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COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 1911.

WHIPKEY PRINTING COMPANY.

Colorado Ice Company

TO ICE CONSUMERS:

This is to advise you that we will start our ice business for the season beginning with tomorrow when our wagons will begin making daily deliveries to all customers.

We have engaged the services of Mr. T. A. Griswold, who will have charge of the local business at ice house—office phone 296—and who will issue and collect for all coupon books.

It will be our aim to render a prompt and satisfactory delivery service AT ALL TIMES, and if you don't get it we would appreciate it very much if you would IMMEDIATELY phone in your complaint to Mr. Griswold and he will see that you do get it. Also notify him promptly of any inattention or lack of courtesy on part of drivers.

Our price on ice from the beginning, and continuing until further notice will be at the rate of

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Your credit is still good with us.

Yours very respectfully,
COLORADO ICE COMPANY
(Operated by Colorado Salt Company)

March 31, 1911.



Will be Here at Union Tabernacle From May 5 to 15.

The above cut is really advertisement sufficient without any comments upon my part. However, I will say that it is our desire that all denominations co-operate in the meeting. As is well known by all perhaps, Bro Mulkey's work is of such a nature as to build up churches of all denominations. Therefore, I feel that I can most heartily extend an invitation to all the pastors and their people to co-operate in the meeting.

A cordial invitation is given to all singers from other churches of the town to join the choir. Each singer will be furnished with a book for the meeting. Perhaps this will be the last opportunity we will have to co-operate with Bro. Mulkey in a meeting in Colorado. Let us see to it that we do our best and God will bless our labors in the salvation of our children and friends.

We also extend a cordial invitation to the community at large and the towns contiguous to Colorado to attend the meeting and feel at home among us.

W. E. LYON, P. C.

Wealthy Ft. Worth Man Comes Here.

J. S. McCall, a prominent and wealthy citizen of Fort Worth, formerly of Waco, has come back to his first love, and with his estimable wife will make his home there in future, his intention being to remain here permanently.

Mr. McCall, who is a brother of Mrs. Edward Rotan, formerly lived in Waco, but left here probably twenty years ago, stopping in the western country about Colorado City, where he was in the banking, mercantile and stock business. He has prospered greatly and will spend his time in Waco, though his ranching and other interests are at present largely in the western country. The children are married and Mr. and Mrs. McCall constitute the household at present.

It has been in the neighborhood of twenty years since Mr. McCall left here, and he hardly recognizes the Waco of the present day. He is now looking around and making final arrangements for removing to Waco, and his old friends will be glad to welcome him, as will those of the later years of this city.—Waco Times Herald.

Colorado has materially aided in building up Ft. Worth by furnishing

men and we can also spare a few for Waco.

NEW BRICK RESIDENCE.

A. B. Robertson is having handsome brick erected on his ranch near Bresford.

Work was commenced on the \$12,000 brick residence of A. B. Robertson on his ranch near Bresford this week. The new building will probably be the finest ranch residence in this part of the country. It will be modernly constructed and provided with all the conveniences necessary to make it an ideal place to live.

Mr. Robertson is one of the most successful and widely known ranchmen in the state, and has a host of friends in this section of country, who will be real glad to have him spend his time on the plains. The Robertson ranch is one of the best ranches known, and is becoming more valuable all the time. The Santa Fe Coleman Texico cut-off passes through the ranch and within a few years it will no doubt be decreased in size to make room for those who want the rich land for agricultural purposes.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Electric Lights!

On account of putting in the street lights, which makes it necessary for us to extend our wires in neighborhoods where we did not go before, we make the following offer to get new business, viz: We will wire your house for one half the regular price and give you two months

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Colorado Electric Light Co.

Colorado Summer Normal.

As regards the Summer Normal to be held in Colorado in June the following letter has been sent out:

Dear Friend:

I again call your attention to our Colorado Normal. Teachers look forward to the much needed rest which the vacation period gives them and this fact, of course influences them in their decision of the summer normal question. We had this in mind when we decided upon the date to open our normal. You will notice we begin June 1 and close July 13, before the hottest part of the summer. This gives you ample time for recreation before beginning your school work.

Our faculty is composed of teachers as good as can be found in any summer normal. They have taught in rural schools and in high schools, and they are acquainted with the problems and difficulties teachers have to meet. They are College, State Normal School and University trained men and women.

Our primary teacher has taught in rural schools and in city schools. She secured her professional training from the best universities the country affords.

We have good buildings, a good library which will meet all our needs, and all the equipment we need in the way of scientific apparatus and supplies.

Better boarding facilities can not be had in any West Texas town. Good board may be had for \$18 or less.

Colorado is situated on the Texas & Pacific railroad and is easily reached from every direction.

The outlook is very favorable for a large attendance, and the people of Colorado and the faculty of the Normal are making preparations for you.

The courses of study meet the requirements for any grade of certificate.

In addition to the regular work it is our purpose to have several lectures from the leading educators of the state. Hoping that we may have you with us at Colorado, I am

Yours fraternally,

B. M. HARRISON, Conductor.

Coming—An Excursion to Cuba for 10c

The museum car "Cuba on Wheels" which represents the department of agriculture, industry and commerce of the Cuban government, and has been enroute since the St. Louis Fair, being also on exhibit at Jamestown and various other exhibitions, will be on exhibit in Colorado two days next week, Monday and Tuesday, April 24 and 25, at the T. & P. depot. The car will be open to visitors daily from 10 o'clock each morning to 10 at night. Admission to help defray expenses enroute) 10c. School classes with teachers, 5c. Remember you will see the real article from Cuba in this car. It is in no way a land car, but an exposition exhibit from a foreign country. The agricultural and manufacturing exhibits interest business men in the handwork of Cuban women and odd exhibits, such as the \$100 fan entertain ladies, while the entire exhibit is educational for school children and the Cuban monkey and alligator interest the little folks. The relics from the wrecked battleship Maine are of course interesting to everyone.

Fort Stockton Wants Road.

Fort Stockton, Pecos Co., Texas—An enthusiastic mass meeting was held by the leading business men for the purpose of inducing the extension of the Rock Island from Tucuman, N. M., via way of Pecos to Fort Stockton. Mayor James Rooney was elected chairman and Lee Fowler secretary. A communication was read addressed to Judge John M. Odum from President M. J. Healey of a branch of said road. This letter stated that Mr. Healey and his engineer would come down and look over the proposition.

Money was quickly subscribed to the amount of \$200 to cover the expenses of the trip, and a committee consisting of the chairman, secretary, Judge Odum, H. H. Beety and many others were appointed to meet the delegation at Pecos and escort them in automobiles to Fort Stockton. The people are very much worked up over the matter and there is not the slightest doubt but completion of this branch of the Rock that a contract will be secured for the Island.

A Chicago man wanted to marry, wandered into the wrong office and received a dog license for his money. Sometimes it is about the same.

The Crucifixion.

A meditation of the Sacred Passion of the Holy Redeemer, the words by Rev. W. J. Sparrow-Simpson and the music by Prof. Stainer.

Who has heard of the great Stainer's Crucifixion without the desire to hear? And, once heard, who ever hesitates to hear again whenever a well trained chorus is presenting it? Friday night—the Good Friday night of the Christian era, the night following the betrayal and crucifixion of our dear Lord, the Choral Club, under the direction of Prof. Dawes with about twenty voices gave the crucifixion.

The service was begun by an organ voluntary by Mr. Dawes. After prayer and reciting the Apostles creed the Club took charge of the service. Miss Lula Merrill played most beautifully. The principal parts were by Mr. Dawes and Mr. Payne and both did splendidly. Of course good work is always expected from Mr. Dawes, nor is the public ever disappointed, but Mr. Payne who is his pupil thoroughly charmed everyone with his tenor. The choruses were fine. Each member showed improvement even since Christmas. The service was very solemn and impressive and those who listened with spirit and understanding could see more plainly than ever before the sorrows and sufferings of our Lord and the agony and shame of his death. It was all taken from the gospel and while the work was finished in every particular the lesson driven home was of more importance. The sopranos were Misses Van Tuyl, Looney, Roe; Mesdames Hazzard and Greenwood. The altos Mrs. Whipkey, Miss Hooper and Mrs. Webb. The tenors, Messrs. Payne, Dawes, Shepherd and Webb. The Choral Club is an institution the town should be proud of.

This grand theme was given to a large and appreciative audience. Oh, the pathos of the recitation with which the theme is based, running in and out of the carrollings, the hymns, the solemn chants: "And they came to a place named Gethsemane; and Jesus saith to his disciples, Sit ye here while I pray." St. Mark xiv, 32. "And they laid their hands on Him, and took Him.

"And lead Him away to the High Priest.

"And the High Priest asked Him, and said unto Him, Art Thou the Christ, the Son of the Blessed? Jesus said, I am; and ye shall see the Son of man sitting on the right hand of power, and coming in the clouds of Heaven. Then the High Priest rent his clothes, and saith, What need we any further witnesses? Ye have heard the blasphemy. And they all condemned Him to be guilty of death.

"And they bound Jesus, and carried Him away, and delivered Him to Pilate.

"And Pilate, willing to content the people, released Barabbas unto them and delivered Jesus, when he had abused Him, to be crucified. And three soldiers led Him away."—St. Mark, xiv 46, 53, 61; xv, 1-15.

"And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up; that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."—St. John, iii, 14-15.

"God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoso believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life. For God sent not His Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved."—St. John, iii, 16-17.

"Then said Jesus: Father, forgive them; for they know not what they do."—St. Luke, xxiii, 34.

"Is it nothing to you all ye that pass by? Behold and see if there be any sorrow like unto my sorrow which is done to me, wherewith the Lord hath afflicted me in the day of His fierce anger."—Lamentations, 1, 12.

"After this, Jesus knowing all things were accomplished, that the scripture might be fulfilled, saith, I thirst.

"When Jesus had therefore received the vinegar, He said, It is finished.

"Father, into thy hands I commend my Spirit.

"And He bowed His head, and gave up the ghost."—St. John, xix, 28-30, St. Luke, xxiii, 26.

Commencement.

The commencement exercises of the Colorado High School will be held at the opera house on May 4th. Dr. A. H. Weston will deliver the commencement address.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROHIBITING THE MANUFACTURE, SALE, BARTER AND EXCHANGE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS EXCEPT FOR MEDICINAL, SCIENTIFIC AND SACRAMENTAL PURPOSES.

House Joint Resolution No. 2.

A resolution proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amending Article 16, Section 20, thereof, by striking out and repealing said section, and substituting in lieu thereof a new Section 20, prohibiting the manufacture for purposes of sale, barter and exchange of intoxicating liquors, on and after the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1912, within this State, except for medicinal, scientific and sacramental purposes, and providing that the Legislature of the State of Texas shall, at noon on the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1912, by authority of this section, meet in session in the city of Austin, and pass efficient laws to enforce this section; providing, further, that this section shall not prevent any session of the Legislature from passing any law to enforce the same; and, providing, further, that all laws in force when this amendment is adopted, providing penalties or forfeitures in relation to the manufacture, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquors, shall remain in full force and effect until modified or repealed; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed constitutional amendment, directing a proclamation therefor and making certain provisions for said election and the ballots thereof, and method of voting; prescribing certain duties for the Governor of this State, and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

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

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by striking out and repealing Section 20 thereof, and substituting in lieu of said Section 20 the following:

Section 20. The manufacture for purposes of sale, barter or exchange, and the sale, barter or exchange of intoxicating liquors on and after the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1912, is hereby prohibited within this State, except for medicinal, scientific and sacramental purposes. The Legislature of the State of Texas shall, at noon on the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1912, by authority of this section, meet in session in the city of Austin, and pass efficient laws to enforce this section; but nothing in this section shall prevent any session of the Legislature from passing any law to enforce the same; and all laws in force when this amendment is adopted providing remedies, penalties or forfeitures in relation to the manu-

facture, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquors shall remain in full force and effect until modified or repealed.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in July, being the twenty-second day thereof, A. D. 1911. At said election the vote shall be by official ballot, which shall have printed or written at the top thereof in plain letters the words, "Official Ballot."

Said ballot shall have also written or printed thereon the words "For Prohibition," and the words "Against Prohibition."

All the voters favoring said proposed amendment shall erase the words "Against Prohibition" by making a mark through the same, and those opposing it shall erase the words "For Prohibition." If a majority of the votes cast at said election shall be "For Prohibition" said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes shall be "Against Prohibition" said amendment shall be lost and so declared.

All the provisions of the general election laws as amended and in force at the time said election is held shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such election, and in all other respects, as far as such election laws can be made applicable.

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation, publication and election.

C. C. McDonald, Secretary of State.

(A true copy.)

SUMMER SCHOOL.

I will teach a summer school, beginning May 8th, and continuing one month. Pupils who have failed or who are weak in a subject or want to take up their next year's work, and all others are invited to attend. Terms will be reasonable.

T. L. HAMILTON.

Just received, a shipment of Sweeps and other plows.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

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orado Monday and spent the day here.

Byron Byrne was a visitor in Loraine last Saturday. He is one of the progressive farmers of the Silver community and is testing out all the scientific suggestions for intensive farming. He has promised an article for publication at some future time, bearing on his personal experiences and observations which will doubtless be interesting to many farmers in this section.

Rev. B. G. Richburg of Cisco filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church here last Sunday.

Rosa Gregg finds his work on the farm does not occupy enough time to keep an energetic man like him busy all the time, and is therefore selling life insurance on the side.

