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Corn fed cattle and desireable grass recovered." This remedy not beeves sold well although the former only cures croup, but when givshowed a weaker tendency towards en as soon as the first symptoms the close of the week. The top price appear, will prevent the attack. for the week was reached on Tues-It contains no opium or other day when a lot of 13771b natives brought 6.60, and while there are no harmful substance and may be toppy grassers offered, competent given as confidently to a baby salesmen quoted them as worth 5.00. as to an adult. For sale by the The first fed steers of The winter Hadley Drug Company, the were received in the Southern yards Leading Druggists. and consisted of four loads of the A.

G. Pannill cattle from Kaufman, Tex-The valedictory of brother Alf. W. as, 2 loads of which averaged 9911bs and sold at at 4.50 and 2 loads 1064 Collier, of the Trinity Valley Herald, Ibs that realized 4.65. Range cattle Bridgeport, Texas, strikes a responwere well received and sold generally sive chord and tender spot in our at 3.00 to 4.00 and 50 to 60 cents high- heart. He is leaving his best years' sold at 1.75 to 2.25 and fair to good tronage enough to pay his honest debts. We thank him for the help

There was little change in the hog his example has been to us in our of the previous week. The consensus may engage.

of opinion is that there will be little Many people are suffering fearfully the steers the better. if any greater reduction in hog values for some time to come and that from indigestion or dyspepsia when there need be no fear of not receiving one single bottle of Herbine would remunerative prices for hogs fed on bring about a prompt and permanent Brooks and others, are now in old Castle Garden, 'New York, high priced grain. The best heavy cure. A few doses will do more for a Kansas City with a few car to hear Jennie Lind sing as no hogs sell at 5.90 to 6.00; mixed and weak stomach than a prolonged loads of fat cows and others will other songstress ever had sung

medium weights at 5.70 to 5.90; lights course of any other medicine. Price at 5.25 to 5.80 and desireable pigs at 50% at Hadley Drug Company's

> Our Mr. Donaldson is at home after buying the largest stock ever brought to the Plains



br'sk through this month, and in some remote corner of crea possibly well into next as the tion. Just look for instance er than at the low time in October. work behind him, being compelled to owners have yet failed to find what that good clever "Jasper" The poorest of the Southern cows give up his paper for lack of cash pa- buyers for the several hundred has done for me, to make my red bald faced yearlings, hence heart leap for joy, pictured a they are shipping out their sur- nice little home with a beautiful market during the week and the work and wish him the success he plus of fat cows in order tealize dishwasher. Home, that name closing prices were about/like those deserves in any business in which he the necessary cash to carry them, touches every fiber of the soul through the winter, and also to and strikes every chord of the

enable them to feed and care for human heart with its angelic fingers.. Some years ago twee

Messrs. E. G. Knight, E. ly thousand people gathered in follow the later part of this the sublime compositions of Be-

35 week.

on the Plains. WE ARE THE PEOPLE

> who put in six days in the week striving to please with bargains in all kinds of dry goods, clothing, boots, shoes, hats, caps, and in fact, any thing needed by

#### PATRONS. OUR

You can always find anything you want to eat in either staple or fancy groceries, canned goods, candies, pickles, dried fruits, etc. at the

Casharyon Manti

been spending a few days with Dr. Cartwright's family on the ranch. Mr. Kilburn, M. S. Park and Dr. Cartwright sold a few fat

cattle last week around the twenty dollar mark. Miss Lottie Park who is po sessed of all the good qualities of noble young womanhood, is doing a good work in the school room and her pupils and patrons like her.

Grandpa and grandma Ste vens will spend the winter in Amarillo as Dr. Cartwright and family leave for South-west Texas in a few weeks to spend the winter on the Rio Grande river. With the best of wishes for The Stayer force.

Yours, X. T. Z. 

pleased at the results. tf

thoven Howell & Co. At length

Health of the country gener- the Sweedish Nightingale ally is exceptionally good, I be thought of her home, paused lieve, better than the writer has and seemed to fold her wings seen in over two years residence for a higher flight, she began A singular combination of Home, Sweet Home. The audi-

singing and writing school be- ence could not stand it. An upgins this morning at Fairview roar of applause stopped the school house (Rowan school music and tears gushed from house) taught by Rev. Mr. those thousands like rain. Be-Chambers, of Scurry county, who thoven and Howell were forgot seems to be the right man and ten and after a moment the song gives full satisfaction in his line came again, seemingly, as from and we understand that nearly heaven, almost angelic. "Jas all of the young ladies and per" has been a Jennie Lind to gentlemen for quite a distance me in describing or representing around with smaller fry thrown X. T. Z's. new home and the sweet lady who decides to make in are going to attend. The people around Fanchon, that home angelic or other wise. old and young enjoyed a singing Cousins come on with your bee at Mr. Jim Cox's last Snn- mite of good words and tell day evening. The singing was them through The Stayer that there was less than half of it

led by Bro. Chambers with or they may be gather up and gan accompaniment by the bring forth much fruit. young ladies. The news items in our commu-Mr. Shaffer and family landed nity are not very exciting this baking for the purpose of filling

in our midst last evening, from week. Hillsboro and has bought a sec- Most everyone seem to rejoice the public to decide whether tion of land about 12 miles from that providence has smiled on Ungle Frank has the appearance us in the Lone school house them and the fall's work is about of one who will sit idly by and SMITH, WALKER & CO

Mr. J. M. Vansant is now in the real estate business and solicits the patronage of the pub-

Last Saturday Mr. H. E. Rogerson, well known as one of the most enterprising, whole souled friends. It was the pleasure of the publisher to enjoy the feast, (the editor being absent.) The meal was properly cooked and for a large number of people. Uncle Frank Lester and the attention to a large coa coa nut Hadley Drug Company's. cake about 12 inches across and five inches thick, and when they were ready to leave the table left. Of course, Uncle Frank

says the publisher ate it, and promises to have a special cake him up, but we will leave it to

Dr. Thomas O'Dell, of Gainesville, Texas, has located in Canyon City and will be associated with Dr. D. M. Stewart, in the practice of medicine.

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M. C. Chamlee, the Jeweler, will soon have on hand a stock of watches. Call and get his prices when you want a watch or clock. tf

M. S. Lusby has been under the weather for several days. ----

Home Comfort coffee is the best. J. A. Wansley & Co. -----

Dr. Guest, is in town looking out a location for himself. He bought land about thirteen miles south of town for his father.

THAT THROBBING HEADACHE. Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headlic. Give him a trial and be aches. They make pure blood and build my your health. Only 25¢ Money back if not cured. Sold by Hadley

Drug Co.

A petition for a road to run south-west of town was presentand generous hearted gentlemen ed to the commissioner's court with deep emotion to pour forth that ever lived in this country, this week and denied because gave a magnificent dinner at the the route was impracticable. Rogerson Hotel to many of his We understand that it would have had better chance of success had it been over different" ground.

> nicely served and it was a feast For all fresh cuts or wounds, either on the human subject or on animals, Ballard's Snow Liniment is excellent; while for corn husker's sprained wrists publisher of The Stayer after barbed-wire cuts and sores on workeating a full share of fruits, veg- ing horses, it cannot be too highly etables and turkey, turned their commended. Price, 25 and 50c at

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## The Cleanest and Best Wagon wearing her shoe as usual and Yard and Camp Houses on the Plains. Your patronage solicited chant of Forkland, Va. Pain

Seed of All

Give us a call when you come to Canyon City.

The Hadley Drug Company Dr. Edgar P. Lewis, dentist, sale by the Hadley Drug Comhave just received a lot of Parke who is now associated with Dod- pany, the Leading Druggists. Davis & Company's blackleg son Bros., of Amarillo, will be vaccine and syringes for apply in Canyon City Nov. 18 to 23 at ing it. Stock men are invited Hotel Victoria. to call and examine them.

#### **General Stock News**.

Kinds.

