

# The Cotulla Record.

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COTULLA, TEXAS

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 1906.

\$1 IN ADVANCE

## HOT WEATHER GOODS

A Few of the Things you will find at K. Burwell's.

Just received  
an up to date line of  
**MEN'S TIES,**  
Come and look  
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We are showing all the goods; all of the best things in lace.

A novel line of Braid Trim new line of corset cover embroidered white wash belts and wash Parasols.

The most popular things for children. Also a big line latest and most practical styles.

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ities in white wash shirtwaist Indian linen, embroideries and

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white duck shoes for women and ladies white hand bags in the

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Line of Pretty  
**MEXICAN HATS,**  
just the thing to  
keep off the Sun.

THIS STORE HANDLES THE GOODS THE PEOPLE WANT

### K. BURWELL.

WHY MOST OF THE PEOPLE DO THEIR TRADING HERE.

"Our health with consumption in despair, when New Discovery. At perfectly cured and has  
—GEO. A. EYLER, Cumberland

### Democratic Executive Committee Meets.

#### MAKES PROVISION FOR JULY PRIMARIES.

Full Ticket For County Offices is Out—State and District Candidates Exempted From Expense of Election.

The Democratic Executive Committee met at the Court House Monday morning and made arrangements for the holding of a primary election July 28th.

The committee was composed of the following: W. A. Kerr, Chairman, C. F. Binkley, Cotulla; Quirino Perales, Encinal; J. M. Ramsey, Artesia; J. J. Irvin, Dulla Ranch; Lee Keithley, Sauz; F. B. Earnest, Millett. The members from Dulla Ranch, Sauz and Millett were not present.

Applications of all state and district candidates were read and ordered to appear on the official ballot; also the following applications of county and precinct candidates were read and their names will appear on the official ballot.

For County Judge, C. C. Thomas; for Sheriff & Tax Collector, W. T. Hill; for District & County Clerk, G. H. Knaggs; for Treasurer, L. W. Gaddis; for Assessor, R. L. Henrichson; for Commissioner Prec. No. 1, B. Wildenthal; Precinct No. 2, S. J. Jordan; Precinct No. 4, W. H. Jacobs; for Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1, Geo. Copp.

The committee estimated the expense for holding the election at \$105.00 and assessed each of the county candidates \$17.00; precinct candidates \$5.00. It was decided that no assessment would be made against State and District candidates.

It was decided that delegates to county convention should be voted for on primary election day and each precinct was entitled to the following number of delegates:

Cotulla..... 6

Encinal..... 3  
Millett..... 1  
Artesia..... 1  
Sauz..... 1  
Dulla Ranch..... 1

The following were appointed by the chairman as the primary committee: F. B. Earnest, C. F. Binkley, Quirino Perales, J. M. Ramsey, J. J. Irvin.

The test adopted was as follows: "I am a white democrat and agree to support all nominees of the Democratic party. By the term white democrats is meant all democrats except negroes."

It was ordered that the chairman mail a statement of amount assessed for expenses to each candidate.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

#### Revival at Baptist Church.

A revival began at the Baptist church last Sunday night. Rev. Barclay, of Austin is doing the preaching. He is a good preacher and draws good congregations each night.

#### New Telephone Line.

Ed Evetts was awarded the contract this week for the building of a telephone line to the Cochina Ranch, taking in along the route W. L. Hargus Irrigated Farm, The Woodland Farm and J. T. Maltzberger's Ranch. The line will be about thirteen miles long and will have connection here with the Southwestern Work on this line will begin at once.

#### Completed Throughout.

The new Methodist church is completed throughout. The outside of the building looks good enough but the interior is simply beautiful. The house is lighted by gas. New seats have been ordered some time, but have not yet arrived.

### REPORT OF THE CONDIT.

#### —OF THE— STOCKMENS NATIONAL BANK

AT COTULLA, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 18TH 1906.

#### RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts... \$92,165.80  
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured..... 337.25  
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation..... 60,000.00  
Premiums on U. S. Bonds..... 2,254.00  
Bonds, securities, etc..... 6,710.40  
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)..... 57,290.50  
Due from approved reserve agents..... 14,867.00  
Checks and other cash items..... 139.70  
Fractional paper currency, nickles, and cents..... 22.65  
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:  
Specie..... 213.25  
Legal-tender notes 3565.00 5678.25  
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)..... 3000.00  
Total..... \$242385.64

#### LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in..... \$60000.00  
Surplus fund..... 8400.00  
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid..... 3036.54  
National Bank notes outstanding..... 60000.00  
Individual deposits subject to check..... 110949.10  
Total..... \$242385.64

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF LA SALLE, SS:

I, L. A. KERR, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. A. KERR, President.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of June, 1906  
W. A. KERR,  
Notary Public.  
Correct-Attest:  
T. K. KECK,  
MRS. A. BURKS,  
G. W. HENRICHSON.

#### Had Enjoyable Time.

Dance and barbecue was given at M. Garvin's new home near here last Friday night. A large number of young people in Cotulla attended and report most enjoyable time. A large crowd was present. Dancing continued until three o'clock.

#### ONION LAND FOR RENT.

We are now prepared to offer to competent onion growers about 40 acres of fine onion land, only five miles from Cotulla, with plenty of water free in the ditch. No better water supply in the state. Call and see what we have to offer. Will find us at the ranch at any time five miles northwest of Cotulla at Harris Lake. MILLS & GOLDTRAP.

#### IMMIGRATION.

#### From Europe Through the Port of Galveston.

Our Foreign Immigration Office, No. 2395 Mechanic Street (corner of Tremont), Galveston, Texas, in charge of Mr. J. E. Schelling, Foreign Immigration Agent, is now equipped for the handling of all matters pertaining to Foreign Immigration.

Mr. Schelling will give SPECIAL attention to the filling of orders for labor from the "HOME-SEEKERS" arriving Galveston on each ship. Orders placed with him should state the number wanted, the kind of work, and the wages with a statement of the cost of board, etc.

D. J. PRICE,  
G. P. & T. A., I. & G. N. R. R. PALESTINE TEXAS.

Only the present county officials filed their application with the County Chairman to get their names on the Democratic ticket. In county affairs there will be no opposition in the primaries.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Ice cold soda water at D. L. Neeley's.

Mrs. Simon Cotulla is visiting relatives at Devine.

N. A. Swink of Encinal was in the city last Saturday.

Mrs. W. T. Hill and children visited Mrs. Young at Encinal this week.

Geo. Salmon of Encinal was in Cotulla several days during this week.

Matt Russell is in New York where he was called by telegram on business matters.

Deputy U. S. Marshall, J. W. Petty, returned to Galveston Sunday after spending a week here.

I. C. Jennings and family left this week for the Moss Ranch in Zapata county, where they will spend the summer.

J. M. Ramsey, member of the Democratic Executive Committee of La Salle county, was here Monday to attend the meeting.

J. A. Burwell and family of San Antonio arrived here this week and will make this their future home. They will occupy the I. C. Jennings residence.

Mrs. A. Armstrong and son Otto, are at home again after an absence of six months at Austin. Otto has been attending College there.

Misses Katie and Carrie Knaggs, daughters of our county Clerk Geo. H. Knaggs, left Tuesday for Eagle Pass when they will spend a month visiting the family of Edward Buckley.

Mrs. T. R. Poole and Mrs. Ed Cotulla and two sons, left Wednesday for Springfield, Ill., where they will spend a couple of months with Mrs. Poole's daughter, Mrs. T. C. Baker.

### Cotulla Will Celebrate Fourth.

BIG BARBECUE WILL BE GIVEN ON NUECES.

The glorious Fourth will be celebrated at Cotulla by a big barbecue which will be given on the Nueces between the bridges.

It will be a sure enough good old fashioned barbecue with speaking, sack races, burro races, ball games, etc., and the invitation is out for everybody to come.

