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## RESOLUTION DISAPPROVES ACTION REP. BEN L. COX

A resolution disapproving the action of Representative Ben L. Cox of Abilene, in his efforts to thwart passage of the bill now under consideration in the House of Representatives at Austin, providing for the establishment of a West Texas A. & M. College was passed unanimously by 140 Colorado citizens assembled at the regular monthly meeting of the Colorado Boosters Club Tuesday night.

The resolution was introduced by Dr. P. C. Colman, president of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce, following an address of Porter A. Whaley, of Stamford, general manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who delivered an address in which the opposition to this bill by Mr. Cox was outlined. Whaley stated that he could ascertain no reason why Cox should thus be using his endeavors against the wishes of some 200 towns and cities of West Texas, and especially the citizens of Abilene his home city, in attempting to block the desired legislation.

The citizens of Abilene and the Hon. Dallas Scarborough, mayor of that city, have openly protested to Mr. Cox because of his opposition to the proposed bill, it was stated. The resolution which was directed to be furnished the daily press of the state, follows:

"Whereas, more than two hundred and twenty towns in one hundred of the West Texas counties have all contributed their mite toward the fund to handle the campaign to secure the West Texas A. & M. College, and whereas, all of these towns are interested in a desirable location for said college irrespective of their own peculiar interests; and whereas, all of these towns working and co-operating together selected an A. & M. campaign committee, composed of leading West Texans, which committee is entitled to the cordial and the whole-hearted co-operation of all:

"Therefore, be it resolved: That we, the citizens of Colorado in mass meeting assembled call upon the Honorable Ben L. Cox of Abilene to comply with the wishes of his constituents and not abrogate to himself the substitution of any bill or bills in opposition to the present bill now being considered in the House of Representatives at Austin, and:

"Be it resolved, that the citizens of Colorado are like the Hon. Dallas Scarborough, mayor of Abilene, anxious and willing to leave the details of the bill to the regularly appointed West Texas Committee, and we feel that Ben L. Cox does not represent the wishes of Abilene or any other city in West Texas if he attempts to substitute his own bill for the regularly worked out caucus bill, agreed upon by the West Texas Committee."

"And be it further resolved, that we notify Mr. Cox by wire of this decision and fervently hope he shall see the justice and the wisdom of abiding by this honorable request."

## MITCHELL COUNTY PUBLIC ROADS ARE ABOVE AVERAGE.

The public roads of Mitchell county are considerably above the average according to Sheriff W. J. Chesney who returned Thursday afternoon of last week from a trip by automobile as far to the northeast as Montague County.

## TWO PRISONERS RETURNED TO COLORADO BY SHERIFF.

Sheriff W. J. Chesney returned on Thursday afternoon from a trip to Montague and Anson where he had gone to receive two prisoners held for the Mitchell county authorities.

At Montague he was given custody of A. B. Fields, recently arrested in Montague county by authorities at the request of Mr. Chesney. Fields is charged with having raised a check given him by Cleave Forbis, a farmer of near Loraine, from \$4.25 to \$94.25. The check was given Fields in exchange for services on the Forbis farm and was presented to Wilson & Erwin at Loraine. A bill of indictment was returned against him by the Mitchell county grand jury at the last session.

The other prisoner, Jesse Franklin, negro, is charged with burglary of the store of the Colorado Barvain House at Colorado on the night of December 23rd. He was arrested several days ago at Hamlin on charges of burglary committed there and following trial at Anson was convicted and given four years. He has filed notice of appeal. Another negro, also arrested at Hamlin at the same time on charges of burglary and allowed to have been with Jesse when the Colorado store was broken into, was convicted of the charges against him given a sentence of four years in the penitentiary, and he has been delivered to the penitentiary authorities.

Sheriff Chesney stated Monday that in case the Mitchell county authorities desired to try the other negro, he would be brought to Colorado from Huntsville for trial at such time as the case might be set down on the docket.

## MISS BUCHANAN RESIGNS OFFICE COUNTY TREASURER.

Miss Ruth Buchanan tendered her resignation as county treasurer to commissioners court last week, to become effective March 14th, which was accepted. Miss Buchanan was elected to this office for the first time in the general election of last November, her name having been written on the ballots by the voters.

Miss Buchanan stated that she and her sister, Miss Kate Buchanan, planned to spend the summer at Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, South Africa, with her brother, Roy Buchanan, who is a civil engineer with the Pittsburgh Aluminum Company there. The Misses Buchanan plan leaving Colorado early in June.

## COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD IN SESSION HERE SATURDAY.

The Mitchell County School Board, of which Dr. P. C. Coleman of this city is the president, was convened Saturday afternoon at the office of Judge J. C. Hall, ex-officio secretary of the board.

A readjustment of boundary lines between school districts 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, was established, in that these districts be more centrally situated surrounding the school houses, and have a more equitable area from which to derive taxation.

"In the several counties I traveled through," said Mr. Chesney, "I found only one county that had as good, or perhaps better roads than we have in this county. These were in Montague. The worst roads I encountered were in Clay County, and some of them were almost impassable."

## Whoop 'em Up Spirit Prevails at Tuesday Night Booster Club Smoker and Feed

Pep and enthusiastic demonstrations of co-operation for a bigger and better Colorado were the predominant features at the smoker held Tuesday night by the Colorado Boosters Club at the display rooms of the Price to Company. 140 men were in attendance and every one of them demonstrated effectively that he was a live wire, in a live wire organization, in a live wire town.

Among the out-of-town guests to attend the smoker were Mrs. J. L. Landrum of Stamford, for several years director of the Economics Division, Department of Agriculture at Austin. She delivered a most interesting address on the subject of economics and of bettering conditions for the boys and girls on the farms. Mrs. Landrum is now living in Stamford, where she is superintending arrangements for a manufacturers exhibit.

Porter A. Whaley of Stamford, the general manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was the principal speaker of the evening. Mr. Whaley told of the origin of the Chamber of Commerce in France, its spread to Germany and England and then to America. The first Chamber of Commerce to be founded in America was in New York, and was chartered by King George of England, he stated.

The second chamber to be established in America was at Charleston, South Carolina and Mr. Whaley told of having recently visited the chamber building there and looking over minutes of the organization many years ago.

"On the walls of that chamber of commerce I saw the pictures of every man who served as president" he stated, "and in looking through the old preserved minutes I saw where a committee had been appointed to welcome President George Washington to the city when he made his first visit to the South after becoming president. Following the pages to later events, I read of when a president of the organization had appointed a committee to assist in building the first railroad ever constructed in America. Further down as the pages ran, I read an account of proceedings attendant activities of that chamber of commerce when the first ship was sent from Charleston across the Atlantic."

Mr. Whaley spoke of what the duties of a chamber of commerce should be, stating with emphasis that it was essentially an organization that could not represent personal or partisan interests and survive. "And the knocker has no business in the chamber of commerce," he continued. "The fellow who stands on the corner with his hands in his vest-pockets, and knocks the chamber because it is not doing some special favor for him or his clique, will never accomplish any good, in the organization, or out of it."

Whaley paid a tribute to Dr. P. C. Coleman, president of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce for being possessed with an unusual chivalrous, public spirited spirit. "I deem it indeed an honor to the city of Colorado to have as its citizen so distinguished a gentleman as Dr. Coleman," he stated. "A few years ago when we first undertook the task of obtaining our rights in the location of an A. & M. college somewhere in West Texas, Dr. Coleman of Colorado took the initiative in directing the campaign and because of his recognized leadership and integrity in this matter, we selected him president of the committee whose duty it was to place before the proper authorities the claims of West Texas in this matter."

Other out of town speakers were Hon. Geo. H. Sheppard, mayor of Sweetwater, who praised the spirit of co-operation and pep so prevalent among the Colorado citizenry. "Colorado has one of the best live wire bunch of men I have ever known, and I am here to state that through this very spirit of cooperation and push you gentlemen are in line to bring to

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your city any industry that may be practically undertaken. Sweetwater is especially indebted to Colorado for the loyal support you gave us in our fight at Ranger recently for bringing the 1922 convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to our city. If we had been so fortunate as to have had the support of a few more live delegations like the one you sent to Ranger I am sure we would have landed the convention, and, by the way, if we had only had your band with us, we would now be making preparations for entertaining the next convention."

W. H. Wortham, prominent banker and wholesaler of Sweetwater, was another of the principal speakers of the evening. Mr. Wortham predicted great things for Colorado and the Colorado Booster Club if the spirit so manifest at the smoker was maintained. "Never come into this organization to grind an axe," he said. "If you have an axe to grind, go off to yourself some vacant lot where you will not disturb your neighbor."

Dr. R. H. Monier, president of the Sweetwater Refinery Co., also among the Sweetwater visitors, told of what his company thought of the Colorado oil field. "We have made analysis of your oil in three different laboratories and find the quality of the Mitchell county petroleum very good," he stated. "Your oil tested 20 per cent gasoline, 15 per cent kerosene, and 30 per cent wax, and only 20 per cent residue. The content of gasoline is fine. The wax is ten per cent above that of the mid-continent fields."

"We were influenced in building our refinery at Sweetwater by your oil field," the Doctor stated. "We are building our plant at Sweetwater because of the excellent railroad facilities there; but we want to be counted in as being one of you, especially so in the oil end of your resources. When you bring in more wells and develop a good commercial field here, we plan laying a pipe line from Colorado to Sweetwater and shall call upon you to furnish us with the raw products from which our finished oils and gas, wax products, etc., are to be made."

Buck Johnson, chief of police at Sweetwater, accompanied the delegation from that city. In a speech before the meeting, Mr. Johnson stated that in addition to his duties as chief of police at Sweetwater, he also called the outgoing trains from Sweetwater, and as a result his voice was too hoarse to permit of speaking audibly.

T. D. Copeland of Longview, and T. H. Hendrix of Amarillo, traveling salesmen, were admitted as honorary members of the club. Mrs. Landrum was also unanimously chosen as an honorary member.

Addresses were also made by several local citizens. The smoker was presided over by Hon. C. M. Adams and music was furnished by the Colorado Band, under the direction of J. Lee Jones. Refreshments were served under supervision of H. B. Broadus and because of the large number of guests, the second table had to be spread.

The meeting was not adjourned until 1 o'clock Wednesday morning and expressions of those attending would convey the suggestion that this smoker was one of the best things ever undertaken in the city, in so far as welding a closer relationship between the various commercial and professional men of the city are concerned.

The chairman announced just before adjournment that the next regular meeting of the club would be held some time in March, on a date to be announced later. Resolutions of appreciation for special courtesies shown the club by O. B. Price, H. L. Hutchinson, H. B. Broadus, the several committees and the band, were passed. Expressions of appreciation for presence of Mr. Whaley, Mrs. Landrum and the Sweetwater visitors, were also adopted.

