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WILSON NOMINATED ON 46TH BALLOT.

After Deadlock of Several Days Turns to New Jersey--Texas Solid From Beginning to Victory.

MARSHAL FOR VICE-PRES.

Woodrow Wilson was chosen the nominee of the Democratic party for the Presidency at the Baltimore convention on the 46th ballot Tuesday evening at 3:15 o'clock, after Underwood and Foss had withdrawn.

The fight had been long drawn out and for several days there had been a deadlock. Champ Clark, who went to the convention with the greatest number of instructed delegates, and who received a majority of the ballots in the convention on the tenth ballot, and held them for eight successive ballots, was the target of a terrific onslaught from William Jennings Bryan who accused him with being connected with a frameup with the Bryan-Murphy-Belmont crowd. This had its effect, and the forces of the Missourian gradually deserted him for the Wilson standard as the balloting progressed. On the forty-fifth ballot Wilson had climbed from 324 to 633, then Underwood and Foss withdrew and their forces swayed to the Wilson column, at least the majority of them. In the forty-sixth ballot he received 990 votes.

On motion of Senator Stone, Clark's manager...

Farmers Institute in Session Saturday.

Last Saturday the Cotulla Farmers Institute met at the Court house pursuant of a call of E. A. Keck, president and elected the following officers for the ensuing year. E. A. Keck, President, Matt Russell, Vice-President and W. A. Kerr, Secretary. There are a large number of farmers whose names have been enrolled as members of the Institute.

Messrs. Matt Russell, J. W. Coleman, Ed Rock, with J. H. Daniel, L. N. Wonder and Ed Cohonour, alternates, selected as delegates to attend the Farmers Institute and Farmers Congress which will be held at College Station the 29th, 30th and 31st of July.

The Vice-President has made application for transportation for the delegates. The next meeting will be called by the President at some time in the near future.

Mr. Edmonson representative of the Agricultural Department of Texas made an excellent address which was appreciated by those present.

Mothers' Club.

Wednesday afternoon a specially called meeting of the Mothers' Club was held at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Graham. The president, Mrs. Simon Cotulla, stated the object of the meeting to be for the purpose of electing second and third vice-presidents.

DILLEY MEETING OF ROAD BOOST

Business Men Making Preparations to Entertain San Antonio-Laredo Highway League.

SESSION NEXT THURSDAY

The next meeting of the San Antonio-Laredo Highway League will be held at Dilley next Thursday, 11th inst. Dilley business men are making preparations to entertain a good crowd and it is expected this will be the most enthusiastic meeting that has yet been held.

COLP HERE MONDAY.

D. E. Colp, president of the organization was here from San Antonio Monday talking to the citizens about a delegation from Cotulla at the next meeting and was assured that a good representation would be present. "We have been disappointed that Cotulla has not been represented at past meetings" said Mr. Colp, "and could not just understand the cause, but I find the people of Cotulla willing to co-operate in the building of the road, and have been assured that they will give us a good attendance at the Dilley meeting. A good highway from Cotulla to Laredo will be worth more to Cotulla than any other town on the line, it being located about half way. I am surprised at the amount of work that has already been done."

Best Roads Found in La Salle County.

Messrs. M. D. Slator and A. E. Moore of Llano enroute to Laredo stopped here Tuesday night. These gentlemen are traveling in an automobile and came by Kerville, Bandera, Hondo and Pearsall. They said from the Frio river to Cotulla the roads were better than any they traveled since starting. Mr. Slator owns a ranch East of Laredo.

Announcement.

The series of services at the Presbyterian church still continues. Since Tuesday night the Rev. W. L. Lawrence, D.D. of San Antonio, has done the preaching. A man of long and varied experience with men and with his Savior and with God's word, he is eminently fitted to preach the Gospel with sympathy and with clearness, and with power. It is indeed a privilege to hear God's message from one who has grown so ripe in personal experience of God's grace. Every one is urgently and cordially invited to attend every service, and bring your friends, Brethren and Sisters in the Lord, let us unite in prayer and work for the advancement of the Kingdom of our common Lord and Master.

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HEADLIGHT CHARMS SAN ANTONIO MAN

NICHOLAS REHKOPF, VICTIM OF ACCIDENT, CALMLY TELLS OF OCCURRENCE.

SAN ANTONIO—With his right leg mashed off above the knee, his left leg gone just below the knee, and right side, arm and back scalded, Nicholas Rehkopf begged for whiskey from his bed at the Santa Rosa hospital. Rehkopf was run down by a switch engine in the San Antonio & Aransas Pass yards late Wednesday night. It was after midnight when he was found, and despite the fact he was so seriously injured he did not utter a groan. While the doctors were dressing his wounds yesterday morning he told of walking along the tracks in the Sap yards and decided he would sit down for awhile. A little later, he said, he heard a train approaching, and then looking up, saw the switch engine's headlight. That light, he said, paralyzed him. He calmly sat there, and while wanting to move, his physical being would not respond to the mental message of danger that came through his hearing and his sight. It was much as a snake would charm a bird—the feathered creature just awaiting the onslaught of the reptile.

Remembers It All. He remembers distinctly how the engine struck him—an irresistible force, it seemed—and then of his legs being ground under the wheels. That was but a second or so, although it seemed fully a minute, before the hot exhaust steam from the engine's cylinder developed him in its scalding vapor. He lay there and then the wheels of a number of cars passed over the shreds of his limbs remaining on the track. When the train had passed and seeing nothing but the string of black cars disappearing in the fading distance from the rail and in the pale moonlight saw his strength and life ebbing away as blood flowed from the stumps—rather, what was left of his legs. If the scalds pained him, the cool night air at least bolstered him up. After awhile the trainmen found him, then sent out a hurried call for the ambulance.

When he reached the hospital the surgeons found he was more dead from the loss of blood than the shock of the accident. While removing his clothing preparatory to dressing his wounds the attendants found in one of his hip pockets a flask. Then he told the doctor that he had been drinking a

WHERE SAINTS ARE MADE

Factory in France Manufactures Many Statues for Churches and Shrines.

In a certain quarter of Paris, on the south side of the Seine, hundreds of men and women are employed in the carrying on of certain industries connected with the church. The most important of these is the modeling of saints. The Naison Raffé is the oldest saint factory in the world. Orders pour in every day by the hundred from all parts of the world, and the workers engaged on the statues are some of the finest sculptors in France. Saints may be purchased here from a few inches in height to five or six feet, at prices varying from a shilling to hundreds of pounds.

The statues are modeled in various materials, but chiefly in "carton plâtré," which is a composition of plaster of Paris and several chemicals, for it has a great many advantages over stone, one being that it possesses all the firmness of stone with the lightness of a feather.

