

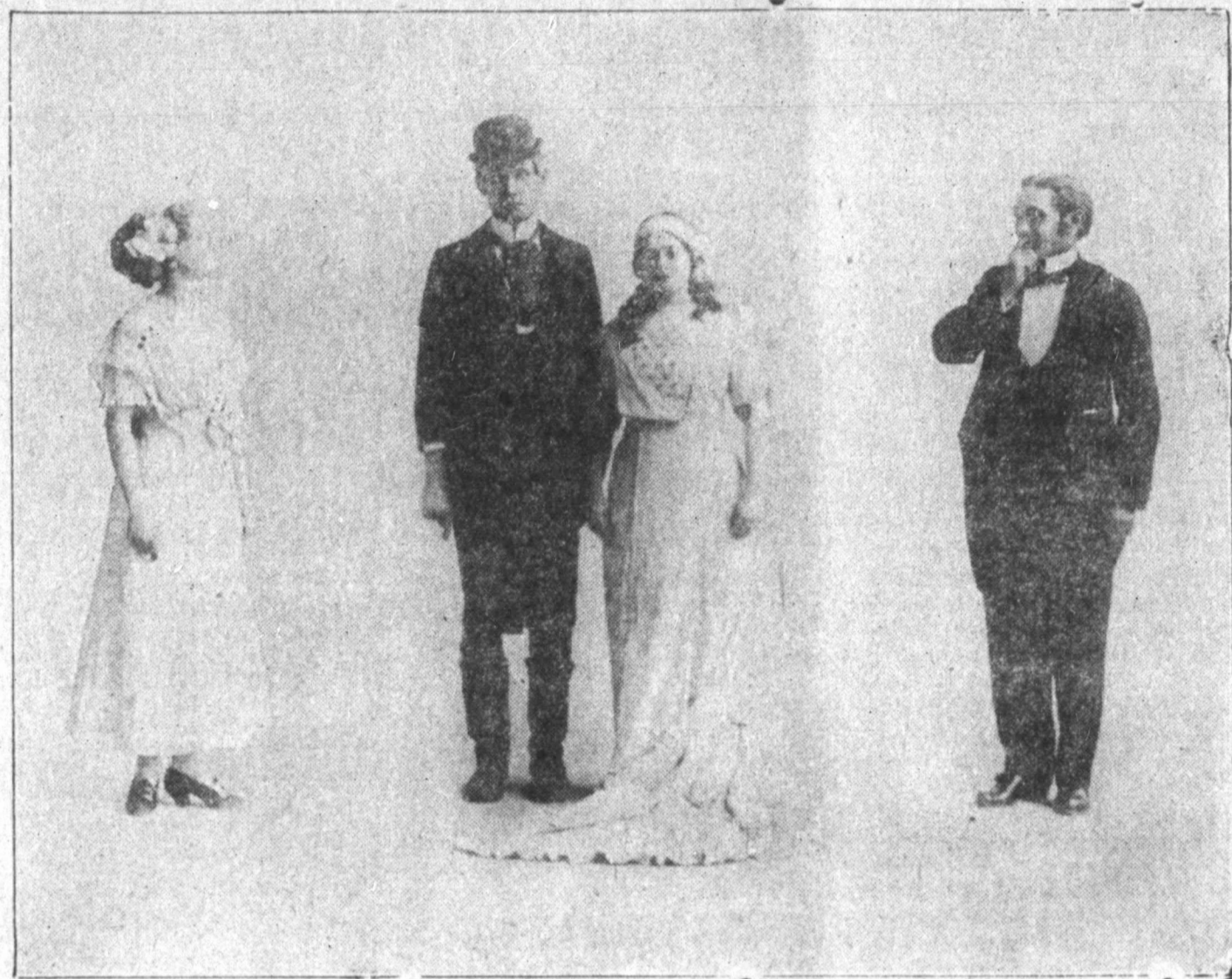
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highway robbery. Any man with an atom of sense, must realize that the present price of meat is wholly and unreasonably out of proportion to wages and profits. While the tariff protects every kind of manufactured article against foreign competition, it's the consumer at home who pays the duty to the home manufacturer, instead of the foreign consumer. Yet no protection is ever thrown around the wages of the working man. Instead a horde of immigrants have been admitted every year to compete with the American laborer, who will work for and subsist on what no self-respecting American would accept. It's the home consumer, in every instance, who pays the iniquitous tariff.

