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GOV. FERGUSON TAKES STAND

FOR CONSIDERABLE PERIOD HE TELLS OF TRANSACTIONS.

WILBUR P. ALLEN ALSO HEARD

Chairman Board of Regents Deals With the University Controversy and the Executive With Charges Against Himself.

Governor Ferguson on the first day in which he testified in the house investigation proceedings was upon the stand two and a half hours. The galleries were jammed, and the fans being out of order rendered the temperature intensely warm.

Governor Ferguson spoke distinctly and was easily heard. Each charge was answered as it came up, but he did not conclude his direct testimony until Monday.

The governor was arrayed in a suit of black; frequently mopped his face with a large handkerchief and kept a palmetto fan busy.

W. A. Hanger conducted the direct examination.

The first charge, that the governor had misapplied state funds for groceries, auto tires, etc., and that if the "chicken salad" case was decided adverse to him he would refund same money, was answered in detail. He said by inspection of the records, which "I hold in my hand," Judge Calhoun in some respects upheld the Middleton contention and in others he did not; that the opinion does not undertake to state what character of purchases would be permitted by the state or prohibited by the state. "So nobody can tell up to this good hour just what would be permissible to purchase under that opinion and what would be prohibited.

"But as soon as the supreme court happened down its opinion, not wishing to be technical, but to comply with my statements and desire, I set about to pay the different warrants that had been issued as deficiencies against the different funds in my administration."

The governor exhibited a bundle of papers that were deficiency warrants, amounting to \$2,059.21, "that I have paid and taken up, and they include the groceries that you have heard so much of; the feed, the chicken salad that you have heard so much of, and the auto tires that you have heard of and various purchases for the mansion, amounting to \$2,059.29, and I went further than that."

He stated the deficiency warrants all were settled with his personal check. "Here they are and I ask the fullest inspection of them by this legislature. I don't know whether every deficiency warrant that has been issued is here or not. Perhaps there may be some other warrants out. As I stated to the committee, I am ready and willing to pay every one, and if any one is out I will be glad to pay it, and have paid all that have been presented, and want to express again my willingness to pay any more that may be out."

Relative to the money paid on burning Canyon City normal witness said he deemed it his duty to see this cash was applied to rebuilding the school. Said it was paid out as due.

Every accusation in other charges were denied by the governor.

He said that Frank Swor's failure to qualify as labor commissioner was not due to any suggestion on his part and said that when he appointed Swor he expected him to qualify at once.

Answering the charge that he violated the constitution by vetoing university appropriation and striking the institution down, the executive read from Governor Culberson's message in 1895 vetoing certain university items. He said the senate having passed the university bill by a two thirds vote, he would consider if the house did likewise he would let it become law without his signature, but declaring it extravagant.

He spoke of his relations with President Vinson.

Regent Allen Testifies.

Wilbur P. Allen of Austin, a lawyer and cattleman, testified he had been a university regent since last winter. In reference to the governor remitting a bail bond for \$5,000 for Louis Rodriguez, a fugitive, charged with the murder of another Mexican, on which he was a surety, witness was asked: "Do you mean to say that you didn't change your mind in regard to the university in the meantime after the governor had agreed to remit the bond?"

"You know I didn't," was the reply. Allen stated that his efforts had been directed toward composing the university situation and in this he had failed to procure the resignations of Mr. Lomax and Dr. Vinson.

Witness testified some time in connection with university matters.

Allen, replying to a question, said he learned that the regents have the right to remove any professor in the university. This was in reference to the injunction suit.

FULLER PAYS HIS DEBTS. COUPLE OF BANK PRESIDENTS TESTIFY BEFORE HOUSE.

Before the house in committee of the whole in the Governor Ferguson impeachment matter Speaker Fuller was subjected to a severe cross examination, in which personalities figured to a large extent.

Two witnesses testified to the standing of the speaker in protecting his financial obligations, both declaring it excellent.

In Good Standing.

J. W. Cochran of Livingston, president of the First National bank of that place, stated that he had known and had business dealings with F. O. Fuller; that he had made him several loans and he was in good standing. If, on July 6, Fuller had drawn a draft on his bank it would have been paid, as arrangements would have been made to pay it. Mr. Fuller had been on surety debts at his bank and had paid one this year of about \$100. Cross-questioned by Mr. Hanger, witness said Fuller now owes him a note for \$500, secured by stock.

Would Lend Him Money.

Jeff Cochran of Liberty county, being called to the stand, said on direct examination that he knew the speaker, and that he (witness) was president of the Cleveland State bank and also vice president of the Shepherd bank. Lives on a ranch, but looks after the operation of the banks. Fuller's reputation for debt paying he considered good would lend him money now should he make application for it and would have loaned him money on July 6 of this year. Witness said that his son is an officer in the Shepherd State bank. He was briefly cross-examined.

Tells of State Railroad.

J. B. Welborn of Palestine, who is manager of the state railroad, said he had been so employed since January, 1917. Salary is \$175 monthly and it is paid by the railroad commission. Reports are made monthly to the railroad commission. The books showed the amount of earnings of the railroad. Witness went out to get his books. He gave the amount of earnings, by reference to the books, for January as \$2,411.41, with expense of \$2,473.29.

Net earnings for 1917 so far was \$12,658.93 and expenses of \$14,427.59. The road was being operated at a loss, he asserted, during the first six months of the year, as that was always lighter than the second six months. He was asked to furnish the figures for the last half of last year and proceeded to compile them from his records. Year's income from the period from July, 1917, back to June, 1916, he said, was \$27,800.39 and the

expense \$44,489, part of which was appropriation money from the legislature. He is the highest salaried employee, he said. These are agents at Palestine drawing \$90 a month and Attorneys Martin & McDonald in Austin drawing \$20 a month. The attorneys drew contracts and attended to legal business. He did not know that the attorney general could attend the legal business of the road, he said. He stated that he was appointed manager by the governor and appointment of the attorneys was approved by the executive. These attorneys receive all the annual passes they want over the railroads. Salary was not regarded as a sort of "joker" so they could get passes and evade the annual pass law he said. Money earned by the railroad is disbursed without supervision of the comptroller, though a monthly report is made to the state railroad commission. Witness stated he had lived in Palestine nearly all of his life. He knew of no men in public life on the pay roll of the road. Prospects, he asserted, this year were bright, and he expected the road to earn enough not to have to draw on the legislative fund for expenses.

"In spite of your large attorneys' fees?" asked Crane.

"Yes, sir," (Laughter.)

Witness stated that the road had a firm of surgeons employed who were paid whenever they had any work to perform. The railroad, he said, collects the usual rates for freight that is hauled for the state penitentiary and also for the state.

On cross-examination witness said that the state railroad was built long prior to the Ferguson administration. The road last year was visited by the legislative committee and he showed it over the property.

Witness was asked by Hanger: "Mr. Crane asked you about your attorneys and surgeons. Please state when you had not, but why you did not apply to the state health officer to treat them?"

"Well when a man is hurt he needs attention immediately and nobody can wait for a state officer. He regarded Governor Ferguson as the superior officer, he said.

Railroad funds, he stated, were deposited in a bank at Palestine, and there was generally an urgent demand for them by the time they reached the bank. This concluded the examination of the witness.

COLORADO BOYS OFF FOR FRANCE.

The supply train of the Texas National Guard consisting of six companies has been made a part of the Forty-Sixth Division which will soon leave for France under command of Major General Mann, and will be the first division of National Guard to go to Europe. The supply train headquarters and two companies are in Houston, two companies in Dallas, one in Austin and one in Big Spring. It will be officially known as the 117th Supply Train. The members of Co. No. 4, received orders to pack up and be ready for movement, and left Big Spring on a special train last Saturday evening.

About 20 Colorado boys were in this company, and as the train stopped here for a few minutes, a great crowd of relatives and friends met them to tell them good bye, and good luck. The boy scouts and Campfire girls were lined up beside the train to greet them and give a parting cheer and parents, brothers and sisters, as well as sweethearts, shed tears as the train rolled out, bearing away to foreign fields of carnage, these brave boys, in the prime of young manhood, who go to do their "bit" for the honor and glory of these United States.

Later news comes that they are comfortably situated at Camp Bowie, (Fort Worth) but do not know how soon they will be ordered out.

Have some fine melons at ice house—they're cold.—A. S. Beckner.

FERGUSON LOAN TO FULLER.

Governor HAS SPEAKER BEFORE HIM AS HE TELLS OF IT.

After Attorney Hanger had read the charge of Fuller of Governor Ferguson seeking to influence the former by lending him \$500 the governor turned to Fuller, who sat on the speaker's stand behind him, and said: "Sit in front of me; I want to look at you." The speaker moved to a seat in front of him. The governor said:

"Late that afternoon (the day of voting for the location of the west Texas agricultural and mechanical college) Fuller came again into my office. Then he said: 'I think my congressional race is getting along fine, but I have no time for my campaign. My law office has been practically closed and I have no chance to make money. I'm running short and would like to know if you can help me.'"

"I said: 'How much do you want?'"

"He said: 'Five hundred dollars.'"

"I said: 'I haven't got as much money as some people think and am not as near broke as some people think, but I guess I can let you have it.' He said he couldn't pay for two years if elected and if defeated would have to earn it. I said I understand that and it would be all right. I reached in my desk, made out a note and made out a note for two years at 6 per cent. He said while I was writing the note: 'I may be able to pay you before, but I don't think I can.' I said: 'Then pay me when you can.'"

The governor here read the Fuller note. He continued:

"Then, after he signed the note, I reached for a check. He said: 'Have you got any money? I need some cash money.' I gave him \$100 in cash and \$400 in a check on the Temple State bank. I am sorry the check didn't state some particular in which I had sought to influence him. I loaned that money as I have to friends in trouble many times. There was nothing that I wanted to influence him about. He had told me repeatedly that he had no right to call the legislature and would not do so without consulting me. I never dreamed he had any such idea. I was not looking to him for anything. He was looking to me for help. Absolutely nothing was ever said in any way suggesting anything about influencing him."

The governor said this happened just a few hours after the location of the college. It was after banking hours, which, he said, was the reason Fuller gave for wanting cash.

Governor Ferguson was cross-examined by Crane.

The governor admitted he had borrowed \$150,000, but declined to state from whom.

He said if the law was enforced every banker in the state would go to the penitentiary.

The governor admitted he had arrangements to prosecute Lee McMaster for the same things he had done in a banking way, and denied he had violated the "spirit of the law."

