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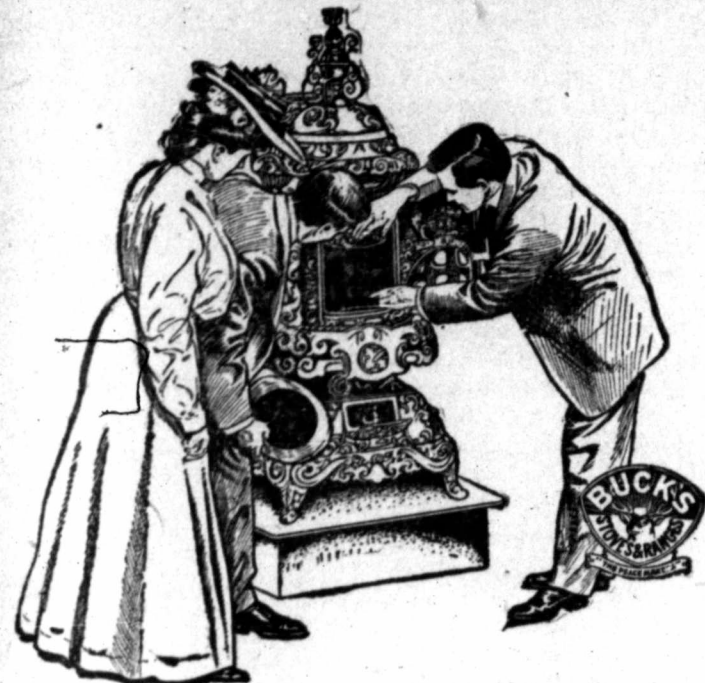
SEVENTH YEAR, NO. 8.

COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1911.

WHIPKEY PRINTING COMPANY.

A CAR LOAD OF STOVES

We have in our store a full car load of Cook and Heating Stoves, including the **BUCK, WILSON, COLES', SHERIDAN and WETTER** in both Cook and Heaters. We have the stoves and will not be undersold—CASH or CREDIT.



LOOK HERE { A 2-eye Monkey Stove for \$4.50 | 60 samples on the floor. No two alike.
 { A 4-eye Monkey Stove for \$6.50 | See the **Buck, Wilson and Coles Heaters**

The Price Is Right. **FUEL SAVER**

Stove Time Is Here

When you settle the stove question settle it right. When choosing your new stove or range, choose with all requirements in mind—

Durability, Convenience, Beauty and Economy

Investigation and comparison will prove it to be one of our stoves. We have a full car to select from. We have 'em for every kind of fuel.

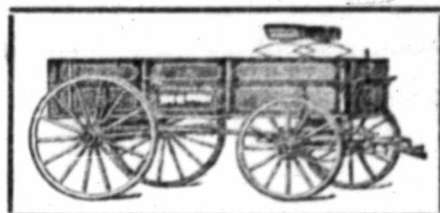


WAGONS AND BUGGIES!

Luedinghaus and Studebaker Wagons. John Deere and Columbia Buggies—FOR QUALITY, STYLE AND PRICES

For the cash we will make the price very low. Come and see our STOVES, WAGONS and BUGGIES.

H. C. DOSS.



BUILD CONCRETE DEPOT.

Texas & Pacific Decides to Erect a \$75,000 Freight House at El Paso.

The Texas & Pacific has decided to build a \$75,000 concrete and steel freight station in El Paso. It will be built at the corner of First and Ochoa streets to replace the present frame freight station. This decision was reached by Vice-President J. W. Everman, of the T & P, who was here Wednesday on an inspection trip. While here Mr. Everman, who is also general manager of the system, had a

consultation with General Passenger Agent George D. Hunter, and a decision was reached by him and the local officials here, and the decision was announced Wednesday afternoon.

A. G. Whittington, superintendent of the Rio Grande division of the Texas & Pacific was also here Wednesday for consultation with Vice-president J. W. Everman and General Passenger Agent Hunter regarding the erection of the new concrete depot. He came in his private car and is making a general inspection of the local terminal yards and the roundhouse and machine shops.

Magnificent Showing.

The statement of the Missouri State Life Insurance Company for the past eight years, shows the following increase:

	per cent.
Increase in Admitted Assets.....	931
Increase in Guaranteed Fund to Policy Holders.....	325
Increase in Insurance in force.....	476

If you want a policy in a company that is making such a magnificent showing as this, see me at once.
 M. K. JACKSON, Agent.

Sulkey plows at cost at McMurry's.

A PROPOSITION WITH MILLIONS IN IT

Offers to Let the Town in on Ground Floor

A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY

Let the Colorado Commercial Club Get Busy at Once and Cinch It.

The Record received this week a letter addressed to Ben S. Van Tuxl and the commercial club, and in order to get the matter before the town we publish the letter below:

San Francisco, Calif., Nov. 18, 1911.
 Ben S. Van Tuxl.

Dear Friend:

Knowing that you have some interest in the fur business and hoping that you will take the matter up with your club, I take the liberty of presenting you with what seems to me a most wonderful business proposition, and in which, no doubt, you will take a lively interest, and, perhaps, wire me the amount of stock that your town may wish to subscribe toward the formation of this company.

The object of the company is to operate a large cat ranch in or near Colorado, where land can be purchased cheap for this purpose.

To start with we will collect, say, about one hundred thousand (100,000) cats. Each cat will average twelve kittens a year. The skins run from ten cents (10c) for the white ones, to seventy-five cents (75c) for the pure black. This will give us twelve million (12,000,000) skins a year, to sell at an average of thirty cents (30c) apiece, making our revenue about ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) a day, gross.

We will feed the cats on rats, and will start a rat ranch next door. The rats multiply four times as fast as cats. If we start with one million rats, we will have, therefore, four rats per day for each cat, which is plenty.

Now then, we will feed the rats on the carcasses of the cats, from which the skins have been taken, giving each rat a fourth of a cat.

It will thus be seen that the business will be self acting and automatic all the way through. The cats will eat the rats and the rats will eat the cats, and we will get the skins.

Awaiting your prompt reply, and

trusting that you appreciate the opportunity that I give you and which will get you rich quick, I remain,

Yours very truly,
 CONSERVATIVE LOAN & INVESTMENT COMPANY.

Russia and its traditional enemy Persia, are arching their backs at each other again; indeed, all Europe and Asia seem to be spolling for a row. Mexico is but a smouldering

volcano, while several of the South American republics are hotbeds of inactive sedition or open revolt. Uncle Sam is the only world power that sits complacently at home, smoking his pipe and watching the marvelous development going forward in his own land.

The Pierre-Fordyce Oil Company will soon begin the erection of a million dollar plant at Fort Worth.



The Best Tenants Demand Electric Light

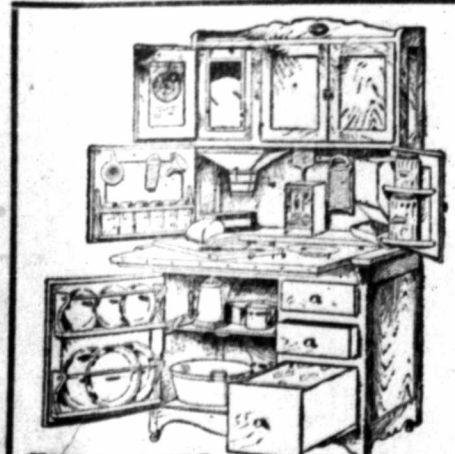
Any landlord can improve his property by wiring his houses for electric light.

Electrically lighted houses are always more rentable. New Edison Mazda Lamps give twice as much light as ordinary electric lamps and are strong enough for all practical purposes when given ordinary care in handling.

Try them to-day.

Colorado Electric Light Company

LOOK HERE!



Don't forget this is Hoosier week. Bring that Card NOW B-4 it's too late.

JOIN THE CLUB AND BE HAPPY

At this time we have secured two members each. The best ad. we have is---

The man bought one Hoosier last Spring for one of his children, then later he found how convenient and perfectly grand it was, and

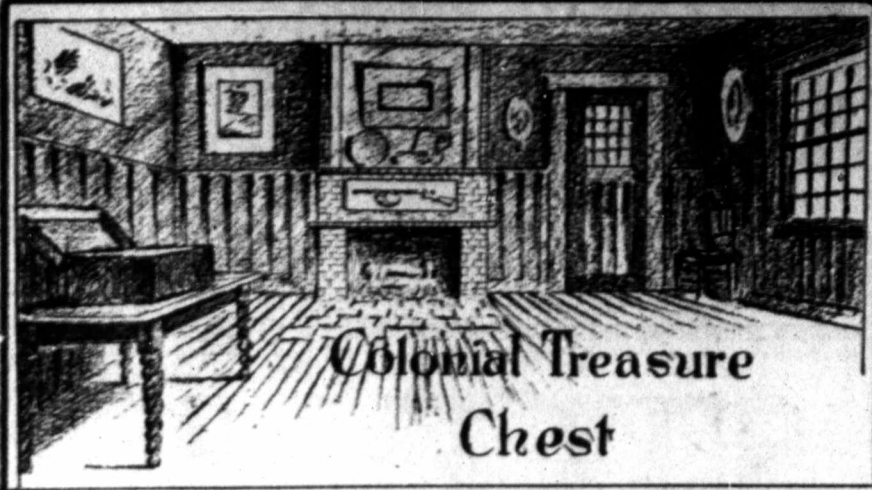
BOUGHT ANOTHER for another child, AND NOW he joins the club and gets one for himself.

Hurry! Hurry! Hurry! to

J. H. GREENE'S

And See the Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet

November will be Pacific No. 5. 11 A. M. No. 4. 16 A. M. stop at only at sed and as the This is of the Free West Speed after. I use who when those their in the section, r. ksmith Y I- D. E. stock, Good J. with Sol insur amou



Colonial Treasure Chest

What a wealth of treasure was hidden in the family strong box of Colonial times. Ofttimes spirited away during the stormy days of the Revolution, but brought to light on state and festive occasions—what an atmosphere of romantic interest clustered around it!

We offer a Family Chest today, filled with silver, the elements of the design for which hark back to the romantic atmosphere of the Colonial Period—a Chest filled with a lustrous, witching assortment of family table silver in the

COLONIAL

Pattern—a true Colonial design in Towle Sterling, made by the Silversmiths of historic old Newburyport, Massachusetts.

These Combination Chests range from the simplest table service, to the most elaborate Bridal Outfit. Daughters may be provided with a table outfit and friends may contribute individual pieces or sets in harmony from this Treasure Box.

Our Repair Department was never better equipped with skill and material.

J. P. MAJORS THE OLD RELIABLE

MANUFACTURING JEWELER and OPTICIAN

Citation by Publication.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon William Aldridge and wife, Emma Aldridge, and B. H. Latner, and their unknown heirs, by making publication of this Citation once, in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your

County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 22nd judicial district; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mitchell County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, on the 3rd Monday in December, A. D. 1911, the same being the 18th day of December, A. D. 1911, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 14th day of November,

A. D. 1911, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 1227, wherein Jesse H. Bullock is Plaintiff and William Aldridge and wife, Emma Aldridge, and B. H. Latner, and their unknown heirs, are Defendants; the nature of plaintiff's demand being as follows:

On Sept. 19th, 1882, William Aldridge and wife, Emma Aldridge, sold and conveyed to B. H. Latner all of Lots No. One and Two, in Block No. 14, of the W. and M. Addition to the town of Colorado, the consideration therefor being \$500.00, \$400.00 cash, and the execution of one Vendor's Lien note for the sum of \$100.00 executed by said Latner in Aldridge's favor, due Nov. 1st, 1882, and the Vendor's Lien has not, as yet, been released of record.

On Nov. 15th, 1882, said B. H. Latner sold and conveyed by Deed of General Warranty, the North half of the said lot No. Two, to one E. N. Camp, the consideration therefor being \$150.00, \$50.00 cash, and the execution and delivery of said E. N. Camp to said B. H. Latner of one Vendor's Lien note for the sum of \$145.00, and due on June 1st, 1882, and bearing interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum, and which has never been released of record.

The Deed of Conveyance first mentioned, is of record in the Deed Records of Mitchell County, Book No. "C" page No. 570, and the last named conveyance is recorded in book No. "I" page 82, of said Mitchell County Deed Records.

Plaintiff's interest and Defendant's interest are common source. Plaintiff brings this suit for the purpose of removing the cloud from the title of this property, he having warranted the title to this property to another party by General Warranty. The cloud aforesaid being the unreleased Vendor's Lien notes above mentioned.

Plaintiff prays for relief both general and special, and that the cloud be removed from the title of said property, and especially the N. 1-2 of the N. 1-2 of Lot No. 2, Block No. 14, W. and M. addition to the town of Colorado, Texas.

