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PLENTY OF HOT WATER

whenever you want it if you have us attach a gas heater to your water boiler. No need of a fire in the range to heat up the kitchen. Just turn on the gas, light up the heater and you'll have all the hot water you want in a few minutes. It is one of the best conveniences you can have. Won't cost much. Let us tell you the figures.

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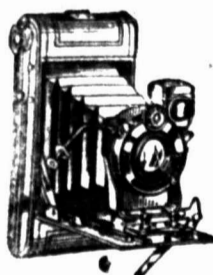
The concrete gin is overhauling its entire plant and enlarging its capacity. There will be installed ten 80-hp gas stands new presses and a 125-hp gasoline engine will furnish the motive power with a steam boiler for the press and other auxiliary work. The Watson gin has also been greatly improved with double suction, more gears and other conveniences for the heavy and expeditious output of the cotton crop. The Scott & Lambeth gin is nearing completion and is one of the most modern and fully equipped plants in West Texas. Nothing has been omitted from the equipment of this plant that human ingenuity and experience have demonstrated as necessary to the quickest, cheapest and cleanest method of transmitting the cotton from the stalk into the final marketable bale. Work has not yet begun on improving the gin of Cassell Brothers on the south side, but by the opening of the ginning season this gin will be in the midst of the business.

BUY YOUR TIRES NOW.

From Saturday, July 1st till and including Saturday July 8th, I will sell all tires except Ford sizes at 20 percent off list prices. You had better get your tires now if you expect to need any soon. I keep a full line of Ford parts and accessories. Can supply anything except the frame.

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PHONE 35

DEMONSTRATOR'S REPORT.

Colorado, Texas, June 1, 1916. From Commissioners' Court, Mitchell County.

I beg to make the following report for the month of June:

Consultations held	192
Telephone calls	108
Letters written	66
Bulletins distributed	131
Sick cattle treated	8
Hogs treated	8
Horses treated	63
Demonstrators visited	42
Club members visited	12
Other farmers visited	12
Meetings held	1
Farmers meetings attended	8
Cattle vaccinated	150
Orchards inspected	41
Beepens and pastures visited	39
Miles traveled by team and auto	650

There has been shipped from Mitchell County during the month of June three car loads of hogs, 16 car loads of kafir corn and milo maize, \$3,000 worth of poultry and eggs.

I find that where crops have been well cultivated and given the proper attention that they are holding up under the dry weather well, those not so treated well, especially feed, is suffering for rain. I find no contagious diseases among live stock.

Respectfully submitted,
W. A. DULIN, County Agent

George W. Riddle, of Dallas, has withdrawn from the senatorial race. He gives as the impelling reason for his withdrawal "Wherever I have gone by reason of the people being divided on the liquor question, there has been a sentiment to support the strongest man in order to get a pro candidate in the second primary."

In awarding prizes at a recent meeting of the Vickery Place Boosters' Club at Dallas, our former townsmen, J. J. McLure was awarded second prize for the best kept yard in the beautification contest. There were also many musical features on the program, but we didn't notice mention of friend McLure's name figuring among the prizes given for musical gifts or good looks.

A bunch of girls of the younger set have been having lots of fun and a general good time this week in a progressive house party. They are Misses Carrie Mae Cooksey, Hazel Costine, Jewel Mitchell, Jane Bounds, Daisy Adams, Jessie Coughran, Eva Bynum and Lois Whipkey.

DR. J. M. BRITTON.

of Cisco, Texas, will be at the Phenix Sanitarium, Sunday, July 9th. Anyone wishing to consult him on diseases of the eye, nose, ear and throat, should make engagements or call on him there.

NEW MEXICAN NOTE RELIEVES DANGER OF WAR

MEXICANS CONCILIATE AMERICA AND HOPE FOR A FRIENDLY ISSUE

DE FACTO GOVERNMENT PROMISES TO KEEP ORDER.

Washington, July 5.—The Mexican reply to the demands of the United States, conciliatory in its demands and expressing a desire to reach a friendly adjustment of the difficulties between the two countries, was delivered to the state department today.

Until President Wilson and Secretary of State Lansing confer on it, there will be no formal comment. Some state department officials did not attempt to conceal that they considered the note most satisfactory and likely to remove all war dangers.

The note recites the release of the American prisoners taken in the Carrizal fight as a proof of the sincerity of the Mexican government to reach pacific arrangements of the present difficulties and then makes a veiled suggestion that mediation or direct diplomatic negotiations between the two countries would quickly solve all problems.

The note asks for the withdrawal of the American troops from Mexico on

the belief that their presence there is conducive to border hostilities and conflicts as well as a "trespass on the sovereignty of Mexico."

The note says that Mexico will employ all efforts to protect the border and asks the United States to instruct its civil and military commanders to prevent acts which might cause new complications.

It was virtually certain that with the receipt of the note that the Mexican crisis had passed. With more than 10,000 regulars and guardsmen on the border the necessity of keeping Pershing at a greater distance beyond the border line is lessened, according to officials.

San Antonio, July 5.—Failure of the war department to notify General Frederick Funston of the division of his command is regarded by some military men today as a reflection that the administration hopes an open break with Mexico will be averted.

The division recommendation was made when war seemed unavoidable.

LARGE CITIZENS TO VOTE "WET."

Austin, Texas, July 4.—The meeting held here of the Texas branch of the German American alliance, proved a most important one from a political point of view, over 100 members of this organization, leading citizens of Texas of German descent, participating.

Strong resolutions were adopted with a view of defeating state wide prohibition at the polls in the July primaries. This resolution urges on all citizens of Texas of German descent to go to the polls on July 22 and register their votes against state wide prohibition as they have always done heretofore. This resolution further says: "And we further urge them to vote for those who are aspirants for office who have in the past and now uphold this principle of democratic government for the position to which they aspire."

"The members of this organization also went on record as being opposed to being continually being referred to as 'hyphenated Americans' and a resolution denouncing such terms was adopted."

"We condemn in no uncertain terms," says the resolution, "those who for any reason use such objectionable terms as above quoted or dispute the loyalty of the American citizen of German descent; that while we sympathize with Germany in her struggle for national existence, we owe our first duty to this government and its institutions, and we say most emphatically that we have never been found wanting either in war or in peace to do our full duty as American citizens."

21,000,000 MEN AVAILABLE.

Washington, July 4.—There are 21,000,000 able-bodied men in the United States between the ages of 18 and 45 according to a special report to lay by the census bureau, as to the nation's resources in men and military fitness.

Remember Mrs. A. L. Whipkey is still agent for the Curtis Publishing Company. Phone 157.

TO EXCHANGE OR SELL—160 acres near Knowles, N. M., for Colorado property centrally located. Apply to Mrs. I. M. Westcott, Dunn, Texas. 7-21-pd

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4 varas, to a stone mound and stake for the Northeast corner hereof;

Thence South 77 degrees West, 356 varas to the place of beginning and containing sixty acres of land.

This tract of land is platted and laid out and is what is known as the "Town of New Iatan," and includes Blocks Nos. 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62 and 63 of said town according to the map thereof a copy of which appears of record in Book 26, on Pages 602-3, of the Deed Records of Mitchell County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Lasseter Bros., L. E. Lasseter, H. A. Lasseter and John E. Lasseter and that on the first Tuesday in August, 1915, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the courthouse door of Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Lasseter Bros., L. E. Lasseter, H. A. Lasseter and John E. Lasseter.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell County.

Witness my hand this 6th day of July, 1916.

A. W. COOKSEY,
Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.

WOMAN AND BABY KILLED IN COLLISION.

Snyder, July 4.—Mrs. W. C. Wells of Tahoka and baby were instantly killed and her husband was seriously injured when the automobile in which they were riding collided with a Santa Fe southbound passenger train at Post City this afternoon.

According to those who witnessed the accident, Wells was traveling at a fair rate of speed and apparently did not see the train until it was almost upon him.

It is considered marvelous that Wells was not killed as he became entangled in the wreckage of the car and was extricated with difficulty. He is expected to recover.

The bodies of Mrs. Wells and her baby will be forwarded to Tahoka for interment.

SHEPPARD READY TO GO TO FRONT.

Washington, July 4.—A renewal of the offer of Senator Morris Sheppard to serve in the event of a call for volunteers was made today to President Wilson. Sheppard declared that he is ready to offer his services to his country although such a move would cause him to lose his seat in the senate whenever the president calls for volunteers.

BLUE LODGE MEETING.

Regular communication of Mitchell Lodge No. 563 A. F. & A. M. Saturday night at 8:30. A full attendance is requested.

J. R. SHEPPARD, W. M.
W. S. STONEHAM, Sec.

MRS. HETTY GREEN IS BURIED FUNERAL SIMPLE.

Bellevue Falls, Vt., July 5.—After a simple funeral service, the body of Mrs. Hetty Green was buried here today in the family plot in a grave beside that of her husband, Edward H. Green. A plain granite shaft, inscribed only with the family name, marks the spot.

The pallbearers, all of whom were from the village, were old friends of Mrs. Green. It was understood that Mrs. Green's will would be offered for probate here probably tomorrow.

Buggies, buggies. You can buy one from us for cash or on easy terms, and the prices are right. Colorado Mercantile Co.

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BEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR YOUR OLD JUNK

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You may have tried the rest, NOW try the Best.

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Announcement of Change of Business in Paramount Garage

I HAVE acquired the interest of Mr. Carl Phenix in the Paramount Garage, and will hereafter conduct the business along the same generous and efficient lines as heretofore.

I will endeavor to give the most efficient and satisfactory service possible and invite the patronizing public to inspect my garage and the work being done.

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War



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Thousands of Teuton
Soldiers Fell in the
Terrific Week
of Assaults
on Novo
Georgeievsk!
See the
Pictures!**

On the Firing Line With the Germans

See actually more of the German battle lines than many German soldiers witness. See with the eye of a motion picture camera that traveled by auto with the vanguard of Von Hindenburg's army; that peered over first line trenches of the enemy; that dashed through shot and shell over the battlefield in a war aeroplane.

See these thrilling, vivid, terrific spectacles. See seven consecutive months of the war. Hospitals, Camps, Armies, Prisoners, Great Supply Trains as well as battles. Don't miss this brilliant photoplay of events you read about just a short time ago---brought direct from the field.

Shadowland Theatre

One Day Only, Monday July 31st

Continuous Show from 10 a. m to 11 p. m.

Children 10c

Adults 20c

Cotton School.

The Cotton Institute to be held in Ballinger this summer, beginning July 24th, will cover the whole field and will not leave you in doubt on any point connected with the handling of cotton. Nothing is more needed by the people of this section than to know cotton thoroughly. Many who have a partial knowledge would like to be more familiar with all phases of cotton producing and marketing. Many thousands of dollars are lost every year by producers and dealers because they lack an exact knowledge along this line. To meet this condition this Cotton Institute will be held.

Also there are many who would like to become expert cotton classifiers because of the high salaries paid these men. If you would learn cotton classifying marketing, etc., thoroughly, you would be able to either connect with large firms at a good salary or handle cotton for yourself. Many a cotton grower does not know the difference between a good middling bale of cotton and a strict middling bale has to take another's word for it and possibly dispose of the cotton at a price below the market value.

Again, if offered a basis for, let us say, twenty bales (his entire crop), after the cotton has been classed he could not determine positively, without a training such as we give, whether he received above the basis price or whether he was cheated if told that his cotton fell below middling of the basis price. We guarantee that our students can handle the most complicated lists of cotton known to the cotton world.

If you and a number of your friends wish to throw in your cotton crop together and ship to a cotton broker at some port, you could do this without embarrassment and would not need to secure someone with a better understanding of the proper handling of cotton to assist you who would in all probability, charge you a per cent. Again, if you desire to consign your cotton with some cotton firm and draw upon it for within a small margin of the actual value of that particular grade and character of cotton on the day of consignment if you had taken our training, you could do this to your entire satisfaction.

In addition to the above, you could properly fill out a cotton bill of lading, invoice, draft, shipping order, and many other items connected with the cotton trade. You will learn here at first hand all the details about properly handling cotton.

Now just a word about the opportunity for those who learn the cotton business. In the South there are raised every year from 12,000,000 to 14,000,000 bales of cotton. There is hardly a county that does not raise some cotton. Every bale has to be classed from one to four times and seldom by the same person twice. Until recently there has been no training school along this line consequently the supply of men for this work is necessarily limited. The fact is that we lose thousands of dollars each year for lack of trained men.

Again, there are being created in this country thousands of warehouses under the Permanent Warehouse Law and every warehouse requires from two to three men to grade cotton, and every warehouse requires from two to three men as caretakers in the manner prescribed by this law. The young man trained scientifically is certainly more desirable than the one who has learned by guess. You can easily see that there is a demand, and one that it will take years to fill.

Every one of the South should know something about cotton—its cultivation, preservation and classification. It is our leading product and is here to stay. The world's production is about 16,900,000 bales annually; Texas and five other southern states supply 85 per cent of this total. The man raising it knows very little about it and is, therefore, wholly at the mercy of the man doing the buying. Some buyers will grade your cotton strict low middling and pay you accordingly, when in reality the cotton offered for sale is middling and you are entitled to the difference in price, which is no small amount. You can see the necessity of knowing how to grade your own cotton. In two weeks' time, we could prepare you to save in one season several times the cost of the course.

A question which you will naturally ask at this point is this: "Can you teach cotton classing successfully?" Our answer is this: The man in charge of the teaching is one of the leading cotton men of the South—a man of exact knowledge. There will be no question about his ability and your ability after you have taken the course, and the best way in which we can assure you beforehand of our confidence in our training is to state that we will refund your money, without any discussion or quibbling, if upon taking the course you find that there is any misrepresentation or that the instructor is in any way incompetent. Re-

member, there will be no questions asked. All you will need to do is to file your statement and get your money. That is the only way I know to handle the situation in a convincing manner. We also guarantee to teach the subject in from ten days to two weeks. For information write, J. L. FARNSWORTH, Ballinger, Texas.

MAXWELL'S FARTHEST SOUTH IN MEXICO

Automobiles Lead the Way in Carrying Troops on Punitive Expedition.

Soldiers find cars stand test in traveling rough mountain and desert trails.

Maxwell motor cars have achieved the signal distinction of attaining the most southerly point in Mexico of any automobile engaged in the punitive expedition in that country. Letters from the United States army officers have been received by the Buquor motor Company, Maxwell distributors in El Paso, Texas, testifying to the fact that the sturdy Maxwells have pushed farther south over the tortuous Mexican trails than any other make of car. These letters contain words of praise for the splendid service given by the Maxwells under most discouraging conditions.

One of the American officers, who drove a Maxwell car in the army's movement to the south, writes as follows from San Antonio, Chihuahua: "The car is standing up well. It has been given tests to which no other car with the expedition has been subjected. We have used the car on patrol duty and the roads—save the word—are unworthy of the name. Every member of the staff who has used this car is a Maxwell booster, for the car has done everything we have called for."

Non-Stop Hero on Job.
In addition to the service performed by cars actually in the fighting zone, the famous non-stop Maxwell, the car that ran 22,000 miles without a single stop of the motor, has proven an efficient auxiliary to Uncle Sam's fighting force. The car was used recently by United States officers at Douglas, Arizona, which is the western center of military activities along the international boundary. The efforts of the non-stop Maxwell have been supplemented by a fleet of Maxwells, none of which have seen less than 10,000 miles of Arizona stage service. When a new camp was established out of Douglas the Maxwell transported the soldiers over the rough roads, nine troopers to a car.