## REFINERY REPRESENTATIVE IN COLORADO THIS WEEK.

Dr. J. W. Hyatt, representing the Sweetwater Refinery Company, recently organized, spent several days of this and last week in Colorado on business for his company. Dr. Hyatt stated his company had purchased a tract of sixty acres just east of Sweetwater as their refinery site and had already commenced excavations for their first unit of the plant.

Dr. Hyatt came to Sweetwater from Placerville, California, where during the past fifteen years he was engaged in practicing mining engineering. It was near Placerville that gold was discovered in California more than a half century ago, resulting in the historic rush of immigrants from every section of America to the field.

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## FARM BUREAU DIRECTORS COMMEND COLORADO RECORD

Officers and directors of the Mitchell County Farm Bureau, convened Saturday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce, passed resolutions commending The Record for its co-operative policy in organizing the bureau in this county and also for the sympathetic policy of the paper in championing the interests of the producer of farm and ranch commodities.

"We heartily commend the policy of The Record in these matters," the resolution stated, "and recommend that every member of the Mitchell County Farm Bureau, not already a subscriber, have his name placed on the mailing list of The Record at once, in that he keep posted as to what we are doing and plan to do through this organization."

F. B. Whipkey, manager of the Whipkey Printing Company, publishers of The Record, stated Monday that the paper would continue to feature news of the Farm Bureau, not alone in Mitchell County, but of the state as well, because we recognize that the interests of the farmers and cattlemen are essentially the interests of all the commercial and professional assets of this county, and The Record will continue in the future, as in the past, to labor for and to champion every undertaking having for its purpose the betterment of conditions affecting our varied industries."

## COLORADO STEAM LAUNDRY SOLD TO GRAHAM MAN.

The plant and business of the Colorado Steam Laundry Company was sold Saturday to A. E. Blanks of Graham, according to information given The Record by J. H. Greene, former owner of the plant. Blanks arrived in Colorado Saturday and is spending this week in the city. He will assume charge of the laundry Monday.

Mr. Greene stated that he had sold the laundry business not because of an insufficiency in patronage, since the business was operating to almost full capacity and paying a satisfactory return. Pressing demands of attention to his mercantile and undertaking interests here prompted disposal of the plant, he said. Also, Mrs. Greene has been in very bad health for some time, and this too, prompts Mr. Greene in the sale of the laundry interests.

Blanks comes to Colorado recommended as a laundry man of several years experience. Until recently he owned and operated a large plant at Graham, which was destroyed by fire. He will move his family to Colorado within the near future and expects to become affiliated with the permanent citizenship of the city.

## FARM BUREAU SECRETARY TO SPEAK AT SWEETWATER.

O. C. Moser of Dallas, secretary of the Texas Farm Bureau, will deliver an address at Sweetwater this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, according to a telegram received Tuesday morning by W. A. Dulin, from H. E. Dieterich, who is now in Dallas. Dieterich spent some time in Mitchell county recently organizing the county bureau here.

Dieterich urged in the telegram that members of the board of directors, individual members, bankers and others interested in the Mitchell County Farm Bureau go to Sweetwater today to hear this address.

## ATTEMPT TO STEAL REFRESHMENTS AT SOCIAL

An entertainment in honor of Geo. Washington's birthday, given by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hale at their home in the city Tuesday evening, was interrupted when two prowlers were discovered in the dining room of the home attempting to make away with the refreshments that had been prepared for serving to the guests.

The guests were assembled in the front rooms at the home enjoying varied games and other social diversions when some one went into the dining room to arrange for serving. Upon entering the room the men were noticed and they hurriedly left the home through a rear door. Mr. Hale gave chase but was outdistanced by the two.

At first it was reported that the two men were negroes, but Thursday morning The Record received information that this version was being discredited, and that now the opinion is that they were white men. The two were in the act of carrying off the refreshments when discovered and no reason except they desired to appropriate something to eat can be assigned for the attempted theft.

No arrests in the case had been made up to Thursday morning.

## EVANS, ARRESTED AT DURANT, OKLA., FIGHTS EXTRADITION.

D. T. Evans, charged by information filed by one of the local banks, with having disposed of ten bales of mortgaged cotton without proper authority and also to have appropriated the proceeds of the sale, has been arrested at Durant, Oklahoma, according to information received by Sheriff W. J. Chesney. Evans farmed a crop on the Franks & Hale place, several miles south of Colorado, last year, and only recently left the country.

Evans is fighting extradition and refuses to return to Mitchell county for trial, according to Mr. Chesney. Application was made to Governor Neff Saturday for extradition papers and should they be granted the prisoner will be returned to Colorado.

## ELECTED HONORARY MEMBER MITCHELL CO. FARM BUREAU

U. D. Wulfjen was in Colorado Wednesday from the Wulfjen ranch and spent several hours in the city on business. Mr. Wulfjen was elected as an honorary member, board of directors, Mitchell County Farm Bureau, at a meeting of the directorate Saturday at the Chamber of Commerce.

Under the constitution of the organization, no citizen holding an elective political office may qualify for this office, it was stated, and since Mr. Wulfjen is a member of county commissioners court and his services on the board were desired by the directors he was thus elected. Wulfjen will have no voice in voting at directorate meetings, it was stated.

"I recently received a copy of The Record," writes W. Chamberlain of Echus, N. Y., "and noting reports of oil development in your county became interested. I am enclosing a postoffice money order in payment for subscription." Dear Mary:

**THE OPERA HOUSE THEATRE**  
The House of Better Shows

Friday and Saturday, February 25th and 26th—  
**MARGUERITE CLARK, in**  
**"LUCK IN PAWN"**

Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 28, March 1.—  
Another Realtor Production  
—Featuring Alice Brady in—  
**The Dark Lantern**  
Rolin Comedy.

Wednesday and Thursday March 2 and 3.—  
Paramount Artercraft Super Production  
—Bryant Washburn in—  
**Why Smith Left Home**  
One of the Most Laughable Comedy-Dramas ever Filmed  
Also a Good News Real.

Friday and Saturday, March 4th and 5th—  
Paramount Artercraft Super Production—  
**Invisible Bond**  
—and a Fatty Arbuckle Comedy.

**ADMISSION 15 AND 30 CENTS**

Matinee  
Every  
Saturday

**The Best Theatre**  
Chas Taylor, Prop.  
Pictures That Please

Next  
Door to  
Postoffice

Friday and Saturday, 25th and 26th—  
**"That Something"**  
(Some Picture Too!)  
CHAPLIN COMEDY  
ADMISSION: 25 and 50 CENTS

Mon. and Tues. Feb. 28, Mar. 1.  
**Tucker Brothers Big Road Shows**  
With Pictures and Vaudeville

Wednesday and Thursday March 2-3  
**Outside the Law**  
—BY PRISCILLA DEAN—  
—Also Comedy

Friday and Saturday, March 4-5  
**Blind Husbands**  
BY DOROTHY PHILLIPS  
—Two-Reel Comedy  
Admission 25c and 50c

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# Why are they trading at Beals Cash Store?

They will tell you they get more goods for their money.

Try the Cost Plan next month.

## H. S. BEAL

### IATAN ITEMS.

Most everyone has gotten over their colds and various other complaints and Iatan is once more a well and happy community.

Mrs. Kate Carter returned from Abilene Saturday, where she had been called to the bedside of her daughter. She reports her daughter improved.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Van Buskirk and their daughter Emma Jean, in company with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stevenson, motored to Seven Wells. They took their lunch and report a fine time.

Jim Anderson of Westbrook, was in Iatan on business Tuesday.

J. C. Caldwell, the local agent for the T. & P. spent the week end in Colorado.

Drexel Cocker and his mother, were shopping in Colorado Monday.

Horace Cook of the Colorado-Texas Petroleum Company received the sad news of the death of his brother-in-law, Sur Robertson, last Sunday.

The Iatan school wishes to take this means of extending its thanks to the local members of the Scottish Rite branch of the Masonic lodge for the book "Americanization," which was presented the school by that order.

Mrs. W. F. Vickery returned from Fort Worth Sunday. She attended the funeral of her daughter.

### OUT BUFORD WAY.

We are having some sickness in the community. Mr. James Bodine, and little daughter Aldred, were confined to the house Sunday. Miss Bonnie Smith is better this week, yet unable to come home from Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hinkle have a nine-pound boy out to their home. Bill's stepping mighty high now.

Mr. Nash has moved on the McGuire farm from near China Grove. Mr. Gibson has moved on the Powells boys farm northeast of Buford.

Mr. Bills left in his car for the "old country." Said he was going to Arkansas, and then to Memphis, Tenn., and keep going then as long as he could buy gas. If his gas money lasts long enough we look for him back in Mitchell county, in twelve months.

A good Sunday school Sunday, and our plans were all laid for visiting the Baptist Sunday school at Colorado next Sunday morning. We are coming down in a body to learn some new ideas about how Sunday school should be carried on, and try to get a new interest in Sunday school work.

We expect to visit each of the Sunday schools in town as Spring comes on, one every fourth Sunday, as we have no preaching on that Sunday. By a fair method of choosing, it was decided we visit the schools in the following

order: Baptist, Christian, Methodist, and the other schools in order.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bedford and daughter Mayme Lou, also Mrs. Reese Bedford and children, all visited Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McGuire in the Union community Sunday.

The school children in Miss Porter's room rendered a very appropriate program Tuesday night at the school house. There was quite a crowd of folks out to see the little people perform.

A number of incidents in George Washington's life were featured to us afresh, and those that were there to hear, and those that took part in the program have a more profound interest in the life history of "the father of our country." Mr. Garland Key was representing George in his early life. Several interesting songs and recitations were on the program. In fact, it all was helpful, and interesting to everybody.

### PLENTY OF COAL NOW HERE.

Best coal at attractive rates. Three carloads now here and more on the road. R. L. Spalding.

We have a complete stock of Shelf Hardware; can supply the farmers' needs. Colorado Mercantile Co.

## OIL DEVELOPMENT IN THE BIG SPRING TERRITORY

45,000 Acres of H. S. Ranch Leased for Oil Development—Boston Capitalists Will Arrive Saturday.

**General Oil Co. Operations.**  
The work of cleaning out McDowell well No. 1, is going steadily forward and it is thought that this well will be in shape to be given a shot by next Monday. The work of drilling around the lost fishing tools at about 2490 feet has been necessarily slow because it was necessary to use care in getting the drill past this obstruction.

At Neel well No. 1 progress has also been slow and considerable underreaming necessary. Due to the formation caving below eight inch casing it was necessary to underream and lower this about one hundred and fifty feet.

At Roberts No. 1 they are fishing for lost tools at about 2500 feet. Inability to catch a hold on the tools is making this quite a difficult fishing job.

At Read No. 1 they are running six and five-eighths inch casing to cut off the water, so drilling can be resumed at about 3250 feet.

The standard tools to be used on Sand Hill No. 1 are now en route to this city and work on this test should be under way in the near future.

**At the Enders-Cushing Test.**  
The Enders-Cushing test on the Cushing ranch twenty miles southeast of Big Spring, is now drilling below 1600 feet. Good progress was made the past week and steady deepening of this well at a rapid rate is now expected.

