Elephant
Butte irrigation project and work on
the main reservoir will commence as
soon as a 15 mile railroad can be
built from the dam site to the Atchi-
son, Topeka and Santa Fe near Engle,
New Mexico.

The Elephant Butte irrigation pro-
ject will be the biggest artificial wa-
ter storage in existence when com-
pleted. The main reservoir at Engle
will be over forty miles in length and
will reach an average width of nearly
four miles, varying from three to
six miles. In it will be stored ap-
proximately 650,000,000 gallons or
2,000,000 acre-feet of water and
it would take the entire flow of the
Rio Grande for three years to fill
this reservoir. In order not to in-
terfere with irrigation further down
the river the water will be impound-
ed gradually and an increasing re-
serve will be accumulated during the
flood seasons of the river. It is ex-
pected that from four to ten years
must elapse before the reservoir of
the project shall have been filled to
capacity.

The Engle reservoir will wipe out
five settlements besides inundating
about 180 square miles of territory
in New Mexico. The Leasburg and
El Paso projects will also flood con-
siderable territory though they are
merely diversion dams. A number of
smaller dams will have to be built at
points along the Engle reservoir, one
of them to be located at Las Cruces,
N. M. None of these, however, will
have reservoirs of their own and all
of them will depend for their wa-
ter supply on the Engle lake.

The main dam of the Engle reser-
voir will be 1200 feet in length at its
crest and will be about 20 feet
in thickness. Its greatest height will
be 275 feet above the bed of the
river. Re-inforced concrete will be
employed throughout.

Until the railroad is built very lit-
tle work can be done on the dam for
the reason that most of the machin-
ery to be used is too heavy to be
moved by any other method than on
rails. Moreover a small army of men
will have to be supplied with all the
necessities of life for two and possi-
bly three years and this alone would
be a great undertaking should it
have to be done over the ordinary
road. At present about 150 men are
employed at Engle, but this force
will be augmented to about 2000 as
soon as work on the dam com-
mences in real earnest. The appro-
priation now available for the work
is \$8,000,000, and unless something
unforeseen happens will be sufficient
to carry out the undertaking.

It will be possible to irrigate from
the Engle reservoir several million
acres of very fine valley lands suit-
ed to the cultivation of practically
every crop. The dam will also pre-
vent the heavy spring floods which
in the past have caused a great deal
of anxiety and damage along the river
each year. Before the project
could be carried out an agreement had
to be reached between this coun-
try and Mexico. By its terms the United
States gives to farmers along the
Mexican bank of the river as much
water as they used prior to the
construction of the irrigation work
affecting the Rio Grande in its course
through Colorado.

The Elephant Butte project is of
far greater magnitude than the As-
suan dam on the Nile river and will
hold at least twice as much water.
The climate of the country to be ben-
efitted by the enterprise is very sa-
lubrious and there is a very fine soil
of a silt character. The Elephant
Butte project will have a regulating
influence on the Rio Grande along
along its entire course.

RAMBLER SERVICE EXTENDED

Recent movements organized to
bring about the standardization of the
parts of cars now assembled from
many different factories, to be sold in
large quantities, have been given an
impetus by the success of two or three
of the older makers of standard cars
who have, during the past decade, con-
stantly increased the equipment and
efficiency of their factories so that
they are now able not only to make
each separate part but to make each
accurately and to insure absolute in-
terchangeability.

Charles T. Jeffery, head of the
Thomas B. Jeffery Company, a con-
cern which for years has maintained a
most practical system of owners serv-
ice, announces that even greater ex-
tensions will be made in the applica-
tion of this policy.
The importance to the owner of
having near at hand an extra part, in
case of emergency, or a capable man-
ufacturer's representative to render
assistance cannot be over estimated.
The Rambler system is a model in
this respect. The factory stock in-
cludes duplicates of every part of

every Rambler car ever manufactured.
For years this company has main-
tained stock supply depots at the most
important points throughout the coun-
try where permanent Rambler repre-
sentatives are in charge.

These depots are not only located in
the Rambler branch houses in Boston,
Chicago, Cleveland, Milwaukee and
San Francisco, but at many other im-
portant points.

The purchaser of an automobile has
a right to demand service," said Mr.
Jeffery in speaking of this policy. The
prices of Rambler parts are kept as
low as possible, consistent with quali-
ty. In fact, the cost of all the parts
that go to make up the Rambler, if
summed up, hardly exceeds the list
price of the car. This, of course,
makes no allowance for labor.

The equipment of our factory is such
that every pattern, die or jig used in
the original production of any part is
retained so that there is never any
danger of a Rambler owner being un-
able to get parts. Furthermore, this
equipment which produces the original
part will, of course, insure exact dupli-
cates without necessity of refitting
when received by the owner.

Frequently we receive requests from
new factories asking us to describe
our service system. The greatest ad-
vantage which we have, of course, is
in that we are entirely independent of
sources of parts supply. This makes
Rambler service possible.

L. E. Lasseter, proprietor of the
Burnham townsite, went up to look
over the ground last Wednesday. The
sale of town lots in this proposition
has been exceedingly brisk the past
month, all the selling agents report-
ing good business.

CONSTIPATION.

Its Cause and How to Cure it.

Eat too much,
Stomach feels bloated,
All out of sorts,
Don't feel like work to-day. Guess
I've another case of biliousness.
"Take anything?"
"Yes; some pills, but no results; sup-
pose I'm getting ironclad. Sometimes I
double the dose, then they physic me so
hard I'm too weak to work. Think I'll
have to try something new."
"Ever try Prickly Ash Bitters?"
"No; I've heard a good deal about it,
but never tried it."
"Well, you'll be pleased with the re-
sults."

The purgative action of Prickly Ash
Bitters not only removes hard impac-
tions, gas and impurities, but it strength-
ens the muscular action of the bowels
which causes them to move regularly.

Prickly Ash Bitters is a bowel tonic
and regulator in the truest sense. It
promotes daily evacuations, establishes
healthy movements and is the best
known remedy for disordered digestion,
flatulence and a constipated habit.

D. M. Blackwelder, of Litchfield, Ill., says in
the Litchfield News: "I am perfectly willing,
in fact glad to testify to the value of Prickly Ash
Bitters as a medicine for the kidneys, stomach
and bowels. I have used it whenever I needed
anything of the kind for the last fifteen years
and it has always given satisfaction."

Get the genuine with the figure
"3" in red on front label.
Sold by druggists. Price \$1.00.

FOR SALE—Registered Poland
China and Duroc Jersey pigs, ready
for delivery. See C. H. Earnest, or
J. R. Ledbetter, Colorado Texas.

New Arrivals Daily.

I am receiving new invoices of variety
goods every day and the bargains grow
better and greater all the time. Come in
and see how much of value a little money
will buy. In household utensils I defy
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Try My Cold Drink Fountain.
J. O. McCreless
The Reliable Grocer.