A Unit For Defense.
These military performances by Maxwell cars prove what an effective unit for defense can be afforded by the motor car facilities of the United States. They prove also the claims that have been made for Maxwell cars in the service of private owners. The Maxwell is an ideal car for service in Mexico because of its ability to ride the treacherous mountain trails and the long stretches of desert country.

TOLER & PETTY.

The city is constructing a cesspool underneath the concrete floor of its new fire station. After going down about forty feet, rock of a very resistant character was encountered which required dynamite to reduce it. The blast and detonation that followed shook the building from foundation to cornice and caused some of the occupants to imagine an earthquake had come to town.

Join Our Aluminum Club

With our Aluminum Club drawing to a close we find that there are only a few 7-Piece Sets of DIAMOND BRAND ALUMINUM left. This is because housewives have been quick to take advantage of the manufacturer's liberal offer permitting us to distribute a limited number of these 7-Piece Sets on the

Easy Club Terms

As stated in our former announcement, \$1.00 cash and 50 cts. a week for a 7-Piece Set of High Grade Aluminum will hold good until the few remaining sets have been taken, then our Club will be closed and you will certainly regret it if you pass up this offer.

This space is too small to picture the complete set, therefore it will pay you to call early and inspect the utensils that we are offering on our Diamond Brand Aluminum Club.

Guaranteed 20 years—See our big WINDOW DISPLAY.

J. RIORAN CO., Colorado

BOYS EVERY BOY AND GIRL NEED A COLLEGE TRAINING!

Should every person have a college training? If he can be successful without it, how much more successful he could be with it. Education does not consist so much in the actual facts learned in school as it does in the acquired application, the ability to concentrate, to systematize facts, to correlate them with other facts and to open to them a world of possibilities. It changes one's whole outlook upon life. He may not be any more financially successful, though it is true that he has an inner happiness that ignorance does not seem to possess.

Moreover, a college education is easily obtained today, by practically anyone who has enough sporting blood in him or her to borrow the money and pay it back if funds are not readily available.

Education produces a tolerance and respect for the other person's opinion, a willingness to go half way, a kindly intelligence in all things. It usually makes a man above small bickerings and vicious gossip. His view is larger, his range wider. Let me illustrate:

The next time you go to a farmer's institute meeting observe the manner of speaking of the college-bred person and the one who has not a college training. The one who is college-trained takes a definite subject, however small it may be. He introduced your mind to the subject, explains it, tells you clearly and definitely what there is to be told concerning it, and then takes his seat. The one who has not a college training arises to give you lavish compliments, tells the audience that they are the grandest people on earth, that he is a fine farmer, and can tell you all about any subject there is to be known on the earth, below or above it, that he is not a "book farmer," but a practical one though he is really the most impractical on earth, his farm doubtless having been left him by his wife's father and then proceeds to roam over the face of the earth, getting louder and more eloquent all the time, and finally sits down amid an applause of glory. It sounds very good and you clap him loudly, but when you get home you remember what the quiet, systematic man said about how to get rid of the worms on the cabbage. That fact will stick with you as long as you live, but somehow you do not seem to remember what the loud and eloquent man told you.

Now remember that there are exceptions to this, because there are exceptional people, but for you and for me and for your children and my children, who are of ordinary intellect, the college education is well worth while.—Progressive Farmer.

Phone 406 when in need of expert tailor service—pressing, cleaning, repairing and suits ordered. Tom Hughes is the man. At Thrasher's barber shop.

ALLIES' GREAT OFFENSIVE.

For some weeks reports have been current in England and France that the "big push" of the British was about to commence. It was stated that England had 2,000,000 men fully equipped and trained in preparation for the supreme effort to break the German lines. More than one million shells are declared to have been fired daily in the preliminary bombardment, which extended over a front ninety miles in length.

The menace of the British attack was fully appreciated in Germany, according to newspaper comments from Berlin and the utmost confidence was expressed in the ability of the Germans to meet and crush it.

The allies are now on the offensive in practically every field of war. The British assault comes on the heels of the great successes won by the Russians in Galicia and Bukowina which have resulted in completely driving the Austrians from Bukowina and are still continuing.

On the Italian front also the central powers have also met with severe reverses and for several days the Italians have been steadily driving the Austrians from the Trentino. The defense also of Verdun by the French appears to have stiffened and the balance of battle in that bitterly contested sector appears recently to have swung in favor of the defenders.

Newspaper correspondents at Saloniki have estimated that the allies have a total of 600,000 to 700,000 veteran soldiers concentrated on their lines in that district. The reorganized Serbian army, reported to be 815,000 strong, was recently transported to Saloniki from the island of Corfu, where they had been re-equipped.

The British are said to have brought 200,000 men from Egypt in addition to large numbers sufficient to Greece following the ill fated Dardanelles expedition.

The balance of the force is composed of French troops, the majority also veterans of the Dardanelles. The highest estimate placed on the Bulgarian forces which must oppose this great army has been between 300,000 and 400,000 men. A dispatch from the Bulgarian front stated recently that the German troops who had been operating in the Balkans had been withdrawn to other fronts and that the brunt of any attack must be borne by the Bulgarians.

BENEFITTED BY CHAMBERLAIN'S LINIMENT.

"Last winter I used Chamberlain's Liniment for rheumatic pains, stiffness and soreness of the knees, and can conscientiously say that I never used anything that did me so much good."
—Edward Craft, Elba, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

If contemplating painting your home see W. L. Doss before buying the paint.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

With this issue of the Record we announce the new price on Maxwell cars. The new models are the same as the 1916 model with the exceptions of a few refinements. The Maxwell car was standardized January 1st and there will be no changes.

The new price of \$650.00 delivered with our usual liberal guarantee we believe is an exceptional value. The price of \$695.00 for the 1916 model was likewise an exceptional value and an evidence of this we sold and delivered in the past seven months 292 Maxwell cars.

This further reduction in price coming at a time when most all other cars are advancing proves beyond any doubt the Maxwell policy of giving the most for the money. The Maxwell Company have never cried WAR prices and SHORTAGE of material to try to boost sales, but instead have kept busily engaged to supply the demand and increase their facilities to enable them to double their output and give better value than ever before.

Now to those who have bought cars from us, we are exceedingly grateful, your recommendations and words of approval is our greatest aid and you have enabled us to sell more cars and to give better service than we could have done without your help.

To those who are going to buy cars this coming season, we respectfully ask a chance to show and demonstrate our care of you. We want you to call for any kind of a demonstration you want, thoroughly try out our car, then try others, select your choice, we will be satisfied with the decisions. We are going to sell on the merits of our car, not on the demerits of the other fellow's car.

If you desire terms, we can offer as liberal as you can ask within the bounds of good business. See us before you buy. TOLER & PETTY.

FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH.

"It may be so; we do not know—But it sounds to us like a yarn."
Mr. John H. Gage is a truthful man by every accepted rule and standard of veracity. Amid the general complaints about the lack of rain and stock water last week, he was a veritable Job's comforter to those who were out of stock water. He told Mr. Tom Smith that in the part of South Texas where he came from, in times of drouth, water for stock was gotten by whipping the frogs that cover that section. He said that numbers of Mexicans were hired to go out and whip the frogs with brush; the result being that the frogs would cry until they dissolved into tears.

Mr. Smith took the hint as a god-send and departed on his errand of mercy. Next morning he showed up with a vehement denial of Mr. Gage's plan for securing stock water. "Which side did you whip 'em on?" inquired Mr. Gage.

"Why, on the topside, of course," answered Mr. Smith.

"That's the wrong side," said Mr. Gage. "Hire some more Mexicans and try it again. It certainly works in South Texas."

DURBOROUGH BATTLE FILMS TO BE SHOWN

Invasion of Poland Depicted in "Movies" of Warfare on Eastern Front. Gaiety Even in Berlin.

Views of Kaiser and family included in 8,500 feet of remarkable photographs. Stirring episodes of the great German offensive against Russia; intimate views of Kaiser Wilhelm and the royal family and scenes depicting the economic and military life of Germany will be thrown on the moving picture screen under the auspices of The Colorado Record at the Shadowland Theater Monday, July 31st, commencing at 10 a. m. and will show continuously until 11 p. m. The films, which are declared to be the most remarkable photographs that have come out of Germany, were taken there under special arrangement with the German government by W. H. Durborough, press photographer, who traversed over 8,000 miles in securing them and passed time and again through fire-swept regions in an endeavor to get actual scenes from the front for his American audiences.

The Durborough pictures are said by experienced men who have seen them to show the German army in action as no series of pictures have done. Mr. Durborough traversed regions devastated in the terrible fighting between the Germans and Russians until they reached the very front of the battle line. Step by step the pictures take the audience from Rotterdam to Berlin unfolding the civil life of the German nation depicting personages like the Kaiser, the Kaiserine, the crown prince and crown princess and men of the German general staff, passing into the war country and showing the German army advancing against the Russians; accompanying General von Hindenburg's army into Warsaw and General von Beseler's army into the triumphant assault on the last Russian stronghold in Poland, Novo Georgievsk.

"By far the most telling of my pictures are those that show intimately the advance of the German army into Russia," said Mr. Durborough. "Here are the wrecked homes of the Masurian Lake country, the devastated fields, the refugees returning to them, the onslaught on Novo Georgievsk, perhaps the most terrible of that entire advance. The action of the great guns and their effect came strikingly before the lens of the camera."

"I took 14,000 feet and the German censorship cut out 5,500; the 8,500 feet I have brought back with me contain some of the most wonderful disclosures of the methods used by the German army that it has been the luck of any photographer to get."

The Durborough films will be shown at Shadowland from 10 a. m. to 11 p. m. Prices 10 and 20 cents.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

LIVING TO BE 100.

John D. Rockefeller hopes to live to be 100 years old. He will be 78 on July 8. That means 22 more years of life for him.

His physician, Dr. H. F. Biggar, Sr., tells how the oil king is living so that he may reach the century mark. The things that Mr. Rockefeller is doing (or not doing) so that he may live to be 100 will lengthen the lives of any one who does likewise be he laborer or millionaire.

As Dr. Biggar tells it, they are: Don't worry. Don't overeat. Don't acquire overweight. Drink two or three quarts of fresh, pure water every day.

Exercise every day so that every muscle can throw off its waste and keep in good running order. Go to bed early; that makes for an even-tempered mind. Get eight hours of sleep. Sleep and live as much as possible outdoors.

Control your temper. "If we," says Biggar, "continue to improve our habits of eating, take outdoor exercise and cease worrying, the span of life should be lengthened to 100 years or even more."

Three hundred years ago the span of life was less than 20 years; today it is over 40; in the last 40 years the average length of life of man has increased four years and women over five years.

Dr. Biggar's "do's and don'ts" will increase life and, what is equally as good, they will make life better and happier while we are living it.

Charlie Chaplin at Shadowland Friday.

HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without tiring me, and am doing all my work."

If you are all run down from womanly troubles, don't give up in despair. Try Cardui, the woman's tonic. It has helped more than a million women, in its 50 years of continuous success, and should surely help you, too. Your druggist has sold Cardui for years. He knows what it will do. Ask him. He will recommend it. Begin taking Cardui today.

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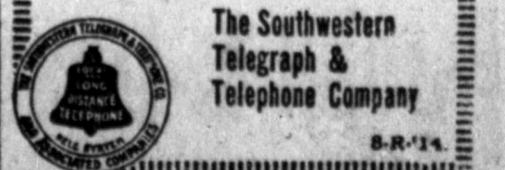
standing at his forge and anvil used to be a familiar sight in days gone by. While old-fashioned methods are not in vogue, even in horse-shoeing, in these days, still the work of the horse-shoer is the same as it always was; to do the best work possible. We do that kind of work—bring your horse to us.

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In case of sickness or accident, the doctor can be summoned by telephone in less time than it takes to harness a horse. If he is some distance away, he can give instructions over the telephone that may save a life. It is a time-saver when time is most valuable.



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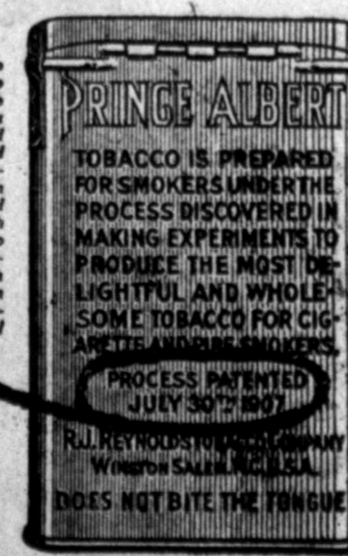
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A CAMPAIGN GLIMPSE.

Overpersuaded by Captain Jeffress, Preston Scott, Andrew Cooksey, et al. to accompany them to Westbrook last Friday night and carry along an emergency chest of "First Aid to the Scared," we went along, and returned before breakfast next morning.

The program was opened with a charming sextette entitled "I'm the Guy You Want for Assessor," rendered by those celebrated vocal artists, "Rusty Jeems" Smith, (basso profundo), Prof. J. Preston Scott (bass-a-tone), Bruzer C. Smith (1st tenor), V. C. McCollum, (2nd tenor), Chester Thomas (Counter) and E. J. Callaway (tribulation). The round of applause that shook the building when this feature was ended, came nigh to precipitating a panic. Several autos broke loose from their moorings and had to be run down and anchored to mesquite trees.

After quiet had been restored and the dust settled, a quartette composed of Thos. W. Fields, W. R. Morgan, D. S. Nettles and A. J. Culpepper, was roped and dragged to the branding iron. There was some little delay occasioned by the chairman of the meeting asking a committee to look up and display that well-known sign—"please do not shoot the performers; they are doing the best they can." One of the singers promised the people a bureau and a library; another tried to snare votes with ice cream cones; still another sang the siren tune of abounding efficiency, while the fourth simply hankered for a high stool at the pie counter.

The specialties between stunts were supplied by the supers who had no opponents. "My Johnnie Was a Shoemaker" as rendered by Fred Meyer, who imagines he wants to justify the peace of this precinct by canvassing in another, came perilously near creating a riot. Fred believes in the doctrine of quitting while the audience wants you. This audience evidently did want him and came mighty nighly getting him. He gave out to escape in the nick of time.

A. W. Cooksey, The Lone Publican, is a solist of moving ability. He has a vacuum cleaner ever made beat to a frazzle when it comes to clearing a hall. What an ideal janitor his voice would make! If confined behind steel bars, it could break jail overnight. His song was a pantomime of the "The Gunman's Get-There."

The two Dromios of "I'll Excuse" and "You'll Excuse" pulled off the loving brother scream with the usual delight and dust-raising applause. From their occasional reference to "pie," a man without a poll tax receipt would gather a hazy idea that they were looking for some kind of an office. (Take this tip—one of them won't get what he's hankering for.)

Thos. R. Smith, Guit sweet singer of Coke-on-Littleton pleaded for the epitaph of Three-Fingered Jack, whose tombstone assured the chance reader that he had "Done His Durndest."

The piece de resistance of the evening's entertainment, of course, was the two-round catch-as-catch-can bout between the present wearer of the "Boss Road Maker's" belt and a Can-He-Come-Back champion. They fit to an indeterminate issue, decision on which the committee of the whole will defer till Sunday morning, July 23rd.

This closed the repertoire of purely county attractions, and the curtain was rung down for a brief intermission to rest the eye and change the filium.

Owing to the absence of the bass singer, the judicial "Jew-et" was somewhat marred in its minor parts. Judge Beal unwilling to take advantage of his absent supporter, kindly obliged

us with a solo from the "Oratorio of Elijah" which was taken with tumultuous, vociferous and prolonged applause.