The artists who are responsible for the original models are men who have had years and years of training. In fact, most of them have spent their days in the factory since they were mere children and their salaries range from 200 pounds to 400 pounds a year.

In the casting room the models are made from the originals by hundreds of skilled workmen. These molds consist of an arm, a leg or any other small portion of the statue, for the figures are not cast in a single piece. Into these molds, which are lined with gelatin to prevent the material from sticking, the "carton plâtré" is poured, it being then in a liquid state. When this has become hard and firm the mold is opened and the statue removed.

An enormous hot oven is next brought into requisition, and this is used for drying the parts that have been molded before they are passed to the molding room. Here they receive special attention with regard to details, such as removing by file the blemishes left by molding.

The heads are then handed over to an "eye artist," who finishes off the faces by fitting into them glass eyes, which are made so lifelike that they really express the different characteristics of the various saints. The portions of a statue are then assembled. The joints are carefully concealed, so that the whole piece of work is cut in one room. And I don't care a darn if Caesar crossed the Rubicon, or if old Rome was burnt. The angle and use. Ain't pastin' what

\$14,500 VERDICT AGAINST KATY FOR LATE TRAINS

State Gets Judgment for \$14,500 for Alleged Violation of Late Train Rule.

Austin, Tex.—District Judge Geo. C. Calhoun returned judgment in favor of the State in the case brought against the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Company of Texas at the instance of the railroad commission, for alleged violation of the commission's rule requiring passenger trains to be operated within thirty minutes of schedule time, otherwise to operate a stub train on the regular train's time card.

Today's judgment was for \$14,500, being the minimum penalty of \$500 on twenty-nine violations. The State sued on eighty violations and asked for the maximum penalty of \$5000 in each violation, which would have made a \$400,000 judgment. During the trial it admitted that it could not recover in fifty instances and asked for judgment in thirty violations. The court gave judgment in twenty-nine and the minimum instead of maximum penalty.

The railroad company will appeal and urge its important contentions to the higher courts. It insists that the train in question is a through interstate carrier, engaged in interstate business, and cannot be regulated or interfered with by a State body, as the Federal Constitution prohibits the interference with interstate commerce. Also, that the Missouri, Kansas & Texas road operates ample local trains for the local service and the commission is unjust and unreasonable in its endeavors to delay fast through service. And, finally, that the train in question, the Katy Limited, is not subject to the order of the commission because the train was inaugurated after the promulgation of the "thirty minute rule." The company maintained it should have been served with notice of hearing, and have been accorded a hearing before any order could be made to apply to that train.

SCHOOL DAYS.

The doggone school clock stands dead still.

The hands don't move a bit. It seems like sixty years until it's time for school to quit.

Some one passed out a good, bum steer.

And wrote, "Time Flies," that all;

For just about this time of year it doesn't even crawl.

Bluegill are bitin' by the ton, And I don't care a darn

If Caesar crossed the Rubicon, Or if old Rome was burnt.

The angle and use. Ain't pastin' what

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profess here never was any danger of division in their ranks, others are known to have openly talked of a compromise candidate and to have made advances to some of the adherents of Colonel Roosevelt. According to reports, these offers went to Mr. Roosevelt and they were turned down. He would not listen to talk of a third man, and the Taft leaders, seeing "no opportunity to get together," went ahead and nominated the president.

ANOTHER FRENCH DISASTER

Toulon, France.—Two died and five of the twenty-three seamen injured on board the French armored cruiser Jules Michelet off Hyeres, by the premature explosion of a six-inch gun, are dying in the naval hospital here.

The official inquiry into the cause of the accident shows that there were four explosions. By the first, thirteen men were hurled to the deck and frightfully burned. As soon as the victims had been conveyed ashore the firing was courageously resumed with the same gun under the direction of Admiral Bertrand Sourdeu, commander of the training ship division in the Mediterranean. Only one charge ignited and ten officers were injured. Nearly all the victims are young seamen. One man's arm was blown off. It is believed the explosions were due to the draft caused by the sudden closing of the breech of the gun, which ignited some sparks remaining from previous charges. The accidents are generally attributed to the defective system of firing between the charges of the French navy.

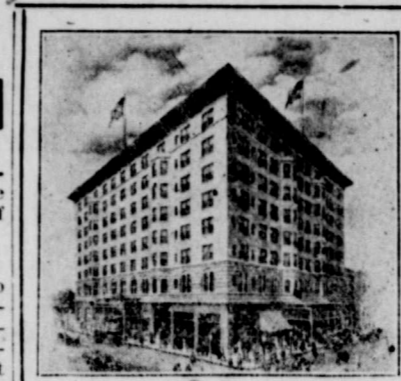
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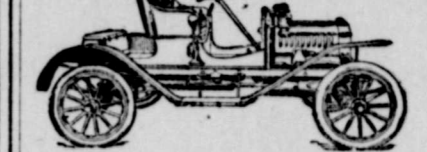


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KISSED HIRED MAN IN NAME OF RELIGION

Des Moines, Iowa.—A woman who bugs and kisses the hired man in an attempt to reform him is still in a position to successfully prosecute an action for divorce. Anyway, this is the opinion of Judge McHenry. The court granted a divorce to Mrs. Marion A. Fisher, even though her husband testified as to his wife's oscillatory advances upon the said hired man.

"She hugged and kissed the hired man, even when she knew I was looking," Fisher declared.

"And what did you say?" asked Judge McHenry.

"I expostulated with her. She told me she was doing it to reform him and that her religion demanded that she do everything in her power to point him to a better and higher life," replied the witness.

Judge McHenry decided that the couple might be better separated and he granted the divorce to the wife along with \$100 alimony and \$50 for attorney's fees. Mrs. Fisher charged her husband with cruel and inhuman treatment. He filed a cross petition setting forth similar facts, but apparently the wife had the better of the argument in the opinion of the court.

SHERIDAN IN AN ICE JAM

Nome, Alaska.—The United States transport Sheridan, with four companies of troops for St. Michael and Fort Davis, is still imprisoned in the ice which is drifting toward the Arctic Ocean. In five days the Sheridan has moved 100 miles westward and may be carried through Bering straits into the Arctic.

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NEWSY NOTES FOR BUSY MEN AND WOMEN

FINANCIAL NOTES.
Rockdale—Official: Citizens' State bank is organized with directors thus: H. C. Meyer, E. B. Phillips, G. M. Ryan, J. S. Jacobs, T. B. Kemp and E. R. Wolf. Business is to begin about September 1.
San Antonio—The Alamo Trust Co., capital \$100,000, is reported incorporated by R. U. Rhodus, Max Goodman, Dr. William Wolf, Dr. W. T. Robertson, Frank A. Winerich, G. R. Albers, W. W. McAllister, W. W. McAllister, W. A. King, J. B. Bernham, all of San Antonio; Alfred M. Stein of New Braunfels and W. E. Davis of Chicago.
Waco—The Central Texas Exchange National bank is reported approved; capital \$500,000; W. W. Woodson, Waco, Tex.; P. A. Gorman, L. B. Smythe, C. L. Johnson, R. B. Spencer and W. H. McCullough are directors. This succeeds the Central Texas National Bank and the Exchange National Bank, both of Waco.

