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STREIGHT CASE CONTINUED.

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Gatesville, Tex., Aug. 1.—The case of Mrs. Minnie Lee Streight, who is charged with the murder of her husband, Editor T. E. Streight, at McGregor, June 17, 1910, which came to this county on a change of venue from McLennan county, after having been reversed in the higher court, was called for trial yesterday morning promptly at 9 o'clock. The defense presented though Judge Carrigan their application for continuance in which was set out the absence of witnesses. Judge Arnold, with his usual care, heard the witnesses and frequently made notes. At the conclusion of the reading of the application for continuance Judge Arnold granted same and set the case down for hearing on February 8, 1912.

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First Bale.
Wednesday of this week Mr. Clade Thompson down on the McKenzie ranch brought to town the first 1911 Mitchell county bale. Mr. Thompson has 29 acres of this early cotton which he thinks will make a fourth bale to the acre.

The bale weighed 455 pounds and was sold to O. M. Mitchell for 11.25 per pound. A premium of \$31.75 in cash was given, making the bale bring \$52.93, besides the seed. The first bale last year was received on August 12, three days later than this year.

INSPECTING THE CROP.

Looney, Bell and Mitchell Make a Tour of Inspection and Report.

On Tuesday of this week Messrs R. H. Looney, Brooks Bell and O. M. Mitchell got in their auto and made a tour of inspection of the Mitchell county crops. This was not a joy ride but a business trip made with a view of ascertaining to the best of their judgment of just how the crops were. Judge Looney went for the bank, Bell went for the grocer merchants, and Mitchell as a cotton buyer, and here is their route. They went up Lone Wolf creek from Colorado, northeast, crossing the creek several times, on out by the mountain, through the Lone Wolf Valley, then on the county line road toward Dunn, passing within several miles of Hermleigh. On to Dunn, thence to Snyder via Ira, across to Cuthbert, going pretty well over that country and on to Westbrook; thence home. And here is what they say:

Judge Looney: "In the last ten days cotton has deteriorated 33 1-3 per cent on account of the lack of rain and the hot winds. We found the best crops between Dunn and Ira in the deep red sand, and those crops which had been cultivated since the July rains were the best. We found worms—leaf worms—in nearly every crop, but I am not prepared to say just what damage they will do yet. We will get more cotton than last year because there is more acreage, but I consider the crop in bad condition. If we could get a good rain right away young cotton might do fairly well, unless the rain made the worms worse. There is considerable feed made, and late feed, with another rain, will make fairly well, otherwise the feed crop will be very light. One of the noticeable features in many of the crops is the lack of cultivation. Where the crops had been worked late there was a marked difference from those that not been worked since the July rain.

Brooks Bell: "The crops need rain badly. Cotton and feed both are suffering and have lost in the past ten days at least 50 per cent. The hot winds are wilting the bolls, and much of it is open or opening. Worms are doing some damage. The amount of cotton we will get will depend largely upon rain, and that must come soon to do any good. Mitchell county will not get much more cotton than last year and what increase there is will be due largely to the increased acreage. Of course we found some good crops, but on the whole the crops are very poor, and this is due largely to

the lack of proper cultivation. The feed crop is better than last year, but will not near supply the demand unless the late feed gets enough rain soon to bring it out to a full crop. As a whole the Mitchell County crop prospect is not flattering to say the least.

O. M. Mitchell: "Mitchell county has 80,000 acres in cotton, and I would consider 1-4 of a bale to the acre a low estimate. We will get 20,000 bales and Mitchell county should get half of them, making 10,000 bales; more than twice as much as last year. We found worms in some cotton, but they were leaf worm sand doing no damage. Cotton, where cultivated, looks fine, but has lost in the past ten days from 20 to 25 per cent, but a good rain in August will put it on again. August is the cotton month, and right now no one can tell what it will do, but my opinion is that Mitchell county will have a fairly good crop. More feed has already been gathered than was raised last year, and the young feed, as well as the young cotton, promises

a good yield. Nobody need get scared over the crop prospect yet, for with a good rain in this month the yield will be above the average.

Sweetwater Receives First Bale.

Sweetwater, Tex., Aug. 9.—J. F. Moody, a successful farmer who resides about seven miles north of the city, arrived shortly after noon today with the first bale of cotton that has been received here this season.

\$250,000 Fire at Dallas.

Dallas, Aug. 9.—Fire, which is believed to have originated from spontaneous combustion, broke out about midnight last night and practically destroyed the Art Wall Paper Mills and a large furniture establishment owned by Kaufman and Myres. The loss was almost fully covered by insurance. Owing to the fire making such rapid headway the fire department was powerless to save the buildings or the contents, but succeeded in preventing it from spreading.

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What I Know About the Eskimos.

Away up north, where the trees don't grow, live a race of furry-trodden men, and for that matter, also women; for up there the women wear the trousers in more senses than one; widely scattered over this wild, barren country, you find the "Eskimo" in his stronghold. This is his home. Numerous cliffs and islands afford him a resting place in summer—if such can be called summer. Myriads of marine birds seek their life of the cold icy waters, and white and blue fox wander everywhere. Seal, walrus, norwale and sperm whale sport in the summer sun, while it lasts, while the bear, king of the Polar wilds, roams over the seas at all times seeking game. This little tribe of most primitive man does not feel his hopeless isolation. They are odd looking specimens of humanity. In height the men average about five feet, two inches, and the women about four feet, ten inches. All have large, flat faces, heavy trunks and well rounded limbs. Their skin is slightly brown. Men and women have coal black hair and eyes. The nose is short, hands and feet are short and they have high cheek bones. The male rarely grows any hair on his face, but makes up for it with a plentiful supply of very black hair on his head, cut square across the forehead and the balance has its own way where it pleases. As for complexion it is so rarely that one sees an Eskimo's complexion that it is hard to define. As a matter of fact his real coloring is about that of an ordinary Bohemian Gypsy, but he is usually disguised with a thick coating of smoke from blubber oil lamps combined with the accumulations of years of happy unwashableness. The Eskimo are essentially a coast race, and it is a rare thing to find an Eskimo thirty miles from the sea shore, for they have one great and continual problem to face: that is the question of food. Their existence depends on keeping the storehouse filled by hunting, fishing and trapping, for when the long arctic night sweeps down, and those northern blizzards, which no man can face and remain alive, rage for days—yes, oftentimes for weeks at a time—if this time should come when the storehouse is empty the next summer the sun will shine on the huts tenanted only by a few shriveled skeleton frames. In a case like this it is "root, hog, or die."

Their houses, or "Igloos" as he calls it, costs him nothing but a little trouble at first. He scoops out a little circle in the snow about twenty feet across and four feet deep. Round this he builds a wall of frozen snow or ice, gradually sloping inward until the whole has assumed a bee hive shape. The cold freezes the blocks together as fast as they are placed, and any cracks or crevices are covered with this frozen mixture. A small hole is built, just large enough to crawl through, and then he builds to this a long, tunnel like passage, with an angle, or a short turn. This is his front door. Inside he builds raised sleeping benches or seats of honor, out of banks of snow two feet high. These he covers with skins, the richness of which depends upon his special standing. For light he has troughs filled with blubber or seal oil in which is a floating

wick. These are for light and cooking purpose, and the result is a good deal more comfortable than it may sound. But when a whole family, and possibly a few neighbors, have been having a feast of fish oil and Pemmican and their front door is packed with snarling "huskie" dogs, an American visitor might think that a dash of eau de cologne would improve the atmosphere.

The men, women and children wear their clothes very much as they do their skins, and change them about as often. Their clothes consist of soft underskins worn with the fur inside. Their breeches and tunics are made of coarser skins with the fur outside. Their skin boots and moccasins are made from the seal. Their inner garments are beautifully made. The sewing is done with a fish bone needle and strong fine sinews are used for thread and some of their embroidery work is very cleverly done.

The Eskimo is above all things a hunter, both on sea and land. If he is going to hunt in his small boat, he crawls out of his front door with weapons, calls up the leaders of his dog teams and gives them a sound thrashing as a preliminary. This is not done for cruelty; it is merely a gentle reminder to the leader, that he is in charge of the rest of the team, also the family, until the moment his lord and masters return. To see an Eskimo in his little boat is to see an exhibition of the most daring boatmanship conceivable. For the boat is merely a framework covered with skins, somewhat after the style of the Rob Roy canoe. There is one small opening in the middle just large enough for him to sit in and paddle, and a skin apron which he can tie around himself. In this craft he will face a sea that a whaleboat could not look at, and I have often wondered how they managed to keep afloat in such terrible seas. I have seen them turn entirely over and come up smiling, as much as to say, "I have done this before." When he is after a seal or a sea lion he watches his chance and then throws his harpoon, which has a long rawhide line attached, also a bladder attached at the end to tell him which way the seal is going. He then follows the wounded seal in his boat, killing it with his lance.

The Eskimo has a dog team but does not use as many as we had at the coast. He uses them in the same way. About eight dogs make a team for him. The leader of the team has to fight the other dogs and lick them to order; this he does with teeth and claws. The leader in general is boss when he gets old and cannot hold his place as leader. When his period of usefulness is over, he often gives up and dies of despair.

The Eskimo has few failings. He would risk his life for you without a thought, yet when you visit him on his ice-floe it is well to be careful over unconsidered trifles. Like all Indians they need watching. The life of an Eskimo hunter is a hard and bitter one, but it makes of him the grim, tough, indomitable little man who has helped to carry many an expedition toward the pole, and to whom many a starving, frozen crew of an ice-nipped whaler owe their lives.