Another oil showing was encountered this week. Quite a few oil and gas showings have been encountered since this well passed the 800 foot mark.

The drill is now encountering alternating strata of lime and sand.

A crowd of Boston, Mass., capitalists are due to arrive Saturday to investigate progress on this test, and among the number will be H. H. Enders, president of the Cushing Ranch Drilling Association. Mr. Southers, vice president, J. H. Mulvey, and several other stockholders.

It is believed that the location for a test well on the Sparmen lease, adjoining the Cushing ranch will be selected during Mr. Enders' visit here.

**May Resume on Home Test Soon.**  
H. Z. Clark of Pecos, president of the Federal Oil Development Systems, Inc., spent Wednesday in the city on business.

Mr. Clark's company has taken over the properties of the Big Spring Production Co. contracting to drill the Quinn well to a depth of 4000 feet if oil in commercial quantities is not encountered at a lesser depth.

Mr. Clark discussed the proposition of starting drilling on this well while here but gave no definite information as to the exact time he expected to start operations. It is generally believed that work will be under way in the course of the next twenty or so days.

### 45,000 Acre Oil Lease Closed.

One of the biggest deals consummated in many a day was closed last week wherein Joe D. Dotson secured a lease on 45,000 acres out of the H. S. Ranch, located in Howard, Mitchell and Sterling counties, for the purpose of oil development. This lease was secured from Harry Hyman and associates of San Antonio, Texas, the owners of the H. S. Ranch.

It is understood that Mr. Dotson represented the S. E. J. Cox Company in this transaction. We are informed that the property will be surveyed at an early date and locations made preparatory to starting drilling operations.—Big Spring Herald.

### BRYANT WASHBURN HAS WILD TIME ON HIS WEDDING TRIP.

Bryant Washburn and Lois Wilson, who appear together in the new Paramount Artercraft comedy picture, "Why Smith Left Home," at the Opera House Wednesday and Thursday, have now completed a Movieland romance from first meeting, through elopement, marriage and reconciliation after the momentous first quarrel. Screen lovers will recall the pair in "Love Insurance," Mr. Washburn's previous starring vehicle, where they were acquainted under bizarre circumstances and fall in love. Though "Why Smith Left Home" is in no sense a sequel to the other film, it carries the lovers through a rapid fire elopement and a tumultuous and extremely amusing honeymoon. Fire, wrecks, designing serving maids, and an earthquake combine to foil Smith in his efforts to win his first nuptial kiss, and only when he turns "cave man" does he succeed. The picture is a screen version of George Broadhurst's well known farce of the same name. Maym Kelso, Walter Hiers, Winter Hall, Margaret Loomis, and Carrie Clark Ward are included in the cast. It was directed by Donald Crisp.

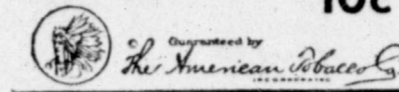
State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County—ss.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.  
FRANK J. CHENEY.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 25th day of December, A. D. 1920.  
W. Gleason, Notary Public.  
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Druggists, 75c. Testimonials free.  
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Druggists Sundries—W R Charers.



GENUINE  
**"BULL"  
DURHAM**

tobacco makes 50  
good cigarettes for  
10c



### "KEATHLEY ROOMING HOUSE" TO "ALAMO HOTEL"

On account of not knowing what I ought to have known when I bought the Alamo Hotel building, changed the name of it to the Keathley Rooming House. On account of my experience the past two and one-half years I will change back to the Alamo Hotel European Plan, on March 1, 1921.

I appreciate the interest manifested in my business by my friends in the past and desire a continuation of the same in the future.

E. KEATHLEY.

### READ AND ACT.

We did not take you to raise, so don't get peeved when we insist on you paying your account. H. B. Broadus and Sons.—We sell Cotton-White Flour, the best in the world, for three dollars a sack.

Come in and look over our stock of Ranges, and Cook Stoves; the price is right. Colorado Mercantile Company.

Read the Record's WANT ADS

## THE "OLD RELIABLE" THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

White Haired Alabama Lady Says She Has Seen Medicines Come and Go But The "Old Reliable" Thedford's Black-Draught Came and Stayed.

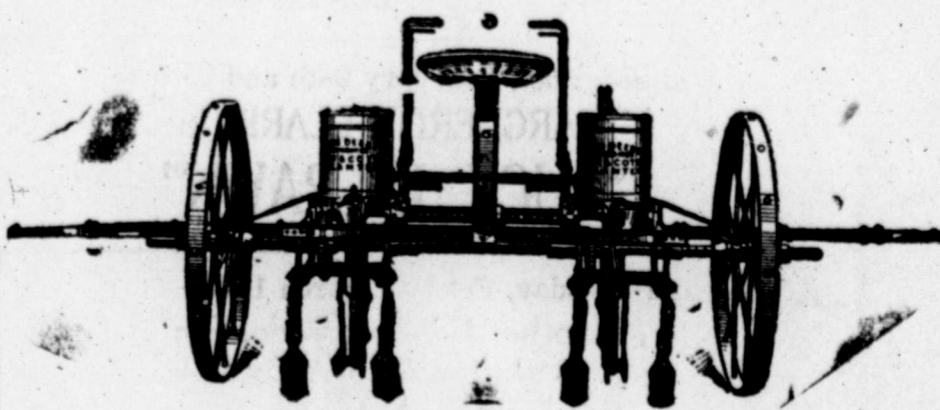
Dutton, Ala.—In recommending Thedford's Black-Draught to her friends and neighbors here, Mrs. T. F. Parks, a well-known Jackson County lady, said: "I am getting up in years; my head is pretty white. I have seen medicines and remedies come and go but the old reliable came and stayed. I am talking of Black-Draught, a liver medicine we have used for years—one that can be depended upon, and one that will do the work."

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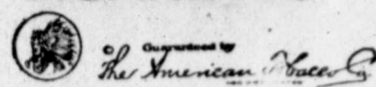


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No cigarette has the same delicious flavor as Lucky Strike. Because—

It's toasted

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### DEATH OF PIONEER CITIZEN.

Last Friday night at ten o'clock, death claimed one of Colorado's pioneer citizens, Mrs. Mary Mann. She had been in bad health for years, and death was not unexpected. She was making her home with her son, Chas., at the time of her death. She had been a resident of Colorado for about forty years. She leaves three children, an aged father, eighty-eight years old, a sister, and several grand children to mourn her departure. The funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon by Rev. Guy B. Duff, pastor of the Presbyterian church. Mrs. Mann was born in Dallas county in 1855, was a loyal member of the Presbyterian church, and a devoted mother. No higher commendation could be passed on anyone.

### ORAN HOOKER POST AUXILIARY

The wives, mothers, sisters and grandmothers formed the second line of defense with their prayers, influence and various ways of service when the young men, the flower of the land, went forth willing to die for their country, during the war, and now they are rising up in one beautiful line with outstretched hearts and hands that they may be of service in helping those who were permitted to return to live for their country. Auxiliaries to the American Legion Posts are being organized everywhere, and Colorado is indeed proud of the response to the call

### RURAL SCHOOLS OF COUNTY PLANT TREES TUESDAY.

At several rural schools of Mitchell county the anniversary of Washington's birthday was celebrated Tuesday by community programs at the school building, a part of the features being to plant shade and ornamental trees on the school grounds. Judge Hall said Tuesday morning that fifteen or sixteen rural schools of the county were thus celebrating the National holiday.

At Cuthbert elaborate plans for such a fete were announced. The entire citizenry were expected to attend and in addition to a speech by the county superintendent, the planting and setting out a portion of the school grounds to these trees and shrubbery, a literary program was given by the school children and members of the faculty.

Trees for planting were furnished the school districts free of charge by the Extension Department, A. & M. College, from the sub-station at Lubbock. There were no charges asked by the State for the trees.

Judge Hall stated that most of the rural schools that planned to plant trees Tuesday had a water supply on the grounds from which they would be watered, should insufficient rains fall to properly nourish the trees. Arrangements will be made for parties residing in close proximity to the schools to attend to them during the holiday season. During school months the trees will be watered and looked after by the teachers and pupils.

She was "Silky Moll" to the underworld but wise, quizzical, all-knowing Chancé called her "the White Lily." See Priscilla Dean's latest success at the Best Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday, March 2nd and 3rd.

See me before you buy your enamel-ware, galvanized ware, or anything in the racket store line. R. L. McMurry.

Last Saturday made by Post Commander J. Y. Fraser to organize one to the Oran C. Hooker Post. The organization was perfected, with the following officers: Mrs. J. H. Merritt, president; Mrs. Lee Jones, first vice president; Mrs. N. J. Phoenix, second vice president; Mrs. Nellie Schroeder, third vice president; Mrs. J. C. Hooker, fourth vice president; Mrs. T. J. Ratliff, recording secretary; Miss Hazel Costin, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Jim Debbis, treasurer; Mrs. P. C. Coleman, historian; Mrs. Roy Dozier, sergeant at arms. A membership committee was appointed. It is composed of Mrs. Lee Jones, Miss Hazel Costin, and Mrs. J. C. Hooker. The next meeting will be held March 12th.

### WEST TEXAS THE GARDEN OF THE LORD

John Ireland was a great governor of Texas.

He was an eminent lawyer, a leader of the Democracy of his era and looked upon as a very ripe scholar as well as a sagacious statesman by his admirers. He had lived his life in Texas. He said he had considered the needs of Texas. He knew the history of Texas, and he was positive that he knew all the possibilities of the state as well as its resources.

He made a speech one day and in that speech he declared that all the vast territory lying west of Fort Worth and east of the Colorado foothills had been designed by nature solely for grazing purposes. That is, it was a cowman's country, and it would ever remain a cowman's country, where the beef of America could be produced.

John Ireland was gathered to his fathers years ago. West Texas is on the map today. It is not a cowman's country alone. Years ago the man with the hoe invaded the West. Years ago the man with the plow invaded the West. Years ago the barbed wire pastures and later the pastures became the farms of the knights of the hoe and the plow, and now West Texas is one of the rich agricultural sections of the State and America.

There are more than 2,000,000 people who are builders and homemakers in that territory that John Ireland gave over for all time to the cowman and his riders and his herds. There are magnificent cities dotting the prairies. There are prosperous towns and villages.

There are colleges and schools. There are mills and factories. There are banks and mercantile establishments. There are all the accessories of the twentieth century, and in the near future this Texas that was to remain a grazing range forever will contain more than half the population of the Lone Star State.

Great is West Texas, "the garden of the Lord." Great are the pioneers who builded wiser than they knew. Great are ranch owners and free riders of yester year who accepted the inevitable and positioned their large holdings into productive farms and became the breeders of herds of pedigreed stock instead of wasting their time or their money in the scrubs of the long ago.

Two years ago more than half the cotton produced in Texas was grown and marketed in the territory to the west of Fort Worth.

