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DERRICK GOING UP FOR DEEP WELL.

Bowels of Earth Will Be Penetrated For Gusher of Pure Water—Hole One Mile West of Court House.

CONTRACT 2,000 FEET.

F. M. Burkett, who has a contract with Jos. Cotulla for sinking a deep well on the latter's property about one mile west of the Court House, is now building his derrick which is sixty feet high, and getting his machinery in readiness to begin work. Mr. Burkett stated to the RECORD that the hole would be started in a very few days.

The contract calls for the driller to finish a hole five inches in diameter at a depth of 2,000 feet, unless a sufficient flow of pure water is struck at a lesser depth and in that event it will not be necessary to go the full depth called for in the agreement. The driller thinks that it will be necessary to go about 1900 feet.

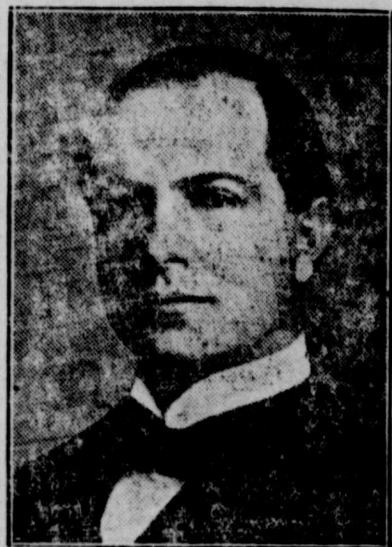
Flows are obtained in this vicinity under a depth of 600 feet but the water is mineralized. The sulphur well on the railroad property just below the station is 800 feet in depth and is the deepest hole in this vicinity.

This well will demonstrate just how deep it is to the pure water sands and will be watched with much interest.

Last Delivery of Steers

Jack Baylor, manager of the Burks ranch, delivered nine cars of steers to J. E. Wedb Thursday and they were shipped to Oklahoma. They were the last of a contract of 1000 head.

EARLE B. MAYFIELD.



Meridian, Texas—Hon. Earle B. Mayfield, successful candidate for Railroad Commissioner, who made his campaign on a platform of "more railroads and better service" and who has incessantly preached a gospel of "live and let live" brings to the Railroad Commission a spirit of progress, a disposition of fairness, a desire to co-operate and a restless energy much needed in the work of that department of government.

He is entering the Commission at the most trying time in its existence. Construction work is at a standstill and can hardly be stimulated by unreasonable bonuses; a pending car famine of mammoth proportions is upon us; our passenger service is in need of improvement and the people have cried out to the Commission through the State Democratic convention for relief. Mr. Mayfield served six years in the State and is at present a member of that body. His ability has won the merited promotion he has received from the people.

ONION MEN BUY TON OF SEED.

Records at Express Office Show That 2,142 Pounds of Onion Seed Has Been Received at Cotulla.

GERMINATION IS GOOD.

J. W. Lacey, agent for the Wells-Fargo Express company gave the RECORD figures yesterday showing that during the thirty days 2,142 pounds of onion seed have been shipped to this point. This is probably the largest season's shipment to this station since the origin of the industry and the growers have out for the seed upwards of \$5,000. Owing to the fact that the Association filled its order in full many growers received more seed than they wanted. From past experience they expected to receive about fifty percent of their order, consequently ordered more than they wanted. Notwithstanding the unexpected surplus from this source, the seed have been scattered out among farmers who did not have in orders and today there is very few for sale. Yesterday we could not locate but 28 pounds.

Growers all along the river report plants up and a splendid germination. If all of the seed received have been planted and germinate properly there will be plants for a thousand acres or more than twice the acreage of last season.

Truck Growers Meeting

Saturday, September 28th will be the regular meeting date of our Association. Your committee will adjust the warehouse fund report, and other important business will come up for consideration. Your attendance requested. Matt Russell, President.

WOODWARD IS TOURING EUROPE.

Writes From Karlsbad, Famous Mineral Water Resort, and Says "We've Got 'Em Skinned."

SAYS HOTELS ARE FINEST.

Dave Woodward, the man who put Woodward, Texas, on the map, is making a tour of Europe and writes back from Karlsbad, Germany, probably the greatest mineral water resort in the world and asserts that "Woodward Vichy," the well known water put up at Woodward, has the world-famous foreign mineral water "skinned a mile". Following is an extract of a letter from Mr. Woodward to Mr. H. B. Kincaid.

