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We are prepared to help you beautify your home. Make the inside of your living room attractive and comfortable during the dull winter months. Our store is full of nice things that you would like to have and the prices are right. Read and see.

We are showing Crux wire grass fancy Rugs 9x12 ft at.....	\$10.00	Crux wire grass Rugs 27x60.....	\$1.50	36x72 Berlin Axminster Rugs.....	\$4.50	6 ft window shades, colors, white, drab, Nile and olive green, old rose and tan, good grade cloth.....	25c	7 ft reversable shade white and green, excellent grade.....	\$1.25
Crux wire grass fancy Rugs 6x8 ft.....	\$5.50	Crux wire grass Rugs 26x54.....	\$1.00	27x60 Berlin Axminster Rugs.....	\$3.50	7 ft good quality window shades, white and green.....	35c	We have a pretty line of Hassocks at 50c and.....	85c
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Crux wire grass fancy Rugs 26x72 inches.....	\$2.25	8 styles Wavely Wilton Rugs beautiful designs.....	\$1.50	36 inch curtain swiss, 10c, 15c, 16c, and.....	25c	7 ft good grade window shades lace decoration and fringe white, light blue and tan.....	75c		
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POLL TAX RECEIPTS ARE HELD UP.

INJUNCTION EFFECTS 3040 ALLEGED ILLEGAL VOTERS.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 23.—Judge Victor Brooks of the Twenty-sixth District Court tonight rendered a decision granting a temporary injunction in the case of the State of Texas and others against George R. Page and others, involving the legality of about 3040 poll tax receipts issued in Webb County.

The order is as follows: "It is hereby ordered that the clerk of the District Court of Webb County, for the Forty-ninth Judicial District of Texas issue a temporary restraining order or writ of injunction on the following terms and conditions and to the following effect, namely: Enjoining and restraining the defendant, Augustin Salinas, Tax Collector of said county, from making out or certifying any list of poll tax payers or holders of certificates of exemption the names of whom are contained in plaintiffs' petition, on page 10, or on any of the twenty-two pages following said page 10 in said petition, and commanding and requiring said defendant to correct any poll tax list that he may have already made out and certified by striking from said list or lists each and all of said names; and further restraining and enjoining J. M. Rodriguez, County Clerk, and Louis R. Ortiz, Sheriff of said county, and composing the Board of Election Supervisors of said county, and their successors in office, and each of them individually, from making out, certifying or delivering to any election officer of said county any list containing said names, or any one or more of them; and enjoining and restraining each and all of individuals composing the Independent Club, the Freeman's League or the Reform Club, or any of their employes,

servants, officers or agents, or from delivering to any of the persons afore-said or to any person whomsoever, except the District Clerk of Webb county, Texas, and poll tax receipts or certificate of exemption, purporting to have been issued to any of the persons named on said pages, and requiring said clubs and each individual member of any of same, and their officers, agents, servants and employes, to turn over and deliver to the custody of the District Clerk of Webb County, Texas, the poll tax receipts and certificates of exemption of each and every person whose name is contained in the aforesaid list, and requiring and directing said District Clerk to deposit said poll tax receipts and certificates of exemption when received by him in the Laredo National Bank; and further directing and requiring said clerk to take the receipt of the president or cashier of said bank for said poll tax receipts and certificates of exemption, same to be held until further order to be made in this case in term time or vacation under the terms and conditions hereinafter stated, and further requiring and commanding each of the election judges of Webb County, Texas, and their successors in office, to strike from any list which may be in their possession at the time of the service of this writ, or which may hereafter come into such possession, each and every name contained in the above mentioned list.

"The foregoing writ is granted only and solely upon the following conditions: The plaintiffs in this case shall file their petition on or before Oct. 26, and the defendants shall have the right to have a hearing of this case on the facts in term time or vacation at any time within forty-eight hours after they have filed their answer under oath in said cause and give notice thereof to counsel for plaintiff, by wire, provided the presence of a qualified judge to hear same can be had in Webb County at said time."

THE FATES WERE AGAINST ZAMANEGO.