W. E. BERRY.

SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE NFWS LETTER

CALLED SESSION OF THIRTY- SECOND LEGISLATURE

Re-districting of State and the Appropriation Bill Im- portant Items to be Considered.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 11.—It has been a strenuous week in Austin. Many a little stream with a swollen torrent has emptied its burden into the whirlpool of dissatisfaction and a tidal wave of master thinkers has flooded the Legislature with advice, threats and offers to go on the pay roll.

Those who hunger and thirst for power have been beating the political tom tom and sending shrieking vibrations through the Legislative halls, but it is a good experience for our souls, and it will fit their nerves for the strife below. "In the Legislature, it is just one thing after another. Our Legislators are a jolly lot of good fellows, and with the exceptions of the call "to arms" that occasionally echoes through the Legislative halls, they are as happy as a lot of young colts in a pasture, but if they tried to please everybody, they would please nobody and lose their jobs in the bargain.

There are as many kind of Democrats in the Legislature as there are breakfast foods on the market, and one hardly dares to get outside of the capitol building without a picture of Thomas Jefferson in hand, lest he get lost in the jungles.

The political map-makers have been working overtime. Many members whose districts have never been dimmed by the smoke of a factory and whose constituents have never been disturbed by the shrill whistle of a locomotive are trying to embarrass fame by writing their names on a re-districting bill that will give either one or the other of the numerous contending factions in Texas an advantage. Some men can't be great without being dangerous.

The introduction of an amendment to the appropriation bill increasing the contingent expenses thirty thousand dollars was interpreted by the members to cover the expenses of a proposed investigation of the last election and precipitated a bitter fight in the Legislature and finally passes both houses by a majority vote, but in case it does not meet with the approval of the governor, the measure will doubtless be offset, as the necessary two-thirds vote to overcome a veto was not shown on the ballot.

We investigate everything in Texas except our undeveloped resources. The Governor submitted a message to the Legislature showing a deficit of a million dollars inherited from the Campbell administration. A tax levy of one cent on the one hundred dollars will net the state, on the present basis of assessment, approximately \$200,000 and it will, therefore, require a tax levy of five cents on the one hundred dollars to take care of the deficit. The Waters-Pierce windfall will be absent this year, and to offset the deficit and care for the necessary expenses of the government require an estimated tax levy of sixteen cents for purposes of general revenue. Our revenue system is in rather a chaotic state and the Legislature may conclude to investigate it.

The Governor has asked the Legislature to repeal the law which creates an automatic Tax Board which transfers from the Legislature to the said tax board the power of fixing the tax rate. The Governor intimates that this board has been playing ping pong with our tax rates.

Summing up all of the work of the Legislature to date, the appropriation bills have been introduced into both houses and are making reasonable headway; numerous re-districting bills have been prepared and some of them introduced. The forecast for the coming week is one of strife and dissection, and unless more patriotism and less politics be displayed, it is doubtful if the Legislature will be able to finish its labors at the present session.

Cullen F. Thomas and William K. Hawkins are to be special prosecutors for the senate election fraud investigating committee.

Governor Colquitt, who expressed himself as extremely desiring a full and fair investigation of the election fraud charges, this morning issued a proclamation offering a fifty dollar reward for the arrest and conviction of any person found guilty of fraudulent acts against the poll tax law on fraudulent irregularities in prohibition elections.

The Governor today sent the Legislature a special message urging that the appropriation to investigate fraud charges be increased to \$27,500.

The senate passed the increased reward bill recommended by Governor Colquitt by a viva voce vote. The house adopted, 69 to 49, the original resolution for an election investigation.

Speaker Rayburn appointed Representatives Nickels, Cureton, Powell and Brown, all pros; and Savage, Williams and Bagby, all ants, as the committee.

Austin, Aug. 8.—Gov. Colquitt declined to discuss today Bailey endorsement of the possible candidacy of Col. Tom Ball for Governor, as published in the morning papers.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 8.—The House Committee substitute measure for the original resolution looking for a stricter regulation of the liquor traffic was introduced in the Senate and passed this morning. Practically the same measure passed the house yesterday, hence both house have gone on record as favoring the quart and daylight bills as introduced in the legislature last session.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 8.—Dr. J. H. Gambrell, of Dallas, chairman of the anti-saloon league of Texas and a leader in the recently closed prohibition campaign, was on the witness stand before the house investigating committee this morning. He was questioned as to the organization and operation of the league.

The House, by a vote of 60 to 30, passed committee substitute number one for House concurrent resolution asking the Governor to submit a recommendation for a stricter liquor regulation. The committee measure favors a limit of one saloon to every fifteen hundred inhabitants, with a license of seven hundred and fifty dollars, hours six in the morning to seven in the evening, and to prohibit the sale of liquor except in unbroken packages.

Ball on the Stand.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 7.—Thomas H. Ball, chairman of the statewide executive committee of the Texas Prohibitionists, was examined today by the house committee investigating the recent election on the prohibition amendment, which resulted in a meagre victory for the anti.

Houston, Tex., Aug. 8.—Col. Thos. H. Ball, Chairman of the Statewide Prohibition Executive Committee, who returned this morning from Austin, gave out the following interview to the Associated Press:

"Should I consider it due the cause of prohibition or laws relating thereto to make any announcement of my own purpose, so far as I personally am concerned, I will do it at an early date. At the present time I am not discussing candidacy, either of myself or anyone else."

Asked concerning the signed announcement of Senator Bailey that he (Bailey) would support Ball for governor in 1912 in preference to O. B. Colquitt, Col. Ball made the following non-committal statement:

"I am not at all surprised."

Col. Ball would have nothing to say on whether or not the prohibitionists had secured enough positive evidence on alleged irregularities in the recent election to warrant a contest.

"I stated my feelings in the matter yesterday at Austin before the house investigating committee," he said.

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Mrs. J. G. Merritt left yesterday for a month's visit to Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Arnett at Meadows, on the plains. Any one having society news items for the paper will please phone 157. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey, who will take care of them in Mrs. Merritt's absence.

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First Bale.

Abilene, Tex., Aug. 7.—The first bale of 1911 cotton received in Abilene was ginned this morning by H. B. Smith, North Fourth and Walnut Streets. The cotton was grown on the county farm northwest of Abilene by Tom Wingo. Mr. Wingo has about one hundred acres in cultivation, and despite some damage by the recent ball storm, estimates a total yield of from one-third to one-half bale per acre.

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THE GLORY OF THE "COMMON PEOPLE."

Their Lives the Ones Worth While.

Walking along the street the other day I saw a crowd gathered about something at the curbstone. Of course I approached and elbowed my way in toward the center and craned my neck and strained my ears to find out what was the object of interest.

One always does so. We are crazy to see what the crowd sees, and when we see it is usually something like what I saw—a fakir selling soap.

That is it. In the center, at the goal toward which all eyes and attention are bent, is a fool, or a fool thing of some sort. On the outside toward which our eyes are turned are the sky and the glorious city and life, and wonder and beauty.

The older I get the more am coming to think, as Carlyle said, mostly fools. We are madly going in one direction while what we want is in just exactly the opposite direction.

For what is it we all seek? Is it not exclusiveness in one form or another? We long to be rich or learned or in the smart set, or distinguished or extraordinary by hook or crook. Whereas, as a matter of fact, the best things of life lie not at all in the uncommon but in the common lot.

I remember with what fear and trembling I once made up my mind to ride third class on a railway in Germany. The guide book had warned me against it, and a lot of nice people said that it was dangerous, but I tried it. I went from Munich to Ulm and Nuremberg, and then on to Paris, in the lowest and cheapest coaches. For when I once got started I was delighted. It beat the elegant first-class and bourgeois second-class utterly.

I met a lot of interesting people, commercial travelers, soldiers, market women, priests, boys and girls, and we were not at all afraid of each other. Any one I saw I could spunk up and converse with, and everybody was human and approachable, and, in the language of the Podunk News, "a nice time was had." And if I had ridden first-class I would have been in the company of half-frozen mummies, each afraid of the other, all fearful that some one would encroach upon their precious exclusiveness. Now, for short distances, I always ride with hot polli.

There's a limit to my democracy. I draw the line at bad smells and dirt, when it comes to horsey-smelling clothes and possibilities of vermin I am an aristocrat. But you don't have to be high and mighty to be clean. And I have an idea that the average United States school ma'am is more fastidious in her personal antisepticism and intimate linen than the average grand dutchess.

I have gotten a vast deal more out of life since I renounced all notions of becoming rich or famous, or in anywise one of the elite, and have sought out the common people for my amusement and company. Just plain folks are more interesting than the people who occupy the niches. I have met one or two kings, a number of hereditary nobles and many presidents of things, but today I feel sure of real entertainment to drop into a seat on the street car beside a Jew peddler or a plumbers' apprentice than to call on the Marchese de Kalibazam and sip tea and swap platitudes.

In the first place, it is plain, common folks who have characteristics. They are individuals. In cultured, select society all are alike, poured into the same mould. In a wealthy club all the men's clothes are new, hence look alike; while among people who have but one week-day suit the garment becomes creased and moulded to the body.

Common people have customs. The aristocracy, as Chesterton says, have no customs; they have only habits, like animals. The table d'hote seat is precisely the same whether you dine with them at Rome or Berlin, Copenhagen or Palermo, and there are poor sillies who go abroad and never meet any one but these same bore some, uncolored table d'hoters from the time they land at Liverpool till they embark at Naples for home.

Even in the language of the so-called lower classes you find distinction and originality. A Bostonian graduate from Latin High talks so horribly proper that you are consumed with ennui. When he begins a sentence you are certain that he will end it just as though he had learned it by heart from a Misterschaft system. He belongs to the International Conversational Association.