"I guess that this is without doubt the greatest water resort on earth, but I am honest as a man can be when I say I would at this moment, and every day I am here, pay a bonus for Woodward Vichy. Believe me, Kincaid, when I tell you I don't believe there is a better water on the market in the world than Woodward Vichy."

"This is a great country. I stayed about two weeks in Paris and stopped off in Germany a while. I expect to go to London before I return. This country has very fine this one (Grand Hotel fine as is on the corner when I sit down

right, my room is as fine as money can well make it, but a night in the gallery there is worth two of this."

Mr. Woodward will return to America about November.

BEN F. LOONEY.



Greenville, Texas.—Hon. Ben F. Looney, successful candidate for Attorney General, has announced that the policy of the legal department during his term of office will be that of co-operation with the commercial, agricultural and industrial interests of the state in the development of our resources and that he will hold up the arms of the Governor in the performance of his duties.

"Every good citizen must stand for the enforcement of the laws" said Mr. Looney, in discussing the policy of his department, "but no man with good sense and proper motives would want to disturb an investment, hinder or frighten capital from our state or do otherwise than encourage all the proper development of our resources. While I stand for the enforcement of law, a

not propose to use the great power of the office of Attorney General for any purpose other than to execute the law and in a sense in a demagogic or ill-vised spirit."

Show Here Nov. 16th

The 101 Ranch Show, carrying a train of 25 cars, will be in Cotulla Nov. 16th.

MEXICANS ENGAGE IN GUN FIGHT.

Guadalupe Longollo and Porfirio DeLeon Fight Battle During Dead Hours of Night in Cotton Camp.

BOTH MEN ARE WOUNDED.

Guadalupe Longolla is an inmate of the hotel de Poole as a result of a shooting scrape at a cotton picking camp near Woodward last Saturday night. Imbedded in the flesh of his legs, from his knees down is in the neighborhood of 200 bird shot. In the fleshy part of his left leg is a ragged gunshot wound. The man who inflicted the wounds, Porfirio DeLeon, is at his home suffering from a hole through his right hand made by a Winchester bullet.

According to reports the Mexicans fought a pitched battle in the dead hours of the night. Bad feeling existed and it is alleged that Longolla sent DeLeon word that he was coming to clean out the camp. He was late in making his appearance and DeLeon had given him out, and laid down to sleep. When Longolla arrived all was still, but the fireworks soon opened. DeLeon had only two birdshot shells in his shotgun but he stood his ground, and both shots being effective. Probably dazed by the wounds Longolla was shooting wild, but one bullet struck DeLeon in the hand. Being out of shells he set upon Longolla with the butt of the gun

sensory, and the best in... cers were notified of the trouble and Deputy Sheriff Wildenthal and Jim Lacey went to the scene before daylight and made arrests.

DeLeon was given his liberty to await the action of the grand jury. Longolla was placed in jail.

District Court will convene at Cotulla Monday, Oct. 7th.

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WOODWARD

Woodward, Texas, Sept. 19—Mrs. J. B. Ownby is visiting friends in San Antonio. Mr. J. C. Lacy spent Tuesday in San Antonio returning Wednesday.

Mr. Jack Childers was a visitor here one day this week. Walter Crosswhite, son of Prof. Crosswhite came up from Artesia Monday, and will remain here.

Rev. Lawson preached here last Sunday morning, with a good attendance. The usual prayer meeting at night was an interesting meeting also.

301 bales of cotton have been ginned here to date, the cotton is not coming in fast enough to keep the gin busy.

ENCINAL

Encinal, Texas, Sept. 20—The Encinal public school opened last week and is now in good working order. The school has an increased attendance this year and indications are good for a very successful term. The teachers are: J. B. Shanks, Supt., E. O. Box, principal; Mrs. Wade Hampton and Miss Grace Stroud, assistants.

The weather is warm and dry which is favorable for the cotton

farmers, but cattlemen are wanting to see it rain.

COVEY CHAPEL

Covey Chapel, Sept. 17—Rev. W. E. Moffett, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Beaumont, is at home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Moffett.

Those who attended the Baptist Association in Cotulla from this place were: Mrs. G. R. Newman, Misses Artie Rumfield and Olivia Elkins, and Messrs. W. C. Noffett, F. N. Rumfield and R. H. Elkins.

Messrs. Clarence and Oscar Dunn and Clyde Holloway visited in San Antonio Sunday.