THE LAST OF THE WAR LORDS.

The Kaiser Wilhelm is reported to have said, "I am training my son to fill the duties of my position, but I well know that he will be the last of the German emperors. Every student of current events must see the drift toward republican forms of government. I am satisfied that in another generation not a monarchy will remain." Few are in as favorable a position to judge of the significance of current events, few realize so clearly the great and growing difficulties which beset royalty, and few would have had the courage to give public expression to fears, no matter how well-founded, that bode such disaster to their own posterity. The Kaiser Wilhelm is truly a great man.

The original design of the creator was that the earth should have a republican form of government. The statement is, "Let us make man in our image (similarly endowed with reason, memory, will, judgment, justice, benevolence and love) after our likeness (ruler of the earth as God is ruler of the universe) and let them (all of them together) have dominion (not over each other but over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle and over all the earth (all earthly affairs))." (Genesis 1:26.) In the course of time the result would have been a republican form of government, much as we see it now developing throughout the earth.

When Israel of old chafed under the Lord's arrangement for their well-being, they came to Samuel, their God-appointed judge and prophet, and said, "Now make us a king to judge us like all the nations." Samuel took the matter to the Lord for advice and the reply came, "Hearken unto their voice; how be it yet prayest solemnly unto them, and show them the manner of the king that shall reign over them." Then follows a list of the oppressions that might be expected if the theocracy (really a republic) should be replaced by a kingdom. All of the oppressions came true and have been visited by monarchs upon their subjects from that day to the present. (1 Samuel 8:1-22.)

While it may be questioned whether a republic is the best form of government for fallen, sinful men, yet there can be no doubt but that when "the first dominion" shall be restored to Messiah, "The tower of the flock" (Micah 4:8), it will be for the very purpose of restoring the dominion of earth to mankind as a whole, for whom it was originally intended.

THE WANDERING JEW.

The electric light and power plants of Plainview and Lubbock have been purchased by a company which proposes to furnish all the neighboring smaller towns, communities and individuals with electric power with which to pump water for irrigation, light, heat or power for any kind of machinery. It requires but little stretch of the imagination to see in the near future, wires strung all over this country and power, light and heat furnished from a central station to every farmhouse, barn, pump, or other machinery, where needed. Such community of interests is the only thing that ever will bring West Texas to that development it deserves. One or two men cannot overcome even the physical obstacles. But combinations of capital can subdue these difficulties and make conditions so favorable to the small farmer that he can make a good living for his family and return a profit to the capitalist.

One of the last official acts of the late President Madero, of Mexico, was to have copies made of all the records relating to the Alamo mission and transmitted to Governor Colquitt. Owing to the troubles which immediately followed, the package containing these documents was delayed and only reached Austin this week. The package had been broken open in transit, but it is believed all the documents reached Gov. Colquitt safely. Translations are now being made. It is believed the package contains a copy of the report made by General Santa Anna of the battle of the Alamo. This will prove a valuable acquisition to the historical archives of the state.

Typewriter supplies at Record office.

LORAINE NEWS ITEMS.

Prof. Farrer's pupils gave another interesting program on Friday afternoon.

Fannie Neely and Miss Nellie Norman and Marie Coffee tied in the reading contest, and Morgan Copeland won out in the declamatory contest against Cecil Lawrence and Reynold Martin.