In this vast expanse lying between Fort Worth and the Colorado foothills is the great wheat belt of Texas, the great corn belt of Texas, the great oats belt of Texas, the great belt from whose soil is produced the vast crops of feedstuffs for cattle and horses and mules and swine and sheep and goats.

There are some of the richest oil fields in America in this wide expanse where erstwhile countless herds grazed, and only the surface has been scratched. There are vast reservoirs of oil and gas in the unexplored regions or womb of mother earth. There are other rich mineral resources in this once arid section where John Ireland, tearing aside the veil of the future, saw the herds of the cattle king grazing forever.

Modern farms, scientific farmers; modern cities built on the most modern and approved lines; flourishing villages where all the activities of modern life are found; all the industries as well as all the raw materials needed in manufacture are found beneath the skies of this sunny West Texas.

### LOONEY.

School is progressing nicely. Most everybody is through picking cotton and some are bedding their land.

Miss Onal Jackson spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks, returning to her school Monday.

Frank Ennis the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ennis, is quite sick with pneumonia this week.

Clarence Thompson was the welcome guest of Olan Welch Saturday night.

Miss Ava Hobbs and Mr. Charlie Mates were united in marriage Sunday morning by Brother Green. The many friends of the happy couple extend to them best wishes for a long life filled with happiness and prosperity and usefulness.

Ollie Thompson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson is quite sick this week with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Miles were welcome guests of Miss Lela Pierce Sunday afternoon.

Juanita Good has been sick this week with a bad cold, but she is doing nicely again.

Mrs. J. A. Short was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Harris Sunday.

Miss Nettie Davis and sister visited the Looney school Monday.

Mr. Ollie Thompson of Westbrook and Miss Annie Harner of Union visited the Looney singing class Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mates are moving to their home at Payne. We are sorry to see them leave this community.

### MITCHELL CO. TAX COLLECTOR COMMENDED BY COMPTROLLER

W. J. Chesney, tax collector, is in receipt of a letter of commendation from the office of the Comptroller at Austin upon the neatness and accuracy of tax reports submitted from Mitchell county during the past two years.

"We find only two small clerical errors in these two reports," the Comptroller stated, "and so far your reports stand in second place among those received from over the state."

Hand this the best fire on the market at Dallas Auto Co.

## Heralding the Coming of Spring---

we have received many new shipments of Ladies' Ready-to-wear. Attractive in their modes and colorings—Graceful, fascinating styles in dresses and suits.

Taffeta, Priced from \$20 to \$65

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—Silks of all kinds and at all prices; Silks that testify our care and thoughtfulness; colored in keeping with the new demand; soft or crisp in fabric, as your taste may select.

—Fancy Voiles and Organdies in Navy, Gray, Brown, Neptune, Honeydew, Peach, Lavender, Adriatic and Maize.

—A very select showing of Blouses, Petticoats, Hosiery and a complete assortment of ribbons and notions.

## Cash IT PAYS TO PAY Cash AT A CASH STORE F. M. BURNS



### WE WANT EVERY MEMBER OF THIS COMMUNITY TO PROSPER

Even though you may do no business with us direct, your prosperity is an advantage to the community and consequently to us.

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The music produces a mood change.

Mr. Edison has devised a Mood Change Chart by which you can register your reactions to music. Come in and get your supply. Make the experiment in your own home. Have every member of your family, also your friends fill out charts. It's more interesting than the Ouija board.

Mr. Edison would like to study your charts in connection with his great research into the effects of music on the minds and moods of men.

If you don't own a New Edison, come into our store and fill out a Mood Change Chart. Get Mr. Edison all the Mood Change Charts he needs.

## RIX FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING CO.

THE HOUSE OF SATISFACTION  
BIG SPRING LUBBOCK



RAINFALL FOR COLORADO FOR LAST FOURTEEN YEARS

This record is made from the Government Gauge, now in charge of, and accurately kept, by E. Keathley. He can give you any other information.

Table with columns for Year (1904-1920) and months (Jan-Dec) showing rainfall amounts. Total rainfall for each year is listed in the final column.

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The Record is certainly proud of the excellent spirit of co-operation manifest among the varied professional and business interests of the city. We knew all the while that the men of Colorado entertained nothing but fraternity for each other, and scenes at the smoker given by the Colorado Boosters Club on last Tuesday evening sustained us in this even more strongly.

The Reporter extends congratulations to Mr. Clifford B. Jones on his election to the presidency of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Congratulations to that organization are also in order on having selected a man of Mr. Jones' ability to head the activities of the chamber. The Reporter predicts great things for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce during 1921.—Abilene Reporter.

Several towns of West Texas have already "thrown their hats into the ring" for obtaining the honor of se-

OVER the COFFEE CUP

BROADDUS & SON

One of our new customers handed me a grocery list his wife had given him.

As I was putting a can of Gold Plume Coffee in his basket, he said:

"That's mighty good coffee—d'yer tell you how we got to using it?"

Chuckling he said, "Well, it all started by me gettin' a good joke on her."

"She was trying to write a letter on a bran new tablet, and she was fussin' about how hard it was for her to write, and how she couldn't use a pen any more, and all such talk."

"I just happened to look over her shoulder and there if she wasn't trying to write on that blotter that's in the front of all them tab-

"I says to her—Well, try it on some real paper—can't nobody write on a blotter. So she took a sheet of the good paper and wrote, alright."

"Well, we hadn't been satisfied with our coffee since we visited our daughter. She had awful good coffee."

"The Missus said she believed she was losing her knack of making coffee. But I said to her—I believe its in the coffee. You can't make good coffee out of a poor brand, any more than you can write a good letter on a blotter."

"So she says, well less try a new brand—I've heard this Gold Plume Coffee spoke of pretty highly—get a can next time."

"So I did."

"And I can tell you there ain't been no more complainin' about the coffee at our house since I got that first can."

BROADDUS & SON Phone 92 The Store that Sells GOLD PLUME

curing the proposed West Texas A & M. Snyder especially is making considerable ado over her prospects for bringing home the bacon. The Record will not attempt to become over-solicitous just now for this honor, although we know that there is not a city in the entire domain of West Texas that through location, soil and climatic conditions, water supply, etc. merits the honor more than does Colorado. What we desire first is to champion the pending bill and after that it becomes an act of the Legislature and we have visible assurances of having the college awarded to West Texas will be time enough to make the issue a personal one. The Record believes that the united efforts of West Texas are needed more in this matter, as it stands today, than are the personal aspirations of any town or community.

All West Texas for West Texas.

"The public agrees with Governor Neff when he says pardons have been granted too freely and in too great a number, and the state will uphold his action in abolishing the pardon board which with the retiring governor has handed out 2,000 pardons from the penitentiary," says The Gainesville Signal. "Criminals with money and political influence behind them have not hesitated to go to the penitentiary expecting soon to be released only to continue their crime of robbery and depredation. For the criminal to know no suspended sentence nor pardon awaits him will go a long way toward checking the crime wave now spreading over Texas."

"We are strong for the agitation of distributing state convicts labor over the state of Texas and putting it into good roads," says the Miami Chief. "Some of our neighbor states have shown what this will accomplish in road building, and Texas could well afford to follow their example. Disposing of our state farms would be an easy matter and as many good roads in Texas needs it would also be an easy matter to place the convict labor on them and in the course of a few years we would have a splendid set of highways."

"Some of the state newspapers welcome the suggestion wherever it may have originated that the proposed West Texas A. & M. College be merely an A. college dropping the M." says the Abilene Reporter. "They state that there is little need of mechanical instruction in West Texas and the agricultural feature is the main thing. Perhaps these solicitous state papers are right, and perhaps they are wrong. Of course the main need in West Texas is for agricultural instruction but will a school that teaches nothing but agriculture be successful in interesting a very large number of young men? The modern farm is run by machinery mostly and most young men want a course in mechanics along with their course in agriculture. The modern farmer needs to know something of gas engineering and steam engineering and a smattering of civil engineering will do him no harm. A strictly agricultural school will be better than no school at all, however, and since in the long run West Texas will have to take whatever is handed out to her she probably will have to content herself with a West Texas Agricultural college."

EFFECTS OF CONSTIPATION Constipation causes a stoppage of the sewerage system of the body. The poisonous refuse matter that should be carried away is retained in the system and often causes the blood to become poisoned and causes numerous disorders. No one can afford to neglect his bowels. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will afford relief. Avoid drastic cathartics as they take too much water out of the system and their use is likely to be followed by constipation.

MANY LIKE THIS IN COLORDAO Similar Cases Being Published in Each Issue.

The following case is but one of many occurring daily in Colorado. It is an easy matter to verify it. You cannot ask for better proof.

C. D. Doggert, retired stock man Colorado says: "Several years ago I was troubled with my bladder which made it necessary for me to get up often during the night. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me and I am glad to recommend them."

60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburr Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

F. B. Whipkey made a business trip to Big Spring Tuesday.

Large advertisement for Priscilla featuring a portrait of the actress and the text 'At The Best Wednesday- MARCH 2nd, 3rd, 4th'. Includes names of other actors like Lon Chaney and Wheeler Oakman.

SLATS' DIARY

Friday—Ma ast pa to fix sum window shades & pa start a job on a Friday. He is superstitious he does hat 2 use a word with the little letter m in it because it is the 13th letter in the alphabet.

Saturday—pa at last got 2 work on the shades & hit his finger with a hammer & he 2 sware like as if he was kinda mad & ma skolded him & sed he should ought to be more careful how he tawks at home & pa replied & sed what's the use of heaving a home then.

Sunday—Ma was fixing sum chicken for dinner on account we had company for dinner. I ast if it was 2 be fried & she sed No I am going 2 cook smothered chicken but I diddent get enry. I want mine killed civilized.

Monday—a ant of mine cum 2 see ma & pa today & she kist me the cum in. They is a lots of difference in kisses. When ma kisses me it feels nice and smooth all over & when pa kisses me I taste a pipe & when wane kist me that time I got dizzy but when my ant kisses me it hassent no kick at all.

Tuesday—I saw pa putting a nickle away in the trunk today & I ast him why did he put it there, he sed he was saving sooveeners. I sed a nickle wassent enny sooveener & he sed Yes it is they was once a time when it wood by 5 cts worth of things.

Wednesday—pa has got a brother which is going to get married 2 sum lady he knows & he has invited us 2 cum to the wedding & see him get married. Pa sed he thot Joe was mitey foolish to get married, and ma mitey away sed Why is he foolish, pa sed he is so yung and hassent had no experience in marriage.

Thursday—We are not going 2 pa 2 the wedding. Ma sed 2 pa we will send our reerets & pa sed I issent enny use They will have a plenty before long.

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MONUMENTS E. Keathley has my designs at his office, Colorado, Texas. Call there and select what you want in the monument line—S. M. Johnson, Sweetwater, Texas, tf.

Phone 277 for all trunk hauling day or night, auto truck line to and from Cuthbert. (Haul any kind of freight, packages) for passengers.—H. D. Womack.

