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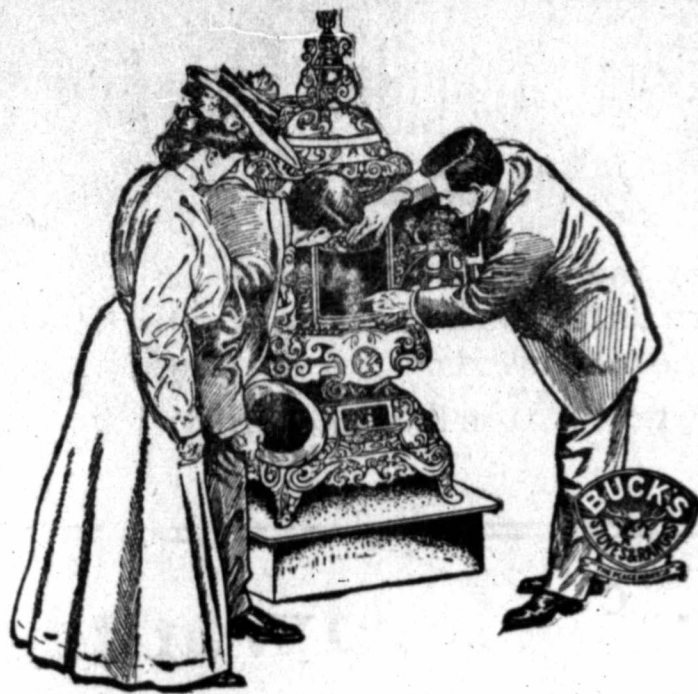
SEVENTH YEAR, NO. 5.

COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1911.

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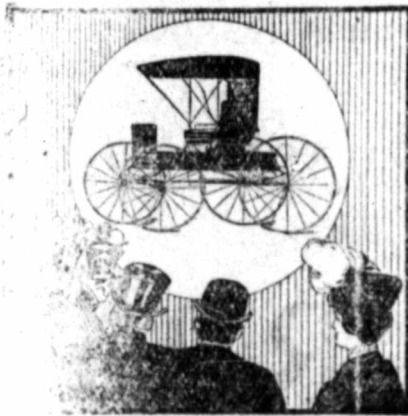
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The Work of Vandals.

At the office of H. A. Gausewitz, general superintendent of the Denver, Monday, it was announced that the company would pay a reward of \$1,000 for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who were responsible for the wreck of passenger train No. 5 near Bellevue Sunday night.

The bolts which were removed from the angle gars were found quite a distance from the track, and the claw-bar, with which the spikes were removed from the ties, was also located.

Given \$12,500 Damages.

The jury in the case of A. J. Hall vs. the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railway company, returned a verdict late Saturday afternoon awarding Mr. Hall \$12,500. The plaintiff was suing for twenty-five thousand dollars for personal injuries received while in the employ of the Orient Railway Co., the accident occurring near Benjamin at the coal chute. As a result of the accident Mr. Hall lost the use of his right arm and came near losing his life.—Sweetwater Reporter.

To Opera House Patrons.

Owing to a 'misunderstanding' on this point, we desire to say that a general admission ticket to the opera house does not carry a guarantee of a seat. It only gives admittance to the house. All the seats are reserved on the board except the two back rows, and the holder of a general admission ticket must take chances on getting one of these. MANAGEMENT.

Bring me your pictures to be framed—Satisfaction guaranteed—J. H. Greene.

Presidential Delegates by Direct Votes

Several important propositions will be placed before the Democratic National Committee at its meeting in Washington this winter.

It is almost certain that the question of the election of delegates to the nomination convention will be raised. The Progressive Democratic League organized at the recent special session of Congress, it is understood, will ask the convention to make such a recommendation to the state committees.

The friends of Governor Wilson are championing the suggestion that the delegates be elected by a direct vote at the primaries. The Wilson managers, it is said, feel that their candidate is strong with the rank and file of Democrats and weak with the political managers of the several sections of the country, and therefore would stand a better chance at the primaries.

This is regarded as but a demonstration of the claim that Gov. Harmon is the favorite of the conservatives and Governor Wilson of the radicals in the party.

Agitation has been commenced also in favor of abolishing the present where-by a two-thirds vote is required to nominate presidential and vice-presidential candidates in Democratic conventions. It is contended that a majority should rule the nominations.

The two-thirds custom was adopted in order that the Southern states, which contribute so materially to the election of a Democratic president, would possess a veto power which would prevent the election of a candidate unacceptable in that section. It is not likely, therefore, that this rule will be abolished unless the south relinquishes the position it has held for so many years.

On Paper So Far, But—

Pecos, Tex., Oct. 26.—Much interest has been evinced here at the report from San Antonio that the work of surveying the line of the Palacios, San Antonio & Pecos Valley Railway, between Palacios and Yoakum, has been completed and the remainder of the line will now receive attention. The projected line of road is proposed to run from Palacios on the Gulf of Mexico to Pecos, Texas, via San Antonio. It will undoubtedly go through a very rapidly developing country.

The Celina Commercial Club is conducting a campaign urging the issue of bonds for the installation of a sewerage system and for macadamizing the streets of that city.

The baking powder factory at Decatur, which was established at that city by the activity of the commercial club, has sprung no success, and its output is not equal to the demand for the product.

New main and branch canals near Mercedes have just been completed to the extent of thirty miles, watering six thousand acres of new land. Many self-made man has to be renovated by his wife.

A site of 82 acres for the Harris county demonstration farm has been selected and approved by the commissioners court.

Due to the efforts of the Commercial Club, Falls county is to have a first-class gravel and clay road from the McLennan county line to Marlin.

Farm demonstration work is being conducted at Haskell by A. M. Latham of the United States department of agriculture.

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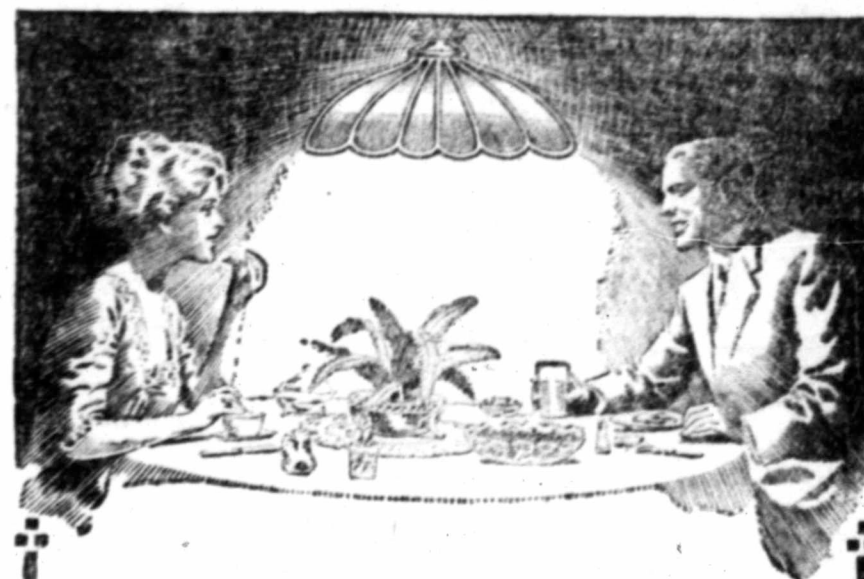
I cannot tell you of all the good things, but give you a cordial invitation to investigate my stock, and see if my claims are true.

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While distinctly new, it is peculiarly appropriate in a "Colonial" pattern, being derived from the fluted columns so prevalent in Colonial architecture. The view below shows the derivation. It is an exclusive feature and one which compels the admiration of critics and connoisseurs.

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Halloween Party.

The wicker, bob-goblins and elves held high carnival Tuesday night all over town, but the hospitable Looney home seemed to be their most important gathering place. Several days before Halloween the young people had received quiet invitations, in the form of cats, witches, bats, etc., of course they were black, which read:

Come to Miss Looney's Masquerade. Of Spooks and Witches be not afraid. Come alone, be it dark or light. Your partner will meet you here, alright.

And if your identity she can't find out, A prize will be given you without doubt.

Of course the invitations were accepted at once, some of the notes of acceptance were in rhyme, to show that the guests were quite as poetical as the hostess.

On reaching the gate the elves and witches took each guest in charge, leading them around to the witches tent where a Gypsy girl presided over an oven. Each person had to wait in the witch's reception room until a fortune and a partner could be secured for each lady. The fortunes were in halves, the matching of the two halves being the means of finding the partners. These fortunes were upon beautifully decorated cards, hand painted with goblins and imps of all descriptions. After the fortunes were secured the guests returned to the front where myriads of Jack-o-lanterns cast a weird glow upon the company. At the door an imp and a devil made the grange company jump over the broom stick, and deposit themselves with the rest of their kind.

The parlor was decorated in red apples. They turned candle shades and holders, hung from the ceiling, the chandeliers and every conceivable place. The dining room was a witch's den with its black cats, witch heads and grinning Jack-o-lanterns.

The guests were a strange and weird company of people from every nation of the earth, and a number of unearthly looks also. One old witch who entered screaming, with her black cat and broomstick was never identified as an earthly guest, while a bent old woman who sold apples and the Saturday evening Post was known to belong to us. Five rag dolls excited a great deal of curiosity, but their owners refused to claim them. There were many other costumes and impersonations that were beautiful and bewitchingly odd.

The parlor was arranged for dancing, and those who cared for this diversion were inspired by the good music and the spell of the faithful night to enjoy it to the utmost. The older and more staid spoons were allowed to amuse themselves with 42, and they seemed to put as much enthusiasm into the game as do every day mortals.

When the time came for unmasking it was found that Miss Ethel Majors and Louis Majors were the two young people whose identity had not been discovered, so they were given the prizes promised in the invitation. Miss Majors was a witch in a long black robe trimmed in red with a peaked cap trimmed in red fringe. She received as a reward for her ability to conceal herself a lovely silver shoe horn, nail file and button hook. Louis Majors was a big, black negro mammy, and no one ever suspected who he was. He was given an elegant set of silver-backed brushes, three in number. When the hour for refreshments arrived, dainty apple baskets filled with salad with the usual accompaniments, were served.

This was one of the most elaborate affairs, carefully arranged as to detail, beautifully carried out, and more thoroughly enjoyed than any of Mr. and Mrs. Looney's many delightful affairs. It was a triumph in entertainment; one that will be long remembered by their guests.

Rev. B. Broome, L. H. Weatherly, and a son of the latter of Amarillo, went overland in an auto this week to San Saba, where Mr. Weatherly goes to consult a specialist, in the hope that he may be benefitted.

The Standard Club met with Mrs. Burns last week. After the regular business and literary program had been given, it was followed by an especially pleasant social hour. Ten of the members were present, which was a good per cent of the edosen who belong. Mrs. Coleman is hostess this week.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional treatment. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When the tube is inflamed you have a running ear or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Now a cure out of two are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous membrane. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Star's Catarrh Cure. Sent for free trial. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Tinsmiths, 11-17-9

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When needing your next bill, come to see me before you buy.

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To San Antonio Without Change.

The Texas Central Railroad always keeps abreast of the times and pace with every improvement in railroad circles. Its latest convenience for the travelling public is a through chair car service from Rotan to San Antonio, via the M. K. & T. tracks from Waco to San Antonio. All Texas Central trains now run into the Katy depot at Waco, corner 14th and Jackson streets. The schedule is now effective as follows:

Leave Rotan, T. C. R. R. train No. 4	7:45 p. m.
Arrive at Waco	9:30 a. m.
Leave Waco, M. K. & T. No. 15	7:35 a. m.
Arrive San Antonio	8:40 p. m.
Leave San Antonio, M. K. & T. No. 16	6:00 a. m.
Arrive Waco	7:40 p. m.
Leave Waco on T. C. R. R. train No. 2	9:45 p. m.
Arrive Rotan	9:00 a. m.

Mrs. Johnson Honored.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. F. M. Burns entertained about fifty of her friends at bridge whist and 42 in honor of Mrs. W. V. Johnson, of Mexico, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Allen.

The guests were disposed in the entrance hall, parlor and library, there being four tables of bridge and five of 42. All the games were gay and much enjoyed. At the close of the games an elegant refreshment course of pressed chicken, hot biscuit, coffee, olives, tomato jelly and celery was served, and since the weather had grown cooler, it was much enjoyed.

Mrs. Johnson, as guest of honor, was presented with a beautiful scarf of white and pink. The bridge players, who were guests of the club, cut for the prize, which fell to Mrs. Carter. It was a lovely hand embroidered lunch cloth. The 42 players also cut, the prize going to Mrs. Does, who was given a pretty work basket.

This was a lovely affair, and much enjoyed by all.

For Sale or Trade.

I have for sale, or will trade, four acres of improved property in Ira. Good house, orchard, windmill, cistern, etc. Will sell cheap or trade for other property. Also a resident lot in Snyder.

A. D. LEACH,
Colorado, Texas.

Mrs. T. D. McMurray was hostess

for the Junior Standards Friday. The roll call was current events. The study is Holland, the lesson being upon Rotterdam. Miss Anna Roe was the leader, and the lesson proved very interesting. A delightful social hour with appetizing refreshments was enjoyed before adjournment. Miss Roe is hostess this week.

The G. F. C. met Thursday with Miss Abbie Thomas, and a jolly game of 42 was played. Though no prizes are given, the winner is in no way detracted from the pleasure of the occasion. A nice refreshment course of gelatine, whipped cream and white and black cake was served.

A Party at Winnie Vaughan's.

On Tuesday evening a number of the youngsters arrayed themselves in strange and peculiar costumes and gathered at the Vaughan home to surprise Winnie and incidentally to have a good time as they knew Mrs. Vaughan did not care how much fun they had. They surely did enjoy themselves with their Halloween

games and frolics, the pleasure of being masked adding greatly to the fun.

Notice to Trustees-at-Large.

There will be a meeting of the County Board of School Trustees at my office, on Monday, November 6, and it is my earnest wish that every member be present and promptly on time, as there is important business on hand to be disposed of at this meeting.

