

LANE ADVISES COUNTY NOT KEEP SCHOOL LAND

To the Colorado Record:
I was sent to Presidio County by Commissioners' Court to make inspection of four leagues of land known as Mitchell county school land that was sold several years ago to Ben S. Van Tuyl and others, and on which Mitchell county still has a lien.
In making the trip I left San Angelo on Tuesday morning, the 21st and arrived in Marfa the same day. Passed through Big Lake oil field, which has the ear marks of a real oil field. As one can see 70 derricks in one group. I found the country between Mitchell county and Big Lake to be in fine shape as to range conditions, although in need of rain to keep it going. From Big Lake to Ft. Stockton the country looked as though the water wagon had found another route especially west of the Pecos River. Through this stretch of country the writer inhaled enough alkali dirt to build an adobe wall and our eyes were becoming over lubricated from looking at grease wood brush. At Ft. Stockton I was pleased to note the beautiful crops that are growing under the ditch. Their cotton looked about like the best fields of Mitchell county and they have a fine lot of alfalfa farms also. About 7,000 acres are under irrigation from the two springs at that place. From Ft. Stockton to Marathon range conditions were a little better and the balance of the trip to Marfa was made after night. On the following morning I met Sheriff Vaughn of Presidio county who introduced me to the Mayor of Marfa (Mr. John Humphries). I immediately exposed my line to him and I found that he also carried a good line, so we hooked up together and headed south 50 miles to take a look at Mitchell county's selection of four leagues of land in Presidio county, and so far as I can find out no other county has ever tried to run under us and try to get off with our holdings down there. This land runs down in about 12 miles of the border and is made up of hills and mountains and some larger ones. I wish to say right here if it had not been that we were compelled to come down every time we bounced up while driving over this land you could not have reached us by radio. Of course we all hate to think this good looking land passed from our hands at 50c per acre, but I am a strong believer in sticking to good and bad deals alike and I say LET HER STAY SOLD.
By this time I was beginning to get thirsty and after a lot of coaxing the mayor agreed to take me to the river, which we crossed in a home made canoe and in a few minutes we had climbed to the top of a mesa where stands the little town of Atajinaga, Mexico. There we met Gen. Octavio Galindo, Lt. Col. Alfredo Garza Castillo, Mayor Carlos F. Acevedo and a number of other Mexican officials. We helped them turn the town over to us and we all had a big time and only regretted when it was time to say good-bye.
The return home was mostly a night drive and outside of being held up by an immigration officer, we landed back to Marfa in good shape and as you all know there isn't one officer in a dozen that carries a stomach pump so we got by him all O. K. On the following day, after getting a little date for our County Judge, I set sail for home via Ft. Stockton and Monahans and down the Bankhead, through the Istan Flat. I was stopped and examined for worms at Odessa, and not knowing that they had a quarantine line at that place against pink boll worms I gave the officer in charge a chase of about ten blocks. You see the fellow ran out and said Stop. We'd have to look you over for pink boll worms and I thought he said he was going to doctor this guy for worms and so he had a perfectly hard time getting close enough to explain what he was going to do. I never saw any crops or grass land on the whole trip that will out measure Mitchell county.
J. D. LANE.

SNYDER PAVING HIGHWAY WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS

The city of Snyder is resurfacing with gravel Highway No. 7 within the city limits. This work is being done to prepare for a coat of asphalt and gravel by the State Highway Department.
There is a fraction over two miles of this highway within the city limits and the resurfacing will cost the city approximately \$5,000, according to City Alderman F. G. Sears.
Before the gravel is placed the city government makes water extensions at each street intersection to the property line, in that section of the city where the city water is not now being used. Sewer extensions are being made only where property owners of that immediate section desire them. The city council believes that this will preclude the necessity of having to tear up the roadbed later to place the extensions.
This extension work will cost the city and property owners approximately \$1,000, according to Water and Sewer Superintendent D. P. Yoder.

F. M. BURNS DRY GOODS COMPANY OPENS BIG SALE

Somebody has said "there is nothing new under the sun" but there is something new; Daddy Burns putting on a sale, a sure enough honest-to-goodness bargain giving sale. Mr. Burns has been continuously in business in Colorado for 43 years (an average lifetime) and is perhaps the best known merchant west of Fort Worth and in all these years this is the first real, genuine low price sale he has ever made, and the bargains offered are sure enough real bargains as you will attest when you turn and read the F. M. Burns Dry Goods Company ad in this weeks Record.
This sale is put on primarily to remove the summer goods and to make room for the winter goods soon to arrive. You may call it a stock reduction sale, or just a sale, but one thing to bear in mind is that it is an honest cut price sale. It is a well established fact and well known that the Burns Dry Goods Co. handle and keep in stock only nationally advertised standard brands of merchandise such as, Stetson and Torrey Brand shoes, Hawk Brand overalls, Manhattan shirts, Lion hats, Kuppenheimer clothing, and standard brands of ready-to-wear.
No cheap shoddy stuff is thrown out on the counters as a bait to deceive. Mr. Burns never in his life advertised an article that he could not stand behind and it is so with this sale and it is well known that Mr. Burns word in this sale or any other time can absolutely be depended on. Read the big two page ad in this paper this week and you will see that this is a real sale.

AUGUST SESSION COUNTY COURT OPENS AUGUST 6

Regular term of the Mitchell County Court will convene Monday, August 6, with Judge C. C. Thompson presiding. Docket for the term is light and it is expected that no business of unusual nature will come before the court.

EPISCOPAL CHURCHES TO HAVE NEW RECTOR

The Rev. Frank Stedman of Cisco will arrive soon to take up his duties as Rector of the Episcopal Churches at Colorado and Big Spring. Rev. Stedman is well known among the church people here and at Big Spring as he was recently stationed in the District of North Texas.
He will make his residence in Big Spring. He plans to hold services in Colorado for the first time on August 9.

Miss Martha Earnest leaves Saturday for Denver, Estes Park, Colorado Springs, and other points.

IMPORTANT FACTORS IN SUCCESS PUBLIC SCHOOL

(By R. B. Norman.)
There are five prime factors that go to make up a successful school. These are patrons, board of education, students, teachers and the superintendent. There is no need to quibble as to which of these five are most essential to the progress of the schools. A school is like a large industry with its executive head, the superintendent; its board of education, the trustees; its buyers, the patrons; its subordinate officials, the teachers; and its many employees, the students. This comparison can be carried out in detail and it can be shown that the business of teaching school is the largest of all big business in many respects. For instance, the running expense is 2,000,000,000 annually, the number of employees, a score or more of millions; the number of officials, a quarter of a million; the amount invested in plants, several billions; and greatest of all is the importance of the product turned out.
The public school is the best well known example of a pure democracy. It is the great leveller of all social castes. Children of the rich, and of the poor have the same opportunities. The great, the near great, and the small sit down to the same table. And, be it said to the credit of the American people that we have scarcely known an American to resent this melting-pot arrangement. This great industry, the public school, is administered on democratic principles. It is like a representative democracy in that the board of education is elected by popular vote to formulate the policies of the school to administer its finances, and to appoint subordinate officials. Moreover, every patron as well as every employee is a stockholder in this plant which aims to produce citizens. Patrons support it with funds in the form of taxes, with their life blood in the form of children, and, in most cases, with moral support.
Back to the analogy and to the relative importance of the factors. We shall use a principle of mathematics to illustrate the relative importance of the factors. $2 \times 4 \times 6 \times 8 \times 0$ equals 0. Or, it matters not how many integers we may multiply, if the last of those is 0 the equation is reduced to an equivalent of zero. Now, we care not how well any four of these factors may function in attempting to put over a great school program, if one factor fails to play its part, or plays the role of zero in the equation, the whole program will result in zero—nothing. If all the factors could have this truth forcibly and indelibly impressed upon their conscious selves we should have little apprehension as to the success of our public schools in producing citizens trained to meet all the duties, responsibilities, and privileges of citizenship. The writer is always pleased to hear patrons speak of the public schools as "our schools." Not in the sense of becoming meddlesome in offering too many suggestions as to how to conduct the schools, but in the sense of feeling a deep responsibility for the character of schools we have. Any industry, corporation, or big business has its executive head and board of directors for the purpose of ordering the policies of the business. It would be mere presumption for an employee to attempt to dictate to the directors as is sometimes carelessly done in the school business.

Let us first discuss somewhat the work of the patron in promoting the school. What does the patron owe to the school and what does the school owe the patron in return?
We would say briefly that the school owes the patron a well-rounded prospective citizen, strong in hand, head and heart. The patron owes financial support. In some communities the education of the children costs as high as two per cent of the capital stock of an individual and in addition a large per cent of his dividends on his capital invested. Using

W. J. BRYAN, GREAT LEADER HAS PASSED TO HIS REWARD

William Jennings Bryan is dead. The end came for the Great Commoner as he lay peacefully sleeping Sunday afternoon. No one was with him when he died.
Bryan, who had come to Dayton three weeks ago to attend the Scopes trial, had spent Saturday at Winchester and Chattanooga, coming here by automobile Sunday morning. At 11 o'clock he attended services at the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He led in prayer and after the benediction went to the home of Mrs. Richard Rogers where he and Mrs. Bryan have been making their home since coming to Dayton.
The dinner hour was spent with Mrs. Bryan. There were no guests at dinner. Bryan ate with relish, then retired to his room to rest.
The exact hour when death came is not known. Mrs. Stevens, the nurse who is constantly with Mrs. Bryan who for years has been an invalid, passed through Bryan's room at 4 o'clock. She noticed a strange pallor on his face. She bent over him. He was dead.

Dr. C. A. Boyles and Dr. W. F. Thomason, physicians of Dayton, were summoned. They expressed the belief that Mr. Bryan had been dead from a half to three quarters of an hour when he was found by Mrs. Stevens. A hasty examination disclosed that heart disease had probably been the cause of death.

Mrs. Bryan was self-possessed when told that the end had come for her illustrious husband. A sob, a tear, then she took charge of the situation. She addressed messages to their son and daughter, telling of their father's death. The news spread over the village and countryside. The people of Dayton loved Bryan. He stood as the champion of their cause in the battle of modernism and fundamentalism. He stood as a champion of their political affiliations, for most of these people are Democrats—and most of the men of the older generation had voted for Mr. Bryan in his free silver campaign for the presidency.

Bryan went to Chattanooga Saturday to have printed the address he had expected to make before the jury in the Scopes trial. He had not been able to make the address because of the sudden termination of the trial. The address was a defense of the fundamentalists.

Saturday, before going to Chattanooga, Bryan had delivered an address at Winchester, Tenn. He spent Saturday night with A. W. Lesley, owner of the Ross Hotel and they motored to Dayton Sunday morning. Bryan was cheerful and enthusiastic over the prospect of his latest lecture which he was scheduled to deliver tomorrow. It was entitled: "What can I do with Jesus?"

"Mr. Bryan prayed fervently at Church this morning," said F. E. Robertson, who attended church with Mr. Bryan this morning. "He appeared to enjoy the services and went home saying he would have dinner with his wife and spend the afternoon resting quietly."

William Jennings Bryan, pioneer exponent of prohibition and leader in the movement for world peace, was a central figure in American public life for many years.

Long before the reform was seriously thought a possibility Bryan advocated prohibition. In every democratic convention from 1896 he fought unsuccessfully for the inclusion of a "dry" plank in the platform. He lectured on the subject in every state in the union. Since 1918 Bryan was president of the National Dry Federation.

When his aim was accomplished Bryan devoted his attention to insistence on enforcement of the Volstead law, and in public addresses looked forward to world prohibition. Bryan's public career began with two terms in the House of Representatives. Twice he was defeated for Senator and three times he was the unsuccessful Democratic presidential candidate. He was Secretary of

AUTHORITIES SAY MUST CLOSE MUFFLER CUTOUTS

Sheriff I. W. Terry and County Attorney R. H. Ratliff announced Monday morning that the new cut-out law, which prohibits the use of muffler cut-outs on automobiles, is now in effect and that they would enforce the law in this county. Ratliff stated that violators would be arrested in accordance with terms of the law. The law provides that all motor vehicles must have mufflers attached and where a cut-out is attached thereto, same must be disconnected so as to be beyond usage. Penalty for violation of this law is a fine of from \$10 to \$100, ten days in jail or both, upon conviction, and each day a motor vehicle is operated with a cut-out constitutes a separate offence. The officers say they want to give ample warning that violators will be punished, and if you have a car with a cut-out, or without a muffler, you had better get busy at once, for these officials mean business, when they say they will enforce this law.