Congressman Smith's look-in was vicariously sandwiched just at this breath-taking interval by his son Myron in a few well chosen words, which he handed round among the audience with ease and modest dignity. Owing to the fact that Judge Smith's opponent had fulminated in the same hall just the night before, nothing of an explosive nature could with safety be exposed, the aura of his opponent's appeal for votes had not wholly dissipated.

After waking Captain Jeffress and divers other interested auditors, to some semblance of attention, the last feature of the night's revel was sprung. Hon. E. R. Spencer, who confesses modest ambition to break into the legislature with a jimmy, was called before the house and his batteries unmasked. His first broadside landed him within the safety zone by its back-lash and recoil, while he put the Rum Demon out of action with his bow chaser and landed upon the midriff of the "vested interests" with his faithful cutlas, at the same time throwing a life line to the "common people" who had been swept overboard by the luff of the boom.

Thus closed a strenuous night, of entertainment unconfined, and cinched our personal conviction that women's suffrage is the only hope of elevating and making safe, the ordinary brand of office hunting.

Hoosier kitchen cabinets, oil and gasoline stoves that we carry reduces labor for the housekeeper. We absolutely guarantee ours to be the best. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

1,000,000 TO WORK FOR SUBMISSION.

More than one million persons in 8,500 Sunday schools in Texas will wage a campaign for submission from now until July 22, according to M. H. Wolfe, president of the State Sunday School Association, and chairman of the State campaign committee for submission of a prohibition amendment.

Mr. Wolfe said practically all the Sunday school pupils will actively support the principle of prohibition and urge the voters of their schools and communities to vote for submission at the election July 22. The latest figures show that there are 8,500 schools in the Texas Sunday School Association with a membership of more than 1,000,000 persons. The association is composed of Sunday schools and is working for the submission cause, considered as a moral issue with them, is evidenced by many letters being received daily by Mr. Wolfe. He said practically all of them will make efforts to win the voter of their respective districts.

The Dallas County Sunday School Association went on record and pledged its support to submission yesterday evening in its annual session at the Oak Cliff Central Baptist Church, Oak Cliff. It adopted the following declaration:

"We rejoice in the progressive leadership of M. H. Wolfe, our State president, who is now leading the forces for 'submission.' We wish to pledge him and his committee our hearty co-operation, and urge a united effort to line up all the men in every Sunday school of Dallas county for 'submission' July 22."

See Tom Hughes in rear of Thrasher's barber shop, for pressing, cleaning, repairing, or a new suit. Work called for and delivered always on time. Phone 406.

PULLMAN AVERAGES

19 MILES TO GALLON.

The high cost of gasoline has no terrors for the man who owns a Pullman.

E. C. Manning, representative of the Pullman car, has just received an interesting account of the grueling test made by G. C. Eichelberger, of Pittsburg, Pa., and his associates, who drove nine Pullmans from York, Pa., to the Smoky City, a distance of 220 miles, averaging 19.02 miles per gallon of gasoline, a remarkable record for brand-new cars.

Here's Eichelberger's own story of how his Pullmans defied the Alleghenies and put to rout the gasoline bugaboo:

"Leaving the factory with nine cars at 4 p. m., we drove to Gettysburg, went over the battlefield, and then to Chambersburg. Stopping there overnight, we left Sunday morning, driving through to Pittsburg, covering approximately 170 miles without a particle of trouble to any car. In fact, a high priced car could not have given better service.

"We crossed six mountains on the trip and anyone who knows the road will tell you that the balance of it is hard on gasoline, but all our cars came through with good averages, the cloverleaf roadster making 19.02 miles per gallon and the touring cars from 17 to 18.

"There were two ladies in the party and when Pittsburg was reached they said that they felt no bad effects from the long trip. One of the ladies who has been used to riding in high priced cars said the Pullman rode as easily as any car she ever tried."

IT'S FOOLISH TO SUFFER.

When So Many Colorado People Are Pointing the Way Out.

You may be brave enough to stand backache or headache or dizziness. But, if, in addition urtination is disordered, look out! If you don't try to fix your sick kidneys, you may fall into the clutches of dangerous disease before you know it. But, if you live more carefully and help your kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills, you can stop the pains you have and avoid future danger as well. Don't experiment—use the remedy Colorado people are publicly endorsing. Read this case:

Mrs. H. L. Bostwick, Second street, Colorado, says: "Several years ago I had occasion to use a kidney medicine and I got Doan's Kidney Pills. They proved perfectly satisfactory in every way. I gladly advise anyone to get a box at Charters & Sadler's drug store if troubled by the kidneys or if annoyed by backache." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Bostwick had. Foster-Milburn Co. Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

TRAVELING MAN'S EXPERIENCE.

"In the summer of 1888 I had a very severe attack of cholera morbus. Two physicians worked over me from 4 a. m. to 6 p. m. without giving me any relief and then told me they did not expect me to live; that I had best telegraph for my family. Instead of doing so, I gave the hotel porter fifty cents and told him to buy me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and take no substitute. I took a double dose according to the directions and went to sleep after the second dose. At 5 o'clock the next morning I was called by my order and took a train for my next stopping point, a well man but feeling rather shaky from the severity of the attack," writes H. W. Ireland, Louisville, Ky. Obtainable everywhere.

BEAUTY MORE THAN SKIN DEEP

A beautiful woman always has good digestion. If your digestion is faulty, Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. Obtainable everywhere.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To those who may be interested, I wish to announce that I will again teach piano in Colorado, through next school term, beginning about September 1st, and will be at the same place I taught last year (the studio opposite the high school building). I will be away for several months, taking a summer course in music, but will return in ample time to open my class promptly.

I wish to most heartily thank my pupils, and their parents, of the past term for their liberal patronage and uniform kindness and courtesy to me. I wish to assure them that I shall be better prepared and my studio better equipped next season than ever before, and that I will appreciate the attendance of all my pupils of last season and respectfully solicit any others who desire to study the piano.

(MISS) LELA WHIPKEY.

Don't forget Mary Page—Monday.

Beginning Saturday

JULY 8th

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SPECIAL VALUES

IN

Printed Voile, Flaxon and Batiste--all this season's purchases, styles and colors.

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DRESS GOODS

All of our present stock of Colored Voiles, Batiste and Organdies, formerly 25c--to close out, for

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35c and 40c Lace Cloth Voile, Organdies and other printed sheer materials at--
SPECIAL

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One lot of 15c, 20c and 25c summer fabrics, such as Lace Cloth, Crepe Voiles, mostly short lengths (6 to 15 yards)
SPECIAL LOW PRICE

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Fine Printed Organdy and Batiste in stripes and floral designs, regular 65c values--
SPECIAL THIS WEEK

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BOYS' UNION SUITS

One lot, sizes 8 to 16, bargain counter

25c

Boys' Wash Suits

One lot last year's styles, regular 75c to \$2.50 each, choice of lot for

50c

Men's 2-Piece Underwear

One lot to close out at only

25c

Colored Parasols

SPECIAL LOW PRICES--
\$5.00 Parasol for.... \$3.50
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\$2.00 Parasol for.... \$1.50
\$1.50 Parasol for.... \$1.15
\$1.25 Parasol for..... 95c

Boys' Wash Suits

Special good value in the Oliver Twist style--only

50c

All the above, together with many other bargains in both yard goods and made garments, gathered from various departments over the store. Sale begins Saturday, July 8th. No premium cards punched on cut-price goods.

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METHODIST SUNDAY SERVICES.

The Methodists had a big day last Sunday. At the 11 o'clock hour the Children's Day program was given. This had been postponed from May but...

The scripture lesson was read by Bro. Burkhardt, Bro. Clements preaching a short sermon. Bro. Williamson then spoke of Bro. Clements as a builder, paying high tribute to his ability. He also said some very nice things of the preacher's wife.

Bro. Burkhardt spoke of him as a co-pastor in the most delightful and complimentary manner. Mr. S. D. Vaughan was asked to speak of him as a pastor and made a most impressive and touching speech. Mr. Leslie also spoke of him from the viewpoint of a member of his church in the most feeling manner.

MRS. LOONEY ENTERTAINS.

Thursday afternoon from 4 until 7 the hospitable Looney home was thrown open and Mrs. and Miss Looney ably entertained in honor of W. R. Smith and Mrs. Joe Smoot.

In the dining room any number of high school girls served an ice and cake with mints. The decorations here were pink carnations, white ferns and cut flowers were used in the other rooms.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

This is to notify the public that the Frank Johnson & Co., general sales agents for the Consolidated Oil and Gas Co. has this day been dissolved and their contract with this company cancelled.

PLEASE BRING IT BACK.

The party who borrowed my turning plow last February will please return it right away no questions will be asked or hard feelings indulged. I had that plow now.

HORSES AND MULES WANTED.

We have a number of young, well-bred three-year-old mules that we will exchange for army mules and horses or will sell cheap for the cash.

No better glasses made than Hawke's crystaline lenses. W. L. Doss fits 'em satisfactorily without extra charge.

LORAIN LOCALS.

Mrs. J. Campbell of Junction and Miss Campbell of Colorado, were here Friday visiting Mrs. Carl Phenix.

Mrs. Albert Pickens and children, of Colorado, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Reeder.

Prof. J. T. Elliott left Saturday for Cisco, where he will work in the Britton Training School.

Mesdames Hubert Toler and Frank Oakley made a quick trip to Abilene last Friday and drove back two new Maxwells for Petty & Toler.

Prof. C. E. Crutcher purchased the Marshall farm in the west part of town and he and family are moving back to make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Casey and children motored to Big Spring Saturday and visited over Sunday.

Mr. Earl Jackson of Colorado, was shaking hands with friends here Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Pendergrass and children returned Saturday from Bangs, where she visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McAdams and children and Mr. and Mrs. K. C. McAdams and children left Wednesday for Jonesboro for a few days' visit.

The three younger children of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Toler have measles. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pratt and children left Monday for Terrell, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Blakely.

Miss Isophene Toler assisted in the sale Saturday of the Loraine Mercantile Company.

Mr. J. M. Winstead made a business trip to Colorado Monday.

Mrs. Kate Howell and Mrs. Will Roland are working in the Edmondson sale.

Mr. Chess Kidd is back from New Mexico and will work for S. D. Dunnahoo during his absence.

Messrs. A. K. Hall and Ed Groves left Monday for San Angelo, where Mr. Groves will visit a few days. Mr. Hell went on to Austin on business.

Mr. W. H. Hurd is able to be out again since his recent illness.

Mr. Ford Morris, of Big Spring, was busy here Friday and sold his residence to Mr. Hiram Toler.

The Young Men's Business League held a social meeting on Monday night and closed their charter, and had a good time enjoying ice cream and cigars.

Mr. C. B. Reeder has been quite sick, but is reported better at this writing.

Messrs. C. C. Wilson, Clyde Fairbairn, Clyde Wilson, Will Pettite and W. A. Pendergrass spent the Fourth in San Angelo.

Dr. T. A. Martin and family have returned from cool Colorado and report a most delightful time, but Doctor says Texas looks the best to him.

Messrs. Lee Walker and family, Jim Baker and family and Frank Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fairbairn and Miss Bessie Vanwie spent the 4th down in the Looney pasture fishing.

Miss Lillie Nelson is taking her vacation from her work at the Loraine Mercantile Company store.

Prof. Kellogg, of Sterling City, was busy here Saturday.

Mrs. S. W. Altman is at Sweetwater at the sanitarium with her son, Truman. He is very little improved and considered in a very serious condition.

All the business houses closed on the 4th and everyone spent the day celebrating.

Mrs. Charlton Brown and the Camp Fire Girls spent the 4th at Roscoe at the picnic.

Miss Minta Finley has returned from Hico, where she visited a week.

Mr. Claude Neely spent the 4th at Roscoe.

Dr. W. H. Hethorne and son R. A. Henthorne, motored through Tuesday to Roscoe.

Toler & Petty unloaded a car load of Maxwells and also one Kissel car which they will handle along with the Maxwells.

M. Claude Neely spent Sunday in Abilene.

At a meeting of the Young Men's Business League the following honorary members were elected: Messrs. R. B. Pratt, R. T. and T. J. Coffee, D. K. Nelson, A. M. Jackson, W. B. Wimberly, W. D. Erwin, S. E. Brown, D. C. McRae, James Butler, C. M. Thompson, Dr. T. A. Martin and Rev. C. E. Jameson.

All the business league members wives and Mrs. M. L. Mullen, Mrs. A. M. Erwin, Misses Oma Gregg, Isophene Toler, Irene Garland and Ethel Thomas were present.

The W. M. S. met with Mrs. R. A. Edwards on Monday afternoon. The lesson on 'The King's Highway' was read and enjoyed and a very interesting meeting was enjoyed. After which the hostess served cream.

Rev. C. E. Jameson and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Edwards and children celebrated the 4th by going fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oakley and Misses Annie Norman and Willie

Gregg and Gene Hall motored to Roscoe on the evening of the 4th.

Miss Cora Nelson is assisting in the store during her father's absence.

The Cemetery Association met with Mrs. Charlton Brown on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. McDaniel and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vivian arrived Wednesday from Uvalde and will visit Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Hall.

Mr. R. W. Shipp has moved his stock of jewelry into the building next door to the postoffice.

Mr. Horace White and bride arrived this week from San Antonio.

Miss Marcella Norrell and Mr. Herman Finley are assisting in the sale of W. L. Edmondson & Company.

THE LAST CALL.

On the account of an immense business we are glad to say we will be in Colorado a few days more renovating old mattresses, so if you are in need don't miss this last call. We go from here to Loraine and would like to be favored with the business there, as we have been here.

KING & BURNETT, Debusk old wagon yard.

BRING ME YOUR HOGS.

I will buy all your fat hogs on Saturday, July 8th and Monday, July 10th. Will pay highest market prices. It ED DUPREE.

W. R. Charters and family, accompanied by Mrs. Lindley, are enjoying a fishing and outing trip on the middle Concho this week.

At the conclusion of the Wednesday night prayer service, the members of the Methodist church went into social session for the purpose of honoring Rev. R. A. Clements and family upon the eve of their departure for their new home at Quanah. Refreshments were served and a pleasant hour spent in social converse.

Charlie Chaplin at Shadowland Friday, matinee and night.

The many Colorado friends of Mr. Vol Stephens, who left here about eleven years ago for Pecos, will regret to read of his death on the 5th ultimo, notice of which appears in this issue.

W. L. Doss can sell you house paint at prices that will surprise you.

Mr. C. H. Lasky returned from Temple Thursday morning where he had been in a sanitarium for several weeks as a result of an operation. He expresses himself as much benefited and will take hold of his business with renewed vigor and industry.

FOR SALE—One sow and four pigs for sale at a bargain, also six shoats. See Tom Payne for particulars. It

Mr. H. Olenbusch, of Loraine, brought a wagon load of new Irish potatoes to town last week, as fine as ever grown in Colorado, which found ready and profitable sale. We understand he has sold about \$65 worth of them to local parties. Will C. Berry of the Cuthbert community also specialized on Irish potatoes this season and raised many very fine ones.

There has been a veritable ice famine in West Texas the past two weeks. The local plant has supplemented its daily supply by shipments from Cisco. El Paso can not supply the local demand there by reason of the consumption by the troops. Several towns are shipping in ice from neighboring states.

Rev. and Mrs. Williamson, Miss Neely Mills, Hattie McKell, Ethel Greenwood, J. G. Keathley, Conrad Watson and Paul Trrell, will leave Monday by autos for the encampment at Palacios.

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Misses Josie Moody, Mabel Perry and Jeannette Bond, of Sweetwater, visited Miss Omie Del Payne Thursday.

