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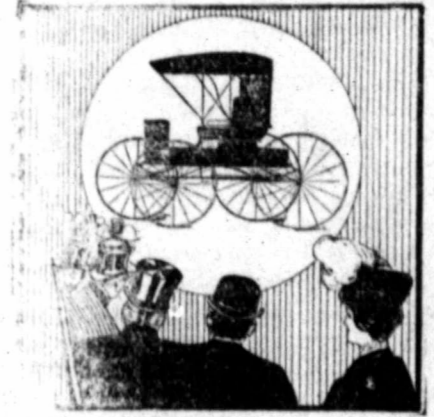
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You.
Are invited to attend the meeting at the tabernacle, beginning Sept. 23, and continuing for ten days.
Rev. W. M. Elliott will be assisted by Rev. O. G. Jones, of Big Springs, Texas Evangelist of El Paso Presbytery.
The above is the copy of the card being handed out by Brother Elliott for his big meeting, to begin, as stated, at the tabernacle on Sept. 23.

Notice to Buyers of Lumber.
Mr. Cowan, manager of the Kelsay-Hawes Lumber Company, (A. J. Roe's old yard) has been handling over all the stock, carefully taking out all the low grades. In order to move these low grades quickly they are offering them at very attractive prices.
They also have a large stock of first class lumber, shingles, posts, etc. Mr. Cowan says the stock must be reduced. Go and see him.
Phone 35 for meat. Prompt delivery.

Toyah Valley Onions.
The Toyah Valley Herald, at Balmorhea, reports that 80,000 pounds of onions per acre were produced on a farm five miles from that city, by C. W. Griffin, this year, and that other onions growers in that vicinity had demonstrated beyond a doubt that onion growing in Toyah valley is one of the coming industries of that part of Texas.
The onion belt of Texas is rapidly increasing and promises to be one of the leading industries of the state.

THE LATEST COUNT MAINE WET BY 26

GOVERNOR AND COUNCIL CAN-
VASS RETURNS OF ELECTION
HELD A WEEK AGO.

SOME DOUBT STILL REMAINS

City and Town Clerks Will be Given
Twenty Days in Which to Check
up the Figures.

Augusta, Maine, Sept. 18.—Complete official returns from the election held last Monday, when Maine voted on the question of the repeal of the constitutional prohibitory amendment, as canvassed by the governor and council tonight, showed a majority of 26 votes in favor of repeal.
Various discrepancies were found in the official returns as compared with the tabulations compiled by the secretary of state's office.
The latter indicated a majority for

repeal of 186.
Some doubt still remains as to the correctness of the returns, and governor Plaisted announced that the city and town clerks would be given twenty days in which to check the results.

The total vote of the state as shown by the official returns tabulated tonight, is as follows: For repeal, 60,487; against repeal, 60,464; majority for repeal, 26.
The council adjourned tonight to meet tomorrow morning.

A New Richmond in the Field.

Our good farmer friend and president of the county union, E. M. McClellan, is now in the field and bulling the market for all your cotton. He secured a seat in the curbstone exchange on Tuesday, and made all other buyers take back seats. It was reported that Brother Lige had sold short and had to make good, other reports had it that the Farmers Union was backing him up to buy all the cotton and put it in the warehouse to get it off the market. Still others had it that he represented some eastern mill, with instructions to buy, buy, buy. Anyway, he bought; and for the past two days has carried everything

in the way of cotton before him. Other buyers took the dry grins.

Still a Secret.

Last week we referred to an enterprise brewing for Colorado, and this week can say that we are not yet in position to give out anything, except to say that several of our business men have the matter in charge and are investigating and pushing the enterprise forward. Should it prove of any worth, and so soon as the matter can be gotten down to a business proposition, a mass meeting will be called and the matter put up to Colorado. Should this prove to be a bona fide enterprise, and it now looks good to us, it will be a great thing for Mitchell County and revolutionize the town.

The Baptist Aid will have a tea at Mrs. Hooper's today, Thursday, and the Methodist Missionary Society will have one at Mrs. Annie's, this being postponed from Thursday on account of this being the regular time for the Baptist tea. The Methodists will give another next Thursday, the 28th, at Mrs. Hall's, everybody invited to come and dine.

How Did You Sleep Last Night?



If You Want to Sleep Better Get a
SEALY TUFTLESS MATTRESS

If you don't sleep "like a log" you are probably sleeping on humps and hollows. Try the tuftless comfort of a Sealy and get the sort of rest and sleep that will make you a "live wire" next day. The Sealy is all pure, high-grade cotton—no linters or gin-waiste—it's clean and sweet as new-fallen snow. It is guaranteed for 20 years against becoming lumpy or bunched. We are the authorized sole dealers in the Sealy Mattress for this territory.

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M. K. JACKSON, Agent

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Mrs. Comer T. Woodward, second vice-president of the Northwest Texas Conference, spoke upon the work of a Model Missionary Society at the Methodist church Friday afternoon.

The services were opened by Mrs. Arnett, president of the local society. After a scripture reading, prayer and some music, Mrs. Woodward was introduced by the district secretary, Mrs. Blandford.

Her talk was practical yet interesting, deeply spiritual and beautifully delivered. She urged every officer to feel that her office was the most important, and to be prayerfully earnest and constant in their endeavor to do their whole duty.

She stressed the study of missionary literature by every one; saying that the question of missions, immigration and the conservation were the only important ones. She begged for a deeper consecration on the part of the women of the church, and told a beautiful story of a conversation between Christ and the Angel Gabriel upon Christ's return to Heaven. How Gabriel spoke of the great work begun on earth, and asked who was to carry it on, and Christ replied that his disciples and some good women.

But Gabriel answered that the disciples were timid, doubting and weak; the women were vain, loving ease and pleasure, and that he feared that there would be nothing done. But still Christ said he had no one else. Then she urged the women to do their very best because Christ had trusted them and was willing to help them in all their undertakings. It was an uplifting, encouraging talk to every missionary woman causing her to feel the need of the work, and the work's need of her. It also emphasized the need of training for work and the fact that the King's business requires haste.

At the close of the address the ladies were invited over to the parsonage where they met Mrs. Woodward and were served a cup of refreshing punch, by the members of the young Peoples Missionary Society.

Mrs. Crockett served delicious supper to Mrs. Woodward and her hostess, Mrs. Blandford, Mrs. Towle of Snyder, Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Merritt being the other guests.

Mrs. Woodward and Mrs. Blandford went to Loraline Saturday where a Missionary meeting was held and from there Mrs. Woodward went on to her home in Abilene.

If Security is What You Want, Read This.

National Bank Notes circulate in every part of the country without question, because it is secured by a deposit with the government. In the same manner every policy in the Missouri State Life is secured by a deposit of its entire reserve with the State of Missouri. If you want life insurance, see me, and if you don't want it, see the policy, then you will want it.

M. K. JACKSON, Agent.

Robert L. McCarter, traveling representative for the Dallas News, paid Colorado a visit this week. Mr. McCarter has been with the Dallas News for twenty-two years, and is one of their best known men on the road.

Rev. X. F. Marshall Leaves Colorado.
The week closes the relation of rector and congregation between Rev. Norman F. Marshall and All Saints Episcopal church at Colorado. He has accepted a call to the church at San Angelo. Rev. Marshall has been in our midst but little more than a year, yet we doubt if ever a pastor has endeared himself more to, not only the people of his own communion, but of all denominations, but to the man on the outside of all them, than has Rev. Marshall. He's a splendid preacher because he's a good man first, and he's a good man because he was bred that way; with the watch in the blood and the franchise in the heart that makes the hallmark of God's noblemen.

He leaves Colorado and goes to San Angelo solely for the reason of a wider and more active field. The relation between himself and the Colorado church has ever been the most pleasant and mutually helpful, and he gives up his charge with as deep regret as they part with him. The Record voices the sentiments of the entire community in wishing for him and his most estimable wife every success and blessing that can come to those who so richly deserve them, and in commending them to the people of San Angelo as in every wise worth their highest respect and fullest confidence in every walk of life.