COLORADO CITIZEN IN SERIOUS AUTO WRECK

M. S. Goldman, wife and daughter, sustained painful bruises and very nearly incurred serious consequences while returning from Wichita Falls last Friday night. They were driving home in their coupe about 11 P. M. and just east of Bomarton in Baylor county, they suddenly dove up to an excavation for a bridge which was left without any sign or warning. They drove into a ditch ten feet deep, the car turning completely upside down. Fortunately, the top held the weight of the car, and enabled them to escape from it with only painful bruises.

A group of baseball players coming from the opposite direction saw the accident and rushing up, assisted Goldman and his family from the wreck and took them back to Seymour where their wounds were dressed. They left the car and came home in a service car.

Mr. Goldman was injured on the jaw, forehead and shoulder which, while painful, is not serious. Mrs. Goldman and Jimmie Lou were slightly injured. It is marvelous that either escaped without greater injury.

With the tremendous traffic over the roads at this season of the year, and so many tourists who are unacquainted with the roads, greater care should be exercised by the crews in charge of the construction work in providing proper signs indicating danger. Neglect of this is nothing short of criminal.

State in President Wilson's cabinet two years.

Until Woodrow Wilson appeared on the political horizon, there was no Democratic leader in the last decade who had so large a personal following.

Bryan's doctrines were frequently assailed as unsound and his reasoning murky, but his democracy, courage, and honesty were never challenged.

Until he was Secretary of State, Bryan never had a real opportunity to put his policies into effect, and then with the United States threatening to have war with the Central Powers, he quit the cabinet June 9, 1915, because he disagreed with a note President Wilson had prepared for transmission to Germany. He disappeared of its harshness.

As Secretary of State he had negotiated 30 treaties with foreign nations representing three-quarters of the population of the earth, providing for a thorough investigation of all disputes prior to declarations of war.

Bryan held the policy of preparedness as a preventive for war was a false philosophy which had "converted Europe into a slaughter house." He said there were two systems, the old, based upon brute force, and the new based upon investigation and mediation of international disputes.

RECENT OIL DEVELOPMENT IN WEST TEXAS FIELDS

The rig over the new location on Section 88, Blk. 29, in the Hayrick pasture over the line in Howard county is being rapidly assembled. Case & Hoover, drilling contractors for this well say that no time will be lost in starting the drill.

The Northup-Hall well 13 miles north of Sterling in the Spade pasture is around 3,000 feet in hard lime.

The drill at the Mims well 10 miles east of Sterling is still going in a very hard formation around 3,200 feet.

Casing was strung Tuesday in the Clark well on Section 6, G. C. 1/4 S. F. Ry. Co. in the Clark pasture at 3,052 feet. A report that the pay sand had been reached in this well created a lot of excitement among the people last Wednesday. Parties from Big Lake and other towns visited the well. Reports have it that there was ground for excitement because the drill had reached an oil showing, and that it was necessary to cut off the water before going deeper. The baller brought up a plentiful showing of oil but as the oil bearing sand had just been reached, none could tell what the results would be.

Drilling at the Hall well continues, reports have it that everything is going nicely at this prospect.

We failed to learn just where the new location was made in the Spade pasture this week. It was made by the Hall-Northup concern, but the exact place has not been made public yet.

The drill on Section 33, Blk. 22, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. in H. M. Mills' pasture about 11 miles southwest of Sterling is going on steadily. We learn that they expect to complete this well within the next sixty days.

Drilling is suspended at the Cedar Hill well 13 miles northwest of Sterling on account of water well trouble. A new well is being drilled and in next weeks report we hope to say this trouble has been overcome. They know that plenty of good water at a reasonable depth can be had, because the drill in the oil test passed through a fine stratum of water-bearing material.

The Magnolia Company's Mary Foster well on Section 17, Blk. 29, T. & P. Ry. Co. in W. L. Foster's pasture in Mitchell county, near Iatan is showing up fine. Reports have it that a good producer is almost assured. The company named this prospect for Mrs. W. L. Foster, Mary being her Christian name.

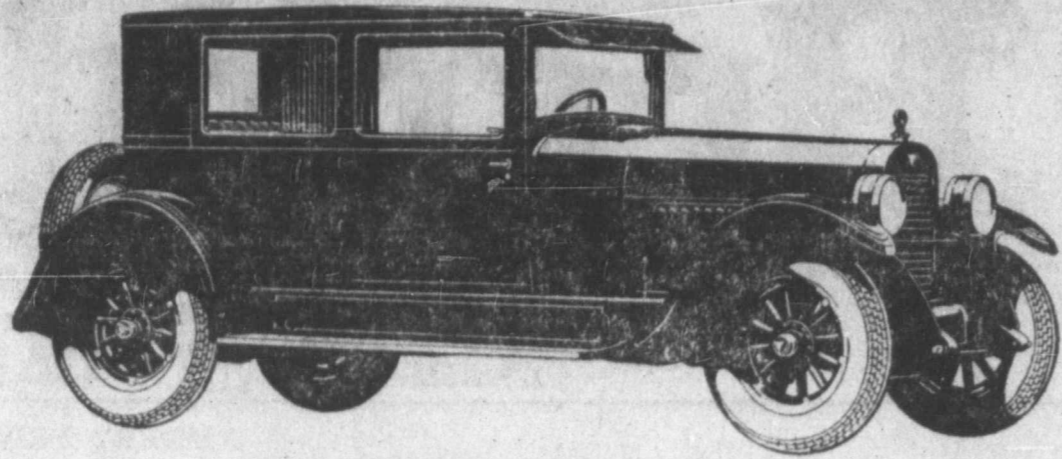
The latest well in the Big Lake field to come in a few days ago is pouring oil into the tank at the rate of 7,000 barrels per day. This field has in it the making of the greatest producer in the United States. Every week they are bringing in wells there that produce thousands of barrels of oil per day. It has been years since the first well was brought in. In spite of continuous production, we hear of no decrease in their output.

The fact that Sterling is so near this great field, the geologic structure so similar, and coupled with so many favorable oil showing in the various tests around Sterling, lead people to believe that another big oil field will be found near here. This accounts for the feverish activity in this vicinity.—Sterling City Record.

BRIDGE ON HACKBERRY CREEK COMPLETED SOON

County Commissioner A. A. Dorn stated Monday that the material for the bridge to be constructed across Hackberry Creek near the Hyman settlement, had been shipped on July 23 and is expected to arrive in Colorado this week and be placed on the ground. Construction work will go forward at once.

This bridge is to be located on a new road to Hyman, which intersects the Sterling City-Colorado road about four miles south of Beals Creek, and the bridge is to be about a half mile from the present Sterling City road. Hyman citizens are anxious to see completion of this bridge as it gives them a direct route to Colorado with a good road.



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New Price for HUDSON COACH (Was \$1345)

Today's Hudson Super-Six Coach costs less than half the price at which the open models have sold.

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PRICE AUTO CO.

"THE BOSS" WRITES FROM SAN ANTONIO THIS WEEK

After a most pleasant ten days camp in the beautiful Anderson Park it Lampasas we headed south and after a few days rest at Georgetown we landed in Breckenridge Park in the Alamo city and are comfortably located here enjoying good eats and a long needed rest.

A vacation is a period of leisure. In this interesting country it usually brings a change of scene—and since the automobile became universal travel. But when travel is not restful it has no true place in a vacation.

Take the car and go. That's all right. But remember to loiter and linger wherever it is pleasant or interesting. Avoid hurry. Have no schedule. Keep eyes off the speedometer. When a fine view comes around the bend take time to photograph it on the memory.

We have some Austin and Georgetown friends in camp with us and on Saturday morning I loaded the old sedan up with the folks to show them San Antonio. We unloaded them at the great Joske Department store and I parked the car on a side street. The parking rule here is one hour so when the hour was up I left the folks and went back to move the car, went down on Broadway got in the congested traffic and didn't see the red light and passed it but was halted by a cop in the middle of the street who very unpleasantly made me back up to the light, when the green came on he released me. I shot up the street, made a left hand turn and was quickly nabbed by two cops big as giants. One said "where are you from?" I thought I'd be smart and said: "I feel like I was just from the asylum." He said, "Well we'll see if we can get you back in again," and they did but when they turned me loose I was a mile from the folks and lost and with positive orders to make no more left hand turns. I drove perhaps for an hour but as I had to turn to the right all the time I could never get anywhere. Finally hired a garage man to take me to the folks down at the Jefferson Hotel so that was the end of my city driving for a while at least.

What shall I say of this historic city with its Alamo and Missions? These restless souls of all ages and appearance seeking new sights and surroundings, or possibly looking for

a touch of adventure or romance that might yet linger in this most prosaic age. And it is very likely that in San Antonio, with its old half-forgotten and crumbling missions and Spanish atmosphere, there may be hidden away in curious old corners a remnant of this old-world glamor with which the pages of its history are so replete.

The Spanish Missions, especially the memorable and historic Alamo, are indeed spots of beauty and interest. I prefer them at night when the moon covers the ravages of time with its soft, gently revealing light, and they stand out like dim old ghosts from the past. Really, that is what they are. But there has been so much written about these same missions that I shall not attempt to describe them more definitely.

Our visitor, after seeing the Missions, will no doubt visit the parks. The largest and most attractive of these is Breckenridge Park, donated by the late George W. Breckenridge. This park covers several square miles of hilly, tree-covered country, thru which the San Antonio River runs its twisting and crooked course. One of its principal features is the truly lovely sunken Japanese Garden with its winding, climbing flights of stone steps leading from the water-lily ponds to the tea house, with quaintly thatched roof. The garden is sunk in the side of a lime-stone hill, and comes very near being artistically perfect. Breckenridge Park also boasts an ample bathing beach and pool, a well-kept golf course, a zoo, and excellent facilities for campers and picnickers. The auto drives are numerous and delightful, winding through tall, green trees whose branches often intertwine above, and the bridge-paths offer charming and diverting canyons for early morning enthusiasts.

Among the other large parks are Roosevelt Park, with its great Romanesque swimming pool, and San Pedro Park, with its huge natatorium in the midst of shady trees, and fed by cool, sparkling water from springs that bubble up through white sandstone rocks.

For the visitor interested in architecture there are to be found among the hills of Monte Vista a group of residences built after the Spanish and Italian Renaissance period, set among wide rolling green lawns and adorned with myriad roses of many hues. The business section is much the same as that of any other town of the same size, save for the plazas which so frequently appear here and there at street intersections, and more than any other one thing, give San Antonio the Spanish or Mexican air for which it is noted.

Passing over to the West side of town, or "across the creek" we find many old adobe houses that remain from the days when San Antonio was a Mexican frontier town. And in this section, which is by no means the least interesting part of San Antonio he will find the swarming, colorful Mexican life of the city, the dark-eyed señoritas and their sombrero-covered men.

For those interested in the nation's army and military life San Antonio boasts, with its combined

army posts and flying fields, what is probably the largest station in the United States. There is Fort Sam Houston, a beautiful old fort that has played an important part in the military and social history of San Antonio and of Texas; the New Post, where the fine polo fields are located; Camp Travis, the station of the Second Division of World War fame; Kelly Field, the great aviation center; Brooks Field, where the primary training of new birdmen is accomplished; and Duncan Field, the Air Intermediate Depot, where planes of all types are built and overhauled. The maneuvers of every kind that constantly take place in and about these encampments lend a great deal of interest to life in San Antonio, as do also the social and athletic events that they foster.

And after the interests of the daylight hours comes the ever-changing glory of a Texas sunset, spreading its gorgeous panoply over the violet and blue hills that surround San Antonio. If dinner is in order we can then repair to any of a number of attractive and satisfactory resorts. Ranging from the native Mexican restaurants giving forth their atmosphere of hot tamales and chile, to the more epicurean delights of the roof cabarets, or the cool peace that accompanies an excellent meal in the Menger Patio, where the tables are set about a spraying fountain and among tall waving palms and banana-trees that sway contentedly to the soft strains of a Spanish waltz that floats down from the mezzanine. Here indeed is one of those old corners in which there still clings a bit of that old world romance of which we spoke. The road houses on the South Loop we will pass by, for the passage from the Patio to their gaudy and raucous pastimes would be too great a strain upon the sensibilities.