Last Saturday a box car got crossways of the T. & P. tracks at the end of the yard here, and delayed the eastbound passenger for six hours. The passengers enjoyed the lay over in Loraine and took dinner with us.

FROM UNION.

I guess it is about time for me to have space in your columns, to tell your readers of the happenings of this community.

The best news probably, is that the general health of this community is good, but this is only a characteristic of all of West Texas.

There is a good season in the ground for planting, and our farmers are not only hoping but expecting to make a bumper crop.

The weeds in the pastures are fine but the grass is beginning to get a start again. Stock is looking as well as could be expected. All told, we think the general outlook very good.

Bro. Chorán filled the pulpit last Sunday, and preached a good sermon on the general rules of the church.

Our Sunday School is doing good work under the management of J. M. Dorn.

Our literary school will close next Friday. A school meeting of the citizens and patrons appointed Prof. Hooks of Rogers, and Judge Coe, is invited to be with us. Meeting at two o'clock p. m.

The prohibition sentiment is afloat among us, but is onesided in this section, for our antis are few and far between; however this section was flooded last week with a whiskey paper called "Facts." Most, or all, found their way to the wood box for kindling purposes.

Some of our people are looking forward to a pleasant time at Colorado next week in attending district conference.

Farmers Union moving gradually on with sentiment in its favor, which is not worth much without action in all such cases. FARMER.

Westbrook Local News.

Leon Jenkins of Colorado was a Westbrook visitor last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clinton carried their baby down to Alexander Sanitarium at Abilene last Saturday night to be operated on for mastoiditis.

John Jenkins of Colorado was a Westbrook visitor last Sunday.

The W. O. W. pulled off a fruit supper last Saturday night at the school building. The W. O. W. is a jolly bunch any way. Were you there.

Dr. Root went down to Abilene last Saturday night.

Easter Sunday has come and gone with no freeze or frost. What do you think now brother? West Texas is all right, stay here, don't go back to the boll weevil country.

Everybody drinks at May's fountain.

Our farmers are busy planting feed stuff and king cotton.

D. N. McNary was in Colorado last Monday.

Mr. Earnest and family are now located in their new home, recently vacated by A. M. Petty.

Go to May's Confectionary and Ice Cream Parlor for ice cream, cold drinks, cigars, penny chocolates and fancy package chocolates.

Easter has come and gone without any freeze or frost; ice cream and cold drinks is the season's talk. May's Confectionery store is headquarters for soda drinkers, ice cream eaters, chocolate lovers and cigar smokers, so follow the crowd to the city ice cream parlor and confectionery store, corner of 3rd and Main.

Dr. Lindley was a Westbrook visitor last Sunday.

Miss Rodia Lewis of Big Springs is visiting her sisters at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Filppin.

Miss Mary Reed is reported quite sick.

Mrs. W. W. Johnson and children returned Monday night from a visit to Mrs. Johnson's mother at Temple.

Mrs. J. M. Meeks is reported quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Van Horn were entertainers to the 42 club Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Hamilton. All played a hard game until time was called, then the scores were counted and Mrs. G. B. Slaton was accorded the honor of winning high score while J. W. Barnes came second. The booby was

captured by the Night Hawks. Ice cream and cake was served and all enjoyed a very pleasant evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Hamilton, Mrs. C. B. Hooper, Miss Lola May, J. W. Bird, Z. T. Lasseter, Allie Bird and Guy May.

The Track Meet.

The West Texas Track and Field Meet that was postponed from the 8th was held Saturday, April 15 in the presence of a good crowd, in spite of bad weather. The Colorado boys won the free trip to A. & M. by winning nearly twice as many points as the opposing teams together.

The following is the program and the winners:

1. Fifty yard dash: C. Smith, C. H. S. first; H. Goode, Roby, second; H. Williamson, B. S. H. S. third; time 5.6 seconds.

2. Hammer Throw: Big Springs first; Colorado second; Big Springs third; distance 81 feet.

3. 100 Yard Dash: Goode, Roby H. S., first; Big Springs second; Colorado third; time 10.4 seconds.

4. Discus Hurler: Colorado first, second and third, distance 90 feet.

5. Shot Put: Big Springs first and second, Colorado third; distance 33 feet.

6. Vaulting: Shepherd, Phenix and Dobbs tied for first, second and third; height 9 feet.

7. 220 Yard Dash: Goode, Roby, first; Smith and Welch, Colorado, second and third; time 2.4 seconds.

8. Running Broad Jump: Colorado, first and third; Big Springs, second; 18 feet 2 inches.

9. 440 Yard Dash: Welch, Shepherd and Lyons, Colorado, first, second and third; time 5.4 seconds.

10. Running High Jump: Colorado, first and third; Big Springs, second; height 5 feet.

11. 120 Hurdles: Colorado, first, second and third.

12. 880 Dash: Colorado first, second and third; time 2 min. 28 seconds.

13. 220 Hurdles: Colorado first and third; Big Springs second.

14. Mile Race: Big Springs first; Colorado second and third; time 5 minutes, 56 seconds.

15. Mile Relay: Colorado first, second and third.

Colorado won 88 points, Big Springs 34 and Roby 13.

Robert Shepherd, Ed Simon, Frank Welch, Clinton Smith, Everett Lyons and Lee Phenix will leave for A. & M. Wednesday night. Deets and Williamson of Big Springs and Henley Goode of Roby will also go because of having won 12 points each. The Colorado boys went to the business men enough was donated in a few minutes to pay the way of Prof. Hamilton who has had charge of the athletics of the Colorado High School. He will accompany the boys and it is expected that the West Texas delegation will cause the folks to sit up and take notice.

The Colorado boys feel that they owe a large part of their success to the business men of Colorado, who have financed them during the year.

We want you to see our new rugs and matings. We will have a shipment of Linoleum to arrive this week. H. L. HUTCHINSON & CO.

WINSTON NEWS.

As the scribe has been absent some time and had to use a substitute, I will try to give a few happenings.

Miss Jesse Zorn is shopping in Loraine.

Mrs. Della Furgerson who is visiting her mother is on the sick list.

Quite a crowd of young people attended the district singing convention at Loraine Sunday.

The Cole family and Miss Stella Cove visited the Leggett home Sunday.

Clee Forbus and Charlie Braman were visitors here Sunday.

Miss Annie Gregg's school will soon close at Winston, and she has given complete satisfaction.

Messrs Bailey Brothers attended the singing at Loraine Sunday.

Miss Marchie Norill visited home folks Saturday.

Bro. Leslie filled the pulpit at the North Baptist church last Sunday.

Quite a few of the young people are contemplating attending the all day singing at China Grove Sunday.

Everybody is invited to attend the debate at Champion Saturday night.

SUNSHINE.

Welch grape juice and Doles pure Hawaiian pineapple juice at Ben Morgan's.

Plants For Sale.

By W. L. Edmondson, Loraine.

Tree tomatoes 50 cts per 100. Cabbage 50cents per 100. Pepper \$1.00 per 100. Egg plants \$1.00 per hundred. 4-21-c.

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LORAIN LOCALS

Brief Mention of the Week's Happenings at Busy Town of Loraine.

Singing Convention.

The Eastern District of the Mitchell County Singing Convention met at the Baptist church here last Sunday. Valley View, Zellner and Loraine participated.

The quartette from Valley View and the quartette composed of the Gunn boys and Allen Avant rendered some selections which were especially well received.

Prof. Helm made an interesting talk on music, also Rev. Richburg. All who attended enjoyed the entire program. The next meeting will be held at Valley View the third Sunday in May.

Graduating Class Entertains.

Last Saturday evening the 1911 graduating class of the high school were entertained by Miss Loraine Dees at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. S. Dees.

The class consists of thirteen of which eight are girls and five boys. It was necessary to press a few non-students into play in order to balance up with the girls.

The house was tastefully and profusely decorated for the occasion, the class colors, red and green, predominating. Easter rabbits, hand made and painted were seen everywhere. Each guest was given a rabbit as a souvenir.

Various games were indulged in most appropriate to the time and the occasion. Refreshments of punch and cake were served and very reluctantly did the merrymakers forsake their pleasures and return to their homes in order not to miss the hour of beauty sleep.

Charlie Rochelle was in from the farm last Monday. It is said he purchased a pocket book on credit and borrowed a penny to put in it.

Grady Clark of Coleman county was a visitor here this week. 'Tis rumored he has a heart trouble for which he finds relief here.

Mrs. Malcolm Blakely and daughter Juanice are visiting their parents here this week, from Terrell, Texas.

Mrs. A. C. Pratt of Roscoe is visiting relatives in Loraine this week.

Miss Mary Gregg visited in Colorado Wednesday.

There was a called session of the quarterly conference of the Methodist church held here Tuesday morning. It was attended by Rev. H. H. Linder, D. M. Ward and Presiding Elder S. Shaw.

Street improvement continues in Loraine. A large force is at work on Main street giving special attention to culverts and gutters.

Charlie Gunn and Miss Julia Burrus from Ira visited relatives here this week.

W. Kimbrough of Sweetwater was here on business this week.

J. P. Vaughan was here on business from Dallas the first of this week.

Mayor Summers reports receiving a letter from J. W. Ward, superintendent of the T. & P. Ry., stating that the matter of opening up an outlet under the track here by means of a culvert, would be taken up at once.

Charlie Reeder spent a few days on the farm this week.

G. C. Farris preached at Landers school house last Saturday and Sunday. This was his first service there, supply that congregation. He speaks as pleased with the community and the people.

W. H. Henthorn attended the races at Roscoe last Saturday.

Mrs. Alonzo Phillips visited in Roscoe last Saturday and Sunday.

I. W. Jones moved to his farm north of Colorado last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hale of Colorado visited D. E. Gunn Sunday.

A. M. Jackson says he saved his bean crop from the last cold snap by covering it with wagon sheets.

H. W. Wellborn of Abilene was a visitor in this city last week.

F. L. Baker and B. L. Harp of Abilene were here Monday.

W. H. Henthorn has moved to the farm for the summer. That is, he spends the nights on the farm, but holds down his same corner in town during the day.

J. H. Beall was here from Sweetwater on legal business Monday.

One of the members of the K. K. K. K. was discovered dying, but only some ribbons.

W. F. Altman and family visited in Roscoe last Sunday.

W. W. Porter was here from Colorado Monday.

Sam Jordan of Colorado made a business trip to Loraine Monday.

G. D. Adams is up from Col-

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QUALITY IS ECONOMY

A Trip Around the World.

By W. E. BERRY.

We had been doing some big sailing for the past few weeks, the trade wind was sending us over the ocean very rapidly and we thought we ought to be getting near the Australian coast. Three days later the captain came forward and went on the sailors' forecastle with his spy glass in his hand. He was looking very anxiously to the north east. In the course of fifteen minutes he came down and said, "Boys you will see land in 20 minutes." We looked in the direction we had been looking and there sure enough, a dark hazy cloud made its appearance and in a little while we could see land. We had been 85 days without seeing land. This was a pleasant sight to us. It was the Australian coast between Melbourne and Vandiemer Land, or Tasmania. Two days later we were sailing up Bass Strait which divides Tasmania from Australia. The straits are narrow, in places you can throw a stone to either side. The wind was still fair and we were under close reef topsails. We passed through the strait and turned north into the Pacific ocean, sailing up the Australian coast.

We saw some beautiful scenery in passing Tasmania. This is an English colony in the south Pacific. The island is in a heart shape. Some of its table lands are 3000 feet above the sea. It has seven lakes of sizes ranging from 2,500 to 50,000 acres. The population at that time was 105,000. The climate is delightful and its scenery beautiful, with its lofty mountains and great forests. On this island they find gold, lead, copper, tin and coal. The products are grain, fruit, timber and wool. The trees reach a height of 350 feet. This used to be a convict colony where England sent her convicts. I saw a great many whales around in those waters. This ought to be a good country for a farming man.

We were now in the Pacific ocean the roughest ocean there is. We were headed for Sydney, New South Wales. Six days later we arrived off Botany Bay, where the English government send their convicts and made them plow the land with their horses. I have seen some of their work and I know

they must have a sad time of it.

A steam ship passed us and we signaled them; told them when they got up to Sydney to send us a tug boat and a pilot. Next day we arrived off Sydney Heads, or Port Jackson, which is one of the finest harbors in the world. All the warships in the world could anchor here and be protected from every wind that blows. As we went through the entrance I saw a wreck laying on the rocks. This wreck came ashore one year before. It was the full rigged ship "Dunbar" from London with 1,500 passengers on board. All lost their lives but one man. When the ship struck the rocks, a big wave carried everything overboard. This man was carried by this wave up in a crevice of the rock fifty feet and left there with only room enough to stand one foot on it. It was 250 feet to the top of the rocks and 50 feet below—a sad place to be left in. He was there three days and two nights in this awful position. Before sundown on the third day some boys from Sydney came along on top of the rocks hunting birds eggs, and heard strange sounds. They listened and found it was a human voice. They answered his calls and he told them of his condition, and said the only way of rescuing him would be from the top. The boys returned to Sydney and gave the alarm and he was soon ready. They returned with ropes and one man descended with an extra rope and fastened it around his waist, and he was drawn on top and taken to the city hospital, and after three weeks was able to walk again. His hair was snowy white from his terrible first night in the rocks. When I was there in 1878 this man by the name of Peter Johnson, a Norweigen by birth, kept a temperance boarding house at 119 Elizabeth street. From him I heard this wonderful story.

Wreck of the Dunbar.
(By W. E. Berry.)

