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COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 1912.

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Certified Returns of Primary.

We hereby certify that the following is a list of the candidates for State and District offices, and the vote received by each, at the primary election held in Mitchell county, on July 27, 1912, as shown by the canvass of the returns made by the executive committee of the Democratic party, on this third day of August, 1912:

J. E. HOOPER, Chairman.
County Executive Dem. Com.
Attest J. A. BUCHANAN, Sec.
Democratic Electors received the full vote of the county, one-thousand and fifty-six votes.

For United States Senator
Morris Sheppard, 767.
Jake Wolters, 198.
Matt Zollner, 9.
C. B. Randall, 82.
For Governor.
W. F. Ramsey, 567.
O. B. Colquitt 453.
For Lieutenant Governor
Wiley M. Imboden, 296.
Will H. Mayes, 773.
For Comptroller
Bob Barker 284.
W. P. Lane 877.
For Attorney General
James D. Walthall 181.
B. F. Looney 628.
M. B. Harris 247.
For State Treasurer
Frank B. McCammon 155.
J. L. Aston, 304.
W. N. Adams, 232.
J. M. Edwards, 329.

For Com. General Land Office
Charley Geers, 362.
James T. Robison 685.
For Com. of Agriculture
H. A. Halbert 454.
Eugene Irion, 73.
Ed R. Kone 193.
H. E. Singleton, 287.
For Supt. Public Instruction
F. M. Bradley, 871.
For Railroad Com. Place 1
W. D. Williams, 1056.
For Railroad Com. Place 2
John L. Wortham, 299.
Theo. G. Thomas, 74.
Earl B. Mayfield 648.

Congressmen at Large
M. C. Cureton, 396.
Jeff McLemore, 19.
R. E. Yantis, 26.
H. W. Summers, 121.
J. N. Browning 190.
M. Pazzral, 6.
W. B. Featherstone 71.
S. C. Harris 71.
J. K. Street, 78.
Joe Lancaster 163.
Will A. Harris 33.
W. T. Loudermilk 121.
A. S. Garrett 49.
F. T. Roche, 35.
Sebe Newman 23.
G. H. Harrison, 86.
E. W. Bounds 46.
Frederick Opp 19.
V. W. Grubbs, 14.
E. I. Kelle, 2.
D. E. Garrett, 106.
G. A. Harman 27.
R. R. Smith, 15.

For Chief Justice Supreme Court
T. J. Brown, 1072.
For Asso. Jus. Term Ex. 1916
R. A. Pleasants, 165.
K. R. Craig, 62.
John C. Townes, 201.
Nelson Phillips, 159.
Ocle Speer, 346.
For Asso. Jus. Term Ex. 1914
J. B. Dibrell, 302.
W. E. Hawkins, 692.
For Judge Court Crim. Appeals
W. B. Green, 252.
A. C. Prendergast 530.
J. C. Muse, 236.

For Asso. Jus. Court Civil Ap.
Irby Dunklin, 863.
For Congress 16th District
W. R. Smith, 1044.
For State Senator 28th District
J. W. Overton, 580
J. W. Overton, 580.
H. P. Brelsford, 470.
For Representative 121st District
John J. Ford, 494.
John W. Woods, 625.
For Dist. Judge 32nd Jud. Dis.
W. W. Beall, 476.
James L. Shepherd, 661.
Atty. 32nd Ju. Dis.
Leslie, 805.
F. Eidson, 26.
W. W. Kirk 283.

Thanks His Friends.

Although failing to land the nomination for the office I sought, I am yet proud of the support given me and grateful to my friends for their loyalty. I am aware of the fact that few men receive a nomination the first time they run. The recent race put me in close touch with the voters of the county.

Truly yours,
W. W. PORTER.

MITCHELL COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Selection of Delegates to the Various Conventions—Resolutions—Speeches, Etc.

Pursuant to the call of the County Chairman, the Mitchell County Democratic Convention was called to order by County Chairman J. E. Hooper, at the courthouse at 2 p. m., August 3, 1912, when the following proceedings were had:

Secretary J. A. Buchanan read the report of the executive committee which showed list of accredited delegates to county convention from precinct conventions.

J. H. Airhart was elected chairman and W. F. Altman, secretary.

On motion a committee on resolutions was appointed, consisting of P. C. Coleman, S. E. Brown and C. P. Conway.

The following will constitute the Democratic Executive Committee of Mitchell county for the coming two years: J. D. Wilson, Chairman, Lorraine, Texas; R. G. Smith, Colorado, Precinct No. 1; B. A. Donelson, R. F. D. No. 2, Colorado, Precinct No. 2; S. F. Ward, R. F. D. No. 2, Colorado, Precinct No. 3; J. W. McGehee, Lorraine, Precinct No. 4; W. R. Womack, Cuthbert, Precinct No. 5; G. E. Stutphen, Lattan, Precinct No. 6; Jas. Bennett, Lorraine, Precinct No. 7; I. I. Simmons, Car, Precinct No. 8.

The following were elected Precinct Chairmen: No. 1, J. A. Buchanan; No. 2, J. M. Page; No. 3, R. A. Hood; No. 4, W. M. Richards; No. 5, D. E. Goodwin; No. 6, W. A. Griffith; No. 7, T. J. Coffee; No. 8, F. P. Murphy; at the county convention held at 2:30 Saturday evening at the courthouse J. H. Airhart was elected president and W. F. Altman, Secretary. The following delegates to conventions were elected:

State Convention; P. C. Coleman; J. E. Hooper; C. M. Adams.
Second Supreme Judicial District Convention; L. W. Sandusky, W. F. Altman, Jas. L. Shepherd.
16th Congressional District Convention; M. Zellner, S. E. Brown, R. A. Jeffrey, A. J. Coe, P. M. Grant, W. J. Chestney, R. F. Hargrove, B. A. Donelson, J. L. Doss, Jas. Bennett, J. A. Buchanan, C. P. Conway.

28th Senatorial District Convention, N. J. Phenix, Willis R. Smith, R. H. Looney, S. E. Brown, W. B. Crockett, T. J. Matthews.
121st Representative District Convention, A. J. Coe, S. F. Ward, D. C. McRae, Brooks Bell, T. J. Coffee.

32nd Judicial District Convention; D. N. Arnett, F. M. Burns, C. W. Simpson, Willis Brown, J. A. Templeton, F. A. Winn, J. H. Airhart.
While the committees were out the convention was addressed by Prof. J. Stone Rives of Lorraine, the newly elected county chairman, J. D. Wilson of Lorraine and just prior to adjournment by the president J. H. Airhart of Car.

P. C. Coleman reported for the committee on resolutions as follows:

Colorado, Tex., Aug. 3, 1912.
To Hon. J. H. Airhart, Chairman,
Democratic Convention, Mitchell Co.

We your committee on Resolutions and Platform, beg leave to submit the following and move adoption of same:

1. We would renew our allegiance to our grand old Democratic party, which we believe stands for the happiness, prosperity and good of the American people.

We believe in our candidate for president, Woodrow Wilson, we have a man that embodies all the elements that will go to make a great and patriotic president. We believe in our national platform we have advocated the wisest measures that have ever been offered to the American people for their endorsement and from all indications we rejoice to declare the election in November will result in the triumph of our candidates and our platform.

While we fought a losing fight in our recent primary election, in our state in so far as result for governor is concerned we won our candidate for U. S. Senator, Lieut-Gov., Attorney General and most of the other state officers, and in this we won a great victory, and we are here to say to the world at all times in the future when we are called upon to make a fight for those men and those great principles which we believe stand for the good of Texas we are ready and we further believe such fights will continue to arise until those great principles triumph.

3. We instruct our delegates to San

Antonio convention to advocate and stand by these resolutions and platform.

S. E. BROWN,
C. P. CONWAY,
P. C. COLEMAN.

Republican County Convention.

The cohorts of the "Bull Moose" foregathered last Saturday on the grazing grounds of the courthouse park, where they cavorted about, pawed up the turf and bellowed forth the praises of the "Big Bull" himself.

It was a very enthusiastic meeting, though strictly a delegated one, inasmuch as all the mooses in the county were represented by three bucks of known prowess.

Robt. M. Webb, the bell-moose of this range, was elected chairman by acclamation, the other two not voting. The voting was done by a show of horns.

The meeting endorsed the "Great Bull" and adopted a series of ringing resolutions that made Taft look like a hired man in a calico shirt. The meeting sent a wireless to the other faithful at Chicago assuring them that Mitchell county was safe—had two good rains.

As the sense of the meeting was that the G. O. P. should at least make a noise like politics, it was determined to put a ticket in the field, which was accordingly done as follows:

For County Judge, T. H. Roe of Colorado.
For County Treasurer, W. P. Rudick of Colorado.
For County Attorney, John Sims of Colorado.

For Sheriff, H. A. Beight, of Lorraine.
For Tax Assessor, Erwin Baldwin.
For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, S. N. Sherwin.

For County and District Clerk, Alonzo Phillips.
For Constable, Precinct No. 1, John Greenwood.

After all of them had done a little pawing, cavorting and bellowing, the closing ode was sung and the convention adjourned with peace, harmony and brotherly love prevailing.

Socialist County Convention.

On August 3, 1912, at 3 p. m., the county executive committee met at the courthouse and canvassed the returns of the precinct conventions held July 27, after which the convention of the Socialist party of this county was held under the management of county chairman, E. G. Reed. After ratifying the work of the precinct conventions a county ticket was nominated as follows:

For County Judge, J. J. Handley.
For County and District Clerk, C. L. Kirkpatrick.
For Sheriff and Tax Collector, G. F. Reeder.

For Tax Assessor, T. L. Redman.
For Treasurer, Hon. McGuire.
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1, J. R. Ernest.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2, Dock Handley.
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4, E. O. Britton.

Thos. McGuire was elected to go to the state convention to be held at Waco August 13.

The following party officers were elected for the two ensuing years:
W. H. Williams, County Chairman,
County executive committeeman
Justice Precinct No. 1, W. E. Rucker,
County executive committeeman,
Justice Precinct No. 5, E. O. Britton,
County executive committeeman,
Precinct No. 7, J. L. Mullenix.

THOS. MCGUIRE, Sec.
Mitchell County Socialist Party.

Campaign Expenses.

The following schedule of campaign expenses has been filed by the various candidates for county, district and precinct offices:

James L. Shepherd, \$840.10.
W. P. Leslie, \$604.90.
J. J. Patterson, \$65.25.
A. J. Coe, 63.40.
G. B. Coughran, \$85.00.
A. W. Cooksey, 47.25.
W. W. Porter, \$62.00.
Earl Jackson, \$52.20.
Thos. J. Coffee, 21.60.
Jno. R. Sims, \$15.00.
A. J. Culpepper, \$54.00.
S. S. Justice, \$42.75.
Samuel Gustine, \$50.65.
R. E. Callaway, \$48.10.
Jack Smith, \$63.55.
Preston Phenix, \$10.00.
W. B. Wimberley, \$8.50.
Watt Collier, \$15.00.
E. M. McCreeless, \$12.50.
W. F. Crawford, \$15.30.
R. B. Andrews, \$5.00.
John H. Griffin, \$15.50.
Jirdeu Bennett, \$15.80.

M. D. Cranfill, \$15.50.
Fred Meyer, \$11.70.
M. C. Ratliff, \$11.50.
R. H. Watlington, \$11.50.
Sam Beauchamp, \$2.00.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President
Woodrow Wilson, N. J.
For Vice-President
Thos. R. Marshall, Indiana.

For United States Senator
Morris Sheppard
For Governor
O. B. Colquitt

For Lieutenant Governor
Will H. Mayes
For Congressman at Large
Hutton W. Summers

Daniel E. Garrett
For Congress, 16th District
W. R. Smith
For State Senator, 28th Dis.
H. P. Brelsford

For Representative 121st Dis.
John W. Woods
For Dis. Judge 32nd Dis.
W. W. Beall

For District Attorney
W. P. Leslie
For County Judge
A. J. Coe

For Sheriff
G. B. Coughran
For District and County Clerk
Earl Jackson

For County Attorney
Thos. J. Coffee
For County Treasurer
J. E. Stowe

For Tax Assessor
R. E. Callaway
For Com. Pre. 1.
U. D. Wulffen

For Com. Pre. 2.
Preston Phenix
For Com. Pre. 3.
B. O. Joyce

For Com. Pre. 4.
W. B. Wimberley
For County Surveyor
McComas

For Public Weigher Pre. No. 1
W. F. Crawford
For Public Weigher Pre. No. 2
H. M. Berry

For Public Weigher Pre. No. 7
M. D. Cranfill
For Justice Peace Pre. No. 1
M. C. Ratliff

For Justice Peace Pre. No. 5
R. H. Watlington
For Constable Pre. No. 1
T. C. Bounds

For Chm. County Exe. Com.
J. D. Wilson.

CALOMEL SOMETIMES CAUSES SALIVATION

Dodson's Liver-Tone Has All the Medicinal Properties of Calomel With None of the Dangerous After-Effects.

You can get along without taking calomel yourself or giving it to your family when you can buy a substitute for it as good as Dodson's Liver-Tone. Dodson's Liver-Tone is a pure, harmless vegetable liquid that starts the liver to action just as surely as calomel does. But, unlike calomel, Dodson's Liver-Tone does not stimulate the liver too much. It cures constipation gently instead of making you more bilious than you were at first, and it can no more salivate you than a tablespoonful of maple syrup can salivate you.

Dodson's Liver-Tone has given such perfect satisfaction to every person to whom Floyd Beall has sold a bottle that this store will give the money back to any person who buys a bottle and does not find it a perfect substitute for calomel. It is worth something to you to try a medicine with a guarantee like that.

Clean Up For that Prize.

Remember, Colorado was entered in the list of towns of its class for the Holland "Cleanest Town in Texas" prize, which for towns the size of Colorado, is \$200. Any day after August 15th the inspectors are liable to visit us. The time of their coming and their identity will not be known. We should see to it that the town is kept spick-and-span from this time on. No town in West Texas is more liable to get the prize if we will make an effort to land it. The town is capable of being kept cleaner with less work than any other owing to its natural advantages. It would be quite a feather in the town's cap in an advertising way to be known all over the country as the "cleanest town in Texas." But the time is drawing short. If we expect to be ready for the inspection, its high time we were getting busy.

Mrs. M. E. Goodwin Dead.
After an illness of some time, the gentle spirit of Mrs. M. F. Goodwin, passed to that eternal peace that awaits the righteous, beyond the tomb.

She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jack Ross in the Cuthbert community last Sunday afternoon and was laid to rest beside the life partner who had but recently preceded her, in the Odd Fellows cemetery at Colorado, Monday last at 11 o'clock. Rev. Wm. Pearn conducting the funeral rites.

Mrs. Goodwin was 72 years of age at her death. Just before the death of her husband, arrangements had been made to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary in the midst of a general family reunion, but it was decreed that this pleasure should not be theirs and he was taken just a few weeks before the 50th anniversary of their marriage. It is almost impossible to speak of one without mentioning the other, so inseparable were they in person, tastes and sentiment. They were Godly people both, the very salt of the earth and the world was better for their having lived in it. The memory of both will long be cherished by all who knew them and their example incite others to a better life. They are now re-united in God's paradise where they await the coming of their children and friends. She is survived by two sons and one daughter.

Mrs. Gore Dies.

The Record regrets to chronicle the death of Mrs. Dolly Ann Gore, wife of J. R. Gore, of this city, which occurred yesterday (Thursday) morning, after a protracted illness of several weeks. Her malady was pronounced pellagra by the attending and consulting physicians, which disease is becoming quite common in this section. Mrs. Gore was 62 years of age at the time of her death. She had lived in Colorado six or eight years and had many friends to mourn her loss besides a devoted husband and several children. On behalf of the people of Colorado, the Record extends sympathy for the bereaved family.

The funeral services were conducted by Elder A. J. Smith of the Church of Christ, of which church Mrs. Gore had long been a faithful member. Interment was made in the Odd Fellows cemetery at 3:30 o'clock, Thursday afternoon.

