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THE LUBBOCK HIGH SCHOOL

PERINTENDENT J. K. WESTER APPEALS TO THE PARENTS AND PATRONS OF THE SCHOOL TO CO-OPERATE

SCHOOL OPENS SEPTEMBER THE SECOND, 1912

Secure a Catalogue and Prepare for the Beginning of the School Term. Build Up the Educational Interests by Visiting the School. Encourage Teachers and Pupils.

We desire to make the coming year of the Lubbock High School the best in its history. In order to do this, it is necessary to have the co-operation and support of the teachers, trustees, and the patrons and friends of the school and if we have this, there is no power on earth to prevent from realizing the thing most desired. If you want to build your town, stand by your schools and make them a success, they can't be a success without your assistance. If you want to make the people of your town better morally and place citizenship on a higher standard, educate them and this is done only when all stand together, pull together and work together for the education and betterment of our boys and girls. Tomorrow will be the opening of our country. The schools will open the 2nd day of

September, get your children ready to enter the first day, keep them in school every day, if possible, and assist the teachers in keeping them at home in order that the proper preparation of lessons may be made and, if this is done your child will have no trouble in making his grade and passing to a higher grade at the close of the term. You will find the course of study, rules and regulations for 1912-13 at the Avalanche office and the Lubbock Drug Store. Let every parent and pupil obtain one and read it before school begins that both may know what is expected of them. Let every parent be present at the opening of school to encourage teacher and pupil, to get acquainted and to talk together for the best interests of your children.

SUPERINTENDENT.

TAFT THE "VETOIST"

President Has Already Vetoed 25 Bills and Axe is Raised to Strike Out Others

Washington, Aug. 10.—When President Taft yesterday vetoed a wool bill he had stamped his disapproval the twelfth consecutive measure sent him from congress during his administration. Although most of his vetoes have been on comparatively unimportant schedules, during the present congress session last summer President Taft began to add his pen against measures urged by the legislators with interest. Four of his vetoes have been of tariff bills. His one veto of importance last year was directed at the joint resolution admitting Arizona and Mexico to statehood. This met with executive disapproval because of the provision in Arizona constitution allowing the recall of judges. In addition to the wool bill President has returned one other important measure at this session—the army appropriation which, as it passed congress, would have legislated general Leonard Wood out office for four years and would have made changes in the army. Ready, however, he has vetoed enough vetoes for this session to add a half dozen to present record. He vetoes of the steel tariff and the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation with its amendment abolishing the commerce court. will sent to congress early next week. Messages returning the posed cotton revision bill the excise tax bill will be prepared when congress sends it to the White House. Mrs. W. L. Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bradley is visiting her parents here this week, having arrived a few days from her home at Lorena.

CHRISTIAN MEETING CLOSED

Sunday Night Services Ended the Series of Sermons By Arthur W. Jones at This Place

The protracted meeting which had been in progress ten days at the South Side Christian church came to a close with Sunday night's service. Rev. Jones preached some splendid sermons while here and that church is no doubt greatly benefited by his coming. He is a strong preacher full of enthusiasm and a thoroughly consecrated gentleman. Sunday afternoon at five o'clock at the church he delivered a temperance lecture and a good congregation gave him undivided attention. He is one of the best speakers on this subject that we have ever had the pleasure of listening to. His argument is forceful and hard to get around, yet it is presented in a way that is inoffensive to those who do not agree with him. At the evening service thirteen were received into the church, twelve by church certificates and one to be baptized, which ordinance will be administered Sunday. Rev. Jones, and gospel singer, Martin, are in the vicinity of Abernathy at present engaged in a meeting. The members of the South Side Christian church expect to have a new pastor in a short time. They have two under consideration and will decide definitely in a week or so. Their former pastor, Rev. Radford, having been compelled to give up the work on account of the poor health of his wife. The Southwest Trade Journal is the name of a new publication devoted to the retail interests of the entire southwest. The journal made its first appearance the first of August and will be published in Fort Worth regularly each month hereafter. Mr. F. S. Olds is the business manager.

DEMOCRAT STATE CONVENTION

Steam Roller Much in Evidence Some Changes in Platform Recommended

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 13.—The most significant event in the proceedings of the Democratic State Convention in its opening session today was the substitution by it of Colquitt men for Ramsey men who had been "recommended" by the Dallas, Fort Worth and also Waco districts to be members of the three convention committees. In the part the right of each district to name its quota of the committees has always been recognized. Today the Colquitt majority established a new rule. The three districts in question gave Colquitt majorities in the primary election, but the Ramsey men captured a majority of the delegates and named men of their kind for the committee.

This right to do this was challenged by the Colquitt forces. S. P. Hardwick, floor manager for Colquitt, laid a predicate for the substitutions when he offered the usual resolution providing for the creation of committees. This resolution was unusual in that it provided that each district should "recommend" delegates for membership upon the committees. When the names were sent up they were treated as recommendations. Complete substitutions of Colquitt men were made in the Dallas and Waco districts. In the Fort district one of the selections was suffered to remain. This was because there were not enough Colquitt delegates from the district to go all the way around. COLQUITT IS STRONG IN CONVENTION.

Gov. Colquitt has a good healthy majority in this convention. The test came on the vote of temporary chairman, when Hon. Will A. Hanger of Fort Worth defeated his townsman, O. S. Lattimore, by a vote of 522 to 274. After that the recaptured steam roller ran ruthlessly but smoothly.

CHANGES MADE IN COLQUITT PLATFORM IDEAS

Two important changes were made in the platform as proposed by Gov. Colquitt. The hour he named for closing saloons (9:30 p. m.) was permitted to stand, but the committee changed the opening hour from 7:30 a. m., as proposed by the Governor, to 6 o'clock.

It also knocked out his plank declaring for majority nominations.

The Governor's plank in favor of amending the railroad stock and bond law for improvements was amplified, so as to permit of issues on present valuations for extensions.

The plank of Rev. Jake Hodges, presented through Judge Ponder, for legal abolition of the "bat" was received and filed.

A resolution indorsing Senator Bailey was adopted.

Several other changes of less importance were made. These are told in other dispatches.

A plank was inserted strongly indorsing the Colquitt administration.

The chief bone of contention was the liquor regulatory plank. It will also doubtless be the chief bone of contention before the full committee tomorrow morning. The chances are that the plank, as amended by the platform committee, will be adopted both by the platform committee and the convention, notwithstanding there are many antis who do not like it. Prominent friends of the Governor, especially some of the North Texans, are urging upon the insurgents the acceptance of this plank. Among other things they say, the South Texas antis must yield something to their brethren of North Texas who have to go up against the real thing in fighting prohibition.

COMMERCIAL SECY. ASS'N.

Field Secretary Visits Lubbock And is Well Pleased With Conditions of Country.

Most all of our readers are familiar with the organization of the Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association, of Texas, which organization has its principal offices in Fort Worth.

Mr. Porter A. Whaley, field secretary of the association, was here Tuesday interviewing the live wires of the city in the interest of the organization and seeing conditions as they actually exist. He is touring the state and will make a personal report to his organization upon returning to Fort Worth so that they will be prepared to give correct information to those who inquire of them about the different sections of the state and they receive many inquiries from every section of the country from every class of people, and as Mr. Whaley seemed so well pleased with conditions here we are confident that any information given out regarding Lubbock will be of great advantage to this section. Men who want to invest will learn of the true conditions of our country and the great opportunity awaiting the investor. The man seeking a home will also get in touch with the situation here through the medium of the Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association, in a measure a disinterested party, and in that way will bring about immigration of this kind, the kind we need so badly to help to develop the great agricultural possibilities of the South Plains. Mr. Whaley stated to the Avalanche man that he found crop conditions here so much better than in many other parts of the state; that the South Plains would have a decided advantage over many localities in the reports that he will make to the head office and which will go on record for future reference. He says the Association is interested in the organization of commercial clubs, Business Men's Leagues, etc., in every section of the state and stated that as soon as Lubbock gets ready to organize a Commercial Club (and we sure need it) the organization at Fort Worth will be glad to offer any suggestion or render any assistance within their power to help us along in the organization of same. The Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association is doing a great work for the development of Texas and is worthy of her hire. There is a certain amount of expense connected with the maintenance of the organization and each town in the state is invited to come in and bear part of the expense and the following are the firms in Lubbock who showed their good will toward the organization and were willing to help it along in its good work in a financial way, and donated to the cause: O. L. Slaton \$2.50; Colby Thomas \$2.50; Western Windmill Company \$2.50; McAdams Lumber Company \$2.50; W. C. Bowman Lumber Company \$2.50; Alfalfa Lumber Company \$2.50; Geo. C. Wolffarth \$2.50; Jno. W. Baker \$2.50; Guarantee Abstract and Title Company \$1.50; J. M. Radford Grocery Company \$2.50.

C. C. Lane's baby was quite painfully injured last week by being severely burned with carbolic acid. The little fellow got possession of a bottle of acid accidentally and poured the contents out on its chest and abdomen, burning its body severely. It is getting along nicely at this writing.

RAILROAD WORK PROGRESSING

GRADING IS BEING PUSHED WITH ALL POSSIBLE HASTE ALL ALONG THE ROUTE

BIG GRADING OUTFIT UNLOADED HERE MONDAY

The Weather Has Been Favorable and No Delays are Anticipated in the Grade Work of this Famous Piece of Road Work, Which Means So Much to this Section.

It seems that everything is moving along in good shape along the line of the Texico Cut-off from Lubbock to Texico. Graders are at work all along the route and there is a noise like much activity in every camp. The grade is being built from both ends of the line and as some of the biggest outfits are just now arriving on the job, the work will show up to a greater advantage from now on. One of the contractors arrived here Sunday from Comanche and left at once for his portion of the work. Others are enroute and only a short time now till the entire route will be covered. The completion of this road means a good deal to the South Plains, especially the Lubbock

trade territory, as the operation of trains over this route will not only mean more trains each day, but will mean better service, as better equipment will result, heavier engines and better trains will be put on. As stated before the work on this important piece of work serves as a powerful stimulant to Lubbock. It forever removes all doubt as to the point from which this road is to be operated from and puts greater confidence in the property owners as to the future of our city. Lubbock is by her natural advantages, fortunately located, and by the aid of a most aggressive people, will make the city that the Avalanche prophesied years ago. Come to Lubbock.

MUST COMPILE RETURNS

Second Official Count of Primary Necessary—Many Inaccuracies Having Come to Light.

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 12.—Compilation of the official returns of the recent Democratic primary must be done over again. Checking of tabulations tonight disclosed numerous inaccuracies made in additions. One noticeable error was a majority of about 12,000 votes in favor of Wortham and against Mayfield in the Railroad Commissioner's race, whereas the unofficial returns showed the situation to be exactly the other way around. This error was caused by the adding machine men inadvertently shifting into the Thomas column instead of continuing on the Mayfield column in adding up the long list of figures. Another error was shown in the total vote given Land Commissioner Robison. In transferring the total from one sheet to another to form the grand total the sum of 95,000 votes had been transferred as 9,500 votes. The executive committee will start in to recanvass the returns the first thing tomorrow morning in the effort to have the count correct before the convention shall meet. Tonight's tabulations were made up from the returns from all but nineteen counties. Since the adding machines were stopped about a dozen counties have come in. These will be included in the totals tomorrow.

J. H. Pettit was in the city Tuesday and stated that he and family would leave the latter part of this week for Albuquerque, New Mexico, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Locklear, who are the parents of Mrs. Pettit.

Mrs. W. F. Schenck received a severe injury Wednesday by a stove falling on one of her feet, fracturing some of the bones. She is getting along nicely at this writing.

Harry Austin was down from Hale Center the first of the week.

PENITENTIARY BODY REPORTS

Total Number of Convicts on Hand Aug 1, 3,899, Increase Over July 1 Figures.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 12.—The monthly report of the Penitentiary Commission for July was received today by the Governor, showing the movement of the prison population for the month. It is shown that on July 1 the total number of convicts on hand was 3,863; new recruits received during the month, 102; recaptured, 1; returned by sheriff, 1; returned from parole, 1, making a total of 3,968, and out of this number 53 were discharged, 12 escaped, 4 died, leaving 3,899 on hand August 1, or an increase of 36 for the month.

