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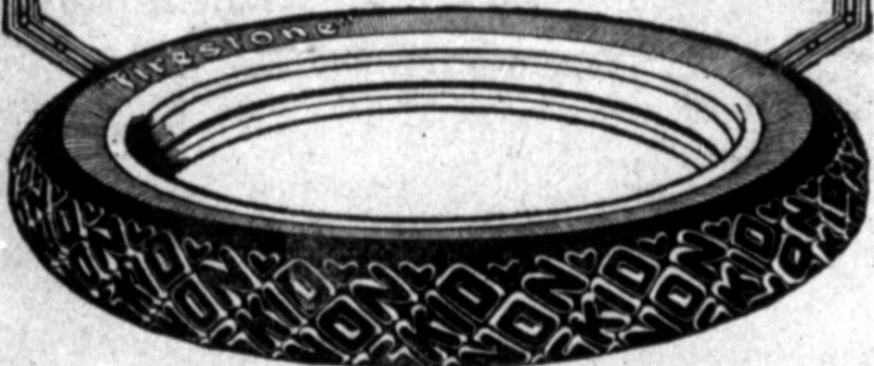
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Candidate Chas. E. Hughes has some ideas now what "bearding a lion in his den" means. He made a little campaigning excursion to Nashville, Tenn., and tried to speak amid rousing cheers for Woodrow Wilson. The people listened to Mr. Hughes with respectful attention, and urged him on with huzzas for Woodrow.

Keep Colorado Money in Colorado.

OPERAHOUSE WEEK'S PROGRAM

Monday Night, Sept. 11.

"The Grip of Evil"

CHAPTER THREE

WANTED—Every Man and Boy in Colorado to see this Picture

Free! Free! Free!

Ladies and Girls 5 and 10 cents.

Tuesday Night, Sept. 12.

Triangle Program

Wednesday Night, Sept. 13.

"THE SECRET OF THE SUBMARINE"—Chap. 8.
4 Reels MUTUAL PICTURES.

Thursday Night, Sept. 14.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN IN HIS 3rd MUTUAL \$670,000.00 PICTURE, "THE VAGABOND."—Original.

Friday Night, Sept. 15.

MUTUAL MASTER PICTURE—DE LUXE.

Saturday Night, Sept. 16.

4 Reels MUTUAL PICTURES.

WILSON FORMALLY LAUNCHES CAMPAIGN.

Long Branch, Sept. 2.—President Wilson formally accepted his re-nomination here this afternoon with an address recounting the legislative record of the democratic party, a vigorous defense of his Mexican policy, his dealings with the European belligerents and an outline of his view of America's obligations for the future.

The president declared the republican party "was just the party that cannot meet the new conditions of a new age, and that the day of Little Americanism when 'methods of protection' and industrial nursing were the chief study of our provincial statesmen" was past and gone.

"We can no longer indulge our traditional provincialism" said the President, "we are to play a leading part in the world drama whether we wish to or not. We shall lend, not borrow; act for ourselves, not imitate or follow; organize and initiate, not peep about merely to see where we may get it."

Speaking of his diplomatic negotiations with the European belligerents the president followed a declaration that while property rights might be vindicated by claims for damages, the loss of life and the fundamental rights of humanity never could be, with this statement:

"The record is clear and consistent throughout and stands distinct and definite for anyone to judge who wishes to know the truth about it."

"I am the candidate of a party, but I am above all things else an American citizen. I neither seek the favor nor fear the displeasure of that small alien element amongst us which puts loyalty to any foreign power before loyalty to the United States."

Regarding his Mexican policy he said that the people of Mexico were struggling "blindly it may be—and as yet ineffectually to free themselves from alien interests 'some of them Americans pressing for things they could never have got in their own country' and that he would do everything in his power to prevent anyone standing in their way.

"It is hard doctrine, only for those who wish to get something for themselves out of Mexico." At another point he said, "Mistakes have no doubt been made in this perplexing business but not in purpose or object."

Again: "I am more interested in the fortunes of oppressed men and pitiful women and children than in any property rights whatever."

At the outset of his references to the legislative achievements of his party the President enumerated the laws placed on the statute books relating to business, including tariff revision, anti trust laws, revision of the banking and currency system, rural credits, rehabilitation of the merchant marine and creation of the Federal Trade Commission.

"What other party has understood the task so well or executed it so intelligently and energetically?" he asked. "What other party has attempted it at all? The Republican leaders apparently know of no means of assisting business but protection. How to stimulate it and put it upon a new footing of energy and enterprise they have not suggested."

At the conclusion he said, "This extraordinary recital must sound like a platform, a list of sanguine promises; but it is not. It is a record of promises made four years ago and now actually redeemed in constructive legislation." Then later he said, "We have in four years come very near to carrying out the platform of the Progressive party as well as our own; for we are also progressives."

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to publicly thank the friends who so intimately ministered to us on the occasion of the death of our husband and father, and for the beautiful floral tokens and words of tenderest sympathy. May God bless you all.
MRS. E. McFARLIN
AND FAMILY.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of the sale of sixty head of registered Herefords, at the Midland Fair, Friday, September 29th, in this issue of the Record. These annual sales of the finest bred cattle produced in West Texas, have been anticipated by progressive stockmen since its inauguration. These cattle are home-raised and fully acclimated, while they carry the best blood and pedigrees to be found in the southwest. If contemplating the purchase of a new bull or high-grade heifers, no better oppor-

NATIONAL WOMAN SUFFRAGE MEET.

Atlantic City, Sept. 6.—The forty-eighth annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association opened here today.

Reports of committees occupied the morning session. One of the most important questions before the convention is whether to concentrate on federal or state campaigns. This is to be decided late in the session.

"Dixie Evening" will be celebrated at the night session tonight and Southern women will be the speakers.

President Wilson is expected to address the convention Friday.

The Association will not, according to influential leaders, endorse or criticize as an organization any candidate now in the field for the presidency of the United States because of his views on the question of equal rights for women.

The Association decided to continue the fight for votes for women by working for both the federal and state amendments.

PRESIDENT WILSON GIVES \$2,500 TO HOSPITALS.

Check Receive to be Divided Among Monmouth County Hospitals.

Long Branch, N. J., Sept. 6.—Congressman Thomas J. Scully of the Third New Jersey district, announced today the receipt of a check for \$2,500 from President Wilson to be divided among the Monmouth county hospitals, in accordance with the President's agreement in accepting Shadow Lawn as his summer home.

The President insisted on contributing the sum to charity, when Colonel Greenbut, the owner, refused to accept rental from the President.

WHEN WILL IT END.

Lloyd's quotations indicate the belief in European business circles that the war will not end before next spring. There is a general discussion of trade problems which will follow the war, but this is stimulated by the antagonism of the war rather than by an expectation that it is about to terminate. The allies are planning to exclude the Teutons, as far as possible, from the markets of the world, and to adopt reciprocal tariffs that will put Germany at a disadvantage. What steps are being taken by Germany to counteract this movement are unknown but it is a safe prediction that she will renew the fight for commercial supremacy as soon as the last gun is silenced.

The knowledge of these plans will tend to prolong the war until all the nations are prepared for the coming commercial struggle. Without a speedy rebuff of the Russian offensive, Germany and Austria will soon be driven back to their own soil, and, in that event, there will probably be a deadlock until spring. Hungary may be overrun by the Russian hordes, and Bulgaria would easily fall before Rumania, if that power should decide to enter the conflict. But it would require a miracle to beat down the line of defenses along the German border within a fortnight or two.

The struggle has become one of endurance, and all nations engaged are on their mettle. Whichever government may lose has an accounting to make with its own people that will probably approach a political revolution. Knowing this, each leadership is desperate, and will not spare men or money to achieve results. All are crippled, but no power engaged has come to the end of its resources. For these reasons, the optimism is unsound which counts upon peace before spring shall warm the earth next year.—Waco News.

There are 1,240,000 school children in Texas, and the per capita apportionment for the coming term is seven dollars each. Including special school taxes, Texas is probably spending something near twelve millions a year upon her public schools, and the cost of other schools will swell the total to fifteen millions a year she is spending for educational purposes. A pretty big sum, but the state with annual exports of over \$300,000,000 a year can afford it.

For the tenth consecutive time Judge K. K. Leggett of Abilene has been appointed referee in bankruptcy for the Abilene district.

Buy it in Colorado.

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If you should buy any Row Binder except the Time-tested

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you will be the loser economically. It has the best and lightest draft, with absolutely no "side pull" that fags your team and consumes time. We also carry a full line of repairs for these binders.

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in connection. Satisfaction or money back.
Opposite City National Bank

Country People
BRING US YOUR
CHICKENS AND
EGGS
AND LET US TRADE YOU GROCERIES AND MEAT FOR THEM
Beal's Market
PHONE 35

The Record has not reached that plane of enlightenment yet, where it believes in the government ownership of railroads and other great public utilities, but we do believe in government control of them in emergencies where the commerce and industries of the nation are threatened with interruption or derangement; just as we believe the president should be vested with extraordinary powers to act in such crises, promptly and effectively.

Still Giving The Same Old Service

The business institution that stays by the people in dull times as well as in seasons of prosperity—which shares the fortunes of its customers uncomplainingly—is the institution that commands generous patronage, because it deserves it. Alleged experts come and as frequently go, leaving behind them a sense of disappointment. This garage does its own work and permanent citizens are here to make it good.

Honest Service and Best Materials in the Long Run

My line of Tires and Accessories is full. Have your car put in shape for the good roads after the rain. I get your work done and done right.

Paramount Garage

HARRY LANDERS, Proprietor

Men's Hats

New Fall Styles, the correct shapes and colors. The Stetson Feature Hat, the CRITERION in real Stetson quality in the new Fall colors at

\$4.00

Other nobby new styles colors and shapes in the old reliable Chamois at

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for men and boys, colors, weaves and models that are prevailing for this the new Fall season. The old reliable Serges and Fancy Mixtures, and values the best going.

Men's New Fall SHOES

The WALK OVER---the ALDEN WALKER & WILDE and THE STETSON, prices

\$4.00-\$5.00-\$6.00-\$7.00

F. M. BURNS

WESTBROOK ITEMS.

Westbrook was blessed with a nice shower Friday and Saturday, but it wasn't enough to put out much stock water.
Mrs. Bessie Young, after visiting several days in Colorado, the guest of Mrs. Douglas, returned home Sunday.
Mr. Ralph Branson returned from Fort Worth Saturday where he had been visiting his grandmother.
Messrs Ollie Bird and Milo McNary

spent several days in Big Spring this week.
Dr. N. J. Phenix and son Carl, of Colorado, were visiting in Westbrook Friday.
Mr. Key Hooks of Teeville, was a visitor here Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Sheffield spent Sunday in Westbrook and attended services at the Baptist church.
Quite a number from here attended the singing convention at Rogers Sunday.
Mr. Albert Young of Big Spring, came down Monday to see his sister, Mrs. J. L. Felker.
Mr. M. E. Williams left last week

for Mineral Wells, he will go from there to Batesville, Ark., before returning home.
Mr. S. P. Reed and son D. I., were business visitors in Big Spring the first of the week.
Miss Elon McDonald is on the sick list this week.
Miss Ruby Conaway returned from Chicago, Thursday, where she has been studying art.
Mr. Claude Hooks of Teeville, visited in Westbrook Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Barnes returned from their trip to Mart, the last of the week. Miss Winnie Barnes went on to Houston, where she will enter school.
Mr. John Vickers and niece, Mrs. Golden, were in from the McEntire ranch, Saturday, shopping and visiting relatives.
Mr. Reece, who has been living north of town, left Saturday for Mt. Vernon.
Mrs. Childress of Van Horn, spent several days this week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Barnes.
Messrs Claude Bell and Coit Butler left Monday for Glasscock county.
Mr. J. T. Smith and Bro. Hull motored over to Colorado, Monday.
Miss Zennia Smart is visiting in Colorado this week, the guest of Miss Ruby Green.
Dr. W. H. Butler and Rev. A. D. Leach and son, G. R. Leach, were business visitors in Colorado Tuesday.
The many friends of Mrs. W. H. Butler will be glad to learn that she is much improved and was able to leave the sanitarium, last Friday—and we sincerely hope that she will soon be able to return home.
Mrs. J. H. Board and little daughter Mary, came in Sunday from Mansfield.
Messrs E. Hamilton, H. L. May, R. M. Morris, John Marsh and Sam Bullock left Tuesday in a car for Post City.
Rev. C. F. Carmack filled his regular appointment in the Methodist pulpit here Sunday. His son Carl and three little girls came over with him, attended services and visited friends here.
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Overstreet, after visiting Mr. J. T. Candler for several weeks, returned to their home in Rcanoke, Va., Tuesday.
Mr. Roy Farmer and Misses Watson and Miss Ellis of Colorado, were visitors in Westbrook Sunday.
Word has been received that Mr. A. J. Culpepper was seriously ill at Fort



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It is a pure, odorless, tasteless wax, the best seal for all kinds of jars, bottles and glasses. Your preserves will retain all the natural flavors of the fresh fruits with TEXWAX.

Get TEXWAX in one-pound packages from the TEXACO dealer near you. He has other TEXACO PRODUCTS for home use.

THE TEXAS COMPANY

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Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Culpepper were visiting in Arkansas when he was first taken. He began to improve and they started for home, but was unable to come further than Fort Worth.
Mr. E. V. Bell shipped a car of hogs to Fort Worth markets Tuesday.
Mrs. R. L. Rogers and children of Big Spring are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rogers, this week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Adam were Colorado visitors Tuesday.
Rev. O. J. Hull filled the Baptist pulpit here Saturday and Sunday.
The Philharmonic class had their first meeting Saturday afternoon. There was quite a number in attendance and a nice program was rendered. Their next meeting will be next Saturday at 4 p. m. at the Baptist church.
Mr. E. G. Red and son Elmer returned from their work in Colorado Monday.
Messrs H. A. Leseter and A. M. Bell were Howard county visitors the first of the week.
Messrs W. F. Weaver and Morgan returned from Post City Sunday.
Mr. E. S. Hudson left Tuesday night for Tie to visit his brother Rev. M. H. Hudson.

A TWICE-TOLD TALE.

Of Interest to Our Readers.
Good news bears repeating, and when it is confirmed after a long lapse of time, even if we hesitated to believe it at first hearing, we feel secure in accepting its truth now. The following experience of a Colorado man is confirmed after three years.