S. H. Ellis and C. T. Hardy are attending court at Pearsall this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Bennett and family have returned to their home in Castroville, after spending a few days with relatives.

Will H. Rogers of Pearsall was here Sunday.

MILLETT

Millett, Texas, Sept. 20—Another week has gone by without rain to the joy of the cotton farmer, and he is losing not a minute in an effort to get the greater part of his crop converted into cash before a storm comes along and beats it in the ground. The price is holding up well and the farmers are turning the staple loose.

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Freddy's Friday Stunt

By Miles Overholt.

A step-uncle, said Freddy Funnell to Bob Sweezy, as they sat in the bunk house at the Two-bar ranch and played seven-up for matches. "A step-uncle is a step in the wrong direction. It is a cellar step with a tired banana on it."

"Whyfore th' whicness?" inquired Bob, by way of being sociable.

"Why! Didn't you hear what he said at the supper table? Didn't he tell the sheriff and his crew of horse-thief trailers that he didn't like to compare me with a band of Siwash Indians, but with all due respect to the red men, he'd prefer to have them on the ranch than me? Didn't you hear that?"

"Yes, I heard him get off a strain along them general lines," replied Bob. "But yuh know, tenderfoot, yuh kinda irritated th' ol' man. Le's see. Yuh come on Monday—Tuesday yuh tries t' ride ol' Seventy-six, an' he lays yuh down an' tears th' ol' man's best saddle int' nips hun-

dered Freddy.

"Then," said Bob, ignoring Freddy's remark, "Wednesday yuh shot ol' Brindle, th' ol' man's best Jersey cow, thinkin' he was an elk—"

"But wasn't it a classy shot?" broke in Freddy enthusiastically.

"Thursday," which was today, went on Bob, "yuh drove a bunch o' long horns int' th' alfalfa field when yuh oughta turned 'em int' th' ad-

Joinin' pastur. Lord knows what stunt yuh'll pull off Friday."

"You should have been an historian, Bob," said Freddy. "You are so careful of details. It's your deal." And the game proceeded.

Up at the house, Freddy's uncle—the second husband of Freddy's aunt—was entertaining his guests, the sheriff and three deputies, who were closely following the trail of one Jack Dangerfield, who had shot and seriously wounded Gabe Thresher, the wealthiest and most despised man in Elko county.

Thresher four years ago had induced Dangerfield's wife to leave her husband and flee with him from Idaho, where she was more or less happily living on a homestead. She left her husband and two-year-old daughter, and came to Nevada. Thresher's harsh treatment killed her two years later.

That is why Dangerfield swore to kill him.

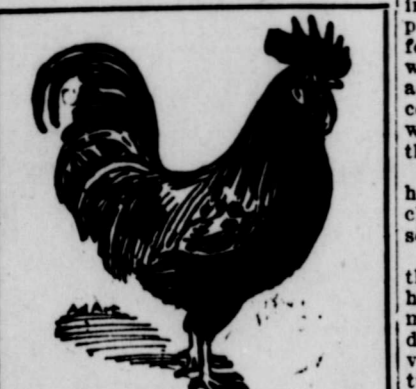
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twenty minutes past nine, isn't it?" inquired Freddy.

"Huh! I guess so," replied Bob. "Then th' next day yuh gotta help us brand a bunch o' calves."

"What is this branding thing?" inquired Freddy. "You catch an infant cow and print the cost mark or something on it, don't you? And then when they are older you catch 'em again and mark a higher price on 'em—that's what I thought. Oh, you can't tell me much about the cattle business. I used to drink milk," he explained.

"Aw, le's go t' bed," said Bob. There was no use elucidating to Freddy.

In a minute, this Hallelujah, I take it from your well chosen remarks, is one of those self-acting horses, isn't he? You know I would have remained with old Seventy-six, but he stammered with his hind feet too much to suit me, and I was compelled to ride his ears, against my wishes and better judgment. Now, my idea about riding a horse's ears

"Good night, an' shut up!" said Bob, as he rolled into bed.

"Now, this Seventy-six," continued Freddy. "I use his lame name militarily because I don't know his other one. I knew all the time that he looked too much like my step-uncle to be safe. Besides, he is a new model, and I didn't understand the steering gear, really. At home I've got a sixty-six model that anybody can ride—"

Freddy stopped. He didn't have much to say, anyway, and a loud snore indicated that he was talking to the winds, for Bob was asleep.

Freddy was up to the house. The sheriff and his deputies were discussing the art of pitching hay with his uncle and half a dozen cowboys, so he entered by a side door, and sought his bed.