Admitted that his account and that of the Bell-Bosque ranch were greatly overdrawn, the period when state deposits were put in the Temple State bank, but it was all paid back.

NOTICE

The city scavenger wagon will make its rounds through the alleys on Tuesday next. Get all your trash in barrels and boxes and the city will haul it off. Clean up and put your trash in the alley by Tuesday.

CARD OF THANKS.

I take this method of expressing my heartfelt thanks to the good people of Colorado for the many deeds of kindness shown my uncle, Col. H. Wright in his recent sickness and death. May your kindness be rewarded, as it will always be remembered by Mr. Wright's relatives and friends.

G. R. WRIGHT.

Ice watermelons at ice house.

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A Full Stock--

Everything in the grocery, hardware and implement line.

We appreciate your trade and are doing all we can to protect and favor our customers.

Come in and see us; and any favors we can extend will be gladly done.

Our Grocery Stock is Complete
Fresh Vegetables Every Day.

Let's all stand together and help each other through the hard times.

Colorado Mercantile Co.

FROM BRO. NICHOLS.

A letter from Rev. Holmes Nichols, our former pastor, who is now located at El Reno, Oklahoma, says in part: "You people are certainly hard hit in the West, but it will come back to its own again, as you well know. Central Texas has been hard hit by drouth—corn is a complete failure. During the last two weeks we have had an abundance of rain; and things, aside from the awful war, look good. I had heard of your close call from the accident, and hope you are over it by now. — I felt impressed again and again last week that I ought to write Dr. Weston a letter of encouragement. Not that I knew of his awful condition, but something said to me over and over—write Weston—and I am sorry that I did not act according to such impression, for they were certainly of the Holy Spirit. —Holmes Nichols."

AMENDMENT CARRIED.

The result of the election on Tuesday for and against the Constitutional Amendment resulted in 50 votes being cast at the Colorado box. 47 for, and 3 against. No doubt, as the amendment carried by such a majority in Colorado, it will be so throughout the state.

G. F. COWDEN'S SON KILLED.

Midland, Tex., Aug. 20.—Starughan Cowden, son of G. F. Cowden, was accidentally shot and killed Sunday by his cousin, Leck Cowden of Abilene. The boys were hunting wildcats among the rocky crags of Blue Mountain, on Cowden's ranch. They became separated and young Leck, in firing at a wildcat, instantly killed his cousin, who was in the brush just beyond.

27 HEAD OF CATTLE KILLED BY TRAIN

Passengers who came in on the regular east bound train Saturday evening reports that the train ran into a bunch of cattle just this side of Westbrook and killed 27 head. It was a miracle that the train was not derailed, but no damage was done other than to the cattle.

We have since learned that the cattle belonged to C. P. Conaway of this place. He was driving the bunch across the tracks when the train ran into them.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, Inc.

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Herrington still sells Ford Cars.
Have a big stock of all kinds of tires.
Best Ford Mechanics in the West
All kinds of Ford Parts

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OPERA HOUSE PROGRAM FOR NEXT WEEK

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ANNETTE KELLERMAN in NEPTUNE'S DAUGHTER 10c and 25c There will be no matinees.	ANNETTE KELLERMAN in NEPTUNE'S DAUGHTER 10c and 25c There will be no matinees.	RAILROAD RAIDERS No. 6 Helen Holmes. NEGLECTED WIFE No. 7 Ruth Roland.	TRIANGLE NIGHT. THE WEAKER SEX—Featuring DOROTHY DALTON. LOVE UNDER COVER—Keystone	MUTUAL STAR NIGHT. THE PAINTED LIE—Featuring the Idol of the screen—Sane Wilbur. It's a Mutual Star.	Matinee and Night. PERILS OF GIRL REPORTERS— CAUGHT IN THE END—Vogue JERRY JOINS THE NAVY—Jerry

Coming---Sept. 3, Matinee and Night, "The Spoilers."

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in glass-
paper—
keeps them
fresh.

**20 for
10¢**

ALL PARTS OF STATE COVERED

commission of the state in buying and
purchase of sugar cane. Permission
to sue the state was granted by the
legislature.

Tanlac is sold in Colorado by W. L. Doss, in Loraine by Garland & Elliott and in Westbrook by J. H. Board. (Adv.)

I would like for you to read every word in this advertisement before you stop. Some people say that a medicine that is recommended for so many things is not good for anything. Now, let me tell you, McCroskey's Tonic has seven ingredients in it, and acts on the liver, kidneys and spleen. It makes you fat instead of lean, and it acts on the stomach and blood.

While it is a liver medicine, it is not a purgative. It only acts mildly and is a laxative and liver tonic. But if you need a purgative, take a course of liver medicine, and then follow with McCroskey's Tonic. It is sold in Colorado at W. L. Doss drug store.

Adv.

Pickens & Reeder keep the very best of seasonable meats that money can buy.

FIRST BALE AT SAN ANGELO.
San Angelo, Aug. 18.—R. H. Balum, a farmer living several miles north of town, brought in the first bale of new cotton Thursday afternoon. The bale weighed 485 pounds, brought by R. A. Hall, vice president of the San Angelo National bank, 10 cents per pound. Including the cost of seed, the total was \$160 for his

THE VERY CHOICEST BEEF
We have purchased of Sheppard & Grabel about 40 head of the very choicest stall-fed beef stock, and will sell it for the patrons of our markets in Colorado and Loraine. No better beef can be had than this lot of cattle. The best is none too good for our customers.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for 50 cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great.

Give the children because it is

Pharr furnished Fort Worth first corn of the season, raised near latter place. It was billed to an elevator company and graded No. 1 white. The first car this year is ten days later than the one of last year.

W. B. Wortham, J., twenty-five years old, youngest son of William B. Wortham, state pipe line expert, died at the residence of his parents in Austin after a several months' illness.

We are Offering Some Exceptional Good Values in

KOOL KLOTH KLOTHES

Values up to \$13.50
Your choice for **\$9.50**

Straw Hats 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50
Panamas 1-3 and 1-4 off.

Closing out some Canvas Oxfords in both white and Palm Beach at... **\$3.50**

CLEANING, PRESSING, BUSHING AND DYEING
DONE PROMPTLY AND RIGHT. PHONE 154

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LOCAL NOTES

A card from Judge Looney and Ed Jones up in Colorado, says they are camping under the snow capped mountains and enjoying the campfire at night. They do not even intimate when they will return.

Grocery business, houses, land to trade for cattle or sheep. Write Box 328, Pecos, Texas.

Mr and Mrs. Sam Shannon of Dallas motored over the latter part of last week. After spending a few days here with Mrs. Shannon's mother, Mrs. W. P. Ruddick. They went on to El Paso and from there into Colorado for their month's vacation.

It will cost just \$1.00—TANLAC at Charters & Sadler's.

Charlie Seale writes to change his paper from Colorado to Plainview.

Get your TANLAC at W. L. Doss' Exclusive agency.

We received this week a copy of the Palmer Rustler, published at Palmer, in Ellis county. It had on it the ear marks of one W. E. Bostwick formerly with the Record, and whose family is still here.

If wanting the Best Ice Cream go to W. L. Doss' and say Alta Vista.

A card from Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reese at Corpus Christi, extends sympathy, on the death of Mr. Weston and among other things, say that their country is in fair condition.

Choicest of all meats and accompaniments at Pickets & Reeder.

Carl and Vance Phenix left Friday for Fort Worth to see about joining the aviation corps. After examination they were accepted, and left on the next train for Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, where they will be put in the shops, as mechanics. This makes three of the Phenix boys in the army.

Charters & Sadler serve all the leading cold drinks and gives the best of service in all other lines. If its legitimate they handle it.

Newt McLaugh who was living on the Jack Smith place, left this week for his new home at Eastland.

Exclusive agency for TANLAC.—W. L. Doss.

R. C. Harlow, out on route one, came in and had his Record sent to Rochester, Texas, but said he would be back by spring.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives ease and Rest. See.

Miss Callie Price is now chief stenographer and bookkeeper at the Colorado Mercantile Co., and has the office in a nice clean condition, she being efficient, prompt and correct in her work.

Most popular cold drink fountain in the city is that of Charters & Sadler.

W. D. Baker, down on the Looney place sent his boys to East Texas, this week, with all their work stock and milk cows. The boys will work over there, take care of the stock and return with them in the spring.

If its in a first class market you'll find it at Pickets & Reeder.

B. F. Glenn writes from Cleburne and wants the Record sent there.

W. L. Doss handles the very best blackleg vaccine.

Royall G. Smith, a prominent attorney of Colorado City, was a business visitor here last Saturday.—Big Spring Herald.

Hawkes' expert optician at W. L. Doss' drug store one day only—September 7th.

J. W. Gross and the boys are back east, picking cotton. Mrs. Gross and the smaller Grosses are holding down the farm here. It will take more than a drouth to knock out our friend Gross.

You can get Pape's Cold Compound at Charters & Sadler's.

A letter from Dr. Dudley Queen at Boston, says: "Have not yet received my final orders, but am expecting them in the next few days. Hope it won't be long, for I am anxious to go." Dr. Queen was formerly a telegraph operator here, and whose Masonic membership is still here. He is a nephew of Mrs. F. B. Whipkey.

Judge E. H. Looney is quoted as saying that if it rains in time he will order a car load of seed wheat and have 500 acres planted on his farm.

Charters & Sadler have taken over the agency of the Dallas Morning News. Prompt delivery.

A letter from John C. McLennan, out on route 2, calls for a change of his Record to Coleman, Texas.

Dallas Morning News and Evening Journal at Charters & Sadler.

Watch out for and meet the good-roads committee, or State Highway Commission this morning.

Dr. L. G. C. Buchanan, practice limited to diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat. Office, Big Springs. For the accommodation of patients in the vicinity of Colorado, I will be in Colorado 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month. Office with Dr. Henthorne.

Considerable improvements are being made on the ward school building. A new roof is being put on one of the wings; a fire plug has been installed at the corner, and other improvements are being made preparatory to the opening of the school, Sept. 10.

Nuxated Iron, ask for it at Charters & Sadler's drug store.

FREE OF CHARGE.

Any adult suffering from cough, cold or bronchitis, is invited to call at the drug store of W. L. Doss and get absolutely free, a sample bottle of Boschee's German Syrup, a soothing and healing remedy for all lung troubles, which has a successful record of fifty years. Gives the patient a good night's rest free from coughing, with free expectoration in the morning. Regular sizes, 25 and 75 cents. For sale in all civilized countries. Adv.

WANTS THE RECORD.