These convicts are distributed as follows: State forces, 2860, and these are at the following points: Huntsville, 527; Rusk, 242; Harlem farm, 444; Clemons farm, 482; Imperial farm, 453; Ramsey farm, 508; Wynne farm, 110; Camp Goree, 80; insane asylums, 15. Lease forces, 534, as follows: T. W. House, 189; Burleson & Johns, 150, and Bassett Blakely, 195. Contract forces, 51, John D. Rogers being the contractor. Share forces, 454, as follows: Lakeside Sugar Company, 230; H. L. Trammell, 113; and N. A. Shaw, 111.

Mrs. S. R. Pierce, of Lubbock, Texas, is at St. Vincent's Sanitarium, Sherman, Texas, where she underwent a serious but successful operation Thursday morning and is reported doing nicely. Mrs. Pierce was formerly Miss Pauline Watkins daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Watkins of this city. Mrs. H. A. Pierce, her mother-in-law from Waxahachie, has returned home.—Denison Herald.

Y. O. McAdams is here this week from Dallas looking after the interests of the McAdams Lumber Company, on the South Plains.

C. C. Lane left Sunday on a business trip to Arkansas.

J. R. Hill was over from Brownfield Monday and Tuesday.

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"If women knew that eating apples will do more to make their complexion beautiful than all the face remedies in the world, they would eat them morning, noon and night," said U. Grant Border, of Baltimore, in Chicago last week in addressing the International Apple Shippers' Association. "Five years from now, when the countless orchards that have come into existence in the last

few years begin to bear full crops, the annual apple production of this country will exceed 100,000,000 barrels," he continued. "We must advertise the apple as the national fruit if we are to prevent its overproduction. The people must be reminded of the health benefits of eating apples." Other speakers declared that freight and storage charges were responsible for the increase in the price of apples in recent years.

SUMMARY OF RETURNS

Gov. Colquitt's Majority 40,472; Mr. Sheppard's Plurality 36,881 - 4,655 Short of Majority.

In closing its accounting of the election returns, the News has practically complete reports from the State of Texas. These show Governor Colquitt's majority to be 40,472. They show Mr. Sheppard's plurality for the United States Senate to be 36,881. He lacks 4,655 of having a majority. The returns are complete as to Governor from every county except Moore and Ochiltree, which two counties have only 535 poll tax payers.

The details of the vote for Governor, together with the vote to which each county is entitled in the State convention are shown in tabular form elsewhere in this issue.

The winners throughout are as shown in the early reports of the News.

The News has complete returns as to all candidates from all offices other than Governor, from all counties except Briscoe, Jeff Davis, Moore, Ochiltree, Presidio, Roberts, Sutton, Swisher and Throckmorton. The totals are:

- TOTALS FOR CANDIDATES**
- United States Senator—Sheppard 181,695, Wolters 144,217, Randell 40,776, Zollner 5,235.
 - Lieutenant Governor—Mayes 204,517, Imboden 157,342.
 - Comptroller—Lane 206,289, Barker 165,608.
 - Attorney General—Looney 138,810, Walthall 132,758.
 - Treasurer—Edwards 141,862, Aston 103,535, Adams 62,706, McCammon 40,988.
 - Land Commissioner—Robison 236,345, Geers 111,747.
 - Commissioner of Agriculture—Kone 138,031, Singleton 117,507, Halbert 71,647, Irion 23,379.
 - Railroad Commissioner—Mayfield 147,740, Wortham 136,618, Thomas 31,642, Mason 20,360.
 - Supreme Court—Phillips 100,823, Townes, 88,138, Speer, 64,

- 668, Pleasants 41,805, Craig 36,018.
- Supreme Court—Hawkins 205,047, Dibrell 128,953.
- Court of Criminal Appeals—Prendergast 140,319, Muse 131,190, Green 99,615.
- Congress-at-Large (two to elect)—Summers 63,118, D. E. Garrett 56,133, Cureton 50,579, McLeMore 47,455, Browning 31,411, Loudernilk 29,782, Pazdral 29,742, Lancaster 25,869, Opp 24,377, Grubbs 21,800, Yantis 18,570, A. S. Garrett 18,275, Harmon 16,750, Street 16,153, Bounds 14,987, Kellie 14,499, Roche 13,693, S. C. Harris 13,639, W. A. Harris 13,114, R. R. Smith 12,762, Featherstone 11,731, Newman 11,759, Harrison 3,000, Kennedy (who had withdrawn) 92, Alex Smith 5.
- Note—The names of Harrison and Kennedy did not appear on the News form, and the votes given in the totals above given were voluntarily reported by the correspondents. It is probable that each of them received more votes.

FULLER RETURNS ON LEADERS
The News also has returns as to United States Senator and the leading candidates in the races which were close from Briscoe, Jeff Davis, Ochiltree, Presidio, Roberts, Sutton, Swisher, Throckmorton Counties. These, added to the total above shown, give the following:

- United States Senator—Sheppard 185,587, Wolters 144,706, Randell 40,942, Zollner 5,248.
 - Attorney General—Looney 139,632, Walthall 133,143.
 - Railroad Commissioner—Mayfield 148,444, Wortham 137,040.
 - Supreme Court—Phillips 101,243, Townes 88,554.
 - Court of Criminal Appeals—Prendergast 141,096, Muse 131,567.
 - Congress-at-Large, (two to elect)—Summers 63,366, Garrett 56,295, Cureton 50,868, McLeMore 47,592.
- It will be understood, of course, that these returns are unofficially sent to the News. There will no doubt be some slight variances between them and the official returns.

Killed by Cyclone

John Baidridge, of nine miles southeast of Tahoka, was killed in a wind storm Wednesday night.

Thursday morning word was telephoned to Tahoka from John Donaldson's farm that the home of John Baidridge was blown away and John had been found dead out in the pasture. Nothing more could be learned until the friends and relatives arrived in town with the corpse about one o'clock in the afternoon.

Wednesday evening about 7:30 o'clock a dark and angry looking cloud came up rapidly from the northwest and here in Tahoka we had one of the worst storms of thunder, lightning, wind, rain and hail ever experienced here.

John Baidridge, a bachelor farmer, living nine miles southeast of here, was over at the home of his neighbor Mr. Crouch when he saw the cloud rising, and in spite of all entreaties to stay all night, started home, and was seen no more until Thursday morning when his bruised and battered body was found, 45 yards from the site of his house where he had lived for ten years.

The house was a one-room 14 foot structure with no ceiling and was completely demolished. The roof was found about 35 yards southeast of where the house stood and the flooring and walls were torn to bits and scattered for a mile or more.

A wagon bed with sheet and laws that John used to sleep in and stood close to the house, remained untouched as did chicken coop and horse sheds, while the cow lot fence and windmill were demolished, the windmill tower having three anchor posts twisted off and one pulled up and the top of the tower pointing back toward the well.

The body of Mr. Baidridge was badly bruised, with the left cheek bone broken, the forehead crushed and an ugly cut across the lower part of the abdomen. Also there were many nail holes where the body had evidently

been blown into the roof among the shingle nails. It seems to be more than likely however, that death resulted from the first blow, and that he never knew what hit him.

The deceased leaves a mother, Mrs. Mitchell, Colorado; three sisters, Mrs. Mathews, Lufkin; Mrs. Burford and Mrs. Arnold, both of Lubbock, and two brothers, H. E. and Joe Baidridge, both living in Lynn county.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. R. Balch at the Tahoka cemetery Thursday evening at six o'clock. The entire country sympathize with the bereaved relatives.—Lynn County News.

Track laying on the Dallas-Waxahachie Interurban line has about been completed at Waxahachie end of the route and the crew is now laying ties in the city streets.

BIG REDUCTION IN PHOTOS

For the next two weeks we have decided to mark our prices down to suit the times.

- Cabinet Photos, regular price \$4.00, now \$2.50
- 1-2 Cabinet, regular price \$2.50, now \$1.50
- Post Cards, regular Price \$1.50, now \$1.00

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Unchanged in name, unchanged in its great fundamental principles, the democratic party represents the largest fighting unit for progressive reforms. Through it, the progressives of all parties can find the surest hope of victory for their cause.

The progressive forces made the fight in the Democratic party and won. By securing control of a great party organization, and backed by the prestige it gives them, they are in a position to give the progressive cause its most certain triumph. The Democratic party invites the progressives of all parties to share in this victory, and to join them in securing a victory this fall that will forever stamp progressive ideas as a part of the policy of this nation.

Thousands of earnest Republicans made the fight in their own party and lost. They recognize that the organization of a new party will only serve to make the progressive cause weaker and the failure more complete. They realize the Democratic party of today is the party in which to concentrate the progressive strength. They also recognize that a vote for the Democratic party this fall is a vote to serve notice on their own party; that it must be progressive in the future in order to win their support.

The time is ripe for the forward progressive movement and every worker should get in line. The predatory interests will make a desperate effort to beat the Democratic party because they recognize in it the greatest foe of special privilege. There

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The Texas Fairs

The Texas Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association has taken a census of county and district fair organizations and reports that ninety-two fairs will be held in Texas this fall, 5182 premiums will be offered and \$175,000 distributed as prizes.

The fair is an industrial educator and advertising medium is without a peer. It is the farmer's show window, the manufacturer's sample room, the miner's laboratory and the demonstration counter of industry. The time was when red lemonade, hobby horses and the call of the fakir were leading features of the fair but the dumb eloquence of fruit and vegetables has drowned the voice of the peanut orator; the low of blooded kine is more thrilling than the music of the merry-go-round and modern farm machinery is more interesting than the balloon ascension.

The country fair is a great civilizer and is doing more to promote our progress than any other single influence in Texas.

It is the purpose of the University of Texas to publish as soon as possible all the addresses and papers delivered during Rural School week. Many of these papers are able presentations of the latest thought about education for country boys and girls. As soon as this bulletin is available, it will be sent free upon application to any citizen of the state, and will prove an invaluable hand book to parents, to school trustees, to teachers, and to people interested in education from philanthropic motives. Send in your names, and the bulletin will be forwarded free of cost.

Died

At the home of her mother, Mrs. Sallie Moors, Miss Walcie Moors, aged 18 years, on Wednesday, August 7th, passed into the Great Beyond. Her remains were laid to rest in the Lubbock cemetery Thursday afternoon.

A. Judd returned Saturday from a business trip to Ballinger.

is work for every one in this fight. Clubs should and must be organized in every precinct. Voters should be supplied with good campaign literature, and for this purpose nothing will serve better than a good Democratic weekly paper sent to the voters, personally during the campaign.—The Commoner.

District Attorney Vote

As best we can find out the following is the official vote in each county composing the 72nd Judicial District for which Lubbock is the seat and of which J. E. Vickers of this place and G. E. Lockhart made such a close race for the office of District Attorney. We announced last week that Mr. Lockhart was the winner by three votes but at that time had no count by counties. Since then we have secured the vote in each county:

County	Vickers	Lockhart	Total
Crosby	203	148	351
Cochran	5	0	5
Dawson	109	169	278
Hockley	3	2	5
Garza	156	129	285
Lubbock	407	259	666
Lynn	86	200	286
Terry	92	161	253
Yoakum	62	58	120
Total	1123	1126	2249

Lockhart's majority, 3; counties carried by Vickers, 6; counties carried by Lockhart, 3.

E. M. Riley returned last Friday from a business trip to Coleman.

SUMMER TOURIST TICKETS

10 points in the United States and Canada. Intersect June 1st. For further particulars apply to

G. COX, AGENT LUBBOCK, TEXAS

Wed in Double-Quick Time
About 11 o'clock Monday night Gladney drove up to the home of Gladney in this city; and he aroused from his slumbers a couple—Mr. N. B. and Miss Ethel Tedford, near Petersburg, who with others were in the wagon. Gladney tied the nuptial and the couple went on way rejoicing.—Plainview

J. P. McClung and family of Jones county, came in last Friday to visit relatives. They spent Monday with T. C. Greenhill and family and then went to Plainview to visit G. S. Burt.