W. H. Norris has been buying calves lately, paying from \$8 to

hard shape, crops poor, water Tom McFarland bought from scarce, grass none. We passed M. L. Bell 120 coming ones and thousands of poor cattle at twos at p. t. May delivery.

quarantine line. One man, Mr. shipped from Childress to the Laster, from Jack county, had St. Jo market Monday 16 cars

grass nor water in Jack county ranchman, was here Saturday lem. Out of eleven hundred was in the market for a nice bead inspected last week, only bunch of twos and threes, past.

Kansas City Wednesday. M. C. Chamlee. Hugh Brown has sold his place near Rowe to J. T. Adamson, of Collin county. The place consists of 240 acres patented land 0 and 320 acres school land, and is well improved. The consideration was 2475. Mr. Brown is negotiating for another place. nearer town and will continue to O run the broom factory .--- Claren- $\mathbf{O}$ don Banner- Stockman.

#### Jumped on a Ten Penny Nail.

The little daughter of Mr. J. N. Powell jumped on an inverted rake made ot ten penny nails, and thrust one nail entirely. through her foot and a second one half way through. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was promptly applied and five minutes later the pain had disappeared and no more suffering was experienced. In three days the child was ing the joiner's house he was surprised to see Sandy standing in the midst of with absolutely no discomfort. Mr. Powell is a well known mer-Balm is an antiseptic and heals such injuries without maturation side."--Dundee .(Scotland) News. and in one-third the time required by the usual treatment. For

Webster Revised.

A Liberal Offer. The undersigned will give a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to any one wanting a reliable remedy for disorders of the stom-

M. C. Chamlee

Outside and Inside.

windy night, as the minister was pass-

said Sandy, somewhat sadly. "Man,

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"Any Old Time."

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Lawyer is a man who lives off ach, billiousness or constipation. This is a new remedy and a good one. Hadley Drug Com-

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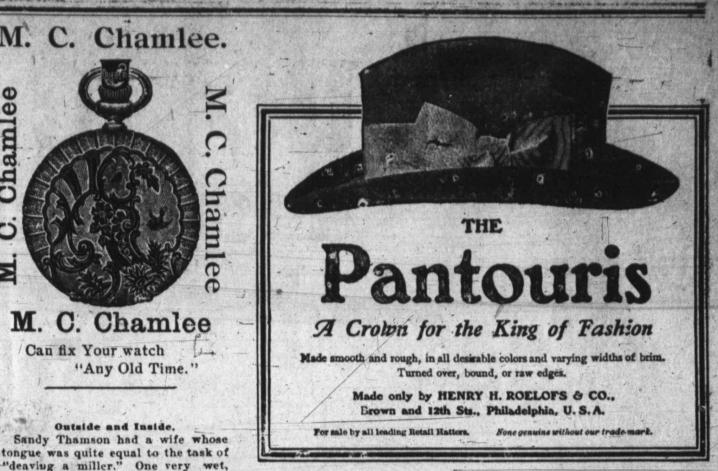


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M. NEWMAN, MANAGER,



The Indian.

"But, after all," said the Indian, "our badness is only skin deep!"

Seeing that the world was in no small "Dear me," said the minister, "what degree perplexed at his manner of arare you doing outside on a night like riving at this conclusion, the red man continuel: "Oh, I'm shelterin' frae the storm,"

"For nobody finds fault with us so long as we suffer ourselves to be skinned!"

Here the world coughed violently, after which it spoke feelingly of the lovely weather we are having .- Detroit Journal.

The Lost Kiss. He, bashful, did not ask of her Love's token when he should-And now, regretful, he recalls She looked as if she would. -Puck.

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Why, Mrs. Malage, haven't you seen

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Where He Went for It. Albert was sent downtown by his mother to get some horseradish which she needed for her pickles. After quite a long absence he came

back home, tired and empty-handed. "Well, where is the horseradish?" asked his mother.

"Why, mother, I went to every livery stable in town, and they didn't have a bit," answered Albert, with . weary sigh .- Tit-Bits. ية ملتديدة

Never try to coax a cold or cough, use the remedy that unfailingly. conquers both. BALLARDS HOREHOUND SYRUP is the great specific for all throat and lung troubles. Price 25 and 50¢ at Hadley Drug Company's

Objectionable in Either Case. "Why did she break the engagement?

"He told her that she was the only girl he had ever kissed.' "What of it?"

"Why, she naturally reasoned that he was either untruthful or absurdly foolish, and he was hardly worth having in either case."-Chicago Post.

The Outlook.

"Will you still love me, Clara, if, after we are married, you discover me to be full of faults?"

"Of course, Clarence, I'm terribly proud; and I never could bring myself to admit-even to you-that I had made the mistake of my life."-Chicago Record-Herald.

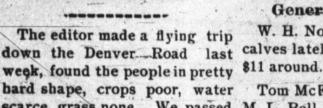
Little Tommy Knew.

Minister-If anyone present can show cause why this couple should not become joined together as man and wife, let him speak or forever hold his "Why, ma'am, my husband don't peace.

Little Tommy-I kin, mister. He

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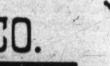
as ticky and could not be passed over. Mr. Laster had neither so he could not take them back, and what he will do, is a prob-



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paying fourteen for them besides town for \$2,000. Mr. Easum one hundred and three dollars says that next year he will put freight. The below quarantine in an even square mile of feed people have lots of hard luck stuffs. stories to tell.

GROCERIES.

eleven passed over. One man M. W. Easum has sold to Mrs.

brought up 119 head and sold W. A. Martin his one-section im-

As an illustration of the prof-

its in cattle business W. H. Norris tells this story: Eight years Mackerel at Smith, Walker & ago he bought a heifer yearling for \$12 and turned her on the others leave.-Ex.

range. Keeping track of her Mrs. R. W. Morgan, the bright, and her progency as well, as he be had at the Canyon City Pharrustling editress of the Stayer, could he figured that her increase macy. published at Canyon City, in has amounted to over \$400 to Randall county, was in town a date. He still has the original New Passenger Schedule. couple of days this week visit- cow as well as all the she stock. ing her mother. Mrs. Morgan

J. Cuddy, of Eldridge, was in is thoroughly identified with the Plains country, and does town yesterday. Mr. Cuddy not fail, when opportunity of- wants to buy 100 steer yearlings. fers, to proclaim from the house. He reports all feed crops saved tops the enviable qualities of before frost in Gray county.

her country and her people. To Gus Pyron and Col. Brooks show what the soil up there will came in Friday from the Pyron do when tickled with the hoe, ranch in Wheeler county. They she brought the Timbers office put the laugh on themselves by a head of cabbage that weighed getting lost in the fog and wan-121 pounds. To others she dering around in a circle for brought green corn, etc. The several hours, finally bringing products shown are remarkable up at the point from which they and show up Randall county in started. Mr. Pyron recently an enviable light. When the purchased from D. E. Elliott his Canyon City people want to re- three-section improved ranch move the bushel from off the light adjoining the OV ranch in so that the rays may reach to re. Wheeler county. The price mote parts, they should detail paid was \$1,500 and about \$500 Mrs. Morgan to advertise their worth of feed stuff was thrown good works for them, for she's a in. He reports a good rain hummer .- Bowie Cross Timbers. Thursday and Friday.

Thank you brethren. He that Sam P. Edwards, of Eureka, tooteth not his town's horn get-Kas., bas been here this week teth not the same tooted. Selah. looking for feeders.

------------Go to the Canyon City Pharmacy for fine Cigars.

A Banker? He lives off their money, Groceryman? He lives off their appetites. A Preacher? He lives off their credulity. And an Editor?.

fortunes.

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DIRECT CONNECTION IN BOTH DI-RECTIONS BETWEEN CANYON CITY AND KANSAS CITY. THROUGH SLEEPERS BETWEEN CARLSBAD AND WICHITA.

Beginning Sunday, November 3rd, the Pecos System will put in effect a new schedule of passenger service, the changes. being of special advantage to patrons of the line. Train No. 202 for the north will leave Canyon City at 6:08 p. m., arriving at Amarillo at 6:55 p. m., where direct connections will be made with the Southern Kansas of Texas train for Kansas City, arriving at Kansas City on the evening of the second day.