J. W. Nunn, prop. Colorado Hotel, Elm Street, Colorado, says: "Some years ago I suffered terrible agony from my kidneys. Nothing did me any good until I read of Doan's Kidney Pills and got a box. I used them as directed and they soon cured me of the attack." (Statement given January 18, 1912).

Still Uses Doan's.

On November 4, 1915, Mr. Nunn said: "I am just as glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills today as when I gave my former recommendation. Whenever I use this medicine, I receive good results."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Nunn has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

MEXICAN AMERICAN COMMISSION READY

New York, Sept. 3.—All the members of the Mexican commission and the representatives of the United States appointed by their respective governments to settle the differences between the two countries were in this city tonight, preparatory to their departure for New London, Conn., on Tuesday or Wednesday for joint conferences at a place as yet undetermined. The party leaving here will consist of twenty-eight persons, all of whom will make the trip on the presidential yacht Mayflower.

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This is a medicine that every family should be provided with. Colic and diarrhoea often come on suddenly and it is of the greatest importance that they be treated promptly. Consider the suffering that must be endured until a physician arrives or medicine can be obtained. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has a reputation second to none for the quick relief which it affords. Obtainable everywhere.

MODEL 75-B STANDS UP UNDER DIFFICULT TEST

A sensational night trip was made recently by G. W. Graham, Overland dealer at Houston, Tex., with an ambulance built on a Model 75-B Overland chassis for the army. The trip was 249 miles altogether and was made by Mr. Graham in 15 hours total time over the worst possible roads.

"Can you be sure what your car will do?" asked a staff officer.
"What is the worst road you have here?" asked Graham of the officer.
"The road up to Fort Ringgold. There is a truck stuck somewhere along the road now," was the officer's reply.

The car made the round trip without mishap or stop save 45 minutes at Fort Ringgold for inspection by the medical officer in charge there. Through deep sand and at other times, equally deep mud the car sped onward over rocks, gullies and hills, most of the time on an unmarked trail.

"I consider the trip to be the hardest test the little Overland has ever had," said Mr. Graham. "We left Ringgold at 2 a. m. arriving at Brownsville at 9 a. m. It was 249 miles of the hardest going imaginable, and we were absent from Fort Brown just 15 hours. Officers familiar with the conditions stated it would take at least three days to make the trip."

ELEPHANT BUTTE DAM COMPLETE

WILL DEDICATE GREATEST IRRIGATION DAM.

President Wilson to Officiate at Dedicatory Ceremonies at Elephant Butte.

As a preliminary event to the Eleventh International Soil-Products Exposition and the annual session of the International Dry-Farming and Irrigation Congresses at El Paso, Texas, in October, the greatest dam in the world, impounding the largest artificial body of water in the world, will be dedicated at Elephant Butte, New Mexico, by President Woodrow Wilson.

The date for the dedication of this dam is set for October 14. This event will be immediately followed by the opening of the Soil-Products Exposition at El Paso, where it is expected that the president will also speak.

The products now growing throughout the Rio Grande Valley below the dam will be thoroughly represented at the Exposition, where they may be compared with similar products grown in many parts of the world.

Delegates to the Congresses and visitors to the Exposition will have ample opportunity of visiting and inspecting this great structure, as well as the vast and fertile valley which the water it impounds is designed to irrigate.

The dimensions of this dam, the quantity of water it will impound, and the area which will finally be irrigated from it, are set forth in stupendous figures. Nevertheless, a full understanding and appreciation of this immense proposition, which appears to have been so capably designed and executed, is not possible without a personal inspection.

The dam is 1,200 feet long at the top; the height from the deepest excavation is 304.5 feet; the width or thickness of the roadway at the top is 16 feet; the structure contains 610,000 cubic yards of masonry.

The reservoir, when full, will contain 2,642,292 acre-feet of water. This is 115,098,000,000 cubic feet, or 862,200,000,000 gallons. It would cover to a depth of one foot an area of 4,285 square miles. The depth of water near the dam will be 192 feet; average depth over the entire reservoir, 64 feet; the average width of the reservoir will be 1 3/4 miles; its maximum length 45 miles; shore line 200 miles, and area of water surface 42,000 acres.

The total cost of this dam and accompanying work will be in the neighborhood of ten million dollars. Annual payments to the government will finally reimburse it for this expense.

Modern dam designing and construction has reached such a stage of scientific perfection that one man, or two at the most, will be able to absolutely control the entire operation of this one, including the exact regulation of the amount of water released, and the application where needed of the hydro-electric power developed, which may reach 35,000 horse-power or more. Thus one man's hand, on a valve-wheel or switch, can withhold for or supply to two hundred miles of a great and fertile valley, the life-giving water to transform it from a desert into a panorama of green fields, orchards, gardens and prosperous homes; flood a dozen towns with electric light, or cast them all into darkness; apply the energy to operate a thousand industrial plants, or stop every wheel; make the river lift itself by its bootstraps, by using the energy developed by the rush of water to the lower valley to raise other water from the reservoir over the mountains, and out onto the very mesa.

That the International Farm Congress (the Dry-Farming Congress) will be staged amid lively surroundings and in good company this year is realized when it is known that the lively city of El Paso, Texas, the center of United States army life and the pivotal point in international relations between the United States and Mexico, has been selected as the place of meeting.

FOUR BIG EVENTS IN ONE

Just what the conditions along the border will be in October cannot be exactly foretold at this time, but it is certain that there will be many thousands of Uncle Sam's soldiers at El Paso, and that it will be perfectly safe for everybody to go there and view the stirring scenes.

The International Soil-Products Exposition, which is held under the management of the Farm Congress, will open at El Paso on October 14, and continue ten days. This Exposition, together with the Congress, was held at Denver last year, and at Wichita in 1914. It is recognized as the greatest show of its class in the world.

The Elephant Butte Dam, the largest irrigation dam in the world, will be dedicated just prior to the opening of the Exposition, by President Woodrow Wilson.

The International Irrigation Congress will hold a three days' session at El Paso, beginning October 16 with an opening session at the Elephant Butte dam on October 14.

The International Dry-Farming Congress will meet October 19, 20 and 21. Thus, within the period of October 14 to 24, three of the big events of the year will be staged at El Paso, with the fourth, the Elephant Butte dedication, at the same time, and close enough for everybody to attend.



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It has absolutely NONE of the burning, clothes eating, hand stinging disadvantages of common quick cleaners.

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It costs less than 2c a washing—sold in 25c boxes. It washes colored clothes without fading—woolens without shrinking or hardening, and positively will not rot or weaken lace curtains so they tear easily, but keeps them strong besides absolutely clean.
Sold by all Drugists and Grocers everywhere. If yours doesn't handle it, show him this ad—he'll get it for you. Or send 25c in stamps to E. Richards Co., Shreve, La.

ROGERS ITEMS.

Sept. 4.—The singing convention at Rogers last Sunday was enjoyed by all. There was some fine singing and a good dinner was spread.
E. O. Carnack preaches at Rogers once a month.
The farmers around Rogers are getting ready now to pick cotton.
The rain was good and will help lots of cotton and young feed, that's lately planted.
Mr. Tims of Buffalo Gap is visiting relatives at Rogers and Fairview.
Miss Cross of Dallas is still visiting her parents at Rogers.
Jack Ross was visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pond for a day or so last week.
Henry Pond is still visiting home folks, but is going back to his work in El Paso the next few days.
W. H. Pond's daughter-in-law, Alice is still visiting here, but is making preparations to go home soon, to El Paso.
Several from Rogers visited the carnival at Colorado last week.

How to Give Good Advice.
The best way to give good advice is to set a good example. When others see how quickly you get over your cold by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they are likely to follow your example. This remedy has been in use for many years and enjoys an excellent reputation. Obtainable everywhere.
R. C. Johnston, of Waxahachie, Tex. has just written to the Overland factory at Toledo, O., of his 2400 mile trip through the Rocky Mountain region in a Willys-Knight Model 84-B. "Although there were four of us in the party," wrote Mr. Johnston, "and we carried a complete camping outfit, we consumed only \$18 worth of gasoline and oil, an average cost of two cents per mile. We are very proud of this record."—Winn & Payne, local agents.

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In addition to other properties, Lax-Fos contains Cascara in acceptable form, a stimulating Laxative and Tonic. Lax-Fos acts effectively and does not gripe nor disturb stomach. At the same time, it aids digestion, arouses the liver and secretions and restores the healthy functions. 50c.

At Jno. L. Deas' Pharmacy drugs are always fresh and prescriptions filled by competent druggists.

TEXAS IS ON CASH BASIS.

September 1 There will Be \$3,000,000 in Treasury; Schools Have One Million.

Austin, Texas, Aug. 28.—Appropriations aggregating approximately \$7,000,000 for the support of the state government for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1917, will become available on September 1, 1916. This includes appropriations for the salaries of 81 district judges, and judges of the nine courts of civil appeals, the state...

For the first time in a number of years, the state will start the new fiscal year on a firm cash basis and with no indications of any deficiency. There will be on the first of September over \$3,000,000 in cash in the state treasury to the credit of general revenue, and the available school fund will have close to \$1,000,000 to its credit. This \$3,000,000 will be able to carry on the state's business until next January, when 1917 taxes will be pouring into the treasury department from tax collections. Despite the fact that the state ad valorem tax rate has been reduced from 30 to 20 cents on the \$100 property valuation it is estimated there will be more than sufficient revenue to meet all obligations as they become due.

With at least \$1,000,000 to the cred-

it of the available school fund it will be possible for an apportionment to be made in September of not less than 75 cents per capita of scholars, based on 1,240,000 scholars. The annual per capita apportionment is \$7 this year. Because of a deficit in the available school fund, it was impossible to make any appropriation at the beginning of the new fiscal year.

BANDITS WRECK TRAIN KILL MANY SOLDIERS.

Laredo, Sept. 4.—Twenty-five Mexican soldiers and seven Mexican civilians were killed last Thursday when a military train was wrecked by bandits below Carenas between San Luis Potosi and Tampico, according to advices received here today. The bandits lacerated the train guards and carried away everything moveable.

WATSONS MAKE BOND.

Waco, Sept. 5.—By joint agreement between the state and the defense, bail in the sum of \$5,000 each was allowed J. E. and W. R. Watson, indicted by the McLennan county grand jury for the murder of John S. Patterson, commissioner of banking and insurance at Tague. The bond was furnished and the cases were set for Sept. 18.

The Fluvanna Progress by L. B. Shook, is the most recent addition to our exchange list. The Record exchanges with pleasure. The town of Fluvanna has long needed a live newspaper, and L. B. Shook is the very man to give it.

LORAIN LOCALS.

Mr. Wm. Perkins of Lamesa was busy here the latter part of the week. Mr. S. Samuels of Sweetwater was here in the interest of Sanger Bros. Saturday.

Mrs. V. I. Roberts is quite sick. Misses Ava and Alma Avinger left Saturday for Canyon City to enter school, after visiting their sister, Mrs. G. C. Reeder, during the summer.

C. D. Baker, Forest and Wayne Phillips of Colorado and Wilber Coffee and Ernest Crownover were guests in the D. M. Vison home Sunday.

Mrs. Clements was called to Baird on account of the serious illness of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd of Amarillo returned to their home after visiting his uncle, Mr. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Garrett and children, after visiting with relatives for the past week returned to their home at Plains.

Mrs. E. A. Campbell and daughter, Miss Ruby, of Colorado, returned home Saturday, after visiting with Mrs. Bruce Phenix the past week.

Rev. J. S. Heath, the new pastor for the Baptist church, held his first service Sunday. Rev. Heath is an able, earnest speaker and comes highly recommended to his people, and they are to be congratulated on securing him as a pastor. He and family will occupy the new parsonage near the church.

Mrs. Parker and daughter, Miss Dell

have returned from an extended visit to Dublin. They were accompanied by Mrs. Parker's sister, Mrs. C. C. Britton, and children who will visit with Mrs. Simer and Mrs. Parker.

Miss Jettie Wharton of Roscoe visited Miss Rhuey Altman the earlier part of the week.

Mrs. Campbell of Bellview is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis.

Mrs. F. Miles left Friday for Matador where she will teach in the public schools.

Mr. W. L. Petty of Abilene was busy here from Thursday to Saturday.

Dr. Boaz, President of the Texas Woman's College, was here Friday in the interest of that institution and enrolled Misses Rhuey and Wanda Altman and Marie Coffee for next term.

Mr. J. F. Hiser was in Monday and reports the loss of two fine horses.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gregg have returned from Sweetwater and will make their home here again. Mr. Gregg will engage in the tailoring business.

Mr. J. F. Hiser reports the sale of four bales of cotton that brought him over four hundred dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cook were up from Silver, Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Oakley and baby have returned from Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lowrey moved to Roscoe this week where Mr. Lowrey will have employment with the Bishop Drug Co.

Rev. C. E. Jameson and family and Mrs. Allie M. Erwin were Sunday guests in the Bird home out at Zellner.

Misses Ethel and Willie Gregg and John Erwin made a business trip to Westbrook Tuesday.

Mrs. C. M. Thompon and Mrs. T. R. Bennett were called to Hermleigh Tuesday to the bedside of Mr. W. B. Thompon who was seriously ill of appendicitis.

Mr. H. B. Wilson is enjoying a Hupp-mobility recently purchased at Colorado.

Mr. M. K. Jackson of Colorado was smiling on friends here Wednesday.

Mr. A. L. Stuart of Colorado was busy here Wednesday.

Miss Dell Parker is back at work in the millinery department of the Lorraine Merc. Co.

Miss Grace Burrus left Sunday night for Cisco, where she entered Britton College for the fall term.

Mr. Claude Muns is the new book-keeper for the Planters' gin.

The relatives of Mr. W. D. McCauley who has been at Marlin for the past month for his health, received the news recently that he is in the sanitarium and his condition considered serious, which his many friends will regret to know.

Drs. Crisler and McCoy of Colorado have secured the use of Dr. Henthorn's office and will practice here part of the time.

Mrs. Ethel Scales and daughter of Hermleigh returned to their home after visiting in the B. D. Smith home a week.

Misses Gregg have received announcement of the marriage of Miss Nesta Peacock and Mr. Wellborn Jackson, which took place at her home Sunday the 4th, at McCauley. Miss Peacock has visited here and has many friends who will learn with interest of her marriage.