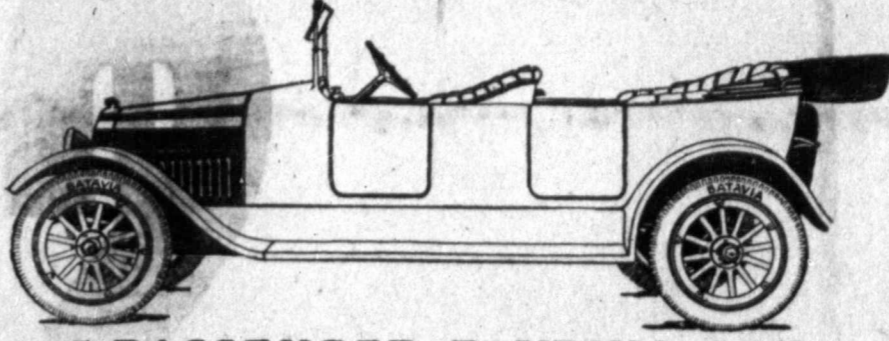
Something is doing these days around the old St. James and fire station corners. There is a tearing of ground, a mixing of concrete, unloading of brick, lumber and orders of bosses on every hand and side.

A few gallons of carbon left at \$1.50 per gallon. Charters & Sadler, Drugists.

Judge J. F. Cunningham, of Abilene, will address the voters of Colorado and vicinity on Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the interest of Governor Ferguson's candidacy for re-election. A good crowd is urged to hear him.

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5-PASSENGER TOURING CAR

THE roadster is outside ready to start at a minute's notice. That important customer is personally interviewed, and the business is yours. A phone call would be indefinite—a trolley car would consume too much time. You are back in your office ready for another call, or at the end of the day to motor home. All this and more in a car that is comfortable, attractive and dependable. But most important is the cost—the price is so little that you have no reason to hesitate, and the after use saves you money. Make the Pullman roadster part of your selling force.

Two, Three and Five Passenger Models

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favor of Cuthbert. Between Ira and Westbrook, 8 to 0 in favor of Ira. Will Womack was first in cigar race and Clay Neil second. A. E. White was first in old men's foot race and Geo. Goodwin second. Mr. White had quite an advantage in age over the other contestants. The goat-roping contest resulted in favor of Clay Neil in the morning. Coley Smith in the afternoon. There were three contests but we failed to learn how they came out. Rufus and Rupert Womack, Jim Riley, David and Elbert Womack and Howard Rogers and others have gone down on the Concho fishing this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jones, of Phenix, Arizona, are visiting Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Wheeler, and other relatives here. Will Rogers and family, of Westbrook, and Lee Rogers, of Big Spring, visited relatives here and attended the picnic Saturday. Rhoda White suffered a painful injury Tuesday morning by running a machine needle through her finger. SUBSCRIBER. Charlie Chaplin at Shadowland Friday.

A Real Cost and Harvest Sale FOR YOU

To any sheriff or Constable of Mitchell, Scurry or Nolan County, Greeting: You are hereby request ed to summon every individual living in the above named counties to at once appear at either of our three places of business in order that they may get their share of merchandise that is now being sold at actual cost. Also request them to bring in every chicken and turkey and all the eggs and butter which they will have for sale this season. And in case of failure to appear we will in the next issue have a writ of attachment served on you and have you brought in and also your surplus fowls. Don't consider any other place of business but ours. There is no need of paying the other fellow a profit when you can supply your entire wants from us at actual cost. Considering justice to yourself and family a dollar buys more from us than from any other place in the county. This cost sale is a feast and a saving to you lasting until July 18th. Special arrangements and profitable thought have been made for the convenience of the ladies. In order for you to have some picnic and summer outing money of your own.

NEXT SATURDAY, JULY 8th

with your help we want to make that day the banner day of our poultry specials and will pay you fancy prices for your chickens and turkeys as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Fryers per pound... 15c, Turkeys per pound... 13c, Hens per pound... 12c, Old Roosters, each... 25c.

We will pay you cash or trade as you prefer. There have been a number of our good customers who have already taken advantage of this Great Cost Sale. Last Saturday, July 1st, being the opening day of this big cost sale, at our three stores we took in \$1,725.00

HURRY! HURRY! Avail Yourself of the Best and Only Opportunity of the season. Don't forget to help us to make July 8th a banner poultry day. Tell your neighbors and friends about these liberal poultry prices and bring others with you to this Big Genuine Cost Sale.

W. L. Edmondson & Co. LORAIN - COLORADO - ROSCOE

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F. O. B. FACTORY

Maxwell NEW PRICE

The Big Motor Car Value of the 1917 Season

Increased Production—Economical Merchandising and Standardized Manufacturing Permit Remarkably
Low Price

THE prices of Maxwell Cars are again reduced—\$595 for the Touring Car and \$580 for the Roadster are the new prices—effective July 1st, 1916.

Only the Price is changed—not the Car.

We emphasize this point because you might well suppose that a lowered price would necessitate some changes in the Maxwell car—something taken from its complete equipment—or some lowering of Maxwell standards of quality.

The Maxwell car was an unusual value during the past season. For 1917 it will stand unrivaled as the great motor car value of this or any previous year.

Other cars may sell for less money—but no car having the Maxwell features of construction and the Maxwell completeness of equipment will approach it in price. A comparison will convince you on this point.

The reasons why we can make these new prices are:

Increased Production:

The result of the enormous demand for Maxwell cars during the past season. The new prices will help us to double our output for the 1917 season.

Economical Merchandise:

We have cut the cost of selling Maxwell cars to the minimum. The Max-

well owner thus gets the most ACTUAL intrinsic value for the money he spends.

Standardized Manufacturing:

We build a single classis type and concentrate our whole effort, year after year toward PERFECTING and IMPROVING it, but not changing the fundamental structure. The result is remarkable economy in production.

These policies made possible the great value offered in the Maxwell car last season—they make possible the greater value offered now.

But efficient production and economical merchandising would not count if the product did not excel in points of

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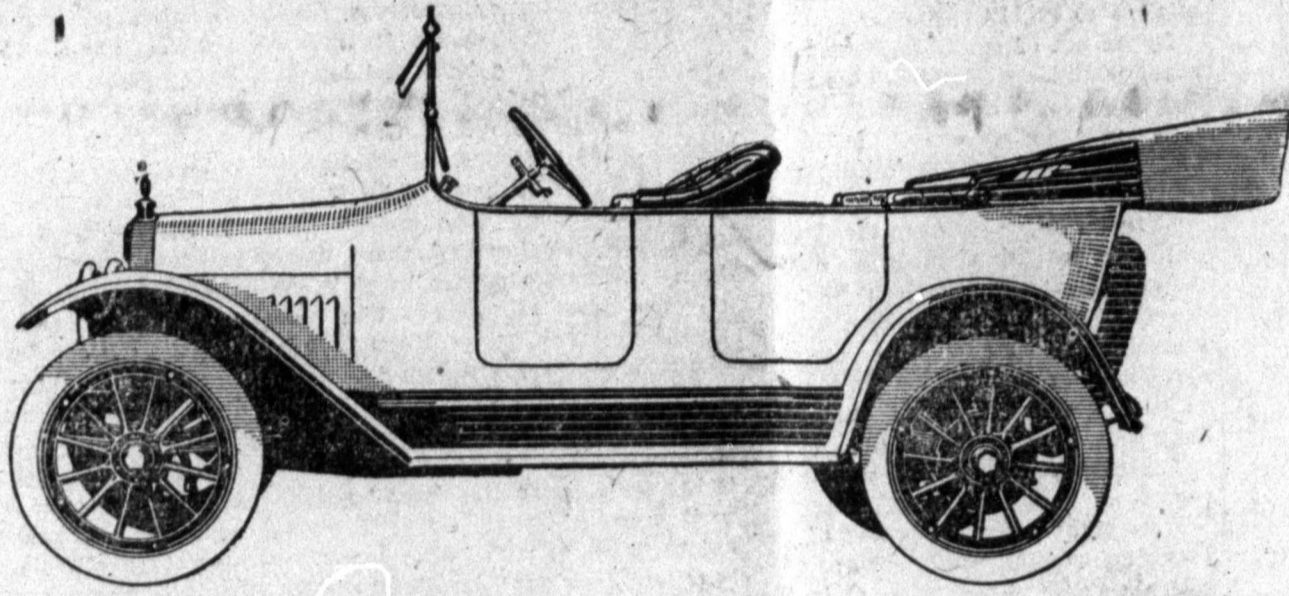
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- The World's Champion Endurance Car -

serviceability—in comfort, performance and economy. The public knows that Maxwell cars have these qualities—the thousands of Maxwell owners know it—and the car has earned the title of

The World's Champion Endurance Car

Last January, a Maxwell stock touring car set the world's Non-stop Record by traveling 22,022 Miles without a motor stop—thereby surpassing the best previous record by more than 10,000 miles. And the car from which the Maxwell took this honor was one costing thousands of dollars.

During this grind of 22,000 miles the Maxwell averaged 22 miles per gallon of gasoline, nearly 9,000 miles per set of tires and traveled 500 miles per day for 44 days and nights. Not a single motor adjustment was made on the entire run. All of these facts are verified by the American Automobile Association under whose auspices the run was made.

Send for New Catalogue.—This new book is different from the ordinary automobile catalog. It not only illustrates and describes Maxwell cars but it also tells an interesting story about the Maxwell Institution. Just write (plainly) your name and address and send this clipping to Dept. A., Maxwell Motor Co., Detroit, Mich.

In this gruelling test, four or five years of hard service were crowded in to a period of six weeks. The car that made this run is still in use and good for many years more.

Thus it is not alone the price of the Maxwell that should sell it to you. The merit of the product is to be considered first. The combination of the two as you find them in the Maxwell is one you cannot beat.

If you want the most car value that can be bought under \$800 be sure to investigate the Maxwell and compare it point for point with anything you may have in mind.

Be one of the army of motorists who will take advantage of the greatest car value that the 1917 season affords. See our local dealer about it TODAY.

Free Demonstration gladly given anywhere in our territory. Phone, see or write us at Abilene or Sweetwater

WHAT THE MAXWELL PRICE INCLUDES.

- Long-stroke, high speed, four-cylinder motor; 20 to 25 miles to the gallon of gasoline (average).
- Irreversible steering gear; automatic motor lubrication by splash and pump; 500 to 1,000 miles to gallon of oil.
- Thermo-syphon cooling.
- A running-in-oil clutch, so smooth as to make the driving of a novice as free from gear-clashing as that of a seasoned driver.
- Tall, narrow, racing-type radiator, Maxwell-made.
- Maxwell-made axles—I-beam front and semi-floating rear; heat-treated alloyed steel.
- Gasoline tank in cowl; short, accessible gas line to carburetor.
- Maxwell-made stream-line body, well finished in every detail. Deep, comfortable upholstery.
- 30x3½ tires all around, non-skid on rear; average life from 8,000 to 10,000 miles. Demountable rims.
- Tire carrier at rear, with extra rim.
- Substantial, Maxwell-made crowned fenders and linoleum-covered running boards.
- Electric starter, electric lights, electric horn.
- High-Tension Magneto, an independent source of ignition.
- One-Man top with quick-adjustable, storm proof curtains.
- Rain-vision adjustable ventilating wind-shield.
- High-grade speedometer.
- The Maxwell Touring Car is a full five-passenger car. Every Maxwell model seats comfortably the number of passengers which it is rated to carry.
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RAINFALL FOR COLORADO THE LAST TEN YEARS.

This record was made from the Government Gauge, now in charge of Mr. Joe Earnest.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1904	1.68	.02	.00	1.42	2.01	5.01	1.57	1.77	6.07	1.93	.45	.59	22.62
1905	.30	1.63	5.05	2.73	2.73	2.46	4.20	4.07	3.71	1.69	1.74	.57	30.87
1906	.29	.73	1.43	3.10	6.01	2.12	3.15	7.32	2.85	2.77	2.33	.62	33.32
1907	.21	.00	2.04	.34	2.10	2.33	3.42	.35	1.76	6.31	.93	.44	25.76
1908	.45	.08	.33	5.73	5.61	.52	3.71	1.22	1.54	.62	1.71	.00	21.52
1909	.03	.02	.37	.06	1.33	1.01	2.75	1.69	1.18	1.33	4.58	.00	14.31
1910	.00	.20	.48	.60	1.40	1.13	.16	1.14	.90	3.53	.88	.00	10.42
1911	.41	4.48	.72	2.13	.67	.00	2.53	2.97	2.11	.00	.45	2.90	19.72
1912	.00	1.90	.00	1.11	.89	1.67	1.08	2.92	.06	1.32	.00	1.56	12.41
1913	3.17	.40	2.07	1.75	1.30	2.77	2.69	.16	.00	2.60	2.75	.57	23.23
1914	.00	.15	.40	3.85	5.37	4.70	2.75	6.85	.70	5.75	.81	.53	31.86
1915	.17	1.21	.21	6.05	2.24	2.41	2.55	2.86	6.58	2.63	.00	.43	26.34
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T. & P. TIME TABLE.

East Bound	
Sunshine Special No. 2	6:52 a. m.
Train No. 6	8:07 p. m.
West Bound	
Train No. 5	8:21 a. m.
Sunshine Special No. 1	10:13 p. m.

ELECTING A PRESIDENT



George Washington Elected First President in 1789.

WASHINGTON. THE first presidents were chosen by electors who were chosen by the legislatures of the various states. The person having the majority of these electors was declared president. The person having the next greatest number was declared vice president.

The first election took place on Jan. 7, 1789, in the states that had ratified the constitution. The electors chose the president on Feb. 4, 1789. The vote, counted on April 6, 1789, was:

George Washington, 69; John Adams, 34; Samuel Huntington, 2; John Jay, 9; John Hancock, 4; R. H. Harrison, 6; George Clinton, 3; John Rutledge, 6; John Milton, 2; James Armstrong, 1; Edward Telfair, 1; Benjamin Lincoln, 1. Ten states voted, but there is no record of the popular vote.

In the election of 1792 Washington received 132 votes and Adams 77.

(Watch for the election of Adams in 1796 in our next issue.)

Judge Chas. R. Buchanan, of Snyder, candidate for the state senate, 28th senatorial district, was an appreciated caller at this office last Friday. This was the first time this writer had met Judge Buchanan in the flesh, although very favorably disposed toward him as man and candidate for the opinion held by men who had long known him and dealt with him officially. If the estimate of a man by those who have known him longest and most intimately, is the highest criterion of his worth, then, by the same token, is Judge Buchanan a "most fitted" man to send to the state senate, as well as fill any other position of trust and responsibility. The Record makes no bones as to its hearty support of Judge Buchanan. (We improve the opportunity of this paragraph however, in stating that Judge Buchanan of this race, is not related by the ties of affinity, consanguinity or affection to our Judge Buchanan of City Recorder celebrity.)

Ninety days are given the contractor to turn over the City National Bank building ready for business. No moratorium however has been declared on paper drawing interesting per centum until that time; which reminds us—when considering great inventors, there's nothing short about the fellow that invented Interest.

Charlie Chaplin at Shadowland Friday, matinee and night.

Although his opponents have been in the field for some time and have been considerably active, Congressman Smith has remained at Washington, on the job at all times, attending strictly to those matters which were of vital importance to the district he is representing. In spite of the fact that the result of the present campaign involved the question of his return to congress, Congressman Smith elected first to remain in Washington and fulfill his duties to his district. The July primaries are just a little more than three weeks off and that is all the time Congressman Smith will have to cover his district, comprising 58 counties, in the interest of his campaign. Should the necessity arise, calling for his return to Washington, Congressman Smith would immediately return even though it meant a personal sacrifice in the way of advancing his candidacy. Serving his district comes first with the congressman—El Paso Times.