A. J. COE,
Supt. of Public Schools.

The youngsters and grown people who were not included in any of the Halloween parties gathered on the streets in sheets and masks and proceeded to enjoy themselves and amuse the public. They removed a few gales, fastened a few strigs across the sidewalks and did some other, to them, amusing pranks and harmed no one, and at midnight went home to be good for another year.

Watch for HOOSIER ad next week.
—J. H. GREENE

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Death of Winfield S. Scott.

Another pioneer citizen of Colorado, indeed one who played a conspicuous part in the development of West Texas in general, passed away at 5:15 o'clock Thursday afternoon, October 26, at St. Joseph's Infirmary, Fort Worth, Texas, in his 65th year.

His death had been expected for only a few hours before the end came, and he had consented to go to the hospital a few days before for an operation performed on Thursday preceding, from the effects of which he never rallied. Only his wife and young daughter were at his bedside when he breathed his last.

Mr. Scott had led a very active life, most of it in the open, and few men had been more successful than he in the management of his private affairs. His wealth at the time of his death, is estimated at fully \$3,000,000, every dollar of which, declares those who know him best, has been accumulated with clean hands. The bulk of his wealth had been made by fortunate realty investments in and around Fort Worth. He held heavily of bank stock in various banks in Fort Worth and other towns. During his residence in Colorado he was president of a bank here. He owns some of the most valuable ranch property in Texas, among which is his famous feeding ranch near Scotland, on the Frisco road near Cresson Junction, which contains 14,000 acres. He and A. B. Robertson, another former citizen of Colorado, own a very valuable ranch in Lubbock county.

He removed to St. Louis, Mo., a few years ago, thinking to build a handsome home there, but the lure of Texas, where he had made his fortune, and of which he felt himself a part, was too great, and after a few months residence there, returned to Fort Worth, and began the concentration of his property, as much as possible, in that city. He had, at the time of his death, many plans for future building, and the dream of his life was the erection of a hotel in Fort Worth which should mean the very best in hotel construction that money could build.

At the time of his residence in Colorado, Texas, when his property consisted largely of ranches, he owned a great deal of ranch land in Arizona, as well as in Texas. He was a man of much personality and had great influence on all those with whom he was closely associated. He had many friends in this country, and many and amusing are the tales the old timers tell of his efforts to acquire the rudiments of an education—learning to write his name in the sand with a stick, or on a saddle skirt with a thorn. But he mastered all the difficulties and handicaps of early neglect and lack of opportunity, and gave himself a fairly good business education, which he made tell with profit in the commercial world.

He was born in Kentucky, March

4th, 1847. His parents moved soon afterwards to Missouri, where young Scott grew to manhood on a farm, and when 21 years old he came to Tarrant county, Texas, and began a career that ended in unusual successful achievements. His first real work was cutting wood on the Trinity river, whereby he earned enough money to embark on a very modest scale in the cattle business. He was married twice; the first time to a lady he had known in Missouri, who died about twenty-five years ago. He was married the second time, about twenty-one years ago to Miss Elizabeth Simmons, who, with their son, Winfield Scott, Jr., survive him. He is survived also by one brother and two sisters, none of whom, owing to the unexpectedness of his death, were able to reach his bedside.

One of Mr. Scott's predominating traits, and one to which his friends referred frequently before his illness, was his loyalty to his intimate friends. They never found him wanting when they needed financial or other assistance. Those who knew him best declare that he was instrumental in putting more men on their feet in a financial way, and thus enabling them to do something for themselves, than almost any other man in the state. There are many men now living in Fort Worth whom he has aided in that way.

Mr. Scott's Will.

According to the terms of the will of the late Winfield Scott, filed in the probate court Monday afternoon, the bulk of his vast estate goes to his ten-year-old son, Winfield Scott, Jr. The boy's portion of his father's property will approximate \$3,000,000.

The remainder of the estate goes to Mrs. Scott and to Mr. Scott's only daughter, Mrs. Georgia Townsend, of Denver. Mrs. Scott and A. B. Robertson, of Slaton, are named independent executors.

For Mr. Robertson's services, ten thousand dollars was set aside, and an additional amount was appropriated for attorney's fees in case the will should be contested.

According to the terms of the will, Winfield Jr. can neither self mortgage nor convey any of the property, and in case he should attempt to do so, he forfeits his claims.

The Worth and Terminal hotels, all of the Metropolitan hotel, except the northwest portion of the building, which was left for his mother, the New Century building, occupied by Washer Bros., and the ranch of 14,000 acres, located in Tarrant and Parker counties, were left to him.

Seven buildings were left to Mrs. Scott. The Elizabeth building, Thirtieth and Main streets; the Majestic Hotel, the northwest corner of the Metropolitan and another Main street structure. The residue of the estate after Mr. Scott's debts are paid, also falls to her. This includes the residence on Pennsylvania avenue, valued at \$50,000.

Properties valued at \$215,000 in Fort Worth, Dallas and Denver, are left to Mrs. Georgia Townsend, and main property here is given as a life estate to descend at her death to her son, Winfield Scott Townsend.

Mr. Scott also carried life insurance to the amount of \$100,000, out of which his debts are to be paid.

In accordance with the request of the will, Mrs. Scott was named as temporary administrator Monday. Judge B. D. Cramer will remain in the capacity of business agent for Mrs. Scott. The will was filed for probate Monday and will be submitted in January.

It was made out by Mr. Scott Sept. 29, 1909.

He Hopes to Lead the Simple.

It may be recalled that a few months ago something of a sensation was caused by reports to the effect that Hon. Martin Dies, of the Beaumont, Texas, district, had deserted his seat in Congress, and that inquiry revealed the fact that he was living in Maryland, under a name other than his own, with a "wife" of whom the general public knew little. Further inquiry developed the printed statement that Mrs. Dies, with whom he went to Washington, had long since returned to her Texas home and brought suit for divorce. These facts, together with the further fact that Mr. Dies seriously objected to the public's poking its nose into things that were none of its business, brought the honorable congressman into something more than common prominence.

In view of these facts the following extract, is, to say the very best of it, amusing, and especially so to the people of Colorado, who recall him in the stage and statue of his development while a citizen of this town. But read it for yourself:

Congressman Dies, of the Beaumont (Texas) district, being asked why he would not stand for re-election, said: "The truth of the matter is, and I might as well confess it, my heart is set upon the country. I long to get away from the confusion of the city, am tired of concrete pavements and brick houses, I am thirsty for a drink of branch water. I want to feast my eyes on the grass and vines and trees of nature undelled. I want to sit for hours on the bank of the creek and try my luck with the hook and line. I want to walk through the wood and lie in wait for the cat squirrel as he buds the magnolias. I want to read some books in the still evenings. I want to plant some trees now, so that when old age comes on I can eat their fruit and rest under their shade. I love the country. I want a farm, and when I get this farm I am going to raise Docley yam potatoes, ribbon cane, peanuts, pils. potatoes, etc. I am going to have an old-fashioned plum-thicket near my house where the mocking bird and the red bird may raise their young and sing their songs undisturbed. I am going to town whenever I feel like it, and when the noise and racket gets on my nerves I am going back to the country. I want to do all this while I am yet in love with my fellow man. If I keep on running for office and being slandered and misrepresented, I will soon become sour and misanthropic, and nature will have lost her charm."

He Thinks Well of Texas.

Beginning his speech at the Texas State Fair last week at Dallas, Governor Woodrow Wilson paid the state a high compliment in the following words:

"I feel very keenly the pleasure and stimulation of facing this great audience, drawn from so many parts of this imperial state. An audience that represents Texas, represents a great deal of what is characteristic of the force and initiative of modern times. Texas seems from the first to have had the capacity and to have obeyed the impulse of a state able to care for its own people, and to look forward to the future in the regulation of its own affairs. All the country recognizes it as one of the most progressive states in the union, a state where things move forward from measure to measure without vacillation and without fear.

It is interesting to note in how many matters now occupying the foreground of our thoughts in America, Texas has set a notable example. It was in Texas, for example, that the commission form of government for cities was inaugurated, a reform which has gone so far already toward redeeming our cities from their chaos and misgovernment.

Texas led the way in railroad regulation. Her railroad commission was one of the very first that established that method now accepted everywhere for the determination of the relations between our communities and our public service corporations.

Some of the men who were prominent in these reforms are gone, notably Governor Hogg, who so truly won the confidence and affection of his people; and Senator Reagan, who played so prominent a part upon the national as well as the local stage in the matter of railway regulation. But Judge Terrell, of Austin, is still among us to receive the tribute of our admiration and gratitude. These men were among the notable pioneers of present day economics and political reform, and it is very delightful, standing here, to pay my tribute of respect and admiration to them.

Texas also undertook, at an unusually early date, the regulation of the issue of stocks and bonds by corporations, particularly by railroad companies, and I understood that the regulations she initiated have resulted very satisfactorily, indeed. The people of Texas know whom to follow and what to do under their leadership. They have shown themselves enlightened, progressive, confident, capable, of achievement. It is such things as these that stimulate the imagination in facing a great company of her representative citizens like that gathered here today.

Albert Taylor and His Company.

It has been nearly fourteen years since this writer first saw Albert Taylor play, and we have seen him at least every two years since that time. We thought him good then, and every time we have seen him play a decided improvement has been noticed. Aside from his genuine love for his art, Mr. Taylor's distinguishing element, and the one which has contributed more than all others to his success, is intelligence. He not only apprehends his role, but comprehends it so fully that his playing seems as natural as his every day conduct. His success is a concrete expression of the aphorism that actors are born, not made. Wherever he goes in Texas he is in the house of his friends, who, aside from feeling a pride in his professional advancement, delight to know him socially; and his personal charm makes itself felt as much off the stage as on it. He pleases even during the intervals of active pleasing.

No greater tribute to his popularity among Colorado theatre goers could have been given than the audience that greeted him on Monday and Tuesday nights. On Monday night, standing room was almost as eagerly sought as reserved seats—and all seats are reserved when Albert Taylor plays in Colorado. The house was packed, like cotton put into the hold of a sea-going ship, and the reception given him and his entire company in "Our Attorney," certainly was all any actor or management could ask. There was not a dull line or distracting feature in the whole play, but from the moment the curtain went up on the first act till it came down on the last, it was one continued histrionic feast.

On Tuesday night "We Are King" was presented for the first time in this city, and was received with great appreciation by the audience. The coming of Albert Taylor and the clever company he always has with him, is the theatrical red-letter event in the Colorado play season, and unless he comes, the season is regarded as an unusually dull one.

Still greater success to Albert Taylor may he live, like that venerable exponent of their mutual art—Joseph Jefferson—to amuse and entertain generations yet unborn, and remain in his full powers to charm until the very last.

If this Means You.

Then you're the man I'm after. I have been very lenient with those who owe me, but the time has come when I must have money, and unless those who owe me, come in and settle their accounts, they will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, without any exception whatever.

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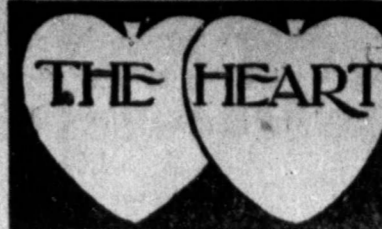
In shades, evergreens and ornamentals we have nearly everything that is successful in the arid and semi-arid parts of Texas. Some splendid native shrubs. Plant some Japan Ligustrums.

Back up your place with masses of evergreens, and blooming trees and shrubs. Plant cheap Chinese Arbor Vitae for wind brakes and dust screens.

Plant something. You cannot name another way in which you can spend money that will add so much and such lasting beauty, comfort and value to your home.

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Thanksgiving Program.

The usual Thanksgiving services will be held this year under the direction of the United Brotherhood, at 11 o'clock, November 30th, at the tabernacle, if the weather is suitable, if not, at one of the churches, which will be announced in time. The music for the occasion will be under the direction of Mrs. P. A. Hazard, assisted by members of the various choirs, and will be especially appropriate. There will be short talks as follows:

- Reasons for thankfulness as a nation—Rev. W. E. Lyon.
- Reasons for thankfulness as a state—Rev. W. M. Elliott.
- Reasons for thankfulness as a country—Rev. R. W. Thomas.
- Reasons for thankfulness as a town—W. W. Porter.

Gathering up the fragments—in several two minute talks.

Collected—to be applied to local charity.

It is earnestly requested that everybody join in this service. Let us withdraw from the cares of the daily grind, and "with grateful hearts look up to Him who guides us through the year." Let us consider our blessings—they are many and great.

An Aged Citizen Gone.

From the columns of the West (Texas) weekly News, we take the following notice of the death of the venerable father of one of our esteemed fellowtownsmen, Mr. Van King. The health of Mr. King, Sr., had been exceedingly poor for some time, necessitating a number of visits from his son, but his strength of constitution and vitality always triumphed until now:

"Death has claimed another one of West's pioneer citizens—Uncle Josh King.

His death occurred Wednesday evening after a lingering illness.

Mr. King was a native of Illinois, but came to Texas at an early day, settling in McLennan county prior to the civil war. At the breaking out of hostilities between the north and the south he joined his fortunes with his adopted state and enlisted in Sprates' Reg. (Inf.) which was organized at Waco. After this memorable conflict, he returned to McLennan county where he has since lived.

He was married at Bold Springs to Miss Lucinda Matthews, who preceded him to the great beyond some nine years ago.

The surviving children of this union are Vanworth King, of Colorado; Sam King, of West; and Mrs. Hattie Carpenter, of West. A sister, Mrs. Sallie Clausner, also survives him. His second marriage was to Mrs. Fanny Henson, who is still living.

He was a member of the Baptist church and the W. O. W., the latter organization having charge of the funeral and burial which took place at Bold Springs Cemetery Thursday.

He was 65 years, 9 months and 3 days old.

Peace to his ashes."

The Record, in common with the entire community, sympathizes with Mr. King in his loss.

Remnants of wall paper at Doss' Buy 'em now.