A large stock deal was consummated at Ballinger recently with the sale of seventy-two head of mules for a consideration of \$8,247, an average price of \$115 per head.

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SATURDAY from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. we will sell All Boys' Knee Suits, except serges, at only HALF PRICE. Big lot from which to select.
From 2 until 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon! ALL MIDLAND SHIRTS HALF PRICE.
All Ladies', Misses and Children's Ready Made Dresses and Muslin Underwear, All Selz and Lloyd Adams Slippers AT HALF PRICE.

Interest has been steady and good. Satisfaction is the word of all who have attended. Bargains marvelous and unsurpassed have already saved to our customers hundreds of dollars of remitted profits. But two more days remain and we want to make them the busiest yet. We have the merchandise—our lines are scarcely broken. Cut prices on everything remain the same as heretofore stated in circular. Extra Specials on some lines. Saturday will make it THE GREAT BARGAIN DAY OF THIS SALE.

We Thank You All

In advance for hearty response throughout the Sale and assure you that these Closing Offerings have never been excelled at this or any other sale. Be sure to take advantage of them.

Jno. P. Lewis & Company

THE METHODIST MEETING

Interest Good—Attendance Fair—
 Preaching Fine And Results
 Very Gratifying

Last Sunday at 11:00 o'clock began the series of services by the Methodist pastor at the tabernacle. From the very first sermon the interest has been good and the attendance has been fair, while the tabernacle has not been filled uncomfortably yet, still the night services find a good congregation there. The singing is a good feature of the meeting and the choir is doing faithful, effectual work. Pastor Lane is doing the greater part of the preaching, and Rev. G. B. Overton is assisting him with an occasional sermon. Both are doing fine preaching and their earnest appeals we are sure will result in great good. Already a number of conversions have been brought about by their earnest work and many more are expected.

No announcement has been made as to when the meeting will close. It depends upon the interest manifested. Rev. Lane is willing to continue to preach as long as the people want him to and as long as they manifest their interest by their personal work and interest in these services.

All auxiliary services have been called in in favor of the

revival services and will not be resumed till the revival meeting closes.

Sunday School will be conducted under the tabernacle same as last Sunday.

L. D. Hart this week finished baling the millet crop of Mr. Atkins on the C. W. Ratliff old farm and reports the yield off 11 acres to be 475 bales of an average weight of 60 pounds being a total of 28,000 pounds. This millet is of fine quality and splendid condition. A crop like this will pay for the land in one year.

The Young Men's Business League of Sherman is negotiating with a manufacturer of cotton goods to establish a factory in that locality. The enterprise will employ in the neighborhood of 500 persons and will operate 15,000 spindles.

Mrs. W. T. Farrer of El Paso, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Word, who has been visiting here the past few weeks, returned home Tuesday.

John G. Rix was in the city Monday in the interest of a Dry Goods and Clothing establishment which he represents.

Clyde Gibson is now holding a bookkeeping position with the Citizens National Bank.

Mrs. Lee Price, of near Waco, is visiting her son J. C. Bradley.

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Welborne, on the 6th inst, a girl.

Slip-Shod Business

Colorado Record: Many an otherwise successful business has been ruined and its owner made bankrupt by well-meaning but inconsiderate friends loafing habitually around their place of business. A lady starting into a store and seeing a great hulking man sitting or lying on the counter, smoking a vile cheroot or squirting tobacco juice indiscriminately over the floor, will generally turn around and go out, or if she makes a purchase, it will quite likely be the last one she will make at that store. A bench in front of a business house, a checkerboard, or an habitual lot of loafers discussing politics, religion, other peoples business and everybody that passes, will just as surely put that business to the bad as that water will run down hill. A business man is oftentimes hurt more than helped by his friends loafing about his place of business during business hours. Social amenities and business success do not usually mix very well.

How little the average person knows about business, there is something about slip-shod unbusinesslike methods that jars him. He doesn't like to see loafers cluttering up a store. He doesn't like to go to a hotel and find the hotel keeper's wife making clothes for the baby on a machine in the "office," and a half a dozen children behind the desk messing things up. Business is business, and should not be mixed with anything else. If you mix it, the mixture don't become business, but something else. —State Press.

Mr. A. V. Weaver, of Lubbock, was in the city yesterday on business. He only recently moved to the plains from Dallas and is pleased with this country. —Amarillo Daily News.

Arrested on Charge of Swindling

O. S. McPherson was lodged in jail here last Friday night on a charge of swindling. It seems that young McPherson who is only about twenty years old had given several checks on the Citizens National Bank of Roswell, New Mexico, which were turned down on account of no funds. In addition to a number of small checks given here and at Tulia, Plainview and Amarillo, he gave one for \$210 to John Crow for a pair of horses and a wagon and started toward New Mexico. He was over taken by deputy sheriff George Lee on the LFD ranch in Lamb county and placed under arrest and brought back to Silverton.

He is a son-in-law of Jim Guinn, of Silverton, and nephew of R. R. McPherson, who some years ago was in business at Quitaque. His father lives at Roswell and is expected here this week. —Lockney Beacon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox left Saturday for Thorndale where they will make their future home. Mr. Cox has been the local manager for the Alfalfa Lumber Co. here for some time and has many friends in Lubbock who will be sorry to learn of his departure for another place. He traded his residence in the Overton Addition to J. E. Johnson taking as part of the consideration Mr. Johnson's new Ford car, and he and Mrs. Cox will make the trip to Miami county in the automobile.

T. G. Hendricks, of Lorenzo, was in the city Tuesday looking after business matters, and while in the city had us move his date up on his subscription to the Avalanche.

Money to loan on long time at 8 per cent on patented lands. This notice will not appear again. J. F. Perry, Midland, Texas. 6 1tp

The Balloon

As advertised Jno. P. Lewis sent up one of the balloons Saturday to which was attached a ticket for \$1.00 worth of merchandise at the sale prices, at their store. The afternoon was ideal for the balloon ascension and it rose up above the buildings and the light breeze from the south fanned it away to the north. It sailed away until it was lost to sight except to the crowd of boys that followed it, some afoot others on bicycles. It was chased and picked up about two miles and a half from town and was brought in by John Gentry, who received the worth of his ticket on presentation at the Lewis store.

Morgan Hulsey accompanied by his family left last Thursday for Brownwood where they will reside in the future. Mr. Hulsey was well pleased with Lubbock and his entire family liked the town, but Mrs. Hulsey's health was such that they were compelled through justice to her to seek a lower altitude and decided to try Brownwood.

Emile Wheelock, son of Mayor and Mrs. Wheelock, of Lubbock, was brought to Amarillo yesterday and placed in the Amarillo Hospital for surgical treatment. Mrs. Wheelock is just now recovering from surgery at the same institution, and the son will be treated without delay. —Amarillo News.

Mr. and Mrs. Laughlin and family, of Noble, N. M., returned home Wednesday, after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Long. Mrs. Laughlin is Mrs. Long's sister.

Simeon O'Neal returned the first of the week from a business trip to Portales, New Mexico.

B. F. Dixon, of Plains, was here Tuesday shaking hands with his many friends.

The Panama Canal Administration

bill providing for free passage of American ships and prohibiting free use of the canal railroad-owned vessels, and providing for the establishment of one-man government when canal is completed, was passed by the Senate last Friday by a vote of 47 to 15. The provision for free tolls which was fought out in the Senate last Wednesday was endorsed again just before the passage of the measure.

Frank Tubbs is here this week from Austin looking after business matters and visiting friends.

TRY A SACK OF
LARBEE'S FLOUR
 IT'S FULLY GUARANTEED
 Manufactured by the mill in the land, who use the latest improved German methods
IT COST NO MORE AND BETTER

I WANT YOUR GROCERY TO
 Nice clean well assorted stock. Phone your order to One-Seven-Naught. delivery to any part of town and all orders receive prompt attention.

C. A. HOLCOMB
 MERRILL-ROBERTS BLDG

SELLING EVERY DAY WHAT?
 Horse "Chawings" Mule "Chawings"
 Cow "Chawings" Chicken "Chawings"
"DAVIDSON FEED STORE"
 —Phone 134—

Bargains Bargains Bargains

Read The List Below And See If There Is Not Something That Will Interest You

- Section of land in Yoakum County to trade for home or property in Lubbock \$1,000.
- 23 Brood mares, foaled by jack, \$85 per head; will take some trade.
- One nice ten room residence, 114 acres of land 11-2 miles from town, to trade for land.
- Eight room house, five acre bearing orchard, good improvements; 40 acres of ground to trade for land or rental property.
- Half-section of patented land eleven miles northwest of Lubbock at \$13.00 per acre; \$3.00 per acre cash, balance in fifteen equal annual payments.
- Seven sections in a solid body on Texaco cut-off. \$7.00 per acre; \$35.0 per acre cash; balance 39 years at five per cent interest.
- For Sale—a Jersey cow, fresh in December.
- Automobile, wagon and team and some cash to exchange for a home or make payment on a home in Lubbock.

Would Like to have a List of Your Property For Sale, either City Property or Farm Lands

Robinson Brothers

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

PHONE 245

Society

BY MRS.

Quite a number of people are enjoying at the ranch Powell, near in attendance Dickinson in Lubbock, Douglas, Arizona, of Miar of Bisbee, Clarence Co Arizona, Mar and A. E. W.

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Society Items

BY MRS. D. ROBINSON

Quite a number of young people are enjoying a house party at the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powell, near Abernathy, those in attendance are Misses Vallie Dickinson and Maude Burns, of Lubbock, Maxine Davis, of Douglas, Arizona, Eveline Preston, of Miami, Mable Grugen, of Bisbee, Arizona, Messrs. Clarence Crawford, of Bisbee, Arizona, Maurice Hall, of Pecos, and A. E. Whitehead, of Slaton.

Mesdames Colby Thomas and Edward Robinson entertained the 24-42 and Merry Wives at the home of Mrs. Robinson, on Broadway August 7. Mesdames Boyle, of Dallas, and Lewin, of Miles, were the honored guests. This was one of the most delightful parties of the season. There were 15 tables and about 15 games were played. Mesdames Price and Wright tied for high score with about 10 ladies second best. Miss Amy McLarry presided at the punch bowl where delicious fruit punch was served to the ladies on entering. The house was beautifully decorated with ferns, palms and cut flowers. Refreshments of fruit gelatine, pickles, cheese sandwiches and ice tea were served to the following ladies: Mesdames Ferrill, Mast, Lemon, Ellis, Peoples, Taylor, Sim O'Neal, Brown, Hurt, Vickers, Palmer, Annelle, Wright, Royalty, Schenck, Downing, Jim Robinson, Robbins, Slaton, Benson, D. Robinson, Atkins, Chase, Rankin, Norton, Lotspeich, Sower, J. O'Neal, Boyle, Summers, White, Cosby, Atkins, Flemister, Price, Copeland, Griffin, Paschal, Wheelock, Kimbro, Smith, Bledsoe, Towle, Elder Penney, Joe Penney, Davidson, Johnson and Rush. Misses Hoke, Pumphry, White, Neil, Kathrine and Elizabeth Robertson, Harriett Brown, Janie McCrummen, Mamie and Nellie, McCrummen.

Mrs. D. Robinson left on Thursday's train for Vega, where she goes to organize a Chapter of O. E. S.

The B. M. E. Club met at the home of Maxine Marshall, August 13th with a Misses Marshall and Martin as hostess. A most delightful afternoon was spent. Beautiful music was rendered by Maxine Marshall and Coots Jordan. The girls were served to moos and cake. Vinita Martin was elected secretary to fill the unexpired term. Kathleen Farris having resigned. Those present were: Misses Roy, Caraway, Patterson, Jordan, Burrus, Adams, Lane, Atkins, Bullock, Farris, Porter. Out of town guest was Miss Willie Mina Harrington. The club will meet with Misses Bullock and Farris at the home of the latter Tuesday August 20th.

Card of Thanks

We desire to thank the kind people of Lubbock for the valuable assistance rendered during the sickness and death of our loved one. Also Bro. Sanders for his kind words of comfort and consolation. May God's richest blessings rest on each one. is the prayer of
MRS. SALLIE MOORES AND CHILDREN.