BUILDINGS.
Dallas—Comfort building—State Fair directors will erect permanent structure for women's comfort building at State Fair grounds.
Dallas—Clubhouse—New Golf & Country Club organized by Herbert D. Ardrey, W. W. Nelms and others; will expend \$25,000 to purchase site and \$50,000 to construct clubhouse and golf course.
Dallas—Grandstand—Dallas Motor Speedway Co., 331 Vaughan, secretary, 601 Praetorian Bldg., will erect grandstand to seat 20,000 people and bleachers to accommodate 10,000.
Houston—Pavillion—Settlement Association will erect baby pavillion in Second Ward.
Pecos—Fair—Pecos Fair Association will organize with \$6000 capital stock; purchased site and will erect permanent buildings, etc.
Waxahachie—Hospital—Dr. W. C. Tenery, L. D. Farnell, S. P. Spalding and others are promoting erection of proposed hospital.

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COOKED TO DEATH IN SEWER

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KITTENS ARE SIAMESE TRIPLETS

Wilmington, Del.—A cat owned by Alonzo Baylis, Riverview, has given birth to the litter of three freak kittens. They are joined by ligaments attached in a peculiar manner in the hind legs of each. When one wants to walk all three have to go. When the mother wants to move her little ones she catches the middle kitten by the nape of the neck and carries it, while the other two are dragged along the floor.

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Announcements.

Covey C. Thomas announces as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of La Salle county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

G. H. Knaggs announces 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.

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

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We are authorized to announce D. L. Neeley as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of La Salle county, subject to the Democratic primaries.

We are authorized to announce F. D. McMahon as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of La Salle County, subject to the Democratic primaries.

We are authorized to announce W. A. Kerr, of Cotulla, as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of precinct 1 of La Salle County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

We are authorized to announce [Name] as a candidate for the office of [Title] of La Salle County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

"We'll win with Wilson."

The Good Roads movement is being taken up all over the State.

There wasn't anything "cut and dried" about that Baltimore convention.

Capital will come to a town that is alive. A dead one offers no inducements.

Cecil Lyon has issued a call for a Republican convention to meet at Dallas July 13. Cecil declines to be pushed away from the counter.

It seems to us that the fellow who suggested that the Baltimore Convention must be a delegates convention was about right about it.

Won't that new cement walk on Front and Center street be good to look at? It may hurt your eyes for a few days, but you will get used to it by and by.

Events at the Chicago and Baltimore conventions have made the dispatches from the Mexican battlefield read extremely tame.

Many men in their eager and selfish chase for the Almighty dollar have no time to devote to town building. These are the fellows that are found in the ranks of "reactionaries" of politics of today.

Crystal City has a number of cases of typhoid fever, and the city authorities have demanded a cleanup. Cotulla should take a lesson from this and clean up before the fever comes. An ounce of prevention is worth a whole lot of cure. But, it takes drastic measures to move some people.

"Oh, Swat that Fly."

Guilford Gilmer, a Cotulla boy who is doing civil engineering work in Canada, sends us the following clipping from a Toronto paper.

My country, 'tis to you
I pray with much ado,
Hark to my cry!
Land of our pilgrim dads,
Land of almighty scads,
Drop all the sundry fads
And Swat that fly!

You of that sturdy stock
That on old Plymouth Rock
Stood high and dry,
Banish our wild alarm
At that which works us harm.
Uplift a mighty arm
And swat that fly!

And you, bold immigrants
Put on your working pants
Without a sigh
Slash for your country's good
Bash as a patriot would
And swat that fly!

All grab a club and stand
Pat for our happy land,
Not a man shy.
Don't wait till it is fall:
NOW is your country's call
All in a chorus bawl,
Swat that fly.

Texas delegates put up a wonderful fight for the nomination of Wilson and saw their efforts rewarded.

Jourdanton had its first Trades' Day last week, and Judge Frank B. Earnest, La Salle's candidate for the Legislature was invited over to deliver a Trades Day address. The Atascosa Monitor, commenting on the address highly complimented the Judge on his remarks.

With the prosperous days of this fall ahead of us Cotulla should organize her Business Men's club. There is much to be accomplished by an organization.

to the punning of any town. (We cannot hope to grow substantially until there is united action. Let's get together, and as some one has said, let our motto be "Get There" instead of "Hot Air".

Southwest Texas has finished sending out her onion crop and now hundreds of cars of watermelons and cantelopes are going. When this is over we will begin on our cotton crop and this will hold the stage of action for several months. Then we'll feed the people of the cold North on winter vegetables. There is always something doing for the Southwest Texas farmer.

When that highway between San Antonio and Laredo is completed Cotulla should reap some of the benefits. We are located just about halfway. Most of the cars will stop for gasoline, oil, etc., and the occupants frequently for lunch. When that comes to pass hundreds of strangers will see our town every week that do not now and it will be up to us to make conditions more attractive. Many of the people who will take these trips will be men looking for investments, and we should be up to the minute.

Dry weather is what the cotton crop wants now and it is getting it. The plant is making a rapid growth and fruiting fast. With such a bumper crop as Southwest Texas expects to have this fall pickers will be scarce, unless the conditions in Mexico become better and labor can be secured from that source. The war appears to be about over and Madero has promised amnesty to all who will lay down their arms. With the country devastated starvation faces them and the best solution of the situation is for the government to furnish them free transportation to the border, permit them to step across to the land of Texas, and help gather the fleecy crop. Don't understand that we want all Mexico up here, but we can use quite a few this fall.



Q.—Does the religious wave over the country indicate anything, or is it a "flash in the pan"? (Reader.)

Answer.—We believe that it is indicative of much that is important to the welfare of the entire race of mankind. Not that we anticipate that it will result in converting the race to Christianity, or "save the world for Jesus," but that it indicates that mankind in general are longing after the higher and holier things. All honor to the noble men and women who are striving to better human conditions, and who are sacrificing much in their efforts! However, the Lord in His Word, the Bible, has pointed out a more excellent way than all of the religious and reformation movements combined. In the first place, the Scriptures foretell that the world will never be converted to Christianity until after the Lord Jesus' second coming. (See the following Scriptures and note carefully as they relate to the "last days," or "the time of the end." Matthew xxiv. 27-30; 11 Timothy iii. 1-5; James v. 1-5.) From those statements of the Sacred Writers, we see that the world will be far from being converted to Christ at His coming, and will have very little regard for the teachings of the Master. Are not the facts in harmony with the Scripture prophecies? In spite of all the missionary efforts put forth, there are more than double the number of heathen in the world to-day than there were a century ago, according to the latest compiled missionary statistics! What are the conditions in Christendom so-called? There are far more bloodshed, wars, crimes, greed and graft than in all the heathen lands combined! Christians may well pray, "Thy Kingdom come," for that is the only hope for the world.