We have seen the announcement in a number of papers that Mr. E. P. Turner, former general passenger agent for the Texas & Pacific Railway, would embark in the realty business and continue the publication of his magazine in promotion of the same. The name will be changed to "Texas Quarterly" instead of the T. & P. Quarterly, as formerly. The publication will be devoted to the promotion of the southwest in general and the Pecos Valley in particular. Pertinent to this kind of promotion work the Pacific coast communities and railroads set a very commendable example. The railroads and the communities which they serve, get together and share the expenses of advertising, in books, folders, etc. This is why very small towns on the Pacific coast have the most attractive and expensive literature. Whatever helps the town helps the railroads as well, and whatever helps the railroads redounds to the credit and help of the town. The Pacific coast is famous for the elegance of the literature gotten out by the most unpretentious communities—the railroads are behind the whole scheme, and the towns pay their pro rata of the expense. Why can't such a scheme be worked in Texas?

The whole afternoon was most highly entertaining, and all were glad of the diversion.

The Bay View Club had their regular lesson, but the hostess, Mrs. G. W. Smith, made a holiday affair of the social hour by serving the most delicious and bountiful helpings of chicken salad, potato chips, cheese straws, hot biscuits and butter, with coffee. It looked like a Thanksgiving spread, and every one was thankful to be present to enjoy it.

Thursday was Mrs. John Doss' birthday and her mother and Mrs. F. F. Whipkey invited some of her friends in for the afternoon. Mrs. Doss was at home dressed in a most becoming costume, and prepared to enjoy the afternoon with Mrs. Reese and Mrs. Whipkey, and when the other members arrived the pleasure was only increased by the increased number of her guests.

Some pretty and dainty gifts were brought by the guests, who were glad of this opportunity to show their love for Mrs. Doss.

All brought their sewing and with flying needles, and tongues that kept pace with them, the afternoon was gone before it was realized.

While some were putting up their sewing needles and were speaking of going home, Mrs. Reese and Mrs. Whipkey slipped out and soon returned with plates filled with fruit gelatine, whipped cream and wafers, which was most delicious. It was a most pleasant affair, both for the hostess and the guests.

The little town of Clyde has shipped so far this season, fifteen cars of peanuts and four cars of sweet potatoes.

In Clubdom.

The Hesperian Club enjoyed Halloween in advance. Mrs. Collier was hostess for the Hesperians Friday, and on entering the members were greeted with grinning Jack 'o Lanterns, which, instead of being of pumpkin yellow were of pink and black. They grinned from the windows, and the lights shown grotesquely through them. Envelopes with strange and peculiar seals were noticed on the walls and in all sorts of places, but club was called to order before these could be examined.

The roll call was ancient Halloween customs, and many interesting and amusing things were told.

Miss Ratliff told very clearly of the origin and meaning of Halloween. Mrs. Payne gave a beautiful sketch of Robert Burns' life and writings. Mrs. Broadus had a humorous story, "Resolved that Peck the Pumpkin Eater was Justifiable in Putting His Wife in a Pumpkin Shell. This was to have been a debate, but as Mrs. Phenix could not prepare her side Mrs. Broadus made a splendid story of it, which was a satire on the over-sealous club woman, highly amusing her audience.

Appropriate and delicious salad in apple cups, veal loaf, pickles, hot coffee and crackers, with the old-fashioned pumpkin pie were served by the hostess who at the last passed dainty blotters decorated with witches tea cups and other mystic devices. On each was a verse and a seal, telling where the fortunes would be found. Following directions bore each guest to one of the envelopes which bore a seal corresponding with the one on the blotter. Some were led a merry chase by means of strings, all over the house and yard, before their fortunes could be found. As all were collected they were read aloud, and as each person's hobby was mentioned, they provoked much merriment.

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Nightwear	22
Rompers	12
Sweaters	10
Underdrawers	16
Union Suits	45
Underwaists	10
Undervests	6
Stockings, pairs	148
Shoes, pairs	5
Mittens, pairs	2
Total	276

Blouses	16
Boys List	
Total	276

Caps	17
Shirts	23
Trousers	12
Coats	5
Hats	4
Total	77
Girls' List	
Dresses	50
Aprons	35
Underwear	38
Hoods	16
Petticoats	19
Total	158
Infant's List	
Slips	7
Sacks	14
Caps	4
Wrappers	5
Shirts	8
Cloaks	1
Socks, pairs	2
Total	41

Miscellaneous	
Pillow Cases	43
Total	41

Towels	29
Sheets	1
Odd pieces	18
Total	91

The directors would be pleased to enlarge the work next year, and any one wishing to help, by giving two or more new garments (to be collected next October, 1912) will kindly send their name to any one of the following directors: Mesdames D. N. Arnett, A. A. Bailey, Q. D. Hall, J. E. Hooper, C. T. Harness, H. C. Landers, S. N. Sherwin, B. S. Van Tuyl, Robt. M. Webb, Miss Anna D. Roe.

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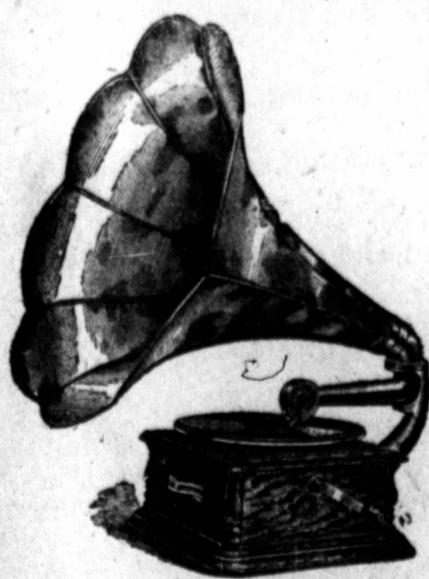
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COLORADO, TEXAS, NOVEMBER 3, 1911.

Announcement.

It is with pleasure that we announce to our readers that arrangements have been made by which Dr. A. H. Weston again assumes editorial charge of the columns of the Record. He is now fully inducted into the inner sanctum-sanctorum, as Editor in Chief and Poo-Bah in General.

All who know Dr. Weston and have read after him, will not question his ability, his earnestness, nor his untiring energy. And now with the assistance of his facile pen we hope to make the Record of such interest that no one in this country can be satisfied to do without it.

If you read anything in the paper you do not like, cuss the business management, but do not lay it on the editor. He will endeavor to write, at all times, what, to him, seems best and of the most importance or interest to our readers; and if he pleases all of our 2200 subscribers all the time he will not only deserve a liberal reward here below, but a golden harp of full 18 karat weight will be awaiting him up yonder.

By this arrangement we will be able to devote more time to the business end of the concern, which has been somewhat neglected of late, and we feel that with Dr. Weston's ability and our splendid mechanical equipment, and all of our energy put into the Record we can build up a newspaper of which not only Colorado and Mitchell county, but all of west Texas can point to with pride.

Dr. Weston is before you.

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We Have With Us this Evening—

After a year's absence from the harness, I am glad to announce my return to newspaper work and the Record. I have lost none of the freemasonry that inheres in the craft, nor forgotten any of the franchises that attend servitude to the Fourth Estate. I still hold my license as meteorological expert for this district, and will try to hand out just the brand of weather the new comer wants. I will resume both the robe and miter of the "High Priest of Hops and Confidence," and if West Texas—particularly Mitchell county and Colorado—do not blossom as the rose of Sharon and flourish as the green bay tree, the fault will be in getting people to believe all I say about them.

So, come in, friends, with your bits of neighborhood news, pass the time of day; tell us your troubles and hear ours, so that we may, between us, smooth the things out and make the coming year the most memorable, in all lines of development, in the history of old Mitchell county. We have one of the very best agricultural counties in all west Texas, as has been abundantly proven during the past three years; and it is only just now waking to a knowledge of its natural advantages.

The Record has half a dozen improvements in its mind and on its heart, for accomplishment during the next few years, which will be unfolded as the conditions warrant. We realize that it is worse than futile to attempt anything in the nature of improvement or innovation, without the support of public sentiment, and the securing of public sentiment requires a campaign of education, and education in turn, comes of agitation. The Record wants to be a power for good in this town and county, and to become a power for good it must, like the individual, have a character behind it. This, to the best of our ability, we shall strive to build. Come in and see us.

A. H. WESTON.

A writer in Current Literature for November says that Mark Twain was the greatest exponent of the romance of American life. "From," says he, "the standpoint of the man of letters, the evolution of Mark Twain from a journeyman printer to a great author; from a merry andrew to a world humorist; from a river pilot to a trustworthy navigator of the vast and uncharted sea of human experience, may be taken as truly symbolic of the true romance of American life."

Hartrending Story—Worse Condition.

A Sunday night raid was recently made on the alleged "rooming-houses" of Fort Worth, and among the human flotsam the drag net of the law brought out, were several young and pretty girls, who amid their penitential sobs, begged to be let go, explaining that their "mothers thought they were at church." Into this one cry is compressed the very crystallization of human tragedy. It would afford material for every preacher and every writer in the state for a year to come. It is but a pimple from a more widespread disease that is honey-combing the entire social fabric. The sin of the girls was bad enough, in all conscience; but back of their story lies a sadder story of parental neglect and laxness.

It is reasonable to believe that if the parents of these girls owned a fine cow, horse or dog, they would carefully guard it against scrub associations; they would build fine barns and high enclosures to protect them; but they let their own flesh and blood herd with the verriest scum of the earth. They would always know when night came where their pedigreed animals were; but are so careless of the associations of their own children that they could be taken to a brothel as easily as to a church. Mothers who do not know where their daughters, not out of their teens, are at night, are guilty of nothing less than criminal neglect, and the poor, misguided girls will live to see the day when they will lay the blame of their disgrace upon their own mothers. These Fort Worth girls fully realized, when dragged before the law, that their mothers should have known where they were.

We shall await with interest the report of the fair managers this year on the financial result of the recent Dallas Fair. If the big show cleared more than \$100,000 last year, or the year before, it will surely go far beyond that mark this year. The writer spent but an hour or two there on one of the "Big Sundays," when meeting an old acquaintance, who had not missed taking his whole family there since the fair was first established, asked him how this one compared with the others he had seen. "Very little change," he answered, "very little," as he pocketed \$1.25 change out of a \$20 bill, for entrance tickets, etc. And there usually is but little change at such places.

Awakening civic pride brings with it new and higher ideas of community life. It brings ideas which aim to provide better conditions and fuller opportunities for all, not certain individuals or certain classes. It promotes the circulation of ideas, which is a most important element in civic life. Ideas take on new vitality and power when shared by many people in common. The interest that is being taken by many counties of the state in farm demonstration work, indicates that the farmers of Texas are broad-minded enough to realize that there are things about the cultivation of the soil they do not know, and which it will benefit them to know. These demonstrations are conducted by a practical farmer who has made a study of plant production along scientific lines. He has not only made a study, but a practice of his work, and has not only the theories but the results to show. He is an expert who gets all there is in the soil out of it, without deterioration of the soil. Quite a number of Texas counties have availed themselves of the opportunity of having this expert help and have financed the expenses. Mitchell county might look into this matter also. The time has long gone by when "book farming" is derided by the most practical minded. It is the only kind that eliminates the greatest per cent of chance and has the least per cent of failures.

Being issued on the 15th, you will have more than a week for your ads to be read, and your prices considered and compared. A judiciously written ad in this edition of The Record will give you more effective publicity than four weeks run in ordinary editions of the paper. You will completely cover the whole field.

We cannot do this without your assistance; nor can you reach the people whose trade you want without our help—we are mutually dependent. So let us get together, pool interests and get out the most profitable issue of the paper, to both, in the history of your business or ours. Remember the date—Friday, December 15th.

Only a wealthy man can afford to keep a poor cow.—Philadelphia Farm News. So, also, can a rich man only afford to wear a pair of shabby pants or a paste diamond. The fact that the rubes know he can afford a real one or a ten-dollar pair, glorifies them.

Notwithstanding the sweeping victory at the polls, the suffragette leaders of California are up against a problem. Many of those most active in the campaign are refusing to register for the coming election, unless the registration books are brought to their homes. How like a woman—how like!

A young fellow up in Missouri whistled "Casey Jones" so incessantly that he warbled himself on the way to the insane asylum. He was taken before a magistrate on complaint made by neighbors that he sang and whistled the song night and day, until there was no sleep to be had in the neighborhood. As soon as he was given opportunity to speak for himself he started on "Casey Jones" at a lively clip, and couldn't be headed off till he was "Climbing Reno Hill." The jury railroaded him to the asylum.

After so long a while, we have succeeded in starting the Waco Morning News this way, and find it all more than we anticipated. With two such powers behind it as Murphy and Tupper, its bound to go.

"Christmas dinner in Fort Stockton," is the slogan of the contractors building the Orient road to that place.

It is no pipe dream to fancy the raising of the bulk of agricultural products within the next hundred years, wholly by irrigation, particularly in the southwestern states. Farmers are beginning to learn that 100 acres under scientific irrigation, will produce more stuff and more money than five times that amount without; that the element of chance is almost entirely eliminated, and with less work and expense of cultivation. Under intelligent irrigation, farming ceases to be a game of chance and becomes almost a scientific certainty. The history of such densely settled and intensely cultivated countries as Holland, Belgium and France, demonstrate that better crops are made on fewer acres, thoroughly cultivated and the soil renewed from time to time. The installing of individual irrigation plants far from railroads, is becoming quite common, even in west Texas. Whatever may be the conditions, the farmer with the small irrigation plant knows that he is sure of enough to support his family and his stock, even if the rains do not come. If he depends on the old methods, his crop would be an entire failure. There is no doubt about it—irrigation is the coming method of farming, and a big flowing well of good water on a farm, is worth all the oil wells, gold mines, or other mineral finds that could be put on the land. The oil well is soon exhausted; the mine is after a while not worth the working; but the living water continues to create new wealth every year, and for succeeding generations. Water is capital, it is life; it is perpetual.