Cuthbert Cullings.

The Baptist protracted meeting held by Bros. Leach and Burkett started Monday night. The meeting bids fair to be a success. Bro. Burkett has charge of the Baptist church at Midland.

D. T. Bozeman went to the county seat Monday.

The Cuthbert and Ira baseball teams had another game at Ira Saturday, Cuthbert winning. Ira will come to Cuthbert next Saturday. Come up, Mr. Editor and watch us play.

Miss Maude Burrus of Ira was visiting friends in Cuthbert last week. After suffering for several weeks, Grandma Goodwin died last Sunday. She was buried in Colorado Monday.

Mr. Lon McGuire is riding around in a new buzz wagon now. It seems that they have come to stay. Maybe some day the farmers will get rich enough to furnish them for their renters. SI SLOCUM.

Cemetery Association.

The Cemetery Association met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Crockett and the meeting was conducted by Mrs. Gustine in the absence of the president, Mrs. Carter. The usual reports were given from the collectors, the bills ordered paid and then the meeting adjourned to meet again August 31, for the purpose of electing officers for the year. Every member of the Association is invited to be present at this meeting.

One year ago today (August 9) the first bale of cotton was ginned in Colorado territory by the concrete gin. We heard this week that a bale was taken to Sweetwater to be ginned but no gin was prepared to gin it. The farmer took it to several other gins with like result, and at last had to haul it to a little gin just erected on the Santa Fe road, to get it ginned. The first bale will soon be coming into Colorado; are our gins ready for it?

Judge Ramsey makes affidavit that his campaign expenses were the tidy sum of \$20,481.35. Asked about contributions to his campaign, the Judge replied that these were "small and unimportant."

C. W. B. M. Meeting.

The Christian Woman's Board of Missions met Thursday with Mrs. Porter and held a delightful meeting. Arrangements were made for the year book of which Mrs. Harness is chairman. It was decided to take up a systematic Bible study using the questions. In the absence of the C. W. B. M. President, Mrs. Pond, the meeting was led by Mrs. Broadbuss. The topic was Africa, roll call being field reports Mrs. Jones gave a good paper upon Africa and the people. Mrs. Harness had a splendid sketch of Jacob Kenoly. The bible study upon Martha and Mary was conducted by Mrs. Smith. Mrs. Broadbuss read a pathetic poem, "Old Black Mammy," which closed the program. The hostess served cream and cake which was much enjoyed. She had as guests Mrs. Humphries and Miss Field of Sweetwater, Mrs. Snively and little son and Mrs. Crömer. The September meeting will be election of officers. The Aid will meet next week with Mrs. S. F. Keiper to begin fall work.

A Delightful House Party.

"Accidents will happen in the best regulated families," nor is the best regulated printing office free of the same. Copy oftentimes gets misplaced, blows out of the window or lost in the shuffle in most unaccountable ways, and mistakes creep into the columns of the paper despite the most careful and painstaking proofreading, causing one to say what was never in his mind. We had two notices last week of the house party entertained by Mrs. Fred McKenzie and Miss Hazel down on the ranch, and in trying to suppress one of them, both failed to get in the paper. The party of young people returned last Saturday thoroughly saturated with enjoyment. Each one of them individually declared it was the time of a life. Nothing had been overlooked by Mrs. McKenzie that would contribute to the fullest pleasure of a party of young people from 15 to 18 years of age, and certain it is that no grownup can enter more thoroughly into the spirit of such an occasion than Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie themselves. That everyone who was fortunate enough to be honored as a guest on this occasion, hopes for its repetition, goes without the printing. The fact that Mrs. F. B. Whipkey was also a member of the party, to see that the youngsters did not overdo themselves in a riot of good times, is further guarantee of the full enjoyment of all. The personnel of the party was: Miss Ruth Rowley, of Baird, Hazel McKenzie, Miss Lola Whipkey and Miss Irene Whipkey; Messrs. Frank McLure, Robert Shepherd, Mjlburn Doss and Lee Phenix.

Dinner Party.

Miss Winnie Davis Crockett was fourteen years old Tuesday and in the evening she gave a dinner party to some of her girl friends all of whom greatly enjoyed the occasion. After dinner several boys came in and surprised the girls, each bringing some pretty gift for the hostess. Maude a jolly party enjoyed by these young folks in their own gay way, good-nights were said all being glad that Winnie's birthday gave the needed excuse for a gathering.

Drink and Death.

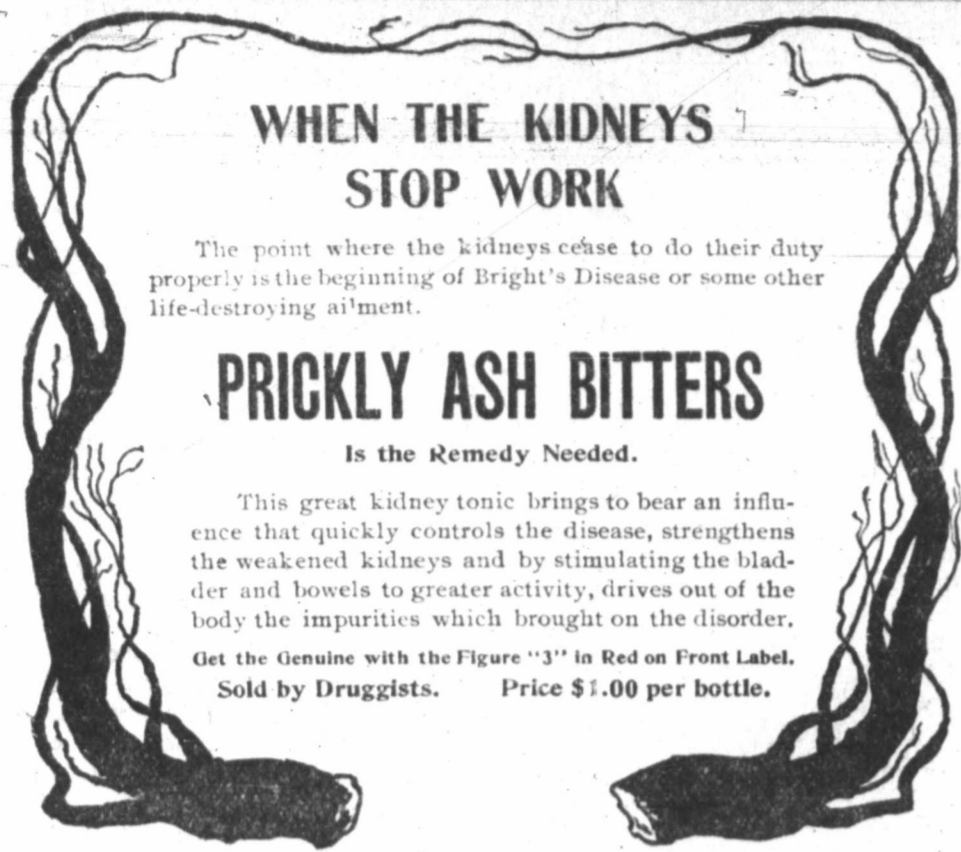
Drink! Is it possible that forty persons were killed and sixty desperately injured by the accident on the Lackawanna Railroad because an engineer drank too much on the Fourth of July? The testimony to that effect, at the coroner's inquest, seems almost incredible. The Lackawanna has gone along for nearly half a century without a fatality. Its management has been conceded to be the most conservative and its equipment included every device for the safety of its passengers. All safety devices on any railroad or in any factory or private home would be of no avail if at the throttle of the engine of the establishment were the trembling hand of a man addicted to drink. We need not dwell on the moral lesson!

Services at the Tabernacle.

Rev. W. G. Cypert of Merkel, will begin a series of sermons at the Union tabernacle on Saturday (tomorrow) night and will continue through two Lord's days. Services will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. Preaching only at night unless otherwise announced.

For Sale.

A splendid horse and buggy, a good driver; will sell at a bargain. See F. S. KEIPER at the Studebaker Garage.



WHEN THE KIDNEYS STOP WORK

The point where the kidneys cease to do their duty properly is the beginning of Bright's Disease or some other life-destroying ailment.

PRICKLY ASH BITTERS

Is the Remedy Needed.

This great kidney tonic brings to bear an influence that quickly controls the disease, strengthens the weakened kidneys and by stimulating the bladder and bowels to greater activity, drives out of the body the impurities which brought on the disorder.

Get the Genuine with the Figure "3" in Red on Front Label. Sold by Druggists. Price \$1.00 per bottle.

Some Remarks on Pellagra.

Owing to the prevalence of the disease and the universal ignorance obtaining in regard to its symptoms, contagion, etc., the following synopsis of the paper read upon the subject before the Taylor County Medical Association by Dr. T. C. Merrill, of this city, will prove of much interest to Record readers:

"Pellagra seems to be on the increase in Texas. But let us not forget the "but." It should be remembered for the reason that there is small occasion for fear. We must bear in mind the fact that there is no reason why pellagra should be permitted to become anywhere near the menace generally that tuberculosis, or scarlet fever, diphtheria, or smallpox, or typhoid, already are. It is necessary to remain sane on this subject as on others.

Since the disease is becoming more familiar to us, it is natural that we should want to know something about it; more especially as the public notion concerning it is vague and obscure.

Cause.—Nothing whatever is proven as to the cause. So far the cause is a matter of theory. The most plausible theory is, that the disease is due to a yet unknown parasite whose life cycle and method of conveyance to human beings generally resemble those of the organism causing malaria, yellow fever, or, in cattle, Texas fever. All of these organisms are conveyed by the bite of an insect.

The theory that corn is responsible is not proven; the idea that the buffalo gnat conveys the disease is almost surely wrong since the disease exists where there are no buffalo gnats; the theory that the disease originated along streams is incomplete, since cases are found far from streams.

Symptoms.—In the beginning these are obscure. It may be impossible for the very best knowledge to determine positively whether or not the disease exists. The early symptoms are so shadowy that they often merely suggest the more pronounced features seen when a case is well-developed.

Thus, there may be a general nervousness; there may be a redening or thickening of the skin; there may be slight disturbance of stomach and bowels; there may be a tendency to sore mouth. The occurrence of one or more of these symptoms should lead one to seek medical advice and treatment, which, frankly, must often be such as to take precaution, secure hygiene and proper care, and maintain a watch over the threatening symptoms.

When the disease is definitely es-

tablished, it has been called the disease of the three D's—diarrhoea, dementia, and dermatitis (inflammation of the skin). Associated with the three D's there is often a severe sore mouth.

The diarrhoea is chronic, unyielding and weakening. The dementia varies from a great general nervousness to complete loss of mentality—a chronic insanity, often associated with many delusions and hallucinations, or false perceptions, things seen or heard which do not exist. The dermatitis occurs on both sides of the body; both hands or arms or feet, or, where the skin symptoms exist elsewhere, they are the same on each half of the body surface.

The sore mouth is often very distressing, and with it there may be copious secretion of mucus. As the disease advances, there is great prostration and often death occurs from exhaustion.

Treatment.—The best treatment for this disease, as for others, is prevention. Since we are without positive knowledge of the cause, prevention can at present be only general and according to principles usually considered reasonable. Thus, food should be of good quality and properly cooked; drinking water should be uncontaminated and fresh; sleep should be sufficient; undue exposure to heat and cold should be avoided; plenty of fresh air should be secured; protection against flies, mosquitos, and other insects should be provided; care should be devoted to the matter of closets dirt or filth about premises, disposal of offal and garbage; care of the person through frequent bathing, attention to personal habits, and a quiet, sane and reasonable condition of mind, all of these, if faithfully observed, will most surely do much to prevent the disease.

So far as treatment medically is concerned, this can only be carried on under the advice of him whose business it is to care for sickness—the physician.

THEODORE C. MERRILL, M. D. County Health Officer.

For Sale.

A splendid horse and buggy, a good driver; will sell at a bargain. See F. S. KEIFER at the Studebaker Garage.

M. Kerns, an experienced hotel man of Roscoe, was in Colorado Monday looking over the situation with an eye to building and running an up-to-the-minute hotel in this place. He inspected several sites with the view of buying and building, and will return soon, when deals will be closed if his propositions are acceded to.

How Those Effected Regard Taft.

Mr. Douglas Sherwin, who has been in Mexico for several years, but who has been compelled to refuge to El Paso during the Red Flag depredations, writes his father here commenting on the conditions obtaining in that section. Among other things about which he expresses himself, the following is to the point and shows how those who are most effected regard the attitude maintained by the authorities at Washington. He says: "The hotels and restaurants are reaping a harvest, but at the expense of untold misery and loss of many others. What a shame that we have a sick jellyfish instead of a man in the White House."

Mrs. Sherwin went out to El Paso to be with her son and will remain some time.

Stands Ahead.

There is something about Hunt's Lightning Oil that no other Liniment possesses. Others may be good, but it is surely the best. It does all you recommend it for, and more. For Sprains it has no equal on earth. It stands head on my medicine shelf.

Yours truly,

T. J. BROWNLOW, Livingston, Tenn.

25c and 50c bottles.

A splendid sample of milo maize was brought to this office this week off the farm of George Goodwin, in the Cuthbert community. They were full, heavy and just ripening. He has a large acreage of feed just as good as the sample heads and will make a superabundance of feed stuff for his stock and for sale too, doubtless. But George Goodwin always manages somehow to have good crops on his place. Not that his land is any more fertile; not that it rains on the just any more than the unjust; not that he observes any particular "signs" and wonders more closely than his neighbors; but simply because of the fact that he works—works—works with judgement.

Gives Instant Action.

W. L. Doss reports that A SINGLE DOSE of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as compounded in Adler-I-ka, the German appendicitis remedy, stops constipation or gas on the stomach INSTANTLY. Many Colorado people are being helped.

Mr. Chas. Lasky was overstocked with horses, cows and yearlings and wanted to sell them. There were some 50 head of horses, forty-odd of cows and numerous yearlings. He placed a little want ad in the Record and found a buyer the first week it ran. Record want ads always do the work. When you have anything to sell, trade or exchange; want to buy anything; lose anything; try a want ad in the Record and you'll get results quickly. The people read "The Prophet" of Mitchell county.

The Lasker business block is nearing completion. Only the plastering, glazing, painting and other finishing touches need to be done when they are ready for the inside fixtures to suit the business to be done in them. A low awning, allowing light from the upper windows to enter the house, runs uniformly the entire length of the block. This block adds greatly to the looks of the street and town generally. Now, if the opposite side of the street could be rebuilt in the same attractive style of business houses, Second street would have quite an up-to-date aspect. And the Record believes this will be done at no distant day. The property is too valuable to be allowed to lie unprofitably as it now is.

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1-4 Off Regular Price

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—George Percival Algeron Jones, vice president of the Metropolitan Oriental Rug company of New York, arrives at Cairo on a business trip.

CHAPTER II—Horace Ryanne arrives at the hotel in Cairo with a carefully guarded bundle.

CHAPTER III—Ryanne sells Jones the famous holy Yhiorides rug which he admits having stolen from a pasha at Bagdad.

CHAPTER IV.

An Old Acquaintance.

That faculty which decides on the lawlessness of our actions; so the noted etymologist described conscience. It fell to another distinguished intellect to add that conscience makes cowards of us all. Ay, she may be overcome at times, sidetracked for any special desire that demands a clear way; but she's after us, fast enough, with that battered red lantern of hers, which, brought down from all tongues crisply into our own reads—"Don't do it!" She herself is not wholly without cunning. She rarely stands boldly upon the track to flag us as we come. She realizes that she might be permanently ditched. No; it is far safer to run after us and catch us. A disgression, perhaps, but more pertinent an application.