Q.—Please explain II Peter iii, 16—

"As also in all his epistles, speaking in them of these things; in which are some things hard to be understood, which they that are unlearned and unstable wrest, as they do also the other Scriptures, unto their own destruction."

Answer.—From the reading of this chapter, it is evident that "these things," referred to by the Apostle, are the things relating to the "three worlds."

II Peter iii, 16.

Apostle Paul relates how that special visions and revelations had been given him by the Lord, and among these was a view of the "third heaven," and of "paradise." This was a glimpse of "the new heavens and the new earth" mentioned in the 13th verse of this chapter. St. Paul was not permitted to give the details of what had been revealed to him, nevertheless these

revelations influenced all of his writings and caused him to give such expressions as were hard to be understood, but which, in the light of subsequent events, are now being clearly revealed to the sincere and earnest student of the Scriptures. It is now seen that the "unlearned and unstable" have wrested many of the Apostle's statements from their true connection and significance. Scriptures that apply to "the new heavens and the new earth" have been variously warped and twisted from their true application and forcibly assigned to "the heavens that are now" and "this present evil world." As an illustration of this: the Apostle explains that "God has appointed a day (a thousand-year day—II Peter iii, 8) in the which He will judge the world in righteousness" (Acts xvii, 31) yet many have misapprehended this statement and have declared that the world is on trial (being judged) at present.

Q.—Who are "The spirits in prison?" (II Peter iii, 19.) (Secretary.)

Answer.—The "spirits," or spirit beings, are the ones referred to by the Apostle in the following verse as having been disobedient during the antediluvian period of time—in the days of Noah. Turning back to the early records of the Scriptures we find that in Genesis vi, 1-4, it is narrated how and in what manner these spirit beings disobeyed, and why they were cast into prison. Note the contrast in the expression "The sons of God (the angels—Job ii, 1) saw the daughters of men." These spiritual sons of God left their habitation, the spiritual realm, and, in feminizing as human beings, took unto them wives of the daughters of men in this way the "men of renown," "the mighty men," the "giants in the earth," were brought into existence. This was contrary to the Lord's arrangements, and therefore we read that those angels were deprived of their liberties under certain limitations: "And the angels which kept not their first estate their spiritual state but left their own habitation (the spiritual realm), He hath reserved in everlasting chains, under darkness (the darkness of the night, for they can operate only under the cover of the night or conditions of darkness), unto the judgment of the great day." (Jude 6.) The Apostle Peter also refers to them when he says, "God spared not them when they sinned, but degraded them, and delivered them into chains of darkness."—Corrected Translation (II Peter ii, 4.) All history, both sacred and secular, is replete with instances of obsession, or demonizations, by these demons, or fallen angels. It was to these "spirits" that our Lord, by His death and resurrection, preached a powerful sermon in pantomime.

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W. C. Wheeler was here on a visit to his family this week from Big Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Redding left Monday for Stockdale, their home, after a visit here to Mr. D. L. Neeley and family.

The river is now down to normal stage, and the fishin' is said to be awfully good since the big rise. It's good fishin' weather.

Mrs. A. Armstrong is back from Austin and will spend part of the summer here with friends.

Mrs. R. M. Edwards and child, ren returned to Laredo Monday after a visit here to Mrs. M. T. Dunham.

Stings or bites of insects that are followed by swellings, pain or itching should be treated promptly as they are poisonous. BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT counteracts the poison. It is both antiseptic and healing. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Horger & Windrow.

Several out of town contractors have been here this week to get specifications so as to bid on the construction of the cement sidewalks.

A bad taste in the mouth comes from a disordered stomach, and back of that is usually a torpid liver:—A condition which invites diseases. HERBINE is the remedy needed. It corrects the stomach and makes the liver active and regular. Price 50c. Sold by—Horger & Windrow.

Want to buy 5, 10, 15 or 20 acres of land near Cotulla, improved, or small in. One to five miles.—Jno. S. Jackson, Austin, Texas.

A. A. Simpson has been loading some fine melons this week. Mr. Simpson has thirty-five acres of "Alabama sweets."

W. N. Lane was here from Millett Tuesday. Mr. Lane has Cotton in the Millett country and also at Artesia. He says the prospects are excellent and unless the boll weevil appears expects to make a good crop.

Some fine watermelons and canteloupes have been shipped from Cotulla this week.

Mrs. G. W. Ballard, of Pearsall is here on a visit to her son, R. O. Gouger.

Lee Keithley was up from the Dobie ranch Wednesday to meet J. M. Dobie.

Quite a number of our people went to Pearsall with the ball team and to enjoy the Fourth. Many also went down to Artesia.

L. Clarke Dunn left Saturday night for Kansas City. He expects to be back soon and will be here for some length of time on his next trip.

Worms interfere with the growth of children. They become thin, pale and sickly. Get rid of these parasites at once if you would have healthy, happy, cheerful children. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE destroys worms and benefits the whole system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Horger & Windrow.

Mrs. S. F. Brooks was in our office Monday to have her paper sent to Laredo. Mr. N. A. Swink, her son, has gone into the onion business there, and they have moved to the Border City from Dilley.

When the baby is suffering the double affection of hot weather and bowel disorders, the remedy needed is McGEE'S BABY FLIXIR. It reduces the feverish conditions, corrects the stomach and checks looseness of the bowels. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by—Horger & Windrow.

F. N. Mills is up from a severe spell of sickness and was in town Saturday for the first time in six weeks. Mr. Mills was taken down with typhoid during the early part of the shipping season and was confined to his bed forty days. He is regaining his health rapidly.

When you feel lazy out of sorts and yawn a good deal in the day time, you can charge it to a torpid liver which has allowed the system to get full of impurities. HERBINE cures all disorders produced by an inactive liver. It strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Price 50c Sold by—Horger & Windrow.

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Plain grass cows in carload lots good enough to sell on the quarantine division for \$5 does not show that beef cattle are being given away. Today on this side was sold a carload of this class of cows from the ranch of T. H. Pool of Cotulla, Texas., at that price.—Kansas City Drivers Journal.