I am at Lake View, Texas. Everything looks good here. Cotton is late will be ready to pick about Oct. 1st. Don't fail to send my paper, I am very homesome and want to hear from home. It is raining here, but has been very dry all year. Range is very short.—Jno. A. Thompson.

JUST THE THING FOR DIARRHOEA

"About two years ago I had a severe attack of diarrhoea which lasted over a week," writes W. C. Jones, Buffalo, N. D. "I became so weak that I could not stand upright. A druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The first dose relieved me and within two days I was as well as ever." Many druggists recommend this remedy because they know that it is reliable. Obtainable everywhere. Adv.

DUNN HAS BEST CROPS HE FOUND ANYWHERE.

J. H. Ellis from the Dunn community was in Snyder Monday and spent the afternoon here trading with the merchants and greeting friends. Mr. Ellis reported that he had recently returned from a trip over Scurry, Mitchell and Nolan counties and found crop conditions in the vicinity of Dunn to be better than in any of the other localities he visited. South of Dunn, Mr. Ellis stated, some of the farmers have very good crops, with special reference to cotton, which is about knee high.—Snyder Scurry.

FARMER AND THE WORLD WAR

TEXAS FARMERS' UNION DISCUSSES THIS MATTER.

Relation of the farmer to the world war and his duties and opportunities were discussed by several speakers during the annual convention at Dallas of the Texas Farmers' union. On calling the gathering to order by the president, H. N. Pope of Fort Worth, over 1,000 delegates from all over the state, packed the lower floor of the city hall auditorium. Every county was represented and every branch of the organization.

The farmer's "bit" in the war will be to increase his acreage of food and feedstuffs and provide sufficient food for the soldiers who will go from this country to fight for democracy.

So declared S. B. Dorsey, secretary of the Texas Grain Dealers' association, who spoke before the convention. He reminded the farmers that Texas has experienced dry weather the last three months and that every effort will have to be made to make the state self-supporting. If she is made self-supporting the fifteen million bushels of grain she has been importing from other states each year will be released for export to our soldiers on European soil, he pointed out. Mr. Dorsey declared that Texas should be ashamed that she produces too little for herself, while there is enough land within her borders to raise sufficient food for the entire United States.

The speaker said he saw no reason for the government taking over wheat at this time, but as one of the grain dealers of the state he is willing that it should be done if the government said so. Several patriotic appeals were made by him for increased production of wheat—the most essential single product at this time.

Mention of the name of President Wilson caused great cheering.

D. E. Lyday, chairman of the executive committee, strenuously denied that the Farmers' union is dying, as is charged "by its enemies." While other organizations have been torn to pieces by strife and dissenting members, who showed insufficient patriotism, he pledged the farmers of Texas to be patriotic enough to buckle down to their new tasks of feeding part of the world without a member at odds with the union.

Mr. Lyday pointed to Germany as a lesson to this country in the matter of treatment for the farmers. There, he declared, they are neither starved or allowed to be robbed by unscrupulous manipulators. D. E. Lyday of Ravenna, Fannin county, was elected president.

POPE PROPOSES PEACE.

SOME SUGGESTIONS ALONG IDEAS OF PRESIDENT WILSON.

Pope Benedict's peace proposals to the belligerents include some principles for which President Wilson has declared. He proposes armament reduction, settlement of all international disputes by arbitration, freedom of the seas and no retaliatory struggle after the war for world commercial supremacy.

Restoration of Belgium, Serbia and Rumania; peaceful solution of problems of Alsace-Lorraine, Poland, Trent and Trieste; return to Germany of her colonies; no thought of reparation except for the return of territory.

China Enters War.

China has joined against Germany.

New Interurban Line.

Contract for the construction of the forty-nine miles of interurban railway line between Dallas and Cleburne has been let by the Dallas Southwestern Traction company for \$2,500,000 to the Creek Construction company of Sapulpa, Okla. Work starts Sept. 1 and line is to be completed within eighteen months. A shuttle will be put in operation between Eagle Ford and Irving, Dallas county, giving electric railway service to West Dallas, Cement City and Gates.

Goes to Fort Worth.

Rev. F. T. Datsion, last three years rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd (Episcopal) Wichita Falls, has resigned in effect Sept. 1, when he becomes rector of Trinity church, Fort Worth.

Nineteen Drown.

Nineteen Portuguese fishermen were drowned when the dories in which they were fishing off Cape Cod swamped in a gale that came up suddenly. Several crews of other fishing craft report narrow escapes.

Purchases Texas Sheep.

W. P. Kemper, president of Orient railroad has purchased 225 head of West Texas sheep from T. Nix, Mayer, Schleicher county. They were sent of Mr. Kemper's farm, located near Kansas City.

Fire at San Saba.

San Saba was visited by a fire that destroyed the Clark building, occupied by the general merchandise firm of Biggs & Clark and causing damage estimated at \$25,000, with partial insurance.

SENDS FOR THE RECORD.

Please find inclosed 50c for the Record for the length of time that this will cover. We are enjoying pleasant weather after a week of good rains, and this country is greatly improved. We will be here several months longer, and will enjoy reading the Record.—Mrs. R. C. Thomas, Ochiltree, Texas.

Marvin Dorn and family and B. A. Donelson and family were guests at the editor's home last Saturday, returning to their home near Farwell from a visit with relatives in Mitchell county.—Lubbock Avalanche.

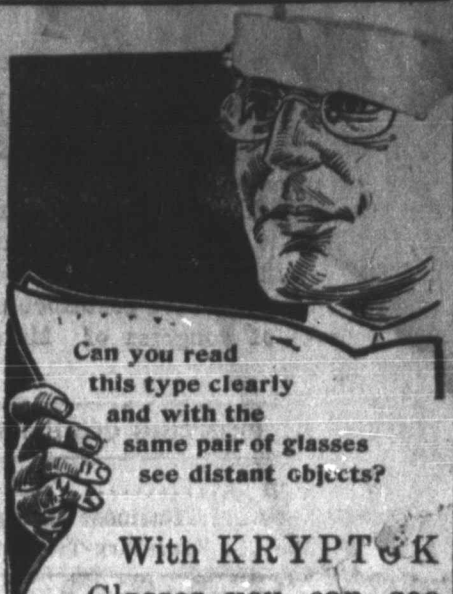
Guff Beal and family are here this week on a visit to relatives. Mr. Beal spent most of the week on the ranch at Stanton, and reports things in fairly good shape out there.

FAULTLESS "WEAREVER" RUBBER GOODS GUARANTEED

It is easy for a customer to be deceived regarding rubber goods. The druggist must be relied upon to supply right quality at right prices. We buy all rubber goods carefully and from manufacturers who make only honest products. Our line of rubber goods is complete and quality guaranteed to be just as represented.

Hot Water Bottles, Fountain Syringes, Combination Fountain Syringes, Sick Room Goods and Nursery Supplies...

Charters & Sadler



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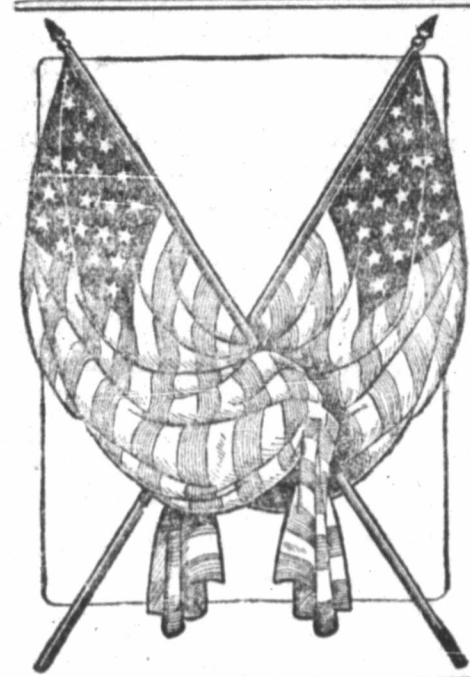
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Shakespeare says: "Our troubles come not in single file, but by battalions. And one war treads upon another's heel."

There seems to be a combination of circumstances against the Record in its new home. First, we were caught in the machinery and laid up for ten days; then the Clipper demised and days. And hardly had we recovered from this accident before the sad and unfortunate occurrence of Dr. Weston's death overwhelmed us. All combined with the more than one year's drouth, makes it extremely difficult for us.

For the present the Record will try to get along without a special editor. We will do the best we can, making the paper as purely local, and will try to hold our own until the rains come again, and this great country of the west comes into its own.

We have an abiding faith in the West, and believe that he who stays by the stuff will reap his reward.

Friends of the paper can greatly aid us by reporting any and all local news items worthy of mention. While we may not be able to keep the Record up to its past high standard, we will, at least, make the paper one of the best local papers in the west, and it will be well worth the price charged for it.

We ask our readers to be lenient with their criticisms for awhile at least as the proprietors of this paper have not "rusted copy" for a paper for the past 12 or 15 years, and of course, we will have to get back into the harness, which will take time.

CALL THE MEDICINE MEN.

A letter from our old friend, G. C. Rafter, who is now at Clarendon, among other things says:

"Thank you for the Record. It is like meeting someone from home. Maybe we were lucky not to have been there this summer, with everything burnt to tinder, but Mrs. Rafter continues to lament our having to leave Colorado and all the good friends there. We had light rains through July, and the past ten days we have had enough rain to have made Mitchell county blossom like the garden of Eden. I would suggest that you summon the chief Medicine men of the city and institute a rain dance, after the manner of the old Indians who used to inhabit the region thereabout. There may be something in those old Indian customs after all, and I am sure that there are enough good Indians in Colorado to pull off a first class dance. Above all things I am hoping that you get rain soon."

Seeing that it shelters such specimens as Senators Reed, Stone, La Follette, Vardaman and a few others of that ilk, can there be any question that ours is a stable Government?—Macon Telegraph.

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DEATH OF DR. WESTON
EDITOR COLORADO RECORDEnds His Life by Pistol
Bullet in Brain.

Dr. A. H. Weston, the well known and popular editor of this paper, put a bullet in his head last Thursday afternoon, about 4 o'clock, from which he died about 12 o'clock that night. He was never conscious, nor spoke a word after the shot was fired, but died quietly and peacefully. Just simply "went to sleep to wake no more in this world forever."



Dr. Weston had been addicted to the drug habit for a number of years, which had steadily grown worse, until, for the past few months, there was a great part of the time in which he was not responsible for his words or deeds.

