

THOS. R. MARSHALL

Thos. R. Marshall-ex-vice-president and a member of Wilsons Cabinet is dead.

Wishington, June 1.—Thomas R. Marshall, war time vice-president of the United States died here today. He passed away at the New Williard Hotel here where he had been ill for several days.

A sparkling sense of humor, a knack for plain speaking and a philosophy of life rooted in the old fashioned virtues made Thomas Riley Marshall one of the most interesting figures of his time in American public life.

FIRST BALE AT HOUSTON

Houston, Texas, June 1.—The first bale of cotton of this season reached Houston at 7:30 this morning to be sold at Auction on the cotton exchange. The bale was grown by Six-to-Doocha in the Mission Texas region.

The first bale of cotton sold at auction this afternoon on the cotton exchange floor brought \$1,325 to the grower. Last year the first bale brought \$1,405.

F. F. C. POW WOW

Monday afternoon the F. F. C. Club motored to the Hunter farm before the business session was called a delightful swim was enjoyed by all in the Ol Lone Wolf Swimming hole. A delicious supper was spread on the rocks. Rick Cooper spent most of her valuable time hunting for a limb to roast her weenies. After the supper the Business session was called at which many important things were discussed. In two weeks the Club will leave for its summer vacation on the Concho river.

More cotton mills of the east and south are looking toward Texas with a view of locating in one of the greatest cotton producing states in the Union. West has one good mill turning out a fine grade of ducks and osenaburgs. Why not go after a mill that will make gingham?

THE PASSING DAY

WILL H. MAYES
Department of Journalism
University of Texas

The Growing Small Town Danger.

There is a grave danger confronting every small town in this country. Strangely enough that danger is due to prosperity. A few years ago, when transportation was slow and roads almost everywhere were bad, every town was in a way isolated, and could depend for its business on its own trade territory. People were not tempted to hitch up old Dobbin and go very far to buy goods when travel was at the rate of four or five miles an hour and when it became impossible following a rain. They bought where it was most convenient to buy. It is easier now to go thirty miles than it was then to travel five. The result is that trade is going to those towns that show themselves most anxious to get it, regardless of distance. The hustling big towns will grow larger and their property values will increase; the listless small towns will grow smaller and valuations will dwindle to almost nothing. The handwriting on the wall is so plain that all who will may read in time to avoid destruction.

Towns May Not Ignore Conditions.

Before the days of the automobile and good roads, the town of a thousand or so inhabitants felt reasonably secure in its business, and especially if it happened to be a county site. Trade was largely stable and dependable, varying only with crop conditions and seasons. Now it can be switched a distance of thirty or fifty miles almost over night by the activity of competing towns in a territory where the local merchants have grown inert. Business men in the small towns can't close their eyes to conditions for if they do it will soon mean their ruin. Business must have a certain volume below which it cannot fall without inviting failure. When trade territory or even a customer is lost to another town, through lack of business methods, the losing town must suffer.

The Remedy is in Your Reach.

There is only one way for the small town to face this threatened danger from surrounding towns. That is through co-operative and individual effort—combined and personal hustling. Old methods of waiting for business are obsolete. The new times demand new energy. If you haven't and can't arouse it, your doom as a business man is sealed. If your town hasn't it, most of the stores will be empty in five or ten years unless it faces about. It is a sad prophecy, but you had as well face it in time and prepare to meet it. Business men must organize, just as they are organized in the larger places everywhere, and go after trade collectively and personally.

Small Towns Afraid of Expenses.

In nearly every case where the small town has stopped growing or the small town merchant's business is falling off, it is because of fear of the expense of getting business. And yet every successful man will tell you that the only way to grow, to make money, is to spend money. Do you remember what Barnum said about it? He said that whenever he added ten cents to his business he spent a dollar telling about it. Merchants need not do that, but I heard a successful merchant say not long ago that if any merchant would spend five per cent of his annual sales in advertising his business he would guarantee the success of that merchant. That looks like a safe formula. I would suggest one per cent in co-operative advertising and four per cent in personal advertising as the small town means of meeting the threatened disaster from the larger and more enterprising places.

How One Merchant Succeeds.

Fred Andersen has built up a business from nothing to \$300,000 a year in Cozad, Nebraska, a town of 1,300 people, with a town of twice that size 18 miles away, another 12 miles from him, and a city 50 miles off. Andersen says anybody else can do it who wants to and who will spend enough money advertising, and will back up his advertising with the right kind of goods and prices and proper treatment of his customers. Here are some of his statements: "If I were starting into business today, I would spend five per cent for advertising. "Unless you wake up and get into the game, you will all be doomed and that before very long." "Any merchant can have a business, or he can not, just whatever he wants, no matter where he lives." "If you are doing business as you did five years ago, you are slipping." "If you are slipping you had better get into the game and make a fight for the business that rightfully belongs to you." "Keep right after it until you have won."

More Success Sayings From Andersen

"Keep your windows trimmed and hooked up with your advertising."
"Change them at least once a week."
"Take a leading part in all local and community affairs."
"See that all roads into your city are well kept."
"Write your ads as if you were talking to the people."
"Advertise your churches, your chautauques, your fair association and any other thing that goes to build up your country or town."

PREFERRED STOCKS PUBLIC UTILITY PLACED ON SALE

Preferred Stock of the Southwestern Power & Light Company, a large public utility corporation, was offered for sale today by L. J. Geer and employees of the West Texas Electric Company which operates in Sweetwater, Big Spring, Roscoe, O'Donnell, Lorraine, Lamesa, Westbrook and Coahoma.

Because of its unusual record of prompt payment the stock is considered one of the most attractive investments offered to the local public in some time. In order to make it possible for every consumer to become a Preferred Stockholder and thus share in the money paid out in dividends every three months, shares are being sold on a liberal Partial Payment Plan as well as for cash.

During the last week meetings of employees of the West Texas Electric Company have been held at all the Company offices and the merits of the stock explained to the men and women who today offer it to the

general public. Most of the employees have already invested in the Preferred Stock, realizing that it offers great safety and a substantial return on the money. Many of these men and women took advantage of the Partial Payment Plan while others purchased the Stock outright.

This morning the sale of the stock was started and encouraging receptions were given to the salesman by virtually all those approached, while the results have not yet been fully tabulated it is known that a large number of shares were sold.

20 per cent discount on refrigerators.—Price Bros.

CARD OF THANKS

While our hearts are bowed in sorrow at the loss of our husband and father, yet we deeply appreciate the many acts and words of kindness from our many friends and also the beautiful floral offering, silent messages of love. May God so bless each and every one of you in your dark hours.
Mrs. S. S. Snowden and family.

DIED

Mr. S. S. Snowden died very suddenly in his home in West Colorado Saturday late in the afternoon. He was buried in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. E. Chase assisted by Rev. Joe Harding, a life long friend of Mr. Snowden and under whose ministry he was converted.

Mr. Snowden was 71 years old, a member of the church of Christ and a mason for twenty five years. The pall bearers were his Masonic friends who had journeyed side by side in brotherly love all these years.

The deceased leaves a wife and eight sons all of whom were at the funeral.

We have another stock of 30X3, 32X4 and 33X4 casings will discount regular price 20 per cent for five days.—Price Bros.

FOR SALE CHEAP

Insurance on your life with best old line company that does business in Texas you take no risk they take

it all.
We also have some bargains in town lots residence property, also good buys in business property.
Land some of the best farm lands in Texas located in Mitchell county, Martin, Howard, Midland and Andrews county.

Look at this, 190 acres black land farm 10 miles south of Miles, will trade for property in Mitchell county account of owner unable to look after it. This is a real honest to god good black land close to good schools and small town. Owners says get something closer to home. Come in and tell us your wants, we might have the very thing you are looking for.

A. R. WOOD,
Room 200 over the Colorado National Bank.

Buy a new Perfection Oil Stove and keep the wife cook.—Price Bros.

ATTENTION FARMERS

Expecting car of Maize this week, 10 tons unsold. See me at once.—H. L. Atkins.

HOW TO GET 7% on your money

Invest your savings in Southwestern Power & Light Co.

DO not confuse "investing" with "speculating." Lots of folks don't realize the difference. Speculating means taking chances, running risks, subjecting your hard-earned dollars to perils and hazards—what many people call "stock gambling." INVESTING does not consist of plunging or blindly tak-

ing chances. Investing means putting your money to work in some firmly established business where your dollars will be SAFE and where they will steadily and surely earn more dollars for you. And that is just what happens when you buy shares of SOUTHWESTERN POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY.

CUMULATIVE PREFERRED STOCK

Consider the man who invested in 10 shares of this stock when the first shares were sold to the public over 12 years ago. It meant an outlay of about \$1000.00. Since then his shares have earned dividends for him amounting to \$880.00.

That amount would have been his loss if he had let his savings remain idle instead of investing them.

How much will YOU stand to lose in 1 year, in 2 years, in 10 year if you do not invest the money you have saved?

The question is NOT, "can you afford to invest?" but can you afford NOT to invest. Can you afford to stand by and LOSE the money your saved dollars can earn you?

This stock has NEVER FAILED to pay dividends, in HARD time as well as good times, ever since the first shares were sold to the public over TWELVE YEARS AGO.

The dividends amount to 7% a year on each dollar you invest if you buy the stock at the present price. The dates for paying dividends are March 1, June 1, September 1, and December 1.

Cumulative—This stock is cumulative, therefore, the company must pay the dividends in full, before one penny of dividends can be paid to the Common Stockholders.

SOUTHWESTERN POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

owns all the outstanding securities of the following companies

- Galveston Gas Company
- El Paso Gas Company
- West Texas Electric Company
- Wichita Falls Electric Company
- Sweetwater Ice & Cold Storage Company
- Paris Transit Company
- International Electric Company
- Eagle Pass Water Company
- Oil Belt Power Company
- Oil Cities Electric Company
- Southwestern Power & Light Co., also owns a substantial interest in the securities of
- Texas Power & Light Company
- Fort Worth Power & Light Co.

Preferred as to Assets and Dividends. Besides having preference in regards to dividends, this stock is preferred as to assets and the company must pay you, in case of liquidation, \$100.00 and accrued dividend for each share of Preferred Stock before anything can be paid to Common Stockholders.

Fully Paid and Non-Assessable. The stock is issued as fully paid and is not subject to assessment.

Voting Rights. Each share of this stock has equal voting rights with the Common stock.

I, J. GEER, c-o West Texas Electric Co., Sweetwater, Texas

(Mark X in () meeting your requirements)

() Please send me a free copy of booklet telling more about Southwestern Power & Light Co. Preferred Stock and the company.

() I wish to subscribe for _____ shares Southwestern Power & Light Co. Preferred Stock at price of \$100.00 and dividends per share. Send me bill showing exact amount due.

() I wish to subscribe for _____ shares Southwestern Power & Light Co. Preferred Stock on Easy Payment Plan of \$10 per share down and \$10 per share a month until \$100.00 and dividend per share has been paid.

() Please Ship _____ shares Southwestern Power & Light Co. preferred Stock at \$100.00 and dividend per share with draft attached through _____

Name of Your Bank _____

Name _____

Street _____

City _____ 57-B

Shares for Sale by L. J. Geer, % West Texas Electric Co., or through any employee of

WEST TEXAS ELECTRIC CO.

A RE-SALE DEPARTMENT IS MAINTAINED FOR THE BENEFIT OF STOCKHOLDERS WHO MAY WISH TO SELL SHARES



If you'd cut your clothes expense Here's a road to Saving Sense.

—Mr. Before and After

Cleaning will freshen up the suit like new. If you're tired of the color we suggest dyeing.

"We're Dyeing to Please You"

Pond & Merritt
Fine Clothes For Men
PHONE 381

Frequent Bilious Attacks

"I suffered with severe bilious attacks that came on two or three times each month," says Mr. J. P. Nevins, of Lawrenceburg, Ky. "I would get nauseated. I would have dizziness and couldn't work. I would take pills until I was worn-out with them. I didn't seem to get relief.

"A neighbor told me of

BLACK-DRAUGHT
Liver Medicine

and I began its use. I never have found so much relief as it gave me. I would not be without it for anything. It seemed to cleanse my whole system and made me feel like new. I would take a few doses—get rid of the bile and have my usual clear head, feel full of pep, and could do twice the work."

Bilious attacks are "seasonal" with many people. Millions have taken Theodore's Black-Draught to ward off such attacks, and the good results they have reported should induce you to try it.

All Druggists

THURSDAY JUNE 4th **MISSION THEATRE** **ONE DAY ONLY**

ELLIOTT CLAWSONS STIRRING STORY

"Another Man's Wife"

Powerfully portrayed by an eminent cast including **JAMES KIRKWOOD, LILA LEE, WALLACE BERRY, BATT MOORE and CHESTER CONKLIN**

also


HIS HIGH HORSE

Rip-Roaring two Reel Comedy

Admission 10c and 25c

FRIDAY
June 5th One day only

William Steiner
LEO MALONEY
"NOT BUILT FOR RUNNIN'"



A Rousing Comedy

"I'M CURED"

in two rollicking reels

There'll be laughs and thrills for everybody

Admission 10c and 25c

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
Special Attraction
CORINNE GRIFFITH

LILLIES OF THE FIELD

One of the most superb attractions Miss Griffith ever appeared in

"Upon the Farm"

Two reels of solid laughter
ADMISSION 10 and 35

Wed. June 11 "Her Reputation"- "Good Spirits"

CARD OF THANKS

In the hour of sickness, the sympathy of friends and the help they ministered, while unable to assuage the grief, do help us to bear the burden of sorrow. We thank every one who tried to help during the recent illness and death of our beloved wife daughter and sister, Mrs. H. E. Smart. We especially thank you for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. H. E. Smart.
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sparks.
Dick Sparks.
Clint Sparks
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Davis
Mr. Jerome Martin
Miss Maude Martin.
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Knowles and family.

South Plains Land

I have opened an office with Ellis & Porter and am offering the famous Yellow House Farm land of Lamb, Kockly, Bailey and Cochran counties now at reasonable prices.

Liberal Terms and Cheap Rate of Interest

Good portion of these lands lay from Levelland to Littlefield and are choice farming lands.

See me for particulars,
E. W. JOHNSON,
Phone 367 6-12c

20 per cent discount on refrigerators.—Price Bros.

Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—**J. A. Sadler.**

BOGUS CHECK LAW WENT INTO EFFECT MAY 24 1925

The Bogus Check law, passed by the last Legislature went into effect May 25. The law reads as follows:

The obtaining by any person of any money or other thing of value with intent to defraud by the giving or drawing of any check, draft or order upon any bank, person, firm or corporation with which or with whom such person giving or drawing said check, draft or order, or at the time when in the ordinary course of business such check, draft or order would be presented to the drawee for payment, sufficient funds to pay same, and no good reason to believe that such check, draft or order will be paid; provided that if said check, draft or order is not paid on presentation, the return of same shall be prima facie evidence of the fraudulent intent of said person drawing or giving said check; and provided further, that if such check, draft or order is not paid within fifteen days after the same is returned unpaid, it shall be prima facie evidence that no good reason existed for believing of intent to defraud and knowledge of insufficient funds with the drawee Section 4, Article 1422.

Such violation is punishable by a fine or a jail sentence, or both.

SUNDAY WITH THE BAPTIST

You understood the "Big Meeting" is on at the Tabernacle. We want every one to attend this meeting. It begins at 10:30 on Sunday morning and 7:30 Sunday evening. Sunday school at 9:30 Sunday morning. Lets put a little more pep in both the Sunday school and the meeting. Remember to bring your envelope to Sunday school. If you fail to do that put in at the Tabernacle. Don't let our church finances fall behind during the meeting.

M. C. BISHOP, Pastor.

LANDS, CITY PROPERTY AND RENTALS

We have farm and ranches listed with us at prices that will interest you.

City property consisting of business property, residences at various prices with good terms.

Residence lots a specialty, well located at reasonable prices and terms that will encourage you to buy and build.

Residence phone 272—Office 367
ELLIS & PORTER 6-12p

POINTERS WITHOUT A POINT

The farmers this year are going to say it with cotton.

It's all plain now; when a government begins to sink it floats a loan.

It's about the time of the year now when college graduates will begin sweeping out grocery stores.

Speaking of "Better Homes Week" just when are we going to have a "Better Stay at Home" week?

Self-made men always say they started at the bottom of the ladder. Did you ever hear of any sensible hod carrier who started anywhere else?

Buy a new Perfection Oil Stove and keep the wife cook.—Price Bros.

We have a good stock of Oak planter tongues, four horse eveners, and coupling poles.—J. H. Cooper and Sons.

Rev. M. C. Bishop attended commencement exercises at Simmons University, Abilene, Wednesday, Wednesday night Rev. Mr. Bishop delivered one of the addresses at the University.

We have Plow, Sweeps, Bolts, washers, chopping hoes and files, you should have them, Buy quick.—Price Bros.

Carbon paper at Record office.

FAMOUS FORTS IN U. S. HISTORY

By **ELMO SCOTT WATSON**

Where John Jacob Astor's Great Plan Failed

Two leading objects of commercial gain have given birth to wide and daring enterprise in the early history of the Americas: the precious metals of the south and the rich peltries of the north," writes Washington Irving in the opening chapter of "Astoria," the chronicle of one of the most romantic of all these daring enterprises. For the story of Fort Astoria is the story of how John Jacob Astor, once a German immigrant boy in New York founded the American Fur company in 1809 and how the next year he organized the Pacific Fur company to compete with the lordly Northwest company of Canada.