Modern Ways of Studying Epidemics

An epidemic of typhoid fever in St. Charles, Ill., caused by dirty milk bottles, is reported in current number of The

association which says "St. Charles, a town of about 4,500 inhabitants, located about forty miles west of Chicago, had an epidemic of six cases of typhoid during the eight months preceding May, 1912, approximately one case for every seventy-five inhabitants. A special representative of The Journal, an expert on epidemics was sent to investigate the case. Examination of the water supply showed it to be above suspicion. Careful investigation of the milk supply of the families in which the cases of typhoid occurred, showed that of forty-two patients known to have used milk, thirty-nine received the milk from two dairies, and in the other three cases, infection was probably due to the direct contact. Investigation of the dairies showed that one of the also supplied a Belgian community, living west of St. Charles, and there had been a number of cases of typhoid among the foreigners. The milk itself was found to be pure, but the bottles in which the milk was delivered to the customers were not properly cleaned after using, and dirty bottles in which milk had been sent to the homes of typhoid patients had been used for other customers without being properly sterilized. As soon as the facts were known, the local health officer directed the milk dealer in the town to sterilize their bottles by boiling them for at least twenty minutes. As soon as this precaution was taken, the epidemic immediately ceased. While the epidemic itself was comparative small one, only six cases being recorded, it is important as showing the method of investigation, now used in locating the responsibility for epidemics."—American Medical Journal.

Drivers Using Automobiles.

Since the roads through the various counties between here and San Antonio have become passable traveling men are using automobiles considerably for their work.

Automobile Plunge Over Bridge Into Ravine.

Drs. O. J. and A. T. Cook driving a Buick car and Mrs. W. C. Kidwell, Jim Colwick and Morris Gordan driving a Maxwell, enroute from San Antonio to Laredo, were delayed here several hours yesterday by an accident that happened about four miles below town. While running at a good clip, and crossing the bridge over Elm creek, the driver of the Maxwell car, lost control for a second, the car swerving, smashing the railing

into the ravine and plunged into the ravine below. Fortunately there was no serious consequences. After crawling out from the wreckage it was discovered that none of the occupants of the car was hurt, beyond being scratched and bruised. A couple of teams of mules were secured from a farmer and the car pulled out of the ravine and into town to a garage, where on examination it was found not to be very badly out of commission and was repaired after a few hours, the party proceeding on their way.

At Home for Vacation.

Walter Daniel, a student of Vanderbilt College at Nashville, Tenn., arrived home last week to spend vacation with his mother's family at the Lake Grove Farm. Walter is studying for the Methodist ministry.

E. P. Rasmussen, ranchman of Dimmit county, was a passenger on Wednesday's train enroute to San Antonio.

Notice.

I have formed partnership in the practice of medicine with Dr. H. T. Wichman. The doctor is German, raised and educated in Chicago, a graduate of the Medical department of the Illinois University.

After graduation he did private practice in Wisconsin and also in Chicago.

Dr. Wichman has spent eighteen months in Europe at London, Berlin and Vienna, where he attended the foremost medical clinics of the world, and was for several months under the famous surgeon Lorenz.

Personally Dr. Wichman is a man of clean habits, is competent, and I take pleasure in recommending him highly to my friends.

DR. GLENN BARTLETT.

Otto Zirkel makes Monuments to Order from \$10 to \$10,000. Designs shown by C. E. Manly Cotulla, Texas.

Good Road Boosters To Gather In Dilley.

From San Antonio Express. After spending two days in Cotulla in the interest of the San Antonio-Laredo highway project, D. E. Colp, secretary of the Highway division of the Chamber of Commerce, returned to San Antonio last night greatly pleased with the results of his trip. He said Cotulla would be represented at the good roads meeting in July 11, by a delegation filling four or five automobiles.

highly important, for then it will be determined just what method is to be pursued in making the proposed highway a reality of the near future. When this plan is settled on, towns all along the line will begin active work of execution. Every town between here and Laredo is expected to have a representative delegation in Dilley July 11.

"I found that all interests in Cotulla are heartily with us in the project" said Mr. Colp this morning. "The people of that section have been so busy at the time of past meetings in making highway improvements that they have not had time to attend the rallies. When I informed them their moral support was needed at the next meeting they promised to rise to the occasion and send a delegation that will fill four or five automobiles."

Mr. Colp is enthusiastic over the feasibility of the road to the Rio Grande. He thinks it will be the first of the several contemplated highways out of San Antonio to be built.

Spreading The Story of Texas Prosperity.

In a recent issue of the Youth's Companion, published at Boston read in every quarter of the United States, the following article appeared.

"The scale on which things are done in Texas is indicated by the demand for thirty thousand and refrigerator-cars to ship the vegetables and fruit of the State this season. Four thousand cars are wanted for onions, four thousand for early potatoes, four thousand for peaches, six thousand for watermelons and cantaloupes, sixteen hundred for tomatoes and the rest for miscellaneous products."

Card of Thanks.

I desire to thank our friends who so kindly gave their assistance during the last illness of beloved wife. The kindness will never be forgotten.

John A. Conlan.

Has Recovered From Injuries of Explosion.

L. N. Wonder, who came near being the victim of a boiler explosion on his farm a month ago, has about fully recovered from injuries received, and is able to attend to his farm duties. It was a traction engine boiler that exploded, hurling Mr. Wonder several yards through the scalding his face and leg and breaking several ribs was rendered unconscious a few minutes.

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WANTED—Tenant for immediate possession of 30 acre tract on Asherton & Gulf R. R. Will sell crop and equipments now on place if desired. Good house, 2 room tenant house, good well new 8 h. p. Atlas engine, rabbit proof fence, ground in fine condition, about three hundred acres in pasture land. This would be splendid onion and cabbage proposition. For terms write Mrs. Jonnie A. Jones, 211 Market St. San Antonio, Texas.

FOR SALE—My residence adjoining school house for sale cheap, new house, well, barn etc. Will sale for \$900.—J. W. Galbreath, Wharton, Texas.

Notice, Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of La Salle:

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of precinct No. 1, of Bexar county, Texas, on the 4th day of June 1912, by the Justice of the Peace thereof, in the case of Mrs. Hattie Wilbur versus W. S. Cooper, No. 7468, and to me as sheriff directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tuesday in Aug. 1912 it being the sixth day of said month, before the Court House door of said La Salle county, in the town of Cotulla, the following described property, to-wit:

Being lot No. 1167 in Block. No. 49, of the Altito Townsite, and subdivision No. 1167 in section No. 25, of the Altito Ranch lands. Said property being located in La Salle county, Texas.

Levied on as the property of W. S. Cooper, to satisfy a judgment amounting to One Hundred (\$100) Dollars, in favor of Mrs. Hattie Wilbur and all costs of suit.

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TEXAS STATE NEWS

Silsbee—Rufus Whiddon, aged 11 years, was drowned in Village creek yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A search for his body was made by dragging the creek. Mr. Archer recovered the body at 11 o'clock last night.