Cease, loud borus blustering rafter,
Cease list ye landmen all to me,
Messmates come listen to a brother sailor
Tell the dangers of the sea;

From bounding billows first in motion,

Where the distant whirlwinds rise,
To the dark and troubled waters,
Where the seas contend the skies,
"Hark," the Bosen's loudly calling,
By top sails, sheets and halyards stand,
Down top gallants quick be hauling,
Down your stay sails hand o'er hand,
Again it freshens, quick set the braces,
Now your top sail sheets let go,
Luff boys, luff, don't make wry faces,
But up your top sails you nimbly crew.

Round us soars the dreadful thunder
Think what fears our winds enthrall,
Harder yet it blows, harder,
Now again the Bosen's call,
Fore and aft the sprit sail yard yet,
Reef the mizen, see, all's clear,
Hand up each venture brace set,
Man the fore yard, cheer boys, cheer,
Now the dreadful thunder roaring,
Peal upon peal continually crash,
Over our heads fierce rain is falling,
Over our eyes blue lightning flash;
One wide water all around us,
Above us one black sky.
Different deaths now surround us,
Hark! What means that dreadful cry?

The main mast's gone, cries every tongue,
Over the led twelve feet above deck,
A leak beneath the chest tree sprung,
Call all hands to clear the wreck,
Quick your halyards cut to pieces,
Come my hearts, be stout and bold,
Plumb the well, the leak's increasing
Four feet in the hold.

Now the waves are washing o'er us,
We for our wives and sweethearts mourn,
But alas for us, there is no returning
Alas for us, there is no return,
But still the leak is growing on us,
Both chain pumps are choked below;
The God above look down upon us,
For Thou alone canst mercy show.
See our passengers now are praying,
With life preservers in their hands,
Hear the captain's dreadful voice,
The land boys, the land,
See the rocks now before us
Fully five-hundred feet high,
Hear the waves how they roar
against it,
Great God, look down from on high,
Our ship goes now just like the
whirlwind
To that dark and rocky shore,
Soon to be wrecked and dashed to
pieces.

Where they sink to rise no more,
Out of fifteen-hundred passengers,
One man is left to tell the tale,
Of the good ship called the Dunbar,
Wrecked in this dreadful gale,
Five hundred feet farther north,
They would have been free from all
harm,
And in Sydney, New South Wales, she
might have lain,
Free from this dreadful storm,
But God had it ordained otherwise,
Their time had come, and at last,
To their Maker they are bound,
To answer for the past.

The tug boat, Captain Cook, met us
at the entrance. This is a very narrow
passage with walls perpendicular
on both sides. I thought as I passed
through what a splendid place for a
fort. Guns could be placed here on
those rocks and could destroy any
warship that ever was built, and defend
the city of Sydney for all time.
This could be made almost impene-
trable, just like Quebec and Point
Levy, Canada; or a second Gibraltar.
We were fast approaching the city
having come seven miles from the
entrance. What a splendid harbor,
with its bays and coves and inlets all
the way up; and what a splendid place
for picnic excursion boat and yacht
racing. I saw great war ships from
the different nations, anchored here,
with their flags flying; the English
flag ship with her long streamer
whip fluttering in the breeze, with the
Union Jack on her spanker boom. We
soon arrived at the dock, or quay as
it is called here.

I had often heard of the beautiful
Australian girls. Now I met them face
to face, and I must say that their
beauty has not been overdrawn at all.
Outside of the Canadian girls, below
Quebec, they are the most beautiful
girls I ever saw.
After our baggage had been looked
over by the custom house officer we
were landed and the next thing was
to find a boarding house. We were
soon met by fifteen hotel runners and
we found one on Pitt street, called the
Bombay House, good comfortable
quarters for ten shillings per week. I
found this to be an up-to-date city with
150,000 people, of a mixture of all na-
tions, but English, Irish and Scottish
were in the majority. Also Germans,
Italians, Jews and some Yankees. I
took in the city for two weeks, seeing
some of its greatness. Some splendid
buildings, almost palaces with their
beautiful surroundings; houses of

parliament, botanical gardens with
flowers, shrubs and trees and fruits
from all parts of the world. It was
Christmas time and a jolly time we
had with the excursions, picnics,
cricket games, boat racing and yacht
racing. This is the home of the cham-
pion oarsman of the world. His name
is Trickett. Like all other champions
he has a saloon of his own on Pitt
street. He is a splendid makeup for
a man. When he stands straight his
hands reach down below his knees.
His long arms is what gives him the
championship of the world.

It was very warm, being 120 degrees
in the shade in December. The sea-
sons are reversed being summer there
when it is winter in America. That
was a year of summers to me. I left
America in August, the midst of sum-
mer, then crossed the equator when it
was scorching hot and there in De-
cember it was summer again.

The colony of New South Wales was
the smallest at this time, and the most
populous and highly developed of the
groups. It is about as large as Great
Britain. New South Wales has an
area five times that of England, but
still it is not half as large as Queens-
land, and western Australia is even
larger still. The acreage under crop in
the Australian colonies at the present
time is 6,500,000 acres. New South
Wales has 635,000 acres in cultivation
and 17,000,000 acres inclosed. There
are some very large ranches or
stations as they are called there.
A man can travel for 100 miles
square and still be on the same sta-
tion owned by the same man. This
colony had the extraordinary number
of 22,400,000 sheep at that time, also
2,580,000 cattle and 400,000 horses.
One man lost 60,000 sheep that year
on account of the drouth. This same
man has 340,000 left. Now after two
weeks of sight seeing I joined a
government survey party to go way
back in the interior to survey a canal
to bring water from the Darling river
for the city of Sydney. Here I passed
some of the happiest days of my life
This canal runs through a straight
course and passed through many
large orchards of oranges and lemons.
This fruit lay on the ground wasting;
could shovel them up with a shovel,
You may talk about your sweet smell-
ing flowers, or the magnolias of
Maryland but the sweet smelling
orange orchards beat them all. Here
we were in the Australian bush where
the Cockatoo, red parrot, the Emu,
about as large as the ostrich, also the

laughing jackass, which can be heard
for miles away. We were a crew of
twelve men; two engineers, one cook
and nine men to work. They appoint-
ed me mail carrier for the first three
months. I had to go eight miles to a
town called Parramatta, once a day
to bring and carry dispatches to the
government office at Sydney. I also
was chain carrier for three months.
Our work being finished we returned
again to Sydney. I was sorry the
work was done as we were a jolly
crew, good wages, good board and
short hours. I rambled again over the
city for a few days, then made ar-
rangements with the New South Wales
Sugar Refining Co. to go up on the
Clarence River 300 miles north. This
company owned three large mills on
this river. We went up on one of their
steam boats. We left on the 13th
boat with 175 men to work in the
mills. We had a rough voyage up
this stream about 50 miles. They
landed us at the first mill on the
Harwood Island. Here we found the
mill in full working order with 450
men turning out 100 tons of sugar
every 24 hours. The farmers here
grow the sugar cane and sell it to
the sugar mills, so much per ton.
They come and cut and take it away
in flat boats and tow it to the mills by
a tug boat. The sugar cane here
grows to perfection, eighteen feet in
height and four inches in diameter.
When this cane passes through those
three large steel rollers six feet wide
and eighteen feet in diameter the juice
runs out like a mill stream. It is
boiled six different times before it is
drawn off as white, yellow or coffee
sugar. This company has a large dis-
tillery for making rum out of molasses.
The cane grows along the bottom land
near the river. It is cut every two
years and replanted every ten years.
Cane is king here like cotton is in
America, but wheat, barley, oats and
Indian corn is largely grown. Bananas
grow almost wild. The farm houses
are shaded with them. They grow
sometimes twenty feet in height, and
a novel sight it is to see them with
their large heads of laden fruit. There
is more money in raising sugar cane
than any other crop. The farmers
get about \$40 per acre for its crop of
two years. The sugar season lasts
about six months in the winter. Then
they close down until the following
year. We were soon through for the
season and some of my companions
and farmer boys wanted me to go
with them on a kangaroo hunt.

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In the past four years the attendance at the University of Texas has increased 51 per cent.

Seven of the fifteen Texas Congressmen are ex-students or graduates of the University of Texas.

Since our last issue of the Record it has rained about three times. Rain in west Texas is now so common that it fails to attract attention.

We ask that you compare this issue of the Record with any local county seat paper and we'll abide your decision.

Texas is one of the world's greatest centers for the production of oil and natural gas, and oil is being shipped to all parts of the world from the Texas fields.

Indiana courts are beginning to fine the drinkers who are found in saloons on Sunday, as well as fining the saloonkeepers. Action of this kind will do more to break up violation of the law than anything else.

J. B. Buckner, one of our Divide farmers who does things, says that L. C. Dupree is very likely to get his hand called on that ten acres of the best cotton proposition by some of the Divide farmers. Mr. Buckner says there is going to be some good cotton on the divide this year, and the man who beats it will have to hump himself. The Divide folks have a mighty good cotton record, but H. A. Bagwell wears the belt for the most cotton on the least ground.—Sterling City Record.

Mitchell county is a dream just now. The hillsides are decked with flowers of every hue, while the valleys look like rivers of green and gold. While all this is pleasant to look upon it also has the backing in the way of herds and farms that challenges the admiration of the world. The man with the hoe will soon transform this garden spot into Elysian fields where singing birds, poetry and contentment makes life one sweet song. Come to Mitchell county.

The Great Bard spoke of sermons in stones. Kansas has found sermons in grocery bills. Wichita, a few years ago, was the Gibraltar of the saloon in Kansas. Its saloons were running years after the Kansas saloon law went into effect. Deals were made at state conventions and nominations secured through promises of open saloons for Wichita. The protest was long coming but it arrived—and, like many other reform movements of the day arrived with momentum. A "dry" mayor was elected. Heavy penalties for violation of the law were enacted. The saloons died hard, but the last vestige of them finally passed. Note the result. Before the saloons closed the banks clearings of Wichita were \$1,200,000 weekly. In three years they had increased to something over three million dollars. The city, instead of going backward, as freely predicted, has steadily grown. A few years ago there were barely ten per cent of the population of Wichita opposed to the saloon. Probably there are not now a very large minority of the population who would favor it. One newspaper changed in a single day from pro-saloon to anti-saloon. In six weeks its circulation had increased six thousand copies. In another Kansas community a merchant declares that his collections increased forty per cent shortly after prohibition went into effect. Workmen were paying weekly for insurance. Before the saloons closed forty per cent of these insured workmen were in arrears. Within a short time after the enforcement of the law these arrears had disappeared, and many were paying in advance.—Collier's Weekly.

You are no sort of a sport if you can withstand the desire to shoulder a fishing pole and his away to the sparkling waters of the historic Colorado and there become a young Isaac Walton.

AN IMPORTANT ENTERPRISE.

Built up in Colorado by Close Attention and Prompt Service.

One of the most solid and busy concerns in Colorado is the Colorado Steam Laundry, under the management of Davis and Avery. Since the laundry has moved to Oak street, opposite the electric light plant, it has been put in a sanitary condition and every lady in Colorado who patronizes the laundry should visit it and see how nice and clean it is and how systematic it is run all with the sanitary idea prevailing. The laundry people have bought the Simpson building had windows cut for more fresh air and light, a concrete floor put in for sanitary purposes, a big well of their own put down and a large pump installed and a 1500 foot sewer pipe laid to the river large reservoir tanks erected, pipe connections and everything complete. Messrs. Davis and Avery tell us they will have the building repainted on the outside, new awnings erected and nice signs put up, and make it one of the most attractive places in Colorado. Since, the business of the laundry has increased until they now employ 15 people and ship laundry to about 30 towns as far east as Weatherford and west to Toyah and their weekly express bill and long distance telephone bill amounts to considerable. The laundry at Midland had to shut down because our laundry here did all that work. Below we publish part of a letter received by the laundry here which shows that good work and promptness will win out.

"Yours to hand in reply will say we sent our basket last week to — as the manager was a personal friend of ours. He also guaranteed his work from start to finish, and naturally we felt under some obligations to him. I am now packing my basket with some of their work that I could not deliver, to ship you Tuesday. As to your work, I find it to be above an average it has given us good service and I don't think that I will ever let any talk me into trying something new."

The best evidence that ours is an up-to-date and well equipped laundry is the fact that all the traveling men and show people and transient people hold their laundry until they get to Colorado.

The laundry is equipped with Bishop Starcher for shirt cuffs, starch cooker, dip wheel starch cooler, an 8000 pound flat work ironer, a number nine shirt and collar ironer, neck bender, a sleeve ironer, also a body ironer. It takes five people to iron a shirt as it is run through all these machines. They have a Lichfield gas machine to heat the irons, a splendid built dry room and lace curtain department. All this is run by a 25 horse power Corliss engine and everything runs smoothly and like clock work. The bundler and marker is well equipped and keeps everything alphabetically arranged so that no laundry is lost or mixed up and the idea that the proprietors wear other people's collars and sox is a misnomer in this laundry for there is never any trouble reported about torn clothes, bad work or lost laundry.

One of the best drawing cards for this establishment is that they can and do deliver laundry in eight or ten hours and the prices are as low as any city in Texas. The laundry on the east side of Oak street and the Whipkey Printing Company on the west side makes this street a business center and are two institutions the town should well be proud of and to be appreciated should be visited and boosted by all our citizens.

The McKinney Commercial Club has recently had fifteen large trash cans made for use throughout that city, and have placed them on the leading streets, for the purpose of encouraging the residents in keeping the city clean. The cans were paid for by the advertisements of local merchants, one of which was placed on each of the four sides of the cans. Why can't Colorado do likewise. The Record will place one at our corner if others will do so.

The Weekly Newspaper.