The next Legislature, it seems, will have an unusually large number of new men, men who were not members of the preceding Legislature, nor perhaps of any previous one. They will be tyros at the legislative game. Probably that fact is not prophetic of much, that is, from it alone one could not safely argue to the conclusion that we will have a better or worse output of laws than the last Legislature gave us, although one who recalls the last legislative performance vividly would probably feel safe in concluding that at least it will not be worse. There will be enough of veterans to teach the tyros the modus operandi, or at least as much as there is any need of their knowing, and for what they lack in technical experience we shall probably be compensated in enthusiasm and freshness of view.

It appears, furthermore, from the statistical information we printed yesterday morning, that an unusually large number of veteran legislators were defeated in last month's contests, so that the large proportion of new members in the next Legislature will not be due to voluntary but largely to involuntary retirement. This fact must evidence dissatisfaction on the part of the people with the unseemly wrangles of the last Legislature, and ought to be a suggestion to the members of the next one that the way to win popular approval is to conduct themselves as much unlike the members of the last Legislature as may be possible.—Dallas News.

Read the ad of Martin's Bakery in this issue. It is a six inch two-column reminder that you should buy your bread at his bakery. Mr. Martin is one of the towns most progressive business men. He spends a large sum of money annually keeping his bakery in the forefront. He gives our town as good bakery service as any town in the state of ten times the population and a great deal better than many towns of 50,000 population. He is a member of the National Master Bakers Association and gets the benefit of the latest scientific methods of baking the same as the bakers in New York or St. Louis. He is contemplating some further improvements which he expects to make shortly.

It is reported here that the Santa Fe system will build a \$500,000 terminal about eight miles from Brownwood. A number of surveys have been made in that vicinity lately and it is now assured that the new division will be established and that the track facilities of the Santa Fe will be greatly increased.

Mrs. Teller, of Henderson, who has been visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Word, in Lubbock, returned home Tuesday.

H. L. Cooper, who travels for Armour and Co., has just returned from a trip over the entire south Plains. He says he found rain everywhere. Crops generally never looked better. Most of the wheat stubble is being turned under to prepare for another wheat crop. Cotton he says under the cap rock will make from 1-2 to 3-4 of a bale to the acre. The cotton acreage on the plains he says is not heavy this year, but it is estimated that cotton around Lubbock will go about a half a bale to the acre. "From the fine crops I find everywhere," said Mr. Cooper, "I think the Panhandle this year will harvest by far the largest crops in her history."—Daily Panhandle.

J. W. Bounds was painfully injured one day last week when his thumb on the right hand was jerked off at the first joint by getting a rope wrapped around it. He was leading a horse behind his buggy when the animal ran around to one side of the vehicle, getting on the opposite side of a mesquite bush near the road which caused him to jerk back resulting in the injury as stated. Mr. Bounds had the injured member dressed and is giving it the best of care, but he says it is causing him great pain.

When its costs \$20,000 to run for a \$4,000.00 a year office and the term of office is only two years, there is something wrong somewhere. Ramsey reported as campaign expenses \$20,000 and was defeated; Colquitt \$16,000 and was elected. His salary as Governor will not more than half pay his expense account trying to be elected.

G. C. Brown and wife are here from Lubbock county to visit their son, L. H. Brown of Westover. Mr. Brown reports crop conditions to be favorable in his county, though he doesn't advise Baylor county people to try to make a change for the better.—Baylor County Banner.

Mrs. P. M. Larner, and daughter, Ruth, mother and sister of Mrs. Hardin Long, returned Tuesday to Moran Mills, Texas, after spending a week visiting Mrs. Long and family at this place.

Mrs. R. E. Counts, of Merkel, Texas, sister of Mrs. Hardin Long, who has been visiting here the past week left Tuesday for her home.

Dr. Inmon and family came up from Tahoka Saturday night and spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Inmon.

T. C. Ivey was over from Plains Tuesday, and left on the 12:35 passenger for points north.

D. H. Benton, of Ralls, was over Monday looking after business affairs.

Tom Leach, of Snyder, was in the city the first of the week.

The People of the South Plains Are Happy.

If you would be happy, one of the essentials are, to have a Bank Account.
We would be pleased to have your account.
No matter how small it might be, we would treat it with the same consideration as we would a large account.
If your account is large we appreciate it, and give it our very best attention.
All business entrusted to us, is treated strictly confidential.
We observe the "Golden Rule" in every transaction.

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C. E. PARKS, V. Pres. F. E. CRAIG, Ass't. Cashier.

Break in Cotton

Late rains in Texas and Oklahoma, with the impending new crop, have carried the price of speculative cotton down more than a cent a pound, but spot cotton has been affected less than half as much. The disparity shows that the depression is due in large part to sentiment or to the opinions of speculators. The prospects for a fair yield has been considerably enhanced, but the prospect is by no means assured. August and September mean as much to the cotton crop as June and July. Indeed, the crop is now at the critical point of development. Much more rain might be disastrous and insect pests still threaten.

We do not venture at this time to give cotton farmers any advice, but suggest that they study market conditions very closely and make due effort to obtain information concerning the demands of the spinners.

Within a few weeks cotton will be moving freely from the gins. The wise farmer will not be in haste to sell until he assures himself that current prices are fair under the conditions of trade.

From all accounts the prospects are better in Texas than in any other part of the cotton belt.—Fort Worth Record.

Emil Wheelock was stricken Friday with a severe attack of appendicitis and was hurried off to the Amarillo Hospital for surgical treatment. The many friends of the family deeply regret the seriousness of the attack and trust that the operation will prove successful and the afflicted boy will soon return home entirely well.

Deep Well for Sweetwater

Some time ago R. A. Musgrove sold a tract of land 1 1/2 miles west of town to Mr. Vernon.

Mr. Vernon is an experienced well driller and has all the necessary machinery to bore deep wells and he with the assistance of S. M. Johnson and D. S. Kirk is organizing a company to put a well down 2000 feet deep, seeking oil, gas or water. If either is found it will be a great thing for this city. Their plan is to sell lots on the tract of land at \$10.00 each, using the money to sink the well, each lot holder to have his proportional product of the well, and its product.

If oil or gas is found each lot will have a value of its own aside from the interest in the first well.

It is a proposition of helping to investigate the underground resources of this country and a part in what is found.—Sweetwater Reporter.

Telephone Line Sold

Amarillo, Tex., Aug. 8.—J. E. Nunn and associates sold today to the Southwestern Telephone and Telegraph Company their long distance lines in the Panhandle, known as the Northwest Texas Telephone Company, the consideration being \$101,000. The lines transferred connect Amarillo with Canyon, Tulia, Plainview, Floydada and other points.

Fire at Plainview

Plainview, Tex., Aug. 12.—C. L. Gilbert's livery stable and barn was totally destroyed by fire this afternoon. The loss was about \$12,000; insurance, \$8,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

A. D. Barnes of Lorena, Texas spent last week in our city, the guest of J. M. Bradley. Mr. Bradley has shown him the magnificent crops all over this section and in conversation with the Avalanche man he said he could see no reason why this country cannot be made one of the leading agricultural sections of the state and all he saw that we needed to make it such is more good farmers. Mr. Barnes reports conditions favorable around Lorena.

SPECIAL

Music by Lubbock Orchestra

FRIDAY NIGHT

Extra Good Program

THE AIRDOME

Admission - 10c

WORSHAM'S REDUCTION SALE OF DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES CONTINUES

Big saving for cash. Do not ask us to charge anything at the Sale Price. We cannot present prices on but a few articles in the limited space we have taken for this ad but respectfully refer you to our big circular, the prices remain the same as quoted on it.

<p>Silks and Messalines</p> <p>\$1.25 Taffeta at sale price 90c</p> <p>\$1.25 Messaline at sale price 90c</p> <p>50 cent China sale price 35c</p> <p>Calicoes and Lawns at 5c</p> <p>10c and 12c Grades at 8c</p>	<p>Hats</p> <p>\$6.00 Stetson hats sale price 4.50</p> <p>5.00 Stetson hats sale price 3.75</p> <p>4.00 Hats sale price 3.00</p> <p>3.00 Hats sale price 2.25</p> <p>2.50 Hats sale price 2.00</p>	<p>Straws and Panamas at 20 to 40 per cent Discount.</p> <p>Shirts</p> <p>\$1.25 Shirts sale price 90c</p> <p>1.00 Shirts sale price 80c</p> <p>75 cent Shirts sale price 55c</p> <p>60 cent Shirts sale price 50c</p>	<p>Good Work Shirts</p> <p>50 cent Shirts sale price 38c</p> <p>2 for 75c.</p> <p>Groceries</p> <p>We quote a few prices below, all other articles in this department go at proportionately low prices:</p> <p>Extra High Patent Soft Wheat Flour, Guaranteed, per cwt. 3.30</p>	<p>Peaberry Coffee 4 pounds for 1.00</p> <p>Blanke's Coffee, 30c packs, 25c per lb.</p> <p>Bucket Coffee, regular \$1 bucket for 90c</p> <p>Cottolene and Lard at a good reduction.</p> <p>Syrup right down near cost.</p> <p>Swift's Crystal White Soap, 6 bars 25c or per case 3.95</p>
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25 Per cent Discount on all Pants in stock; 25 to 35 per cent Discount on Ladies Skirts and Petticoats. Big bargains here in Parasols, Ladies' Hand Bags, Suit Cases, Etc. Good 8 oz. Duck 12 1-2c; 10 oz. 15c.

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 1912

COLQUITT PLATFORM

9 O'clock Closing, Majority Nominations, Election Law Revision Among Them.

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 10.—Governor Colquitt arrived tonight and brought with him the draft of a platform to be submitted to his friends for adoption by the Democratic State Convention. While the Governor did not make public his platform, intimate friends who discussed its provisions with him told of its salient features.

There are several suggestions of State-wide importance. One is that saloons be closed at 9:30 p. m. and remain thus until 7:30 o'clock the next morning. And in that he is joined by Col. Jake Wolters, erstwhile candidate for United States Senate, who arrived today from the coast. Hence that would appear as part of the Colquitt program and probably will be adopted by the convention, as the pro element will be sure to vote for it. The last can not be said of some of the rampant antis from the southwestern portion of the State, where the number of pros can be counted on the fingers of the two hands. Some of these may rebel. They acquiesced in the midnight closing to 5 o'clock next morning, now in vogue, but they may not go the whole distance with the Governor in closing the saloons at 9:30 p. m. However, with the other Colquitt adherents and the pros co-operating that plank may be adopted.

The Governor would go even further than that in the platform, for this document also provides that cities be given the authority to close earlier than 9:30 p. m. if they so desire, and also to restrict the sale of intoxicants to certain sections, keeping it out of residence districts.

It will be recalled that during the last Legislature the Governor vetoed an early closing law, though it provided for shutting down at 7 o'clock. This was earlier than 9:30 as he now proposes.

In the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas, Amarillo Division.

In the matter of A. Judd, bankrupt, No. 77, in bankruptcy. To the creditors of the above styled bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the creditors of the above styled bankrupt at my office in Amarillo, Texas, on the 24th day of August, 1912, at 9 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of declaring the first dividend in the above styled bankruptcy, said dividend not to be less than 5 per cent, and for the purpose of attending to such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated August 10, 1912.

BEN H. STONE, Referee in Bankruptcy.

Bartley Wins by 800

In the race for representative between Judge T. M. Bartley, of Lynn county, and Frank E. White of Crosby county, the official returns from eight counties and official statements from Garza and Briscoe counties that Bartley carried them two to one and official statements that Bartley carried Gaines and Andrews counties gives Bartley every county but Lynn. The known vote is White 1069, Bartley 1561.

W. COWAN DEAD

Brother of Lee and W. C. Cowan Dies at Home of His Son in Tahoka

Mr. W. Cowan, of Alexander, Texas, died at one o'clock in the afternoon Saturday, August 3rd, at the residence of his son, J. H. Cowan, five miles south of Tahoka, and was buried in the Tahoka cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Cowan was 66 years old the 12th of last January, and has lived in Alexander for 40 years or more. Five years ago to a day from the date of his death, he had a stroke of paralysis, and has suffered from several light shocks since, the last one occurred 28 hours before death brought relief. He had been very ill at his home and J. H. Cowan went down to Alexander and brought his father and mother home with him a week or so ago, and his father seemed to be improving right along until the last shock came upon him when the end came quickly.