On the contrary, a Coney Island tout is interesting. He makes his language as he goes along. He knows no rule. He is ignorant of convention. When he talks you are listening to a fresh breeze; you are present at a creative function. Slang, provincialism, local color, terse and proverbial sayings, naive philosophy, ingenious confection of new speech forms, these are the peculiar property of the un-elect.

The plain people, the despised bourgeois, has always been the home of the great and moral dynamic of the race. Vice and crime are the product of the dregs and the scum of humanity. Society is whiskey and dirt at the bottom; divorce and champagne at the top.

In the middle is the pure water and the healthy people. It is the common people who support the churches, send their children to Sunday school, have business to do and do it, go to bed at night a dastir about by day, eat bread and drink milk, tell the truth by habit, live as well when they are old as when they are young, have good sized families, pray when they are well and not when they are sick, and sing when they are sober and not when they are drunk.

All religions have sprung from and have grown among the common folk. Anarchy and infidelity, God-hating and belly-worshipping belong to the top and bottom layers of the social masses.

Almost all great men of history have been bourgeois. Few heroes come from the slums or the castles. To call a man common, therefore, is to class him in the same social level as Richard Wagner, Napoleon Bonaparte, Raffael Santi, Socrates, Abraham Lincoln and Jesus Christ. To want to get up into the select circle with Kings, counts, dukes and millionaires is to pine for the atmosphere that has grown the Borgals and Néroes, Cencis, Marquis de Sades, the four English Georges, Catherine of Russia and Harry Thaw.

Just the other day I was reading in a French Review the danger which the dead level of Democracy has in store for art and letters. It takes for granted that only an aristocracy can encourage genius. The truth is that the greatest patrons of art and letters is the public. All great creative work is done for the human race. The greatest permanent encouragement to the painter, sculptor, musician and writer will come in the spread of the cult of humanity.

The great work of renaissance was created for the most part for churches and in the past in Europe the Roman Catholic church has been the nearest approach to a public affair that has existed. States and cities were usually the property of private families. The church was, in its way, a persistent democracy. All the great popes have been bourgeois.

If the American people ever get sense enough to put some of the money which they now waste in battle-ships, into civic theatres, public galleries the artistic adornment of state and national buildings and the maintenance of orchestral and choral music (in this item after the manner of Germany) it will be infinitely better for the public arts than all the millionaire collectors of Christendom.

And finally, the common lot is the best, because the people, in plain, every day English, have the most fun. Life is fuller, fresher, more sparkling. As the people do not have to spend so much time and patience playing at precedence, they have more force with which to enjoy life. The higher one climbs the social ladder, the more he is bound to custom, rules, prohibitions and responsibilities. Uneasy lies the head that wears any kind of a crown. A days' work and a day's reward, labor by sunshine and sleep by night, the dear cares of family and homely duties, these are best.

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Mrs. G. M. Paul, 118 Seventh St., San Angelo, Texas, says: "My opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills is just as high today as it was three years ago, when I publicly recommended them. This remedy did me more good than all other remedies I have ever tried. For several years I suffered almost continuously from kidney trouble. Pains in my back and sides, headaches and a weakness of my kidneys were the symptoms of my complaint, which caused me the greatest annoyance. After taking a few boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills I improved, and before 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 hardly move. I knew what to do from past experience, and at once procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills. Taking them as directed, I was relieved, and have had no trouble with my kidneys since. Several of my neighbors have also tried Doan's Kidney Pills and think there is no equal to them."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Panama-California Exposition.

The curiosity of the residents of this city may have already been or may be at any time now, aroused by the sight of a long train of freight cars, on a side-track or passing through town, the cars all loaded with long sections of waterpipe and the waterpipes labeled "San Diego Exposition, 1915."

The explanation of the unusual sight is this: The city of San Diego, California is preparing for the Panama-California Exposition, to be held there throughout the entire year of 1915, and one of the great problems that confronted the city fathers was to provide an ample supply of water for the great fourteen hundred acre park, known as Balboa park, which has been chosen as the site of the exposition. There is an ample supply of water drawn from the watersheds in the mountains back of the city, but in order to distribute it through the vast park nearly eight thousand tons of cast iron waterpipe are required. In other words this is just about fifteen miles of pipe. The contract for this pipe was given to the United States Pipe Company, of Birmingham, Alabama. It will require 375 flat cars to transport it from the factory to the city of San Diego. These will be made up into thirteen trains, and these trains, in moving from Birmingham to San Diego will pass over the rails of fourteen different railroad systems.

The United States Pipe Company and the railroad companies concerned got together and decided to give the city of San Diego and the Panama-California Exposition a big boost through the handling of this tremendous shipment across the continent, and so a representative of San Diego was sent to Birmingham at its expense to have painted on every car of pipe sent out from Birmingham to San Diego the legend "San Diego Exposition, 1915."

LAST DAY OF TEXAS W. O. W. LOG ROLLING

LAST DAY OF WEST TEXAS W. O. W. LOG ROLLING.

A VERY LARGE ATTENDANCE

And an Enjoyable Time Experienced by All Attending.

Sweetwater, Tex., Aug. 5.—To say that the three day's log-rolling that came to a finish in our city tonight, has been a success is putting it mildly.

People were here every day by the hundreds and thousands. The town was overflowing and the picnic grounds were full. The program has been carried out nicely and every thing moved along in a smooth way. We do not think that Sweetwater has had a visitor during the entire three day who will go away dissatisfied with the time spent in our city and each and everyone has nothing but praise to sing about the hospitality of the good people of Sweetwater.

The good fellowship and Woodcraft has been shown all through the three days meet and the time has been spent pleasantly by all. Besides the programs that were carried out daily by the Woodmen, there were many attractions at the grounds and all town for those who were out of the ranks. The merry-go-round, the snake shows, the doll racks, confetti stands and dance halls all had their enormous crowds, and there was nothing but laughter and pleasure both day and night.

Last night at the hall that had been secured expressly for the purposes of entertaining, there was some beautiful team work executed. The W. O. W. degree team of the Big Springs camp did some fine degree work and the ladies circle of the Baird Camp put on one of the most beautiful drills that has ever been seen in West Texas.

This morning the visiting and Circle ladies gathered at the court house and a photo was made of them together with the local members. We have seen a proof of the picture, and it shows a nice assembly of perfect manhood and beautiful ladies.

The next log-rolling will be held at Hamlin. Hamlin and Haskell were both in the race for the meet, but Hamlin won out.

Taken all in all, the log-rolling at this place was a decided success from every view point.

Overseer Volia, of Zion City, earned \$27,500 last Sunday by kissing 286 babies in forty-eight minutes. Doesn't this establish a record?

Summer Clearance Sale Still On

In addition to last week's bargains we put in other big values. The

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price remnant sale are extraordinary bargains. In the assortment are remnants gathered up from all over the store and range in length from 2 to 10 yards, at ONE-HALF PRICE.

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of one lot of goods for 5 cents--in the assortment are Cotton Voiles, Batiste in assorted colors and designs, worth 15 to 20c, your choice

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at 7 1/2c

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Your Choice

for 10c---all the values as advertised last week at 15c now on the 10c counter. This collection consist of mostly 25 and 35c materials. Your choice

for 10c

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all the 25c grade, dress line, in colors blue and pink, stripes and checks, on sale

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COLORADO, TEXAS, AUGUST 11, 1911.

HALF BALE TO THE ACRE.

Crop Outlooks Warrant Such an Outlook in Most Sections of Mitchell County.

The claim that Mitchell county farmers will this year gather a half bale to the acre from every acre of cotton planted may seem a bit exaggerated to the fellow who spends his time in town, but to those who have made excursions into the country it is an altogether different matter. The Record man this week has had occasion to visit several portions of the county and finds that some places have had less rain than others and was pleased to find that even there the cotton crop was very promising. The stalk is larger and stronger than on previous years and the recent rains have started the second growth, which means that a vast amount of additional fruit will be put on. Already there are countless numbers of green bolls on the stalks, many of which will soon open. The young cotton is growing rapidly and with another rain the last of this month will do well.

Farmers tell us that the talk of weevils appearing at different parts of this county is to their way of thinking, altogether an imaginary pest. They think that the danger from the boll worm is even now a ten to one bet in favor of a bumper crop. In addition to the good cotton crops reported from every section of the country, the farmers are raising plenty of feed stuff, which will help them wonderfully. Many of them raised more than enough for their own use, and with the cane, milo maize and hay their livestock will fare well. Altogether the outlook is very bright in Mitchell county.

Let Us Dam Lone Wolf.

With conditions the best ever, all Coloradans should get together and build that dam across Lone Wolf. This is the one thing that stands in the way of making this city beautiful and the most attractive one in the West. This is not idle boasts, but cold facts. Colorado, is building on a solid foundation, with more graded streets and cement sidewalks than any town in the west. Civic pride will win out with a big dam across Lone Wolf, giving us plenty of water for boating and bathing, together with our beautiful shade trees and clean town would put us all in a class far ahead and to ourselves.

The dam can be built where the bridge now is on the street. Let the city council and the county commissioners join in and build a concrete dam, which will also serve as a bridge and not only be useful but beautiful as well.

It now looks like the saloons, many of them, are willing to close their places of business at night in order to save their business, but this traffic has been so aggressive in its effort to run rough shod over everything that might attempt to check their baneful influence that it is very doubtful whether they will be able to appease the wrath of the outraged people. The people of Texas have caught up on the saloon business as it has been conducted in the past, and only time will determine whether the saloon is doomed to live or die in this state.

On With the Battle.