Temptation then no longer at his shoulder, George began to have qualms, little chaps, who started buzzing into his moral ears with all that maddening, interminable drone which makes one marvel however do school-teachers survive their first terms. Among these qualms there was none that pleaded for the desolate Turk or his minions whose carelessness had made the theft possible. For all George cared, the Moslem might grind his forehead in the soulless sand and make the air palpitate with his plaints to Allah. No. The disturbance was due to the fact that never before had he been wittingly the purchaser of stolen goods. He never tried to glose over the subtle distinction between knowing and suspecting; and if he had been variously suspicious in regard to certain past bargains, conscience had found no sizeable wedge for her demerit. The Yhiorides was confessedly stolen.

He paused, with his hand upon the door-knob of his room. If he didn't keep the rug, it would fall into the hands of a collector less scrupulous. To return it to the Pasha at Bagdad would be pure folly, and thankless. It was one of the most beautiful weavings in existence. It was as priceless in its way as any Raphael in the Vatican. And he desired its possession intensely. Why not? Insidious phrase! Was it not better that the world should see and learn what a wonderful craft the making of a rare rug had been, than to allow it to return to the sordid chamber of a harem, to inevitable ruin? As Ryanne said, what the deuce was a fanatical Turk or Arab to him?

Against these specious arguments in favor of becoming the adventurer's abettor and accomplice, there was first the possible stain of blood. The man agreed that he had come away from Bagdad in doubt. George did not like the thought of blood. Still, he had collected a hundred emeralds, not one of which was without its red record. Again, if he carried the rug home with his other purchases, he could pull it through the customs only by lying, which was as distasteful to his mind as being a receiver of stolen goods.

He had already paid a goodly sum against the purchase; and it was not likely that a man who was down to reversing his collars and cuffs would take back the rug and refund the money. The Yhiorides was his, happen what might. So conscience snuffed out her red lantern and retired.

Some light steps, a rustle, and he wheeled in time to see a woman open a door, stand for a minute in the full light, and disappear. It was she. George opened the door of his own room, threw the rug inside, and tiptoed along the corridor, stopping for the briefest time to ascertain the number of that room. He felt vastly more guilty in performing this harmless act than in smothering his mentor.

There was no one in the head-porter's bureau; thus, unobserved and unembarrassed, he was free to inspect the guest-list. Fortune Chedsoye. He had never seen a name quite like that. Its quaintness did not suggest to him, as it had done to Ryanne, the pastoral, the bucolic. Rather it reminded him of the old French courts, of rapiers and buckles, of powdered wigs and furbelows, masks, astrologers, love-intrigues, of all those colorful, mutable scenes so charmingly described by the genial narrator of the exploits of D'Artagnan. And abruptly out of this age of Lebrun, Watteau Moliere, reached an ice-cold hand. If that elderly codger wasn't her father, who was he and what?

The Major—for George had looked him up also—was in excellent trim for his age, something of a military dandy besides; but as the husband of so young and exquisite a creature! Out upon the thought! He might be her guardian, or, at most, her uncle, but never her husband. Yet (O poisonous doubt!), at the table she had ignored the Major, both his jests and his attentions. He had seen many wives, joyfully from a safe distance, act toward their husbands in this fashion. Oh, rot! If his name was Callahan and hers Chedsoye, they could not possibly be tied in any legal bonds. He dismissed the ice-cold hand and turned again to the comforting warmth of his arbor.

He had never spoken to young women without presentation, and on these rare occasions he had broached the weather, suggested the possibilities of the weather, and concluded with an apostrophe on the weather at large. It was usually a valedictory. For he was always positive that he had acted like a fool, and was afraid to speak to the girl again. Never it failed, ten minutes after the girl was out of sight, the brightest and cleverest things crowded upon his tongue, to be but wasted on the desert air. He was not particularly afraid of women older than himself, more's the pity. And yet, had he been as shy toward them as toward the girls, there would have been no stolen Yhiorides, no sad-eyed maiden, no such thing as The United Romance and Adventure Company, Ltd.; and he would have stepped the even tenor of his way, unknown of grand passions, swift adventure, life.

George was determined to meet Fortune Chedsoye, and this determination, the first of its kind to take definite form in his mind, gave him a novel sensation. He would find some way, and he vowed to best his old enemy, diffidence, if it was the last fight he ever put up. He would maneuver to get in the way of the Major. He never found much trouble in talking to men. Once he exchanged a word or two with the uncle or guardian, he would make it a point to renew the acquaintance when he saw the two together. It appeared to him as a bright idea, and he was rather proud of it. Even now he was conscious of clenching his teeth strongly. It's an old saying that he goes farthest who shuts his teeth longest. He was going to test the precept by immediate practice.

He had stood before the list fully three minutes. Now he turned about face, a singular elation tingling his blood. Once he set his mind upon a thing, he went forward. He had lost many pleasurable things in life because he had doubted and faltered, not because he had reached out toward them and had them drawn back. He was going to meet Fortune Chedsoye; when or how were but details. And as he discovered the Major himself idling before the booth of the East Indian merchant, he saw in fancy the portcullis rise and the drawbridge fall to the castle of enchantment. He strolled over leisurely and pretended to be interested in the case containing mediocre jewels.

"This is a genuine Bokhara embroidery?" the Major was inquiring.

"Oh, yes, sir."

"How old?"

"The merchant picked up the tag and squinted at it. "It is between two and three hundred years old, sir."

To George's opinion the gods themselves could not have arranged a more propitious moment.

"You've made a mistake," he interposed quietly. "That is Bokhara, but the stitch is purely modern."

The dark eyes of the Indian flashed. "The gentleman is an authority?" sarcastically.

"Upon that style of embroidery, absolutely," George smiled. And then, without more ado, he went on to explain the difference between the antique and the modern. "You have one good piece of old Bokhara, but it isn't rare. Twenty pounds would be a good price for it."

The Major laughed heartily. "And just this moment he asked a hundred for it. I'm not much of a hand in judging these things. I admire them, but have no intimate knowledge regarding their worth. Nothing tonight," he added to the bitter-eyed merchant.

ances as there is between The Mikado and Florodora. From Portland in Maine to Portland in Oregon, the same dress, same shops, same ungodly high buildings. Here it is different, at the end of every hundred miles."



"And Yet This Moment He Asked a Hundred for It."

George agreed conditionally. (The Major wasn't very original in his views.) He would have shed his last drop of blood for his native land, but he was honest in acknowledging her faults.

Conversation idled in various channels, and finally became anchored at jewels. Here the Major was at home, and he loved emeralds above all other stones. He proved to be an engaging old fellow, had circled the globe three or four times, and had had an adventure or two worth recounting. And when he incidentally mentioned his niece, George wanted to shake his hand.

Would Mr. Jones join him with a peg to sleep on? Mr. Jones certainly would. And after a mutual health, George diplomatically excused himself, retired, buoyant and happy. How simple the affair had been! A fellow could do anything if only he set his mind to it. Tomorrow he would meet Fortune Chedsoye, and may Beelzebub shrive him if he could not manage to control his recalcitrant tongue.

As he passed out of sight, Major Callahan smiled. It was that old familiar smile which, charged with gentle mockery, we send after departing fools. It was plain that he needed another peg to keep company with the first, for he rose and gracefully wended his way down-stairs to the bar. Two men were already leaning against the friendly, inviting mahogany. There was a mug of champagne standing between their glasses. The Major ordered a temperate whisky and soda, drank it, frowned at the mug, paid the reckoning, and went back up-stairs again.

"Don't remember old friends, eh?" said the shorter of the two men, caressing his incriminated proboscis. "A smile wouldn't have hurt him any, do you think?"

"Shut up!" admonished Ryanne. "You know the orders; no recognition on the public floors."

"Why, I meant no harm," the other protested. He took a swallow of wine. "But, dash it! here I am, more'n four thousand miles from old Broadway, and still walking blind. When is the show to start?"

"Not so loud, old boy. You've got to have patience. You've had some good pickings for the past three months, in the smoke-rooms. That ought to soothe you."

"Well, it doesn't. Here I come from New York, three months ago, with a new of money for you and a great game in sight. It takes a week to find you, and when I do . . . Well, you know. No sooner are you awake, than what? Off you go to Bagdad, on the wildest goose-chase a man ever heard of. And that leaves me with nothing to do and nobody to talk to. I could have cried yesterday when I got your letter saying you'd be in today."

"Well, I got it."

"The rug?"

"Yes. It was wild; but after what I'd been through I needed something wild to steady my nerves; some big danger, where I'd simply have to get together."

"And you got it?" There was frank wonder and admiration in the pursy gentleman's eyes. "All alone, and you got it? Honest?"

"Honest. They nearly had my hide, though."

"Where is it?"

"Sold."

"Who?"

"Percival."

"Horace, you're a wonder, if there ever was one. Sold it to Percival! You couldn't beat that in a thousand years. You're a great man."

"Praise for Sir Hubert."

"Who's he?"

"An authority on several matters."

glass and tipped the bottle carefully. "You're out of your class, somehow."

"So?"

"Yes. You have always struck me as a man who was hunting trouble for one end."

"And that?" Ryanne seemed interested.

Wallace drew his finger across his throat. Ryanne looked him squarely in the eye and nodded affirmatively. "I don't understand at all."

"You never will, Wallace, old chap. I am the prodigal son whose brother ate the fatted calf before I returned home. I had a letter today. She will be here tomorrow sometime. You may have to go to Port Said, if my plan doesn't mature."

"The Ludwig?"

"Yes."

"Say, what a Frau she would have made the right man!"

Ryanne did not answer, but glowered at his glass.

"The United Romance and Adventure Company." Wallace twirled his glass. "If you're a wonder, she's a marvel. A Napoleon in petticoats! It does make a fellow grin, when you look it all over. But this is going to be her Austerlitz or her Waterloo. And you really got the rug; and on top of that, you have sold it to George P. A. Jones! Here's—"

"Many happy returns," ironically. They finished the bottle without further talk. There was no conviviality here. Both were fond of good wine, but the more they drank, the tighter grew their lips. Men who have been in, the habit of guarding dangerous secrets become taciturn in their cups.

From time to time, fittingly, there appeared against one of the windows, just above the half-curtain, a lean, dark face, which, in profile, resembled the kite—the hooked beak, the watchful, preful eyes. There were two bungers written upon that Arab face, food and revenge.

"Allah is good," he murmured.

He had but one eye in use, the other was bandaged. In fact, the face exhibited general indications of rough warfare, the skin broken on the bridge of the nose, a freshly healed cut under the seeing eye, a long strip of plaster extending from the ear to the mouth. There was nothing of the beggar in his mien. His lean throat was erect, his chin protrusive, the set of his shoulders proud and defiant. Ordinarily, the few lingering guides would rudely have told him to be off about his business; but they were familiar with all turbans, and in the peculiar twist of this one, soiled and ragged though it was, they recognized some prince from the eastern deserts. Presently he strode away, but with a stiffness which they knew came from long journeys upon racing-camels.

George dreamed that night of magle carpets, of sad-eyed maidens, of fierce Bedouins, of battles in the desert, of genti swelling terrifically out of squat bottles. And once he rose and turned on the lights to assure himself that the old Yhiorides was not a part of these vivid dreams.

He was up shortly after dawn, in white, riding-togs, for a final canter to Mena House and return. In two days more he would be leaving Egypt behind. Rather glad in one sense, rather sorry in another. Where to put the rug was a problem. He might carry it in his steamer-trunk; it would be handier there than in the bottom of his trunk, stored away in the ship's hold. Besides, his experience had taught him that steamer-trunks were only indifferently inspected. You will observe that the luster of his high ideals was already dimming. He reasoned that inasmuch as he was bound to smuggle and lie, it might be well to plan something artistically. He wished now that he was going to spend Christmas in Cairo; but it was too late to change his booking without serious loss of time and money.

He had a light breakfast on the veranda of the Mena House, climbed up to the desert, bantered the donkey-boys, amused himself by watching the descent of some German tourist who had climbed the big Pyramid before dawn to witness the sun rise, and threw pennies to the horde of blind beggars who instantly swarmed about him and demanded, in the name of Allah, a competence for the rest of their days. He finally escaped them by footing it down the incline to the hotel gardens, where his horse stood waiting.

It was long after nine when he slid from the saddle at the side entrance of the Semiramis. He was on his way to the bureau for his key, when an exquisitely gloved hand lightly touched his arm.

"Don't you remember me, Mr. Jones?" said a voice of vocal honey.

George did. In his confusion he dropped his pith-helmet, and in stooping to pick it up, bumped into the porter who had rushed to his aid. Remember her! Would he ever forget her?—He never thought of her without dubbing himself an outrageous ass. He straightened, his cheeks aflame; blushing was another of those uncontrollable asininites of his. It was really she, come out of a past he had hoped to be eternally irresponsible; the droll, the witty woman, to whom in one mad moment of liberality and Galahadism he had loaned without security one hundred and fifty pounds at the roulette tables in Monte Carlo; she, for whom he had always blushed when he recalled how easily she had mulcted him! And here she was, serene, lovely as ever, unchanged.

"My dear," said the stranger (George couldn't recall by what name he had known her); "my dear," to Fortune Chedsoye, who stood a little behind her, "this is the gentleman I've often told you about. You were at school at the time. I borrowed a hundred and fifty pounds of him at Monte Carlo.

"What about the stake I gave you?" Ryanne made a sign of dealing cards.

"Threw it away on a lot of dubs, after all I've taught you!"

"Cards aren't my forte."

"There's a yellow streak in your hide, somewhere, Horace."

"There is, but it is the tiger's stripe, my friend. What I did with my money is my own business."

"Will she allow for that?"

"Would it matter one way or the other?"

And what do you think? When I went to pay him back the next day, he was gone, without leaving the slightest clue to his whereabouts. Isn't that droll? And to think that I should meet him here!"

That her name had slipped his memory, if indeed he had ever known it, was true; but one thing lingered incandescently in his mind, and that was, he had written her, following minutely her own specific directions and enclosing his banker's address in Paris, Naples and Cairo; and for many passages of moons he had opened his foreign mail eagerly and hopefully. But hope must have something to feed upon, and after a struggle lasting two years, she rendered up the ghost. . . . It wasn't the loss of money that hurt; it was the finding of gross metal where he supposed there was naught but gold. Perhaps his later shyness was due as much to this disillusioning incident as to his middle names.

"Isn't it droll, my dear?" the enchantress repeated; and George grew redder and redder under the beautiful, grateful eyes. "I must give him a draft this very morning."

"But . . . Why, my dear Madame," stammered George. "You must not . . . I . . ."

Fortune laughed. Somehow the quality of that laughter pierced George's confused brain as sometimes a shaft

(To be continued.)

Never Too Late to be in Good Time.

The Record was hardly off the press last week, and before it had been put in the postoffice, when this county was blessed with the best rain it has received this year. In this immediate vicinity, the rainfall was about 1.40 inches, but in the Seven Wells community and in the northwestern portion of the county, it was much heavier. It amounted to almost a cloud burst in the Seven Wells community. The extent of the rain along the T. & P. was greater than the width of the county while its extent north and south was equally as much. To say that the rain came too late to do the crops good would be simply ridiculous. True, there were many crops so far gone—that no amount of rain could bring out or work any betterment in their condition; but whenever a crop had not stopped growing, the rain will give it new life and vigor.

The trouble is, the rains this section has had were so light and wet the ground so shallow, that the ground was thoroughly dried out again and to greater depth than before another shower came. Where crops were still in growing condition the rain did them untold good, and there are several communities in Mitchell county, where the crops were in reasonably good condition as a rule. These communities will doubtless make good crops. The Record man heard one farmer say, who had 400 acres in feed that with the exception of about 175 acres, he would make more than the average crop, while his cotton, of which he had about 200 acres, would make at least half a bale to the acre. This farmer, however, had received more rain at more frequent intervals than any other farmer around him. He is an exception to the rule, of course, but altogether, the rain will be worth thousands of dollars to the farmers of Mitchell county.

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A farmer living north of town brought in a wagon load of water-melons Wednesday morning, which were as fine as the most exacting could wish. He said he had 11 acres in melons and if they could get one more good rain, twenty wagon loads a day could be gathered from the patch.

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Doctors Said Health Gone

Suffered with Throat Trouble



Mr. B. W. D. Barnes.