A special feature of the new schedule will be through sleepers in each direction between Carlsbad and Wichita, Kansas making close connections with the Santa Fe Kansas City sleepers. Train No. 201 from the north will reach Canyon City at

Thirty cars of Matador cattle 10:05 a.m., leaving Amarillo at were shipped from Estelline to 9:25 a.m.

His One Act of Wisdom. That young Jollikings seems to be about the biggest fool I ever saw. All he does is go gallivanting around, spending money like water and letting the girls who want to have a good time making a monkey of him. What good does such a fellow do the world?" "You've got me guessing there. And yet, in spite of his general foolishness, he did none thing once that was much Oh! he lives off the scraps the wiser than anything you or I ever did." "What was that?"

"Picked out a millionaire, to be his father."-Chicago Record-Herald.

Scientific American. Works Both Ways, He against common sense offends Who burns the candle at both ends, Yet where is there way more complete By which we can make both ends meet? -Judge.



Whither other lines have come to share in the results of the good times in that section.

### PROSPERITY DEMANDS RAILROADS.

The Chicago, Rock Island & Mexico Already crossing "The Denver Road" at Dalhart. The Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf

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Now building to "The Denver Road" at Vernon. The Kansas City, Mexico & Orient

Expected to join "The Deaver Road" at Chilicothe. The Frisco System

Which may meet "The Denver Road" at Acme.

The Arkansas & Choclas

Headed for "The Denver Road" at Wichita Falls.

All this, taken with the activity of immigration and real estate agents, many new settlers, numbers buying Special 30 Day Home Seekers' Tickets, and others seeking information, indicates that "THE DENVER ROAD" is considered good company in a desirable neighborhood.

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N. B .- If you want to get choice of best locations you may have to hasten; and remember this: "Only One Road," and "You Don't Have to N.'Y. Weekly. tf Apologize.

Weekly Stock Train. NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

Amarillo, Texas, August 29, 1901.-We have arranged to start a Weekly Stock Train for Kansas City, beginning on next Sunday night, September 1st, 1901. It is expected that this train will leave: ..12.30 A. M. Monday Carlsbad ..... Roswell ..... 4.00 Portales ...... 8.30 .10.30 Bovina . Hereford. .12.30 P. M. Canyon City .....in 2.00 Amarillo.... 4.30 Washburn. Panhandle. 5,35

Miami 7.35 Canadian.. 8.35 9.50 Higgins..... .11.35 Woodward..... Where it will connect with a train on the Atchison line that it is hoped will put cattle into Kansas City for

Wednesday's market, BUT IT MUST BE UNDERSTOOD THAT WE DO NOT GUAR-ANTEE TO MAKE THIS MARKET, AS WE are liable to be delayed in gathering shipments all along the line, as this train contemplates, and may have to unload for feed and rest, in order to comply with the law. We have se-Wednesday's market for the lected reason that we are assured that the -market on the following day, Thursday, is equally good, and our pat-rons are therefore protected as far as we can protect them against loss on account of possible delay as above suggested.

We will still continue to handle train load shipments, with proper Soon to join "The Denver Road" at Wichita Falls and Amarillo. notice, on any day of the week as suits shipper. This weekly stock train is simply intended to take care of shipments that would otherwise have to be handled by way freight trains and neccessarily suffer considerable delay. Don A. Sweet, Traffic Manager.

#### Too Liberal

Wife-Here is au advertisement in the paper that you'd better look into. It says a man is wanted, and he won't be worked to death, and he'll get paid enough to live on.

Husband-Says he won't be worked to death, eh?

"Yes; and they promise pay enough to live on."

"Huh! Some catch about that!"-

## LONG LEAF YELLOW PINE LUMBER,

## THE BEST TO BE HAD FOR STRENGTH.

Arbuckles' THE famous Mouldings, Doors, Windows, Lim, Cement, trotyping plant is a heavy in-Paints, Oil, Building Paper, Etc. Courteous vestment, but unless its contemtreatment and good material for all.





Thè good looking and popular freight agent at Canyon City. The above young gentlemen after their return from visiting young lady friends at Hereford.

#### BEVERLY BRIEFS.

BEVERLY, NOVEMBER, 11TH. DA nice paying drug store in Weather cold and fine. Old jack frost has visited withered.

The health of the community

No marriages, no deaths and no births since we last wrote. School is progressing fine and city. Marvin Faulkner, Wright the children seem to be well A. A. Hogan and Mr. Stringer, Mrs. C. Adair is expected to erly. They report an immense be at the Tule ranch next week. time, particularly in attending She will be with the cowboys theatres etc. during this week. She is an expert rider and has her horses

Mr. Wiley Morris one of Silverton's young men passed Herbine sweetens the breath, brightens the eyes and clears the complex-Monday evening on his way whatever, and ensures the natural Ft. Worth, Texas November

time to buy presents for the CHAS. BURROW, holidays while you can get your The efficient local manager of th choice. Canyon Lumber Company.

For Trade.

to Kansas Citylast week:

Foster, J. P. Crawford this

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown, of

Lockney, are visiting Mr. I. G

Last Friday Mr. H. C. Rogerson gave a display of his water works. He was baving his tank cleaned out and the water was thrown on the Hadley Drug Co's. this town to trade for Panbandle store. Those who witnessed it us land. Address: Smith's Palace were satisfied that much fire and every thing looks dead and Drug Store, Iowa Park, Tex. 36 could be controlled by it. Mr. Rogerson's water works has The following gentlemen went twice been of benefit in case of fire. Oh! for a dozen such men Geo. Long, Bill Black, Bob.

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than our \$1.00 pants. See them. Smith, Walker & Co.

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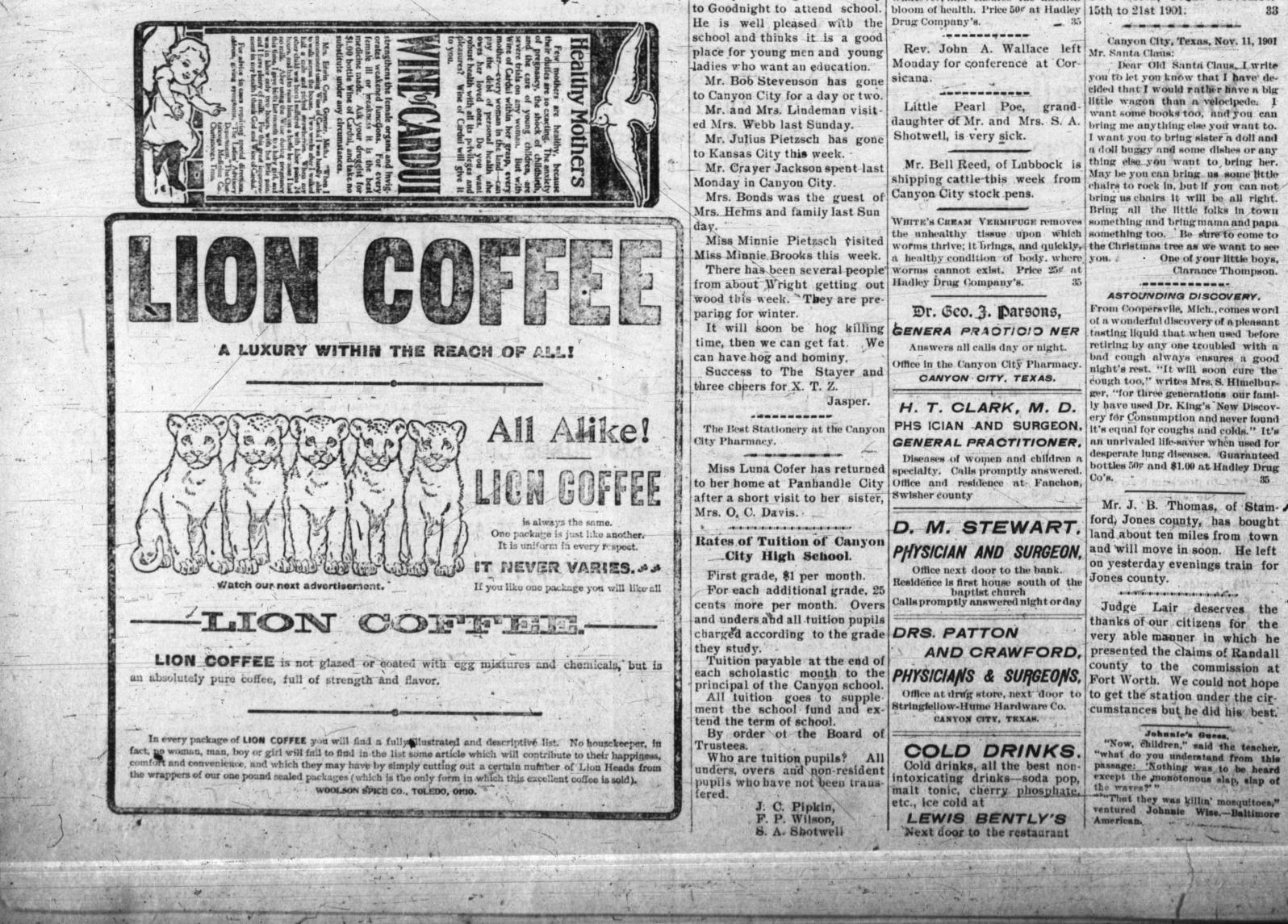
-----Agents of the Texas & Pacific Railway Company in Texas and Shreveport, La., have been instructed to sell round trip tickets to Ft. Worth, Texas, November 22nd, at very low rates, account National Woman's through the neighborhood last ensure eyes and clears the complex Christian Temperance Union,