For some time he has been despondent, melancholy, sad and disheartened. Seemingly he had given up all hope of ridding himself of the terrible habit which had so fastened its fangs upon him that, though having taken "the cure" several times, his will was weaker than his love for the insidious foe.

He attended to his duties at the office last week as usual, except on Monday morning about 11 o'clock he left the office and did not appear until about 9 o'clock p. m. at his home. But he was on the streets in the late afternoon as he borrowed a pistol, with which to "kill a dog," as he carefully explained.

Wednesday evening at the supper table it was noticed by the family that he was in a bad way, but not being unusual no attention was paid to it. (He made his home with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Whipkey, where he had every comfort and attention, and was as one of the family.)

When the family retired he was sitting out on the lawn smoking, as was his custom every night. Thursday morning when being called to breakfast, and receiving no answer, it was found that he was not in his room, nor had the bed been occupied during the night.

A search was immediately begun and a number of tracks, resembling his were found just north of town, about Lasky's and Hines' farms. By the afternoon more than a hundred citizens were hunting through the bushes and shinnery north of town. About 4 o'clock Dr. B. F. Dulaney and City Marshal Delaney, who were on horses, rode up to the fence surrounding Lasky's orchard, and just inside, in the shade of a tree Dr. Weston was laying down with his head on his arm, apparently asleep. He evidently heard the horses as they approached, as he raised up, seemingly dazed, as one who is suddenly awakened from sound sleep.

Dr. Dulaney said, "Hello, Doc, what you doing here?" and Weston said he was sick and was resting. Upon being asked to come on down to the road where there was a car which would take him home where he could be in more comfort, he said, "All right," and getting upon his feet stepped behind a clump of bushes, put the pistol to his head and fired.

It was done so suddenly and unexpectedly that it was utterly impossible for those near by to have prevented it.

He was carried to his home (Mr. Whipkey's), physicians summoned and all was done that could be done, but the die was cast, the end was near. The bullet (a short .38) entered just behind the right ear and remained embedded in the brain. He never spoke or regained consciousness, but at 12 Friday morning passed quietly and peacefully to rest, as one who is very tired going to sleep.

The remains were laid to rest Friday afternoon at the I. O. O. F. cemetery, with the full ceremonials of the Masonic Order, of which he was a

member. This was of his own request, as he had said a number of times that he wanted to spend the rest of his life in Colorado and be buried here.

He leaves a wife in Louisiana; a son, Harry, who is married and lives at Little Rock; a son, Harold, who is in college, and two daughters, both married. He has been estranged from his family for a number of years, but had never ceased to love them and care for them. He contributed toward their support and education all and even more than he was financially able; and his thoughts and kindest wishes were always with them.

It was the fondest and greatest dream of his life, that when he could throw off the monster which had fastened upon him, and recover his health to go back into the bosom of his family, and be an honor and glory to his wife and children, whom he loved with all the strength of a devoted husband and father.

But toward the last, when he saw that he was not strong enough to do this, the constant thought and fear that obsessed him was that he might become incompetent to earn his own living and in his old age would become a burden upon his family, or the charity of the world. And this, more than any other thought, led to his untimely end.

Dr. Weston was born in Ireland in 1860, his parents coming to this country and settling in Mississippi when he was a child. He graduated from the State University at Oxford. He was a graduate in medicine, and practiced that profession for several years. He was also a graduated dentist and practiced that profession for some time.

He had traveled extensively, not only throughout this country, but had been in Europe several times. On one of these trips, he and a companion traveled over England, Ireland and France afoot, making their way as they went. On another occasion he was a delegate to Ireland, connected with some committee of the Presbyterian church. In his travels he was a close observer of people and their customs, and his brain was a veritable store house of valuable facts and experiences gathered on these journeys.

Dr. Weston came to Colorado in 1907 and had been the editor of the Colorado Record up to the time of his death, with the exception of one year, during which time he was connected with a real estate firm.

In 1912 his health became so bad that it was necessary that he should have treatment; and through the kindness of friends, assisted by the Whipkey Printing Co., and the Masonic Lodge, he was sent to the Baptist sanitarium at Dallas, where he remained several months, regaining to a marked degree his former health, good spirits and a brighter outlook on the future. Again in 1914 he went back to Dallas for further treatment and upon his return was almost like a new and different man. His physical condition was much improved and his mental abilities were never better. But, alas, the monster of hell—desire, temptation, appetite; call it what you will—was not dead, but was only sleeping for a time, to awake with a greater strength and stronger grip than ever before. And thus a good and brilliant life was sacrificed in its prime.

He was a man of most wonderful memory. When he read a book, the gist of the matter, if worthy to be remembered, never left him. Names, dates, incidents—anything and everything—were labeled and methodically arranged in his mind, and could be brought forth as desired to be written about or discussed. He was one of the most brilliant writers of the state, and but for his one weakness could, and no doubt would, have been a leader in the literary field of the South. His editorials were extensively quoted not only by the papers of Texas, but by magazines and leading publications of the east, such as Collier's and Leslie's. He had a number of articles accepted for publication by leading magazines. Among many such compliments the Austin American said: "The Colorado Record enjoys the distinction of having one of the ablest editors connected with the newspaper profession in Texas. The calm philosophy, courage and Christian fortitude which enable him to accept praise and criticism alike with becoming gratitude and commendable resignation, is rare indeed and in all respects worthy of emulation."

He has had offers from some of the leading daily papers of Texas, to act in editorial capacity, at four times the salary that the Record was able to pay. But he told them all, that he was satisfied in Colorado and expected to spend the rest of his life here.

He loved the Record and took a great interest in its advancement and well being, and he was ever faithful

and true to the paper and his employers.

He was a member of the Presbyterian church, and had been since childhood. He was a student of the bible and could talk from and about its wonders and beauties, better than many preachers we have heard. He was one of the first members of the Layman's League organized here several years ago, and frequently led the services at these meetings. Through this organization the large union tabernacle was built, which movement he inaugurated and helped push to completion.

We do not say that Dr. Weston had no faults. His very virtues and the traits that made us love him, were at the expense of other faculties of his mind and character. He was strong in many things because he was weak in other things. The very frailty of his human nature made him a friend to any sympathizer with others similarly afflicted. He understood the weaknesses of humanity because he suffered from the same cause. He was loved largely because of the largeness of his character begotten of a knowledge of his own weakness. Had he been a cold and morally perfect being he would have repelled more than attracted the confidence and sympathy of his friends. If he had not shared the common frailties of human nature, his friends had been less loyal.

But he now sleeps that eternal sleep that shall know no awakening till the last trump shall sound. It behooves us all to allow the charity of science to plead for him who can no longer plead for himself. Dr. Weston was as far removed from a Pharisee as the rising sun is removed from the setting. He did not pose as a purist or moralist. He believed in doing what good he could in charity and in encouraging the down and out, to the limit of his ability.

We have known him intimately for more than twelve years and a number of times have known him to give his last cent of money—aye, even borrow money—to relieve some case of distress. He was kind-hearted and liberal to the point of improvidence, and no appeal was ever made to him for help that he did not do what he could.

We can well afford to let the balance sheet of his life rest in the hands of the Great Judge, who knows the inmost recesses of the heart, and rewards us according to our merit. A careful analysis of his character reveals many noble traits that had their basis in nature and grace. His friendly disposition won for him the esteem of high and low, rich and poor. He was strong in his convictions; upright in his dealings; faithful to his friends; loyal to his employers; conservative in his writings; generous to a fault, and unostentatious in his life. His virtues were of the old school type—justice, honesty, truthfulness, and sincerity were the pillars of his character.

As applicable in this place, we quote below an editorial written by him the evening before his death, and which was being printed at the same hour the fatal shot was fired. Did he have a premonition, or foreknowledge, of what was to come? God alone will ever know. He wrote:

"Criticism is the easiest burden with which we can load all people we do not understand. If we could only see and feel the temptations and sufferings which some people daily endure without one word of complaint; if we could feel their sensitiveness on matters that affect us not at all; if we could change points of view with the people we so severely criticize; we might come to a better understanding of their seeming frailties. But until we can do this, the human race—good people, esteeming themselves the salt of the earth—will continue to deal out injustice instead of mercy."

Peace to his ashes, and may the appreciation of his kindly deeds, his many virtues, and his splendid writings, keep forever green the memory of this good citizen, friend and editor.

—F. B. and A. L. Whipkey.

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CHURCHES, CLUBS AND SCHOOLS ENTERTAINMENTS, PARTIES AND SOCIETY'S DOINGS

BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY

You will confer a favor upon the Record and the editor of this department if you will 'phone her (No. 157) any announcement or news item

DINNER AT BARCROFT.

On last Saturday Miss Lucille Henthorne, who is soon to leave the city for Gainesville, her future home, was guest of honor at the Barcroft. The hostesses were Misses Mildred Coleman, Mary Arbuthnot, Jessie Person, Mabel Smith and Ruby McGill. The place cards were unique, each one bearing a little personal souvenir of the hostesses, and presented to the honoree. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

MISSION STUDY.

The Baptist Mission Study Class met with Mrs. J. L. Shepherd last Thursday with Mrs. Meeks as leader. The topic for study was City Missions, with a bible lesson on gaining, losing and regaining Jerusalem. The program was mostly plans, suggestions and heart to heart talks of the work in our own town. Mrs. Porter and

Mrs. Campbell (the latter a former member) were guests. At the social hour sherbet and cake were served. The next meeting is with Mrs. M. C. Ratliff.

HOUSE PARTY.

Little Miss Elsie Lee Majors is having a week end house party this week. It is composed of Little Misses Catherine Bynum, Quay Crawford, Dorothy Anderson, Addie Lon Parker, Laura Patee of Abilene, Lillian Majors and Madeline Nebellets of Sweetwater and Frances Mitchell of Colorado.

METHODIST ANNOUNCEMENT.

Preaching at the Methodist church next Sunday morning. On account of meeting at the Baptist church will have no service at night.—W. P. Garvin, Pastor.

Trade with home merchants.

SMITH-HIGHT.

At El Paso last Saturday night Lieut. Broadlove Smith, U. S. A., and Miss Zenobia Hight were married, at the home of the bride's parents.

The groom is the eldest son of Judge and Mrs. Wm. R. Smith, who represented this district in the United States house of representatives for 14 years, and who was appointed to the Federal bench in April by President Wilson.

The bride is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hight, who went from Bonham to El Paso several years ago.

Both the fathers of Lieut. and Mrs. Smith were born near Tyler, and the families knew each other in pioneer days of the state and helped to make its history, being among its most prominent citizens.