It requires a certain amount of tact, some common sense and an abundance of courage to get out a country paper. There are a number of people in every community who want the paper to be according to their ideals, and sometimes these ideals are directly opposite to good, newspaper common sense. Some want a newspaper with an editorial page well filled with timely local mention or suggestion and others want the columns filled with purely personal, no matter how trivial the news, if it can be called news, might be. Even some want a political organ.

The people have been educated to believe, in many localities, that a newspaper should contain a great deal of the sensational in order to make it spicy and of interest. There is no use in the exchange of words, there are a whole lot of people who still clamor for a sprinkle of yellow journalism and they will not be satisfied with anything else, no matter how much the paper talks in opposition. It is a little strange that some people hunger for such things. Usually they are of a class that look upon life the wrong way and they ever delight in the dark side of the picture. There is another class who want the bright, the good and the helpful every week, and they are not satisfied unless they get that kind of reading material every issue. The only thing a newspaper can do is to take a decided stand for the right as it sees the right, print all that is actual news, give its readers editorial service that is building and constructive, and then be patient for results. Results are bound to come in time. The day of the yellow or the semi-yellow sheet is passing. All honest thinking, sane people will be friends to the paper that stands for high ideals, honest statement and constructive principles.

Shubert Symphony Club.

Through the efforts of Messrs. Hart and Jones of the Colorado Public Schools, negotiations are under way for a performance in our city on April 26th, by that pleasing musical organization, the Shubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette of Chicago. Many of our readers have heard this popular company and no doubt everyone knows of the high favor in which its eight years of success has placed it. The great variety of this company's program has endeared it to the hearts of American music lovers, until today it stands undoubtedly first in their affections. Their new program is said to be the best they have ever presented and their house will be large here if they are secured for an entertainment. This entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Colorado City Schools. Twenty-five per cent of the proceeds will go to them, and for the purpose of equipping the Department of Science.

For Sale.

A small room house 12x14 for sale. Three windows and two doors and small porch, will sell for \$50 just half of what the lumber cost, also a galvanized 35 barrel cistern, new for \$10. Also a lot of chickens, see Mrs. Maggie Fowler, 2nd street near bridge.

The next time he gets mixed up with a "white man's home" it might be a good idea for Booker Washington to sound a hurry call for Jack Johnson.

The Record is the best local paper in West Texas.

Easter services were held at all the churches Sunday and more or less decorations were used in honor of the day. At the Methodist church the Philathea class did the decorating. The chancel was draped in green, the choir rail in white festooned and caught with Easter lilies. Pots of lilies and ferns filled in the pulpit. A big wreath of lilies were placed just back of the pulpit, while a beautiful tapestry of Christ and Mary Magdalene filled the space above the organ. This is an exquisite thing and was done by Mrs. Shaaw, who always has time to work for her church. The choir had prepared some special music which was lovely. A fine sermon was preached by the pastor.

The baptist church was beautiful with ferns and pot plants. The choir railing being festooned with ropes of honeysuckle and roses. Vases of fragrant flowers were on the pulpit and piano. Elegant souvenir programs embossed with a sheaf of lilies were given out by the Sunday School. The program was as follows:

The Easter Song in Scripture and Song.
Song—Onward Christian Soldiers.
Prayer by Pastor.
Song—The Wondrous Story.
The Last Supper, read by Men's Class.

Song—Holy.
The Agony in the Garden, read by Ladies' Class.
The Judgment, read by Baracas.

Song—I'll go with Him Thro' the Garden.
The Sacrifice—School.
Song—Eventide.
The Crucifixion, read by Philathea.

Song—At the Cross.
The Resurrection, read by Junior Philathea Class.

The Empty Tomb, led by Pastor and followed by the Intermediate Classes.
The New Covenant, read by Junior Baracas.

Song—Jesus is Calling.
Prayer by Primaries.
Song reading by Superintendent and prayer.

The singing at the morning church service was led by the young people of the Sunday school.

Bro. Broome preached a splendid sermon and the collection was \$51.

The Episcopalian church was beautiful in its Easter dress and the music and sermon both proclaimed a risen Christ. An Easter offering of \$700 was made by the congregation.

The Presbyterian also had pretty flower decorations among them being some beautiful hot house flowers from Fort Worth. Appropriate songs were sung and a fine sermon given by Mr. Wynsor of N. M. Mr. Elliott was in Midland at Presbytery.

At the Christian church Bro. Dunning was detained by a wreck but the Easter sermon was preached at night and very much enjoyed. The church was beautiful with cut flowers and pot plants. The choir gave some special music with the organ, violin and horn as accompaniments. Miss Mary Coe sang the Holy City very sweetly and Mr. Sandusky in the absence of the pastor made a splendid talk upon Easter at eleven o'clock.

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Did you ever read the following in the Scriptures? It's there all right, and is as good doctrine now and as poor business as then:

"He that withholdeth corn, the people shall curse him, but blessings shall rest upon the head of him that selleth it."

The grain market is advancing sharply, but I am in position to offer the people the following:

- Corn, No. 2, per bushel..... 69c
- Chops, per sack..... \$1.25
- Oats, per bushel..... 48c
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Methodist Church.

The usual services next Sunday with the exception of preaching at night. Rev. R. E. Bonner will preach at 11 a. m. At the evening hour our congregation will join the other churches at the Union Tabernacle in celebrating the Tercentenary of the King James Version of the English Bible.

Rev. Bonner will also hold a Sunday School Institute Saturday afternoon at 3 p. m. and at 8 p. m. at the church.

He will hold a mass meeting at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Union Tabernacle. All the teachers and Sunday School workers are invited to attend all these meetings.

Rev. Bonner is the Sunday School Field Secretary of the Northwest Texas Conference. He is very efficient in his line and an sure he will be a help to all Sunday School workers. Come and hear him.

W. E. LYON, P. C.

Praise For Colorado.

Our old friend, C. C. Graves who expects soon to move to Dallas has only words of praise for Colorado. He says he had rather live here than anywhere he knows of but his wife's health will not permit. The climate will not permit. Mr. Graves says Colorado has more pure water, better streets, more shade trees and more side walks, better people, religiously, morally and every other way than any place he has ever lived and if left to his choice he would never move from Colorado.

Juniar League Program.

Sunday Afternoon 3 p. m.
Leader—Sarah Shaw.
Acts 2-8, chapter 1.
Song.
Prayer.
Song.
Read the Persecutor, Acts 7: 54-60.
Kate Buchanan
Story of Saul's Conversion.
Eloana Heister
Drill on Books of Bible:
The Historical Books
Claudia Smith
The Doctrinal Books Willie Doss
The Prophetic Books
Florence Simpson
Misionary Story.
Roll call and minutes.
MARY LYON, Sec.

Friday afternoon Mrs. Henry Doss entertained the G. F. C's and a few friends at 42 in honor of her sister, Mrs. Harry Watson of Wichita Falls. The afternoon was very much enjoyed and pleasantly completed with a refreshment course of ice and cake.

E. E. Morgan the confectioner will fill all orders for ice cream any time and will deliver anywhere.

Wednesday Mrs. W. L. Doss entertained a few of her friends in honor of Mrs. Worthington. This was a most delightful affair and each guest present enjoyed to the fullest the pleasure of the occasion.

Special Union Meeting at Tabernacle.

Everywhere the influence of the bible has reached the people of God, and all who make obeisance to its samaritan spirit, and who love their kind are preparing to celebrate the 300th anniversary of the publication of the English bible, known as the St. James revision. Sunday, May 23rd, has been fixed as the day for commemorating this most important epoch in the history of God's kingdom on earth, and to this end the United Brotherhood of Colorado has arranged with the several churches of the town to join with them in a union service at the tabernacle at 8 o'clock sharp, each church furnishing its choir. The union choir will be under the direction of Mr. W. L. Doss who, with the Methodist choir, has been specially requested to furnish music; the Colorado orchestra will also assist us.

An interesting program of short talks pertinent to the history and sentiment of the occasion has been arranged by the committee, and every speaker will be on hand. Special songs have been practiced and a treat for all lovers of good music is assured. Following are the features of the evening's exercises:

- Anthem.
- Vocal Quartet.
- Invocation by Rev. W. M. Elliott.
- Hymn.
- The meaning of this occasion.—Dr. P. C. Coleman.
- The Open Bible.—Rev. M. S. Dunning.
- Hymn.
- The Emergence of the English Bible.—Rev. Norman F. Marshall.
- Hymn.
- Talk by Mr. R. B. Bonner, Field secretary of Sunday School work, Northwest Texas Conference.
- Hymn.
- A few Testimonies as to the Value of the Bible.—T. H. Roe.
- Song.
- A few Words Concerning the Brotherhood.—A. H. Weston.
- Closing Prayer and Benediction.—Rev. M. Broome.

At the home of Mrs. Sam Wulfjen Thursday afternoon and evening the Philathes class of the Methodist church held an Easter tea. The pretty little home was lavishly decorated with Easter lilies in white and lavender. The shades were drawn and shaded candles cast a glow on the flowers and fair girls gathered to do honor to the occasion. The dining table was particularly pretty, the center piece being a basket filled with overflowing with colored eggs and downy little yellow chickens. The chicks had climbed over the basket and fallen on the green which surrounded it, making a natural and appropriate picture. On the wall was fastened a painting of a nest and a cackling hen, the guests were blindfolded and turned around three times then told to pin a paper egg in the nest. Those who did so were given a little cotton chick and those who

did not were laughed at for their awkwardness. Delicious refreshments of pressed chicken tomato aspic, lettuce sandwiches, pickles and iced tea was served. In the evening the young men and ladies gathered after paying entrance fee, pinning on the eggs and listening to the music. The young men were given strips of crepe paper and an untrimmed hat and told to make an Easter bonnet for the young lady who accompanied them. Myrtle Vaughan claims the prize and says Reeves Colman should have the booby.

The girls wore these creations in to the dining room for refreshments. It was late before the young folks left and all said they had a lovely time. \$15 was cleared. This is to go on an individual communion set.

The class and their efficient teacher Mrs. M. K. Jackson are growing constantly in numbers, interest and work.

The Hesperian Club held an open meeting Friday at Mrs. Hart's, the Misses Dry, Mrs. Payne and Mrs. Merritt being the hostesses. The house was decorated with Easter lilies, honeysuckle and roses. After all the guests had gathered, Roddy Brooks Merritt passed a basket filled with Easter chicks each guest being given one as a souvenir of the occasion. The club was called to order by Mrs. Sam Majors in the absence of Mrs. Shepherd. The program being called by the secretary Mrs. Collier. The roll call was an Easter thought or a noted mother, the program being the one prepared for Mother's Day.

Mrs. Hazzard sang a beautiful song "Mother is leading me," Mrs. Majors playing the accompaniment. Mrs. Merritt gave a good paper upon the aim of the National Congress of Mothers. Mrs. Collier read Mrs. Brennans paper upon Duties and Responsibilities of Mothers in the Home and School. This was one of the finest papers ever given before the club and it has been requested that it be printed. Mrs. Bronddus' paper on "Effects of Heredity upon Character" was most excellent and it will also be printed by request. Mrs. Elliott gave a splendid reading, "A Word to Men by Dorothy Dix. This closed the club program and the hostesses served dainty lemon ice in sherbet cups, each cup being topped by a yellow marshmallow chicken and white cake. Mrs. Shaw played any number of the songs our mothers sang and let the company guess at what they were. Then she gave a young girl's first music lesson and a Boston girl's production. Miss gave as a reading a Hoosier Courtship, which was much enjoyed.

Among the guests present were Mesdames F. B. Whipkey, A. L. Whipkey, D. N. Arnett, G. W. Donaldson, Simeon Shaw, English Lesaeter, Vaughan, Gilbert, M. K. Jackson, J. T. Davis and Lyon.

Misses Ina and Dera Wulfjen, Ford, Connell, Ellis, Danneher and Master Gressett Collier all seemed to have a

most enjoyable time and all the club women enjoyed their guests. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Elliott.

The District Conference of Colorado district convenes Tuesday evening in the Methodist church. About seventy five preachers, delegates and laymen are expected and every Methodist family is busy house cleaning, hunting cooks and chickens. Some fine ministers will be present and the sermons at eleven o'clock and in the evening will be interesting to all. Bro. J. T. Griswold of Stamford will be here. A. S. Barnes, presiding elder of Abilene district and J. W. Fort, the pastor there. Bro. Hunt from Snyder and Bro. Hall from Sweetwater. Bro. Cameron of Roby will preach the opening sermon Tuesday night and Bro. Bonner the S. S. man will have one day. Everyone invited to every service.

We have canned succotash, cauliflower, squash and mushrooms. COLORADO MERCHANTILE CO.

The Foreign Mission Study Circle met Monday with Mrs. W. P. Ruddick and a splendid meeting was held under Mrs. Collier's capable leadership. She gave a splendid introductory paper this being followed by topics by almost all present. These caused much discussion and many interesting stories were told. At the close of the program a business session was held and then came a delightful social session, during which time most delicious pineapple pudding, white cake and salted almonds were served by Mrs. Jas. T. Johnson, who is visiting her mother. The next meeting is with Mrs. Blandford.

First Christian Church Notes.

Last Sunday morning, a splendid audience, fine musical program, Easter songs and solos and recitations, but no preaching or sermon on account of late train. So by request of the pastor the same splendid musical program will be repeated Sunday morning. Also the special sermon intended for last Sunday morning. One confession last Sunday night.

M. S. DUNNING, Pastor

Married in Dallas.