Eagle Lake—Cortina Garcia, a Mexican member of the steel gang working on the bridge across the Colorado river, being built by the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railroad, was knocked from one of the cars Monday night and run over, breaking his back and injuring him internally to such an extent that he died within a few minutes after being brought to Eagle Lake.

Columbus—News reached here Tuesday of the death at Kerrville of Mrs. J. Light Townsend, widow of Colorado county's famous sheriff. Six children survive her. A special train took mourners from here to her funeral today.

Dallas—Contract was awarded by the building committee of the Hippodrome Theater and Amusement company for the erection of a theater building on Elm street, the contract price being \$55,000.

Brownsville—General flood conditions in the Rio Grande valley have remained unchanged for the past forty-eight hours as clear weather has prevailed in the district for the past thirty-six hours. The crest of the flood waters it is believed has been reached.

Austin—Unless repealed by the legislature, the State law which provides for a tax of 50 per cent of the gross receipts derived from the sale of pistols and firearms in this state will remain upon the statute books. The supreme court refused to grant a writ of habeas corpus in the case of *Aswell & Smith*, which was brought for the purpose of testing the constitutionality of the new law.

San Benito—Several more home-seekers arrived here in their private cars and local agents report good sales.

Corpus Christi—Prof. W. T. Lofland, teacher of science in the Corpus Christi public school, has tendered his resignation in order that he may accept the position of principal of the Hillsboro high school that has been tendered him. Prof. Lofland is now a member of the summer normal faculty and will remain in Corpus until August 15.

Bastrop—A difficulty occurred between a lot of negroes over the decision of the umpire in a game of baseball on Walnut creek, and the result was that Bud Priestley was shot in the neck and William Harde-man had a finger shot off.

Hallettsville—Joseph Kunetka, deputy sheriff for Shiner precinct, resigned to accept the office of marshal and Sheriff Houchins has appointed Louis Troutwein to succeed him.

Ballinger—Three hundred thousand pounds of wool sold here at prices ranging from 15 to 18 cents. The buyers participating in the sale are Goodhue-Emery company, Jerry Meyer, Williams & Co., Hallowell, Jones & Donnelly, Whitteman, Farnsworth & Stevenson; Hooper-Edy & Co., of Boston; C. D. Stokes of Lampasas; McCully & Co.; Brady and E. L. Rasbury of Ballinger.

Longview—A business like train robber successfully held up the mail car employes on the International & Great Northern mail train No. 4, northbound. At 2:30 a. m., just as the train was slowing down for the Port Bolivar crossing not far from here, a masked man climbed into the mail car. He covered the three mail clerks with a pistol and without seeming hesitation in his choice

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CUBAN NEGRO CHIEFTAIN BEEN REPORTED KILLED

Estenoz, Leader of Cuban Revolt, Supposedly Dies in Engagement.

Havana.—General Estenoz, leader of the insurrection, is officially reported tonight to have been killed. President Gomez, at 10 o'clock received a dispatch from General Montenegro announcing that Colonel Consuegra has reported the rebel leader dead and his body at Songa. Colonel Consuegra asked for the dispatch to that place of a special train to transport the body to Santiago.

There are no particulars of the engagement in which General Estenoz was killed, but the fall of the rebel chief is the occasion of great rejoicing here.

The government is satisfied that this will end the insurrection, the hunting down or surrender of the minor leaders now being a matter of only a few days.

It is also reported that Iveton has been wounded and will probably soon be captured.

AMERICANS FIGHT PLAGUE

Army and Navy Surgeons Arrive in San Juan to Battle With Scourge.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico.—American medical officers will take charge of the situation here in an endeavor to speedily stamp out the bubonic plague. Surgeons Lieut. Col. Jefferson R. Kean, Major Frederick H. Russell and Lieut. Frederick H. Pousar of the medical corps of the United States Army and Past Assistant Surgeon R. H. Creel, formerly stationed at Providence, and Dr. Charles Williams of Boston, both attached to the public health and marine hospital service, arrived here today from New York.

They are under orders to give all the assistance in their power to the Porto Rico authorities.

Sixteen deaths have occurred from the plague in Porto Rico. Certificates of health now require compulsory for persons leaving San Juan on account of protests received from residents of interior towns.

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GIRL BATHER LOSES CLOTHES.
 ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Mrs. Joseph Rain of Alton, Ill., a W. C. T. U. worker, has put a stop to the practice of young women bathing in a Hop Hollow pool unless they have proper bathing suits and provided themselves with temporary dressing rooms. She carried away all of one swimmer's wearing apparel and forced the girl to wait until dark before she could go home. The girl wrapped herself in a fish net and walked across the country to a quarry camp, where the workmen supplied her with overalls, a shirt, shoes and a coat.
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WHAT OSTEOPATHY IS

(F. A. Piper, D. O.)

The osteopath looks on the human being as a machine, intended by nature to be perfect in action, and being a machine, its correct working depends only on perfect mechanical adjustment, this adjustment and the modus operandi being as complete and intricate as the structure itself, the whole thing looking very simple, but withal, requiring the most rigorous education and dextrous ability to accomplish it correctly.

In a rough way, this machine of ours consists of a skeleton or bony framework which acts as a solid support and a protection for the more delicate structures and which affords attachments and levers for the muscles or organs of motion. It is not because he believes that disease originates in bones, that Dr. A. T. Still, the founder, named his science "Osteopathy," but because the bones are the framework of the machine and their mal-adjustment, especially those forming the spine, predispose to disease by pressure on nerves; the nerve trunks from the entire spinal cord to the integument, muscles, bones, ligaments, fascias, vital organs, etc., being exposed to such pressure at their foramina of exit from the spinal column and this occurs, providing there is the slightest mal-adjustment of these vertebrae.

The food or fuel for this machine comes through two great systems; the respiratory furnishing the vital oxygen; and the digestive which prepares the more complex chemicals, necessary to our metabolism; assimilating them from the crude foods which we digest.

During the countless centuries of the development of our organism, the digestive system has accustomed itself to select only certain substances as foods; that is, there are certain chemicals which, when assimilated from the digestive tract will be utilized for the building up and repair of the system and for the liberation of the energy, without at the same time in any way acting as a poison to the system.

When a substance ceases to be a true food, it ceases to be of advantage to the organism. If it is merely useless, it is rejected as waste, but if on the other hand it is harmful, we have a reaction and the system shows a "poisoning," the degree depending on the amount and character of the poison.

Needless to say, those things which the system regards as poisons during health cannot be of real use during disease. If it injures a strong organism, how much more must it affect a weak one. Drugs which are not true foods, can help, only by making symptoms, and this is a very false security.