Mrs. Martin is having a new resi-



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dence built on the lots joining that of her son, Dr. T. A. Martin.

Mrs. A. K. Hall motored to Colorado Monday and did some shopping.

The Cemetery Association met on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. A. C. Pratt.

Mrs. Effie Lacy returned to her home at Brownwood, Saturday after spending the past month with her sister, Mrs. Hiram Toler.

The Home Study Class met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Jim Johnson.

Mrs. Cornette Wimberly and her adopted daughter are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wimberly.

The Methodist people and their friends showered Rev. C. E. Jameson and family on Monday afternoon. Quite a collection of nice and useful things were donated.

Mr. John McRea has employment in the Toler and Petty office.

The Mother and Teachers' Club met with Mrs. Jim Johnson on Monday afternoon. This was the first meeting since the close of school. Much interest was manifested and plans laid for fall work.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hollingsworth returned to their home at Brownsville Sunday, accompanied by little Marshalline Stowe, who will spend the winter with them.

Miss Bessie Boykin returned to her home at Grapeland Sunday, accompanied by Mrs. Cornelia Hollingsworth and grandson, James Harold Stowe.

Messrs C. C. and C. M. Brown and Mrs. S. L. Sims of Haneyville, La., are guests in the J. K. Mahon home.

Henry Doss, local Dort distributor does not mince words when he comes to express his opinion of the motorist who endangers the lives of others with his glaring headlights. We print his remarks on this subject with a recommendation for their thoughtful reading by Colorado motorists:

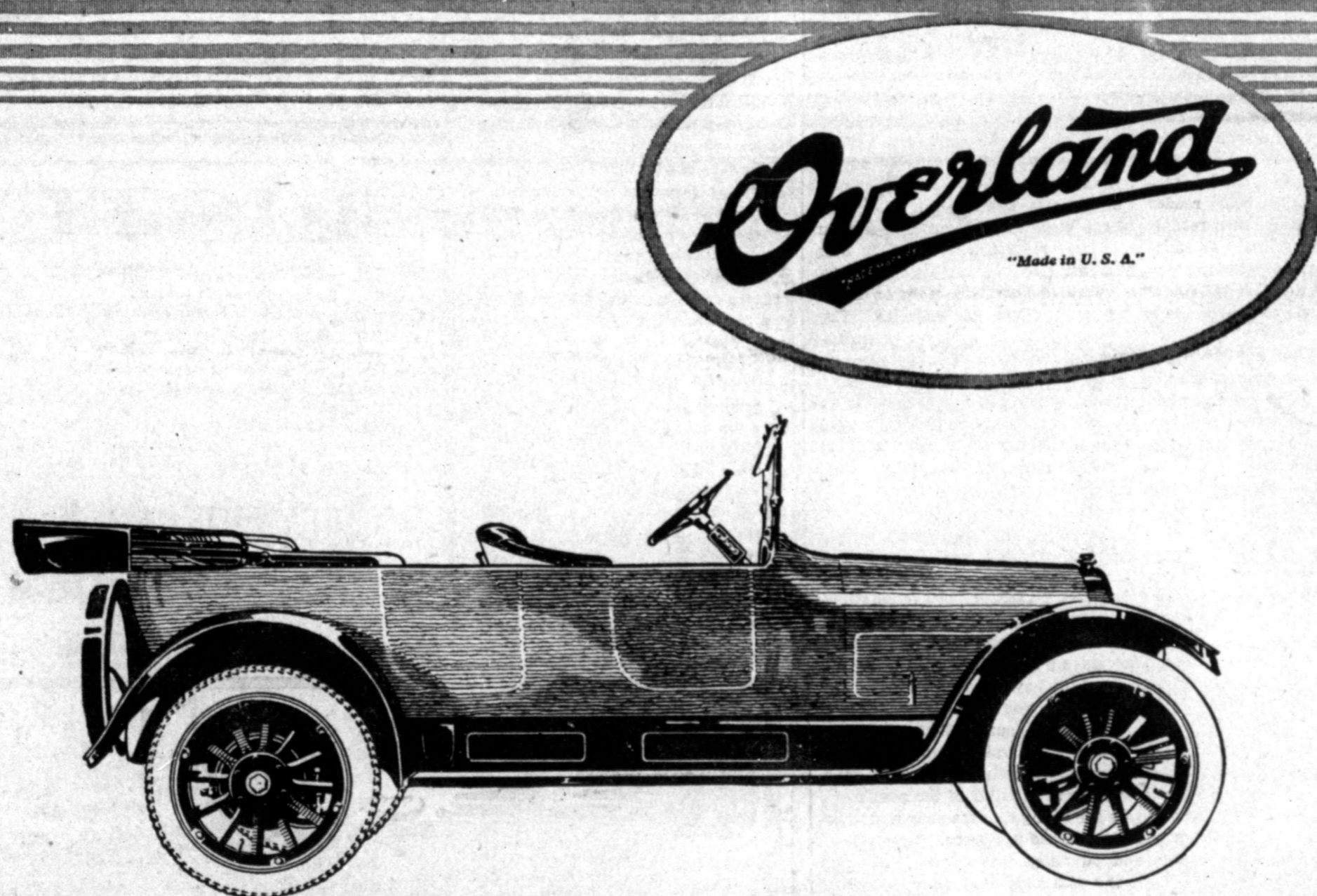
"One has only to open his morning paper to read about a number of accidents caused by drivers being blinded by the brilliant headlights of approaching cars. The time for the motorist to act on this nuisance has come. Glaring headlights on the country roads are no longer a matter of lack of courtesy or bad manners. They are a menace to public safety. Cities have already passed and are rigidly enforcing laws on the glaring headlight; but almost nothing has been done about it in the country, where it is most dangerous of all. The remedy and only remedy lies in the hands of the motorists, and for common safety's sake they should take matters into their own hands. Many Colorado motorists have experienced this annoyance at some time or other. Many are guilty of it themselves. It is time for them to take a really serious view of the danger to which this thoughtlessness is subjecting others. The bright headlight is a necessity in country driving at night. Its abuse is a nuisance and criminal carelessness, for that is the ugly name the law calls it. Use your headlight, a country, by all means, but use it with a respect for the other driver's rights, and turn them down when a car approaches you, and leave them down until the other car has passed."

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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	2.72	1.73	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	7.82	2.95	2.77	2.33	.62	33.32
1907	.21	.00	2.04	.34	2.10	2.33	9.42	.15	.176	.63	1.93	.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	.60	.20	.48	.66	1.40	1.13	.16	1.14	.90	3.53	.88	.00	10.42
1911	.41	4.48	.72	2.12	.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	1.92	.00	1.56	12.41
1913	2.17	.40	2.07	1.75	1.30	2.77	2.69	.16	.00	2.60	2.75	4.57	23.23
1914	.00	.15	.40	3.85	5.37	4.70	2.75	5.85	.70	5.75	.81	1.53	31.86
1915	.17	1.21	.21	5.05	2.24	2.41	2.55	2.86	6.58	2.63	.00	.43	26.34
1916	.09	.08	1.05	2.22									

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



Buchanan Defeated the First Republican Candidate.

THE election of 1856 was the first contest between the two parties as they exist today. Buchanan, Democrat of Pennsylvania, opposed John C. Fremont, Republican, of New York. The Republican party had just been created. Slavery was the principal issue, and signs of the approaching catastrophe were plainly visible. Buchanan was elected, receiving a popular vote of 1,838,169 to 1,341,264 for his opponent, Millard Fillmore of New York, who was the candidate of the American party, received 874,538 votes. J. C. Breckinridge, Democrat, of Kentucky, was chosen vice president.

(Watch for the election of Lincoln in 1860 in our next issue.)

A MUCH BETTER PLAN.

The carnival has come, taken away many good dollars, and gone to greener pastures. The Record believes from various expressions of opinion, that the tax payers in general and the business men in particular of Colorado, would be willing to go down in their pockets and contribute to any organization useful to the community, more money than that particular organization's usual take-off from any carnival or other so-called attraction brought to Colorado under the auspices and wing of that organization, whether it be the fire department, band or anything else.

A large and respectable element of our citizenship has expressed itself as fully satisfied with carnivals and full-week tented aggregations. Writing in general terms, the average carnival is more a recruiting station for light-headed, show-struck and unsophisticated girls, than an element of clean and elevating entertainment. The citizens of Colorado would not stand for the same class of entertainment if set on by home promoters, while the money taken from the community, never to return, by these fly-by-nights, is so small matter.

The argument that these carnivals and shows spend considerable money in the various lines of local business, aside from paying a stiff license, is not a sound one. So would a saloon,

A PETTED VIPER.

The concrete truth of the adage that a frozen viper will bite the hand of warming hospitality, comes to the fore now and again. The following extract written by an officer of the Pennsylvania regiment that was delayed over Sunday in Colorado, to the Lancaster (Pa.) New Era, is one of the most flagrant examples of the buoyancy of "scum" we have ever known. It will be interesting reading to the good people of Colorado, who did all that was possible on so short notice and time of stay of the soldiers, to make things pleasant and comfortable for them. They were taken into the homes of our citizens with open handed hospitality, and more than fifty automobiles were engaged up to the time of departure, in riding them over the town. Had they been home boys instead of rank strangers, they could not have received a heartier welcome or more spontaneous kindness. In fact, Rev. Miller, the Chaplain, expressed his delight at the reception accorded him and "his boys," as indeed, many of the guardsmen themselves did. They declared their treatment by Colorado people was the kindest and most appreciated they had received since entering in Pennsylvania. But read this extract from a letter written from Colorado by Major Berntheizel, judge advocate in military life, but a district attorney in civil walks:

"We are held here behind a wreck and are informed that we will be unable to move for another hour. It is hotter than hades. I am not surprised that the average Texan is a shiftless cuss. They don't work between 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. I suspect that they don't work much before or after those hours."

"We have just returned from chapel. A large tabernacle was erected for the accommodation of all sects here and the chaplain of the battery—an exceptional man—preached a beautiful sermon. Two sections of the battery pulled up just in time for the services. There must have been 1,000 citizens, including the judge, several doctors and the Episcopalian minister, present. The battery chaplain is also chaplain of the Western penitentiary. His sermon was replete with touching illustrations.

"We had short lay-overs at Austin and Fort Worth for exercise. They are up to the minute as far as western cities go, but even those cities can't get away from the one-story buildings. A seven-story hotel in Austin is the wonder of the community. On a guess there aren't ten three-story buildings in both Austin and Fort Worth. While this little burg is the county seat, I wouldn't care to live here for a less salary than \$10,000 a year—nothing but Mexicans and negroes and hotter than cotton.

"I have mailed you either postals or letters almost every hundred miles, but we are obliged to throw them off the moving train and trust to the honesty of the boys to mail them. If they didn't reach you blame it on the boys."

"Ten miles out of Fort Worth we came on the typical southern Texas landscape—a rolling, barren, sand-swept prairie. Half of the people one sees are riding a Texas pony and wearing the broad sombrero. They ride 30 and 40 miles into town. This sure is the wild and woolly west. Much to our surprise we have seen dozens of Ford automobiles in the wildest part of the country. Even these southern Texans are learning to eliminate space."

The Record has naught but praise and goodwill for the patriotic body of Pennsylvanians who were delayed here on the way to protect our southern border. There are as good people in that state as abide in any other—and as degenerate. Every body of men has its Judas Iscariot and its Benedict Arnold, and the fine body of troops from Pennsylvania is no exception to this rule. Look at that name again—analyze its racial elements and its tendencies just at this time—Berntheizel! How far would you risk that name in the dark with a match? Then associate this name with the York, Lancaster and Gettysburg districts of Pennsylvania, and the rest is easily deduced. Such libel could not come from a Murphy or an O'Toole.

Passing over the base coarseness of the man's statements, his evident can't-be-true statement, there is not a single statement relating to the physical condition of that part of Texas through which he passed, that bears the remotest relation to the truth. His statement that the "average Texan is a shiftless cuss" hallmarks him as great an ignoramus as he writes himself knave.

"This Major confesses he would not care to live in Colorado on a salary less than \$10,000 per year. If he lived here and received that salary, it would have to come from an York-Lancaster district, Pennsylvania, where his sort are spawned. There's nothing his kind could do in Colorado that would be worth \$100 the year—except possibly,

as a germicide in the tick eradication tank.

This Major was surprised to see "dozens of Ford cars in the wildest part of the country." Benighted fool. If he had possessed the statistical knowledge of an eighth grade school boy, he had known that there are more automobiles owned per thousand population, in Texas, and particularly in West Texas, than in the state of New York or Pennsylvania. Midland county had more than 300 cars registered eight years ago. Mitchell county now has nearly 500 cars registered, all within the past nine years. One west Texas county has the distinction of having an automobile to every family in the county. There is not a kid, we dare say, in West Texas that is not familiar with a dozen makes of automobiles, and we also dare say, there are thousands in some cities of Pennsylvania, whose idea of heaven is riding one time in any kind of a gas wagon.

Again and worse: "On a guess, there are more than ten three-story buildings in Austin and Fort Worth." No one living inside Texas needs have this clumsy lie contradicted to them. It falls of its own weight. Again he lies with assinine stupidity—"This is certainly a wild and woolly West." There are more thugs, yeggmen, professional crooks, second story artists, woolly suckers and make-a-living-at-it lars in Philadelphia alone, than in the entire empire of Texas.

The accurate Major displays his ignorance of Texas geography in mistaking Dallas for Austin. He was "billed" over the Texas & Pacific road through every acre of Texas territory he saw from Texarkana to El Paso, 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. I suspect that they was as far from law as from the City of New York the hour he left his home. The Major is far too small an ass to compass Texas with a bilious eye.

As a sidelight on the Major and the spirit of his natal environment, we recall an instance we heard General Jno. B. Gordon relate in his lecture, "Last Days of the Confederacy." His division was camped near Gettysburg, just before the fatal and decisive battle of that name. His men needed horses and were willing to allow the "enemy's country" to contribute. One Sunday morning a great disturbance was heard in camp and two lusty, indignant German farmers were brought before him and told to lodge their grievance. They said: "Shen'ral, you tam men took two of our best Norman mares. Py damste we liefer dey take our wives or daughters." You get the point, Major?