WHAT ABOUT THAT LIFE POLICY that you were going to take? Is it protecting your family? Better get it today, then it is done. See M. K. Jackson and get a Missouri State Life Policy, then you will have a policy that is second to none.

The Studebaker Cars Lead.

In the trip to Burnham last week there were five cars and the E-M-F "28" like Eugene Aram's name, lead all the rest. The E-M-F car left Colorado 40 minutes behind all of them and arrived in Snyder two hours and twenty minutes ahead, and had no troubles on the entire trip except one tire punctured between Colorado and Snyder. After leaving Snyder the "28" car led the way. About midway it stopped at a well for water and waited 20 minutes for the rest of the cars to come in sight, and then arrived in Burnham 45 minutes ahead of any other car.

The little Flanders "28" was the only car to make the entire round trip without any trouble; not even a tire puncture.

The E-M-F "28" is easy, sure and gets there on time. These cars—E-M-F "28" and Flanders "28"—are ready at all times and Mr. Keiper suggests some Saturday afternoon (any Saturday) for a demonstration in the sand north of Colorado. He will put his cars against the field.

Mr. G. D. Adams entertained his class of Sunday school boys with a swimming party Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Adams had entertained her class this way the week before, and they had such a good time and talked so much of the fun they had that Mr. Adams class invited themselves; coupling with bathing suits and anything the host had to offer. They were all made welcome, the big concrete tank

filled with water and the fun began. After splashing and paddling until all were hollow Mr. Adams cut a number of delicious watermelons, and everybody filled up. It is predicted that Mr. and Mrs. Adams are going to be the most popular teachers in town.

I will put up \$50 that I can take the little Flanders "28" car, or the E-M-F "28" and pull any sand road in Mitchell County. Those who doubt this can be satisfied at once if they will put up the \$50. Put up or shut up.

F. S. KEIPER, Studebaker Garage.

Friday afternoon Miss Lena Key gave a farewell party for those remaining of the old S. O. C. girls. This was organized when last year's graduates were in the eighth grade. Since that time one of the number has married, some have moved away, and this year a number are leaving for school. The party was most pleasant, though a note of sadness would creep in when the absent ones were spoken of. While reviewing the frolics and trials of high school days, delicious ice cream and cake was served by the hostess, who will remain at home to welcome back those who have gone, or are going away to boarding school or to teach. May they all return and have a union with every S. O. C. present.

Will be in Abilene.

Judge A. J. Coe, county school superintendent, received the following letter from State Superintendent Bralley, which is of interest to our educators:

Hon. A. J. Coe, Colorado, Tex.

I shall be in Abilene, Texas, on Thursday, October 5 at 10:00 a. m. for the purpose of holding a conference with the county superintendents, the county board of education, and the district school trustees in that part of Texas. At this conference will be discussed the rural high school law and the duties of county boards of education, county superintendents, and district trustees thereunder. There will also be informal discussion of various other questions that may be presented by the county superintendents and members of the county boards of education in attendance.

I am writing this letter to urge that you attend the meeting, that you invite the members of your county board of education and district school trustees of your county to also attend. Kindly give public notice of this meeting and come prepared to assist in making it helpful to the cause of education in West Texas.

Sincerely yours, F. M. BRALLEY, State Superintendent.

Our staunch McGregor friend, J. P. Hiser, down on the Mann place, called this week with two bins eggs of unusual size, one measuring 6 1/4 by 7 1/4 and the other 6 1/2 by 7 1/2. They were from his barred Plymouth Rock flock, and he said were the kind usually laid by his hens. We told him that this was no unusual occurrence, as everything done in Mitchell county was on a large scale. Mr. Hiser said his cotton would make about 1-3 bale, that he could pay all he owed and have about twelve bales left, with plenty of feed, some good milk cows and fat hogs, and that he could bear McLellan county easily in farming here.

If you are looking for an INVESTMENT and want an absolute GUARANTEE of 25 to 75 per cent. on your investment, see M. K. Jackson about Policy, then you will have a policy and be convinced.

Monday afternoon the Missionary Study Class of the Methodist Missionary Society met in the church with Mrs. Blandford leader. Mrs. Arnett conducted the Bible study with readings from Timothy. Mrs. Lyon gave an excellent paper upon the humigrant problem. Mrs. Sims had a fine paper upon Our Problem in the South and Southwest; and Miss Dry's good article upon the work done for Sailors. An interesting discussion upon the Foreign Born, People of our town, their effect upon the community and the things to be done for them, was led by the leader, who closed with a quiz upon the new conference minutes. Next month the class takes up the new book of study, The Light of the World.

Save Your Tree Orders. I am now ready for business. We have now had good rains, and prospects are fine. I shall appreciate your orders, be they either large or small. Have everything in the fruit, shade or ornamental class of trees.

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CHINA MISSIONARY.

Speaks at Baptist Church on Chinese Missionary Work.

Thursday afternoon at the Baptist church the ladies of the town had the pleasure of hearing Mrs. Salee, a returned missionary from China.

...miliar, but the words were awful, though they seemed easy for her.

She told of the call to China while at the Baylor university and her final surrender, and full consecration to the work.

She told of the girls school just completed with the \$3,000 given by the Texas women of the Baptist church.

Mrs. Salee, with her beauty, grace and spirituality, will continue, we are sure, to do a great work in this heathen country, and not only the wo-

men of her church, but all the Christian women of Texas, may well be proud of her.

Thursday evening Mr. Salee spoke upon the methods of conducting the work, going more into detail. He told of the mission chapel and his methods of introducing the question of Christianity, describing very vividly a journey to a smaller town where he and Mrs. Salee were the first white people who had ever been there, and the excitement and clamor they occasioned.

Cubbert Cullings.

Health is very good in this community at present.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hooley gave an ice cream supper Friday night. All who were present reported a pleasant time.

J. E. Harrison has contracted to gather Nonie Womack's crop. Nonie leaves in a few days for Huntsville to attend school.

Little Miss Frank Ball Root, of Colorado, who has been staying with F. M. Piercy, returned home Saturday.

Miss Pearl Meek, of Westbrook, is visiting her friend, Miss Elma Edwards this week.

Cotton picking is the order of the day and cotton pickers in demand. The crops are yielding more than seemed possible a few weeks ago.

W. H. Badgett and R. W. Morgan went eastward Saturday night in search of cotton pickers. Old-fashioned steelyards are in demand, also.

SI SLOCUM.

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Road Bonds Should be Canceled.

Last year a road district of about nine miles square was laid out around the city of Colorado and on April 10, 1910, an election was held to determine whether that district should be bonded to the amount of \$30,000.

No sale of the bonds has yet been made, and there seems no possible chance to dispose of them legally. They have been offered at the low price of 95 cents on the dollar (which would not be legal) with a part of the accrued interest thrown in.

Mitchell county has already repudiated a large amount of bonds, still it has hanging over it a bonded debt of \$51,000. Likewise, Colorado, the center of this road district, has repudiated a large bonded indebtedness.

Again, to sell the bonds below par would be a positive violation of the law, and it is not believed that our commissioners court would stoop to such a thing. The law explicitly states that these bonds must be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash "at not less than their par value" if sold at all.

This would be a miserable subterfuge, a gross evasion, a clear violation of the law, and would not stand the test in the court.

Mitchell county's commissioners court is believed to be composed of our best, most honorable men, and the people will expect them to track the law to the letter.

Notice what taxes we have to pay now: The total county tax is 65 cents on the \$100, the city tax 65 cents, the independent school tax 50 cents, state tax over 29 cents, and this road tax 10 cents, making a total of \$2.19 on the \$100, probably more than any small county in the state.

Under the circumstances the writer thinks our court should cancel the bonds at once and relieve the people of the tax. The attorney general says they have the right to do so, and such seems to be the intentions of the law when the bonds are not speedily sold.