Mr. Cowan leaves a wife, a sister, Mrs. Emma Stillwell, of Lone Oak; three brothers S. M. Cowan, of Lone Oak, Lee Cowan of Meadow, Texas; W. C. Cowan of Tahoka; and five children living, Mrs. Cleo Mitchell, Iredell, Texas; Mrs. Eva Deisher, Mrs. W. F. Harvey, S. W. Cowan, all of Alexander, and J. H. Cowan, of Lynn county, Texas.—Lynn County News.

Mrs. John K. Rosson, John K. Rosson Jr. and little Miss Cornelia Rosson, all of Fort Worth, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Pierce, the past month returned home Monday.

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J. D. PEELER

Democratic Nominees

Following are the nominees of the Democratic primary, who are now subject to the general election in November, and whose announcements appeared in this paper before the primary:

- For District Judge:
W. R. SPENCER.
For District Attorney:
G. E. LOCKHART.
For County Judge:
E. R. HAYNES.
For County Attorney:
R. A. SOWDER.
For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
W. H. FLYNN.
For Tax Assessor:
H. K. PORTER.
For County Treasurer:
R. H. WILSON.
For County and District Clerk:
J. A. WILSON.
For Surveyor:
H. G. GUINN.
For Hide and Animal Inspector:
BOB JASPER.
For Commissioner Precinct 1:
R. A. BARCLAY.
For Commissioner Precinct 2:
C. A. JOPLIN.
For Commissioner Precinct 3:
L. O. BURFORD.
For Commissioner Precinct 4:
J. M. WRIGHT.
For Justice of the Peace Prec. 1:
J. D. CALDWELL.

Buy a coupon book and save 5 to 15 cents per 100 pounds on your ice.

City Building Notes

(By J. A. Arnold)

Business combinations are sometimes considered violations of the Sherman Anti-Trust Law. This does not apply though when the union is for the up-building of a community. Let everybody boost.

The knock of opportunity is sometimes unheard because of the turmoil and strife within. Let peace prevail.

To rest is to grow rusty. Lift a hand towards the future prosperity of your city.

It is a good policy to play fair with capital.

It takes push to start a proposition but it usually takes capital to finish it.

Hospitality will create a lasting impression on the stranger and as a result the city will receive a lot of free advertising.

Investors generally buy land in a growing community or at least in a locality that shows promise of advancement.

Some young men give as their reason for not returning to the farm that the city is so far away. You can reduce the distance by improving the public highway.

Lots of towns are side tracked by capital because of the indifference of the citizens.

Who does not like to invest in a clean city.

A friendly spirit to co-operate in a fair way with all public officials, utility companies, traffic men and others, pays big dividends to a city's successful growth.

Small profits and a big business are better for a town's prosperity than high prices and a "nothing doing" look about the streets.

Friendly, polite and obliging citizens are a big drawing card to strangers and intending investors.

Second Primary in Briscoe

Briscoe county will hold a second primary August 10 in order to nominate some of her county officers. The reason assigned is that owing to there being a number of contestants for each office it was thought expedient to nominate by a majority vote instead of a plurality vote. The races of county judge, sheriff, tax assessor and one commissioner will be decided in Saturday's election.—Lockney Beacon.

In order to relieve the lack of hotel facilities existing in Waco the Young Men's Business League has offered a bonus of \$20,000 to the individual or corporation that will erect a modern hotel of not less than 190 rooms in the business district.

SCHOOL APPORTIONMENT \$6.85

Educational Board Holds Meeting

Figure Based on Scholastic Population

Austin, Tex., Aug. 10.—Based

on a scholastic population of 1,019,000, the State Board of Education at the regular monthly session today made the annual scholastic apportionment, the amount apportioned being \$6.85 per capita. This is the largest apportionment ever made for any one year in the history of the State of Texas, and is 5 cents higher than that of last year, which was \$6.80. Due to this large apportionment it is figured out by the board that practically all of the common or country schools should be able to run for the entire nine months of the scholastic year 1912-13. The appropriation, which comes out of the available school funds of the State, become available on September 1st 1912.

M. S. Acuff spent a few days here the latter part of last week and the first of this week looking after business interests.

THESE HOT DAYS

You want something cool and refreshing to drink and we doubt if you will find a better place in Lubbock to get what you want than

THE RED CROSS DRUG & JEWELRY STORE

at this store you will also find the best selected stock of Drugs, Toilet Articles, Jewelry, Etc., all high grade goods. We invite you to visit our store today.

The Rexall Store

WEST SIDE SQUARE PHONE 167

Wool Tariff Veto

President Taft has courage and consistency. He vetoes the bill reducing the tariff on wool and woolen goods because the reduction is below the estimate by the tariff board of the difference between the cost of production at home and abroad. He asks congress to remain in session long enough to present another bill with reductions of 20 to 50 per cent, according to the tariff boards recommendation, and promises to approve it.

Will congress stand pat and refuse any reduction because it cannot get the reduction it desires? Or will it give the people such small relief as it can obtain under the President's pledge?

We fear that political tactics rather than considerate statesmanship will determine the answer.

The issue thus joined is one of no small importance. Perhaps the people may condemn the President for refusing tariff relief; perhaps they may condemn

the congress if it refuses the relief the President offers. That is a matter of political guesswork. But it is not a matter of guesswork that a reduction of even 20 per cent in the woolen tariff is desirable. Besides, a reduction of 20 per cent now will not hinder another and greater reduction hereafter under a Democratic President.

It seems to us that it is good politics for the Democrats to send the President a bill which he will sign; we are sure it is good sense to do so.—Fort Worth Record.

In this issue of the Avalanche will be found the page ad of W. L. Harrington & Company, who last week purchased the A. Judd stock of Dry Goods and Groceries. They are closing out this stock and are offering some exceptionally good prices. Read the ad and act according to your own good judgment.

WINDOW GLASS WE CUT IT FOR YOU

And will set it. Don't forget about the Picture Framing Department
A. J. TOWLE, N. Side Square Phone 269.

Boot and Shoe Making

is my business. I have worked at this trade for years, and am prepared to make you boots or shoes that fit your feet. Repair work of all kinds done promptly and my prices are reasonable.

W. A. ROBERTSON

Patterson Old Land Office North Side of the Square

Harvest Home

At my store you will find a complete line of this celebrated brand of canned goods including Coffee, Spices of different kinds, Canned Meats, Pickles, Preserves, Canned Fruit of many varieties. In fact you can supply your pantry to a queen's taste with HARVEST HOME Good Eats. Try them. I guarantee their quality. Ask for Harvest Home Brands.

Remember That German Mill Flour: Every Pound Guaranteed.

C. E. HUNT, Grocer

QUALITY; Not Talked, But Sold.
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Two Doors West Citizens National Bank Bldg.

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BIG BANKRUPT SALE

WILL OPEN PROMPTLY AT 9 O'CLOCK

Wednesday Morning, August 14th.

We would like for every person to read this circular. It is interesting. Not the reading, but the prices. Most all of you know the JUDD & SON Stock of Merchandise is practically new, only been run about a year. Well, that is the stock we bought. And we bought it very cheap. So cheap that we can sell you your DRY GOODS and GROCERIES at about ONE-HALF the price they should bring, and still make a nice little profit for ourselves. Read the following prices and come to the store, a little West of the Post Office, and see if the prices quoted here is not a fair sample of the prices on everything in the store. We are not throwing out any leaders, or bait, to catch the people. Everything in the store is leaders. Come to the store at 9 o'clock, Wednesday Morning and you will think so.

REMEMBER THIS IS A SALE TO THE FINISH EVERYTHING GOES NOTHING RESERVED

At the prices we can't afford to make delivery of the goods but will see that you get them home. No tickets made at these prices. **EVERYTHING CASH.**

<p>Men's Pongee Pajama Suits Men's Pongee Pajamas, the kind that retails for 2.00, in this bankrupt sale for only 98c</p> <p>Canvas Gloves Mens, Children and Ladies Canvas Gloves, the 10c kind, in this bankrupt sale for only 6c</p> <p>Red and Blue Bandana Handkerchiefs The best 5c Bandana Handkerchiefs made, in this sale 2 for 5c</p> <p>Men's John B. Stetson Hats Men's 4.00 John B. Stetson Hat, in this bankrupt sale only 1.98 5.00 Stetson Hats in this sale only 2.45 5.50 Stetson Hats in this sale only 2.65</p> <p>\$3.00 and \$3.50 Worth Hats These hats are made of good material, new and up-to-date, they retail for 3.00 and 3.50 everywhere, this bankrupt sale price will be 1.98</p> <p>Nice line of Boys fall suits at prices that will please you. Buy now while you can make your money buy two suits instead of one later.</p> <p>Dress Gingham All Gingham that retails for 10c to 12 1/2c, in this bankrupt sale will go at only 5c</p>	<p>Fine Satin Silk A new lot of fine Satin Silk, 72 inches wide, 12 different shades, regular retail price 1.25 and 1.50 the yard, you must see it to appreciate the great reduction, the bankrupt price will be only, per yard 58c</p> <p>Ladies' Tailor-Made Skirts Good Material, Made Well and Up-to-date The 5.00 kind at only 2.78 The 6.00 kind at only 3.18 The 7.00 and 7.50 kind at only 3.48</p> <p>Lots of other good things for the ladies that we haven't room to mention. Come and see all the bargains.</p> <p>Children and Misses School Shoes The thing you will need right away. School will start next month. Buy them now, while you can get 2 pair for very near the price of one later.</p>	<p>Baking Powder Some of the best brands that are on the market. Read the following prices: 10c can bankrupt price 4c 15c can bankrupt price 7c 25c can bankrupt price 15c 50c buckets bankrupt price 25c 80c buckets bankrupt price 40c</p> <p>Table Salt Premium Table Salt put up in 5c and 10c sacks. The bankrupt price will be 2 small sacks only 5c 1 large sack only 5c</p> <p>Laundry Soap Fairbanks Clairette Soap a good laundry soap. The bankrupt price is 2 bars for only 5c</p> <p>Brooms 30 well made Brooms, their regular price was 40c to 50c each, bankrupt price only 24c</p> <p>Canned Goods Nice and fresh California Canned Fruit and Jellies, all that retailed for 35c goes in this bankrupt sale for each only 19c 25c and 35c kind bankrupt price 17c Lots of good goods that retailed for 25c, in this bankrupt sale go at only 12c and 15c</p>
<p>GROCERIES, GROCERIES You will be surprised at the many good things we have to eat, especially at the prices, we feel like that it is best that we place a limit on the amount of your purchase. In order that the wholesale houses might want to buy our entire stock. We want our customers to have the benefit of these prices.</p>		
<p>Tea Tea Tea We have 70 pounds of Tea that's as good as any that sells for 60c. In other words it is 60c per pound Tea. But our bankrupt price will be per pound 20c</p>		

REMEMBER THE PLACE AND THE TIME

THE PLACE JUDD & SON OLD STAND NEXT DOOR WEST OF POSTOFFICE, LUBBOCK, TEXAS

TIME, 9:00 O'CLOCK WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 14th, 1912

YOURS VERY TRULY

W. L. HARRINGTON & CO.

We Want Your Second Hand Goods

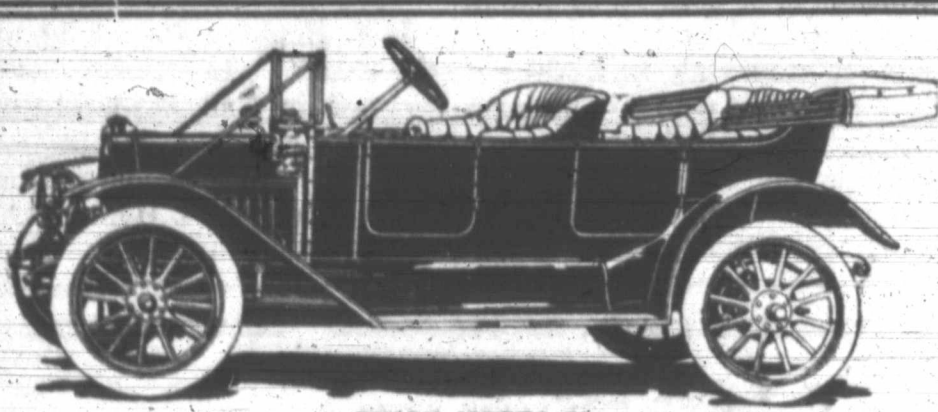
Come in and let us trade some. We have many useful articles, almost as good as new that we might trade you for something that you have that you do not need, or we will make you attractive prices for cash. Remember we are prepared to do all kinds of TIN AND SHEET METAL WORK; every job is fully guaranteed and our prices are the best in town. Figure with us first and you will buy from us.