Mr. B. W. D. Barnes, ex-Sheriff of Warren County, Tennessee, in a letter from McMinnville, Tennessee, writes:

"I had throat trouble and had three doctors treating me. All failed to do me any good, and pronounced my health gone. I concluded to try Peruna, and after using four bottles can say I was entirely cured."

Unable to Work.

Mr. Gustav Himmelreich, Hochheim, Texas, writes: "For a number of years I suffered whenever I took cold, with severe attacks of asthma, which usually yielded to the common home remedies. Last year, however, I suffered for eight months without interruption so that I could not do any work at all. The various medicines that were prescribed brought me no relief."

"After taking six bottles of Peruna, two of Laeupla and two of Manalin, I am free of my trouble so that I can do all my farm work again. I can heartily recommend this medicine to any one who suffers with this annoying complaint and believe that they will obtain good results."

A Good Woman Gone Home.

Sunday evening at 2:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Ross, near Fairview, death relieved from her suffering Mrs. W. H. Goodwin, aged 72 years.

She leaves behind to mourn her departure, one sister, three brothers, two sons and one daughter, besides numerous other relatives and friends who, with sorrowful hearts, received the sad intelligence of her death. She became a Christian at fifteen years of age and ever since she has exemplified those traits of Christian fidelity and faithfulness which flow from a heart consecrated to the service of God.

Those who knew her best, loved her best. She drew her friends to her with a quiet resistless force, and held them ever in her loving generous heart.

The hand of affliction has been laid heavily upon her of late years but she bore it bravely. Since the death of her husband, missing the strong arm and brave heart upon which she was accustomed to lean, she welcomed the summons "Come," but her patient lips were never heard to murmur. In the midst of inexpressible grief which has so sorely tried the hearts of those left behind, we bow in submission to the will of God, who doeth all things well, and as we look by faith upon the eternal purpose of a kind and loving Saviour we can say "Rest on, thou weary one, rest on." Some glad day, those left behind, if true and faithful and devoted shall join the loved ones in Heaven.

At the Christian church in Colorado where she and her family have been members so long, the sorrowing ones listened to the comforting words of their pastor W. E. Pearne, and the songs and beautiful flowers, expressing such love and sympathy, the deep mourning of friends and church fellowship was realized as never before. Smooth the locks of silver hair. On our mother's brow with tender care.

Gather the robe in final fold Around the form so still and cold; Lay on her bosom pure as snow The fairest, sweetest flowers that grow.

Kiss her and leave her, our heart's delight. Her pain is over—she sleeps tonight.

The Young Peoples' Missionary Society met Tuesday with the leader, Mrs. Merritt. The lesson was Reasons for Belonging to the Missionary Society and a mission alphabet. The books of the bible were studied and notes taken by the members. An old time spelling match was planned; also some work for the orphans home. Light refreshments were served before adjourning to meet again next week.

Aside from doing the crops much good, the recent showers cooled the atmosphere making the days more tolerable and the nights more pleasant. Please to call again.

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COLORADO, TEXAS, AUGUST 9, 1912.

The vital statistics of the state for the month of June develop the fact that 27 murders were committed during thirty days.

Don't worry; old Mitchell county may yet bring up a much better crop of cotton and feed than the most hopeful of us imagined.

The Honorable Jake Wolters filed the schedule of his primary campaign expenses as \$15,340.52, which would require two years service in the United States Senate to offset—if he had had gotten the plum.

There are a large class of people who do not believe in the efficacy of advertising when it costs so much per line or inch, but are preternaturally keen to have all the publicity possible given themselves or anything that will create a favorable impression of them or their business. Yes, a large class.

The difference in the vote received by Governor Colquitt in Mitchell county this year and in 1910, indicates that the state-wide prohibition sentiment is stronger than the opposition to Gov. Colquitt. In the election of that year Johnson defeated Colquitt in this county nearly two to one. In the recent primary Ramsey defeated him only 114 votes.

Hardly had the Hatfield brothers folded their tent, packed their tanks and hid themselves back to California when the San Anegol country was visited by a two and one half inch rain. This would have left only five more inches before the 10th day of September in which to have made good on their contract for ten inches of rain, and secured the \$3,000. The fact of their pulling up and leaving before the expiration of the time, evidences the honesty of their efforts, at least. They were not simply gambling on the fall of ten inches of rain within three months. Else, they had clung to every minute of the time.

Strange, what boomerangs man's noblest efforts often prove. Dr. Woodrow Wilson has given to the world one of the very best histories of the American people ever written. He used the scapel without sentiment and laid bare many of our most boasted institutions and tore aside the veil from many of our most cherished conceits. As an historian his place was secure and unique. He has done a great work; but the very excellence of that work is now used as a boomerang by his political opponents to slap him on the nose, and he may wish he had postponed the writing of his histories until after he became president.

Many an otherwise successful business has been ruined and its owner made bankrupt by well-meaning but inconsiderate friends loafing habitually around their place of business. A lady starting into a store and seeing a great hulking man sitting or lying on the counter, smoking a vile cheroot or squirting tobacco juice indiscriminately over the floor, will generally turn around and go out, or if she makes a purchase, it will quite likely be the last one she makes at that store. A bench in front of a business house, a checkerboard, or an habitual knot of loafers discussing politics, religion, other people's business and everybody who passes, will just as surely put that business to the bad as that water will run down hill. A business man is oftentimes hurt more than helped by his friends loafing about his place of business during business hours. Social amenities and business success do not usually mix very well.

We have talked with a score or more farmers since the rains began a week ago, and they all tell about the same story. Feed had begun to suffer, but enough will be made generally to run the county next year. Cotton which had stopped growing and bloomed in the top, was practically hopeless; but where it was still growing, it will come out wonderfully and make a good crop. The only trouble is that the rains have fallen so irregularly and scattering. A fine shower would fall on one side of a fence and scarcely a sprinkle on the other. But altogether, great good has been done in every community of the county and prospects have brightened considerably.

We have heard and read of some horrifying cases of human deviltry perpetrated by mere boys, but the case of the two boys who just "for the fun of the thing," as they plead in court, saturated the clothes of a sleeping workman in one of the Memphis, Tenn. parks, with gasoline and whiskey and set him afire caps the scrap heap of human moral depravity. The cries of the tortured man brought the park policeman, who had to peel the man's clothing from him, and while he was trying to save the man's life, the two young fiends stood off at a safe distance and jeered at the spoiling of their fun. In dealing with cases like this, all human instincts should be lost sight of, and the job gone at like exterminating vermin of rattlesnakes.

When one sees an automobile gliding along through the streets of a town at the safe speed of six or eight miles the hour, one is struck with the convenience and adaptability of the machine to man's daily needs. It appears as a great improvement over all other modes of transportation, and the well regulated man wishes he had one. But when the things goes tearing through town and along the public highways at forty to fifty miles per hour, without the slightest regard for other occupants of the road, scarry teams, tardy pedestrians, God, man or devil; then the automobile becomes a veritable juggernaut of destruction executed by all and consigned to the nethermost chambers of inferno, together with the fiends who run them.

The advocates of state-wide prohibition can feel that the election of Morris Sheppard was a decisive victory for that sentiment over the champion of the anti forces of 1911. For really, prohibition was the only real, live issue between Sheppard and Wolters, who felt that the prestige he gained among his followers, as an organizer and fighter in the hard fought battle of 1911, would land him in the U. S. senate. He tried to obscure the real issue by a challenge of Sheppard on the tariff, but the people would not be led off into blind sidings, when the main track was so plainly marked. The defeat of Wolters by Sheppard means a victory for the state-wide sentiment and the commitment of the democratic party to that issue. It will be but an easy and natural step to the same issue in the next campaign for governor, and we predict a similar and as decisive victory.

The great movement that is sweeping over the country—call it progressiveness, insurgency, or what you will—is the idea that it is better worth while to help the small man make a living than to help the big fellow make a profit.

Keep busy, for "idleness," if we may believe Edmund Burke, "is the hotbed of temptation, the cradle of disease, the waste of time, the cankerworm of felicity."

Cost of Texas' Governorship.

Governor Colquitt has filed a schedule of his campaign expenses in the recent primary election, which were in round numbers \$16,500. Two years ago Governor Colquitt spent about this same amount in securing the nomination for governor. He spends a like amount after two years incumbency, while his salary during that time is only \$8,000. The fact is patent to any mind that no man can afford to make the race for the governorship of Texas who is not able to spend from \$10,000 to \$15,000. And as it is often necessary for an aspirant for the office to make more than one race to secure it, it is very evident that but few men in the state are able to indulge such a luxury. His tenure of office is only two years, at the end of which he is compelled to defend his seat against another fellow who covets it, at great expense. His salary being only \$4,000, he is in the hole about ten to twelve thousand dollars. He must either have the money himself and come out of the office bankrupt, or he must obligate himself to friends who will surely exact return with compound interest in favors, or face the temptation of "making the money out of the office."

Texas is growing every day and every two years the expense of making a state campaign for any office becomes greater. When the state is as well settled in its western half as in the eastern, on the basis of the present cost, a thorough campaign of the entire state will cost at least \$25,000 or more, absolutely shutting out all but very rich men or men who are backed by interest seeking corporations.

Manifestly, two things should be done to prevent bankruptcy of the governor or the governor mortgaging himself to money lenders. The machinery of government of this state is large and complex, demanding the most strenuous work on the part of its chief executive. His expenses must be greater than those of the governors of smaller states, which pay greater salaries to their governors, and many with longer terms.

The largest state in the union, with a population fifth in size with the most wonderful and rapid development Texas can well afford to both raise the pay and lengthen the term of its chief executive. If the term and salary were both doubled, making one term the limit, the state would fare better. As it now is, before the governor-elect takes oath of office, he begins to campaign for a second term, while his political enemies begin to harass him and discredit his administration. Under such a condition, political rest is impossible.

He is said to be a greater orator than Clay, Webster and Calhoun combined, which is going some, even for Texas. This estimate of the prowess of Morris Sheppard is laid on the Philadelphia Inquirer by the El Paso Times and is about the thickest coat of tommyrot we have ever seen applied, except the opinion of a certain worshiper of Mr. Bryan, to the effect that "Bryan was to be ranked with Jesus Christ alone." No one doubts that Morris Sheppard is a very deserving man to whom much credit is due, but the only wonderful thing about him is that he has plenty of common sense which has remained unspoiled by success. But as to his ability as a legislator, his power as an orator, his strength as a public speaker; he is no better than several of his Texas colleagues. There are several fortuitous circumstances that have helped him, which other men lacked. He was given his father's seat in Congress more as an expression of esteem for the father than for his own merits. His wide acquaintance among several fraternal orders and his popularity as a speaker on funeral and other ritualistic occasions established his reputation as an orator and was a prime factor in his successful race for the senate. It was not his personal strength so much as the strength of the state-wide prohibition sentiment that gave him his big majority. Morris Sheppard is a clean, honest man of fair ability, a pleasant speaker, given to flowers, flourishes and sentimentality—an average congressman. But when put into the measure of ability which Webster, Clay and Calhoun overflowed, he rattles around and about like a bird shot in a wash pot. Nice, is a word that fits him like the bark fits the tree.

The Sweetwater Reporter has made another of its regular lunar changes, in proprietorship and editorship. R. H. Richardson disposes of the material end of the business to Chas. Conner, while Rev. W. C. Wright, pastor of the First Christian church of that place will wield the scissors, paste brush and pencil, at the "think-tank" end, "the services of his facile pen having been engaged by the new management," as runs the announcement. We sincerely hope the Reporter is now on a firm and permanently prosperous foundation. The town deserves a rattling good paper.

Hotel Badly Needed.

For the past week from four to eight travelling men have gotten off the early morning train, worked the town and gone east on the 9:46 train to Sweetwater. The same thing happens with the tide of travel going west. They arrive on the morning train going west, work the town and go on in the evening on the west bound plug. The town is losing hundreds of dollars every month by not being able to care for this class of hotel patronage. If the town had a good, live up-to-date hotel giving a service that would attract this class of patronage, it would come to Colorado and spend as much time here as possible. The price with travelling men is not the first consideration. Their expenses are usually fixed and they are spending the other fellow's money. It pays to cater to such patronage. Where is the man with the money, who will build for the town such a hotel? It would attract the most reliable, responsible and experienced hotel men. An attractive hotel building on one of the corners near the passenger depot, with an alleyway on all sides, a nice lawn, trees, flowers and a service to match, would redeem the town from the reputation it has so long enjoyed, as being a place to avoid in travelling. There is good money for the man who will supply this need.

A New Birth of Freedom.

New York World: The nomination of Woodrow Wilson for president, means a new Democracy. It means a new epoch in American self-government.

The democratic party at last has broken its shackles. It has emancipated itself. It has rehabilitated itself in power and principle. It has turned its face to the rising sun to re-establish the faith of the American people in their own institutions.

Woodrow Wilson will be the next president of the United States. But he will be more than that. He will be the first president of the United States in a generation to go into office owing favors to nobody except the American people and under obligation to nothing except the general welfare.

No political boss brought about his nomination. No political machine carried his candidacy to victory. No coterie of Wall street financiers provided the money to finance his campaign. He has no debt to pay to corrupt politics or to corrupt business. He was nominated by the irresistible force of public opinion, and by that alone. He stands before the country a free man.

The American people have set out to regain possession of their government, and Woodrow Wilson was nominated for president because he embodies that issue. The bosses and the plutocrats who tried to prevent his nomination were beaten by the power of the people and the power that nominated him is the power that will elect him.

With Woodrow Wilson as the Democratic candidate for president it will make no difference what Mr. Roosevelt does. It makes no difference how many third parties he organizes. Progressive Democrats and progressive Republicans now have a candidate of their own. The contest between Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Taft is now a contest for the control of the Republican organization and nothing more. The menace of a third term no longer hangs over the country. The menace of personal government no longer threatens institutions. The United States is not to be Mexicanized. It is to be Americanized.

It is because Gov. Wilson represents this principle that the World so persistently urged his nomination. It is because Gov. Wilson represents this principle that the opposition within the party was forced to surrender. It is because Gov. Wilson represents this principle that he will be triumphantly elected in November. Such a man is imperatively needed, and the American people, true to their traditions in every crisis, have again found him.

Gov. Wilson's nomination means that the rule of the boss is over. It means that the partnership between corrupt politics and corrupt business in national politics is forcibly dissolved. It means that the old regime of protection to Privilege and Plutocracy is on the scaffold. It means that the old gods are dead.

The United States is back to the benediction pronounced by Abraham Lincoln on the battlefield of Gettysburg—"That this Nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people, by the people and for the people shall not perish from the earth."

Colorado can win the Holland prize for being the cleanest town in Texas, if every individual citizen will see that his own premises are put in first class condition. The city Marshal will see that the public streets and alleys are cleaned up.

First bale of cotton of the season was brought in one year ago today. Who'll bring the first this season?

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LORAIN LOCALS

A petition was circulated here this week asking the commissioners Court to appoint M. D. Cranfill to fill out the unexpired term of J. R. Burditt as Public Weigher. A large number of our citizens signed it, Mr Cranfill is the nominee of the recent primary for the position but, of course will not be formally elected until November.

C. M. Thompson and J. M. Templeton returned Sunday night from a trip to San Angelo. They were under the impression that they were arriving on Saturday night, and are still calculating how they lost that day.

The Philomath Club met with Mrs J. E. Stowe last Friday. The Club has finished its course of Study and will take up other lines in September.

Cornet Wimberly and wife of Pyron visited their parents here this week.

Mrs L. J. Pierce has returned to her home in Hamlin after a visit to W. F. Altman and family.

Willis Brown and wife made a day's journey to Wastella Friday.

Elza Groves and mother returned from their visit to Brownfield last Thursday.

Misses Findley of north Champion were in town Friday visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Hatton.

Mrs. A. J. Payne and daughter Pauline of San Angelo were the guests of Mrs. V. D. Payne this week.

Dee McCollum and wife left last Wednesday for Valley View, Coke county, where they will make their future home. They made the trip across country by private conveyance.