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Comes in rolls—enough to cover 100
square feet—nails, cement, and print-
ed instructions in every roll—three
weights—all the highest quality.
Write, or inquire, for samples and
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announces that she will open her music class in Colorado
the second week in September. She asks for all her old
pupils and as many new ones as possible. She will teach
at A. L. Whipkey's residence.



The Coming of Spring

means the arrival of Spring-lamb in
all its delicious and appetizing sus-
ciousness, and at no other place can
it be had in greater perfection than at
Colorado Cold Storage's meat market.
For we give our patrons the benefit of
the real, genuine thing. Spring lamb
that means Spring lamb and not a
poor imitation. A. L. LOVELADY.

Read Ponder Reflect

This column is devoted to showing you where to trade to save money.

If money is worth anything to you these hard times look over this column and then trade with the people that are here to live and let live.

Good yard wide bleached domestic worth any where 12 1-2 for 10c.

Some not quite so good but worth 10c any where for 8 1-3 25c India Linen for 18c.

Childrens' and Misses hose worth 15c pair 2 for 25c we sell for 10c.

Come look at our remnant counter \$4.00 Dress pattern for only 98c.

We are always glad to see and to show you that we can and will save you money.

**Colorado
Dry Goods
Company.**

The True Issue.

Davidson Charges Johnson with Joining Bailey to Deceive the People.

In his Speech at Amarillo Gen. Davidson said:

"The campaign is drawing to a close and, as it does so, the real forces, interests and issues have become so plain that even a child should be able to perceive them. In the light of recent events, I affirm that J. W. Bailey has returned to this state to accomplish the same purpose that has brought him to Texas before, namely: to promote the welfare of those whom he serves by helping to elect a Governor who will be a pliant tool in his hands and thereby put openly in charge in this state the interests which he once before brought back within its borders by stealth, and the question whether he shall be permitted to do this is the supreme and paramount issue of the hour, rising in importance above all other considerations and connecting itself with the battle that is National-wide.

PRETENDED ISSUE.

"It is with infinite regret that I charge that Cone Johnson, who has heretofore rendered notable service in the battle to free Texas from the control of the lawless interests, has in this hour joined hands with Bailey to divert the minds of the people from the supreme issue and to carry them to the consideration of a false and pretended issue, having no real place in this campaign. I base this charge upon his own statement made in his Sherman speech, and I would make it upon no less evidence than in his own words. In that speech Mr. Johnson said that he and Bailey were agreed that the real issue in this campaign is prohibition; this, in the face of the fact that Bailey, while standing opposed to State-wide prohibition is professing to give his support to a candidate advocating State-wide prohibition as his leading plant. And while Bailey is actually the General in charge of both armies, which, within his factions of followers, fight each other on this alleged paramount issue, with the further pregnant circumstance to show the falsity and immateriality of this Johnson-Bailey pretense, the fact that his life-long friends allege that his prayers are for the success of the candidate against whom he is going to vote (Advertisement).

and the effort to transfer his friends to such candidate becomes plainer each day. I say that the issue urged by Johnson and Bailey as paramount is a false and pretended issue for the reason that the question of prohibition is in no wise involved in this election, but simply the question whether an amendment to the Constitution involving prohibition shall be submitted to the people of the state to be voted upon at a future election; there being as much difference between prohibition and the submission of the constitutional amendment as the difference between the North and South Poles.

INVISIBLE FOES

"The question of submission will be determined by the Democratic voters in the ensuing primary. If that question is lost in the primaries it is eliminated; if it carries, even Colquitt, who also seeks votes under false pretenses and who in servility has every qualification for the role for which Bailey designs him, will not dare in reply hereto to say that he will not abide the result of the primary, if it be in favor of the submission of a constitutional amendment. If, then, he will abide the result of the primary, as all the other candidates for Governor have declared, how is it in the least degree the real issue in the campaign? People of Texas, the real issue is, Shall Bailey control all the departments of the Government? Shall Texas be converted into a Pennsylvania under a Quay, or a Rhode Island under Aldrich? Shall the interests, which have heretofore been defeated, overthrown and outlawed in Texas, take charge of the government and the administration of your laws? Until this issue is settled in the negative, there cannot nor can any other issue have relevancy or importance or by any possibility be settled right. This question, I affirm unto God, to be as vital to your institutions and your welfare as that which your forefathers faced at San Jacinto, where they met an open foe, as you now are required to meet treachery and betrayal, cunning devices and the arts of foes, powerful and pitiless, but invisible."

RECITAL OPERA HOUSE

Friday July 29th, 8:45 p. m.

BY

MISS EXA McLURE

Under Auspices of Hesperian Club
Benefit Public School Library

1. Piano Solo, Impromptu.....Reinhold
Miss Varah Cooper
2. Humorous Reading, The First Call.....Cooke
Miss Exa McLure
3. Vocal Solo.....
Miss Blandford
4. Dramatic Reading, Scene from "In the Palace of the King".....Crawford
Miss Exa McLure
5. Solo Spring has Come.....Maude Valerie White
Miss Ruth Graves
6. (a) Little Boy Blue
(b) Life's Mirror
(c) Swinging in the Grape Vine Swing.....
Miss Exa McLure
7. Violin Solo, Impromptu.....
Dr. Merrill
8. Farce "A Proposal Under Difficulties"

CHARACTERS:

Miss Dorothy Andrews, a Much Sought Young Woman.....
Miss Exa McLure
Jennie, her Coquetish Maid.....Miss Eleanor Coleman
Bob Yardsley, An Ardent Suitor of Miss Andrews.....
Mr. Bruce Phenix
Jack Barlow, Another Suitor of Miss Andrews.....
Mr. Breedlove Smith
Hicks, A Coachman

Admission
Adults 50c. Children 25c.
No Reserved Seats.

LORAIN LETTER

Mr. Will Summers and wife left last Monday for Salem Kentucky, for several weeks to visit their old home. Ad Hagerton of Kent county is visiting relatives in Mitchell and Nolan counties. Mr. Hagerton lived for a number of years in the Lone Wolf neighborhood. He reports good crops and good grass in his section of country.

Mrs. J. M. Hazelwood and son, O. Cross Plains are visiting her son, D. C. Hazelwood.

The familiar face of Jim Shepperd of Colorado, was seen on our streets Tuesday. Mr. Shepperd is one of the old standbys of West Texas, he having served an apprenticeship in the mercantile business as delivery boy some twenty years ago. With business ability, industry and energy, he has built up and established a neat business for himself in his boyhood town.

Dr. Hayes who has been ill for some time, was carried to a sanitarium at Abilene last week and has undergone an operation, and it is reported that his condition is not improved.

Mr. Bob Coffee and family are off this week for an outing at Lamesa, and will be gone several weeks.

Mrs. S. M. Gill of Abilene, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Victor Payne.

Miss Ruth Elliot of Lubbock is the guest of Miss Ruth McRae. Miss Elliot formerly lived here, and these two Ruths are as charming in personality as the Ruth of olden times.