THE ACME TIN SHOP

SHOP EAST SIDE SQUARE

M. R. USLEAMAN, PROPRIETOR

PHONE 136



BUICK MODEL 55

YOU MAKE NO MISTAKE WHEN YOU DECIDE TO BUY A BUICK

This car gives the most satisfactory results for all purposes of any car in the market. We have sold a large number and all our purchasers are well pleased with their purchases.

REMEMBER WE DO VULCANIZING

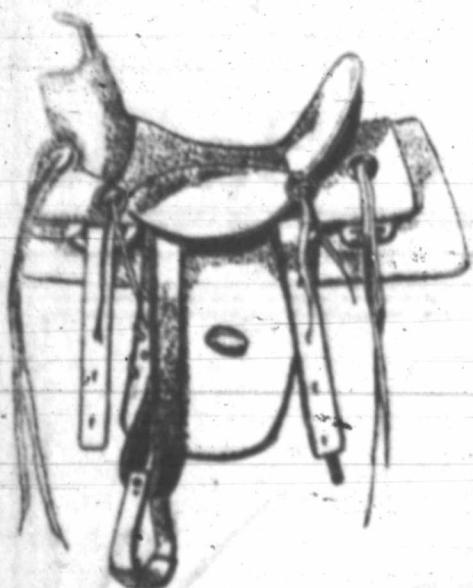
CASS AUTO COMPANY

PHONE 121

WINDMILLING IS MY BUSINESS

I am prepared to do all kind of windmill work. I can build your tower, put up your windmill, tank, etc., or will do any kind of repair work of this nature. I guarantee every job and my prices are reasonable. Let me figure with you before you have your windmill work done.

W. S. CLARK, Phone No. 1



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Priced \$35 to \$75 with an absolute guarantee and Gallup Harness.

If better ones are ever made they will come from our shops.

Write for Catalog

THE S. C. GALLUP SADDLERY COMPANY

401 4TH ST. PUEBLO, COLO.

C. C. Reynolds, of Sterling, who formerly resided in Lubbock county was here the latter part of last week and was a pleasant caller at our office. Mr. Reynolds says they have suffered some for the want of rain in Sterling, but since some moisture has fallen conditions will greatly improve.

THE I. O. O. F. ASSOCIATION

Lubbock Lodges of Odd Fellows And Rebekah's Entertain Association Two Days

Last week the Lubbock Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows entertained the South Plains I. O. O. F. Association two days, and the days were well spent. A good attendance was had and every one seemed delighted with the program and was glad of the opportunity to be here.

Thursday afternoon found a goodly number present at the hall. Jno. W. Baker, who is one of the most enthusiastic Odd Fellows to be found, and who is well up on the work acted as Master of ceremonies and opened the session by calling upon Rev. W. M. Lane, Pastor of the Methodist church of this city, to deliver the invocation in behalf of the city of Lubbock.

The address of welcome was delivered by Attorney Roscoe Wilson in his usual pleasing way and was enjoyed by all. Response by L. P. Loomis, editor of the Slatonite, Slaton, Texas. Mr. Loomis, proved himself equal to the occasion and his address was well received and enjoyed by the association. Following this, Attorney W. F. Schenck told the visitors in behalf of the Lubbock Lodge how pleased they were to have the association meet with them and Mrs. E. R. Haynes, in behalf of the Local Rebekah's assured the visitors that they were delighted

to entertain them for two days or as long as they wished to remain. Mrs. Randell, of Brownfield, responded to Mrs. Haynes' address, much to the delight of all present. After which the president of the association, Mr. Percy Spencer, of Brownfield, made the closing address. The meeting adjourned till the evening session.

The evening session began with the competitive work by the subordinates in the first degree work by the Lubbock team. Recess was given during which refreshments of cake and cream occupied the attention of the Lodge. Slaton degree team then took up the work of the first degree in competition for high honors on floor work and received hearty applause for the manner they executed same. The judges who were Geo. Keck, of Plainview, Percy Spencer, of Brownfield, and E. C. Baker, also of Plainview, were the judges and awarded the banner to the Slaton team. Meeting adjourned till Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Friday morning the business session was called to order by the President, Percy Spencer, of Brownfield, and the business affairs of the Association looked into. Election of officers resulted in L. P. Loomis, of Slaton being chosen as President of the 1913 meeting, the time and place to be named by the executive committee at a later date. Mrs. Walter W. Royalty was elected Secretary and Treasurer.

The Association did not forget to vote thanks to Miss Wylie Wilson who took special delight in entertaining members of the Association during their two days stay in our city. Following adjournment of the Association came the auto ride during which time the visitors were shown the pretty residences in Lubbock and the irrigated farms near town.

Friday night the Rebekah team from Brownfield exemplified the Rebekah Degree and

Lubbock team did the same in competitive work. The honors were so evenly divided that the judges refused to say what was what. Both teams did splendid work and deserves great credit. Fifteen candidates were given the Rebekah Degree during the Association.

This closed the 1912 session of the South Plains I. O. O. F. Association.

ODD-FELLOW.

Big Silo Being Built

George M. Boles, proprietor of the Peerless Hereford Stock Farm is having a big silo built on his farm, and will probably complete it this week. It will have a capacity, so we understand of about 300 tons of ensilage. It is forty feet high not including the cover, which will raise it about five feet higher.

The McAdams Lumber Company is furnishing the material.

It is built of 2x4 laid flat and securely nailed together and over all this is weather boarding, making it a very smooth looking piece of work as well as one of the best constructed silos anywhere on the Plains. This is the first one to be built near town. There are a number north of town in the vicinity of Abernathy and in Crosby county in the vicinity of Lorenzo. Mr. Boles has also received his ensilage cutter and engine

to operate same with and as soon as his crop reaches the proper stage he will get busy putting it away for winter consumption.

Auto for Sale

Two passenger; 1911 model; 20 h. p.; 6,000 mileage; good as new; terms. Owner leaving plains.

W. B. ATKINS.

R. M. Clayton returned Friday from a trip to Amarillo.

J. A. Moore

DEALER IN

Saddles and Harness, Summer Lap Dusters, Whips, Spurs, Etc. Does All Kinds of Leather Repair Work.

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE

"JOHNSTON ROW BINDERS"

Remember the Johnston Row Binders are equipped with automatic gates, and we do not use packers that will cost you \$1.00 and more to repair. Has greatest power, the lightest and most direct draft. Get Our Prices Before Buying Elsewhere.

MONITOR "ONE HORSE POWER" PUMP ENGINE

Guaranteed to be the strangest pump engine of its size on the market today. Call and let us show you the Monitor Pump Engine.

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vertisements 15 cents per single column inch per week; special rates on
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written by ourselves, 2 1/2 cents per line. Church advertisements, where
a revenue is derived therefrom, 5 cents per line. Professional cards \$1.00
per month or \$10 per year if paid in advance.

Phones Business Office 14
Residence 242.

LUBBOCK, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 1912

Cut the weeds.

Lubbock should have a clear
up day.

A clean town is one of the
greatest attractions of the age.
Then is Lubbock attractive?

Send the Avalanche to your
friends in other states or other
portions of the state. They will
become interested and—Come to
Lubbock.

Some of our exchanges are
trying to find the plural for
"Bull Moose." After the No-
vember election very likely the
Bull Moosers themselves will be
hunting their pluralities.

The United States expends an-
nually \$95,000,000 for the main-
tenance of a standing army;
\$115,000,000 annually for its
naval establishment; and \$4,000,
000 annually for its diplomatic
representatives abroad. But the
United States government spends
nothing annually for good roads.
The House, however, has appro-
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the improvement of public high-
ways, and if the Senate does not
chloroform the bill Congress will
inaugurate a policy that will per-
mit the farmers of the nation to
receive a just share of the bene-
fits of the vast government
expenditures.

THE CONFEDERATE REUNION

Large Crowd Attended—Good
Dinner—Splendid Entertain-
ment and Excellent Music

By getting the paper out on
Thursday last week, the editor
and wife were able to attend the
Old Soldiers Reunion at
Gomez, and accompanied V. E.
Hargett and family over in his
surrey. Having arrived late, we
missed all the opening addresses
but got to hear several good ones
before dinner was announced.
The Lubbock band was on hand
and in good trim and discoursed
some most excellent music.
When dinner was announced the
good ladies, as usual, were on
hand with some excellent grub,
the men with hospitality and the
crowd with an appetite, and let
us say right here, the Lubbock
band boys had an excellent
share in the appetite, notably,
Messrs. Quick, Rankin and Wil-
son, whom we are reliably in-
formed pushed grub in on one
side while bones were coming
out of the other side of their
mouths, likened unto a separator.

The first thing on program in
the afternoon was a grand
parade of old soldiers, headed
by the band, while sons and

grandsons brought up the rear,
to the strains of Dixie, the Girl
I Left Behind Me, etc. The
addresses and camp fire stories
of the afternoon were all good
and interesting, after which
officers were elected for the en-
suing year. Resolutions on the
death of old comrade J. N.
Groves was read and approved
and several were reported ab-
sent, there being only about
nine members present.

The play at the school house
at night "Ten nights in a Bar
Room" was most excellent and
well attended and the only thing
that occurred to mar the pleasure
of the day was when an out-law
horse threw Holt Simmons in the
afternoon and hurt him quite bad-
ly—Terry County Herald.

Grady Holland, who has been
holding a position as prescrip-
tion clerk in the Red Cross
Drug and Jewelry Store left this
week for Canyon, where he will
take charge of a drug business
which he purchased. He has
many friends here who will
regret to see him leave, but their
best wishes accompany Mr. and
Mrs. Holland to their new home.

K. Carter left Saturday for
New York to purchase the fall
and winter stock of Dry Goods
and Clothing for the Lubbock
Mercantile Company.

W. H. Flynn our popular sher-
iff, returned Saturday from Fort
Worth, where he had been at-
tending the Sheriff's Convention.

W. J. Anderson, of Temple,
Texas, is in the city this week
looking after business interests.

Elder Liff Sanders left Satur-
day for Gomez, where he will
conduct a ten days meeting.

S. C. Wilson visited his
parents at Lorenzo Saturday and
Sunday.

J. C. Phillips returned Satur-
day from Coleman.

Mrs. O. R. Phillips is visiting
in Coleman this week.

CAMPAIGN FUND

Governor Wilson Declares No
Campaign Money Has Come
From So-Called Trusts

New York, Aug. 9.—No cor-
poration contributions have been
received thus far to Governor
Woodrow Wilson's campaign
fund and none is expected,
Governor Wilson gave out this
information tonight.

The Governor was told that
Rolla Wells, former Mayor of
St. Louis, was on his way to
New York to begin work as
treasurer of the National Demo-
cratic Committee. He was in-

formed of Mr. Wells' statement
in St. Louis that corporation con-
tributions with strings attached
would not be accepted.

"But no contributions have
come from any corporation,"
said the Governor, with a smile,
"and I don't think there is the
least danger that they will."

Governor Wilson sat several
hours today while an artist
completed a charcoal sketch,
which is to be used for campaign
purposes. After the Governor
left the studio he was waylaid
by a physician who said his busi-
ness was psychophysics, or
reading the face. He said he
wanted to arrange an appoint-
ment with the Governor when

he might study the candidate's
physiognomy. The Governor
told him to come to Seagirt next
week.