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

Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Colorado, Texas, this 14th day of November, A. D. 1911.

REVES COLEMAN, Clerk Pro Tem, District Court, Mitchell County, Texas. A true copy I hereby certify. G. B. COUGHRAN, Sheriff. By PRESTON SCOTT, Deputy.

Young People's Missionary Society.

Sarah Shaw was hostess for the young people Tuesday, and an enthusiastic meeting was held. Omnia Fry, the president had arranged a very instructive program on Brazil, which was given. Eril King told of the location and products of the country. Mrs. Merritt told of the work of the Woman's Board. Esther Ayres read a price list of common articles in Brazil, which showed things to be very high. Edna Majors told of the opening of the fall work in Rio de Janeiro. Notes from a Bible Woman's diary were given by Sarah Shaw. Zillah Williams told of the new workers who had gone to Brazil.

The Missionary Society and Sunday School Class will give a "can" party at Mrs. Annis' next Tuesday afternoon from four to ten p. m. Every member of the Methodist church is invited to come and bring a can or package for a Thanksgiving box to be sent to the Methodist Orphanage. Refreshments will be served and a pleasant evening assured to all who attend.

Other business came up, and when completed, Mrs. Shaw served some of the most delicious ribbon candy, in brown and pink. The society meets next month with Ruth Buchanan.

Have You an Unmarked Grave?

Then see the Maxfield monument at the N. W. corner of the Main north-South Driveway in the I. O. O. F. Cemetery and let me order you a monument.

ERNEST KEATHLEY.

Burford News.

Finishing the cotton gathering seems to be the order of the day out our way. A few have already finished and the majority will be through by the last of the week, if the weather is fair.

Mr. Billie Hinkle, formerly a resident of our community but now of Jones county, has been visiting friends and relatives here last week and this.

Mr. J. T. Daugherty will move from our community soon to his new place west of Colorado. Mr. Rose of the Longfellow community will take Mr. Daugherty's place. We regret the loss of Mr. Daugherty, but extend our hand of welcome to Mr. Rose.

The school trustees announce the beginning of school Nov. 27. Catalogues announcing the school regulations and course of study may be obtained for the asking at the postoffice,

or Mr. Bedford's store. They contain much of interest to the patrons of the school and every family should avail themselves of the means of knowing at least the published matter concerning the intentions of the teachers and trustees. Help them by your co-operation.

Mr. Editor, if you see any crooked-necked folks from our portion of the county in your city this week asking for a physician's office, you may be sure that they were of the number who saw the air-ship Monday evening. Pencil Pusher saw one small barn roof loaded to its fullest capacity with anxious people. Sam Curry announced the appearance for the neighbors down his way. Sam lost a considerable portion of the day's cotton picking looking for the air-ship in the sky.

The young people enjoyed a party at Mr. Lindsey's last Friday night. Romantic things happened after the party was over. Mr. Sam Bedford and Miss Mattie Killian impressed with the desirability of linking their fortunes into one, chose the wee-small hours of Saturday morning for the happy time. Sending the lady home accompanied by friends, Sam bled himself away to the city to soon return with Judge Coe and the necessary authority from the County Clerk's office. The auto containing the judge and the bridegroom was met at Mr. Killian's gate by the bride, who had quietly slipped away from the parental roof. Mr. and Mrs. Bedford will make their home with Mr. Bedford's parents.

PENCIL PUSHER.

Preparations for Panama Exposition.

San Diego, Calif., Nov. 23.—Without any flourish of trumpets, no confusion and no celebration, a big gang of men and teams began the actual construction of the first building for the Panama-California International Exposition Monday morning, November 6th. The exposition is to open January 1, 1915 and remain open the entire year, or until December 31, 1915.

It was in September, 1909, that the first action was taken toward holding an exposition in San Diego to celebrate the opening of the Panama canal to commerce. Since that time the pluck of a city of 40,000 people has been strained half a dozen times. Civic ownership, civic management of public utilities and the greatest building boom ever seen in a city of its size have all come to San Diego as a part of the

Delicious Gingerbread

(Recipe by Mrs. Mary J. Lincoln) Children are great lovers of gingerbread, and grown folks, too, if it is the rich, "melt-in-your-mouth" kind. Here is something the children can eat freely without fear of "tummy-ache":

Mix two cups flour, one-half level teaspoon salt, one level teaspoon soda, one level tablespoon ginger; stir in one cup molasses, two tablespoons softened Cottolene and one-half cup boiling water. Bake in shallow pan. If for dessert, bake in layers. Fill with whipped cream, flavored with lemon.

Cottolene makes light, rich pastry that digests with ease.

work of preparation for the exposition.

U. S. Grant, Jr., son of the great general and president, is the president of the exposition. D. C. Collier is general director. Bankers, merchants and capitalists, whose private fortunes amount to over \$60,000,000, are on the board of directors. These gentlemen have guaranteed the cost of the exposition so that the construction will proceed without intermission until the exposition is finished and ready for the millions of sightseers who will come to the Pacific Coast in 1915.

The general style of architecture is to be of the Spanish Colonial type, the well known and beautiful mission buildings of California furnishing the motif of the architectural composition.

The foremost architect of the world in this kind of building, Bertram G. Goodhue, is designing the buildings. Frank P. Allen, Jr., the man that built the Alaska-Yukon exposition, is in charge of the exposition.

Every possible arrangement to secure the most unique and beautiful exposition ever held is being made, and the success of the effort is assured.

McKinney Nursery.

Fruit, Shade, Nut Trees, Grapes, Berries, Roses. Cosmopolitan magazine clubbing arrangement with 5,000 publications. The Commoner two years for \$1.00. J. T. HARNESSE, Agt.

You have only ten days in which to take advantage of Buchanan's rock-bottom prices on staple groceries.

Office Phone 80 Residence Phone 73 WILLIS R. SMITH, M. D. OFFICE IN THE LAW COTTAGE Second Street Colorado, Texas.

Big Reduction Sale at J. F. McGill's

BEGINNING SATURDAY, NOV. 18th and closing December 24th. Our prices on first class merchandise have been reasonable all the year, as everyone who has traded with us knows. This last cut puts them in reach of the poorest purse. We have so many Bargains that we cannot call attention to all of them. Below we give you a few cut prices. Note the prices in Clothing and Pants.

Advertisement for J. F. McGill's clothing store, featuring various items like Men's Suits, Hats, Underwear, and more, with prices and descriptions.

Advertisement for the Grocery Department, listing various food items like flour, meat, and rice with their respective prices.

Advertisement for J. F. McGill's store, including the slogan 'Nothing Charged at These Prices' and 'Yours to Please'.

Vertical text on the right edge of the page, including 'ANOTHER', 'THIRD BAKE ST', 'NINE BU', 'All Stock', and various names like 'Hardly marks the Salt and when the most serio the busine years.' and 'Just bef morning t pistol shot zens to the Owing to was some number of to take out time connec the hydran great heady The entir houses on street, from street, was Fortunately the entire have been b It was ad standpipe reected with was effected was exceller iant service betwof the houses f fierce that it stand it, unt other coverin tect them fro Before the idings fell and all the National Ban the street w A continual s on the hote caught fire se until the buil hotel property danger. The and all of the National Ban fronts scorche On reaching the fire was o buildings of C ter reaching J. W. Shepper to the buildin ertson as a pe the flames ha were checked building had f There were the bloc; dest belonging to a pany of Galv nut street hel ties, occupied nesses: Roy Dozier, J. O. McCrel, L. A. Costin, Jones & Har D. S. Phenix, E. B. Moran, J. W. Shepp, S. Robinson, The propert thousand dolla siderable more best paying re The amount of on the buildin as it is all plac veston. From the be surance on the fixtures was H L. A. Costin, insurance. Roy Dozier, insurance. es and H 4,000 insuran D. S. Phenix, insurance. E. B. Mo stock, the Goodwin estate. J. W. Shepper with \$2,800 insu S. Robinson, insurance, but c amount of his

ANOTHER DIS-ASTROUS FIRE

THIRD TIME WITHIN TEN YEARS BAKER BLOCK ON SECOND ST. IS SWEEP BY FIRE.

NINE BUSINESS HOUSES BURN

All Stocks of Goods, Etc., Also Completely Destroyed.

Hardly had the pile of ashes that marks the spot where the Colorado Salt and Ice Company stood, cooled, when the town was visited by the most serious fire that has occurred in the business center of the town in ten years.

Just before three o'clock Sunday morning the fire bell and numerous pistol shots awakened the sleepy citizens to the fact a fire was in progress. Owing to the lateness of the hour, it was some time before a sufficient number of the fire company arrived to take out the wagon, and by the time connection had been made with the hydrants, the flames had gained great headway.

The entire Lasker block of store-houses on the south side of Second street, from the alley east to Walnut street, was afire and burning fiercely. Fortunately there was no wind, else the entire heart of the town would have been burned out by daylight. It was some minutes before the standpipe reserve water could be connected with the mains, after which was effected, the pressure of water was excellent, and the boys did valiant service. The heat in the street between the burning buildings and the houses across the street was so fierce that the fire fighters could not stand it, until quilts, blankets and other coverings were provided to protect them from the heat.

Before the roofs of the burning buildings fell in, the St. James Hotel and all the buildings up to the City National Bank on the opposite side of the street was in imminent danger. A continual stream of water was kept on the hotel, but despite this, it caught fire several times. It was not until the buildings collapsed that the hotel property was considered out of danger. The windows in the hotel and all of the buildings up to the City National Bank were broken and the fronts scorched.

On reaching the alley to the West, the fire was checked by the concrete buildings of C. W. Simpson; but after reaching the corner occupied by J. W. Sheppard, it was communicated to the building occupied by Sol Robertson as a pool hall. By this time the flames had spent their force and were checked after the roof of this building had fallen in. There were nine business houses in the block destroyed on Second street, belonging to the Lasker Realty Company, of Galveston, and one on Walnut street belonging to the same parties, occupied by the following businesses:

- Roy Dozier, barber shop.
 - J. O. McCreeless, empty store house.
 - L. A. Costin, market.
 - Jones & Harris, barber shop.
 - D. S. Phenix, groceries.
 - E. B. Morgan, confectionery.
 - J. W. Sheppard, grocery.
 - Sol Robinson, pool hall.
- The property was assessed at ten thousand dollars, but was worth considerable more, and was among the best paying rental property in town. The amount of the insurance carried on the buildings could not be learned as it is all placed with agencies at Galveston.

From the best information, the insurance on the stocks of goods and fixtures was light.

- L. A. Costin, loss \$1,500, with \$900 insurance.
- Roy Dozier, loss \$1,400, with \$500 insurance.
- Jones and Harris, loss \$1,800, with \$1,000 insurance.
- D. S. Phenix, loss \$2,000, with \$1,200 insurance.
- E. B. Morgan, carried \$400 on his stock, the fixtures belonging to the Goodwin estate.
- J. W. Sheppard, loss on stock \$4,000, with \$2,800 insurance.
- Sol Robinson, we learn, carried \$400 insurance, but could not ascertain the amount of his loss.

As to the origin of the fire there is nothing definite known. The general supposition is that it started in the rear of either the barber shop of Jones & Harris or the market. It will likely never be known how it started. There is no question about the block being rebuilt. It is too valuable a property to be unproductive. But when it is rebuilt it is to be hoped that the buildings will be more fire resisting than those just destroyed. The location and the availability of the houses demand good ones. We hope to be able to announce at no distant day, plans for the erection of a solid block of substantial and up to date business houses on the vacant block.

Just a word in commendation of the work done by the fire boys: They deserve great credit for the heroic work they did. Had it not been for their willingness to go at all times and fight as long as there was a chance of saving property, the town would have suffered much worse than it has. They deserve the thanks of the entire town.

On Greena Green.

"Walls do not prisons make, nor iron bars a cage," any more than the watchful care of argus-eyed parents can prevent the union of loving and determined hearts.

Young Lochinvar 'in proper person could hardly have done the romantic thing himself with more airy lightness and greater success than Mr. Sam H. Bedford did last Friday night. It appears that he and Miss Mattie E. Killian had decided to join their fortunes as well as their hearts, some time ago, but owing to parental objections their plans had been frustrated more than once. Nothing daunted, however, they fixed upon last Friday night and laid their plans accordingly.

A little before three o'clock a. m., His Honor, County Judge Coe was aroused and warned to be in readiness to perform a marriage ceremony half an hour or so afterward. Securing a speedy automobile, Mr. Bedford repaired to a place near the Killian place and waited for the coming of the young lady, whom a cousin of Mr. Bedford's had promised to have in readiness for the latter's coming.