The anti and prohibitionists have agreed that they will have to disagree and the commissioners court has ordered an election for the purpose of voting on local option August 29. The anti turned down the proposition from the pros to go for local option one year hence provided the saloons were allowed to go unmolested for that length of time. In the recent election the county gave the amendment a substantial majority, the result proving one of the greatest surprises of the election to those not on the ground. It is safe to predict that the coming election will be far from being a tame affair.

Clay county will vote on a \$200,000 bond issue for good roads on August 5th.

Joe and the "Drys."

Just wait, and it won't be long! As soon as the pros name a Bailey for Governor, the anti-Bailey men will kick out of the harness, and if an anti-Bailey man is named the Bailey men will do the kicking out. Prohibition will be then relegated to the back ground and the real campaign will be on. Watch and see!—Denison Herald.

It has been looking that way. But recent events would indicate that Joseph is no longer the consuming passion with the "dry" brethren.

The parting of the ways may be reached any day, unless all signs fall.—Waco Times-Herald.

Don't be uneasy, gentlemen. The prohibitionists of Texas are determined to make the state dry, and if Joe Bailey gets in the way he will be crushed by the steam roller. Same with O. T. (one term) Oscar, or anybody else. We will not split again for anybody, but will sacrifice our best friends to make prohibition win. The Record stands for Tom Ball against the field, but will sacrifice him if it takes that to win.

Salvation Joe.

State Press gathers from that enterprising contemporary, the Fort Worth Record, that Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey, by joining hands with such splendid patriots as Hepburn, Lodge, Crane, Lorimer, Collum, Root, Oliver, Gallinger and all the other regular Republican senators, has again saved the farmers of the United States from ruin at the hands of those maverick senators known as Culbertson, Owen, Gore, Davis, Williams, Bacon, Martin, Kern, Taylor and all the other Democrats in the two houses of congress. When it comes to saving the farmer Senator Bailey is probably the out-savagiest savior as is, and if he can at the same time save a few meat-packers, flour millers, steel manufacturers, wool spinners, lumber tasters and such like, the more he enjoys it. But the senator's main hold (we still gather from the Fort Worth Record) is saving farmers. He saves them every day. Let him save the farmers of the nation and he cares not who makes the laws. And let him save a few kind friends in the "infant industry" business, and he cares not who writes the songs of the nation. Anyway, and by all means, let him save some one from the Democratic party which (vide the Fort Worth Record) is a veritable gobble-um that hones to crunch the bones of the farmers, and is deterred only by the giant form of Hon. Joe Bailey, who stands, spear in hand and armour on, between the trembling agriculturists and their scaly foes.—Dallas News.

The Herald deprecates any intemperate utterances which may have escaped the lips of those who sought to arouse the people to a sense of their duty in the impending contest, and it has great respect for those men who have been doing their duty in this crisis, as they have done on all occasions while their services were demanded. And in saying this we do not refer alone to those on one side of the prohibition question, for there are men on both sides who are ever ready to defend the right as they see it, and who are helping in every way possible to build up our state and promote the prosperity of our people. They are men of education and principle, and are co-workers with all other good citizens in the cause of Christianity, education and pure Democracy. We honor all such men, on either side, and we not only deprecate the hasty words that have been spoken, perhaps without due consideration, and earnestly hope that all wounds that have been inflicted will be quickly healed, and that arm in arm, side by side, the good citizens of Grand Old Texas will march on to a greater destiny.—Hamilton Herald.

A roasting ear in the hand is worth two on the fork.

The Franklin Furniture and Hardware company, of Franklin, Texas, has incorporated with a capital of \$15,000.

The L. O. O. F's.

The West Texas Odd Fellows Association now in session convened here Wednesday morning with something over one hundred delegates in attendance. They are having a royal good time and are being cared for by the Coloradans. As the session has not completed its labors as we go to press, we defer a full report until next week, when it will be given in full.

Related Here.

Miss Bessie McDavid, who was drowned in the Oak Lawn Lake at Dallas last Saturday, was a cousin to Logan Spaulding in Colorado. It will be remembered that Miss McDavid gave a recital here last year and won the admiration of all who heard her.

The Fort Worth Record, in an editorial says:

"The slender majority against statewide prohibition is a declaration that the caucasian will of Texas is to be rid of the saloon ills at any sacrifice.

Many of the big Texas dailies and anti leaders have seen the handwriting on the wall. Texas is going dry in 1913.

The extra session and crop uncertainty now seems destined to end about the same time. And they both promise to end in a reasonably satisfactory manner.

Ty Cobb didn't invent base ball, but he knew what it was as soon as he saw it.

Let us hope that for August the weather man will strike the happy medium.

Hastings and Morrison went down to the L. C. Dupree ranch this week. They are on a trade for this ranch, and if they buy it they will cut it up and sell it out in small farms.

Mrs. W. M. Smith and sons, Owen and Julian, of Sanger, are here for the summer, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hard Henderson.

Texas Industrial Notes.

The Sinton Townsite Company has brought in an artesian well on the public square of that city at a depth of 930 feet. The well flows 70 gallons to the minute.

The bond issue for \$600,000 for building good roads in Dallas county carried by a large majority.

The Lometa State Bank has filed an amendment to its constitution increasing its capital stock from \$20,000 to \$40,000.

One hundred teams are at work graveling the roads in the Ennis district. A government engineer is superintending the work.

The Purfield Oil Company of Texas, with headquarters at El Paso, has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$15,000. The incorporators are F. J. Hall and T. Bailey.

The Texas Candy Company of Marshall has put in an ice cream plant at that place which is now successfully operating.

The Thompson Tucker Lumber company of Houston has filed an amendment to its charter increasing its capital stock from \$800,000 to \$1,200,000.

The citizens of Angleton have contracted with the Murray Gin Company for building a gin at that place in time for the fall cotton crop.

The City of Cameron is having all roads leading out from the city macadamized for a distance of five miles.

Several car loads of watermelons were shipped north from Mineola this week, and the largest crop for many years is reported from that section.

The articles of incorporation of the Master Builders Association of Texas were filed with the secretary of state this week. The headquarters of the association will be in San Antonio.

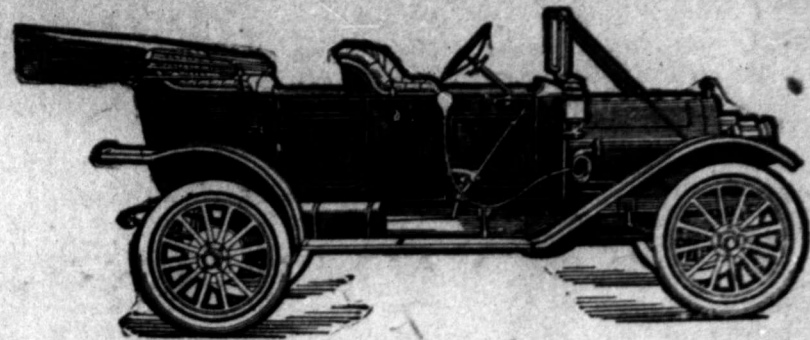
Tuesday morning a well was brought in at the Electra oil field which is believed to be the strongest one yet. The well was brought in at a depth of 2,000 feet.

The pathfinders of the Red River to the Gulf Highway visited Cleburn this week and will include that city in the great trans-state highway.

The Natatorium which nature has provided for Colorado is now being well patronized. Between 20 and 30 ladies and gentlemen swim every evening between 6 and 8 p. m. Quite a number of ladies have already learned to swim and the instructor insures safety for all who wish to learn. This is an indication what a nice lake on Lone Wolf, in the edge of town, equipped with nice bath houses, boating, etc., would accomplish. A resort of this kind would have a nightly attendance of from one to three hundred people throughout the summer. Let's build the dam.

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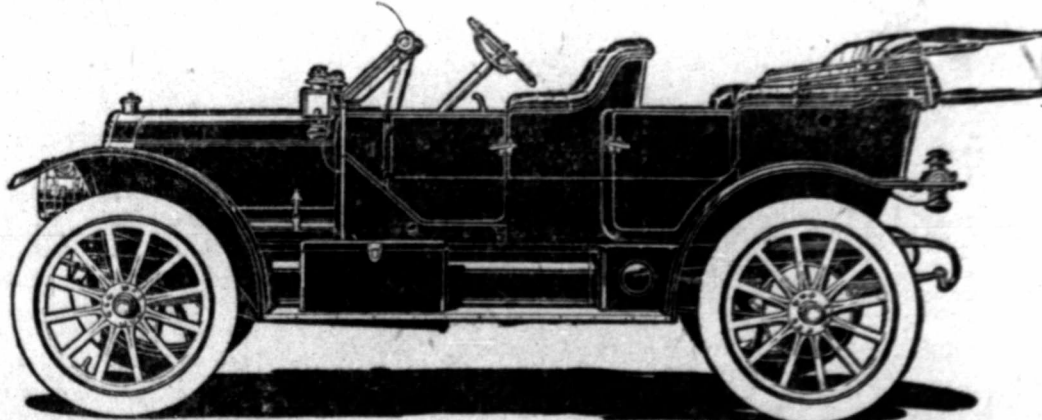
Flanders "20" again made clean sweep. Awarded first and second—all the prizes there were in her class, in ten days reliability run from Minneapolis to Helena, Montana. Hardest contest any light car ever entered, 1,390 miles over mountains and plains. Worst roads in America and rained most every day. Mud hub deep. The two Flanders were only cars in her class to finish with perfect scores and only one other car of any price—a Marmon \$2700—finished perfect. Cars penalized included Packard, Stoddard-Dayton, Abbott-Detroit, Amplex, Maxwell, Cole, Krit, Hupmobile and other small fry. This is second great victory for Flanders "20" in a month, other was three perfect road scores in Iowa's Little Gliddon. No other \$800 car on earth can stand up with Flanders "20" in hard work and in this latest contest she went out of her class and trimmed the four thousand dollar fellows.