The Governor walked to and
from the studio along Fifth
avenue, but was recognized by
only a few friends. During the
Governor's two days' visit to
New York he has used a trolley
car to get about or has walked.
He did not ride in a taxicab.

Leases Jackson House

J. N. Hopkins, for a number
of years in the hotel
business in Gail, has leased the
Jackson Rooming House and
Cafe and assumed charge Mon-
day morning. Mrs. Hopkins will
arrive in about a week.

Life is
Smooth Sailing
after you have saved
your money



and put it
in the Bank

Debt is A TERRIBLE MASTER. Debt comes usually from unsafe speculation. Instead of
listening to the get-rich-quick talk of some smooth stranger, who promises the impossible result
of doubling your money in a short while, take banker's advice; PLAY SAFE—bank your money
until some good business chance comes RIGHT HERE AT HOME where you can ATTEND TO
YOUR OWN BUSINESS. THEN life will soon be smooth sailing.

Let OUR Bank be YOUR Bank.

The Lubbock State Bank

GOOD TOOLS HELP A GOOD MAN



The key that unlocks success in business is giving customers good value for their
good money.
We have done this; that's why we have a big, growing hardware business.
If you've never dealt with us, "brace up." It's time you were getting acquainted
with us.

The Western Windmill Co.

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BUILDING MATERIAL THAT YOU MAY HAVE

we would be pleased to supply the materials for, and YOU will be pleased to note how great a saving you will make. Our

BUILDING MATERIALS

are always of the best quality, they never vary. Our prices are shaved so close, that you could not find a resemblance of high prices. Whether you are on job work, or a contractor you should buy of us.

A. G. McADAMS LUMBER CO.

MATERIAL FOR Q. A. & P.

Work on the Grade May Commence Within the Next Two Weeks Work Will be Pushed

Several cars of material have been shipped for use on the extension of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific, according to information received from Attorney Decker a few days ago. It is expected to arrive in Paducah any time. The material will be placed in the yard here and used as the construction crews need it. In speaking of the extension Mr. Decker says:

"It is a mistake that a part of the contract has been let for the construction of the road. There are a number of contractors who are bidding for different portions of it, but so far no contracts have been made. I am of the opinion that work will begin about the first of September, but not before. When it does once open up the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible until we reach Roaring Springs. I think we will be to that point by spring. I am not authorized to say what direction the road will be extended from Roaring Springs, or what towns are going to be in line for it. The only thing that I do know is that we are going to the Pacific as quickly as possible. We are looking for a lot of material to reach Paducah every day. This material will be used in the construction work when it begins. The rails will be laid out of Paducah as fast as the grading is completed, and by this method we will be able to keep our material along with the construction crew all the time. I expect that trains will be running as far as Pease river by Christmas."

The new town that will be located near Roaring Springs will be named Zion City. It will be located about seven miles south of Matador and about one and a half miles from Roaring Springs. It is the intention of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific to locate

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When the tube is inflamed you have a running ear, or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. It is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Lynn County Crops

Tahoka, Aug. 8.—Lynn county has had fine rains for the last two days, which will make the late feed crops and will be a great help to cotton. Early maize and Kaffir corn are made, but the dry weather for the last month has made it a little light.

Miss Mary Ellison, who has been visiting her brother J. W. Ellison at Slide for a few weeks left Friday for Denver and other Colorado points, where she will spend some time visiting.

Sheriff's Sale

The state of Texas, county of Lubbock. J. E. Mynard vs J. J. Cutler, et al. In the district court of Lubbock county, Texas. Do hereby, by virtue of my execution and order of sale issued out of the district court of Lubbock county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 15th day of May A. D. 1912, in favor of the said J. E. Mynard and against the said J. J. Cutler, John W. Baker, trustee, J. C. Woody, trustee and Citizen's National Bank of Crosbyton, Texas, No. 682, on the docket of said court, and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I did on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1912, at 9 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Lubbock county, Texas, and belonging to the said J. J. Cutler, John W. Baker, trustee, J. C. Woody, trustee, and the Citizen's National Bank of Crosbyton, Texas, to-wit: Lying and being situated in the town and county of Lubbock, and state of Texas and known and described as lots Nos. nine (9) and ten (10) of block 124, in the subdivision of the addition to the town of Lubbock, as shown by the map or plat of said division. Addition, which is recorded on page 416 and 417 of volume 12 of the Lubbock county, Texas, deed records, being on to satisfy a judgment amounting to three hundred and fifty one & 10/100 (\$351.10) dollars with interest thereon from May 16th 1912, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum and all costs of suit. And on the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1912, being the 1st day of the month of September, I did sell the above described premises by public auction, for cash all the right, title and interest of said J. J. Cutler, John W. Baker, trustee, J. C. Woody, trustee and the Citizen's National Bank of Crosbyton, Texas, in and to said premises. I did give my hand, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1912.



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I can repair it and make it last as long again. It is my business to heal all the ailments of the Jewelry Tribe, and I guarantee a cure, or no pay.

BRING ME YOUR WATCHES AND CLOCKS

A good cleaning or oiling may be all that is necessary to make it keep good time. Work received by mail receives prompt attention.

W. S. NORTON, JEWELER

PROHIBITION ELECTION

Meeting at Waco Subscribes Funds For Campaign to Begin Soon

Waco, Tex., Aug. 8.—A local option election will be held in McLennan county, presumably in the near future, this being decided upon at a meeting this afternoon of prohibitionists. The vote to present a petition to the County Commissioners, asking them to order an election, was 125 for and 16 against, but was later made unanimous.

It was understood that the session this afternoon would be of an executive nature, but a vote on the question as to whether the proceedings should be open to the public carried 69 to 45.

L. O. Burford and wife, and Mrs. Arnold returned from Tahoka Saturday where they went to attend the funeral of John Baldrige, who was a brother of Mesdames Burford and Arnold, and who was killed in a storm last Wednesday night.

More than \$500,000 of old paper money, washed and ironed to the crispness of new in the federal government's currency laundry, will be placed in circulation tomorrow. This lot will represent Uncle Sam's first job as a laundryman. For weeks the treasury department has been cleaning and reviving dirty old notes by the washing machine perfected in the bureau of engineering and printing. Secretary MacVeagh today stamped the venture a success and the laundry will be run in full swing from now on. All unclean bills in fair condition will be washed, ironed and redistributed. The department has ordered more washing machines, within a few months it is expected every subtreasury will be equipped with a laundry and it is hoped to save hundreds of thousands of dollars annually.

R. F. Bayless and family of Amarillo, passed through Clovis yesterday on their way to Cloudcroft. They will be gone about two weeks and will stop off on their return trip and visit Mr. Bayless' parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Bayless.—Clovis Journal.



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contains none of the impurities found in much of the ice sold. Impure ice containing deadly germs is attracting the censure of physicians everywhere, therefore we do not hesitate to say that we supply pure ice at no higher price than usual.

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And we are willing to pay you every cent the market will permit us. We need it in our business.

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and will be pleased to figure with you on your next order composed of articles to be found in a well selected stock.

Remember we have Corn Chops and Bran

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MONEY TO LOAN

Wanted a few good sized ranch and pasture loans at a rate of seven and eight per cent per annum. Write us a description of security in first letter.

BAKER, GRAYUM & ANDERSON SNYDER, TEXAS

Democrats Of Texas

Now that our state primary is over, I feel free to invite the more active attention of Texas democrats to the pending national election.

I am sure that regardless of pre-convention preferences every democrat in Texas is gratified that our party is united as never before, and that we all rejoice in the fact that there are unmistakable indications that the nominees of the Baltimore convention will be triumphantly elected.

It is everywhere conceded that Texas has crowned herself with

everlasting glory, both as the pioneer Wilson-for-President state and in the stalwart conduct of her delegation at the national convention. Unquestionably Texas was a dominant and possibly the determining factor. Certainly no other state, as such, was so potential.

We now have a nation-wide reputation to protect, and I know you all greatly desire that this almost unprecedented prestige thus acquired shall be fully and permanently sustained.

The candidacy of Governor Wilson must be continued in the spirit of his own splendid conduct when he repudiated the proffered Ryan gold.

It requires a large amount of money to meet the legitimate expenses of a presidential campaign, and since ours is a struggle to restore a genuine people's government, we must look to the people not only for votes but for financial support.

To this end I now appeal to all Texas democrats to at once proceed to the raising of a contribution to the national campaign fund of such proportions as will be worthy of the greatest democratic state in the Union, a fund so large as to place the Lone Star State close up to the top in the

financial roll of honor, as we are now universally recognized to be in bringing about the nomination of Governor Wilson.

Experience has demonstrated that newspapers are the best medium of raising a popular campaign fund and I desire to earnestly request every Democratic newspaper and other publications in Texas interested in the election of Wilson and Marshall to at once actively enter upon a campaign for the accomplishment of such a fund—asking for \$1.00 or other small donations. In addition to this procedure I shall forthwith undertake in other ways a systematic and aggressive campaign covering the entire state for the procurement of larger donations, and that no time may be lost and no one overlooked, I now invite the prompt sending of same to me without the further request. Let Texas do her full share in never ceasing effort to place a son of the Southland in the White House.

Woodrow Wilson will be the next president of the United States.

CATO SELLS. National Committeeman for Texas. Cleburne, Tex., Aug. 8th, 1912.

Mrs. Hall, sister of L. B. Wright left Friday for Dallas, where she will visit for a month. She will go from there to Marlin Texas and engage in the millinery business this fall.

Geo. A. Morris is in the city this week looking after business matters.

Dr. Chapin did dental practice in Crosbyton last week returning home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. H. Downing of Oklahoma is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Downing.

Dr. O. F. Peebler went to Amarillo Saturday.

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We want a big list of small tracts, reasonably priced. We will sell it for you if your price is right.

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If you need anything in our line Phone us your order and we will do the rest. Our prices are as low as we can make them. Don't forget us next time you need Feed or Coal.

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HOUSE ON THE TRACK

PHONE 324

We Continue Cut Prices On All Summer Goods

Now is the time to buy School Suits for the boys. All boys fancy mixtures, stripes, checks and plains worth up to \$6.50 now \$3.00. These are suits you are sure to want when the weather gets cooler. So buy them now.

33 1-3 Per cent off all Mens' Suits. A complete line to select from. Don't forget that we sell a Blue Serge Suit for \$10.00 worth \$15.00.

A SPECIAL IN MENS' GAUZE HOSE, ALL COLORS, 3 PAIR FOR 25¢

All Summer Dress Goods at special prices. You can get them at almost your own figures.

A A Advertiser Bleaching priced low for advertising purposes, now 10c.

150 Pieces Red Seal and Toile du Nord Gingham just received. These brands suggest quality 12 1-2c per yd.

Cadet and Wunder Hose for the boys and girls—sold under a guarantee. A new case just received, 25c per pair.

A new Cobweb Lisle Hose for ladies in black only 25c per pair.

WHEN IN TOWN MAKE OUR STORE YOUR HEADQUARTERS. PLENTY OF ROOM AND A PLACE TO REST.

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Feed Bone Meal

It is the best feed for your chickens. We have it for sale. Ground in Lubbock from fresh bones. Phone us about it.

CASH MEAT MARKET

P. S. Buy your dressed chickens from us. We have 'em all the time.

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Removed with Molesoff, without pain or danger, no matter how large, or how far raised above the surface of the skin. And they will never return, and no trace or scar will be left, where the mole or wart was seated. Molesoff is applied directly to the Mole or Wart, which entirely disappears in about six days, killing the germ, leaving the skin smooth and natural.

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Pensacola, Fla.

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Has Good Peanut Crop

J. P. Posey, who has a farm about six miles west of Slaton, has about ten acres in peanuts this year that are looking fine and they grew right along during the recent dry spell without showing any signs of suffering for moisture. A Slatonite reporter looked over the field one day last week and was agreeably surprised to note the thrifty growth and the thorough cultivation.