If our county judge and commissioners should approve the sale of these bonds at less than par (and I never will believe they will do it) when the law says it shall not be done, we want

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the voters to take due note of such audacious assumption of authority and express their opinion of such conduct in future elections.

C. W. SIMPSON.

From Union.

Dear Mr. Editor: As I haven't seen anything from this section for some time, neither from Citizen or Farmer, I fear something has happened to them, so I will write a script this week for both of them.

The general health of the community is good; however, one of our highly esteemed citizens and neighbor Mr. Bluford Ellison and family, visited their people in Bell county recently their boy took sick and died. How sad it was for them to come back home without him; yet while the cloud of bereavement hangs heavily over them, they may feel assured that they have our deepest sympathy, and we can safely point them to the place where the little one has gone for their eternal safety.

For the past five weeks we have had good seasons, which has caused vegetation of all kinds to revive and put on the appearance of Springtime, and we think crops are going to be better than any of us expected.

Cotton picking is now the order of the day, and a cry for cotton pickers is ringing in the air. Say, Mr. Editor, can't you send us over a few; say for instance, a hundred or two. Now in conclusion I want to say that Uncle Johnnie came over the other day to chat Dad awhile, and I was so busy picking cotton I failed to get in behind the wood box; consequently I failed to get the necessary news to interest your readers.

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1 dozen cans Corn	\$1.20	Best grade of bulk Coffee 4 pound for	\$1.00
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"Great is Mitchell County, and The Record is its Prophet!"

COLORADO, TEXAS, SEPTEMBER 22, 1911.

Could Harmon or Wilson?

(Alton, Ill., Daily Times.)
The Democratic party would be very unwise to experiment with any candidate whose ability to get along in Congress is wholly unknown. That was the foundation of all of Cleveland's troubles—he couldn't get along with his Congress. Could Harmon or Wilson, if elected? Nobody knows. But we know that Champ Clark could; he has demonstrated that fact. While minority leader he took the fragments of the party in the house, welded them together, united with the insurgents, and spanked the majority until Uncle Joe declared in his despair: "This is no longer a Republican House!" The fight he made won the election of 1910 and he was unanimously chosen Speaker. Success made no change except to bind the Democrats of the House together under his leadership more firmly than ever. Some said he would lose his Insurgent allies, but he lost not one, and today he stands out as the one great strong figure that was developed by eighteen years of hard fighting—fighting his way up in a body where each man finally finds his proper position. Each crisis in the country's history brings its strong man to meet the situation, and Champ Clark stands out today as the great leader, wise in counsel, strong, unselfish, well balanced. He has shown that he can be progressive without being radical, that he is conservative without being a moss-back.

It looks as though the standpatters has undergone revision downward.

NAVARRO COUNTY DRY BY ABOUT 500 MAJORITY

UNOFFICIAL RETURNS SHOW COR- SICANA IN FAVOR OF LICENSE BY TWENTY-ONE VOTES.

Corsicana, Tex., Sept. 16.—Returns in the election today gave the anti-twenty-one majority in town.
With three small boxes to hear the pros have a majority of 496 in the county. The three boxes not reporting have a combined vote of not exceeding 200, and cannot change the result.

We publish this week a long article from C. W. Simpson why the road bonds should be cancelled. The Record has it on good authority that the commissioners court has not the authority to cancel them. The bonds were voted by two-thirds of the people, and in order to cancel them, the matter must be referred back to the people.

Initiative and Referendum.

The initiative and referendum received a "bump" from Governor O'Neal of Alabama, but it was ably defended by Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, who is now a vigorous champion of that idea.

A. M. KENNEDY FOR CONGRESS - AT - LARGE

Oney Platform Demands: Give Entire Time to People's Service Says He.

Comfort, Texas, Sept. 14.—Representative A. M. Kennedy, of McLennan county, who is recuperating on a ranch near here, gave out the following statement today:

"If my health permits, and I feel confident now that it will, I shall most certainly make the race for Congressman at large, subject to the Democratic primaries and the following platform:

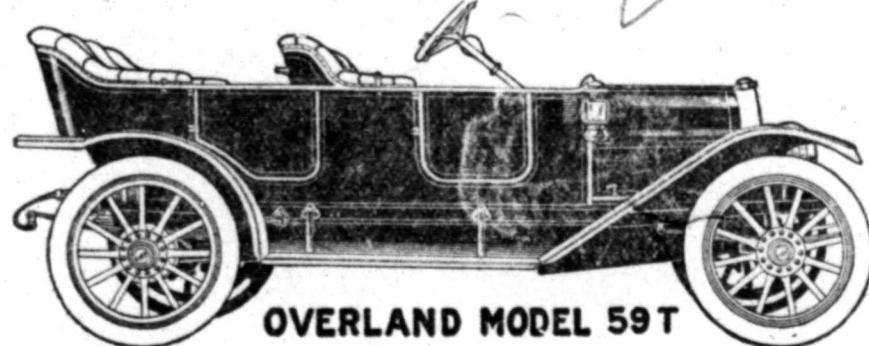
"I sincerely believe in the principles of local self-government, whether applied to the people of a county or a state. When the people of any county or a city, acting within the limitations of the state constitution, adopt a law of any kind, all of the power of the state should be exercised to secure for that locality whatever it desires. I have, heretofore, supported every law now on the statute books to secure the enforcement of local option wherever it has been adopted.
And so on ad infinitum.

Convention of Governors.

The governors of various states met in New Jersey last week to consider the state and welfare of the nation. Also to consider the initial steps toward effecting a uniformity of laws throughout the country on those questions in which uniformity is especially desirable.

President Taft, in his trip across the continent and back announces that he will devote his time to educating the people. He thinks that his acts have been condemned much more severely than he has merited and so the present extended trip will be especially devoted to making his motives clear which he thinks have been misunderstood by the people, and for which he considers he has been unjustly condemned. He should study the system Mr. Roosevelt used to follow if he desires to make partisan addresses and speeches appearing as non-partisan. Mr. Roosevelt was a past master in this fine art.

Chairman Mack, of the Democratic National Committee, presents Gov. Dix as a presidential possibility. We shall look for some remarks from Col. Bryan on this subject.