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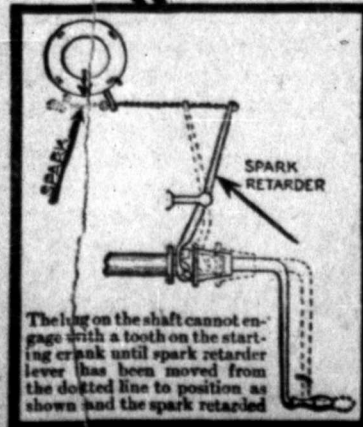


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LORAIN LOCALS

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

Severe Fall.
Chester Hart, son of S. H. Hart, north of town, met with a serious accident Saturday. He was riding a horseback, and coming to a fence the horse stopped suddenly, throwing the boy violently over his head to the ground, fracturing both shoulders. He was unconscious from the shock for about twelve hours, but is now out of danger and the recovery will be complete.

Delegates to Meeting.
The delegates from the Loraine lodge to the West Texas Odd Fellows Association at Colorado this week are: D. K. Nelson, J. E. Stone, Alonzo Phillips and M. D. Cranfield; attendants: J. R. Wallis and B. R. Stevens. Many other members attended the meeting from this place.

Justice Court.
At the regular monthly session of the Justice Court last Monday, the case of the State of Texas vs. Robert Kennedy, charged with disturbing public worship was called. The state was represented by County Attorney W. P. Leslie, the defendant by Royall G. Smith. The alleged disturbance was said to have occurred at Champion school on Sunday, the 23rd of July. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

V. E. Fling has a fine boy at his home born on the third, and tipping the beam at ten pounds.
Mrs. J. A. Avant and daughter, Mrs. Ross Gregg, visited relatives in Colorado this week.
Mrs. G. M. Bankhead, who is at the sanitarium at Abilene, is reported as doing nicely. She was operated on Tuesday.
M. F. Higginbotham was here this week on business.
A. C. Browning of Dallas was prospecting in our city this week.
Miss Cone, of Dallas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. C. McKay.
Ben Hart's little baby is reported on the sick roll this week.
G. B. Coughran, of Colorado, was here Monday.
Mrs. W. E. Erwin has returned from a visit to relatives in San Angelo.
Prof. W. P. Flanagan, of Waxahatchie, is visiting W. S. Erwin and family this week.
A. S. McAdams, of Bosque county, has moved to the Loraine country and is now erecting a home on his land south of here.
Messdames M. E. and B. D. Wharton of Roscoe, visited Mrs. W. F. Altman this week.
Mrs. S. W. Altman and family have returned from a visit to relatives in Hico.

W. L. Edmonson returned Tuesday morning from a trip to Coleman, Brownwood, Waco and other points. He made the following statement to the News reporter: From Sweetwater to Coleman crops also a failure; from Coleman to Brownwood no feed at all, cotton small; from Waco to Hillsboro no feed, cotton small and open and being picked now; from Itasca to Fort Worth no corn, cotton good. Royall G. Smith, of Colorado, was a visitor to our city Saturday and Monday.
A. J. Coe, of Colorado, was here last Monday.
R. C. Marshbanks, of Big Springs, visited his aunt, Mrs. J. D. Wilson, last week and the first part of this week. It is rumored that he figured in an

elopement on his return home last Tuesday.
Frank Johnson and family, J. M. Baker and family, L. B. Walker and family and Mr. Faulkner and wife, of Fort Worth, spent the day Tuesday at Seven Wells.

Mr. Faulkner and wife, of Fort Worth, are visiting J. M. Baker and family this week.
Chairman J. H. T. Johnson, Jr., of the Mitchell county singing convention (Eastern District) announces the next meeting on the third Sunday in this month at Plainview church near Buford.

The work of placing new smoke stacks at two of the gins here is progressing this week. The old stacks were blown down during the wind storm last spring.

R. W. Hall has a new girl in his home, born on the fourth.
Mrs. Brown, who lives on the divide and who was hurt in a runaway last week, is reported improving.

J. E. Stone and T. A. Martin made a business trip to Colorado Monday evening.
Messdames Eula G. Bales and Roxie Sitten, who organized the L. O. T. M. Hike here Monday afternoon, left for millspa to organize that place.

W. R. Grice has returned from his trip to Central Texas. He says crops between Abilene and Fort Worth are very poor, but south of Fort Worth they look good.

C. M. Thomson made a trip to Colorado Tuesday.
W. H. Hurd was in Colorado last Tuesday on a business trip.

Rev. G. C. Farris has been conducting the services of the Baptist meeting this week. The pastor, Rev. Ben. Hiebburg, of Cisco, is expected tomorrow night to take charge.

S. W. Altman, C. H. Rochelle, H. B. Wilson and J. H. Day have returned from their trip to Old Mexico. It is rumored that you can hardly understand what they say as they jabber macha de espanol.

Dr. W. M. Copeland was called to Abilene last Tuesday to be present at an operation.
Mrs. W. R. Shook and family left Tuesday for San Angelo to visit her mother.

Mrs. H. R. Looby and family left Saturday night for New Boston, accompanying her father, Dr. T. J. Watlington home.

Col. W. T. Wheat returned Saturday from Cooper, Texas, where he was called to the bedside of his mother, who was buried Friday.

Mrs. V. D. Payne went to Abilene Sunday morning where she will visit her mother.
W. L. Petty returned Monday night from Hico. He reports his sister improving.

Col. Thomas Q. Mullin, of Colorado, spent Monday and Tuesday here, as guest of his son, W. T. Mullin and family.

M. C. Kirkpatrick, of Brownwood, made a business trip to Loraine this week.

Mitchell county's first bale of cotton for 1911 was ginned here last Wednesday. It was raised by Jim Lee Fite, who has one hundred acres in cotton on his farm southwest of town. The bale weighed 420 pounds, was classified as strict middling, and was purchased by the Loraine Mercantile Company at 11.85 per hundred. A premium aggregating \$25.45 was also raised making the total received by Mr. Fite \$75.10 for the cotton. The seed sold for eight dollars.
The second bale was ginned Thursday for Mr. Hallmark.

Judge Coe returned from the Temple Knights of Honor meeting last week, spent Monday in Loraine and is now attending the County Judge's convention at Brownwood.

A Comparison.

We were speeding northward on the afternoon train through mountainous northern Alabama. I plied my companion (a native of Alabama) with a continuous shower of questions, regarding the many beautiful trees, shrubs, vines and flowers, the mountains and ridges, creeks and valleys. To me they were a revelation, having been reared on and near the plains of Western Texas where we have only the rock hills and the rolling prairies, the cat-claw, the mosquito and some hackberry; where the rattle snake, the wild cyote, the prairie dog and the wild cat reign supreme.

The mountains and ridges, unlike our rocky hills with no trees but the rough hackberry, no shrub but the cat-claw, were covered with trees and flowers of many kinds, with the tiny brooks dancing merrily down, down to the rich valleys below, thence to the mill-pond, into the mill-race and over the old "mill-wheel" into the stream below. The valleys with their productive hills and rich meadows were truly good to look upon.

Presently I fell into deep meditation. I thought: "How good and great is our creator to have created so beautiful a world." Of all the beauties of nature that came under my observation, the stately, whispering pine appealed to me more strongly than any. It impressed me with its stateliness, its erectness; there, surrounded by trees of every shape and height, it lived so straight and beautiful, an inspiration to the world; teaching us that in the sins and dissatisfactions of the world, we should look up for help in all things. It commanded my deepest respect; my admiration. From a tiny twig its whole ambition is to grow straight, to lift up its branches even to the blue vault of Heaven, it would seem, in thanksgiving to its Creator. Even on the steep mountain side I saw the pine ever growing up, and where the mountain torrent had all but uprooted it, it still kept to its purpose, its determination to grow straight, to triumph over all difficulties. In the valley it was the same, ever the same. Then I ask, "with all its beauty and stateliness, is the pine worth anything to humanity, is its life worth living?" And quickly I thought of many good and useful things coming from the pine.

Soon we came to a place where there were a great number of pine and near the base of the tree a portion of the bark had been hewn away. Under this place there were small pails. Upon inquiry I was told that this was a turpentine orchard and that they were tapping the trees for turpentine. I remembered that we also get tar, pitch and rosin from the pine. I asked: "Don't it kill the trees to take this fluid from them?" The answer was no. They go on and on living, and giving of their substance—their very life. We know that turpentine is one of the greatest of household remedies, many an ache and pain has it allayed, many a little bruised finger has it soothed. Why is it so great a medicine? Because it is a gift from "old mother nature." Could it have a more noble birth than in the pine? After the roofs of buildings have been coated with pitch, or tar, they are secure from wind and weather. The sailor uses it on his ship, the fisherman in his boat to prevent leakage, and thus insures to a greater degree his safety from the overwhelming waves.
When the violinist has used resin on his bow, he is able to produce the sweetest music, and what is more inspiring, more sublime than sweet music?

Pine tar, with syrup, makes an excellent cough remedy, and when taken relieves the cough and gives the fret-

ful child and tired, patient mother rest. All of these things from the pine tree? Yes, and many more.