Immediately upon the young lady's arrival, the party hurried back to town and, armed with the authority of a license, requested the waiting judge to make the twain one flesh, which was done on the spot. The happy couple repaired to the Colorado hotel, feeling that their troubles were over.

Mr. Bedford is the son of Mr. J. H. Bedford, of Buford, one of Mitchell county's most respected and substantial citizens, and is a young man of good character and industrious habits. The bride is the daughter of Mr. J. L. Killian, than whom the county can boast no better citizen. The Record offers congratulations and wishes for the young couple long life, happiness and a full measure of prosperity.

City Council Proceedings.

Regular session of the City Council was held Wednesday night, November 15th; present: C. M. Adams, mayor; Aldermen F. M. Burns, H. F. Wheeler and Solon Cowan.

Minutes of the meetings on the 10th and 16th of October were read and adopted. J. F. Henderson, representative of the Southwestern Telephone and Telegraph Company, was present to look into a franchise for telephone service. The secretary was instructed to furnish him with a certified copy of the franchise given the Texas & Pacific Telephone Company on October 8th, 1907; and he agreed to furnish the city with a copy of the franchise at an early date desired by his company.

The taking of a phone by the city for the mayor at \$2.50 per month; two at the fire hall at \$2.50 and \$1.00 per month; one for the secretary at \$2.50 per month, and one at the residence of the city marshal at \$1.50 per month, was passed for the present.

The secretary reported having seen the fire plug at the corner of Second and Cypress streets, tested, and that the pressure and water supply were satisfactory. The secretary was instructed to ask Mr. Rantlett to send a representative out to readjust our key rate, and to ask Mr. Leslie to look in to the law requiring McCord-Collins to move their store building.

The following bills were allowed: Wm. Cooper, \$1.50.

- J. A. Buchanan, \$9.00.
- M. C. Ratliff, \$9.00.
- G. D. Adams, \$9.00.
- E. Keathley, \$9.00.
- Burton-Lingo Co., \$5.90.
- J. S. Vaughan, \$20.00.
- E. Keathley, \$326.65.

The payment of 25 cents to Mr. Webb for globes was ratified. The action of the council on June 14, 1910, in appointing Mr. W. H. Smith as fire marshal, was rescinded and O. E. Avery was named in his stead and requested to enter upon his duties at once.

Arrested in Colorado.

O. W. Thompson, who was arrested some time ago for forgery in connection with the attempted fraudulent sale of the Ellwood land, and who ran off after being given up by his bondsman, was arrested at Trinidad, Colorado, an dwas brought back here this week by Sheriff Coughran and lodged in jail, where he now is. It seems that Thompson is the man who impersonated Ellwood.

The Wyoming Girl.

Miss Alberta Claire, the plucky 20-year-old girl, who is making the trip horseback and unattended from the state of Wyoming, via California, to Buffalo, N. Y., rode in from Westbrook late Saturday evening and stopped at the St. James Hotel, first seeing that her faithful buckskin horse was properly housed and cared for.

She has already traveled 5,700 miles, accompanied part of the way by a dog, which, however, gave out, and was sent on by rail. In crossing the California desert the railroad was kind enough to take the feed for her horse and distribute it along the route across the uninhabited country, at the various watering places.

She is making the trip on a wagon, and if she succeeds she will receive a neat sum of money and a considerable tract of land. She is a very interesting talker, a keen observer, and is thoroughly competent to take care of herself. She goes armed for dangerous emergency, and declares she would not hesitate to have recourse to her gun should she think it necessary. Her horse seems to keep up remarkably well, making from 25 to 30 miles per day, sometimes more on good stretches of road.

It takes real pluck to start on such a journey, with only \$2 in money, a dog, horse and Colt's revolver, and many men would shrink from the job. She puts up at the best hotels, has no kind of show, takes up no kind of collection, or publicly solicits aid. She was at the St. James Hotel during the fire Saturday night, and on being aroused, went for her horse, had it bridled, saddled and mounted it to be sure of getting out of harm's way. She was caught in a hotel fire once in California during her trip, and has been very panicky about fires since. Early Sunday morning she headed for the east, saying she hoped to reach her destination about May 1st, 1912.

"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 unsurpassed for colds and croup. For sale by all dealers.

For pains in the side or chest dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Liniment and bind it on over the seat of pain. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.

The First Christian Church, of St. Louis, has established a grocery where the poor of that congregation can buy food at cost.

The loss caused by recent cold weather to Louisiana sugar cane interests is estimated at from \$5,000,000 to \$12,000,000. Such like damage is not recorded, and the loss is distributed among all the cane growers.

You cannot do a more commendable piece of missionary work than have a number of the Record's Christmas 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.

Eight million people are starving in twenty provinces of Russia, and sixty million dollars are required to meet the urgent need.

As Seen by a Spectator.

Anybody can do it. The only requirements are, much nerve, a good bank account, adequate training both mechanical and aeronautic, courage close to recklessness, indifference to life, and suicidal instinct. Wonderfully simple.

First, a speck appeared in the western sky—it was a treetop. Then a spot—it was a projecting bolt. Finally a moving blur, which could only be a bird, another bird, or the man-bird.

The point comes closer. You can see wheels in motion. You hear a whirring. You make out the outline of the structure. You grab your horse, or, lacking a horse, you hold neighbor lady's. Look out, Jane! He may drop right on that new hat you got yesterday at Miss Neely's.

He is circling the field, you see—he gets back to the westward and a bit to the south of his original course—he comes down in a long sweep, at an angle of thirty degrees.

How he'll bounce when he hits the ground! But he doesn't. He rolls along on the smooth soil for eighty yards. The people take out after him—he's stopped. Folks irregularly yell and call. Somebody greets the aviator with the hand of "first-to-do-it." Some child will now regard his father with a spasm of idolatry.

The descent is accomplished. The aviator, cool, relieved, but equal yet, to any amount of nerve strain, had a hard time preventing the crowd from affectionately destroying his machine. Boys write their initials on it. Men feel of the wires. Some peer under the lower plane. Finally, at dark, the plane is roped away from kindly destruction and the arrival is a thing of the past.

The flight took place on Tuesday morning, ten o'clock being named. Only an intelligent understanding of flying conditions could prevent one from taking the schedule literally. Mechanics began tuning, adjusting, and other specific terms included under the term "monkeying," which, considering simian tumbling, is not inappropriate—begad, I nearly forgot to say, manipulating—as early as seen, or before.

Those who were not on hand at nine, or a trifle after, missed it.

The plane was moved to, a position at the top of a gradual slope of smooth, hard ground. The two propellers were started, helpers at either end of the big lower plane assisted to roll it forward on the rubber-tired starting-and-stopping wheels—the effect of the propellers was seen in an access of momentum—there! she rises, is actually off the ground, just in time to clear a grasping clump of thorny trees. Against the morning sky the plane grows less as the bird-man flies to meet the autumn sun. Wonder what his thoughts are! I know one thing—I saw him kiss his mother good-bye.

SPECTATOR.

Send us Names.

We desire especially for our country readers to send in a list of 10 to 15 names of persons whom they desire to get a copy of our Christmas edition to be published on the 15th of December. We want to mail these papers back to east Texas and the old states. Send us the names of your friends back there, and a copy will be mailed them free of charge. We want 1,000 names. Send them in.

Heavy Immigration.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 19.—Reports just compiled at the offices of the Harriman lines show that 29,818 homeseekers were carried to the Pacific coast over the Harriman lines from September 15 to October 15 of this year. Of this number 15,320 passed through the Odgen gateway, 9,929 were carried via El Paso, 868 via Los Angeles and 2,701 via Portland.

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.

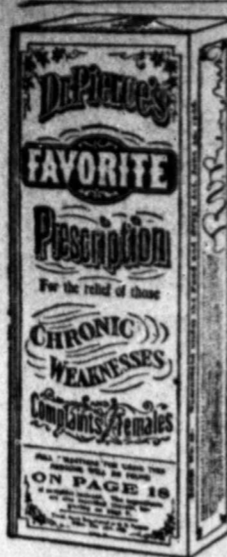
Execution of Beattie Will be Private.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 19.—Superintendent Wood, of the state penitentiary, announced today that the reporters would not be admitted to the death chamber Fridy when Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., is electrocuted for the murder of his wife. Under a state law Virginia newspapers are not permitted to publish details of an electrocution. Reference to the Beattie murder was made by several ministers in their sermons today.

Governor Hoke Smith, of Georgia, resigned last week because of his recent election to the U. S. Senate.

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

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Remember these prices obtain for only ten days, so you had better hurry to get the benefit.

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"I had been troubled, a little, for nearly 7 years," writes Mrs. L. Fincher, in a letter from Peavy, Ala. "but I was not taken down, until March, when I went to bed and had to have a doctor. He did all he could for me, but I got no better. I hurt all over, and I could not rest. At last, I tried Cardui, and soon I began to improve. Now I am in very good health, and able to do all my housework."

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JUDGE W. F. RAMSEY TO TEXAS DEMOCRATS

Believes Platform Pledges Are Binding in Honor.

Believes Pro Matter Should Be Again Submitted to the People—Opposes Recall of Judges.

To the Democrats of Texas: On the 19th of September I issued a brief notice to the effect, in substance, that I would submit my name to the Democratic primaries in July of next year for the nomination for the office of Governor, and that I would, in a short time, make a statement of my views in reference to some of the more important questions now in the public mind. Conformably to the notice then given, I now issue this statement. As will be seen it covers and includes only some of the more important matters to which the public have a right to know my opinion. Other matters will be discussed and shown included herein, elaborated in such speeches as I may have occasion to make during the campaign.

Always a Democrat; Loyal to Party Platform.

I am now, as I have always been, a Democrat, proud of the traditions and committed to the principles of the party. I believe that one chosen to public office holds his position in trust for the public good, and that his best service is to be to the Government of all the people of Texas, and in my official capacity, shall know no class. I am committed to the doctrine that public office is a public trust for the public good, and I believe that the platform made by the party whose mandate I hope to receive, and on which I trust I will be elected, should and will constitute me its trustee, and that such platform shall be to me an anchoring guarantee, and I now promise and give assurance that I will adhere to the principles and policies which shall receive the sanction and endorsement of the party in the coming election.

Limitation and Publicity of Campaign Expenses.

I am unalterably opposed to the use of money in all elections and in all primaries, except for such purposes as are absolutely necessary, such as the purchase of stamps, printing and distribution of literature, necessary clerk hire and the defraying of actual traveling expenses of speakers, when necessary and requested. I am opposed to the employment and payment of speakers in any kind of a campaign, either of any candidate for office, or for or against any political cause, except that of a purely clerical character, necessary to do the work incident to the distributor

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I do not, however, believe that one's views on Prohibition, any more than on local option, should be a test of one's standing as a Democrat. I believe there is enough wisdom and patriotism in the Democratic party to provide for the just settlement of that question by the people of this State. I believe that the business of selling intoxicating liquors is an evil, and that their sale as a beverage should be prohibited, and that the right and power of selling intoxicating liquors, means, be made available, and that such exercise of Constitutional authority is both wise and just.

Regulatory Measures.

Pending a settlement of the Prohibition question by the people at large, at a non-party and non-partisan election, I would, if elected Governor, advise and make an honest effort to secure the passage of laws removing the saloons from the residence sections of our cities and towns, substantially limiting their numbers and at least doubling the license tax now imposed; requiring under penalties sufficiently heavy to secure due observance, that all saloons remain closed and prohibiting the sale of liquor, except between the hours of seven a. m. and not later than eight o'clock p. m.; prohibiting the sale of liquor except in unbroken packages, and preventing the drinking of same on or about the premises where sold; law prohibiting any person, corporation, or association of persons, engaged in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors, from contributing directly or indirectly to any campaign fund for use in an election in this State. The people residing in local option territory are entitled to the full strength of our laws, and all the assistance which the Legislature can give to make such laws effective, and to this end I would favor a law prohibiting, under severe penalties, the shipment of intoxicating liquors for purposes of sale, from any point within this State to any place in same where the sale of such liquor has, by vote of the people, been prohibited.

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Protection and Advancement of Labor.

I believe that it should be the expected duty of the State, in all proper ways, to promote the well being of the labor of the State, at the farms, in the mines, in the shops and on our great lines of railway; to secure him against imposition, unreasonable hours of labor, and bad hygienic conditions. The amble provision should be made for the settlement, on terms just and fair both to labor and capitalist, of all disputes, to the labor and that outbreaks be averted, business and traffic be not interfered with, and great economic loss be averted.