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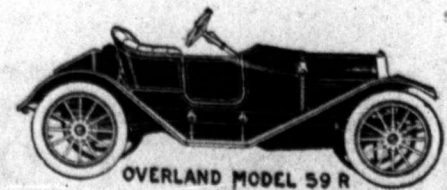
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CITATION BY PUBLICATION.
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 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County—Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded to summon C. R. Goodman and Bruce Knight, whose respective places of residence are alleged, under oath, to be unknown, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive 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; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mitchell County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in December, A. D. 1911, the same being the 18th day of December, A. D. 1911, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 1310, wherein Chas. J. Canda, Simeon J. Drake and Alphonse Kioh are plaintiffs, and C. R. Goodman, W. L. Edmondson, W. T. White, Bruce Knight and J. W. Smith are defendants; the nature of the plaintiff's demands being as follows:
 Plaintiff's original petition filed herein alleges that plaintiff's reside in the city of New York, and State of New York; that the defendants C. R. Goodman and Bruce Knight are transient persons, and their respective places of residence are unknown to plaintiff; that all of the other defendants reside in Mitchell County, Texas.
 That heretofore, to-wit, on September 20th, 1906, the defendant C. R. Goodman made, executed and delivered to Chas. J. Canda, Simeon J. Drake and Sigmund Neustadt, of the City of New York, his eight certain promissory notes—numbered consecutively 9217 to 9224—both inclusive—each for the principle sum of \$192.00, bearing interest from the date thereof, at the rate of six per cent per annum, until paid, and payable to the order of said Chas. J. Canda, Simeon J. Drake and Sigmund Neustadt, on or before one two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight years respectively, after date.
 That said notes were given for a part of the purchase money for that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Mitchell County, Texas, known and described as the north half of survey No. 23 in Block No. 29 Township 1 South, as surveyed by and for the Texas & Pacific Railway Company, by virtue of certificate No. 2-1704, issued to said Railway Company, it being a part of the same tract of land which was patented to the said the Texas & Pacific Railway Company, by Patent No. 98—Vol. No. 37, and containing 320 acres, more or less.
 That each of said notes refers to deed No. 2097, by which said land was conveyed to said defendant C. R. Goodman, and that each of said notes recites that one of the covenants of said deed is as follows, to-wit: "In case of default in the payment of any one of said notes, when it shall become due, and payable, then, and in that event, all of said notes then remaining unpaid, at the date of said default, shall mature, and become payable by reason thereof, and the said grantors may at any time thereafter, proceed to enforce in full, the vendors' lien, and said deed contains such covenant."
 That each and all of said notes are secured by the vendors' lien, which was expressly retained in said deed No. 2097.
 That there is a covenant in said deed No. 2097, to the effect that said defendant, C. R. Goodman, shall promptly pay the taxes on said land, for the year 1907, and all subsequent years, and in the event of his failure to pay the same, on or before the first day of January next succeeding the assessment of such taxes, the grantors in said deed shall have the right to pay said taxes, and when so paid, the amount of said taxes, the expenses, penalties and costs pertaining to same, shall attach to and become a part of the purchase money maturing next after such taxes are so paid, and shall bear interest from date of payment thereof at the rate of ten per cent per annum.
 That by virtue of said first named covenant contained in said deed No. 2097, and set out in each of said notes, and on account of the fact that none of the defendants have ever paid any of said notes, or any part of same, plaintiffs have elected to declare all of said notes due and payable, and to enforce in full, the vendors' lien on the said land.
 Plaintiffs allege in their said petition, that they are the legal holders and owners of all of said notes.
 Plaintiffs further allege in their said petition, that the defendant, C. R. Goodman, joined by his wife, by deed dated December 17th, 1906, and duly recorded, conveyed said land to the defendant W. L. Edmondson; and that a part of the consideration expressed in said last named deed, was the assumption by said W. L. Edmondson, of the payment of the said eight notes; that by the assumption of the payment of said eight notes, the said W. L. Edmondson thereby promised to pay, and become liable for the payment of the said eight notes.
 Plaintiffs also allege in their said petition that they believe, and aver that said defendant, W. L. Edmondson, conveyed said land to the defendant W. T. White, though no deed of conveyance thereof, from said Edmondson to said White, appears of record; said W. T. White is notified to appear at the trial hereof, and produce the deed from said Edmondson, conveying said land, to him, the said White, and upon his failure to do so, secondary evidence of its contents will be introduced.
 That said defendant, W. T. White, by deed dated June 5th, 1907, and duly recorded, conveyed said land to the defendant, Bruce Knight, and a part of the consideration expressed in said last named deed was the assumption by the said Knight, of the payment of the said eight notes.
 That the defendant, J. W. Smith, is now in possession of the said land, under some sort of a claim thereto, the nature of which, is unknown to plaintiffs.
 That the respective claims of said defendants, W. L. Edmondson, W. T. White, Bruce Knight and J. W. Smith, to said land, are junior and inferior to the lien of plaintiffs; wherefore they are joined, as parties defendant herein in order that whatever claims they may respectively have in and to said land, may be adjudicated in this suit.
 That by the terms of each and all of said eight notes, the defendant, C. R. Goodman, agreed to pay an additional sum of ten per cent, on the amount of said notes, as attorney's fees, if not paid at maturity, and the same should be collected by an attorney, or by legal proceedings; that plaintiffs have been compelled to place said notes in the hands of an attorney, for collection, and to institute this

suit; that said C. R. Goodman, by the execution of said notes, and said W. L. Edmondson and Bruce Knight, by the assumption of the payment of said notes, have become lawfully bound to pay ten per cent attorney's fees on the amount of, said notes, which is alleged to be reasonable compensation.
 That said defendant, C. R. Goodman, and all the other defendants, have totally failed to pay the taxes on said land for the years 1907, 1908, 1909 and 1910; that said taxes for said years, together with the interest, penalties and costs thereon, aggregated the sum of \$55.64, on July 14th, 1911, and that plaintiffs on said last named date, paid said amount to J. B. Coughran, Tax Collector of Mitchell County, Texas.
 That said defendants, nor any of them, have ever paid said notes, or any part of them; that plaintiffs have declared, and now here declare, all of said notes due and payable; that defendants still fail and refuse to pay said notes or any part of same, to plaintiffs' damage in the sum of Twenty-Six Hundred Dollars.
 Plaintiffs further allege in said petition that the 1911 taxes on said land, will have to be paid in January, 1912, and that they will be compelled to pay same, unless said taxes shall be previously paid by some one or more of the defendants herein.
 Plaintiffs, in their said petition, pray that on final hearing, they have judgment against said defendants, C. R. Goodman, W. L. Edmondson and Bruce Knight, for the full amount of the principal of, and the interest on, said eight notes, for the interest accrued on the interest of said notes 9217 to 9221, both inclusive—the same being the first five of the said eight notes—at the rate of six per cent per annum, from the maturity thereof—according to their respective faces—to date of final hearing hereof, for said taxes, costs and penalties thereon, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, from date of payment of same, to date of final hearing hereof, for ten per cent attorney's fees, on the whole amount due, and for all costs of suit.
 Plaintiffs, in said petition, also pray for the foreclosure of the vendors' lien on said land, and that if at the final hearing hereof, none of the defendants has paid the 1911 taxes on said land, and plaintiffs shall have paid same, then and in such case, in addition to the judgment hereinbefore prayed for, plaintiffs pray that they have judgment against said defendants, C. R. Goodman, W. L. Edmondson, and Bruce Knight, for the amount of said 1911 taxes, together with the penalties and costs attached thereto, with interest thereon, from date of payment, at the rate of ten per cent per annum.
 Plaintiffs further pray in their said petition, that said land be decreed to be sold, according to law; that the proceeds of said sale be applied on the judgment herein prayed for, and in the event said land shall not sell for a sufficient amount to satisfy the full amount of the judgment prayed for, then that they have execution against said defendants, C. R. Goodman, W. L. Edmondson and Bruce Knight, for whatever balance may remain unpaid, after the proceeds of the sale of said land shall have been applied on the said judgment.
 Herein Full Not, But have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
 Witness my Hand and Official Seal at my office in Colorado, Texas, this 12th day of September, A. D. 1911.
 JESSE H. BULLOCK, Clerk.
 District Court, Mitchell County, Texas.
 By EARL JACKSON, Deputy.
 A true copy I certify.
 G. B. COUGHRAN,
 Sheriff of Mitchell County.
 By PRESTON SCOTT, Deputy.

RAMSEY FIRST TO ENTER RACE FOR GOVERNOR

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, WHO IS GROOMED BY CAMPBELL, ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY.

A LONG CHERISHED AMBITION

Jurist's Announcement Brief and it is Not Believed that He Will Resign His Seat on Bench.

Sheppard Receptive—May Make Race for Senate.
 Paris, Tex., Sept. 19.—Congressman Morris Sheppard sent a telegram here from Washington last night stating that he would be in Texas next week to size up the political situation and to announce his final decision as to whether he would make the race for the United States Senatorial nomination.

Austin, Sept. 19.—William F. Ramsey, of Johnson county, is a candidate for the nomination of Governor against O. B. Colquitt. He is one of the prohibition cohorts nursing some ambition, to enter the lists for the next primary. He did not get the endorsement he expected from the Dallas meeting of the prohibition forces, where Thomas Mitchell Campbell did not seem to be wholly in the good graces of all present, but he has gone into the game anyhow. But his early announcement may forestall the efforts of Cullen F. Thomas and others.

Ten Thousand Dollar Lumber Deal.