The low price at which Arbuckles' famous roasted coffee can be sold is made possible by its enormous sale. It should not be classed with the inferior imitations sold at a cent a pound less than Arbuckles'. It has a quality greatly superior to these imitations and makes many more cupfuls to the pound. No other firm in the world can buy coffee to so good advantage as the producers of Arbuckles' Coffee. No other coffee is cleaned, roasted or blended with such great care and skill. When you buy Arbuckles' you get better quality and greater value than you can get in any other coffee at anywhere near the same price. You also get with each package a definite part in some useful article. Full information with each package.

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A Violent Attack of Croup Cured. "Last winter an infant child

of mine had croup in a violent

form," says Elder John W. Rog-

s, Nov. 11, 1901

Claus, I write at I have deher have a big velocipede: 1 and you can you want to. ter a doll and dishes or any to bring her. us some little you can not be all right. olks in town ama and papa re to come to 'e want to see ur little boys, ce Thompson.

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The cow supply comprised many varieties, ranging from the weatherbeaten, cast off grand dams of the current at around 2.00 per 100-weight along with their brothers up to 5.35. All grades of females were received with the deference due the sex and the market closed a little higher on the week.

week's offerings was the liberal per-

centage of short-fed cattle and, while

there was no especial discrimination

against that class of cattle, consign-

ers were disappointed with the re-

turns.

Light stock cattle and the common class of feeders that had accumulated in the hands of traders during the previous week were closed out at very low prices and 17,200 head cattle and calves went to the count during the week, as compared w 15,300 for the corresponding we last year. Good to choice feede are still popular at steady prices b range buyers have withdrawn fro the market and the common to m dium grades are in very slack mand.

Southern cattle receipts during t week were but little above 4,000 and the lightest since last May, but as the federal "open season" is now in force there will probably be many cattle inspected and moved northward to pastures and feedlots. Southern steers showed some weakness, in sympathy with the decline in natives but a load of fed Indians from Miami sold at 4.40 which was nearly as much as they would have realized the week before. Range ateers that averaged from 875 to 975 pounds were taken largely at 3.35 to 3.75 and the poorer grades at all the way down to 2.40, while cow values ranged from 1.90 to 3.00.

There were heavy receipts at all markets and while packers were ready purchasers of the prime medium to heavy grades there was a sharp decline in light and pig weights which ranged from 20 to 40%. Top heavies sold at 6.00 on Saturday against 5.95 on the Saturday before but the bulk of sales ranged from 5:30 to 5.85 as compared with a 5.50 day. Mixed and medium hogs closed for the week at 5.60 to 5.85; lights at 5.00 to 5.80 and desirable pigs at 4.50 to 5.00. Receipts of live stock for the past week were: 42.000

Hogs. For the preceeding week: 48,000 Cattle. .68,000 Hogs. Sheep ... Corresponding week last year:

Hogs .... Sheep.

accumulated by other houses to run off at 20 to 25 per cent. below erbeaten, cast off grand dams of the cost. If you want Good, Clean, Seasonable goods at prices that to the tallow laden helfers that sold will satisfy you give us a chance to show you our goods and prices, and if they are not right don't buy. A flome early and set the eselganoo ulas.

## We will sell you:

of	All Dress Prints per yard
try	A Good yard wide Brown Domestic
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The above prices are only indicators of the prices that apply all the way through our stock of

# DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, ETC.

## Our the state of the set of the set designed by STOCK OF GROCER

Is full and Complete at right prices.

to 5.90 bulk on the preceeding Satur- No Goods will be Charged at cut prices. No trading Stamps allowed

## This Sale holds Good until Dec. 25th, Yours for Trade ALLASSA STATISTICA

of the printing destroit from to your NYON MERCANTILE COMPANY

Ganyon City. Texas, Nov.18th, 1901.

ers, a Christian Evangelist, of Filley, Mo. "I gave her a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and in a short time all danger was past and the child recovered." This remedy not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the first symptoms appear, will prevent the attack. It contains no opium or other harmful substance and may be given as confidently to a baby \$1.15 as to an adult. For sale by the 2.90 Hadley Drug Company, the 4.45 Leading Druggists.

1.10 Your Prescriptions Carefully 1.70 Compounded, Day or Night at 2.20 4.25 Canyon City Pharmacy.

8.85

3,10

A Double Wedding. On Sunday Nov. 17 at 7.30 p. m. Mr. James Coffee and Miss

Ida Robeson, Mr. Sterling Coffee and Miss Jessie Robeson were united in marriage, Rev. T. F. Robeson, father of the brides, officiating, In these happy unions every element of success and happiness seems blended. The charming brides are talented, accomplished ladies, trained by a most excellent mother and pious father, they bave always walked the straight and narrow path of duty and honor, leading pure, quiet lives, adorned with every feminine virtue. The young grooms are exemplary young men against whom no reproach has ever been cast, they bear the reputation of being upright, industrious, high minded gentlemen. We extend our sincere congratulations and wish them a happy, useful life, crowned with joyous age. that they may at last present themselves hand in hand before the gates of His glory to receive the reward of a well spent life.

----------There is probably no disease more distressing and annoying than piles. Tablers Buckeye Pile Olutment is daily curing cases of years standing of itching and bleeding piles. The cure begins on the first application, a little perseverance makes the cure complete. Price, 50# in bottles, 75# in tubes at Hadley Drug Co's.



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SUBSCRIPTION. 

#### OR GOVERNOR ergeant Sam W. T. Lanham

#### TO CORRESPONDENTS

We are anxiets to have correspon sub from each school community is country tributary to Canyon

ns, conditions of crops and les of stock when the price a and age of stock, and es of parties to the transactions re given are of interest to stocking ithh, deaths, marriages, pe oving into the comm to going out, etc. are matters

Religious, educational and soct matters indicate to the world the at-

ention given to such things. Strictly avoid mentioning little poubles or other matters that will be unpleasant to any one

Correspondents will kindly furnish us the name and post office of the chool teacher in your neighborhood As matters of importance come in late we would urge correspondents to have communications to reach us as early as Tuesday morning to be certain of publication that week. If they are later we will do our best to put them in.

Woolen

International Stock Food guaranteed to make hens lay, at Canyon Drug Company's.