The Baptist protracted meeting will begin Friday night the 22nd and will be conducted by Rev. J. A. May, assisted by W. B. Davis, of Westbrook.

Misses Mary and Oma Gregg came in Tuesday morning from Roscoe, accompanied by Miss Nell Stowers. They were guests of the Misses Garland while in Roscoe.

Revs. J. A. May and G. C. Farris closed a protracted meeting at Champion last Monday, resulting in a number of accessions to the church.

Dr. Wimberley and wife, Dr. Hodges and Miss May Snell, all of Sweetwater, who have been on an outing to the rather famous Seven Wells, were guests of W. B. Wimberley on their return home last Monday.

George Greer or Paris Tennessee, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Paul Freeman.

Mrs. Wiley Altman and children left Tuesday night for Hico, where the children will visit with their grandmother for a month.

Mrs. Ada Pearce of Shafter Lake, is visiting her brothers, Sidney and Wiley Altman. Mrs. Pearce is accompanied by her niece, Miss Nora Smith, who is also visiting here.

Dr. Henthorne, family, and Mr. Hiram Hawgley of Brownwood, had a delightful outing on the Concho several days the past week.

Mrs. P. C. Moore and baby and Miss Minnie Foster, of Sweetwater, are pleasant visitors at the home of W. A. Adams.

Mr. Samuel Gustine and Mr. John Prude visited in Loraine a couple of days last week.

Mr. J. J. McLure of Colorado, was a Loraine visitor last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Davis had a pleasant visit with friends in Roscoe Monday.

The Christian meeting which has been in progress for the past two weeks, closed Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baker, and daughter, Mrs. Lee Walker, and Miss Grace Baker, attended the Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian church which met at Roby. They returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Phillips are off on a visit to Tennessee.

Mr. Chesley Bryan of Eldorado, Arkansas, is visiting the family of J. D. Howell.

Mrs. Ada Lee, of Pecos, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Kelley, on the Heights.

Misses Cora Thompson, Opal Templeton and Miss Nora Smith of Shafter Lake, and Miss Nettie Rodgers of Hico, went to Seven Wells last Sunday to see the buffalo tracks in the rocks, etc. Robert Henthorne and Wiley Thompson went along to open the gates for the young ladies.

Grady McRae and Fletcher Porter made a business trip to Snyder Monday.

C. A. Arbutnot and Charley Mann of Colorado, were on our streets last Tuesday.

Mrs. Jessie Smiley, who has been visiting her son, Mac Smiley, at Roscoe, has returned home.

Mrs. Samuel Gustine of Colorado, was in Loraine Tuesday soliciting ads from our business men to appear in a "Cook Book" which the Baptist Ladies Aid Society of Colorado will get out at an early date. These ladies published a similar book some four years ago, and we feel sure that any lady who gets one of these new cook books will be pleased.

It's so, if you saw it in the Record.

City Taxes Delinquent.

List of Lots and Blocks Delinquent for the Taxes of 1909 only, in the City of Colorado, Mitchell County, Texas, as reported by Ernest Keathley, Tax Collector.

NAME	Original Grantee or Addition	LOT	Block	Total Tax
Allen, J. L.	Col.	1 and N. part 2.	22	20 97
DeGarmo, Bruce.	D S & M.	5 and 6.	8	10 07
DeGarmo, Mrs. M. J.	D S & M.	1 to 4.	10	5 56
Falconer, C. M. (Est)	W & M.	N E 1 of 1	34	3 30
Gilbert, H. D.	Col.	All.	94	10 29
Graves, J. R.	Col.	12.	36	3 75
Graves, Mrs. C. E.	Col.	11.	36	
" Mrs. C. E.	Col.	S pt. 12 to 15.	41	3 85
Gross, W. W.	Col.	12.	3	6 92
Hipp, Mrs. W. B.	Col.	E pt. 12 and 3.	39	3 30
Hyde, Wm.	Col.	1 to 6.	50	3 36
Johnson, J. D.	D S & M.	5.	14	2 32
Knot, C. S.	W & M.	4 and 5.	7	10 83
Lane, Jack	D S & M.	13-14 and 15.	11	2 65
Lasseter, L. E.	Col.	S W 1 of 1.	108	
" L. E.	D S & M.	1 to 4.	6	15 17
Marshall Mary.	Col.		52	83
Maxfield, A. B.	Col.	3 and 4.	70	9 64
Phenix, N. J.	Col.	1 to 10.	119	
" "	Col.	45 and 6.	14	20 90
Ransom, H. L.	Col.	11 and 12.	73	4 49
Root, Geo. B.	Col.	1, 2, 11 and 12.	70	14 30
Shepherd, J. L.	Col.	Part 4, 5 and 6.	33	
" "	Col.	1, 2 and 3.	35	
" "	Col.	W 1 of 4, 5 and 6.	35	
" "	Col.	all 7, 8 and 9.	35	
" All	Col.		90	50 49
Shropshire, S. T.	Tolar.	1, 2, 3, 10.		
" "	Col.	12, Pt 10 and 11.	83	13 75
Simpson & Montgomery	Col.	1 to 5, 7 to 12.	134	
" "	Col.	1 and 2, 6 to 12.	135	
" "	Col.	1 to 6, 9 to 12.	136	
Thompson, Mollie	W & M.	3 to 6, 8 to 11 in 4.	34	1 65
Waller, G. T.	Col.	4.	26	3 75
Watson, W. W.	Col.	All.	138	
" "	Col.	All.	139	
" "	Col.	All.	161	
" "	Col.	All.	162	19 25
Winston, J. H.	Col.	E part 17 and 18.	44	5 16
Wood, A. R.	W & M.	N part 3.	14	
" "	Col.	W part 5 and 6.	36	8 46
Anderson, A. G.	Col.	4 and 5.	40	3 85
Crowder Bros	W & M.	W part 2.	34	1 10
Gronsky, Ike	Col.	17 and 18.	42	
" "	Col.	4.	43	1 10
Hughes, Dr. B. M.	W & M.	E N 1 of 3.	7	3 85
Lacey, Mrs. Will.	Col.	E part 3.	34	1 38
Lester, Asbury	D S & M.	17.	11	55
Morrow, A. W.	W & M.	N E 1 of 4.	8	1 10
Randle, W. S.	Col.	8.	43	42
Scott, Mrs. Martha	Col.	7.	30	2 20
Smith, L. L.	W & M.	N part 1.	14	38
Stepp, W. A.	Col.	4.	3	4 95
Unknown.	Col.	7.	26	55
" "	Col.	16.	31	55
" "	Col.	W part 5 and 6.	31	44
" "	Col.	part 21.	42	83
" "	Col.	3.	43	55
" "	Col.	13.	52	28
" "	Col.	14.	52	28
" "	Col.	7.	62	55
" "	Col.	8.	62	42
" "	W & M.	1.	8	55
" "	Col.	4.	14	42
" "	Col.	5.	14	47
" "	Col.	1.	33	22
" "	Col.	8.	33	28
" "	Col.	9.	33	28
" "	Col.	10.	33	28
" "	Col.	11.	33	28
" "	Col.	12.	33	28
" "	Col.	13.	33	28
" "	Col.	5.	34	83
" "	Col.	6.	34	83
" "	D S & M.	5.	6	22
" "	Col.	1.	9	22

Prepare Ye for the Carnival.