Associated with him were three former employees of the Northwest company, Alexander McKay, Duncan McDougal and Donald McKenzie, and Wilson Price Hunt of New Jersey. Early in 1811 a post was established on the Columbia river in Oregon as the central trading point and named Fort Astoria in honor of the founder. The short history of Fort Astoria is full of tragic incident—the loss of the ship Tonquin, of the perilous trip overland made by Hunt and McKenzie and of the questionable conduct of McDougal which resulted in the loss of the post.

At the outbreak of the War of 1812 the Northwest company convinced the British fleet operating in the Pacific that the store of furs at Fort Astoria would be a rich prize and a war vessel was dispatched to capture it. In the meantime other agents of the company had appeared before the fort and persuaded McDougal that it would be best to sell out before the post was taken forcibly. The one humorous incident in all of the tragedy of Fort Astoria was the indignation of the captain of the British sloop-of-war when he found that his warlike expedition had been forestalled by a snug commercial agreement and that the anticipated booty had become British property in the regular course of trade. When he saw what a miserable little stockade was this post which he had been led to believe was a formidable military fortification, he exclaimed "Is this the fort about which I have heard so much talking? Damme, but I'd batter it down in two hours with a four-pounder!"

Fort Astoria was renamed Fort George when the British flag was hoisted over it. Although John Jacob Astor's grand enterprises had failed, he lived to see it become Fort Astoria again, after the cry of "54-40 or Fight" had resulted in Great Britain's giving up her claim to the Pacific northwest and acknowledging the sovereignty of the United States "where rolls the Oregon."

(© 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

In Honor of the Great Western Expansionist

When the fur trade died in the great West, there died with it many of the posts which had been the centers of this industry. One notable exception was Fort Benton in Montana. Built in 1844 by Alexander Culbertson of the American Fur company, it was originally named Fort Lewis in honor of Meriwether Lewis, the explorer. In 1846 this post was moved to the head of navigation on the Missouri, rebuilt with adobe, and on Christmas day dedicated amid great festivities as Fort Benton, thus honoring Thomas Hart Benton, the great western expansionist and a trusted friend of the "A. F. C."

In its first period Fort Benton ranked with Fort Union in North Dakota as a fur center, and later it became the main center of trade in buffalo robes, when Fort Union was abandoned. The fact that from 20,000 to 50,000 buffalo robes were shipped from Fort Benton each year tells briefly why the buffalo vanished from the northern plains.

The greatest glory of Fort Benton came about the year 1866. When the Red Cloud war stopped the rush of miners to the new gold fields in Montana over the Bozeman trail, they were forced to fall back upon the water route, the Missouri river. Before 1866 not more than six steamers arrived at Fort Benton annually, but in that year the number leaped to 31, and from then until 1869 the number of ar-

rivals constantly increased. Fort Benton became the principal departing point for the diggings, and no less than 600 wagons gathered there each year to make the long haul of supplies, sometimes as much as 5,000 tons a year, to the gold camps from 150 to 250 miles away. In these years there was no more picturesque place in the country than Fort Benton. Miners from all parts of the land, ex-soldiers from both the Union and Confederate armies, fur traders, hunters, trappers, good men and bad, they all made up the constantly shifting population of this post.

In 1869 the government established a military post there, and in 1877 purchased the American Fur company's old fort, but soon abandoned it. When the Great Northern railroad pushed into Montana, Fort Benton waned rapidly until today there remains only a few crumbling walls of what the late Emerson Hough once characterized as "the most famous and most picturesque of all the historic posts on the Upper Missouri."

(© 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

World's Greatest Civil War Began Here

On the morning of April 12, 1861, Edmund Ruffin, an aged Virginian, pulled the lanyard of a cannon and made history. For the shot which went screaming across the water of Charleston harbor and struck the walls of Fort Sumter set 2,000,000 Americans against each other in the greatest civil war in history.

Fort Sumter, named for Gen. Thomas Sumter, the famous partisan leader of the Revolution, was built in 1828 and was a casemated brickwork of five faces, mounting two tiers of guns. It was situated on a little island between Morris and Sullivan Islands in the mouth of the harbor of Charleston, S. C. At the opening of the Civil war it was commanded by Maj. Robert Anderson, who had evacuated Fort Moultrie in December, 1860, and occupied Fort Sumter when he saw that South Carolina was preparing to seize the forts in the harbor. In January, 1861, the steamer Star of the West

had been fired upon when it tried to bring supplies to Anderson, but no further hostile move against the fort was made until April 11 when Gen. P. T. Beauregard, the Confederate commander, demanded its surrender.

When Anderson refused, Beauregard the next day ordered his batteries to open fire on Sumter. After three hours Anderson returned the fire and for the next 34 hours 19 batteries rained shot and shell against the fort. Three times the fortification was set on fire but the brave defenders kept up the fight until their ammunition was almost exhausted. Then Anderson sorrowfully lowered the Stars and Stripes and on April 14, the Stars and Bars were raised over it.

Twice during the war the Union forces tried to recapture Fort Sumter. On April 7, 1863, Admiral Dupont tried to reduce it with a naval bombardment but failed. That summer Admiral Dahlgren reduced the fort to an earthwork, but could not take it.

So the men in gray held this fort until February 17, 1865, when they were forced to evacuate Charleston and the next day the Union flag was raised over it by Major General Hennessey. The last chapter in the stirring history of this fort was written on April 14, 1865. On that day Robert Anderson, now a general, led a force of boys in blue into Fort Sumter and over its ruined walls he hoisted the same shot-torn flag which he had been forced to lower from the fort's flagstaff four years before.

(© 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

We have Plow, Sweeps, Bolts, washers, chopping hoes and files, you should have them, Buy quick.—Price Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Arnett and little daughter of Lamesa spent Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Arnett.

20 per cent discount on refrigerators.—Price Bros.

Milk Coolers and Pans, all sizes, at J. B. Pritchett's Tin Shop. tfe

PREPARING FOR SUMMER MILK



Photos copyright, Underwood and Underwood, N. Y.

This big truck hauls the milk of several farms. Right—Milk must arrive at the plant in good condition.

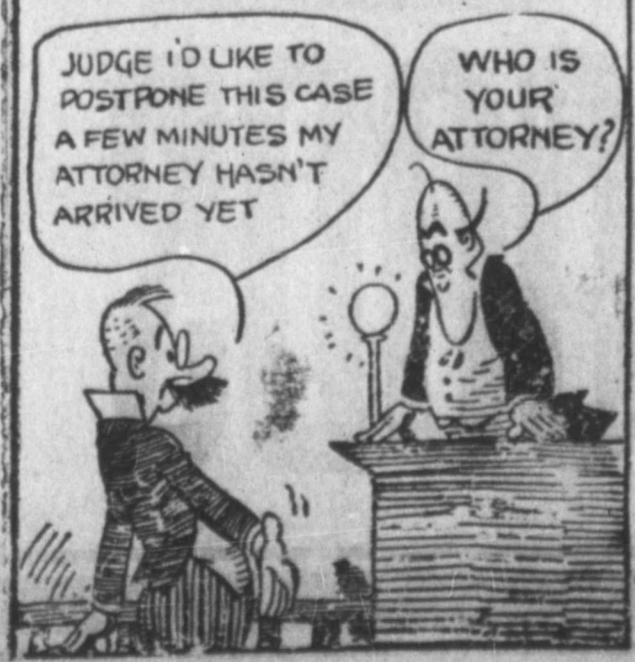
It is now the time when the dairy cow, the foster mother of mankind, is to be given a chance under natural conditions. New information which has recently been discovered at some of the state agricultural colleges indicates that green feed and sunlight combined make it possible for a cow to build up her system by storing minerals and other body reserves, provided she receives a sufficient supply of good feed.

A heavy milking cow, however, will need feed in addition to pasture if the milk flow is to be maintained. Milking heavily with pasture as the sole source of feed causes the cow to lose weight. This loss of weight should be watched and extra feed given to prevent the cow from becoming thin, which will result in reduced milk production later.

Summer is one of the easiest seasons in which to produce clean milk. There will be times, however, when a considerable amount of mud and dirt will collect on the udder and flanks of cows and if a portion of this material drops into the milk it will insure its keeping quality. The dirt which collects on the flanks and udder should be removed before milking time by wiping with a damp cloth. If the hair on the udder and underline is clipped short the cleaning can be done effectively and quickly. Incidentally, the practice of clipping the cow all over before turning to pasture not only makes it easier to keep her clean, but it relieves the itchy condition that develops during the stabling months.

Much of the milk produced in the country is hauled long distances in large trucks. In summer if the cans of milk are not protected from the sun before leaving the farm, and again enroute, it will be difficult to keep the milk sweet until it is used. Every time a day's milk is returned to the farm, for whatever reason, there is a distinct financial loss. Only by producing a sanitary milk and then taking care of it can satisfactory results be obtained to all concerned.

The Judge:—Probably Late In Meeting Payments Too—By M.B.



Just What You've Been Waiting for--

SPRING AND SUMMER

Sale Begins Friday, June 5th

June is the Month of Joyous Realization

When plans for the many activities of summer must be completed--when vacation trips must be provided for--and when scores of mid-summer necessities must be purchased. With your needs and desires in mind--this store has provided a bounteous supply of seasonable needsfuls--so that you will have to look no further than this store for EVERYTHING necessary for the coming months

Store Closed All Day
Thursday, June 4th.

32 inch Red Seal and
Kalburnie Gingham

19¢

36 in reg 20c Bleac'
Domestic

14¢

Mens Overalls and
Jumpers

98¢ each

Mens Khaki
Pants

\$1.00

Ladies Fiber Silk Hose
Reg. 75

39¢

Boys Good Grade
Blue Shirts

59¢

Wash Dress Specials

Our entire stock of cool and dainty wash frocks will be thrown on the market at prices that are simply astounding. The most discriminating woman may select a wardrobe of modest summer frocks, here, from many lovely creations of a surprisingly modest outlay. These were purchased from the distinguished makers of **SUNBEAM** Daytime Frocks, every one are right to the finest detail

BELOW, ARE A FEW OF THE PRICES

| | | | |
|---------------------------|------|---------------------------|------|
| 9.95 dresses at | 5.95 | 4.95 dresses at | 3.29 |
| 7.50 dresses at | 4.95 | 4.50 dresses at | 2.98 |
| 6.95 dresses at | 4.29 | 3.95 dresses at | 2.49 |
| 5.95 dresses at | 3.95 | 2.95 dresses at | 1.98 |



FREE

To the first 10 ladies entering our store we will give FREE one embroidery package. You don't have to buy anything and you are not obligated in any way just be on time at 8 o'clock when our doors open Friday, June 5th.



Remarkable Values in Mid-Season Clearance - - -

This unusual appeal event should be of unusual interest to the careful shopper, who realizes that the smartest garments are procurable in our clearance at a drastic reduction. Our entire stock of Spring and Summer Silk dresses will be put on sale

— AT —
Half Price

Toilet Articles

- Mavis Talc 17¢
- Hinds Honey and Almond cream 35
- Mulsefied Cocoonue Oil 39c
- Marculla Talc 17c
- Marcelle face Powder 25c size 19c
- Marcelle face Powder 50c size 39c

JONES DRY GOODS



for An Opportunity to Fill your Needs at UNHEARD BARGAINS

Sale Closes Sat. Night, June 20



It will Pay You to Anticipate Your Needs

Our stock is large and of such variety that you can choose for the entire summer wardrobe RIGHT NOW. Mens, Ladies and Childrens in the quality for which this store is famed--and at the prices YOU WILL WANT TO PAY are here. Our stock of summer piece goods and staples will be a delight to the thrifty homeowner. COME IN -- SEE FOR YOURSELF WHAT BARGAINS THIS EVENT HOLDS FORTH.

Dress Shirts

Our complete stock of the well known E. and W. brand of dress shirts with and without a collar are placed on sale at such remarkable price, you can well afford to stock up for the summer.

DRESS PANTS

All new spring patterns that especially appeal to the younger men.

- 7.50 GRADE 5.95
- 7.00 GRADE 5.45
- 6.50 GRADE 4.95
- 6.00 GRADE 4.15
- 5.75 GRADE 3.95
- 5.00 GRADE 3.45

- HATS -

All our large stock of mens straws, felts and Stetsons are to be marked at a price to sell. We will conveniently display them where you can see all the stock and what a wonderful value you are getting. Don't hesitate to buy one or more hats for they are of well known brand and all are new.

Store Closed All Day
Thursday, June 4th.

LOOK

27 inch Ginghams for 5 cent per yard between 9.45 and 10 a. m. Saturday, June 6th we will sell 27 inch ginghams for 5 cents per yard and only 5 yards to each customer.

SHARP PRICE CUTS CREATE AMAZING PIECE GOODS BARGAINS

All our Silks, Voiles, Suitings are to be included in this store wide Bargain Event,

| | | | |
|---|--|---|---|
| Beautiful sheer solid color voiles in a rainbow of colors reg 50c value 39c | Silk Stripe Voiles Reg 65c grade 43c | Satin Stripe Lace Cloth a very beautiful material 59c | Very sheer printed Cotton Crepe Reg 65c value 49c |
| Silk mixed Crepes large selection Reg \$1.39 grade 98c | Reg 39c English Chintz 29c | Reg 50c French Ginghams 39c | Radioux Chiffon Fancy Stripes 79c |



HOSIERY

Our entire stock of Topsy, Country Club and Brilliant Hosiery to be reduced-

- 2.50 Cinderella hose 1.98
- 1.75 Thread Silk hose 98c
- 1.25 Silk Hose . . . 79c
- 75c Silk Hose . . . 39c
- 50c Lisle Hose . . . 35c
- 35c Cotton hose . 19c

VERY SHEER CHIFFON HOSE

- 3.50 Clocked Chiffon 2.79
 - 2.75 Tig Zag Heel Chiffon . . . 2.19
 - 2.50 Chiffon very sheer . . . 1.98
 - 2.00 all Silk Chiffon 1.49
- Chiffon Hose will not be strung. Ask to see them.

27 inch Gingham
15c

Reg 22 1/2 Bleach Domestic
17c

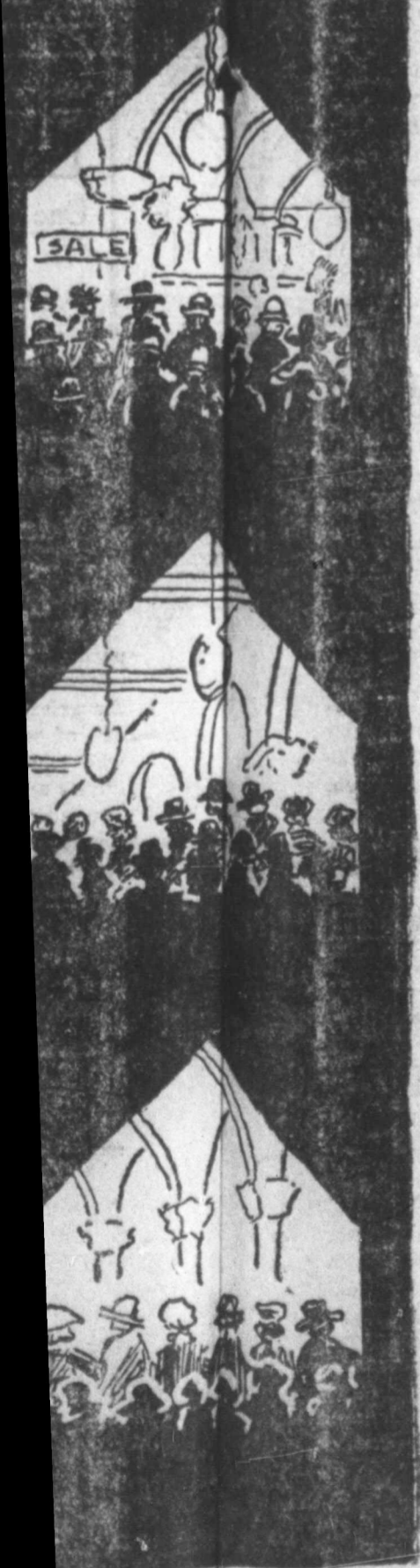
Good Grade Blue Work Shirts
69c

Boys Khaki Unionalls
89c

Ladies Knit Summer Unions
39c

Mens 1.25 Khaki Shirts
98c

Colorado Texas



RAINFALL FOR COLORADO FOR LAST NINETEEN YEARS

Table with columns for Year, Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, June, July, Aug, Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec, Total. Rows for years 1906 through 1925.

Look at the Label on your Record. All papers will be stopped when time is out. If your label reads, 1Mar24, it means your time was out then.

COLORADO RECORD

Published in Colorado, Texas, at 130 Walnut street, one door south of the Postoffice and entered as second class matter at the Post office under the act of Congress of March, 1879, by the WHIPKEY PRINTING COMPANY

V. B. WHIPKEY A. L. WHIPKEY Editors and Proprietors

WALTER W. WHIPKEY, Adv. Manager W. S. COOPER, Local and City Editor

SUBSCRIPTION RATES One Year (Out of County) \$3.00 One Year (In the County) \$2.50 Four Months (Straight) \$1.75

We want or classified ads taken over the phone. These are cash when inserted.

Look at the Label on your Record. All papers will be stopped when time is out. If your label reads, 1Mar24, your time was out March 1, 1924.