Among some of the measures for the

protection and advancement of labor which I shall seek to have enacted into law, the following might be mentioned: I favor an adequate and effective employers' liability compensation Act, as applied to hazardous occupations, which will guarantee the workman a fair compensation for injuries received in the service of his employer. This law, if passed, will save to railroads and other corporations employing labor the expenses of costly litigation, and will, in the event of injury, give to the workman, or in the event of death, to his family, compensation reasonably commensurate with the loss, without imposing the necessity of a long drawn out suit and years of waiting. I also favor an effective law creating a Board of Arbitration and Conciliation to assist in the adjustment and settlement of all labor disputes. I favor an eight hour law as applied to all persons employed in the construction of public buildings, works and improvements. I also favor effective laws in respect to child labor. I believe that fairly understood there is no conflict between labor and capital, but, in the broadest sense, their true interests are identical. But provision should be made for those whose necessities may subject them to imposition and hardship without injustice or wrong to the employer. **Returns in Judicial Practice and Procedure.** The practice in the courts of this State is obsolete, incongruous, expensive and out of date. If elected Governor, I will use my best endeavors to secure such changes and modifications as will insure justice, promote dispatch of business and save untold expense. I can not in this statement outline such changes and returns in detail as I favor, but I will undertake to do so in some detail at another time. I believe that I can render some aid in this work by co-operating in a spirit of mutual helpfulness with will better insure justice and dispatch of business of the courts, the enforcement of the law at such a saving, both in time and expense, as will insure measurable benefits upon our people. And in this connection, I trust that I may be pardoned if I venture the opinion that my acquaintance with the bar of this State, my long experience and practice in the courts, and as my service on both the courts of last resort in this State, having jurisdiction of both civil and criminal cases, should enable me to co-operate in a spirit of mutual helpfulness in earnest to render public service, in such manner as to be of benefit to my country. I trust I shall have in special memory, not so much the lawyer and the judge, but the too often forgotten man, jurist and the public, which has suffered long.

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COLORADO, TEXAS, NOVEMBER 24.

WE ISSUE ON WEDNESDAY NEXT WEEK.

On account of Thanksgiving occurring on the day of publication of the Record, the management will issue the paper on Wednesday evening instead of Thursday. Advertisers who may wish their ads changed will take notice and bring their changes in accordingly.

The Record subscribers are coming in and paying up surprisingly well, considering the conditions. Don't forget, friends, the postoffice department will not allow us to carry subscribers more than one year behind with their subscriptions. You want the paper; we want you to have it, but it cannot be sent through the mails if you are behind more than one year, and the label is on your paper to be seen by all Uncle Sam's postmasters.

Of course, the fact that Sweetwater gets the next convention of the Central West Texas Laundrymen's Club, carries no inference that the town needs washing. We've heard that water was a trifle shy there.

A Philadelphia dermatologist claims that he has successfully treated leprosy in a number of cases by local freezing of the affected parts with carbon dioxide at a temperature of 140 degrees below zero.

Texas spent \$7,600,000 in building good roads less year. It leads the sixteen Southern states, which spent an aggregate of \$44,900,000, according to the figures just made public by Secretary Wilson of the department of Agriculture.

In the trial of the Shady Bend, Kansas, citizens for tarring the young lady teacher, one of them, a barber, plead guilty to leading the young lady into the hands of the mob for \$5.00, turning state's evidence to save himself. Such a confession may help him in the state of Kansas, but in Texas it would no more protect him than the confession of stealing a calf.

Within a few years every successful farmer in West Texas will have an irrigated patch, which will be enlarged from year to year as he understands how to handle the water and sees the increase in production and decrease in work and expense. Irrigation is the bed rock of successful agriculture in the southwest.

While the Texas & Pacific road is making the many improvements, both in physical condition and service, the Record will see that the necessity for a neat park at the passenger station is kept to the fore. It would be a splendid advertisement for the town and call for some other needed improvements.

Turkey asking the intervention of Christian Nations to save it from the alleged cruelties of the Italians, is the very irony of fate. It seems like being the fate of Islam. Nothing save the jealousies of the Christian nations of Europe allowed the atrocities practiced by Turkey in Armenia; on none of which Turkey calls, but upon the United States. The Italian army seems to be stizing things up about right, in treating all Turks as brigands.

El Paso is constructing a \$100,000 sewerage disposal plant.

The inauguration of President Madero didn't quiet things down in Mexico to any great extent. There are a number of centers of revolt all over the republic like postules upon a smallpox patient. The whole body is rotten.

It is reported that an interurban line will soon be built from Dallas to Denison.—Ablene Reporter, Nov. 1911
 Great Guns, man! Where have you been these years? Surely you have just been reading a copy of some paper printed in 1897. An interurban rumored from Dallas to Denison! Come alive, man, and get a map.

No sooner does President Madero take his seat than some other malcontent begins to plot his removal. He now gives notice that the methods of Diaz will be followed. Yet these same methods of Diaz were his reasons for overthrowing the Diaz government. It makes a mighty sight of difference whose ox is gored and whose bull does the goring. President Madero may expect the same kind of treatment he gave Diaz, yet he will lack the ability and courage of Diaz to meet the opposition.

A first class standard article of anything can be sold about as cheaply in Colorado as in Kansas City or Chicago, after paying the difference in freight. Do you know, Mr. Local Merchant, why people in Mitchell county are prone to send their money to mail order houses in preference to patronizing you? The answer is plain and simple. The people of Mitchell do not know you handle that kind of stuff. The mail order houses flood this country with their catalogues and circulars, calling the people's attention to their wares and prices, not once or twice and then stop, but continually. They never stop advertising. The Record believes that if the local merchant would advertise his goods—standard goods—as continuously as the northern mail order houses, most of the trade would stay at home. The telling argument is that the mail order houses advertise what they have.

If a newspaper man should give ear to the numerous requests by those who have a grievance, to jump on certain other persons and ventilate some of their doings; pull the mask off some slimy, hypocritical church member; or print the communications and suggestions sent him in unmarked envelopes; there would likely be a riot, divorces in many homes, arrests and trouble all around. But these kickers never hear the other fellow's kicks, or read the communications that are put in the stove or torn up. He only sees the nicely printed pages, complains if one letter is upside down or his initials are wrong in some complimentary notice of himself and growls if his communication has been whipped into decent English. If he knew all, he would thank God for the lowly, ignorant editor, who has just sense enough not to print all he is asked to print, and to temper much of what he does print.

The assertion that a cow "gives milk is as hoary-haired a fake as that "honesty is the best policy." You've got to take it from her. And it's just so with all other things of life worth the getting and keeping. The map of Texas is black with the pitiful wrecks of "best towns" whose inhabitants believed that geographical position and feasibility of route guaranteed them a railroad or two. A healthy railroad can generally afford to do anything it is not well paid to do. The \$ is the logical and ob-

jective point with them and all other enterprises that go to build up a town. Nothing except the undertaker and the sheriff comes without an urgent invitation. Is Colorado willing to sit placidly down and twiddle its thumbs and wait for something to turn up, while more progressive rivals are trenching upon its rights and securing its trade? If the town expects to keep up with the prosperity procession, it must take up another hole in its belt, spit on its hands and take a better hold on the things it is trying to pull this way.

Here's the Chance for You.

The Record has made arrangements whereby it is able to make the most generous present to new subscribers ever offered before. Here is the chance for every energetic man, woman, boy or girl, to make some quick and easy pocket money. Every one to whom we have shown the present has said, "Here's your dollar, put me down for a year's subscription. That's the very thing my wife has been wanting for years, and to get it free is a bonanza." That's what they all will say, when they see the present we are giving with each new cash subscriber. If you want to make the easiest money you have ever made in your life, come in and let us show you how you can do it right at home among your neighbors.

Investing money in factories adds to the industrial wealth of the state. Patronizing home industries does too. Maybe all of us haven't money to invest in manufacturing enterprises, but we can at least purchase Texas made goods.

Nothing Succeeds Like Success.

The rumor is current that C. W. Post will build a cotton mill in the near future at Post City, large enough to manufacture all of the cotton raised in Garza and neighboring counties, and why not? He is amply able to see such an enterprise over the rough places that invariably beset and wreck small concerns with very limited capital, contributed by the people who are wholly inexperienced in any kind of industrial work or handling employees; and the quick result is that at the first call for "more money" the little fellows throw up their hands and the whole thing falls into the hands of some man who must depend entirely upon some other fellow to run the business.

If Mr. Post and men like him—men who have made a success in the manufacturing business have ample capital, influence and experience in the industrial world, as well as an understanding of the economic conditions of the world; if such men would blaze the way for manufacturing in West Texas and make the first ones established a success, it would not be long until the smokestacks of hundreds of manufacturing enterprises all over Texas, would be pouring out their sable incense to gods of prosperity.

Hogs More Valuable than Children.

Commenting upon the activity of the government in combating diseases in domestic animals and to indifference to the inroads made by disease upon the children of the nation, Senator Bristow said, in a recent interview:

"I would rather be a fat hog suffering from Cholera than the mother of a large family in the first stages of disease, for if the government were notified of the condition of the hog, it would give immediate aid in the form of a bottle of serum; whereas, if the mother asked help she would receive none, for there is no government bureau to aid her."

Quite a sprinkling are to be found in every community—like fleas. They seem to be a conservation of some greater evil. We refer to the class of people who had rather poke their nose into other people's business than have a lucrative business of their own. Drouth, famine, floods, may come and go, but none of these things specially interest them. What they want to know is what made that funny noise over in Jones' back yard the other night; why is it Mrs. Brown keeps the blinds shut when Mr. Brown is away from home; how in the world do the Thompsons manage to live so much better than the Johnsons, when Thompson only gets \$65 per month, while Johnson earns \$85; if the pastor keeps his grocery bills paid up? And so forth and so on, down to the number of pieces of laundry their neighbors put out each week. These kind of people will be here until the end of time, and a hot time they'll have of it.

J. P. Morgan fell down Snuday while passing the collection plate in St. George's church, New York City. This is about the only instance where any financial matter Mr. Morgan carried suffered a fall.

It is reported that a large cotton mill will be in operation in Post City in the near future.

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The way to healthful cooking is to start right—with Cottolene.

Cottolene-cooked food agrees with one because Cottolene contains not an ounce of hog fat—it is a vegetable instead of an animal product. Its wholesomeness and purity are vouched for by Nature. Cottolene is "the fat from the flower."

All the country's best cooks—Mrs. Mary J. Lincoln, Mrs. Sarah Tyson Rorer, Mrs. Helen Armstrong, Marion Harland, Lida Ames Willis, and a dozen others of national reputation—recommended Cottolene in preference to lard or any other medium for frying and shortening.

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Listen to the "Man who Knows"



The machinery of the national Democratic organization seems to be trying to eliminate Dr. Woodrow Wilson from the list of available candidates for the presidency. The leading workers of the party seem to be trying to ignore the man's strength of character and executive ability, and plead the claims of Harmon and Clark on the ground of their past service to the party. This is not in line for that thing for which Dr. Wilson stands. If a man can make good in the redemption of his pledges to his party and state; if he can do what he claims he can do; if he can whip the enemy in open fight and then shake off the demagogues of his own party who try to handicap the performance of his promises; that man promises more for the Democratic party than those who may have given a lifetime of service to the party without raising its standard or accomplishing practical

results. Dr. Wilson is a new factor in politics, and the leaders are afraid they cannot control him as they can a man with a long and vulnerable record behind him.

It is all very well to take things as you find them, but much depends on whose things you take. We know some people not a thousand miles away who might profit by the advice of this paragraph.

Thanksgiving Services.

The usual Thanksgiving services will be held this year under the direction of the United Brotherhood, at 7:30 p. m., November 30, 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. Hazzard, 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 county—Rev. R. W. Thomas.
- Reasons for thankfulness as a town—W. W. Porter.
- Gathering up the fragments—in several two-minute talks.
- Collection—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.

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Vegetable Column

YOU CANNOT GO ON CHOOSING MEDIUMS FOR EVER; YOU MUST CHOOSE THE RIGHT ONE SOME TIME. COLORADO MERCANTILE COMPANY, HAS BEEN CHOSEN BY MANY. WON'T YOU MAKE YOUR CHOICE TODAY AND BE ONE OF US.

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- OKRA
- BEETS

Davis Writes From Mineral Wells.

Editor Record: For the last four weeks my better half and self have been visiting in Kaufman county, and in the cities of Dallas and Fort Worth. We are now at the Famous wells of Palo Pinto.

Having attended the great Dallas Fair and seen some of the progress, has set us to ruminating, as Bill Arp used to say.