The Carnival will soon be here and things good and fit to eat will be in great demand. I have the best and the cheapest in the following lines:

FRUITS, domestic and foreign
VEGETABLES, fresh from the garden at all times
CANDIES--best assortment in town
CIGARS and TOBACCOS
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O. C. DAVIS
Proprietor.

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Authorizing the Establishment of a Home for Wives and Widows of Confederate Soldiers and Sailors.

House Joint Resolution No. 7.

Joint Resolution to amend Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, so as to authorize the grant of aid in the establishment and maintenance of a home for the disabled and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors and such women as aided the Confederacy, and making an appropriation.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3. Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, associations of individuals, municipal or other corporations whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1880, and who are either over sixty years of age or whose disability is the proximate result of actual service in the Confederate army for a period of at least three months, their widows in indigent circumstances who have never married and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since March 1, 1880, and who were married to such soldiers or sailors anterior to March 1, 1880; provided, said aid shall not exceed eight dollars per month, and provided further, that no appropriations shall ever be made for the purpose hereinbefore specified in excess of five hundred thousand dollars for any one year. And also grant aid to the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy, under such regulations and limitations as may be provided by law; provided, the grant to aid said home shall not exceed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars for any one year, and no inmate of said home shall be entitled to any other aid from the State; the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home, and provided further, that the provisions of this Section shall not be construed to prevent the grant of aid in case of public calamity.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the regular election of State officers, in November, 1910.

The sum of \$5000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this Resolution.

W. B. TOWNSEND,

Secretary of State.

(A true copy).

City or County—Which

"There was a time not long ago when farming meant real hardship to all but the born and bread farmer or the most robust," says a wealthy Texas planter, "but that is no more." Now all the various labor saving appliances and machinery are making it a gentleman's occupation, and the expression "kid gloves farmer" will soon be in order and will not be so far out of the way either.

"Then some farmers are specializing on one or two lines, and with the aid of their farm machinery they soon get the work in those lines so systematized that it is made much easier. Many are also taking up blooded horses, and stock raising, poultry raising, horticulture and floriculture, so that altogether farm work need not be much harder or rougher than that of the ordinary tradesman or merchant.

"On account of these changing conditions there is more than ever before, among the people in town who have been told these things or advertised among, a tendency to get out of their crowded city quarters and near to nature on a farm or small country place, and especially is this true if they find out that there are telephone facilities and good roads. Give a family a telephone in their house and they have little fear of the isolation difficulty which has been the chief cause of families remaining in the crowded centers of the North and East, for that slender wire not only makes them feel that they are close to neighbors and friends in building up their population by new homeseekers will depend largely upon their good roads and country telephone service. With both of them and

the modern machinery, which are creeping into country life the balance of favor and good reasons as to the best place of residence between city and country is rapidly moving around to the side of the farm life or country home, because through these facilities—phone, free mail delivery and good roads—they are brought into what is practically equivalent to the immediate suburban district of some great city, and have at their hand the morning weather and market report and the necessary means for their daily business and social life, household supply orders for an emergency call.

"The foregoing being true, Texas is pushing forward a big campaign to provide herself with these prime necessities of all country districts—telephones and good roads—that she may not have to play second fiddle to any state in the union.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE (Real Estate).

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1910, in the case of R. H. Middleton versus L. B. Cope, W. P. Williams, Ed. Wilson, and Will Green, No. 1236, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 5th day of July A. D. 1910, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in August, A. D. 1910, it being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door of said Mitchell County, in the city of Colorado, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which L. B. Cope, W. P. Williams, Ed. Wilson, and Will Green or either of them had on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1910, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

Business lot No. Two (2) in Block No. Two (2), Surveyed by the Texas and Pacific Development Company, and situated in the town of Loryane, in Mitchell County, Texas, said property being levied on as the property of L. B. Cope, W. P. Williams, Ed. Wilson and Will Green or either of them, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$361.20, in favor of R. H. Middleton, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand this 5th day of July A. D. 1910.

G. B. COUGHRAN, Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas. By Preston Scott, Deputy.

It is to Be Hoped They Will.

While at the train Tuesday morning, an enthusiastic passenger was distributing cards to all who came near. We took one and reproduce it in the hope its admonitions will be heeded by those to whom it is addressed. Read it:

"Notice About the Primary:—This is a party election. Any person who goes into the primary must be willing to SWEAR he endorses what the party stands for. Yet this party has not made and will not make any statement of what these principles are. Ask any candidate and he will tell you that the reason he is running is that he wants the job. "My platform" he will be forced to admit, "is 'me for the job.'" A vote is a sacred right. It is the citizen's means of helping to direct our government. It should be used for the good of the common man, his family, and the public. If it is used to help some mere job hunter, it is prostituted. Give the pleading candidate a pleasant answer, but unless you believe in the crooked and corrupt Democratic party, don't give him your vote. You cannot do justice to your country, yourself, your sacred right to vote until you have examined the principles of all the contending parties and then have chosen those that appeal to your conscience and your reason. Therefore we urge you to study the principles of Socialism, which means co-operation for the good of all, and to keep out of the primary!"

None but the initiated know the accuracy required in a printing office, says an exchange. The average reader who detects a misspelled word or a letter turned up side down feels that his mission on earth is not accomplished until he has called the attention of the overworked editor to the glaring defect. He does not notice the thousands and tens of thousands of letters that are in place, or the multitude of words correctly spelled, but his eager eye is glued on the one that is out of place. So it is with our deeds. Man does a thousand good deeds and no attention is paid to them but if he makes one mistake it is rushed all over the world. A lifetime may be spent in building up a reputation that may be wrecked in a moment. The world is a harsh critic, exacting to a fault.—Orange Leader.

Phone us or tell us the local news.

For Sweet milk Phone 264.

ALL ABOUT TEXAS.

For information about Texas see the TEXAS ALMANAC & STATE INDUSTRIAL GUIDE. (350 pages.) Gives detailed description of every county in the State, price of land, etc. Also contains railroad and county map of the State. Price, postpaid, 30c. Address THE DALLAS NEWS, Dallas, Texas.

T. J. RATLIFF, Physician and Surgeon

Residence Phone 182
Office Phone 87
Office in Fire Hall Building, East End of Second Street.

J. R. Bryant, ARCHITECT.

Sweetwater, Texas

Will be in Colorado every Tuesday and Saturday and can be found at Dr. B. F. Dulaney's office.

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce the following named candidates subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 23.

REPRESENTATIVE 101 DISTRICT.
J. J. DILLARD, of Lubbock County
T. J. O'DONNELL, of Lynn Co.
FRANK A. JUDKINS, of Ector Co.