If, while cutting down their consumption of white paper, some of the so-called big dailies would put in more brains, it would be more of an even swap.

The law of Christ is the law of love.—Luther.

What Would We Do Without Sugar?



We are so used to sugar that we are likely to forget to give it its properly important place. Right now if somebody asked you what sugar was good for you'd probably say—"Oh! to put in coffee and tea and for making candies and desserts." That's it—we all think of sugar as a sweetener and overlook its value as a food.

The chemists classify sugar as a hydrocarbon—that name may or may not be interesting to us, but what is interesting is their statement that it has, as a hydrocarbon, equal food value with the starchy foods and by digestion largely adds to the fatty tissues of the body.

Why do we eat sugar anyway? Your first answer might be: "Because it is sweet and tastes good." Of itself the answer would be correct, but the more important fact is that the body craves sugar because it needs it. And when the body craves something it gives us an appetite for it. So primarily that's why we like sugar and things made with sugar and not just because they are sweet.

In view of the fact that sugar has gone up so tremendously of late these facts are interesting because we find that instead of the luxury sugar having gone up it is the FOOD sugar that has raised its price. Yet—even though the price is up we have to have our sweet food just the same.

Certainly the makers of that delicious beverage Coca-Cola must have discovered that sugar is up, because one of the principal ingredients in making Coca-Cola syrup is fine cane sugar. Think of it!—they use an average of 80 tons of sugar a day—about 4 carloads. But unlike many manufacturers that company has itself borne the raise and so you and I pay just the same today for our bottle or glass of Coca-Cola that we've always paid. Incidentally, this phase of the situation is a good reminder of the benefits one gets from drinking a beverage as pure and good as Coca-Cola. Not only do we please our palates and derive wholesome refreshment from the drink but we also give our systems that bit of extra sweetness that they crave and which is necessary to health and tissues. In it any wonder then that Coca-Cola is so popular and so universally drunk that it has been called "the drink the nation drinks"?



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—BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY—

You will confer a favor upon the Record and the editor of this department if you will 'phone her (No. 157) any announcement or news item.

LIFE.

We live in deeds, not years; in thoughts, not breaths; in feelings, not in figures on a dial. We should count time by heartthrobs. He most lives who thinks most, feels the noblest, acts the best. And he whose heart beats quickest, lives the longest; Lives in one hour more than in years do some. Whose fat blood sleeps as it slips along their veins. Life is but a means unto an end; that end, Ecstasizing, mean, and end to all things—God. The dead have all the glory of the world. —Phillip J. Bailey

E. McFARLIN IS DEAD.

After months of suffering and heroic fortitude, the tired spirit and exhausted vitality of E. McFarlin reached their human limit last Friday morning, and his disembodied spirit winged its flight into the great unknown, where there is no suffering, disease or bodily fatigue.

Mr. McFarlin and family came to Colorado nearly four years ago from Missouri, in the hope that the climate might benefit his broken health. For a time, he did feel improved, but it was not permanent, and for the past year, he declined rapidly to the end that awaits us all. Funeral services were conducted at the family residence Saturday afternoon by Rev. Williamson at four o'clock, after which his frail tenement of clay was reverently laid in the bosom of Mother Earth to wait the resurrection call.

"Mac," as he was called by all who knew him, was a man of gentle and kindly spirit; patient under the rod of sore affliction and resigned to his fate. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his departure, to whom the Record extends sympathy in their bereavement.

HAGLER-WALLER.

Mr. A. J. Hagler and Mrs. M. M. Waller were quietly married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Jenkins, at seven o'clock last Saturday night, by Rev. Stultz of the Church of Christ. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hagler have been citizens of Mitchell county for many years and have many friends who rejoice with them in their newly found happiness. Mr. Hagler is one of the most progressive and prosperous farmers in this county, as well as one of its most influential citizens. The Record congratulates them both.

Miss Elvora Dulaney went to Big Spring last Saturday to arrange for opening a branch house of the "Mrs. E. F. Mills Millinery Company" in that place. Temporary quarters were secured until larger and permanent location is secured. A large stock of millinery will be put in this house and Miss Delaney will have active and personal charge. The Record commends

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HEADACHE NEURALGIA?

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Miss Delaney to the people of Big Spring most heartily. Her good taste and personal popularity in her home town have been great factors in the building up of the big business this establishment has so long enjoyed.

PROGRESSIVE HOUSE PARTY.

Misses Lottie Landers, Winnie Vaughan, Lottie Pritchett, Winnie Crockett and Carrie Mae Mitchell gave a progressive house party last week and this week, honoring Miss Alice Majors of Sweetwater. It began last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Crockett, with a bunco party in the evening with their boy friends as special guests. Correspondence cards were presented to Miss Carrie Mae Mitchell for making the highest score and a sport tie to Miss Majors as a souvenir of the event. A lovely salad course was served.

On Friday Mrs. Landers entertained them in her home and in the evening Mrs. Hooten entertained with a bunco party. Again the highest score was made by Miss Mitchell and she received a box of stationery for her triumph—Miss Marion Adams the most bunco, and she also received stationery. The boys making the highest score were Kirk and Lester Ratliff and they were presented a pair of silk socks. The honoree was presented with a pair of silk hose. Ice cream and cake were served.

Saturday night Mrs. Mitchell entertained them. In the evening they were given an auto ride and a trip to the carnival.

Sunday they were entertained with a dinner at the Barcroft.

Monday Mrs. Vaughan had them in her home. The evening was spent at the picture show and serenading. Tuesday concluded the happy events with a trip to Landers' ranch.

Last Thursday was the 80th birthday of Mr. Lowe, father of Mrs. Barcroft, and in celebration of his attainment to the dignity of an octogenarian, she prepared a most excellent dinner and had as his guests all others of the town who had attained a like dignity of years. Father Hall was the dean of the gathering, being 86; Grandma Cooksey was next in seniority, being 85 in October; Mr. McGuire, Wm. Deluks, Mr. Nichols, coming along in order. Mr. Lowe received a fine gold watch and several other nice presents adapted to a youngster with a corn-stalk horse and waist bodies. May he celebrate many more such occasions.

BUNCO.

Miss Frances McMurry entertained Friday afternoon with a Bunco party honoring Miss Lucie Blume of Fort Worth. Miss Dorothy Burns won the highest score and was presented a skirt hanger. The honoree was presented with a dainty handmade handkerchief. After the games cake and ice cream were served.

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION.

The Cemetery Association met with Mrs. Geo. W. Smith last Friday for the purpose of electing officers. The following were elected: Mrs. Gustine President; Mrs. Earnest, First Vice President and Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. G. W. Donaldson, Second Vice President; Mrs. Callen, Third Vice President; Mrs. Geo. W. Smith, Secretary; Mrs. J. L. Shepherd, Treasurer.

RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY.

The afflictive hand of divine providence has taken from our midst the mother of our Sov's. Dr. Phenix and Lillian Phenix. While we feel our loss most keenly it is heaven's eternal gain. Put we, as members of the Woodmen Circle, bow submissively to the will of our Heavenly Father, and deeply sympathize with our sovereigns in their hour of sorrow and grief, and be it:

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be given Dr. and Mrs. Phenix and also printed in the Colorado Record.

Fraternally submitted,
MRS. NELLY DeLANEY.
MRS. NELLIE SCHRODER.
MRS. GERTRUDE WILCOX.

Shaw Bros' ice cream at Floyd Bealls the best made.

Charley Chaplin in his third Mutual \$670,000 picture, The Vagabond, original at Opera House.—See it.

COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE LAW.

In view of the early opening of the various schools in the county, a better and clearer conception of the compulsory school attendance law which will then become effective, would not be amiss for teacher, parent, trustees or pupils. The law applies to private as well as to public schools, and its enforcement will be in the hands of the school superintendents and peace officers. Following is a brief resume of the salient points of the law:

Section 71a. Every child in the State 8 years old and not more than 14 on September 1, 1916, shall be required to attend school not less than 60 days.

Section 71b. The period of compulsory attendance shall begin at the opening of the school, unless otherwise ordered by the trustees.

Section 72a. Exceptions: (1) Defectives—children blind, deaf, dumb, or feeble-minded. (2) Children living more than two and one-half miles by direct and traveled roads from nearest school. (3) Any child more than 12 who has completed the work of the fourth grade of a standard elementary school of seven grades whose services are needed in support of family. (Exempted by county superintendent on presentation of proper evidence).

Section 74. Valid excuses: Personal sickness, sickness or death in family, quarantine, severe storm destroying bridges and making travel dangerous. All excuses must be made in writing, signed by parents or guardian subject to investigation by the attendance officer.

Section 75. Employment forbidden. The employment of children under 14 during school hours, not legally excused, or exempted, absolutely forbidden.

Section 81b. Parents or guardians upon conviction for failure to comply with the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined as follows: For first offense, \$5; for second offense, \$10; for third offense, \$25. Each day after warning is given shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 81c. All fines collected shall be paid to the school fund of the district.

Section 82. This section provides for the control of insubordinate, disorderly, vicious, or immoral pupils, who misbehave and render themselves incorrigible. (1) Suspension. (2) Court proceedings. (3) Parole under bond given by parents. (4) Collection of bond if parole is violated. (5) Judge may parole a child a second time, and, upon being convicted of violating his parole the second time, the child may be committed to a suitable training school. (The provisions of this act apply to children attending private schools as if they were in attendance upon the public free schools).

In this district the duties of attendance officer shall devolve upon the school superintendent and peace officers who shall serve without pay.

PICTURE SHOW PARTY.

Monday night Miss Ruby McGill honored her cousin, Miss Ethel Coffee, of Loraine, who is her guest, by inviting the young ladies who had called on her, to a picture show party at the Shadowland. Afterwards they were escorted to Ben Morgan's where refreshments were served.

PARENT-TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Parent-Teachers' Association met at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon. There was no program, but several things were discussed for the school: The need of swings and other things of the playground, the beautifying of the hall in the high school building, and more teachers.

President of the board of trustees, J. M. Thomas, was present and said if it were possible another teacher would be employed, when they had received all funds.

Mesdames Broadus, J. E. Riordan, and F. B. Whipkey were appointed program committee for the remaining part of the year.

The next meeting will be at the high school building at 4 p. m., Oct. 3.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS MEET.

Superintendent J. H. Greene, called the teachers and officers together Tuesday evening at the Sunday school rooms for the purpose of making preparations to observe Go-to-Sunday-School Day, Sept. 24th. This is to be a general rally day with Baptists all over the South and the pastor and superintendent are anxious to put the matter before their people.

For more efficient service they also went into a permanent organization by co-operation work and the necessary committees were appointed to perfect the organization. There will be a suitable program prepared for the 24th and every

Grand Fall Opening! CHICKEN ROUND-UP

1,000 CHICKENS WANTED! Bantams and White Leghorns Preferred

Saturday, Sept. 16, at Roscoe we will have our Grand Fall Opening of Dry Goods, Hats, Caps, Clothing and Shoes, in fact, a general display of our entire fall line. And at Loraine, our opening will be held Saturday, Sept. 23. At Colorado, the date will be announced later, after our removal to our new place of business.

At Each Opening We Will Positively Give Away

a new line of merchandise and it will be worth your while to be present. Our plan for giving away this free merchandise is as follows: Each chicken will be tagged with a tag calling for some special article of merchandise, such as we carry in stock: Hats, Flour, Shoes, Dress Patterns and other items too numerous to name. These chickens will be thrown from the front gallery or awnings and the lucky one catching a chicken and returning same to us with the tag will be given the item named on the tag free of charge.

There will be three departments partitioned off by ropes, separating the men, women and children. Promptly at three o'clock we will be ready for this free distribution of prizes. Remember each chicken caught brings you a prize. We request men, ladies and children all to be present to see our new fall line and get their share of these premiums. Everything in our large fall stock is new. We expect 2000 people present at each date of our opening. Free Lemonade from 3 to 4 p. m. Remember these dates of the openings.

Saturday, September 16th, at Roscoe Saturday, September 23rd, at Loraine

Colorado date will be announced later. Watch the papers for this date. On these occasions we will pay you 11c per pound for your chickens and we want at least 1000 chickens.

W. L. Edmondson & Co.

Loraine, Colorado, Roscoe

is expected to be there on that day. Those without a church home, and strangers, will be cordially welcomed. Don't forget the day and be there at ten o'clock.

WESTMINSTER LEAGUE.

Presbyterian church, Sunday 7 p. m. Topic.—The Greatness of God. Leader.—Clotz King. Scripture.—Ps. 145:1-2. How can we use God's greatness in life?—Miss Nellie Riordan. How is God's greatness shown?—Miss Mary Watson. Practical Meditations.—Mr. Dawes. Special music. Bible drill. Benediction.

A MAN'S DEBT TO HIS TOWN

Robert J. Burtette says—a man owes a great deal more to the town he lives in than he does to the town where he was born.

When the town he lives in has accepted the man, sometimes at his own valuation, which is largely above par, and sometimes very quietly, merely giving him the chance to show what manner of man he is, and crowning him with rewards when he had made good, it is his manly duty to reciprocate by accepting his chosen town on the same terms.

He should at least make a treaty with her, containing the "most favored nation clause," and loyally and enthusiastically live up to it. It is in his power to picture his town as an Eden with bowers of roses and groves of luscious and life-sustaining fruit, or while not denying the roses and the crechards, he can so arrange his display as to have the snake prominently in the foreground terrifying timid homeseekers from the open gate.

It is his duty to present his town to the passing stranger, the casual visitor, the abiding guest, in its best clothes, its clean washed, shining school day face and its Sunday morning behavior.

This does not imply that he should lie about his town, ascribing to it only absolute perfection and faultless attractions. But he should display its beauties, its graces and its excellences with an honest heart and a clear conscience, even as a young mother bashfully holds up to an admiring world the amazing precocity of her first baby eleven weeks old.

Remember what the town was when you came to live in it, then look upon what it is now, and paint the picture with glowing colors and a bold brush on expansive canvas. And if you ascribe much of the cause of its growth and development to the fact that you care to live in it, your fellow citizens, even those who know you best will forgive you and testify their forgiveness by their applause. It is the right and the duty of the citizen to thus present his town in its very best appearance.

WANTED.—Every boy and man of Colorado to see the Grip of Evil next Monday night—Free! Free! Ladies and girls 5 and 10 cents.