ROBBED CAMP BUT ACCIDENT THREW HIM INTO OFFICERS HANDS.

Found Near Railroad Track Half Mile South of River By Section Men.

Martin Zamanezo robbed the wood camp of Will Hardecastle near Millett last Sunday night of a shotgun, wagon sheet, and several minor articles but the fates were against him and he is now in jail.

When the section men went out to work Monday morning at a point one half mile South of the river bridge they found a man covered with blood and in an almost unconscious condition. They put him on the car and immediately brought him to town. By the side of the man was a shotgun, a wagon sheet which was partly on the rail and had been passed over by a train, and several small articles. County Physician Motheral made an examination and found two holes, one near his right temple and the other high upon the forehead. The skull was not fractured. It was supposed that a switch engine which backed down the road that night had struck him, as he said he sat down on the side of the track and probably went to sleep as he didn't remember anything else.

About the time the doctor finished dressing the wounds Sheriff Hill had a telephone call from Will Hardecastle at Millett who told him that his camp had been robbed by one of the men who had been working for him, and wanted him to look out for the Mexican. The Sheriff asked for a description, and when that was given he told Hardecastle that he had his man. Hardecastle came down and identified Zamanezo and the stolen articles that day.

Two days later the Mexican said something about somebody shooting him and the doctor made

an examination of the wounds. The doctor stated to us that the wounds could have been made by a small calibre pistol and after the examination it was his opinion that they were.

STATE BANK ORGANIZED.

SEVERAL PROMINENT MEN OF STATE INTERESTED.

The Stockholders of the First State Bank of Cotulla met in Earnest & Daniel's office Thursday morning and organized with paid in capital stock of \$25000.00. A Board of Directors was elected composed of H. C. Lane, K. Burwell, R. A. Gouger, F. B. Earnest, G. M. Magill, of San Antonio and Harry Landa, of New Braunfels and the following officers were elected, Harry Landa, Pres. F. B. Earnest, Vice Pres. Cashier to be selected later. Of the fifteen stockholders nine are residents of this county while the others are well known business men of the State. The list of subscribing stock holders named in charter are as follows: Harry Landa, New Braunfels, J. H. Brack, of Boston Mass, G. M. Magill, Leon Walthal of San Antonio, Henry Rugley of Bay City, Jno. N. Garner, of Uvalde, F. B. Earnest, Jno. M. Daniel, H. C. Lane, Florence W. Yeager, K. Burwell, R. A. Gouger Jno. P. Guinn, C. F. Binkley, J. J. Irvin of LaSalle County. Since the organization, Senator Marshall Hicks of San Antonio has subscribed for a block of the stock. Such a bank has long been needed as the National Bank cannot loan money on real estate security, and all such business has been going to San Antonio. We understand the bank will open for business in about thirty days.

SOME BIG DEALS MADE THIS WEEK.

TWO LARGE TRACTS SOLD AT \$8 PER ACRE.

Woodward Sells 1900 Acres in Small Tracts to Settlers.

Two big land deals have been made in this immediate section this week and there were quite a number of small tracts sold to actual settlers. The great movement in real estate this has been predicted for this fall seems to have fairly opened up.

The largest deal reported was that of Price, Richey and Battles who sold a 30,000 acre tract 12 miles west of Millett to Missouri parties for \$8.

Johnson Bros., have sold through Hust & Brundage of San Antonio 14000 acres at \$8 per acre.

J. D. Woodward sold to different men in the last home-seekers party 1900 acres at \$15 per acre.

This was in small tracts. In town property the following sales have been made through Knaggs and Jennings.

Jos. Cotulla to W. A. H. Miller lot 5 in block 8. Price \$100.

Jos. Cotulla to Louise Cotulla lots 4, 6 and 5 in block 15. Consideration \$300.

Jos. Cotulla to S. Cotulla lots 2 and 3 in block 20 Price \$200.

W. N. Guinn and wife to T. R. Keck, 1/2 acre and dwelling east side of railroad \$750.

WILL SPEAK ON WOODCRAFT.