Speaking of the spicier forms of entertainment, it may be amiss to add that the Mexican quarter of which we have already made mention is the habitat of the under-world life in San Antonio and while Prohibition has made its customary changes, there may yet be found touches of the old days. These sordid scenes have ever had an entrancing interest and add much color to a community, even though we lament the conditions that create them. And it must be said that, in this respect, San Antonio is no worse off than any other town of its size in this Union.

Several fine picture palaces, a Keith vaudeville house, two stock companies and public band concerts in the parks, offer other sources of amusement.

We will leave our camp outfit here and radiate out to visit in Waco, Taylor and Georgetown and when we get back may decide to come on home.

F. B. WHIPKEY.

Miss Edith Norman of Colorado is in Los Angeles attending the summer session at the University of Southern California. Miss Norman is taking courses in Education. The summer session this year is the largest ever held at the university, more than 2,400 being enrolled. The majority of the students are school teachers.

GASOLINE For quick service gas, kerosene, Pennant oils call O. O. Shurtliff

A department of child helping has been endowed at the University of Pennsylvania by Mrs. William T. Carter, of Philadelphia. The purpose is to train those who, as parents or teachers, are charged with the upbringing of children and their moral and mental development to meet the obligations of life and of good citizenship.

CITY CHILDREN PROGRESS FURTHER IN SCHOOL WORK

Fewer children from the farm reach high school, proportionately, than town or city children. This is especially true of the purely agricultural states. More country girls reach high school than country boys. A study of high school education of the farm population issued in a bulletin furnished by the Bureau of Education, mentions as the principal cause for this condition the general sentiment against outdoor work by girls and the higher money value of a boy's work on the farm. Factors that must also be considered are farm ownership or tenancy of parents, and the size of the farm from which the children come. The study shows that, as a consequence, where educational standards in a rural community are high, attendance of both boys and girls in high schools is increased.

Notice of Debtors and Creditors THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Mitchell

To all persons indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Inez C. Byrne, deceased, Notice:

The undersigned having been duly appointed executor of the estate of Inez C. Byrne, deceased, late of Mitchell County, Texas, by the Hon. Chas. C. Thompson, judge of the county court of said county, on the 11th day of July A. D. 1925, at a regular term of said court, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence, Colorado, Mitchell county, Texas, where he receives his mail, this 27th day of July A. D. 1925.

E. M. BALDWIN, Executor, Estate of Inez C. Byrne, deceased. 9-21c

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BIG REDUCTIONS



At this time of the year we always find ourselves overstocked in some items, and rather than to carry them over for the next season, we had rather sell these at a BIG reduction. Below we are quoting just a few of the many bargains that we have to offer you for **FRIDAY SATURDAY AND MONDAY**

Mens English Broadcloth Union Suits will go at\$1.35

One beautiful assortment of Mens Dress Shirts with collar attached will go at\$1.35

One special lot of Mens Union Suits will go at48c

Mens Straw Hats, values up to \$3 will go at only98c

Bathing Suits. All sizes for men, women and children, 10 doz. in this lot will go at only79c

A real high grade Percale 36 in. wide will go at15c per yard

25 doz. Mens Socks, all sizes will go at only9c per pair

One lot of 50 Ladies and Misses Dresses in Silks and Voiles, values \$7.90 will go at only\$3.69

Ladies Gingham Dresses, lovely assortment, nicely trimmed, a wonderful value for only\$1.19

Boys long trousers, sizes 4 to 14, will go at only\$1.98

Beautiful assortment of Dotted Voiles to be closed out at29c yard

Many other items will be displayed on counters and show cases at very low prices.

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We are still growing. Make this your motto: Always there every time. That will keep us growing.

Worship and sermon at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Christian Endeavor at 7:15 P. M. All our young people are requested to be sure and help us make the work a success.

Sunday school at Horns Chapel at 3:30 P. M. Preaching by the Pastor at 4:30 P. M.

W. M. Elliott.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

This program is for August 2nd. Song—My Faith Looks up to Thee. Prayer.

Bible Drill. Song—Loyalty to Christ.

Introduction—Raymond Wyatt.

Statement Regarding Responsibility—Beatrice Logan.

Faithful or Unfaithful, Which?—(1) Mildred Cook; (2) Agnes Oliver.

The Measure of Our Worth—Chas. Delaney.

Faithfulness the Same—Ruby Wyatt.

Reward for the Faithful—Dick Delaney.

Faithfulness Requires Effort—Lula Franklin.

Business. Song.

Benediction.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. It takes all of us to make a good school these days when so many people are away, so this means you are needed and will be missed if you stay away. Epworth League at 7 p. m.

Prayer service Wednesday at 7. Preaching Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Communion at the morning hour after a fifteen minute sermon.

Will preach at night on the Theories of Sin, and how they have affected the creeds of Christianity. Many good and useful men believe in and advocate doctrines that smack of heathen philosophy. This is not exactly a fault of any man, unless it is a fault that he enslaves his mind to the teachings and ideas of those who have made the creeds of the church, because these teachings are put into his hands by his church.

We cordially welcome all to our services, both morning and night.

J. F. Lawlis, Pastor

UNION SERVICES AT THE TABERNACLE ADJOURNED

The series of Union services on Sunday evenings which have been running for several weeks ended Sunday night. From now on the several churches participating will return to their own churches for regular work. During the time these services have continued, good audiences and a fine fraternal spirit prevailed. Much good has resulted and the religious forces of the town united as never before. Rev. W. M. Elliott, pastor of the Presbyterian church, delivered the closing sermon Sunday night. Taking for his theme the Epistle to the Ephesians, the speaker delivered a forceful sermon on the power which God used in building up his Church on earth.

Rev. Bishop made the opening prayer, Rev. Lawlis offered the prayer at the close of the sermon. Rev. Chase, who presided, announced at the close of the service, the radio-gram telling of the death of Wm. J. Bryan and paid a tribute to his great Christian manhood.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

We had a good day last Sunday. Five splendid people united with us. We are glad to welcome to our fellowship these good people who are coming to Colorado to live. We need your help and you need the help the church can render you.

In view of the fact the services are closed at the tabernacle, we will have regular service both morning and evening at the church next Sunday. We want you there. Let us all join in a hearty forward movement for the fall and winter. We were delighted with the presence of so many strangers. You will always find a cordial welcome. If you are not otherwise connected we'll be glad to have you make our church your regular place for worship.

Bible school at 9:45 A. M. Preaching and Communion at 11 A. M. Evening service at 8 P. M.

J. E. Chase, Pastor

THE RAYBURN CIRCLE

The Womens Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church organized a new circle Monday afternoon at the Manse. It was a direct result of the meeting which has just closed, and we named it the Rayburn Circle. Rev. W. M. Elliott opened the meeting with a prayer and a clear discourse of the Auxiliary work of the church. He was very enthusiastic as he is Chairman of the Womens Work in this Presbytery of El Paso. Mrs. Finch, who is president of the auxiliary, presided.

Mrs. W. M. Elliott was elected chairman and Mrs. Hall DeGarmo secretary-treasurer. Light refreshments were served. We adjourned to meet the fourth Monday in August with Mrs. Y. D. McMurry.

Former school superintendent E. Frank King delivered an interesting address to the Brotherhood at the tabernacle Sunday afternoon. The excessive heat cut the attendance somewhat. Mr. King took for his address the life story of the great Apostle, Simon Peter. He introduced a rather novel argument denying the common opinion that Peter fell when he denied his Lord. The speaker insisted that there is nothing in the record to justify the conclusion that "He was a coward, a common liar, and sinful." King pronounced a glowing eulogy on the splendid evidences of the fidelity and great work of Peter.

FARM BUREAU WILL HOLD CONVENTION AUGUST 6 & 7

Ballinger has, perhaps, the most unique and convenient camp park in Texas. Aside from the natural beauty and shade afforded by over 200 trees scattered about the park, the C. of C. is now constructing a building centrally located to contain 6 screened sleeping rooms 10 by 12 and a screened dining hall 12 by 60 as well as two shower baths and toilets. Secretary Motley states that this beautiful park and all conveniences will not only be turned over to the convention guests absolutely free of cost with water, fuel, and lights, included, but that it will be reserved for their exclusive use during the full time of the convention. The men may have meals with their wives in the new dining hall, but otherwise the building will be for the use of the ladies only.

This camp adjoins the Fair Park where the convention is to be held, and facilities are ample to care for all who wish to camp during the meet regardless of numbers.

Mr. Motley, who is also Secretary of the Runnels county Fair Association, promises to have the grand stand enlarged and altered somewhat in order to better serve the needs of the convention and the comfort of the guests, and places the entire plant at the disposal of the Farm Bureau.

A feature for Thursday evening is to be a big community picnic basket supper where everybody is invited to bring their provisions and spread supper under one of the long sheds and have a good old fashioned hour and a half informally together. All who do not bring baskets may purchase prepared food at stands on the grounds and join in the supper with all the rest.

Details of the speakers making up the main program are not yet ready for publication, however, announcement is made that the Thursday night session will be a "Community night" program and is intended to be a model that may be followed by any community in providing real, wholesome worthwhile entertainment for themselves. Leading numbers in this program will be furnished by the "Turkey in the Straw Band," American Legion quartette, Saxophone Sextet, violin and vocal soloists, and others.

all Ballinger's own talent. Entertainment numbers will also be used between addresses in the daytime programs and the visiting counties and communities are invited by the local program committee to assist in furnishing these. Early notice should be sent to J. D. Motley of any special numbers available from outside of Ballinger.

The Runnels county Farm Bureau is assisting the city of Ballinger and the C. of C. in every way possible to take care of the crowds and insure a good time to all who come. President Lynn Stokes says in this connection

"the more that come the better we will like it, for Ballinger and Runnels county never do things by halves. We are not putting out everything we know but have a pleasant surprise in store for all our guests and unless you are on hand at the close of the Thursday afternoon session you will miss something. We hope every county in the area will be well represented here, and that the best one will win the attendance banner offered by the Federation. Of course our county will be barred from the contest. Lets make this meet a big success."

Stock Up at these Prices



The correct hostess always has a supply of ready-to-serve foods on hand for luncheons, card or mah jong parties. Here's a splendid opportunity to lay in a supply. You'll be always prepared with a store of these in your pantry.

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THE NEW SEARCH AND SEIZURE LAW IN EFFECT

Thursday morning's papers carry the dispatches recording the rulings of a district judge in Houston who dismissed certain cases against bootleggers because of a technical error in the search warrant. The district attorney indicated other liquor cases pending would be dismissed as the rulings of the court were so stringent it made the state's efforts unavailing.

ROADS AND BONDS

Since the road bond question bobs up every few months I would like to submit, at this time, a few points for consideration: 1. If our inevitable boosters will be patient till the legislature meets it will pass a law levying a two and a half or three cent gasoline tax.

COMMISSIONERS COURT TO CONVENE MONDAY

Commissioner A. A. Dorn stated Monday afternoon that Commissioners' Court would convene in regular session next Monday, with the usual routine business before them.

LONGFELLOW LOCALS

Nearly everybody is just about to get through work. Some are plowing. Now is the time for all good men to rain. Watermelons are going on the bum if it doesn't rain pretty soon.

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IMPORTANT FACTORS IN THE SUCCESS OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL

Continued from page one. This as a basis let us draw a comparison with local coloring. Supposing that property in the district is assessed at its real value and that we have a fifty cent tax rate, which we do, then the total cost of education in the community is one half of one per cent of the capital invested.

Secondly, the patron owes the school moral support. The school can no more run without moral support from patrons than without financial support. If I were deprived of either I should prefer that it would be the latter.

There are several classes of school knockers: the believer in the old time school. The old timer insists that the schools of today are not so good as those he attended when he was a boy. It is easy to compare the records of the old time schools with those of today.

Time: Tuesday, August 4th, at 1:30 P. M. Place: County Court Room at Colorado. Who?: All school trustees of the county and all patrons and friends are invited.

COUNTY SCHOOL TRUSTEES TO HOLD MEETING TUESDAY

To the school trustees of Mitchell County: This is to remind you that there is to be a joint meeting of all school trustees of Mitchell County, in the county court room at Colorado on Tuesday, August 4th, beginning at 1:30 P. M.