Now that the amusement season is fully open, it might not be amiss to remind each other of the fact that everyone who pays his or her money to attend an entertainment, is entitled to a certain return, not dependent upon the company that holds the boards, but the management; and the management is more frequently than otherwise, unable to guarantee it. We refer to the disposition on the part of some few at every performance—some few, we say—to enjoy the performance in their own peculiar way, and their own peculiar way is often laughing, talking and otherwise making it impossible for anyone near them to follow the play or the singing on the stage. These thoughtless people may have seen the performance before, or so many times that it has lost all interest for them; but their elbow neighbors may be seeing and hearing it for the first time and giving it the closest attention, and it is aggravating to have such distracting noises besides, before or behind them. Let's consider the other fellow's rights at all the performances at the opera house this winter, and we shall have the thanks of, not only the inexperienced playgoers, but of the management themselves.

Help Us to Please You.

Now neighbors, if you want a better paper to take into your homes the coming year, you can do much to make the Record just such a paper as you want it to be. You can help immeasurably. We cannot make news; we can only tell it as we see or hear it, or as it is told to us. Instead of "cussing" the paper and telling everyone who mentions anything that did or did not appear in its columns, that the paper is never worth reading, if instead of knocking the paper you will tell us the little items of local news you may happen to know, we can eliminate practically all the little errors and defects of which readers usually complain. Nearly as much depends upon the readers of a country paper as upon the publishers. The editor can only grind the grist brought to the mill, he cannot furnish the grist and grind also. So help us when you can, and we can give you a first class country newspaper, devoted to the development of Mitchell county and the upbuilding of Colorado.

The federal government is willing to bear half the expenses of farm demonstration, if the counties will bear the other half. This is a fair proposition and many counties are availing themselves of the opportunity of having their farmers learn the most scientific method of soil culture and preservation. It would be a good idea for the commissioners court of Mitchell county to look into this matter. Any method that will cause two blades of grass, two stalks of cotton or two heads of maize to grow where but one grew before, is a blessing to humanity, and is cheap at any price.

If you become grouchy about the town of Colorado and believe the town is at the tail of the procession, just you take a trip to some other places and stroll over the streets—both business and resident. You will come home with a better opinion of the old town than you ever had and better satisfied to drive down your tent pins deeper, take the good with the bad and "stay by the stuff."



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This is the time of the year when the old stove is rescued from beneath the pile of old matting in the cellar and comes into its own again, the coal man begins to take an interest in life once more, the papers are full of football news, the price of turkeys is going up and the baseball season has been relegated to the realms of things that were. All of which informs us that summer is waning and fall is waxing. And, as we started out to say, the old stove is coming into its own again, and without writing any prose poems on the subject, as it looks like we intend to do, we want to warn the users of the aforesaid stove that a little care should be mixed in generous quantities with the fuel. Statisticians tell us that so many people were burned to death last winter and so many houses caught fire and so on, a big pile of figures that we can't remember and wouldn't print if we could. Make sure your chimney is clean and that every possible precaution against fires is taken. If you use kerosene to make the fire with, then more precaution should be used. This time of year usually records a great many fires directly traceable to little defects in chimneys and stoves that have been in disuse, and in nearly all cases a little forethought and care would have obviated the danger and the cashing of the insurance policy. Be careful—Waco News.

When one wishes to express the very quintessence of gall and nerve, let him cite the instance of Doctor Fredrick Cook going back to Copenhagen asking that the Danes give him a chance to show he is no faker.

It may be of interest to those who oppose the expense of building battleships by the government, to know there is more money invested in automobiles in the United States than in the combined navies of the world.

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Disgrace to Our Jurisprudence.

Waxahachie, Tex., Oct. 30.—Burrell Oates, charged with murder in connection with the killing and robbery of Sol Aronoff in Dallas nearly seven years ago, was placed on trial in the district court here today for the seventh time. The case was called at ten o'clock, but announcement was delayed until 1:30 on account of the late arrival of some of the witnesses. At that hour both sides announced ready and the selection of a jury from 250 veniremen was commenced. Three jurors were accepted during the afternoon; five were challenged by the defense and only one by the state. The majority of those excused for cause said that they had formed opinions as to the guilt or innocence of the defendant.

Will Go After Them.

Efforts will be made at the coming session of Congress to strengthen the hands of Dr. Harvey W. Wiley and his assistants in administering the pure food and drug law. No legislation will be requested that will make it possible to suppress such patent medicine companies as make false claims for their remedies.

As the supreme court has held that the present law does not prevent patent medicine men from making false and extravagant claims for the curative powers of their products, Dr. Wiley will see that Congress is requested to amend the act by a specific clause making such claims an offense and punishable.

Joseph Pulitzer, owner of the New York World and St. Louis Post-Dispatch, died aboard his yacht in Charleston harbor Sunday. The immediate cause of his death was heart failure.

Slayton, the new town on the Sant Fe cut-off, is qualifying fast as "one of the best in the state." It had a fire and it started in the printing office.



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LORAINÉ LOCALS

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

Paul Terrell was here last Saturday to spend the day with his uncle, W. T. Mullin, and take in the show. Prof. J. Stone River went to Dallas last Friday night to take in the Fair, returning Monday morning.

Mrs. W. T. Mullin and daughter, Doris Lee, left Wednesday night for Aspermont, where Mrs. Mullin will teach school this winter.

Rev. J. W. Smith preached his farewell sermon at the Methodist church last Sunday night before going to the annual conference. His many friends here are hoping he will be returned to Lorainé the coming year.

Rev. Ben Riechberg was announced to have preached at the Baptist church last Sunday, but owing to the late arrival of the train he was forced to forego the service. He spent the day here Monday.

Gene Smalley has received a full set of new tires for his auto, and is knocking around considerably.

Thos. Q. Mullin drove over from orado last Sunday afternoon and spent the night with his son, W. T. Mullin and family. He returned Monday morning accompanied by his granddaughter, Doris Lee, who made a short visit to relatives before leaving for Aspermont.

E. N. Riden made a business trip to Colorado last Monday.

J. L. Elliott was here Monday from Lakshock, looking after his interests in this section.

N. W. Garrett, a prosperous farmer from Kouse, Texas, was here last week the guest of his brother-in-law, A. M. Jackson.

Earl Jackson, county clerk and courteous deputy county clerk, was here Monday on a visit to home folks, and also circulating among his many friends.

W. H. Hurd went to Colorado last Monday on a business trip.

V. D. Payne and wife and Irwin Brown and wife went to Colorado Monday and Tuesday nights to attend the show.

O. M. Mitchell was here from Colorado last Tuesday.

W. A. Nabours and Miss M. Nabours of Coleman were visitors in our city this week.

J. L. Mayfield was here from Baltimore, Md., this week.

Mrs. C. H. Earnest and daughter, Martha, Mrs. J. T. Harness and Mrs. Anna Simon were here from Colorado last Tuesday.

Dr. J. A. Copeland, of DeKalb, formerly a resident of Lorainé, is here this week greeting old friends and looking after business.

Rev. C. H. Little, of Ranger, was the guest of his brother-in-law, J. W. Frost and family, this week.

We received a complimentary season ticket to all foot-ball games to be played in Austin this season. We are very grateful for this, and as Austin is only a short distance from here, we may step over and take in a few.

Dr. A. L. Fuller was here Monday and Tuesday. He reports that he is going to locate in Colorado and will be a frequent visitor to Lorainé.

Mrs. E. L. Petty, of Hico, who has been the guest of her son, W. L. Petty, and family, left for Plovanna Tuesday to visit relatives there before returning to her home.

E. V. Johnson and E. M. Andrews were here from Brownwood this week on a business trip.

J. H. Gregg was a visitor to Hemphill Tuesday.

Hubert Toler and Robert Henthorn attended the show in Colorado Tuesday night.

Mrs. Ekker, who has been visiting Mrs. T. R. Bennett the past two weeks, returned to Roscoe Monday.

Hubert Toler and wife, J. W. Frost and wife, B. Groves and Miss Hays, constituted a theatre party to Colorado Tuesday night.

J. W. Halton and Miss Oma Gregg attended the show in Colorado Tuesday night.

O. C. Wellborn, erstwhile Lorainite, was here Wednesday greeting old friends.

Mrs. J. M. Martin came in from Seymour this week and will visit her son, Dr. T. A. Martin and family this winter.

Lee May is the proud father of a fine boy, born last Monday.

Fayette Hart is stepping around to the tune of a new girl in his home, born last Wednesday.

Mrs. V. A. Roberts and daughter and Mrs. John Higginbotham attended the box supper last Tuesday night.

Earl Merriman and wife, of Baird, were the guests of C. M. Thompson and family Wednesday.

Mrs. M. A. Altman is visiting her daughter in Hamlin this week.

Mrs. R. H. Coon has a fine baby boy, born Wednesday. It will be remembered that Mr. Coon died last Spring about three months after his marriage.

L. W. Rhodes' float team became frightened at the train Wednesday and pulled off a runaway. This is the second time this team has pulled off this stunt, but this time, aside from damage to float and harness, no one was hurt.

All Home Again.
About all the visitors to the Dallas Fair have returned home, and we hear various accounts of what they saw and how they saw it. Each one seems to have seen something all to himself that the other fellow overlooked.

Charlie Reeder doesn't have much to say, but looks mighty serious when the fair is mentioned. Clint McCullum seems to have fared the worst of any. He was touched for his return ticket and his loose change.

All report having had a bully good time and enough fun to last them till the next Fair.

Hallow'en Fair.
The Hallow'en Fair, given by the ladies of the Home Mission Society at the residence of Mrs. A. S. Dees last Friday night was a signal success from an artistic as well as a beneficial standpoint. A pumpkin Jack-o-lantern stood sentinel just outside the front door, and the arriving guests were met just inside the door by the cutest little spook ever dressed for the part.

The fish pond, the fortune teller, the chamber of horrors and the candy table were liberally patronized, while the lunch room was never idle.

Music, vocal and instrumental, by some of our best local talent, furnished an attractive feature to the occasion.

Delayed a Week.
The match "12" game, which was to have been pulled off between Lorainé and Colorado last Monday night was postponed till next Monday on account of the plays in the opera house in Colorado. Our "12" players are keen for the encounter and hope nothing more will happen to prevent the meet.

Those who will go from where are: Dr. W. H. Henthorn, Hubert Toler, Lon Beach, J. E. Stowe, W. J. Dixon, Harry Hall, W. T. Mullin, V. D. Payne, C. B. Reeder, Mit Cranfield, J. Stone Rives and Robert Henthorn. This line up constitutes as fast a team of

"12" players as can be found anywhere, and Colorado might as well make up her mind that she is up against the real thing.

Debate on the 8th.
Judge J. D. Barker, of Roby, Universalist, will be here next Wednesday, the 8th, to engage in two debates with A. R. Lawrence, of this city. The debating will begin at 10:00 a. m.

Both are conceded to be able and forceful debaters, and the event is looked forward to with keen interest.

Hallow'en Freaks.
It was evident from shifted signs, overturned outhouses and gateless gates Wednesday morning that Hallow'en had been observed in Lorainé.

We heard of a few instances where the harness had been loosed and the taps removed from a few vehicles. There are some pranks that are permissible and even enjoyable, but when it comes to endangering valuable property and even human life, humor ceases and the case becomes serious. Fortunately, no runaways occurred.

A Right to Kiek.
Editor of the Record:— Will you allow me space in which to notice an article in last week's paper, headed "Stop Kieking," signed by W. H. Moeser, chairman of the fire committee, and A. W. Cooksey, fire chief? The "Alleged Water Experts" made no effort to publish their complaint, but now that the finding is published I think the voters and taxpayers should be made acquainted with the nature of the complaint. The fire plug at the corner of Cypress and Second streets was installed upon my petition made before the city council some months ago, and when I found that it was proposed to make the connection with five three-quarter inch taps in the water main I made such a protest that Mr. Coleman ordered ten of these taps used. After finding that my continued kieking would result in no further improvement, I got up the petition signed by all interested property owners asking the council to condemn the plug. Now Mr. Moeser, by his position, must hold either, that a four-inch fire plug would furnish too much water to handle a fire, in which case he might fear the drowning of some innocent bystander and the consequent suit against his department, or on the other hand he might contend that ten three-quarter inch taps are sufficient to feed a four-inch plug. In this case I suggest that he appeal to the first sixteen-year-old school boy passing his shop for enlightenment. As one of the tax payers of the city I hold that it is not only my privilege but my duty to kiek when called upon to pay for a service which I do not receive. I insist that no proper test has been made of this plug. Had Mr. Moeser removed the nozzle from one line of hose he would have found the other line suddenly quit business, which would not have been the case had a four-inch stream of water been fed into this plug.

A. L. SCOTT.

Technicalities, Not Common Sense.
Presiding Judge Henry M. Furman, of the Oklahoma Court of criminal appeals, hits the nail squarely on the head and drives it home:

"If the appellate courts of the United States would take the same view of the enforcement of law that the English take, there would be more respect for law and more confidence in our courts, and life and property would be as safe here as in England," says Judge Furman. "What the people of the United States need is more plain common sense justice that the people can understand, and not so much regard for technicalities which constitute only so much learned nonsense, and which no man can understand unless he is a skilled lawyer. Too much regard for technical rules sacrifices substance to form and makes the shadows and cobwebs of antiquity more important than the enforcement of justice and the punishment of criminals. . . . We believe it to be our duty to give to the people of Oklahoma, as nearly as we can do so, a system of criminal jurisprudence based alone upon justice and supported by reason, which will afford to every man, be he poor or rich, full protection in his rights, and also secure to the people at large the due execution of the laws of the state.

"Some appellate courts act as though it were their duty to hold that everything done in the trial court is irregular until proven by the state that the proceedings were regular.

"We think the safer and better rule is to presume that everything done in a court of record is regular until the contrary is made to appear, and to place the burden upon the party complaining of the action of the trial court to show how he was injured thereby. This, as we understand it, is the ground work and foundation of the doctrine of harmless error."

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Government's Canal Policy.