Hon. W. H. Blanton of Floresville will speak at the Court House in Cotulla Wednesday night October 31st on the beauties and benefits of Woodcraft. Everybody is invited and the Ladies are especially requested to be present.

Tonight.

The Bigfoot Minstrels will show in the Frost Building tonight.

A Carload Of Vehicles

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Take a dose of SAL-TE-NA before breakfast, and the bowels will move copiously in one hour. It doesn't gripe and is pleasant and agreeable to the most delicate stomach.

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Every one of our readers should take advantage of the liberal offer of the Mutual Drug Company of using the 10 cent Coupon.

This offer is only for a limited time. The Coupon with 15 cents will pay for a 25 cent bottle of SAL-TE-NA. Cut out the Coupon at once and present it at your nearest drug store.

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Announcements.

TAX ASSESSOR

We are authorized to announce G. G. Salmon of Enfield as an Independent candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of La Salle county at the ensuing November election.

FOR CONSTABLE

We are authorized to announce Les Petty as a candidate on the Independent ticket for Constable of Precinct No. 1, of La Salle county.

Nominees of Democratic Ticket.

For Congress 15th District,
JNO. N. GARNER.

For State Senator 23rd District,
JNO. G. WILLACY.

For Representative 97th District,
JNO. T. BRISCOE.

For County Judge,
C. C. THOMAS.

For Sheriff & Tax Collector,
W. T. HILL.

For Tax Assessor,
R. L. HENRICHSON.

For District and County Clerk,
G. H. KNAGGS.

For Treasurer,
L. W. GADDIS.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 1,
F. D. McMAHAN.

For Justice of the Peace,
GEO. COPP.

Building material is still going up, but in these unparalleled prosperous times the high prices do not check buildings from going up also.

There has been quite a stir in Webb county politics this week, caused by a temporary injunction issued by Judge Brooks at Austin restraining 3040 voters from voting in the general election, because it is alleged that their poll tax receipts were illegally obtained.

Wants Five Per Cent From All Office Holders.

The republicans of Texas have fallen out and are fighting, and their scrap is bringing to light some interesting things. The latest is the rounding up of Cecil Lyon by the Re-organized Republicans for exacting or attempting to exact 5 per cent of the gross earnings of every Federal employe in the State. It is stated that the first letter of Mr. Lyon to these office holders is mild, and is written on white paper and if there is not a response within a reasonable time it is followed by a letter on pink paper which reads thus:

"Your position depends on the continuance of the Republican party in power. Two years from now a President is to be elected, and should the Democrats win you go out of office. This year's campaign will have an untold influence on the next Presidential election; therefore, it is desirable to make the best possible showing this year.

"You will please remit at once to Cecil A. Lyon, Sherman, Tex., 5 per cent of the gross amount of your salary for one year. This money is to be used solely for legitimate campaign expenses, and a list of all those who contribute to this fund will be furnished me, and my future endorsements for reappointments will be largely controlled thereby.

No doubt, much of this money is intended to be used in this district as the Republicans have out candidates for Congress, State Senator, District Judge and Attorney. The latter two they have a faint hope to elect and are bending every energy toward that end. Along with the order to dig up there must have also been an order for the Federal office holders to get busy for an effort has been made by them to convince the Democrats of the district that one of the candidates on their ticket is a "staunch and consistent democrat," and has been for seventeen years, and of recent weeks we have read the frequent presence in Cotulla of a

whitton politician of La Salle, who now has a comfortable seat at the Rio Grande pie-counter.

And now comes rumor of a claim from Laredo that La Salle has been "fixed." That Democratic La Salle will give certain Republican candidates 200 majority. Such a claim is absurd. There is only one ticket in the field in La Salle. Every county officer is for re-election on the Democratic ticket. More than one half of the voters of La Salle went into the primaries and pledged themselves to support the Democratic ticket from top to bottom in the November election, and when the votes are counted it will be seen that they have been loyal to that pledge.

Bless the man who is to a reasonable amount, uneasy as long as he owes a dollar. If you are at some time compelled by unavoidable circumstances to request your merchant to extend you credit for a time, in making your application to him for it, don't tell him you pay the first of the month when in your opinion, it will be the tenth of the month before you will meet the obligation.