Early the next morning, even before the sheriff and his deputies were in the trail, Freddy and Bob cantered across the country toward Wenochee. It was fully thirty miles to where one of the cow-punchers was holding two thousand head of beef cattle awaiting help from the ranch. The cattle were becoming restless, and the cowboy was working day and night to hold them in check.

As the two riders neared North Coulee, the thunder of thousands of hoofbeats could be heard in the distance. There was no mistaking that sound, Bob knew.

"A stampede, by heck!" he said, and spurred up his horse.

There they came, a sea of maddened Texas cattle, bellowing and running like the wind. Bob rode toward the herd. His purpose was to circle them—kill them—and prevent a catastrophe. Should scatter now, a summer's worth of many thousands of dollars gone.

Freddy halted his horse in the course of the steers, he thought he object. Then he, too horse, but across the river.

ers and badger holes until thirty feet of the leaders of following band. Then he lurled himself from his horse, ran a few steps, and picked up a child, a little girl. Then he darted to side, and with his human burst now crying, he clambered to the top of a large granite boulder just as the leaders of the stampeding herd thundered by.

He glanced up, and saw a man on horseback riding swiftly toward him. Then as he found himself safe, he saw the rider turn and dash up the coulee from sight.

Bob and Bingham, the other cowboy, were a mile away, striving to turn the wild cattle. As far as he could see, the herd was leading the riders, and soon they disappeared from view, Freddy saw his own mount galloping in the wake of the cattle.

The little girl dried her eyes.

"My, you scared me," she said, catching her breath.

"I'm sorry," said Freddy, seating himself on the rock.

"What was the cows runnin' for?" she inquired.

"I really don't know," replied Freddy. "They were in a hurry, weren't they?"

"Yes; would they run over me if you hadn't took Bob's horse?" she inquired.

"No, I guess not. I was pickin' flowers, see?" She held up a handful of tiny weed blossoms.

"Fine," said Freddy, "but what were you doing out here in these hills alone?"

"Oh, my papa's here," she replied. "He was tired an' sleepy, an' he laid down on the grass to rest, an' he wanted to sleep. I comed an' hunted flowers an' things."

"Oh, and weren't you sleep, too?"

"Oh, no; I sleep in papa's arms. He rode most' all night, I guess, 'cause whenever I woked up he was there all the time an'—but it wasn't a very good bed. I like to sleep in papa's arms, but not on a horse. Would you?"

Freddy agreed that he would prefer some other place usually, but that one should make the best of any circumstance. She agreed with him perfectly.

Then Freddy learned, when he tried to stand up, that his ankle was sprained; also that he didn't possess a pencil and paper. There was not a sign of Bob, Bingham, or the cattle. All there was in sight was before him—a sweet little brown-haired girl.

Freddy took a wallet from his pocket.

"Did you ever hear money talk?" he asked his little companion.

"No; does it talk?" she inquired, but as if it were really of no importance.

"Sure it talks."

"I never heard any," she said. "Papa hasn't got much money, I guess. I never saw any hardly."

"Well, here's some that talks." It was talking to me a while ago," said Freddy.

mortgage on the outstanding fact that railroads in the Northwest recently stored 55,000 cars there to take care of the crops. The effects of the large yields are seen in the expanding mercantile trade in all sections. The three Northwestern States of Minnesota and the Dakotas have 1,000,000 bushels more wheat than were raised in 1911 and set a new crop record for that country. North Dakota takes the lead as the banner wheat state of the United States, with 118,000,000 bushels, while last year it had almost a crop failure.

"Let's hear it now," she said expectantly.

"It doesn't talk all the time; just once in a while. And, besides, you just hold it in your hand, or you can't hear it."

Freddy counted the contents of his purse. There was two hundred and fifty dollars in greenbacks. He held it tightly, placed a rubber band around it, and gave it to the little girl to hold.

"Listen, girlie," he said. "That money says: 'Wenochee is only ten miles north. Train goes through at night tonight. Salt Lake is a good place to play hide and seek in.' Can you say that?"

"Any times," he asked her to repeat what the money had said until he was certain she would not forget it.

It may not say anything for quite a while," he told her, "but you hold on to it tightly, and when you see your papa, be sure to tell him what the money said." And he had her repeat it again.

"Now, I must go and catch my horse, and you wait here," Freddy added, and raised his eyes. A face was peeping from behind a boulder at the mouth of the coulee two hundred yards away. It disappeared as Freddy raised his head.