Forty-one years ago we came to Texas, stopping on the San Marcos river in Hays county. We came from the good old state of North Carolina, from near Durham, the great tobacco town—then only a small village. Our journey was by way of New Orleans on the cars; and from there to Galveston by steamboat. Texas then only had one short railroad, extending from Galveston to a short distance beyond Brenham. On our way through the worn out lands of Georgia and South Carolina we saw them picking cotton from plants about six inches high, averaging about one boll to the stalk. The pickers would stoop over and raise one leg high in the air, pull off a boll and, straightening up, pick the locks out, one at a time.

After leaving the railroad near Brenham, we came by wagon the balance of our journey. We found the crops of cotton and corn good in Texas. Cotton was averaging a bale per acre, and the rich bottom lands of the San Marcos were making two bales per acre. We cultivated some of the same land the following year and only harvested one-fourth bale per acre. Thus we have found that good and bad years have followed ever since. Settling a country does not change its seasons. The farmer has a better knowledge of soil culture and adaptability of crops, yet his progress is slow and tardy compared with the progress of other callings and arts.

Any country given over to the one crop idea must necessarily suffer. Raising cotton alone brings the laborer down on the plane of the slave. The man who humps over all day picking cotton cannot think; his mind will not act. His soil may be suited to crops that would pay much larger dividends. Irrigation possibilities may exist, yet he does not think; he plods his weary way, and what he learns is by absorption.

Our visit has been in the rich black lands. A paragraph in the Dallas News calls them the "haughty lands." They are lovely in dry weather, but get a fellow all stuck up when it is wet. We noticed that cotton was all

the go. No feed scarcely of any kind has been raised. No truck patches, no shade trees, nothing to break the monotony—just one vast cotton field. We know black land farmers that do not have any more of the comforts than they had forty years ago.

We pause here to give a word of encouragement and advice to the farmer in the west. We say, stay with it. Put on your thinking cap. Study your business more. Work less land that you may be better able to conserve the limited moisture. Put in an irrigation plant. Buy less land and improve it, so that your children will have pleasant recollections of home.

The east is much behind the west in agricultural enterprises. We in the east content ourselves with the cranky seasons. In the west great enterprises are undertaken and accomplished that we stagger at. An irrigation project is being carried out at Yuma, Arizona, which may be classed with the greatest achievements of the day. On this side of the great Colorado river at Yuma there is a mesa of considerable area, very fine for oranges, being free from insects and frost, the fruit growing to great perfection in quality and size. It is impossible to get water on this land by gravity, so the water of the river is diverted from the channel on the California side, some distance above, and a siphon, or tunnel, is driven under the river and the water brought on this side to the canals to the foot of the mesa. The fall is so great at some points of the canal that great power is developed. Water wheels and dynamos are installed and the power transmitted to pumps at the foot of the mesa and the water is lifted for irrigation. Seemingly the impossible is made to take place. The river is made to run under itself; the water in the canal is made to furnish power to lift itself further on.

T. J. DAVIS.

Palo Duro a National Park.

Among other movements of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, now in session in Kansas City, Congressman Stephens introduced a resolution that urged upon Congress the purchase of the Palo Duro Canyon, under the law that provides for such purchases, and the conversion of the canyon into a National park.

The proposed park has an extent of 100,000 acres, and it is urged by Mr. Stephens that the conservation asked for will be a distinct aid to navigation of the Red River, as urged by the people along that stream, who hope to

get authorization for improvement as far as Wichita Falls. The resolution of Mr. Stephens attracted much attention in Congress, and it is likely to be adopted.

Lancaster for Congress.

For the past few weeks there has been considerable said with regard to Judge Lancaster's name being used as a candidate for Congressman-at-large. Judge Lancaster has a large circle of friends in the state, and no doubt if he gets his claims before the people in the proper light that he will receive the nomination without any trouble. He is a Western man, has the reputation of being a thorough-going citizen, and would make the state a good representative should he succeed in pulling down the plum.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Bountiful Rains?

Austin, Tex.—A regular water famine is prevalent in north and north-western sections of the state, according to Chairman Mayfield of the railroad commission. The commission has been receiving applications from the railroads for special rates for the transportation of water. During the week he said that practically all the roads running into that section had applied for rates. This condition does not bear out press reports of bountiful rains. In every instance the commission has granted the application, the rates being usually \$5.00 per car. The latest applications were from points along the Cotton Belt and Santa Fe.

Senator Vardaman Sued.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 18.—Alleging misuse of the contingent fund, the Spanish-American War fund and other public moneys, said to have been held by him during the term of his office as governor, papers were filed this afternoon against James K. Vardaman, Senator-elect and Governor of Mississippi.

The suit is being brought by the state of Mississippi, Judge L. Brame filed the bill in the chancery court on behalf of Attorney General Hudson. The Mississippi Bank and Trust Company are also named as respondents.

A movement is being inaugurated by San Antonio business men for the widening of some of the principal business streets of the Alamo city.

According to the assessor's reports there are 5,220 horses and mules in Hale county, valued at \$238,510.

ANTICIPATING TROUBLE.

Mexican Government Mobilizes 25,000 Troops On the Northern Border.

Mexico City, Nov. 20.—Orders to mobilize 25,000 men in a zone paralleling the northern border line were issued Monday by the war department. The government is yet skeptical concerning the inauguration of the Reyes-Vasquista revolution, but should it be begun, Madero and his cabinet believe that his army is sufficient to check it. All of the troops will be under the orders of General Geronimo Trevino, with headquarters at Monterey, but the chief of the operations will be General Juvenal Robles, now at Torreon in command of the 1,000 men who are being held in that city as a result of the strike. Tuesday they will join the northern movement.

The rurales and volunteers will be under the command of Colonel Francisco Naranjo. With the exception of the rurales, most of whom will remain in the states of Durango and Chihuahua, the regular forces are almost equally divided between infantry and cavalry. In addition to these 2,400 volunteers from the state of Nuevo Leon, now under the command of Naranjo, have been detailed for service along the frontier. Orders to the artillery have been limited to two batteries of mountain artillery of four guns each, and four batteries of machine guns of two guns each. A corps of engineers and a medical corps also will be sent into the field immediately.

Monday, which was expected to see the beginning of a new revolution, was celebrated as a holiday here and throughout the republic. It being the anniversary of the commencement of the Madero revolt.

Clubs.

The Hesperian Club met with Mrs. Jas. T. Johnson Friday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ruddick. Roll call was responded to, with a relic from ancient Rome when seen today. The lesson was upon the art of ancient and modern Rome. Mrs. Hart gave a very fine talk upon the Laocoon and the Apollo Belvidere.

Mrs. Hazzard had a good article upon the arch of Titus and the Column of Marcus Aurelius.

Miss Jo Dry gave a very interesting description of the several paintings of the old Roman Masters. Mrs. Merritt read some of the beautiful art para-

graphs from the Marble Faun. Miss Dry had an excellent address upon Art as an Educator.

The pleasure of the social hour was enhanced by the presence of Mrs. Green and her little daughter, Nell Harper. The hostess served the daintiest of refreshments. Mrs. Shepherd will entertain in Mrs. Green's place this week.

Fun on the Podunk Limited.

The home talent play at the opera house Monday night was certainly a drawing card, the whole town turning out to enjoy the fun. This was given by the Methodist Missionary Society, being put on by a professional in this line, who got half the net proceeds for her work. There were \$133.00 cleared, this amount being divided between the missionary society and Mrs. Johnson.

The scene of the play was on a train—The Podunk Limited. C. M. Adams was the conductor, Dick Galbraith was the news boy and Champ Carter the negro porter, and a better set of train officials it would be hard to find, each doing his part perfectly.

The Boggs family were the first to get on, and they traveled to the end of the play. In this family were, Pa Boggs, Ben Van Tuyl; Ma Boggs, Mrs. Annis, who was worried about Pa's back; Little Tommie, who traveled on a half ticket. Orion McCreeless; and Mary, who was given to crying. Miss Coleman. This family alone would have furnished enough fun for the evening, but there were many more. Grandma Wiggins, who had heart spells, and was so worried about Joshua, who spent most of his time in the smoke house smoking, was just dandy; and when Grandma came in with the accordion to play for the passengers at Podunk, her reputation was made. Mrs. Fred Whipkey and Obie Avery took the parts of Grandma and Grandpa Wiggins. Miss Eleanor Van Tuyl, as the Swede girl, whose fellow worked at Jake's, was, the manager said, the best she had ever had. The lady with the baby, Mrs. Jas. T. Johnson, was most natural. Miss Prim, with her twenty-nine bundles and the beautiful bouquet, was a great success. The part was played by Miss Claudia Rogers.

Miss Highstyle and her Fido had lots of trouble because dogs were not allowed in the car with the passengers. Miss Juanita Shropshire played this part finely. The Irish lady with her

basket of eggs, who was the fairest girl in county Cork, years ago, was done to the life by Mrs. Root.

Mrs. Herby, who had a remedy that was just fine for everything, was "just fine" herself, which was played by Mrs. Crockett. Mrs. Stutterby, Miss Dry, and Mrs. Deafly, Mrs. Cooksey, both added to the hilarity of the journey by their misfortunes. Mrs. Merritt, the suffragette, was never allowed to finish any of her speeches because of the bad little daughter, Louise Cowan. Miss Cowan was one of the hits of the evening. The fat man, John Sims amused every one, especially the troupe, when he passed his immense box of chocolates. The bride and groom, Miss Irwin and Mr. Butler, were splendid in their parts, and it was hard to believe that this was their first wedding journey. The Chinaman, Robt. McMurry, was so perfectly gotten up and did his part so well that no one ever knew who he was. The opera company, who came on and sang, was greatly enjoyed. The young ladies, Miss Adams, prima donna; Misses Cowan, McMurry, Hooper, Moor, Greenwood and Shuford, were beautiful in their elegant evening dresses and never sang more sweetly. Each of their four numbers was delightful, but the closing one, the Mississippi Dippy Dip, took down the house.

The musicians who were going to Podunk to play for a dance, gave some fine music on their violins, and then it was decided to sing something. Finally My Old Kentucky Home was agreed upon. Then Farmer Boggs started, "What's the Matter With Father," and verses that had been arranged by him and the conductor were sung as What's the Matter With Sam Gustine, With Jim Sims and John Basden, with Tommy, with Mary, with the porter, with the conductor, with Benny, with Dr. Smith; closing with, What's the Matter With Colorado, She's Alright.

The second part was a beautiful drill by thirty little girls, who with flowered hoops formed numberless graceful figures to the music of the piano, played by Miss Stoneroad. These dainty children were quite as pretty as the passengers were ridiculous. The whole thing was a great success artistically and financially, and Colorado feels quite proud of her home talent.

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LORAINÉ LOCALS

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

W. W. Long and Crick Brown attended the poultry show at Roscoe last week. It's a cinch bet that when you say chickens Long hears you, and is coming right now.

Mrs. A. S. Dees and daughter, Miss Daisy, spent last Sunday in Roscoe the guests of Mrs. Dees' daughter, Mrs. J. L. Bird.

A. M. Jackson and W. T. Mullin drove over to Colorado last Monday to see the airship. They arrived on schedule time, but the bird-man was delayed. As they had gone that far to see him they decided to stay to the finish. They returned by "moon" light.

W. L. Petty and family, Hubert Tolar and family and Harry Hall went to Colorado Monday in Petty's auto to see the birdman.

Robert Henthorn, E. C. Carrell, Nay Carter, O. C. Wellborn, Jerry Walker and J. C. Hays composed a party from here to Colorado Monday to see the air ship.

Rev. G. C. Farris preached at Landers' school house last Sunday.

O. C. Wellborn was here this week shaking hands with old friends.

Rev. Mr. Hamilton, of Merkel, preached to the Presbyterian congregation of our city at the Methodist church last Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. L. E. Masters held services at the Baptist church here last Saturday and Sunday morning and evening.

Dr. W. H. Henthorn informs us that he and Hubert Tolar are the owners of the white hawk mentioned last week. He states that as soon as he has completed the remodeling of his offices he intends to place this curiosity on display there.

Dr. T. A. Martin has returned from Houston where he attended the meeting of the state health board.

A family reunion was held at the residence of Mrs. I. R. Wallis last Sunday afternoon, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wallis, who were married

that morning. All members of the Wallis and Gregg families were present.

W. F. Altman and wife and Miss Isophene Tolar autoed over to Hermeligh last Tuesday afternoon for a brief visit.

Rev. J. W. Smith preached at Champion last Sunday morning and at Silver in the evening. He reports a large congregation at both services, and much interest manifested.

The ladies of the Baptist church will have a sock social at the residence of Mrs. C. Gary, next Friday night.

Mrs. Dell King's music and chorus classes will entertain next Wednesday night at the opera house.

V. D. Payne and wife visited in Colorado Sunday.

Preston Scott, deputy sheriff, is here from Colorado this week collecting taxes.