About \$150.00 in funds besides two or three head of cattle has already been subscribed which insures the affair a success. The program for the day will be arranged the coming week.

The people of Cotulla want it understood that it is a barbecue for everybody and there will be plenty of good old barbecued meat for all.

Begin making arrangements now to come and when the day comes—comes.

### All the Good Things

of life are to be found right here in our store. Our groceries need very little praising. They sell on their own merits. And their increasing popularity and our very reasonable prices are making us talked about in just the manner we desire. My greatest aim is to sell the best groceries in Cotulla at the very lowest possible prices.

GEO. E. TARVER.

# We Carry the Stock and

## Buggies

You would be surprised to know what a business we are doing in the vehicle line. People have found out that they can save 25 per cent on buggies and wagons by buying from us instead of San Antonio dealers and they are doing it. The next new vehicle you meet in the road, stop it, and see if it isn't a "Racine." We carry the vehicles in stock and you can see what you are buying. We have light and heavy buggies, hacks, and wagons of all sizes.

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Be careful what kind of water you drink. A great amount of sickness is caused by drinking impure water. Filter your water and save doctor bills. We sell Filters at prices within the reach of all. You simply can't afford to be without one. It might be the means of saving you from a case of typhoid fever.

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## WHAT DO YOU WANT

I have an expert prepared to fix you up. This will be made of Galvanized Iron Cisterns; can make them any size let me figure on them. I can put up your house gutters with my prices reasonable.

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WHEN IN TOWN.**

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# e are Doing the Business.

## IN THE TIN LINE?

I am prepared to fix you up. This will be made of Galvanized Iron Cisterns; can make them any size let me figure on them. I can put up your house gutters with my prices reasonable.

## Windmills

This is the kind of weather that reminds us that windmills are a mighty good thing to have. We sell them and we sell the best kind that's made—the Eclipse. We also sell Piping, Casing, Cylinders, etc. We keep everything in stock and can fill your order on short notice. Threads cut on pipe up to 3 inch size.

**GIVE US  
YOUR ORDER.**

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of horses always appreciate good material and good workmanship in harness. A man who doesn't care anything about his horse will use "any old harness," and tie it together with twine when it breaks. A man of that sort has no business to own a horse. If you are proud of your horse, if you care anything about him, you will be prouder and care a great deal more about him after you dress him up in a set of our harness, and you will not be out very much money in the operation.

# A. GOUGER.

FRONT STREET,  
COTULLA, TEXAS.

## Record Made Blunder and is Called Down.

Galvestonian Corrects Unfounded Report That City Was Cut Off From the World.

Galveston, Tex., June 18, 1906. EDITOR COTULLA RECORD: I have just finished looking over the Record and want to call your attention to a little item not quite correct.

Now, if I exaggerate a little remember you gave me that privilege by doing so first.

You, I notice are aware of the fact that the bay bridge caught on fire and twenty-one vents were burned before the flames were extinguished. As a matter of fact some of the vents were delayed but they were along by simply putting on two or three large tag boats.

The fire started at 5 a. m. and burned until 2 a. m. the next day and I want to ask you just how you got hold of the idea that all business was suspended for several days and that "Galveston was again cut off from the world for days and nights and as the food supply was very low and as it had not rained in some time a famine seriously threatened to overtake the "Island City" but luckily the first train to cross the bridge after it was repaired, was loaded with ham sandwiches and the next one loaded with Pearly XXX, thereby saving the lives of thousands of men, women and children."

Say, look here, old chap, you ought to be ashamed of yourself for knocking our little city that way for "we never done nothing to nobody, notime."

You know, as every one else does, what Galveston has suffered, but still more stuff passes through this port than any other port in the South and is going every year.

In cotton alone last year nearly half a million more bales of cotton were exported from here than from New Orleans to say nothing of the corn, wheat, flour, meal, cotton seed products and oil shipped out of here for every civilized country in the world and lots of countries that are not yet civilized.