Doubly felicitous was the dinner which was given later by Judge and Mrs. Smith, at 1413 Montana street, for in addition to welcoming their eldest son's bride the event celebrated Judge Smith's birthday anniversary, as well.

Lieut. and Mrs. Smith left for San Antonio, and their future plans are indefinite, as are most of the military affairs, and all that pertain to them.

Judge and Mrs. Smith with their family, were residents of Colorado for more than 26 years. Broadlove spent his younger days here in the public schools, and is much loved and

respected by all who knew him.

The entire citizenship of our little town, wish for Lieut. and Mrs. Smith all the honor and happiness that can come to mortal man.

THE BEST LAXATIVE.

To keep the bowels regular the best laxative is outdoor exercise. Drink a full glass of water half an hour before breakfast and eat an abundance of fruit and vegetables, also establish a regular habit and be sure that your bowels move once each day. When a medicine is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are pleasant to take and mild and gentle in effect. Obtainable everywhere.—Ad

Misses Katie and Ruth Buchanan, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Buchanan, came in home this week from Boulder, Colorado, where they had been attending the session of the summer normal at that place. The state university is also located at Boulder.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The M. E. Missionary society met at the church for their study course Monday. At the business period it was reported that the new carpet for the church had arrived. Drouth or no drouth these good women keep at work.

Ice watermelons at ice house.

TO PIANO PUPILS

I WILL open my studio opposite High School building First Monday in September. Those wishing to commence at that time can phone me.

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MISS LELA WHIPKEY

MARRIED.

On Wednesday afternoon at the court house in Colorado, Mr. J. E. Hammons and Miss Ruth Lindley were quietly married. These people live down on the N. P. Browne place, and Mr. Hammons is an industrious young farmer. When seen by a Record man, they were smiling and happy.

Ford Cars and marriage license are about all that are selling now.

If you will phone the ice house for a cold watermelon it will be delivered promptly.

Miss Young of Hillsboro was a guest of Miss Maud Farmer this week.

A PILGRIMAGE OF PRAYER

The Episcopal church throughout the United States has been holding a continuous series of prayer services, and on Thursday, Aug. 30, a service will be held in the Episcopal church in Colorado. The following program will be used: At 10 a. m. Corporate Communion. 8 o'clock hymn No. 249. Evening Prayer. Hymn 253. "A Pilgrimage of Prayer," Mrs. Looney. Leer from Pres. W. A. read by Mrs. Farnest. Paper on "Prayer" written by Mrs. Marshall and read by Mrs. Prude. Offering—United Offering. Hymn 261. Special prayers by Rector. All are invited to attend.

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All Druggists

Mr. Pidgeon went to Dallas last week for a slight operation on his throat. He is now at home and hopes to serve his customers at the garage soon.

Order an ice cold watermelon from the ice house—quick delivery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miles of Loraine visited Mrs. Gustine this week.

John Shaw, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. C. H. Earnest, this summer, left Wednesday for his home in Dallas.

News comes from Frank Robinson at San Antonio, who has been in the radio service, that he has been promoted to Corporal, and is again with the boys.

Lena Chesshire, who was operated on at the Ratliff sanitarium Tuesday, is reported as doing nicely.

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DEATH OF COL. WRIGHT.

Last Friday Col. H. Wright died at his home after only a few days illness. His nephew, G. R. Wright came from New Mexico and accompanied the remains to Waco, where he was met by Col Wright's step-daughter from St. Louis, and two step-sons in Waco. The body was laid to rest in the cemetery at Waco, beside his wife who preceded him a few years ago. Col. Wright was born in Missouri in 1842 and has lived in Texas for many years, having lived on a ranch in Scurry county. For the last eleven years he has been a resident of Colorado. The Record, with a large number of friends extends sympathy to all who mourn his death.

MERRY WIVES.

Mrs. Bruce Aycock was hostess for the Merry Wives Wednesday at Mrs. Abe Dolman's. Her guests were Mesdames Cooksey, R. E. Dolman, Frank Lupton and Mrs. Byron Byrne of Senora; Misses Jeanette Earnest, Jessie Person, Mary Arbuthnot, Mabel Smith, Mildred Coleman and Bernice Terrell. After the games ice cream and cake were served.

Miss Lucile Stonerod after a few week visit here left yesterday for her home in Chicago. She will go by Katie Rock and visit the Berners.

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BAPTIST MEETING.

Revival services began at the Baptist church, Wednesday night and will continue indefinitely. The pastor, Rev. W. C. Garrett is doing the preaching, and he is exceedingly anxious that all christian people of the town and community, shall come and help in the meeting, just as far as their conscience will permit. The pastor's hope is, that all the people, as well as the Baptist flock, shall be helped by this series of meetings. From Sunday on, there will be morning and evening services, and such other services as may seem best.

Since the regular time for the observance of the Lord's Supper passed by without the observance, (there being no pastor here at the time) the church will partake of the Supper next Sunday morning.

Walter Whipkey and his friend "Bob" Watson, jineyed in from Paris (Texas) on Monday. They left yesterday for a few days' on the Concho, accompanied by A. L. Whipkey and part of his family. Walter will return to Paris next week.

Ralph Homan, who took officers training at Leon Springs and was made Second Lieutenant, was here a few days with his sister, Mrs. Cliff Beal, and friends, enroute to visit his other relatives in El Paso, before going to Camp Travis.

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- 415-Leonard Spurlin, Westbrook
- 409-Grover I Bassinger, Colorado
- 453-James Avant, Colorado
- 294-Joe M Alexander, Colorado
- 408-Roy E Griffin, Loraine
- 230-Earl J Sharp, Loraine
- 271-Charles E Jackson, Colorado
- 375-Joe C Northcutt, Spade
- 65-John D Dering, Westbrook
- 282-Myrte J Vaughan, Colorado
- 615-S T Tillson, Westbrook
- 455-L L Graham, Colorado
- 463-Willie Norman, Colorado
- 346-Ollie H Thompson, Colorado
- 457-Sanford A Smith, Loraine
- 62-Marselino Puente, Westbrook
- 207-Clemente Chavez, Colorado
- 67-Gilbert R Leach, Westbrook
- 616-James R Porter, Colorado
- 248-Thomas A Stevens, Westbrook
- 77-Samuel A Martin, Loraine
- 609-M T Coburn, Colorado
- 248-R E Gregory, Westbrook
- 521-Witt R Hines, Westbrook
- 695-Houston T Turnbelt, Loraine
- 614-John R Swafford, Roscoe
- 521-John R Swafford, Roscoe
- 160-Basil Farquhar, Colorado
- 283-Ulmon R Hall, Colorado
- 59-J E Terry, Car
- 612-Roscoe A Dobbs, Colorado
- 359-Albert L Duncan, Loraine
- 724-John Milburn Doss, Colorado
- 497-Arthur Lee Moore, Colorado
- 667-Luther L Logan, Westbrook
- 463-Mace Smith, Colorado
- 84-John T Elliott, Loraine
- 531-Macedonio Hinojos, Colorado
- 468-Henry C Smith, Colorado
- 663-Clarence Myers, Loraine
- 469-Joe H Smoot, Colorado
- 245-John M Connaway, Westbrook
- 530-E G Rone, Colorado
- 351-R S Westfall, Westbrook
- 94-Y D Buckalew, Westbrook
- 148-Joseph E Hairston, Hermleigh
- 14-Joseph N Sanders, Colorado
- 109-John E Derryberry, Colorado
- 251-Russell P Burrus, Cuthbert
- 180-Irl D Zelter, Loraine

- 598-Elmer G Rogers, Colorado
- 658-Chester T Beight, Loraine
- 631-Marion D McCollum, Loraine
- 656-Robert L McAbes, Loraine
- 583-T B Moore, Cuthbert
- 69-Guerin Shaw, Colorado
- 174-Edmund Bauman, Loraine
- 210-C V Felts, Colorado
- 414-Ollie F Bird, Westbrook
- 307-Geo W Green, Loraine
- 569-J J Rhodes, Colorado
- 553-Obie C Rice, Colorado
- 625-Guy Hooks, Colorado
- 402-John F Harrison, Colorado
- 459-Marcus Snyder, Colorado
- 161-Otto F Jones, Colorado
- 189-Theo Aguilar, Colorado
- 659-Charlie Stup, Colorado
- 261-W D Cooper, Loraine
- 709-R B Morgan, Colorado
- 123-Jesse O Handy, Colorado.

MOTHER! YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH FROM CONSTIPATION

If Tongue is Coated, Breath Bad, Stomach, Clean Liver and Bowels.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once—a teaspoonful today often saves a sick child tomorrow.

If your little one is out of sorts, half sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of California Syrup of Figs, and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then ask that it is made by the "California Syrup Company."

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COLORADO, TEXAS

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Colorado, Texas

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National Bank**

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RELIEF ASKED FOR WEST TEXAS.

Last week at the sitting of the commissioners' court, County Judge J. H. Bullock conceived the idea of securing some kind of aid for the people of this drought stricken district. He suggested to the court the idea of getting the state taxes remitted for this year or at least getting them extended without interest or penalty. After considerable discussion by the court, it was decided to call up the judges of the four adjoining counties, which was done, and, after talking to Sterling, Big Spring, Sweetwater and Snyder, it was decided by these five counties to have the judges meet in Austin the next day, and lay the matter before the governor. This was done, Judge Bullock representing this county.

Upon his return he told us that they soon had an audience with the governor, and laid the matter before him. Mr. Ferguson having recently visited this section was in hearty sympathy, and promised to submit it to the legislature, which he did. While in Austin Judge Bullock met personally nearly every senator and representative, and the result is now a bill looking to the extension of taxes and an appropriation for seed and feed next spring.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 16.—The Governor today submitted to both branches of the legislature a message recommending the enactment of such legislation as will bring relief to the citizenship of Central West Texas from the distressing condition brought about by the drought in that section.

"At present at least fifty counties in West Texas are suffering from the worst drought in perhaps thirty years," stated the Governor in the message. "Conditions are deplorable."

"The matter of securing food for everybody is one of the gravest concern. Crops are entire failures, cattle are dying, and there is in this section no seed for planting next year's crop. Many officials from these counties have applied to me to use the good offices of this department to relieve the distressed condition."

"Having recently visited the West I know that the situation has not been overrated. It is one not to be considered lightly. It is the duty of the state to take up this matter and prevent any possibility of suffering, or lack of food or clothes."