The Glorious Fourth was spent by Coloradans mostly away from home. Quite a large contingent of them went fishing in the direction of San Angelo, (owing to the prevalence of rattlesnake bites and the unusual virulence of the poison), where the only safe antidote is to be had. Some went to other places while the more sensible stayed at home—the coolest and most comfortable spot in West Texas. Part of the Record force went to Post, part to Sterling county and yet smaller part of it went down to Roscoe to the Nolan county fair. But no matter where any one went, one and all were glad to get back to cool Colorado, where there is an abundance of shade trees, plenty of green grass and a superabundance of the best drinking water this side of the crystal fountain of celestial fame and hope.

FOR A SQUARE DEAL.

Car, Texas, July 3rd, 1915.

Editor Record:

I ask permission to correct a mistake through the Record. I only wish to assist in a square deal.

On June 29th Thomas L. Blanton spoke at the Daniels school house at 2.30 in the interest of his campaign for congressman from the sixteenth district and among other things he said was that at the last election he carried the Daniels voting box by 12 to 1, while in fact W. R. Smith carried said box by nearly 2 to 1 over Blanton. This being in Congressman Smith's home county and among his friends and supporters, such statements are misleading and I wish to state farther that in my judgment he will carry this box in this election by as safe a majority as he did two years ago.

Best wishes to the Record.
Yours truly,
J. H. AIRHEART.

While at Roscoe last Tuesday, we renewed acquaintance with that Prince of Goodfellows, Judge Hill, editor of the Roscoe Times and near county attorney of Nolan county. We say "near" for the dual reason that his opponent had seen the avalanche coming on the 22nd and escaped to cover by withdrawing, and the proximity of the plebiscite. If Judge Hill isn't elected to the county attorney's office without one dissenting vote or scratch the Record will ever after hold a grudge against the voters of good old Nolan county, and will make mouths at Sweetwater town.

Matinee every day at Shadowland.

ALL RANCOR FORGOTTEN.

No act of congress in fifty years has shown a better spirit of fairness and justice than the action of the house when it voted into the army bill an amendment offered by Representative Huddleston of Alabama providing that former Confederate soldiers, or their widows, when dependent upon soldiers in the United States army, might be eligible to receive pensions.

By an act of congress, passed by a republican congress during the reconstruction days, it was declared that men who fought in the Confederate army, and their widows, should never be pension beneficiaries.

That law has stood upon the statutes of the United States since the time of its enactment. When the Spanish-American war came on there were a number of former confederate soldiers, notably among them the lamented Gen. Joseph Wheeler and Fitzhugh Lee, who offered their services to the government and the same were accepted.

Then there were thousands of the young men of the south, sons of confederate soldiers who enlisted in the army and rendered valiant service. Had these young men left fathers or mothers dependent upon them, and been killed in the line of duty, under the former law, these parents could in no way have received pension benefits from the United States.

This law has been repealed. The amendment offered by Representative Huddleston was adopted by the house and the fact that the action was unanimous indicates that it will meet with no treatment in the senate.

The fact that the vote was unanimous is remarkable. Only a few years ago, perhaps only a year back, there would have been some radical republican member to vote against such a measure. The fact that they did not on this occasion is a cause for thanks that this country is getting on a sane and safe basis with every trace of malice and hatred removed forever.

As it was in the Spanish-American war, so it will be now if war with Mexico comes. There will be hundreds of the young men of the south on the firing line and should they fall, leaving parents dependent upon them for their living, there will be no restrictions placed upon any who may be entitled to these pensions and the people of all sections of the country are thus placed upon an equal footing.

It is not only repealing an infamous law and enacting one that means absolute justice, but it is an evidence of the right spirit, such as should exist among the whole people of any country that expects to prosper.

Under the flag of an united people rancor is forgotten.—Austin American.

CONGRESSMAN SMITH.

However El Paso voters may differ on local affairs and as to the respective merits of this or that candidate for county office, there can be no difference of opinion concerning the wisdom and desirability of re-electing Congressman W. R. Smith, who for nearly 14 years has represented the 16th congressional district of Texas in the house of representatives at Washington.

Though El Paso county is but a small portion of the 16th district, which includes 58 counties, with a population of well over 400,000 people, Congressman Smith has served El Paso faithfully, and it is due largely to his excellent work that the benefits of the United States reclamation act has extended to the El Paso valley and to West Texas. As chairman of the house committee on irrigation Congressman Smith has been able to render peculiarly valuable service to this section, not only in Texas, but across the border in New Mexico, and the hastening of the work on the Elephant Butte dam, recently completed, was in an important measure due to his efforts.

While the rival candidates for the nomination, for almost a year past, have been making active campaigns over the district seeking support at every crossroads, Congressman Smith has been in Washington attending to the business of the country and looking after the interests of his constituents, the fact that owing to the stress of national affairs he has been unable to make the usual speech-making campaign this year will not be allowed to count against him with the voters, who may be counted upon to support the man who attends to his duties, even at the risk of falling of re-election, rather than neglect public business in order to win support at the polls.—El Paso Morning Times, June 29th.

Mrs. Housewife—These are vacation days, and when you leave on your summer trip phone us where to find the laundry of the folks who stay at the home, and you need have no further worry regarding their clothes. We will keep them clean. Its never too hot for us, we wash all the time.—The Laundry.

The Record editor thanks Judge W. P. Leslie our most efficient and popular district attorney for a seat in his car to the Nolan county fair at Roscoe last Tuesday. Cashier, Henry Grantland and "Sunny Jim" Jackson helped make up the ballast for the easy running of the car. Of course, Judge Leslie went down to put up a few iders on the staked fence around his district attorney preserves. Henry Grantland went because it was the 4th of July and a bank holiday and he had nothing else to do except stay at home and help Mrs. Grantland—and you know Henry. Jackson went along because he heard John Basden say he had been told at the hotel table that morning that there would be a "suffragette parade," and it was all we could do to keep him from walking down. The Record went along for the same reason the negro went to heaven when the races were outfitted for their world's work—just because them other fellows went. As it has been our policy from boyhood, as it is the policy of every real sport, not to tell tales out of school, we forbear any comment on the personal conduct of the other three members of this party. But if their wives wish to know, they can address this office in confidence.

The Record wishes that every voter in the 16th congressional district might have heard the speech made by Judge W. R. Smith on the 4th at Roscoe. The Judge was in the best of physical condition, voice and spirits. Owing to the lack of shade and the distracting noises, Judge Smith did not speak as long nor go into the discussion of his record as minutely as he had done under more favorable conditions. But taking up the criticisms upon his record made by one of his opponents, he proved to the conviction of every fair minded hearer that these strictures were without foundation either in a knowledge of congressional procedure or in fact. He showed that many of the things Judge Blanton had promised he would do if sent to congress could not be done by one man or a dozen. He also showed that constructive legislation was not the result of any individual but the composite result of many men through team work. All in all, it was a clear, sincere and convincing vindication, if any were needed, of everything Judge Smith had done in congress.

The crowds that greet Judge Smith wherever he goes in the district, is the best evidence of the intention of the voters to retain him as their congressman. He is time tried and service tested. The people know he will stand without hitching, as well as realize that the present unsettled relations between this country and Mexico demand cool heads, sound judgment and experience in our representatives.

One of the greatest shibboleths of candidates on the outside trying to get on the inside is "higher taxes." They realize that the cry of "bonds" or "higher taxes" will stir discontent within the mind of the proletariat as effectively as shaking a red rag in the face of a Spanish bull. The mass of people regard taxes as so much blood money extorted from them by arbitrary officials for their personal enrichment alone. The voter frequently loses sight of the things for which he pays. The safety of his life and that of his family; the security of his property from avarice of the stronger man than he; the facilities afforded for the education of his children; his religious liberty; the improvement of the roads over which he hauls his supplies from and his products to market; the time he saves and the money he saves by taking advantage of all the help and information the federal, the state and county governments offer him. All these advantages cost money to maintain, and the tax of the individual of average holdings to pay them, is negligible compared to the manifold advantages he receives in return. Because these advantages do not come to him in the shape of dollars and cents, he counts the small payments he makes for them a present and concrete burden. If the question were put fairly to the tax payers of Mitchell county and the state at large—"Would you be willing to revert to the disadvantages of travel and wasteful methods you were compelled to bear twenty-five years ago and have a tax rate of ten cents on the \$100 valuation," how many would be willing to go back to the ten cent rate and do without the conveniences and profit of time and labor saving methods that increased taxation alone has been able to bring them? We opine not one in fifty.

We are told that "cleanliness is next to godliness," and we all agree that it is necessary to comfort in warm weather. To keep fresh and clean requires many garments in the laundry, but we make special prices on the family wash, so see us before submitting to the fussy washerwoman. The more you have the better we like it.—The Laundry.

HORSES AND MULES WANTED.

We have a number of young, well-bred three-year-old mules that we will exchange for army mules and horses or will sell cheap for the cash. DUPREE & SHURTLIFF.

I am still selling tombstones. I took my family with me to Big Spring and marked the grave of Mr. S. J. Harding, the son-in-law of Mr. W. M. Green, with a \$150.00 monument Wednesday. If you have an unmarked grave, let me figure with you before you buy a monument. E. Keathley, Agent.

Don't forget Mary Page—Monday.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Record is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the Democratic Primary in July, 1916; at the following schedule of rates, with the cash in advance without any deviation:

For District and County offices... \$10.00
For Precinct and City offices... \$5.00

For Representative, 121 District
E. R. SPENCER.

For District Judge, 32nd District
CHAS. W. LEWIS.
W. W. BEALL.

For County Judge—
A. J. COE.
J. H. BULLOCK (Re-election).

For Sheriff and Tax Collector—
A. W. COOKSEY (Re-election).

For County Tax Assessor—
CHESTER THOIAS.
E. J. CALLAWAY (Re-election).

J. W. (JIM) SMITH.
J. PRESTON SCOTT.
BRUZA C. SMITH.
E. C. MCCOLLUM.

For County and District Clerk—
W. W. PORTER.
EARL JACKSON (Re-election).

For County Treasurer—
THOS W. FIELDS.
A. J. CULPEPPER.
DOCK S. NETTLES.
W. R. MORGAN.

For Justice of the Peace—Pre. No. 1
M. C. RATLIFF (Re-election).
FRED MEYER.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1—
W. T. ROGERS (Re-election).
LAY POWELL.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2—
J. M. HELTON (Re-election).

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3—
B. O. JOYCE (Re-election).
E. BARBER.

For Public Weigher, Pre. No. 1—
W. F. CRAWFORD (Re-election).
MAC C. HOLT.

For Public Weigher—
Precinct No. 2 (Westbrook)
J. E. SKELTON.

Up to this time about 10,000 members of the National Guard from the states of New York, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Pennsylvania, chiefly cavalry, with horses and artillery, have passed over the Texas & Pacific road to the border. Long strings of troop cars drawn by double headers, are passing back to the eastern end. On Wednesday many of the Pennsylvania troops came through in the coaches in which they entrained.

You need a lawn mower and we sell the best and longest life mower to be had. Colorado Mercantile Co.

DORT

Full Cantilever Springs

Full cantilever rear springs make the Dort the easiest riding car in its class.

The Dort cantilever springs are full two inches wide, and extend 50 1/4 inches forward from the rear axle housing, where they are anchored by an ingenious arrangement, which allows them to move freely around the housing case.

They are nearly one half the length of the entire 105-inch wheel-base of the Dort.

No other car at anywhere near the Dort price affords springs of this length and quality.

The proof is in the riding. Let us show you.

DOSS BROS.

LOCAL AGENTS

DORT MOTOR CAR CO., Flint, Mich.

\$665

F. O. B. FLINT, MICH.
Complete with Westinghouse Electric Starting and Lighting

LOCAL NOTES

Both John McGuire and Homer Green were operated on at the Phenix sanitarium last week, and both are reported as progressing nicely toward convalescence.

You should keep the fly out. We have full stock screen wire that will help you. Colorado Mercantile Co.

H. C. Beal, of Fort Worth, came out to Colorado last Friday morning to get a breath of ozonic air and to keep in touch with a bully country.

A few gallons of carbon left at \$1.50 per gallon. Charters & Sadler, Drugists.

Mr. Olenbusch, of the Loraine community, was in Colorado Thursday with a quantity of Irish potatoes, which went like Aunt Jemima's ginger cakes at the country fair.

We still have some chopping hoes left and they are of the best quality that we could buy. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

We will sell all 3-pound Batavia canned fruits for 30c per can for the next 20 days. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Dan Campbell, who formerly lived in this county and worked on the McKenzie ranch, but for several years a prominent citizen, ginmer and banker of Robert Lee, was a business visitor here last Friday. He has prospered apace since going to Coke county.

Don't forget Charlie Chaplin's engagement at Shadowland Friday.

Now is the time to chop your cotton. We have a full line of the best hoes. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Former Senator, J. W. Bailey, will spend all the time between this and the primary election in Texas campaigning, and the question naturally arises—for whom?

All kinds of galvanized iron, zinc, tin and other sheet metal work done promptly and satisfactorily by R. B. Terrell.

Our fellowtownsman, Ben S. Van Tyl, recreated several days of last week in the city of Fort Worth. He returned with an up to the last minute version of the old trinity of temptations. It formerly ran—wine, woman and song. Friend Ben declares that he was told by a friend that he had heard it was now, "grape-juice, chicken and cabarets."

Our line of shelf hardware is complete and prices right. Let us show you. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Ask for free passes to the Merchants Matinee at Shadowland.

Dr. C. L. Root was called to see Homer Green, living eight miles northeast of town, last Thursday morning, who was suffering with every indication of acute appendicitis. Later in the day, the symptoms grew so pronounced that the patient was moved to the Phenix sanitarium and an operation performed about 6 o'clock. He is doing nicely at this writing and will soon be up and about.

The condition of Mr. C. P. Gary, who was operated on a few weeks ago for appendicitis, and who had troublesome sequelae, is now much improved, and he is resting easy.

Ben Morgan will take your subscription for any paper or periodical.

Charlie Chaplin at Shadowland Friday, matinee and night.

J. C. Prude and family returned last Thursday evening from a month's visit with relatives in West Virginia. If it were not too much like "carrying coals to Newcastle" we would say that Mr. Prude looks in the pink of condition with considerable gain in weight. He reports that every member of the family enjoyed the trip to the utmost.

W. L. Doss sells his good paint at before-the-war prices.

The British government has kindly allowed this government to take over 25c machine guns being made in this country for the former government.

HAVE YOU BEEN SICK?

Then you realize the utter weakness that robs ambition, destroys appetite, and makes work a burden.

To restore that strength and stamina that is so essential, nothing has ever equaled or compared with Scott's Emulsion, because its strength-sustaining nourishment invigorates the blood to distribute energy throughout the body while its tonic value sharpens the appetite and restores health in a natural, permanent way.

If you are run down, tired, nervous, overworked or lack strength, get Scott's Emulsion to-day. It is free from alcohol.

Jerome Hester and wife, of Dallas, are improving the former's vacation by a visit with his mother and family. Jerome has a position now with the M. K. & T. Railway company of Texas.

You need a lawn mower and we sell the best and longest life mower to be had. Colorado Mercantile Co.