PLENTY OF COAL NOW HERE—Best coal at attractive prices. Three carloads now here and more on the road. R. L. Spalding.

HOGS FOR SALE—Three choice, big boned Poland China gilts; all bred. \$20 each. Also a few peafowls. Will C. Berry. Cuthbert, Texas. tf.

FOR SALE or TRADE—I have a splendid 5-year old Jack, good size and good color, for sale or will trade for cattle. See the jack at my place 3 miles west of Colorado. A. E. Green. 2-25-c.

CHICKENS AND EGGS — Highest market prices paid for all your eggs and chickens. See me at Oliver's wagon yard. J. M. Marshall. 4-25p

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PLOWING GARDENS—If you want your gardens plowed, phone 390 and call for Carter. 2-25c

ROOMS FOR RENT—I have three good rooms for rent, suitable for light housekeeping. See or phone Louis Landau. Colorado Bargain House. 3-4-c.

FOR SALUE OR TRADE—Good car for sale at a bargain. See L. H. Blanton at Barber Shop. 3-18p

FOR SALE—A good 2-wheel pneumatic Tire, Auto Trailer. Will sell at a bargain for cash. Act quick. See E. L. Jones at Postoffice up to 10 o'clock any morning. 1tp

FOR SALE—Brunswick phonograph and nice collection of records. See Lee Jones, Jr. 3-4 c

FOR SALE—Violet Plants, at 10c per dozen, or 12 dozen for \$1.00. Now is the time to plant. Phone 145, Mrs. C. M. Sparks. 1tp.

FOR SALE—Several head of good horses, some broke to work, all first class horses to sell at a bargain, also one good 15-hand-high Jack, weight 1,000 pounds. See this stock at my ranch south of Westbrook. C. P. Conoway. tf.

POSTED. All lands owned or controlled by me which is known as the Lewis ranch, in Mitchell county, are posted according to law and all trespassing hunting, wood hauling, removal of posted signs, no fences to be moved without permission, etc., will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 7-1-p. Mrs. M. K. Lewis.

POSTED. All lands owned and controlled by me in Mitchell, Sterling and Cook counties, are posted according to law and all trespassing, hunting, wood hauling and fishing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 7-1-p. Lay Powell.

MONUMENT PRICES greatly reduced. Continental Marble and Granite Company of Canton, Ga., best monuments made. Phone, write or see E. M. McClellan at First State Bank, Colorado, Texas. tf

POSTED—All lands controlled and owned by W. L. Ellwood, known as the Randerbrook Ranch, are posted according to law and all trespassers will be prosecuted. This is especially meant for wood haulers, and you had better take notice. We have favorites and will prosecute all alike. O. F. Jones, Manager. tf

STOP THAT ITCHING—Use the reliable Blue Star Eczema Remedy, the guaranteed skin remedy. For such as French Itch, Eczema, ringworm, tetter, and sores on children. Sold on a guarantee by all drug stores. 4-29c

MAIZE WANTED—We are in the market for bright and slightly stained maize. See us before you sell. O. LAMBETH.

WANTED—To buy, an office desk, must be in good repair, at second hand price. Either flat or rolled top. See W. W. Porter.

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WE HAVE sold most all of our furniture but today still have the following at money-saving prices: One Singer Sewing Machine; one Kumfy Kab Baby Carriage; two Bedsteads; one pair Springs; two Mattresses; a few chairs; one heating stove; one almost new Western Electric Large Capacity Washing Machine, with electric wringer. This machine at the present time is worth \$150. Don't fail to see it demonstrated, and you buy it at the sacrifice price of only \$85. Use it a while and you would not sell it at any price. R. C. Edgell.

SHADE TREES—Order them quick! Shade trees, four to six feet high, only 50 cents each. No express charges. Can deliver any order large or small in six days time. Select the variety you want and I will be glad to order them for you. Ash, Box Elder, Catalpa, Wild China, Umbrella China, Cottonwood, American Elm, Hackberry, Honey Locust, Black Locust, Maple, Non-Bearing Mulberry, Carolina Poplar, Lombardy Poplar, Sycamore, Black Walnut, Silver Leafed Poplar. Also every variety of fruit trees that are grown. Phone or see R. T. MANUEL.

MAIZE WANTED—We are in the market for bright and slightly stained maize. See us before you sell. O. LAMBETH.

WANTED—Clean rooms. Bring them to The Record office and receive 5c per pound for them.

STRAYED—From the Jim Plaster pasture, one sorrel-mare and one red sorrel yearling mule colt; colt had on muzzle. Strayed three weeks ago. \$5.00 reward for any information leading to recovery. Phone 378 or see Jim Plaster. 2-25p

FOR SALE—I will sell my restaurant and fixtures at a bargain. See me one door north of Colorado Steam Laundry. W. T. King. 2-25p

SETTING EGGS FOR SALE—Pure bred Rhode Island Red Eggs for sale. \$1.00 for 15. Guaranteed fertile. Phone Cuthbert, W. R. Womack. 3-11-p.

WESTBROK LOT FOR SALE—Lot 11 in Block 40. Best offer in Westbrook for over \$30. Abstract being lost, not furnished title good. Taxes paid up. H. B. McCulley.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Clean, ventilated rooms to rent to small family. Apply M. C. Holt, old Hasting place, north of Court House. 1tp.

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 SEE US FOR HEALTH OR BEAUTY.  
**W. R. CHARTERS**  
 FOR THE LIVER AND BOWELS  
 When your liver and bowels become torpid get a bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets. They will tone up your liver and cause a gentle movement of the bowels. They also improve the digestion.  
 He was only a Chinese merchant, but he sat at chess with fate, and Chang Lo, the master gambler, was the one to call checkmate. See Priscilla Dean in "Outside the Law" at the Best Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, March 2nd and 3rd.  
 We will trade autos, both new and second hand, for mules and cattle Colorado Motor Co.  
 Notary Public seals at Record office—two sizes.

**IN SOCIETY AND AT THE CLUBS**  
**HESPERIAN.**  
 Mrs. Barcroft entertained the Hesperian, complimentary, last Friday. The program was a special one on American art and music, led by Miss Dry.  
 At the social hour ice cream with candied berries, and two kinds of cake was served. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Broaddus.  
**BAYVIEW.**  
 Mrs. D. H. Snyder, Jr., was hostess for the Bayview. The lesson was on irrigation from the Bayview Magazine, and Shakespeare's Midsummer Night's Dream, led by Mrs. J. H. Smoot. At the social hour the hostess served pressed chicken, perfection salad, sandwiches, stuffed olives, marshmallow pudding and angel food cake.  
**STANDARD.**  
 Mrs. Riordan was hostess for the Standard with Mrs. E. N. Gary leader. The lesson was Monna Vanna, Act II. Refreshments were served at the social hour.  
**1921 STUDY CLUB.**  
 A new club was organized at the home of Mrs. Merritt Tuesday afternoon. It was named the "1921 Study Club," and the membership is limited to twenty. Steps were taken to federate this club at once. For the remainder of the club year the study will be "The Merchant of Venice." The following officers were elected: Mrs. Stewart Cooper, president; Mrs. Allan Soper, vice president; Mrs. W. R. Charters, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Abe Dolman, treasurer. The first meeting for study will be with Mrs. Cooper March 4th. Pie, cheese straws, and tea were served.  
**STUDY COURSE.**  
 The Methodist Missionary Society met with Mrs. Arnett Monday for the study "Bible and Missions." The book of Acts was the special Bible study.  
**MISSIONARY MEETING.**  
 The missionary meeting of the Baptist church was held with Mrs. A. L. Whinkey Monday afternoon, with Mrs. J. H. Guitar and Mrs. Jack Smith assistant hostesses. The program was on Home Missions, led by Mrs. Gustine. At the business hour it was decided to serve lunch in the Sunday school rooms Sunday, at which time the Buford Sunday school is expected to be the guests. The women are anxious to have as many as possible come in. Mrs. Jones gave an interesting talk on personal service.  
 At the social hour a salad course coffee, raspberry tarts and whipped cream were served. A group of the Y. W. A. were guests of honor at this time. The diversion was a Bible character test.  
**DINNER PARTY.**  
 Mrs. Sam Wulfjen entertained some friends last Friday with a turkey dinner honoring her husband's birthday. The evening was spent in playing 42.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Wulfjen were presented with a set of iced-tea spoons by the guests. The personnel of the party were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Majors, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Price, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Keck, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pidgeon, and Mr. B. L. Wulfjen, and the host and hostess.  
**CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PARTY.**  
 The Christian Endeavor held a social meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hale Tuesday evening. The guests came dressed as children, and the entertainment was games, which appeal to children. Mrs. Ed Jones represented Martha Washington in looks, acts and costume. The decorations were pictures of the Washington's and flags. The refreshments were all day suckers, apples, popcorn balls, big sticks of candy and ice cream cones, served all during the evening.  
**CAMPFIRE GIRLS RE-ORGANIZED**  
 The Campfire Girls were reorganized at a meeting held with Miss Hazel Costin Wednesday. Mrs. Merritt was re-elected guardian, Mrs. Jim Dobbs assistant guardian, Miss Hazel Costin, president; Miss Lula Helton, secretary-treasurer. The time of meeting will be the third Thursdays.  
**MUSIC AND EXPRESSION PUPILS GIVE ENTERTAINMENT.**  
 The expression pupils of Miss Wesson and the beginner pupils of Mrs. Ed. Dupere's music class gave an entertainment at the High School auditorium Tuesday evening. The house was well filled with their parents and friends. The program consisted of solos, duets, readings and drills, and was rendered in such a way as to reflect credit on both teachers and pupils.  
 This program was free. But the classes are preparing a better one to be given at an early date, at which time they will charge an admission.  
 Perhaps the most enjoyable numbers were the drills given by little ones in costume. They were "Dutch Dance" and "I Took a Walk."  
**A QUIET HOME WEDDING.**  
 Miss Hattie Ensslin and Frank Coleman were married Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents in Colorado, Rev. Jno. W. Pearce, pas-

tor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Only a few friends of the contracting parties were present.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Coleman left Tuesday night for Albany, where they are spending their honeymoon, after which they will leave for California to make their home.

**CHRISTIAN AID.**  
 Mrs. Hardison was hostess for the Christian Aid Society last Thursday. The devotional was conducted by Mrs. Crowder. After the regular business the study of the new book, "The Training of the Church," was begun, led by the pastor. Sandwiches and coffee were served.

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"All the room at the top is not taken up yet," says the Sweetwater Reporter. "Oscar F. Holcombe, 32, a self-educated architect of Houston, has been elected mayor of that thriving metropolis, defeating four candidates. This young man was born in San Antonio, left to support his mother by the death of his father. Strange enough, he gained a reputation as a builder of school houses, although he was denied the privilege of attending any institution of learning. The bottom of the ladder is crowded young man—not the top."