COUNTY JUDGE.

A. J. COE.

R. B. HOOD.

COUNTY ATTORNEY.

W. P. LESLIE.

G. W. CARNES.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

JESSE H. BULLOCK.

MISS ZILPHIA FOX.

SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR.

G. B. COUGHRAN.

L. A. COSTIN.

TAX ASSESSOR

EARL JACKSON.

JACK SMITH.

A. C. (AL) JONES.

W. H. GARDNER.

BUELL BRADFORD.

RUPERT WOMACK.

COUNTY TREASURER.

SAMUEL GUSTINE.

J. J. PATTERSON.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

FRED MEYER, Precinct No. 1.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

W. B. WIMBERLY, Precinct No. 1.

LAY POWELL, Precinct No. 1.

W. M. GREEN, Precinct No. 2.

J. S. BARBER, Precinct No. 3.

U. D. WULFJEN, Precinct No. 4.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.

R. H. CRUMP.

PUBLIC WEIGHER.

J. W. DAVIS.

C. E. FRANKLIN.

CONSTABLE.

J. M. WESTBROOK, Precinct No. 1.

W. R. EUDY, Precinct No. 1.

NETTLES & JARNAGIN

Headquarters for

Fruits, Vegetables, Butter, Eggs and Chickens.

Heinz Preserves, Pickles and Catsup, Beech Nut Sliced Beef, Peanut Butter and Jellies, in fact everything good to eat.

Nothing but the best sent out.

Extra special patent Flour

\$3.25 per 100 lbs.

Every sack guaranteed.

STRAW HAT SALE

Deep cut in Price of remainder of our stock of Mens' Straw Hats and Panamas too.

Childrens' Colored Straws, Mexican style on sale for

10c

Childrens' white duck Hats to close out at

10c

Mens' Night Shirts

Made of plain and check Nainsook, and Cambric, with and without collars prices

75c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50

Childrens' Creepers in light pink and blue pin check gingham for

50c

Childrens' Pajamas made of white cambric 2 to 4 years.

50c.

Price Reduction

on mens' Straw Sailors, two styles, high crown and narrow brim. Wide brim and flat crown.

Former Price

75c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2

Cut Price

50c, 75c, \$1, and \$1.50

KEEP KOOL Underwear

The Poros Knit is a winner these hot days. Per suit

\$1.00

The Nainsook Cross bar coat shirt, styles short sleeves. Per garment 50c. Knee length drawers to match, per garment 50c.

Mens' Negligee Shirts

without collars, light and dark colors, all sizes 14 to 17 worth 75c to close at

50c

Price reduction on Panama Hats

two styles. The Telescope and Crush. One sample lot bought at one-half price on sale for

\$1.25

Our regular \$5.00 Hat for

\$3.50

Childrens' Rompers and Play Suits

made of dark and light madras and heavy pin check demins, sizes 2 to 8 years. Price

50c

Mens' Athletic Union Suits fine Cooper ribbed

The White Cat Brand

\$1.50, \$2.00

Come to us for your wants and you won't be disappointed.

BURNS & BELL

LOCAL NOTES

Everybody Satisfied

Who has tried Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey for coughs, colds, grip or throat or bronchial trouble. Get a bottle today. Look for the Bell on the Bottle.

The address of Rev. Norman F. Marshall before the men's meeting at the tabernacle last Sunday afternoon, was listened to by a fairly good audience, and every one expressed unbounded delight at its excellence.

GRADE CARDS—The Record has printed and in stock the regular grade cards for public schools. This form of the card was adopted by the State and also by the county. Every teacher in the county is required to use this card, and you can now get them here and save the trouble and expense of

The band boys gave their first open air concert at the court house park last Friday night. Every time they play in public a great improvement is plainly noticeable. They bid fair to become the most proficient band in west Texas.

Saturday Evening Post at this office, also back numbers.

Mrs. Samuel Gustine visited in Lorraine, Tuesday, visiting friends.

FOR SALE—Saturday Evening Post best weekly magazine in the world. See Stansil Whipkey or this office.

Rev. B. Broome, of Devine, will fill the Baptist pulpit on next Sunday morning, lecture at the men's meeting at 4 o'clock and preach at the tabernacle at night.

The very latest styles in wall paper at W. L. Doss.

Judge W. B. Crockett left for Austin Friday night, to be promptly on hand for the special session of the legislature.

A Bargain for Printers.

Owing to the limitation of our linotype we have about 400 pounds of Century expanded 10-point type and 300 pounds of 8-point, which has been used only two years. This type is good as new and will be sold at a bargain with the cases. Prefer to sell all to one party, but will sell in smaller lots.—Address the Record.

Sterling Dozier, after spending a pleasant time with his parents at Dunn, has returned to town and business.

Fifty-two scholarships enrolled during the first week is the record of the Roberts Business College in this city.

Judge S. J. Isaacs of Midland, was here Friday and Saturday in the interest of Cone Johnson.

When the stomach fails to perform its functions, the bowels become deranged, the liver and the kidneys congested causing numerous diseases. The stomach and liver must be restored to a healthy condition and Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets can be depended upon to do it. Easy to take and most effective. Sold by all druggists.

The young son of Judge P. F. Brewer was hurt last Friday morning by his pony slipping on the concrete walk across the alley south of the postoffice, and throwing him on the walk, striking on his face and shoulder. He was stunned for some time, but no serious hurt was done beyond cutting his lip and a few bruises.

Ladies' Home Journal and Saturday Evening Post sold by Stansil Whipkey or at the Record office.

Homer Robinson, who has been doing the big writing and important telegraphing at Ekota, for some time, held down the third trick here after the moving of W. H. Smith to Van Horn, until permanent supply could be arranged.

Old Ulcers

Are unsightly and dangerous. Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve will heal them promptly. It is clean and pleasant to use. 25c a box. Sold everywhere.

Mrs. J. T. Ratliff and the boys went out to Roswell, New Mexico, last Friday night to be gone some time. They are visiting the family of our former townsman, M. C. Ratliff and family.

Teething children have more or less diarrhoea, which can be controlled by giving Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. All that is necessary is to give the prescribed dose after each operation of the bowels more than natural and then castor oil to cleanse the system. It is safe and sure. Sold by all druggists.

Mr. Chas. Stricker of Arlington, brother of W. W. Stricker, was called to the bedside of the latter Sunday much better and in a fair way to rapid night. As the Record goes to press he is much better and in a fair way to rapid recovery.

Soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, is quickly relieved by the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is equally valuable for muscular rheumatism and always affords quick relief. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. D. F. Glisson went to Fort Worth Sunday night, accompanied by Mrs. Frank Newman.

Now is the season for canopy tops for your buggies. Annis has a large stock and sells them at the most reasonable prices. See him.

Mrs. Watson, mother of Mr. W. W. Watson, and Mrs. John B. Holt and children, left Sunday morning for a visit with relatives at Nashville, Arkansas.

Newest wall paper just in at W. L. Doss.