Now you be good or you might hear from me again and just remember this, if you will come down and stay a few days I'll show you some of "the city not doomed to die."

JAY ROWLAND.

With reference to the above we regret that the error mentioned crept into our columns as hundreds of thousands of our readers on every part of the globe were misled and are still ignorant of the real facts, and we hasten to put out this issue of the paper in order to right the wrong, relieve the anxiety and make wiser a million or so people.

Court Reporters Earn From \$1500 to \$3000 a Year. Don't Read This Unless You Want to Be Convinced of the Wonderful Superiority of the Byrne Simplified Shorthand Over All Other Systems.

There has been more official court reporters appointed in Texas during the past eighteen months who learned the Byrne Simplified Shorthand in the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas, than there was official writers of all other systems in the state combined up to this time, as shown by the Directory of Official court reporters of the U. S. published and copyrighted by the Andrew J. Graham & Co. This proves conclusively the wonderful superiority of the Byrne Simplified over all other systems. So far as we have been able to ascertain we have never seen one of our graduates who had a single student to go into the competitive examination for official appointment against writers of other systems and fail to win, and in many cases they were in competition with writers of other system with ten and twelve years experience. Practically all the Tyler Com'l. College students received said appointments within two months after leaving school, and none of them had had as much as a year's experience.

With such overwhelming advantages in our system of shorthand and method of teaching, it is no wonder that the Tyler Com'l. College enrolled more than 1000 students from 29 states during the past year. Its courses of Book-keeping and Telegraphy are as much superior to other systems as is its shorthand. Write for catalogue and see what hundreds of those who know say.

## The Democratic Ticket.

The Democratic ticket as far as candidates for county offices for La Salle is concerned is now made up. The primaries will make no change, because there is only one name for each office, and these are the men that now hold the offices. The present officials will be the Democratic nominees without opposition. There is some talk of an Independent Ticket being put out, but nothing definite has yet developed. Before such a ticket, or any other ticket could be put out it would first be necessary for five per cent of the voters of the county to petition the County Judge or Clerk and each petitioner must make affidavit before a Notary Public that he will support the ticket. This must be done within thirty days after the primaries.

Monday was an extremely warm day, and there was very little breeze Monday night. About daylight Tuesday morning a thunder cloud came up and a light shower had the effect of cooling the atmosphere considerably.

## Ball Game.

There was a ball game at the shine Park Wednesday between Artesia and Cotulla game resulted in a score of 6 in favor of the home boys.

The game was for practice the big game that is to be played on the Fourth. Neither team had all their men and both were badly handicapped. Sinclair said he started to get the boys together some of them jumped and went fishing.

The home team had new slab artists in their line they did some pretty good work. Neeley pitched seven innings and struck out seven. He pitched the last five men stood up and touch his ball.

Good ball was pitched. The home team was then 3 to 2 in front.

The home boys, Cotulla was out. Dick Knaggs and had two strikes called. But after fowling about he put one over close to the gate and made it a run. The boy Dudley to fare-you-well, up seven runs before it could be stopped.

The visitors went to the seventh. The first up went out, but the second found Neeley's ball and did to it was a plenty; the next, and the next, and the next. When the third man went up bases were full of men. A run had been made. Cotulla nothing the balance of the game but Artesia scored one eighth.

Considering the fact that half the nine on both sides were filled in with extra men it wasn't so extra bad. At three or four crack-a-jack they are holding back. Fourth, when there is going a game, and a game right.

The lineup was as follows:

B. Powell,	c	Sinclair,
Neeley,	p	F. C. Goug,
Kerr,	1b	M. T. Goug,
Powell,	2b	West,
H. Neal,	3b	Armstrong,
D. Knaggs,	ss	D. L. Neeley,
Shannon,	rf	Barr,
Davis,	cf	Deo,
Cotulla,	lf	G. T. Simpson,

## Letter to K. Burdette.

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# D. L. Neeley.