Freddy descended to solid ground, and, kissing the little girl, he limped away in the general direction of his uncle's ranch without once looking back.

"Thirty miles to civilization, such as it is," he sighed, as he hobbled slowly across the alkali hills. "Well, I ought to make it in ten days."

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The government crop report for September shows that the aggregate yield of grain in the United States for the season of 1912 is the largest record.

Fabulous increases are shown in products west of the Mississippi river, the yields are phenomenal, go above the highest estimates previously made by the most optimistic estimates.

The aggregate yield of all grain is shown by the report to be 5,219,000,000 bushels. Yields have been so large that the railroads are unable to move the yields to market and a serious car shortage confronts the country.

In Kansas the wheat crop is so large that the elevator capacity of the state is inadequate to meet the demands and 1,000,000 bushels of golden grain are piled on the ground.

The excessive hot weather of the past few days has worked wonders in the corn crop in all corn producing states. The grain has matured and ripened under conditions more favorable than have existed for years. The oat crop is the largest ever raised by any country in the world.

New Record in Northwest.

Minnesota and the Dakotas have 1,000,000 bushels more wheat than were raised in 1911, which sets a crop record for that vast food producing empire.

Out west of the Missouri river the farms and bins are filled to overflowing. Never before in a single year has such a yield of wheat been harvested there.

A feature of the report is that in part of the country has there been a complete crop failure. There is a falling off in winter wheat in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan. In these sections other crops have been abundant.

The potato crop shows a remarkable increase over all previous records. Even the bumper yield of 1904 topped by 9,000,000 bushels. Illinois is again the banner corn producing state of the union, with a close second. The yield of corn in this state is 389,000,000 bushels, which compares with 335,000,000 bushels last year.

There is an increase in all grains of 284,000,000 bushels, or 6 per cent over last month, 949,000,000 bushels or 22.6 per cent over the short crop of 1911, and 379,000,000 bushels, or 7.9 per cent over the big yields of 1905. There was an increase in the yield of corn of 6.5 per cent during the month of August.

The railroads are unable to move grain to market as fast as offered

BOAT IN A DEEP DIVE

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Charge That More Than Five Hundred Men Sold Themselves in Recent Primary.

MADISON, Ga., Sept. 17.—The greatest vote buying scandal in Georgia's history was disclosed this week when the Morgan county grand jury brought in twenty indictments charging that over 500 votes were bought and sold in the recent Democratic primary. The jury also charges that vote buying has characterized every election in Morgan County for the last ten years. Over a hundred more true bills will be returned, it is said.

The indictments were returned on the evidence of the candidates who bought the votes. They were given immunity by the grand jury for their testimony. The candidates made a full confession, furnishing the names of scores of men who sold their votes. The price of votes ranged from \$1 up to \$50. One man and his two sons received \$180 for their votes. All the vote sellers are white men.

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BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 17.—If William M. Wood, head of the \$75,000,000 woolen trust, is found guilty of the charge against him, directing a plot to "plant" dynamite at Lawrence, Mass., that striking mill operatives might be accused and punished for having it in their possession, he will be sued for damages by his victims. Urbana di Prato and Joseph Asaf, two strikers at whose homes the explosive was "found," say they will bring the suits. When the dynamite was located it looked as if it would go hard with the two strikers, few believing their indignant protests that they were innocent. Now the situation has changed.

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LITTLE TALES OF FELLOW TRAVELERS

DISILLUSIONMENTS AND DISCOVERIES (From The Public)

The same young man of whom you were told, gentle reader, as having met the Outcast Woman, began from that hour to make things better for people who had gone wrong, or were "on the ragged edge," or in any kind of serious trouble. He found enough to do.

Sometimes he thought with sad amusement of how Dr. Hale's young people, trying with all their energies to do their "level best" in good works. Everyone came to him, as it seemed, and each of them sent many others. (This is literally true, though it appears to run counter to ordinary mathematics. Sometimes "Charity knows neither logic nor arithmetic.")

After he had been deceived many times, had read a whole library of Charitable Association pamphlets, had talked to many, many organizers, and had helped in various sorts of money-making schemes, such as church fairs, his attentive mother gave him a drastic elucidation of the inevitable end of this trying to empty the ocean of human misery with a five-cent tin pail. Further, endowing him with a railroad ticket and a modestly lined pocketbook, she bade him put his troubles aside, and wander for a few months among his fellow travelers, high and low, rich and poor. She gently advised him to listen to others and hold his tongue (as far as practicable), also to search diligently for the primary causes of human wretchedness.