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**CARD OF THANKS.**  
 We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors who were so kind to us in the sickness and death of our daughter and mother and sister, also for the floral offerings.  
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 Morning worship, 11:00.  
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 Evening Worship, 7:30.  
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**AT THE METHODIST CHURCH.**  
 Sunday school at 9:45, W. S. Cooper, superintendent. Our Sunday school is booming; come out and visit it us.  
 Preaching, both morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. C. L. Browning. Sunday is Decision Day for Life Service. The young people urged to be present at all our Sunday services. Subject of the morning sermon, "A Vision of Duty." Subject of the evening sermon, "A Strange Fish Story."  
 Junior League at 2:00, Senior at 6:30. The evening service will begin at 7:30 instead of 7:15 as heretofore.  
 Special music and a neighborly spirit. We shall be glad to see you Sunday.

**SPECIAL MUSIC.**  
 The special music for next Sunday at the Baptist church will be:  
 Chorus, "The Shepherd Guides," Brittone solo, "My Father, While I Stray," arranged to "The Rosary," Stansel Whipkey.  
 Offertory, "Consolation," piano and violin.  
 The hymns will be by Frances Haverlal.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
 Regular services next Sunday. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
 Sunday school at 9:45. Everybody most cordially invited.  
 The pastor will preach at Longfellow at 3:30 p. m.

A fowled head snuggled in the curve of her neck—and it seemed to "Silky Moll" Madden, that two chubby hands were twined about her very heartstrings. See Priscilla Dean in "Outside the Law" at the Best Wednesday and Thursday, March 2nd and 3rd.  
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Messrs. George, Jim and Tom Plaster and Mrs. Bennett were called to Temple Monday on account of the serious sickness of their mother.  
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LORAINE NEWS

Local and Personal News About Loraine and Vicinity.

—By Miss Isophene Toler—

Miss Toler is also authorized to receive and receipt for all subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact all other business for the Whiskey Printing Company in Loraine and Vicinity. See her and take your County Paper.

Miss Cora Reeder is in Dallas in the Baptist Sanitarium again.

S. E. Brown attended the State Bankers Convention at Fort Worth on the 22nd.

John Martin made a business trip to Abilene the first of the week.

Mrs. O. E. Stevenson is among the sick this week.

The little son of Jim Marshall is quite sick with lagrippe.

Mrs. W. L. Edmondson is reported sick this week.

Mrs. J. W. Smiley is slowly recovering from lagrippe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fairbairn and Mrs. Pierce and Mrs. T. R. Bennett motored to Sweetwater Monday.

Mr. James Chambers of Colorado was a guest in the R. E. Bennett home Monday. He was over looking after his farm interests. He has recently had a new tenant house built.

Dr. T. A. Martin had a well drilled on his land west of town and is putting other improvements on same.

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Mrs. L. S. Bizzell, of Frankston, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Griffith. She arrived in time to help nurse the new grandson, who being the only son is considered great by the fond parents.

A. C. Pratt visited in Abilene Sunday in the home of D. C. Pratt.

Hubert Toler and wife with their two youngest children were down from Sweetwater a few hours Sunday. He left for Dallas that night on business.

The Looney family on the R. E. Bennett farm are reported quite sick of lagrippe and in need of nursing.

Jermey Land and baby are quite sick with lagrippe.

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S. E. Brown attended the State Bankers convention in Fort Worth the earlier part of the week.

Mis Gladys Roberts of Fort Worth is here to be with her sister, Mrs. Jermey Land and family who are sick.

Homier White has returned from California where he has been discharged from the navy.

We have a few Large Lister Planters left. They will lift out the largest stalks. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Voyt Williams of Brownwood is the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. T. White.

Several victims of lagrippe are reported in the C. E. Crutcher home.

Rev. S. H. Young visited with his children in Abilene Sunday.

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C. M. Black and wife have gone to El Paso for a few months stay.

Thomas Ridens and family are reported quite sick.

Mrs. A. S. Dees and family have returned from California, and located at Sweetwater.

Mrs. J. E. Hopper of Gorman and brothers, J. S., W. A. and F. C. Sloan all took their mother, Mrs. S. A. Phillips by surprise Sunday, it being her birthday, and came and spent the day with her in the Alonzo Phillips home.

FOR THE TEACHERS.

The hospitable home of Mrs. Frank Johnson was a scene of real social pleasure on the evening of the 22nd, when she entertained the teachers. The house was prettily decorated in the national colors. A large painting of George Washington graced the wall. The dining room was especially interesting in draperies of red, white and blue. The centerpiece of the table was a statue of Washington; nearby lay a hatchet. The favors were name of George on them. A sumptuous course was served. After which the game of pinning the piece back on a tree which had been cut out, this afforded much merriment as the contestants were blindfolded and missed the mark so far. Then followed the ever interesting game of 42, until the guests found the time for departure coming all too soon. They were Mrs. McNabb, Misses Daniel, O'Keefe, Jones, Sharp, Thompson, Coffee, Toler, Jackson, Mrs. Erwin.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES.

Prof. Bell of A. C. C. of Abilene, preached at the church Sunday morning and evening. Elder C. W. Holly of San Antonio will preach at the church Sunday. He will remain here for a month and probably hold a meeting. He may also be pastor for this church.

METHODIST NOTES.

Quarterly Conference convened here Monday, with Presiding Elder Hardy conducting same. Rev. Young rendered an excellent report for the quarter. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson were elected delegates to the district convention which will convene at Snyder in April. Mrs. Smiley and Mr. Palmer as alternates. Messrs. Adams and Usery and Jarrett of Champion were in attendance. W. M. S. Sr., will meet Monday with Mrs. W. L. Edmondson.

STORKETTES.

February 1st, to H. D. Sanady and wife, a girl. February 4th, to E. L. Blair and wife, a boy. February 5th, to T. H. Prescott and wife, a boy. February 21st, to Lee Griffith and wife, a boy.

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PARENT-TEACHERS ASSN.

Following is the program of the last meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association:

Opening exercise. Reading of minutes of last meeting. Music, Mrs. Charlie Coffee.

Paper, "The Trend of the Day and Its Evil Effect on Our Children and How They Might Remedy It" Miss Inez Sharp.

Paper, "How Parents and Teachers Can Co-operate in Suppressing Slang and Teaching Good English," Miss Ruth Jones and Mrs. Jim Johnson.

Reading, Miss Marie Coffee.

STATE PRESS COMMENT.

"The people of the United States have watched with interest the efforts made in congress and in the various states to give ex-service men—actual participants in the war—a bonus which would add another dollar per day to the pay of one dollar they received," says the People's Review. "Nearly all the states that have taken up this matter have acted favorably for such bonus; but congress seems to have been dilatory and harassed by doubts." In the vast majority of cases the sacrifices made by those taken for military service were incalculable to save nothing of the imminent risk of life and limb incurred. It may or may not be regarded with complacency by the ex-soldiers that an attempt, promising success is being made to give handsome bonuses to civilian employees of the war, who largely were military slackers, and

WEEKLY CAPITOL NEWS LETTER.

(Special Correspondence)

Although the past week has been a busy one with the Texas delegation, comparatively little legislation of a general nature has been passed.

Two bills, one making an appropriation of 200,000 for bounties on the scalps of predatory animals, and another appropriating \$1,500,000 for a tubercular sanitarium at Kerrville for ex-service men, have been passed and sent to the Governor. The Governor returned the former bill, vetoed. No action has as yet been taken by him on the Kerrville sanitarium measure.

The first bill to be vetoed by Governor Neff was returned to the Senate without his approval on Friday. It was a bill by Senator Carlock of Tarrant, providing for additional superceded bonds in certain cases on appeals to the Courts of Civil Appeals and Supreme Court. It was vetoed on the ground that it was retroactive and therefore unconstitutional.

The bill creating "a court of industrial relations," by Senator Witt of McLennan, has received an unfavorable majority report from the committee on civil jurisprudence in the Senate, which is regarded as sounding the death knell of the bill.

A bill abolishing the pure food department and placing the administration of the pure food and drug act in the State Health Department has been finally passed and signed by the Governor, which carries the emergency clause and becomes immediately effective.

Another measure, abolishing the warehouse and marketing department and placing its duties under the Agricultural Department has been passed to engrossment in the House, and its final passage by both houses is generally conceded. This bill was strongly opposed by the farming interests.

The subject around which centers the greatest interest at present in legislative circles is that of a minimum wage for women and minors in industrial pursuits. Various and sundry bills on this question have been introduced in both houses, ranging in their provisions from the unconditional repeal of the present law, to one which would create an industrial welfare commission with broad powers to regulate employment of women and minors and fix a minimum wage in accordance with the cost of living and other conditions found in the various sections of the state.

The most spirited fight which has occurred during the present session was when the Miller Minimum Wage Bill came up for action in the House on Tuesday morning. A substitute bill was offered by Representative John Davis of Dallas, which, after a lively contest in which some bitterness was evinced, was adopted. However, many of the provisions of the Miller bill was engrafted on the Davis substitute by amendments, as well as a number which was not in the original draft of either bill.

The Miller Bill was supported by the lobby representing the employing interests, while the Miller substitute was advocated by the labor interests and the women's organizations of the State. The Davis substitute was finally engrossed after a stormy session lasting all day and up to eleven o'clock at night.

The Murphy Minimum Wage Bill came up in the Senate Friday morning at which time an unsuccessful attempt was made by Senator McNeal of Dallas, to substitute his bill for the Murphy bill. While the fight in the Senate was not nearly so spirited as that in the House, practically all day was consumed in the discussion of the bill, which was postponed until Tuesday, February 22nd, at two o'clock.

Perhaps no subject which has occupied the attention of the Legislature at this session has brought to Austin so numerous and powerful a lobby as has the Minimum Wage question. Practically all lines of industry to be affected are represented in the interest of the employers, as well as a powerful labor lobby and one representing all of the large organizations of women.

It has been announced by the presiding officers of both Houses that a strenuous effort will be made to pass the general appropriation bills at the regular session; but this opinion does not seem to be concurred in by most of the members, and such a result is regarded as extremely doubtful.

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LONE STAR.

Bro. Greene filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

Grace Long spent a few days last week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Norvil Richburg.

The rain which fell Thursday night and Friday was greatly appreciated by the farmers in preparing their land for another crop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Draper gave a fruit supper Saturday night, despite the fact that the weather was so bad.

Several in the community are on the sick list with lagrippe and sore throat.

Miss Maggie Peach spent the week end in Loraine.

Miss Florence Richardson was a dinner guest of Miss Lillian Porter Sunday.

Misses Alice and Lillian Richburg and Nannie Lou Taylor were dinner guests of Mrs. and Mrs. Norvil Richburg Sunday.

C. B. and Leon McGuire spent Sunday in the J. W. Richburg home.

Annie Mae Porter was a guest of Pearl Richardson Sunday.

Mr. Jesse Nance and family of Big Spring visited in the N. L. Henderson home Sunday.

Mr. Lehman Draper, and friend, Phillippe McGahea of Abilene, left on Monday morning for Abilene.