LOVE

The most wonderful word in all the world. Without this wonderful word you can have no God. Without it you can have no mother. Without it you are homeless and friendless. God is love. Shut God out and there is no love. Shut love out and there is no God. Love is another word for mother and home. We glibly about somethings and yet have very poor ideas about them. Who knows anything about love? You may say "I know all about it." If so you know all the depths of Gods life and power. God reveals himself through love to an unfriendly world. He takes and gives because he loves. God so loved that he gave. We give according to our love. It is the love that rests in the human heart that causes it to act differently from all other lives. One person will sacrifice, even for others while some will do nothing for suffering humanity. Why the great difference? One word explains it all. That word is love. The cry of an orphan child will move some souls to their depths while others are untouched. The reason is one has something to respond to and the other has nothing in them to respond to the cry of the orphan. Love is the chief difference in the human race. John, the holy writer says that is the difference between the lost and the saved. He says by this fact we know we are crossed over the deadline and have entered the path of life. If we have not love for the brethren we are still dead. Hatred or dislike is one of the outstanding sins of the devil and his followers. No saved person can retain dislike in his soul for those who are called by the name of Christ. Of course we sometimes see folks do things they should not do but most folks are doing the wrong thing along the pathway of life but for me to disdain a person because he is not perfect or doing things that are not according to my standard is unthinkable in the sight of holy writ. Love is the outstanding characteristic in the church of Christ. That church that displays most of love is the winning

UNITY

The Houston Chronicle commends the suggestion made recently by a New York pastor, to the effect that the churches should all unite and drop their separate identities to be merged into one great body of followers of the Nazarene.

MONKEY BUSINESS

They are having a big monkey show over near Chattanooga, Tennessee. They made it against the law in Tennessee for anyone to be descended from a monkey. A certain College Prof. read to his science class a passage from a book in which the author was of the opinion that because some people acted so much like monkeys that there was a reason to believe that they descended from them. The grand jury indicted the Prof. on a charge of committing hy-monkeydoct. Hy-monkeydoct in Tennessee is a mighty bad thing, so they hired W. J. Bryan who is a famous antihy-monkeydoct man to prosecute the Prof. The Prof. has Clarence Darrow a well known hy-monkeydoct man to defend him. These two great spellers are engaged to make remarks. Billy Bryan wants Clarence Darrow and the Prof. to understand that no man can make a monkey out of him. Clarence Darrow admits the statement true, for he says that Billy has already performed that job to the satisfaction of all concerned. We are at present unable to state what the monkeys think of the affair. The Monk and the antimonk societies of Tennessee crowding the Klu Klux off the front pages of the daily papers. This monkey business is attracting quite a lot of attention these days.

REMEMBER THE SABBATH AND KEEP IT HOLY

Six days shalt thou labor and do all thy work, but the seventh is the Sabbath of the Lord and thy God. In it thou shalt not do any work. The Creator in making this world labored six days and rested on the seventh. The Legislators of the State of Texas had in mind the words of God when they enacted what is known as the Sunday laws, and these laws are as follows. Art. 299 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas. "Person who shall hereafter labor, or compel, force, or oblige his employes, workmen or apprentices to labor on Sunday, shall be fined not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars. Art. 302, Penal Code. "Any merchant, grocer, or dealer in wares or merchandise or trader in any business whatsoever, or the proprietor of any place of public amusement, or the agent or employe of any person who shall SELL, barter or PERMIT HIS PLACE OF BUSINESS or place of public amusement to BE OPEN FOR THE PURPOSE OF TRAFFIC or public amusement on SUNDAY SHALL BE FINED NOT LESS THAN TWENTY NOR MORE THAN FIFTY DOLLARS. Art. 303, Penal Code. EXCEPTIONS. The preceding articles will not apply to markets or dealers in provisions as to sales made by them before 9 a. m. nor of the sale of burial or shrouding material, News-

EVANGELISTIC

Dallas, Texas, June 3.—A call for an evangelistic campaign to embrace every Baptist association in Texas has been issued by the executive board of the Baptist General convention of Texas following its session in Dallas May 26. Dr. F. S. Groner, general secretary of the board has announced. The board has also requested every denominational school in the state to hold an evangelistic conference for its section just following the close of the present session of school. In the evangelistic program which has been adopted by the executive board it is planned to appoint six

state evangelists who will hold revival meetings at points in the state where they are invited by the local pastors and churches. The evangelistic program, according to the present plans of the board will be followed permanently as a regular policy of Texas Baptists.

papers, Ice, Ice Cream, Milk, nor to the sending of telegraph or telephone messages at any hour of the day nor to keepers of DRUG STORES, HOTELS, BOARDING HOUSES livery Stables, BATH HOUSES, or ICE DEALERS, nor to telegraph or telephone offices. We have presented to the city and County officials a petition with more than 400 names asking that these laws be enforced. They have pledged to do all within their power to do so. Please lend your support and influence.

WE HAVE ANOTHER STOCK OF 30X3, 32X4 AND 33X4 CASINGS WILL DISCOUNT REGULAR PRICE 20 PER CENT FOR FIVE DAYS.—PRICE BROS.

BRYAN SAYS NO SUCH THING AS EVOLUTION

Chicago, June 2.—William Jennings Bryan an outstanding defender of Tennessee's law forbidding the teaching of evolution, declared emphatically "there is no such thing as evolution." The Bryan lips closed in a thin firm line and the Bryan chin developed an implacable angle. "Ass's milk," explained Mr. Bryan "is the kind most resembling human milk, but that does not prove that man descended from the ass. Nor does the fact that men act like animals prove that animals are their ancestors. "Men have never succeeded in developing one species from another. Burbank, ah, he merely produced variety within a species, he never crossed the line of species." We have a Go Devil that gives weeds the ——— stock getting low.—Price Bros.

GILBERT QUINNEY OF RAILS WAS A RECENT BUSINESS VISITOR IN COLORADO.

THERE IS HIGHER PRICED AUTO OIL BUT NONE BETTER THAN SUPREME OIL HANDED BY ALL LEADING GARAGES.

For Five Thousand Years. The mightiest intellects of the Medical profession have sought in vain for the cause of disease which a modern Art and Science proves by results is to be found in the body. When the cause of your illness is removed then all nature within you can rejoice and sing her song of health—and you, yourself, will rejoice and sing in gladness also. There are already hundreds of the best and most alert of people in Mitchell County who are aware of the great new truth and they gladly testify to our courteous and expert service. The Palace and the Mission Theatres show our movie playlets. PHONE 76 C. H. LANE MASSEUR

CLASSIFIED ADS

Want Ads Bring Results—One Cent a Word, each issue—50c minimum price. No Classified Ads Charged. It's Cash.

Get your grasshopper poison now at W. L. Doss Drug Store.

WARNING—Take Notice. The Ellwood lands are posted according to law. Hunting and fishing absolutely not allowed. Better take notice in time. Trespassers are warned to stay out.—O. F. Jones, Manager. tf

FOR SALE—I have for sale a few good registered Herford Bulls, ages 3 years. Come and see. Phone J. Brown, Cuthbert. tf

FOR SALE—Some good young horses and mules raised on the Foster ranches in Mitchell and Sterling counties. No shipping Colds, Distemper or other diseases. Priced to sell. Come see them at the Foster Ranch at Iatan.—E. B. Gregson. tf

FOR SALE—Good three room house with sleeping porch, in North Colorado, worth the money. Small payment, balance easy, will take some trade also have good model 24 Ford car for sale or trade. Apply to W. E. Smith at City Market. tfe

The Record acknowledges receipt of invitation from Miss Julia Shepherd to attend commencement exercises at Sam Houston State Teachers College. Miss Shepherd is a member of the graduating class at the College this year.

We have a Go Devil that gives weeds the ——— stock getting low.—Price Bros.

Judge C. C. Thompson and Tax Assessor R. E. Warren have returned from Eastland where they attended a conference of county officials as to taxation.

FOR RENT—Six room house by the year. See or phone Klasy Kleaners.

FOR SALE—I have 2 good Jersey milk cows for sale, with young heifer calves by side—one 5 yr old and one 21 months old heifer. Both good milkers. Phone or see B. C. Cook. 6 12 p.

BABY CHICKS—Now is the time to buy baby chicks if you want winter eggs. My Leghorns will lay in five months. They are from the highest laying Tom Barron strains. My 320 hens laid 13,000 eggs the past two months. Eggs \$8.00 per 100. Baby chicks \$13.00 per 100. 10 weeks old cockrels for sale at \$1.00 each.—J. L. Kuykendall, Lorraine, Texas, Phone 36.

FOR SALE—At a bargain. An 8 compartment McCoy Refrigerator, in A-1 condition. Fine for a hotel or Grocery Store. Also 15 feet of "short order" counter for restaurant. See all at Alamo Hotel. Earnest Keathley. tf

WANTED—A renter for a 25X40 building, with modern front to be built on lot south of Alamo Hotel.—Ernest Keathley.

FOR SALE—I have 2 good young Jersey and Durham milk cows with young calves. Good milkers at reasonable price. Phone 9029-2R or see J. W. Gross. 1tp

STRAYED—A brown 3 year old filly with white spot in forehead and branded seven bar on left shoulder. Left my pasture about May 15. Any information will be paid for if desired. Phone 9041-F-11 or see A. D. Powell. 1tp.

If You Can Answer 33 Questions in Geography and History You May Win \$1000 in Cash

Other prizes amounting to a total of \$2,000 given in Educational contest, open to everybody, anywhere. Send stamp for list of questions, rules and circular. Address Sheffield Laboratories, Dept. 1, Aurora, Illinois 6-5c



At the close of a busy day. Photo Copyright, Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.

Conditioning the Farm Horse

Thousands of farm horses have been idle or roughing it during the winter months and are not ready for hard, steady work. It is now the season when the program of many a farm horse is suddenly changed without the preparation that is necessary for efficient service. On many farms the horses have obtained their winter feed from stalk fields and the straw stack. They come through in a thin condition and need to be put in better flesh before ready for hard work. This is best done by gradually giving the horses in advance a portion of the same ration that is to be fed during the work season. Whether the horse has been out in the open or standing idly in the barn, a moderate amount of light work preceding the rush season is advisable. The hardening process may be accomplished by changing horses each half day in doing the necessary hauling about the farm preparatory to working in the fields. This will exercise and strengthen the muscles without tiring them. The horse will not perform efficiently in an ill-fitting harness. The raw sores that develop are due, in most instances, to plunging an idle horse suddenly into heavy work or to the fact that the harness is not properly adjusted. It is especially important that the horse collar be of the right kind, shape and size. A well-fitted collar does not choke and distributes the draft over the entire shoulder. During the winter months most farm horses are groomed very little and the long hair of the winter coats is a handicap when spring comes. It is best to remove the old hair at once, by clipping. This is important as it increases the efficiency of the horse. It prevents the extreme sweating and lathering that would otherwise take place as the heavy work goes on and the weather becomes warm. Due to the fact that the direct farm income is mainly from cattle, hogs, or sheep, the care of the farm horse and mule is generally neglected. It should be remembered that the income from the other classes of live stock depends upon the crops that the farm produces; and the horse furnishes the power that makes farm operations possible. More care for the work horse will in the end effect a saving and increase the efficiency on many farms. Be fair to the horse, by doing the things that will give him a good chance to give his best during the present season.

20 Per Cent DISCOUNT ON Northland Refrigerators AND ICE BOXES For 15 days we will allow 20 per cent discount from regular price on the largest and well assorted stocks in West Texas. Price Brothers

GREAT SCOTT, Kan.—When a Great Scott young man brought home some flowers to give to his mother on Mothers' Day he had to sit up till after midnight waiting for her to get in.

ELECTION NOTICE

STATE OF TEXAS
County of Mitchell
City of Colorado

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Colorado deems it advisable to issue bonds of the said City for the purpose hereinafter mentioned:

Therefore, be it ordered by the City Council of the City of Colorado, Texas, that an election be held on the 16th day of June, 1925, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the City Council of the City of Colorado, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of the City of Colorado in the sum of Thirty Thousand (\$30,000) Dollars, payable not to exceed forty (40) years from the date thereof, bearing interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of constructing a City Hall and purchasing a site therefor within said City of Colorado, as authorized by Chapter I, Title 18, Revised Statutes of 1911, and Article 882, Revised Statutes of 1911 and the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas.

The said election shall be held at the City Hall in the City of Colorado, and the following named persons are hereby appointed Managers of the said election:

J. D. Harrell, Judge
J. C. Pritchett, Judge
H. E. Grantland, Clerk
John T. Smith, Clerk.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter I, Title 18, Revised Statutes of 1911, and Article 882, of the Revised Statutes of 1911, and the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters, who are property taxpayers of said City shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of the Bonds," and those opposed shall have written or printed upon their ballots, the words:

"Against the issuance of the bonds"

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of Colorado, attested by the City Secretary of the said City, shall serve as a proper notice of said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted at the City Hall and at one public place in each of the voting places of the City of Colorado for at least thirty (30) full days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation, published in said City and which notice shall be published once each week for four weeks, the date of the first publication being not less than thirty (30) full days prior to the date of the election.

(Seal) R. H. LOONEY,
Mayor City of Colorado, Texas.
Attest: L. A. COSTIN,
City Secretary. 6-5c

BETTER HOMES

The Better Homes Week was observed in Mitchell county under the auspices of the Civic League. The following letter explains the spirit of cooperation of our people.

Mrs. A. L. Whipkey,
Colorado, Texas.

My Dear Mrs. Whipkey:

Thank you for your report on the Better Homes campaign in Colorado.

I am very glad to learn that you secured such hearty cooperation from the churches and schools. The clippings which you enclose indicates that very generous press notices were also given to the observance of Better Homes Week. It is evident that you conducted a very successful community undertaking, and I assure you of our appreciation of your efforts. We are particularly pleased to know that you have already noticed beneficial results.

Sincerely yours,
James Ford, Executive dir.
Better Homes in America

NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
In the Matter of the Estate of R. B. McEntire, Jr. A Minor No. 441

IN THE COUNTY OF MITCHELL
In the County court of R. B. McEntire, Jr., a Minor, in Probate, May Term, A. D. 1925.

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF SAID MINOR:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, Jas. H. McEntire, guardian of the estate of R. B. McEntire, Jr., a minor have this day filed my application in the above style and numbered cause for an order of the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas authorizing me, as guardian aforesaid, to make an oil and gas mining lease or leases, upon such terms and conditions as the court may order and direct on the undivided interest of said minor, situated in Sterling County, Texas, to wit:

All section Nos. 19, 21, 28., 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, in Block No. 14 of the S. P. Ry Co. surveys in said county; and also, all of sections Nos. 5 and 6 in Block "T" of the T. & P. Ry Co. Surveys in said county, all containing 640 of land, respectively.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge of Mitchell County Texas at a regular term of said court, at the court house of said county in the city of Colorado, Texas on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1925.

JAS. H. McENTIRE 1tc

WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Georgia W. Cooper of Dallas to T. L. Jones, business man of Tyler, has been received in Colorado. Miss Cooper is the daughter of Mrs. M. E. Cooper of Dallas and a sister of W. S. Cooper of Colorado. The wedding is to be solemnized Sunday afternoon at six o'clock in the parlors of Grace Methodist church. Mr. and Mrs. Jones will leave Sunday night for a wedding trip to the East, after which they will be at home in Tyler.

Miss Cooper and her mother are both well known in Colorado, having visited relatives here at intervals during the past five years. Mrs. Cooper is expected in Colorado Monday to spend a visit with her son and family.

HUNDSON, ESSEX NEWS

A new four passenger brougham—a strikingly handsome car—is announced by the Hudson motor Co. One of the new cars is now on display at the sales room of the Price Auto Co., Hudson-Essex distributor. The new car is a four door, close coupled type, with leather rear quarters. The general lines are typical of Hudson construction design. The whole effect is one of striking smartness and style.

"These cars are custom built by one of the oldest and best known body manufacturers in the country," said Mr. O. B. Price. "The construction is all aluminum, and the details of trimming and fittings are of the same standard as the Hudson sedans in the seven passenger size. This car will be recognized at once as one of the handsomest on the streets.

The outstanding feature however, is that they are given a quantity price. Hudson-Essex is now the largest six cylinder manufacturer in the world, and all its costs and manufacturing expenses are distributed over a very large volume of business. This fact has made possible for the unusual price which Hudson has established on this car. With its custom built body and the advantages of the famous Super-Six chassis this brougham will be one of the finest cars anywhere. It really must be seen to be appreciated in its fineness of details and its general impression of luxury and smart beauty.

The general volume of Hudson-Essex business is at an unprecedented

rate. This month will be the largest we have ever known, and it would be much larger if we had as many cars as the public asks for. We are making every possible effort to deliver cars promptly but the demand is so unusual that the task is almost beyond us.

The public is looking for utility and value in motor cars, and when these qualities are offered as Hudson-Essex offers them this Spring is sure to be an immediate and a continuous, consistent demand.

ABILENE PLANS HUGHE FESTIVAL ON JULY FOURTH

Abilene, June 1.—With the award of the contract for a new \$20,000 exhibit building at the fair park, the West Texas Fair Association is setting in motion a \$40,000 improvement program looking toward record breaking attendance at the All-West Texas, the Fourth of July races. The fair improvement program includes remodeling textile building and the agricultural building new automobile entrances and the installation of coin turnstiles to care for the crowds.

For the July 4 event, which draws each year West Texas largest holiday crowds, the enlargement features additional grandstand room for more than 2,000 people. The Independence Day races are held under the sanction of the A. A. A. the Abilene meeting being one of the outstanding automobile gatherings of the entire State.

For this year, there will be special feature handicap events and the purses of \$4,000 are the largest yet offered on the Abilene course. Fair Association officials stated that the increasing races, together with the speediest dirt track in Texas, and larger purses were attracting more and more the premier speed kings of the country.