"The governor also points out that at this time, when the government is making so many liberal appropriations 'let us not disregard a call of humanity.' 'I respectfully request your prompt and serious consideration of this grave matter.'"

Austin, Aug. 20.—Carrying out the recommendation of the governor, Representative Bell of Foard county introduced a bill in the House appropriating \$500,000 for the relief of drought-stricken farmers in Central West Texas.

The bill provides for extending state aid to these farmers upon their making application to the Commissioner of Agriculture, the money to be used in the purchasing of seed and also feed for stock for 1918.

The bill also has a provision authorizing counties affected to issue bonds for the purpose of buying seed and feed by submitting the question to a vote of the people.

Austin, Aug. 21.—At the request of Land Commissioner Robison, the governor today submitted to the senate a communication by the land commissioner in which the latter suggests that if it is proposed to grant relief to farmers in Central West Texas, the same should be given to persons in extreme western portions

of Texas by postponing the forfeiture of lands for non-payment of interest to become due November 1, 1917.

STATE HIGHWAY BOARD COMING HERE

Members of the State Highway Commission left El Paso Monday of this week on an inspection tour of the Fort Worth-El Paso highway. With the party are W. B. Starr of Midland and Judge Adrain Pool of El Paso. They will attend a big goodroads meeting at Big Spring, Thursday, and arrive in Colorado this (Friday) morning.

The trip is being made in automobiles. This has been designated by the Commission as State Highway No. 1, and will be the first road in the state to be built with government money, supplemented by auto license money, which has been paid the state, from all the counties on the line.

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Let Col. H. Wright, 306 Walnut St. tell it. He says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills several years ago. I got them at Doss' drug store and they proved perfectly satisfactory in every way. I gladly advise anyone to use them, if troubled with their back or by the kidney secretions passing irregularly."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Col. Wright had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.

"You can't tell nothin' by what you read in the papers," said Ganderrey Rowback the other day, as he reached for an onion at Deck's store. "The h—ll yo kain't," said Tige McDamit as he reached for his barlow and plug of Star Navy. "Ef hit weren't fer the papers, you wouldn't know any more 'bout what's goin' on than a cow. The trouble is, sich fellers as you tells a lot of things fer the truth, and the paper feller hears, writes it down and prints it. When you read it, and know that it is a durned lie, you think everything else in the paper is jest like it. Ef it wa'n't fer the papers, you wouldn't know that the war was goin' on." Then Tige took a pot shot with a stream of tobacco juice at a bunch of flies which were lunching on a discarded gum drop.—Sterling Record.

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Postmaster Person, asks us to announce to the public that you can mail magazines, and such literature to the soldier boys, for one cent postage. This includes France or anywhere in the United States possessions. When you have read your magazines, address them to some of the soldier boys, put a one cent stamp on them and mail. They will be glad to get them, even though they be old numbers.

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The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 60 cents.

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WESTBROOK ITEMS.

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The many friends of Dr. A. H. Weston, at Westbrook and the surrounding community, were deeply grieved, Friday, when they heard of his sad death. And so a bright and useful life is brought to an end. In his death, not only his home town, but the whole county sustained a great loss.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Petty and daughter, Miss Hattie, and Mr. H. M. Berry returned from Burk Burnett Sunday.

Mr. Little of Austin, and a cousin of the late H. S. Little, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. J. M. Helton and children spent the week end with relatives in Cuthbert. Mr. Helton and son Jack, joined them on Sunday.

Mrs. A. M. Bell and little daughter, Katherine, are convalescing from a severe case of tonsillitis and scarlatina. Claude Hooks and sister, Miss Blanche, are guests of Mrs. E. V. Bell Sunday.

D. I. Reed and sisters, Misses Ivy and Emma Lee returned Monday to their home in Stanton, after a visit of several days here with friends.

Mr. Verhalen, of Pecos, stopped over Saturday with relatives in Westbrook, while enroute to the Ft. Worth market.

Albert Julian left Tuesday for Ft. Worth. He will be gone for several days.

Mrs. W. H. Butler has been real sick for several days, but is some better at this writing.

Basil Hudson spent last week in Hamlin, with Carl and Homan Phenix formerly of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. May of China Grove, were guests of Mrs. Annie May, Sunday.

J. M. Page, of Colorado, was a Westbrook visitor, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Culpepper came in Sunday from an extended trip through the north-eastern counties, going as far as Hall county. They report crops and grass in some sections good, and some sections have suffered from drought.

G. J. McKinney was a Colorado visitor Monday.

Mrs. Tina Little and children are visiting in Stanton this week, as guests of Mrs. S. P. Reed.

Late Saturday evening, while crossing the railroad track, a herd of cattle owned and driven by C. P. Conaway, was struck by No. 6 passenger train. Twenty-three were killed, and one or two badly crippled.

Reuben Westfall left Monday for Ellis county after spending several days with home folks.

W. H. Rogers and family and Mrs. Sam Smartt and daughter, Miss Xenia left Saturday for New Mexico.

Mrs. C. S. Childress returned to her home in Merkel Monday, after a pleasant visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. M. Helton.

Geo. Slaton of Colorado was a business visitor in Westbrook Tuesday.

Edgar Conaway left Friday for Dallas to hunt work.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published, once a week, for a period of ten days, exclusive of the day of publishing, before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, in Mitchell County, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year, the following notice:

To all persons interested in the Estate of Juliette Phillips, Bessie Phillips, Edith Phillips, Joe Bailey Phillips, Emma Phillips, Wayne L. Phillips, Forest Raymond Phillips, Louella Phillips, Mary Ann Phillips, Mettie B. Phillips and Robert Leroy Phillips, Minors, Mrs. Ella B. Phillips, was on the 12th day of July, 1917 appointed by the County Judge of Mitchell County, Texas as Temporary Guardian of the said Minors' Estate, and if such appointment is not contested at the next term of the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas, commencing on the third Monday in October, A. D. 1917, the same being the 15th day of October, A. D. 1917, at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, Texas, the same shall become permanent, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Colorado Texas, this 13th day of August, A. D. 1917.

W. W. PORTER,
Clerk County Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

By W. S. Stoneham, Deputy.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

A. W. COCKSEY,
Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.

A FAIR WARNING TO MARKET PATRONS.

On and after May 15th, our business will be on a STRICTLY CASH BASIS. This applies to all alike, without the least discrimination. Do not ask us to charge any purchase. It will not be done. This notice is to save any embarrassment. The rule will not be violated in any case.

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For Sale or Trade.—One of the best paying grocery businesses in West Texas. Write Box 328, Pecos, Texas.

LOST—One red white-face cow, branded half circle JC on left hip. Was seen near Westbrook going north. Reward for information or return.—Frank Smith, Iolanthe, Texas. 1f

If thinking of papering, see the new lines of wall paper at J. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

WANTED—Laborers to work on plants of Acme Brick Company, Benetts, Texas, 48 miles west of Fort Worth, on T. & P., also Denton, Texas. Plants operate principally on task system. Any man willing to work can make from \$2.00 to \$3.00 per day. Hour scale laborers 20 cents per hour.—Acme Brick Company, Fort Worth, Texas. 8-24c

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Oregon & California Railroad Co. Grant Lands. Legal fight over land at last ended. Title vested in United States. Land, by Act of Congress, ordered to be opened under homestead laws for settlement and sale. Two million three hundred thousand acres. Containing some of the best Timber and Agricultural Lands left in United States. Large Copyrighted Map showing land by townships and sections, laws covering same and description of soil, climate, rainfall, elevations, temperature, etc., postpaid One Dollar.—Grant Lands Locating Co., Portland, Oregon. 10-5c

WILL GIN COTTON THIS FALL.

This is to let the farmers know that I will run my gin this season. As I have a crop myself, and in order to take care of my own crop I will run the gin. I will appreciate the ginning from all my old customers, and all the new customers I can get. I will gin your cotton as cheap as I possibly can, and will pay the market price for cotton seed. I will also try to be in the cotton market.

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Gen. Pass. Agent,
DALLAS

SECOND CALL MADE BY BOARD.

Local Board of Exemptions Have Posted Second Call for Men to be Examined, to Fill Mitchell's Quota.

25 ARE RECOMMENDED FOR SERVICE IN FIRST CALL

78 Have Been Exempt to Date on Account of Dependents—26 Failed to Pass Physical Examination.

We herewith publish the findings of the local exemption board which has just been completed, as far as the first call is concerned.

The following list is the names of the men who have been accepted by this board for service:

- 90-Jos. H. Wathen, Loraine
- 320-Pinkie G. Fuller, Colorado.
- 30-Nelson McClellan, Colorado
- 327-John H. Martin, Colorado
- 6-Will Watson, Loraine.
- 112-James H. Everts, Cuthbert.
- 440-Allen G. Birmingham, Colorado.
- 183-S. E. Hallmark, Loraine
- 574-Alonso A. Strain, Cuthbert
- 530-Tom L. Taylor, Roscoe.
- 298-Albert E. Brooks, Cuthbert
- 721-William B. Morgan, Colorado
- 117-John D. Estes, Westbrook.
- 140-Luther E. Hagood, Loraine.
- 458-Robert Bables, Colorado.
- 738-Andy Wright, Colorado.
- 392-Russell E. Kidd, Loraine.
- 656-Clarence G. Wright, Colorado.
- 350-Irvin W. Terry, Colorado.
- 335-Thos. H. Nunlee, Loraine.
- 524-Collins Stuteville, Car.
- 604-Raymond Dorn, Colorado.
- 486-Bill Williams, Colorado.
- 297-Roy Allmond, Colorado.
- 406-Luther T. Reese, Colorado.

Following is a list of those whose claims for exemption on account of dependents have been allowed up to date:

- Bob W. Nash, Marshall A. Webb,
- Geo. H. Henley, Robt. O. Seymour,
- Wm. L. Grable, Lee Phenix, John E. Hale, W. G. Moore, Jas. N. Norrell,
- Floyd T. Kennedy, P. H. Wilkerson,
- Wm. T. Reese, H. H. Wilson, David H. Stanley, J. L. Loveless, O. C. Lucas
- Charlie Hale, Harvey Allen, C. L. Hargrove, Jno. H. Arnett, Jno. D. Miller, Geo. A. Leper, Burnie Williams
- J. E. Reed, Charlie Coates, Claude H. Womack, Jas. H. Compton, Willie H. Nowell, L. O. Franklin, Lewis Besswell, H. V. Richards, Loyd A. White,
- Albert A. McCarley, J. K. Roinson, C. E. Farmer, S. C. Bynum, Willie D. Baker, Jno. B. Neal, Laney Kolb,
- Newman Free, Mackfarlin Shaw, Olin W. Britton, O. R. McCreless, Jim Marshall, Charlie Lee, Charlie House,
- Seba Jones, R. Hale, E. Garcia, Tom Killian, Chester Thomas, Hiram McKee, F. J. Morris, Loyd F. Neal, Fred M. Bodine, W. H. Robinson, James A. Dobbs, William D. Fuller, H. E. Green
- Julian Hammonds, Jim Jones, C. C. Wilson, E. N. Felts, Dewitt Carey, R. C. Sparks, James O'Donnell, Lenn L. Bodine, Jno. D. Riley, T. C. Wilson,
- James B. Taylor, Walter Kemp, M. Hale, Walter Hammans, E. L. Rushing.