With the nearing of the completion of the Panama Canal, a question that is beginning to loom large, and which will be considered during the coming congress is the policy that shall be applied to the ministration of this great governmental enterprise.

There are two factions in both branches of congress with two distinct policies where canal administration is concerned. While both are intent upon the management of the canal in such a fashion as will insure free and unfavored competition, one group of statesmen believe that this can be accomplished by legislation regulating private enterprises engaged in this territory, which another element is insistent that this can only be accomplished by governmental ownership of a line of ships to be built expressly for this trade.

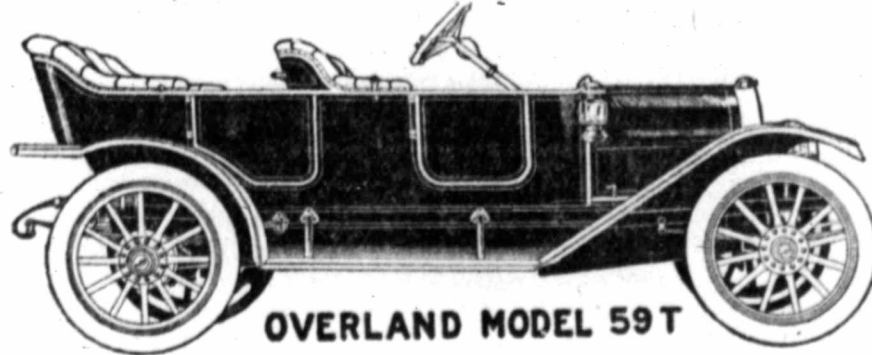
Senator Bristow, of Kansas, who has made an exhaustive study of the affairs of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, its relations to the trans-continental railroads and its suppression of competition by water, is a determined advocate of the governmental control of the canal in such a manner as to assure that it will be a real competitor of the railroads. He and Senator Cummins, of Iowa who wishes Uncle Sam to build and operate a fleet of vessels for isthmian transportation will work together in formulating a logical and feasible program to be presented for the consideration of Congress this winter.

It is quite certain to get the contract. To quiet such rumors, a definite policy of the Government relative to the administration of the canal service must be worked out and announced as speedily as possible. Legislation will be proposed early, and pushed with such vigor as to secure its enactment before the end of this season of Congress.

Being Dumb, Yet Swearth.

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 30.—Pleading guilty to swearing at his wife in the sign language, August Carrado, a deaf mute was fined ten dollars in the police court. He had been charged with using "loud and profane language," but when hauled into court explained that he could not hear or speak. The word "loud" was stricken out of the charge, and he pleaded guilty to using "profane" language, toward his wife, who is also a mute.

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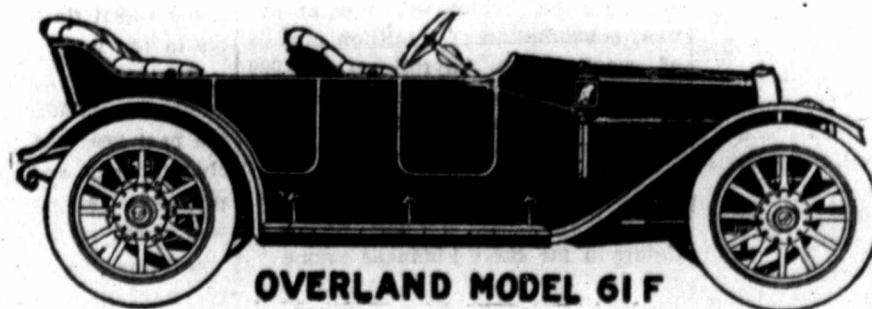
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Seniors Hallowe'en Party.

The dignified seniors laid aside their dignity on Tuesday eve and enjoyed the Hallowe'en to the fullest. Chaperoned by their much loved teacher, Miss Ellis, who always enjoys seeing them have a good time as well as good lessons, they met at the home of Miss Irene Whipkey at eight-thirty, all in ghost costumes. They were taken through lover's lane before they were allowed to enter the house. These lads and lassies realize that the course of true love is rough indeed if it is anything like the lane. It led around the house over all kinds of obstructions, such as sticks of wood, boxes, tubs, etc., and in order that it might be harder to travel the victims had to be silent and were blindfolded. When they entered the house much fun was had by each one trying to find out who the other was. After many groans and much giggling the masks were removed, sheets were thrown off and all kind of Hallowe'en stunts were indulged in. The young people found out at just what age in life they would marry, and if they were not to marry, just what other sad fate would befall them.

Miss Irene was assisted by Misses Fannie and Lela Farmer in serving delicious chocolate and angels' food.

The goodnights had a note of sadness as the young people realized that this would be their last hallowe'en as high school pupils. The prize for the best mask fell to Mr. Bruce Aycock.

CHICAGO MERCHANT MAKES STATEMENT.

After Spending Thousands of Dollars and Consulting the Most Eminent Physicians, He Was Desperate.

CHICAGO, ILLS.—Mr. J. G. Becker, of 134 Van Buren St., a well-known wholesale dry goods dealer, states as follows:

"I have had catarrh for more than thirty years. Have tried everything on earth and spent thousands of dollars for other medicines and with physicians, without getting any lasting relief, and can say to you that I have found Peruna the only remedy that has cured me permanently.

"Peruna has also cured my wife of catarrh. She always keeps it in the house for an attack of cold, which it invariably cures in a very short time."

NEW CARS ON THE T. C. RAILROAD

New Modern Pullman Electric Lighted Sleeping Cars to be Operated On T. C. Railroad.

Mr. H. D. Sperry, General Passenger Agent of the Texas Central Railroad announces that his company will receive from the shops on or about September 18, 1911, new modern electric lighted latest pattern Pullman tourist sleeping cars, which will be operated between Waco and Rotan on trains No. Three and Four.

The new pattern electric lighted sleeping car is the best and most convenient accommodation yet devised for the use of the traveling public and the Texas Central Railroad people are to be commended for their thoughtfulness and enterprise in placing this service on their line.

This is merely another of the many innovations provided by the Texas Central Railroad in the interest of its patrons.

Fuel Conditions.

I have run short on wood of late caused by my shippers not being able to get it loaded.

I will have plenty soon, as it is already bought.

I have plenty of good coal and have orders placed with good shippers for future shipments to bountifully supply the town.

W. W. PORTER.

A plan to build a \$250,000 woolen mill in San Angelo will be divulged to San Angelo business men by J. T. Sanderson at a director's meeting in the chamber of commerce rooms this afternoon. Mr. Sanderson proposes to erect the mill, which will have an annual consumption of a million pounds of wool and a payroll of \$10,000 monthly, with the aid of San Angelo capital.—Standard, Nov. 31.

To the People of Colorado.

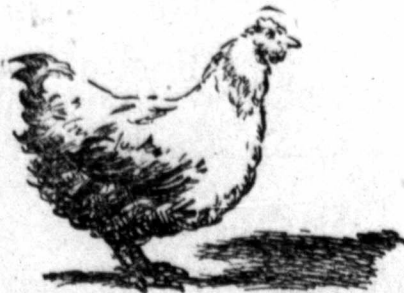
I desire to thank the good people of Colorado for their kindness to me at the time of and during convalescence from the accident which deprived me of my arm. I am unable to express my gratitude in words, but shall live so as to show it in deeds. To Drs. Ratliff and Coleman in particular do I wish to express my appreciation of their services. The people of Colorado shall ever have a warm place in my heart.

Very Gratefully,
J. J. McDANIEL.

The Texas Hen

The Texas hen is the queen of the barnyard. Her cackle sounds as musical to the farmer as the clink of gold dollars and her flesh is the daintiest of food. We ship live and dressed poultry to the Northern and Eastern markets and give the nation its Sunday dinner.

The hen is the patron of mechanics, science and art and is further advanced in civilization than any other animal. She is a splendid advertiser, a good money maker and she uses no many labor-saving devices that she lives a life of ease and luxury. The incubator relieves her of the necessity of hatching her young; her nest is built by master mechanics; glass eggs take the place of the home-made product for decoy purposes and she roosts on automobiles. She is progressive, practical and happy and merrily sings as she lays 5,000,000 eggs per day.



The egg is the only animal product that is good for food and will produce its specie. It is the only product known to creation that has a dual commercial value and it finds its way to every table in the universe.

The poultry business in Texas has reached mammoth proportions. During the past year the total production, including eggs and young poultry, approximated \$25,000,000. The egg output was worth \$18,000,000. The Texas hen lays three times her value per annum. We have approximately 25,000,000 domestic fowls. We have more turkeys and geese than any other state in the Union.

Poultry farming in Texas is one of the most profitable of investments. Our natural conditions are adapted to the propagation of domestic fowls and their products and it is one of the many industrial fields in Texas, which present large opportunities to small investors.

TEXAS INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Corpus Christi is to have new water works soon at a cost of \$250,000.

Rock Salt in paying quantities has been found about forty miles west of Amarillo.

During the past thirty years 29,962,000,000 feet of timber were cut in Texas.

A half million dollar bond issue for road improvement is being planned in Bowie county.

Randall county is represented by four cars of fine cattle at the Kansas City Fat Stock Show.

It is estimated that the pea crop of Henderson county will approximate a half million dollars.

One hundred farmers near San Angelo have formed a company for ginning and milling purposes.

The civic and commercial clubs of El Campo are beautifying the city by an extensive park movement.

The County commissioners of Nacogdoches county have recently bought a steam tractor for road work.

About fifty of Rockport's leading men, headed by the Commercial Club from that city, recently made an inspection visit to Aransas Pass.

Galveston, Chambers and Jefferson counties will jointly construct an inter-county highway in the near future.

There is \$100,000,000 invested in the oil industry in Texas and there are 1250 miles of pipe line in the state.

There are 19,576,976 acres of improved land in Texas. Approximately half of this is devoted to raising cotton.

According to a recent report of the city tax collector, Waco's taxable values increased \$2,750,000 in the past year.

During the period from June 7, 1911 to Sept. 1, 1911, eighteen state banks have been authorized to do business in Texas.

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If you knew how much lard your grocer sells couldn't you tell pretty well how much indigestion there is in the neighborhood? Lard is made from hog fat and is often indigestible. It is heavier in your stomach than on the scales. Buy Cottolene, however, and you get a vegetable-oil cooking fat that is as pure and wholesome as olive oil. Besides, Cottolene is more economical than butter or lard—one-third less being required.

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Commercial Club a state experimental farm has been established near that city.

The total money value of the 1910-1911 cotton crop was \$261,840,389, an increase of \$47,441,386 over the preceding year.

The San Benito Commercial Club is inaugurating a campaign for street paving, drainage, sewerage and cement sidewalks.

It is estimated that Texas has 125,000,000 acres of land suitable for growing cotton. At present there are 10,088,000 acres in cotton.

Shipments of tobacco from the demonstration farm at Nacogdoches have been forwarded to Washington for fermentation and tests.

The Texas Midcoast Industrial Congress has planned to give lectures, illustrated with colored moving pictures at the Chicago Land Show.

Houston & Texas Central surveyors have completed a survey from Giddings at Stone City and construction work will begin immediately.

Plainview is to have a \$600,000 sugar factory. It has been clearly de-

monstrated that beets grown in that territory contain 17 per cent. sugar.

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In the pages of the Saturday Evening Post and other periodicals, you will hear much about Royal Tailored clothes this Fall.

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IN THE GRET MICHIGAN LUMBER FORESTS.

Some Experiences and Observations by One Who Was There.

BY W. E. BERRY.

We were doing some big work now. Ten horse and ten ox teams were putting in the river 60,000 feet of logs per day. Roads were good—four feet of snow on the level. We had a jolly crew of boys; singing and dancing was the order at night, but the nights were short—supper at nine and breakfast at nine—two suppers in one night the boys said, or two meals by lamp-light. The horse teams generally made one trip before daylight. They carried their lanterns swung from the end of the wagon tongues to see the way. The choppers and scorers went to work before daybreak. The cook's day was from three in the morning until eleven at night. I remember one year my mother-in-law cooked for one hundred men with only a girl to help. In baking lightbread she used to bake one barrel of flour every day except Sunday. I have never seen men who ate so much since. The pine gave them appetite. The weather was very cold at times. I remember one time the glass was 39 below zero. The pine trees snapped and cracked that day, but with our warm clothing and felt boots we did not mind it. We were wishing for the Spring to open up now so we could go on the river log driving, and one of the first things we did at the first sign of approaching Spring was to get our outfits ready. A good cook must be hired, a stout wagon and team, a large tent, and double blankets for covering, must be procured; also a small boat to cross the river and carry lunches to the men. The cook, with his outfit, keeps one day in advance of the drive. Each man provides himself with a pair of long river boots. These boots we chaulk or spike by driving about fifty of these small nails about one-half inch in length in each boot to keep from slipping off the log. We also have a tool we call the peevy. This is a short, stout piece of timber, with a spike in the end and a hook attached to one side, which is used as a cant hook. This is a log-driver's outfit. But he often loses this tool; especially when he falls off the logs—then he has to buy a new one. This is the "new-comers" time. The most important part of a driver's experience commences right now, for I want to tell you that driving logs is no tame occupation, especially when the waters are icy cold and there is a raging current behind the jam. And when the key log is found and the jam—miles in length—is in motion it sometimes makes a man step twice on one foot, for often the heavy flood of water behind forces the logs on top of each other four or five deep. This is a time when a man wants two sets of eyes. If a man ever

falls on the logs he is gone up salt creek for sure, for once under a jam solid jam of logs there is no way of getting out, for the logs may run eight or ten miles before they jam again. One crew of men stay behind to sack logs. This consists of getting logs that have been forced up on the bank by the current back into the river. In doing this they often have to carry the logs, and sometimes have to wade out into the river waist deep. No one attempts to keep dry and cold seldom result from such exposure, but when a man gets old the rheumatism gives him Glory Hallalujah, at least, that is the condition in which I find myself. There is no chance to exchange wet clothes for dry ones until the day's work is done, and we sometimes had to sleep in them all night.