It gives employment to thousands and thousands of men through the saw mill. When it has grown to the proper size, the wood cutter comes and fells it to the ground. It is then cut into certain lengths and hauled, by rail or wagon, or floated down streams in rafts, to the saw mill. Nor is its life work ended there; it has only partly begun. In the mill it is sawed and cut into all kinds of sizes and lengths, shapes and breadths. It is planed and dressed and sent out all over the world for building purposes. The architect, the contractor take hold of it and fashion it into the quaintest bungalow, the modern cottage, the imposing mansion and many innumerable structures and things.

Thus the graceful evergreen, and truly it is an evergreen, is transplanted to the remotest corners of the earth.

We see the tree proper nowhere, but its monuments are erected wherever civilization has gone. There lies the secret of the success of this noble tree.

In the beginning the baby pine started right. Its foundation was true, its wall is true. If the foundation is untrue the wall is weak and unsafe; a reproach to the builder.

Its purpose in life was the only purpose worth while: "To stand erect and to live erect."

The lowly hackberry stands out in vivid contrast with the noble pine. In the beginning it was tender, tender as the pine, but its resolutions, its ambitions were different. It was inclined to be crooked, it was careless of its foundation, it founded its life unsteadily and it was, in a measure, a failure.

Inch by inch, as the pine grew in strength, it grew in crookedness, until in the end they were both what they had aspired to be. The pine had aspired to be beautiful and useful and it accomplished its purpose. The hackberry had been careless, selfish and ugly; accepting the sunshine and rain, as the other, but giving nothing in return; each succeeding year growing more knotted, gnarled and dwarfed; having no ambitions, repining disappointment. How like the human life.

The child in his infancy is the embodiment of purity, innocence and promise. Step by step, as the seasons come and go, he grows to young man and expands according to influences and environments.

If he lays his foundation carefully, truthfully, honestly, his life, as it unfolds, is a success; abundantly productive of good deeds and kind acts and, like the pine, he is a joy to all with whom he comes in contact; an honor to the community in which he lives and a credit to his Maker. But, alas! How like the gnarled, knotted hackberry is the life with the mislaid foundation. When temptations assail him his house falls. He has not the strength of manhood to overcome evil, his foundation is weak, he has nothing with which to fortify himself against the enemy—his life is knotted, dwarfed and offensive. He has wasted his "golden opportunities," and like the man who sows tares, he reaps tares, disappointment and sorrow. Proving true that time worn quotation, "As the tree is inclined, so the tree is bended."

So let us learn a lesson from the pine, and when the torrents of life all but overwhelm us, let us strive the harder to overcome.

Many lessons may be learned from the two trees. Truly God in his goodness has given us many object lessons through nature, and what is more beautiful than nature?
COMMUNICATED.

Death Claims John W. Gates.
Paris, France, Aug. 9.—At an early hour this morning death claimed John W. Gates, the American financier, after a long and heroic but unsuccessful fight for his life.

The relatives are receiving thousands of telegrams expressing sorrow and sympathy because of his death, not only are these being received from his wide circle of friends and acquaintances, but from numberless Parisians who have known him as a bold and successful man, and have been deeply moved by his courageous struggle against his fatal illness.

The body of John W. Gates will be placed in the vault of an Inter-Denominational church here where it will remain until taken aboard ship, which will probably be Wednesday of next week. The funeral will be at the American church of this city Saturday.

The deceased has been a conspicuous figure in the business world for several years and none achieved greater success than he in all his undertakings.

San Antonio Fair Program.

The San Antonio International Fair Association has just issued the program of the Thirtieth Annual Fair and Race Meet, November 12. The prizes offered by the management for live stock exhibits, poultry, etc., are liberal, and the attractions secured during the exhibition are the best in the history of the fair.

State Fair Program Out.

The Texas State Fair has issued the program for their Twenty-Sixth Annual Exposition, beginning this year on October 15th, and the list of prizes for the best agricultural exhibits, fine stock, etc., are larger than for any previous year.
New departments have been added, and new attractions have been added to every department, and the coming Exposition bids fair to be "bigger and better than ever."

Senate Adopts Statehood Bill.

Washington, Aug. 2.—The bill granting statehood to New Mexico and Arizona, legislation that has been for many years the dream of those two territories, was passed by the senate tonight, 53 to 18.

The bill as passed by the senate differs only slightly from the house measure, and, it is said, may be satisfactory to President Taft.

The indications tonight are that the bill will become a law without the president's signature.

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"John D." says that Mrs. John D. was really responsible for the accumulation of his great oil fortune which indicates that John D. is about to have his supreme court suits put in his wife's name.

Mme. Bernhardt says "she admires the American people." Don't doubt it. She has reason to admire them \$150,000 worth.

An Indianapolis man has been sent to jail for encouraging his mother-in-law to commit suicide.

MALARIAL DISEASES. How to Avoid Them and the Serious Consequences of Neglect.

"Fix me up something to knock the malaria, doctor," remarked a sallow-faced, sickly looking man, entering a prominent physician's office the other day.

The doctor stepped to his medicine case, took down a couple of bottles, mixed a preparation which he handed to the patient with the customary advice to "shake well and follow directions," and resumed his seat.

"Such cases are frequent," replied the doctor in answer to a question. "The warm days and damp, chilly nights are certain malaria breeders and are most serious in those who have neglected to keep their stomach, liver and bowels in good condition. Such persons are full of the impurities on which the malarial germ thrives, and it is from this class that typhoid fever, pneumonia, Bright's Disease, small pox and yellow fever claim most of their victims whenever these diseases are prevalent.

The proper way to guard against the malarial germ and the serious diseases which follow it is to get into good condition by taking a reliable remedy that will keep the bowels clear and the liver healthy, and to continue with it at frequent intervals during the sickly season. A dose of Prickly Ash Bitters three or four times a week will do all of this, besides stimulating the digestion, improving the appetite and keeping the bodily energy at the highest pitch.

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"Prickly Ash Bitters is the best all-around medicine for the family I ever used. During the past ten years I have always kept it in my house. Whenever any of my family show signs of malaria, kidney trouble, indigestion or constipation a few doses is all that is needed to make them well and hearty again.—W. H. McWILLIAMS, Pickering, Ia.

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

Colorado, Texas.

RESULTS OF IRRIGATION. How Phoenix, Arizona, and Country around has Been Benefitted.

Chicago, Ill.—Benjamin A. Fowler, twice chosen president of the National Irrigation Congress and one of the influential factors in the development by irrigation of the west, particularly in the southwest, has traced the result of irrigation farm settlement in the Salt River Valley, Arizona, to the vaults of the banks, the books of the commercial houses and into the statistics of industries and railways at Phoenix, his home city.

Mr. Fowler, who discussed in Chicago recently the work of the congress, which meets here next December, and the substantial irrigation improvement in the west, was president of the eighteenth congress at Pueblo, Colo., last year, and re-elected for another year.

"The city of Phoenix reflects in itself, I think, the great benefits which come to communities after irrigation is established. In this respect Phoenix has prospered as has Spokane, Boise, Portland, Salt Lake City, Denver, Sacramento and many other communities.

Open for Business.

The Kelsay-Hawes Lumber Co., successors to A. J. Roe, is now open to the public for business. When in need of lumber call and let us make figures and prices. Roe's old stand.

Is This a Compliment?

Our Washington correspondent writes the following for the Record and we have been unable to tell whether it is intended for a compliment or not:

Bailey, of course, is not mentioned for the Presidency—never has been seriously—but the truth remains that Bailey is just about as popular a man as there is here in Washington. People talk on the streets and in the cafes of his speeches, and when they think Bailey is going to talk they go to hear him.

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

Charters representing over \$7,000,000 worth of newly organized Texas capital were filed with the secretary of state one day this week at Austin.

Some wily self interested maneuvering is strongly suspected in the Wiley case.

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CITY TAXES DELINQUENT.

List of Lots and Blocks Delinquent for the Taxes of 1910 only in the City of Colorado, Mitchell County, Texas, as Reported by Ernest Keathley, Tax Collector.

Table with columns: NAME, Original Grantee or Addition, LOT, Block, Total Taxes. Lists names like Brady, Mrs. M. J., Campbell, Fannie, etc., and their respective delinquent taxes.

Gave Up Hope

"I suffered five years, with awful pains, due to womanly troubles," writes Mrs. M. D. McPherson, from Chadbourn, N. C.

I gave up and thought I would die, but my husband urged me to try Cardui, so, I began, and the first bottle helped me.

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For more than 50 years, Cardui has been relieving woman's sufferings, and making weak women strong and well.

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Texas Corn

Texas is a world's force in agriculture. Withdraw our farm products from the market and the people of two hemispheres will go hungry and shiver with cold.



1910 VALUE PER ACRE

The chief products of Texas in order of their value, as estimated by the Federal agricultural department for 1910, are cotton, corn, wheat, oats, hay, rice, potatoes, etc.

Our corn acreage in 1910 was 8,800,000 and production 181,280,000 bushels and it had a farm value of \$114,206,000.

This corn was raised in 120 days, making an average production of approximately 20.6 bushels per acre.

IRRIGATION PROVES SUCCESSFUL

Enterprises Around Seminole Making Good.

Midland, Tex.—J. Hunter Clark was in from Seminole and reports that several well-irrigation enterprises are under way in the county just north of here.

C. H. Eubank is pumping 400 gallons per minute from a depth of 110 feet and irrigating successfully.

and Kafir corn, many fields of from 260 to 500 acres are well advanced in that county, which in the past two weeks has enjoyed on an average over its entire area from five to six inches of rainfall.

It seems that the only "good little trusts are the dead little trusts."

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A New Attorney.