A. J. Payne was here from Colorado Wednesday.

M. K. Jackson, of Colorado, was here Wednesday.

Nay Carter made a business trip to Westbrook last Wednesday.

A. G. Harris was among the Colorado visitors here this week.

J. M. Hughes, of Sweetwater, is spending a few days in Lorainé this week.

Rev. Simeon Shaw, of Colorado, was here Wednesday.

Leland Howard was here from Roscoe Tuesday in his auto.

Miss Willa McCarty, of Roscoe, was the guest of Miss Isophene Tolar in this city last Sunday.

Mr. Rosenthal, of St. Louis, representing the Rosenthal Sloan Millinery line, was here Wednesday. He was rounded up by one of the ring contestants and contributed a big dollar to the circulation of the News.

Everybody cordially invited to attend the recital of Mrs. King's music and chorus classes at the opera house, Wednesday night, November 29th.

A. G. Blankenship visited in Colorado last Tuesday.

W. H. Hard made a business trip to Colorado last Wednesday.

Entertained.

Last Friday night quite a crowd gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Brown for a few hours of amusement. Quite a variety of

games were played both new and old. Among the guests present were: Messrs Amos and Arlie Blankenship, Walter Bennett, Edwin Holmark, Tennis Wilson, Andrew Smith, John Land, Jesse White, Homer McRae, Curtis Reeder and Clyde Wilson. Misses Lela Blankenship, Vera Gary, Ollie Voss, Ethel, Vera and Daphna, Thomas, Ida and Cora Nelson and Lela Bennett.

On their departure all could express themselves as having had a very enjoyable time.

Quiet Home Wedding.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gregg, on last Sunday morning, Mr. Ben Wallis, of Clifton, Arizona, led to Hymens altar, Miss Mary Gregg. It was indeed a quiet home wedding, only the members of the immediate families being present. Rev. G. C. Farris officiated. While it was rumored for some weeks past that wedding bells would ring in Lorainé during the month of November, it came as a surprise to a large number of the many friends of the contracting parties.

The bride is the eldest daughter of our fellow townsman J. H. Gregg, and loved by all who know her. Her place in the social circles in which she moved will be hard to fill. She has always been prominent in church work, and those who came in contact with her in this sphere always felt the influence that a pure Christian life sends forth. The new life which she has assumed will be but the means of enlarging her capabilities for good.

Mr. Wallis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wallis, one of Lorainé's most prominent families. He is a farmer by occupation, and has, by steady effort scaled the heights of success in his chosen vocation. He will make his future home in the Lorainé country.

The usual congratulations and best wishes are extended to the happy couple. May naught but joy, happiness and prosperity be their portion.

Luncheon to Bride and Groom.

Mrs. J. L. Gregg entertained at luncheon in honor of the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wallis, last Tuesday.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Erwin, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wallis, Misses Annie and Oma Gregg, Isophene Tolar and Lybbie Lee.

A sumptuous repast was served, and the occasion was one heartily enjoyed by all present.

Fowler's Aeroplane.

Last Monday morning word was sent to the Lorainé News that Fowler in his airship was due in Colorado between two and four p. m., that day, and would pass over Lorainé shortly after four o'clock. Everybody in town was notified, and many, desiring a closer view, hiked for Colorado.

Owing to a mishap, Fowler was delayed and did not reach Colorado on Schedule time, and consequently spent the night in that city. All who went from here expressed themselves as delighted with the exhibition and feel themselves more than repaid for the trip and long wait. Tuesday morning arrangements were again made for the people of Lorainé to see this great twentieth century wonder. Our efficient telephone exchange consented to notify the Lorainé News the moment Fowler left Colorado. The News, in turn, was to notify our popular giveman, Mr. C. Gary, who was to have the whistles blown. Everybody was notified that when the gin whistles blew the airman was coming.

The phone rang, the whistle blew, the people thronged the railroad right-of-way and in the distance saw an object like a bird approaching. In fifteen minutes after the first blast of the whistle Fowler had passed over the city and was a fast receding speck in the atmosphere.

"There he comes, here he is, yonder he goes," was Lorainé's first airship experience. But we sure saw it.

Buttered Side Down Again.

Last Monday night sixteen of the Colorado "42" champions came to Lorainé to meet the devotees of that popular game in this city. The games were so close that only a careful count at the close revealed the fact Colorado was two games to the good. There were eight tables and each table played twelve games in four series of three games each—ninety-six games in all. The final count showed Colorado 49 games, Lorainé 47 games.

The banner table, and in fact the only one worthy of special mention, was table No. 5, at which C. B. Reeder and L. L. Beach, of Lorainé, faced eight different opponents and won eleven out of twelve games, losing the twelfth and last game played.

The guests from Colorado were: O. M. Mitchell, C. T. Harness, J. J. Patterson, R. L. Dolman, R. L. McMurry, J. W. Smith, S. Gustine, I. Mincer, C. R. Earnest, A. J. Coe, Jack Smith, L. A. Costin, Tom Payne, Jim Lovelace, Joe Shepperd and E. H. Winn.

Our local players were selected from the following line-up: Dr. W.

H. Henthorn, V. D. Payne, W. T. Mullin, C. H. Thomas, Harry Hall, J. E. Stowe, M. D. Cranfield, Hubert Tolar, J. Stone Rives, L. L. Beach, C. B. Reeder, Dr. B. F. Chambers, Jerry Walker, C. P. Mitchell, M. J. Dixon, Austin Butler and Pinkney Hurd.

Our boys were up against the real thing and they realized it. But victorious or defeated, we will be glad to meet Colorado and hope these occasions will be frequent.

E-M-F "30" Bulletin.

The following trips were made during the past week in the old reliable E-M-F "30" cars:

J. R. Hastings and A. R. Wood made a business trip of 21 miles out toward Lamesa last Thursday, returning Friday, using an E-M-F "30."

C. C. Blandford and Z. L. Hooten left Thursday morning on a trip northeast, making stops at Lorainé, Roscoe, Sweetwater, Longworth, Sylvester, Roby, Rotan, Hobbs and Hermeligh, returning to Colorado Friday night—a distance of 146 miles on nine gallons of gasoline. The E-M-F "30" won their praises, as usual, by the ease with which it took the rough roads and deep sand, where cars on former trips had balked.

Six trips were made to Lorainé and one to Sweetwater.

R. O. Pearson and family took a joy ride Sunday, using an E-M-F "30."

John R. Sims and wife took a demonstration ride in Kelper's new E-M-F "30."

Most of the participants in the match game of 42 between Lorainé and Colorado went down to Lorainé in E-M-F "30" cars.

Better get the E-M-F "30" habit.

Human nature remains about the same now as it has always been. The first paper published in the United States was the Boston News-Letter, April 24th, 1704. It appeared but once, in which issue the announcement was made that the paper would next week contain the names of all the liars in the city of Boston. There could have been but one result, and that happened.

My Pasture is Posted.

My pasture, two miles west of Colorado, has been duly posted, and notice is hereby given that all trespassers, regardless of persons, will be dealt with as the law directs, to the limit.

J. B. ENDERLEY, November 24th, 1911.

The Texas Dollar.

The Texas born dollar, taken from the soil and from the bowels of the earth, is the most honest dollar in circulation and has more prosperity in it than any other form of legal tender. It spends the week days at the markets and goes to church on Sunday and has few bad habits. It builds our homes, churches and school houses and when these tasks are completed its love for the fireside leads it to prefer doing chores for the family rather than embark in the gigantic enterprises of the 20th century civilization.

It takes special delight in buying the baby a new dress; providing ease and comfort for the home and taking the family on a summer vacation. It is timid and clannish. It will shy at a railroad or factory like a young colt at a locomotive. As a rule it avoids foreign company and seeks select companions; it travels only in well trodden paths and when it wanders in new fields it soon becomes frightened at the strange sights and goes scampering to the land of its birth.

Along with the noble traits of character, it has inherited some of the frailties of human nature, and one of the most pronounced is idleness. We have \$279,000,000 on deposit in our banks, some of our specie hides in tin cans buried in the back yards and occasionally a roll of bills is snugly tucked away in the hosiery of the family; the idle dollar seldom moves except to run from the tax assessor. Then we have dollars which are inclined to wander; probably \$100,000 per day leaves the State seeking foreign investments, but like the prodigal son, they usually return after having sown their wild oats and they come home to us broken in spirit, subdued in courage and other evidences of a mis-spent life and in some instances bring with them a severe case of hook worm. In any event they are too cautious to step outside the bank vault. Many a dollar is now chained to foreign investments that is sadly singing home, sweet home.

The Texas dollar can never develop Texas. The volume is entirely too small and it lacks courage. But with all its faults we love it still and the Texas dollar is a welcomed guest wherever and whenever it appears.

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Irrigation Well Celebration.

Midland, Texas, will hold a big irrigation celebration on December 8th. This celebration is on account of the recent discovery of a great underground lake of water in the country surrounding Midland, and particularly on account of the bringing in of the great Moran well, which is producing 2,000 gallons per minute from a depth of 121 feet.

Much interest has been aroused in this well in all parts of the country and a great crowd is expected to assemble in Midland on December 8th to witness for themselves the great stream of water which is flowing from this well. At this well there is installed a 24-inch centrifugal pump, and 2,000 gallons is easily secured, which is the full capacity of the pump.

This production was maintained continuously for sixty hours. The experts who installed the pump stated that with a larger pump 4,000 gallons could easily be secured.

Special railroad rates have been made from all points to this celebration, a fare of one and one-third for the round trip has been made from all points in Texas. In all states north of Texas round trip tickets will be sold for one fare plus \$2.00. Many letters have been received from various parts of the country, indicating that many home seekers and land men will take advantage of the cheap rates to inspect this well, which is the largest yet brought in in West Texas.

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS.

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles.

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble set in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to dropsy, or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. They are for ills that are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Residents of this community are constantly testifying to permanent cures.

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The round house of the Abilene & Southern Railroad was destroyed by fire last Friday morning. Two engines, three passenger coaches and two box cars were also burned, entailing a loss of about \$30,000.

Eddie Green is coming back to Texas, says his mama, to manage her railroad, and not because Governor Colquitt wanted him on his personal staff.

AVIATOR FOWLER'S STOP.

Greeted by a Large and Enthusiastic Crowd, He Makes a Perfect Landing.

He came; we saw; he lit, got his hundred dollars and then lit out. That's a brief chronicle of the passage of the bird-man; yet it does not even hint at the thousands of questions, suppositions and imaginings, telephone messages, bulletins, dodgers, etc., that intervened between the announcement of his intended stop at Colorado and his actual coming. But the sight was well worth the expense, time and trouble it cost. The sight will remain an event in the lives of many who never saw an airship before, and possibly will not see another. The spectacle of seeing a man rise in the air and skim as easily and swiftly as a bird, is one calculated to make a deep and lasting impression on any mind. Reading about it and seeing pictures of it is vastly different from seeing the actual fact itself. It looks as if the very fundamental laws of nature were subverted and set at naught, and sets the imagination groping for the limit of man's daring and achievement.

It had been announced by those who had the arrangements of Fowler's coming in hand, that when the aviator left Big Springs the word would be telephoned here and announcement made to the public by the blowing of all the steam whistles. Many perched themselves on house-tops and other places of vantage to await his coming. The last word was that he would arrive at five o'clock, and a large crowd congregated on the old ball grounds in south Colorado.

A few minutes after five o'clock a speck in the western sky, which gradually grew larger, gave evidence of his safe arrival. The conditions were ideal for flying, not a current of air stirring, and he made a beautiful descent, after circling the grounds in order to select the most advantageous landing spot. He came to ground as gently as a bird, without a bump or jar to his machine. No sooner had he touched the earth than the crowd made an assault upon the machine. Some only wanted to touch it in order that they might hand down the experience to succeeding generations; some wanted to write their names on the machine; some looked for some kind of a souvenir; but the larger part crowded upon the aviator and his machine simply because the "other fellows did."

By the time Fowler had gotten off his machine it had grown so dark that nothing could be seen, and the announcement was made that an exhibition would be made the following morning at 9 o'clock. At this hour Fowler mounted his machine again and took his flight toward Sweetwater, where he was due Tuesday morning.

All in all, the visit had a good educational effect upon the people who saw a flying machine for the first time and especially was it of value to the children, who will never forget their first sight of a flying machine. As we watched the machine come sailing through the sky as steadily and swiftly as a bird, we tried to fancy what had been the fate of a man fifty years ago who had announced that such a thing would come to pass within the lifetime of people who then heard him the doors of the mad house would have closed upon him as quickly as he could have been railroaded to that institution, or his hide hung on the fence for being in league with the devil.

Women Run for Office.