Let everyone keep hustling to improve the appearance of their streets and lots. Keep all kinds of rubbish off the streets and sidewalks, and see that your houses, fences, etc., are neatly painted. There is nothing that helps the looks of a town and induces newcomers to settle it more than neatly painted houses and fences, neat and tidy streets and sidewalks, and fruit and shade trees on your lots. Let us see what you will do for the benefit of our progressive little city. By all means plant out some trees this winter.

The man with the irrigated farm on the Nueces is now cultivating his onion crop and harvesting his tomato crop. There's something doing every month in the year.

Following close upon the Atlanta race riot, perhaps as its literary aftermath, a unique monthly magazine will begin publication in Atlanta in November under the title of "The Race Question and Southern Sumposium."

This magazine, its publishers announce, will be monographic in character handling the negro problem from the stand point of sociology, ethnology and political economy. It will in no wise be an organ of incendiary agitation, but will discuss the race issue dispassionately from the viewpoint of the Southern white man, and be a reflex of Caucasian sentiment. Each issue will contain special articles by leading public men and thinkers, who have made the negro a study, and a large part of the magazine will be devoted to a free-for-all symposium of popular ideas on the race question and subject thereto related, as the South's labor problem, foreign immigration, cotton production, etc. The best newspaper comment on these subjects will be reproduced and it will be full of condensed and meaty matter of a distinctively Southern character. The printed prospectus declares that: "This publication will stand editorially, for the imperious but magnanimous Anglo-Saxon, who dominates and will ever dominate, politically, materially and morally, the human affairs of this great section of our common country. It will try to be just, but it has no compromise or temporization to offer unholy race yearnings, hatreds and crimes." The editor is Mr. R. W. McAdam, for the past five years an editorial writer of the Atlanta Constitution, and literary editor of the Sunny South.

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Don't put off until to-morrow the matter of subscribing for The Youth's Companion. The publishers offer to send to every new subscriber for 1907 who at once remits the subscription price, \$1.75, all the issues of 1906 free-remaining weeks of 1906 free.

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The greater portion of all that vast extent of territory west of San Antonio for hundreds of miles, will for years to come be utilized for large pastures or stock farming, and other tens of thousands of acres in that same section and to the north and east of San Antonio, will be utilized by farmers, most of whom will raise on the farm, improved live-stock of one class or another.

Realizing the vast and ever-growing live-stock industry of this section and all Texas, the management of the San Antonio International Fair, this year, as well as every other year since its organization, has done every-thing possible to promote and encourage the live-stock industry. This exposition has offered to live-stock breeders each year, more money to be competed for than any Fair ever held in the south, while every accommodation in the way of stables and pens have been given exhibitor in this department. It is this recognition of the paramount industry in the State that has, each year, brought exhibitors of all classes of live-stock and prospective buyers together by the thousands. This year, the live-stock feature of this Fair will be bigger and better than ever before.

The Association, this year, has been compelled to build more pen and stall room for exhibitors of horses, cattle, swine, sheep and goats. Already thousands of dollars have been expended for new buildings this year in the living stock department.

We have not the space in this article to give the names of exhibitors and what they will show at this year's Fair but it is sufficient to say that this year's live-stock exhibit will aggregate fully twenty five per cent more animals in all classes than at any other year in the history of the Association. This crowing feature of the San Antonio Fair this year should be sufficient in itself to bring to the Alamo City, thousands of visitors. This year's live-stock show will not only be the largest ever held in the State in the number of animals shown but the quality will be there as well.

Send your Job Printing to this office and have it neatly executed.

DIXON'S PLAY IS STOPPED.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 23—Mayor Weaver today issued an order suppressing the further production here of the drama "The Clansman," which began last night, and which was to have a week's engagement at the Walnut Street Theater. The Mayor's action was prompted by the demonstration last night at the theater by several thousand negro citizens.

The management of the play will tomorrow go into court and apply for an injunction restraining the Mayor from interfering with the production.

Encouraging To Our Young people.