On Tuesday evening of this week Miss Ruth Graves was married in Dallas to Mr. Soula Smith, a young banker of that city. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Graves went over to Dallas on Sunday of last week and Mrs. Graves will spend the summer with her children at Dallas and Royce. Mr. Graves will return to Colorado to wind up his business here and then retire permanently from active business. Miss Ruth being the last one of the children to marry leaves these old folks alone, hence their breaking up housekeeping.

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Oath having been made as required by law you are hereby commanded to summon W. K. Lewis by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Mitchell County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, on the third Monday in July A. D. 1911, the same being the 17th day of July A. D. 1911, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of April A. D. 1911, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1109, wherein Mrs. J. H. S. Roe, A. E. Roe, M. S. Roe, J. M. R. Price and C. V. Price are Plaintiffs, and W. K. Lewis is defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiffs are the legal owners and holders of two certain promissory notes by defendant made, executed and delivered to A. J. Roe on dated Jan. 1, 1904, due 90 days after date for the sum of \$124.45 payable to the order of A. J. Roe at his office in Colorado, Texas, with 10 per cent interest from date, and providing for the payment of ten per cent on the amount due as attorney's fees in case legal proceedings were instituted to enforce the collection thereof, signed W. K. Lewis, and one dated Jan. 1, 1904, due 90 days after date for the sum of \$317.61, with 10 per cent interest from date, and containing a similar provision for the payment of ten per cent attorney's fees, payable to the order of A. J. Roe at his office in Colorado, Texas, signed Lewis & Johnson, which was a partnership composed of W. K. Lewis, the defendant and Frank Johnson, and which said last described note was a joint and several promise of said firm.

That defendant has never paid any part of said first note, and that neither the defendant, the said firm of Lewis & Johnson, nor the said Frank Johnson has ever paid any part of said second note, except the sum of \$100, which was paid and duly credited thereon on Sept. 28, 1907. That defendant promised and became bound and obligated to pay both of said notes and that by his failure and refusal so to do plaintiffs have been damaged in the sums of \$233.93 and \$453.58 respectively.

That the defendant has been continuously absent and without the limits of the state of Texas for more than six years since the maturity of said notes.

That A. J. Roe died intestate in Tarrant County, Texas, on or about Dec. 27, 1909, and the plaintiff, Mrs. J. H. S. Roe is his surviving wife;

while the plaintiffs, A. E. Roe, J. M. R. Price, wife of C. V. Price and M. S. Roe are his sole heirs at law. That said notes were the community property of the said A. J. Roe and his said wife. That no administration has been had upon the estate of A. J. Roe for the reason that none is needed.

That plaintiffs have been compelled to institute legal proceedings to enforce the collection of said notes and have promised to pay ten per cent on the amount due on said notes, or, the alternative to pay their attorneys the reasonable value of their services, which would be ten per cent—which they aver to be a reasonable charge—wherefore defendant is bound to pay and they sue for; said attorney's fees.

Plaintiffs pray for judgment for the full amount due on said notes, for their costs and general and special relief, both legal and equitable, etc., etc.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Jesse H. Bullock, Clerk of the County Court of Mitchell County. Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado this 17th day of April A. D. 1911. Jesse H. Bullock, Clerk. (SEAL) County Court Mitchell Co. By Earl Ingepen, Deputy. A true copy I certify: C. E. Caughran, Sheriff Mitchell County. 5-12. By Preston Scott, Deputy.

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Dots From Fairview.

The farmers are well up with their farm work. Quite a large number of acres have been planted and some are coming up and looking well. All kinds of weather this week from freezing to 75 above.

W. E. Berry and wife were in Colorado on Monday visiting the sick.

The fruit crop will be good if the fall lets it alone.

The pastures are greener than they have been for two years.

Mr. J. M. Jenkins and Lon Strain came in last week from Oklahoma.

Mr. G. W. Goodwin and Mrs. Ida Ross were in the city Tuesday attending the sick.

The Sunday School is in a flourishing condition with Mr. Claude Hooks as superintendent. There is 100 pupils enrolled and great interest is shown in the lessons. A good religious superintendent, a set of moral teachers, an energetic class of pupils and a Sunday School 52 times a year, and be on time every time.

Mr. Jack Ross made a flying trip to the city this week.

W. L. Burkenlow and family were in town Tuesday.

What I heard on the streets of Colorado; Tom—"I have got a talking machine at the house." John—"What make?" "The best I could get." "On the installment plan I suppose?" "No, all at once." "Do you wind it up to start it talking?" "No it starts itself." "How do you stop it?" "You can't stop it." "Does it talk nights?" "Yes, day and night." "Gee whiz! That must be a new kind." "No, it's the first kind on the market." "Where did you get it?" "You Big Springs idiot, I married it of course."

Our public school under the management of Miss V. Casey is in a flourishing condition. Miss Casey has proven during her two years teaching that ladies teaching public schools can control and manage them as well as men teachers. Her school will close in May.

If you want to know how to get a cow out of the quicksand after dark, ask W. C. and C. C. Berry.

A young man from the city was invited out to the country to take dinner. He seemed to be much agitated. He sat opposite a looking glass and discovered that he had forgotten to comb his hair. Then he dropped his fork on the floor and as he stooped to pick it up he upset his coffee. Matters went from bad to worse until finally in despair the young man quit eating and put his hands under the table. The loose end of the table cloth was lying in his lap when he touched it he turned pale. He thought it was his shirt that he had forgotten to put in his trousers. He hurriedly stuffed the supposed shirt inside his trousers. Afterward when the family arose from the table there was a crash. The dishes lay in a broken mess on the floor. The young man pulled about three feet of table cloth out of his pants and made tracks for a canyon nearby.

The Cuthbert Telephone Company signed their new contract with the Southwestern people on Monday.

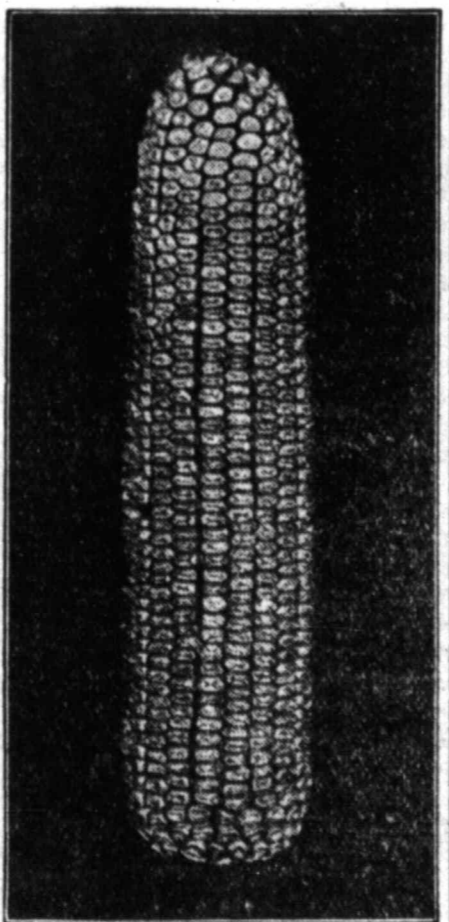
The social at Prof. Hill's on Friday was a success. Mr. and Mrs.

Hill know how to entertain.

The young people of Fairview spent Saturday at the Miller Springs with dinner, fishing and kodak taking. A jolly time was the order of the day. Out side of the cold weather a pleasant day was spent.

Mr. L. Buckenlow on Saturday night gave the young folks a social. About 50 young couples were there and the way they enjoyed themselves showed plainly what fun they were having. Thanks Bro. Buckenlow, give us another one soon.

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I had finished the contents of one box, I felt like a different woman. About six months ago I wrenched my back and became so lame that I could scarcely move. I knew what to do from past experience and at once procured Doan's Kidney Pills. Taking them as directed, I was relieved and I have had no trouble from my kidneys since. Several of my neighbors have also tried Doan's Kidney Pills and think there is nothing equal to them."

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Along about this time of year, when minds grow thick and streamers grow clear, the days are few in which I miss a day—dream stage—set much like this; there's wooded streams and pebbly shores, there's birchen craft and silvered oars, here's shady pools and eddies deep where pike and bass lie fast asleep and wake to gobble at the hook, that I may cast in lake or brook. In dreams I catch the tang of pine, the hum and whirr of reel and line, the leap of trout and splash of bass, and in review before me pass (clad in vacations glad array) the panorama of a day made glorious and set apart to thrill the eager angler's heart.

When I lie down at night I dream of shade beside some limpid stream where I may sit and cast my hook and draw great beauties from the brook; and as I lie there I am sure I'm all run down my health is poor and with seductive voice and low the camp life's calling me to go. My dreams are all of fins fresh drawn from out the pool laid on the coals to broil; I hear the sputter of them in my ear, and oh, such delicious brown; I am so tired of street and town that soon I'll surely pack my grip and set out on a fishing trip.

Shortly, because I need the rest to add to life a keener zest, I'll hie me off by rods and rods to where they sell me sporting goods and buy a brand new jointed rod some quite newfangled flies and add a reel and forty yards of line a gross of hooks both coarse and fine, a net to dip the big ones out, the pike and bass and speckled trout; and if the place have vast supply of tackle I will buy and buy and see the charges on the bill and pay them with a right good will, for by the stream so clear and blue will I not tarry and renew my wasted youth and be as glad as when I was a care-free lad.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

(Real Estate.)

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bexar County, on the 13th day of March A. D. 1911, in the case of Abraham Schraeder versus Clint Roberts No. B-1544, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 24th day of March, A. D. 1911, and, will, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in May A. D. 1911, it being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door of said Mitchell County, in the town of Colorado, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which Clint Roberts had on the 7th day of February A. D. 1911, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit: situated in Mitchell County, Texas, being one hundred and ninety acres of land patented to the S. P. R. R. Co., July the 25th, 1873, No. 409, Sur. 1, Abstract No. 281, which deed of trust is of record in Vol. 8, pages 325 et seq Records Mitchell Co., Texas, said property being levied on as the property of Clint Roberts to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$204.08, in favor of Abraham Schraeder interest and costs of suit.

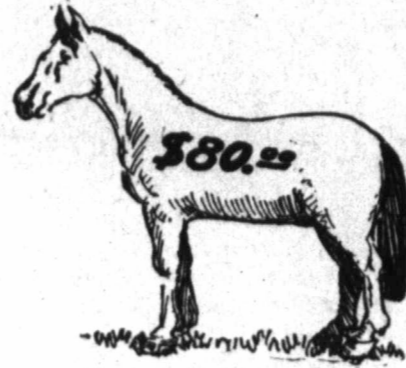
Given under my hand, this 24th day of March, A. D. 1911.

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According to the census reports of the Federal department of agriculture, dated Jan. 1, 1910, we had 1,369,000 head of horses and the latest estimate given on value per head was \$80, making a total value of \$109,520,000 for all horses of all ages. This is an increase of 100,000 in number and \$75,000,000 in value during the past decade.

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Notice by Publication of Final Account.

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County—Greeting:

Mrs. Louise A. Bailey, Guardian, of the Estate of A. A. Bailey, having filed in our County Court her Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said A. A. Bailey together with an application to be discharged from said Guardianship.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED. That by publication of this Writ for Twenty days successively in a Newspaper regularly published in the County of Mitchell you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the April Term, 1911, of said County Court, commencing and to be held at the Court House of said County, in the City of Colorado on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1911, when said Account and Application will be considered by said Court.

Witness Jesse H. Bullock, Clerk of the County Court of Mitchell County. Given under my hand and seal of said County, at my office, in the City of Colorado, this 23rd day of March, A. D. 1911.

JESSE H. BULLOCK,
Clerk C. C. Mitchell Co.

A true copy, I certify:

G. B. COUGHRAN,
Sheriff Mitchell County.
By PRESTON SCOTT,
Deputy Sheriff.

For a good cigar see E. B. Morgan.

Notice.

Bids for County Depository.

Whereas, it becomes necessary for the Commissioners Court of Mitchell County, Texas, to select at the next regular term thereof, the same beginning the 2nd Monday in May, 1911, a county depository for the public funds of said county during next two years, notice is hereby given that said Court at said term will receive proposals for said funds from any banking incorporation, association, or individual bankers in Mitchell County that may desire to be selected as the depository of the funds of said county.

All bids to conform with the requirements of law as prescribed in chapter 164, acts 1905 and the amendments thereto in chapter cvii, acts 1907.

A. J. COE,
County Judge.

O'REAL.

Snyder's registered French Coach Stallion will be at the Rountree Stable in Colorado. Terms reasonable.

4-28-p

Socialist Speaking.

Stanley J. Clark a prominent Socialist speaker will speak on the streets of Colorado on Saturday, April 22. Mr. Clark is considered one of the best street speakers in the party and it is desired that a large crowd come to hear him.

Wanted—To pasture horses or cattle up to the number of 50 head. Pasture three miles south of Iatan. Address W. C. Westfall, Iatan, Texas. 4-28-p



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W. L. DOSS, Colorado, Texas.

Write the Governor a Letter.

Governor Colquitt will have to get busy. Don Biggers has writ him a letter and everything at Austin is at a standstill. Here is what Biggers writ:

Governor O. B. Colquitt, Austin Texas.—Dear Sir: I wish to call your attention to a most glaring in-accurate matter in connection with one of our state-adopted text books. I am presenting this matter to you the state school board, and because I believe you will readily appreciate the importance of the matter, and that you will co-operate in the matter of securing a correction of the matter complained of.