A deal was closed Tuesday afternoon of this week in which the Higginbotham-Harris Lumber Co., and the A. G. McAdams Co., bought out the Burton-Lingo Co.'s sheds and stock of lumber at Tahoka. The McAdams Co. takes the sheds and half of the lumber and the Higginbotham-Harris Co. takes the other half of the stock.
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 Subject: The parable of the talents.
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 Song: Son.
 Scripture lesson: Matt. 25:14-30.
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 Prayer.
 Bible reference: The reward of the faithful: Prov. 28:26: Lucile Hightower.
 Recitation: Pauline Root.
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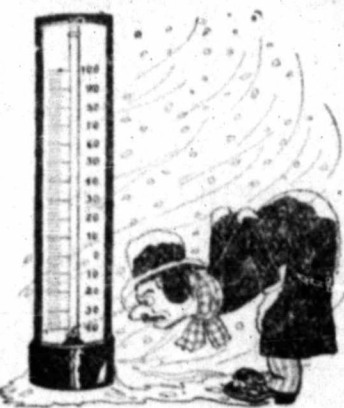
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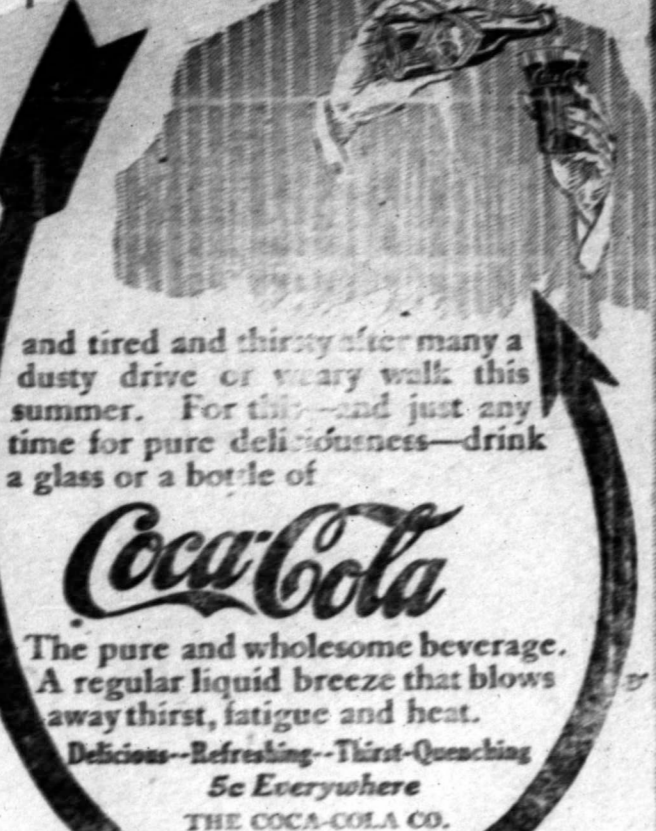
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A MASTER HAND.

To meet the issues of civilization now confronting us, we must place in position of power men who can chisel out empires and draw the tendrils of civilization Texasward. We must have statesmen who can pour wisdom into the fountain head of prosperity and who can wave the magic wand of genius over a land so full of opportunities as the morning dawn. Texas needs great men.

The citizens of Hartigan are preparing to build a new depot to cost \$5,000. AND THE GREATEST OF THESE IS TEXAS. Once a Kansan, Always a Kansan. Editor—I have just been thinking of the old home in Kansas. Here is a booklet that I have coined, and that I believe is original with me: Missouri to Missouri is the only place of the world. But Kansas to Kansas is the only place on earth.—Exchange. Among those who are not successful at swatting flies are some of the outfielders we might name.

OFFICIAL CALL.

Central West Texas Dry Farming Congress—Abilene, Texas, September 27-28.

In accordance with the action of the C. W. T. D. F. C. at its meeting in Haskell last October in accepting the invitation of the 25,000 club and selecting Abilene as its next place of meeting, it is hereby announced that the next meeting of the Central West Texas Dry Farming Congress will be held in Abilene, Texas, September 27th and 28th, 1911.

The general object of this association of farmers and business men is to ascertain by study, so far as may be done, the methods of soil preparation and tillage has been developed which gives greatly increased yields as well as certainty of yield under trying conditions; the fact that greatly increased yields have been secured wherever the U. S. Co-Operative Farm Demonstration methods have been carried out and the further fact that the farmers here and there throughout our own section have produced far better results than the general average of the country, gives rise to the well founded belief that there is a better system than that generally practiced, and which may be adapted to our section, therefore it is but the plain dictate of reason, sane judgment and self-interest, yes, self-preservation, that we should earnestly seek the underlying truths upon which such improved system is based.

The long continued prevalence of adverse seasonal conditions through out our country and the meagre crop returns make this proposition clear to all unprejudiced minds.

It is the purpose of this congress that its members shall reason together, receive information along these lines and promulgate it as far as possible. To this end every farmer in this section is invited to attend this Congress at Abilene, either to become a member or as a mere seer and hearer.

Program. Negotiations are in order to secure the strongest array of speakers and lecturers—men who are equipped with scientific knowledge and fortified by actual experience—at this Congress to discuss the vital, fundamental questions pertaining to agriculture in this section, that ever appeared before a west Texas audience. As soon as the program is completed it will be sent out for publication in the newspapers.

Entertainment. Abilene has on a number of occasions demonstrated its hospitality and ability to entertain by its successful handling of large gatherings. It has ample facilities of all kinds for taking care of this large Congress. Having invited its assemblage there we are assured by Mr. B. E. Looney, secretary of the Abilene 25,000 Club, that no effort will be spared in providing for the convenience and pleasure of its members nor to make the Congress a pleasant and profitable experience to all who may attend it. Recognizing the fact that the welfare of every business and interest of our country is interwoven with the success or failure of its agriculture, the membership of this Congress is not restricted to Farmers alone. Every business man should familiarize himself with and acquire an intelligent view of the objects and purposes of this movement.

Honorary Members. State Commissioner of Agriculture. State Senators and Representatives. Secretaries of Commercial Organizations. Presidents of County Farmers Unions. Presidents of District Farmers Unions. Presidents of Farmers Institutes. County Judges. Editors, West Texas. Mayors of towns and cities. Industrial agents of railroads. Each of the above officials is hereby authorized and requested to appoint five delegates to this Congress, having in view the intelligence and capacity of the persons appointed. All who attended the last meeting at Haskell are recognized members without further appointment. Come, whether you are appointed a delegate or not. The only difference is that the accredited delegate will vote and participate in the organization of the congress. You can join after you arrive, if you desire to do so. By order of the Executive Committee and President.

Respectfully, J. E. POOLE, Secretary. Central West Texas Dry Farming Congress

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From advices received from Captain Sydney Smith, secretary of the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, which opens on Saturday, October 14th, the agricultural exhibit this year will be the largest and most diversified that has ever been gathered together.

Fifty counties have reserved space for their exhibits which consumes every foot of available space in the spacious agricultural building that can be allotted. The greatest rivalry is being shown and competition for the large and valuable premiums will be exceedingly keen.

In addition to the \$1200 offered by the Fair Association and \$200 offered by the Texas Land and Mortgage Co., of Dallas, for the best exhibits in this department, a valuable trophy silver cup has been offered from far away England by the Colonial and United States Mortgage company of Hull. This trophy is to be competed for annually and the name of the winning county will be suitably engraved on same. The Dallas Chamber of Commerce is made the custodian of the trophy and it will be prominently displayed in their large and spacious rooms until the following Fair when it will be placed on exhibition in the agricultural building of the State Fair, to be competed for again. This trophy is another recognition of the wonderful fertility of the Texas soil and its productiveness, and to further encourage the agricultural interests of the state.

LIVESTOCK DEPARTMENT.