W. L. Doss handles all the adopted text books and a full line of school supplies.

White keeps Prestolight all the time.

Coming to Shadowland, Charlie Chaplin in Burlesque on Carmen—in four parts.

Donald Sheaff has charge of the new gasoline filling station at the Brick Garage and wants to sell you your gasoline.

Buy it in Colorado.

SPECIAL NOTICE

WHITE'S GARAGE is still doing business at the old Herrington Garage stand. We give the best of service in all departments. Make a specialty of Oils, Accessories and Auto Supplies of all kinds. Full line of Casings and Inner Tubes kept always on hand at the lowest prices for the best quality. Washing and cleaning cars in one of our hobbies. Prestilights all the time. Terms—CASH to all alike.

G. W. WHITE, Proprietor

New Millinery! BEAUTIFUL PATTERN HATS

Interesting Display of Late Models--New
and the Very Latest

We have on display a wonderful collection of the accepted styles for the Fall in Pattern Hats. As during previous seasons, this store is offering the best in quality and the latest styles in Millinery at quite a saving in price. Most of our new hats and styles are now in—more coming.

Come in and see the LATEST in MILLINERY.

We will move in the Earnest building about September 15th. In the meantime would like to plan

Your New Fall Hat

Mrs. B. F. Mills
Rear of C. M. Adams' Store

September 23 is Go-to-Sunday-School Day with the Baptists Be the

COTTON CROP OF 11,800,000 BALES.

Texas Crop Is Given at 64—Weather Conditions During August Not the Best For Cotton.

Washington, Aug. 31.—A cotton crop of 11,800,000 equivalent to 500-pound bales was forecast today by the Department of Agriculture, basing its estimates on the condition of the crop on August 25. That compares with 12,916,000 bales forecast from July 26 condition reports and 14,266,000 forecast from conditions existing June 25. Last year's production was 15,191,820 bales; two years ago 16,134,930; three years ago 14,156,186; for four years ago 13,703,421. During July heavy storms caused great damage to the crop causing a loss in production calculated at 1,350,000 bales.

Weather conditions during August were not the best for cotton. In parts of the belt there was too much rain and in others the weather was too hot and dry, and there was a lack of rainfall. Toward the end of the period there was some improvement in central and northeastern districts but the crop was in a very satisfactory condition in practically all of the Gulf states. Excessive heat was making rapid progress difficult in picking in Arkansas, although this work was making satisfactory progress in the remainder of the cotton states.

Comparisons of conditions on August 25, by states, follows:

States—	1916	1915	av
Virginia	90	85	82
North Carolina	65	76	76
South Carolina	57	71	75
Georgia	62	69	75
Florida	58	70	77
Alabama	45	65	73
Mississippi	49	69	72
Louisiana	64	65	66
Texas	64	67	70
Arkansas	71	72	74
Tennessee	80	82	81
Missouri	56	81	81
Oklahoma	72	71	71
California	61.2	93	96

The final condition report of the Department of Agriculture will be issued Monday, October 2.

I know that never a day has gleamed but has not made glad one breast, that never after frost a spring has come but has not brought one song to the world.—Khnkel.

Keep Colorado Money in Colorado.

CONCERNING FIRST GRADE IN COLORADO SCHOOLS.

Last year 90 pupils were enrolled in the first grade. Of this number 60 were retained. This large number seems appalling, and it should be to the thoughtful parent a subject of grave inquiry. This same 60 students may still be retained at the close of this school year, unless some hindrances that were encountered last year are removed.

Please consider carefully the following facts: The average attendance of the 60 retained was a little more than 2 1/2 months. People seem very unmindful of the importance of children attending every day. This is true of all the grades, but it seems doubly so with parents of the first grade children. Just think how time counts! One day absent each week during the term means a loss of at least 1 1/2 months. At this rate the child would lose during his public school life about 1 1/2 years. Do you think you can afford for your child to lose it?

While parents seem to think that the first year of a child's school life should be a kind of initiative, half play and half work, merely a go-as-you-please period, introducing him into real school life, few, very few, can be recommended if their children fail to "pass" to the next higher grade. You perhaps do not realize that this first year of school life should be to your child the most important, the most intense, the most fruitful. The thoroughness, the grace and ease with which he masters the tasks of this first year, this momentous and eventful year, is the passport to all future school days and in many instances, to future life.

How often do we hear the expression, "My child just simply was not started right." This is too often true. But it is just as frequently true that parents become unduly anxious and impatient for their children to pass to the next grade. Only a few days ago, we were interviewed by a mother who was very anxious for her boy to be promoted to the next grade. Upon examining his record of attendance, we found that he had recited in the same grade for three years and that the first year he was present only 61 days; the second year 73 days; and the third year, 59 days. This is by no means a rare instance.

From a standpoint of reading, the following facts are interesting: In the first year, there are about 500 pages of reading matter that must be done

before a child is prepared to do second grade work. In the second year, there are about 350 pages. Considering an eight months' term, there is about three months more reading outlined in the first grade than in the second grade. This is saying nothing of the slowness and tediousness of the beginner as compared with the child in the second grade. With the beginner, little is accomplished by general teaching. The help to them must be largely individual. If you grant four lessons a day for each child, with an average attendance of 60, each child would receive only 1 1/4 minutes a day for each lesson, or a total of 5 minutes per day. And the more there are in attendance, the more necessary is individual help, because there is constantly more going on to divert the child's attention. You can see that any pretension to a satisfactory beginning under conditions like the above is a mere farce. However, that is what confronts you and me.

Last year 71 new pupils entered the first grade. If as many enter this year and the 60 retained should return, the enrollment will exceed that of last year by 41 pupils. In view of the foregoing facts, if you entertain any hope of your children's making the first grade during the year, let me urge you now to have them in school the first day and keep them there each succeeding day and see that they do the work assigned them. If you will just remember these few facts, it will prevent much disappointment and misunderstanding at the close of the year.

Yours sincerely,
MRS. C. D. JUDD.

GLYCERINE AND BARK PREVENT APPENDICITIS

The simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-ka, astonishes Colorado people. Because Adler-ka acts on BOTH lower and upper bowels, ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour stomach or gas. It removes such surprising foul matter that a few doses often relieve or prevent appendicitis. A short treatment helps chronic stomach trouble. The INSTANT, easy action of Adler-ka is astonishing.—W. L. Doss. Adv 1

Let us have faith that right makes might; and in that faith let us dare to do our duty as we understand it.—Abraham Lincoln.

A BIG EVENT

MIDLAND'S SECOND ANNUAL COMBINATION SALE

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Head Selected Registered Herefords

WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION WITHOUT RESERVE ON

Friday, Sept. 29, 1916

48 BULLS, 12 COWS and HEIFERS

BULLS for the Showman, the Breeder and Ranchman and a few choice females that will appeal to all. Of good ages and bred in the purple—Study the Pedigrees.

ANXIETIES—WILTONS—CORRECTORS—
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These are the select offerings of the following breeders:

B. N. Aycock & Sons, Midland	Scharbauer Broc., Midland
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W. M. Hefner, Stanton	Joe. Stoeger, Stanton
Henry M. Half, Midland	Van Huss & Joss, Midland
W. Henn, Denver	Wilber Wadley, Midland
J. W. Johnson, Childress	A. C. Eldson, Stanton
Mrs. H. M. Pegasus & Son, Odessa	Jas. Belcher, Stiles, Texas
Jowell & Jowell, Hereford	Carl Morrison, Colorado, Texas
Proctor Bros., Midland	R. D. Matthews, Big Spring, Texas.

Sale On Fair Grounds, and to Start at 1 P. M. Sharp

COL. V. E. MILLER, Auctioneer

For Catalogue and other information, address
W. B. STARR, Secretary

Midland Fair & Inter-State Stock Show

Midland, Texas

The Big Sale

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STILL GOING ON

WE have been too busy the past week to get up any kind of ad mentioning in detail the hundreds of great

B-A-R-G-A-I-N-S

we are offering the people of Colorado and vicinity. Our prices and the crowds that come to our store, speak louder than any printed words can do. Our business the past week tells its own story, and we are advertised best by our host of satisfied customers.

None of our lines have been allowed to run down—all are full and complete. Every article marked in plain and unmistakable figures—SAME PRICE TO ALL. If your purchase is not perfectly satisfactory, your money will be just as cheerfully refunded as it was received. Could any proposition be fairer than this?

We can Save You many hard earned dollars on your Fall and Winter purchases

COME HERE FIRST and if we cannot supply your every need at money saving figures, then go elsewhere for what you need. **EVERY DAY IS BARGAIN DAY** during this big sale.

Come see what we have and you will be sure to find something you need, and at prices that will surprise you.

COLORADO BARGAIN HOUSE

The weekly net dividends of the Ford Motor Company are one million real dollars. On Mr. Rockefeller's recent birthday, his friends and employees presented him the documentary evidence that he was worth over and above all liabilities, (at a spot selling valuation) the tidy sum of one billion dollars. He didn't doek these employees for the time consumed in telling him this, but after thanking them for the information, he pulled out his watch and said to them: "That's good so far as it goes; but you'd better get back to work now and try to make it two billion."

TRY IT! SUBSTITUTE FOR NASTY CALOMEL.

Starts Your Liver Without Making You Sick and Cant Not Sallivate.

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver-Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs 50 cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness, and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work. Take Dodson's Liver-Tone instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.

Don't you believe in taking advantage of a good thing? We do and never fall to avail ourselves of an opportunity. We have proven to the entire town that our laundry is a good thing and if you have never tried us we invite you to do so at once. We wash your daintiest clothes, your everyday things, your curtains, bed linen and quilts. If it is in need of washing, send it to us. We like the hard jobs.—Colorado Steam Laundry.

AUTOMATIC FIRE EXTINGUISHER INSTALLED.

The dry goods firm of F. M. Burns has stood since its establishment nearly thirty years ago, at the forefront of progress and service. If Burns has it or uses it in his business, it is the last word in efficiency and quality.

In steady pursuance of this policy, nothing gets by this firm that can add to its already high standard of service, economical and systematic methods.

The latest wrinkle is the installation over the entire building—both stories and attic—of the Grinnell Automatic Sprinkler system, the same as is used by the leading retail and wholesale dry goods houses of New York and other big cities. The water connection is made direct with the big eight-inch main on Second street, and taken into the building under the ground floor. From a central control station near the front door, pipes radiate along the ceiling, in sections, over the entire room. At regular intervals there are sprinkling jets each provided with a fusible solder plug, which melts at the low degree of 152. On occurrence of fire in any part of the house, at any time, day or night, when the heat reaches 152 degrees, the plugs of the sprinklers nearest the fire are fused and the fire extinguished automatically.

Though the primary cost of installing this system is considerable, the great saving in insurance rates far outweighs its cost, say nothing of the sense of security for one's goods it assures. There are 215 of these sprinkling jets in the building, and a fire could occur in no part of the building which would not within a few minutes create sufficient heat to fuse the nearest plugs and extinguish it. This is the only system of the kind reported in West Texas outside the larger cities.

BRING ALL YOUR HOGS.

I want hogs of all descriptions. Bring them in on Saturday, Sept. 16th. Highest market price paid by
L. C. DUPREE.

There is no such thing as inactive success is the opinion of Dr. Russell H. Conwell, who declares: "As a matter of fact the world owes a man nothing that he does not earn. In this life a man gets about what he is worth, and he must render an equivalent for what is given him."

PRESIDENT SIGNS ADAMSON BILL AT UNION STATION.

Washington, Sept. 3.—The Adamson eight-hour day bill, enacted from congress last week by the railroad brotherhoods as the price of calling off the nation-wide strike order for tomorrow was signed by President Wilson today at his private car at the union station, where he stopped on his way from Shadow Lawn, N. J., to Hodgenville, Ky. That there might be no question of the legality of the measure as a result of its having been signed on Sunday, the president will affix his signature again upon his return to Washington Tuesday.

How long peace will reign as a result of the bill apparently is dependent upon development in the proposed move to test the constitutionality of the act. Should the railroads take no action, but wait the beginning of an investigation of the workings of the eight-hour day by the special commission for which the measure provides, the brotherhoods will remain inactive.

The employees, leaders declare, however, that should the law be held unconstitutional, and the railroads attempt to restore the ten-hour day on their lines, a strike will follow at once.

Brotherhoods in a circular letter to their members today pointed out that the measure would not become effective until next January 1, and that many things might occur between now and then which would change materially any suggestions or comment they might make.

New filling station on the sidewalk at the Brick Garage, opposite the depot. Donald Sheaff in charge.

Famous Wash Heals Skin

D. D. D., the greatest of skin remedies, will remove those unsightly and troublesome skin afflictions that have made your life a burden. That intolerable itching, burning and discomfort will disappear under the magic influence of this remedy. It has cured many cases pronounced incurable and will reach your case. It will take just a few moments to step in and ask us what our experience has been in the way of satisfied customers. We want you to give D. D. D. a trial. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Your money back unless the first bottle relieves you. D. D. D. Soap keeps your skin healthy. Ask us about it.

D. D. D., For 15 Years the Standard Skin Remedy

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A THOROUGH OVERHAUL



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of your special now... Tonic... your life when she even for the hard places... You know what tonic... Cardui is com-much... ingredients, which act... of womanly organs, work right and health... hundreds of weak... won't buy of wonderful... in its for you... thero... taking

LOCAL NOTES

Dupree returned from a business trip to East Texas last Friday.

Refrigerators to suit every home and purse at Griffith's.

Attorney Royal G. Smith, made a professional trip to Big Spring last Monday.

If its house furnishings you need, save time and money by going to Griffith's.

W. W. Hall, candidate for governor on the Prohibition ticket, spoke on the street here last Friday afternoon. He made a good talk and left a good impression.

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.

We understand that Mr. Jake Chesney has purchased a home in north Colorado on Silk Stocking Knob, and may possibly, later along move to town for the benefit of the school.

Paramount Pictures at Shadowland every Tuesday and Thursday.

Work on the City National Bank and Laaky buildings was interrupted several days last week for lack of material, but construction on both is now going forward at a brisk rate. The carpenters are putting the finishing touches on the big Earnest building, and will have it ready for occupancy by the specified time—September 15th. When this building is occupied, several more changes of location have been reported as scheduled to occur.