The following were exempt for the reasons specified:

- Ben T. Webb, Colorado, in Military service of U. S.
- Thos. R. Smith, County Officer.
- Roy C. Dozier, Colorado, in Military service of U. S.
- Tine S. Walters, Colorado, in Military Service of U. S.

The following were discharged as exemptions on account of physical deficiencies:

- Orbin D. Vowell, Robt. L. Farmer, Garland Oliver, Sam B. Hale, L. R. Thomas, O. H. Howell, Jas. Oliver, Jas. H. Crownover, R. C. Moore, A. O. Hickman, Roy T. Allen, Warren Alexander Kennedy, Douglas E. Gill, G. R. Beard, Clint Wright, Billie Lee Moore, W. T. Gooden, Jno. R. Jacks, Cliff Feaster, G. E. Crawford, James A. Free, Geo. M. Reeves, Huling P. Bowles, Omer P. Pool, Jessie Taylor
- Thomas Lee Forbus.

The Board not having secured 73 men, Mitchell county's quota, a second call is necessary. This week they are posting a call for 300 additional men to appear for examination, which runs the call number to 447, and the list of names with their number included in this call follows:

- 336-Arthur L. LandDunn
- 212-Jack H. Cosper, Colorado
- 49-Henry H. Enderly, Colorado
- 8-Willie B. Mathew, Westbrook
- 305-James P. Felts, Colorado
- 57-N S Copeland, Loraine

- 622-Harvey A. Phillips, Colorado
- 586-James F. Taylor, Colorado
- 323-Albert W. Land, Loraine
- 438-James C. Miller, Colorado
- 441-G G Reeder, Loraine
- 357-Jim M. Metcalf, Westbrook
- 23-Elbert J. Martin, Loraine
- 331-Garcia Laranco, Loraine
- 492-Henry F. V. Kerr, Loraine
- 565-D S Phenix, Colorado
- 715-J T Wright, Colorado
- 539-C W Morrison, Cuthbert
- 349-Sam Wimberly, Loraine
- 562-Wylie C. Key, Colorado
- 501-Samuel C. Gooden, Colorado
- 102-Claude James Edwards, Colorado
- 714-Clarence Rowland, Colorado
- 86-Geo F. Harper, Westbrook
- 71-Leonard Hazelwood, Westbrook
- 555-Ferdinand W. Brown, Colorado
- 506-Arthur Klaus, Colorado
- 435-Floyd M. Richey, Loraine
- 681-Joseph Y. Fraser, Colorado
- 713-Charlie Horn, Colorado
- 450-Olus G. Baxter, Colorado
- 113-George F. Havens, Cuthbert
- 725-H L. Phillips, Colorado
- 156-N B. Haggerton, Loraine
- 267-Maurice G. Walkup, Colorado
- 567-Lee J. Burrow, Westbrook
- 421-Samuel E. Meadows, Loraine
- 169-J M. Daniel, Colorado
- 436-J A. Merritt, Colorado
- 396-H S. White, Colorado
- 257-Henry A. Foy, Loraine
- 155-Albert L. Young, Westbrook
- 284-Thos J. Dobbs, Colorado
- 133-Jno L. Cargill, Colorado
- 185-Claude Garrett, Loraine
- 265-Homer G. Simpson, Colorado
- 285-Charles G. Walker, Colorado
- 560-Harvey Whipple, Colorado
- 503-James W. Dunn, Loraine
- 563-John C. Clecker, Loraine
- 211-Jesse H. Gage, Colorado
- 146-Leonard N. Hairston, Loraine
- 229-J C. Nance, Loraine
- 410-Raymond Kidd, Loraine
- 299-Alfred L. Maddin, Colorado
- 58-J A. Sadler, Colorado
- 150-Earl C. Hallmark, Loraine
- 19-Jim S. Martin, Loraine
- 400-Elmer C. Wilson, Colorado
- 4-James Hall, Colorado
- 115-Claude E. Odle, Westbrook
- 206-Jess M. Allen, Loraine
- 228-James K. Riley, Cuthbert
- 136-J E. Davis, Colorado
- 430-Wm. Lucian King, Loraine
- 328-David P. Land, Loraine
- 96-Walter Washburn, Loraine
- 624-Wayne Cook, Colorado
- 570-I. Hollingsworth, Loraine
- 544-J R. Loftis, Colorado
- 138-John D. Givens, Loraine
- 91-Joe Martin Ely, Loraine
- 635-J. Daniel King, Colorado
- 633-Cullie C. Logan, Westbrook
- 712-Will Stokes, Colorado
- 17-Guy W. May, Westbrook
- 691-Jerome Stanford, Colorado
- 378-Ivy Gonzales, Colorado
- 237-A W. Dearen, Colorado
- 422-Irvin Speake, Cuthbert
- 619-Frank W. Beight, Loraine
- 344-Paul L. Hargrove, Colorado
- 442-McCarroll Mitchell, Loraine
- 202-Robert L. Gale, Colorado
- 164-James F. Bodine, Colorado
- 268-Robert L. Jackson, Loraine
- 272-James G. Waters, Colorado
- 593-W R. Witt, Colorado
- 467-B L. Autry, Cuthbert
- 262-Joseph S. Jackson, Loraine
- 506-Albert C. Taylor, Roscoe
- 581-Ivy I. Webb, Colorado
- 311-Robert Redman, Colorado
- 124-Claude E. Shepherd, Loraine
- 481-Ernest Smith, Colorado
- 582-L. Colichman, Colorado
- 240-Chester C. Berry, Cuthbert
- 409-Homer A. Wimberly, Loraine
- 590-Burrell D. Taylor, Colorado
- 444-John F. Sparer, Loraine
- 636-Ira Claude Muns, Loraine
- 735-William B. Robertson, Colorado
- 634-Marvin Marrs, Wastella
- 326-Tom Land, Jr., Loraine
- 447-D M. Bizzell, Colorado
- 76-Oscar L. Simpson, Cuthbert
- 672-Arthur L. Holder, Loraine
- 393-Arthur R. Reddell, Loraine
- 158-Robert C. Beal, Westbrook
- 1-Verda Phillips, Westbrook
- 187-John Barrett, Roscoe
- 52-Willie H. Wade, Westbrook
- 105-Claude E. Odle, Westbrook
- 650-Charles W. Enderly, Colorado
- 36-Fred B. Ison, Colorado
- 352-Harvey L. Charry, Colorado
- 418-Thomas J. Riden, Loraine

- 456-Robert B. Aycock, Colorado
- 416-Pleas W. Millican, Silver
- 617-Ray Turner, Loraine
- 526-Elijah Petty, Loraine
- 609-William L. Ruddick, Westbrook
- 613-Jessie M. Loving, Colorado
- 316-Andrew J. Felts, Colorado
- 274-Chas H. Gunn, Cuthbert
- 546-Francis L. Burrus, Colorado
- 734-Joe W. Phillips, Colorado
- 511-W A. Sutphen, Iatan
- 205-Robt B. Cooper, Colorado
- 342-Andy L. Mainer, Colorado
- 460-J L. Moore, Westbrook
- 427-James W. Webb, Westbrook
- 666-Arthur Rucker, Loraine
- 241-Cenovia Gamboa, Colorado
- 40-Henry Dismand, Westbrook
- 572-Luther E. Reese, Colorado
- 100-W D. George, Westbrook
- 157-Roger W. Dale, Colorado
- 236-Macon H. Allmond, Colorado
- 214-Robert H. Bennett, Loraine
- 629-Carroll R. Townsend, Colorado
- 647-Howard R. Rogers, Cuthbert
- 29-James E. Skelton, Westbrook
- 533-Robert E. L. Porter, Loraine
- 114-Charlie W. Oliver, Westbrook
- 151-Monroe Jackson, Car
- 61-William W. Reed, Westbrook
- 663-Harry Polk, Colorado
- 618-Harry Allen Loving, Colorado
- 209-Chester G. Campbell, Colorado
- 33-James T. Scown, Loraine
- 32-R E. Warren, Colorado
- 63-A J. Peters, Cuthbert
- 362-Martin H. Painter, Loraine
- 371-John H. Letcher, Colorado
- 529-Bruce C. Phenix, Loraine
- 64-Harry A. Pond, Colorado
- 382-Alfred J. Richey, Loraine
- 224-Frank W. Britton, Colorado
- 449-Alonso B. Hines, Westbrook
- 41-R C. Sanders, Colorado
- 48-Harvey L. Leach, Westbrook
- 38-Alex. Hale, Loraine
- 742-James H. McCullough, Colorado
- 640-Herman P. Turnbolt, Loraine
- 127-William M. Yates, Westbrook
- 668-Major P. Rochelle, Loraine
- 88-H B. Derryberry, Colorado
- 743-Grady Farquhar, Colorado
- 473-Elmer Bizzell, Colorado
- 287-Felix Flores, Colorado
- 586-M L. Moore, Cuthbert
- 260-Sewell M. Shultz, Colorado
- 527-Carroll S. Compton, Loraine
- 254-Robert E. Birmingham, Cuthbert
- 446-R E. Beal, Colorado
- 89-Benjamin F. Simpson, Cuthbert
- 358-Horace C. Griffith, Loraine
- 451-Lewis C. Bledsoe, Colorado
- 573-Earl C. Green, Colorado
- 308-Wm S. Wimberly, Loraine
- 429-Wm T. Mints, Colorado
- 394-T D. Whitten, Colorado
- 417-James I. Kemp, Loraine
- 354-John W. McGuire, Colorado
- 445-L. A. Murphy, Westbrook
- 217-Roy L. Blackard, Colorado
- 259-Charlie B. Watson, Colorado
- 322-John S. Redman, Colorado
- 242-Jim M. Harper, Colorado
- 702-Edmond McCullough, Colorado
- 232-Charlie A. Simpson, Colorado
- 597-Norman A. Taylor, Colorado
- 694-L. C. Dupree, Colorado
- 198-James H. Finley, Loraine
- 671-Francisco Parras, Colorado
- 561-Harvey C. Whipple, Colorado
- 165-Charlton C. Barnes, Colorado
- 145-B J. Clecker, Loraine
- 98-Ed Sims, Cuthbert
- 286-Robert E. Venus, Colorado
- 44-Melvin P. Doon, Colorado
- 226-ML Daniels, Colorado
- 7-D L. Adair, Colorado
- 398-Andrew L. H. McGeehee, Loraine
- 26-Harry Baten Allen, Loraine
- 302-Wade Nash, Loraine
- 26-Hugh K. Saddler, Loraine
- 662-Earl N. Burke, Colorado
- 475-Sam M. Smith, Colorado
- 641-Robert E. Swinford, Loraine
- 239-Chas Earl Jackson, Loraine
- 82-Asbury G. Benton, Colorado
- 478-Wm B. Willingham, Colorado
- 479-Robt. F. Bassinger, Colorado
- 55-Den Adams, Westbrook
- 592-C E. Britton, Colorado
- 461-Geo B. Slaton, Colorado
- 450-K C. McAdams, Loraine

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Cincinnati Man Tells How to Shrive Up Corns or Calluses So They Lift Off With Fingers.