The inaccuracies of which complaint is here made will be found in Dodge's Comparative and Primary Geographies, published by Rand-McNally & Company of Chicago. On page 105 of the Primary Geography you will find the following:

"Grazing—In western Texas and in Oklahoma the climate is so dry that few trees grow. This region does, however, have a large amount of grass which is excellent food for cattle even when it is dry and brown, as it is during a large part of the year. Therefore cattle raising has long been an important industry there, etc."

"I submit that this is in a great measure libelous and that it is altogether erroneous and misleading. It presents the proposition that western Texas is a desert country, fit only for ranching purposes and wholly unfit for agriculture. There is no character of designation or modification about it. It is a general, unrestricted and includes the whole of western Texas. Serious enough within itself, compared with the same character of libelous matter in Dodge's Comparative Geography, it is too significant to compare further consideration in this connection at this particular time.

On page 151, Dodge's Comparative Geography, you will find:

"Grazing—Western Texas and Oklahoma are primarily grazing regions, owing to the dry climate. As one passes through Texas he finds himself at Houston, in the center of the great cotton producing region, with luxuriant vegetation everywhere. Between Houston and San Antonio the cotton becomes less conspicuous, and a little west of San Antonio the arid region begins. Here only those plants are found that will grow with a scanty

supply of moisture, while in western Texas the vegetation is almost that of the desert. * * * This great western region is so dry that grazing is by far the most important occupation. * * * Texas is one of the principal food-producing regions of the Union because of its development of the cattle industry, although throughout a large portion of its area agriculture is impossible except by irrigation. * * * Throughout this vast area, large enough to hold many of the states, there are naturally but few cities. The only important one in this area of Texas is El Paso, a railroad center on the Mexican border line."

To one at all familiar with the facts further comment is in no respect necessary. It is the same unreviewed dope that has been ladeled out about Texas, and particularly western Texas, for the last several decades.

"Western Texas and Oklahoma are great stock farming, as well as great agricultural regions, and years ago there were great ranching sections, but this is not, nor has it ever been, due to it being a dry climate, but to the very fact that it is not. But just measure with your mind the vast scope of country comprehended within a literal interpretation of what we find in this adopted text-book. We are told that Houston is in the center of the great cotton region. No question about Houston being a great country, but what man with reasonable general intelligence but knows that it is scarcely within the cotton region; that it is more than 100 miles south and nearly 200 miles east of the great cotton growing center of Texas.

"We are told that this great western region is so dry that agriculture is impossible, except by irrigation, a desolate desert waste, fit only for cattle raising; whereas the cattle business except in the matter of stock farming, has been practically a thing of the past for several years. For several years farming of all kinds has been carried on successfully throughout the west, and this without irrigation, though today irrigation is being rapidly developed throughout the shallow water belt which promises to become one of the greatest irrigation districts in the world. But farming was a success throughout the most westerly part of the state long before irrigation received serious consideration.

And throughout the vast area El Paso is the only city of any conse-

quence is it? How about Wichita Falls, Stamford, Brownwood, San Angelo, Plainview, towns with population ranging from 6,000 to 15,000?

"How about the more than 100 other towns in this region with populations ranging from 3,000 to 6,000? And if Houston is the center of the great cotton region and the rest of it is a cattle range desert, do not Fort Worth, Dallas and Waco belong with the other insignificant burghs in the desert region?"

Is a book so palpably unreliable in this respect worthy of credence in any particular? "Doesn't it seem that this geography should be critically revised or eliminated not only from the public schools of Texas, but from the public schools of every community in the nation?"

I believe you will agree with me that this is a vitally important matter to all of Texas, and particularly to the people of what is commonly known as western Texas, which in the common acceptation, at home and abroad covers the greater part of the State."

State Insurance Board.

It is admitted by students of the question of fire insurance and its relation to the public, that insurance has many of the elements of taxation by government, and in the final analysis, that the insurers pay the losses through the medium of the Insurance Companies and that in order to reduce rates charged for insurance in this state, we must reduce the fire waste.

The mission of the State Insurance Board Law is to secure just and reasonable fire insurance rates, and in working to that end, the Board should have the hearty co-operation of every citizen of Texas interested in the matter of fire insurance. The law creating the Board provides for a State Fire Marshal, and defines his duties. The State Fire Marshal is charged with the task of investigating all fires of incendiary origin, and to make reports of such investigations to the county or district attorneys of the counties wherein the fires occur, and to perform other services calculated to diminish the fire hazard.

At an early date this Board will urge every incorporated city and town in Texas to enact a Fire Marshal Ordinance, copies of which ordinance will be furnished by the Board, creating the office of City Fire Marshal. This will prove a most important step

in the direction of fire prevention. The services of an active city fire marshal will secure for any city or town a substantial reduction in insurance rates.

It is believed that when the public once realizes its relation to the fire waste of this state, and its remedies, this Board will receive the hearty co-operation of every citizen of Texas in the effort to reduce loss by fire and thereby reduce the insurance tax.

Interest in the possibilities and future of Texas is greatly increasing among the population of the northern and eastern states and the number of immigrants to this state from other sections is increasing rapidly each year. One thousand five hundred homeseekers destined for various portions of Texas arrived last week. The excursionists were of the better farming classes of the older states and are men whose addition to the population of the state will mean much to the development and prosperity of Texas.

The homeseekers report that interest in Texas outside the state is unabated and that indications are for a larger movement towards this state the latter part of next month.

The item of main importance to the farmers of Texas is not increased acreage, for the Texas farmers are already farming more land than they can properly cultivate, but is increased production on fewer acres.

The increase in agricultural production has both an individual and community interest. The farmer is vitally interested in increasing yield as it costs no more to cultivate an acre of land that produces two bales of cotton than it does an acre of land that produces only one and the second bale is clear profit to the farmer. The farmers who have followed the advice of our agricultural department in selecting seeds, methods of culture, combating pests, etc., have been able to double production.

A Curious Barometer.

A curious barometer used in Germany and Switzerland consists of a pan of water with a frog and a little step-ladder in it. When the frog comes out of the water and sits on the steps it is said infallibly to indicate rain.

A woman always plans to have two weeks in the spring free from other duties so she can buy her Easter bonnet.

The Texas Mule

The bray of the Texas mule is heard around the world, for wherever he goes he lustily sings the praises of his native land. He is the most sturdy farmer and the most successful miner of the animal kingdom. He is the only animal that did not enter Noah's ark. By good conduct he has overcome the prejudices of an illegitimate lineage and has successfully fought his way into the highways of industry with his parents as competitors, until today he drags the nation's commerce. He is a self-made animal. Year by year he has patiently studied new occupations and adapted himself to changed conditions until he is the master of more industrial pursuits than any other animal and he is by far the Commercial King of Beasts. He has arisen from obscure origin to the wealthiest of domestic animals; he is worth \$88 per head more than the horse, six times more than the Texas steer and fourteen times more than the hog.



1910 VALUE PER HEAD \$108.

During the past ten years the Texas mule has attracted the attention of Uncle Sam by showing the greatest increase in value per head of mules of all states in the Union, having an increase of 118 per cent or \$68.48 per head to his credit during the past decade and in doing so he has paid a dumb tribute to the soil and climate of Texas that is far more convincing in its eloquence than all the tongues of our orators or pens of our writers. The whole world marvels at a country that can rear such mules.

We have more than twice as many mules as any other state in the Union. The census reports of the Federal department of agriculture on Jan. 1, 1910, reports 781,000 head of mules and the best estimate of value per head made by the department places the average value of \$108, making a total value of all mules of all ages of approximately \$78,000,000, which is an increase of a quarter of a million mules in number and \$45,000,000 in value, including both increase in value per head and increase in number during the past decade.

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Best Oklahoma Prairie Hay (extra heavy bales) per bale.....	.65
Alfalfa, bale.....	.70

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the Temple.

Boston that the World will en- the Temple. Of the Masons is their order was olomon and that rand master. But perhaps not seem s Masons, to whom at temple now be-

ed by the Harem- noble sanctuary." this place is only Mecca and Madina. to cover the rock, ed by them as the earth, the spot from t started when he

the difficulty of per- palest world to yield out sacred spots, it is also ous undertaking and just showing what the sugges- es, it may be remarked on had 30,000 men cutting for his new church.

ere divided into three shifts. and went to Mount Lebanon month and were two months . There were 70,000 men who the stones and there were tone cutters in the mountains. nen had 3,300 foremen. Stone- guarded enormous blocks, bits each way, for the four- and fitted them together be- were taken to Jerusalem. work they were aided by sent by Hiram, king of

Temple was divided into two ne—the main building "the of God" and the subsidiary it was surrounded. It was rectangular in road and 30 cubits ubit at 18 inches, and 45 feet respect- walls of the first story een nine and ten feet thick; of the second story seven and quarter feet, of the third story n and one-half feet and the story six feet.

three sides, north, west and th, the temple was surrounded by ide building in three stories con- ing side chambers. The height each story from floor to ceiling seven and one-half feet. The ber of side chambers is given in ekiel as 30 or 33 for each story. ey were small, used for the temple uture, etc. The temple was sur- rounded by a court—the inner court. is was surrounded by a wall of ree courses of hewn stone sur- rounded by a course of cedar beams. he entire citadel was enclosed by a reat court. In front of the temple stood the two pillars made by Hiram of Tyre, and called Jachin (meaning "establish") and Boaz ("in length"). They were about 35 feet high, hollow and of brass four fingers thick.

Round about them was a network interwoven with small palms made of brass, to which were hung 300 pomegranates in two rows. They were made hollow that they might be used as receptacles for documents, etc. Such columns were quite common in the Temple of Baal.

There were ten lavers, quadrang- ular in shape, supported on wheeled wagons six feet long, six feet broad and four and one half feet high. The lavers were used for the water with which the entrails of the beasts for the burnt offerings were cleaned, and also their feet. The lavers on the wagons came nearly up to the level of the great brazen altar. In the fore- court—due east from the temple en- trance, stood the great altar of burnt offering. It was made of brass, was 30 feet long, 20 feet broad and 15 feet high. To the service of the altar belonged a great many utensils of brass.

It is stated in Chronicles that the whole temple was overlaid with gold. The quantity of gold for the most holy house—the oracle—was 600 talents. If the same system was adopted in the outer part 2700 talents must have been required. It is diffi- cult to estimate the value of the gold, for the Babylonian gold-talent was worth \$29.52 if heavy, and \$14.60 if light. If "heavy" the gold used in the oracle was worth, \$17,127,000, and in the other part of the temple \$29, 704,000. The value of the whole of the gold used in the temple that thickness of the gold on the wains- coting, and the value of the precious stones used are unknown.

The golden ornaments included the great candlestick with seven lights symbols of the divine presence; seven being the number of perfection. Ten reproduced copies of this candlestick were made and arranged on each side of the altar of incense. Beside these there were the arc, to hold the tables of the law, the table for his shew- bread, candlesticks, censers, tonks, snuffers, knives, extinguishers, tray, vases and other utensils for trimming and making the lights and fires in numbers unknown; also basins, spoons, censers, entry for the house inner doors for the most holy place and the doors of the house of the temple.

There was a great number of tables. One was large and made of gold, and on it were set the loaves of God. There were 10,000 copies that re- sembled this, for the vials and cups. Those of gold were 20,000, and those of silver 40,000. There were 10,000 candlesticks, according to the com- mand of Moses, one of which was dedicated for the temple that it might burn in the day-time.

There were 60,000 gold basins and 120,000 silver ones, 20,000 brass ones, 20,000 gold censers, 80,000 pouring ves- sels—in short there was enough of an establishment to keep Boston bustling for some time to come.

The recent fire in New York makes a horrible suggestion to all owners of buildings and to municipalities to look well after the fire escapes and to in- crease the efficiency of fire depart- ments. In our Texas cities it is so long between fires that we are apt to become unmindful of the terrible con- sequences that await us from the flames and we may neglect to take precaution necessary to perfectly safeguard human life and property. The owners of buildings and the city councils of cities should make a thorough inspection of their premises from the standpoint of fire protection and make such improvements as will adequately protect life and property. According to the last report of the Department of Insurance and Banking we lose \$4,337,175 per annum by fire and have \$509,431,221 worth of property insured.

The farmers of the Farmeraville community held a convention last week at that place to discuss improv- ed farming methods and to urge the conduct of their operations upon a strictly business basis. Assistant Agriculturist B. Youngblood of the National Department of Agriculture, addressed the convention and promis- ed the co-operation of his department with the farmers in any movement looking to the agricultural advance-

ment of the state. The idea that any one can run a farm successfully with- out any trained knowledge is a most mistaken one and the farmers of Hunt county have hit the keynote in success- ful farming by studying up-to-date agricultural methods. The farmer should prepare for his agricultural career with as much care as the pro- fessional man in other lines of in- dustry.

The Stamford survey for the Stam- ford and Eastern railway, a line that is to be constructed from Stamford to Ft. Worth, has been completed. The engineer's report has been made and the moving spirits expect to be- gin work at the earliest possible moment. The new road will go through the finest unoccupied portion of Texas in addition to the great coal fields of Young and Stephenson coun- ties, and it will bring Stamford in immediate touch with these great coal fields, and will give her direct line to North Texas. Although Texas leads all other states in the Union in rail- road mileage, there are still large areas of the state without railroad facilities, and to give the state a rail- road service equal to that of Illinois, would require approximately four times the present mileage.

The railroads have put on an "Onion Special" running direct from Laredo to Northern markets, where this tooth- some vegetable is eagerly awaited, early Texas onions being a delicacy greatly enjoyed by the people of the North. The first shipment of onions of the season was made from Laredo last week and train loads will be shipped daily from now on to the Northern and eastern market. During the season of 1910 Laredo shipped approxi- mately 2,000 cars, according to the estimate of the Laredo Board of Trade or two-thirds of the onion crop of Southwest Texas, while the shipments during the coming season are expected to reach at least 2,500 cars.