Mrs. Harry Smith and children went to Clyde Sunday morning on a visit.

Ladies' Home Journal and Saturday Evening Post sold by Stansil Whipkey or at the Record office.

W. W. Stricker, of the Colorado Mercantile Co., has been quite ill the past week with malarial fever, at the Alamo hotel.

The federal government is investigating the composition of the ice cream cones, now so popular. Several deaths and serious illness have been attributed to them. Death lurks in them, so side step the cones.

If needing wall paper, see W. L. Doss. He has it in endless variety.

Miss May and James Watson left last week for El Paso, where the former will have her eyes treated, and the latter will look over the country.

All Skin Diseases

Yield readily to treatment with Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve. We guarantee it. 25c a box. Sold everywhere.

Miss Willie Cowan, daughter of our fellowcitizen, Solan Cowan, who has been teaching music at Lubbock, is visiting the family of her father.

If you want the best of harness, the kind that is shop made and made on honor, see Annis the saddle man. He makes and keeps them.

Miss Julia McLure will teach in the Colorado Public schools next session in the place to which Miss Kinnard was elected. The catalogue is being gotten out.

If you are a reader of the Saturday Evening Post, see Stansil Whipkey, who will deliver it at your house or office every week.

The Dulaney building is nearing completion, and a more attractive and convenient store building is not to be found in all West Texas. The second story is divided into eight suits of rooms of two each opening upon a wide, light and airy hall. The ventilation of the entire building and the light are all that could be desired. There is, we learn, a brisk demand for the rooms, as offices and sleeping apartments.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one devoted disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Bell's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Bell's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and restoring nature in doing so. The guarantee here is that if you do not cure your Catarrh, we will refund you \$100.00. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. Take Bell's Family Pills for constipation.

Mr. George B. Root, general selling agent for the Burham townsite proposition, returned from a protracted trip to Galveston last Thursday night, and reports, not a boom, but a steady and increasing demand for that promising investment.

Mr. Bookkeeper, if you desire an increase in your salary why not attend the night session of Roberts' Business College?

For pure cream phone 264.

Chamoisette

Washable Gloves

The Seasons Greatest Sensation.

Manufactured in Germany out of the famous German Chamoisette. A material that has all the appearance of real Chamois in color and texture, rich cream in color, soft velvet finish and **Every Pair Guaranteed to Wash.** These famous Gloves are imported by the Francis T. Simmons Glove Co. of Chicago and sold to



Chas. M. Adams

Exclusive Selling Agent for Simmons Gloves in Colorado, Texas.

We Not Only Recommend
SIMMONS KID GLOVES
But agree to keep them pressed, shapely and mended forever
FREE OF CHARGE
ASK US ABOUT IT

We have on display in our Store
hundreds of pairs of
Chamoisette Gloves
at 35, 50 and 75 cents. A trial will convince you.

Reception at Baptist Church.

Last Thursday night in the parlors of the First Baptist Church, a reception was given in honor of the new pastor, Rev. Holmes Nichols, and family, the object being to afford an opportunity for the pastor and the members of his charge to become better acquainted.

An informal program was carried out and in addition to the musical numbers, short addresses of welcome were made to the new pastor and his family by representatives of the church, its auxiliaries and the Vernon Pastors' Association. R. S. Kelly spoke in behalf of the church, W. N. Stokes for the Sunday school, Orren C. Loyd for the B. Y. P. U., Mrs. J. O. Wright for the ladies' Aid, and Rev. W. L. Livingston, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, for the Pastors' Association. After this part of the evening's entertainment had been disposed of, refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed. —Vernon Record.

Summer Colds.

Are harder to relieve than winter ones but they yield just as readily to treatment with Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Sold everywhere. Look for the Bell on the Bottle.

The game of base ball between the Colorado bunch and the players of Lorraine, resulted as such a contest usually does—Colorado nothing to any old figure will do. The great trouble with the home boys seems to be lack of team work. There are good enough individual players, but it requires unanimity of thought and action to play good ball.

Young man, if you are contemplating entering commercial life, qualify yourself by attending Roberts' Business College.

Its so if you saw it in the Record.

Mrs. Coe of Itan was a Colorado visitor last week.

Card of Thanks.

We offer our heart-felt thanks to our neighbors and friends, for their condolence and many acts of kindly sympathy, during the illness and death of our darling babe. Words fail to express our appreciation.

S. B. Barnett and Wife, Parents
L. E. Barnett, Grandmother.
I. F. Barnett, Aunt.

If you want to be sure of catching your train, call Woods Livery Stable. He never misses a train. ... 5-6c

A son of Dr. Steakley of Oklahoma, died Saturday night in the Cuthbert community and was buried Sunday afternoon.

Chronic Sore Eyes

Are easily cured with Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. It is painless and harmless and guaranteed. 25c a box. Sold everywhere.

Lyman Chatfield brother of Mrs. M. K. Jackson, spent Saturday night with his sister.

Woods meets all trains, day and night. Service sure and prompt. Phone the Livery Stable. 5-6c

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Allison died and was buried Sunday in the Odd Fellows cemetery.

HOUSES TO RENT—Large and small, cheap and cheaper, far out and close in. Phone 77 or 22. E. KEATHLEY.

Tom Morris went to Fort Worth Sunday night

The Palace Market kills every Saturday, so their patrons get fresh meats on Sundays and we guarantee all goods

A Cough, A Cold

And then no telling what—unless you use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It is the best ask your neighbor. Look for the Bell on the Bottle. Sold everywhere.

Mrs. W. A. Crowder and Miss Ethel Majors left Sunday night for a trip to Los Angeles and Long Beach, Calif.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets gently stimulate the liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system, cure constipation and sick headache. Sold by all druggists.

Charlie Thomas left Sunday night to seek his fortune in Dallas.

New Blacksmith Shop.

I have opened a blacksmith shop in connection with my wagon yard, with W. A. Whitley in charge, and solicit a share of the public patronage. I still pay highest prices for hides. 4-8tf WM. DEBUSK.

Experts employed to examine the oil found in the Toyah field, report that in no other section has so pure an article of lubricating oil been found as there. The Texas & Pacific road has used much of it for lubricating purposes, just as it comes from the wells. The oil in the deep well, which was stopped up as soon as finished, rises 800 feet. Land in the vicinity of the proven field, is prohibitive in price. Owing to certain formalities to be gone through with the government it may be some time before extensive developments can begin.

Your ad in the Record will get results.

Mrs. Christian and two children left for a protracted visit with friends and relatives at Avant and Temple Texas.

The heat on Saturday, Sunday and Monday reached a degree that was all but intolerable, combined with the barometric pressure. It seemed that it could not help raining, and sure enough, on Monday afternoon the clouds gathered in the northwest, thunder and lightning were much in evidence, and the refreshing rain came down upon the thirsty earth much to the relief of all the animal and vegetable kingdoms. It is needless to say that other portions of the county received more rain than the section immediately surrounding Colorado. But it rains upon the just as well as the unjust.