Special music was rendered by Messrs. Bennett, White, Smith. The visitors were Messrs. W. F. Altman, H. Toler, W. H. Henthorn, Coffee, Neely, Mesdames R. C. Pratt, T. J. Martin, W. H. Neely. All speak very highly of the school work and are pleased that Prof. Farrer is working up such an interest with his pupils.

Mrs. Will Anderson and Mrs. Echols, of Hermleigh, were shopping here this week.

Dr. Germany, of Roscoe, was here Saturday.

Mr. Cook, of Sweetwater, was the guest of Messrs. Jirten and Joe Bennett this week.

Mrs. Jim Bird, of Kent, is the guest of Mrs. A. S. Dees and family.

Judge Coe was busy here Saturday.

Mr. Silas Black received the sad intelligence of the death of his son, who was killed by lightning at Terrell last week.

Miss Annie Gregg came in from Abilene and spent Sunday with her parents.

Miss Vera Thomas was in from Buford and spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. Claude Muns was home from Stan on this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas were the guests of Mr. Wiley Thompson and wife down in the Silver community Sunday.

Miss Harkins, of Roscoe, was the guest of the Misses Smith, Saturday.

Miss Oma Gregg was in from Mesquite Saturday.

The W. M. S. will entertain the visitors and delegates of the conference at the opera house Saturday, from 4 to 6 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited. The following program will be rendered:

Music..... By Orchestra
Solo..... Lucille Henthorn
Talk..... Rev. Smith
Reading..... Dorothy Rives
Duet..... Mrs. Rives and Toler
Reading..... Mrs. Miles
Duet..... Norma Smith, Lettie Miller
Solo..... Rhney Altman
Reading..... Lettie Miller
Solo..... Mrs. King
Solo..... Wanda Altman
Reading..... Miss Hooks
Song..... Francis King
Music..... By Orchestra
Music..... By Girls

Rev. Green closed his meeting at the Baptist church on Sunday night, several being added to the church, and a good interest revived in the church.

BUFORD BREEZES.

Why did I not write last week? Well, no use to make excuses now.

Mr. W. G. Oneal and a number of the neighbors have been in the southeastern part of the county for wood several times lately.

Messrs. J. B. Cranfill and E. M. Dabney visited the school Thursday afternoon and made appreciative talks to the larger pupils.

Our singing last meeting was attended by a number of visitors, whose names we did not get, but among them were Elder R. B. Hester, the Primitive Baptist minister at Zion's Rest and Grandma Lagow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bodine and family attended the burial of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bodine at Seven Wells last Sunday.

The neighbors came together last week and prepared the farm land for Mrs. Mac Prentiss.

The Sacred Harp singing will be at Zion's Rest next Sunday. Don't forget to attend this meeting.

Mr. E. M. Dabney visited S. A. Ribble and family Sunday night.

PENCIL PUSHER.

WESTBROOK WRINKLES.

Mr. Shep Costin, whose illness of pneumonia was mentioned last week died and was buried yesterday.

Mr. Rountree, whose leg we reported as having been broken, is progressing nicely and will soon be about again.

Westbrook enjoyed two good Sunday school services yesterday, if the wind did blow.

The Westbrook Hotel force took dinner with Mrs. Selvidge today.

Mrs. Johnson and children are visiting here.

Mrs. Wheeler and children, who have been visiting in Palo Pinto county, returned today, to their home near Cuthbert.

Good bye; may The Record ever prosper and be a force for good and the upbuilding of Mitchell county.

March 24.—Mr. Buram and family from the Thompson ranch, were in Westbrook Wednesday.

Perhaps it may surprise many to learn that the Westbrook Hotel force is going to leave; but so it is. As for myself, I shall go with great reluctance. I have grown to love the people of this community and wish them to know that I appreciate the help and encouragement their association has been to me in a spiritual way. I leave them with a heart overflowing with love, unctured with sorrow. May the Lord's richest blessings rest ever upon you. We shall go to Cisco.

Well Wisher has arranged for another and younger man to take up the correspondence from this place to The Record, and he has promised to begin next week.