"You must find and conquer the Great Illusion," she said.

"I shall go forth like Dr. Syntax," the young man exclaimed, "or some what like Japhet in search of his ancestor. Fun of various degrees will be pecked at me."

"All the better," retorted that excellent woman. "Tis the best medicine in the world." So she packed his suitcase, and sent him off that afternoon.

The young man went to New York first; there he lived plainly, went around with many people and became acquainted with all sorts of conditions of life. He soon found that he could write some, so he did newspaper work and thus paid his way. He

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went to meetings of every sort of protest and criticism; he listened to John Swinton; he took a modest part in the Henry George campaign for mayor; he had long talks with Richard Watson Gilder; he came to know little shopkeepers, mechanics, newsboys, hackmen, sailors, saloonkeepers, ward politicians, people on the bread-line, and men who never consciously had any human country, but ran with the wolf-pack. It surprised him very much that when he wrote down the things which he heard and saw, newspapermen would actually print them, and pay him good money for what was merely talking on paper. He was entirely free from that pestiferous microbe known as "literary ambition" and, though he sometimes worked very hard to get the needed word, he never thought twice about anything after it was printed.

Then he went to other cities, seeing how people lived, and trying to discover what they were thinking about. More and more he made friends among the poor and lowly; more and more they gave him their affection.

Over the things which he saw he heart sometimes burned within him; he suffered agonies of sternly repressed rage and despair. It became harder for him to produce articles which were cheerful and gentle enough to be sold to the newspapers. About this time he wrote his mother:

"I sat in a smoker on a fast train once and talked with a very rich man who said that I had more happiness than he had. That surprised me then; I supposed that almost everyone had happiness. But when I told him that it must surely be that all men were meant to be happy; the resources of the earth were sufficient; there should be no poverty, no crime, no misery anywhere.

"That will never be!" he answered. Then as we talked on he told me, I think, exactly how he felt. He had two million dollars, or more, and he worked like a slave, as a Chicago stockbroker. But he would personally prefer to raise colts and plant grapevines.

"I asked: 'And why not?'" "Finally he said to me this awful thing: 'I am compelled to go on getting money and salting it down, for the sake of my family. This world is so cruel that whoever is down and out is trampled into the dirt. My three daughters might be shop girls; my wife might scrub floors. Unless I eat up the other fellow, he will eat me up!'"

"We made no mighty outcry for him, and I asked him just as cheerfully as I could whether he ever thought of that other fellow's family."

"You bet I have," he told me, "but it is eat or be eaten in business." Then he went off, and I never saw him again. I thought then that he was a monster. Now, I know better. He was naturally a good fellow, hanging from the dripping jaws of Bengal tiger.

Something broke off his letter at this point, but he went on later: "Now, Mother, I begin to know a little more about it. The first Great Illusion is that rank, money, education or anything whatever except the Immortal Spirit of man, is worth considering. We are truly Fellow Travelers, and everyone is somehow worthy while if you can melt through the shell. But one's real friends in life are the ones with whom you are in tune, and they with you. That fellowship knows no bars of race, time, country or occupation. It does not recognize the walls between 'high' and 'low,' 'good' and 'bad.' It is wholly a thing of the spirit. That's what the story of King Cophetua means; that's how he found his helpmate."

"But there is much more to it. The sense of fellowship either grows upon a man until he belongs to it, or of humanity, or else it narrows down to just his few friends, his family, himself. If it widens out, he is walking with the great Lover and Helpers, with St. Francis and Lincoln even with St. John and Jesus Christ. Then every wrong hurts him hard, every evil becomes his mortal enemy, every grief his burden of humanity. It is enough and more than enough;—he must put aside everything else, and take service at the front, wherever it seems to be most needed.

"But where is this front line of battle? Essential is the full restoration to all men of long lost equal opportunity; essential is the enlightenment of all men in the age-old struggle towards a complete reconstruction of the social order; essential is the destruction of misery, and

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the broad-cast sowing of the seeds of peace, joy, fellowship. Important, too, is every possible amelioration of evil, and all the personal help one can give, but these are not the vital issues.