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time in all sorts of wear. You could sell that cloth for hundreds of miles; there'd be no limit. A yard goes further; one buys less often. It always looks right till well worn-out. No one customer buys so much of it, but think of the number of customers! May be you can't get it in cloth; but you can in paint; Devoc. Devoc is as if it were wider; a gallon goes further; you buy less gallons; you pay for less gallons—as if one paid less for making a garment of that wide cloth—and it keeps its fresh look and sheds water till you have forgotten how old it is. It isn't true in cloth, but it is in paint; the less you pay, the better it is; for the goodness of paint is reckoned by gallons; less gallons, more goodness. Goodness in paint is strength. The stronger a paint, the less gallons it takes for a job and the longer it wears. Yours truly, F. W. DEVOE & CO. New York. P. S. T. R. Keck sells our paint. FOR SALE—A few thorough bred Berkshire pigs, \$25.00 per pair, for males \$15.00. MATT RUSSELL.

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SATURDAY JUNE 23, 1906

## Announcements.

### FOR CONGRESS

We are authorized to announce Jno. N. Garner, of Uvalde as a candidate for Congress from the 15th district, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

### FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce John T. Briscoe, of Devine as a candidate for the Legislature from the 97th district, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

### COUNTY JUDGE

The undersigned hereby announces himself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of La Salle County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries and respectfully solicits the support of the people.  
C. C. THOMAS.

### SHERIFF & TAX COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce W. T. Hill as a candidate for re-election of the office of Sheriff & Tax Collector for La Salle County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

### DISTRICT AND COUNTY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce G. H. Knaggs as a candidate for re-election to the office of District and County Clerk of La Salle county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

### TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce L. W. Gaddis as a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer of La Salle county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

### TAX ASSESSOR.

R. L. Henrichson announces himself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of La Salle county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

### COMMISSIONER.

The Record is authorized to announce B. Wildenthal as a candidate for re-election to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 of La Salle county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

### JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

The Record is authorized to announce Geo. Copp as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1 of La Salle county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

Cotulla is going to celebrate the Fourth.

W. J. Barker is now owner and editor of the SIGNAL at Carrizo Springs.

Dr. J. V. Blake has purchased the Floresville Chronicle and is now editing that paper.

The weather man has been giving us something unusually warm for June. July is usually our warmest month, but last year our hot weather came in August, and maybe we are getting it a month ahead of time this year.

## The Frenzied Beef Packers.

It is stated that the Neill-Reynolds report on the Beef Trust horrors has already seriously injured the America meat trade abroad, that the sale of American canned meats has practically stopped altogether in London, and that throughout Belgium the market for our lard and other prepared animal products has been killed.

Nor is this all, in New York and other cities a decrease in the use of meats is very apparent, and this is especially noticeable at public restaurants, where diners always look with more or less suspicion at the dishes prepared beyond their ken.

Such results are perfectly natural and to be expected, and the public cannot feel sorry for the men who have brought this state of affairs to pass. It is right that they should be punished for their actions, and it is a pity that such punishment may not be more drastic than mere monetary loss—or rather a mere lessening of profits.

The agricultural committee of the House does not seem inclined to take the offenders to task. Its members want to take a trip to Chicago and "make an inspection" themselves. Just as if every packing house in the city had not been imbued with a frenzy of housecleaning ever since the subject-matter of the report was first hinted at!

In fact, the plan appears to be to delay reporting the agricultural bill to the House until the last possible moment, and then to force it through without any meat inspection amendment, or to add a substitute which will be eminently satisfactory, not to the public, but to the packers.

One thing is certain—if the present Congress does not assist the people in this shameful matter, these same people will remember that fact at next fall.

## Proposition that Appears to Have Hung Fire.

What would add to the looks of our town more than the beautifying of our Court House and Public Square? We have a fine Court House but it looks mighty lonely up there on the hill without any green grass or shade trees around it to break the glare of the hot sun. Every loyal citizen in our county would like to see a well put down on the Court House grounds and the square fenced and beautified. The Commissioners have been talking about this matter ever since the new court house was finished but as yet nothing has been done. At the February term a part of the Court favored taking up the proposition at once, but for some unknown reason it hung fire and is still hanging.