There is a strong possibility that the event will see some of the most glamorous names of race history marked on the Independence Day program, with a session of real thrills for speed fans. Time trials are scheduled for the preceding day, and the contest will be swift and snappy from the word "go." A "dustless

New Summer Voiles
Solid and Plaid
FAST COLORS

Figured in all Shades
see this
Wonderful Line of
Guaranteed Goods



Kant-fade FABRICS
FAST COLOR MATERIALS
for PAJAMAS and LINGERIE.
guaranteed not to fade in washing
or through action of perspiration.

NEW FELT HATS
Latest and in all Shades. Come in and
Look at these New Felt Hats
J. A. HOLT & CO.

track" is again assured the contestants and fans.

Another attraction to Abilene for the Fourth of July celebration is the bathing girl revue which is to be staged at Lytle Beach, Abilene's pleasure lake, following the races. Elaborate plans are being made for a distinctive show, with attractive prizes offered the beauties and possible selection of "Miss Abilene" to Atlantic City festival.

Bath houses are being moved back to make room for the promenade and the huge crowds expected to witness the revue.

SUMMER SCHOOLS

Fort Worth, Texas, June 3.—Texas has become one of the leaders in the nation in the development of summer schools, according to data compiled by the Texas State Teacher's Association. Last summer there were 24,177 students enrolled in the colleges and universities of the state, and the attendance for this year is expected to exceed 30,000. Public school teachers seeking to better their professional training are a large percentage of summer schools.

Baylor University inaugurated the

full summer school program in Texas, and Chicago University took the lead in the nation at large. Now, completely developed courses are offered in the summer by most of the first class institutions.

That recent conference of Methodists in which they endorsed the unification of the Northern and Southern branches of their church ought to be a good object lesson for the democratic and republicans.

"Our language changes. Pedestrian once meant who walks. Now it means one who runs and jumps."

ESSEX COACH

Price Reduced to

\$850

Freight and Tax Extra

Effective May 31

PRICE AUTO CO.

W.H. GARRETT
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
COLORADO, TEXAS
PROMPT ATTENTION TO LEGAL MATTERS IN AND OUT OF COURT

T. J. RATLIFF, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office Over Jno. L. Doss Drug Store

L. W. SANDUSKY
Attorney-at-Law
Practice in all Courts.

M. B. NALL
Colorado, Texas
DENTIST
City National Bank Bldg. Phone 5

C. L. ROOT, M. D.
Strangers calling must be vouched for.
OBSTETRIC WORK AND X-RAY WORK
STRICTLY CASUAL

DR. R. E. LEE
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Calls Answered Day or Night
Office Phone 161. Residence Phone 88
Office Over City National Bank

Latest Methods in the
FREDRIC PERMANENT WAVE

at the
VOGUE BEAUTY SHOPPE
No Long Waits Big Spring
Prices \$12.50--\$15.00
Phone 147 for appointment Leslie Thomas

Staten Island, N. Y.—Miss Jane Phenix, writes:—"I am from the West for many years I suffered from auto-intoxication due to torpid liver and constipation, my system was so badly poisoned that my face was swollen to twice its natural size. I was continuously tired, weak and depressed, had no appetite. I read your Tutt's Liver Pill advertisement and tried them. After a few doses I began to improve. Tutt's Pills have kept me free from a return of the illness, and I feel like a new person. Am never without them." At all druggists.



The Ford Quartette rendered a program of popular and religious numbers at the I. O. O. F. Hall in Sweetwater Tuesday night.

You always pick up an unthinkable Bargain at our Bargain Counter—Berman's Variety Store.

Mrs. E. F. King left Thursday for California to spend the summer with her son, Austin.

Grasshopper Poison at W. L. Doss's Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson, Nell Harper and William Greene left Wednesday for a month's stay in Corpus Christi.

Milk Coolers and Pans, all sizes, at J. B. Pritchett's Tin Shop.

Mrs. N. J. Phenix has returned from a visit with her son in Dallas, Gainesville and Paris.

Harness, Saddles and Auto Tops—Frank Herrington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pritchett left this week on their vacation. They will spend the time at Mineral Wells and at Rice with her parents.

Buy Automobile Paint from Price Bros.

Mrs. L. C. Dupree and little daughter left last week for Mt. Vernon to visit her parents.

Now ready all kinds of grasshopper poison at W. L. Doss Drug Store.

We have a good stock of Oak planter tongues, four horse eveners, and coupling poles.—J. H. Cooper and Sons.

Miss Higgins who taught in Snyder last week was a guest of Miss Grace Warren enroute to her home in Grove City this week.

This is implement season. Anything you need in the Hardware line. A full line of refrigerators. See Price Brothers.

Miss Faye Wilcox of Abilene was a guest of Miss Thelma Mann this week.

Buy Automobile Paint from Price Bros.

Mrs. R. B. McDonald and daughter, Mrs. Jewell have returned from a visit with relatives in San Angelo.

For the Essex Coach Delivered in Colorado. Price Auto Company, Distributors.

Mrs. Gustave has returned from a trip to Dallas where she attended the confederate Veterans reunion and said it was the best she ever attended.

O. B. Price, Hudson and Essex distributor, was attending to business affairs in Midland this week.

Dr. P. C. Coleman left Sunday night for Sherman to attend a meeting of the board of regents of Austin College Monday. Dr. Coleman has been a member of the board of regents of this institution for sixteen years.

W. W. Jeffress returned to Dallas Monday night after spending a few days in Colorado on business.

GOVERNMENT COTTON REPORT

Washington, June 4.—Condition of the cotton crop on May 25, reported today by the department of agriculture at 76.6 per cent normal is the highest on that date since 1918.

Condition of the cotton crop by states follow: Virginia 72, North Carolina 74, South Carolina 71, Georgia 78, Florida 88, Alabama 80, Mississippi 84, Louisiana 84, Texas 70, Arkansas 85, Tennessee 82, Missouri 77, Oklahoma 86, California 98, Arizona 80, New Mexico 65, all other states 90.

Revised estimates of the acreage in cultivation on June 25 last year was announced as 42,641,000 acres, the area picked last year as 41,630,000 acres and the yield of lint cotton per acre as 137.4 pounds, the total production having 13,631,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight.

The condition is compared with 62.0 a year ago and 81.0, the 10 year average on May 25, the department of agriculture announced today. Acreage figures will be announced next month when the first forecast of production will be made.

The department pointed out, however, that this favorable present condition does not imply an equally favorable season. Two factors, the department added, the effects of which as yet are in evidence but may have a controlling influence on the crop, are the increased weevil emergence in the southeast and the scanty supply of subsoil moisture in parts of Texas.

"Weevils are much more in evidence in the eastern states than they were last year at this time. They have appeared in every county in South Carolina and elsewhere in Georgia. Weevils have appeared in Alabama, but the general dry weather in the West has been unfavorable for the insects. Grasshoppers are present in considerable numbers in Texas, but have done little damage as yet.

Mrs. C. E. Pritchett spent last week in Santa Anna attending the civil functions given in honor of her cousin's marriage.

Mrs. Y. D. McMurry is visiting in Gaines County.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—One Collie Dog, has on Colorado license tag. Was taken from front of the Palace Theatre afternoon of May 28. Return to or notify Record office.

FAMOUS FORTS IN U. S. HISTORY

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

It Kept the Northwest Under Our Flag

One February day in 1779 the British flag was hauled down from above Fort Sackville on the Wabash river in Indiana. George Rogers Clark had won the old Northwest for the United States. One August day in 1813, an army advancing under the English banner against Fort Stephenson on the Sandusky river in Ohio reeled back in defeat before the withering fire of its garrison of Kentucky riflemen. George Croghan, a nephew of George Rogers Clark, had saved the old Northwest for the United States.

Fort Stephenson barely deserves the name of fort at all. It was only a stockade built at the head of navigation on the Sandusky river, but it was important because it commanded the approach to two important bases of supplies for Harrison's army in the War of 1812.

When General Proctor with 600 British regulars, accompanied by 3,000 Indians under Tecumseh, appeared in northern Ohio, Gen. William Henry Harrison ordered Capt. George Croghan to evacuate this post. But Croghan believed that with his force of 100 men he could hold it against Proctor, and his confidence was shared by his six youthful subalterns, none of them more than twenty-one years of age. Harrison reluctantly gave his permission for the attempt to be made and Croghan set to work to strengthen the old fort as much as possible.

He had only one piece of artillery, a little six-pounder, which the soldier affectionately called before the fort with a force of 1,200 Indians and regulars and some heavy artillery, a successful defense seemed hopeless. But Croghan refused Proctor's summons to surrender and was not even frightened at the Briton's threat that he might not be able to control his Indians if he had to storm the fort.

After bombarding the fort all night Proctor sent a storming party of 900 men against the walls and although Croghan's men met the attackers with a deadly rifle fire, they came on bravely. Just as they sprang into the ditch surrounding the fort, a masked porthole was thrown open in one of the blockhouses and "Old Ben" poured out a veritable blast of death upon the British. That proved the deciding stroke in the battle. Proctor retreated precipitately. The American supply depots were saved. Ohio was spared the horrors of an invasion by the Indians and historians generally agree that the successful defense of Fort Stephenson saved the Northwest.

LOCAL NOTES

Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

Auto Tops and Side Curtains, first class repairing.—Frank Herrington.

OFFICES FOR RENT

I have several nice offices to rent, located in the Dulaney bldg., on Second st. Nice arrangements, convenient and a most reasonable price. Call Dr. B. F. Dulaney for information.

Mrs. C. E. May has returned home after an extended trip to Del Rio San Antonio and other places.

Buy a new Perfection Oil Stove and keep the wife cook.—Price Bros.

Milk Coolers and Pans, all sizes, at J. B. Pritchett's Tin Shop.

There is higher priced Auto Oil, but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages.

PALACE THEATRE

Thursday and Friday June 4-5

Buster Keaton in **SHERLOCK JR.**

This is a scream. Our Gang Comedy "SUNDOWN LIMITED"

SAT June 6 **WILLIAM DESMOND**

BURNING TRIAL With Aesop Fables and SEMON COMEDY

MON TUES June 8 and 9 **WORLDY GOODS**

Another Paramount Starring Agnes Ayres and Pat O'ally with all star cast

also **Will Rogers** UNCENSORED MOVIES

WED. June 10 **VIOLA DANA** BEAUTY PRIZE

Here is the Palace Pet and oh! Boy Don't miss this also Pathe News

THUR and FRI. June 11-12 **BETTY COMPSON**

THE ENEMY SEX A Paramount Special for regular prices—also

BUDDY MESSENGER AGGRAVATIN' KID

all for 10c and 30c

Mrs. Charles Boerstler, enroute to her home in Los Angeles from Houston where she has been the past few months with her father, Mr. McKenzie who has been quite ill spent a few days with her uncle, Mr. F. E. McKenzie.

We have a Go Devil that gives weeds the stock getting law.—Price Bros.

"Mrs. Goldman and myself are enjoying the trip fine," M. S. Goldman, director of the Colorado Booster Band, writes from Los Angeles. They are with Moslah Temple delegation at the Shrine convention which convened in Los Angeles Tuesday.

\$1460 For the Hudson Coach Delivered in Colorado. Price Auto Company, Distributors.

If you are looking for a Bargain, don't fail to visit our Bargain Counter.—Berman's Variety Store.

Miss Maldeele Latty returned home from Pouca City Okla Saturday night where she went to accompany Mrs. Rhea Detrich and baby home. They both report a fine time.

We have another stock of 30X3, 32X4 and 33X4 casings will discount regular price 20 per cent for five days.—Price Bros.

Laces and Embroidery goods at pick up prices on our Bargain Counter.—Berman's Variety Store.

Miss Sallie Buchanan spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Walter Whipkey last week on her way to her home in Big Spring from Commerce where she has been to school.

Bickmore's Call Cure.—Alcove Drug Co.

Phone J. A. Sadler for that Supreme XXX Auto Oil, none better. At all leading garages.

\$1460 For the Hudson Coach Delivered in Colorado. Price Auto Company, Distributors.

Mrs. F. B. Whipkey and Mrs. Walter Whipkey spent Wednesday in Big Spring.

We have Plow, Sweeps, Bolts, washers, chopping hoes and files, you should have them. Buy quick.—Price Bros.

A large Bread pan for only 19c on our Bargain Counter Saturday.—Berman's Variety Store.

Bickmore's Call Cure.—Alcove Drug Co.

Mrs. L. H. Gaskins received a message from Louisiana last Friday that her brother was not expected to live. She left on the first train.

Buy Automobile Paint from Price Bros.

Ice Tea Glasses at Bargain prices on our Bargain Counter.—Berman's Variety Store.

Mrs. M. E. Bishop and daughters, Misses Coral and Delma have returned from a visit to her father in Sinton.

Bickmore's Call Cure.—Alcove Drug Co.

We have a good stock of Oak planter tongues, four horse eveners, and coupling poles.—J. H. Cooper and Sons.

Left At a home recently a light Brown Brussell wool shawl. Please phone 157.

ALAMO HOTEL RATES

Ernest Keathley, Owner and Manager
Third Floor Hall:
1 to a bed 50c, or \$2 a week.
2 to a bed 85c, or \$3.40 a week.
Third Floor Rooms:
1 to a bed 75c, or \$3 a week.
2 to a bed \$1.25 or \$5 a week.
Second Floor Rooms:
1 to a bed \$1, or \$4 a week.
2 to a bed \$1.50, or \$6 a week.
Your Patronage Will be Appreciated

Delco-Light AND Frigidaire HOUSEHOLD AND COMMERCIAL Ed J. Thompson Snyder Phone 120

HAVE YOUR EYES EXAMINED



By Our Registered Optometrist

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED J. P. MAJORS Jeweler and Optometrist

Colorado Record

WHIPKEY PRINTING CO.
COLORADO, TEXAS

COLORADO, TEXAS, FRIDAY,

COLORADO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 1925.

WHIPKEY PRINTING CO.

OIL DEVELOPMENT REPORTED BY WEST TEXAS PAPERS

Quite a number of independent oil operators from Oklahoma are now coming to wildcat for oil in West Texas.

The big wells in Reagan county have proven there is much oil in West Texas. The section between Reagan and Mitchell counties is due to be thoroughly tested out.

The Humble Oil Company spudded in their deep test for oil on the C. C. Slaughter ranch in Martin county on Saturday, May 23rd and are now going down after oil.

Starting with a twenty inch hole they are prepared to make a real test of this. Work will now be carried on regularly, twenty-four hours each day, until the well is completed.

A portable steel derrick is on of the first to be used in this territory. A huge gasoline engine was installed and will furnish ample power to complete this test to a depth of five thousand feet if necessary. It is estimated that four months will be required to complete what is to be a thorough test.

Some of our citizens who have visited the location state they seemingly have sufficient tools, tubing and other material to complete several tests. The very best of everything has been provided so work can be carried forward without unnecessary delays due to lack of tools or equipment.

This test is eight miles west of Ackerly and about thirty-five miles northwest of Big Spring. —Big Spring Herald.

Sterling County Oil News

They are drilling in hard gray lime in Reynolds Well no. 1 around 1500 feet.

The drilling outfit of the Cushing well is being dismantled and hauled to the new site on sec. 43, Blk. 2, Il. & T. C. Ry. Co. in what is known as C. C. Reynolds Cedar Hill Pasture 13 miles northwest of town. It is planned to spud this well June 15th.

We learn from a reliable source that a new well will be made about four-miles west of the Clark Well.

The hole of the Clark well is being reamed in order to set casing at 1140 feet a showing of about 1-2 barrels of oil an hour was encountered in this well about ten days ago. The Kanawha-Angelo Co. has been delayed in drilling this well thru bad roads caused by recent rains.

The Sloan well in the Scott pasture is now being straight reamed past 1800 feet. It is reported that gas emanating from this well caught on fire recently.

A crew is engaged in building a road to the new drilling site on the F. G. Howard survey in W. L. Foster's pasture. This prospect will be drilled by the Wrightsman interests. This concern has also acquired the property of the Fidelity Oil Company and will complete the Hull well at an early date.

The derrick and floor of Durham well No. 2 was badly messed up last Wednesday when the tubing was drawn and the oil shot up over the top, making things look as if it had been raining oil. After flowing awhile, the well ceased its activities and the oil subsided. Drilling in No. 1 is suspended until No. 2 can be cleaned out so as to furnish fuel oil.

Good progress is being made at Hall-Northrup well, and every thing is going smoothly.

A fishing job was in progress at the Mims well Wednesday. This well is now around 3100 feet.

The Meriwethers are still making hole. The boys are reported to be making good progress.—Sterling City News-Record.

Reagan County Drilling Report
J. S. Sosden, section 34, block 12, university land, Crockett county, temporarily shut down, waiting for orders from headquarters.

D. E. Hughes, Denny, Irion county on banks of Spring Creek, drilling 1100 feet; log is checking good with logs of producing wells in West Texas fields.

Well north of Mertzton shut down temporary; will likely resume after settling a few matters that have been in litigation. This well showed nicely up to shut down.

Red Ball Drilling company, section No. 5, block 29, Crockett county,

are rigging up and will start to making hole immediately.

A derrick is to go up immediately on section 14, block 29, Crockett county, university land. Cook oil Company will put down this test.

Derrick is to be built immediately by R. S. McDonald, rig contractor of Big Lake on Crouch ranch seven miles west of Ozona, Crockett county. Timber is on the ground and being hauled to location.