Enquiry was not made as to what the variety was, but the growth indicated the Spanish plant with a mixed lot of larger nuts, thus the field is not entirely uniform; however this is accounted for in the seed selection and cannot be attributed to the soil. Also the stand is not perfect, which no doubt is the result of the ground squirrels taking the seed out of the ground soon after planting. This can be overcome by using care in the selection of seed and sprinkling the nuts with kerosine just prior to planting, then the squirrels will not bother them. Peanuts ought always to be planted with the hull on as the nuts will not germinate a healthy plant if the outer skin is broken. Notwithstanding the fact that the Posey field shows the lack of seed grading and the stand is not extra good the indications at this time are that the yield will be heavy.

Peanuts have already been proven to be a drought resistant crop on the South Plains and the yield as certain as anything that can be planted. The result of this year's planting is being watched with much interest. Slatonite.

A new law firm has been established in Canyon City composed of J. C. Hunt and Rector Lester. Both parties to the firm are well known in Lubbock.

Masonic Officers

Officers recently installed in the various Orders of the Masonic fraternity are as follows:

Officers of Yellow House Lodge No. 841.—W. H. Flynn, W. M.; Roscoe Wilson, S. W.; J. A. Wilson, J. W.; J. D. Caldwell, Treasurer; J. W. Lamb, Secretary; R. J. Hall, S. D.; E. Y. Lee, J. D.; J. F. Cline, Sr., Steward; B. A. McLarry, Jr., Steward; C. E. Hunt, Tiler.

Officers of Lubbock Chapter No. 248, Royal Arch Masons.—S. C. Wilson, M. E. H. P.; Roscoe Wilson, E. K.; J. E. Vickers, E. S.; Joe Boyd, C. O. H.; Z. D. Agnew, P. S.; J. D. Caldwell, R. A. C.; L. H. W. Terry, M. 3rd V.; Chris Harwell, M. 2nd V.; J. F. Cline, M. 1st V.; E. Y. Lee, Treasurer; J. W. Lamb, Secretary; B. A. McLarry, Guard.

Officers of Lubbock Council No. 183, Royal and Select Masters.—L. H. W. Terry, T. I. M.; J. F. Cline, D. I. D. M.; J. D. Caldwell, I. P. C. W.; Chris Harwell, Treasurer; J. W. Lamb, Recorder; R. J. Hall, C. O. G.; S. C. Wilson, C. O. C.; Sam T. Davis, Steward; D. Robinson, Sentinel.

They Are Worth It

Complaint is made that it costs an average of 18 cents a school day per child to put the rising generation of this country through the elementary and high schools. But it is a very indifferent youngster who isn't worth that much—and a lot more.

W. R. Hampton, one of Slaton's leading merchants visited our city last Friday.

The Editor Appreciated-Nit;

When a girl with a face like a cream puff marries a youth who never earned a dime outside a shooting gallery, the editor has to paint the bride as a radiant vision of blushing beauty and the groom as "one of our rising young business men," or else disappoint an expectant circle of delinquent subscribers. If the editor fails to spread a two-

column obituary over a prominent citizen who never paid a grocery bill outside of the justice court, he is liable to be waited upon by some two-fisted relative of the deceased with an injured air and a punch in either hand.

See L. O. Burford for monuments all work guaranteed. 52tf

J. W. Ellison was in from his place in the Slide community Friday.

SPECIALIZATION

Every housewife in touch with the pulse of events realizes the tendency toward specialization.

In the medical profession we have eye, ear, throat and what-not specialists.

The law has its specialists.

The learned professors and scientists follow given lines of research and experiment unknown and unheeded by those in search of truths along other lines.

The shoe maker sticks to his lasts.

MARTIN'S BREAD

is the result of over ten years of specializing in the manufacture of bread. Ask any housewife who uses it—and that means almost any housewife in Lubbock and near by towns—and she will tell you why it is best.

Food for thought, ye mothers, Martin's Bread is good and wholesome. Your child's health demands it.

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We haul anything. No job too large for us to handle and no package too small to receive our prompt attention.

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MARGARET HUFF
TEACHER OF PIANO
Will Open Studio Sept. 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wheelock, accompanied by Miss Stewart, left Friday for St. Louis. They will be absent a week or more and will purchase the fall stock for the Wheelock Dress Shop while away. Look out for their announcement after their return from market.

BRELSFORD NOMINATED

Eastland Man Claims a Majority With Two Counties Missing of 1423 Votes

Hon. H. P. Brelsford, of Eastland in a telephone conversation with the Reporter today (Wednesday) said that he had returns from every county in this state senatorial district with two exceptions, and his majority was 1423. Winkler and Borden are the two missing counties, and these polled in the last general election a total of only 157 votes.

Mr. Brelsford stated that the official returns from Eastland county gave him a majority 1323, and that the figures as were given by Dr. Overton, Tuesday, which were 1299, was incorrect. He also said that he received 409 votes in Stephens county and was given credit for only 219 Tuesday. He is confident that he has been nominated by a majority of not less than 1258.—Abilene Daily Reporter.

Robert Ritehey and wife visited relatives in Hale Center this week.

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Every American born man, woman and child recognizes Uncle Sam at a glance. The same can be said of OUR TINNING, it is recognized as the best to be had. It is a well known fact that our work is the kind that stands the test and our customers are the best recommendations that we have to offer you. Ask the man who has had us do his tin work.

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Your grocery account is probably the greatest item of expense in your family, therefore it is a mighty good place to economize by getting the best prices on your groceries. We believe we can save you money by trading here. We would be pleased to have you give us a trial this month. We are in the grocery business to please and we keep a new stock coming daily to supply the demand. Phone us your order for your next bill of groceries.

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 1912

WILSON'S SPEECH

Striking Points In Gov. Woodrow Wilson's Acceptance Speech Last Wednesday

We must speak, not to catch votes, but to satisfy the thought and conscience of a people deeply stirred by the conviction that they have come to a critical turning point in their moral and political development.

Plainly it is a new age. It requires self-restraint not to attempt too much, and yet it would be cowardly to attempt too little, in the broad light of this new day. We stand face to face with what? Plainly, not with questions of party, not with a contest for office, not with a petty struggle for advantage. With great questions of right and of justice.

There are two great things to do. One is to set up the rule of justice and of right in such matters as the tariff, the regulation of the trusts and the prevention of monopoly. The other, the additional duty, is the great task of protecting our people and our resources and of keeping open to the whole people the doors of opportunity through which they

must, generation by generation, pass if they are to make conquest of their fortunes in health, in freedom, in peace, and in contentment.

The tariff question, as dealt with in our time at any rate has not been business. It has been politics. Tariff schedules have been made up for the purpose of keeping as large a number as possible of the rich and influential manufacturers of the country in a good humor with the Republican party which desired their constant financial support. When we act we should act with caution and prudence, like men who know what they are about, and not like those in love with a theory. There should be an immediate revision and it should be downward, unhesitatingly and steadily downward.

No group of directors, economic or political, can speak for a people. They have neither the point of view nor the knowledge. Our difficulty is not that wicked and designing men have plotted against us, but that our common affairs have been determined upon too narrow a view, and by too private an initiative. Our task now is to effect a great readjust-

ment and get the forces of the whole people once more into play. We need no revolution; we need only a new point of view and a new method and spirit of counsel. The forces of the nation are asserting themselves against every form of special privilege and private control, and are seeking bigger things than they have ever heretofore achieved.

The working people of America—if they must be distinguished from the minority that constitutes the rest of it—are, of course, the backbone of the nation. No law that safeguards their life, that improved the physical and moral conditions under which they live, that makes their hours of labor rational and tolerable, that gives them freedom to act in their own interests, and that protects them where they cannot protect themselves.

In dealing with the Philippines, we should not allow ourselves to stand upon any mere point of pride. We are not the owners of the Philippine islands. We hold them in trust for the people who live in them. They are theirs for the uses of their life. We are not even their partners. It is our duty, as trustees, to make whatever arrangement of government that will be most serviceable to their freedom and development. Here again we are to set up the rule of justice and of right.

A presidential campaign may easily degenerate into a mere personal contest and so lose its real dignity and significance. There is no indispensable man. The government will not collapse and go to pieces if any one of the gentlemen who are asking to be intrusted with its guidance should be left at home.—Fort Worth Record.

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Town of Slide on south line, 12 Miles from railroad. All fenced. Good house, sheds, plank lots, windmill, large tank, abundance fine water, small grove shade trees, no lakes, every foot tillable. \$1.00 per acre, \$1,000.00 cash, balance January 1st, 1913.

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SCALP BOUNTY CONTINUES

21,023 Scalps Received And Paid For By County Clerk J. Andy Wilson

Twenty-one thousand and twenty three rabbits died in Lubbock county last month according to actual count by County Clerk J. Andy Wilson. These rabbits were all scalped and their ears brought to the Clerk for which he paid out of a scalp fund created through appropriation by the County Commissioners Court, four cents per pair or a total sum of \$804.92. This seems a great amount of money to spend for rabbits scalps, but to let twenty-one thousand twenty-three rabbits run at large and have access to the crops in the county they would destroy several times that amount. So in the end we consider the money well spent. The court announced at its sitting in July that they would pay bounty on all scalps brought in by the first Saturday in August and have again extended the time to the first Saturday in September which will give about another month to deal the rabbits misery. The boys are busy and are making the rabbits of Lubbock county hard to catch.

Ice! Ice! Ice!!!
Buy coupon books and save 5 to 15 cents per 100 pounds on your ice. 46 tf

The Sweetwater Reporter has made another of its regular lunar changes, in proprietorship and editorship. R. H. Richardson disposes of the material end of the business to Chas. Conner, while Rev. W. C. Wright, pastor of the First Christian church of that place will wield the scissors, paste brush and pencil, at the "think-tank" end. "The services of his facile pen having been engaged by the new management," as runs the announcement. We sincerely hope the Reporter is now on a firm and permanently prosperous foundation. The town deserves a rattling good paper.—Colorado Record.

Manse Wood, of Sweetwater, was here Friday in the interest of Maverick-Clark Litho. Co. of San Antonio Texas.

WHY WE HAVE FRIENDS

There is no one but that appreciates a personal interest that might be shown in them by others and especially those with whom they transact business. Every patron of this bank is an appreciated customer. Large and small depositors receive our most careful attention. No account is too small for our careful attention and we solicit your business whether you have a small amount to deposit or thousands of dollars. Come in and talk the matter over with us. Deposit a checking account and pay your bills by checks, which insures you a receipt of the very finest kind.

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Dodson's Liver-Tone is a Safe Medicine to Take the Place of Too Powerful Calomel

In the days when calomel was the only liver remedy, a torpid liver, or a spell of biliousness was a serious thing. Calomel is a powerful mineral substance that cleans the liver, no matter how weak it is, to do the work, but does nothing to strengthen the liver a large dose—some times the usual dose—may cause salivation. Dodson's Liver-Tone is a builder that strengthens the liver while making it do its work. It is entirely vegetable, pleasant to take, has no bad after-effect and is perfectly suited for children as well as grown people. You don't have to be careful what you eat. Red Cross Drug and Jewelry Store will sell you a bottle and guarantee it to give you perfect satisfaction. If it doesn't you can get your money back simply by asking for it.

Phone Cash Meat Market for barbecue and bread. 52 tf

"Jeg"
The Claude friends of Prof. E. R. Haynes will be pleased to learn that at the recent primary he received the nomination for county judge of Lubbock and attached counties. "Here's to you, Judge; may you live long and prosper.—Claude News.

Mr. Haynes wears the new title with all the dignity and good grace that one could wish. He carries with the nomination also the smile that won't wear off.

G. S. Ballard, of Canyon, mistook bichloride of mercury tablets for headache tablets and swallowed enough of it to kill thirty men had the mistake not been discovered in time to summon medical aid, saving the man's life.

Frank White and father N. H. White of Crosbyton, who have been in New Mexico a few weeks for the benefit of Frank's health passed through Lubbock last Saturday, enroute home.

THE IDEAL

The new Dry Goods and Notions Store on the Northwest Corner of the Square. We have a well selected stock of new, seasonable goods, which we want to sell you at a small profit. A visit to our store will convince you that we mean business, and have the goods.

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