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SPADE SPECIALS.

March 24.—The boys and girls had quite a time hunting eggs Saturday afternoon, over at Mr. R. A. Hood's. After the egg hunt, the young folks enjoyed an old time candy breaking.

Mrs. Price and children, of Colorado, spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's brother, Mr. R. H. Crump, who will leave this week for Arizona.

Mr. L. L. Welch and family, who moved to New Mexico a few months ago, are now on their way back. He has decided that New Mexico does not come up with old Mitchell.

Mr. A. M. Northcutt, who has been in Dallas for the last two months, having his eyes treated, came back last Tuesday. His son-in-law, Mr. Pool, came with him and stayed a few days with the family.

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Our new Spring showing of samples are ready for your inspection. We can make you a suit to please your individual tastes for less than you can buy ready made. We guarantee the fit, the quality and the service. Prices range from

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Our Stock of Gents' Furnishings is now complete, embracing every article for correct wear for any occasion.

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If you were told by a friend that WILL WRIGHT could sell you the BEST clothes to be bought in town for less money—that they fit, that they wear well and were stylish—you would want to see them,

This is exactly what we want you to do—see them, try them and make your comparison with others you have worn.

You yourself are the best judge of what you want—we are only here to help you make a selection and to give you WHAT you want when you want it. It will pay you to come see the samples I carry.

THE SEASON'S COLORS ARE BLUE, MIXTURES, TANS AND GRAYS, at \$15.00 to \$30.00

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PHONE 349

WILL WRIGHT, The TAILOR.

LOCAL NOTES

Mr. H. W. Simmons, of Celina, Col. is visiting the family of Rev. R. W. Thomas, to whom he is brother-in-law.

"Subscribe for your home paper first. Then take the El Paso Herald. The southwest's greatest newspaper."

R. H. Crump and family left yesterday for Benson, Arizona, where they will reside until the health of Mr. Crump is much improved. He has disposed of none of his holdings in Mitchell county, as he knows a good thing when he has one. He owns 2,000 acres of fine agricultural land as "a crow ever flew over" nearly half of which will be under cultivation this year. The Record hopes his health will soon be fully restored, so that he can return to Mitchell county. He is too good a citizen to lose.

For Rent—Nice residence, close in, good underground cistern, good neighborhood, reasonable figures. See or address J. C. PRUDE. 3-28-14-c

City Marshal Morgan Stell continues on the lift with the aggravation of rheumatism.

Fresh vegetables always on hand at McMurry's.

Attorney Royall G. Smith made a business trip to Abilene Wednesday.

Big shipment of Red Triumph Seed Irish Potatoes at Hall's.

Bruce Phenix who has been out in Arizona the past several months, has returned home. He is much pleased with conditions in the new state.

Send The Curtains To Us This Spring

and avoid the work and bother of doing them at home, besides securing better results.

Your curtains are washed here very carefully, are starched just enough so they hang and drape right, and we dry them perfectly square, with the points properly shaped and the corners even.

Our charge is small—you will find the service prompt.

Colorado Steam Laundry
Phone 298

Mr. Ed See and wife were visitors with friends this week. Mr. See was formerly in business here.

Beal Bros. wants your trade; give them a trial. Phone 35.

Mrs. J. W. Nunn received a phone message from Post City that there was now a Sam Wilkes, Jr. He arrived this week.

Go to Hall for seed potatoes, both sweet and Irish.

Ask to see the stationery embosser at Majors.

Hereafter, there will be less excuse and occasion for the man of the house to tell his wife that he "Just must go down town after supper for a piece of tobacco or a cigar." Practically every business place will close after the 31st of this month at six o'clock, except on Saturdays. This is a considerable move, as it gives all employers and employees an opportunity to do many things at their homes they otherwise could never do after seven o'clock. The clerks will give better service for the extra hour of recreation and rest.

Queen of the Pantry Flour at McMurry's.