Two in One

Dr. Bell's Anti-Pain is both an internal and external remedy. It is all antiseptic remedy and destroys disease germs. Sold everywhere on a positive guarantee.

There are more than 10,000 domestic corporations doing business in this state. Of these 8,000 are paying the franchise tax, and carrying on a regular business.

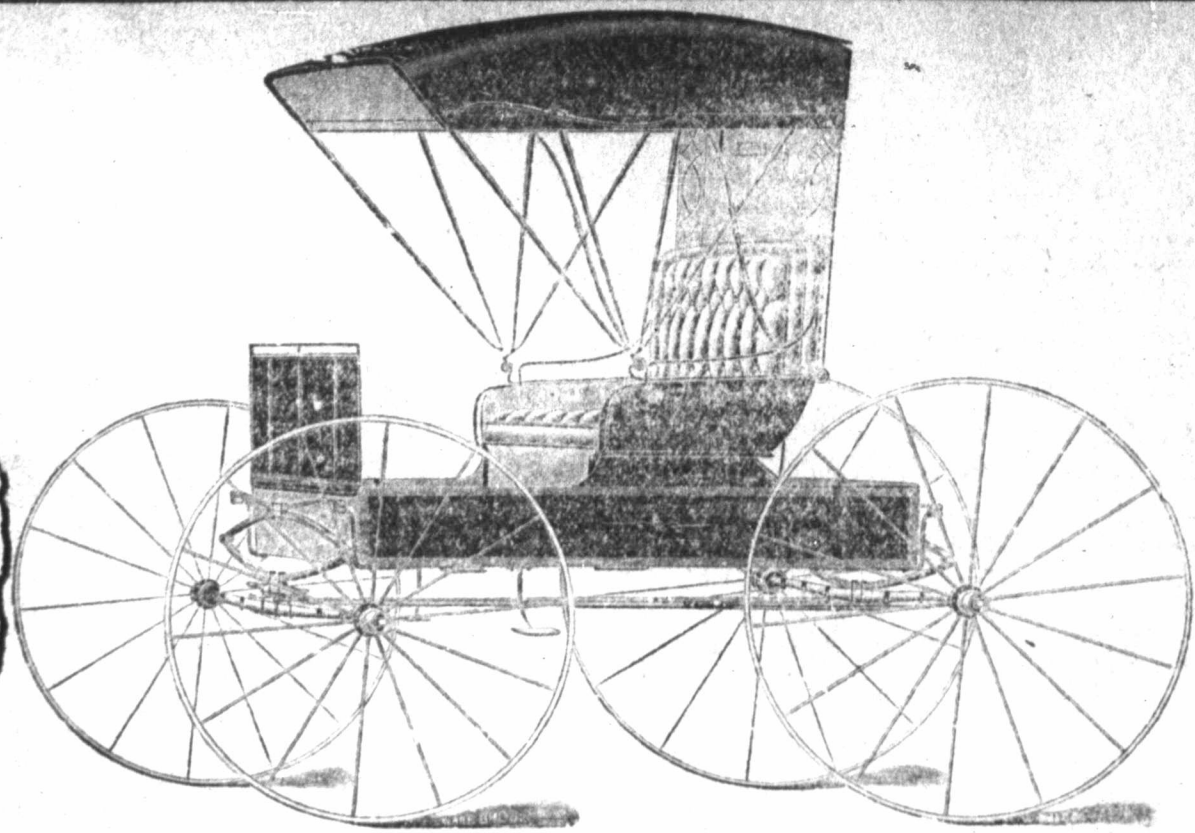
Why not attend Roberts' Business College and prepare yourself for one of those good positions they guarantee?

O. C. Davis and wife are rejoicing over the advent of an eight-pound addition to the number of girls in the family. He says he would not take a million for any single one he already has, nor give five cents for another.

A Pain Remedy

Both internal and external is needed daily by almost every family. Keep a bottle of Dr. Bell's Anti Pain. Good for all kinds of bowel troubles. Externally for cuts, burns, sprains and all pains. Strongly antiseptic. Sold everywhere.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.



"A Hull" Car of Vehicles

We are just in receipt of the finest and most varied stock of vehicles ever brought to Colorado—A full car load direct from the factory. We can offer bargains in any kind you may need that cannot be duplicated. The stock of

Surries, Buggies, Hacks, Traps Etc.

will never be equalled in this market. We can sell you a trap of the latest model for \$50.00 to \$150.00. Buggies and Surries up to \$175.00. No use to enumerate prices. If you need anything in this line come too see us, and the price and terms will effect the sale. Everything to go with the vehicles you buy.

HARNESS, ROBES, WHIPS, Etc.

Colorado Mercantile Company

LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

This is the kind of weather in which the immortal Sidney Smith sighed to "pull off his skin and sit in his bones."

O. M. Mitchell went to Dallas Monday night on business.

R. C. Carr, a prominent citizen of the Vincent community, paid this office a pleasant call Tuesday.

Miss Minnie Bellah spent the day Tuesday in Snyder on business.

We call attention to the program in this issue of the entertainment to be given under the auspices of the Hesperian Club, by Miss Exa McLure, at the opera house Friday night, July 29th. This entertainment is for the benefit of the public school library, and appeals to the civic pride of every citizen for a liberal support. Miss McLure is an artist in her readings and recitations and a high class entertainment is assured on that occasion.

Thos. H. Hubbard, of Sweetwater, was a Colorado visitor Sunday and Monday.

To the lucky and unlucky candidates and all who need to build up their feelings and system, don't forget to get a choice roast or steak at the Palace Meat Market.

Hon. J. J. Dillard, candidate for representative from this legislative district was mixing with the free and untried suffragans of Mitchell county this week. He remembered the Record, both with his presence and "pictor."

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.

In view of the size of the state and the enormous cost of making anything like approximating a close canvass, it seems to those who have heretofore lived in states whose gubernatorial term was four years, that the successful aspirant to that honorable position, pays far too dearly for his whistle. Again: Governors are but men, and men are universally human, and "human nature is uncoo weak." Having

ing only two years to serve, there is an ever present temptation to "make unto oneself friends of the Mammon of Unrighteousness." A four year term, under the circumstances would be a decided improvement in our political economy.

Mrs. O. G. Flemister of Fort Worth, is visiting Mrs. Mary Coe.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.

Miss Mary Coe returned from a visit with friends at Fort Worth this week.

For pure cream phone 264.

Of course, the Meteorological expert of the Record staff could presage a good rain to a day, but if he did so even in the greatest secrecy, his confidence would likely again be betrayed by those envious pretenders to the prophet office, who "ploughing with Sargon's heifer," go around predicting rain of their own powers. We tried this once, and the signs became so hopelessly mixed and tangled that it failed to rain for more than six months. No sir, the prophetic gift is a sacred one, and must be jealously guarded from the profane. Oh, it'll rain all right.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.