Cleburne, Tex., Nov. 19.—Two young ladies have announced for the position of county treasurer. One of the young ladies is already assistant county treasurer, and the other is employed in a local lawyer's office. The latter is Miss Minnie Ramsey and the other is Miss Loula Rogers.

COUNTY TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT.

In the matter of the Quarterly Report of J. J. Patterson, County Treasurer of Mitchell County, Texas, and the affidavits of the Commissioners of said County.

In the Commissioner's Court, Mitchell County, Texas, Nov. term, A. D. 1911, this 13th day of Nov., A. D. 1911.

We the undersigned Commissioners of Mitchell County, Texas and A. J. Coe, County Judge of said Mitchell County, constituting the Commissioners' Court of said county, and each one of us do hereby certify upon oath that on this, the 13th day of Nov., A. D. 1911 at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of J. J. Patterson, Treasurer of Mitchell County, Texas for the quarter beginning on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1911, and ending on the 13th day of Nov., A. D. 1911, and upon finding same correct, have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's report by said court which said order recites, separately, the amounts received and paid out of each fund on the said 15th day of Nov., his last report in the Court and during the time covered by this report, and the balance remaining in each fund on the said 15th day of Nov., A. D. 1911 and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of said Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Article 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV, of the revised Statutes of Texas, as assembled by an act of the 25th Legislature of Texas at its regular session.

And we, each of us, further certify upon our oaths that we have actually and fully inspected and counted the amount of money, in cash and other assets, in the hands of said treasurer, belonging to Mitchell county on this day and date and found the same to be as follows, to-wit:

Total cash on hand, belonging to Mitchell county in the hands of said Treasurer, \$3,144.76.
Assets in addition to the above amount of money as actually and fully counted by us, in possession of said County Treasurer.
Permanent School Fund invested in bonds \$1000.00
Permanent School Fund in land notes \$7856.00
Total \$8856.00
Grand Total, Money and

Assets \$12,000.76
Witness our hands, this 15th day of Nov., A. D. 1911.
A. J. COE, County Judge.
U. D. WULFJEN, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.
W. M. GREEN, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2.
W. B. WIMBERLEY, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.
Subscribed and sworn to before me by A. J. Coe, County Judge, and U. D. Wulfjen, and W. M. Green, and W. B. Wimberly, County Commissioners of said Mitchell County, each respectfully, on this the 15th day of Nov., A. D. 1911.

(Seal) JESSE H. BULLOCK,
Clerk County Court, Mitchell Co., Tex.

FALLS TAKING COLLECTION.

J. Pierpont Morgan Trips on Pew Cushions, But is Injured.

New York, Nov. 19.—J. Pierpont Morgan tripped in church today and, falling to the floor, spilled the contents of the collection plate, which was piled high with money. The banker was injured.

Mr. Morgan, who is senior warden of St. George's Protestant Episcopal Church, was about to pass the plate to Bishop Greer for the offertory benediction, when he stubbed his toe over

er a misplaced pew cushion on the floor, just behind the chancel rail, and fell on his hands and knees. Silver coins, bills and envelopes containing checks, which Mr. Morgan had collected from the congregation, were scattered over a wide area, and the silver plate, which he juggled with desperately for a few moments, went rolling away.

R. Fulton Cutting, the junior warden, former Mayor Seth Low, a vestryman, and several clergymen were quickly at Mr. Morgan's side, and the banker was soon on his feet again, unhurt, and, apparently, not at all perturbed—in fact, the calmest man at the chancel.

The incident, witnessed by a large congregation, occurred in an interval of the special service commemorative of the one hundredth anniversary of the foundation of St. George's parish.

Mr. Morgan probably was the victim of his own gallantry, for the pew cushions, a dozen or more, were placed on the chancel steps at his suggestion to permit many women, who had been standing in the back of the church, to sit down.

The government has just issued the first official statement from the census bureau relative to the statistics on irrigation in Texas. The report shows for the year 1909 and 1910, and also for the year 1899, giving the increase year by year for ten years. It is an interesting document, and one that every farmer in West Texas should have and read.

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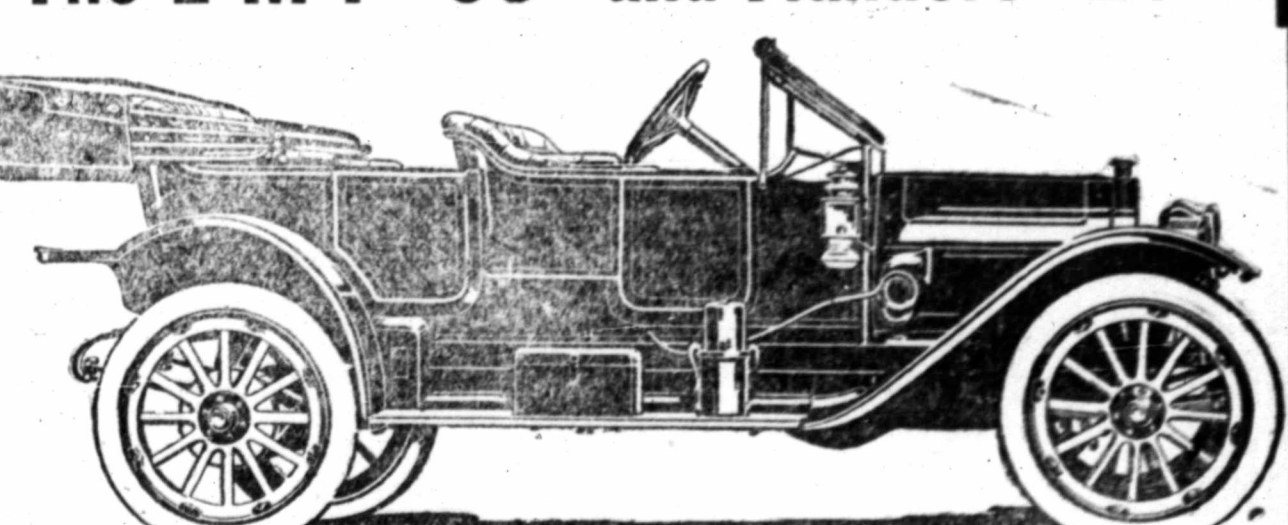
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COWS CHEWED UP AEROPLANE.

Found Machine Just to Their Taste and Went After It Red Eyed.

San Angelo, Tex., Nov. 19.—Imagine Noah Smith's feelings Wednesday morning when he discovered two brindle cows chewing on his brand new aeroplane. Don't you suppose it made him sore when he investigated fruther and found one end of the propeller missing and discovered a big hole in one of the planes, and several small holes in the other plane? He didn't say very much, but went to work at once repairing the damage and spent the rest of the day getting the machine ready for a trial Thursday afternoon.

The cows were actually feeding on the aeroplane. Strange it may seem, but the two brindle milkers were enjoying their meal, and had to be driven away from the machine with sticks. They hated to leave it, and stayed close by it for more than an hour licking their chops and casting longing glances at the machine.

This took place in the Metcalfe pasture where Smith has been making his demonstrations. He has let the machine remain in the field ever since he first took it out of the shop ten days ago. The cows were having a feast off of the craft when Smith drove them away.

One end of the propeller had been chewed entirely off, while the cows had bitten off another big piece at another place. The propeller is made of cedar wood and is heavily waxed and varnished. The cedar wax and varnish provided a very tempting food for the cows. They had been chewing on the planes for some time before they discovered that the propeller was also deliciously flavored and began biting on it. The propeller cost \$75 and Smith is lamenting the loss caused by the cows. While the propeller was partially repaired, it cannot be made as good as new, and Smith fears it will give him trouble. The damage to the planes was easily repaired.

Smith says the failure of the engine to work properly is all that is causing him to keep out of the air. He is disappointed in the engine, although he bought it under the strongest of recommendations. He is hoping that the engine will develop enough power and speed to enable him to make a flight at the fall Fair, and he will work all the rest of the week on the craft in an effort to get it in condition for the Fair.

INVITES DR. TRUETT TO SPEAK.

Calvary Baptist Church, New York, Asks Dallas Pastor to Deliver Thanksgiving Address.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 29.—Dr. George W. Truett, pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, has been chosen by the Calvary Baptist Church, of New York City, to preach its annual Thanksgiving sermon on Thanksgiving morning, November 30. Dr. R. S. McArthur has been the pastor of that church for more than forty years. He resigned that pastorate since the meeting of the Baptist World Alliance, held in Philadelphia in June, to give himself wholly to the duties of the presidency of the alliance.

The first Baptist church of Dallas, in its mid-week meeting last evening, released Dr. Truett for the service desired of him in New York City, and also released him for a series of addresses to be delivered at Denison University, in Ohio, in case he will find it convenient with his wishes and engagements to render such services. He did not say last night whether he could arrange to make the two visits named.

For Sale or Trade.

The Record has for sale or trade a nearly new 3-horse-power Fairbanks-Morse Gasoline Engine. Cost new \$225. Will sell at nearly half price. Guaranteed in all its parts, and is a bargain for anyone who wants an engine. See it at this office.

ROSWELL SMUDGE POT FACTORY. Machinery Will be Bought and Lots Have Been Secured for Site of Plant.

Roswell, N. M., Nov. 15.—Roswell's smudge pot factory is a certainty. E. P. Holt, inventor of the smokeless monitor orchard heater, and C. W. Whitman, owner of the Dexter Cement Brick, Block and Tile factory, left today for St. Louis to purchase machinery for the smudge pot making plant, and upon their return will move the Dexter factory to Roswell and combine the two. Lots adjoining the Santa Fe right of way have been secured for the site. L. K. McGaffey, Rhea Brothers and M. M. Brunk, local capitalists, have subscribed for stock in a \$25,000 corporation that will own the factory.

I am selling the best flour on the market for \$2.50 per 100. It is the "Vera-Best," as the name implies. Y. D. McMURRY.

Passing of the Livery Stable.

An article in the Kansas City "Star" chronicles the gradual disappearance of the country town livery stables in Kansas. The cause of the passing of this time honored institution is strikingly set forth in two pictures which accompany the article. Both are made from photographs of the business section of the town of Great Bend. One of these photographs was taken in 1907. It shows four automobiles and several hundred horse-driven vehicles lining the main street of the town. The other photograph was taken in 1910. It shows 585 automobiles scattered along main street, while only five horse driven vehicles are in sight. A few years ago Great Bend had seven livery stables and fourteen garages—and one of the stables operates an automobile line. The Star article says that Barton county, in which Great Bend is located, "has a population of 19,000, and there are 1,100 motor cars in the country, or one for every fifteen inhabitants." Some years ago William Allen White, foreseeing the influx of automobiles, projected his vision into the future and wrote the following: "It used to be that the livery stable man was the best informed and most important citizen in the town, because he knew the business of every stranger, where he came from and whither bound. He was a source of information, and when a stranger got off a train, if he wanted to know anything about anyone he hiked straight to the livery stable. The liveryman knew everyone in the country, and so became the natural candidate for sheriff. I am wondering with the coming of the automobile what will become of the livery stable man. Will he atrophy, or will he rub out the words livery stable from his high front barn and paint on 'Garage' and become a candidate for the legislature?" Blacksmith shops and livery stables are accommodating themselves to the new dispensation and are blossoming out as garages. The traveling salesman, who used to be the best patron of the livery stable, no longer want a horse and buggy or a double rig. They insist on an automobile and are thereby enabled to make three or four towns where they could reach only one before.

Others say they cannot see how genuine Cottoleone can be sold at \$1.15 for 10 pounds. If they will come to Y. D. McMurry's store, he will show them how it is done.

AN OPEN LETTER.

Good and Wholesome Advice for Mitchell County Farmers.

To the farmers of Mitchell County: Owing to many stubborn facts concerning our chief and well-adapted product—cotton; and knowing full well that the price at present is far below the cost of production, therefore I deem it my duty, and of all other good citizens as well, to speak out in thunder tones for a change.

Now, as for myself, I am nearer ready to admit that we have raised too much cotton than I ever was before. I don't mean to say that there is too much raised to supply the world's demands, but we have raised too much to make it profitable to us. Hence I think it time to call a halt and enquire for a remedy.

I will suggest a few: 1st. Let every farmer raise his own meat at home. At first thought this may seem a hard problem, but consider what we can raise in the way of hog feed. Milomaze, sorghum, Kafir corn, peas, pumpkins, squash, cushaws, and Spanish goobers in abundance—and occasionally corn; and think how cheap net wire is to fence our patches, so that the hogs can do their own gathering and make their own living while we work. Further, an early patch of sorghum, or mixture if you choose, sowed broadcast, will serve to good purpose to keep up your hogs until another patch comes in. headed; and one after another can be made ready for the hogs until the hogs are ready for family use, and some for the market.