Schaffer, section 13, block 47, Crockett county; rig timber is on the ground and operators are awaiting tools.

World Well, Powell ranch in Crockett county, preparing to start up again after a short delay, getting new crew. Well is down 2660 feet and indications are favorable for producer. This well has had considerable trouble but are now able to go ahead and finish and looks like it will be the next producer for this County.

In northeast Crockett County, eastern operators are geologizing this country very close and two or three locations are being made and drilling will likely start in the very near future around the old Henderson well, which showed real oil sand and would have made a well according to drillers on the well and men in charge if it had been allowed to produce at 3300 feet.

Blocks 56, 57, 54, 53, university land northeast Crockett county, are being closely watched and geologized and will likely be some activity soon. Cook Oil Company, W. J. Wilcox Company and Red Ball Drilling Company, California Company, Gulf Production Company and other big companies are buying and have bought in Crockett county.

Armstrong well, section 34, block 11, Reagan county, shut down for some time; owners are dealing with contractors to put it down.

O'Reilly is supposed to start up and finish well June 1. Said to be in good shape to finish soon. This well is on section 17, block 10 university land, Reagan county. Depth 2795 feet.

McGuire is shut down for a few days waiting on a few matters of title, etc. Down 2712 feet and hole in fine shape, casing set.

Wm. G. Dunning, section 185, block 2, T. & P. land, Reagan county, are drilling. Spudded in last Monday. Sugg ranch.

The Marland Oil Company have purchased a large block of acreage in northwest part of Reagan and part of university land, block 58, near Johnson-McCamey dry hole, at a very good figure, and it is said will drill on Belcher estate.

Big Mesa Oil Company of California, section 17, block 3, university land. Upton county, north of Flat Rock, are making hole day and night around 1000 feet.

Bell Regan, Upton county, section 2, block 4, are drilling at 2860 feet; set 6 inch casing and will finish up in day or two. Had showing of gas at 2860 feet. Will drill in two or three days.

W. P. Morris, Nancy Lee survey 50, is shut down.

New location, northwest quarter of section 15, block 11, university land, Hoffman, et al.

Gulf Company, section 1, block 1, university land, drilling below 3200 feet.

Some acreage deals made last week.

Eight German geologists, just over from Germany landed on evening train, looking for the big structure that produces oil. Will work out of Texon.—Big Lake News.

BODY OF PLAINVIEW EDITOR TO BE SENT FROM FRANCE JUNE 8

Plainview, June 3.—The body of J. M. Adams, Plainview editor, who died in Toulon France, Sunday May 10, while on a tour of the world will be shipped from Marseilles, France June 8, according to advices received in Plainview by his daughter, Mrs. E. Q. Perry. The body will be shipped from Marseilles to Galveston and it is thought it will be in transit for nearly three weeks.

Adams who was the owner of the Plainview News and a pioneer newspaper man of West Texas, having edited papers at Coleman and Comanche. He had been on a tour of



Dr. James Rayburn, Evangelist

SUCCESSFUL Operates Travel Service • In Own Name



RAMONA GIBBONS HAYES

RAMONA GIBBONS HAYES, Chicago, pretty, petite, and a recent University of Chicago graduate, has the distinction of being the youngest steamship agent in the world. Although out of school less than a year, she has organized a successful travel service in her own name.

By appearing in "tourist third class" she has made it possible for hundreds of students and other tourists of limited means to see Europe.

Carbon paper at Record office.

She organized groups of American students and teachers to travel in place of the Europeans who, before the immigration restrictions, monopolized the third class.

Mrs. Hayes has further expressed her originality in her work by becoming the only Catholic Woman Pilgrimage Leader, organizing groups to tour Rome during the Holy Year.

They say jazz music can't live much longer. It's just a question whether we or the jazz can hold out the longer.

The battle Fleet has gone to Hawaii. And so far as some folks are concerned it can go to Halifax.

SPEAKER APPEALS FOR COTTON MILLS IN TEXAS

Four or five hundred of our Mitchell County citizens assembled in front of the F. M. Burns Dry Goods Company store Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in response to the announcement of Mr. Burns that at that hour he would have a representative of the Miller Company of Fort Worth address them on Texas Industries.

Mr. Burns, our pioneer merchant, is now rounding out his forty-third year of successful merchandising in Colorado.

The Miller Company was represented by C. E. McCauley, vice president and general sales manager of the Miller Company, and Vernon W. Bradley, West Texas salesman for the company. These gentlemen gave away a number of Hawk Brand overalls, pants and shirts and explained the methods of manufacture and made an urgent appeal for the building of more factories in Texas, as the means of providing employment for our rapidly increasing population, Mr. McCauley said.

"Eighty nine years ago the independence of Texas was won by a decisive victory over Gen. Santa Anna at the battle of San Jacinto. At that time the white population of Texas was approximately 58,000. Now our population has reached the enormous figure of five million and that in 10 to 15 years the population of Texas would be 10,000,000 to 15,000,000.

"Texas had grown from a vast unsettled, unimproved area, occupied by coyotes and Indians with no railroads, highways or bridges to an empire unequalled in achievements of other peoples for the same length of time. The battle of San Jacinto lasted only 45 minutes and was only the beginning of the struggles of these liberty loving, God fearing people whose real battle spirit last a life time along beside the farms that these great men hewed from the forests of Texas.

They built free schools and churches and around the firesides of their humble homes they taught the children patriotism, while stern necessity, taught thrift. No wonder we have a great state and a great people.

"But young men of Mitchell county, this wonderful heritage handed us without sacrifice and without price put a great responsibility upon us which calls for heroic effort upon our part, to take what has come to us in this manner and truly build as our fathers build."

He then lauded into a discussion of the growth of the cotton industry in Texas showing that the value of our crops had passed the billion dollar mark, giving us first rank among the States. That the cotton crop of 1923 was worth to every man, woman and child in Texas approximately \$175 each. Here he paused to state there was almost a bale of cotton per person and explained that the difference in values of a bale of cotton in Texas and on the Atlantic seaboard where most cotton is milled into cloth is \$12. Multiply that by the production and we would have had about 55 millions of extra dollars in Texas for the crop alone. He illustrated this point by stating that in the event a Mitchell county farmer who raised hogs were to ship his hogs to Canada and along with it ship his own maize and kaffir, go to expense of feeding and caring for them there and then shipped the hogs back to Colorado to be butchered for the smoke house, the entire program would be just as sensible as the present plan of shipping cotton to the Atlantic seaboard for milling.

We learned from Mr. Burns that he has been handling Hawk Brand garments for about twenty years, and that the Miller Company had grown from a few machines to where they now operate several hundred. They have an exclusive overall factory in Waco and employ between 300 and 400 people in another factory of about the same size in Paris, Texas where they make Hawk Brand shirts and pants. We further learned from Mr. Burns that these are operated in connection with three cotton mills, one at Waco, one at McKinney and one at Dallas. These three mills use more than 120 bales of cotton every day. The combined payroll of mills and factories effects more than

STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT BEGINS WORK ON BANKHEAD

The State Highway department is going to make a real highway out of State Highway No. 1 and counties along the line are to profit thereby.

The big crew of men working for H. K. McCollum who has the contract for placing an asphalt top on a one hundred mile stretch of State Highway No. 1 or the Bankhead Highway started this work in the west part of Big Spring on last Friday. A large number of citizens were on hand to see the paving started.

About two miles of asphalt topping was laid Friday and Saturday to test out the gravel that can be secured near Big Spring. It was thought this gravel contained too much clay and the test on the two-mile stretch of highway verified the judgement of the engineers.

It is therefore necessary to secure limestone shavings to add to the asphalt and as this material has to be shipped in from distant points the task of paving the Bankhead Highway from the east line of Howard county to a point one hundred miles westward is going to prove more costly and will require a longer time as only a limited amount of the limestone shavings can be secured each week.

Anyway the work is started and it is reasonably certain that a paved highway will be completed from Howard county to El Paso before next September.

Only a few places east of here need to come alive until we have a real highway to Texarkana and we understand the backward counties are going to get right.—Big Spring Herald.

ELEVENTH ANNUAL CONVENTION IS TO MEET IN DALLAS

With Texas railroads guaranteeing a rate of one and a half fares for the round trip from points in Texas to Dallas; all indications point to the largest gathering of organized Bible Classworkers in Dallas, June 16-18th ever held in America. When this convention met last year at Wichita Falls the registration of delegates reached beyond thirteen hundred. This year, its secretary, Mr. William P. Phillips of Dallas, declares that more than 3000 delegates will be registered during the three days of this convention, not only from Texas but Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana. This convention was the first of its kind ever organized in the South and has for its objective the inspiration of its delegates to build great classes of men and women in the Sunday schools of Baptist churches for the study of the bible and winning them to a personal acceptance of Jesus Christ as their Savior and Lord.

MOSLAH SHRINE SPECIAL AT COLORADO FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The 15 coach special carrying the Nobles and their wives of Moslah Temple, Fort Worth, to the annual Shrine convention at Los Angeles, made a 15 minute stop in Colorado Friday afternoon. The gaudily uniformed Shriners, accompanied by the band and drum corps, detained here and let Colorado know of their presence through the medium of trumpet blasts, thundering roars from the drums and a concert by the band.

M. S. Goldman and wife boarded the special here and accompanied the delegation to Los Angeles. Mr. Goldman is assistant director of the drum corps.

1900 people.

The most encouraging thing to our young people is that not only Mr. McCauley was a poor Texas farmer boy, but the Miller boys were also without capital, which shows conclusively that were judgement, nerve and untiring energy are used most anything is within our reach.

Let us close the story by saying that if we ever have cotton mills and factories in Texas we must do as Mr. Burns has always done patronize brands such as Hawk brand, manufactured here in Texas. In less than five years Colorado should have a cotton mill employing hundreds of happy prosperous people.

\$1460 For the Hudson Coach Delivered in Colorado. Price Auto Company, Distributors.

JAKE'S HOTEL Rooms-Restaurant Established 1884

I have fed you for 35 years now I want you to sleep with me 35 years. Try my beds. Let door north of Bancroft Hotel, across street from Burns' store JAKE.

J. A. THOMPSON TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.

Piano and Household Moving Our Specialty Regular Transfer Business Any Time

I now have a first class warehouse and will do storage of all kinds.

PHONE DAY OR NIGHT

LINCOLN NATIONAL FOREST BECOMES GREAT PLAYGROUND

Roswell, N. M., May 30.—Travel to the eastern New Mexico mountains has started! The Lincoln National Forest, too, is ready to entertain the thousands who will come to spend their vacations this summer. Since the West Texas Chamber of Commerce reached its long arm of service out and brought the eastern counties of New Mexico into the Texas family, the Lincoln National Forest has been developing, by leaps and bounds.

For then it was that the people of Texas began to learn of the wonderful possibilities of these mountains for vacations. Much closer than Colorado and more easily accessible, the Lincoln National had had instant appeal to the people of Texas.

The Roswell Chamber of Commerce estimated that there was an average of fifty cars a day going into the forest through the Roswell gateway during June, July and August last year. It is expected because of better highways and more general interest in this vacation spot that this number will be greatly increased, during the coming summer.

Improvements have been made in the main highway east from Roswell since last summer. The twenty-five miles of road between Tatum and Caprock was not finished in time for the travel last summer, and the opening this has lessened the running time, and made that stretch a veritable speedway.

Every developed area from Pine Lodge on the north in the Capitan mountains to Weed on the south in Sacramento mountains is expected to get its full share of visitors during the summer. This immense area, approximately sixty miles long, offers a wide variety of vacation opportunity.

You may tent a cottage you may camp in the wilds of some canyon; you may stay at a hotel; or you may camp in a developed camp ground.

You may get along financially on the mere cost of the groceries; or you may spend \$3 to \$4 a day at one of the hotels. You may stay at an altitude of 6000 feet if you prefer you may have an altitude of 9000 feet. You may roll in the shade of the pines and read, or you may get the thrill which comes from real mountain climbing.

You may get your exercise on horses, or you may play golf. What you do depends largely on yourself. Most every kind of recreation is there for you.

The Lincoln National Forest belongs as much to the people of Texas as to the state where it happens to be. It is federal property belonging to the people of the United States and is under the administration of the Forest Service, in the department of agriculture. There is no charge for camping privileges on the forest land, and home sites may be leased on a small annual rental. On some of the private lands camping areas have been developed with more conveniences than are found in the wilder places. Even here you may get a beautiful camping site, with wood and water, and other conveniences for a quarter a day. The fact is that the whole area is better developed this year than ever before and both campers and those who stay at hotels will find the situation more enjoyable than ever.

The only restriction the forest service places on the enjoyment of the forest is observance of sanitation and precaution against fire.

In addition to the forest, those members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce who utilize their vacation ground this year will also enjoy seeing the Bottomless Lakes and the irrigated farms near Roswell; the oil fields of Carlsbad; the Carlsbad Caverns; the White Sands west of Alamogordo; the Mescalero Indian reservation and many other things of interest on the trip.

Chambers of Commerce at Carlsbad, Artesia, Alamogordo, or Roswell will gladly furnish any further information.

A FORD STORY

The Ford Motor Company set a new record for production Tuesday May 19, when its assembly plant turned out 7,858 Fords and trucks in the eight-hour working day. This record is for the United States plants alone and does not include foreign plants and associated companies or the Ford Motor Company of Canada, Ltd.

An interesting thing in connection with this remarkable production is that the company is exceeding its most careful estimates for May. Current Ford Billboards, which were prepared sixty days ago, carry this message "7,000 More Since Yesterday." But in actual output the company exceeded this by 850.

Production of the company has been steadily increased during the last few weeks due to the growing spring business and new output records have been frequent, but none approaching within 100 of the remarkable figure of Tuesday.

On April 28 the domestic plant beat a record of 7,482 established a year ago by assembling 7,594 cars and trucks. This record stood until May 12 when production went to 7,732.

Mr. A. J. Herrington the district distributor gives out the above and is proud of the company he represents.

NOTICE!

"Our state is among the few fortunate ones which have laws providing for the establishment of kindergartens upon petition of parents.

"Notwithstanding our splendid law less than five percent of our children are having the privilege of kindergarten training, according to the latest figures issued by the United States Bureau of Education."

Petitions should be circulated at once to get kindergartens opened in September. Blank petitions and propaganda material may be obtained by writing the Texas Field Secretary of the National Kindergarten Association, Miss Grace Montague, 2233 Sixth Avenue, Ft. Worth Texas.

THE WEST TEXAS FAIR

Ablene, Texas, June 2.—With the awarding of the contract for a new \$25,000 exhibit building at the fair park, the West Texas Fair Association is setting in motion a \$40,000 improvement program looking toward record breaking attendance at the All-West-Texas exhibition in the fall, and for the annual speed classic of West Texas, the Fourth of July races. The fair improvement program includes remodeling textile building and the agricultural building, new automobile entrances and the installation of coin turnstiles to care for the crowds.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas it has pleased our Heavenly Father to call from our midst Mr. Rowland, father-in-law of our sister, Mrs. P. M. Rowland. Be it resolved that we the W. M. S. extend to her our heartfelt sympathy. That a copy of this resolution be given Mrs. Rowland, one be printed in our county paper and that one be recorded on the minutes of our Society.

Mrs. Fannie McDonald. Mrs. F. B. Oglesby. Mrs. J. E. Skelton. —Committee.

Westbrook, Texas June 1st, 1925.

ABSTRACTS OF TITLE

With a well equipped abstract plant, with my 30 years experience in land titles, I am prepared to compile abstracts, cure defects in and pass on titles. Your business solicited.

W. S. STONEHAM In County Treasurer's Office.

COOL FACTS AN ICE House would be sultry if it were not artificially cooled. It is just a matter of the right cooling equipment. The right cooling equipment for your home or your office is a West Texas Electric Fan. Don't sit and swelter. Cool off and be efficient, vital and vigorous during the heated period. WEST TEXAS ELECTRIC CO.



Extra special is the quality of the Groceries presented—and incidentally are the prices extra special as well. Let us tell you our story with quality goods and prices—Phone us.

Pritchett Grocery

NUXATED IRON Used by Millions of People for Health Strength and Energy. DO NOT ACCEPT SUBSTITUTES

Helping Industry by Our Counsel

WE consider your association with us as something more than account on our books. You, Mr. Business Man, are our client, with individual needs and personal problems.

Here we offer a service gratis—a service that makes possible your growth as well as ours. We welcome an opportunity to prove how we can be helpful to you.



COLORADO NATIONAL BANK

Dodge Brothers

Motor Vehicles

H. B. ALLEN

Phone 19 - Colorado, Texas



When you make out your food list today include one or several loaves of crisp and tasty HURD'S BREAD. We know you'll come back for more.

NUF SED

Hurd's Bakery

Something no doctor ever said:

"Tire yourself out over a washtub and you'll always be healthy and happy."

Of course no doctor ever said that—for just the opposite is true and wash-day is so needless with our ROUGH DRY SERVICE.

ROUGH DRY SERVICE 10c A POUND



Colorado Steam Laundry



LORAINNE NEWS

Local and Personal News About Loraine and Vicinity

MRS. ZORA DEAN

Mrs. Dean is also authorized to receive and receipt for all subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact all other business for the Whipsey Printing Company in Loraine and vicinity. See her and take your Country paper

Methodist Notes

We had 210 in attendance last Sunday at church.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the splendid lesson. At the close of the school the Supt., J. M. Bruce made an interesting talk on the lesson, and also spoke of the good attendance we are enjoying in our school as compared with other schools over the Sweetwater district. Then the pastor Rev. H. W. Hanks made a talk in which he spoke of the important work that is being done by the church in small towns and rural communities. He also spoke of the splendid record made by our school last year in the amount of certificates received in the teacher training work. We want to keep up this good work.