County Attorney W. P. Leslie was here last Monday in attendance on the Justice Court. The McGhee case which was the center of attraction on that occasion resulted in a hung jury.

Chas. Bartlett, auditor for the Higginbotham-Harris & Co., spent last Tuesday in this city.

J. M. Fines' son and daughter from East Texas are visiting the family here this week.

C. P. Gary and family, Mrs. Toler and Miss Ethel Gregg are enjoying a fishing trip to Silver this week.

Miss Ethel Garrett of Kosse, Texas is visiting her uncle, A. M. Jackson, and family this week.

Mrs. Hollingsworth and son Hal, came in Friday night from Midland. Mrs. Hollingsworth and daughter, Eularial, had arrived the fore part of the week, but Mrs. Hollingsworth was called to Midland on account of her son's illness. He is reported improving. They are guests in the homes of Mesdames Stowe, Toler, Henthorn and Petty, of this city.

Mrs. Ed Worthy of Roscoe was the guest of Miss Smith in this city last Tuesday.

Will Ledbetter and Bob Crawford of Colorado spent the day here last Sunday.

John and Leon Jenkins and Miss Waller of Colorado were among the Sunday visitors to this city.

Taylor Jarrett and wife came in from the Champion community last Tuesday to attend the meeting.

R. J. Johnson was in Snyder last Sunday and Monday. He reports little rain in that section, and crop prospects not nearly so good as in this vicinity.

Miss Myrtle Copeland spent last Sunday in Big Springs.

V. A. Roberts left Tuesday for a trip to Limestone and other central east Texas counties. He expects to be gone about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Charters and

daughter of Westbrook were in town Sunday, the guests of J. A. Sadler and family.

Mrs. J. A. Sadler returned last week from a visit to Brown county.

Mesquite Meeting Closed.

Rev. G. C. Farris closed his meeting at Mesquite last Sunday and returned home Monday. He was assisted in this meeting by Rev. W. M. Green, the missionary for this Association.

Rev. Farris reports great interest manifested by those who attended the services and nineteen conversions. The meeting closed a few days sooner than expected on account of the rain.

Claude Gill of Abilene spent the day here Monday the guest of his sister Mrs. V. D. Payne.

Ota Lindley of Colorado spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Sadler.

Union Chapel Singing Convention.

Sunday afternoon a large crowd of Loraine's younger set with a few married ones for chaperones, drove to Union Chapel to enjoy the singing convention. Those who went report the singing unusually fine. Among the couples who drove over were Tom Johnson and Maude Smith, Myrtle Dyer and Cap Hall, Ruby Seymour and Joe Bennett, Pearl Porter and Thomas Ridens, Misses Byrd and Tennis Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Butler and Miss Butler, Mr. and Mrs. James Hatton, Elza Groves and Leila Bennett, Vera Garey and Tom Ledbetter.

Mrs. B. F. McDaniel returned to her home in Uvalde last Saturday after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Hall.

Miss Nettie Bounds came over from Colorado Sunday to spend the day with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Avant. Allen Avant returned with her.

Mrs. W. L. Petty is entertaining Mrs. P. M. Agerton of Sweetwater this week.

Lone Wolf Briefs.

Health of this community is improving and rainy weather is the order of the day.

Mesdames Kennedy and Beal are reported improving.

Quite a number from here attended the singing at Union Chapel last Sunday.

Invitations have been issued to the wedding of Arthur Turner and Miss Perdue Corley next Sunday.

Mrs. N. Chittum of Snyder is visiting in this community this week.

Mr. Beight and son, Henry, made a business trip to Snyder this week.

E. J. Leggott has returned from his visit to Denton county and reports a nice trip.

Miss Ethel Williams has returned home from a visit to Dunn.

Jim Mize of Dunn is a visitor in this community this week.

S. H. Corbell has returned from a trip to Denton.

Nate and Roy Haggerton and Carl Cole are contemplating going to Corsicana next week. We hope for them a pleasant trip and leap year hints.

H. P. Peagan is visiting relatives in Justiceburg this week.

Mr. Harris has returned from Big Springs where he has been on a business trip.

J. W. Cole made a business trip to Hermleigh last week.

G. L. Crowover visited Colorado on business last week.

J. A. Peagan visited in Snyder this week.

Henry Beight is visiting his sister at Pyron this week.

OLD TIMER.

South Champion Chatter.

Rev. Henson failed to fill his appointment here Sunday.

W. L. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Anthony attended church at Mesquite Sunday.

Pratt and Mattie Williams left Saturday for Bronte to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. Mays' house is nearing completion.

Miss Jaylie Longbotham was visiting in Loraine Saturday and Sunday, the guest of Miss Copeland.

L. B. Cope's team ran away with his new \$165. row binder last week, and wrecked the machine.

Master Kenneth Daugherty entertained the C. I. L. last Saturday afternoon. Watermelons were served and all had a good time, even to the shower on the way home.

Misses Eril and Clarace King of Colorado are visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Anthony.

Mrs. Mark Daugherty entertained her Sunday School class Sunday afternoon; all present enjoyed the hospitality of the teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hantche are the proud parents of a new boy. Mother and son doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardin are visiting their daughter Mrs. John Williams.

Ben Anthony and family from Sweetwater were in the community Sunday.

Sam Knox and N. Anthony were in Roscoe Saturday.

Boyd Smith returned Saturday from a week's visit to Snyder.

Ivan Kelley and family from Codeman county were the guests of his cousin J. B. Kelley last week.

Jim Smith and Boyd were in Loraine Saturday.

CRICKETT

Notes from Route No. 2.

(Delayed from last week.)

Well that rain I spoke of last week didn't come. There is a strip through this neighborhood where the ground hasn't been wet two inches deep since about the 10th of May. We are still hoping it may come before it is too late.

J. A. Loyd received the sad news of the death of his brother Bob which occurred in Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. R. E. Simpson and Mrs. Eva McDonald from Lamesa visited Mrs. Marvin Dorn last week.

Mrs. Bennett, sister to the Plaster boys, is visiting them from Bell county this week.

Mr. J. H. Posey and family from Plainview community attended church at Spade last Sunday.

Last Friday night the stork visited Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Holbert and left them a girl baby.

The election passed off quietly at our town. Considerable interest was taken in the local contest for public weigher and commissioner for this precinct, B. O. Joyce winning the race for commissioner by one vote.

The Baptist meeting is in progress now with Bro. Wood doing the preaching. There was a large crowd last Sunday and a good sermon.

Mr. R. H. Crump and family who have been absent several months in Arizona, returned last Sunday. We are glad to note that Bob's health seems much improved by his trip.

Mrs. Etta Farris of Loraine is visiting her father J. D. Falkner while Mr. Farris is taking a course in pharmacy at Dallas.

The protracted meeting at Union began last Saturday with the pastor Bro. Hill in the pulpit. Will report progress later on.

Mrs. J. L. Cornwell returned from Bosque county where she visited her parents last week. She says crops are fine there.

A. COUNTRYMAN.

Zellner Zephyrs.

"News" are scarce in this part. Mr. and Mrs. John Erwin visited Mr. Preston's family Sunday.

Mrs. Luella Roberts of Cleburne, Texas, is visiting relatives here.

Several from this community attended church at Loraine Saturday night.

Miss Vesta Preston was the guest of Emma Martin Sunday.

Mrs. Milbra Taylor spent Saturday night and Sunday with her brother and family.

Misses Ethel Taylor and Abbie Wilson were guests of Miss Vanda Harris Sunday.

W. R. Clark has returned home from his visit to Comanche, and reported an enjoyable time.

J. C. Prude from Colorado was out on his farm for a day or two.

The Baptist meeting will not begin until the 16th. The preacher could not be here the second Sunday.

Alma Linder visited Minnie Clark Monday evening.

*GOLDENROD.

Let Texas Do It.

If President Taft is too busy keeping out of the way of the Bull Moose to look after the Mexican situation, why not let Governor Colquitt have a free hand to stop the depredations. Texas can do it if they will just give the word.—San Angelo Standard.

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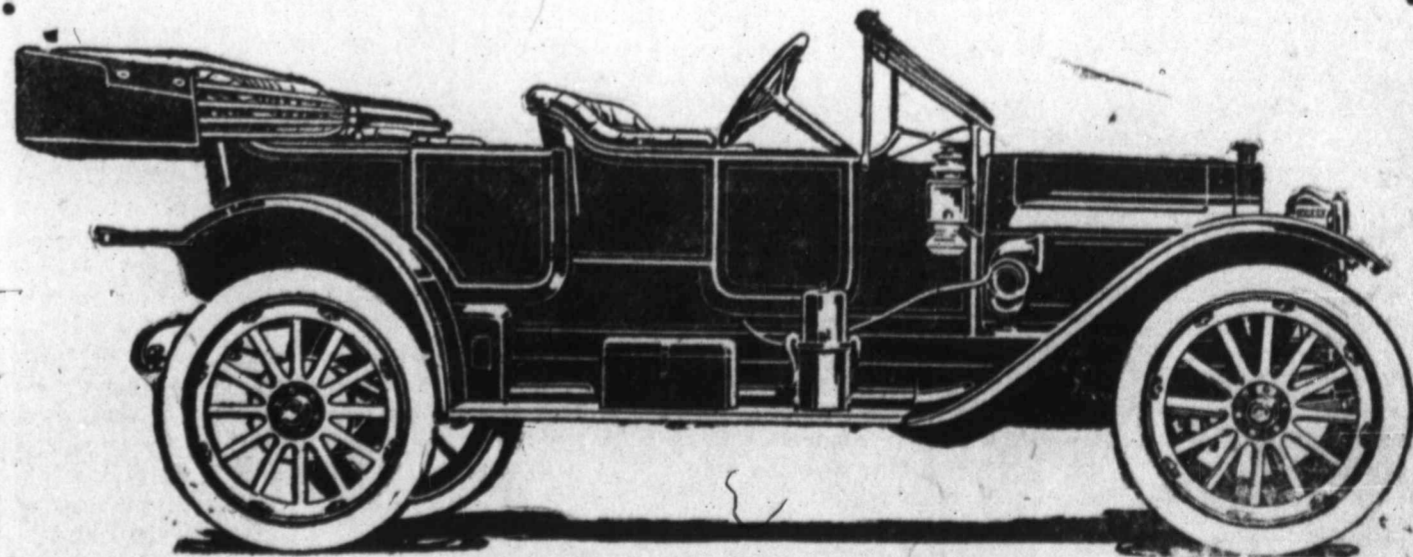
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Cuthbert Callings.

These parts were visited by another good rain last Thursday afternoon. It seems that these showers are not sufficient for feed as that crop is not good. The cotton seems to grow some but the extreme hot weather between showers causes the cotton to shed the forms.

Some repairs were made about the church grounds Monday and the Baptist meeting begun Monday night as was announced.

John Womack and family visited in Fairview neighborhood Sunday.

A. E. Sadler, W. R. Womack and H. S. Moore attended the Masonic lodge at Ira Saturday night. The two latter went along to hold the fellowcraft goat for the former to ride.

The old men and the boys matched another game of ball Friday. The score was 9 to 8 in favor of the boys. This makes even games. Suppose we will play the "sugar" game next time it rains.

One day last week Reed Westfall of New Hope came to town and after making his purchases started on his return. After going about a mile he stopped at a place where he has stopped before and being in much haste or thinking his horses would stand anyway, he went in without securely tying them. The conversation became very interesting and the horses became tired and walked away. After about an hour Reed beheld the situation and left hurriedly in pursuit. After going about a mile he borrowed a horse and saddle and pursued them faster, overtaking the team about four miles away. The team had not become frightened and nothing was harmed except the conversation.

The election is over and passed very quietly here. To our mind the result is conclusive proof that there are 50,000 conservative voters in the state that will not even for the sake of prohibition depart from old Democratic uses. All things being equal and the office sought is to be filled with new men I believe the people would put in a pro instead of an anti every time for the Senate. The governor's race was not a good test of the pro strength as Colquitt had held the office only one term. This had lots to do with the result. Four years ago when Campbell was opposed for second term Mr. Ramsey took the stump and pleaded for Campbell for a second term, claiming it democratic usage. This inconsistency likely had much to do with the result. I myself voted for Ramsey and would do so again but we hope two years hence only one strong pro will enter the race and we will win as we did this time for senator.

Mr. J. H. Gage left last week for Oklahoma to ship out some cattle for the market.

Grandma Goodwin, Mother of G. E.

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Extracts From Leading Publications.

"The saloons are the breeding places of all kinds of vice and crime. In them the thieves, the murderers, ballot box stuffers, grafters, purchasers of law and the debauched find their education and protection and from them the lawless hordes go forth to prey upon society. The only wonder is that the people have stood this menace to our civilization as long as they have. No feature of American public life is so abominable and discouraging as this open and notorious co-partnership of the liquor traffic with politicians of all parties if the business of crime."—American Review of Reviews, April, 1908.

"The American saloon—why does it exist? To furnish at retail a commodity dangerous at best, to extend and to keep on extending the sales of brewers and distillers. It prospers best when it can make two drunkards grow where one grew before. How has it protected itself in this policy? By gathering together all that is venal in politics, by acting as a connecting link in our singular American alliance between the powers that prey and the powers that rule."—Colliers Weekly.

"For years and years the saloon has been an arrogant offender. It has encouraged waste, it has flourished upon the ruin of character, it has corrupted politics, it has cultivated vice and the while it has continued in its practices with disdain for its enemies."—The Outlook.

"A government necessarily takes the character of those conducting it. The business of saloonkeeping, which produces the present management of our cities involves from the conditions which surrounds it a disregard for both law and proper moral ideals. Ordinary commercial motives urge the proprietors as a class, to increase the sale of a commodity which the state everywhere endeavors to restrict, and a savage condition of competition drives them still further, till a great proportion break the provisions of the law in some way; while a considerable number ally themselves with the most degraded and dangerous forms of vice."—McLure's Magazine.

"Whatever may be individual opinions as to the desirability of some form of licensed liquor selling, it will probably be generally agreed that as you lessen the consumption of alcohol you also lessen crime, and it is quite clear that prohibition does prohibit to a very appreciable extent."—The Boston Post.

PRESS SUPERINTENDENT.

Notice to Farm Tenants.

I have purchased from Mr. Art Bailey a section of land located in Mitchell county 9 miles southwest of Colorado City. This land is known as section number ninety four, block number 27, Texas & Pacific survey. I will erect on this land at an early date five nice neat houses, these houses will all have front and back gallery and four large living rooms. I would like to correspond with some parties with view of either renting or buying one of these farms this coming season. These houses will be built as soon as I can get renters to occupy them.

Address all correspondence to W. J. GRABER, Brenham, Texas.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the unlimited kindness and sympathy manifested for us by our friends in the illness and death of our dear mother. The truest, kindest and dearest of friends you have been to us and the best that is in us will always pray that our Heavenly Father will repay you and that you may know the gratitude and love which we feel for you but cannot express.
GEO. E. GOODWIN,
CHAS. A. GOODWIN,
MRS. J. L. ROSS.

My New Location.

I am now at home in the Bertner building next Jake's restaurant, better prepared than ever to serve my friends and patrons in the cold drink and confectionery line. Come see me.
BEN MORGAN.

CRAZED BY RELIGION.

Snyder Farmer Loses Mind for Session of "Second Blessing" in Religious Meeting.

Snyder, Tex., Aug. 5.—A. A. Peeler, a farmer in this county, yesterday killed his twelve-year-old son and fired several shots at his wife and at other persons but missed them.

He has been arrested. Peeler was insane for session of the "Second Blessing" faith in a religious meeting.

Colorado Druggist Deserves Praise.

W. L. Doss deserves praise from Colorado people for introducing here the simple buckthorn bark and glycerine mixture, known as Adler-ika. This simple German remedy first became famous by curing appendicitis and it has now been discovered that A SINGLE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY. It is the only remedy which never fails.

Post Mills Near Completion.