E. L. Burdine, junior partner in the firm of Buchanan & Burdine, grocers, sold his interest in the business last week to Mr. Buchanan. He also traded his home here and his car in for a section of land in Dawson county. It is not the present purpose of Mr. Burdine to leave Colorado, but the opportunity of the investment in Dawson county land was too tempting to successfully withstand.

Tom Hughes, the tailor, has the experience, the know-how and the service you want. Give him a trial. Rear of Thrasher's barber shop.

Ben Morgan's is the Dallas News local agency.

J. E. Garrett, of Daniels community, drops into this office just before watermelon time each summer and reports on the prospects of the crop. He was in Saturday, and while he did not presage a glut of the neighboring markets with the product of his "mountain sweets" and "yaller rattle-snake" varieties, he gave assurance of more than enough to tide the tripod over the most precarious gap in all the year. He showed us just how large they were by "boxing the compass" of the editorial head. Like the good citizen he is, he did not fail to have the Record sent to a brother, who is yet struggling for "more light" in the piney woods of old Arkansas.

Fire and tornado insurance, bonds, tombstones, notary public, cheap homes, W. O. W. and W. C. applications, \$3; vacuum carpet cleaners, \$3.70; fireless cookers, \$12.50. For any or all, see E. Keathley.

Misses Winnie Vaughan and Winnie Crockett returned last week from an extended visit with friends and relatives at El Paso and Toyah.

Our line of shelf hardware is complete and prices right. Let us show you. Colorado Mercantile Co.

All the standard magazines at Ben Morgan's.

Mrs. Lola Dimmitt, of Georgetown, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vaughan.

Enamel ware. Buy the Blue Bell, the best grade. We sell it. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Take your tin vessels of all kinds to R. B. Terrell for quick and lasting soldering. He does it while you wait to take it home.

The case wherein Mr. F. S. D. Pond brought suit against the Wells Fargo Express Company for physical damages sustained by a fall while coming out of that company's office, was compromised last week by the company's paying \$500.

Now is the time to chop your cotton. We have a full line of the best hoes. Colorado Mercantile Co.

J. R. Hastings consummated the deal last week whereby E. L. Burdine bought of Dr. J. D. Purdy, a section of good farming land in Dawson county.

We sell the Snow Ball ice cream freezer which is unbreakable, the best to buy. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Miss Ida Sharp, of south of Loraine, is the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Morgan.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

T. S. Whitely and C. E. Brewer, of Hamlin, were here this week. They report splendid rains and conditions in that section.

Hawkes' crystalline lenses are as good as any made. W. L. Doss handles them.

H. Campbell Scott, the efficient and urbane trouble wrangler at this place for the Southwestern Telephone Company, has completed the prescribed course in line installation, etc., in the company's correspondence school at Dallas, and has his framed certificate to that effect. He will take a special course in switchboard installation the coming fall.

Buggies, buggies. You can buy one from us for cash or on easy terms, and the prices are right. Colorado Mercantile Co.

W. S. Singleton, of Sweetwater was a Colorado visitor this week. He says the only difference noticeable between Sweetwater and Chicago, is that Chicago is just a "little more windy" than Sweetwater. But he's got to show us.

Don't forget Mary Page—Monday.

VOL STEPHENS.

On the morning of June 5th, just as the sun was beginning to shine over the ranch home, the grim reaper, Death, came and took this noble and upright man from earth to the great beyond. Surrounded by his family, a few friends and the family physician, he gently fell asleep and never awoke, but breathed his last at eight o'clock.

Every home and every heart was made sad when a messenger went out to bear the news that Vol Stephens was dead and on the morning of June 6, he was buried in Cooper cemetery.

The floral wreaths that lay on the beautiful casket were only feeble expressions of the esteem in which he was held. Mr. Stephens lived for many years at Colorado Texas, and counted his friends by scores and all who knew him honored and respected him as one of the noble stockmen of early days. He lived a short time at Pecos, Texas, and from there moved to Jal, N. M., the present home of the family.

He was a Woodman of the World of high standing.

To his faithful wife, his noble son, and two daughters, we extend our heartfelt sympathy, believing that God knows best. Let the broken hearts feel that after all that medical skill and tender nursing could do, God in His tender mercy took him from a life of sickness to a better home of rest.

Again we extend our loving sympathy to the heart-broken family.—Pecos Times.

EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL! HORRIBLE!

Calomel is Quicksilver and Acts Like Dynamite on the Liver.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for 50 cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

SOCIETY NOTICE.

The Aluminum Club organized by J. Riordan & Co has certainly created great interest among the housewives of our city. Those who have been lucky enough to get a membership are more than pleased with the High Grade Ware.—Adv.

ROGERS ITEMS.

The Rogers Sunday school met last Sunday with large attendance. Crops are needing rain pretty badly at present but think it is not too late yet.

Mr. Homer Green is getting along nicely after being operated on for appendicitis. He thinks he will be ready to go out to the country in a week or ten days.

John McGuire, of Fairview, is getting on very well after his operation.

Mr. E. Smith is getting along fine batching with Mr. W. M. Green assisting while Homer and family are in Colorado.

Jim Pond, who has been working on the railroad for the last five years, quit the 30th of June and came to Colorado for a few days' visit, but left Monday night for Gorman and was married on the 4th at 7 p. m. They will make their home there. He is going to farm. We wish them a long and happy life.

Several attended the singing last Sunday on the east side at the big white church, and had a fine time.

Several attended the ice cream supper last Friday night at Buck Buckalov's and enjoyed themselves eating ice cream and had a fine time as usual.

Mr. G. W. Hooks has purchased a new car. It is a Dort.

Harry Pond was in Colorado last Friday on business. He took a bunch of chickens down to sell and said he was going into the chicken business.

DASH AND DOT. Ask about the new model Hoosier sale at our store. The new model is a beauty, \$1 down, \$1 a week. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Enamel ware. Buy the Blue Bell, the best grade. We sell it. Colorado Mercantile Co.

COLLEGE FOR WEST TEXAS.

West Texas is demanding an agricultural and mechanical college and a splendid organization of citizens is behind the movement. Dr. P. C. Coleman, of Colorado, is president. Porter A. Whaley, of Amarillo, is vice president, and Thomas F. Hodge, of Sweetwater, is secretary-treasurer. An executive committee is composed of A. W. Reed, of Memphis, J. A. Hatley, of Big Spring, Fred P. Woods, of Abilene, and Thomas F. Owen, of San Angelo. A campaign of publicity has been inaugurated and this agricultural and mechanical college is asked as a measure of justice to West Texas.

Attention is directed to the main fact that there is a tremendous country in Texas about 400 miles long and 365 miles wide, populated by about one and one half million Texas people who are engaged in the occupation of justice to West Texas that will breeding and merchandising with a portion of professional people. All these people desire to see their children instructed in those things which are of practical value to them in their lives.

Absence of educational facilities in this territory is deplored by the promoters of this movement for a state college for West Texas. They say within all this vast territory inhabited by a great number of people there is absolutely no schools in which children may obtain instruction along the lines so valuable and beneficial to them. This statement they say should be all that is required to be said to emphasize the dire need for the establishment at once of this much needed institution. In a recent address this argument appears for the establishment of an agricultural and mechanical college for the benefit of all the children of all the people of the West.

"This section of the state has cheerfully and continually paid into the treasury of Texas millions of dollars of taxes to establish and maintain various state institutions in every other section. Each year sees a continuation of the drain from this section and the absence of any return to the West of a just proportion of taxes paid. Should this condition be permanently maintained, it could only result in a determined sentiment among the people to divide the state in order that the western part should reap a benefit from the taxes they pay. To obviate the growth of this sentiment, founded on a determination to right a palpable wrong, all sections of the state should be willing to accord fair treatment and justice to every other section, in order that no dissolution of the empire of Texas into small units should ever occur. The construction of this school is an item of justice to West Texas that will be highly prized by every citizen."

Texas is nearly 1,000 miles across. It takes broad and traveled men to realize its immensity and to deal justly and in a broad way with all sections. The claim is made that much neglect and injustice suffered by the western part of the state at the hands of lawmakers of the central and eastern part of the state has been caused by the fact that citizens of those sections have not realized the immensity of this state or its value as a tax paying factor.

There is a way out of it; a way to obtain justice a way to obtain wise legislation, a way to obtain laws which are not handicaps and servants of the people who are not blinded or narrowed.

Constructive men are needed under the big dome at Austin. Representative farmers are needed as lawmakers; successful business men and manufacturers are needed; well equipped professional men and working men are needed; builders are needed.

There are a million reasons which could be advanced as to why they are needed. Texas should be permitted to grow and expand. The marvelous resources of this state should be developed. Manufacturing should be encouraged. Co-operation between the builders of the city and the builders of the country should be brought about.

On July 22, at the primary election, the men who do not believe in standing still or in quarreling over trifles should nominate constructive men for the law-making departments of the government. Then prosperity will come to the Southwest and justice will be done to all concerned.—Editorial in Fort Worth Record.

Two deserters from the United States army were arrested at Loraine last week and brought to Colorado for detention till an army officer could come for them. They were taken to El Paso last Sunday morning by the officer who came for them, and they were only too glad to get back within the ten days limit, after which they would have been court-martialed, fined heavily and confined in a federal prison.

Don't forget Mary Page—Monday.

READY FOR THE FOURTH?



Before making your arrangements for your 4th of July outing, trip or joy ride, better be sure everything is in readiness. See that you have ample and the best supplies, oils, gas, etc. We have everything an autoist can wish for and our line is up to date, while our prices are the talk of all car owners.

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ART PUPILS WANTED.

Miss Ruby Conaway, graduate of Simmons College Art Department and now studying in Chicago, will open a studio at the beginning of school in the High School building, and will receive pupils in this department.

CHICKENS AND EGGS WANTED.

Aside from storing anything you wish kept safely, I will pay the highest market price for all your chickens and eggs. Hides wanted at the best prices. Come see me.

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ROY DOZIER.

SPEAKING DATES.

Following are the speaking dates agreed to by all candidates. Speaking to begin promptly at 8:30 p. m.

Friday, July 7th—Longfellow School House.

Tuesday, July 11th—Landers School House.

Friday, July 14th—Valley View School House.

Tuesday, July 18th—Zellner School House.

Friday, July 21st—Colorado.

NEW TAILORING FIRM.

Tom Payne is now in the tailoring business with E. H. Harrison, and solicits a share of the public patronage. Read the following prices:

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When you come to Sweetwater, Texas, drive your car in the National Southern Highway Garage, on the west side of the square, near the hotels. No charges to tourists and visitors for day storage.

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FOR SALE—"Diamond Joe," No. 177,037. One of the best breed Duroc-Jersey boars in West Texas. Ask W. A. Dulin about him. Price and terms right. Phone 314-4 rings or write W. E. Lester, Colorado, Texas, Route 3. 7-7-pd.

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TO EXCHANGE OR SELL—160 acres near Knowles, N. M., for Colorado property centrally located. Apply to Mrs. I. M. Westcott, Dunn, Texas. 7-21-pd

FOR SALE—I have for sale a fine Jersey milk cow. See E. H. Winn. 7-7-c

FOR SALE—I have for sale a lot of pure Red Top Cane Seed at 2 1/2 cents per pound. Less price by the bushel.—W. R. Morgan, at W. L. Doss' drug store. 1tc

FOR SALE—I still have for sale a good lot of horses, mules and mares on the ranch. Will take prospective buyers to see them. C. P. Conaway. 1t

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REVIVAL SERVICES.

Beginning the third Sunday in July, the Church of Christ will conduct revival services under the leadership of Rev. Early Archinaux, of Houston, which will continue indefinitely. Mr. Archinaux held revival services here a few years ago and made many friends. An invitation is extended the public to attend all these services.

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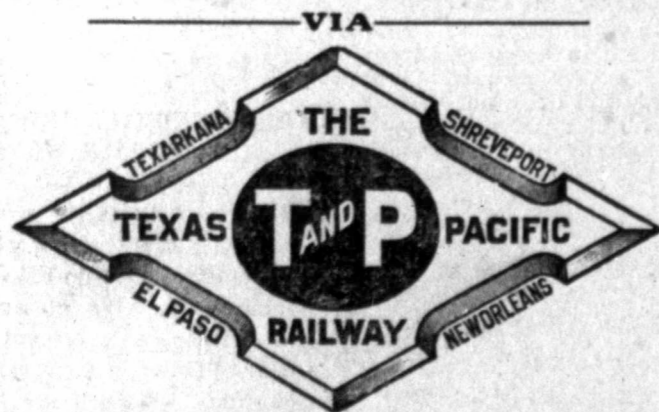
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JULY.

Ganderbone—

July gets its name from Julius Caesar, whose name is called the greatest in history. He devoted a great deal of thought to his monument, and finally decided to give his name to the month in which he was born. He had just conquered Egypt and the pyramids had not impressed him as being a permanent memorial like hot weather. He thought we would always have more or less hot weather, and to be inseparably associated with it in the popular mind struck him as the best possible safeguard against being forgotten. He was laughed at in an age when every other great man was projecting his fame down the corridors of time in some conventional manner, but time has abundantly proven the wisdom of his choice. The foundation of his fame was laid by his campaign against Gaul. Rome had been annoyed a great deal by bandits in that quarter, and Caesar was finally sent across the border to exterminate them. He had no more than fairly gotten into the country before the people, who has promised to help him, began to be troublesome, and some of his men were finally massacred by the Aquitanians, who had been a particularly bow-legged lot in the attempted co-operation. The result was war in which Caesar performed his historic feat of dividing Gaul in three parts. The extent of his undertaking may be judged from his own commentaries, in which he says that the Belgians, who are still holding out in the present war in Europe, were among those whom he whipped. He subsequently conquered England, which no one has since been able to do; but he never got very far with the Germans. After hitting their line a few times without being able to punch a hole in it, he concluded that they were not in sympathy with the bandits and would probably have caught them had they come their way. No satisfactory study of Caesar remains. He seems to have been a man very much like Mr. Roosevelt but was more fortunate for having been assassinated at the height of his career. He formed a third party on an occasion when he was not nominated for some office he wanted, and when he abandoned the party and all the friends who had followed him into it by selling out, Brutus and some others who had given up everything for him laid for him by the Pillar of Pompey and cut him up into mince-meat. Marc Anthony said the trouble with Caesar was that he wanted everybody else to stay put, but would not permit other people to feel that they could lay their hands on him.

The festive calf will show us how The Carrantistae will skidoo, And smoke from that unhappy row Will paint the skies a darker hue. T. Roosevelt and his four boys, With both his sons-in-law as well, Will add their shouts to all he noose And make the welkin ring a spell. The hired man will pitch the hay As if with each terrific thrust Before his righteous anger lay A Greaser dying in the dust. The trains will rattle by with troops Onrushing to the Rio Grande, And some of our blood-curdling whoops Will palsy Europe's bloody hand.

The warring Kaisers and the Kings, for all their shot and their shells, will little know of these fall things until they hear our battle yell. There won't be any poison, gas or kindred monkey business here, nor any Zeppelins to pass above us when the night is clear. We'll simply knock the daylight out of whomsoever first shed gore, and these Carranza's men about with Funston going on before. It can't much matter, once begun, how good a cause we have to fight; we need to learn to use a gun and sleep upon the ground at night. We're soft and wholly unprepared for what the times it seems, require; we need to have our anger aired, and glow with military fire. It is not what we would have chose, but since it is our moral lot, we'll simply don our fighting clothes and show the planet what we've got.