A recent press dispatch from Beau- mont announces that East Texas has discovered that her cut over pine lands are adapted to celery raising and that the new industry bids fair to soon take on commercial propor- tions. This announcement did not create quite the sensation that the discovery of oil gave us, but our agri- cultural discoveries are equally as im- portant and are as full of financial promise as mineral discoveries. It was only a few years ago that the Besumont country discovered that rice could be grown in that section and the rice crop of Texas last year sold for \$5,942,000 and more money has gushed out of the ground through the medium of this favorite diet than has come from the spindletop oil fields. Scarcely a day passes that the newspapers of the state do not record some important discovery in agriculture. Texas is truly a great agricultural state and we have scarcely formed a working ac- quaintance with it.

"The Sacred Desk Talk."

The friends of the saloons appear to be growing acute in anxiety over the "purity of the sacred desk," and occasionally some preacher in un- happy environment, joins in with them. One wonders whether Paul destroyed "the purity of the sacred desk," when he denounced men and officials to their faces for their sins. Did John the Baptist hurt "the sacred desk" when he denounced Herod and other men? Did Christ dishonor the "sacred desk" when he denounced men to their face? What is the "sacred desk," anyhow? How does it differ from any other part of a meeting house? Isn't it remarkable that saloon advocates and some others, are so solicitous about "the sacred desk," while the church regulars are not troubled at all? Except liquor news, there is no evi- dence that any "sacred desk" has been polluted in this state, unless it be that here and there a preacher has played the coward, "cringing the ambient

knee that thrift may follow fawning," to the unwashed saloon gang. It would be as proper to judge an eagle by a snow bird, as to judge the min- istry by the rare exceptions.

The bible makes much of good citizenship and teaches that preachers are leaders of the people. The man who cannot follow Bible instructions has no business in "the sacred desk," but ought to be dressed in bib and tucker and put out of the way some- where, that he may not be hurt by the people who are doing things like men ought to.

It is to be admitted that some preachers are in hard places and real- ly need a larger measure of comfort. However, they have no right to under- take to relieve themselves by teaching false notions concerning the proprie- ties of the ministry—to draw lines this side of where God has drawn them—and they are better not to do it if they want to keep in fellowship with their brother preachers and do well. Every preacher ought to keep his gun trained on the enemy and never "take a crack" at his comrades.

As to the friends of the saloons, they care no more for "the sacred desk" than they do for the men, women and children the saloons are grinding up each year, to their certain knowledge. Their desire is to silence the voice of preachers on the saloon question, and falling in that, make it appear that preachers are divided on the subject. They are "no fools if they do have fits" for rascally purposes.

J. H. GAMBRELL.

ONION MOVEMENT BEGINS.

First Car Passes Through San Antonio to Northern Markets—Crop Larger Than in 1910.

San Antonio, Tex., Mar.—The onion movement from Laredo has begun. The first car passed through San Antonio today for Northern markets. It con- tained 500 crates and is reported to have sold for \$1,000 gross before leav- ing the yards at Laredo. This is al- most a record price. Several more cars will move tomorrow. By the end of the week they will be moving several cars a day. It is expected that by Wednesday of next week the move- ment will be by the train load in- stead of the car load.

Preparations are being made to han- dle the crop with facility. In addition to the increased acreage at Laredo this year there is also a largely in- creased output at Cotulla, Bearsall, Carrizo Springs, Crystal City, Fal- turries, Kingsville, Mission, Browns- ville and other points in the lower Rio Grande Valley.

Laredo shipments will be fully as large as last year despite the damage done by the cold. From other points the crop will be from one-third to one-half greater due to the large in- crease in acreage.

It is estimated that no less than 3,000 cars will be shipped from Texas this year and there is a possibility of the crop reaching 5,000 cars. The crop will net the growers between \$1,000,000 and \$2,000,000.

The cold retarded the growth of the onions. This had the effect of causing the onion bulb to develop to a larger size and the Bermudas shipped this year will be the largest and of the best quality which have ever gone out of this section.

The movement will be better con- trolled this year than ever before. There is no danger of flooded markets. More than twelve warehouses have been built during the summer. In these the crops will be stored when there is danger of bringing the onions on the market too rapidly.

Onion growers are very optimistic over the outlook for a successful crop year, both from a production and a price standpoint.

Texas is a great state—great in com- merce, great in arts and learning and in its multitude of happy homes.

Texas is making wonderful progress in irrigation projects and the farmers of those sections of Texas where rain- fall is insufficient are arranging to conserve the storm waters of rivers and creeks. The artesian belt covers a large portion of Southwest Texas and when these everlasting sources of water are tapped and used for irriga- tion purposes, the land so irrigated has proved so fertile that the results have been startling. There is no sec- tion of Texas that is not productive if properly watered and thousands of acres of fine land will be brought under the plow within the next two years by means of irrigating ditches. Irrigation is man's substitute for rain and is an industry the encouragement of which will mean millions of dollars added to the wealth of Texas each year.

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The price is the thing. The Com- mercial Clubs that can open up a bet- ter market for the farm products have accomplished as much as if they had secured a factory for there is no pros- perity like that of the farm and a Com- mercial Club can render no better service to a community than by co- operating with the farmers in mar- keting their product.

There is an epidemic of hotel build- ing in Houston, and with the com- pletion of their monster Auditorium and Convention Hall with a seating capacity of 7,000, that city is prepar- ing to launch a campaign for the pur- pose of bringing to Houston numerous conventions, state and national. Four new hotels are under construction, with all the way from fifty to three hundred rooms each, and there is an unusual amount of building and con- struction going on in the Bayou City.

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



We have opened up a new market—opposite the City National Bank—and ask for a part of your trade.

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Laundry Gossip

No. 7

Our business grows every week from neighboring towns; one town having closed down entirely to our own laundry. This speaks for the quality of our work and service. Our motto is—

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"In the spring a livilies Iris changes on the burnished dove;
In the spring a young man's fancies lightly turns to thoughts of love."
The maids of Colorado seem willing when they turn, for each spring brings its full quota of weddings. In honor of our first spring bride, Miss Ophelia Arnett, the G. F. C.'s most delightfully entertained Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. H. Greene with a miscellaneous shower. The bevy of beautiful young girls are marrying their members off with much rapidity and elegance. The president, Mrs. Vivian Shropshire, herself a bride of only a few years, knows just what should be done to make each affair just a little nicer than the last, and the girls will keep her in office until each of them find a mate and are settled for life. The pretty home of Mrs. Greene was fragrant with roses. An immense bowl of American Beauties occupied the center table in the parlor. In the other rooms pink was used and candles with pink shades added an artistic touch.

The bridal chorus from Mendelssohn was sung by Mrs. Bell and Miss Coe, Miss Hooper playing the violin, the bride being led into the dining room by her sister-in-law, Mrs. D. N. Arnett, Jr. As they stopped an immense white shoe was overturned over her shoulder "showering" her with packages. The dining room was exquisite with its bowls of pink roses. The table being draped with pink and white maline-craped with pink for-get-me-nots Mrs. Shropshire with a loving cup in her hands asked Mrs. Earnest to toast the bride. She said: "May she remember that eternal vigilance is the price of supremacy, and keep a sharp lookout for his moods, his appetite, his purse and his vanity."
Miss Mary Coe was next called upon to toast the groom: "Behold fond man! See here thy pictured life, wilt, Ophelia for thy wife, you'll rise at six and feed the chicks, at seven you'll retreat and go out to meet and battle with the world, at 8, 9, 10 and 11, you'll wish all business was—well, in heaven; at twelve o'clock you'll feel that you can't wait another minute to see Ophelia Beal, and then at one when meal time's come you'll make things hum, and hie you home to dinner, and believe me that dinner will be a winner; and when she's ill you'll roll her a pill, when you wish you were in the moon she'll play you a tune, and all will be happy and gay, you'll bless the day you wed Ophelia Mae, and ever through you strenuous life, you'll find you've made a wise selection for a wife."

Miss Buchanan appropriately toasted the girls who were left.
Days like this bring a reminder, time is fleeting, life is short. And the bride will leave behind her, mourners of another sort; Girls who once were young and blushing as the bride we see today
But who now as time goes rushing may be spinsters any day. Let us then be up and doing with a heart for any man,
Still a wishing, still pursuing, let us catch him if we can.
The gifts were brought in upon a table and opened by the girls. They were exceedingly pretty, silken hose, embroidered towels, dainty handkerchiefs, china, table linen, lovely stenciled curtains, jewelry and all the dainty things our folks know how to make for such occasions. When they had been admired, delicious pink and white cream with pink and white cake was served.
The bride-elect had on a dainty white lingerie dress with white shoes and gloves and big white hat trimmed with pink roses and rosebuds. She carried an arm bouquet of pink roses. In the evening the club girls entertained their beaux and husbands and all had an exceedingly pleasant evening.

Yes, we have it. Blacksmith coal.—Winn & Payne.

Get ready for the Summer Normal here in June.

Oscar Majors guarantees every pair of spectacles fitted by him.

Prof. T. L. Hamilton left on Wednesday night with Lee Phenix, Everett Lyon, Clinton Smith, Frank Welch, Ed Simon and Robert Shepherd for A. & M. College at Bryan to attend the state track meet at that place.

We want to sell you a lawn mower. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

I. W. Baker, the genial post master at Loraine, was here on Tuesday for a short while, the guest of Prince Hazzard.

Phone Winne & Payne your windmill troubles. They fix 'em.

Perfection oil stoves also coal and wood stoves at H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

The school at Union closes today and a meeting of the patrons will be held at 2 p. m. Judge Coe will address the meeting.

Complete line of fishing tackle at Doss & Johnson. 4-14-c.

Phone 63 for fresh vegetables every morning. COLORADO MERCHANTILE CO.

You take no chance in getting Oscar Majors fit you with spectacles.

The Boy Scouts organization for the youth of America was temporarily organized Sunday afternoon. The necessary papers will be written for and the organization perfected at once. Lawrence Azell, Patrol; Vance Yates, Lieutenant Patrol; W. B. Crockett, Scout Commissioner.

For prompt and efficient abstract work.—C. R. Earnest, over Colorado National Bank.

Every piece of work done in my shop has my personal guarantee. J. P. MAJORS.

The meet Saturday was fine. The crowd went in spite of bad weather and everybody got their moneys worth. There were several out of town contestants and one teacher came from Big Springs. Our boys did splendid. Six of them are going to the A. & M. meet Friday, getting the necessary twelve points and over. They were Robert Shepherd, Clinton Smith, Ed Simon, Frank Welch, Everett Lyon and Lee Phenix. One young man from Big Springs and one from Roby also more than earned their points. The vaulting and the racing were especially good and very exciting. This is certainly fine sport and Mr. Hamilton should be encouraged by the parents whose boys he is training.

W. H. MOESER

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CASING, - PIPE - AND - FITTINGS

Water Supply Materials, Etc

I am working for the Shetland pony prize given by the Saturday Evening Post, and am now in the lead. I want everybody in town to buy a Post from me each week for six weeks; if you will do this I will win. If you don't see me, phone No. 23.

CLOIZE KING.

Ice cream delivered in any part of city. BEN MORGAN.

The Arnett-Beal wedding is next Wednesday evening.

House cleaning time is on so let us show you our new art squares, rugs, matting and linoleum. H. L. HUTCHINSON & CO.

W. W. Porter had with him a coal man this week, direct from the mines, and Porter told us he had bought nine cars or ninety cars, we have forgotten which, of the best coal on or under the earth.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.
The best garden hose in town at Winn & Payne.

Charley Crawford came in this week on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Andrew Cooksey, and when last seen by us was talking Toyah and oil.

Have you seen the special hand painted china at Majors.

We are ready with a swell line of Easter hats. See our display. Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Born:—Last week was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Beale a fine girl.

E. B. Morgan now has in stock a splendid line of cigars and fancy candies.

Miss Georgia Lovelady after a visit here, the guest of her uncle, John Lovelady, returned to her home in Fort Worth, this week.

The very latest in ladies waist and collar pins at Majors.

We have canned succotash, cauliflower, squash and mushrooms. COLORADO MERCHANTILE CO.

Now is the time to save money by buying of Majors.

The elder Mr. China Johnson has moved to Sterling City.

See us about your next set of harness. We handle the right line at the right prices. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Miss Jimmie Dillard has accepted a position with the Burton-Peel Dry Goods Co. at Fort Worth and is enjoying city life.

Father Zellner of Abilene spent Monday here on business.

Harry Collins from Houston is kicking because he missed last week's Record.

Lost:—A lap robe, black on one side and green on the other. Lost on Sterling road about three weeks ago. Finder please leave at Record office. W. C. CLARK, Spade.

D. M. Logan, our efficient section foreman, returned last week from Coahoma, where he has been to bury his father, S. H. Logan, who died on Tuesday of last week, at the age of 74 years. The elder Mr. Logan was stricken with paralysis and removed to the Sanitarium at Abilene, and all that money and medical skill could do was done, but the end had come and he passed away.

Horse Clipping—I am prepared to clip your horses or mules in the best manner and promptly. At Fire Station, Colorado, Texas. 28-p

Why let a batch ruin your valuable watch or jewelry when you can get it done right by Majors.

Phone Colorado Merchantile Co. for anything you want to eat.