Already applications have been received for more stalls and pens in the horse, jack and cat, swine, sheep and goat divisions than were occupied in 1910 and notwithstanding the great capacity of the department Secretary Smith is already planning for additional barns as he has no way to meet every demand in the past and will do so this year. In the exhibit horse division numerous changes have been made and classes added, thereby making conditions for every type and class of animals. One class of especial note is that for "Plantation and Business Saddle Horses," which is intended for horses that carry the rider and cart and contour, without regard to numbers of gaits and in which class registration is not required. Also classes for heavy draft horses, and all purpose horses. Hand-some and sporting booklets giving rules and regulations of this department as well as the premiums, have been issued and will be mailed to any one upon application.

SWINE DIVISION.

Notwithstanding the high prices prevailing for feed this year and damage to the corn crop, Mr. H. E. Singleton, who is Superintendent of this department of the State Fair at Dallas and one of the most prominent breeders in the state, reports great interest from all sections of the state and is very optimistic regarding the show of 1911.

Special provisions have been made to care for the Boys' and Girls' Hog Clubs in new and separate pens with every provision for their convenience. Entries in the boys' and girls' department close on October 1st, and many entries are already being received. A handsome booklet giving the valuable list of prizes offered by this department concerns over Texas, has been issued by the Fair Association and will be mailed, upon request, to all members of the Boys' and Girls' Hog Club, who desire same.

CATTLE DIVISION.

In addition to the total premiums of \$8000, offered for the various breeds, the management has this year added the Dairy Demonstration department, which is attracting the greatest interest over Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas and Oklahoma, among the breeders and owners of dairy cattle. A handsome and thoroughly modern building has been erected for the exclusive use of this department and in which will be held a twelve day test for butter fat under the supervision of a member of the Dairy Department of the United States Department of Agriculture. A complete record of all feed consumed and butter fat produced will be kept and posted daily for the inspection of all visitors. The great educational feature of this exhibit will be readily seen and we predict that this department will increase and grow with wonderful bounds.

APIARY DEPARTMENT.

Reports received from T. P. Robinson of Bartlett, Texas, who is superintendent of this department for the State Fair of Texas at Dallas are very optimistic and flattering regarding the bee exhibit and everything pertaining to this great industry in which Texas leads the United States in number of swarms and production of honey and wax.

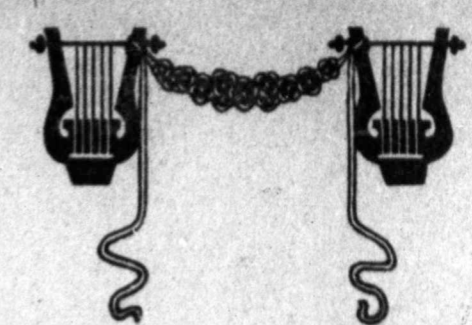
GRAND STAND.

As an encouragement to the breeders of fine stock and the development of the standard and thoroughbred horses, the association has offered \$25,000 in purses which will be contested for by the greatest and most prominent horses in the country. There will be two harness and three running races daily. As a further attraction and for the entertainment of visitors to the grandstand, contract has been closed with the McCurdy-Willard Aeroplane Co., for aeroplane flights from the infield of the race track between 1 P. M. and 5 P. M. daily and in between the races. There will not be a moment of lost time and it is a safe assertion to say that visitors to Dallas and the State Fair will unanimously endorse it as one of the greatest in the world and feel doubly repaid for their trip. The dates are October 14-29.

ATTRACTIVE BOOKLET.

The State Fair of Texas, has just issued an attractive little booklet giving the general announcement regarding the coming Fair, October 14-29, and some valuable statistics regarding the resources of Texas and its manufacturing interests. One noticeable item of interest is the fact that notwithstanding other State Fairs received state aid and appropriations as high as \$2,000,000. (New York) the State Fair of Texas has never received a dollar from the state, yet it is ranked and conceded the greatest and largest in the world. The booklet which is very interesting, will be mailed to any one upon request.

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May Extend to Del Rio.

Del Rio, Tex.—It is reported here that the National Railways of Mexico will soon begin the construction of the much talked of branch from Allende, Coahuila, to Las Vacas, a town on the south bank of the Rio Grande, opposite Del Rio. The branch will be 75 miles long and will connect with the San Angelo-Del Rio line of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railroad. A bridge across the river will be built by the two companies.

Plans Adopted.

Fort Worth, Tex.—Plans for a \$3,000,000 cattle sales agency, with headquarters in Fort Worth, were put under way at a meeting of the executive committee of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas.

The executive will put the proposition to its membership, by sending a prospectus to every member. The association will vote on its acceptance or rejection at its next regular meeting, Feb. 1912.

The style of the concern will be the Texas Cattle Raisers' Sales Agency. The object will be the directing of the marketing of cattle sheep and hogs, and the loaning of money upon cattle mortgages, with live stock as security. The capital will be raised by the subscription of \$1,500,000 by the members of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, at the rate of \$1 per head, on cattle rendered to the Association; and \$1,500,000 to be subscribed by other interested parties.

Injured by Falling Horse.

San Angelo, Tex.—Dan McCrohan, about 35 years old, and son of Eugene McCrohan, is suffering serious injuries as a result of a broncho falling on him at his ranch ten miles west of Christoval. Dr. W. E. Sturgis, accompanied by Bert Whaley, driver, and Mr. and Mrs. Will C. Jones, the latter of whom is a sister of Dan McCrohan, left in an auto for the ranch at 7 o'clock, and reached their destination at 9 o'clock, to find the ranchman in an unconscious state. The injured man, responding to medical attention, soon regained consciousness, and was resting well when Dr. Sturgis left him at 11 o'clock. Unless he was hurt internally his recovery is sure. He will be moved to San Angelo as soon as his condition permits.

Young Man Fatally Stabbed.

Sunset, Tex.—Ben Motley was stabbed to death while having a dance at his home near this place. He was stabbed near the median line, just below the heart, and the supposition is that the knife severed the aortic artery. Motley only lived a short time, never speaking but once. It has not been ascertained yet who did the killing, there were several around Motley when he was killed. No one yet been arrested. Mr. Motley enjoyed the reputation of an upright citizen and an upright man.

Leg Broken, Picks Cotton.

Texia, Tex.—As an evidence of vim and get-up of some of the people of this county, Will colored farmer, had the breaking of his leg, is cited. Having cotton to pick and not employ help, he sled and hitched a drove up and down hills, picking on both sides. He commands his row.

Demonstration Farm.

San Angelo, Tex.—Granting the lion signed by business men farmers of Tom Green county commissioners court has apportioned \$500 to be used in carrying the demonstration work county for the next twelve

months. This appropriation will be duplicated by a similar sum from the United States department of agriculture.

Wheel and Foundry Plant is Resumed.

Marshall, Tex.—The big plant of the Marshall Carwheel and Foundry Company, that has been closed down for several days, has been reopened with a full crew in every department. About 200 men are at work again.

Lees Wants Railroad.

Lees, Texas.—In either case, whether the road is built on the original route or run by way of San Angelo, it is reasonable to believe that it will come through Lees, as this is the most feasible route south of Big Springs, and the fertile country which such a road would traverse by coming this way is also in our favor.

Has Townsite Property.

Baird, Tex.—W. J. Harris came in from the West and went out from Clyde to his ranch, where he expected to meet representatives of the T. C. Ry., who are surveying the extension from Cross Plains to Abilene, and contract with them to grade the road, or at least a part of it. Mr. Harris thinks the road will cross his ranch south of Euila, and that he will be able to locate on his land the principal town between Cross Plains and Abilene.

Mexican Killed.

Sanderson, Tex.—Sheriff Allen Agent Stansell and Justice McKee went down to hold an inquest over a dead Mexican, killed two miles east of Feodora. The identity of the man was not established. He had, from all indications, gone to sleep beside the railroad track, and the train had struck him. His head was terribly mashed and one foot cut off. He had a bundle of new clothes, and it is thought that he had been working on a ranch near Sheffield. An old hat had L. B. Adams name in it. Mr. Adams is a merchant at Sheffield.