Come and be with us next Sunday morning. You are always welcome. We want you to come and be a member of our school. It will make us happy. It will do you good. At the

same time it will be honoring God.

Mr. Claud McCollum and Miss Willie Faye Spikes surprised friends and relatives when they motored to Colorado Saturday afternoon and were married. Judge C. C. Thompson, officiating.

Mr. Landon Taylor and Miss Emma Smith of Loraine were married at the Methodist parsonage Monday. Rev. H. W. Hanks performing the ceremony. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Smith and possesses many charms which have won for her many warm and lasting friends.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Taylor a young farmer who has many friends. The couple left immediately for Abilene and after a short visit will be at home to their many friends on a farm near here.

Mrs. S. W. Givens, has purchased the W. T. Thweatt residence in west Loraine, which she plans to remodel for her future home.

Messrs J. J. T. J. and Fuller Land left Tuesday for Meador where they will be gone several days on business.

Mr. I. B. Baird and son, Raymond left Monday for the Linsey farm near Hermleigh, where they are planning to paint and do inside finishing work on the new stucco home recently built.

Mr. Homer Smith expects his wife and son in from Ft. Worth this week. The family will occupy rooms at the former J. R. Coon residence.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Henry are to visit their son near Luther this week. Their granddaughter, Miss Arrie Jennings will accompany them.

Mr. A. V. Walker and wife arrived from Yuma, Ariz., Monday for a few weeks visit with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Ross Marshall and children are spending a few days visit here from Kerrville.

Miss Frankie Dunnahoo of Fort Worth supervisor of the Southwestern Telephone Company will be here last of the week to spend her vacation with her aunt Mrs. S. D. Dunnahoo and family.

Mr. Bennie Tisdale from Spur is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tisdale.

Mr. J. R. Florence and wife returned Saturday morning from Eu-reaka Springs and other points east where they have been on a vacation for the past five weeks.

Mr. Harry Hall, wife and daughter are spending a few days visit here from Lubbock.

Mr. Joe Spikes, cashier of Munday City National Bank visited in the J. E. Spikes home Monday enroute to El Paso.

Miss Cleo Spradling, teacher in the Brownlee school for the past season left Monday night for her home in Greenville.

Miss Mattie Bailes who has been visiting friends here left for her home at Graham Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Cardwell and son spent the first of the week in the Jack Cardwell home at Hale Center.

Miss Annie Jarratt has returned from Abanathy where she has been on a visit for the past week.

Garland Marse is here from Plainview visiting his grandmother Givens this week.

Mrs. Morgan Hall visited at Stanton Tuesday.

Rev. W. A. Foster pastor of the Baptist church here and family are moving here this week from Abilene.

Mrs. O. E. Stevenson and sons of Lockney spent a few days visit here leaving Sunday morning for a visit at San Angelo.

Mrs. Claud Swan of Trent and Mrs. Adron of Trent left here Saturday night for Abanathy to be at the bedside of their brother, N. S. Copeland who has been reported quite ill. Mrs. Leon Adron also went with them.

J. W. Edmondson is in Abilene this week visiting college friends.

Miss Jewel Spikes will attend commencement exercises at McMurray the last of this week.

I. J. Pierce has returned from Arlington where he has been attending school.

Miss Alma Smith who has been teaching at Brownlee has returned home fro the summer.

Mrs. W. F. Altman and daughter are visiting here from Arlington.

Mrs. W. Y. Houston, Mrs. H. A. Houston and Mrs. Jno. B. Lewis of Stanton were Loraine visitors Friday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall.

W. H. Swafford and family visited relatives at Brownlee Sunday.

Miss Mozell Garrett is visiting relatives near Roscoe.

Elizabeth Ledbetter of Westbrook is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. S. N. Givens and family.

Mrs. J. H. Lee visited at Lamesa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Derryberry left Saturday on a months vacation to East Texas, Okla., and Arkansas.

Mrs. Hoace Newton accompanied by her small daughters came down from Midland Monday to spend a few days visit with her relatives here.

J. L. Johnson and family visited at Longworth Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Willingham and family have returned to their home at San Angelo after a short visit with relatives here.

The house was filled to overflowing Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. L. B. Walker entertained with a miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Claud McCollum. Mrs. Virgil Walker welcomed the guests who after registering their names and gifts were ushered into the dining room where Mrs. Russell Sipe presiding over the punch bowl passed refreshments to the guests of which there were over a hundred. When the bride arrived she was given the end of a string which led her to a basket stacked high with many pretty and useful things so appealing that one had to wait the turn until they could look the gifts over. Many out of town friends were present. The honoree was greeted with congratulations and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent chatting with each other.

Word was received Monday from the West Texas Baptist Sanitarium at Abilene that Mrs. Donia Hail who is there under treatment following an operation is still improving.

Grandmother Copeland and Grandmother Johnson left Friday night for Abanathy in answer to a telephone message stating Mr Zeek Copeland was very low.

Mrs. M. A. Dunnahoo who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Colorado last Thursday is reported doing fine at this writing.

Miss Sidney Lee Altman from Arlington is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Chas. Coffee is visiting in Cisco this week.

Mr. Jimmie Rogers of Graham is here this week.

Mrs. S. M. Collett and family of Tulsa are visiting in the I. M. Shultz home.

Mrs. W. B. Hardin of Inanna is here visiting Mrs. Nora Hardin and children.

Mr. H. A. Toy and sister Mrs. S. E. Clement visited relatives at Lorenza Sunday. Mrs. Clement remaining for a few days visit with her daughter Mrs. Monte M. Page.

Mr. W. C. Brown and wife were in Snyder Tuesday.

Mrs. H. W. Hanks and children left Tuesday evening for Cuthbert, where she will visit while the pastor attends the Southern Methodist theological school at Dallas.

Mr. A. W. Dearen and family of Looney were Loraine visitors Sunday.

Mr and Mrs A. A. Edmondson and Mrs. G. W. Hendrick and children were in Sweetwater Tuesday.

Mr. F. N. Carnes and family moved into the residence formerly occupied by H. T. Tarnlon and family in West Loraine, who have recently moved to the C. E. Green farm.

Robert Hendrick will leave for Dallas Wednesday to visit relatives.

FRANK HERRINGTON

Harness and Saddle Goods. Auto Taps and Side Curtains. Harness, Saddle and Top Repairing.

REV. ETESON TO MOVE TO PLAINVIEW SOON

It is with deep regret that members of the congregation of the Episcopal church and the citizenship at large learn that we are to lose Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Eteson as citizens of Big Spring. They have been making their home here the past five years while Rev. Eteson served as pastor of the Episcopal churches of Big Spring and Colorado.

They expect to move to Plainview where Rev. Eteson will be pastor of the church at that city and at Canon—Big Spring Herald.

There is higher priced Auto Oil, but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages.

Sid Parkinson's VULCANIZING SHOP

I guarantee all my work--give me a trial.

Located in J. B. Pritcett Bldg. Oak Street

Yes--Fresh Fruits and Vegetables



always in season at this grocery. Were you not aware of that fact? Some housewives are not thinking we carry only dry groceries, package goods, etc. Those who buy our fresh fruits and vegetables say they cannot be excelled in quality and value.

BEAN'S GROCERY

BURTON-LINGO COMPANY

Westbrook, Texas

Lumber, Wire, Posts, Eclipse Windmills and Parts
Rig Patterns a Specialty

You Wouldn't Give a Lead Nickle

for a razor that you couldn't sharpen or put in new blades. So why don't you figure the same way when you buy a lawn mower?

Its necessary that a lawn mower be sharp to run easy or do a good clean job.

You can sharpen an Eclipse Lawn Mower so easily that you will always have a nice working machine and besides save a big lot of expense. Let us show you.

H. L. HUTCHINSON & COMPANY

FURNITURE AND HARDWARE

Ford

Lower First Cost and Upkeep

There is a double economy in the Ford Car that materially lowers the cost of motoring for the millions of Ford owners today.

First—a Ford Car is the lowest priced on the market—the least expensive car the automotive industry has ever produced. **Second**—it costs less to operate and maintain. Fuel consumption is low—you get high mileage from tires. Repairs and

replacements are infrequent and charges, even for the labor involved, are small.

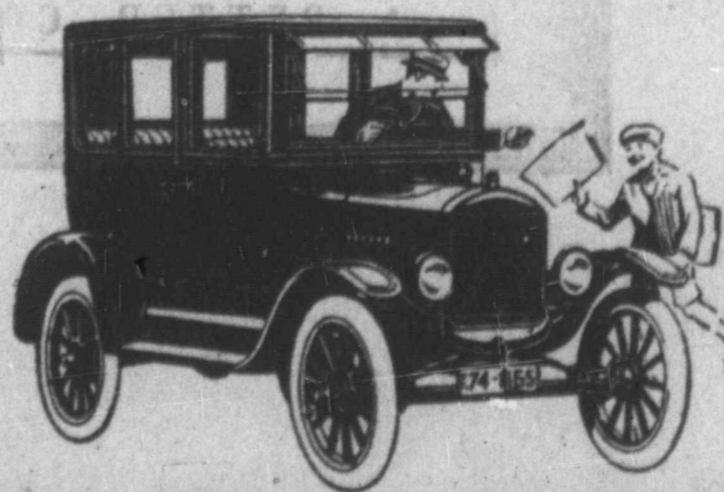
The Ford Weekly Purchase Plan makes it possible for anyone to buy a Ford on the easiest of terms. You may pay for your Ford out of your regular earnings. Ask any authorized Ford dealer about the details of this plan or write us direct, using this coupon.

Ford Motor Company, Dept. N-5, Detroit, Michigan
Please mail me full particulars regarding your easy plan for owning an automobile.

Name _____ Street _____
Town _____ State _____

Ford Motor Company
Detroit

SEE THE NEAREST AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER



FORDOR SEDAN

\$660

Runabout . . . \$260
Touring . . . 290
Coupe . . . 320
Tutor Sedan . . . 380
On open term demonstrable
financing and starter see 85 extra
All prices f. o. b. Detroit

A. J. HERRINGTON

KEEP HOME FIRES BURNING

By Samuel Judson Porter
Pastor of the First Baptist Church,
Washington D. C.

Notice in spelling hearth you first
spell heart. The fires on the hearth
burn with but a sickly flame unless
the fires of love are glowing around
the hearth.

"Home's not merely four square
walls,
Though with pictures hung and
gilded;

Home is where affection calls—
Where its shrine the heart has build-
ed."

When God Himself would start a
nation He made home life the de-
ciding question. He selected Abra-
ham as the head of the home and gives
the reason for it in these words,
"For I know him to the end that he
may command his children and his
household after him." Here are two
great principles which must prevail
in every home: First, authority,
suggested by the word command; sec-
ond, example, suggested by the ex-
pression "command his children after
him."

"A careful man I ought to be,
A little fellow follows me.
I do not care to go astray
For fear he'll go the self sameway

"I cannot once escape his eyes,
Whate'er he sees me do he tries.
Like me he says he's going to be—
That little chap who follows me.

"He thinks I am good and fine,
Believes in every word of mine;
The base in me he must not see,
That little chap who follows me.

"I must remember as I go
Through summer sun and winter
snow,
I'm building for the years to be,
The little chap who follows me.

In order that a man may rightly
command his children he must him-
self be able to obey an authority
higher than his own; and in order
to lead straight he must be going in
the right direction. It is impossible
for one to be father he ought to
be and not be a Christian. The
true father will build his family al-
tar as did Abraham, and like the
father in Robert Burns' "Cotter's
Saturday night," keep the home-fires
of prayer and Bible reading burning
theron.

"From scenes like those old Scotia
grandeur springs that makes her loved
at home, revered abroad.

During the period of the World
War large numbers of our soldiers
attended church where the writer
was pastor. One Sunday evening,
before preaching, the States of our
Union were called over, beginning
with Maine and ending with Oregon,
with the request that the men in uni-
form from each state respond by
standing. Forty-five States were
represented. On a previous occasion
soldiers from thirty-five states were
present, while Alaska, Hawaii and
five foreign countries were represent-
ed. As these men, at their own sug-
gestion, began singing, "Tell Mother
I'll be There," our thoughts went
back to the mothers in the far-cat-
tered homes, whose prayers and love
were following these soldiers to the
camps and to the battle front.

"The bravest battle that e'er was
fought!
Shall I tell you where and when?
On the maps of the world you will
find it not—

'Tis fought by the mothers of
men."

During the war days we kept sing-
and the boys kept singing:

"Keep the home-fires burning,
While your hearts are yearning,
Though your lads are far away,
They dream of home!"

It is equally necessary to keep
the same fires burning now to keep
up the family bulwarks, because if
our homes fail, everything fails.
While the writer does not here enu-
merate or describe them, we all know
that there are many individuals and
subtle forces that are attacking the
homes of America. We are chal-
lenged to save our civilization by sav-
ing our home life. The integrity of
the home is the nation's most solid
asset.

Attend Church Ser

A. B. BLANKS L. B. COLLIER

Blanks-Collier Motor Co.

**MAXWELL AND CHRYSLER
AUTOMOBILES**

A COMPLETE STOCK OF PARTS

Colorado, Texas. Phone 265

— A BETTER COLORADO —

H. B. ALLEN

**DODGE BROTHERS
MOTOR VEHICLES**

—Gas, Oils, Tires and Tubes—

Telephone 19

— A BETTER COLORADO —

WOMACK & NEFF

**TIRES, TUBES, ACCESSORIES, GASOLINE
AND OILS.**

ALSO VULCANIZING

SERVICE WITH A SMILE

Telephone 109

— A BETTER COLORADO —

SHE HAS A SMILE ON HER FACE
WHY
SHE HAD HER CAR WASHED AT OUR PLACE

The Automobile Laundry

CARS WASHED, GREASED AND POLISHED

ALEMITE PRODUCTS

J. B. MORGAN TELEPHONE 489

— A BETTER COLORADO —

DRINK

Chero-Cola

THERE'S NONE SO GOOD

Chero-Cola Bottling Co.

PHONE 260

— A BETTER COLORADO —

R. L. SPALDING

Ice and Fuel

Delivery Phone 149

— A BETTER COLORADO —

W. L. DOSS DRUGGIST
THE REXALL STORE

GENUINE VICTROLAS VICTOR RECORDS

Trade Where Your Business is Appreciated
and you can get what you want

DAY TELEPHONE 90 NIGHT 47 OR 75

— A BETTER COLORADO —

G. B. HARNESS

**ABSTRACTS
INSURANCE**

— A BETTER COLORADO —

Colorado Creamery

WE BUY CREAM

—AND—

SELL BETTER ICE CREAM

Phone 388

SERVICE AND QUALITY THAT SATISFIES

— A BETTER COLORADO —

OFFICE PHONE 135 RES. PHONE 396

A. J. HERRINGTON

Ford

LINCOLN - FORD - FORDSON

— A BETTER COLORADO —

THE CHURCH

Man has no possession
material, that was given him
ment of humanity.

Today the Church is, a
nation, the one great agency
selfish thoughts of self-gain
broader and more beautiful
the stricken and the fallen.

Colorado is blest in hav-
warp and woof of her grow-
fluence of the Church. If sh-
Churches has made her w-
spirit of Christian thought
men to live and work, invest
purpose of helping to improv-
for a life beyond, but to affor-
this life, has created that futu-

It is out of the mouth of
come. It is through the Chur-
today in bringing His words to
cannot live the biggest, broadest
letting God's word guide our liv-

The Bible has always be-
source of practical informati-
cal and doctrinal value. The
God and His teachings will fail
and in gaining eternal life.

God has set His Church up
tal man. The man, woman, boy
never find the portal of a hou-
who, weak and weary from the
fatigue of labor, never turns to
His Son's Church, for encourag-
tion, can only be a failure for him
his Creator.

The vigorous, ambitious you-
of health and the buoyancy of be-
more mental, physical and spirit-
to God than he will be when his
his character fixed. The youth,
he feels no need of divine support
comfort that is needed in mom-
and disillusionment. That empti-
after a period in which earthly jo-
come often and have left one const-
thing new, something different, a
be overcome only through the co-
promised:

"Come unto me all ye that la-
and I will give you rest."

When the prophet said, "The
the fullness thereof," he placed b-
there is no power given to him
for the betterment of humanity
of God. He showed man that the
of wealth which is not placed th-
saving souls. He told man that he
all of his talent, all of his possib-
achievement for Him.

It behooves every man to tu-
through which one must go with-
—destruction; and to enter into
where God's word is the guide,
and the salvation of souls the aim

The Colorado Chamber

Is Maintained by the
professional interests
for devoting a service
citizenship of Mitchell

USE THE CHAMBER

Services Next Sunday

THE CHURCH AS A PLACE

Man has no possession, either mental, physical or moral, that was given him for any use but the betterment of humanity.

Today the Church is, as it has always been in our history, the one great agency for turning men's eyes from selfish thoughts of self-gain and self-gratification to the higher and more beautiful goal of sacrifice for the lost, the sick and the fallen.

Colorado is blest in having firmly fixed in the very heart and woof of her growth and development the influence of the Church. If she is great the work of her history has made her so. If she has a future that is bright of Christian thought and living which prompt her to live and work, invest and reap dividends, for the sake of helping to improve not only his own chance of life beyond, but to afford access to the blessings of life, has created that future.