The great demand both with business concerns and the United States Government for through practically trained bookkeepers stenographers should encourage and induce more of our young people to prepare themselves for these lucrative positions. We lean thru the Manager of the Employment of the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas, that the demand upon them for their graduates of bookkeeping, shorthand and telegraphy is far greater than the supply. At present they have not a single graduate of any one of these three courses but what is either filling a desirable position or has been recently requested to file application for position where there was an opening. He also states that the U. S. Government has called upon them four times during the past year, soliciting that a number of their graduates take the Civil Service Examination for Governmental positions paying from \$700 to \$2000 per year. A number took the examination, all passing and securing appointments. The Tyler Com'l College is, perhaps, the only commercial school in this part of the country that is recognized by the U. S. Government as giving courses of training sufficiently thorough and extensive to enable its graduates to go directly from the school room and pass the Civil Service Examinations. Their final examinations in both shorthand and bookkeeping are more rigid than those given by the Government. We have as bright, and intelligent, young people about our little city as are to be found, and if there is no reason why they cannot become promoters of our greatest enterprises and achieve great success.

DEMANDS TO "DIG UP."

Austin, Tex. Oct. 23.—The State executive committee of the reorganized Republican party are getting after Col. Cecil Lyon and members of his committee of the regular Republican organization good and strong for their effort to collect from all Federal office holders in the State 5 per cent of their salaries to be used as a campaign fund.

A number of these circular letters demanding per cent contributions have fallen into the hands of D. Quill of Terrell, chairman of the State executive committee. The first letter requiring these contributions is written on white paper. It is comparatively mild in tone. If the recipient does not respond within a reasonable time it is followed by a second, which is printed on pink paper. The second letter reads:

"Your position depends on the continuance of the Republican party in power. Two years from now a President is to be elected, and should the Democrats win you go out of office. This year's campaign will have an untold influence on the next Presidential election; therefore, it is desirable to make the best possible showing this year.

"You will please remit at once to Cecil A. Lyon, Sherman, Tex., 5 per cent of the gross amount of your salary for one year. This money is to be used solely for legitimate campaign expenses, and a list of all those who contribute to this fund will be furnished me, and my future endorsements for reappointments will be largely controlled thereby.

Notice of Application For Parole.

Notice is hereby given that the proper prison officials have recommended the parole of Francisco Maldonado, convicted of murder in the second degree at the Spring Term of the District Court of La Salle County, Texas, and sentenced to the Penitentiary for twenty-five years; which application will be considered by the Penitentiary Board November 14, 1906, at Austin, Texas. Persons knowing any reasons why said parole should not be granted are requested to so advise the Board.

F. G. LANHAM,
Secretary Penitentiary and Parole Boards.

Basket shipped to White Star Laundry from this office every Wednesday.

A carload of cotton seed was loaded this week on the tracks here. The seed were hauled in from Woodward.

Tuesday night was about the coldest of the season, on Wednesday the mercury was down to 45. The spell was the tail end of the New Mexico blizzard.

DOING THEIR DUTY.

Scores of Cotulla Readers are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys.

To filter the blood is the kidneys' duty.

When they fail to do this the kidneys are sick.

Backache and many kidney ills follow.

Urinary trouble, diabetes, Doan's Kidney Pills cure them all.

H. J. Heitgen, mason, living at 207 Travis St., San Antonio, Texas, says: "As I stated in May, 1903, I had been suffering for some time with a very severe attack of backache and shooting pains that followed any sudden movement. It came on from a cold or perhaps a heavy lift. It hurt me all day and many a night prevented me from sleeping, so that I was usually tired in the morning. The kidney secretions were highly colored, also and full of sediment. Nothing in the way of medicine did me much good until I got Doan's Kidney Pills which I had seen advertised. After a few doses the soreness left me and with this the backache and I was soon free from all symptoms of kidney trouble. The cure I told of at that time has been permanent, and I have continued to advise sufferers from kidney trouble to use Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co. Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Just a few days now and the old ducks will be in constant danger.

Dr. Rea's Liniment
Price, 50 Cents.