A communication from each place, Beverly, Wright and Ceta was received too late to get in this week, but each one is too good to lose so they will appear next week.

The Hadley Drug Company have just received a lot of Parke Davis & Company's blackleg

# FOR 30 DAYS We will sell FOR CASH our entire stock of DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, HATS, CAPS BOOTS, SHOES & CLOTHING,

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(In fact EVERYTHING in our DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT),



## Some articles will be sold 20 to 25 per cent below cost:

	Woolen Dress Goods Former	rly .60 N	low \$0.42	Men's Suits	Formerly 15	5.00	1
	Fancy Outings	.15	.111	Men's Suits			
	Thirty-six inch Percales. "	.121		Boys' Suits			
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We have many such bargains but space forbids further enumeration. Look out for the "red ink" tickets they are special bargains.

The matrimonial fever has struck town and it is reported many cases are showing indications of succumbing to the dis ease.

Persons desiring fruit or or. pamental trees, flowers, shrubs, or other hursery stock will do well to see S. H. Baker, of Wright, Texas. He is representing the celebrated Stark Bros., of Louisiana, Missouri.

The State of Texas, Randall county. In Commissioners court November term 1901.

Before me, the undersigned personally sppcared the mem-bers of the Commissioners court whose names are below subscribed, who upon their oath. do say: That the requirements of Art. 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the regular session of the Twenty-fifth Legislature; have in all things been fully complied with, and that the cash and other assets mentioned in the quarterly seport made to and filed in this court by R. B. Redfearn, county treasurer of said county. for the quarter ending the 12th day of November 1901, and held by him for said county, have been fully inspected and counted by them at this term of said Now 11.08 court; and that the amount of 4.27 money and other assets in the 3.88 bands of said treasurer are as 2.53 follows, to wit:

9.46 Total amount of cash in the 2.64 various funds belonging to the 8.03 county, Fifteen hundred and 1.11 ninety eight dollars. (\$1,598.00.) .78 Total amount of assets other than actual cash to the credit of 2.53 the county sixteen thousand dol 8.91 lars (\$16,000) school fund. 2.58 L. C. Lair, County Ju dge, 8.90 Randall county. 2.22 C. M. Houser, County Com-1.13 missioner, Randall county.

T. F. Gilleland, County Commissioner, Randall county. F. J. Trigg, County Commis-

sioner. Randall county. Subscribed and sworn to be-Our Stock in all Lines is Complete and now is the fore me, this 12th day of November, 1901. J. H. Garrison, County Clerk, time to lay in your Winter Supplies at a Great Saving. Randall county. By A. N. Henson, Deputy. A: N. Henson, County Com-Come early and get the benefit of a full stock and complete sizes: missioner, Randall county. Subscribed and sworn to be-Everyone who knows Smith, Walker & Co. can fore me, this 12th day of November, 1901. L. C. Lair, County Judge, Randall county. ALL GOODS CHARGED WIL BE AT REGULAR PRICES

vaccine and syringes for apply ing it. Stock men are invited to call and examine them. +

Grandma Guyer stood the trip to Ft. Worth all right in going to spend the winter with her daughter at Farmersville. We went with her part of the way.

Nice line of Paint Brushes now the Canyon City Pharmacy.

We are requested to announce that on account of Thanksgiving services at the school house there will be none held at the Baptist church on that day.

Try Secretary Gage cigar at Canyon Drug Company's.

The minutes of the Commissioners court at its last session shows that, our sheriff, W. D. Orr, has turned over to the County Treasurer all funds that have come into his hands as County Collector. Square and prompt settlements of County Collectors are to be commended

#### Jumped on a Ten Penny Nail.

The little daughter of Mr. J N. Powell jumped on an inverted rake made ot ten penny nails, and thrust one nail entirely through her foot and a second one half way through. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was prompt-

ly applied and five minutes later the pain had disappeared and no Mr. Powell is a well known mer-Baim is an antiseptic and heals pany, the Leading Druggists. such injuries without maturation and in one-third the time requirsick list this week. ed by the usual treatment. For sale by the Hadley Drug Com-

pany, the Leading Druggists.



vouch for the genuineness of this sale.

Harter and Sparks are rushed with work these days but never When in need of any kind of blacksmithing or woodwork call t the shop next door to Canyon

Mercantile Company.

Dr. Edgar P. Lewis, dentist, who is now associated with Dodson Bros., of Amarillo, will be in Canyon City Nov. 18 to 28 at study. Dr. Stewart, you all Hotel Victoria.

#### A Liberal Offer.

The undersigned will give free sample of Chamberlain's more suffering was experienced. Stomach and Liver Tablets to. In three days the child was any one wanting a reliable remwearing her shoe as usual and edy for disorders of the stomwith absolutely no discomfort. ach, billiousness or constipation This is a new remedy and chant of Forkland, Va. Pain a good one. Hadley Drug Com-

Mrs. John Dean is on th

for Trade

Br. J. Willard Palmer, who this town to trade for Panhandle Putty, Etc., Etc., and you may formerly lived have is in town land. Address: Smith's Palace rest assured that their prices Home Comfort coffee is the Drug Store, Lowa Park, Tez. 36 are all right. this week.

Store. Dr. O'Dell, the senior right away. Call and get bar-

partner, is a man of years and gains while this lot lasts. brings to his professional work a mind stored with ripe experience in actual practice and know. Their office is equipped with all the latest and most perfect surgical instruments includ ing an X-ray apparatus. These gentlemen in offering their, pro-

fessional services to the general public feel assured their work will be satisfactory to all who feel themselves in need of medical or surgical attention.

For absolutely pure mixed paint sold under an iron-clad guarantee, go to M. T. JONES steel toed horse shoes \$1.75

LUMBER COMPANY. They also carry Doors, Windows, Mould-

Notice to Contractors. The Commissioner's court of the 30th, 1901 to consider sealed

> cations are now in the County Judge's office for inspection. The Commissioner's court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Sealed bids may any time before that time.

Try Harter's blacksmith for

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hicks are

tf best J. A. Wansley & Co.

We call your attention to the The Hadley Drug Company Never try to coax a cold or, cough professional card of Drs. O'Dell have recently overhauled their use the remedy that unfailingly contoo busy to do their work right. and Stewart. These gentlemen store and find they have a larg quers both. BALLARDS HOREBOUND have fitted up an elegant office stock of fancy and plain station. Synop is the great specific for and over the Hadley Drug Company's ery which they want to sell 50% at Hadley Drug Company's

> Mrs. Jim Burrow, of Amarillo, came down to the wedding.

THAT THROEBING HEADACHE. Randall county, Texas, will Would unlekly leave you, if you used convene Saturday, November Dr. Kings New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchbids to put a shingle roof on the aches. They make pure blood and Court house. Plans and specifi- build up your health. Only 25/ Money less merit for sick and nervous headback if not cured. Sold by Hadley Drug Co.

Miss Adair and local talent will give an elocution and be handed or sent to the clerk musical recital Friday night. 85 We predict a pleasant evening for all who attend.

GREAT LUCK OF AN EDITOR.

"For two years all efforts to cure mema in the pairs of my hands failed" ings, Cypress Shingles, Lead, being congratulated on the birth writes Editor H.N. Lester of Syracuse Kan., "then I was wholly cured by Bucklen's Arnica Salve." It's the world's best for eruptions, sores and

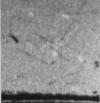
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OCAL MARKET REPORT For the week ending Thursday

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Salt, No. 1
Lard per 16 12@13
Bacon strips, smoked,
per 16
dry sait .:
Rice per 18
l'omatoes per case \$2.50@2.65
Corn per case 2.10@2.25
DRIED FRUIT.
Peaches, new crop per 10 10
Apples, " "
Prunes, dark.

Coffee, Arbuckles, per b ..... 14 chickens per doz ..... \$2.00@2.50 Coal Oil, per ten gal.

Brilliant; ..... 2.45 Nails ..... Ooal per ton ...... \$5.50@\$6.50 Prairie hay ...... 10:00



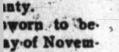
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CANYON CITY,

To Solicit Your Trade.