The Record regrets to learn that John Cooper is very low. Several members of the family who live elsewhere have been notified of his fast weakening condition.

Use the La France Flour—the very best made—Get it from Hall.

The infant child of City Marshal Stell has been very sick this week, but is reported better at this time.

McMurry wants your produce—pays top prices.

Mrs. H. C. Doss and children returned from El Paso Wednesday morning where they had been called by the illness of Mrs. Doss' mother.

Call at Majors' and see their line of Fans.

Miss Wright, of Mansfield, is visiting Miss Juanita Shropshire.

Just received a fine lot of genuine Pumpkin Yam seed Sweet Potatoes at Hall's.

The children of Mrs. Grantland are on the sick list this week.

Eupion oil is the best; Hall keeps it best.

Miss Caperton, of Dunn, is the guest of Miss Loula Merrill this week.

Best flour on the market—Queen of the Pantry at McMurry's.

Mrs. I. A. Williams, of Big Springs, is visiting relatives here this week. She was called by the condition of her brother, John Cooper.

The only Christianity worthy of the name is that kind which shows itself in service to others.

First Christian church, C. P. Craig, pastor. Bible school 9:45 a. m. Preaching service and communion 11 a. m. Subject, "Pure and Undeified Religion;" 7:45 p. m., subject, "True Conversion."

McMurry pays highest prices for country produce.

Fans and Fan Chains at Majors'.

H. C. Hines is another Mitchell county contestant for agricultural prizes. He will contest in the two acres of maize or kafir class. There may be several others of whom we have not heard. We would be glad to have the names of all contestants from this county. We want to know who's who and why.

Mrs. Ingram is among those sick this week.

Phone McMurry for fresh vegetables.

Dudley and John Arnett came in Sunday morning from El Paso. They report a fine convention and a multiplicity of functions to attend.

The Daughters of the King held their weekly prayer meeting Thursday with Mrs. McGill, with Mrs. Merritt as leader. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Wulfjen, with Mrs. Hall as leader.

Am now located in the Crockett building on Walnut street. Come in and see the pretty new spring goods. R. T. MANUEL, The Tailor.

The Baptist church was beautifully decorated Sunday with palms, ferns and cut flowers, fragrant roses, carnations and lilies. The Lord's supper was celebrated.

Phone 35 for meats.

The Christian church had some special Easter music Sunday and Bro. Craig preached a pretty sermon, in keeping with the day. At the Sunday school hour little Miss Mary Lee Crowder gave a pretty greeting, and Misses Mary Broadus and Marcella Price each gave pretty readings upon the Resurrection.

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The Episcopal church had beautiful Easter music, appropriate decorations and an Easter sermon. The children had a service in the afternoon.

The greatest sermons are not expressed in words, but in our lives.

Some men think they can serve the devil all their lives and then dodge him at the last hour and pass into the "golden gate" while Saint Peter is not looking.

Seed potatoes at Hall's.

Standard Club.
The Standard Club was entertained Friday by Mrs. Coleman. Roll call was responded to by the names of French Sculptors. The Shakespeare lesson was led by Mrs. Riordan, the lesson on How to Look at Pictures, by Mrs. Smoot. A pleasant social hour was spent, appetizing refreshments being served.

G. F. C. Club.
Mrs. Edgar Majors beautifully entertained the 42 club last week. Her score cards were pretty hand painted Easter rabbits. Her guests were Mrs. Arbutnot, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Sam Majors and Mrs. T. J. Ratliff. As refreshments she served a regular feast of good things, including soup, hot rolls, peas in patty cakes and coffee. The meeting this week is with Miss Lillie Allen.

500 Club.
Miss Martha Earnest entertained the Tuesday 500 Club this week. There were four tables of players, her guests being Mrs. Looney, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Hennessy, Miss Shropshire and her guest, Miss Wright, of Mansfield. The prize, a cut glass nappy, was won by Miss Allen.

The hostess served a salad course, followed by marshmallow pudding and cake. Miss Looney is hostess next week.