Why?: To talk over school problems, exchange ideas, and to lay plans so that our schools may give the greatest service possible. You are needed. We urge you to come. Be there!

County Superintendent and Ex-Office Secretary of the County Board of School Trustees. Remember the lawn party at Mrs. Prude's on Thursday August 6, beginning at 8 o'clock. Every one is urged to attend. Benefit of Episcopal Church Womens Organization.

Mr. D. P. Smith and family went fishing last week and came home in a new Chevrolet. Biva Felts has been visiting friends at Stanton. Mr. and Mrs. Add Tims of Abilene visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. Houston Gilbreath of Abilene is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Jeff Lloyd. Miss Lila Neel Beeman is entertaining her two cousins from Oklahoma this week.

Be Not Deceived. Baths are good. Electricity also is good—for light, heat, and power. Never the less a person of ordinary common sense knows that neither a bath nor electricity will correct an old chronic defective spinal condition.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS. WANT ADS BRING RESULTS. See the Lost, Found and Rewards. RATES 1 time minimum charge 50c; 3 times for \$1.25; 1 month for \$1.50.

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.

POSITION WANTED—Young man bookkeeper and clerk, experienced in both, can speak Spanish. References furnished. Call Record office for interview or write Bill Jones, City. 1tp

STOP! LOOK!! LISTEN!!! Get ready for another year—get your farms now. Get ready for school—get your houses now.

FOR SALE—My household furniture, bargain for cash.—E. Frank King. 4f

FOR SALE—Tomatoes, cucumbers and canteloupes for sale at patch near Spade, fresh and fine. Drive out to J. J. VanZandt farm and get them. Phone 9024, 3 rings. 8-7p

FOR SALE—Bedstead, oil stove, kitchen cabinet, chairs, heating stove and rugs. All priced to sell right. Klassy Kleaner.

FOR SALE—My residence, four rooms, bath and sleeping porch, furnished and two lots, north part of town. Payment half down and easy terms on the balance. See W. C. Davis or phone 255.

FOR SALE—Ninety feet on Second Street Colorado between Lone Wolf Bridge and business center. Will sell lot separately or with the small bungalow on it. This place can be bought very reasonable. Write Mrs. W. A. Cooper, 107 Kaufman St. Waxahachie, Texas. 7-31 p

FOR SALE—My house with Martin's Blue Bug Remedy, to your chickens and paint hen house with Martin's Roost Paint to kill and keep away insects. Guaranteed by Jno. L. Dees Pharmacy. 8-28c

Soon Felt Improvement. CARDUI For Female Troubles. The first time I took Cardui I was in an awful bad way, says Mrs. Ora Carlisle, R. F. D. 5, Troup, Texas. "I went fishing one day. A heavy storm came up and I got soaking wet in the rain. I was afflicted with awful smothering spells. I could not get my breath. My mother had some CARDUI For Female Troubles in the house that she was taking, so she immediately began giving it to me. In a few days I got all right. "Last fall I got run-down in health. I was weak and puny and I began to suffer. I would get so I could hardly walk. I began taking Cardui before I sent to the store for a bottle of it. Almost from the first dose I could feel an improvement. "Cardui has helped me a lot and I am glad to recommend it. I don't feel like the same woman I was last fall. My appetite is good now, and I'm sure it's Cardui that's made it pick up." All Druggists

SPADE LOCALS

The Spade community is progressing just fine. Everybody has a bumper crop out at Spade, but are needing rain. Seems to be getting too hot for the lice or they are playing quits.

The young folks entertained Saturday night at Mr. and Mrs. E. Barbers. There were several there from other communities. Everyone reported a good time.

Miss Wilma Williams of Lamesa spent Saturday night with her sister Mrs. H. A. Pond.

The Sunday schools are still in progress. Methodist in the morning, and Baptist in the afternoon. A. B. Y. P. U. has been organized. There was a large crowd at meeting Sunday night.

Spade Baptist meeting will begin the Saturday night before the sec-

ond Sunday in August. Bro. M. C. Bishop will help Bro. C. C. Carr in the meeting. The Methodist will follow after the Baptist meeting. Bro. Bailey will do the preaching. We are boosting for a good revival both times. Everybody is invited to come and help in these meetings.

Mr. Henry Brown and family returned Sunday from Wheeler county, where they have been visiting their sons.

Mr. Wilbur Lee Moody of Midland and Miss Uell Browne of near Lowe ate ice cream and cake with Virginia Bell Palmer Sunday afternoon.

We were glad to get Mrs. Ellert and daughter Miss Ruby back with us. Miss Ruby is one of the primary teachers at Spade.

Miss Ella Northcutt spent Sunday

afternoon with Willie Grace Palmer. Master Nather Rogers of Wichita Falls spent the week end with O. C. and O. T. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rogers spent Monday with S. N. Palmer and family. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers once lived at Spade.

FAMILY REUNION

Wednesday evening a delightful fish fry given by members of the Salyer family was enjoyed at the springs near Jonah. The affair developed into a family reunion. Some fifty pounds of fine fish and barbecued mutton provided the main feature of the dinner while from the homes of the families came all those things which go to make a successful picnic dinner, including salads, pickles, cakes, pies, etc. The dinner was served under the great pecan trees and iced drinks were so plentiful that all almost forgot the heat of the dry summer day.

This was a most interesting affair and the meeting of relatives who had been separated for a long time was most interesting. A feature of the day was that with only two exceptions, every lady present was a Salyer. The following composed the party: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Salyer, Taylor; Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Salyer, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Whipkey, of Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Queen, Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. N. M. McClellan, Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. Bahr, Taylor; Mr. and Mrs. John Emerson, Taylor; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Emerson, Jonah; Mr. Wilford Salyer, Houston; Mr. Taffor Salyer and family, Jonah; Mrs. Bessie King and son, Dallas; Miss Ruth Queen, Georgetown; Miss Alma Blatherwick, Fort Worth, and Aunt Adeline Ake (colored) the old family nurse, now 83 years of age.—Williamson County Sun.

The above fish fry and barbecue was given for us at the old home place where "Aunt Rose" grew up in these rock hills and live-oak trees.

"American Education Week" will be observed again this year. The week of November 16 to 22 has been chosen for it, and once more, the American Legion, the National Education Association, and the Bureau of Education of the Interior Department are cooperating to promote it.

H. L. Atkins, County Farm Demonstrator, and Miss Sealy, County Home Demonstrator, left Saturday night for College Station to take part in the annual Farmers Short course. This is an annual affair at the A. & M. College, and agents, farmers, boys and girls from all over Texas gather in large numbers to take advantage of the splendid and helpful work given there.

At all grocers, "Quality Bread"

CROP REPORT

While Mitchell county has suffered to some extent from hot winds and dry weather, still crop prospects are very good after a general survey of conditions.

Cotton, with an increased acreage, over last year, is quite irregular in size and has been hampered in growth by a heavy infestation of plant lice. But up to the present time, injury from dry weather has been negligible. During the past week the lice slackened their work and the cotton is again growing. With a rain in ten or fifteen days, the cotton yield will be more than satisfactory.

In some parts of the county maize is now setting grain, but the larger per cent of acreage planted to maize, kaffir and other feed crops must have rain within a few days in order to make a normal yield.

Many farmers made the mistake of planting feed crops too thick and the crop is now suffering the result. Maize, kaffir, and feterita planted in wide rows or with every third row blank, are making a good showing and will make a fair crop without more rainfall.

Most farmers over the county have been cleared of weeds the past ten days and hired help, so scarce two weeks ago, is available once more.

In comparison with other agricultural counties over West Texas, Mitchell county is, as usual, more than holding her own and when we think of conditions in other parts of the state, we have no reason to feel badly over the present outlook.

HOW PARENTS SIN AGAINST THEIR CHILDREN IS TOLD

"Failure to use milk in sufficient quantity and of pure quality in infancy and early childhood is in all probability the greatest sin that parents commit against their children. Upon an adequate milk supply the future of the child and of the race is dependent more perhaps than on any other single factor." So says Dr. W. S. Rankin, North Carolina's efficient state health officer. And here is the opinion of the famous Dr. E. V. McCollum of Johns Hopkins University, the man whose "vitamine" discoveries have made him world-famous:

"The people who have achieved, who have become large, strong, vigorous people, who have reduced their infant mortality, who have the best trades in the world, who have an appreciation of art, literature, and music, and who are progressive in science, and in every activity of human intellect, are the people who have used milk and its products liberally."

Is there anything on the farm besides the cow that supplies wholesome perfect food made fresh twice each day? When we buy milk we pay 40 cents or more a gallon for it. At this price a cow averaging two gallons per day, or 730 gallons per year, furnishes \$292 worth of milk in a year. Looked at only from the money value of the milk, a cow is a good investment and one that all of us should make.

When we thoughtfully weigh what these two eminent authorities say of the necessity for milk for the growth and full development of our children, then if we have children, it becomes our imperative duty to supply them regularly a full ration of milk. The best way to do this and the cheapest is to own a good cow and give her the best of care and attention every day in the year.

ARE YOU JUST PRESENT?

This country is as big as a church debt and as resourceful as a hock-shop.

We play, pay and prosper more than any other people on earth. Every twenty-four hours we spend \$2,800,000 for gasoline, \$1,500,000 for sea-beach accommodations and over \$9,000,000 for passenger cars.

We drink a million dollars' worth of coffee every twenty-four hours. Spend \$2,850,000 for electrical merchandise—and we have only reached a few items.

We think 88,000,000 quarts of milk each day, and eat 36,000,000 pieces of pie every twenty-four hours.

We dance from 2,000,000 to 5,000,000 miles every evening and, you know, some one must pay the fiddler.

The total wealth of this country is gaining faster than we can give it away. We beat the world for spending, and just to prove that we are more thrifty and more provident than many of our economical foreign friends, listen to this: Each day we pay first premiums on \$16,000,000 of life insurance, which is true thrift, sure protection.

ICE COLD MELONS at Morgan's ice house. Will be open until 12 o'clock every night.

Cups and saucers 75 cts. and \$1 per set at McMurry's.

Mrs. O. F. Jones was called to Ft. Worth Monday morning on account of illness of her brother, Mr. J. D. Bartlett.

Eleven states have enacted teacher tenure laws. These laws generally prescribe a period of probation for teachers before permanent appointment and guarantee security in their position during good behavior and efficiency.

C. A. Culberson Left Estate Of \$82,960

After spending all his adult life in the service of the people, Charles A. Culberson left an estate of but \$82,960, according to the report made to the Comptroller by James Harrison, brother of the widow. The report is the basis for the inheritance tax to the state. County officer, Attorney General, Governor of his state, and finally long service as United States Senator, Mr. Culberson had unusual opportunity to amass a large fortune, but the comparatively small saving of his life is regarded here as attesting his honesty and high character in the public service.

The property will go to Mrs. Culberson, the widow, and a grown daughter being the only immediate survivors. Mr. Culberson made a will leaving the entire estate to Mrs. Culberson.

Mr. Culberson had retired from the United States Senate only a short time when he died in Washington a few weeks ago and was buried in Texas at Ft. Worth. In commenting upon his passing, Comptroller Sam Houston Terrell said the State and Nation had lost a loyal son and that it was sad to know that he had left no direct descendant to perpetuate the name of Culberson.

KEROSENE in Bulk, call 414. The best O. O. Shurtleff. Phone J. A. Sadler for that Supreme XXX Auto Oil, none better. At all leading garages.

Courses on the organization and work of parent-teacher associations will be given in 46 colleges in 22 states during the summer of 1925. These include credit courses in Columbia, Georgia, and Pennsylvania universities.

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When in need of Shoes let us show you a pair of Trade Builders.