"All this, dear Mother, means to my mind that Materialism is really the great enemy; that an enlightened and progressive Idealism is truly the great good; that we must arouse and educate the public conscience, until the last fortress of Special Privilege is destroyed. In the years to come, men and women must dwell together in happiness, just as the dear people do in William Morris's natural resources of bountiful Mother Earth. Prometheus must be unbound."

"You are a radical," his Mother wrote back. "That is good, but do not go too fast. Remember that there is much worth saving; that as the world of living people is more and more flooded with that all-helping love whose ministers are Science and Religion, are deathless Patience and untiring Labor, you will find that even your benighted ancestors were striving towards better things."

She had followed up his work; all which he had written was in her scrap book, and their correspondence had been on the highest levels. She knew that he was finding his trail towards the snow peaks, and she smiled to think how easily he walked over isms, cults, word-wisdoms and estoteric formulas.

"Come home, young man," she wrote him one day. "Digest those many experiences. The cities were men out too fast. Pull the rocks from our neglected hillside pasture; help to plant an orchard there; get up your farm boy muscle again!"

She added from her fruitful wisdom: "I want you to find out that your scattered and secretive neighbors are up against those same world-problems. It is good, too, that one dwells in the world and yet not of it; that you keep a rest place in the everlasting hills. Some day the city will call you back, and then you will be, God willing, like Bunyan's hero when he met Apollyon in the valley of battle."

BANKER MORSE BUSY AGAIN

Returns to His Old Stamping Ground In New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Charles W. Morse, the banker, sentenced to long term in the Atlanta, Ga., federal prison and pardoned by President Taft because of poor health, has returned to his old stamping ground, 49 Exchange place, rented commodious offices and prepared to "get back," as he says, to his "life work." Morse was convicted of fraud.

THREE WHO PLANNED TO SPEND NIGHT THERE CHANGE MINDS.

Shreveport, La., Sept. 17.—The ghosts of Grey House are still in possession of the old structure. Thomas Huntley, Edward Reed and James Wright had planned to stay all night there, but they changed their minds when the lights suddenly went out and forms were seen drifting about the room, according to the story brought back. It is said two men were once killed in the house for their money. All the furniture remains and apparently it will stay there until it rots away.

GUESTS AT THE SAVOY HOTEL, SAN ANTONIO, DURING THE PAST WEEK.

Thursday, September 5, 1912. George B. White and family, Artesia Wells, Texas; Alvan Blalock, Big Wells, Texas; J. B. Strait, Big Wells, Texas; W. M. McCammon, Kenedy, Texas; W. R. Posay, New Braunfels, Texas; E. E. Perry, Sutherland Springs, Texas; H. L. Haynes, Sutherland Springs, Texas; E. M. Collier, Austin, Texas.

Friday, September 6, 1912. R. F. Jennings, Eagle Pass, Texas; F. D. McMahon, Cotulla, Texas.

Saturday, September 7, 1912. F. D. Wood, Sabinal, Texas; Wm. McMurray, Big Wells, Texas; Mrs. W. Henshaw, Pleasanton, Texas; P. Sherman, Corpus Christi, Texas; Charles Kellner, Boerne, Texas.

Sunday, September 8, 1912. Mrs. Joe Netzer, Laredo, Texas; J. H. Malry and daughter, Dilley, Texas; Miss Effie Edwards, Dilley, Texas; F. C. Linn, Nauvoo, Texas.

Monday, September 9, 1912. Roy Sharp, Uvalde, Texas; R. F. Hilliard, La Coste, Texas.

Tuesday, September 10, 1912. S. A. Yates, Laredo, Texas; J. Hynes, El Paso, Texas.

Wednesday, September 11, 1912. J. C. Reinhard, Boerne, Texas; J. T. Cook, Kenedy, Texas; Misses Ethel and Ronald Barrett, Fowler; J. Mendlovitz, I. Weinstein, G. Mendlovitz, P. Mendlovitz, Floresville; H. A. Knoits, Rockport; E. J. Sattler, New Braunfels.

Corpus Christi—Plans for a spur line from Sinton on the main line of the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico road to Aransas Pass, a distance of thirty miles, have been announced by B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the board of directors of the Frisco lines.

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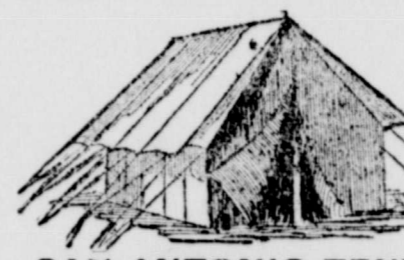
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We are authorized to announce the candidacy of W. P. Mulholland for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1 of La Salle county, at the ensuing November election.