Missionary Tea.

The Young People and Juveniles of the Methodist church gave an Easter tea Tuesday at the home of Miss Winnie Vaughan, from five to eight o'clock. The house was most artistically decorated in rabbits and Easter lilies. All around the walls and dining room were rows of big white rabbits, while on the tables, piano and about the pots of flowers were hand painted rabbits in all kinds of colors. Tall vases of lilies and fragrant bowls of violets decorated the dining table. A program of music, songs and readings was given. A salad course with cake and coffee was served. Each division of the missionary society cleared three dollars, besides having a lovely social afternoon. The two vice-presidents of these departments worked hard and were delighted to be able to thus give pleasure of the young people.

Summer Protracted Meeting.
Evangelist C. H. Kennedy will begin a series of meetings for the Church of Christ at Colorado, on Saturday night, before the fourth Sunday in June next. The co-operation and attendance of the public is cordially invited.

Baptist Church Services.
There will be the regular services at the Baptist church on next Sunday, Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Strangers and visitors cordially invited to worship with us.

Stallion for Sale.
Will sell for \$200, and until sold will stand at my place, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Colorado, at \$7.50 fee. O. O. SHURTLEFF, 4-4pd

Prayer Service.
Wednesday and Thursday the Christian ladies held special prayer and praise service in the afternoon at their church. Mrs. Harness was leader the first afternoon, the program being upon Livingstone. Mrs. Craig conducted the lesson the second afternoon, the subject being Benevolent Work. Both services were much enjoyed, being well attended and full of good things. The Christian Aid meets this week with Mrs. Crowder. The work will be in connection with the operetta which will be given next Thursday night.

Bishop Temple Coming.
The Rt. Rev. E. A. Temple, D. D., will make an official visit for confirmation at All Saints' church, Tuesday, March 30. He will preach at the 11 and 8 o'clock services. All who have heard the bishop of North Texas, will be glad to hear and meet him again. All are cordially invited.

Hall handles the best seed potatoes, both kinds.

MONEY! MONEY!
TO LOAN—On improved farms and ranches. Vendor's lien notes taken up and extended. W. D. BEALL, JR., 4-18-c Sweetwater, Texas.

Birthday Party.
Thursday was Bob Ingram's fifth birthday, and in the afternoon he entertained a big crowd of his little boy and girl friends with a lovely party. As the guests came in, the pretty gifts they had brought were opened and admired. Then all were sent in the back yard to hunt Easter eggs. When they came in these were divided that nobody might feel slighted. Games were played, Mrs. Lasky, Mrs. Preston Scott and Mrs. Merritt assisting Mrs. Ingram in caring for the youngsters. Finally, the dining room doors were opened and the pretty birthday table shown, in the center was the cake with five candles wreathed in apple blossoms. At either end were tall crystal candle sticks, while on either side tiny candlesticks of crystal held burning candles. As it was also J. W. Shepperd's birthday, he helped the young host to blow out the candles. A course of punch and cake was served and pretty Easter chickens were given as favors. Everybody had a splendid time and was sure it was a good party.

For Alderman.
We are authorized to announce the name of A. L. Scott as a candidate for alderman of the city of Colorado, to fill one of the vacancies occurring April 1st, subject to the action of the qualified voters of the city of Colorado.

For City Secretary.
We are authorized to announce the name of E. Keathley as a candidate for the office of City Secretary of the City of Colorado, Texas, subject to the action of the qualified voters of the City of Colorado, Texas.

For City Secretary.
We are authorized to announce the name of W. S. STONEHAM as a candidate for the office of City Secretary of the City of Colorado, Texas, subject to the action of the qualified voters of the city of Colorado, Texas.

For City Secretary.
We are authorized to announce the name of L. A. Costin as a candidate for the office of City Secretary of the City of Colorado, Texas, subject to the action of the qualified voters of the city of Colorado, Texas. Highest prices for chickens and eggs paid by McMurry.