Herrington's Shoe Shop

Advertisement for City Meat Market featuring an illustration of a family and the text: 'APPETIZING ROASTS THAT CAN'T BE BEAT. These are just the type of Meats you get here at The City Market. Those nice appealing cuts of finest corn fed cattle—properly prepared to meet your every needs. We are always ready to serve you with the best there is to be had. City Meat Market PHONE NO. 179'

Advertisement for R. B. TERRELL, Dealer in Windmills, Pipe, Pipe Fittings, and Plumbing Goods. PHONE NO. 405 Colorado, Texas

Large advertisement for Ford cars featuring an illustration of a Ford touring car and the text: 'Off The Beaten Path. The real charm of touring lies in leaving the main-travelled highways and exploring the thousands of alluring side-paths. These dirt roads and trails lead to spots of rare beauty unvisited by the throng—where better camp-sites may be found—where fishing and lovelier scenery. In a Ford car, you can enjoy the thrill of exploration and discovery. It is the one satisfactory means of travel for these narrow roads—light—yet so powerful that it will bring you through—easy to handle—sturdy and economical. It will carry the whole family and the saving in cost often pays for the entire vacation. Ford Runabout - \$260, Tudor Sedan - \$500, Coupe - \$320, Fordor Sedan - 600. SE ANY AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER OR MAIL THIS COUPON. Touring Car \$290. Please tell me how I can secure a Ford Car on easy payments: Name, Address, City, State. Mail this coupon to Ford Motor Company. A. J. HERRINGTON'

Advertisement for MAGNOLIA PETROLEUM CO. R. E. BEAL, Agent. Magnolia Gasoline and Kerosene. MAGNOLENE THE DEPENDABLE LUBRICANT. Prompt Delivery in Wholesale Quantities. Phone 232—You Cant Go Wrong

Large advertisement for LONE STAR PORTLAND CEMENT featuring an illustration of a cement sack and the text: 'INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM LONE STAR PORTLAND CEMENT. From 800,000 Sacks in 1902—to 9,000,000 Sacks in 1924. That the production of the Texas Portland Cement Company has grown from 800,000 sacks to 9,000,000 sacks annually, cannot be attributed entirely to the quality of the product and the ability of the organization to render service. This great growth reflects that intangible thing known as confidence. LONE STAR Cement has that enviable reputation which can be built only by faithful adherence to sound manufacturing and marketing policies. Both of the LONE STAR mills use the International Wet-Blending Process exclusively. This process is the result of 20 years' experience in cement making, combined with years of painstaking research. It is not surprising that the quality of this cement is maintained at a level 50% above the requirements of the U. S. Standard Specifications. Yet this super-grade cement costs no more. It has our unqualified endorsement. ROCKWELL BROS. & CO. LONE STAR Cement Lumber Plaster Paint Lime Brick Roofing. Ask us for cost figures and other facts on repairs, improvements and construction of any kind. Valuable information supplied without obligation.'

CITY TAXES DELINQUENT

List of lots and blocks delinquent for the taxes of 1924 only in the City of Colorado, Mitchell County, Texas, as reported by L. A. Costin, Tax Collector.

Dunn, John—W & M S.E. pt 1 in block 34 \$7.50
Dupree, L. C. \$3.63
Elder, Isaac \$1.38
Elite Cafe \$11.26
Eustis, T. G. \$1.50
Evans, A. W. \$1.00
Filler, G. W.—D. S. & M. 7 and 8 in blk 8 \$7.00
Franklin, Mrs. R. F.—Colorado, pt lot 1 in blk 105 \$7.50
Free, A. J. \$2.88
Fuller, D. J. \$4.76
Garber, J. F. \$1.00
Garber Dry Goods Co \$72.00
Garlington, G. W. \$30.00
Geer, J. M. \$5.50
Hollifield, W. L. \$10.00
Hardison, R. M.—Colorado, 17 and 18 in 42 \$52.50
Hargroves, C. L. \$2.50
Hargroves, Mrs. H. V.—Colorado, 4 in blk 11 \$7.60
Harpp, Mrs. H. H.—Colorado, lot 2 in blk 31; lot 15, blk 42; W & M N pt and N pt of S pt of lot 1 in block 4 \$23.26
Hart, J. L.—Colorado, 1 2 in block No. 79 \$32.50
Harvin, J. E. \$1.00
Haynes, Jack—W & M. lot 4 in blk. 37 \$15.00
Hayes, John—Colorado, lots 1, 2, 3, 4 in blk 52; W & M. lot 18, blk 35. W & M. pt lot 5 in block 37 \$10.50
Hill, J. W. \$7.00
Hipp, W. B.—Colorado E. pt 1, 2, 3 in blk 39 \$32.26
Hooks, J. K. \$4.00
Huth, George—Colorado NE 100 ft. of lot 1 in 142 \$11.50
Jackson, C. E.—Colorado, W. 20ft off of E 1/2 of 7 and S 1/2 of 8 in block 22 \$4.50
Jackson, Maggie \$3.76
Jackson, Tom \$1.29
Jenkins, R. L. \$4.00
Jones, W. C. \$2.50
Jones, Clara \$6.00
Jones, R. L. \$4.00
Key, Homer—W & M. NE. 50 ft of NW 1/4 of 3, blk 8 \$1.76
Letcher, J. H.—Colorado, lot 6 in blk 12 \$12.26
Lucera, Siro \$4.76
Marshall, R. E. \$1.00
Mederi, Donasiro \$2.50
Melton, Aubrey \$1.00
Mitchell, R. W. \$1.00
Molino, Pascual \$19.76
Morles, Antonio—Colorado 1 and 2 in block 49 \$6.00
Montgomery, Arthur—W & M. pt 1 in block 37 \$4.50
Murphy, J. A. \$3.26
McMillin, C. M. \$1.00
McNeill, A. M. \$4.00
Nall, M. B. \$31.00
Neff, W. L. \$3.63
Newman, Grady \$1.16
Nixon, H. R. \$1.16
Nolen, A. J. \$5.50
Norris, J. L. \$2.50
Peach, E. H. \$1.00
Phelan, Walter—Colorado W. 30 ft 18 in blk 31 \$3.00
Pond, J. E.—Colorado 5 and 6 in blk 129 \$16.00
Powell, Earl \$1.00
Quinney, G. R. \$1.29
Quinney, J. F. \$1.16
Rasco, J. C. \$1.00
Reeder, G. F. \$2.88
Reeder, J. L. \$2.13
Redman, F. L. \$4.76
Richardson, R. L. \$9.26
Richardson, E. D. \$2.50
Robinson, Frank—W & M. pt 2 in block 34 \$3.76
Roberts, B. J. \$7.00
Roberts, E. J.—Colorado, E 50 ft of 7 and S 1/2 of 8, blk 22 \$15.00
Roberts, Dave—Colorado 2 in blk 105 \$4.50
Rountree, S. A. \$1.00
Scallion, Joe—W & M N pt 3 and 4 in blk 36 \$7.50
Scott, B. W. \$4.76
Shepperd, J. W. \$1.00
Shuford, J. M. \$1.16
Slaughter, H. H. and Son—W & M. N 1/2 of 3 block 14 \$33.76
Smith, Mrs. Jack—W&M pt lot 2 in block 34 \$6.00
Smith, S. L.—W&M, 95x50 ft. C. pt of 2, blk 34 \$6.00
Smith, W. M. W&M, pt 6 in block 37 \$7.50
Smith, F. M. \$3.26
Smith, J. B. \$4.90
Stokes, Lina—Colorado, 10 in block No. 38 \$16.50
Stokes, Joe—D S & M, 18, 19, 20 in block 11 \$15.00
Strong, F. H. \$3.26
Taylor, Clyde \$1.00
Terrell, M. \$1.76
Terry, J. M. \$23.66
Terry, J. R. \$2.50
Terry, V. W. \$1.00
Tilley, L. R. \$9.00
Thomas, Chas.—Colorado 2 and 3 in blk 134 \$4.50
Thomas, J. L. \$1.60
Vaughan, N. J. \$1.00
Webb, Mrs. M. F.—D S & M, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in blk 7 \$45.00
Wells, L. W. \$1.00
White, J. I. \$2.50
Winn & Pidgeon—Colorado, 4 and N 1/2 of 5, blk 22 \$41.26
Wright, Elsa J. Estate—Colorado, 11 and 12 in blk 49 \$3.00
Wyatt, C. C. \$1.00
Unknown—Colorado, lot 3 in block 11 \$1.50
Unknown—Colorado, W. 40 ft of 5, 6 in block 37 \$4.50
Unknown—Colorado, E. 25 ft 5 and 6, 37 \$1.50
Unknown—Colorado, 4 in 44 \$1.50
Unknown—Colorado, 4 in 45 \$1.50
Unknown—Colorado, 17 in 52 \$1.50
Unknown—Colorado N 2-3 of 4, 5, 6, in 95 \$4.50
Unknown—Colorado 2 in 1 in block 105 \$1.50
Unknown—Colorado, 6 in 134 \$2.26
Unknown—Colorado, 7, 8 in block No. 141 \$3.00
Unknown—W & M, 13, 14 in block 4 \$3.00
Unknown—W&M, 24 in 4 \$1.50
Unknown—W&M, 4 in 6 \$1.50
Unknown—W&M, 1 in 8 \$4.50
Unknown—W&M, 1 in 9 \$3.76
Unknown—W&M, 1 in 14 \$4.50
Unknown—W&M, 5 in 33 \$7.60
Unknown—W&M, 1, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, in blk 33 \$2.26
Unknown—W&M, W pt 3 in block 34 \$7.50
Unknown—W&M, N.C. pt of 3 in block 34 \$1.50
Unknown—W&M, SE pt 3 in block 34 \$7.50
Unknown—W&M, NE 60x70 ft of 3 in block 34 \$1.50
Unknown—W&M, 1 in 4 in 34 \$3.00
Unknown—W&M, 5, 6, 7, in 4 in blk No. 34 \$9.00
Unknown—W&M, 8, 9, 10 in 4, in block 34 \$7.50
Unknown—W&M, E pt 5 in 37 \$1.50
Unknown—W&M, S pt 1 in 37 \$7.50
Unknown—D S & M, 7, 8 in 1 \$3.00
Unknown—D S & M, 11, 12, 13 in block 2 \$4.50
Unknown—D S & M, 17 in 3 \$4.50
Unknown—D S & M, 1 in 4 \$1.50
Unknown—D S & M, 2 in 4 \$1.50
Unknown—D S & M, 11 in 6 \$1.50
Unknown—D S & M E 1/2 of 5, 6 in blk 8 \$15.00
Unknown—D S & M 9 in 8 \$1.50
Unknown—D S & M 1 2 3 4 5 in block 11 \$3.76
Unknown—D S & M, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17 in 11 \$6.76
Unknown—D S & M, 13, 14, 15, in block 11 \$4.50
Unknown—D S & M, 4 in 14 \$4.50
Unknown—D S & M, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, in blk 14 \$4.50
Unknown—D S & M, all block No. 15 \$4.50
Unknown—D S & M, Wt pt 7 and 8 in blk 29 \$1.50
Unknown—D S & M, W pt 11 and 12 in blk 29 \$1.50

MITCHELL COUNTY PEOPLE ATTEND FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Henderson, living six miles northeast of Terrell, Tuesday celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary with a big dinner and family reunion, at which all their children were present but one, W. E. Henderson, Jr., who is in San Francisco.

HYMAN HAPPENINGS

Notwithstanding the dry hot weather crops here are holding up remarkably well, and everybody reports that cotton has done better the past week than at any time since it was planted. The lice, which held it back for quite a while have all gone and the plant is growing and fruiting rapidly without any sign of blooming at the top or throwing off. If we can get one more good rain before the plant stops growing, we are due for a real good crop and we can go two weeks more without that. The signs for a rain, as this is written, are good. Some feed crops are burning pretty badly, but real early feed is already made, and real late feed has plenty of time.

OLD MIRRORS MADE NEW We are now prepared to do any job of resilvering—none too large or too small. Furniture repaired, upholstered, and refinished in a good workmanship like manner. COOK & SON Phone 249—HARDWARE & FURNITURE—Phone 249

MISSION THEATRE THURSDAY, JULY 30 William Fox Presents "Darwin Was Right" And Larry Seamon in THE HOME DOCTOR. FRIDAY NIGHT AND SATURDAY MATINEE July 31-Aug 1 Buck Jones in "Arizona Romeo" Comedy, "THE SLAVE" SATURDAY NIGHT, AUG. 1 Bill Patton in "The Last Man" And BIG COMEDY AUGUST 3 AND 4 Thos. H. Ince Presents "Gallopig Fish" Staring Sidney Chaplin, Louise Fazenda, Ford Sterling and a 2 reel comedy. WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY AUGUST 5 AND 6 Edmund Lowe in "The Brass Bowl" A FOX SPECIAL And 2 reel comedy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Mitchell. I, L. A. Costin, Tax Collector of the City of Colorado, Texas, do hereby certify that the within lands and lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of the City for the year 1924, and that I am entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

WORK ON BANKHEAD IS BEING PUSHED FORWARD Tom Goss, highway supervisor for Mitchell and Coke counties, reported Monday afternoon that he had a crew working on the Bankhead Highway out of Westbrook, raising the road-bed for a mile and a half strip just west of Westbrook. Goss stated that this work would be continued to the Mitchell county line at Iatan as rapidly as possible.