Accident Injures Mayor Rheiner.

Uvalde, Tex.—Mayor Rheiner went to San Antonio for an X-ray photograph of an acute trouble in the back and hip. Some weeks ago he and others were in an auto when he received a slight wrench, causing considerable pain, but was passed lightly at the time. Later, swelling and soreness set in which has continued to the present, rendering him unable to do much work. He has not heard the showings from the photograph.

To Receive Cut-Off.

Stanton, Tex.—It is currently reported here that the Coleman Cut-off will be received by the Pecos and Northwestern Texas Railway Company, Oct. 31, when full division and train crews will be stationed here. The new Fred Harvey eating house is nearing completion.

Will Build Foot Bridge.

Colorado, Tex.—At a regular meeting of the city council the street and alley committee was ordered to have a foot-bridge built across Lone Wolf creek, about fifty feet south of the T. & P. railroad bridge. This is for the benefit of the colored people in going to and from school and church, because this creek runs a good part of the year.

Biological Survey for Gulf.

Port Lavaca, Tex.—A coming industrial step on the Texas coast is foreshadowed in the plans announced here for a complete biological survey of the coast this fall by the United States Fish Commission. Nearly 6,000 acres already have been taken up in claim in waters at Port Lavaca for oyster planting. It is expected that when maps and reports on the industry are issued this acreage will be greatly increased.

Reach Federal Courts.

Pecos, Tex.—Judge J. F. Cunningham of this city, and George Estes, of El Paso, have been employed by the father of Leon C. Martinez the young Mexican who is under sentence of death for the murder of Miss Emma Brown, to defend the prisoner. A report from Austin is to the effect that R. P. Coon, attorney for Martinez, will appeal to the federal courts for a new trial, should the case be lost before the higher court of the State.

Clay County Wrestler Wins.

Bowie, Tex.—At the Grand Theatre before a large audience with many ladies, Prof. J. B. Parish, a school teacher of Clay County, won a wrestling match from Dan Kelly of Dodge City, Kan. Kelly is a professional. Parish won the first fall in twenty minutes with a hammer and scissors lock and secured a second fall in four minutes with a scissors lock on head. A challenge has been issued by F. L. Holliday of Henrietta, who is managing Parish, for Parish to wrestle any man in the State of Texas under 170 pounds, catch-as-catch can style, on neutral grounds. Manager Stewart of the Grand Theatre will hang up a purse of \$300 and 60 per cent of gate receipts.

Cotton Mill Pays Dividend.

Waxahachie, Tex.—At a meeting of the directors of the Waxahachie Cotton Mill a dividend of 10 per cent was ordered paid. The payment of this appropriation required the distribution of \$10,000. In addition to this \$9,500 was added to the surplus fund. All the old directors and old officers were reelected.

* Killed in Waco Elevator.

Waco, Tex.—George Curtis Grady, aged 22 years was instantly killed in a freight elevator at the McLennan Hardware Company. The deceased was the son of R. N. Grady. Heavy weights fell on his head and neck, causing instant death.

Buck Sales.

Eldorado, Tex.—W. N. Kelly reports the following Buck sales this week, 6 head at \$100 to J. R. Robbins of Sonora. W. A. Holland of Sonora 19 head at \$18 per head, Evans & West, Ft. Terrett ranch, 5 head at \$20 per head. One at \$17.50 to Sam E. Jones of Mayer, 8 at \$20 per head to W. L. Edwards of Eldorado. 8 head for \$150 to J. F. Isaacs of Eldorado. 3 head at \$18 per head and Bell Meyer of Sonora, 20 head at \$15 per head.

\$40,000 Cattle Deal.

San Angelo, Tex.—W. A. Glasscock has sold to Gid R. White of Brady 900 2-year-old steers at \$26. Mr. White also bought 250 1 and 2 year olds from R. F. Halbert and 500 1s and 2s from R. H. Martin at \$20 and \$26 per head. The deal aggregates \$40,000.

Business Men Camp Out.

Clifton, Tex.—A large party of business men from Cleburne have been in camp here this week. The outing was arranged and conducted by the Young Men's Christian Association of Cleburne, which has a complete outfit of model camp equipment. Sam L. Clark, secretary, personally superintended the affair, which has proven a splendid success. The attendance was largely from the men who are directors and supporters of the work.

Chloroform in Bedroom.

Gainesville, Tex.—Some one threw a quantity of chloroform through a window in the bedroom of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mitchell in this city, but as they were not sound asleep, the odor awakened them. They immediately made an investigation, but no clues could be found, as the perpetrator had fled. No motive is known.

District Farmers Union.

Greenville, Tex.—The delegates to the District Farmers' Union increased in attendance and twenty counties were represented. The meetings were executive. State President Peter Radford of Fort Worth came to attend the session. Citizens with eighteen automobiles assembled at the Greenville Boosters Club rooms and took the delegates over the city for a ride. Later the street car company treated the delegates to a trolley ride and entertained them at Forest Park at night.

DEATH OF GIRL CAUSED BY DRUG. Police Think Hendersonville Man Gave Miss Hawkins Chloroform.

Asheville, N. C.—A coroner's inquest held over the dead body of Miss Myrtle Hawkins, of Hendersonville, resulted in a verdict that the young lady came to her death as the result of chloroform being administered by an unknown party or parties.

Local police are co-operating with officers of Hendersonville, in working out the mystery surrounding Miss Hawkins' death. It is stated by a relative of the young lady that a man in the Hendersonville community is suspected of having administered the chloroform to the girl, probably while in the woodland near Lake Oseola, in which she was found dead.

The theory, the relative states, is that the girl was killed by the inhalation of chloroform and was thrown in the water immediately or was left dead or dying and in the woods, her body having rolled into the water later.

The body was floating upon the surface of the water, face downward, at the time it was found by several boys who were fishing in the lake. Physicians and other who examined the body are said to have declared that it had never been submerged in the water. It is also stated that the physicians were heard to declare that no water was found in the lungs, thus disproving the theory of drowning that was at first suggested.

A relative of the woman states that she was engaged to Hal Cooper, a prominent young business man of Johnston, City, Tenn., but that he is in no sense suspected of having been responsible for her death, either directly or indirectly. The wedding was expected to occur at an early date.

Asheville police officers are reticent about giving out any information as to the developments in the case further than that a Hendersonville party is suspected of having murdered the girl. The suicide theory is not given credence.

ETNA SPOUTS

RED HOT LAVA

People Are Panic Stricken and Fleeing From the Towns

Catania, Sicily.—Volcanic Mt. Etna's spouting is increasing. Sixteen new fissures have opened. From the two nearest the base of the volcano a great stream of lava issues. It is moving 1,250 feet an hour, and it has covered several miles in the direction of Linguaglossa, northeast of Etna. Linguaglossa and Randazzo, to the northwest, are on elevations and are not threatened by the flow of lava, though storms of ashes beat upon them. The residents, however, are panic stricken and many have deserted the town. Earth shocks continue.

The stream of lava has invaded the centuries old forest of the larch and pine, and appear about to destroy the beautiful vineyards and nutwoods. It is expected to soon reach the railway line circling Mount Etna at a point between Linguaglossa and Randazzo.

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Sam Majors, the opera house manager, says that he will open the season here early in October with Mr. Albert Taylor's Company, and we predict a fall house for opening night.

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

Robert M. Webb was a visitor in Abilene on Monday, attending the District Sunday School Convention there, and returned Monday night.

All the new ideas in millinery at MRS. B. F. MILLS.

FOR SALE—Good, second-hand, open top buggy. Call at Majors' Jewelry store.

Judge A. J. Coe spent Monday in Dallas on a business trip.

A new shipment of Bibles of every description at Doss.

Judge Thurmond attended the Abilene court this week.

Now is the time to buy that gold handled umbrella, and at prices to suit your pocket book. Majors, the Jeweler.

Mrs. Eliza Sneed left Thursday for her home in Phenix, Arizona.