The men get three good meals a day and two lunches. Some parts of the river is rocky and such places are dangerous. One who sees these men at work on the logs often wonders that so few accidents occur.

Breaking jams and breaking roadways is the most dangerous work that a riverman has to do. Where the river channel is narrow and rocks and snags protrude jams form, and sometimes there will be millions of feet of logs in one jam, and at times no water can be seen—nothing but logs. Plenty of nerve and judgment is required of the man detailed to find the key log in a jam, for at times one log will be the key that holds ten thousand others. The pressure from above is so great that the moment this log is pried loose the great mass of logs begin to move. Here is the danger for the men, for all are on a mass of logs that are rolling over and over one another. A man wants to keep his feet on the top logs if he can, for at times they get caught in the moving logs and are unable to extricate themselves, while the men ashore can do nothing to help him, knowing it to be madness to make an attempt at rescue. The "boss" on an outfit like this has his hands full from the time he starts the jam on the way until he gets to little lake at Pere Marquette. Then is taken in charge by the "Boom Company." This company guides the logs safely to the different saw mills on the lake. They are responsible for the safety of all logs delivered to them. When the logs are cut in the lumber woods, on each one is cut the registered mark of the owner, cut deep into the surface near one end. The scaler puts his mark on the end of a log with a hammer and some letter or figure. Log sorters walk over the logs with perfect ease and unconcern, which can only come from long experience. With their feet they whirl the log over in the water to ascertain the owner, then directs them to the boom which carries them to the owner's mill. The lumber mills on the river in 1883 cut four hundred million feet of lumber. The modern machinery of a saw mill makes it possible to cut a log and sort it into a number of different kinds of lumber in the time that would have been required under the old process of sawing to cut the first slab off the log. Four hundred thousand feet of lumber has been cut by a single mill in twelve hours. The lumber-jacks, loggers and river drivers used to be a strong, hardy race of men, used to enduring hardships, but still enjoying their out-of-door life in winter as well as summer. The beauty and romance which has always been associated with the pine woods makes it seem only appropriate that the journey of the logs to their destination at the mills should be by this fantastic trip down the river, and oftentimes we feel sorry to have to leave them. In these few lines I have tried to lay before my readers the life in the lumber woods. I have shown you how a log is cut, sawed and drawn to the river and floated to its destination at the saw mills. I have worked in the woods at all kinds of work, from a swamper, to a teamster, then a foreman and lastly a "scaler," the highest top notch; and I have got to thank P. M. Donahoe for that. He is the man that forced me to accept this job, when I refused it. It happened in this way: I had worked for him five years at all kinds of work except scaling; also worked two summers in his saw mill. He knew me, and I knew him. At that time he was running a large camp on the river. I was horse teamster at that time. The head scaler took sick, and there was no other scaler there, so he came to me and said: "Berry, I want you to take the scaler's place and finish up this contract I have." I was surprised at this remark, and said, "Mr. Donahoe, you know I have no education whatever." He said, "I don't care a damn about your education. What I want is a man that knows what he looks at a saw log what there is in-

side of it. I know you have worked in my saw mills two years and seen all kinds of logs sawed into boards and piece stuff, and this is the kind of man I want." I said, "you must excuse me, I don't know the multiplication table." He said: "Any dam fool can show you that, but I can't get any fool to see the inside of a saw log like you." I was compelled to accept the job. A young friend of mine from England was at the camp; he had a good education and he advised me to take the job and he would help me in figures. And he did. I sent after some school books and I soon found out that "where there is a will there is a way." This is how I got to be a log scaler. Since that time I have scaled eighty-five million feet of lumber for the following companies: Donahoe & Melendy Co., E. B. Ward Co., O. S. Stanfield & Co., Roby Lumber Co., Butler & Peters Co.

I left Michigan in 1883 for the state of Maryland. But I like old Michigan. I spent the best part of my life there. There I found my wife; there my oldest children were born.

From there I started on my trip around the world, and it was there I returned again and married. I could tell you lots of things about Ludington in its young days, before it was a city. Many dark deeds were done there by the rough set. But it was a city with good order before I left. I am going to take one more look at the city some day if I live; and I have some friends there yet, or think I have.

My advice to all young men who want to go river driving or log driving as it is called, learn the art of swimming first. If not you carry your life in your hands many times during the driving season. Some men become experts in this business. I have seen them stand on a log and roll it so fast that you could not see the log for water. They can lay down on the log and drink out of the river, or turn a hand spring on it while the log is in the water and going so fast that a man could play checkers on his coat tail. An expert chopper can chop off the large end of a log 25 inches in diameter with an axe and not leave the mark of the axe on it. You would think the log had been planed it having been cut so smoothly.

I oftentimes think of the happy days I have spent in the lumber woods with a jolly crew of boys. We used to have lots of fun with dances and games; and then to think of the hardships we had to contend with. Many cold feet and hands, and many a ducking in the cold icy waters in the month of March, with snow oftentimes four feet deep.

After the drive was all over we boys would cross the lake to Chicago or Milwaukee and take in the city, perhaps for two months, until our money was all gone, then return again to the woods and make one more stake. I heard Bro. W. M. Elliott in a sermon one Sunday tell a little about the slums of Chicago. I could tell Bro. Elliott more about Wells Street, Clark Street and State Street in thirty minutes than he could find out in a year. For there is lots of joy in living most any time you name. For if the sky is dark or fair its all about the same; For the hours pass by like butterflies, in the lumber woods, long ago. And if a trial or two did come now and then There was always more joy than we.

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Thinks Harle Will be Released.

United States Attorney W. H. Atwell, of the northern district of Texas, was among the visitors to Abilene Sunday, and left over the Texas & Pacific this morning for his home.

Mr. Atwell has been interesting himself, with J. F. Cunningham of this city, in behalf of Dr. Charles Harle, son of Mrs. A. L. Harle, of Abilene, who is confined in a Mexican penitentiary on a twenty-year sentence. Mr. Atwell, some months ago, visited Dr. Harle at San Juan de Ulna, off the mainland of Vera Cruz.

"I am hopeful," said Mr. Atwell, "that Dr. Harle will be released in the not distant future. I believe that justice, though tardy, is about to triumph."—Abilene Reporter.

Rains at \$800 per Rain.

Post, Garza County, Tex., Oct. 30.—At the rain-making experiment here 1,500 two-pound charges of dynamite were fired along a two-mile line in about an hour.

Clouds gathered thick within five hours, and rain began falling, continuing all night and most of the next day, covering a space of about twenty miles square.

This makes three rains produced this season, two when badly needed, and that practically saved the crops. Each rain cost about \$800, and is considered a fine investment. It is declared that this means much for Texas.

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Mr. J. G. Doby put a small patch of cotton under irrigation this year on unfertilized ground, and this week had it gathered and weighed in the presence of witnesses. The rate of yield was just a trifle less than three 500-pound bales to the acre. This demonstrates what can be done by irrigation on a small scale. The time is not far distant when every farmer will have his own irrigation plant and be independent, in great measure, of the rainfall.

Watch for HOOSIER ad next week. —J. H. GREENE

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In Pica for the Birds.

Now hies the hunter with his gun And pointer pup away, To scour the prairies, beat the brush— To cripple, maim and slay.

Some innocent and gentle life He takes at each report; But he justifies the murder In the name of manly sport.

But if his pup be only cuffed By another slayer's hand, 'Twould be a dirty trick—a crime For which he wouldn't stand.

We have never been able to understand why an able bodied man, with plenty to eat, wanted to tramp over the fields all day and kill every bird that rose up before him. We can justify it if done to procure food, but the wanton killing of birds for the alleged sport it affords, has always seemed to us sheer cruelty. The brotherhood of man is wider than the human relationship. Our kinship with the forms of life below us we cannot deny if we would. The beasts and the birds are our humbler brothers, earlier born. Our pathway of progress has lain through them up to the heights we have obtained. In some way, through the creative providence of God, they have been the unconscious servants, lifting us up to our larger life.

Of the birds it is said, "they sow not neither do, they reap, nor gather into barns; yet your Heavenly Father feedeth them." The cattle, too, on a thousand hills, are His. "He openeth His hand and supplieth the wants of every living thing." His care is for them as truly as for us.

He who feels this tie that binds him to the sentient life below him, and sees them as objects of the same loving care, gracious and infinite interest, must look upon them with kinder eyes than those with which men behold them, who can wantonly slaughter them in the name of sport and recreation. They, too, have rights, just as sacred and God-given as our own, which it is his, their stronger and wiser brother, to acknowledge and to defend.

Dry Sunday at Galveston.

Last Sunday, for the first time in the history of the city, Galveston's saloons were closed. The announcement from the comptroller's office at Austin, that 47 saloon licenses at Galveston were to be revoked on account of Sunday violations, had a very salutary effect.

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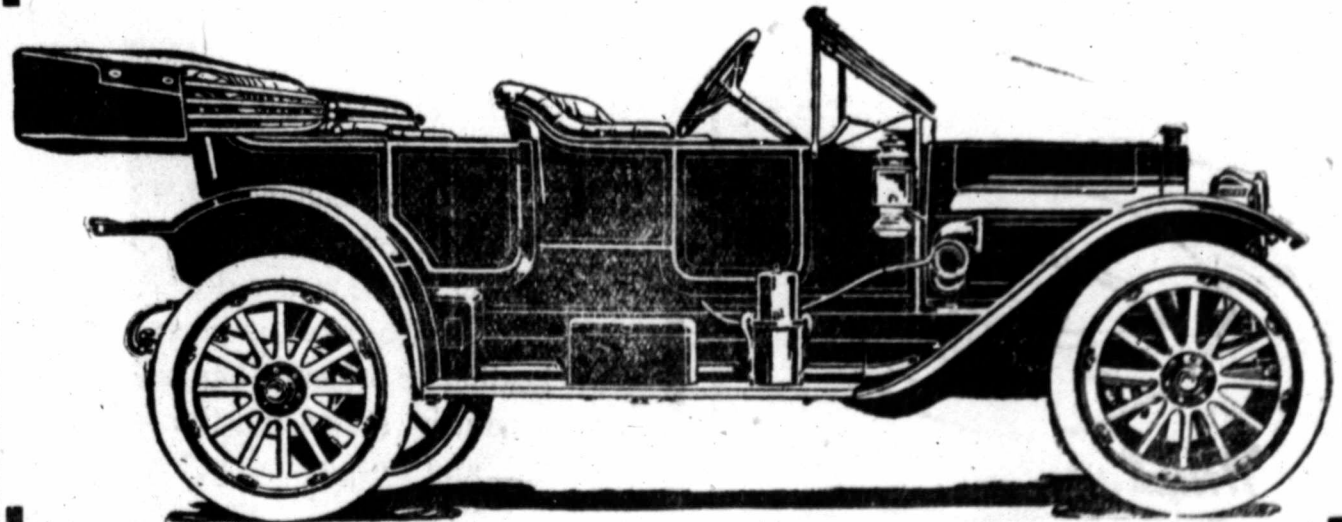
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"Fix me up something to knock the malaria, doctor," remarked a sallow-faced, sickly looking man, entering a prominent physician's office the other day.

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.

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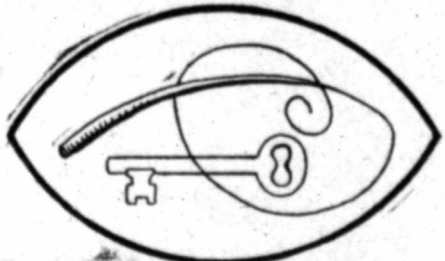
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GOV. COLQUITT CALLS A COTTON CONFERENCE

Composed of Governors and Agricultural
Commissioners--Hopes to Do Something
to Check Slump In Price--Meeting to
Be at New Orleans October 30.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 12--The conference of governors to discuss
ways and means to prevent further reduction in the price of cotton
has been called by Governor Colquitt for October 30 at New Orleans.
In his call, he requests the presence of the governors and commis-
sioners of agriculture of cotton producing states and also representatives
from the different farmers' organizations and the principal banking
institutions and editors of the leading newspapers. His letter follows:

"Believing that the continued decline in the price of cotton was
not justified by the supply and demand, I proposed by telegraph to
the governors of the principal cotton producing states that a confer-
ence of the executives of said states, and the agricultural commis-
sioners of the same, ought to be held for the purpose of devising a
way to check the decline in price of this staple.

"Having received favorable replies from ten of the eleven gov-
ernors communicated with, endorsing the suggestion, I hereby call a
meeting of the governors of the cotton producing states for confer-
ence over this subject to be held in the city of New Orleans, Lou-
isiana, October 30, 1911, beginning at 11 o'clock a. m.

"The commissioners of agriculture of each of the cotton produc-
ing states are also urged to be present, with such data relating to the
condition and yield of the crops in their respective states as they may
have which will aid the conference in forming a better idea as to the
amount of cotton produced.

"The attendance of the heads of farmers' organizations interest-
ed in the growing and marketing of cotton in each of the cotton pro-
ducing states is also desired and respectfully urged.

"I also take the liberty of suggesting that representatives of the
leading or principle banks and financial institutions in all the cotton
producing states and the editors of the principal newspapers be pres-
ent, and I urge their attendance.

"The meeting would have been called earlier, except for the fact
that it was deemed advisable to give at least this much time in order
that substantial facts and data might be collected for consideration of
the members."

The governor has also sent a telegram to each of the governors
of the cotton producing states advising them of the call.

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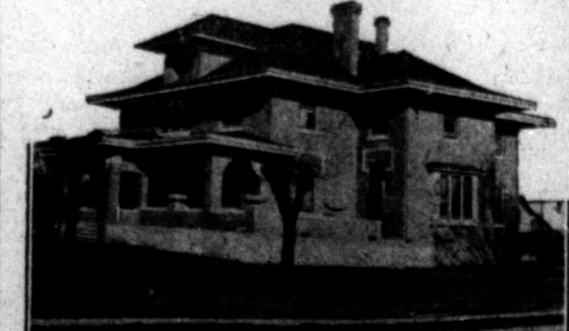
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

Thanksgiving occurs on the 30th, this year.