Auto chamois and sponges—Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Geo. E. Goodwin, the hog specialist of the Guthbert community, shipped a car of his fine hogs to the Fort Worth market Wednesday. He also shipped a fine calf this week. Mr. Goodwin is one of Mitchell county's most progressive and prosperous farmers. He believes and practices the doctrine that the best is none too good and cheapest in the long run. He comes as nearly living off the products—not proceeds—of his farm as any man in West Texas.

Fire and tornado insurance, bonds, tombstones, notary public, cheap homes, W. O. W. and W. C. applications, \$3; vacuum carpet cleaners, \$3.75; fireless cookers, \$12.50. For any or all, see E. Keathley.

Prof. C. D. Judd and wife made a trip to Dunn last Monday.

See John L. Doss' Pharmacy for superior line of toilet articles.

White John Hale is taking a slight vacation from his engineering duties at Ben Morgan's throat-queening parlor. Cecil Morgan is doing the prestigatator act in juggling glasses and other feats of sleight-of-hand.

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

J. M. Morgan was here Sunday from Colorado to spend the day with his family. Mrs. Morgan accompanied him to Colorado Monday for a week's visit—Big Spring Herald.

The Strong Withstand the Heat of Summer Better Than the Weak
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 regular Groves' Tasteless Chill Tonic. It enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. 50c.

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THE CONTEST OF THE STATES

Much interest attaches to the state exhibits made at the International Soil-Products Exposition annually. This Exposition is conducted by and under the management of the International Farm Congress (the Dry-Farming Congress) and will be staged this year at El Paso, Texas, October 14-24.

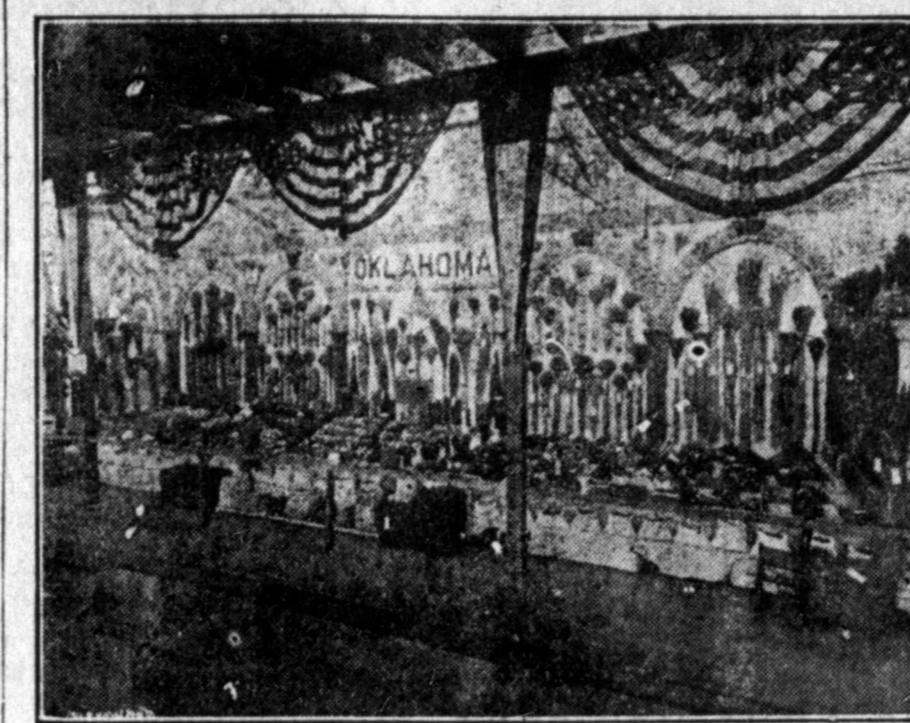
About \$2,500 in cash prizes and trophy cups will be carried off by the representatives of the three states making the best exhibits of agricultural products at El Paso. The principal incentive, however, is the credit and recognition which attaches to the winners of this star event. The competition is swift, as it must be when the cream of the agricultural products of such states as Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, the Dakotas, Texas, Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico and a dozen others are assembled by their loyal sons and placed on exhibition. Incidentally, the visitor to the Exposition is enabled to get a comprehensive view of the resources of each state by studying the products displayed.

In one of the closest contests in the history of the Exposition, Kansas carried off the magnificent silver trophy cup and the first cash prize at Denver last year, with an exhibit that scored a total of 314 points, as against 313 for Nebraska and 309 for Oklahoma. All of these states, and many others, will be at El Paso this year, determined to win.

Separate Dry-Farming Section. The dry-farming sections of the United States have been only roughly defined. The Dry-Farming Congress itself has not definitely fixed these limits. But for the purpose of the coming Exposition, all the area west of the tenth Meridian, and any sections east of that Meridian having an annual precipitation of less than 25 inches, has been classed as dry-farming territory.

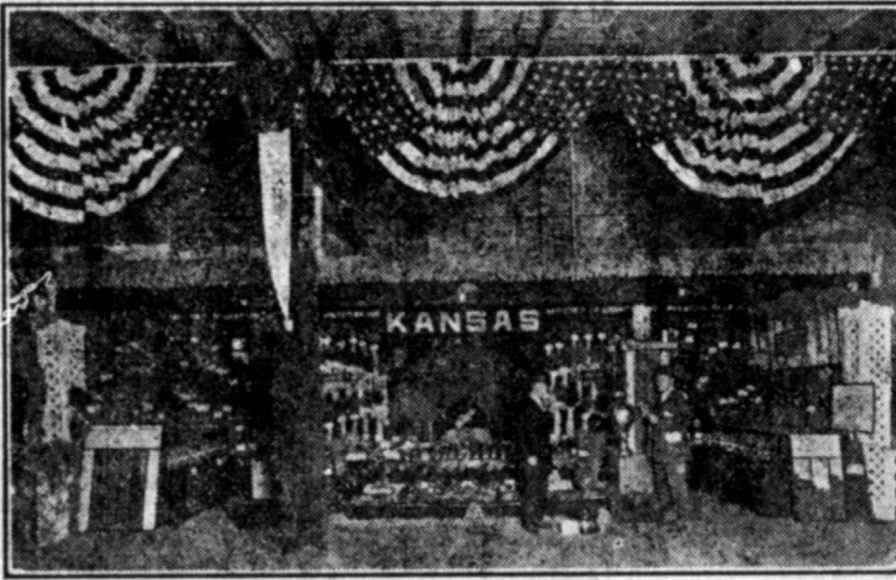
A separate premium list, open to competition by products from this territory, has been prepared. The rules governing this section are strict, and are designed to protect the dry-farm products from unfair competition by irrigated products, or those grown in the humid sections. The 1916 premium book says:

entry. Samples grown near the edges of irrigation ditches, or in other favored spots, where there is seepage or run-off water, or any moisture other



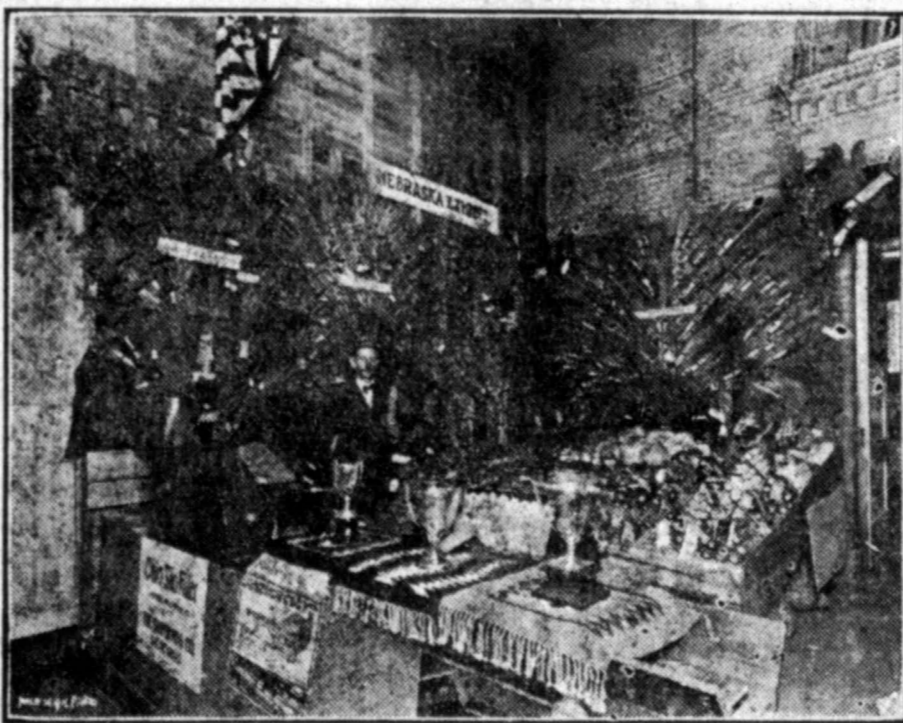
The Oklahoma Exhibit at Denver.

than the natural precipitation upon which is to encourage the growing and improvement of safe crops in the various regions. It will be noted that a credit of one hundred points, equal to that allotted to corn or wheat, is allowed for crops not specifically mentioned. This is to permit proper credit for crops which are standard in some sections, but not in others. For illustration, cotton and flax, both of which are standard crops, but neither of which is universally grown, can be given credit for this 100 points. Ample credit is also allowed for the comprehensiveness, artistic arrangement and educational value of the complete exhibits.



The Kansas Exhibit At Denver.

tion in the general classes." The Catalog and Premium List will be sent free to all who write the secretary, El Paso, Texas, for the same. Score Card for State Exhibits. After months of study, the Congress management has adopted a score card



A Corner of the Nebraska Exhibit at Denver.

"This is a special class, open only to products grown in 1916, on farms where the average annual rainfall is not over 25 inches, or west of the 100th Meridian, without irrigation, the surface or sub-surface, artificial or natural. Only open field samples are open for

judging state and other collective exhibits which it is believed represents as nearly the ideal as it is possible to attain, considering the wide scope covered by the Exposition. In or sub-surface, artificial or natural, building this score card, care has been exercised to place the greatest value

FARM CONGRESS AND EXPOSITION TO BE STAGED AMID STIRRING SCENES

Delegates and visitors to the International Farm Congress (the Dry-Farming Congress) at El Paso next October will have an opportunity of witnessing many scenes and events in the most interesting part of this country at the present time.

In addition to the big Farm Congress and soil products Exposition, there will be the dedication of the great Elephant Butte Dam and the formal opening of the irrigation project which it is designed to irrigate, at which President Wilson has agreed to officiate. This is one of the largest, if not the largest, structures of its kind in the world, and when the reservoir is full (it will take two or three years flow of the Rio Grande to fill it) it will be the largest artificial body of water in the world. There will be excursions from El Paso through the valley and to the dam during the Congress and Exposition.

El Paso is now one of the most important army posts in the United States. There will be ample opportunity to witness army life and army

maneuvers. Thirty thousand national guardsmen and several thousand soldiers of the regular army are in camp at El Paso, and will no doubt remain there several months. Some special entertainment in this line will be provided.

Just across the Rio Grande from El Paso lies Ciudad Juarez, the principal northern border city of Mexico, and the center of interest in revolutionary and international affairs for the past five years. In all probability conditions along the border will be quiet in October, and delegates and visitors may safely visit and explore this most interesting and typical Mexican city.

The development of the great Rio Grande valley under the immense irrigation system planned and built by the United States government is now fairly under way. Modern towns and cities are being built among or near the ruins of the adobe villages and crude irrigation works constructed hundreds of years ago. The International Irrigation Con-

gress will also meet in El Paso during the progress of the Exposition.

The mountains, valleys and plains of the Southwest hold many fascinating points of interest, all of which may be easily reached from El Paso. Free Amusement Program. A high class amusement program, embodying many novel and highly interesting events, is in course of preparation. This program will be free to all who attend the Exposition.

"In brief, the Dry-Farming Congress teaches and encourages thorough and scientific farming—the only kind of farming that pays in the long run—anywhere or under any conditions."

F. W. Mondell.

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Corn	100
Wheat	100
Grain Sorghums—kafir, milo, feterrita, shallu	100
Oats	50
Barley	25
Rye	25
Forage Crops—sweet sorghums, sudan grass	75
Grain in sheaf	50
Native Grasses	50
Tame grasses, including clovers and millet	50
Alfalfa	50
Potatoes, white and sweet	50
All other root crops	25
Squashes, Melons, Pumpkins	50
Garden products	50
Fruit	100
All crops not listed	100
Number of varieties	*100
Comprehensiveness and artistic general display	150
Educational value	150
Neatness and accuracy of labels	50
Total Score	1500

*One point for each variety in exhibit, up to 100.

Each classification to be scored on the basis of the average of all varieties contained therein. Each variety to be separately scored.

Where less than 100 points are allowed for perfect, the average score for each variety will be divided by the number of times the number allowed will go into 100. Example: If the rye in an exhibit scores an average of 90, under separate score, its value in this score would be 22½, since only 25 points are allotted for perfect rye.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one druggist who can cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENILEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.



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WHY WOMEN FADE.

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For sale by W. L. Doss.

NEWSPAPER MEN—NOTICE.

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SEPTEMBER.

September was the favorite month of the Romans, and they were careful not to let some politician who wanted to get his name in the calendar do so at her expense. One man tried it. He was the Emperor Domitian, who thought to perpetuate his name as Julius and Augustus Caesar had done by naming September for himself. After he was found dead in bed one morning with the poet Horace's butcher knife sticking through his windpipe, it became pretty well understood that the name of September was not to be changed.

There was no finer season in the imperial city. Then it was that the rich returned from the baths at Pompeii and reoccupied their great piles on the Palatine Hill. Military life took on something of the charm of camping out, and there were reassuring crowds around the recruiting stations. Candidates in the fall elections began to beguile the street crowds with their meaningless sophistries. Work became less intolerable with the change in seasons, and there were fewer strikes. Business men who had been making a holiday of preparedness broke up their training camps and joined hands with the pacifists. It was in September that Lucullus could be seen slipping down to the market in quest of pawpaws. Crowds pressed into the cafferterias after pumpkin pie. Oysters resumed their place on the bill of fare in the full approbation of the Board of Health. In the cool and stery Roman night one could hear Marc Antony rehearsing those tender balads with which he was to conquer Cleopatra. College boys came back to the universities and gave Rome that touch of high life which we can best appreciate by recalling the kind of candies they went to bed by. Virgil, who knew the autumn in Rome very much as James Whitcomb Riley knew it in this country, said you couldn't beat it, and you probably couldn't.