Post City, Tex.—The first two units of the Post cotton mills are practically completed here, and work will be pushed steadily from this time forward. It is expected that the first cars of machinery will arrive the latter part of the week.

Severe Rheumatism.

Grove Hill, Ala: Hunt's Lightning Oil cured my wife of a severe case of Rheumatism and my friend of toothache. I surely believe it is good for all you claim for it.—A. R. Stringer. 25 and 50c a bottle. All Dealers.

Historic I X I Ranch Sold.

Dalhart, Tex., Aug 1.—Five hundred thousand acres and twenty thousand cattle of the IXL ranch were sold yesterday to Sheldon Masterson and Trig of Amarillo. The price was private. The land is located in Dallam, Hartley, Oldham and Deaf Smith counties and wipes out the historic old ranch.

Cement Work Wanted.

All kinds of cement work done right and fully guaranteed. Cistern work and sidewalk building made a specialty. If you need anything in this line let me figure with you before placing a contract. Phone 254.
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Brelsford Elected.

The election of State Senator was for some time in doubt, but the most recent figures indicate that Brelsford captured the plum by a majority estimated from 1250 to 1500.

If Overton were given every vote from counties not yet thoroughly canvassed, Brelsford would still have the lead by at least 800 votes.

Keiper Sells Another Car.

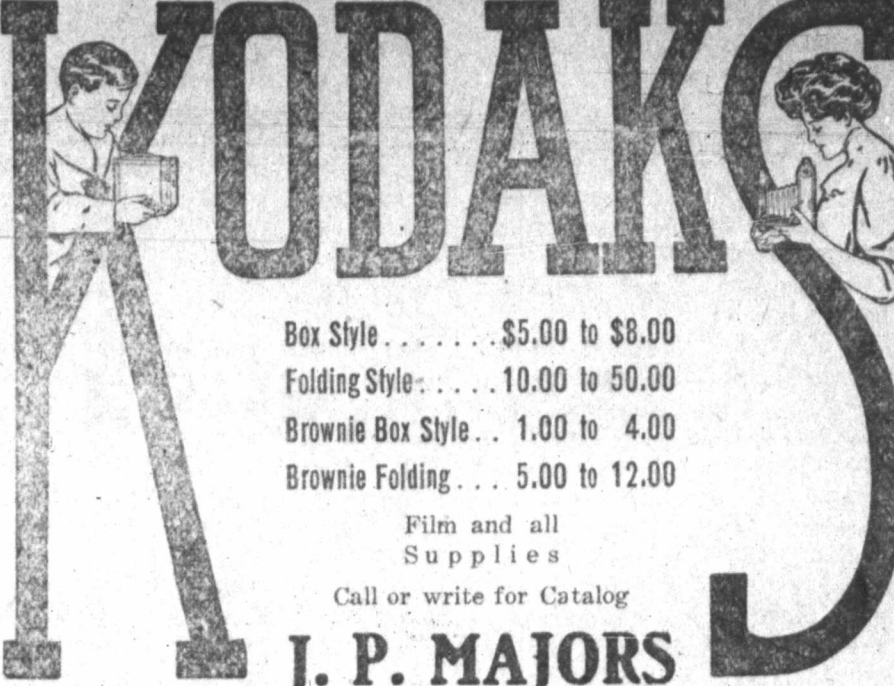
Just see how elastic is the spirit of West Texas and what wonders a rain will do. Ten days ago Keiper would have been afraid to mention the word "automobile" to a man, even if the man had the money in his pocket. There was literally "narthin' doin'." Then came a rain on last Thursday evening and Presto! Parties looked him up to discuss the relative merits of the different machines and his in particular. Lon McGuire said he wanted one of the famous E. M. F. "30" and couldn't wait for a new one to be ordered for him, but grabbed the one Keiper had recently received; whereupon Keiper ordered a Flanders "20" that will eclipse anything brought here in the auto line. It will be nickel plated throughout with all the 1912 modifications, embellishments and trimmings—a thing of beauty, service and of strength. But the best feature about it will be that it will be practically sold when it arrives.

The sale of automobiles is a fairly good index to the financial condition of the country. People don't travel for the sake of joy riding in hard times, and never in automobiles. But when Keiper gets after a man to sell him a machine and he is turned over to Fred or Frank Miller for a demonstration ride, the machine is good as sold.

The negro Leonard Potts who killed two officers of the law, was overtaken near Detroit, by a posse and riddled with bullets, Monday evening. He applied at a negro house for food and the negro quickly gave the officers information that Potts was at his house. His death soon followed.

The rains have been exceedingly spotted over the county. Sunday evening a big rain fell in town. To the south and north also, good heavy rains fell, while scarcely any fell at Lorraine. But it all does good, and if these local showers keep up, the whole county will be visited after a while. Where the crops have not stopped growing, these showers will start them off again with renewed vigor.

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Dear Madam:—In the long, hot days of the present summer do you not find your house-work unusually hard?

We could save you many steps and much uncomfortable work by installing in your kitchen a sink, and equipping your stove with a boiler, in order that you may have a generous supply of hot water at hand.

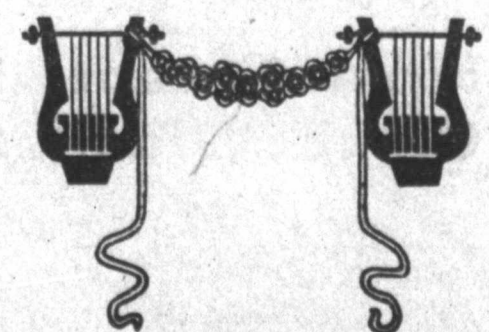
If you would consider the time saved and the convenience of this, you will find the cost very small indeed. We would be glad if you would call and let us show you our line of kitchen sinks, lavatories and bath tubs, and give you an estimate of the cost of what you may need in this line.

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Waste of Life Caused by Intoxicants.

The intimate relationship between drink and crime has long been known. The use of alcoholic liquor is a menace to the happiness and an injury to the welfare of the people, but not until the science of statistics was applied to the problem was the magnitude of its economic importance appreciated. We now know that it causes economic waste of enormous proportions, sapping vitality and bringing accident, disease and death. The total cost direct and indirect, of the liquor traffic is beyond the power of man to compute. Drink in all its combinations adds to every trouble of life and the tremendous waste due to intemperance constitutes a burden that falls most heavily on those least able to bear it.

The state of Massachusetts was a pioneer in scientific investigation of

this question. In 1895 it found that out of 3,320 paupers in the state institutions about 65 in every 100 were addicted to the use of liquor and that 16 in every 100 were excessive drinkers. In the matter of crime about 68 in every 100 included drunkens, and about 84 in every 100 the intemperate condition led to the crime. The number of insane in the public institutions were about 69 in every 100 one or both of whose parents were intemperate. The economic effect shows the expense entailed on the community in the cost of government and charity and in the injury to the productive efficiency of the community. The liquor traffic is responsible for a large part of the cost of penal institutions, police departments, the judiciary, asylums, poorhouses, as well as private charity, that if we added to it the cost of disease and death the record would be appalling.

The waste of human life caused by the liquor traffic is of great importance. Statistics show that the death rate of non-abstainers exceeds that of abstainers by 23 per cent.

Considered as an economic fact the highest value in the world is man, and this value reaches out beyond the range of his physical existence. The greatest thing on earth known to man is man. Institutions exist for man, and in proportion only as they advance the interest and conserve the good of man is their existence of value. It has been said, "Life is infinitely valuable, not only from the origin and the results and revenues it may reach, but from the eternal consequences flowing from it. Anyone that recklessly impairs, imperils and weakens bodily powers by bad hours, unwholesome diet, poisonous stimulants or sensualities is a suicide. What shall we say then of him who opens a haunt of temptation sets out his

snare and deliberately deals out death by the dram?"

The waste of human life by the use of intoxicating drink is the most tremendous indictment against the traffic in liquor. What is the sum total of this loss no human mind can conceive much less estimate. It far surpasses any other loss the world sustains. If the money value to the nation of lives wasted and destroyed by drink could be put down it would far outweigh all other items of the bill, stupendous as they are. This enemy which men "put into the mouths to steal their brains away" is always antagonistic to life. It is the essential quality of the spirit or alcohol to kill and the higher the form of life it attacks the more direct and ruinous are its effects. It preserves death but is an enemy to all forms of life. As an agent of death in human society it stands at the head of all the dire catalogue of disasters and disorders.

Mark Twain said "A man bought a hog for \$1.50 and fed it \$20 worth of corn and then sold the hog for \$12. He lost money on the corn but made \$10.50 on the hog." Aren't we doing something like this with the liquor traffic?

PRESS SUPERINTENDENT.

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Why Not in Mitchell County?

Just think of it! In the irrigated district in Cameron county, one crop of corn has been harvested, which made 75 bushels to the acre and another corn crop is being put in on the same land. From 5,000 acres planted to cotton more than 4500 bales will be gathered. Compare this with what that same land was doing ten years ago—hardly producing a few stalks of prickly pear, nor would it produce much else today but for the magic of irrigation. A few years ago that land was worth practically nothing for farming purposes. Today it is selling at from \$250 to \$500 the acre; and what is more to the point—the people who pay these prices for such land are better satisfied with the "value received" than those who pay \$5 to \$10 for land that may produce one good crop in every five years, or two good crops in every five years; two good crops in succession and then two or three failures in succession. The point we are trying to get at is, that land that will produce an abundant crop of anything you may plant on it, every year with certainty, is the cheapest land a farmer can buy, at anything like a reasonable price.

It is not that the land in Cameron county is any more fertile than the land in Mitchell county—for no more productive soil exists in the state of Texas; it is solely because of scientific irrigation. Mitchell county will not produce the perennial crop of any one thing like the land on the coast, but there is always some profitable crop that it would produce under the conditions of irrigation.

Again, it is no idle dream to contemplate farming in Mitchell county without that element of chance and uncertainty that has always been a skeleton at every feast and a fly in every pot of ointment. More and more every year the farmers are coming to recognize irrigation as the sheet anchor in successful agriculture in West Texas. And more and more will they experiment with irrigated crops until everyone will in time produce the bulk of his money crop by this method. Irrigation will be the bulwark of the West Texas farmer and the foundation of West Texas prosperity.

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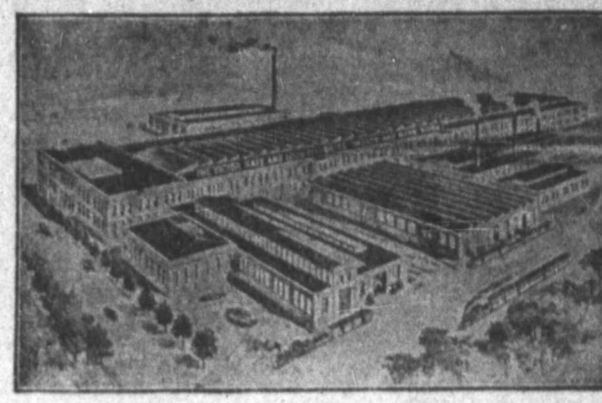
The wages of sin are many times paid in installments, but always in the same coin—death.

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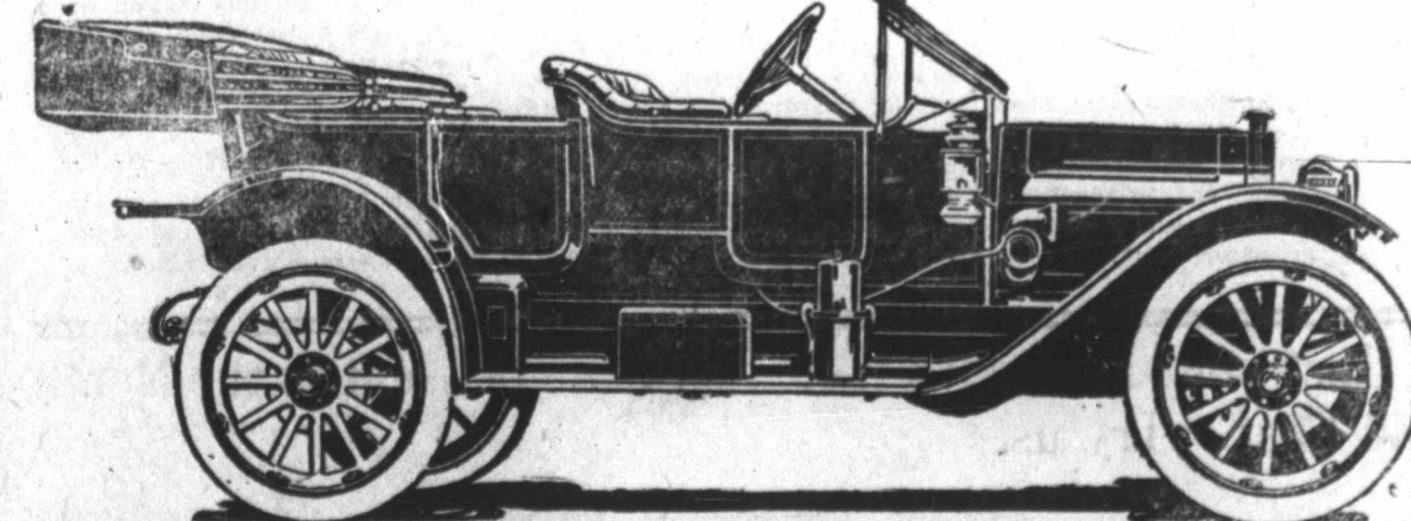
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—Canadian Record.

the formation of his new party is to appeal with such telling the farming interests of the Col. Roosevelt has the dis- assistance of that eminent rist, George W. Perkins of Farmer Perkins has been down to the agricultural circles of the United States for several years through his connection with the Harvester trust—that great combination of capital that has levied such exorbitant tribute upon the farming class, and which was protected in its monopoly of the implements of husbandry by its manufacture and sale by the same Col. Theodore Roosevelt, who prevented its prosecution for open and flagrant violation of the law while he was serving this nation in the

capacity he has so unsuccessfully sought to again fill. Associated with Col. Roosevelt in his design to organize this new party among the farmers in addition to Farmer Perkins—not old St. Perkins, mind you, but George, we find a scintillating galaxy of horny handed sons of toil and scientific tillers of the soil in the personages of Farmer Gifford Pinchot, Farmer Ormsby McHarg, Farmer Hiram Johnson, of California—fine types of the agriculturists who know just when tomatoes have to be dug and Irish potatoes mowed to obtain the best results.—El Paso Times.

P. T. Barnum, the great show man, travelled extensively and was a keen observer. He once delivered this testimony: "Show me a place where there is not any churches, and where preachers are never seen, and I will show you a place where old hats are stuffed into windows; where the gates have no hinges; where the women are slipshod, and where maps of the devil's wild land are printed on men's shirt bosoms with tobacco juice—that's what I will show you. Let's consider what these things have done for us before we lightly esteem them.—Baptist Advocate.

Record Price for Texas Steer.

National Stock Yards, Ill.—The largest grasser ever received at this market from Texas reached the St. Louis national stockyards Tuesday and received the highest price ever paid at this point for cattle of that class. The steer weighed 1,530 pounds and was sold to a local packing house for 9 cents per pound, or \$137.70. The grasser came in as part of a consignment of ten carloads of cattle from the 100,000 acre ranch of Edward C. Lasseter at Falfurrias.

Some Reasons For Hard Times.

The other day the editor was standing in a grocery store and witnessed a little colloquy that took place between the farmer and the grocery man. "Say, Mr. Jones, what are these onions worth?"

"Those are very nice," says Mr. Jones, "and I am selling them for 5 cents per pound."

"Man-sakes alive, ain't they high!" says the farmer. "Say, Mr. Jones, what are those cabbage worth?"

"Those are worth 4 cents per pound," says Mr. Jones. "Those are fresh and sound."

"My Lord, ain't they high? Say Mr. Jones, you got any black-eyed peas?"

"Yes."

"What are they worth?"

"Well I am selling 15 pounds to the \$1, or \$4 per bushel."