Mr. O. L. Willis and niece, Emma Willis, spent Saturday night in the Draper home.

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You asked about our Sunday school class. Well, I'm bubbling over with news of it for you.

Our primary superintendent told us about the first of January that the primary and junior department classes were to enter into a contest, to last until the second Sunday in February. The points in the contest were attendance, on time, good lesson, department, church attendance, and new members; the prize, a picture of the winning class, and a story about it in the paper.

Just as soon as she told us, we looked at each other and our teacher, Mrs. J. W. Shepperd, and made up our minds to win if possible.

We began to work at once. Some of our members had dropped out, so we decided to try to bring them back to stay. We urged each to be on time, we began studying harder, and trying to be the best class in our department.

Miss Opal Lowe—you remember her—is secretary of our department, so she took our report each Sunday. We watched her with interest as she took the reports, for Mrs. Leslie's class was close in the race. When she was through each time we wanted to know how we stood.

Last Sunday the contest ended. We could hardly wait to see how we stood—at last the secretary gave the

report to our superintendent and she said when we all got quiet: "Mrs. Shepperd's class has done good work and have won in the contest, you will meet here at the church this afternoon at three o'clock to have your picture made." We were delighted, and all the basement classes joined us in the clapping.

When we went upstairs into the Sunday school auditorium, Mr. Cooper, the superintendent of the school, asked our class, our teacher and our primary superintendent, Miss Sallie Harrington, to come forward so the Sunday school might see who we were, while Miss Sallie told about the contest and our work.

Here is a list of those in our class now; there are fourteen of us:

Rosalie Leslie, Samuel Rigg Shepperd, Jimmie Beal, Fred Reeves Hutchinson, Alla B. Cooper, Mildred Martin, Virginia Stonerod, Vera Gaskins, Nelda Garrett, Susie Richardson, Alice Spaulding, Mary Katherine Knowles, Eva Cowan, Mary Bell Brennan.

Mildred Martin was out of town Sunday, Alla B. was sick and Mary Katherine Knowles' mother was sick, so they did not get to have their pictures with us.

Your friend,  
Rosalie.

### TEXAS FARM BUREAU ORGANIZED AT DALLAS

The Texas Farm Bureau Federation became a unit of the American Farm Bureau Federation at a meeting held in Dallas January 26th and 27th. The meeting was composed of delegates representing thirty-two organized counties with a total membership of something over 30,000 farmers.

At this meeting a constitution and by-laws were adopted, permanent officers elected, and the organization completed.

The convention was addressed by several prominent speakers, among them being Aaron Sapiro, of California; O. H. Cross, of McLennan County; Carl Williams of the Oklahoma Stockman and Farmer; Carn Nagle, U. S. Bureau of Markets; C. J. Fawcett, of the American Farm Bureau Federation, and Clarence Ousley, of the Extension Department of the Texas A. & M. College.

Briefly stated, the Texas Farm Bureau Federation will be a unit of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

The Texas organization will be made up of community bodies. The Federation itself will not engage in marketing farm products, but will encourage subsidiary corporations of marketing associations by commodities, which associations, when organized will be under the direction of the Federation. The Federation itself will look after legislative and perform other duties connected with the agricultural industry not coming within the scope of marketing associations. It is expected to be a clearing house for farm problems.

The following officers were elected: president, J. F. Orr, Dallas; vice president, J. E. Bong-Scott, Coleman; Treasurer, F. E. Goodman, Waco; the following directors: Jim McManray, Canilla; J. H. Gibson, Pottsboro; G. F. Oliver, Center; T. A. Baldwin, Bell county; W. D. Farris, Ennis; J. E. Montgomery, Lyman; E. R. First, Flett; J. B. Gibbs, Alice; W. W. Cole, Chillicothe; B. C. Lightfoot, Sr., Grandview; W. H. Whites, Kempner, and J. A. Hill, Alice.

Among the resolutions passed were those urging a reduction of cotton acreage by at least one-third, favoring a tariff on raw materials if there is to be a tariff on manufactured products; endorsing the "truth in fabrics" bill designed to prevent the sale of shoddy wool; and thanking the A. & M. College, the Extension Service, and other agencies including the press, which have co-operated in the growth of the Farm Bureau.

The text of the law permitting the Texas cotton growers to cooperate in the same manner as the California farmers do, has been prepared and will be presented to the State Legislature as soon as possible.

Mr. Aaron Sapiro, attorney for a number of successful cooperative marketing organizations in California, met with the Texas committee and gave them the benefit of his experience with cooperative marketing organization in California.

The executive committee of 21 to take charge of the details of the cooperative marketing organization, is going no doubt, to provide for every emergency that may arise in marketing the cotton crop. 1,000,000 bales have been set as the goal for the 1921 crop, it depends on the concert of action of every individual member of the organization to put the plan over.

President J. T. Orr in his annual address at Dallas recently recounted the amalgamation of the interests of the United Cotton Growers, the Shero and Great Breeders Association, A. & M. College, the State Department of Agriculture, the Farmers Union, the Cattle Raisers Association, and other agencies working in the interests of Texas farmers as outstanding features during his administration.

He said: "The farmer asks nothing for himself that he is not willing to grant to other classes of people." He called attention to the dependence of all business upon the prosperity of the farmer and an appeal was made to business men and bankers to get behind the movement to put Texas farmers on a business basis.

Sapiro says by reason of the stability of the prune growers organization of California, one of the biggest of New York, sent the assistant to its president to California to lend the prune growers \$2,000,000 at 5 per cent. He says stabilize cotton prices, and you can tap the money markets of the world for the cotton growers.

Sapiro said speculators tried to break the Prune Growers Association by offering 14 cents a pound to a few independent growers but when the association sets its prices the speculators turned down their contracts with the independents.

The prune buyers, he said, used to come around early in the season and tell the farmers what a "whale" of a prune crop was being raised that year. A little later the buyers would come and offer to take the prunes off the farmers' hands as a matter of personal friendship at a price of about 2 cents a pound. The average prices for the ten years preceding the organization was between 2 and 3 cents. Growers in the organization this year received 11 cents per pound while growers outside of the organization were not able to market their crop.

Directors recommend that all members of the organization not subscribe send their subscription in and keep posted with the movements.

The Colorado Record will be the official organ of the Mitchell County Farm Bureau and the officers and of the organization.

E. M. BALDWIN,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

#### FAMILY TROUBLE CAUSE GIV- EN FOR DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

W. A. Smith, farmer near Bronte, who shot his wife to death late Thursday and then committed suicide, indicated in a letter addressed to his stepson, Sandusky, that the approaching marriage to the young man of a daughter of Smith's by a former wife, together with other involving troubles, was responsible for the deed.

Smith, recently from Merkel, married Mrs. Sandusky some three or so months ago. Both of them had children by former marriages.

Directing the stepson and future son-in-law to make certain disposals of the community property, Mr. Smith told of the burden on his heart in the following words:

"I regret to do what I am going to do, but it is unavoidable. I am driven to it—it would astonish the world if what I know was made public.

"Tell the children not to grieve for me. I wouldn't live long anyway. My heart is broken and home wrecked. So be good children, and remember one who loves you all. Good-bye."

#### ARE YOU A MAN AND A BAPTIST

If you are, then you are urged to be in our Men's Bible Class at 10:00 a. m. Sunday, February 27th. Bro. C. E. Franklin will teach the lesson and we will have a round table discussion of the main points. Buford Sunday school plans to come about 100 strong to visit us for Sunday school and church. Come and bring some one with you.

E. Keathley, teacher.

#### WE ARE SELLING FOR LESS

Give us a trial on your next bill and save money. We name a few prices.

- Armour Oats — 30c
- Good Corn — 15c
- No. 2 Tomatoes — 10c
- Alaska Red Salmon 25c
- Primrose Corn — 20c
- Best Pork and Beans 15c
- Pink Salmon — 15c
- Lima Beans — 12 1-2c
- Pinto Beans — 8 1-3c
- Karo Syrup — 75c
- Mary Jane Syrup — 75c
- Arbuckle Coffee — 30c

—Bring Your Chickens and Eggs—we are always glad to serve you in any way.

**E. H. Peach & Co.**  
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#### FIELD AGENT METHODIST ORPHANAGE LECTURES HERE.

Rev. E. W. Gray of Fort Worth, field agent for the Methodist Orphanage at Waco, filled the pulpit at the First Methodist church Sunday morning. Rev. Mr. Gray told of what the orphanage is doing for orphaned and indigent children and made a strong appeal for a more liberal support of this feature of the ministry of the church.

"The Roman Catholic church in Texas is caring for and educating 1400 orphan children in Texas," the speaker stated, "and our Baptist friends are caring for approximately 1000 of these children. The Methodist church which I believe is as great as any other church in Texas, is only affording accommodations for 264."

The speaker outlined that this feature of a most important duty of the church had been neglected to the extent of almost becoming appalling, and stated that if home facilities were provided the Methodist orphanage would soon be caring for as many children as any other denominational home, since hundreds were being turned away because there was no room for them.

"In the orphanage at Waco," he stated, "we are not only furnishing an orphanage for these children under our care, but are throwing about them all the environs of a Christian home. We realize that in the home is the scene of moulding the characteristics of after life in any child and it is thus endeavored to make life for them as attractive and pleasant as possible. We have them attend school at the orphanage during 48 weeks of the year, using the same text books and courses of study as used in the ward schools in Waco, until they have finished the seventh grade. Then we send these boys and girls to the High school in Waco."

"And we not only educate them in a literary way," he continued, "we have at home a dairy, a commercial broom factory, machine shop and other practical requisites for training them to be useful in some profession. The girls are also taught in domestic science and given the opportunity for training in some special work or profession they may choose."

In speaking of the income from the various industries at the home, Mr. Gray stated that the services of those boys and girls were not being commercialized. "We allow them a percentage on every broom manufactured and sold by the factory, on every gallon of milk or pound of butter sold, and, as for that matter, on every item of income to the industries we have. This equity coming to them are deposited to their credit in a local bank at Waco to be held in trust until the boy or girl is dismissed from the home. The money thus accumulated will furnish them with a little capital on which to start in life for themselves."

Mr. Gray stated that the imperative need of the orphanage now was funds with which to erect more homes and to supply the facilities for caring for the children "standing with outstretched hands begging to be taken in." He states that during the past few months approximately 150 applications had been turned down, because that the orphanage was now crowded.

Following his address an offering of \$220 was made by the congregation to supplement funds now being raised for this purpose.

**JAKE'S ROOMING HOUSE.**  
I have fed you for 35 years, now want you to sleep with me 35 years. Try my beds. JAKE. 3-4c

## New Arrivals Daily

We are now receiving new arrivals of Ladies, Men's and Children's Ready-to-Wear, which our expert buyers have bought in New York, at the very lowest market and are now in position to save you many Dollars on your spring needs.

#### SPECIAL

—Special for Friday and Saturday.  
—Big Stripe Madras Tick. Our regular low price was 17 1-2 cents per yard.