We are all interested in the development of our section, and when a prospector comes in the first thing he does he sizes up the town and people. He wants to see our public buildings and grounds. What have we to show him? We have some fine buildings and some rough, rock and weed-covered squares. His natural conclusion is that the people are wise in erecting substantial and modern buildings, but they are dead slow when it comes to adding to the attractiveness of these structures by beautifying the grounds. What a different impression it would make on the stranger who steps off the train could he look up the broad avenue and rest his eyes on a lovely ground of shade trees, flowers and grass surrounding our magnificent Temple of Justice. Owing to the commanding site which our Court House occupies, it could easily, and without much expense, be made the beauty spot of Cotulla; a place that the taxpayer in the remotest part of the county would feel proud of.

The RECORD has had considerable to say on this subject since the new building was completed. We have voiced the sentiment of the people, and we hope the Honorable Commissioners' Court will give the matter their serious consideration at their next meeting.

## Candidates for County and Precinct Offices Who have Announced Subject to the Primaries.

In this issue of the RECORD will be found the proposed re-election of Judge Covey, of La Salle County. Judge Thomas was elected in 1900 and was re-elected two years ago without opposition. He is well qualified for the office and the fact that he will be the nominee on the Democratic ticket this year without opposition is evidence that the majority of the voters favor re-election.

G. H. Knaggs, District and County Clerk of La Salle county, announces in this issue of the RECORD for re-election to the office he now holds. Mr. Knaggs needs no introduction to the voters of this county for he has been the County Clerk since 1896. Last year he was re-elected without opposition. Mr. Knaggs announces subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and asks for your support.

In this week's issue of the RECORD will be found the Announcement of R. L. Henrichson of Artesia, for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of La Salle county. Mr. Henrichson has announced subject to the action of the primaries. He is fully conversant with the duties of his office, and promises if re-elected to continue to fulfill them proper and promptly. He asks the consideration of all voters.

The announcement of L. W. Gaddis appears in this issue of the RECORD for re-election to the office of Treasurer of La Salle county. Mr. Gaddis has been custodian of the county's funds eight years and the people found his services in every manner. He promises if re-elected to continue to fulfill the duties of his office.

of Precinct No. 1 of La county. Mr. Wildenthal served the people in this capacity for six years. He is an advocate of good roads and there is no doubt that you give his candidacy careful consideration. announces subject to the action of the primaries.

We are authorized to announce Geo. Copp as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, La Salle county. Mr. Copp was appointed last year to fill out the unexpired term of J. A. Smith, and has filled the office well. He announces subject to the primaries and asks the support of all voters.

## I. & G. N.

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Ladies, for comfort and style our line of Corsets can't be beat.

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Remember we have everything in all lines of summer goods and nobody's prices are lower than ours.

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We handle an unequal line of Hosiery. It will give you satisfaction.

LOCAL NOTES

See Henrichson for prices on Furniture.  
D. L. Neeley sells the best fresh groceries.  
J. A. Conlan left this morning for San Antonio.  
Leave your Laundry bundles at the RECORD office.  
Sheriff Hill has been in bed with fever since Wednesday.  
Always a good stock of mottin g at Henrichson's store.  
Cotton seed for sale at W. H. Fullerton's.  
Comb and extract honey at D. L. Neeley's.  
Mrs. J. H. Gates is visiting relatives at Cuero this week.  
Boys suits going at cost at G. W. Henrichson's.  
Scrow worm medicine, the best at W. H. Fullerton's.  
Jos. Cotulla was in San Antonio on business this week.  
For good fresh groceries go to D. L. Neeley.  
J. B. Shulland family spent last Sunday in the city visiting friends.