Mr. Will R. Mann, assistant Supt. of Rio Grande Division, G. H. & S. A. at El Paso, visited his cousin, R. O. Pearson, Sunday, en route to Dallas and Ennis.

Case & Hoover, drilling contractors of Sterling City, who have contracted to drill the Minna S. Hyman No. 1 of the Deeprock Oil Company, are about ready to spud in. They are laying water connections. The derrick is completed, storage tanks built, and the drilling crews are on the ground. They promise record time on this test. Everyone who has visited this location has something good to say about it.

It is reported that several other tests are being arranged for in this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Reynolds and their sons Rayburn and J. F. Jr., also Mr. F. G. Gibson of Nimrod, Eastland county, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Reynolds of Hyman. Mr. Reynolds states that the crops here are better than any he left at home or any that he saw on the road.

A fine and thoroughly appreciated rain of about an inch has just fallen here. The rain fell Wednesday afternoon, the 29th. Everybody in the immediate neighborhood we have seen reports at least an inch, and some few claim as much as two inches. At any rate it was worth the money.

Miss Irene Dorn entertained at luncheon Thursday in honor of Miss Rosalie Pritchett of Waco. Among the guests were Frances Lupton, Mae Hart and Bernice McKinney.

The Harmon Forty-two Club met Tuesday with Mrs. Walter Whipkey. Her guests were: Mesdames Sam Majors, Ed Majors, Ed Jones, Etheridge, Thos. R. Smith, Jim Johnson, Shannon, J. H. Greene, Jno. Doss, Reid, O. E. Price, Byron Byrne, and Robinson of Dallas, and Miss Sally Buchanan of Big Spring.

The Young Peoples Society of the Methodist church met Monday with Mrs. C. E. Pritchett. A special program was carried out during the afternoon. A box of supplies, valued at \$35.50, was reported to be on its way to the Wesley House at Dallas.

The Christian Ladies Aid met Monday at the church for a short devotional service, after which they adjourned, and in groups of two, made calls on the strangers in the city. The organization will carry out this plan of work during the warm weather.

Miss Martha Earnest entertained Thursday with a bridge party. The guest list was as follows: Mesdames Collier, Fry of Paris, Carter, Rowley of Dallas, T. R. Smith, C. R. Earnest and Geron of Paris, Misses Buchanan and Coleman. The hostess served an ice cream.

Miss Ruth Buchanan and Mr. Lewis Major were quietly married Sunday July 26th, at Mission Inn Chapel, Riverside, California. After a bridal trip, Mr. and Mrs. Major will be at home in Hollywood, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson, Mrs. Pearl Shannon, Marvin Majors, Elizabeth Snyder, Nell Harper Greene, and William Greene are spending the week-end at Snyder.

PALACE THEATRE JULY 30 AND 31 "Broken Barriers" Staring Norma Shearer, Vera Reynolds, Mae Busch, Winifred Bryson, James Kirkwood, Robt. Frazer, Adolphe Menjou and George Fawcett. SATURDAY, AUGUST 1 "Verdict of The Desert" Staring Neal Hart Comedy, Larry Seamon AUGUST 3 AND 4 Along Came Ruth Staring Viola Dana, Raymond McKee, Walter Hiers and Tully Marshall. Comedy, Spat Family in Suffering Shakespeare. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5 "Curly Top" Staring Shirley Mason. Also PATHE NEWS and Fables THURSDAY AND FRIDAY AUGUST 6 AND 7 "Happy Warrior" All star cast, Big Special Comedy, "NOBODY'S SWEET-HEART"

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Don't Miss The Opening Service of The WALLACE-TAYLOR MEETING CONDUCTED BY CHURCH OF CHRIST At The Union Tabernacle - August 14 to 22

WESTBROOK NOTES

Mrs. Joe Mimiech and Miss Maudelle Latty motored to Sweetwater Friday.

Mr. John A. Smith of Breckenridge is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Oletrich.

Miss Mary Lou Hyman has been quite sick for several days but is reported much better.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Moore of Hermleigh and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Coker of Ozark Mount, Arkansas, are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. E. Sturdevant. They all left Wednesday morning for a few days fishing trip on the Concho.

EVOLUTE

(By H. W. Elliott)

Growth used to be a common word Its use none did dispute. But since we have more modern grown, We call it "evolute." We used to talk of "progress" No word would better suit, But now it's almost obsolete, We only "evolute." Some preachers from the sacred staid Their little horns will toot, Instead of preaching "grow in grace," They're howling, "evolute." The progress that some schools have made, One scarcely can compute, Before you learn the alphabet, You study "evolute." Wrapped round a limb the monkey's tail Will hold him absolute. If he's your kindred, let him be, Like you, he'll "evolute." Some folks make monkeys of themselves, You cannot this refute; I wonder if there is a chance For them to "evolute." The flapper and the jelly beans, With little dress or suit, Are precious darling little monks, But slow to "evolute." A circus show in Tennessee Broke up in great dispute; All because one little "monk," Said he could "evolute."

Auto Tops and repairing, harness and saddles.—Frank Herrington.

SEVEN WELLS NOTES

Well, we would be awfully glad if we could get a good old slow rain now, and we believe we will, as the clouds are drifting around and the air is so much cooler the last two days.

Crops are holding up real well all around here.

Health is right good at the present Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Reese's baby is some better we are glad to report. Mr. W. H. Brown was called to Grand Saline to see his mother who is very ill. We hope to hear that she is very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. White returned from Lockney Friday evening, where they had been visiting his parents. R. G. came back very well pleased with crop prospects in our community. He thinks Mitchell county is the best place yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bassham are here visiting relatives the past week. They live at McAdoo, Texas, but are planning on moving to Mitchell county. Funny all wise people get stuck on Colorado.

L. L. Bassham and family have attended the Christian meeting at Landers some this week. They say the preacher is a fine one, and knows how to deliver the true Gospel in the same old time way.

The 1923 Club met with the Lowe members at Lowe school last Wednesday evening. They always have a good time and learn something worth while.

Lanier Bassham celebrated his sixteenth birthday Saturday by asking eight of his boy friends to spend the day with him. J. B. Holt, J. W. Kirkpatrick, Woodrow and Harold Watson from town, were with him. Benjie and Fred Brown, J. D. and Fred Bassham from our community were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bassham, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simpson spent Sunday afternoon with H. L. Bassham's family at Lowe.

Mary Bassham spent Sunday with Hollice and Velma Towery. Hollice and Velma have a new player piano and some real music was enjoyed.

The Bunch

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

NOT LESS TAX MONEY BUT MORE FAIRLY COLLECTED

We stated last week that just as men and women formerly fought for the abolition of slavery, for prohibition and for woman suffrage, so men and women today should fight for shifting the burden of taxation to unearned incomes and inheritances, for old age pensions and for a public health program that will give the poorest person, when disease and health stricken, a right to the best hospital and surgical attention at public expense. So called monarchical England (as is illustrated by the facts just given) is really moving faster toward these ideals than democratic America.

Take the question of taxation here in America. We hear a great deal about lightening the tax burden, but a large proportion of the lightening is proposed on behalf of those who need this lightening least—as in the case of constitutional amendments exempting great inheritances from taxation.

The burden of taxation has unquestionably increased tremendously in the last ten or twenty years. Part of the increase is due to laxness and inefficiency in government, and should be vigorously checked, but part of it is also due to an increasing sense of the solemn Christian duty which the people as a whole owe to the unfortunate and the underprivileged. Whereas a hundred years ago government did little for the citizen except render police service, today there are everywhere schools and colleges to establish "the equal right of every child born on earth to have the opportunity to burgeon out all there is within him;" public roads which make travel a joy instead of a curse; asylums for the insane; homes for the feeble-minded; pensions and soldiers' homes for aged veterans; reformatories to reclaim youthful offenders; hospitals to cure the sick, to relieve the deformed, and to save the tubercular; and there are agencies to give expert assistance to citizens in almost every line of activity.

All these agencies of civilization, progress, and Christianity must be maintained at public expense, and the object of the thoughtful citizen, in our opinion, should not be to hinder or cripple the movement for education, roads, and for greater attention to the unfortunate. We should strive unceasingly, however, to get a fairer adjustment of the burden of taxation. Intangible property—bonds, notes, mortgages, money on deposit, and the furniture, jewels, and equipment of the wealthy should be reached, and the inheritance and income taxes should bear relatively more of the burden, and small farms and homes relatively less.

Not "less tax money" should be our motto, but "more of the tax burden on those most able to bear it, and less of it on those least able to bear it."—The Progressive Farmer.

AFTER TEN YEARS OF PIONEER ADVERTISING

In 1915 there were 2,445,666 automobiles in this country. It seemed a tremendous number. Some people were already talking about the "saturation point" being not far ahead.

But if there were some men who couldn't see the woods for the trees, there were others whose faith never failed.

It took a lot of vision for them to see that the true market for the automobile had hardly been touched.

It took a lot of courage for them to bank on the ultimate success of the automobile in that market.

They had both.

Back in 1915, the United States

Rubber Company said, "The real future of the automobile is not in the big cities but away from them."

It is not short runs on city streets, but in mile after mile on country roads.

So back in 1915 the United States Rubber Company began to prepare for this movement—and to help it.

In 1915—ten years ago—the first U. S. Tire advertising began to appear in the "home town" papers.

Few people saw these papers in their true dimension.

Few realized the influence they had on what the people thought and did and wore and bought. Because few people realized the place they filled in the minds and lives of their readers.

The United States Rubber Company saw.

As clearly as it saw that the development of the automobile would be in the smaller communities, it saw that the people in these communities would have to have tires to measure up to the service and tire merchants to sell them.

And it saw that in the "home town" newspapers it had, ready to hand, the medium to help it put tire merchandising where it would have to be in the new era of the automobile.

So ten years ago people began to read the first U. S. Tire Advertising in their "home town" paper—over the name of their "home town" dealer.

They have been reading it ever since.

They have seen these home dealers develop their little "side line of tires" into real business—always with the support of "U. S." Advertising in these local papers.

Co-incidental with the tenth anniversary of "home town" advertising by the United States Rubber Company, this company announces another long step forward in the perfection of automobile tires—the greatest since the introduction of the cord itself—in its perfected Latex treated-Web Cord Royal Balloon tire with flat low pressure tread.

Today there are 16,000,000 auto-

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Marshall Alison and Miss Bertha Clanton of Andrews, Texas.

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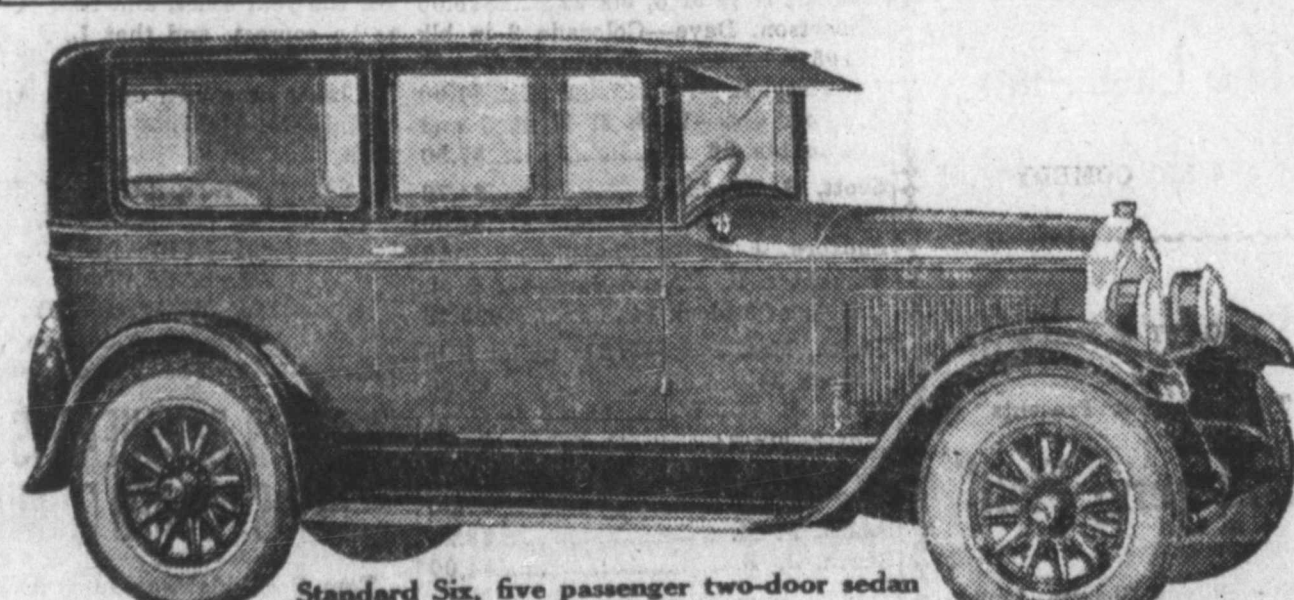
W. D. Hays and Miss Tinnie Sweatt, Westbrook.