All Coloradans welcome in our midst the Hon. Mr. S. S. Lawrence, a young attorney from Western North Carolina, who has decided to locate in the west and, of course, as soon as he saw the Colorado country, he at once decided to locate here.
Mr. Lawrence is a young man, a graduate from the North Carolina University, and comes west to build up his profession. He has located for the present in Mr. Patterson's office, over the Colorado National Bank, where he hopes by hard study and close attention to his work, to soon become identified with the people and the bar of Mitchell county.

For Sale or Trade.

I am offering for sale or trade my residence with about two and one-half acres of land and an everlasting well of fine water as there is in the country; everything well improved; cost me \$5,000. Can be had for \$2,500; payable in five years at eight per cent interest.

No cash required, only first two payments required to be secured other than by lien on land.

Let some man have confidence in the future of Colorado and make me an offer.

ED. J. HAMNER.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Sheppard are back home from their summer vacation at Bryan, Curtin and other Brazos Valley points. Joe tells some wonderful tales about the election and about that country. He says Mitchell county is away ahead of any place he has seen in the way of crops. Joe visited Galveston and other cities while gone, and said: "This country looks good to me. In south Texas conditions are excellent. Grass is green and cattle are sleek and fat. As I came through Central Texas crops did not look so good, but as I neared Colorado there was a distinct looking up in that respect. It feels good to get back to a prohibition country where decent laws are decently enforced. Galveston is running wide open and it makes an honest man feel ashamed of Texas to see the way liquor runs things in South Texas."

Those Guaranteed Monthly Income Policies, issued by the Missouri State Life, provide a fixed monthly income for your family should you be taken from them, or, provides an income for your old age. M. K. Jackson will explain it to you. 8-18

Getting Ready.

The gins of the county are being thoroughly overhauled and put in good shape ready for the bumper crop that will soon begin to move. The gins of Colorado are now ready and waiting for the king of commerce.

The team of Ernest Knott ran away Thursday evening and the buggy to which they were attached was almost totally demolished. The horses were caught about two miles south of town.—Big Springs Herald.

W. T. Cummings, the handsome and popular Western Union Telegraph Operator is home again from Mineola, where he was called on account of the serious illness of a sister. He reports his sister improving and was glad to get back to the land of sunshine and roses.

For Sale or Trade.

One four-year-old Rattler Brooks Stallion, 16 hands high, weight 1,100 pounds, full brother to Amy Brooks who paced a mile on the Dallas track in 2:10 1/4. He goes with head up in fine style, both in harness and in saddle. See T. B. McCONNELL, at J. F. McGill's store.

Seemed to Give Him a New Stomach.

"I suffered intensely after eating and no medicine or treatment I tried seemed to do any good," writes H. M. Youngpeter, editor of the Sun, Lake View, Ohio. "The first few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets gave me surprising relief and the second bottle seemed to give me a new stomach and perfectly good health." For sale by all dealers.

Early last Saturday morning Dr. Ratliff and family, L. W. Sedusky and family, H. C. Doss and family and R. P. Price and family all left for the Concho in autos for a ten days camping and fishing trip. They were joined at Sterling City by Bill Kellis, the champion fisher man of the west and on Monday they were joined by Judge C. H. Earnest and family, making about thirty persons in the group. Word comes that no fish have yet been caught, but that there is a sheep ranch near by and that a half mutton is being consumed daily. They sent Perry Bracy as an advance guard with a wagon loaded with plenty of solid and liquid bait.

To Rent and Sell.

Houses large and small, close in and far out, cheap and cheaper, to rent and sell.

ERNEST KEATHLEY.

To the Baptist Ladies.

At the meeting of the Ladies Aid Society it was decided to send our box to the Buckner's Orphan Home a little earlier this year, so the children can have the clothing at the opening of school. Would you who read this help the ladies who work regularly at all departments of the work make one or more garments for either boy or girl and for any age you choose; for there are all ages of motherless children there.

Let us make it a thank offering box that God in his goodness has given us our children and allowed us to live with them, or if in his wisdom he has called one of them to Him, let us make at least one garment to that one's memory. This has been a hard year for the home and they need our help.

Three children try in the best way they can to do their own sewing, so let us help a little. Will you do it?

We want to have the box ready to send by the last of September.

MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY.

Pres. L. A. S.

Jake's Restaurant Closed.

Jake has closed his restaurant for fifteen days, and all hands and the cook have gone fishing. Every year Jake takes his August vacation camping on the creek and having a jolly good time. The restaurant will be closed for fifteen days and thoroughly cleaned and repaired and gotten ready for fall business. Jake says that when he returns home he will take his family and a few friends out for a few days automobile ride and then open up. If anybody can have a good time out on a fishing trip, it is Jake, the 1884 restaurant man.

Open for Business.

The Kelsay-Hawes Lumber Co., successors to A. J. Roe, is now open to the public for business. When in need of lumber call and let us make prices and figures. Roe's old stand.

Scared: Not Hurt.

Monday of this week Miss Mackey Waller got her hand caught in one of the machines at the steam laundry and mashed it some, but not much. She was scared worse than hurt. The doctor dressed the arm and she is all right now.

For Sale.

320 acres of land 4 1-2 miles south of Colorado, improved. 130 acres in cultivation, 95 acres in cotton, 35 acres in feed. Good house, 15 head of cattle, 2 hogs, plow tools, row binder, etc. Call on or write, J. H. TILLER, 8-25 Colorado, Texas.

About Colorado Folks.

Judge A. J. Coe, of Colorado, is one of the distinguished visitors to the city. The Judge is perfectly at home among a bunch of log-rollers.

Miss Olive Greenwood, of Colorado, was the guest of her friend, Mrs. Geo. T. Wilson yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Doss, of Colorado, are here attending the W. O. W. picnic. They are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Moxley while in the city.

A. B. Coleman and family, of Colorado, are in the city today meeting friends and talking in the big W. O. W. picnic. These excellent people have a host of friends in the city who are delighted to have them visit Sweetwater.

Miss Mary Coe, of Colorado, came in this morning and will assist in the Ladies Black Face Minstrel to be given Thursday and Friday night. She will be the guest of Mrs. W. T. Trammell while in the city.—Sweetwater Reporter.

Our idea of concentrated heat is sitting on the bleachers when the home team is losing.

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If you have any considerable number of the above symptoms you are suffering from biliousness, torpid liver with indigestion, or dyspepsia. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made up of the most valuable medicinal principles known to medical science. It is a permanent cure of such abnormal conditions. It is a most efficient liver invigorator, stomach tonic, bowel regulator and nerve strengthening.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

W. T. McArthur came in home this week from his home in Tahoka and reports the range fine and the cattle fat.

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

A letter from Earnest Bertner says, "Send my Record to New York, care of Willard Parker Hospital." Earnest is making good, and will soon be a full-fledged doctor.

Correctly fitted spectacles are a permanent pleasure. J. P. Majors, Jeweler and Optician.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Roundtree are enjoying a visit this week from Mr. Roundtree's father, from down in east Texas.

An ordinary case of Diarrhoea Remedy, can, as a rule, be cured by a single dose of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. This remedy has no superior for bowel complaints. For sale by all dealers.

Editor Fry, of the Western Evangelist at Abilene, spent a short time here Monday and paid the Record office a pleasant call while here.

Take a pall of ice cream home—Ben Morgan.

Judge A. J. Coe and U. D. Wulfjen left this week for Brownwood to attend the County Judge's Convention. They go to get data on road building and county financing and pick up such other information as they can.

Special prices on net wire. Call and see us.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Ladies, we still have three months of good old hot weather. Come and get that other hat you need so much, for half price.—Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Robert Shepherd has been laid up this week with a very sore hand. When asked what was the matter, he said, "agnat bit it." It must have been a pretty big gnat, as the hand was badly swollen and kept him from work for several days.

Fruit Jars at half price at Doss' Drug Store.

Miss Irene Whipkey is spending the week at Big Springs, the guest of her friend, Miss Velma Wasson.

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

Mrs. Josey, of Huntsville, came in Sunday night on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Shepherd.

Phone 128 for ice cream in any quantity.

Miss Lela Whipkey, the pianist at the Baptist Sunday school, has failed to be at Sunday school on account of sickness. This is the first time she has missed since she has lived in Colorado; over five years.

A well known Des Moines woman, after suffering miserably for two days from bowel complaint, was cured by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Mrs. Earnest Baker, who has been quite sick with typhoid fever, is reported better.

Chase and Sanborn's high grade Teas, 25c and 40c sizes, green and black, in bulk—Colorado Mercantile Company.

Pickard Hand Painted China at Majors Jewelry Store.

Mrs. Joe Key and daughter, Lena, spent a few days in Sweetwater at tending the log-rolling.

Cuts and bruises may be healed in about one-third the time required by the usual treatment by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. It is an antiseptic and causes such injuries to heal without maturation. This Liniment also heals soreness of the muscles and rheumatic pains. For sale by all druggists.

Presiding Elder Simeon Shaw preached for the church here Sunday evening.

All our ready trimmed hats at half price for cash.—Mrs. B. F. Mills.

W. F. Fry, of Simmons College, of Abilene, spent Sunday in the city, making friends and looking after the interest of the college.

California Canned Fruits and Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Rev. Broome is at Coahoma this week conducting a series of meetings.

The Times is informed that W. A. Louder, of Colorado, will be here this year to run the gin near the depot. Mr. Louder is a good ginner and a good citizen, and we are glad he will be in Roscoe.—Roscoe Times.

Ask Doss the Druggist about the kind of paint he handles and get his prices before you buy paint.

During the three days picnic at Sweetwater last week nearly all Coloradans visited them and report a good time.