A new shipment of Bibles of every description at Doss.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Hardy, of Snyder, spent Sunday here, visiting friends.

New Millinery arriving at B. F. MILLS.

Saturday afternoon little Miss Marie Ferguson, who is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Jeffers, entertained a crowd of very young ladies very sweetly. The games were all delightful and very lady-like, as no boys were invited. Every little girl had a nice time, and the hostess made them hope she would invite them again soon. Nice refreshments were served during the afternoon.

Bring your old broken jewelry to us and have it made new. Majors, the Jeweler.

Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock Mrs. Lyon entertained the League and Junior Missionaries and their mothers with an open meeting at the parsonage. A very interesting program of music, reading, story and song was given. The mite boxes were opened and a nice sum taken in. Then refreshments of lemonade and wafers were served. Afterwards the members were initiated into the secret order of missions; not by riding a goat, but by an even more thrilling adventure, which is, of course, a profound secret. The afternoon was most pleasant for both members and guests. Mrs. Martha Nichols was one of the most enjoyed visitors.

Some of the new fall hats are rather extreme. Ladies come in and get accustomed to them.

MRS. B. F. MILLS.

John T. Johnson, ex-Coloradoan, came over from Sweetwater Monday and was greeted by his many friends here.

Umbrellas at reduced prices at Majors, the Jeweler.

Mr. Thomas F. Hunter, of Clinton, Oklahoma, has accepted a position with H. L. Hutchinson, the furniture man. Mr. Hunter comes well recommended as a first class embalmer and undertaker, as well as a good citizen.

Miss Elenor Dupree was in Sweetwater on Monday on a visit.

Get my prices on Umbrellas and mesh bags. Majors, the Jeweler.

Mrs. Jack Smith who was quite sick, is now improving and hopes to be out in a few days.

Will Clayton has a service car. Phone the Rambler garage for a ride.

Miss Mildred Coleman left on Monday for Millford, where she will enter school.

W. H. Moeser seems to be the only Coloradoan that will have to go to the Federal court at Abilene. He has been summoned for Oct. 2nd.

Miss Dry will be centrally located when she will instruct children who wish to attend private school. Those who wish to make up grades, also expression pupils and those who wish to take sketching and painting lessons are solicited. For particulars phone or call.

Mrs. Holmes Nichols and daughter, Martha, of Ballinger, are here this week the guests of Mrs. A. L. Whipkey, Mrs. Gustine, and many other of her friends.

Word comes from Mrs. J. F. Clayton at Abilene that she is now resting well and doing very well.

Phone 35 for meat. Prompt delivery.

Judge Thurmond was very successful this week in several of his law cases in Abilene. He effected several important compromises and returned to Colorado well pleased.

The September Ladies Home Journal is a thing of beauty as well as a source of information and it will, as in the past, grow better. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey is still the agent here and will be glad to send orders at any time Phone 157.

Tom Griswold came over from Westbrook Sunday last to see his old friend, Maurice Terrell.

Miss Lela Whipkey left on Monday of this week for Roby, where she goes to take up her work as music teacher in the public schools at that place. She stopped a few days at Sweetwater to visit her friend, Miss Risinger, as she went over.

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Will Stoneham has come back. He moved here from Snyder this week, and Mrs. Stoneham will follow about Oct. 1st. Snyder is a good town but Will says Colorado is a better one. They all come back after a trial somewhere else.

J. C. Etheredge who has been spending the summer with his mother at Taylor, Ala., has returned home and reports a very pleasant summer outing. Mr. Etheredge will take his old place back at C. M. Adams, on Oct. 1.

Phone Will Clayton at the Rambler Garage for a service car.

A. L. Whipkey of the Record, spent Tuesday in Sweetwater on business, (and got it). Of course he has a good word for that town.

Notice.

W. H. Gardner is now employed to weigh cotton at my cotton yard. Mr. Gardner asks that his friends bring their cotton to this yard. Honest and correct weights guaranteed.

C. E. FRANKLIN, Public Cotton Weigher.

Nolan County Fair, Roscoe, October 4, 5 and 6. Excursion rates on all railroads; one and one-third fare for the round trip. Ask your agent.

My entire stock of Umbrellas at greatly reduced prices. Majors, the Jeweler.

The Mrs. Mills Millinery Store announces some beautiful things in new millinery. All the latest styles and beautiful patterns in fall hats. See what they have and watch for the opening announcement next week.

The School Board seems to have been having some trouble about the building, but again have everything fixed up and work will commence in earnest in a few days.

W. A. Smith, manager foot ball team at Austin College at Sherman, sends a dollar this week for the Record.

Given Away.

A \$5.00 book at Doss. Ask him about it.

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.

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J. O. McClellan has moved to the Snyder building and is now running a cash house. Read his ad.

The G. T. C's met Thursday with Miss Ethel Majors and spent a very pleasant afternoon playing 42. During the social hour delicious orange iced with wafers was served.

Notice.

Will sell at a bargain 320 acres of fine land seven miles northwest of Colorado, plenty of wood and water, 75 acres grubbed and ready for farming. About 85 per cent. of it is good agricultural land, entire tract fine for grass. Will give purchaser very liberal terms. Address me at Colorado, Texas. W. M. MERRELL.

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If you wish to sell your property, list it with us. We are prepared to advertise and this will be a good opportunity for you to sell or trade.

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The officers of the Junior Missionary Society are, Lona Herrington, president; Carrie May Mitchell, 1st vice-president; Lucile Hightower, 2nd vice-president; Lorena Smith, 3rd vice-president; Anthony Lyon, 4th vice-president; Winnie Crockett, secretary; Mattie Curry, corresponding secretary; Charlie Blandford, treasurer; Helen Doss, leader for boys.

Ice cold watermelons, and good ones at Deal Bros.

Next Sunday's services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. will be the last in the pastorate of All Saints' Church, of Rev. Norman Fitz-Hugh Marshall. Miss Byrd Adams will sing a solo at the morning service and Miss Juliette Looney at the evening service. At the latter service the music will be sung by a choir consisting of the regular singers of the All Saints', unfilled by Mr. Marshall's friends in the city. The public is invited.

Do You Need One?

I have one Moeser and one Cary safe. Both good as new. One cost \$225 and the other \$150. I traded for these, and as I have all my money in circulation and no earthly use for them, I will sell or trade them for a great deal less than they are worth. Would trade for residence lots in Colorado, or for Jersey cattle.

E. B. GAMEL, Iatan, Texas.

Regular Services.

Regular services will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. All members expected and strangers invited.

Given Away.

A \$5.00 book at Doss. Ask him about it.

Mrs. Mills Millinery Store is receiving a beautiful line of fall millinery.

Public School Opening.

The Colorado public schools opened Monday with bright prospects of a good year's work. On account of the lack of room no formal opening was held, but a number of parents were present to meet the new teachers and to see the ones returning. The visitors were entertained by Mr. Hart in his office, and they all came away feeling that this was going to be a good year, since the parents and teachers know each other and understand fully the aims and ideals set for the pupil.

The little folks of the first and second grades are in the old school building under the management of Miss Graham and Miss Mamie Rordan, so it goes without saying that they will be well cared for. The only thing about these two teachers is that their pupils never want to be promoted; but just want to stay with "Miss Pearl" and "Miss Mamie."

Miss Louise Coe has the third grade very comfortably located at the court

house, and already her pupils are saying "Our teacher is the best."

The others are all at the Central Ward building. The fourth under Miss Irwin; the fifth under Miss Cromwell, who taught on the south side last year; the sixth, Miss Alice Shuford; seventh, Miss Cromwell. In the High school Mr. Hart has mathematics, Miss Ellis literature, and Mr. Galbraith languages. Our old teachers are all of known ability. The most of our new ones were raised here, and we are confident of their ability; so prospects were never brighter for an excellent year's work. Let parents, children and teachers all do their best and this will prove our banner year in good work done.

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