Cure Lameness of all kinds. Spavin, Curb, Splint, Sprains, Wind Puff, Capped Hoof, Swellings, Bruises, Sweeney, Shoulder Lameness, Rheumatism, Strained Tendons, etc.

Made by Dr. Chas. L. Rea, New York City (owner of the Dr. Rea Ranch of 40,000 acres in Hamilton Co., Kansas). See local reading notice for testimonials and references.

SOLD BY

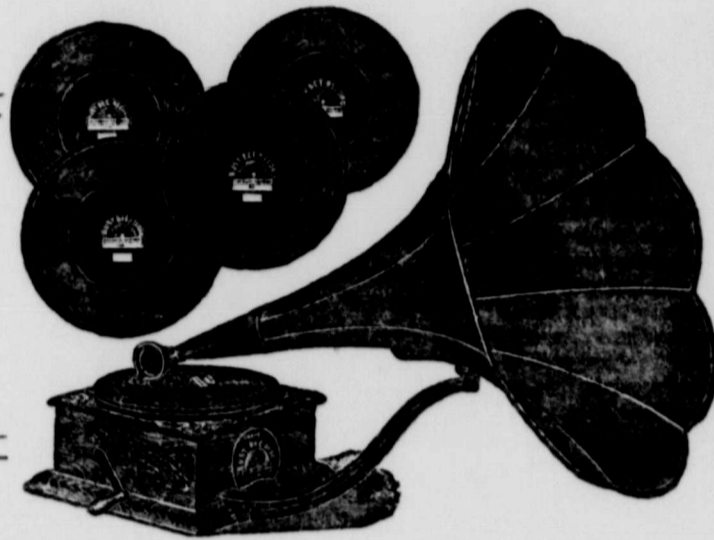
For sale at Gaddis' Pharmacy.

THE IMMENSE AMOUNT OF BUSINESS

This store is doing is indicative that we have the kind of goods the people want and are selling them at the right prices. Another great inducement that brings so many here is the Busy Bee Talking Machine that we are absolutely giving away with every \$25 purchase.

EQUAL TO ANY \$25 MACHINE ON THE MARKET.

We can hardly get them here fast enough for our Customers.



You get a Coupon with every Cash Purchase. \$2 in Coupons gets a Talking Machine like this.

Our Stock of Goods is Complete.



Now is the Time

LA SALLE COUNTY PROPERTY WILL NEVER BE CHEAPER.

A Few of the Most Desirable Propositions Now on Hand:

1900 acres of land fronting on the Nueces River, 2-3 of which can be irrigated; no wash land. About ten miles West of Cotulla.

320 acres 4 miles west of Cotulla and fronting the Nueces river, well fenced and everlasting water.

640 acres 4 miles North of Cotulla and through which the L. & G. N. railroad runs, giving one mile front on each side of said track. Improved with good dwelling, barns, fields, fences, pens and windmill.

Two 640 tracts 5 miles North of Cotulla and only about 1 1/2 miles from railroad; all well fenced, dwelling, barns fields, windmill, etc.

640 acres 1 mile South of Artesia. 50 acres now in cultivation, sub-divided into three pastures. 2 story dwelling; barns, etc., and well and windmill.

640 acres about three miles East of Cotulla, fronting Nueces River. All good irrigable land.

In large tracts we have several ranging from 4,500 to 65,000 acres.

About 50 desirable building lots in Cotulla.

We will take pleasure in showing you over any of this property.

Knaggs & Jennings,

COTULLA, TEXAS.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Tub mackerel at D. L. Neeley's. Wm. George of Carrizo Springs was here this week.

A nice line of pipes at J. P. Guinn's, cheap.

F. D. McManan went to Waco Monday where he closed a deal, selling a hundred acre farm.

Beautiful Moquett rugs, \$2.50 at Hall & Bowen's.

Extract honey at D. L. Neeley's Mrs. J. D. Motheral has been quite sick this week. Her sister Mrs. Bennett came down from Derby Monday.

A full assortment of first class cigars at J. P. Guinn's.

If your last suit did not please you, try Reed next time. He guarantees satisfaction.