For instance, morphine, being a poison and not a food, cannot benefit the system in any way. It can temporarily disease the sensory nerves so that they will no longer telegraph to the brain that the appendix (for instance) is badly inflamed; but this

CHICAGO FREIGHT MEN SETTLE THEIR STRIKE

Walkout That Affected the Chicago Depots for Nine Weeks Comes to a Close.

Chicago. — The freight-handlers' strike, which began nine weeks ago and affected twenty-three railroads and nearly 4,000 men, was settled today, according to an announcement made by Chairman Joseph F. Ryan of the special aldermanic commission by Mayor Harrison to carry on negotiations in the interest of peace.

The offer of the railroads to take back 1,800 of the strikers and provide places for the others as soon as conditions made it possible, was accepted by the strikers after several days' consideration.

One provision of the settlement, however, is that none of the workmen connected with acts of violence shall be taken back.

The principal demand of the men, an increase of 1 cent an hour in wages or a reduction in the working hours from sixty-four to fifty-five hours a week, was not granted.

EVIDENCE ON DARROW

LOS ANGELES, Cal.—For the first time a witness in the Darrow trial today charged Clarence S. Darrow with having personally offered him a bribe to turn over to him certain evidence against the McNamara brothers.

The witness, Guy Biddinger, a Chicago detective, one of the men who arrested James B. McNamara and Orrie McManigal, testified he had pretended to accept Darrow's offer and that Darrow told him he wished to learn who in the inner councils of the McNamara defense had been tipping off secret information to Detective W. J. Burns.

Biddinger told him it was E. A. Clancy, a San Francisco labor leader, and that if Darrow came to San Francisco at a certain time he would let Darrow see Clancy and Burns together.

The defense gained what was regarded as an important victory when Judge Hutton sustained an objection to the testimony of Waldo Fallon, one of the shorthand reporters, who took down conversations between Darrow and John R. Harrington, through a telephone device. Fallon admitted he heard only parts of the conversation.

GREAT GRANDMOTHER AT 57

Albany, Ore.—Four generations live in one house in this city and the oldest is only 57 years old. Mrs. C. M. Mason, who represents the second generation, says the first

THIS HELPLESS BOY IS PUZZLE TO BIRMINGHAM

Birmingham, Ala.—A remarkable case which is attracting the attention and interest of the physicians in this section is that of an unknown white boy, called "Leon," at the Jefferson county almshouse. He has not spoken nor moved since he was committed, nearly six months ago. There were no means of identification and nothing has been learned of the boy's parentage.

He is unable to move himself, and if moved he remains for hours in the exact position he was left. If his hand is raised by an attendant it remains raised until some one lowers it.

Considerable interest was aroused in his case by the report that he had been hypnotized and left in the state. This has been denied by Dr. S. G. Stebbins, physician in charge, who has diagnosed the case as a cataplectic form of mania, which is probably incurable.

The boy is known at the almshouse as "Leon Hostess." When picked up on the street and carried to the institution he had in his pocket a piece of paper on which was written that name.

GIVES UP MILLION DOLLARS

HOOKSETT, N. H.—Renouncing the purple society for the habit of a nun and giving up a fortune of a million dollars to take the vows of voluntary poverty, Mrs. Gertrude Halle Lanman, society leader of Norwich, Conn., and Boston, has entered the convent of the Sisters of Mercy in this town.

"I have tried all the pleasures this world has to offer," she said to a friend, "all are unsatisfactory. It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of Heaven, and I am humbly trying to do his work in laboring for others."

The forehead of her renunciation came in the sale of the magnificent residence in Norwich, Conn. She next sold her automobile and other accessories of her domicile. Her friends were greatly surprised when she disposed of her collection of rare laces, gathered during years of residence and travel abroad.

Last Christmas Mrs. Lanman disappeared in this country and abroad, appeared. The secret of her disappearance is now solved by her arrival at the convent of the Sisters of Mercy as "Sister Mary Gertrude." Mrs. Lanman is the widow of William Camp Lanman, a philanthropist. She is beautiful and well known. Her father was Dr. A. B. Halle, who died over fifteen years ago, leaving a fortune.

An Ideal Country Home

LOOSE BEAR AT CONEY CAUSE DISTURBANCE

NEW YORK—In ten minutes at Brighton Beach, Liberty, the trained cinnamon bear, scared one whole theater, drove some few hundred men and girls decorating the sand feally into the water, frightened a few score couples sitting at tables in a rathskeller and brought the Coney Island police reserves over on the run, hot as it was, to make a brave show with drawn revolvers and night sticks. At the end of all this the bear was the worst scared of all at the beach and was glad to sink into his portable cage at a word from his trainer.

It was hot behind the scenes at the music hall, where the animal was being exhibited. Just before it was time for him to go on, he ambled out unannounced on the stage. Without paying any attention to anybody, he hopped over the footlights, ambled up a side aisle and climbed the stairs to the first balcony. The spectators did not share in his unconcern by any means and by the time the bear got to the head of the stairs his nerves were somewhat upset by the shrieks from all parts of the house.

In search of quiet he jumped out of the window and loped down to the board walk toward the beach. When he appeared at the edge of the sand a great many bathing suits got wet which were not meant to be as their owners took to the water for safety. He sniffed disdainfully and turned back toward Hoaglan's hotel. As he entered everybody else went out.

The bear followed them, the excitement which surrounded him making him anxious for company. No one wanted to soothe him, so he turned back into the hotel and down stairs to the rathskeller. There were a few tables upset by his entrance. The bear stopped long enough to drink a few beers which had been spilled and then crawled under the flooring of one of the booths. He came out and entered his cage when his keeper spoke a few kind words to him.

WORTH REMEMBERING.
Labor teaches those who wait on him how to climb bravely up these heights of wisdom, influence and glory, which luxury teaches her followers to slide ignobly down.—Wm. R. Alger.

AND YOU CAN'T OIL A PARROT.
"Why did you give your parrot away? The poor bird meant nothing by its profanity."
"I could stand its profanity, but it was learning to imitate my neighbor's rusty lawnmower."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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JULY FLOWER SONG.

Our town stands out in bright away,
With the yellow eyed daisy so gay,
Sweet strains of golden music comes
Rippling past my ear at setting sun.
As they stand nodding here and there
Singing a merry song of good cheer.

So Misses Pink and White O-le-ander
Donned in their freshness doth meander
Seeking admiration from around
As they smile, and smile so gaily down.
The blushing rose ever holds her
sway
With daisy and O-le-ander gay:

All the flowers seem full of glee
In their world, each a queen claims to
be.

I oft wonder the reason "why"
The lesson learn—we don't try,
Laughingly they seem to me, Say,
Ahl it's July we must have our play
Coupled with sunshine and with rain,
They sing the glad some song's refrain.

KYLE-LANDRUM.