The Record's last forecast:—To one in the watch-tower, the condition sizes up as follows: If Cone Johnson leads in the primaries, it is more than likely that Colquitt, Poindexter and Davidson will be second, third and fourth under the wire. If Colquitt, Davidson or Poindexter goes under the wire ahead, the chances are odds on Johnson bringing up the rear, a good runner, but a disappointing favorite. This estimate is, to be sure, subject to slight fluctuations, but in the main may be relied on as a safe guide in laying your money. But don't blame this forecaster, if you take the short horse.

COTTON CROP WORTH ABOUT \$812,000,000.

New York, July 19.—The Bureau of the Census on Cotton Production has issued a bulletin relating to the value of the cotton crop last year. It gives the value on production in 1909 as about \$812,000,000.

This is about one-half the value of the corn crop, nearly \$100,000,000 more than the value of the wheat crop, and twice the value of the oat crop.

(Advertisement) TO VOTERS OF MITCHELL COUNTY.

The following letter is being mailed by Mr. Dillard, as campaign literature: Tahoka, Texas, 6/11/10.
"Mr. J. J. Dillard,
Lubbock, Texas.

Dear Sir:—
Yours of 10th received. Voters here are making a hard fight for T. J. O'Donnell and call him a "Home Man," and on this account some people will vote for him and not consider that he has only been in the State a short time, and that the railroad people are running him, that his interests are different from that of the general public. I have it, second-hand from him, that the Santa Fe people are paying his campaign expenses.

Yours respectfully,
S. N. McDANIEL."

The above letter is being mailed to the voters of this district by J. J. Dillard and his supporters. I beg to say in reply to same, that the letter itself is absolutely without truth, in its own initiative, and those who circulate it are doing so with a full knowledge of its utter falsity. I challenge McDANIEL or Dillard to meet me on this issue.
T. J. O'DONNELL.

Candidate W. H. Gardner, in presenting his eligibility to the office of county tax assessor, detailed the fact that he had come to Colorado ten years ago, with six bits in money and seven children. Since that time he has accumulated a little more money and considerably more family. Candidate Ruell Bradford followed with a confession of ten children and a correspondingly greater eligibility for the office. Others followed in decreasing numbers, until candidate Earl Jackson responded to his name. He confessed that judged by the family standard, the voters might think he had no business in the race at all. But that he had the pleasure of reporting "progress and asked for further time." If elected tax collector of Mitchell county, he pledged himself to make good by the standards erected by his opponents. And the house came down.

A party of young people went down to the Runderbrook ranch this week to enjoy the air, the room and whatever of fishing may be found.

Mrs. Gilm of Abilene came over Thursday morning on a visit with Colorado friends.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.

OUR WEEKLY STOCK LETTER.

Forty-three thousand cattle arrived here last week, including six thousand calves and while this run was nearly twice as large as the supply the previous week, everything sold more easily, and at some slight advance over the prices of the week before. The bouyant agent was the fact that buyers had large orders to fill, and the slim buying of the previous week having allowed fresh meat channels to run dry to a certain extent. The crest of the supply from the quarantine country has been passed, as one-third of the total cattle last week came from below the line, whereas, a few weeks ago, half the receipts were coming from quarantine territory. Kansas pastures are contributing more freely, and will likely furnish a larger share each week for a time, and that run from there will likely furnish a larger share each week for a time. Advices from Colorado state that cattle are three weeks to a month ahead of their usual condition at this time, and that run from there will start in August in good shape. Drouth cattle from the northwest have been running to Omaha and Chicago for some weeks, and one big outfit is getting ready to ship several thousand steers from Wyoming to Kansas pastures this week and next if the dry weather continues. The run here today is 12,000 cattle, not including 2,000 calves, market steady. Chicago run is 25,000 today, market lower, and buyers hung back here trying to get cattle cheaper, but eventually had to come through with steady prices, top \$8; heavy Kansas grass steers \$6.25 to \$7.25; lighter steers, \$5.00 to \$6.00; grass cows, around \$4; bulls \$3.75 to \$4.75; top veals, \$8.50; stockers, \$3.25 to \$5.00; feeders, \$4.25 to \$5.50, a few fleshy feeders up to \$6.50.

Hog values declined 42 cents last week, and the feature of the week, outside of the big slump, was the light hogs got the biggest end of the decline, especially after the middle of the week. The run was 52,000 head, as compared with 24,000 same week last year, but that light run was on account of wash-outs on railroads all over Kansas. Run today is 6,000 head, market opened weak, but shippers were active, and the close was \$5 to 10 higher, heavies again coming in for their full share. Best lights reached \$8.72 1-2, medium weights \$8.65, heavy hogs \$8.45. The rally today is regarded as only temporary, as the destination of the market is to a lower level before the end of the month.

A Pleasant Affair.

A very pleasant affair occurred at the country home of Mr. G. L. Wallace on Tuesday night of this week. The occasion was a banquet in honor of the members of the Colorado Concert Band, and their (lady) friends. A sumptuous supper in courses was served, after which the hours were passed in pleasant converse, music and games. At a late hour the guests bade a reluctant good bye to host and hostess, and left with delightful memories of the auspicious occasion.

At the tabernacle Tuesday night the last word in the county canvass was said to the voters by the company of candidates. Beginning with county judge and ending with the aspirants for constable, each was given a tryout before the audience, which looked with critical eye and discerning judgment on the good points of each as he showed his paces—from quarter pony to the four-mile heater. Each had his backers and boosters, and received a liberal share of applause and the most deferential attention. There was a pleasing absence of that species of "dog-chewing" and personalities which convinces no one and hurts only the chewer. The speeches were clean, manly and showed that a voter might shut his eyes and mark his ticket without danger of doing wrong to his convictions or harm to the commonwealth. The candidates expressed a feeling of relief, as well as the suffragans, that the battle was over, and the election on tomorrow alone will tell the tale. It is the opinion of the Record that the county never had a better bunch personally, or a collection of candidates possessing higher standards of general qualification, than that which stumped the county during this campaign. 'Rah for 'em all—every wan av thim!

The Record is not a prophet, neither the son of a prophet, not yet a seventh son of a seventh son, but its guess on the election will do no more harm or effect the result than its prognostications on the weather. So here goes:
Colquitt 80,000
Johnson 70,000
Poindexter 60,000
Davidson 50,000
An amended estimate by a Poindexter adherent reads something like this:
Colquitt 70,000
Poindexter 70,000
Johnson 65,000
Davidson 55,000

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Order for Election.

Pursuant to an order of the City Council of the City of Colorado, Texas an election is hereby ordered of the property tax-paying voters of said city, to be held in said city, at the county court house, on the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1910, within legal hours prescribed by law, to determine whether said city shall adopt the provisions of Chapter XIV of the Acts of the Second Called Session of the 31st Legislature of 1909, relating to imposing the whole cost of sidewalk improvement on the owners of abutting property, etc. Resident property tax-paying voters within said city, only are eligible to vote at said election.

F. M. BURNS
Mayor Protem.
Attest:
E. KEATHLEY,
City Secretary.

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