Our notion of the matter is that war is that where they excel whose shrapnel make the greatest whizz and all the moneyed people dwell. We've watched the war in Europe rage upon the front and on the flank, and where they finally engage for settlement is at the bank. We wouldn't give in this fell pass John Rockefeller and his son for any cause, though it outclass glory anything we've done. It may be true that right prevails, but right is often in dispute; analysis of it sometimes fails, and no man knows its

attribute. We'd rather have the Morgan bank, the Guggenheim and Charlie Schwab, or even Ford, for all a crank, in undertaking such a job. We notice that across the seas the white book stage has passed along; they're not debating, if you please, the question now or right and wrong. They've quit palvering of God, as men get down to old bedrock, and the one will win who has the odd pound sterling in his old yarn sock.

At any rate, the summer girl Will long for those who held her hands, Their hearts aflame their heads awahlr, In other heads upon the sands. Another war will boost the price Of war beyond its weight in dust, The binder's music will suffice To make the farmer's reason bust, The college graduate will flit From shock to shock with pith and punch, The hired man will feed him grit And boot heels getting into lunch, We'll all proclaim our mortal hurts And go in quest of someone's gore, And Susie will sew twice the shirts For soldiers that she sewed before.

Independence, which has usually been celebrated at home, will be celebrated in Mexico this year. It is thought that after having about the same experience we have had with it the Mexicans will join us in the movement for a sane and safe Fourth. The battle between the pacifistic morning stars, led by Jupiter, and the warlike evening stars, led by Mars, has ended in a victory for Mars and his associates, and there will be a new grouping to see what can be done to make Mr. Rockefeller let go of some of his money on the 8th, when he will be 87 years old. Saturn will join Mars and Venus for this purpose until the 12th, when it will take its place with Jupiter and Mercury as a morning star. There is great hope of the combination in which Mars, Venus and Saturn are to work. They are all very terrifying stars, and the least expected of them is that they will reduce the price of gasoline. The moon will be full on the 14th. Mr. Roosevelt will stand guard. The pass word will be Ouch. Mr. Hughes will break his silence on the 4th and the 20th. Mr. Wilson will get out regular notes on the 1st 15th and 30th. General Brushmoff will be the hero again this month in Europe. The first twenty-two days of July will be under the influence of Cancer the Crab, the fourth sign of the zodiac. People born in the period of this sign have acquisitiveness. Mr. Rockefeller is an example of what they can do. They are not great fighters; but they can finance wars, which has been found useful. The last nine days of the month will be under the influence of Taurus the Bull, the fifth sign of the zodiac. The Taurians are impulsive, but cautious. That is, they march in preparedness parades, but one sees very little of them around recruiting stations.

Then August will come down the road In Father Time's tin Lizzie, And all the wars on man's abode Will wax extremely busy.

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Old people who are feeble, and younger people who are weak, will be strengthened and enabled to go through the depressing heat of summer by taking regularly Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It purifies and enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. 50c.

Matinee every day at Shadowland.

OVERLAND PUTS OUT NEW LOW-PRICED CAR.

Like a thunderbolt out of a clear sky has come the announcement of a new model by the Willys-Overland company at Toledo, Ohio, which is destined, in the opinion of those who have already seen it, to cause a greater stir in automobile circles than any of the many sensational developments in motor car building which have occurred during recent years. The most powerful low-priced car in the world, is the description given of this new product of the great Toledo factory, and it is to be known technically as the Willys-Overland company's new series model 75B. In spite of the nationwide lamentations concerning the increasing cost of materials, labor and manufacturing equipment, this latest model vehicle is to be sold at \$635 for the touring car and \$620 for the roadster.

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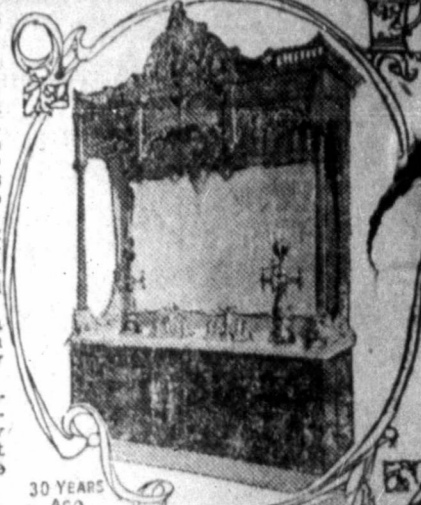
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The Soda Fountain

An American Institution

Did you ever stop to realize that the soda fountain is as much an American institution as the sausage is a German institution, "French Bread" is an institution in France and the Plum pudding an English institution? And the funny part of it all is that though one seldom sees a soda fountain in Europe (and then only for the sake of attracting American tourist trade) just as soon as a foreigner goes to this country he too seems to learn to love the soda fountain.

But, if you are young enough to look back a few years you will remember that only comparatively recently has the soda fountain been either so popular or so beautiful and hygienic. You may remember what these old soda fountains looked like—what poor provision they made to supply even their scanty trade. What has wrought this great change—what has made the soda fountain a national institution—a comfort and necessity in the daily lives of men and women—not only during the hot summer time but the whole year round.



The answer lies in that delicious beverage Coca-Cola. Soon after its introduction at the fountains people began to ask more and more for this distinctive drink. Along with its demand came the demand for more places that would serve it. Soda fountains sprang up everywhere, improving in beauty, neatness and attractive service. It is a fact that the soda fountain and all its allied industries have come to play in the economic life of the nation today is due largely to the stimulus given to it by Coca-Cola. In the same way has the call for bottled beverages grown. In 1899 Coca-Cola in bottles was first put on the market and the same quick recognition and appreciation was accorded to it in this form as

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Federal Inquiry or Railroad Strike?

Faced by demands from the conductors, engineers, firemen and brakemen that would impose on the country an additional burden in transportation costs of \$100,000,000 a year, the railroads propose that this wage problem be settled by reference to an impartial Federal tribunal.

With these employes, whose efficient service is acknowledged, the railroads have no differences that could not be considered fairly and decided justly by such a public body.

Railroads Urge Public Inquiry and Arbitration

The formal proposal of the railroads to the employes for the settlement of the controversy is as follows:

- "Our conferences have demonstrated that we cannot harmonize our differences of opinion and that eventually the matters in controversy must be passed upon by other and disinterested agencies. Therefore, we propose that your proposals and the proposition of the railroads be disposed of by one or the other of the following methods:
1. Preferably by submission to the Interstate Commerce Commission, the only tribunal which, by reason of its accumulated information bearing on railway conditions and its control of the revenue of the railroads, is in a position to consider and protect the rights and equities of all the interests affected, and to provide additional revenue necessary to meet the added cost of operation in case your proposals are found by the Commission to be just and reasonable; or, in the event the Interstate Commerce Commission cannot, under existing laws, act in the premises, that we jointly request Congress to take such action as may be necessary to enable the Commission to consider and promptly dispose of the questions involved; or
 2. By arbitration in accordance with the provisions of the Federal law" (The Newlands Act).

Leaders Refuse Offer and Take Strike Vote

Leaders of the train service brotherhoods, at the joint conference held in New York, June 1-15, refused the offer of the railroads to submit the issue to arbitration or Federal review, and the employes are now voting on the question whether authority shall be given these leaders to declare a nation-wide strike.

The Interstate Commerce Commission is proposed by the railroads as the public body to which this issue ought to be referred for these reasons:

- No other body with such an intimate knowledge of railroad conditions has such an unquestioned position in the public confidence.
- The rates the railroads may charge the public for transportation are now largely fixed by this Government board.
- Out of every dollar received by the railroads from the public nearly one-half is paid directly to the employes as wages; and the money to pay increased wages can come from no other source than the rates paid by the public.
- The Interstate Commerce Commission, with its control over rates, is in a position to make a complete investigation and render such decision as would protect the interests of the railroad employes, the owners of the railroads, and the public.

A Question For the Public to Decide

The railroads feel that they have no right to grant a wage preferment of \$100,000,000 a year to these employes, now highly paid and constituting only one-fifth of all the employes, without a clear mandate from a public tribunal that shall determine the merits of the case after a review of all the facts.

The single issue before the country is whether this controversy is to be settled by an impartial Government inquiry or by industrial warfare.

National Conference Committee of the Railways

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A MEXICAN ARMY.

(From the Atlanta Constitution).

A Mexican boast is that Carranza could raise an army of a million in a short time.

That is, he could dignify such an aggregation of poverty and incompetence by the name of "army" for, as a correspondent writes, they will not hesitate to fight, with any weapon they can procure, and the wives of the peons—even 12-year-old girls—will be made fight.

Such an army, composed for the most part, of rags and misery, is characteristic of the followers of Mexico's revolutionary leaders. The starved peon, given a horse and a gun and the prospect of a town to loot, has been ready at all times to help make trouble for his country.

The Louisville Courier-Journal, quoting from a special correspondent of the Philadelphia Public Ledger, gives a striking picture of this worse than Falstaffian crowd in which the peon figures as "the ox for the front, who does not bid his wife goodbye," but orders her to follow "and bring along the children, the dog and the cooking utensils." Here is the picture:

"The wives of soldiers follow the camp and do the cooking. They make long marches over mountain and desert with as great endurance as is displayed by the men. Babies are born by the roadside and mothers with their day-old infants at their breasts pick up their burdens and strike out to catch the vanishing columns. A feature of the advance and the retreat is the number of dead women along the line of march, but they never complain. They fight by the side of their men, frequently, and the bodies of women are found among the heaps of the slain after battle."

And thus the revolutionary armies have marched and fought, led by incendiary bandit generals in the inter-pestiferous strife which has made such a record for Mexico. "An equipped army in Mexico seems to mean an armed rabble, composed of Indians and mixed bloods, accompanied by their squaws." But, it is added: "It does not follow that they cannot fight."

Such fighting as it is—guerrilla warfare, from first to last.

It is no wonder that the dense, downtrodden peon cannot see the light and recognize the helping hand, with reckless leaders ever ready to inflame his curdled understanding.

The lesson of CuLa alone, in what

The United States has done to place that country on its present basis of freedom and prosperity, should long since have been enlightening to the Mexican mind but it has been so trained to suspicion and mistrust of the most unselfish motives that light itself is as darkness to it.

The lesson will strike home in time. It may be through channels this country has been earnestly seeking to avoid; but it will be certain and salutary—at first a bitter lesson, but soon to be recognized as the herald of a brighter dawn for a storm-rocked, oppressed people.

DIARRHOEA QUICKLY CURED.

"About two years ago I had a severe attack of diarrhoea which lasted for over a week," writes W. C. Jones, Buford, N. D. "I became so weak that I could not stand upright. A druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The first dose relieved me and within two days I was as well as ever." Obtainable everywhere.

THE HYPOCHONDRIAC.

Going down to the office that morning Rudyard Squigg somehow felt ill at ease.

His eye happened to catch a half-page advertisement in the Morning Blitz held by the man in the seat ahead: "Do you experience a sinking feeling early in the morning? Do you wake up a few seconds before your eyes open? Is your hair in disorder after a night's rest? If so, send for a sample of Crittle's Marsh Blossom Syrup, for you have Acute Biliffitis."

"Great Ned!" thought Squigg. "Can it be that?"

At the office door he felt odder and odder, as though some day he might die. Several times he glanced up at the calendar on which was printed in tasteful red letters, "Are you forced to bend over when you tie your shoe laces? Do your teeth make a clicking noise when they come together? Inflammation of the Wipples. Try Knock'em Pellets."

"I'm a sick man!" groaned Rudyard Squigg, closing his eyes.

But just then his eye called him up and asked him why he had gone out without eating his breakfast and Squigg realized with a sigh of relief that he was merely hungry.

Charlie Chaplin at Shadowland Friday.

CASEMENT FOUND GUILTY; IS GIVEN DEATH SENTENCE.

London, June 29.—Sir Roger Casement was found guilty of high treason today and sentenced to be put to death at the end of a historic trial, which came at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The jury was out less than an hour when a verdict against the Irish knight was brought in.

After Sir Casement had been sentenced, Daniel Bailey, a private soldier held as accomplice, was placed on trial but on an instructed not guilty verdict he was immediately released.

Buggies, buggies. You can buy one small; also up to two 203 sq. in. and the prices are right. Colorado Mercantile Co.

AVOID OPERATION

Get Out From Under the Shadow of the Knife.



Thousands of women on the verge of serious surgical operations are saved by a timely use of Stella-Vitae the great female remedy.

The usual female troubles are unnatural and unnecessary.

Taken in time they can be cured and the operation avoided.

The tonic principle of Stella-Vitae picks you up and gives you new life and hope, new desires and energy, new strength and purpose in life.

For two generations Dr. Thacher has been helping Southern women to better health, to more cheerful lives. Stella-Vitae is the means employed and evolved by this celebrated physician from thousands of test cases.

Any woman who suffers even in a slight degree can be benefited by just one bottle of this celebrated remedy. Don't put it off, don't neglect yourself and become old and care worn before your time. Get a bottle of Stella-Vitae from your dealer and if you find that it does not improve your condition the dealer will return full purchase price.

But it will help you. It will improve your digestion, clear up your complexion and work wonders with your disposition and appearance. Get a bottle today. Don't delay! Your dealer sells this wonderful, guaranteed-to-benefit remedy in \$1 bottles. Thacher Medicine Co., at Chattanooga, Tenn.

WESTBROOK ITEMS.

Miss Marie Cope, of Iatan, spent the week-end in Westbrook visiting friends.

Miss Ruby Campbell, of Colorado, was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Butler Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Horn and Mr. G. T. Warner, of Horn Chapel, were visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. Orr, after spending several weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. T. Y. Pool, left for her home in Eastland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Green and daughter, Miss Ruby, were called to Colorado Thursday to the bedside of their son, Mr. W. H. Green, who underwent an operation at the Phenix sanitarium for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Coffee and daughter, Miss Marie, of Loraine, Miss B. Lanche Hooks and Messrs. Claude and Key Hooks, of Teville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Bell Sunday.

The Methodist meeting is progressing nicely. Bro. Tooley arrived Sunday morning and has delivered a number of good sermons to appreciative audiences.

Late Sunday afternoon Mrs. M. Lewis had quite a serious accident with her new Chalmers car while out driving with her daughter, Miss Rhoda Lewis, and Miss Studeville. While driving at a rapid rate she ran into a post, throwing both young ladies out and bruising both considerably. Mr. A. M. Bell carried them on to Big Spring, where they received medical aid. Mrs. Lewis escaped without any injuries.

One of the most pleasing events of the week was the dinner given by Mrs. W. M. Green Thursday, complimentary to her daughter, Miss Ruby. The day was spent in music, games, croquet and chat. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Green were: Mesdames McDonald, Adam, Smart, Helton; Misses Zennia Smart, Inez Board, Ramelle Hamilton, Elton, Bette and Bernice McDonald, Lula and Ruth Helton, Ivy and Emma Lee Reed, Robbie Hudson, Alice Strickland and Margaret Lasseter.

Judge Blanton spoke to a full house here Thursday night. He had an attentive and appreciative audience from the beginning to the close of his talk. Judge Smith failed to meet him here or send any word.

Friday night was the date set for the speaking of the county candidates. They were all here and on time, and spoke until a late hour.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Reed is still real sick.

Misses Susan and Anna Dean Smith of New Hope, are visiting Miss Ned Board.

Miss Lillian Smith, of Colorado, was the guest of Miss Birdie McNairy this week.

Mr. Carl Carmack, of Colorado, spent Sunday in Westbrook.

WESTMINSTER LEAGUE.

Presbyterian church, Sunday, 7:15 p. m.

Topic—An Easy Life vs. A Hard One.

Leader—Miss Lucile Hethorne. Scripture—Luke 16:19-31. Christ's Example in the Principles of Life—Mr. Douglas McMurry.