ANYON RUG Carries in stock a Full and Complete Line of

Pure, Fresh Drugs and Druggists Sundries

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, BRUSHES, ETC.

Give us a trial order and be convinced. We are the only people in the drug business.

Oils, Paints, brushes, lead, Goto the Canyon City Pharmacy etc., in fact, everything usually for fine Cigars. carried in a first class drug store

at Hadley Drug Company's. Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Sullenber-

son born Sunday morning. We trust the young man will find a long life pleasant and beautiful ens the eyes and clears the complexas was his natal day.

M. C. Chamlee, the Jeweler, will soon have on hand a stock

of watches. Call and get his prices when you want a watch or clock.

Speaking of Plains products Mr. Earl Cobb was the recipient of a golden wedding chrysanthemum, that measures 18 inches in circumference and 6 inches from apex to stem, a magnifi-

cent golden ball, perfect in its beauty. If the fair donor should bestow the treasure of her affections as liberally on Mr. Cobb as nature has on this most beautiful effort, he is indeed a fortu-

the real estate business and solicits the patronage of the public. Give him a trial and be pleased at the results.

Mrs. Sarah Ames and son Jim, well known to old timers. have sold their interests here ger are the happy parents of a and gone to Amarillo to live.

TEXAS.

Herbine sweetens the breath, brightion without the slightest ill effects whatever, and ensures the natural bloom of health. Price 50% at Hadley Drug Company's.

Mrs. J. H. McManigal, and bright little son Elbert, of Amatf rillo, spent Sunday in the city guests of Mrs. Edua Henson.

For first class painting or paper hanging see I. G. Trimble. His is the best work. He has lived on the Plains a long time and his work at Plainview and other places are his commendations.

Mr. Will Coffee and Miss Fan nie Denton, of Amarillo, came down Sunday to attend the Coffee-Robeson weddings.

For all tresh cuts or wounds, either or Mr. J. M. Vansant is now in he real estate business and so-icits the patronage of the pub-barbed-wire cuts and sores on work-ing horses, it cannot be too highly mmended. Price, 25 and 50c If Hadley Drug Company's.

ly have used Dr. King's New Discov-ery for Consumption and never found 19th century, in the blaze of t's equal for coughs and colds." It's gospel light, in the midst of so an unrivaled life-saver when used for desperate lung diseases. Guaranteed many churches and Sabbath bottles 50% and \$1.00 at Hadley Drug schools and so much preaching

Co's. and surrounded by so much beauty that such a thing should Mr. Sam McElroy and Mrs. Jennie Barks were married by bath day, too, and by a Metho-Rev. C. M. Lotton, Nov: 19th. dist preacher, at that. On No-The Stayer joins their many vember 18th Mr .-- , a Methodist friends in wishing them a smooth preacher, took two young carvoyage over the sunset sea into penters, entered the house of

"the land o' the leal." ------

J. A. Wansley & Co. handle the old reliable Meyers flour, Albatross and Supreme. Every sack guaranteed.

The conference has sent Mi

Robeson to Memphis and Rey. J. E. Stephens will come here for the ensuing year.

The Best Stationety at the Canyon City Pharmacy.

Mr. T. H. Rice of Wayside was in town this week.

Many people are suffering fearfully from indigestion or dyspepsia when one single bottle of Herbine would bring about a prompt and permanent cure. A few doses will do more for a weak stomach than a prolonged course of any other medicine. Price 50# at Hadley Drug Company's

Farmer W. J. Luna has our thanks for a mess of fine turnips.

for the north will leave Canyon Rain, rain, rain, how it has City at 6:08 p. m., arriving at rained! We were told before Amarillo at 6:55 p. m., where dimoving here that the Plains was rect connections will be made a dry country but our informant with the Southern Kansas of certainly meant "dry" in the Texas train for Kansas City, arsame sense as a paddy when he riving at Kansas City on the ly of this place but who has schedule will be through sleepbeen residing in Oklahoma for ers in each direction between some time came in a few days Carlsbad and Wichita, Kansas ago enroute to Mexico where he making close connections with

fer and polier life which all must tend if they hope to see His face and know Him as He is.

All members of Canyon City Lodge 481 L. O. O. F. are requested to meet at their hall at take place on a beautiful Sab- 9:00 a. m. on Thanksgiving day Nov. 28th.

M. Newman, Secy.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Dockery have an eight pound son born Nov. 20th. He is the only man child in town we Rev. Robeson, the pastor of the are sure. Mother and babe doing Methodist church, took his two well.

> We have received an excellent communication from Salem which we will hold over. The writer failed to sign his or her name to it. We hope they will kindly furnish us with name, not to publish, but for our protec-

SPREADS LIKE WILDFIRE. When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham. Hare, a leading druggist, of Bellevile, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years." You know why? Most diseases begin in disorder of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, run-down man or woman. Price 50%. Sold by Hadley Drug Co.

The following gentlemen were loading lumber at the M. T Jones Lumber Co's this week. W. W. Brittain, Silverton. John J. Dillard, Lubbock J. P. English, Emma W. G. Grabam, Emma C. F. Ramsey, Lockney T. H. Brown, Plainview

J. C. Hart, Hale Center C. B. Raymone, Tulia W. J. Shaffer, Tulia. T. L. Vaughn, Hale Center.

Until a suitable place can be is going for his health. Fred, the Santa Fe Kansas City sleep ! secured, Christian Science ser. his brother, accompanied him. ers. Train No. 201 from the vices will be held in the parlor Mr. W. M. King and family, north will reach Canyon City at of the Stayer office every Sunof Commanche county arrived 10:05 a. m., leaving Amarillo at day morning at 11 o'clock. All ... House, at the state of the tf are invited.

Miamt Higgins.

We will We will still continue, to handle-train load shipments, with proper notice, on any day of the week as suits shipper. This weekly stock train is simply intended to take care of shipments, that would otherwise of shipments that would otherwise have to be handled by way freight trains and necessarily suffer considerable delay. Don A. Sweet, Traffic Manage

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> IMPORTANT GATEWAYS TEXAS

**2 FAST TRAINS DAILY 2** 

To St. Louis, Chicago and the East ..... SUPERS PULLMAN VESTIBULED SLEEPER. HANDSONE NEW CHAIR CARS (Sente Free).

FASTEST TIME TO NEW ORLEANS

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Beelining Chair Gars (Seats Free) Daily to ST.LOUIS, NEMPHIS - EL PASO

See any Ticket Agent, or write

evening of the second day. A special feature of the new

here last Saturday. Mr. King 9:25 a.m.

**Running Water Notes.** 

speaks of a "dry town." Mr. J. L. McCullough former-

a preacher and such carpenters? Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Trimble spent Sunday in Hereford.

Mr. L. T. Lester spent Mon-

day in Hereford on business. New Passenger Schedule.

youngest daughters and to the

horror of all, proceeded to make

them into Coffee. Who would

have thunk of it and what will

the Canyon people do with such

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DIRECT CONNECTION IN BOTH DI RECTIONS BETWEEN CANYON CITY AND KANSAS CITY.

HROUGH SLEEPERS BETWEEN CARLSBAD AND WICHITA. Beginning Sunday, November 8rd, the Pecos System will put in effect a new schedule of passenger service, the changes being of special advantage to patrons of the line. Train No. 202

# M.T. JONES LUMBER CO.

## DEALERS IN long leaf yellow pine lumber, death, Agnes, heartbroken at the loss of her only friend, returned to the par-

- LEAD GLASS VARNISHES OIL CYPRESS SHINGLES . PUTTY BUILDING PAPER FENCE POSTS BRUSHES

> Absolutely Pure Lincoln Mixed Paint Sold under an Iron Clad Guarantee.

M. NEWMAN, MANAGER, CANYON CITY, - - -TEXAS



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this property, having seen the ject of an interminable lawsuit, had remained for many years unoccupied, and was even now beginning to be regarded by some of the neighbors as haunted, when at last it was bought by Dr. Murdock, a wealthy widower with an only daughter. . For some months masons and carpenters were at work; and 'then, one day, the new occupants entered into possession.