September was the seventh month of the Romans, and gets its name from their septium (seven). Caesar was responsible for the place it occupies in the calendar now. He had a theory that if the quarrels between capital and labor, which usually come to a head about the first of September, could be advanced to a season when they would have the advantage of a change in the weather, there would be fewer strikes. Labor readily agreed to this, and freely admitted that it felt more like working after the heated term. Capital, however, doubted the wisdom of such a change. It said it was right in these matters, and couldn't see that anything was to be gained by postponing settlement. Caesar won but when he went out at noon for his customary green apple dumpling and cup of coffee, he was set upon by a delegation of railroad presidents and hacked to pieces with coupon clips.

The eager calf will sniff the breeze and show the Cestles up for bliss. And bits of color in the trees will tell of Autumn's tender kiss. The hired man will cast about for blankets in the chilly night. The frost will set its leing out and put the dodcleg to flight. The plumber will come tooling in from some place where it wasn't hot. The summer girl will show a thin Wap-voiced adventurer she caught. The soda clerk will quit his trench and put his earnings in a Ford. The thrifty country wife will wrench the mortgage looes with summer board. The wid-eyed candidate will groan for perils hard upon his heart. And the farmer will come in to loan. The farm loans bank enough to start.

The harvest moon will lightly sail the seas of gossamer at night, and silken filaments will veil the glory of the morning light. The quail will tune his piccolo for odes to beauty still to come, and in the dusk's soft after-glow the pheasant cock will roll his drum. There is no other season quite the same to men the world around. It is that wonderful respite to which our hopes are ever bound. It matters not how hot the days, or how the bugs may bite us up, we need but think of Autumn's haze, and all things bitter leave the cup. It was the same when Homer smote his somewhat celebrated lyre; though Fall was probably remote it still sustained his magic fire. He might have one hand off the strings to slap mosquitoes with at night, and still could give his fancy wings with thinking of this vision bright. The cave man by his pale blue flame, the modern in his limousine, have all felt pretty much the same when Fall came waltzing on the scene.

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At any rate, the war of kings will rage with unabated zest, and those who fight on all the wings will try to do their level best. It may be here and there a man will wonder what it is about; it may not fit in any plan of good that he can figure out. It may to him occur that men were meant for something more than war, or seem to be beyond his ken exactly what they're fighting for; but now he has his dander up and shells are popping overhead, he is as good a son of Krupp as ever hustled steel and lead. The way of kings is sly enough—they first fall cut from throne to throne, the which precipitates a huff and people make GANDERBONES—2 the cause their own. It is as if each monarch bore his people underneath his vest, as rooster fighters seek the perch of whatsoever will contest. They blithely bear them to the pit, equipped with spurs and trained to fight, and then sit by and laugh at it as if it were their royal right.

But be it as it maybe must. The presidential race will boom, and heated repatee will thrust. Its angry lightning through the gloom. While one contestant points with pride and shows the way past any harm. The other, greatly horrified, will view with spasms of alarm. It does beat all how cool and calm we can remain despite the zeal of those alone who know the balm. For fills the future may conceal. It may be, it is so because we have no jobs ourselves in sight. But judging by the great applause both men, at any rate, are right.

The first twenty-two days of September will be under the influence of Leo the Lion, the fifth sign of the zodiac. Persons born in this period are very brave and usually have to be dragged into recruiting stations. The last eight days of the month will be influenced by Virgo, the sixth sign. Virgo people are a cautious lot, and are usually found in a seat near a fire escape. On the 22d the sun will cross the equator and the Autumnal Equinox will occur. This officially opens the campaign and puts sweet cider on sale. The moon will be full on the 11th. Col. Roosevelt will not go out on the trail of the Democrats seriously until there is a light frost, which will hardly be before the 25th. Venus will conduct a display in the west sky every evening that is calculated to show Pancho Villa where he can find us whenever he wants to give up.

Then sweet October will resume. With charms part all deflag. The wildwood filed with rare perfume. And the elder presses whining.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, in Bankruptcy. Abilene, Texas.

In the matter of Charley Carlton Wheat, Bankrupt, No. 519 in Bankruptcy.

Abilene, Texas, Sept. 2nd, 1916. Office of Referee:—To the creditors of Charley Carlton Wheat of Colorado, in the county of Mitchell and District aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of Sept. A. D. 1916 the said Charley Carlton Wheat was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the city of Abilene, Tylor County, Texas, on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

K. K. LEGETT, Referee in Bankruptcy.

One of the most urgent needs of Colorado is more desirable rent houses—not houses merely, but places that industrial and progressive people can regard as homes. This need has existed for the past three years and grows more acute every year. The fact that the town of Colorado can keep forging forward during such a season as the one just passing, should assure the most chery investor that the town is on rock bottom so far as its prosperity is concerned. The farmers and the business men have complained less about the short crop this year than during any similar condition since this writer has been in West Texas. Both are learning the wisdom of bearing with patience that which is inevitable, realizing that the present leanness is but necessary for next year's fatness. Already many of our most forward looking farmers are facing the coming year with better plans and methods in mind.

FOR SALE—10-ACRE FARM.

10-acre farm adjoining town, good improvements. See F. B. Whipkey at Record office.

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WATER POWER NOT GOLD

Steam Plants Compete in Electric Power

By HERMAN B. SHIELDS.

There have been few fore congress concerns much misunderstanding exists as with pending water power. Shields and Myers are under which capital will build water power plants of these measures laws the effect of which discourage investment in power.

Nobody denies the fact that water powers or that they are not put to work. To be as the country has been water powers are so important that a great trust grab and control them all it may dominate all power tries in the country, is who knows anything of the local water powers. The and other improvements in the last dozen years about this situation. The of building a water power \$100 to \$150 per horse very large water powers oped for less, but they are tions. A big modern sbe built for \$40 or \$50 a the following breeders: obsolescence, etc., on the Bauer Bros., Midland investment, it often pays Stoeger, Stanton cheaper to build and in Stokes, Midland steam plant. The act Stoeger, Stanton use of water powers is to the saving in coal and Huss & Joss, Midland Then, too, the question Wadley, Midland of power is cheaper Elidson, Stanton much upon the use made cher, Stiles, Texas er. Electric current inarrison, Colorado, Texas ties cannot be put in storage Matthews, Big Spring, Texas.

It is more than a day. The more created the less is the of the current generat is needed for gen uses—house lighting, industries that run an hours a day—the water not economical, because ity, which must be used power cheap, cannot be utilized often cheaper to generate a steam plant which can be a part of the time without overhead charges.

It is like a farmer borrow to buy a tractor to do his he has a farm big enough machine busy most of the a good investment and saved nearby. If he has only a few and the machine stands in front of the time, it would be if Burns has to do his small plowing job, it is the plant is now being built quality. though Niagara Falls, the ter power plant in the can add a few miles away. Burns Service, and industries, running on the time, can get power of allation coal, while big chemical D stories Niagara because for the Automatc power is the cheapest as is used Where there are well wholesale can be developed any York and taneously it frequent water connect them to adv the big eight-powers have to be set, and taken stream will have a control station ning in flood. If there are state ers can be united in one or ver possible to get a more con uniform supply of power the als are under separate control, vid Chief Engineer O. C. M which U. S. Forest Service, exp On vantages of monopoly in business in a recent report, when d States Senate, as follows: when Monopolization of the supply plugs are territory makes possible a are terconnection of stations a diversification of load, econo-teration that would not be pos lated independent stations. Install- service may be lessened, the customer may be hobble, the rates may be lower with rates far ice is given and no lowering of the than in California where the cent is owned by two building tons. Water powers are the near- mines by any men. This is show that something is invested in water supported the United States that battles, operation for a number of out having paid a dividend to holders and in some cases with ing earned interest on their Census figures show that the average net earnings of all commercial power stations in the country, steam and water power combined, are only about 6 per cent on the investment and that the profits of water power companies have been less than 5 per cent.

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PRESIDENT SIGNS ADAMSON BILL AT UNION STATION.

Washington, Sept. 3.—The Adamson eight-hour day bill, enacted from congress last week by the railroad brotherhoods as the price of calling off the nation-wide strike order for tomorrow was signed by President Wilson today at his private car at the union station, where he stopped on his way from Shadow Lawn, N. J., to Hodgenville, Ky. That there might be no question of the legality of the measure as a result of it having been signed on Sunday, the president will affix his signature again upon his return to Washington Tuesday.

How long peace will reign as a result of the bill apparently is dependent upon development in the proposed move to test the constitutionality of the act. Should the railroads take no action, but await the beginning of an investigation of the workings of the eight-hour day by the special commission for which the measure provides, the brotherhoods will remain inactive.

The employe leaders declare, however, that should the law be held unconstitutional, and the railroads attempt to restore the ten-hour day on their lines, a strike will follow at once. Brotherhods in a circular letter to their members today pointed out that the measure would not become effective until next January 1, and that many things might occur between now and then which would change materially any suggestions or comment they might make.

New filling station on the sidewalk at the Brick Garage, opposite the depot. Donald Sheaff in charge.

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THE BRICK GARAGE

W. M. COOPER & SON, Props.

LOCAL NOTES

Mr. Dupree returned from a business trip to East Texas last Friday.

Refrigerators to suit every home and purse at Griffith's.

Attorney Royall G. Smith, made a professional trip to Big Spring last Monday.

If its house furnishings you need, save time and money by going to Griffith's.

M. W. Hall, candidate for governor on the Prohibition ticket, spoke on the street here last Friday afternoon. He made a good talk and left a good impression.

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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.

We understand that Mr. Jake Chesney has purchased a home in north Colorado on Silk Stocking Knob, and may possibly, later along move to town for the benefit of the school.

Paramount Pictures at Shadowland every Tuesday and Thursday.

Work on the City National Bank and Leaky buildings was interrupted several days last week for lack of material, but construction on both is now going forward at a brisk rate. The carpenters are putting the finishing touches on the big Earnest building, and will have it ready for occupancy by the specified time—September 15th. When this building is occupied, several more changes of location have been reported as scheduled to occur.

Auto chemicals and sponges—Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Geo. E. Goodwin, the hog specialist of the Outhbert community, shipped a car of his fine hogs to the Fort Worth market Wednesday. He also shipped a fine calf this week. Mr. Goodwin is one of Mitchell county's most progressive and prosperous farmers. He believes and practices the doctrine that the best is none too good and cheapest in the long run. He comes as nearly living off the products—not proceeds—of his farm as any man in West Texas.

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

Prof. C. D. Judd and wife made a trip to Dunn last Monday.

See John L. Doss' Pharmacy for superior line of toilet articles.

While John Hale is taking a slight vacation from his engineering duties at Ben Morgan's throat-quenching parlor, Cecil Morgan is doing the prestigious act in juggling glasses and other feats of sleight-of-hand.

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

J. M. Morgan was here Sunday from Colorado to spend the day with his family. Mrs. Morgan accompanied him to Colorado Monday for a week's visit.—Big Spring Herald.

The Strong Withstand the Heat of Summer Better Than the Weak
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.

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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.

Mr. G. B. Copeland and son, Ollie, were up from the Baldwin place in Nolan county this week. They moved there from near Colorado last year, and report that they have a fairly good crop, both of cotton and feed.

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

The Record learns with pleasure that Miss Ethel Mann of this city has been elected one of the teachers in the Loraine school for the next year.

Ben F. Wilson of Berkeley, California, former socialist member of the Kansas legislature, spoke at the tabernacle Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

Mrs. B. F. Mills is headquarters for all lines of millinery.

The friends of A. D. Martin will regret to learn that he is suffering from a serious case of blood poison, resultant from a hurt he received on the hand a few days ago. His entire arm is now affected, and he suffers great and constant pain.

Mrs. B. F. Mills, the old reliable millinery establishment, still pleases its patrons.

We have seen several, and to be accurately circumstantial, but we'll only mention J. W. Groce, George Goodwin and W. A. Dulin—all fair judges of good grub and fine singing—who attended the west side singing convention at Rogers last Sunday. The Record's grub expert was not on hand but County Democratic Dulin was sent in his room and stood. He reports that he saw the biggest cat, that ever was baked on that occasion. We forgot whether he said it was 26 feet in diameter or 26 inches in thickness. He was somewhat confused as to his figures, but assured us there was oceans of grub and to spare. His opinion as to the quality of singing was negligible quantity, but George Goodwin says it was up to the east side's usual standard.

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Take your lame car to White's garage, it will be fixed promptly and fixed right.

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READ AND THINK.
I am going to give away during the months of September, October and November, three good and substantial premiums, costing 3.50 each, for your patronage at the Public Cotton Yard. The premiums are in addition to my appreciation of your business, and do not cost you a cent to try to win. Numbers will be selected the first of each month and those weighing in on those numbers, will receive the premiums. There is no other yard in existence belonging more to the farmers, than the public cotton yard, and no weigher's oath or obligation is greater than the Public Weigher's.

During my time as Public Weigher, I have tried to be worth something to the people at all times. One year I saved them considerable money on their feed buying; another year I gave a nice cash premium for their patronage, and now come with another good and substantial premium for your patronage—not to buy your patronage, but to show you my appreciation of same. You will find good scales and courteous treatment at the Public Cotton Yard at all times. Respectfully,
W. F. CRAWFORD, Public Weigher.

SALESMAN WANTED.
Industrious man to give part time to sale of lubricating oil and grease, specialties and paint. Commission basis until ability is established. Permanent position and wide field when qualified if desired.
RIVERSIDE REFINING CO.
Cleveland, Ohio.

Constipation the Father of Many Ills.
Of the numerous ills that affect humanity a large share start with constipation. Keep your bowels regular and they may be avoided. When a laxative is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. Obtainable everywhere.

MUSIC PUPILS NOTICE.
Miss Ruby McGill will open her studio at the beginning of the public school term, in her home in North Colorado. Phone 36 for rates, etc. 6p

Are You Looking Old?

Old age comes quick enough without inviting it. Some look old at forty. That is because they neglect the liver and bowels. Keep your bowels regular and your liver healthy and you will not only feel younger but look younger. When troubled with constipation or biliousness take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are intended especially for these ailments and are excellent. Easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Obtainable everywhere.