The kinds of lives we shall wish we had led—Miss Mary Roe. Solo—Miss Hallie Roddy.

Questions for Bible Study. Who was the first person to commit suicide. (1 Sam. 31:4.)

Where is the first recorded instance of the purchase of land? (Gen. 23:3-18.)

Who erected the first monument to the memory of the dead? (Gen. 35:20.)

Where is the first mention of a library? (Ezra 6:1.)

Where was the first wall built of water? By whom built? (Ex. 14:15-21.)

Nothing cheap about the house paints that W. L. Doss sells except the price.

FARMERS' SHORT COURSE.

County Farm Demonstrator, W. A. Dulla, informs the Record that through the co-operation of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce, the Farmers' Short Course as promulgated by the A. & M. College, will be conducted again at Colorado for the farmers and other interested persons of Mitchell county. The same or an equally expert corps of instructors and demonstrators, will be present, as on last year, and every farmer, every farmer's wife, daughter and son, are urged to attend every day and lecture of this course.

Farmers from other counties are invited to come and join in this feast of good things. Remember the dates—July 31st, August 1st and 2nd.

Enamel ware. Buy the Blue Bell, the best grade. We sell it. Colorado Mercantile Co.

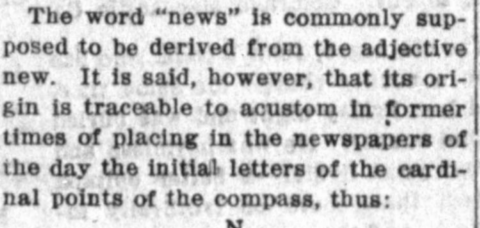
ORIGIN OF COMMON PHRASES.

The origin of a large number of expressions and phrases in common use is known to few except the expert or faddist. An etymologist in the bureau of education furnished the derivation of some of the current ones.

The word "dun" owes its origin to one John Dun, a famous bailiff of London, in the time of Henry VII. He is said to have been so extremely shrewd in the management of his rough business and so dextrous in the collection of dues that his name became proverbial, and whenever a man refused to pay his debts it grew into a prevalent custom to say, "Why don't you dun him?"

Take the expression "to have a feather in one's cap." In the British Museum is a manuscript containing a description of Hungary in 1599, in which the writer says of the inhabitants: "It hath been an ancient custom among them that none should wear a feather, but he who had killed a Turk, to whom it was lawful to show the number of his slain enemies by the number of feathers in his cap." The expression, of course, got its origin from that.

The word "news" is commonly supposed to be derived from the adjective new. It is said, however, that its origin is traceable to acustom in former times of placing in the newspapers of the day the initial letters of the cardinal points of the compass, thus:



These letters were to indicate that the paper contained intelligence from the four quarters of the globe.

The origin of the term, "Brother Jonathan," as applied to the United States, was thus:

When General George Washington, after being appointed commander of the army of the Revolutionary war, went to Massachusetts to organize it, he found a great want of ammunition and other means of defense, and on one occasion it seemed that no means could be devised for the necessary safety. Jonathan Trumbull, the elder, was then governor of Connecticut, and the general, placing the greatest reliance on his excellency's judgment, remarked: "We must consult Brother Jonathan on the subject." The general did so, and the governor was successful in supplying the wants of the army.

Thenceforth, when difficulties arose, it became the by-word "We must consult Brother Jonathan," and the name has become a designation for the entire country, as John Bull has for England.

The word "humbog" had its origin as follows: Among the many issues of base coin made from time to time in Ireland there was none so worthless as that made by James II at the Dublin mint. It was made of whatever metal was the easiest to get, lead, copper, pewter or brass, and so low was its intrinsic value that twenty shillings of it was worth only two-pence sterling. The soft mixed metal of which that worthless coin was composed was known to the Irish as "humbog," pronounced om-bog, meaning soft copper, or worthless money. Thus the phrase "humbog" originated by a person saying, "That is a piece of umbog. Don't try to pass off your umbog on me."

The expression, "Mind your Ps and Qs," is said to have originated in the old English alehouses, where customers' accounts were marked up on the wall behind the door of the taproom. In marking down these accounts it was customary to put the initials "P" and "Q" at the head of every man's account to show the number of pints and quarts, he owed for. So, when a patron was indulging heavily in bumper which he was having charged, it was natural that the inkeepers should point to the score and tell him to "mind his Ps and Qs."—Washington Cor. Louisville Courier Journal.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell.

Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, of the 24th day of January, 1916, by Earl Jackson, Clerk of said Court for the sum of Five Hundred Sixty Seven and 19-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of The First State Bank, of Loraine, Texas, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3009 and styled The First State Bank vs. G. W. Shaver and N. E. Chittum, placed in my hands for service, I, A. W. Cooksey, as sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas, did, on the 6th day of June, 1916, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Mitchell County, described as follows to-wit: All of lots 5, 6, 7, and 8 in Block 5, T. & P. Addition to the Town of Loraine, Mitchell County, Texas, as the same appears on the plat of said Division, a copy of which is now of record in the Deed Records of Mitchell County, and levied upon as the property of G. W. Shaver and N. E. Chittum, and that on the first Tuesday in August, 1916, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door, of Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said G. W. Shaver and N. E. Chittum.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell County.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of July, 1916. A. W. COOKSEY, Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic

Take Grove's. The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well-known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

W. L. Doss has a big lot of wall paper—the best and cheaper grades, at most reasonable prices.



Protection against rain, sun or snow—moderate first cost—next to nothing for repairs.

TEXACO ROOFING

Ready To Lay—Prepared To Stay

Put up in handy rolls, and prepared so that anyone can lay it—and lay it right.

For home, barn or factory.

Sold by good dealers.

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Agents Everywhere

We Are Pleased to Announce that We Have Accepted the Agency for
THE CELEBRATED NETTLETON SHOES

for Men, and have them in both high and low cuts at the extremely low price of \$6.00 and \$6.50 per pair. A visit to our shoe department will convince you that the most exacting and fastidious customer can be fitted comfortably and economically.

We also wish to announce that about September 1st we will occupy the eastern half of the new Earpest building soon to be erected on the lots immediately east of our present location. This will be a strictly modern building in every detail, complete in equipment and appointment, and we trust that this new store will be a credit to Colorado and Mitchell County.

CHARLES M. ADAMS, Colorado, Texas

Shadowland Theatre

WHERE QUALITY REIGNS

To-Day
Friday, July 7th

Charlie Chaplin

Matinee
AND
Night

DON'T FORGET CHAPLIN DAY

MONDAY, JULY 10

MARY PAGE

EPISODE No. 9

"STRANGE CASE OF MARY PAGE"

Matinee-Night

DON'T FAIL TO GET YOUR

TICKETS FOR

Merchants' Matinee

EVERY WEDNESDAY

-SHADOWLAND

Now is the time to chop your cotton. We have a full line of the best hoes. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Call up R. B. Terrell for any plumbing, tin work, soldering or sheet metal work. He gets it done and at most reasonable charges.

Take your county paper.

Cards were printed last week announcing the marriage of Mr. James E. Pond to Miss Eula Boyken, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boyken, near Gorman, Eastland county, July 4th. Mr. Pond is the son of Mr. W. H. Pond, out on the Cuthbert role, and the Record congratulates him on his changed and improved estate in life. Long may he and his bride live in happy prosperity.

We sell the Snow Ball ice cream freezer which is unbreakable, the best to buy. Colorado Mercantile Co.

The old negro, John Woods, who has been a county charge for some time, died last Friday night and was buried by the county. He was harmless and a real good fiddler—a better epithet indeed, than could be truthfully inscribed upon the marble shaft of many a rich white fourflusher.

Watch out for Charlie Chaplin in his first Mutual million dollar release—The Floor Walker—at Opera House.

Our line of shelf hardware is complete and prices right. Let us show you. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Bert Wulfjen, accompanied by Mr. Wulfjen returned from Temple last Tuesday morning. Mrs. Wulfjen's health is much improved by her stay at the sanitarium.

A few gallons of carbon left at \$1.50 per gallon. Charters & Sadler, Drugists.

Ernest Keathley made a business trip to Big Spring Wednesday.

If you want to get the old ivory suite, you had better put your bid in at once. The highest bidder gets the suite. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Miss Minnie Bellah spent the glorious Fourth in Big Spring.

You should keep the fly out. We have full stock screen wire that will help you. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stoneroad and Virginia went out to Renderbrook Sunday for a two weeks' vacation. They were joined Monday by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beall, Mrs. D. N. Arnett, Miss Arnett and Miss McNairy.

DR. L. G. C. BUCHANAN
Practice Limited to Diseases of
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Office, BIG SPRINGS.
For the accommodation of patients in the vicinity of Colorado I will be in Colorado 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month.
OFFICE WITH DR. HENTHORNE

W. P. Leslie and family returned Saturday from a two weeks' trip to Corpus Christi, San Antonio and Austin.

Do you have trouble with those fluffy skirts and full waists when the time comes for laundering them? We have expert ironers and can please the most fastidious.—The Steam Laundry.

Mr. and Mrs. Prude and Miss Prude are home from Virginia. They have as their guest Mrs. Stayton Hammer, of Houston.

If thinking of painting your home don't hesitate on account of the supposed high price of paint. See W. L. Doss first, and you'll let the contract right away.

Rev. Doak, of Dallas, has been appointed to the Methodist church here. He will preach next Sunday.

We will sell all 3-pound Batavia canned fruits for 30c per can for the next 20 days. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Every man has a special taste in the keep and appearance of his clothes. Tom Hughes gives this individual service. See him or phone 406. At Thrasher's barber shop.

We have oil stoves in three, four and five burners and we stand behind every one that we sell. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Rev. J. H. Airhart, postmaster at Car, was a Colorado visitor last Saturday.

FOR SALE—A bath tub in good condition at a bargain. See Mrs. J. E. Riordan.

Rev. R. A. Clements leaves tomorrow for Quanah, where he will preach his first sermon to his new pastorate. He will return to Colorado immediately, finish up the affairs connected with the building of the parsonage, and return permanently to Quanah with his family the latter part of next week.

Prof. Wm. Dawes of Big Spring, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dawes last Sunday.

The great feature "The Bruiser" at Opera House July 4th.

Miss Eril King returned home last week from attendance upon the Methodist Woman's College at Fort Worth. She was accompanied home by Miss Bettie Lowrey, of Hillsboro, who will visit here awhile.

You should keep the fly out. We have full stock screen wire that will help you. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Ben Morgan and daughter, Benie, returned last week from a visit with relatives at Plainview.

Mrs. Van King entertained Rev. R. A. Clements and family with a 6 o'clock dinner last Tuesday as a testimonial of affection for her pastor and his family, on the eve of their departure for their new field of work.

The patrons of the Shepherd school, will soon have a new and modern building. Bonds in the sum of \$1,500 have been voted for this purpose, and work is expected to begin soon.

Postmaster, John Person, and J. R. Collier, are both now owners of cars. Mr. Person selected a Chalmers while Mr. Collier preferred a Maxwell.

Good house paint is not high at W. L. Doss.

Miss Maritta Taylor, of McKinney, Texas, cousin to Chas. Augustus Taylor of theatrical circles, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Taylor.

Don't forget Charlie Chaplin's engagement at Shadowland Friday.

Mr. John Humphreys, a prominent and pioneer citizen of Concho county, is visiting his nephew, C. W. Simpson, the past two weeks. Mr. Humphreys is a civil war veteran and takes much interest in the present "soldier talk."

Don't forget Charlie Chaplin's engagement at Shadowland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Allen, with the baby, returned home Wednesday, after an extended visit to relatives at Lometa and other points.

Hot and cold drinks, fruit and candy at Ben Morgan's.

Ed Dupree shipped a car of fat hogs to the Fort Worth market last Saturday and incidentally distributed quite a comfortable sum of money among the hog growers of Mitchell county.

Don't forget Mary Page, Shadowland, Monday Matinee and night.

I marked the resting place of Mrs. Lina Nichols with a \$100.00 monument Thursday. I can suit you in a price anywhere from \$7.50 to as much as you want to pay. See me before buying. E. Keathley, Agent.

Mrs. A. J. Williams leaves for her home in Vicksburg, Miss., Friday.

Rev. W. C. Hart, of Gail, was a visitor here this week.

A Chinese postal from Judge Earnest who was at San Francisco, to O. M. Mitchell, says (and we quote literally): "all same dam cool here. Will wear overcoat tomorrow. Having a ho-harrious time." The card was delivered to Mitchell although addressed to the president of the Idle Club.

Miss Eva and Mr. Juan Jackson accompanied their sister, Mrs. J. L. Allen, home, arriving on Wednesday. They will spend some time here on a visit.

Ms. W. R. Eudy left last week for Kentucky, where she will spend three months or more visiting the scenes of her childhood.

WILSON OPPOSES WAR WITH MEXICO UNLESS NECESSARY.

New York, July 1.—President Wilson, speaking to 700 members and guests of the New York Press Club at the Waldorf-Astoria Friday night, indicated plainly that he is opposed to war with Mexico unless it is absolutely necessary. He told of hundreds of letters he is receiving every day, imploring him to avert hostilities. As to the effect of his actions on his personal fortunes he said he would await the verdict of mankind.

"I am for the time being the servant of such people," he declared.

President Wilson said he had received many letters from property owners in Mexico, but that there had been many others from persons whose names never would be known, saying to him:

"For God's sake don't start war in Mexico unless it is absolutely necessary."

"Do you think the glory of the United States would be enhanced by a held here of the Texas branch of the his fellow guests, and paused as if awaiting response.

The question was greeted with a loud chorus of "no."

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

John W. Woods

ON ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.



Texas is an empire in territory. Its people are cosmopolitan, liberty-loving and have high ideals. Its government and the Administration of Justice within its borders depends not upon one class, not upon one individual, not upon one department, whether Legislative, Judicial or Executive, but upon a co-operation of all individuals, all classes and all departments. The individual citizen is charged with this responsibility as a voter and as a juror. Too many of the best citizens fail to discharge these duties and thereby fail to contribute to the general good. Occasionally the Judiciary fails to measure up to that high standard of ability which should characterize those who wear the ermine. Sometimes it has been true that those charged with the enforcement of the law have been willing to listen to popular clamor or court public favor instead of following a keen sense of public duty.

A State has been defined as a body of free people united together for the common benefit to enjoy peaceably what is their own, and to do justice to others. The first duty of government, is to promote the happiness and prosperity of its people, and the fundamental purpose of law is to define legitimate activities of industry and society. Its purpose should be to extend its privileges to the honest and industrious, as well as to visit its penalties upon the lawless. I believe that common sense and business understanding are as necessary to full and complete justice as legal technicalities.

It is the abuse and not the use of our laws that is causing all this unrest. While I would not claim infallibility for our statutes, I do say that a very great per cent of the trouble is due to faulty administration of the law. It matters not how efficient a law may be, unless it is wisely and honestly administered, injustice will prevail, and no amount of Legislative enactments can improve such a situation. Efficiency can only be obtained by a wiser administration of the law. Improvements in the administration of justice can come through improvements in the ability of the men who administer it.

Much complaint is made against the inequality in the administration of justice, and this is wholly the fault of those who apply it. All men are equal before the law, and there can be no valid excuse for inequality in administering justice. But, after all, it needs the patriotic co-operation of all the people, looking alone to the greatest good to the greatest number, to bring good government, wisely administered, and thereby bring happiness and prosperity to Texas so far as government can do this. And it is not to be forgotten that good laws, wisely administered by patriotic public servants have much to do with the general welfare.



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