VINCENTS CAFE.
For short orders, cold drinks, ice cream, cigars, etc. Ladies exchange also. All the latest magazines. Will be glad to have a share of your patronage.

Judge J. H. Beale of Sweetwater was here this week on court business.

Carbon paper at the Record office.

For Sale.
I have for sale a full blood Jersey cow, will be fresh in milk soon, will sell for cash. Come and see the cow. JOHN R. SIMS.

Real Estate.
If you have well located land or a good business proposition for sale at reasonable price, write me at once enclosing self addressed stamped envelope for reply (owners only). Address J. C. Roms, 816-2nd Ave. So., Minneapolis, Minn.

Iri Hicks Almanacs.
At last we have been able to get the 1911 Iri Hicks Almanac and now have them here. As it is a little late for them we have reduced the price to 20c and will send his "Word and Works" magazine three months free to each person who buys an almanac. Come on, you can't farm successfully without Hicks.

Wanted to Trade.
I have a good second hand organ to trade for a good cow. See W. L. Doss.

Fine Recleaned Seed.
We have a car of fine cane, Kaffir corn and maize seed. All good, fresh recleaned seed. Come and see them. W. H. GARDNER, Mgr., Farmers Union Warehouse Co.

O'BEAL—Weight 1100 Pounds.
He is registered. See some of his colts in Mitchell county. He and his half-brother, St. Patrick, will make the season at the Roundtree Stable in Colorado. 4-28-p D. H. SNYDER.

FOR RENT.
The building owned by the Western Windmill Company, lately occupied by the Colorado Merchantile Company as an implement house. Write WESTERN WINDMILL CO., Sweetwater, Texas.

Mrs. B. F. Mills, the old reliable millinery. Always here and this season with a bigger and better line of new hats and ladies headwear than ever. Place your order for that Easter hat.

Give the best of all stores, standard prices, 1000 & 1000—4-14-c.

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A Rational National Shortening

The woods are full of imitations of Cottolene—because Cottolene has made a pronounced success as "the perfect shortening." These imitations are of inferior quality, are packed in tins with ordinary removable covers, and depend largely upon substitution methods for their sale.

When you ask for Cottolene be sure you get Cottolene. There's only one Cottolene—packed in patent air-tight tin pails, with our trade-mark on the face of the pail.

It pays to pay a little more for Cottolene because of its superior quality and the fact that, being richer, it will go one-third farther than lard or any of its imitations. Its use means economy in the end.

Made only by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY

"Shortens your food—Lengthens your life"



There is more catarrh of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists. This Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

E HAVE THE BEST LINE OF BLUE SERGES EVER BROUGHT TO COLORADO

Have ten or twelve different kinds. All of them are of fine weave and good firm body. The prices range from

\$20⁵⁰ to \$28⁵⁰

If you want a suit that will wear you all spring and summer, until late next fall, at a moderate price, be sure to see this line of serges.

Competition cannot touch me on this goods

Manuel
The Home Tailor



Beech-nut products, peanut butter, sliced bacon, baked beans, jellies and jams.

COLORADO MERCHANTILE CO.

Are you reading the W. E. Berry story running in the Record.

J. E. Smiley of Loraine sends \$2.00 this week for the Record.

Fifty foot cotton hose \$4.50, all kinds screen wire.

COLORADO MERCHANTILE CO.

H. L. Redfield, General Freight Agent of the T. & P. Ry. Co. was here on Tuesday figuring with Radford on freight rates.

Fort Worth Record and Saturday Evening Post sold at E. B. Morgan's

D. W. Calloway of Galveston, traveling freight agent for the Morgan lines, was here Tuesday interviewing our business men about freight out of New York.

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CLOIZE KING.

Have you had your house numbered?

Mrs. F. B. Whipkey and Miss Lela Whipkey leave today on a few days visit to Snyder, where they go to attend some sort of womens' convention.

New Wall Paper at Doss' from 10c to \$1.00 per roll.

E. B. Morgan sells the Fort Worth Record.

Lost—Somewhere in town, a small bunch of keys (about six). Finder please report to Fred Meyer.

Miss Lucile Stonerod went to Big Springs Friday evening.

Beautiful line of school and presentation medals at Majors.

Miss Isla Smith went to Sweetwater Monday.

Fifty foot cotton hose \$4.50, all kinds screen wire.

COLORADO MERCHANTILE CO.

Misses Lois Prude, Lillie Allen and Annie Beal are home for the Easter holidays.

Have you seen the new goods at Majors.

Mrs. Worthington of Dallas is visiting Miss Etta Doss.

We can furnish your home from parlor to the kitchen.

H. L. HUTCHINSON & CO.

Notice to Ice Consumers.

I now have the management of the Colorado Creamery & Ice Company, and am delivering ice regularly every day. If you want a book see or phone me and if you have any complaint to make, do not take it out of the driver, but phone your troubles to me.

O. M. MITCHELL, Mgr.

Ice cream reception by Colorado Creamery & Ice Co., at the store of W. L. Doss Friday afternoon, April 21, from 2 to 6 o'clock. All the ladies invited and everything free. Come you are welcome. A number of the young ladies of the town will act as waiters and you will be promptly and nicely served.

County Singing Convention in Colorado first Sunday in May.

I am making special reduced prices on all goods for a short time.

J. P. MAJORS.

Mrs. Hallie Shipman (nee Dupree) has returned to her home in Douglass, Ariz.

Beech-nut products, peanut butter, sliced bacon, baked beans, jellies and jams.

COLORADO MERCHANTILE CO.

If it comes from Majors its all right.

Miss Florence Leatherwood, the expert milliner, over Burns & Bell's store, spent Sunday with home folks in Abilene, returning here on Monday.

E. B. Morgan has it if its confectionaries.

Justice E. N. Ridens of Loraine was a Colorado visitor on Monday.

Miss Belle Dozier returned home from Dallas last Saturday, where she went to attend the funeral of her brother's wife, who died with scarlet fever. The rest of the family were quite sick for a time, but have recovered. Miss Belle, even though on a sad mission, enjoyed the outing and restspell from the store.

Try the Hutchinson Furniture store on prices.

Read the Hutchinson Furniture ad.

The Colorado Creamery and Ice Co. have put on their nice new wagon, also Mr. Radford has his new wagon out, all painted in white and gold, which is a work of art.

We stand behind everything that we sell, and if you are not pleased tell us, if you are tell others.

H. L. HUTCHINSON & CO.

J. H. Gregg of Loraine was here attending court on Monday.

See the new hat pins and mesh bags at Majors.

Try a sack of White Crest Flour, best on earth.—at Colorado Mercantile Co.

For Sale.

I have for sale some good thoroughbred Jersey bulls. See J. C. GRAY.

Lewis D. McCraw, the handsome Western Union operator, had arranged to leave Colorado, had offered his resignation and even told his girl goodbye. J. C. Lipscomb of Brady came up to take his place, but McCraw, reflecting, and either from the entreaties of the fair sex, or other influences brought to bear, has decided to stay and will hold down the keys indefinitely.

We have it on good authority that negotiations are under way for a return engagement in our city about April 29th of that pleasing musical organization—The Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette of Chicago. Many of our readers have heard this popular company and no doubt everyone knows of the high favor in which their twenty years of success has placed it. The great variety and popular character of this company's program has endeared it to the hearts of American music lovers, until today it stands undoubtedly first in their affections. Their new program is said to be the best they have ever presented, and no doubt their house will be large here if they are secured to entertain.—Pecos Times.

Will be in Colorado April 26.

See our Remington Hammerless Target Rifles. Colorado Mercantile Co.

The Hutchinson Furniture store has a complete line of phonographs and records.

L. E. Lasseter, F. S. Thompson of Dallas, John Person of Burnham and A. H. Weston made a tour of inspection of the townsites in Scurry and Garza counties. They also visited Post City. The Record will contain next week a write-up of the trip.

Doss' Liver Regulator; if not satisfied, return and get your money.

Bro. R. B. Bonner, who is field secretary of the Northwest Texas Conference will be here next Sunday. Hear him.

Phone Colorado Mercantile Co. for anything you want to eat.

Marquissettes ♡ Foulards ♡ Taffetas ♡ Fancies

This Will Be a Great Silk Season

In anticipation of this, we are here with the goods. As usual, our stock is complete in all departments, but we wish to put special emphasis this week on our **SILKS**. Come and see them, ladies. You will be well repaid for your time and trouble.

Chas. M. Adams

COLORADO, TEXAS

Suesines ♡ Chinas ♡ Luisines & Messalines

Are You a Fiddler?

The Girls' Guild will have a May Festival at the Court House Park May 1st. A fiddler's contest will be one of the chief attractions. All performers on that instrument in the county, are invited to enter the list, and try for one of the prizes. Further notice will be given next week.

WHAT DOES FRESHNESS REALLY MEAN?

Flowers plucked yesterday, left in the living room, will not be found as fresh today as those plucked even days before which have been kept protected from the atmosphere and dust. Exactly the same thing is true of cooking fats. Most of them are packed in tubs or loose-covered cans exposed to the air, dust, and moisture, and they quickly deteriorate in quality. Cottolene, however, is packed in sealed, airtight pails. No matter how long it is kept, Cottolene is absolutely fresh—undiminished in excellence, unimpaired in strength—the real meaning of the word as given by standard lexicons.

The West Texas District Conference will be held in Colorado.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.

Judge R. H. Looney in company with J. R. Sims, C. M. Adams and J. B. Enderly all left this week for Dallas, where they go to take the Scottish Rite degree in Masonry, and will be made 32nd degree Masons. Judge Looney already has the degrees, but goes along to see the fun.

2, 3 pound dumping apples, 25 cents, all kinds pie goods at the COLORADO MERCHANTILE CO.

Stated convocation of the Royal Arch Chapter tonight. Work in the R. A. Degree. All members urged to be present and visitors invited.

B. F. Dulaney, H. P. H. E. Grantland, Sec.

Fresh shipment of one-gallon krait, only 40 cents, at Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Arnett and S. C. Jr., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Arnett.

Let us sell you a Phonograph. We have just received a shipment of Phonographs and Records.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

The Cuba on wheels car at the depot next Monday and Tuesday represents the Department of Industry and Commerce of the Cuban government and travels to promote better educational knowledge of Cuba over the U. S. Only a nominal admission of 5 and 10 cents is charged to help defray expenses on route—the 5 cent rate being given to school children, in charge of teachers, although we pass many free.

Judge J. E. Hooper and S. D. Vaughan made an auto trip to Ft. Collins this week.

Fresh shipment of Chase & Sanborn coffee at Colorado Mercantile Co.

Judge Brewer, a prominent lawyer of Colorado has been in Snyder this week with a view to locating here. It is understood that he is trading for the Sturdivant residence near the Central school and will move to Snyder very soon.—Western Light.

Record Quite Popular.

Since our last report the following have endeared themselves to the editors and public by contributing to the missionary movement in the way of advancing the Records circulation:

H. C. King, Seminole; J. E. Smiley, Loraine; James Bennett, Loraine; F. T. Jarrett, Roscoe; White Lead Co., Detroit; Joe Stokes, Colorado, F. Johnigan, Loraine; G. D. Bynum, J. W. Dorn, Colorado; J. S. Fins, J. S. Johnson, Loraine; Mrs. Robert Puckett, Amarillo; E. W. Berner, Galveston.

Try a bottle of Chase Perfection Furniture Polish, it will make your old furniture look like new.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

One of the very swellest things ever held in Colorado was the initial meeting of the German Club held Monday evening. The club rooms had been tastefully decorated in red and white, the club colors. The windows were latticed with this and draperies festooned on the walls. The young lady members carried out the colors in their costumes, wearing white dresses with red shoes and stockings. The young ladies are Misses Looney, Hooper, Allen, Van Tuyl, Boren, Prude, Liles, Earnest and Majors. Each was as beautiful as a vision, and each dance was more lovely than the last. Every one of the club girls had a dance and the favors had been especially prepared by themselves, all were lovely. A Virginia Reel was danced for old times sake.

An elegant refreshment course of orange ice and cake was served. It was two o'clock before the German was over and all declare it one of the happiest evenings ever spent. We foresee gay times for the young people in this club and hope that every meeting may be as successful and pleasant as this one. We had thought there could be nothing new in clubs in Colorado but we find that we are mistaken and the very newest one of the all may prove the most popular.

Mules Wanted—We want eight well broke young mules for ice wagon service that are from 14 to 15 hands high. Must be perfectly gentle, in good condition, and cheap for cash. Prefer well matched teams.

5-12-c COLORADO SALT CO.

If you have some mares and want to raise a good colt, breed to O'Beal or St. Patrick, both registered coach horses, at the Rountree Stable in Colorado.

See our new line of ice tea glasses Colorado Mercantile Co.

Its all right if Majors says so.

Doss' Kidney Pills—Guaranteed.

Will Build Two Cottages.

Contractor D. S. Kirk expects to erect two neat cottages in the city in the near future. They will both be erected in the east part of the city Mr. Kirk will occupy one of the new residences and the other one he expects to rent.—Sweetwater Signal.

Pasturage.

About 43,000 acres of the Bush & Tillar pasture in Howard, Scurry, Mitchell and Borden counties for sale or lease. Address Ben J. Tillar, 1012 First National Bank, Ft. Worth, Texas.

Let us show you the best refrigerator made—THE GURNEY—They will make your ice bill less.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

A letter comes from Henry King at Seminole, with a dollar and seventy five cents for the Record and Dallas News, and says it is hard to get along without either one out there, in that land of magnificent distances.

Beautiful line of Easter millinery at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

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JAKE'S RESTAURANT
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