Jim West is back after several months absence at Galveston.  
Ed Evetts has finished building a rent house for J. W. Fullerton.  
Buy your feed of W. H. Fullerton.  
Dr. Hargus and family are off on a vacation at the Tegra Ranch.  
Miss Ozella Stanfield of San Marcos, is here visiting her sister Mrs. E. A. Keck.  
A party of young people went on a hayride down to Riverdale Monday evening.  
Panama hats, different shapes at closing out prices at G. W. Henrichson's.  
Mrs. W. B. Stanfield left Wednesday for Leander on a visit to relatives.  
Judge F. B. Earnest and J. M. Daniel went to Laredo Thursday on land business.  
Mrs. T. J. Alderman of Artesia was in the city shopping between trains Wednesday.  
Geo. Evetts dropped in to see us the other day and had his subscription run up a notch or two.  
Pretty line of Mexican Hats at K. Burwell's. Also a new line of mens Ties.

The celebrated Walk-over shoes at Henrichson's. Get something good for your money.  
A lot of unexpected advertisements came in at the last hour this week and a considerable amount of local news was necessarily left out.  
"Uncle Doc" Burris was in town yesterday and made the RECORD smile to the tune of a few cart-wheels.  
Simon Cotulla shipped a car of sheep last week that net him \$3.54 per head. They went to Ft. Worth.  
All things have an ending, and we're getting mighty anxious to know when its coming to this hot weather.  
Wm. McCarty was in town Monday and said it was getting mighty dry down his way, although cotton was not suffering.  
Edwin Atlee of Laredo came up yesterday morning with three of Mr. W. A. Kerr's little children, who had been visiting there for several weeks. Mr. Atlee returned on the next train.  
Workmen's clothing and underwear have advanced with the price of cotton, sold at actual cost at the store of R. A. GILMER.

KMENS NATIONAL BANK

MONEY TO LOAN.

On Farms and Ranches. Vendor's Lien Notes bought.  
ARTESIAN BELT FARM.  
1900 acre farm in the artesian belt in Atascosa County near to church, school, gin, etc. Dark to black soil with clay sub-soil. Watered by a 400 foot flowing well, besides a good spring, well and windmill. 400 acres in cultivation, balance fenced into several hog proof pastures; fine seven room house, barn, pens, orchard. \$10.50 per acre.  
J. TOM WILLIAMS, Mgr Real Estate Department.  
E. B. CHANDLER, 109 Crockett St. San Antonio, Texas.

The large stock of hats, of the factories, bought expressly to meet the demand and taste of men, will be sold at actual cost at R. A. Gilmer's  
an invitation from the Rump of the Daughters of Conroy Judge Earnest went to City on the 18th and delivered a popular lecture "The Old Southern Negro"  
mule kicked Geo. Evetts over heart last week and the result is near being serious. His friends will be glad to know that up and O. K. now.

J. Irvin was in town yesterday reported an inch and a half of rain on part of the ranch last morning. He has in 40 bales of cotton that the rain was good time.  
McQueen have about shipping cantaloupes. He is yet getting out about 25 day. The shortage of all over the State has his tip-top.  
Sale.—300 acres fronting the river near Laredo on Pace and Nye Irri. Will sell all or part of entire tract \$40.00 investigate. MANUEL Laredo, Texas.

MILLET LEADS IN WATERMELON SHIPMENTS.

Shortage of Crop All Over the Belt Causes High Prices.  
Jack Hamilton was here from Millett yesterday evening and said Millett was leading all other stations on the I. & G. N. in watermelon shipments. Up to date twenty-five cars have been loaded out of that place and every car except two sold for spot cash on the track. Every car brought from \$100 to \$150 except two and these sold for \$80 and \$90 each.  
Dry weather all over South Texas has cut short the watermelon crop and in many places it was completely destroyed. This shortage is causing high prices. Mr. Hamilton said there were quite a number of cars yet to go.  
H. Caley, of this place has been in deal at Millett quite lively, having bought about half of the cars that have been shipped.  
Married—Miss Mary McCombs and Mr. James Shull of Millett at the Baptist Church at Cotulla last Sunday night. Rev. W. G. Gilstrap officiated. The RECORD joins their many friends in wishing them a life of sunshine and happiness.