DOORS

WINDOWS

MCULDINGS

The Murdocks lived quietly but luxuriously, like people accustomed 7 to wealth. They had their horses and carriages, their house at Lenox and at Newport, and their yacht. Their circle of acquaintances was large, and included not only the fashionable set. but also a scientific, literary and artistic set. For Dr. Murdock was a chemist of national reputation, a member of several scientific bodies, and a man of great intelligence and broad culture.

On this particular New Year's morning Dr. Murdock was seated in his study, apparently absorbed in reading the daily papers, a pile of which lay upon his table. His occupation might perhaps more accurately be described as skimming the daily papers;

"If the reading of a dozen newspapers is dolce far niente,-I should think you would welcome hard work as a pleasant change."

"Oh!" replied her father, "the work I have done on those has not amounted to much. I have only been gleaning the news from the morning papers.

""Yes." he added, answering her surprised look. "it takes a deal of skim milk to yield a little cream."

The last paper which Murdock had been examining lay upon the desk before him. From the closely printed columns stood out in bold relief the glaring headlines:

MURDER IN A CAB.

DAYLIGHT. CABMAN REILLY DENIES ALL

Miss Murdock's glance rested careessly upon these words for an instant. They aroused in her nothing more than the mild curiosity which attaches to events of palpitating human interest, when they have been mealed in the columns of the daily newspapers and served to palates already sated with sensational verbosity. "Mary said you wished to speak to me," said the young girl, after a short pause. "I thought I would step in to see you before going to Mr. Sprague's." "To Sprague's?" inquired Murdock, fixing his keen eyes upon the young girl. "Ah, yes; I remember he spoke of the appointment last night. How, is the portrait coming on?". "It is almost finished. Probably only one\_or two more sittings, at the most, will be necessary." Agnes seemed slightly embarrassed by the fixity of her father's searching glance. She settled herself in an armchair and assumed a look of deferent expectancy. Not a word of affection had passed between father and daughter; not a caress had been interchanged. The relations between this impassive man and his charming daughter were those of well-bred, if somewhat distant, relatives. On the one hand there was the uniform courtesy of the man of the world toward a woman: on the other. the deference of a young girl of good breeding toward a person much older than herself. But the note of cordial and intimate affection between father

northern climate. Thus the father, engrossed as he was with his occupations and his scientific researches, had seen but little of his daughter during her childhood, and had been looked upon by the child almost as a stranger. When at last, after her mother's

ental roof, she was a girl of 16. In the first loneliness of her bereavement, when, hungering for human sympathy and consolution, ar a turned to her father, she received patient and courteous attention, with an offer of all the material comforts and luxuries which wealth could procure; but she failed to find the only thing she needed -a responsive human heart.

And yet, behind the cold and selfish exterior of the chemist, the young girlhad touched a chord which had never vibrated before in this strange man's being. It is probable that the feeling awakened in him by his lovely-daughter was the nearest approach to an absorbing human affection of which his nature was capable. Perhaps if the child had been sufficiently experienced to read her father's heart she might have persisted in her advances, and thus ultimately have conquered the cold reserve she had at first encountered. But she was proud and impulsive, and, bitterly disappointed in her first attempt to win from her father a demonstration of affection, she withdrew into her iso-

ceptible shades of expression. She looked up inquiringly, noting only the slight hesitation in her father's speech "About a young man-" continued Murdock, with a quizzical smile. A flush mounted to the girl's cheeks,

and she fixed her eyes upon space. "A young man who admires you greatly, and who-"

"Has he asked you to tell me this?" inquired Agnes, somewhat impatiently. "Oh! dear no," laughed the chemist; "he is only too anxious to do so himself. He is a most impetuous fellow. But I thought it best to prepare you-" "May I ask the name of your protege?" interrupted the young girl. "Did I say he was my protege?" asked Murdock, gently. "I certainly had no intention of conveying any such impression. His name is Chat-

ham-Thomas Chatham." A look, half of amusement, half of vexation, came into the girl's eyes. It did mot escape Murdock's elose serutiny.

"I judge from your reception of the you to pose again." gentleman's name, that his suit is not Miss Murdock's attention was atlikely to meet with much favor in your tracted by the melancholy note in his

eves.' "I am not aware that I have ever given Mr. Chatham any reason to believe that it would," answered Agnes, stiffly.

"And yet you must have understood the drift of his attentions during the last few months, since-"

"Since it has been perfectly clear to every one else, you mean?

,"And yet," the young girl continued, reflectively, "I do not see how, without downright rudeness, I could have done more than I have to show him that his attentions have been distasteful to me."

"Then I may infer," said Murdock, smiling, "that you would not break your heart if-

He seemed to hesitate in the choice of his words.

"If he should conclude to go abroad on a long journey without subjecting you to his impending proposal,"

"On the contrary, father," admitted Agnes, "I should be everlastingly grateful to you if such a consummation could be brought about without unnecessary rudeness or cruelty towards Mr. Chatham."

"Very well, Agnes, that is all I wanted to see you about."

Agnes looked curiously at her father, should be indeed ungrateful if I beas if to read the purpose hidden in the grudged my poor little time and troudepths of his inscrutable eyes. She ble, when yours have been so lavishly saw nothing but a polite dismissal in and so ungrudgingly spent." his calm face; and the interview between father and daughter ended, as it of so much pleasure to me," continued had begun, with formal courtesy on Sprague, thoughtfully, "that I have both sides. selfishly overlooked the fact that they

CHAPTER VIII.

THE PORTRAIT.

Sprague was seated before his ease you it has been anything but a bore to arranging his palette for the mornme to pose. I am sure I shall miss the ing's work. The unfinished portrait of pleasant morning hours I have spent Agnes Murdock looked down upon him th eves of living beauty. Occas nere."

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"Yes, Miss Murdock," he answered, ter beneath the lace which lay upor gravely. "I shall not have to trouble her white throat. The artist sat with intent eyes

fixed upon her. "Of course I shall be pleased to have you call at any time, Mr.

voice. She observed him from the cor-Sprague," she said, after a brief in-The artist fell into a moody silence. stant.

For awhile he worked with feverish ac-What more could any sane man expect a modest girl to say? It is not so tivity at the portrait; and then, gradually falling into a fit of melancholy much the words spoken as the manner abstraction, he sat, with poised brush, of their utterance that conveys meaning. But it is a truism that a lover gazing intently at the beautiful girl is not a sane man. Sprague was not before him. His task forgotten, he yet satisfied. He was about to speak was apparently unconscious that he was taking advantage of his privileged again, when a knock sounded upon position to stare at his fair subject. Ag- the door. nes felt his burning glance and was em-

It was the hall-boy with a letter. "Miss Murdock ?" he inquired, glancing in the direction of the young retained control of herself, outwardly, girl. monplace remark, which broke the

"For me?" exclaimed Agnes, surprised.

"Yes, miss; a gentleman left it for you."

Agnes took the letter, inspected it curiously for an instant; then, excusing herself, she tore open the envelope and unfolded the note which it contained.

At once a deep flush suffused her face; and an expression of unnoyance passed over her features. She glanced up hastily at Sprague, who was apparently hard at work upon the background of the picture.

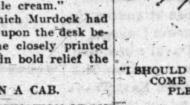
The hall-boy was waiting expectantly.

"There is no answer," said Agnes quietly.

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> lation, and ever after met his calm courtesy with an equally reserved deference. The abnormal situation, which at first was maintained only by an effort on the part of the young girl, lost with time much of its strangeness, and ultimately crystallized under the potent force of habit, so that it was accepted by the two as the natural outcome of their relationship.

In the first pang of her bereavement

for each journal in turn was subjected to a rapid scrutiny, and only a few columns, seemed occasionally to interest the reader ...

There was no haste visible in the doctor's actions, each one of which appeared to be performed with the coolness and deliberation of a man who is not the slave of time; and yet, so systematic were they, that, all lost motion being avoided, every operation was rapidly completed.