Lovely Smyrna rugs, \$1.50, at Hall & Bowen's.

YOUR NEW FALL SUIT—REED.

Mrs. G. M. Soles and Miss Neeley came in from Millett yesterday.

John Sloan of St Louis whose boyhood days were spent in Cotulla, was here this week shaking hands with his numerous old time friends.

For two hours of pleasure visit the Skating Rink. Open every night except Sunday from 7:30 to 9:30.

We call our readers attention to the ad of Knaggs & Jennings, the new real estate firm, in this issue. The new firm is composed of G. H. Knaggs and R. J. Jennings, both well known all over Southwest Texas, and who are familiar with the lands all over this section.

Hon. B. F. Crouch candidate for State Senator on the Republican ticket spoke at the Court House last Saturday night. The Coyote question was thoroughly discussed and was the only question discussed during the hour and a half the Captain spoke. A very good crowd was present.

Gray Childers came in from Temple today.

China cups and saucers at plate at D. L. Neeley's.

Sam Childress is in Cotulla today from his ranch near San Diego.

Mrs. A. Barks returned Wednesday from a two week's visit to her sister Mrs. Richardson at Tilden.

Jno. W. Willson and wife of Tyler county arrived here this week to make this their home. Mr. Willson is an attorney and real estate man. He has been a member of the bar for seven years. He has purchased some town property and expects to build a residence.

J. M. and W. A. Tarver received a telegram from Huntsville, Thursday morning conveying the sad news of the death of their brother, Mug Tarver, who formerly lived in Cotulla and is well known here. No particulars were given. Both went to Huntsville Thursday morning.

The latest plaid skirts from New York City just received at Hall & Bowen's.

L. W. Gaddis and Roland A. Gouger, two of Cotulla's prominent business men returned yesterday from a week's trip to Dallas. Mr. Gaddis has been purchasing his holiday goods and Mr. Gouger selected a carload of buggies, surreys, runabouts and other vehicles which will be here in a few weeks.

Married at Pleasanton.

Mr. Frank P. W. Earnest of Millett and Miss Jennie Marshall of Pleasanton were united in marriage Tuesday, 23rd inst. Mr. Earnest is a well known young man and the son of Judge and Mrs. F. B. Earnest. The bride is also well known in Cotulla. Mr. and Mrs. Earnest will make their home at Millett, and their numerous friends over this section wish them a long life of happiness.

Skating Rink Notice.

On account of the Minstrel Show tonight which will be given for the benefit of the Baptist Building Fund, the Skating Rink will not open until 9 o'clock. Rink will remain open until 11 o'clock. Will be glad to see you after the Show.

POOLE & ROBINSON.

Land Wanted.

I have three buyers for large tracts of land in this county at selling prices. Parties will pay half cash.

W. S. CONNESS, San Antonio, Texas.

Notice.

The Ladies of the Baptist church will serve an oyster supper on Election day, Nov. 6, 1906.

MRS. W. G. GILSTRAP, Pres. MISS MARIE NEAL, Secy.

Hunting Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all hunting is strictly forbidden in my pasture. Violators will be prosecuted.

MATTHEW CARTWRIGHT.

Hunting Notice.

This is to notify all parties that our gates are posted and no hunting whatever will be allowed in our pasture this season. Violators will be prosecuted.

T. CONLAN & SON.

STRAYED—2 year old brown Jersey heifer branded IT on left side. Information wanted to whereabouts. Reasonable reward.

MRS. W. H. STEELE.

FOR RENT—240 acres 7 miles West of Artesia. 80 acres in cultivation, good 4-room dwelling, barn 42x48, good fences, good well and cistern. Will rent next year at usual terms. Write F. O. DULLEY, Artesia, Texas.

FOR SALE—A small packing plant complete. Ten ton ice and cold storage. Will sell for cash or trade for land. A bargain for the right man. Full particulars see J. J. WERNER, Cotulla, Texas.

MONEY TO LOAN.

On Farms and Ranches. Vendor's Lien Notes bought.

BLACK FARM LAND.