had on exhibition at Stockmens Bank yesterday a pile of double-cantaloupes. He it was too slow business selling them singly, so he thought he would double up on  
wanted—Bids to clear one hundred acres of land fourteen miles south of Cotulla, (the land was merely owned by F. Koch.) want bids per acre for clearing; cord for wood and per post. Posts must be 7ft long and 4 inches small end. All timber must be 14 inches below the surface. Bids can be left at the RECORD office. I will be in Cotulla July 10 to let contract. JACK HAGGARD, Las Esperanzas, Coah., Mex.

I. G. Lowry of Kerrville was in this week looking after his interests. Mr. Lowry is stocking and farming near Kerrville, and has only been there a short time. He shipped the first car of wheat and oats that was sold in the state this season. The Mountain Sun of June 2 says: "M. G. Lowry, who purchased the Moore farm and ranch five miles above the city some time last fall, has just finished threshing his small grain. Mr. Lowry threshed 1600 bushels of oats and 500 bushels of wheat. This is Mr. Lowry's first crop in Kerr county, and was the first one to thresh."

DID YOU

say you was going to have your house painted? If you did, don't forget to figure with

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is the place you want to do your trading if you expect to save money. They are the merchants to depend upon for good goods, careful attention and quick delivery. Their time is at the command of their patrons.

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Dentist Coming.

Dr. Oliver, dentist of Pearsall will be in Cotulla beginning Monday, July 2nd, to remain two months.  
OFFICE AT EXCHANGE HOTEL.



At Cotulla

JUNE

29TH AND 30TH.

BLINDNESS PREVENTED, EYE SIGHT RESTORED, CROSS EYES STRAIGHTENED, NO PAIN, NO CHLOROFORM. NOTHING BUT THE NEWEST, MOST APPROVED METHODS USED.

They produce quick and scientific cures; don't dispute it because such cures as the following will prove you to be mistaken. Read and investigate.

"It is a fact that I was lead four years; Dr. Adams restored my eye sight quickly and without pain. I can now see to read the finest print." Y. G. Brister, Campbellton, Texas.

"My daughter was led to Dr. Adams, led every place she went for quite a while; several leading oculists failed to cure her. Dr. Adams cured her in sixty days time." R. R. Smith, Furniture dealer, 225 Commerce St., San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. Susie Edwards, Manor, Texas, eighty years old, blind and led about for quite a while, sight restored sufficient to read thirty days ago by Dr. Adams.

Mr. C. Redwood, also of Manor, Texas, blind for every place he went. Restored to vision by Dr. Adams 60 days ago.

Many cures each month like this he records, such cures are unquestionable proof that he is proficient in his specialty; he has been in this special work fifteen years, five years spent in hospital training and ten years in making cures like the above enables him to say that he will assure you a cure if the case is curable at all. Call at his office June 29 and 30 and find out whether or not you are curable. He will not treat you if your case is incurable; he will show you why you are incurable and advise no treatment.

If you suffer with any eye diseases or deformity or need glasses, consult him and you run no risk. He guarantees satisfaction. Office at Gilmer Hotel, call the 29 and 30 of June. Remember on this date he will straighten cross eyes free. He has straightened more than a thousand in Texas. All the proof you want by calling at his office, no pain, no chloroform; you get straight eyes in ten minutes time. Remember that he stands ready to prove any of his claims and he has references from hundreds who were led to his office who now see to read. His main office and sanitarium for difficult cases is 827 Avenú B, San Antonio, Texas. Branch offices at Cotulla, Pearsall and Devine.

He visits branch offices once a month and cures many at their homes and saves them railroad fare, hotel bills and other expenses. It pays to consult a specialist and then you have no guesses; if you have an eye trouble consult J. L. G. Adams, M. D., an eye specialist of 15 years experience.