As the morning hours were
freshest at the opening of a new
born day, a beautiful home wed-
ding was solemnized at 7 o'clock
Tuesday morning July 2, in
Laredo Texas, at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Landrum,
where their daughter, Bessie Lan-
drum, became the bride of Mr.
C. V. Kyle, Auditor of the I.
& G. N. R. R. The beauties of
nature were artistically display-
ed in the banks of fern, and the
archway of vines and roses which
filled the spacious rooms, and
gave a charming back ground
for this pretty and impressive
ceremony, which was performed
by her pastor, Rev. Woods.
To the soft strains of Mendel-
son's wedding march, played by
Thajson Medlenson the

mountains and springs. The
bride wore a beautiful brown
silk with a hat of softer shade
and other accessories to harmon-
ize. The costly and beautiful
presents indicate the popularity
of this winsome bride. The
friends of Cotulla will remem-
ber Miss Landrum as she made
frequent visits in the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Will Tarver. Mrs.
Tarver went to down to Laredo
to be present at this pretty wed-
ding and we are indebted to her
for this report.

MRS. RIDDLE HOSTESS

Thursday afternoon Mrs.
Riddle was hostess, in Miss
Burwell's home, to the Presby-
terian Union, and several in-
vited guests. The usual devo-
tional and business period re-
ceived their prominence, after
which Mrs. Chevalier read an
interesting article concerning
the proper use of the talents
given into our keeping.
Miss Childs contributed a num-
ber of piano selections to the
delight of this company. "The
Declaration of Independence by
the United Ladies of America"
was greatly enjoyed, read by
Mrs. Gahrting.

All business being ended the
day suggested a patriotic contest
so after the reading, papers and
pencils were given each guest
when they were directed to find,
and properly name the various
flags placed upon the wall.
The excitement was intense as
all rushed towards the appointed
places, but to the surprise of
many we had been permitted to
freshen up on our geography.
The honor fell to Mdms. J. H.
Gallman and L. C. Ross who

Burwell.
Border work at C. P. Diaz—
Mrs. Trice.

Personal work and observation
on Missionary work at Eagle
Pass and C. P. Diaz.—Mrs. C.
B Jones.

MRS. FOUTS HOSTESS.

Some distance out of town, at
what is known as the Chicago
farm, Mrs. Fouts opened her
home to the ladies of the Bap-
tist Aid Tuesday afternoon.
Though the day was intensely
warm, the assurance of the
pleasure instore found fifteen
ladies responding to this invita-
tion. The usual interest was
manifested in the Bible study,
which was so thoroughly taught
by Miss Docia Shaw. Paul's
journey to Rome was told in a
most interesting manner in a
short paper by Mrs. Cohenour.

Mrs. Rowland's report of the
fifth Sunday's meeting was
heard with interest.
Miss Beulah Brown (of Flatonia)
was among the visitors. The
next place of meeting will be
with Mrs. Graham, and leader
for the Bible study will be Mrs.
C. F. Binkley. A delicious ser-
vice of cream on Melon proved
a happy final to this afternoons
pleasure, after which a number
of piano selections were enjoyed
the contribution of the hostess,
thus bringing to a close the en-
joyable afternoon.

THE FOURTH

The fourth was celebrated by
a large majority of the town
people, some spending the day
at Rockwood in a barbecue, and
others out upon the banks of
the river, trying their luck with
the line and hook, while a large
crowd went to Pearsall to witness
the contesting ball game Cotulla
coming out with laurels in their
crown. This was followed by a
dance which the young people
enjoyed, feeling their days plea-
sure was well spent.

Miss Lillian Towns, of Nixon,
Texas is visiting in the home of
Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Davis.

Miss Bessie Landrum of Laredo
returned home after a pleasant
week's stay in the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Will Tarver.

Miss Gladis Foster, of Belmont
Texas, is visiting in the home of
Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Davis.

News comes that Mrs. Dr.
Johnson is still quite a sufferer,
having had to undergo two op-
erations lately upon her foot, as
it became quite infected, but
hope is entertained at present
she will soon be well.

Mrs. Beverly Poole, Misses
Shaw and John Poole were guests
of Mrs. Frank Rock at the picnic
at Rockwood Thursday

Report of the Condition of the COTULLA STATE BANK

At Cotulla, in the State of Texas, at the
Close of Business June 14th, 1912.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts per-	
sonal or collateral	\$33,304.61
Loans, real estate	16,257.48
Overdrafts	112.98
Bonds and Stocks	167.19
Furniture and Fixtures	1,350.00
Due from Approved Re-	
served Agents,	
net	\$6,528.05
Due from other,	
Banks and Bank-	
ers subject to	
check, net	1,676.50 8,204.55
Cash Items	653.85
Currency	1,926.00
Specie	1,184.30 3,764.15
Interest in Deposi-	
tors Guaranty Fund	337.72
Other Resources as follows:	
Assessment Guaranty	
Fund	41.78
Total	63,540.45

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	25,000.000
Surplus Fund	1,529.20
Divided Profits, net	2,099.67

Mrs. Will Tarver visited La-
redo the first part of the week.

Miss Mae Pennington is here
from Round Rock on a visit to
her friend, Miss Imogene Lacey.

Some forcible sermons are be-
ing preached at the presby-
terian Church. Dr. Lorance
of San Antonio is assist-
ing Mr. Hamilton this past
week, the services continuing
through Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Rogers and daugh-
ter Lucile, of El Paso, received
a number of courtesies while
visiting their sister and aunt
Miss Kate Burwell.

Thursday morning they took
their departure for home.

The Record extends a sympa-
thizing word to Dr. Johnson who
has recently been called upon
to bury his mother. Though not
permitted to attend her bedside
during her last illness, on account
of his wife's serious illness, the
pang seems the greater, yet
through this veil of tears the part-
ing is only for a brief time.

See the line of Ladies skirts
now being shown at K. Burwells.

DIED

At Omaha Texas, the mother
of Dr. L. S. Johnson died at 4
P. M. Wednesday the third of
July after a lingering illness, al-
so due to the number of years
she was allated to have enjoyed.
Friends of Dr. Johnson will re-
member having met his mother
some winters ago, when she
visited his home. Her sweet
motherly Christian character
shone out with the brightness of
unceasing love, drawing all with-
in her knowledge by the gentle-
ness of her manner. She surviv-
ed her husband only a few years
at most, and her going was just
the reuniting of the other self
that had been broken.

These separations come to us
when we are at least prepared
and tears the chord strings of
our heart asunder giving us little
hope of mending until we think
of the blessed assurances our
Savior gave us.

"Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep"
Mother for thee, we sorely weep
Not as those who have no hope,
Anchored by mortal's spoke
But by Jesus, the blessed son
Victory through Him is now.

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