—Special price for Friday and Saturday  
Nine yards for

\$1.12

Limit of 18 yards to a customer.

#### FEATHER TICK

—The best Feather Tick made. Our regular low price was 55 cents per yard.

—Special for Friday and Saturday, Nine yards for

\$2.97

Limit of only 9 yards to a customer.

#### ART TICK

—Art Tick—Our regular low price was 20 cents per yard.

—Special for Friday and Saturday, Nine yards for

\$1.35

Limit of 18 yards to a customer.

## Colorado Bargain House

THE PRICE IS THE THING

### Farmers

### Attention

—Exchange your remnant seed cotton for Mattresses. We will allow you a little better than the market for your remnant cotton in exchange for Mattresses.

—Our Mattresses are guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction. We are permanent here, and will stand behind any Mattress we make.

—Visit our sales room in the Keathley building and see the kind of Mattresses we make.

### Colorado Mattress Company

Office and Factory  
LAMBETH BLOCK

Sales Rooms  
KEATHLEY BUILDING

Phone 346



Come to our store and save money by taking advantage of this Big Reduction in Prices.

# TEN DAYS SALE

Come and see our Bargains, whether you wish to buy or do not wish to buy. See our Bargains!

Once more we place before the buying public an unequalled opportunity to buy mens dress and work clothing at rock bottom prices. We are placing our entire stock on Sale at Greatly Reduced Prices—below are mentioned only a few of the big values.



We offer FIFTY OVERALLS AND FIFTY JUMPERS this sale at \$1.00 per garment. This is a good overall, but not our best. The regular price is \$1.50.

## We Offer Our ENTIRE STOCK of Clothing

- Suits, Regular Price up to \$60, this Sale, your choice - \$25.00
- Suits, Regular Price up to \$45, this sale, your choice - \$20.00
- One Lot Serviceable Mixed Goods, going this Sale - \$15.00

## SHOES

- Florsheim, Beacon and O'Donnell, priced to \$18, this Sale - \$10.00
- Shoes Selling Regularly up to \$12, this Sale - \$ 7.50
- Shoes Selling Regularly up to \$9.00, this Sale - \$ 5.00
- 100 Pairs of Odd Sizes and Off-Brands, going this Sale - \$ 4.00

—Do not overlook our stock of work shoes they're bargains

The Following Are All Placed On Sale at—

## ---ONE-HALF PRICE

- Our Entire Stock of Winter Underwear.
- All Work Clothing.
- Wool Sox. See 'em then you'll buy 'em, they are good ones.
- Corduroy Suits, reduced more than one-half.
- Raincoats, Slickers, Rubber Boots.

All of these reductions are based upon the original selling price, and every one is A GENUINE BARGAIN. Every garment in our house selling at a bargain during this Sale, but it is all for CASH—Nothing charged at these prices.

We call for and deliver. Cleaning and Pressing. Satisfaction Guaranteed.



# J. H. GREENE & CO. COLORADO

MEN'S TOGS

COLORADO

## LOCAL NOTES

Mrs. W. A. Dozier is reported very sick.

Buy a Pony Double Disc Plow from us and be satisfied. Colorado Mercantile Co.

We have a few large aster planters left. They will lift out the largest stalks. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Urdie Wulfjen was very sick last week, but is reported much better now.

C. T. Harness left Sunday night for Dallas, where he is under treatment at the Baptist Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Majors and son visited relatives at Sweetwater Sunday.

Rube Hart puts pep in his gas. It has the kick to make it pass. TRY IT!

J. T. Ledbetter, manager of the West Texas Electric Company, returned Monday night from a business trip to Coleman.

Come in and look over our stock of Ranges and Cook Stoves; the price is right. Colorado Mercantile Co.

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reams Earnest of Strawn spent the week end with his parents, Judge and Mrs. C. H. Earnest.

Joe H. Smoot, cashier of the Colorado National Bank, attended the bankers convention at Fort Worth on Tuesday.

**JAKE'S ROOMING HOUSE.** I have fed you for 35 years, now want you to sleep with me 35 years. Try my beds. JAKE. 3-4c

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.

Mrs. J. A. Buchanan returned Saturday night from Rogers, Arkansas, where she had gone to be with her mother, Mrs. E. Smith, who died last week.

Colored inks, fountain pen ink, all kinds of tablets, theme and drawing tablets at Record office.

Best Lubricating Oil on earth at Price Acto Co.

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.

Dock Lasseter of Westbrook was in the city Wednesday on business. Mr. Lasseter is secretary of the Westbrook Chamber of Commerce and also represents his precinct in County Commissioners Court.

We have the best Walking Middle Busters made. Come get one. Colorado Mercantile Company.

Mrs. J. L. Robinson and children motored to Post Tuesday. They were accompanied by Stansel Whipkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ragan had as their week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones, Mrs. Server Leon of Rule and Mr. Dick Ragan of Plainview.

We have a complete stock of Shelf Hardware; can supply the farmers needs. Colorado Mercantile Co.

The Colorado Choral Club will render "The Building of the Ship," at the Presbyterian Church next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Everybody is invited. There will be no admission fee. Come and encourage the Club.

We can not sell at wholesale and live because that is the very way we buy, but we can and will meet all legitimate competition. J. S. Vaughan & Son. Phone 27.

Steve Owen, who for several months was in charge of developments by the Underwriters Producing & Refining Company, in Mitchell County, spent a few days of last week in Colorado on business.

W. W. Porter returned Monday morning from St. Louis where he had gone to attend a meeting with the Industrial Transportation Company.

"You may tell them that we have the finest baby girl in town at our house," Hill Low stated to the editor Monday morning. The little miss arrived Sunday, and she and Mrs. Low are reported as doing nicely.

See the new spring styles in the Ach hats for women at Best Theatre March 3rd, 4th and 5th.

T. W. Stonerod, cashier of the City National Bank, left Sunday night for Fort Worth to attend a meeting of Seventh District Texas Bankers Association of Texas, which was convened Tuesday at the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Stonerod delivered an address before the convention.

March 2nd, 4th and 5th at the Best Theatre will be shown special picture featuring new spring styles in millinery, especially the Ach line as displayed at the Mrs. B. F. Mills stores.

Daughter of a reformed criminal, she was "Miss Madden" in society—"Silky Moll" to friends—Priscilla Dean in "Outside the Law." Best Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday, March 2nd and 3rd.

W. R. Womack of Cuthbert was attending to business affairs in Colorado Friday. Womack stated that he had formed a partnership with Mrs. Womack in the poultry business and that they now have a flock of fine Rhode Island reds, many of the birds representing the highest of perfection in pure bred poultry.

See the special style show picture at Best Theatre March 3, 4 and 5, featuring new styles in Ach hats.

Porter A. Whaley of Stamford and Mayor Sheppard of Sweetwater paid a visit to this office Wednesday morning while in the city and each expressed surprise at finding such a modern printing office as that owned by the Whipkey Printing Company. This plant is one of the very best country printing shops in the state.

A. Levey, of San Antonio, who has been fitting specs in Colorado for the past 20 years will be here February 28th for a few days; if you need your eyes fitted we can fit you accurately. You will find me at John L. Doss' Drug Store for a few days only. 1tc

For Windmills and windmill repairs and pipe fittings phone 280.

Mrs. J. E. Root visited her parents in Temple this week.

The friends of Mrs. C. L. Root and Mrs. Page sympathize with them in the death of their mother, Mrs. Carlox. Mrs. Root was with her at time of her death, and Mrs. Page left for Belton on receiving the sad message. Miss Elsie McCarroll spent last Sunday with her parents in Sweetwater.

Her heart as pure and white and hard as a diamond, Silky Moll's wisdom was won by her wits, "Outside the Law." See this remarkable picture at the Best Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, March 2nd and 3rd.

Tom, Tom, the Piper's son, Had a car that would not run. Run? It wouldn't even start! Resolved he'd buy his gas from Hart. Then it ran so doggone fast He won all races—first and last. But his water foamed and boiled. So now he's using Hart's lube oil.

A handful of pearls was the price of Silky Moll's betrayal to the law, by the uncrowned king of crookdom. His lingo knew not the word "honor." See "Outside the Law," at the Best Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, March 2nd and 3rd.

We have the best Walking Middle Busters made. Come get one. Colorado Mercantile Company.

## COLORADO BOOSTER CLUB AFTER PERMANENT HALL

Plans looking for obtaining a permanent auditorium for meetings of the Colorado Booster Club are being formulated, according to information given The Record Wednesday by officers and directors of the organization. It is become apparent, they say, that meetings, will be held in the future each month, and it is believed that the organization will be practicing economy by leasing a suitable auditorium and furnish it through-out.

It was stated Wednesday morning however, that no definite action in the matter had been taken and that it would probably be several days before any definite action be determined upon. It may not be passed finally until the next meeting of the club in March.

An interesting feature of proposed plans for the meeting to be held in March appears in the suggestion of some of the directors that the club membership entertain the ladies at that time. Quite a few members of the organization have already expressed the desire that such be done.

**DIED IN CALIFORNIA.**

The following clipping was taken from a California paper concerning the death of a former citizen of Colorado:

"John H. Williams, aged 54, foreman of the Pima cotton gin of the Globe Oil Mills in Calexico was run down and seriously injured at McKinley and Imperial avenues by an automobile which witnesses declare was a "long, green touring car." He sustained a compound fracture of the left leg, a badly injured right hand and other injuries of a less serious nature.

"The men with whom Williams been riding heard the crash and turned to the corner to find a number of persons gathered about injured man, and the machine which he was struck. They immediately took him to his home at Emerson and McKinley avenues, medical aid was summoned. Besides the broken bones, it was found a bad cut had been inflicted to limb which prevented the physician setting the breaks until the work had partly healed.

Witnesses stated that three Mexicans were occupants of the machine. The police are investigating the accident."

A later report states that Mr. Williams died February 2nd and was buried at Calexico.

When your windmill needs repairing, phone 280.

When all others fail bring us your welding jobs. We can do it. Wack & Company.

## A BUSINESS CHANGE

We have purchased the City Market from J. F. Morris and will move same to H. S. Beal's Grocery Store on March 1st.

It will be our endeavor to handle the very best meats obtainable and by selling for strictly cash we will be able to sell at a very reasonable price.

We very earnestly ask you for a good share of your trade on these terms. Your money's worth for the cash.

H. S. BEAL,  
J. N. MILLER

## FREE -- FREE -- FREE -- FREE -- FREE

From February 14th, 1921, to February 28th, 1921.

Beginning on February 14th we will give One Unmounted 8x10 Enlargement with every order of one-half dozen or more portraits.

Come in and see our line of folders and mountings.

## "The Studio"

## FREE -- FREE -- FREE -- FREE -- FREE

## THE BIG ARMY GOODS SALE---

Will Soon Be Over

Do not miss the best chance you will ever have to buy Genuine Army Goods. Do not fail to come in Saturday, as this may be the last day of the sale.

## ==AT THE COZY CAFE==

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