A little cash will get a good looking hat at Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Mr. A. E. Sadler, erstwhile a Cutbert merchant, but a late manipulator of electricity at Dallas, is home again, and will be chief and manager of the Womack & Sadler gin at Cutbert.

FOR SALE.—A few fishing poles left at Doss'. Will sell at any old price.

Judge Issacs, of Midland, attended the Odd Fellows Association here this week.

Ask Doss the Druggist about the kind of paint he handles and get his prices before you buy paint.

The Odd Fellows and Odd Women have been with us the past few days.

Get a Sunday Republic at Ben Morgan's.

The Missouri State Life Insurance Company is assisting in the development of Western Texas by putting out its money on farm loans and ranches. If you want any of this money see M. K. Jackson. 8-18

Yesterday morning while Ed Dupree was working with a horse near the stock pens he was kicked on the elbow and side and painfully injured. He was brought to town where Dr. Carver dressed his wounds. While Mr. Dupree's injuries are very painful it is not thought that they are serious. Sterling City Record.

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

J. R. Wartin was in town from Cutbert to attend his lodge Saturday evening.

Wooten J. Dress will visit in Fort Worth next week, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Ferguson.

Dollars invested in a policy with the Missouri State Life work day and night for the policy holder. 8-18

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Buy it now. Now is the time to buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Mesh Bags at Reduced prices at Major's Jewelry Store.

Miss Velma Wasson, who has been visiting friends in the city the past week returned to her home in Big Springs, accompanied by Miss Irene Whipkey.

C. M. Adams and family left last week in their big touring car for Denver, Colorado, and will go from there over into Alabama to visit relatives before returning home.

Harrington has the car at the right prices.

Nearly everybody has been or is off fishing and those who are not fishing are off on a summer tour.

Always a pleasure to show you through our line. Majors, the Jeweler.

There will be no preaching at the Baptist church Sunday as Brother Broome is holding a meeting at Coahoma and will not be here.

Let me sell you a sewing machine on the installment plan, \$1.00 per week. J. H. GREEN.

Remember, if you expect to buy an automobile, that the E. M. F. "30" car that Kelper now has on hand is the last car that you can get for \$1,190; and also remember that it is the last car that has an eighteen months guarantee.

D. F. Glisson returned home this week from a ten days trip down in Old Mexico, where the Yaquia Indians dwell and where bananas and fine apples grow. He has a wonderful story to tell, and tells it with interest.

If its Meat, Beal Bros. have it. Charlie Hooper came over from Westbrook last Saturday and spent the day here in the mysteries of Masonic fraternity and the winding of unknown paths.

Olives Plain and Stuffed at Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Pickens and daughter, Miss Pickens, who live at Holdenville, Oklahoma, are here on a several weeks visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. T. McAfee.

Ocie Green came in on Wednesday morning from Watsonville, California, where he has been the past six months. Ocie says Mitchell county is good enough for him.

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

Arthur Boyce, son of Mr. Burton, of the Burton-Lingo Lumber Company, came in on Sunday lat on his way to California.

Ice cold watermelons, and good ones at Beal Bros.

Miss Stiddle Spinks, of Meridian, Miss., a bright and handsome little lady, came in Wednesday night on a visit to her cousin, M. K. Jackson, and will spend some time here on a visit.

Fruit Jars at half price at Doss' Drug Store.

Think how happy some men are with nothing to do but fish.

FOR RENT—A six room house, close in. Also some furniture to sell.

MRS. MAMIE VINCENT.

Mrs. Mattie Winston and little daughter, of Cisco, relatives of Earnest Kenthley, came in Wednesday morning to attend the Rebecah Lodge meeting as well as to visit friends.

STATE OF OHIO CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every copy of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

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Miss Lena Diaz returned the first of the week from Cuthbert where she visited a few days, having taken a short vacation from the telephone office.

Odds and ends of Queensware at bargains at Green's.

Masters Charles and Herbert Arbothnot left this week for a visit with their uncle, J. L. Ward, of Big Springs.

Beal Bros. cold storage vaults are sanitary, the market clean and the meats good.

Mrs. Vaa. King and four of the little Kings left Tuesday to visit with Mrs. King's sister, Mrs. Ben Montgomery, of Loraine.

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room for gentlemen. Apply to Mrs. Rosa Goodwin, one block northwest court house.

The many friends of Mrs. Max Thomas will be glad to hear that she came home last night very much improved. She has been in Rochester, Minn., in the hospital there for the past six weeks where she had a serious operation performed.

For Sale. 20,000 pounds of barbed wire at half price. Write A. G. Butler, Iatan, Texas. 9-1-p

Your credit is good with J. H. Green.

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Master Maxwell and little Miss Thomas spent the day at Sweetwater Tuesday and returned with their mamma.

Don't forget the Hoosier Citchen Cabinet, at GREEN'S.

Mrs. George W. Smith and daughter, Miss Mabel, returned home Monday night after a two weeks visit with friends and relatives on a ranch near Hermleigh.

Fresh barrel of Kraut just opened at COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

Miss Effie Lamb, of Cisco, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. W. T. Jackson, also attending the Rebecah lodge meeting.

Gallon cans of Kraut only 40c at Colorado Mercantile Co.

J. B. Storg, a good farmer, has just returned from Delta and Lamar counties. He reports a good cotton crop, but says feed is a failure up there. Mr. Storg says his crop here on the Looney place is losing very fast and has deteriorated one-fourth during the past ten days.

Ask Doss the Druggist about the kind of paint he handles and get his prices before you buy paint.

Tommie Griswold is home again from Arkansas and Louisiana. Tommie went to the bed-side of his sick mother-in-law and to see his children and stayed with them nearly a month. He left Mrs. Hicks very much improved.

Don't forget to figure with me when in the market for glass. J. H. GREEN.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Culp, of Bronte, Texas, are here this week on a visit to Mother Culp, and all paid us a pleasant visit while here. Mr. and Mrs. Culp have twin baby girls; sweet as rosebuds and the pride of the grandmother's heart.

Have you seen "Big Ben"? If not, call at Major's.

You can buy anything you wish from Green on easy payments, and get the best prices, too. Everything in furniture line.

Last Thursday the G. F. C's. were entertained at the pretty home of their honored president, Mrs. Garner Hammock. Each member had been anxiously awaiting for the time to come for they knew that they would have a royal good time, as well as to get a peep into the cozy, bridy home, and they were so well pleased with the dainty surroundings that perhaps there will be more brides before next June. "Miss Angle" is always a gracious hostess, but as Mrs. Hammock her hospitality was even more gracious. At the appointed hour five tables were filled with the merry players and everything was forgotten for the time except the ever popular game—42. The guests for the evening were the Misses Figh, of Alabama, and Mrs. William Wilkes of Post City. Three prizes were given: The lone hand, a stilletto, won by Mrs. Floyd Beal; the royal, a pair of silk hose, won by Miss Mattie Shuford; the guest's, won by Mrs. Wilkes. After the prizes had been awarded a dainty salad course was served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Buchanan, Miss Hooper and the "Gude Mon of the House."

On last Wednesday afternoon Little Miss Dorothy Burns and Master Francis Harrell entertained their many friends with a lawn party.

Each one was welcomed by their hostess and were soon feeling at home. They played such games as "Farmer in the Dell," "Rush," "Pen My Sheep," etc., to their hearts content, after which they were served ice cream and cake by Mrs. David Harrell and Miss Dozier; which was so good that some of the little ones just had to have two saucers and the others wanted it, even if they did say "No thank you."

All had a fine time and wish Miss Dorothy and Master Francis would entertain again soon.

Mrs. Porter was hostess for the C. W. B. M. Society on last Thursday. Mrs. Broadus was the leader and read for the scripture lesson one chapter of Titus, taking for the foundation of all their lesson the second verse. Two very interesting papers were given, one by Mrs. Sam Majors—"Our new missionaries must be young men and women"—which was very interesting; the other by Mrs. Porter—"The Work Needs the Young Women of the Church"—which was quite an inspiration to all who heard it. The program closed with sentence prayer. The visitors for the afternoon were: Mesdames Singleton, Dobbs, Kelper and Tulton, of Colorado Springs, Colo.; Misses Cristie Maxfield and Rhode Shepherd. Mrs. Kelper and Mrs. Singleton both joined and will be active members. The hospitable hostess then served cake and cream. The next meeting is to be with Mrs. Coe, and a large attendance is expected.

Charles Collum, of Snyder, spent several days here this week as the guest of L. C. Dupree.

Attorneys W. P. Leslie, Royall G. Smith, Judge A. J. Coe and Sheriff Coughran all had law business in Loraine on Monday.

Mr. Ford, a business man of Westbrook, was here this week as an Odd Fellow.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Harris, after a pleasant visit to Johnson City, San Marcos and other South Texas points, have returned, and are now more than ever pleased with Colorado as a place to live.

U. D. Wulfjen is off to Brownwood attending the convention of county judges. No significance attached to this trip whatever.

Rev. Lyon closed his ten days meeting at Dunn Sunday night. The attendance throughout was good and great interest was manifested. The result was 24 additions and 30 or 35 conversions. Rev. Armstrong is the pastor and assisted Mr. Lyon.

Commissioner's court meets in its regular August term next Monday.

Hammocks. Just a few Hammocks at Doss' to close out. Get prices.

Methodist Church. Preaching next Sunday at 11 a. m.; Sunday School at 9:45. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:30.

There will be no preaching at night. W. E. LYON, P. C.

E. M. McCreeless returned home this week from the state meeting of the Farmers Union at Fort Worth. While gone he visited his old home in Denton county and reports a good time.

Sheriff Coughran left last night for San Antonio and will bring his daughter home who is visiting there.



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