2nd. Plant white maize and raise our own bread. Attach a small mill to our wind mill and do our own grinding, as well as our own eating.

3rd. Many of us know beyond question that we can raise our own cane and make our own syrup, and of good quality, too; and if we should find a surplus, we can easily find a market for it.

4th. Prepare to irrigate a small garden. Enough, at least, for home supply. Prepare to have a beef to kill occasionally, and a goat, a kid, and a mutton. All these will serve to our own good and make the farm more attractive.

5th. Raise your own work stock, even if its on a small scale.

Raise what cotton you can as a surplus, pick it yourself if you can, if not, get some one to help you, but don't pay a dollar a hundred, for you can't afford it.

Now then, let's quit our foolishness

and get down to business and seek co-operation on every line with merchants, bankers, lawyers, doctors, editors and preachers, in fact, all except the speculators and gamblers upon our agricultural products; and be sure you don't vote for men to make our laws who will prosecute one class of men for gambling and license another.

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EVERY dollar spent in patronizing home industries of every kind, is an invitation to outside capital to invest in our town. Nothing is so stimulating to home industry as the knowledge that there is a market for its products at home. When the outside learns that Colorado farmers and Colorado people patronize Colorado merchants in preference to any others, the town will build up and the volume of business be increased wonderfully.

Spend your money with the people who have helped you make it. This is the political economy of co-operation. When you send your money to build up other towns—Chicago and New York—you are but robbing yourself of the amount of money the home merchants in the same line you ordered, would have given back to you. Not a dollar of the money you pay the mail order houses will ever find its way into your pocket again. It's gone "where the woodbine twineth and the whangdoodle mourneth."

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Miss Rosa Leach is visiting relatives at Coahoma this week.

Pure blood, single comb, Rhode Island Red Cockerels and Pullets for sale. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.

R. P. Price let the contract this week to J. E. Pond for the erection of a modern, up to date residence on the lot he recently purchased from John T. Johnson.

H. C. Carr, a substantial farmer of the Vincent community, was trading in town Wednesday.

If you want something to do, easy and profitable, come in and see the present we are making new cash subscribers, and the commissions we allow agents.

Cheese, pickled pig's feet, brick chill, souse and pure hog lard, at BEAL BROS.

W. W. Watson, of Roswell, N. M., is looking after his interests in this section.

LOST—Black Poland-China sow, white feet, unmarked, weighs about 200 pounds. Reward. Phone or write, E. M. REESE, Colorado, Tex. Phone 314—one long, one short ring.

L. W. Sandusky returned this week from a business trip to Roswell, N. M.

Pure blood, single comb, Rhode Island Red Cockerels and Pullets for sale. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.

Dr. P. C. Coleman and daughter, Miss Eleanor; Dr. N. J. Phenix and wife, attended the meeting of the Big Springs-El Paso district Medical Association at Midland this week. The Association will meet at Abilene next time.

4 1-2 lb best Coffee for 95 cents—McMurry's.

Farmer George Goodwin, of the Cuthbert community, brought sixteen bales of cotton to market Wednesday morning. But George never does anything half way. He always has enough and to spare of everything. When any farm product is scarce and the price is way up, he has it to sell. Mitchell county needs several hundred more George Goodwins.

FOR SALE—I now offer for sale my buggy horses. They are good drivers and I will sell singly or together at a bargain.
DR. T. J. RATLIFF.

Miss Irwin spent Saturday and Sunday at Iatan, the guest of Mrs. A. H. Bass.

The Mission Study Class will meet Monday with Mrs. Merritt, this meeting being carried over from last Monday on account of the show and the airship.

Pure blood, single comb, Rhode Island Red Cockerels and Pullets for sale. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.

Miss Letha Davis has returned home from a visit to friends.

LOST—Blood-red cow, 4 years old, branded Y on left hip. Lost month and half. Reward for return or information 11-17
BEAL BROS.

Miss Ray Alexander, of Barstow, is the guest of Miss Eleanor Van Tuyl.

The merchant who sells you staple groceries for less money than Buchanan is in business for his health.

Mrs. Irby is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stoneham Beal.

Rev. S. J. Vaughan, of Gatesville, is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Grantland. He preached Sunday morning and evening at the Methodist church splendid sermons which were very much enjoyed by his many old friends and all his new ones who chanced to hear him. Brother Vaughan has never lost his love for Colorado and her people, and he always enjoys a visit here, and those visits always prove blessings to the congregations who hear him preach.

Cheese, pickled pig's feet, brick chill, souse and pure hog lard, at BEAL BROS.

A. F. Curry came in Sunday from Midland county and will spend some time with his family.

Mrs. Wheatley, of Arizona, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Austin Roundtree.

FOR RENT—Good five-room house. Close in, good repair. See,
JAS. T. JOHNSON.

Briggs Robertson, who is now working for Armour & Co., at Fort Worth, as city salesman, stopped over to see his old friends here this week, enroute to visit his parents at Slayton. Briggs has grown to be quite a man, both in stature and responsibility, as his position with so eminent a house as Armour indicates. His Colorado friends rejoice at his success.

FOR SALE—Five full-blood Duroc Jersey pigs. Old enough to wean. 11-17
BEAL BROS.

C. C. Blandford sold his home last week to C. H. Arrington, who is moving in this week. The Blandfords will rent this winter, and next spring they expect to build a modern home on quality hill.

Just received a fresh shipment of Chase & Sanborn coffee at Colorado Mercantile Co.

Phone 35 for meat. Prompt delivery.

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Stein-Bloch Clothing
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The Hamilton-Brown Shoe for the whole family
The Wilson Shirt
The Eagle Shirt
The Blumenthal Glove
The Royal Worcester Corset
The McCall Pattern, and many other articles of unquestionable merit.

We will be glad to have you purchase your Fall and Winter wants from us, assuring you of the VERY BEST VALUES FOR THE LEAST MONEY.

Chas. M. Adams

COLORADO, TEXAS

Will Singleton was over from Sweetwater Sunday.

The famous Star Quartette will be at the Opera House November 25th.

Mr. M. M. Hamill, past master of the autocratic linotype in the Record office, shook the dust of Colorado from his feet last Sunday and sojourning for the day in our suburb to the East, conventionally called Sweetwater. He reports a delightful visit.

McMurry's for 'Ver-a-best flour—\$2.80.

FOUND—Pair gold framed spectacles at the opera house night of the Pojunk Limited. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying 25 cents for this advertisement.

Bishop Temple, of this Episcopal diocese, will be in Colorado on Sunday December 10th, and preach at the Episcopal church.

Beal Bros. will appreciate your trade.

The bird-man did not gratify the curiosity of the people who went over to see his flying exhibition Tuesday morning. After looking over his machine, getting a fresh supply of oil, he mounted, and without more ado, made a bee line for Sweetwater, his next stop.

The debris from the burned block has been cleaned from the sidewalk, and that side of the street is clear again.

Stalk cutters at just what they cost at McMurry's.

There is rumor of further hotel changes in the town at an early date.

The barber shop of Roy Dozier is again in full blast in the Simpson building next to Wright's tailor shop, and within another week that of Jones and Harris will be ready for business.

Latest styles and best patterns of wall paper at Doss's.

J. M. Radford and A. H. Kirby, of Abilene, and R. H. Stewart, a prominent banker of Dallas, were business visitors to Colorado this week. They came to take steps in the adjustment of matters pertaining to the Colorado Salt Company.

Walking plows at cost at McMurry's.

Charles Norris, the public spirited citizen of Ira, was a Colorado visitor this week.

All implements at cost at McMurry's.

There are people in this world of so little energy that they are still going on the momentum of their birth.

Rev. Hammock, of Sweetwater, visited his son, Garner, this week. Rev. Hammock has many friends in Colorado, having been pastor of the Presbyterian church here years ago.

The Junior Standards were entertained most pleasantly Friday by Miss Nellie Riordan. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Thomas, Miss Elsie Hooper most gracefully presided. Miss Nellie Riordan heard the lesson, which was Life on the Dutch Canals. Roll call was the usual current events. Miss Anna Roe gave a very interesting paper upon the University Life of Holland. After a delightful social hour the club adjourned to meet this week with Miss Hooper.

The G. F. C's met Saturday with Miss Moar, instead of the usual day, Thursday. The sewing was very much in evidence, being enlivened by some music by Mrs. Beal. The hostess served delicious baked apples, cake and coffee with whipped cream. Miss Doss is hostess this week on the usual day.

Mrs. Gary was hostess for the Standard club, the meeting being held at the home of Mrs. Crockett and being a most enjoyable one. Roll call was responded to with Chinese proverbs. Lesson, Othello; leader, Mrs. Hooper; paper by Mrs. Crockett, Contrast of the Religion of Mohammed, Zoroaster, Confucius and Buddha, which was very interesting. The magazine lesson was, Courts of Law and Education in China, which was led by Mrs. Looney.

Mrs. Gary gave a reading on the sacred books of China, which completed the program. After enjoying a very pleasant social hour the club adjourned to meet this week with Mrs. Looney.

The Record turned out a big two-color circular job this week for Alpine, Texas, away down on the Southern Pacific in Brewster county.

Mr. T. J. Matthews is the right kind of farmer because he is a diversifier. This season Mr. Matthews sold \$62 worth of tomatoes off of one row 167 steps long. He now has a turkey with twelve little turks eleven days old, and yesterday was in town with a coop full of Plymouth Rock cockrels which he sold easily at \$1.00 each. Mr. Matthews is not a cotton farmer.

Watch and see Doss' new books and Dolls.

J. J. Williams, of Cuthbert, was in town yesterday with cotton.

A. J. Herrington, the Rambler man, just came in off of an 1,800 mile trip all over the plains, New Mexico and Arizona. He reports the Rambler car fine and in good shape. He left again this week on a trip south, and will be gone until the 15th of December.

The Record this week completed a job of forty thousand big circulars for Dermott, advertising the big town lot sale at that place on December 7.

On the 30th of this month a box supper will be given at the Fairview school house. The proceeds will be used to put screens on the doors and windows.

Have you arranged for your Thanksgiving Turk? That's the gastronomic question now.

A message from E. C. Cullen, at McNeal, Arizona, says "Keep the Record a-comeing; I enjoy reading it."

A. B. Maxfield, of Colorado, was here yesterday.—Sweetwater Reporter.

Jas. S. Grinnan and wife and son, Lewis, of Terrell, Texas, were visiting Dr. P. C. Coleman and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd spent a few days with their sister, Mrs. Ben Morgan, this week. They were moving to Plainview.

Mrs. M. J. Riggs spent Thursday in Colorado, the guest of Mrs. Hall. She was enroute from Mineral Wells to Midland.

TYPE WRITER RIBBONS
We have for sale, Typewriter ribbons for all machines. Guaranteed to be the best at only 75 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Towl and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adamson, of Snyder, came down Sunday and spent the day with relatives. The Towls visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ruddick, the Adamsons being the guest of their sister, Mrs. Q. D. Hall.

To Close all Day.
We, the undersigned, agree to close our respective places of business all day November 30th, 1911.

Y. D. McMurry.
H. C. Doss.
J. Riordan Co.
J. P. Majors.
H. L. Hutchinson Furniture and Undertaking Company.

C. M. Adams.
Burns & Bell.
D. L. Buchanan.
J. H. Green.
W. H. Moerer.
Colorado Mercantile Company.
J. B. Annis.
Colorado Dry Goods Company.
Beal Bros.
J. F. McGill.
Winn & Payne.
Cash Market.
J. O. McClellan.
D. F. Gilson.
C. H. Lasky.
Ratliff & Wheeler.

A New Industry.
It is reported that Mr. Herrington has traded for a first class machine shop with all the latest improved and up to date machinery, and will move it to Colorado to do general repair work of all kinds. There are two iron turning lathes, two dynamos—one for charging batteries and one for lights, iron planers, forges and tools of every kind. This is Mr. Herrington's profession, and when he gets the new plant installed he can make anything and repair anything from an aeroplane to an automobile.

The crop of marriages that is usually harvested about this time of year promises to be a (trifle below the average for fullness. If the dry summer has had any hand in cutting short this usually prolific crop it is the first time that drouths, floods, famine, pestilence or grasshoppers, have been known to effect it. It is subject to no condition of supply and demand, bull or bear movements, but is governed by laws peculiarly its own.

Whose your tailor?

MEN who value personal appearance as a business and social asset, wear clothes made to individual measure by our famous Chicago tailors.

Ed. V. Price & Co.

Our customers know that in every attribute of correct style, fit and service—value these famous tailors will deliver clothes such as no small shop can duplicate for less than twice the money.

WILL WRIGHT the Tailor.



Three-Button Short Bos Overcoat, No. 784