Judge Smith after spending a few days at home returned to Washington, to make ready for the congressional grind which will begin next month.

We carry a full line of Beech Nut Goods. Nice and fresh. All good to eat.

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N. J. Lanotte of Burnham spent Friday and Saturday in Colorado on business. He reports the sinking of the deep well at that place as progressing very satisfactorily, the drill having gone down about 450 feet, already, but the water is too salty for use. But this will be cased off and work resumed.

What could make a better birthday or Christmas present than the Ladies Home Journal. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey, agent, Phone 157.

Mrs. Henry Doss and children returned from Dallas and the great fair Saturday morning.

Phone 128 for ice cream in any quantity.

"The White Slave Traffic" held the boards at "Shadowland" two nights the past week.

Add the Ladies Home Journal and the Saturday Evening Post to your list of reading matter for the winter. Mrs. Whipkey is agent.

Dr. Fuller, the eye, nose and throat specialist, spent Saturday at Westbrook and Monday at Lorraine. He will visit his family who are now at Garden City, and on his return will decide whether he will permanently locate at Colorado or not. He has met with such encouragement here that, he thinks, by paying regular professional visits to the smaller towns adjacent for a few months, he will develop sufficient practice in his specialties to justify his permanent location.

We have everything in the vegetable line. Give us a trial.

COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

Dr. Willis R. Smith of El Paso, was a Colorado visitor this week.

Watch for HOOSIER ad next week. —J. H. GREENE

Luther Watson of Roswell, N. M., is a Colorado visitor this week.

Mrs. A. J. Hamilton has returned from an extended visit east.

WANTED—A place to work on shares, or a job on farm or ranch. Write or see W. M. CUNNINGHAM, Westbrook, Texas.

"I am pleased to recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as the best thing I know of and safest remedy for coughs, colds and bronchial troubles," writes Mrs. L. B. Arnold, of Denver, Colo. "We have used it repeatedly and it has never failed to give relief." For sale by all dealers.

A. C. Saunders, who was formerly sales agent at this place, but who has recently been stationed at Sweetwater, is on the job here again, and will be in charge of the office until after Christmas.

Our White Crest Flour is always the best. Order a sack and try it. Fully guaranteed.

COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

Mr. and Mrs. May, of Colorado Springs, spent Tuesday with their cousin, Floyd eHal.

Roy Buchanan, who has been on a visit with his parents the last few weeks, returned this week to Chihuahua, Mexico, where he has a lucrative position as civil engineer.

Let me place a machine in your home for a ten days free trial.—J. H. GREENE.

Edward Brush is regarded as among the greatest magicians of the age. See him at the Opera House November 10.

Keystone Sliced Pineapple. Best on the market, at the COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

If you have never seen Brush, the great magician, you have missed a rare treat. He will be at the Opera House November 10. See him.

For Cigars, Tobaccos, Cigarettes, Candies, Fruits, Newspapers and Magazines, see Ben Morgan.

Miss eBth Hansell, past mistress of the unconventional vaudeville frivolity, is one of the principals with "Two Merry Tramps," and her volatile impersonation of "Peculiar Julia" has been a decided hit. Opera house, November 9.

We have bucket jelly, 5 and ten lb. sizes for 30 cents and 60 cents.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

J. D. O'Daniel and Dan Hanks, of the San Angelo country are in lower California arranging to feed 10,000 head of sheep there on alfalfa and barley for marketing purposes.

Fresh barrel of cranberries and other vegetables, at the COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

A vast scope of stock raising country, including Sutton, Schleichler, Crockett and Val Verde counties were visited by fine rains this week. The precipitation covered an area of 300 square miles.

Mrs. Doss accompanied Mr. Doss to Dallas Monday night. She will enjoy the fair while he buys drugs.

One of the best merry, jingling, mirth-provoking musical comedy hits, "Two Merry Tramps," will be the attraction at the Opera House, Thursday, November 9.

Mrs. Eliza Pritchett, of Westbrook, spent Saturday in town on business.

If there is anything in the Grocery Line we have it. Give us an order. COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

Mrs. D. N. Arnett went to Stanton Monday for a short visit to her nephew, J. R. Arnett.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet next Monday at four o'clock at the church.

Now is the time to buy that automatic Shot Gun from the COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

FOUND—In the lobby of the post-office two weeks ago, a ladies nice brooch. Owner can get same by applying at the postoffice window, describing the property and paying for this ad at the Record office.

Uncle Pete Snyder renewed for "the Prophet of Mitchell county" this week.

Get a gallon of cooking oil for only 89 cents per gallon and be convinced of its quality. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. A. T. Donaldson, of Westbrook, sets his credit on the Record's list up to 1912. "We must have it to keep house," he declares.

See J. H. Greene for Paints, Varnishes, Oils, Floorfix, White Lead and Window Glass.

Fresh barrel of cranberries and other vegetables, at the COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

Wanted. Good man for garden work at once. J. G. DOBY.

Mrs. F. E. McKinzie spent several days in the city this week, returning home to the ranch Wednesday.

Now is the time to buy that automatic Shot Gun from the COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

The Record was remembered by Dr. N. J. Phenix this week in the disposition of his sweet potato crop, raised on his irrigated patch up the river. They are fine specimens—so fine we do not believe old Van Zandt itself could do better, and the Van Zandt yam leads the world. These potatoes demonstrate that water at the right time and in the right quantities, is the only thing that Mitchell county dirt needs to produce anything, and it requires less water than any other country to do it. By next year we hope to see the doctor raising such potatoes on a much larger scale.

New car of Home Rule flour just received only \$2.70 per hundred pounds. Everybody knows how good it is. Give us a call.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

For Sale.

We have a car load of good young mares and colts, which we will sell cheap. Now is your chance for a bargain. Come see them.

BELL BROTHERS, Westbrook, Texas.

See J. H. Greene for your window glass.

FOR SALE—Some good work horses for sale cheap. Also a good second-hand surry and wagon. See me at the store.—J. P. MCGILL. 11-24c

To meet a demand for comfortable bedrooms, Mr. Hughes has had the Alamo hotel thoroughly put in ship-shape and is leasing the rooms singly or in suite to careful parties. The middle tier of rooms has been removed from the third story, giving a most comfortable and roomy hallway with perfect ventilation; the front of the building has been painted, many of the rooms repapered, and the house rendered otherwise attractive.

The hunting season is near. Now is the time to buy that Shot Gun. We have all kinds.

COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

"Two Merry Tramps," is not one of the ordinary melodramatic "tramp" shows. It is a musical comedy and a tramp show in title only, with a company of eighteen people, which includes a chorus of pretty girls. Operahouse, November 9.

There is little danger from a cold or from an attack of the grip except when followed by pneumonia, and this never happens when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. This remedy has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of colds and grip and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. For sale by all dealers.

All kinds of magazines at Ben Morgans.

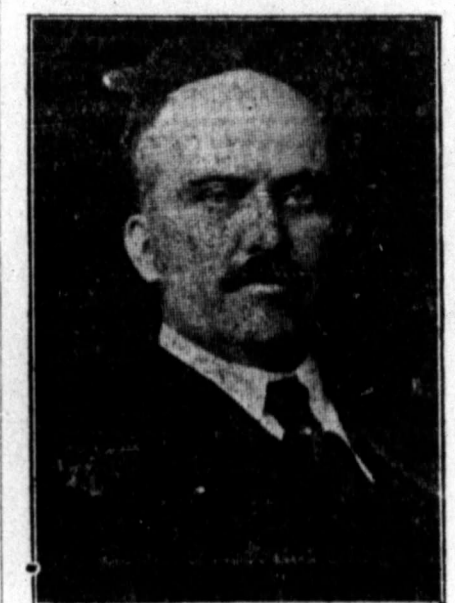
WEST'S EXHIBIT OF GREAT IDEAS

A CONVENTION OF MEN WITH PLANS AT KANSAS CITY NOV. 14 TO 17.

The Trans-Mississippi Congress, With Colonel Fred Fleming at Its Head, Will Hear the Aldrich Arguments and the Hadley and Stubbs Side, Too.

The Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, which meets in Kansas City Nov. 14 to 17, will hear ex-Senator Aldrich argue his currency reform. It is the Monetary Commission's first public declaration to the people of the West, and more than four hundred bankers and financiers from over the nation will gather to hear the author of the plan, which he claims will make the country panic proof, explain the merits of its context. But everyone does not favor the bill, and the opponents will also be present to voice dissenting opinions, and express other ideas of ridding the country of its present financial tightness.

For this is what the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress is for—to discuss the things that are wrong and propose remedies. It is, in fact, the



COLONEL FRED FLEMING, Vice-President of the Kansas City Life Insurance Co., Who is President of the Trans-Mississippi Congress and Will Preside at All Sessions.

Western clearing house for ideas, and the national legislators pay strict attention to the expressions of this clearing house.

The congress has assumed such importance and magnitude that the foremost statesmen, business men, law makers, farmers and financiers of the country attend it in order to catch the drift of public opinion. At this meeting will be at least six of the twenty governors who rule the territory covered by the congress. Governor Herbert Hadley of Missouri, will open the congress with an address of welcome and in this address he will sound the keynote of the import of the meeting. Governor John Burke of North Dakota, who is president of the Missouri River Improvement Association, will speak on the Upper Missouri River. Governor C. A. Aldrich of Nebraska, will talk on The Regulation of Inter-State Rates and Their Relation to the Producer and Consumer. Governor O. B. Colquitt of Texas, Governor W. R. Stubbs of Kansas and Governor John F. Shafroth of Colorado, will make addresses. Nearly two hundred government heads, senators and congressmen will attend the meeting. Darwin P. Kingsley, president of the New York Life Insurance Company, will speak on Life Insurance and Justice, and Fred



GOV. HERBERT S. HADLEY, Of Missouri, Who Will Deliver the Address of Welcome and Serve as a Member of the Program Committee.

W. Fleming, vice-president of the Kansas City Life Insurance Company, is president of the congress this year and will preside at all meetings.

Champ Clark, speaker of the House of Representatives, who is talked of for president, will address the congress during its four-days' session, and he chooses his own subject. S. M. Sparkman, chairman of the House Committee on Rivers and Harbors, will also attend. Some of the speakers on the improvement of waterways are: Walter S. Dickey of Kansas City, president of the Kansas City-Missouri River Navigation Company; Charles W. K. Kavanaugh of St. Louis, Congressman William P. Borah and Congressman Charles F. Boehrer.

Senator William E. Borah of Idaho and Alva Adams, former governor of

Colorado, will speak on the reclamation of land by drainage and irrigation. David R. Francis of St. Louis, former governor of Missouri, and John L. Powell, president of the Southwestern Shippers' Association, will be among those who will talk on interstate rates.

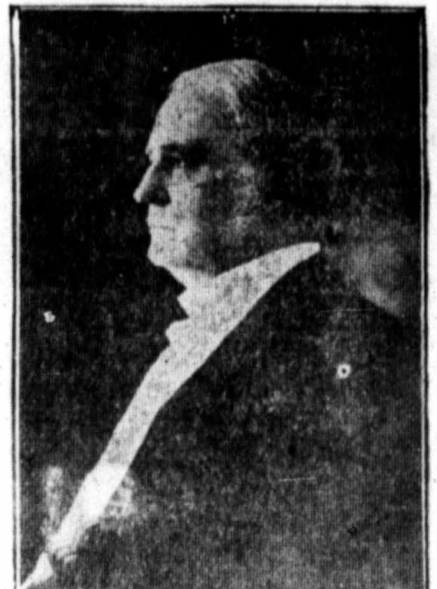
From every state west of the Mississippi River, and from Alaska, Hawaii and the Philippine Islands scores of delegates will come, ripe with ideas and suggestions to place before the congress. From each state of the Trans-Mississippi country, will come twenty delegates, created so by their governor's appointment, and from each commercial club, board of trade, chamber of commerce, clearing house association and any other business or industrial organization so desiring, not more than ten delegates will take part in the deliberations of this congress.

It is a "free Forum" of the West, in which all peoples and classes participate. Through its efforts millions of dollars have been appropriated for waterways and irrigation improvements in the West, and scores of laws have been passed by the national congress regulating the commercial conduct of the country.

The Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress was organized in 1891, though its real birth was in Denver in the eighties, when Governor Alva Adams of Colorado, called into session the deep waterways interests. Other organizations whose object was practical waterways were also existent. The West, though it had grown into a country of wealth and prominence, was unable, because of a lack of political prestige, to obtain appropriations from congress for improving its waterways. The East, skilled in using the power of politics, "got the money." Tiring of such treatment, Kansas struck the first blow for recognition by calling a Western States Convention to be held in Kansas City, April 14 to 17, in 1891.

Men of national prominence answered the call, and for an infant step the move was a success. Later in the year in Manitou, Colo., this organization combined with two others of similar object—the Trans-Mississippi Congress and the Deep Water Convention—and formed the existing Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress.

Always first with the congress is river improvements. This year it is especially anxious to father a resolu-



SPEAKER CHAMP CLARK, Who Will Attend the Trans-Mississippi Congress and Deliver an Address. He is a Strong Probability as Democratic Candidate for President.

tion which will result in congress appropriating twenty million dollars for making the Missouri River navigable between Kansas City and St. Louis. The Kansas City-Missouri River Navigation Company, which is now running boats on the river, and the Missouri River Improvement Association are not going to allow the congress to adjourn without adopting a resolution favoring this appropriation. It is very probable that Governor John Burke of South Dakota, interested in the Upper Missouri as its president, will call a special session of the Missouri Improvement Association to meet here in conjunction with the Trans-Mississippi.