3700 acres Hondo River valley land in Medina County 20 miles from Hondo. 90 per cent of it is suitable for cultivation; good rock house, two-story stable, sheds, smoke-house, 3 running streams, fine well and pump. Close to gin, mill, school, store, blacksmith shop and churches. Price as a whole, \$11 per acre.

J. TOM WILLIAMS, Mgr Real Estate Department.

E. B. CHANDLER, 102 Crockett St. San Antonio, Texas.

A Visit to the Woodward Ranch.

In common with every citizen of Cotulla I had known for some months that "things were being done" at the Woodward Ranch but until I went out and paid it a visit last week I had no idea how much had been done. I had always known the place as a cattle ranch. When I last saw it there was not an acre in cultivation nor any improvements beyond those usually found on a stock ranch.

When I reached there last week what was my surprise to find eight hundred and fifty acres in cotton, fifty in corn, fifty in sorghum and fifty in milo maize. The land on which all this had been grown was covered with native growth until Jan. 22, 1906, when they begin to clear it. The land was all cleared, broken and planted after that date. On the farm had been erected a first-class gin which had ginned at the time I was there two hundred and thirty bales and there were still in the field picked and to be picked, two hundred and fifty bales. Between ninety and one hundred cotton pickers were in the fields at work.

The two stand gin has been and is running on full time and will gin the cotton of many of the neighboring farms as well as that grown on the ranch. The cotton seed house, near the gin, has a capacity of four carloads and the cotton house will store thirty-two bales of unginned cotton.

Thirty mule teams are in use on this farm and the plowing is done with a traction engine. If able to secure the necessary labor there will be cleared and placed under cultivation next spring five thousand acres. Near the gin is a fall garden, in charge of Mr. J. W. Allen, upon which is growing almost every variety of vegetable, and all of them successfully. This garden is watered from the artesian well, flowing near the gin and is a demonstration of what can be done by intelligence and energy in this soil and climate. A three million gallon reservoir is being filled from the well and this water will be stored for irrigation. There are also growing finely fruit trees of many varieties.

People who may have been inclined to smile at what they regarded as Dave Woodward's enthusiasm are ready to lift their hats when they see what he has done. There is no longer any question about what can be done on that soil. He has demonstrated it and La Salle county ought never to forget what she owes to this man's sense, grit and energy. He has not been afraid to do things and that he has been successful will give pleasure to every intelligent man in the community.

Here's to you, Dave Woodward, and may you live long and prosper!

G. H. K.

AUTOMOBILE MADE FIRST TRIP TODAY.

The automobile which is to run daily between Cotulla and Carrizo Springs made its first trip today.

The car is a "Holsman" and is the only one of its kind in Texas except a sample at Stacks Bros., in San Antonio. It is built especially for sand. Instead of big rubber tires and low wheels, the wheels are high and are made almost like a large hack wheel. It develops 30-horse power.

The car was set up here yesterday evening by Harry Walker, a well known chauffeur of San Antonio, and who will drive it. Last night it was given a good test. Its "honk! honk!" could be heard in all parts of the town. It will seat three persons besides the driver.

Of course some difficulty is expected for the first few trips until the bearings etc., become worn a little. There is no reason it should not be a success.

The genial owner of the car, W. M. George and Mr. Morig, went out on the first trip today. They left here at 8:35 this morning.

IT IS TIME

to lay in your stock of canned goods for the winter. Don't wait until the prices go up. Get them now. Get them from me, if you want the best at the most reasonable prices. Our assortment will enable you to have anything you want in the line of canned goods.

JNO. P. GUINN.

Prompt Delivery

is almost as important to the successful grocery as the quality of the goods it sells. It costs us nothing to be prompt, and it brings us trade. We handle high class groceries because our customers will have nothing but the best that can be bought. They are the cheapest in the end.

GEO. E. TARVER.

HALL & BOWEN

Have Just Received

A New and Up to Date Line of Dry Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes.

THEY CAN PLEASE YOU AND YOUR POCKET BOOK.

They also sell everything in the Grocery Line at Rock Bottom Prices. Handle Crockery, Glassware and Silverware and everything else that a first class General Merchandise Store carries.