"In the name of Moses, how are people to live and stuff so high?"

"Got any navy beans?"

"Oh yes."

"What are they worth?"

"They are worth 10 pounds to the dollars or \$6 per bushel."

"Lord have mercy on us, I can't live at such prices. Got any Irish potatoes?"

"Yes."

"Well, what are they worth?"

"Fifty cents a peck or \$1.75 per bushel."

"Got any onion sets?"

"Yes."

"What are they worth?"

"Forty cents a gallon."

"In the name of goodness, such prices and I am borrowing money from the bank and paying 15 per cent interest for it and am forced to pay such prices for supplies. It is enough to bankrupt any farmer."

And it surely will. Here was a farmer buying onions, cabbage, black-eyed peas, navy beans, potatoes, onion sets and paying 40 per cent for them, besides the interest he was paying at the bank when he could have raised all of those things at home and have saved the profits himself.

This is the kind of farming that is going on all over the south, and there is no hope for the people until they change and make their farm produce all those things. The farmer cannot raise cotton and buy his living. Then quit the cotton mania. It has de-throned their reason. They have but one god, and that god is cotton. They kneel daily at its throne. It has enslaved them, and this dragon has crushed them with juggernaut force. It crushed 4,000,000,000 negro slaves and today it holds in its coils 30,000,000 whites whose condition is almost as bad as that of the negro slave, and there is only one hope—quitting raising cotton and raise your living at home, for it is the only salvation of the people.—Texas Farm Co-Operator.

New Design for Nickel.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The executive order changing the design of the United States 5-cent pieces probably will be issued by President Taft within a few weeks. J. W. Frazer, the New York artist, who is working out the design, conferred with Secretary MacVeagh and George E. Roberts, director of the mint, today regarding details of the new coin which will be completed shortly for submission to the President for approval.

The figure of a buffalo has been selected for the nickel's face, to displace the Goddess of Liberty, because, it is explained, the buffalo is peculiarly an American animal. The Goddess of Liberty is on several other United States coins. The thought of the buffalo suggests the Indian, and for that reason an artistic head of a red man will adorn the reverse side of the coin.

Orient Receivers Ordered to Build.

Fort Stockton, Tex.—Chief Engineer R. P. Parker, phoned from San Angelo to Mayor Jas. Rooney, that Judge Meeks had entered an order, directing the Texas receivers to proceed at once to extend the Orient from Granadita to Fort Stockton, and on to Alpine, to make connection with the Southern Pacific at that point. This message from Engineer Parker confirmed a telegram that Mr. Rooney had already received from a friend in Amarillo. This order by Judge Meeks of the Texas U. S. court, removes the last obstacle that has stood in the way.

Health Squibs.

It is not the problem of the high cost of living, nor the cost of high living, that causes most people's troubles, but the high cost of low living. "Most optimism," says Hugh Black, "can be traced to a good digestion, and most pessimism is the result of indigestion." Heredity is God's method of book-keeping. There are items of debit and credit and a final reckoning day which none can escape. Health is the most priceless of treasures. When deprived of it, we are willing to exchange for it everything we possess; yet when well, we squander it ruthlessly, regardless of consequences.

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Estimated that enough water could be secured if properly developed to irrigate the whole tract. Has two sets of fine improvements, a store and postoffice, school, ranch houses and is an ideal proposition for small colonization project. This land is offered at only \$15 per acre, half cash with terms on balance. There is twelve acres of old alfalfa on the place cutting four tons per acre, and this alone shows this land to be equal to any of that in the Pecos valley or in California. No. 6—320 acres of good sandy loam 7 1/2 miles northwest of Colorado, improved. 75 acres in cultivation, 250 acres tillable. Loan of \$1200. Terms one-fourth cash, balance ten years. No. 7—160 acres sandy loam farm 6 miles from Westbrook; price \$20 per acre; \$900 incumbrance. Will exchange equity for horses, mules or merchandise. No. 8—480 acres red land soil, 250 acres in cultivation; 400 acres tillable 20 acres grazing land; all fenced; mesquite for fuel; two good wells, windmill and tank; one good four-room house and outbuildings; one two-room house and out buildings; half mile to school; 7 miles of latan, Mitchell county, on T. & P. railroad, half mile from postoffice. Price \$16.00 per acre, one-third cash, balance 2 to 7 years at 9 per cent. No. 9—320 acres; 75 acres sandy loam, balance red and black land; 75 acres in cultivation; 175 acres tillable; 145 acres good grazing land; all fenced; plenty mesquite timber for fuel; two wells and tanks; 3-room house, good barn and outbuildings, one and a half miles from school; four miles of Westbrook; 7 miles from Colorado county seat Mitchell county, on the T. & P. railroad. Price \$20.00 per acre, one half cash, balance to suit. No. 11—9 acres sandy loam, all in cultivation; fenced; good windmill, well and cistern; good 5-room house and outbuildings; joining the city of Colorado, Mitchell county. Price \$2,500, \$1000 cash balance to suit. A fine proposition for poultry farm or truck patch. No. 14—640 acres deep red sandy loam, all tillable, all good grazing land; a great bargain at \$6.50 per acre. 16 miles south-west of Tahoka, county seat of Lynn county, on the Santa Fe railroad. No. 15—One of Mitchell county's best improved farms, 196 acres, dark sandy loam; 175 acres in cultivation, all tillable; good well and windmill and tank; good 4-room house, barn 25x60; half mile to school; 3 miles east of Colorado, Mitchell county. Price \$40 per acre. Half cash, balance to suit at 8 per cent interest. No. 16—Must be sold. 640 acres, five miles of Colorado; 3 sets of improvements; 320 acres in cultivation, 75 per cent tillable. Make offer quick. No. 17—5120 acres. One of the best stock ranches in west Texas. Good valley soil; all fenced; half tillable; all good grazing land; abundance of grass; part of this land had grass on it 18 inches high and would have cut several thousand tons of hay; good 5-room house; large surface tank; 16 miles northwest of Kent, Culberson county, on the T. & P. railroad. Land lays so that you could see a cow all most anywhere on the entire tract. Party not able to stock this ranch and will sell at a sacrifice. \$4.00 per acre one-fourth cash, \$1.60 due the state, can run 35 years at 3 per cent, balance to suit at 8 per cent. Will exchange. What have you? No. 18—640 acres soil sandy loam, 440 acres in cultivation; 85 per cent tillable; all fenced; three wells and two windmills; three sets of tenant improvements; one and a half miles of school; 12 miles northwest of Colorado, county seat of Mitchell county, on T. & P. railroad. Price \$21.50 per acre, one-fourth cash, balance to suit. No. 19—640 acres, sandy loam; 100 acres farm land, one-third agricultural, farm house, six miles from Colorado; price \$11 per acre. 640 acres, 45 per cent tillable, ranch house, spring, improvements worth \$1000; price \$11.00 per acre. 640 acres, 70 acres tillable at \$15.00 per acre. 640 acres, 50 acres ready for the plow, half tillable, two-thirds sand and shinnery, \$10.00 per acre. 640 acres, 100 acres ready for the plow, fenced and tenant house, half sandy soil, on Colorado river, \$14 per acre. 160 acres, 70 acres in cultivation, all tillable, sandy soil \$15.00 per acre. 320 acres, 70 acres in cultivation, half tillable, on Colorado river \$12.50 per acre. All of the above tracts lay from five to eight miles of Colorado; one-third cash, balance at 8 per cent. No. 20—240 acres sandy loam, 70 acres in cultivation, 200 acres tillable, all fenced, two wells, windmill; one mile of school; tenant improvements, three miles of Colorado. Price \$20, two-thirds cash, balance to suit. No. 21—160 acres, catclaw land 120 acres in cultivation; all tillable, fenced, well, windmill and tank; small house and other improvements; two miles of school; four miles of store; ten miles of Colorado. Price \$23.00 per acre, half cash, balance 10 per cent. No. 22—160 acres, sandy loam, 120 in cultivation; 160 tillable, fenced; well, windmill and tank; good 4-room house; half mile of school; 7 miles of Colorado. Price \$5000, half cash, balance to suit. No. 23—320 acres; fenced; catclaw soil 130 in cultivation, 200 tillable, 130 grazing land; mesquite timber; well windmill and tank; 3-room house, two porches; 3-4 mile to church and school four and a half miles of Colorado. Price \$22.50 per acre, \$3100 cash, balance at 8 per cent. No. 24—160 acres red catclaw sandy soil; 100 in cultivation; 125 tillable; good grazing land; mesquite timber; fenced; 5-room house with porches; 3 acre peach orchard; 2 miles of school; 5 miles from Colorado, on the T. & P. railroad. Price \$25.00 per acre. Half cash, balance 1 to 10 years at 8 per cent. No. 25—160 acres, sandy loam soil, 65 acres in cultivation, 98 per cent tillable; fenced; mesquite timber; two small houses and out buildings; two miles of school; two miles of Spade; six miles of Westbrook; Price 20.00 per acre, half cash, balance to suit at 8 per cent. Will trade for anything. No. 26—176 acres, sandy catclaw soil, 105 in cultivation, 160 tillable; good grazing land; fenced; two wells, creek, abundance of water; 3-room house; 3-4 mile of school and church; 12 miles from Snyder. Price \$32.50 per acre; half cash, balance to suit. Will take \$1000 worth of horses and mules. No. 27—317 acres sandy soil; 160 in cultivation; 200 tillable; good grazing; fenced; well, windmill, cistern and on Colorado river; 3-4 acre in fruit trees, bore some last year; small house and other improvements; 1-2 mile of school Price \$18.50 per acre, half cash, balance to suit; 8 miles from Colorado. Would trade for smaller farm in South Texas. No. 28—Good 4-room house well located in Colorado, lot 100x140; good location; nice shade trees; fenced; and other improvements. The price is right and would exchange for property at Post City. No. 29—480 acres sandy loam and red catclaw soil, all tillable except 2 acres; good grazing land; good new fence; large surface tank; in Lynn county; 1 1/4 mile of switch, 8 miles south of Tahoka, county seat, Price \$15.00, 1-4 cash balance to suit. No. 30—160 acres of sandy loam, 80 in cultivation, balance good grazing; fenced; well, windmill and good spring ten acres in orchard and berries 3 to 5 years; good 5-room house, barn and other improvements; 3 miles of Colorado. The price is right; will trade for city property. No. 31—2190 acres red sandy loam, 250 acres in cultivation; fenced; good well and windmill and on the Colorado river; good 5-room ranch house, barn and other improvements; one of the best stock ranches in the country; 11 miles of Colorado. Will trade for stock, land or business property in North or Northwest Texas. No. 33—137 acres red sandy land, 80 acres in cultivation, 100 acres tillable balance good grazing land, fenced, small house, cistern, watered by Colorado river, half mile of school. Price \$25.00 per acre, \$1500 cash, balance to suit, or would exchange for young mules and cattle. No. 34—320 acres, black mixed sandy soil, 50 acres in cultivation, 150 acres tillable balance good grazing land, fenced, good water, small shed house and corral; 12 miles from Coahoma, Glascock county. Price \$8.00 per acre; would consider good property in exchange. No. 35—640 acres red sandy loam, one of Mitchell count's best improved farms; 310 acres in cultivation; 600 acres tillable; balance good grazing land, three windmills and tanks, water system at house, good 5-room house; two tenant houses; sheds and lots; half mile from school and store; 9 miles northwest from Colorado. Price \$26.00 per acre, one-third cash. No. 37—34 lots in Burnham; Will trade as first payment on farm or cheap ranch land. No. 38—640 acres red chocolate soil; 8 miles northeast of Sierra Blanca, El Paso county, all tillable; abundance of grass this year; \$4.00 per acre; will exchange for anything worth the money. No. 39—4644 acres red chocolate soil, 30 acres in cultivation; 80 per cent tillable; all good grazing land, large adobe house; sheds and lot; 7 miles northeast of Sierra Blanca El Paso county; Price \$5.00 per acre one-fourth cash, balance to suit; would consider exchange. No. 40—455 acres sandy valley soil; 300 acres in cultivation; all tillable; fenced; plenty of wood; well and mill,

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LOCAL NOTES

Mrs. Joe Humphreys and Mrs. A. W. Field of Sweetwater spent Thursday and Friday of last week visiting friends in Colorado.

Miss Esther Ayres returned Friday from a pleasant two weeks' visit to the country.

If it's a roast, order by 8:30 and it's in your oven in plenty of time. Phone 35.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Towle of Snyder spent Sunday in Colorado the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ruddick.

Get your baseball goods from W. L. Doss. He carries a full line.

Mrs. J. B. Annis and son Carlock returned Saturday from a month's visit to relatives in Oklahoma. They were accompanied by Mrs. Annis' sister, Mrs. Hatley and children.

Go to the Colorado Mercantile Co., for all your grocery wants. Their stock is always full and up-to-date.

Miss Grace Carlton of Carlton College, Bonham, came in Saturday and spent a few days the guest of Judge and Mrs. Coe.

Mrs. Hunt and children of Marshall is visiting the family of her uncle Judge Coe.

I am now running a delivery wagon and selling meat from the wagon, FOR THE CASH. The choicest of meat can be gotten from the wagon at your door. Phone in your wants. 7-12c H. B. BROADDUS.

Mr. and Mrs. Runyon of Coahoma spent Sunday with their mother, Grandmother Runyon.

Mrs. A. J. Payne and Miss Pauline are expected for a several weeks visit to friends.

Miss Ina Wulfjen and Mrs. James T. Johnson spent this week in Snyder the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Towle. They returned home with the Towles Sunday in their auto.

Fresh vegetables and fruits are received almost every day by the Colorado Mercantile Company. Phone us your orders and the goods will be forthcoming.

Mrs. Alpine Burns and the "babby" returned to their home at Fort Worth after a pleasant visit with the family of Mrs. Fox, Saturday.

See new designs of wall paper at W. L. Doss.

Rev. B. Broome returned last Monday evening from a week's stay at Vincent at which place he has been conducting a series of meetings, which he tells us, were quite successful.

One of the most common ailments that hard working people are afflicted with is lame back. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the parts thoroughly at each application, and you will get quick relief. For sale by All Dealers.

Mrs. Bearden of Mingus is the new Western Union operator relieving Cummins, who is on a vacation home.

A. R. Woods is again proprietor of the livery stable, Mr. Layne having sold to him last week.

If you want the highest grade of staple and fancy groceries, don't waste time looking elsewhere; come to the Colorado Mercantile Company's store.

Mr. Will Dawes of Big Springs, visited his brother, Prof. Thos. Dawes, last Sunday.

The Colorado Mercantile Company want your patronage, based on the best goods and promptest service.

Jack Farmer came over from Sweetwater Sunday to visit his father's family. He reports that John is doing nicely at that place, in the bakery business.

Remember Beal Bros. wants your trade and will please you if you give them a trial.

Mr. Olinger, wife and son visited the family of Mr. B. F. Yates at Coahoma last Sunday, spending the day.

Don't let 11 o'clock come without ordering your meat. Give us a show and we will get the meat to you. BEAL BROS.

J. R. Ledbetter, than whom Mitchell county does not boast a more successful farmer, says the recent showers have done his cotton crop incalculable good. Much of his feed crop had begun to suffer by reason of the dry weather, but his cotton had kept right on growing. If present conditions continue he will have no cause to complain of his cotton crop this fall.

Mr. W. S. Gunsalus, a farmer living near Fleming, Pa., says he has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in his family for fourteen years, and that he has found it to be an excellent remedy and takes pleasure in recommending it. For sale by All Dealers.

After figuring with the lumber dealers of San Angelo, Sterling City, Robert Lee, Mary Neal and Lorraine, Mr. W. G. Jamison, living down in Coke county, 35 miles from Colorado, placed his lumber bill for a \$1,300 residence with a Colorado firm—the Burton-Lingo people.

Music Pupils Wanted. Miss Lela Whipkey has just received a fine, new piano and is prepared to take pupils in instrumental music. She has had experience in teaching and will give special attention to beginners. She will teach at home, beginning September 1. If interested phone her and she will call and make arrangements.