In a short time the pile of newspapers had been disposed of, and the doctor, lighting a choice cigar, leaned back in his comfortable armchair and placedly puffed the wreaths of fragrant smoke ceilingward. He was apparently satisfied with the world and with himself, this calm, passionless man. And yet a sharp observer would have noted an almost imperceptible furrow between the eyes, which might perhaps have indicated only the healthy mental activity of an ordinary man; but which, in one given so little to outward manifestation of feeling as Dr. Murdock, might also betoken more or less serious annoyance or displeasure.

While the chemist sat in this pensive attitude, there was a rustle of skirts outside, and presently there came a gentle knock at the door of the study.

"Come in!" said Murdock, removing the cigar from his lips.

The door opened, admitting a tall and beautiful young girl, evidently not long out of her teens." "Did. I disturb you, father?" she

asked, stepping lightly into the room.

"No. Agnes." replied Murdock, courteously; "as you see, I am indulging in a period of dolce far niente." The young girl laughed a clear, silvery laugh, as her eyes fell upon the of newspapers.

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and child was absolutely missing. And yet Agnes Murdock was natural-

of an affectionate and expansive nature. During her mother's lifetime the two women had been inseparable companions, united by a strong bond of sympathy.

Mrs. Murdock had been an invalid for many years before her death, and with Agnes had lived either abroad or in the south during much of the time in order to escape the rigors of the

and disappointment Agnes had turned for consolation to her books; and, being left free to dispose of her life as she saw fit, she had planned a course of study, which had in due time received its consecration at one of the leading colleges for women.

Upon her return from college she had, as far as she was permitted, taken charge of her father's household, and had provided with charming dignity and grace over the social functions for which Dr. Murdock's house now became famous. Up to the time of his daughter's advent the chemist's relations with the world had been chiefly through the clubs and scientific bodies to which he belonged. He was well received in the homes of the members of New York society; but in the absence of a woman to do the honors of his own home he was unable to return the hospitality which he enjoyed. Now, however, everything was changed. Agnes was glad to find an outlet for her energies in the task of receiving her father's guests, and, being a girl of remarkable intelligence and tact, she succeedd in creating a salon, in the best sense of the word. Many of the shining lights of the world of art, literature, science and fashion were among the regular devotees at the shrine of this superb young goddess.

Among the younger men more than one gay moth, dazzled by the light of the girl's beautiful eyes, had been tempted to hover near the flame, only to scorch his wings. Miss Murdock had alfeady refused several of the "best matches" of the city during her two seasons, much to the relief of those young men who had not yet summoned up courage enough to try their fate, and much to the disgust of a few amiable young women and several designing mammas. The latter could not help but deprecate the wicked selfishness of a young girl who hypothecated and thus rendered temporarily unavailable much potential matrimonial stock, which, in the nature of things, would ultimately be thrown back on the market upon the selection by the fair one of that single bond to whose exclusive possession she was limited by the laws of church and state.

The fact of the matter was, that Agnes Murdock's ideal of life was high. She was determined, if she ever embarked upon a mátrimonial venture, to do so only with a reasonably good. prospect of finding in the wedded state a satisfactory outlet for the depths of affection which had remained so long unapplied in her tender maiden heart. No one among the young men who had sought her hand had seemed worthy of the great love she was ready to bestow. She was, therefore, still awaiting her fate.

"You wished to see me, sig?" the young girl gently insinuated. "Yes," said Murdock, with great deliberation; "I wished to speak to you

about-- He watched her face intently, as if to read the effect which his words would produces. The light in his eyes was almost tender: but Agnes was not skilled is reading their scarcely per-

ly the artist would bestow a deft touch upon the glowing canvas and would retire to a distance to note with a critical eye the new effect. Then he would consult his watch in nervous impatience; and, going to the window. he would glance anxiously up and down the street. Once or twice the rumble of wheels caused him to look up in glad expectancy, which gradually gave way to gloomy discontent as

the noise died away in the distance. At length hope seemed to depart altogether from the young man's breast. He threw down his brushes, gave up all pretense of work and drifted off into a brown study. His eyes, fixed upon those of the portrait, had a troubled look in them-so troubled that it was clearly out of all proportion to the professional disappointment of a paint-

er kept waiting for a fair subject. So absorbed did he become in his gloomy meditations, that, when at last a carriage stopped before the house, the artist did not hear it. But when, presently, a gentle tap sounded upon the door of the studio, he sprang to his feet as if he had received an electric shock.

Perhaps he had; for it was followed by a rapid current of delicious thrills tingling through every nerve and effecting in his whole being a sudden and marvelous transformation. At once the furrowed brow was smooth; the drooping lips were wreathed in smiles; the troubled look gave way to one of glad welcome.

For she had come at last. There she stood, with laughing brown eyes and glowing cheeks, when Sprague threw open the door. Alas, as usual, she was accompanied by her maid. Never mind; was it not enough to have her there at all, to bask in the sunshine of her smile, to look into the dangerous depths of those soul-stirring eyes, to listen to the rippling of her silvery voice?

"I fear I am a little late, Mr. Sprague; am sorry to have kept you waiting. But you see this is how it was-"

What mattered it to him now how it was? Was shy not there? An eternity of suspense and misery would have been wiped out by that single entrans eing fact. Her words beat upon his ear like rapturous melody; he drank them in, hardly conscious of their meaning. Agnes Murdock, followed by her maid, proceeded at once to the dressing-room set apart for the use of the artist's models. When she returned, dressed for the sitting, she assumed under Sprague's airections the pose of the portrait, while the artist critical, arranged ber draperies and adjusted the shades and screens. The maid had remained in the dress-

ing-room. "And so these are positively the last

final touches, are they, Mr. Sprague?" asked the young girl, mischievously, after a few minutes. "You artists seem to be quite as uncertain about your

of my life," said Sprague, earnestly, in Hadley Drug Company's. a low voice, "and now they are nearly gone-forever."

Agnes started slightly, blushed and riveted her gaze upon the dainty white GENERA PRACTICIO NER hands which lay clasped together in her lap. Her bosom rose and fell in quickened undulations.

"Why forever, Mr. Sprague?" she asked, softly; "do you think of leaving New York?"

ner of her eyes in kindly curiosity.

barrassed by it; but, womanlike, she

at all events, as she uttered some com-

spell and brought the artist to his

senses with a sharp consciousness of

his rudeness. He replied to the young

girl's question in a low, changed voice,

and then relapsed into a gloomy silence.

After an awkward interval he asked,

"Are you so very glad, Miss Murdock,

"Why. no, Mr. Sprague," replied Ag-

I shall be glad when the portrait is

finished, because I wish to have it home

and to let my friends see it. But I

"These sittings have been a source

could only be an annoyance and a bore

to you. I fear I have needlessly pro-

"But, indeed. Mr. Sprague, I assure

nes; "I did not mean that. Of course

that our sittings are almost over?"

suddenly:

longed them."

"No," he replied quickly: "it is you who are about to desert this studio. which for a short time has been brightened by your presence-"Well," interrupted Agnes, "since

you are not going to leave New York, 118. "I'suppose I shall continue to call,

on your reception days, if that is what you mean," said Sprague, somewhat disconsolately.

"Now that," laughed Agnes, "is not In line with the polite things you have been saying."

"I did not mean to say anything Office over Hadley Drug Company's. rude, Miss Murdock, but a call on guests. Surrounded as you are on

such occasions, one has barely\_a chance to catch a glimpse of you, much less to speak with you." "We are always glad to see our

friends at other times than on our reception days." "Do you really mean it?" asked the

artist eagerly. "May I call on you sometimes when the crowd is not there?"

"We shall be happy to have you call at any time, Mr. Sprague." Sprague thought he detected slight emphasis on the pronoun.

"But it is not we I wish to call on. It is you, Miss Murdock."

Once more the young girl's expressive eyes fixed their gaze upon the delicate hands in her lap, and once more there was a scarcely perceptible flut-

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