It is out of the mouth of God that the issues of life are brought. It is through the Church that God works and acts in bringing His words to men of all stations. We do not live the biggest, broadest, most happy life without God's word guide our lives.

The Bible has always been man's most valuable possession of practical information aside from its historical and doctrinal value. The business man who leaves his work and His teachings will fall both in gaining dollars and in gaining eternal life.

God has set His Church up for giving light to mankind. The man, woman, boy or girl whose footsteps lead to the portal of a house of Christian worship, weak and weary from the inroads of sin and the sweat of labor, never turns to God through His Son and His Church, for encouragement, uplift and salvation can only be a failure for himself, his fellow man and the world.

The vigorous, ambitious youth, in the exuberance of health and the buoyancy of hope is capable of giving mental, physical and spiritual force and influence to the world than he will be when his senses are dulled and his character fixed. The youth, even though he thinks he has no need of divine support, can find in God alone the strength that is needed in moments of discouragement and disillusionment. That emptiness that is felt at times in a period in which earthly joys and diversions have been taken and have left one constantly longing for something new, something different, a new kind of thrill, can be overcome only through the comfort that the Saviour has provided.

"Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest."

When the prophet said, "The earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof," he placed before man the fact that there is no power given to him that cannot be utilized for the betterment of humanity and consequent service to God. He showed man that the earth contains no source of power which is not placed there for the purpose of blessing souls. He told man that he can use all of his time, his talent, all of his possibilities and capacity for service to God.

It behooves every man to turn aside from the path of selfishness which one must go with but one ultimate goal in view; and to enter into some house of worship where God's word is the guide, Christ's life the model and the salvation of souls the aim.

Colorado Chamber of Commerce

Is Maintained by the business and professional interests of Colorado, for devoting a service to the entire citizenship of Mitchell County.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

City Meat Market

QUALITY MEATS

Your Patronage is Appreciated

Phone 179

— A BETTER COLORADO —

Palace Theatre

HOME OF

PARAMOUNT PICTURES

COOL, CLEAN AND COMFORTABLE

Good Music and Good Pictures

— A BETTER COLORADO —

Buy Mens Togs at a

Mans Store

J. H. GREENE and CO.

Cleaning and Pressing

— A BETTER COLORADO —

Storage

8 hr. Battery Service

J. L. Pidgeon
Automobile Service

Phone 164

—Tow and Crane Service—

— A BETTER COLORADO —

EL WORTH CAFE

—AND—

Confectionary

PURE FOOD—PURE DRINKS

—AND—

SERVICE THAT GIVES

—A—

SATISFIED SMILE

— A BETTER COLORADO —

All Nature Within You

Yes, all mental, physical and spiritual forces within you can rejoice and sing the song of health and normality, and you will rejoice and sing in gladness of spirit and praise your Creator when the cause of your illness is removed by harmless natural means

The Palace and the Mission Theatres show our movie playlets.

C. H. LANE

— A BETTER COLORADO —

Geological Surveys—

—Maps

William A. Bandy

CIVIL ENGINEER

Phones 164 and 281

Estimates—

—Reports

— A BETTER COLORADO —

The House of Quality and Low Prices. Where the most People Trade. A big business on a small Margin

Colorado Bougain House

L. LANDAU, Manager.

— A BETTER COLORADO —

Burton-Lingo Co.

Wholesale and Retail

Lumber and Wire

— A BETTER COLORADO —

EARL MORRISON

Oil and Abstracts

— A BETTER COLORADO —

ROBBERY.

There are different kinds of robbery. To rob a person with fire arms is a penitentiary offense. To rob by entering a closed house is also a grave offense. But to take that which does not belong to one's self and appropriate it to one's own use is also a serious offense. For a banker to misappropriate funds gets him in bad. For an official to do likewise gets his bondsmen in trouble. For a person to sell mortgaged property lays himself liable to the demands of the law. Many are giving "cold checks" and some are paying the penalty for so doing. There is another kind of dishonesty that but few people think much about. It is the everyday use of what we earn. Many spend it on dress, pleasure, or otherwise. It is all right to spend our money as we want to but before we do that there is a higher consideration we should regard. Hear what God says: "Will a man rob God? You say how do we rob God? God says: You rob me by withholding from my services the tenth of ALL you make and then by not making free will offerings to my work." Then God says ye are cursed with a curse. For ye have robbed me. The curse is the penalty for robbing God. Then God says: "Bring ye ALL the tithes and put them in the Church Treasury and I will rebuke the devourer for your sakes." God asks us to prove to Him with our tithe and see if He will not pour us out a blessing there will not be room to receive. The fruits of your ground will not be destroyed. Your fruit shall not shed before its time. Then, he says, all nations shall call you blessed. Why all this? Simply because folks are willing to honor God with what they possess. Does it not make your heart sick to see professed Christians spending all they make on dress and social affairs, and good times, when they are giving about 3 per cent instead of 10 per cent to the Lords cause? Some may say that it does not pay to be liberal with the church with their money as they see some of the most stingy people the most prosperous. Yes; that is what God is talking about when He says: "Fret not thyself because of evil doers for they shall soon be cut off." We don't get all our blessings for serving the Lord in this world.

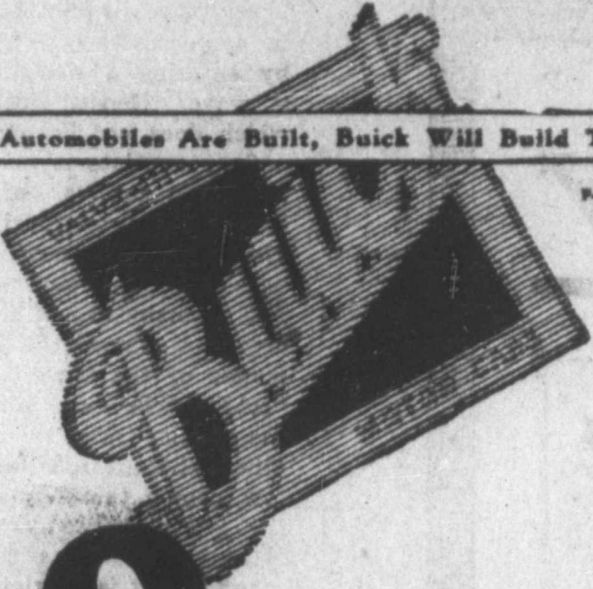
We are commanded to honor the Lord with our substance. He says he loves a liberal person. One that is hilarious in his giving to God. Sometimes it is worth the amount to collect it from some supposedly good church people. If the churches of today would follow the Bible way of finances there would be meat and to spare. God knew how much it would take to run His business and that is why He made such a large program financially.

You note in the New Testament the early church spent ten days in a prayer meeting. The next thing you note is they were having a mighty revival of religion and many souls were being saved. The next thing you note is this same church was having all things in common. They had brought all their money and turned it over to the apostles for mission purposes. Whenever you can get a fellow full of the religion of Christ it is not hard to get his money. But whenever the spiritual tank begins to run low some folks begin to dry up financially. That is natural. That is why the Lord wants us to stay well tanked up spiritually. It is rather difficult to do anything religiously when we are down and out spiritually. We cannot do much good at praying or soul winning. That is why some folks don't care for the worship of the Lord's house. They are so far down spiritually they have no real desire to worship God. Some thing else does better and satisfies better, too. What a pity we have to stay down and suffer the sad, hurtful results of disobedience to God. He calls us upward and outward. If the pestilences are hurting us let us all come to recognize God's rightful claims and get in touch with him by doing what we should do as Christians. Remember the money question is one of the big questions in the Bible.

The Young people are doing a great work. It has not been many years since we were doing but little for the young people in our churches.

When Better Automobiles Are Built, Buick Will Build Them

No. 15



Question: Why is a Buick so safe and so easy to steer?

Answer: Because of Buick's wonderful steering mechanism. It is the most expensive type now installed on any motor car—and worth the difference because it adds to Buick performance still another point of superiority.

BUICK MOTOR COMPANY

Flint, Michigan

CARTER MOTOR COMPANY
Local Dealer

When Better Automobiles Are Built Buick Will Build Them

MOVED!

Bigger and Better

We have moved into the MASONIC BUILDING and are now better prepared than ever to serve the public. We have the largest stock of Tires and Tubes and all Automobile accessories ever in Colorado and can serve you in fifteen minutes—or less.

WE DO VULCANIZING
WOMACK & NEFF

MASONIC BUILDING

MEATS

Lowest Prices
Highest Quality



The above may be a rather broad statement to make, but once you have purchased our Meats you will appreciate what we mean. For tastiness, for wholesomeness here are Meats that are second to none.



One trial is all we ask.

Our prices and service will make you a lasting customer.

City Meat Market

PHONE NO. 179

TEXAN TELLS STORY OF INDIAN FIGHTS IN WESTERN TEXAS

Two Adobe Walls Battles Recalled

R. C. Crane

West Texas got its first real impetus after Indian troubles had been settled in 1874 and 1875, according to R. C. Crane of Sweetwater, president of the West Texas Historical Association, which recently held its first annual meeting in Cisco. Up to the time mentioned much trouble had been experienced at the hands of the red-skin.

Mr. Crane in a paper read before the association mentioned the fighting attributes of Gen. Nelson A. Miles (then a Colonel), Kit Carson and other notable figures. He mentioned also the "war of the Panhandle," which lasted until the spring of 1875.

One of his statements is that the real battle of the Adobe Walls occurred in 1864, when a force of United States soldiers, under Kit Carson, successfully routed the redskins, although outnumbered ten to one. That was the real battle he reiterates, and not the attack by 200 Indians in June, 1874, on twenty-eight buffalo hunters and traders, although the latter scrimmage was a warm affair.

Mr. Crane's paper tells the story of the buffalo that once teemed on Texas' plains and now is a rarity. The paper follows:

History is defined to be "The recorded events of the past, that branch of science which is occupied with ascertaining and recording the facts of the past."

History deals with facts, and history can only be reliable where it is written by persons not interested in the outcome of the treatment to be given men or events dealt with.

Propaganda Versus Facts

What we now call propaganda is and has been too often mistaken for historical facts. There is no doubt but that much of what goes as history would have been differently recorded if the writer had had access to the facts or had not mistaken propaganda for facts.

So far little attention has been paid to the facts of having to do with the history of West Texas, while every phase of the history of the older portions of the State have been dealt with, the period before the war between the States over and over again, and it has become evident that those of us living in West Texas must be the ones to search for the facts which will make our history known, not in a sectional spirit, but to the end that our history, which is a part of that of Texas as a whole, may be made known to its own people as well as the outside world. This section has a history all its own, just as fascinating and colorful as any other part of Texas.

If we wish to look into the facts of a period, to get anything like a correct perspective, we must have access to the facts. We can not get the perspective if we pick out a man of minor importance and build the narration of events to magnify his position. Nor can we get the correct perspective of a war or of a train of events by picking out one battle or isolated incident of minor importance if considered as a whole and studying that battle or incident only.

The time has come in West Texas when we have begun to derive for the facts of its history, for us to begin to place men and incidents in their proper light and perspective and view them as a whole.

In 1874-75 incidents and fighting occurred in the Plains section of Texas and the adjacent regions of Indian Territory (now Oklahoma), Kansas and New Mexico, which settled the Indian question for West Texas and thereby began its real history and laid the foundation for its settlement and development now so much in evidence.

Prosperity Follows War.

During the period mentioned at one time as many as 2,000 soldiers of the United States were in the field in West Texas under some of its very best officers, fighting hostile Indians and when they had finished their work West Texas was ready for the settler, and to all intents and purposes the State of Texas had an empire added to its domain, for prior to that time West Texas was given over to the red man and no settler dared to go west of the 100th meridian unless under the very guns of a fort.

Ten years prior to that time an all-day battle between the soldiers of the United States under the command of the noted frontiersman, Kit Carson, then a Colonel of New Mexico Volunteers, took place at the site of the original Adobe Walls in Hutchinson county, Texas, when Carson, leading about 250 men out of his total force of 321 soldiers and seventy-five friendly Indians, attacked a large force of Comanche

Prairie Apache and Kiowa Indians and only by the most heroic fighting and the use of two machine and the protection of the old walls was he able to avoid annihilation. For the Indians brought into action against him the largest number which has ever been brought into battle west of the Mississippi River, their number being estimated as high as 3,000.

During the summer and fall of 1864, while the war between the States was at its bloodiest, these Indians had been depredateing extensively in Kansas, Colorado and New Mexico, especially on travelers on the Old Santa Fe Trail. In the fall Col. Carson was ordered to fit out an expedition against them at Fort Bascom, on the Canadian River in Eastern New Mexico. With 321 men, about seventy-five friendly Indians and his wagon train, he traveled down the Canadian River for about 200 miles. It was understood that the Indians were camped at Adobe Walls. Leaving his camp and supplies fifteen miles behind under guard, with 246 men, he attacked an Indian village at Adobe Walls, captured the village and about 200 of their lodges, but in turn was surprised and counter attacked by a much larger force of Indians from other villages down the river. The Indians were well equipped and fought hard. The fight lasted from early morning until nightfall. Carson was surrounded and had to fight in the open, except for the slight protection afforded to some of his cavalry horses by the old Walls. He was outnumbered about ten to one, but he managed to make it a drawn battle, drove off the Indians with 21 casualties, one soldier and two Indians killed and eighteen wounded. Not being in position to pursue the hostile Indians, he returned to Fort Bascom and called for 700 more men to finish his work. But they were not furnished and there the incident was closed. The Indians lost about sixty killed and wounded.

Real Battle Recalled

That was the Battle of Adobe Walls, and not the attack by 200 Indians in June 1874, near the same place, on twenty-eight buffalo hunters and traders.

The original Adobe Walls had been built prior to 1840 by the Bents Fort People at the request of the Indians because the tribes in that vicinity were not then on good terms with the other Indians located in the region of Bents Fort, on the Arkansas. The Indians, however, patched up their differences and the Adobe Walls Fort, as it was called, was abandoned after a few years, although the same people put in several trading posts up on the Canadian.

In the spring of 1874, the Comanche, Kiowa Cheyenne and Arapahoe Indians were restless in their reservations in Indian Territory. The government was but silly taking care of them, probably sufficient in itself to make them restless. But in addition, the slaughter of the buffalo was in full swing. The discovery had been made that the hide of the buffalo had a commercial value, and these animals were being killed by the wholesale. Over 4,000,000 buffalo were slaughtered 1872-73 and 1874 in the regions north of Texas to say nothing of the thousands that were killed in Texas.

The buffalo furnished food, clothing and shelter for the Indian and from time immemorial they had depended on the buffalo for these articles. Therefore the pressing of settlers in the middle West on their reservations and the construction of

several railroads and the consequent cutting up of the decreasing buffalo herds, all made them more restless.

By treaty the Plains and Panhandle region of Texas were set aside to the Kiowa and other Indians for hunting grounds in about 1864.

Prior to 1874 they had had express agreements with the United States Government officials that the Arkansas River should be the dead line for buffalo hunting and that the white man must not hunt the buffalo south of that river.

Under these circumstances, a lot of buffalo hunters and several post traders at Dodge City, Kan., seeing that the buffaloes were getting scarce around that region, sent an emissary into the Panhandle of Texas to investigate hunting conditions. Word came back that hunting was good and fifty men, with thirty wagons, located a camp about a mile from the original Adobe Walls carrying with them goods for a store (a second one coming a little later), a blacksmith shop and a saloon. Buildings were erected and business opened up. Guns and ammunition were carried in stock and the post traders bought the buffalo hides and freight

wagons frequently plied back and forth to Dodge City. Buffalo camps were dotted all over the Panhandle, many other buffalo hunters quickly following the establishments of the post traders at Adobe Walls.

Determine on Warpath

The coming of these people was actuated solely by love of adventure and the commercial instinct of making money out of the buffalo hide industry. They were not settlers and had no thought of the future or of what possibility that settlers would ever locate in that region.

They well knew when they crossed the Arkansas river that they were crossing the dead line; that they were violating treaty obligations of their government made with the Indians; that they had no right to go and that in going they were absolutely taking their lives in their own hands. Notwithstanding all this, as stated, they went into the Indians hunting grounds.

(Continued Next Week.)

Hats cleaned and blocked and re-trimmed to look like new. Phone 183. Klassy Kleaner.



CAKES OF COOL HEALTH FOR HUMID SUMMER DAYS

Every time a Morgan Ice Man announces his arrival, you are assured of an avalanche of health bringing, food cooling cakes of pure and wholesome ice. Our Ice is a health insurance policy for you.

W. R. Morgan & Son
ICE AND COAL

COOK'S

E & D House Paint
GUARANTEED

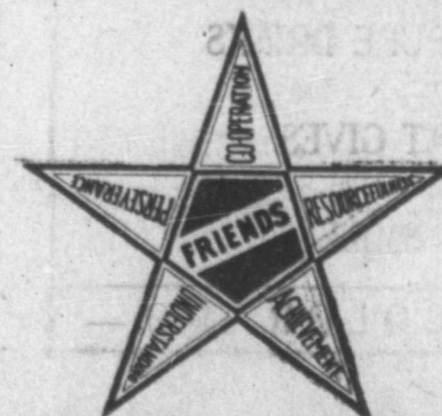


WHAT could be fairer than this guarantee of Cook's E & D House Paint:

"Cook's E & D House Paint is guaranteed to be the most economical and durable paint for all general exterior painting. If satisfactory results are not obtained, we agree to furnish sufficient material FREE to repaint the job in question."

If you are looking for an economical paint job—economical by the gallon—economical measured by years of wear—then choose Cook's E & D House Paint—the paint with the guarantee.