Ouch ! ! ! This kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called freezone when applied to a tender, aching corn or hardened callus stops soreness at once, and soon the corn or callus dries up and lifts right off without pain.

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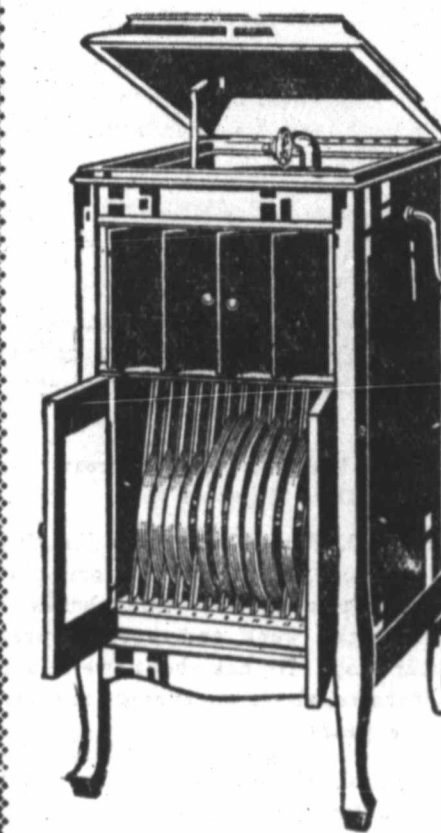
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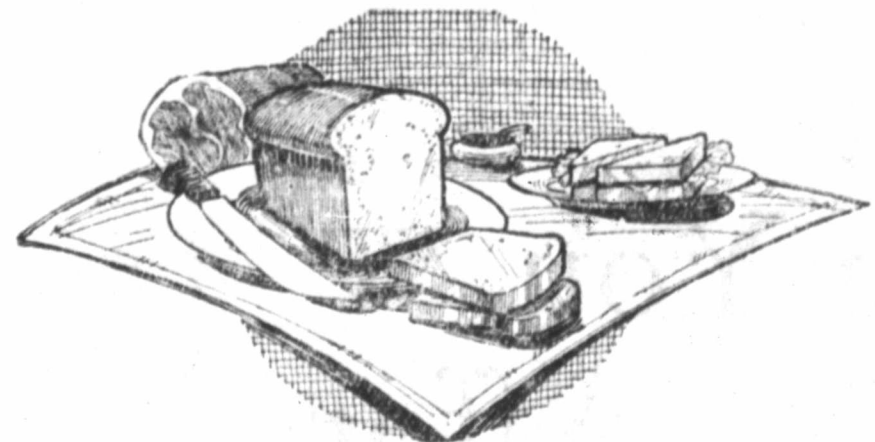
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Get your meats from Pickens & Reeder's market. Only the best stuff is butchered.

Judge Coe is having the front of his business house, occupied by Ben Morgan, remodeled, and new plate glass put in. One of the glass was broken a few days ago, by a couple of dogs which got into a fight and fell through it.

W. L. Doss has a fine line of jewelry and at Drug Store prices, not at Jewelers' prices.

Farmers in from Dunn, last Monday morning, report a good rain on Sunday evening, which extended from just north of Buford to Dunn, thence eastward toward Lone Wolf mountain.

Have your eyes tested, free, at W. L. Doss' Sept. 7, by an expert.

J. P. Billingsley of Dunn, and also president of the Hermleigh Bank, was a business visitor in Colorado Tuesday, and reports pretty fair crops some of Dunn.

Charters & Sadler keep everything carried by a modern drug store. Prescriptions are their specialty.

Tuesday was election day and the banks being closed was about all the indication of an election in Colorado.

Figure with Jno. L. Doss on your next wall paper order. He has a new and full line of latest designs.

Edgar Majors and Macon Allmond motored down to Angelo this week, going by the Ford route. They took "Friday" Taylor along as "chiffonier."

Eyes tested free at W. L. Doss' by Hawkes' expert optician, Sept. 7.

Town property and business to trade or sell. Write Box 328, Pecos, Texas.

George Goodwin returned home this week from an extended trip to East Texas. George went to look for grass and a place to winter his work stock and milk cows. We learn that he found a good place near Texarkana and will ship sometime this week.

George Vanzandt, living down near Spade, left this week for East Texas to live.

Hawkes' expert optician will be at W. L. Doss' drug store Sept. 7th, for one day only. Better see him.

Cliff Pritchett who now has headquarters at Canadian, came in this week on a few days visit with home folks.

Fred Miller came down from Plainview, on Tuesday, on a business trip, and to see his mother. He came around and left a dollar for the Record. Fred has a good position at Plainview and speaks in glowing terms of that country.

If its TANLAC you want Charters & Sadler have it.

C. A. Pierce and Douglas Burns left on Wednesday morning for their new home at Plainview. The firm name at Plainview will be F. M. Burns & Co., and Messrs. Pierce and Douglas Burns will be he Co. New goods were shipped in from the markets and some goods shipped from here Wednesday. Charley and Douglas were among our best citizens and will be missed from Colorado's church and business circles. The Record with many friends wishes for them unbounded success in their new field of labor.

If in need of glasses consult Hawkes' expert optician at W. L. Doss' Drug Store, September 7th, for one day only.

There are four splendid physicians in Colorado, each and every one of them have made examinations for the State Life Insurance Company. If you want your policy issued now while you can get that Double Indemnity Complete Protection Policy that is attracting the admiration of the business world, see me at once and we can arrange for your examination without delay and without expense of examination to you.—M. K. Jackson, Agt.

I. A. Griffith spent several days this week in Abilene on a visit and business combined.

Mrs. B. S. Van Tuyl made a visit to Fort Worth this week.

Wanted—Small ranch with cattle or sheep. What have you? Write Box 328, Pecos, Texas.

Mrs. Riordan and daughter, Miss Mamie, left Tuesday for Battle Creek Michigan.

Has just arrived at Charters & Sadler's—a new supply of TANLAC.

Uncle J. D. Wulfjen has been quite sick this week, but is now slowly improving, and his friends hope to see him out again soon.

Pickens & Reeder strive to please both as to quality and service.

G. R. Wright of Lovington, N. M., a nephew of Col. H. Wright, came in from Waco on Tuesday and called at the office and had the Record sent to him.

Alta Vista—the best ice cream made. W. L. Doss dispenses it.

A. D. Powell who lives just West of Buford, on the old Sansome place, brought in several fine heads of maize this week, and reports a pretty fair crop. He has about twelve acres of maize, above the average in seasonable years.

Nujol, something new at Charters & Sadler's drug store.

City Secretary, L. A. Costin, reports the big concrete reservoir at the water works as being full to the brim. 50x50 and 8 feet deep, makes a considerable body of water, and it is clear and pure—free from vegetable growths and contamination of any sort.

Miss Jeanette Earnest returned from an extended visit to Austin and Dallas, Saturday night.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 60c.

Mrs. E. A. Campbell and daughter, Miss Ruby, of Loraine, came up last week and shipped their household things to Merkel, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Majors, Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels, motored to Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fletcher of El Paso are visiting their daughter, Mrs. F. E. McKenzie.

Mr. E. M. Baldwin, Miss Hazel McKenzie and Ruby Henderson motored to Senora Sunday to be in a house party at Mrs. Byron Byrne's for a few days.

Mrs. Hooten and little son, Brooks, have returned from an extended visit with relatives and friends at Pittsburg Texas.

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Miss Jewell Mitchell has returned from her visit to Snyder.

Misses Anna Mary Mann and Dorothy Burns spent a few days on the McKenzie ranch this week visiting Miss Jane Burns.

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F. M. Burns is home from New York and says war is all the talk in the east. With a friend he visited the warfts, while there, and said United States soldiers were being shipped out nearly every day. While there they were loading hay for export, and he said he had no idea there was as much hay in the United States as was piled up on the wharf at one time.

Don't forget to order your Sunday melon from the ice house—they're ice cold, and cheap.

John Garner (Big John) the expert automobile doctor, is now connected with the Paramount garage.

Phil. T. Smith is now stationed at Nevada Mo., with the Signal Corps, Co. C., and wants the Record sent to him.

Mrs. Swan, who lives on the Mad-din ranch, is reported quite sick. Her sister came in from Floydada yesterday.

Misses Ruby and Cecil Conaway spent Sunday in Big Spring.

Miss Blanche Shepherd of Austin is visiting her brother, Judge J. L. Shepherd.

Miss Gladys Willis of Corpus Christi is here on an extended visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. A. Dozier, and cousin, Mrs. Boyd Dozier.

Miss Annie Norman of Loraine visited Miss Minnie Lawless this week.

J. R. Shepperd has returned from a trip to Kansas.

Robert Shepherd, who is now a second lieutenant in the U. S. A., is home visiting his parents, Judge and Mrs. J. L. Shepherd, before going to Camp Travis to assist in training soldiers. The Lieutenant honored his friends with his presence at the Red Cross rooms Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Hooper and daughter, Miss Elsie, were guests of Mrs. Jno. T. Johnson in Sweetwater, a few days this week.

"Cut Out the Waste."



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