B. H. Milligan and Mrs. Emma E. Stevens, Snyder.

Mr. Henry Riley of Breckenridge was a business visitor here this week.

Little Miss Virginia Bell celebrated her ninth birthday last Saturday with a party, about twenty-five happy little girls and boys were there at the appointed hour with their little gifts for Virginia, and eager to see their part toward making the party successful. Quite a number of interesting games were played but the one that seemed the most popular was that of making mud pies and arranging them on the tables which had been prepared for that purpose. After the games were over, the guests were treated to cake and ice cream cones which really tasted better than the mud pies.

Many New Ideas in Better Buicks



Standard Six, five passenger two-door sedan

Greater Power, More Protection to Working Parts Included; Prices Lower

Buick again demonstrated the marvelous resources and abilities of the automotive industry when it introduced the present Better Buick. Improved in this latest Buick offering are additional power and strength, the newest engineering achievements designed to give even longer motor car life, the maximum in comfort and safety, besides new beauty and refinement of design and finish representing the latest skill in body craftsmanship. And in face of these material and costly improvements lower prices are announced throughout the entire line of Standard and Master Sixes.

The announcement and the showing of the better Buicks stirred the rumors that Buick would abandon the valve-in-head for another type engine, which would permit of cheaper construction. The same principles that were inaugurated by Buick 31 years ago and which have made it the leader in the industry have been adhered to throughout.

The mechanical improvements introduced would have been considered impossibilities only a year ago. They represent the work of Buick research and engineering staffs constantly striving for betterments. The new prices likewise represent achievements of the engineering, production and business departments of the Buick organization, and are in no small measure due to the phenomenal approval of Buicks by the public. This latter factor has resulted in continuously increasing sales with the attendant possibilities of economies in purchasing and production.

The complete line includes 16 models, six in the Standard Six and ten in the Master Six class. In all cases the distinctive Buick lines have both continued, with refinements such as the rounding of radiator lines and the addition of streamlined moldings. All are finished in new and beautiful tones of Marabou Duco. Some of the models have Duo-Gum tires which in distinctive combination.

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LADY IN ATTENDANCE

ONE IS NO MORE IMPORTANT THAN THE OTHER

One of our national agricultural journals quotes approvingly this remark by Daniel Dean, a noted New York potato grower:—
"Agriculture in America has passed through two stages and is entering upon the third. The first stage was devoted entirely to the art of agriculture. Farmers were concerned with the preparation of the soil, with cultivation, with what to grow, and how to grow it. The second stage was the scientific stage. Men's thoughts centered on plant and insect pests. The third stage, which we are just entering, is the business stage, where farming is considered business and is studied as business. It is the day of business economics and farm management."

All this is probably true enough, and yet the conclusions which are sometimes drawn from such premises may be very far from sound or safe. If one concludes that farmers may now largely ignore the study of practical farm methods and of the science of agricultural production and concentrate entirely on "business economics and farm management," he is getting on exceedingly dangerous ground. It is well enough to recognize that the business or commercial side of farming is an indispensable part of any sound program of agriculture, but it will be a mistake for agricultural colleges or agricultural departments or agricultural organizations to imagine that less attention than formerly needs to be

given to scientific production. "This should ye do and not leave the other undone."

Someone has said that—
Wise production,
Wise marketing,
Wise financing,—
are the three legs of the stool that go to make up profitable farming; and it is mighty hard to say which is the most important leg of a three-legged stool. A farmer may produce wisely and yet fail because he markets his products unintelligently or he may both produce and market wisely and yet wind up in the poorhouse because of bad financing—because he lets all his profits go for "time price" purchases or Shylock loans. On the other hand, a farmer may use the most modern methods of marketing and finance and yet fail miserably if he does not use scientific and modern methods of soil management and soil breeding, fertilization, legume growing, cultivation, and seed breeding.

Lets not allow ourselves to be misled into thinking that any one form of agricultural progress is all-important and other forms may be ignored as being out of date. It would be foolish for a man to eat bread alone for breakfast, meat alone for dinner, and vegetables alone for supper. He will get best results by mixing all three—and so farmers will get best results by studying all together (1) "the art of agriculture," (2) the scientific facts about agricultural production, and (3) the business side of farming. No one-sided program will succeed. There is no "most important leg" of a three-legged stool.—The Progressive Farmer.

RECORD EDITOR TAKING VACATION IN COLORADO

W. S. Cooper, city editor the Record, is spending his vacation in the mountains of Colorado. Cooper writes that he is having a fine time and that he has to keep a fire going in his cottage every night. Thursday, while the less fortunate members of the force were laboring in the heat to get out the Record, Cooper blithely sent in a telegram from Pikes Peak summit saying that the temperature there was 35 degrees. If Bill had been any closer than Pikes Peak, he would probably have been murdered.

Cooper expects to be gone about another week, and after visiting Estes Park, Denver, and all other points of interest in Colorado, will return home through Kansas and Oklahoma.

FEEDING DAIRY COWS FOR MILK AND PROFIT

"Is there a crop I can raise which will take the place of cottonseed meal or other rich protein feeds which I now buy?"

There are crops which you can raise which will take the place of cottonseed meal, or largely take its place, but it is questionable if it will pay you to produce these crops and feed them in place of purchased cottonseed meal. For instance, 35 bushels of soybeans is probably equal in feeding value to one ton of cottonseed meal. These beans might be grown on two to three acres, but if a ton of cottonseed meal can be bought for \$40, then 35 bushels of beans need only sell for \$1.15 a bushel to make them as expensive for feeding as cottonseed meal at \$40 a ton.

The costs of feeds or their market prices must always be kept in mind whether you grow them, or buy them, and when any ready-mixed feed, oil-meal, or byproducts like wheat bran, gluten feeds, rice polish, etc., can be bought for less money, feeding value considered, such purchases should be made, instead of feeding corn, oats, etc., even though these be home-grown.—Tait Butler in Progressive Farmer.

WEST TEXAS PROGRESS

Big Lake—The June royalty on oil remitted by the Big Lake Oil Co. to the University of Texas was \$105,053.19. This company is only one of many operating in the Reagan county field.

Wheeler—On August 10th the annual meeting of the Tri-State Field Trials Association will be held on the coursing grounds six miles north of here. More than 500 dogs will participate.

Putnam—The seven mile section of the Bankhead highway between this city and Clyde is now being hard surfaced.

Merkel—The eighth gin for this city is now under construction by the Planter's Gin Co. replacing the old gin destroyed by conflagration.

Comanche—The City Council has awarded contract for Comanche's new dam to Waco contractors. Contract price includes construction of dam and reservoir. The city is to install pump filter plant and pipe lines under separate agreement.

Paint Rock—The annual meeting of the Rural Aid Department of Education of school district trustees for this region will be held at Paint Rock on August 8.

Hereford—The largest poultry culling demonstration ever held on the West Plains occurred recently near Wildorado on the J. P. Walker farm. 1,000 birds were culled.

Eden—Over 6,000 persons attended the citizen's barbecue held here this week. Better cotton prices were urged by the speakers.

Levelland—On August 6th the first train is expected to reach this city on the newly constructed Lubbock-New Mexico branch of the Santa Fe Ry. system.

Brownwood—The Old Gray Mare Band was awarded first prize as the best military band at Camp Mabry Encampment of the Texas National Guard.

Midland—The Chamber of Commerce here has been advised by the Attorney General's Department at Austin that no decision has yet been reached by the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington in the Midland & Northwestern Ry. matter.

Amarillo—The City Light & Water Co. has offered to sell the city the water works in Amarillo for \$950,000. The city officials say the price is too high.

Lubbock—R. Q. Lee, President of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, after visiting Texas Tech, predicted the new college would open its first session in September with more than 1,000 students.

San Saba—A petition is being signed here calling for an irrigation district election to vote bonds for \$1,500,000 for constructing a 35,000 acre irrigation project.

Haskell—On August 15 Haskell county will vote on a \$1,500,000 good roads bond issue. 109 miles of highway are to be paved or improved if the issue carries.

Ballinger—Boys' and Girls' Clubs of Rannels County have completed encampment here. J. D. Motley, secretary of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, presided at one of the sessions when 250 boys and girls were served ice cream.

Big Spring—The Texas & Pacific Ry. announces that \$3,500,000 in new equipment has been purchased. This includes 750 steel gondola cars, new passenger and freight locomotives, and switch engines.

There is higher priced Auto Oil but none better than Supreme XX sanded by all leading garages.

Furniture upholstering neatly done at reasonable prices.—Frank Herrington, Drug Co.

Most of the things that are offered the average consumer today in return for his Cash are Expenses and not Investments.

A HOME IS AN INVESTMENT—BUILD YOU A HOME

ROCKWELL BROS. & COMPANY
Lumbermen



If you're "Run Down" ...rest up

As home maker and housekeeper you don't have much chance for vacations. And it's no wonder that sometimes you're tired and "run down." But you can have a permanent vacation from the hardest of your household duties—the weekly wash. Our "Rough Dry" service washes and dries everything, irons the flat work—and the price is indeed moderate. Let our representative call, and start you "resting up" today.

ROUGH DRY 10c PER POUND.

Colorado Laundry



"Goodies" For Picnic Baskets

The success of your picnic is sure if you've included some bakery goods from Hurd's Bakery. They've never failed to be popular with young and old for the reason that they're pure, fresh and healthful.

Hurd's Bakery

Education Business

A good position, a big salary, a chance to succeed will be sure if you take the world-famous Draughon Training—the training that business men indorse. Ten times as many positions as graduates. Mail Coupon TODAY to Draughon's College, Abilene, Texas for Position Contract and SPECIAL INFORMATION, and be convinced.

Name _____ Address _____

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.

At Your Motor's Service

The food you put into your own stomach has a lot to do with the way you work and feel. The sort of energy you put into your motor car will have an equal influence on how it will perform.

Look for Womack and Neff's Service Station when your motor is hungry, thirsty or tired. Here you will find the "peppiest" gas, the most soothing oil and other motor tonics. Free air and free water service—and courteous attention.

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Your Banking Connection

To newcomers in Mitchell County and to those who seek a new banking connection, we extend a cordial invitation to make this bank their bank.

COMPLETE BANKING SERVICE

The City National Bank
Colorado, Texas

LOCAL NOTES

ICE COLD MELONS at Morgan's ice house. Will be open until 12 o'clock every night.

Mrs. R. L. McMurry and daughter Miss Frances, visited in Merkel Friday.

Mrs. Ben Cooper has as a guest, her niece, Miss Elizabeth Grosch, of Lawn.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE for chickens and eggs at Colorado Produce Co.

Mrs. A. E. Blanks and daughter Alice are visiting Mrs. Blanks' sister in Ada, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Fry of Paris, Texas, visiting in Colorado this week, purchased a new Chrysler car.

Mrs. Ed Rowley was an Abilene visitor last week.

Try our sandwich loaf—Quality Bakery.

Edgar Cooper, Charles Taylor, Jr., and Hugh Elliott left Monday morning for San Antonio, where they will enter the Citizens' Training Camp.