Messrs. R. C. Vincent of south of Lorraine and H. C. Fite of Grand Saline, were pleasant visitors to this office last Friday. Mr. Fite is on a social visit to the Vincents, but has an eye on Mitchell county as a permanent home. All the Van Zandt county people who have come to Mitchell county have done well. In the first place they are all good people, and in the second place they know how to take advantage of a good country when they meet in the big road. There is room and a welcome for many more of the same sort.

"Were all medicines as meritorious as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the world would be much better off and the percentage of suffering greatly decreased," writes Lindsay Scott, of Temple, Ind. For sale by All Dealers.

J. R. Smith a prominent ranchman from about Lamesa, and a brother of Mrs. J. A. Buchanan, was visiting the family of J. A. Buchanan last week.

Mrs. J. K. Foster, who formerly kept the Alamo hotel, accompanied by the two little girls, passed through Colorado Sunday morning en route to Los Angeles, California, for a visit of two months.

"I was cured of diarrhoea by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes M. E. Gebhardt, Oriole, Pa. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.

Mr. John Duff, the undertaker at the H. L. Hutchinson & Company's was called to see his brother who lives at Bangs, near Brownwood, week before last, and has not yet returned. His brother was in very poor health and unable to attend to his mercantile business.

STATE OF OHIO CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County, ss. FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio, and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 5th day of December, A. D. 1916. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, etc. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Jesse Bullock, wife and children, returned from a visit with relatives at Bryan last Sunday morning.

New designs of wall paper cheap at W. D. Doss.

Read the professional card of Thos. J. Coffee in this issue of the Record. He solicits a share of the legal business of the community.

Dr. Coleman's office is again ready for occupancy, having been repainted, re-papered and furnished with awnings over window and door.

Bring or send your grocery troubles to us; we can make them vanish in a twinkling. We have anticipated your wants and await your appreciated orders.

For Sale. One seven-room dwelling house, good cistern, four lots, on Second street three blocks from postoffice. Will sell for \$750 cash. Furniture for sale also. Address or see 8-9p MRS. J. H. KEY.

G. F. C. Meeting. On Thursday at five o'clock Miss Liles delightfully entertained the G. F. C. club. There was a large crowd present and eight games of 42 were played. Mrs. Myrtle Vaughan won the club prize, a pair of silk stockings. Miss Mattie Shuford the lone hand, a cut glass nappy. The guest prize, a beautiful fan, was given Miss Coleman. A delicious chicken salad course was served and the rainstorm coming up just as the refreshments were being served the guests lingered until late. The 42 tables were moved and dancing was enjoyed until conveyances could be procured and the guests reach home. But the affair was so pleasant and the rain so much enjoyed that no one minded getting wet or being delayed. Miss Coleman is hostess this week at five o'clock.

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Program for the U. D. C. Which meets Monday, August 12, 1912, at 4:30 o'clock with Mrs. Joe Merritt.

Subject: The Navy of the Confederate States of America. "And each gun From its adamant lips Spread a death shade 'round the ships, Like a hurricane Eclipse Of the sun."

Roll Call.—The singular fatality that attended every ironclad set afloat by the Confederate navy. Brilliant work done by armed cruisers and blockade runners.

Reading, "The Sword at Sea."—Miss Dry.

Paper, "The First Duel of the Ironclads."—Mrs. S. Gustine. Chapter Discussion: (a) Owing to social and industrial conditions, the South had no maritime population; no class of trained mechanics in her citizenship; no shops, factories and shipyards. (b) Before the war nearly all the officers of the navy were Southern men, but the seamen were from the north. (c) Vigorous grasp of the situation by Secretary Mallory and officers of the navy most of whom resigned from the U. S. navy to take a sailor's part with their own government. (d) surprising results in supplying war vessels for the Confederacy.

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***** ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW. *****

J. C. Hooker and family of Colorado are visiting the family of the former's brother, H. H. Hooker, this week.—Sterling City Record.

Preston Scott returned to his home in Colorado City Tuesday morning after a few days in the city.—San Angelo Standard.

Miss Clara Inkman returned last week from a visit with relatives at Colorado.—Big Springs Herald.

Saved Him.

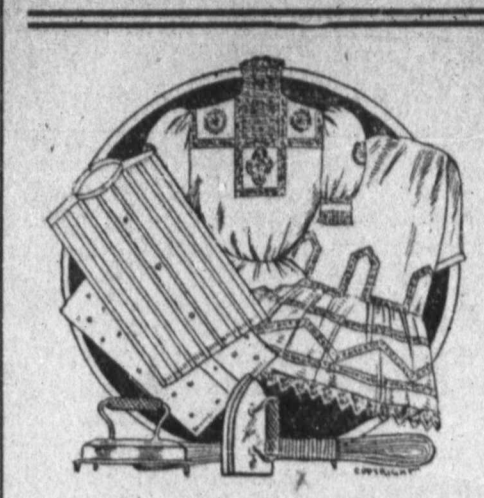
"It didn't kill me, but I think it would if it had not been for Hunt's Cure. I was tired, miserable and well nigh used up when I commenced using it for an old and severe case of Eczema. One application relieved and a box cured me. I believe Hunt's Cure will cure any form of itching known to mankind."

CLIFTON LAWRENCE, Helena, O. T.

The rain of Thursday evening was supplemented Sunday evening by another which was lighter in town, but much heavier in other parts of the county. In the Buford community, the best rain fell that has visited that section the past twelve months, at which the people are greatly rejoiced. It is not without the pale of probability that Mitchell county will yet make a good crop of both cotton and feed; with an open fall there is no reason why this can not be done. But as in all other things, the best working farmers will make the best crops.

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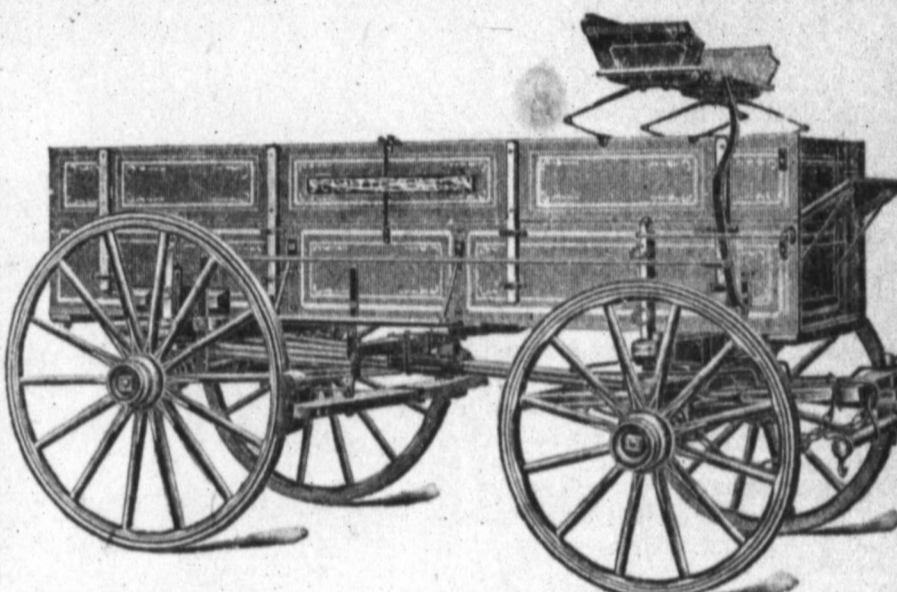


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LOCAL NOTES

A big boiler was taken out last week to the Budget gin, which is being rebuilt and put in readiness for the cotton crop.

PRIVATE BOARD AND ROOMS—Apply to Mrs. R. E. Mayerle, just east of Rockwell Bros. Lumber yard. Rates reasonable. 6-28tc

S. F. Kirksey of Waco was in Colorado this week in the interest of a new insurance company, of which he is the vice-president.

Rumors regarding a new hotel for Colorado have been rife the past week, but nothing definite has yet been developed.

Miss Irene Whipkey is spending the week down on the ranch with Miss Hazel McKenzie.

Mrs. Sam Majors and Elsie Lee returned home Wednesday morning accompanied by Mrs. Dunn and children of Marshall, Texas.

FOR SALE—28 head of horses and 4 head of mules, one to five years old; part broke. See F. S. KEIPER, Colorado, Texas.

Mr. John W. Mooar, wife and daughter, left this week for Pownal, Vermont, where they will remain until cool weather, the latter part of October. Mr. Mooar retains the old homestead at that place, which is kept "sweet and garnished" by a fruitful caretaker against his coming at any time. The garden is always planted and cultivated as well as the orchard looked after. He and his family spent some time there last year. It were useless to wish for them a pleasant time—they always have that. The Record will keep them informed as to local happenings while away.

FOUND—Bunch keys (4 padlock) with Clay Robertson tag No. 1882 on ring. Pay for this ad and get property. 8-9.

Rev. Wm. Pearn preached Sunday morning and evening at the Christian church, two fine sermons. He remained over Monday to conduct the funeral services of Grandmother Goodwin.

Misses Jeanette and Louise Roe returned home last Saturday night.

Ben Morgan takes subscriptions for the Dallas Semi-Weekly News. Give him your subscription.

Mrs. M. J. Culp left yesterday morning for a visit with one of her sons at Bronte, from where she will go to visit with another of her sons at Coleman. She will go from there to Dallas during the state fair to see two more of her sons and an adopted daughter, all of whom live in Dallas, and return to Colorado next spring. All her sons are doing well, either for themselves or holding responsible positions with large concerns. She never fails to have the Record follow her, changing address with every move. She says to get the Record beats a letter.

Born:—To Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Turk Wednesday, a son.

Mr. Soper, father of our own Allen Soper, the efficient superintendent of the cotton oil mill at this place, visited the latter last Friday.

Phonographs given away—just a small charge for the wrapping and handling at W. L. Doss.

We regret to learn that Mr. Ed Dupree has been confined to a sanitarium at Battle Creek, Michigan, for several weeks. He is convalescent we take it, as he writes for a copy of the Record to learn how the county election went.

A vast amount of ill health is due to impaired digestion. When the stomach fails to perform its functions properly the whole system becomes deranged. A few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets is all you need. They will strengthen your digestion, invigorate your liver, and regulate your bowels, entirely doing away with that miserable feeling due to faulty digestion. Try it. Many others have been permanently cured—why not you? For sale by All Dealers.

Van King left Tuesday for Coke county, where he goes to build a residence for Mr. Jamison.

Mrs. Chatfield and daughter Ruth of Dallas came in Wednesday for a month's visit with Mrs. M. K. Jackson.

The Baptist Aid met in regular session Thursday afternoon at the church. The ladies have lately papered one room at the parsonage and purchased some screens for the church, so the payment of bills was the most important business transacted.

FOR SALE—28 head of horses and 4 head of mules, one to five years old; part broke. See F. S. KEIPER, Colorado, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Leslie and the children leave this week for an extended visit to Kentucky.

Mrs. Dozier has been quite ill this week.

Misses Rowena Hester and Juanita Pond returned Friday from a pleasant visit to the home of Mrs. Pond near Cuthbert.

John Flock of Big Springs, spent Sunday in Colorado. There is always something doing in social circles when John comes to town.

The Colorado Mercantile Company caters to the best class of the trade by keeping always on hand the highest class of staple and fancy groceries.

Rev. W. E. Lyon and family spent a week down on the Wulfjen ranch camping out, swimming and fishing. They came home Wednesday having very much enjoyed the outing.

The Philathea class of the Baptist Sunday school held a business meeting Tuesday morning with Miss Ratliff to arrange for an entertainment which will be given at Mrs. Smoot's this (Friday) afternoon.

Chester Thomas has bought a motorcycle on which he will deliver the mail along his rural route.

Misses Margurite and Susie Cowan have returned home after a visit with relatives in Lubbock.

County Judge A. J. Coe and Commissioner U. D. Wulfjen attended the state convention of County Judges, which met at Abilene Wednesday.

J. J. McClure was called out to the W. H. Goodwin place Sunday night to embalm Mrs. M. F. Goodwin.

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J. L. Bowen, the J. Pierpont Morgan of Westbrook banking circles, was a business visitor to Colorado Monday.

The Record man was called up early Monday morning by a citizen of Buford and told of the magnificent rain that had fallen in that community the night before. It could not have fallen on better people anywhere, and we have no doubt that Brother Killian had something to do with it—though he is so modest he may deny all knowledge of and connection with it.

Mrs. S. H. Cromer is visiting at Westbrook this week, the guest of her father Mr. E. S. Hudson.

Mrs. Ray's Sunday school class of small girls went down on the river swimming Monday afternoon. After a pleasant picnic supper they made their way home in the twilight, tired and happy.



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A jolly fishing party composed of Misses Ratliff, Majors, Buchanan, Mrs. J. P. Majors and children, Mrs. Jim Smith and children, Edgar Majors, Jim Coughran and Louis Major, left Tuesday afternoon for Champion where they spent two days very pleasantly fishing and picnicking.

Master Stansil Whipkey, who went to Cisco last week to consult Dr. Britton as to a very bad eye, returned somewhat improved, but he is still confined to a dark room.

Mrs. M. Carter and children left Wednesday morning for the Ware ranch where they will spend a week rustivating.

Monday afternoon Mr. G. D. Adams entertained the boys of his Sunday school class with a swimming party in the large concrete tank on his lawn. Of course they all enjoyed this but even more delightful was the ice cream and cake served after the swim by Misses Daisy Adams and Lois Whipkey.

"Pete" Avery is again the Jehu of the laundry wagon. The inside work did not take up half his energy, which must have an outlet in strenuous channels.

J. E. Pond was here from Colorado yesterday.—Abilene Reporter.

Messrs. Jas. D. Sherwin, J. E. Annis, and W. L. Doss have gone to Hamlin to attend a Log Rolling or woodchopping or some sort of conclave of the W. O. W. this week. We reserve comments on this bunch until a future date.

Dr. A. L. Fuller returned to his office this week and is at home to all patients. His family accompanied him and will occupy the residence formerly occupied by Mrs. A. A. Bailey in East Colorado. The Record welcomes this estimable family to Colorado and trusts their stay amongst us may prove pleasant and profitable.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vaughan and little daughter Marie left Thursday for a visit with relatives in Leander and Georgetown.

The price of the Ladies' Home Journal will remain a dollar and a half.—MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY, Agent.

Mrs. S. N. Sherwin is visiting her son Douglas Sherwin in El Paso; also has visited Cloudercroft, N. M. where she found Mrs. C. M. Adams and her two daughters, also Miss Shropshire. We learn that Miss Eleanor Coleman with a former classmate from Georgia and Miss Elsie Hooper are about to visit Cloudercroft, where they will also be with Mrs. Adams.

The job of moving the residence of Mrs. Homah from its former location on the hill to the lot next that of Dr. Willis Smith on Walnut street, is about completed and the house looks as if it grew just where it now sets. 'Twas a good job.

Mrs. Geers is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sandusky.

The ladies and girls have a new bath house at the playgrounds and are now waiting for the river to clear to enjoy its pleasures and teach the new comers to swim.

Beldon Ellis and wife of Sweetwater are visiting relatives.

Q. D. Hall and Jas. Shepperd returned this week from a trip along the Denver road, attending several reunions and big-to-dos with their merry-go-round. They report excellent crops, plenty of rain and a splendid business at every town they visited.

Mrs. B. F. Dulaney was on the sick list last week but is now much improved.

A note this week from Rev. S. A. Ribble, who has been attending the Brownwood normal, instructs us to send his next Record to Buford, as he returns home this week. He reports a fine vacation amid the scenes of his early childhood and magnificent crops in that county.

Every little bit added to the little we already have, gives us a little more. And so with the rain. The food shower of Sunday evening, not to mention the several little showers since that time, say nothing of the still better one we are going to get today (Thursday)—all these blessings put in one bundle and added to what we already have, improves the crop prospect of Mitchell county very materially. From the present prospects we are going to have a fairly good crop after all.

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