The job department of the Record has been reasonably busy the past two weeks with some out of town work. A very tasty book job was turned out for the Snyder public schools, and two school catalogues for the Eastland county schools; also had on hand the year book for the Hesperian Club of this city, and the stock certificates of the Consolidated Oil and Gas Company of Colorado. Mr. E. M. Baldwin, the secretary of this company informs us that everything looks favorable for beginning drilling operations this fall.

PAY WHAT YOU OWE ME.

I am needing money to pay my own bills and urge all who owe me for work to come in and settle at their earliest convenience. Don't neglect this. FRED MEYER t/c

The showers of last Thursday afternoon were continued on Friday. In some restricted parts of the county, splendid downpours visited the fields and filled the creeks with stock water. This was particularly true in the Red Bank community, where it is claimed, fully three inches of water fell. Out in the W. M. Green community, a good rain of two inches was received. From this amount to a more sprinkling in many parts of the county, was the spotted visitation. But it did a vast amount of good, to the crops, the grass and in providing water. The creeks were put running, which supplied stock water to many pastures where practically no rain had fallen. We are thankful for the visitation.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic

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.

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.

A Mexican was killed at the Donaldson crossing Sunday morning by the Sunshine Special eastbound. He was said to be sitting on a cross-tie behind a stock guard so that the engineer disclaimed seeing him until the engine had struck and knocked him from the track. The track is straight at this place and the train was running down grade. An inquest was held by Squire Ratliff and the body buried by the county. The man was identified by local Mexicans as being a resident of Pecos.

STORAGE BATTERIES CHARGED.

The Brick Garage is now prepared to charge all kinds of storage batteries on short notice. It has also two new mechanics who are guaranteed to be "Poneet-to-God" workmen from wheel-base to exhaust. Bring us your particular cases; no cure, no pay. W. M. COOPER & SON.

Fully two tons of catalogues from Sears, Roebuck & Co. were dumped upon the local postoffice Sunday morning for distribution among the gear people. This great bulk of matter was sent to Big Spring by freight and from that postoffice distributed to prospective buyers in this zone. We have heard that the postage on the entire amount sent out from the Big Spring office amounted to more than \$500.

Bring your mail order catalogue and see me knock out any of its prices. Besides, you see and feel of the goods I sell you and have a comeback on me personally.

WHAT CATARRH IS

It has been said that every third person has catarrh in some form. Science has shown that nasal catarrh often indicates a general weakness of the body; and local treatments in the form of snuffs and vapors do little, if any good.

To correct catarrh you should treat its cause by enriching your blood with the oil-food in Scott's Emulsion which is a medicinal food and a building-tonic, free from alcohol or any harmful drugs. Try it. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

The Season's Newest Styles In GOLD MEDAL Hats



Are Here

The Most Wanted Patterns in Both Shapes and Colorings

are included in our extensive assortment of fine millinery.

We extend you a cordial invitation to call for an inspection, that does not carry with it the least sign of an obligation to buy.

Vogue Style Shop

Colorado - Loraine - Roscoe
At W. L. Edmondson & Co's Cash Stores



Sterling Horn Visalia tree, 15-inch fork, 15-inch seat; Skirts 16 by 30 inches; 3 1/8 inch stirrup leathers. All saddles are made of the best EBERHARD leather. Will use any size tree desired in any saddle. Weight 40 pounds.

J. B. ANNIS

Harness and General Repairing



Betty Hurry Up

And see the 1917 model of Ford Cars. Nearly all the "Fordy" looks have been taken out of it, and many people mistake it for an automobile. Am looking for a carload of the new models within a few days, and it will pay you to come and see them.

I keep on hand a full line of Ford parts, and can fit you up while you wait.

A. J. HERRINGTON

Local Agent
PHONES—Office 135; Residence 396

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 Earnest 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

Monday, Sept. 11th

Who's Guilty?????

"The Tangled Web"

WHO'S GUILTY?

Tuesday, Sept. 12th

Paramount - Program

"The Lost Bridegroom"

Featuring John Barrymore

Also MUTT & JEFF - Cartoons.

Wednesday, Sept. 13th

General Program

DRAMA, 3 Parts - 1 COMEDY.

Thursday, Sept. 14th

Paramount - Program

"THE SALESLADY"

Featuring HAZEL DAWN

Coming!

BILLIE BURK in "Gloria's Romance"

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

LOST.—Tuesday, Sept. 5, on Sterling or Loraine road, one 34x4 casing, rim and inner tube. Suitable reward to finder on return to A. R. Wood, Colorado, Texas. 9-5c

FOR RENT.—House one mile from town, also a good home for sale at a bargain. See J. W. Shepperd. 9-8p

LOST.—Gold Mexican filigree brooch with pearl in center, somewhere between Mrs. A. D. Martin's and Q. D. Hiall's. Will pay reward if returned to Miss Eleanor Dupree. 4tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—A good 20 H. P. Roadster in first class condition. A bargain at Miller Bros. See the car and get free demonstration.—Trade quick.

YOUNG GRADE COWS WANTED. I want to buy FIFTY high grade young cows. Address: Box 678, Abilene, Texas, giving price and full description in first letter.

FOR SALE.—Small house and lot; terms, small cash payment, remainder on easy terms. is not for rent. See Chas. H. Earnest. 4f

FOR SALE.—Good ranch buggy, little used, at bargain for quick sale. See J. Preston Scott. 4f

Buy your gasoline at the Brick Garage. Donald Sheaff in charge.

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"Hunt's Cure" is absolutely guaranteed to cure Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter, or any skin disease; or purchase price cheerfully refunded. Sold for 50c the box and guaranteed locally by

Five or six teachers were examined for certificates at the court house last Friday and Saturday. Ex-officio Superintendent, J. H. Bullock will furnish the Record with the official list of teachers of Mitchell county.

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

Cliff Pritchett of Amarillo is visiting the family of his parents, this week.

Floyd Beall handles the celebrated Shaw Brothers' ice cream—the very Best made.

The contract for the erection of the Shepherd school house was awarded to H. H. Padgett. This is the most recent district to vote bonds for the building of a school house that would comply with the physical requirements in order to participate in the million dollar auxiliary school fund.

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 Record is glad to learn that Miss Katie Buchanan has been selected as assistant teacher in the Dunn school for the coming session. Miss Katie has a four year certificate and promises to make a success as a teacher.

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

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Vaughan motored in Saturday night from their visit to Georgetown. They report rain and mud from Georgetown to Abilene.

Floyd Beall handles the celebrated Shaw Brothers' ice cream, the best, purest and most sanitary cream made.

Misses Lois Whipkey and Jewell Mitchell returned from their visit in Snyder, Sunday.

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

C. E. Franklin is able to be out again.

Mrs. Ed Dupree returned Thursday night from an extended visit with relatives and friends in Huntsville, Mt. Vernon and other places.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Prude and the ladies are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Prude this week.

Most beautiful line of stationery in the city at Jno. L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Miss Lucile B'ume, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Prude, left Tuesday for her home at Fort Worth.

The 1917 model of the Ford car discards several of the long distance earmarks of the familiar tin henry. The only brass in evidence is the stopper for the radiator mouth.

Miss Lois Prude left Tuesday for a visit in Dallas.

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

Mrs. T. J. Ratliff, Mrs. C. H. Lasky and daughter, Miss Evelyn, returned from their visit to Paris Monday morning. They report a very pleasant visit.

Miss Ethel Sikes returned from a three week's visit with friends in Cross Plains, Sunday night.

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.

Mrs. Van King had as her guests last week her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Anthony, from Roscoe, and sister, Mrs. Sam Lidia and children of Stephenville.

Go to Sunday school Sept. 24th—It's rally day with the Baptists.

Misses Maud Farmer and Lela Whipkey spent Wednesday in Roscoe the guests of Mrs. R. E. Gray.

For the best line of cigars, cigarettes and smokers' articles, toilet articles of all kinds and fine stationery go to Floyd Beall's.

Billie Burk in Gloria's Romance at Shadowland.

Rev. W. C. Hart of Gail, was a Colorado visitor this week. He reports his section as a trifle shy on abundant moisture.

Mrs. B. F. Mills' millinery is ready for your inspection.

Remember September 24, is rally day in the Baptist Sunday school.

All the standard magazines at Ben Morgan's.

Mrs. A. R. Pool of Sterling, C. y was a guest of Mrs. A. L. Whipkey Wednesday.

New Home sewing machines and Columbia Grafanolas are still going strong in my business. Every home needs one or both of them. I. A. Griffith.

Mr. Carl Phenix who was operated on for appendicitis in Abilene is reported as doing nicely and will soon be home.

Miss Mabel Smith left Thursday to visit friends in Fort Worth.

See Charlie Chaplin in the Vagabond opera house next Thursday.

W. L. Doss is official headquarters for all lines of school supplies.

Men and Boys Free to see the Grip of Evil at the Opera House next Monday night. Ladies and girls will be charged the usual price of 5 and 10c.

Billie Burk in Gloria's Romance at Shadowland.

Miss Annie Laura Harper of El Paso has been here for several days on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Q. D. Hall. Miss Harper is on her way to Abilene where she will teach Latin in the High School.

If its The Best and most approved tain in toilet goods, fine stationery, smokers articles, ice cream or cold drinks—Floyd Beall has it.

J. R. Ledbetter is in the market for a't your cotton seed. He is a booster in prices and wants all your seed.

Ben Morgan's is the Dallas News local agency.

Mr. Ben T. Meyer has assumed the local agency for the Texas Oil Company, vice W. W. Porter, resigned. Mr. Meyer and family have arrived in Colorado to make their permanent home, and the Record bids them welcome among our citizenship.

W. L. Doss keeps a full line of the celebrated Rexall stationery.

Mr. Tom Morrison Sr. of Floydada, is a Colorado visitor this week. We understand he has sold out his interests in that section, and possibly may return to this part of the vineyard.

Rev. Flow of Oklahoma, preached at the Presbyterian church on Wednesday night in lieu of the regular prayer services. Rev. Flow was a classmate of the pastor, Rev. Guy B. Duff.

The best ice cream made is the Shaw Bros. Floyd Beall sells it.

Try Shaw Bros.' ice cream at Floyd Beall's.

Hazel Dawn at Shadowland next Thursday.

Bruce Wheeler of Merkel is with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wheeler.

No better glasses made than Hawkes' crystalline lenses. W. L. Doss fits 'em satisfactorily without extra charge.

Harry Cook and S. T. Taylor, of Silver Creek, were in town on business Saturday.

Coming to Shadowland, Charlie Chaplin in Burlesque on Carmen—in four parts.

New gasoline filling station at the Brick Garage.

Little Margaret, daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. H. Bullock, who has been sick for the past four weeks was reported a little better Thursday.

Hazel Dawn at Shadowland next Thursday.

Archie Thompson of Silver, was in town on business Saturday.

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

Horace Cook of Barnett visited his sister, Mrs. DeGarmo Friday and Saturday.

John Barrymore at Shadowland Tuesday.

Hall DeGarmo returned from his visit with relatives at Barnett, Friday.

Ben Morgan will order any periodical for you.

John Barrymore at Shadowland Tuesday.

TO MY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS.

I appreciate the courtesy you have shown me in the past, by your liberal patronage. I am glad to tell you that I am better prepared than ever to serve you. I will do my best at all times to give you good service. I consider that all the cotton farmers know where they want to gin and I promise not to intrude on you by riding your wagons, and begging you for your ginning. I am a farmer and I think I know what you want. I will pay at all times the best price I can for seed.

Respectfully yours,
W. E. WATSON.

BRING ALL YOUR HOGS.

I want hogs of all descriptions. Bring them in on Saturday, Sept. 16th. Highest market price paid by
L. C. DUPREE.

UNIVERSITY LAND IS BEING FILED ON

There are 2,000,000 acres of land in the State of Texas belonging to the State University that has heretofore been withheld from the market. This land has is being leased as grazing land.

Four hundred and eighty-six sections of this land is located in Andrews county. One hundred and thirty sections of which has been filed on and an attempt is being made to force this on the market. Settlement has been made on 139 sections and all are awaiting a decision of the Supreme Court of Texas which meets this fall which will determine whether or not the land is to be placed on the market.

Land Commissioner Robison has set the price of the land in this county at \$6.00 per acre, payable in 40 years at 5 per cent.

Should this land come on the market it will mean a great thing for Andrews county. Only four sections can be purchased by one party, which means a number of new settlers would locate here. And then, too this 411,000 acres of land would be subject to taxation.—Andrews County Times.

The apportionment for public school education in this state will be \$7 per child this year. With our seven hundred children and the special tax, it looks like there should be enough teachers employed to hold our affiliation.

TAYLOR & JACKSON TAILOR SHOP

Second Door East of Fire Station

Cleaning, Pressing and Altering. Clothes called for and delivered.

PRICES—

Suits scrubbed and pressed \$1.00
Coats Scrubbed and Pressed .50c
Pants Scrubbed and Pressed .50c
Pants Dry Cleaned and Pressed 50c
Coats Dry Cleaned and Pressed 75c
Suits Dry Cleaned and Pressed 75c
Coats or Pants Pressed, each 25c
PATRONAGE SOLICITED

Frank Hitchcock, former republican postmaster general, has been sent out over the country to find out the cause of apathy in the republican ranks. There's but one cause—Woodrow Wilson.

Take Jonesue! If that isn't a name to conjure with in war or politics, you'll be hornswoegled. And yet that is the name of the man who holds the destiny of Roumania in his hands. Take Jones' cue!



Facts In a Nut Shell

THESE are days of co-operation, organization, team-work.

MAN can no longer succeed all alone, unhelped and unhelping—nor does he wish to.

REAL SUCCESS now means INCREASED USEFULNESS. A BANK ACCOUNT will make you MORE USEFUL.

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Whose your tailor?

It's Not Too Early

To decide about that Fall or Winter Suit you must have before cool weather.

Our line of samples was never fuller or more varied than this season's.

We represent the leading tailoring houses of the country and guarantee the fullest satisfaction as to style, quality of goods, workmanship and fit.

Prices no higher than ready-made clothing.

Our stock of Gents' Furnishings is ready for your selection. Everything the latest; quality the best.

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from the designs of the get-rich-quick promoter. If you have money to invest, investigate the advantages of the Certificates of Deposit issued by this Institution.

They offer absolute safety for principal, a stable rate of interest and are readily negotiable for their full face value.

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