QUICK SERVICE Gasoline, Kerosene, call 414. O. O. Shurtleff

HIGHEST CASH PRICE for chickens and eggs at Colorado Produce Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sivalls have returned to their home in Cisco.

Cups and saucers 75 cts. and \$1 per set at McMurry's.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Jones of Roswell, N. M., were visitors here last week. They were joined by the Ed Jones family on a fishing trip to the Concho.

Exterminate the disease breeding pests. W. L. Doss sells a fly killing "dope" that will kill 'em right now.

Lister Ratliff has purchased a bakery at Caddo, and he left Monday to assume management of same.

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

Mrs. Lois Prude Bennett is in Clouderoft, New Mexico.

Phonograph records that will play on any machine at 49c Berman's Variety Store.

Misses Eleanor Thomas, Virgie Powell and Elsie Lee Majors left Saturday for Sierra Blanca to join Miss Majors' aunt, Mrs. John Daniels, on an outing in the Davis Mountains.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan are in New York City. Mr. Buchanan sails for Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, South America, on August 4. Mrs. Buchanan will return to Colorado for a stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Adams. She will join Mr. Buchanan in the early winter.

Kill the flies and mosquitos, It's easy if you get the fly killer dope at W. L. Doss.

Marcus Snyder sold his recently built home to Mr. and Mrs. John Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder intend to erect a home on the adjoining corner of this property, the site of their former residence destroyed by fire about a year and a half ago.

HAVE YOUR EYES EXAMINED

By Our Registered Optometrist

SATISFACTION

GUARANTEED

J. P. MAJORS

Jeweler and Optometrist

W. W. Porter was in Big Spring Monday on business.

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

County Judge and Mrs. C. C. Thompson of Colorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Taylor of Loraine are on vacation in Erath county. They are expected to return this week.

NOTICE. I now have a full line of Watkins Remedies. See my stock now, at the Rogers East Side Grocery, East Colorado. Phone 101.

Sheriff L. W. Terry has returned from a fishing trip to Crystal Falls, on the Clear Fork of the Brazos.

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

R. L. Spalding and family, Bob Cooper and family and J. H. Cooper returned home Monday night after spending two weeks visiting Christoval, Del Rio, San Antonio, and Corpus Christi. Spalding says Mitchell county is still the best place on earth.

About August 15th, I will open an up-to-date Dental office in the N. E. suite of rooms on the upper floor of the C. L. Root new office building. Your acquaintance and patronage will be appreciated. 8-14c

STUART W. BROWNING, D.D.S.

George Colvin of Ft. Worth visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Pearson this week. Colvin lived in Colorado a number of years ago.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE for chickens and eggs at Colorado Produce Co.

Mrs. Vauchet of Los Angeles is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. Adams.

Plates, cups and saucers, bowls, etc week at Berman's Variety Store.

G. W. Crawford, traveling passenger agent for the Texas & Pacific Railway Co., was in Colorado on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lee spent the week end with friends in Childress. They returned Monday satisfied that Mitchell county is the best spot in Texas. The continued drought in many parts of the State has greatly injured the crops in other places, Lee reports.

Furniture upholstery neatly done at reasonable prices.—Frank Herrington.

You will save money on dishes if you come to Berman's Variety Store.

J. Ralph Lee, owner of the Colorado Steam Laundry, and W. E. Reid, machine foreman of the Colorado Record, were business visitors to Midland Wednesday.

Mr. Reid owns some valuable business property here, and believes in the future of the town. He is a strong advocate for street paving here, and is ready to go his part whenever the project is started.—Midland Reporter

W. L. Doss sells a fly dope that will do the work. Give it a trial.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Whipkey, of Colorado, Texas, are here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Queen. Mesdames Whipkey and Queen are sisters. The Whipkeys formerly lived in Williamson county, he having started the publication of a newspaper at Granger in 1886. Thirty years ago he removed to the West and has built up in the city of Colorado, one of the greatest publishing houses of that section. He is editor of the Colorado Record, a splendid and prosperous newspaper in a great and growing country. Mr. and Mrs. Whipkey will be away from home several weeks and will tour the West.—Williamson Co. Sun.

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

Fancy picnic napkins at the Record office.

PENNANT OILS Call No. 414 or see O.O. Shurtleff

Rev. M. C. Bishop and family left Tuesday for Post City to attend the Baptist Encampment. Mr. Bishop and daughter have a place on the program.

Miss Daisy Adams of O'Donnell visited Miss Frances McMurry.

"Quality Bread" baked daily.

Delco-Light AND Frigidaire

HOUSEHOLD AND COMMERCIAL

Ed J. Thompson

Snyder Phone 126 Texas

A BARGAIN

You can save money if you see our second hand cars BEFORE you buy. Call for O. B. ROBINSON at B. A. ALLEN, Dodge Brothers Dealer Gas, Oil, Tires and Tubes. Phone No. 19.

Demand "Quality Bread."

My office is now located in the Old Colorado National Bank building, over the Mission Theater. Come up the iron stairway where a welcome awaits you.

W. H. GARRETT, Lawyer and Notary.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE for chickens and eggs at Colorado Produce Co.

Fruit pies at "Quality Bakery."

Reduced prices on chinaware this week at Berman's Variety Store.

WANTED: Two ladies for educational work, only few hours weekly; no selling; guaranteed salary \$120, plus commission. No experience necessary. Inquire of Miss Aline Moody, Barcroft Hotel, Thursday and Friday only. 1tp

All kinds of glassware at real bargain prices at McMurry's.

Notice—My ice house will close at 10 o'clock every Sunday morning, and open at 5 o'clock. Get your ice early.—R. L. Spalding.

BROTHERHOOD MEETING. R. G. Peach will lead Sunday. Ford Quartet will sing, 4 p. m. time, Tabernacle the place.

ICE COLD MELONS at Morgan's ice house. Will be open until 12 o'clock every night.

We have another lot of new phonograph records at 49c. Hear them at Berman's Variety Store.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE for chickens and eggs at Colorado Produce Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Geron of Paris, parents of Mrs. Louis Collier and Harold Hale are visiting Mrs. Louis Collier.

Mr. G. H. Little of Mineral Wells visited Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Earnest.

Bickmore's Calf Cure.—Alcove Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Winn are home from Colorado Springs.

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

Little Billie Wyatt is convalescing from a critical illness of several weeks' duration.

Notice—My ice house will close at 10 o'clock every Sunday morning, and open at 5 o'clock. Get your ice early.—R. L. Spalding.

Miss Daisy Adams left for her home at O'Donnell, after a pleasant visit with Miss Frances McMurry.

Miss Rosalie Pritchett of Waco is visiting Mrs. Walter McKinney.

Episcopal ice cream supper on Prude lawn, Thursday, August 6, beginning at 8 p. m. Everyone invited.

See the new Remington Portable Typewriter with wide carriage at the Record office.

Mesdames Ford Morris and B. F. Wilson, and Misses Cook and Violet Moesser are attending the Baptist Encampment at Post.

"Quality Bread" at all grocers.

Mr. W. S. Schley spent Friday at Abilene, attending the Ginmen's convention.

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

Mrs. J. M. Doss and little daughter Doris Flo, are visiting homefolk at Post.

Mr. A. E. Maddin has been sick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jones, Zora Earl Jones and A. C. Jones, Jr., of Roswell, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Jones of Amarillo. They all spent several days at Garner's Dam on the Concho.

Frances Lupton underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils this week.

The families of Lee Jones and J. M. Charlton are at home, after a visit at Ruidoso, N. M.

Rex Harriman, W. W. Porter, Ed Jones and J. E. Chase motored over to Big Spring Monday afternoon to inspect the new building being erected by the Christian Church there. They went as a committee from the local congregation to gather ideas for the new building to be erected soon in Colorado by the First Christian Church.

EDMONDSON TO INCORPORATE BUSINESS FIRST OF SEPTEMBER

At the beginning of my Close Out of Business Sale on the 16th day of April I fully believed that I would have both of my stores sold out by this time, but to date no offer worth considering has been received. At the beginning I wrote each of my jobbers requesting them to be on the lookout for a buyer. To date all efforts have been a failure. Now I will continue my efforts to close out until the first day of September. If I don't succeed in finding a buyer by that time, I will change my plans for the fall business.

The first thought and plan is that I must have more room for my Furniture and Hardware. I want a brick or concrete building where my sheet iron building now stands. Size, 40 feet wide and 150 feet long, facing the highway, and also facing the street next the railroad. I also plan to incorporate the business for \$100,000, and offer stock for sale in \$500 or \$1,000 or more if desired, and plan for the business to be handled in the same manner as banks, etc., with a President and a Board of Directors. I plan for this to be a Department Store with a manager at the head of each department. As an inducement for stockholders, all monthly accounts of stockholders that are paid promptly before the fifth of the month, will be rebated ten per cent. If not paid by the fifth of the month, the account will stand as those of other customers. This benefit to stockholders is in addition to their annual gains which will be repoted the first of each year.

The shares will be priced at \$100 each and I will be glad to talk to any one who is interested along this line before Sept 1st. You know me personally and my reputation as a business man, and my surroundings should be evidence sufficient that I have made a success in life. My purpose is this: My present capital is not sufficient to carry in stock the many different lines of merchandise demanded of me by my good friends and customers. I will assure you that if this plan is carried out that I will personally remain in the business and will retain all of the stock not sold. It will be satisfactory with me to sell either fifty or seventy-five per cent of the stock.

My trade is unequalled in West Texas in any town of the same population and when properly organized by the help of my stockholders, good friends and customers, I believe there will be an increase of twenty-five to fifty per cent in our business. I am sincere in saying that this is an opportunity that has never before been offered to our farmer friends as an investment. I will want you as a partner as well as a customer.

THE FROCK SHOP

and Hemstitching Machine will move after August 1st from Adams store to Garber's dry goods store. You will find us there from 8 a. m. until 6 p. m. Your work will be done first class, satisfaction guaranteed. We make beautiful dinner dresses, evening dresses, wraps, capes, layets, trousseaus and all kinds of beautiful suits.—Mrs. W. P. Edwards, Box 1004, Colorado, Texas. 9-18c

At night after the evening meal is the Wright hour. Then read aloud to the family.

Harold Bell Wright's

greatest and best story, "A Son of His Time." Several hundred thousand families are doing this within a week after publication. Price of book, \$1.00 a copy. Book, \$1.00. Booklet, \$0.10. Apportion & Company, 200 West 11th Street, New York.

Mrs. Shurtleff, sister of John Shurtleff, has been sick this week.

FOR OLD AND YOUNG

Tutt's Liver Pills act so kindly on the delicate female or infirm old age as upon the vigorous man.

Tutt's Pills

Tone and strengthen the weak Stomach, Bowels, Kidneys, and Bladder.

FREE!

We are GIVING AWAY FREE one gallon of OIL with every five gallons of gasoline or more, purchased from us on SATURDAY, AUGUST FIRST. We are also giving to our customers on this day FREE CRANK CASE SERVICE and FREE TIRE SERVICE.

Don't Forget The Date Aug. 1

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Dodge Brothers New Approved Service Station.
Gas, Oil, Tires, and Tubes.
Phone No. 19

Keep Cool

When The Mercury Bursts on Top of The Thermometer Everybody Drinks SOMETHING COOL

When all that happens and folks wonder why they can't quench their thirst, is when we are doing our utmost to satisfy that unextinguishable desire for

SOMETHING COOL

You cannot find a better place to come to enjoy yourself with our cold and refreshing Soda Fountain Drinks and Dishes, which are served to you by competent attendants who strive to make every drink better and more pleasing to your taste than the one before.

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That day a school an equ have w of good ed in a Hale, c er coun the rir ment o Colema board o before trustee at the o The rresentat tes of f presided ing the remisc ed some lic scho Coleman ed with county years. "I am who stat school fe mission o Hale sta dress. in mould our boys tant to s minister things." In cha more c Hale said annual s est paid Lizzie o you trust year to and girls spend on every ye in Texas every ye payment The sp school d means of tutions l and girls is coming twenty should do be accom Hale s less than quite to that ever justly ch more dis ern bric regular o manual t trict that school ta charged. trict in F the dolla ty in the Mr. Co sonal rep partment interestin which sh ral schoo patrons. ent to e bettering suggestin was offer tion of th the build Manual as urge s most keep boy the same so badly school ro today. pledging assistance improven There ing boys conserve mestic s nary me