W. L. DOSS, Druggist.



Three Fundamental Factors

go to make up the ideal bank relation—

This bank prides itself upon maintaining this relation with its depositors.

Take advantage of these three important factors, by opening an account at this bank.

The City National Bank
Colorado, Texas

LAW VIOLATORS FLAYED BY SPEAKER AT LEGION RALLY

Sweetwater, Texas, June 1—A packed house Sunday afternoon heard James L. Rayburn flay the bootlegger, "the greatest menace to the safety of our nation," attack the lawyer whose practice is to obtain freedom for violators of the liquor

law, and describe the "sob sisters" who meet the criminals at the prison gates and start working for a pardon. In the great evangelist address which featured the Memorial Day program under the auspices of the Oscar McDonald Post, American Legion at the First Christian church. In one of the most forceful addresses

ever heard in Sweetwater on a Memorial Day program. Rayburn urged living deeds rather than flowers and eulogies for the war dead.

"Flowers wither and fade, and eulogies are forgotten," the speaker said. "It is rather by living deeds that we may carry on for the principles and ideals for which they died."

At the beginning of his address, Rayburn stressed the blessing of being an American, the privilege of being born in so great a country and declared that he "would rather be an American than anything else in the world." Rayburn briefly outlined the greatness of the nation and of the state of Texas; the opportunity that waits all persons born in America; the chances of rising to fame and greatness under the Stars and Stripes "regardless of who your grandfather was."

The principle of Americanism on which so great a nation was founded has led the United States to victory in wars, he said, has been the secret of the greatness of the nation, and has been the ideal for the men, since the first great war for freedom, have suffered and bled and died for it. It was for freedom and for the continued happiness and honor of being an American born that the men "whose memory we are honoring today, and who lie buried beneath French soil and in cemeteries in our own country, fought, and died."

Their deaths will have been in vain Rayburn declared, if this nation continues trampling underfoot, the constitution and amendments and laws upon which it was founded.

With applause and cheers punctuating his forceful address in which he hurled home truth after truth, the speaker began an attack on the law violators, and especially the bootleggers, whom he declared were the greatest destruction force with which the nation has to contend. The case with which justice is defeated by the criminal was pointed out.

"The man who spits or tramples upon that flag," Rayburn declared, pointing at the Stars and Stripes carried by a member of the Legion as color bearer, "will get into trouble."

"Yet, that is done every day by the law violators, and by those who make light of the nation's laws, laughs at the violations. The man who sells whiskey and the man who buys it is spitting on that flag," he shouted and a thunderous applause rocked the house.

"The men whose memory we are honoring today will have died in vain if we fail to carry on the principles for which they died. This nation is doomed to destruction when our laws mean so little, are laughed at, and when criminals so often go free."

The speaker said little but implied much when he said "back in the old days in my state, horse stealing got so bad that a man couldn't keep a team of horses or mules. Finally a few hangings were started, and when 12 or 15 horse thieves were hanged, the trouble stopped. They were hanged first and tried afterward. They had the trial just before the funerals."

Rayburn flayed the "idle rich," which he declared was another menace to the nation. He attacked lawyers and so called alienists, and declared that justice now amounts to just about who has the keenest minded lawyer, the quickest witted attorney.

Solemnly and earnestly, Rayburn

closed his address with a glorious tribute to the war heroes who died in khaki, to the survivors of the great struggle who sat before him in section of seats reserved for ex-service men and members of the American Legion. And at all times, the great minister had the rapt attention of the hundreds of people in the audience and his address was interrupted only by the numerous volleys of applause that greeted the frankly stated truths he spoke straight from the shoulder.

Make money taking magazine subscriptions. Full information and confidential catalog on application. Sunset Subscription Bureau, the largest subscription agency west of Chicago (owned and operated by Sunset magazine) 460 Fourth Street, San Francisco.

\$1000 For the Essex Coach Delivered in Colorado. Price Auto Company, Distributors.

LONGFELLOW NEWS

My! Wasn't the rain fine last Friday night. It will soon be time to swing a hoe and kill a few weeds.

Mr. Forrest James of Oklahoma City and Miss Ermie Westbrook of Hamlin visited in the home of their uncle Mr. T. H. Westbrook, last Thursday and Friday. Mr. Westbrook returned for a few days visit with his father and mother.

Little Miss Clara Mae Odom returned home Friday after a three weeks visit with the Westbrooks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Felts and family, attended church at town Sunday night.

Miss Alice Spaulding of town spent Sunday night with Miss Nellie Smith Messrs. Van Lloyd and Melain Westbrook and Misses Edyth Robinson and Ola Westbrook attended a party Saturday night given by Miss Cora Madison near Cuthbert.

Miss Edyth Robinson of south of Loraine visited in the home of her aunt, Mrs. T. H. Westbrook from Friday until Sunday.

The party at Mr. Webb's was a success Friday night. Everybody seemed to have enjoyed themselves very much. We hope they give us another party soon.

Mr. Oscar Watlington of Andrews County is working for Mr. Smith and visiting his sister Mrs. Kay McCauley.

SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Colorado, Texas.

That a special City Election be held at the City Hall in the City of Colorado, Texas, Tuesday the 16th day of June 1925, for the purpose of electing a Alderman for said City of Colorado, to fill out the un-expired term of A. B. Blanks, resigned.

The following named persons hereby appointed Managers of said Election.

- J. D. Harrell, Judge.
- J. C. Pritchett, Judge.
- H. E. Grantland, Clerk.
- John T. Smith, Clerk.

Said election shall be held in the manner prescribed by law for holding General Election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause notice of the election to be posted at the City Hall and at one public place in each of the voting places of the City of Colorado for at least Ten (10) full days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized to have said election published in some newspaper of general circulation in said City and not less than Ten (10) days prior to the date of said election.

R. H. LOONEY, Mayor of the City of Colorado, Tex. ATTEST:— L. A. COSAIN, City Secretary.

OIL NEWS

At the Hall-Northrup well the drill is going past 1270 feet. Good progress is being made at this prospect. The Sloan Well is straight reaming past 1830 feet.

The Reynolds Well is now down below the 1500-foot level. Everything is going nicely at this well.

The drill of the Kanawha Angelo Oil company Clark no 1 is now past 1415 feet. Good progress is being made here.

The crew at the Mims Well has drilled past 2940 feet. Rapid progress is being made at this well.

The machinery and material for the Hardy Well in the C. C. Reynolds Cedar Hill pasture 13 miles northwest of here is being assembled on the ground. We learn that the rig builders will soon have this prospect ready to spud in.

The Wrightsman people have made good headway this week toward getting ready to spud in on their location on the F. G. Howard survey in W. L. Foster's pasture southwest of town. J. R. Whitmire is drilling a water well. A cellar and slush pit are being dug. A good road is being built to the location and things put in readiness for the rig builder. This

site is on a swell about 320 feet higher than Starling City.

Preparations are going forward to resume drilling at the Hull Well. A careful survey of the land on which this well is located is being made by the county surveyor.

Durham Well No. 2 was cleaned out the first of the week and will again be put on the pump. Drilling at Durham No. 1 has been held up for the last day or two pending the

arrival of new drilling cable and a string of six inch casing. Drilling will be resumed as soon as these arrive, which we were told would only be a day or two. We have it on good authority that two more wells will be drilled in the vicinity of the Durham Wells in the near future.

Everything is doing nicely at the Douthitt Well. The Merriweather boys are still making a hole.—Sterling City News-Record.

J. B. Pritchett Tin Shop

Phone 143

Tanks, Gutter, Galvanized Well Caseing, Flues, Stove Pipe, Roof Work, Nickle Zinc for Cabinets and Tables.

ALL KINDS OF SHEET METAL WORK

Call Me--J. A. Sadler

For Good Gulf Gasoline—there is More Power Supreme Auto Oil—Leaves Less Carbon Lusterite—Makes a Brighter Light.

PHONE 154

MAGNOLIA PETROLEUM CO.

R. E. BEAL, Agent

Magnolia Gasoline and Kerosene

MAGNOLENE THE DEPENDABLE LUBRICANT "A Grade for Each Condition"

Prompt Delivery in Wholesale Quantities.

Phone 232—You Cant Go Wrong

SATISFY THAT "URGE"

Tacked away among the ambitions of every normal man is the desire to BUILD a HOME of his own. And it is at this time of the year—when others are building—that the urge becomes greatest. Our great ambition is to HELP others fulfill their hopes for homes and improvements.

Rockwell Bros. & Company Lumbermen

TIN SHOP

Tanks, Gutter, Flue, and any kind of repair work

Also GARLAND Hot Air Heating System

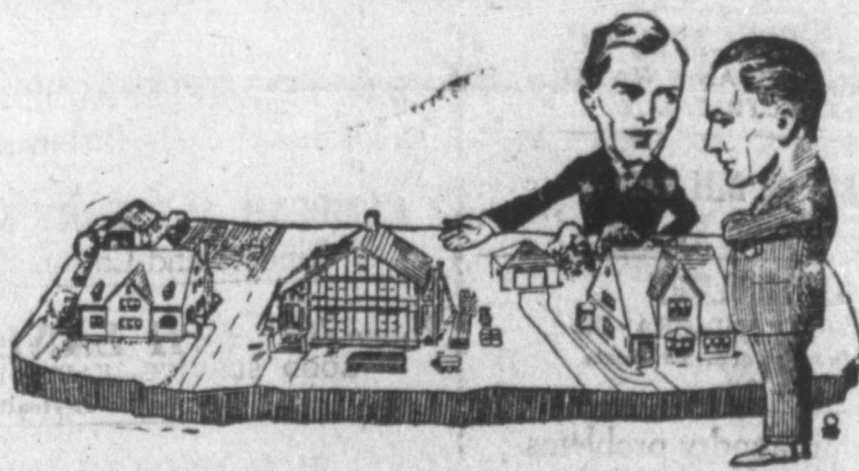
ROOF PAINT

—See—

B. W. SCOTT

Prompt Service

Phone 409



THE WAY TO INDEPENDENCE

A Deed to Your Own Home

You Can't Go Wrong With Berry-Fee Lumber

LET US FIGURE YOUR BILL

BERRY-FEE LUMBER CO.

Telephone 4

Colorado, Texas

The week-end visitor who comes to this store will appreciate the values we offer on quality Groceries. Note the prices and come Friday and Saturday.

Everybody else trades here, why not you.

Broadus & Son

Avery Implements

All kinds of Plows, Sweeps, Plow Points, Planters, Cultivators and Parts.

Racket Store Goods

BIGGEST AND BEST LINE OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES

R. L. McMURRY

PHONE 284

BURTON-LINGO COMPANY

Lumber and Wire

See us about your next bill of lumber.

We can save you some money.

Colorado, Texas

R. B. TERRELL

Dealer In

Windmills, Pipe, Pipe Fittings, and Plumbing Goods

PHONE NO. 405

Colorado, Texas

Colorado has spent \$400,000 for You!

Has spent it in better streets, better civic improvements, better schools, better homes, better places of business—better everything than any previous generation ever enjoyed.




Summing it up—it presents the big difference between the home spent dollar and the dollar spent elsewhere

Life becomes more and more interwoven—interdependent—The dollar spent in Colorado today keeps on working in Colorado—eventually working its way back to you—in profits—in wages—in improvements—in any one of a hundred different ways. But how about the dollar you spent away from Colorado—it purchases no more and usually less than it would at home—and it ceases forever as an active factor in your greater comfort and well being.

Every dollar spent in Colorado is a cooperative dollar. Every dollar spent out of Colorado is a disinterested dollar.

Give this thought the serious consideration it deserves. Support people who support you. Be loyal to those who are loyal to you



| | | | |
|---|---|--|---|
| <p>PULLMAN CAFE Serves the Best Meal in town for 50c. THE TERRYS</p> | <p>J. L. PIDGEON, Garage. Tourist Headquarters, Real Service Storage and Battery service.</p> | <p>BILLS CAFE SPECIAL SUDANY DINNERS Service with a smile</p> | <p> THE BEST</p> |
| <p>DODGE GARAGE Dealers in Dodge Bros. Cars and Graham Bros. Trucks, Tires Tubes Accessories. Hart Bros., Props.</p> | <p>KLASSY KLEANER Scientific, Sanitary and Expert Dry Cleaning and Pressing</p> | <p>F. H. STRONG Contractor and Builder Estimates Furnished</p> | <p>R. L. SPALDING ICE Phone 149</p> |
| <p>CITY NATIONAL BANK The People's Bank—Strong and efficient.</p> | <p>SMITH & BAKER, BUICK GARAGE Automobile Repair Work, Welding, Battery and Electrical Work. Buy Good Gulf Gas at the Buick Garage</p> | <p> Barcroft Hotel Colorado, Texas EUROPEAN PLAN AMERICAN PLAN</p> | <p>COLORADO NATIONAL BANK Strong Bank that is Strong for Colorado Bank with us.</p> |
| <p>That Good Gulf Gasoline J. A. SADLER, Agent</p> | <p>COLORADO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE For any information about Colorado or Mitchell County write W. S. COOPER, Secretary</p> | <p>DR. R. E. LEE PHYSICIAN Office City National Bank Bldg.</p> | <p>HURD'S BLUE RIBBON BREAD Nuf sed</p> |
| <p>F. M. BURNS DRY GOODS CO. Quality Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, etc.</p> | <p>COLORADO LIONS CLUB If you want to know anything about Colo- rado or Mitchell County write or see E. H. Winn, Pres. W. W. Whipkey, Sec.</p> | <p>WEST TEXAS ELECTRIC CO. DO YOUR COOKING AND WATER HEATING ELECTRICALLY</p> | <p>S.W. BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY.. Local and Long Distance—Use it</p> |
| <p>COLORADO SANITARIUM C. L. ROOT, Chief Surgeon MISS NELL GUEST, R. N., Supt.</p> | <p>WEST TEXAS REFINING & DEV. CO. WESTEX ANTI-KNOCK GASOLINE</p> | <p>WILLIAMS & MILLER Ginners—Cotton Buyers</p> | <p>LAMBETH, McCLEARY & GRUBBS Ginners and Cotton Buyers</p> |
| <p>COLORADO BARGAIN HOUSE READY-TO-WEAR, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, DRY GOODS OF ALL KINDS. WE PLEASE OUR CUSTOMERS</p> | <p>GRUBBS BROKERAGE COMPANY General Brokerage Business CITY NATIONAL BANK BLDG.</p> | <p>O. O. SHURTLEFF COLORADO SAND AND GRAVEL Pierce Petroleum Corp. Products Pennant Oils</p> | <p>Phone 76 C. H. LANE Masseur GOOD SERVICE—FAIR DEALINGS Yours for Better Health</p> |
| <p>T. C. RICHARDSON & SONS Successor to Lambeth—Lambeth Brick Gin Bldg Purina Chows—Chicken Feeds</p> | <p>TEXHOMA OIL & REFINING CO. C. R. EARNEST, Agent AMALIE 100 PER CT. PURE PENNSYLVANIA MOTOR OIL</p> | <p>Let us solve your laundry problems COLORADO STEAM LAUNDRY J. RALPH LEE, Manager</p> | <p>W. R. MORGAN AND SON Coal and Ice We want to serve you</p> |
| <p>COCA COLA BOTTLING CO.  BUY IT BY THE CASE</p> | <p>BROADDUS AND SON Good Groceries</p> | <p>WOMACK & NEFF Vulcanizing Auto Accessories and Tires</p> | <p>L. B. ELLIOTT GENERAL INSURANCE. Let us Protect You and Your Property</p> |
| <p>POND & MERRITT Fine Clothes For Men CLEANING, PRESSING, TAILORING</p> | <p>J. H. GREENE & COMPANY Buy Mans Togs from a mans store</p> | <p>PRICE BROTHERS Hardware and Implements</p> | <p>TOLER MOTOR COMPANY Maxwell and Chrysler Automobiles Let Us Explain our Easy payment Plan</p> |
| <p>THE PALACE THEATRE Clean, Wholesome Amusement The Theatre Worthwhile</p> | | <p>COLORADO DRUG COMPANY If we dont have we will get it</p> | <p>A. J. HERRINGTON Lincoln—FORD—Fordson Service is our motto</p> |
| | | <p>\$1460 FOR THE HUDSON COACH Delivered in Colorado</p> | <p>MISSION THEATRE The Biggest Little Show in West Texas</p> |
| | | <p>PRICE AUTO COMPANY</p> | |

per
Sun
even
pal
old
love
dow
the
rigid
Co
Chie
offic
auth
filed
that
rigid
were
ed by
endor
Au
of to
dent
arm
other
main
out th
was n
Loc
miss
cigaret
heretof
a conv
tionery
forem
decla
of a sh
become
and arr
line, ci
on the
same as
and dry
Color
county,
Sunday,
morning
the Sun
ed just
drive to
drafted
county.
After
laws pas
are to b
may be s
This mea
the last
of Color
along with
or passin
be denie
the gas t
ANNUAL
PAR
The Na
ials and w
America,
week, wa
ful and I
year, acc
of Color
Trail Cou
district at
Elliott sp
meeting.
The sco
ly to this
the Lions
Rayburn,
spoke to
stressing
manhood
FOUNDER
HERE
Mrs. S.
The Reco
tive to the
Methodist
1884, in v
church wa
small supe
Annis, pres
com J. K.
nis says:
"Saw yo
modeling o
in your city
ed that The
Rev. J. L.
of the Abi
Bascom J. I
at Colorado
There is a
in the chu
look in Col