This is the third time that the congress has met in Kansas City. It got its swaddling clothes in Kansas City, and again in 1906 when it had assumed powerful proportions, it met here. Convention Hall is designated as the meeting place, though special meetings will be held every morning in downtown theaters. The hall will seat 15,000 persons. As a feature of the entertainment Congressman William P. Borah of Kansas City, has obtained governmental permission to have the Panama pictures exhibited at the congress. Lieutenant George Goethals, son of the head of the Panama work, will show the pictures and talk on the canal. This is the first time the pictures have been shown publicly.

As another feature of entertainment the Kansas City Commercial Club will spread a huge banquet in Convention hall on the night of Nov. 14. In its annual celebration of the John Jay Treaty, particularly appropriate in connection with the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, Fifteen hundred plates will be spread.

Delegates may be appointed by Commercial Clubs, Mayors of cities and towns and boards of county commissioners. Reduced rates have been authorized by the railroads to Kansas City.

New Jewelry Store!



Jas. T. Johnson PROPRIETOR

I have established a first class and strictly up-to-date Jewelry stock in the drug store of Floyd Beal, and

will carry at all times a complete stock of all lines usually kept by jewelry houses, such as Watches, Clocks, Cut Glass, Fine China, Jewelry and precious Stones.

Special Attention to Repairing and Engraving

I make a specialty of fine repairing at lowest charges consistent with good work and material. Give me a trial on your next work.

I ALSO TEST THE EYES AND FIT GLASSES SATISFACTORILY

Jas. T. Johnson

Colorado, - - - Texas

One of the best written, best expressed, best presented musical comedies to visit Colorado this season will be "Two Merry Tramps," that jolly, jingling musical tomfoolery, with the past reputation which is a guarantee that the play is not one of the ordinary melodramatic plays with a short cast, but strictly a musical comedy which contains seventeen original musical numbers and every one of the whistly kind.

Opera House, November 9th.

Select Mebane Cotton Seed.

I have for sale the select Mebane cotton seed. This is the best cotton in the country. 1400 pounds will make a 500-pound bale. Seed cost \$1.00 per bushel I will sell as long as they last for 50 cents per bushel.

G. F. GAULT, On the Radford Farm.

The Cemetery Association met Wednesday with Mrs. W. B. Crockett. A very good report on finances was given. The secretary had written quite a number of former members who live away, and they had almost all responded to her call for help, some of them most liberally. This came as a great help, as the Association was, and still is, in debt. It is hoped that the Odd Fellows will be in a position to pay something by next meeting, as

a great deal of work is needed to be done right now—cleaning off and burning dead weeds and otherwise preparing for the winter months.

The Mexican children who desire to study English are being taught in Mrs. Shaw's yard by some of the high school girls after four o'clock. These children should have the benefit of the public schools, but since they can't get that, this is the next best thing. Don't you want to help this work along by donating a chair or desk or some other needed school room furniture?

ALWAYS WORKS FOR THE SOUTH-WEST.

After you have subscribed for your home paper, then take the El Paso Herald. The Herald is the best daily for you to read, as you get all the late Associated Press news and the special dispatches covering New Mexico, West Texas and Arizona. The Herald's wide circulation is giving us the publicity we need to attract new people and new capital to our section. You can help it in its good work for the southwest by becoming a regular subscriber.

Doss Kidney Pills, Guaranteed.

Phone 56

to send for your
Cleaning and
Pressing.

We have an er-
rand boy who will
come in a hurry,

MANUEL

The Home Tailor

Next Door to Burns & Bell



Revs. W. E. Lyon and Simeon Shaw are attending conference at Plainview this week.

Judge J. L. Shepherd and W. P. Leslie went to Sweetwater Monday to attend district court.

If there is anything in the Grocery Line we have it. Give us an order. COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

J. I. Payne and family came over from Sweetwater Saturday and spent Sunday here with relatives and friends.

What your Tailor?



**Good Custom
Tailored
Clothes,**

can't be furnished be-
low a certain price,
and the man who
buys them for less
will soon discover
that he has spent
money for a costly
experiment. Through
our Chicago tailors

Ed. V. Price & Co.

we are enabled to de-
liver reliable clothes
that we know em-
body fine woollens
cut in latest fashion
and hand needed by
skilled artisans for
the lowest price con-
sistent with quality.
WILL WRIGHT, The Tailor

Hon. W. F. Singleton, general pro-
moter, land and insurance agent, from
Sweetwater—our suburb on the east—
was a Colorado visitor Monday, more,
to keep in touch, he declares, with a
real live town, where they have water
to drink, than from business.

Smoke El Waco Cigars. Ben Mor-
gan has them.

F. A. Winn is attending the meeting
of the Northwest Texas Conference,
which is in session at Plainview this
week.

J. H. Greene hangs your shades
and puts down your matting free.

J. E. Ralph, father of the Ralph
boys here, who is relief-agent of the
T. & P., is visiting his sons for a few
days. He has until recently been con-
nected with the Fort Worth Packing
Company.

A. K. Hawkes' original glasses, the
best on earth, at Doss'.

G. W. Howell is the new second
trick man at the T. & P. depot, vice
B. F. Yates, who has been appointed
agent at Van Horn.

The trains on the old reliable T. &
P. are resuming their regularity of
being behind time not more than two
to three hours, as compared with six
to eight during the fair.

FOR SALE—I now offer for sale
my buggy horses. They are good
drivers and I will sell singly or to-
gether at a bargain.

DR. T. J. RATLIFF.

A special invitation is extended
every man and young man in Colora-
do to hear the lecture at the union
tabernacle next Sunday afternoon, by
Rev. Mr. Dunning of Sweetwater. He
will talk about the Devil as a person-
ality. Whether you believe his Satanic
majesty is a real person or merely
a negative influence, this talk will in-
terest you very much.

Watch for HOOSIER ad next week.
—J. H. GREENE

Dan McCuningham returned from
the state of Chihuahua, Mexico, Sun-
day night with several cars of cattle,
which will be wintered on the Bourne
and McCuningham pasture near Bu-
ford.

Keystone Sliced Pineapple. Best
on the market, at the
COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

You cannot do a more commenda-
ble piece of missionary work than
have a number of the Record's Christ-
mas edition sent back to your friends
east, or to those who contemplate
coming to this section. This edition
of the Record will tell them all about
it. Put in your orders now, so that
your name will be sure to be in the
pot.

Hon Edward W. Smith of Sweet-
water, had legal business in Colorado
Monday. He reports the place "where
the railroads cross" as growing fast-
er than it can change clothes.

Let me do your repair work.—J. H.
Greene.

A walk up to the site of the high
school building shows that the work
is being pushed as fast as is consist-
ent with a thoroughly good job. The
Record believes the people will be
perfectly satisfied with the building
when finished.

Try a package of Aunt Jemima's
Pan Cake flour and Buck-wheat flour
at Colorado Mercantile Co.

On November 10th, the Edwin Brush
Company will appear at the Opera
House as the second in the series of
lyceum entertainments promoted by
the Brotherhood. They are highly
spoken of by the press and the pul-
pit at other places. Better hear them.

Watch for HOOSIER ad next week.
—J. H. GREENE

Brooks Bell, from Colorado, was
here last week. Mr. Bell has been in
business in Colorado for thirty years
and while in Post City met many old
time friends.—Post City Post.

We carry a full line of Beech Nut
Goods. Nice and fresh. All good to
eat.

COLORADO MERCANTILE CO.

S. H. Cromer is now running the
Singer Sewing Machine wagon for J.
H. Greene. He will make sales, col-
lections, rent and repair the Singer.

I want to sell you your clothing.
Best goods for the price. See my
clothing before you buy. I will save
you money.

D. F. GLISSON.

The revival meeting conducted by
Lockett Adair at Big Springs, result-
ed in 150 conversions.

See the program for Thanksgiving
services in this issue. The United
Brotherhood have it in charge.

A company of eighteen farceurs, in-
cluding a chorus of exceptionally pret-
ty girls, is promised at the opera house
Thursday, November 9.

Marquisesettes ❖ 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 com-
plete in all departments, but we wish to
put special emphasis this week on our
SILKS. Come and see them, ladies.
You will be well repaid for your time
and trouble.

Chas. M. Adams

COLORADO, TEXAS

Suesines ❖ Chinas ❖ Luisines ❖ Messalines

"Two Merry Tramps."

"Two Merry Tramps," that familiar
musical comedy will be played at the
opera house November 9. J. K. Vet-
ter is sending this truthful and popu-
lar entertainment on its eleventh
season travels and has limited its
production to one company, which in
its personnel represents a judicious
distribution of the various characters;
among those who have shown their
superiority in previous casts of this
play, J. A. Weaver as Artie Voev-
line alias Prince Newfoundland, who
is mistaken for a real live prince and
who is on a lark, retains his humor-
ous impersonation, ably assisted by
Billy Stanford as Clarence Benjorine.

D. S. Kirk, the contractor, left this
morning for Hamlin where he has
some big cement sidewalk contracts
to fill. He has secured a number of
contracts for work of that character
preparatory to the paving which that
town will do at an early date.—Sweet-
water Reporter.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver
Tablets do not sicken or gripe and
may be taken with perfect safety by
the most delicate woman or the young-
est child. The old and feeble will al-
so find them a most suitable remedy
for aiding and strengthening their
weakened digestion and for regulating
the bowels. For sale by all dealers.

Our old friend, A. C. Osmer, who
formerly represented the Watkins
Medicine Company in this county, but
who has been living in Young county
the past year, is transacting busi-
ness here this week. He reports
crops very indifferent in that county;
corn a complete failure, and cotton
about a bale to every eight or ten
acres. And, so it ever is: those who
go away from Mitchell county return
with stories of "giants and grasshop-
pers" in the land of promise. Mit-
chill is as good as the best of them
anywhere.

Phone 35 for meat. Prompt delivery.

Surprise Party.

Friday night the friends of Lorena
Smith gave her a surprise party at
her home. A large crowd gathered,
and a very jolly time was had playing
games and enjoying the fun that a
crowd of healthy youngsters can al-
ways have when they get together.
This was Lorena's birthday, so the
whole affair was just a little gayer
than it would otherwise have been.
The beautiful gifts carried by the
guests added much to the pleasure of
the honoree, who is one of the sweet-
est and best loved girls of the crowd.

"I do not believe there is any other
medicine so good for whooping cough
as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy,"
writes Mrs. Francis Turpin, Junction
City, Ore. This remedy is also un-
surpassed for colds and croup. For
sale by all dealers.

Lost.

A telescope grip containing a suit
of clothes and other things. Lost
either on the Plainview road or the
Westbrook road. Reward for return
to Record office. 11-3-p

Ford Merritt was severely cut and
burned by the explosion of a toy can-
non filled with powder Saturday af-
ternoon. The boys were playing in
Mrs. Merritt's back yard, and Ford
insisted upon the honor of lighting
the cannon, when the tube blew up
in his face, making an ugly cut. The
wound was dressed by Dr. Coleman,
and is getting along very nicely just
at present. Just as long as boys will
be "pirates" and fool with powder,
just so long will such accidents oc-
cur.

Houses to Rent? Yes.

Where? What kind? What price?
Why, most anywhere, any kind and
any price. ERNEST KEATHLEY.

Played to Facked Houses.

The Dallas Times-Herald, issue of
Sept. 18th, 1911, says:

The presentation of a Southern Girl
at the Orpheum Theatre by the Syl-
via Summers Co. played to a capacity
house. Miss Summers is featured as
the Star in this Southern Idyl and
her success was marked. It is a story
of the old South, with all its traditions
kept true, and the characters ably
portrayed, as the author of the play,
an Alabama woman, a portion of
whose life the story is also said to
tell, intended. As Babie Howard, Miss
Summers is seen to a distinct advan-
tage. She reads her lines in excellent
fashion and seems to understand her
character. The Aunt Caroline, by
Miss Linda Herbet, is a character of
the negro mammy as present day mid-
dle-aged Southerners remember her.
While Verne Phelps does Uncle George
her bibulous husband, to the manner
born. Of course there is a villain in
the person of Mr. LaRue, who does his
part well; and special mention is al-
so due Mr. Albert Pierce, as Howard
Emery, and Miss Mamie Barry, as the
villain's sister; also Mr. Joseph Lee-
man as Col. Howard.

The new play bears out the im-
pression made by the Sylvia Summers
Co. during their last three weeks—
that it is a creditable stock organiza-
tion, which puts on its offerings with
ful attention to detail. In fact, the
best company that ever played Dallas
at popular prices. There is extra
good vaudeville introduced between
acts by Phelps & Callentine, LaRue &
Leeman. The Southern girl will be
the offering for the coming week.
Those wishing a real treat will attend
the Orpheum this week, as there is
no doubt in the writer's mind but
that the above company will play to
capacity houses nightly.

Colorado Opera House, three nights,
November 2, 3 and 4.

Phone 164.

New service car. Phone 164 when
you want a car day or night. We are
ready any time to go anywhere. Call
up phone 164. F. S. KEIPER.

The Mission Study Class of the
Methodist Church, met Monday after-
noon with their leader, Mrs. M. K.
Jackson. Mrs. Merritt conducted the
lesson, which closed the chapter
on Hindu religions. A large number
were present and the study most in-
teresting and instructive. Mrs. Jack-
son gave a quiz on the whole chapter
after the lesson was finished. The
next meeting will occur the third
Monday in November with Mrs. Mer-
ritt, when Buddhism will be stud-
ied. The hostess served nice cake and
hot chocolate.

Do You Need One?

I have one Moosier 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.

Young blood did not run as high or
as much to riot Halloween night as
it usually does. Gates, fences and
signboards were all in their accu-
stomed places Wednesday morning.
Heretofore everything not red hot or
bolted down was liable to be found
anywhere next morning except where
it was the night before, while the
night was made hideous with noises
that would raise the sheeted dead. If
this is an improvement we are glad to
see it.

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that my land
is posted, and positively no hunting
will be allowed. Trespassers will
be prosecuted to the fullest extent
of the law.

MRS. D. C. BYRNE.

FOR SALE—My household furni-
ture is for sale—including two sew-
ing machines and one piano. Will sell
cheap. Also a good three-room house
for rent.

Mrs. ROSA GOODMAN.