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How It's Working at Pearsall.

The Pearsall Leader says: "The RECORD wants the business men of Cotulla to institute a street sprinkler, in order to keep down the dust, which is becoming unbearable. Pearsall did this weeks ago and so evident were the benefits that the sprinkler has been in constant use ever since. It only costs each business house from five to ten cents per day, and they consider the money well spent."

If a sprinkler has been put in operation at Pearsall and the results have been such that the merchants would not think of discontinuing its use, the same would apply to Cotulla when a trial is given. They appreciated

the same thing. We would do the same thing. We are suffering the dust to blow today; we know it is terribly disagreeable, but not having had the experience we do not comprehend the pleasures and benefits of sprinkled streets. A sprinkler could be maintained at an expense not to exceed ten cents per day for each merchant. It costs that much to get swept out every morning. It's a paying proposition, Mr. Merchant, and we would like to see some action taken. Wouldn't you? And Mr. Councilman, haven't you been eating dust long enough?

There's no superstitious streaks in the good women of Encinal. They defied the evil omen and organized a Mothers Club on Friday, 13th.



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Another chapter has been added to the illicit love affair of Al Boyce Jr. and Lena B. Sneed. This time the home-spoiler was shot down by the outraged husband. The people connected are wealthy cattlemen and the story dates back a year or more and is pathetic. Boyce alienated the love of Sneed's wife and persuaded her to run away to Canada with him. Sneed finally got his wife back, and shortly afterwards killed the father of Boyce whom he accused of assisting the son in getting out of the country. Young Boyce had been in Canada since his flight, until a few weeks ago when he returned to Amarillo, and the despoiled husband, learning of his return went there and with his own hand dealt out the retribution that should come to every man who so ruthlessly violates the Divine commandment: "Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's wife."

"Texas Mike" Blossington was in Cotulla last week. Mike is one of those individuals who likes the notoriety obtained by doing peculiar walking stunts. He had walked from Red River and his destination was the Rio Grande. We had his word for it that he was making the trip with out a cent of money and was not accepting any favors. He depended on painting a small sign in each town to pay for his meals, and thus far he had made good.

Mothers Club is Organized at Encinal.

The women of Encinal met Friday, Sept. 13, and organized a Mothers Club, with the following officers: Mrs. W. S. Cobb, president; Mrs. G. W. Berry, vice-president; Mrs. Alonzo Allee, secretary; Mrs. Wade Hampton, treasurer; Miss Bessie

Mrs. J. R. Rodriguez, Miss Eudilia Rodriguez, Miss Alice Welhausen and Miss Grace Stroud, reception committee; Prof. E. O. Box, reporter. Great things are expected of the Club, as everything seems to be in its favor.

Institute Teachers Pass Resolutions.

Whereas, the citizens of Cotulla have taken great interest in our welfare and have extended us a cordial welcome and boundless hospitality; that we offer to them our sincere thanks and gratitude. That we especially desire to thank Prof. R. A. Taylor and his teachers for the interest they have taken in our behalf and for their interesting efforts to make a successful Institute.

That we thank the Cotulla band for its splendid musical program rendered to the Institute.

That we thank Prof. Harris, Knox, Arnold, Mrs. Graham, Misses Copp, Gibbons, and Dr. Bartlett for their contributions to the program.

That we tender our thanks to the I. & G. N. and S. A. U. & G for their courtesy.

That it is the sense of this Institute that the next legislature of Texas ought to pass a law requiring counties of 2,000 scholastic population or more to have a County School Superintendent, and that counties not having that number unite for supervision purposes.

That as our Institute, composed of the teachers from three counties, has been so agreeable and profitable, we recommend that a similar arrangement be made for the coming year, and other counties be invited to join us.

That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to all county papers and the San Antonio Express, with the request that they publish same.

- T. C. Hickman,
- F. R. Shanks,
- J. W. Carroll,
- Miss Annie Duncan
- R. G. Richard

SEEMED LIKE DOG'S SHADOW

Visitor in Arkansas Deceived by Spectral Appearance of the Second Quadruped.

"Yes," said the returned pilgrim the other day, "Arkansas certainly lives up to its reputation for lean and lanky creatures.

"Last week I was riding along a dusty road, when I came to a cabin set in a clearing. A lean, bony man sat out in front, smoking a corncob and gazing at invisible things. Two or three long-legged, skinny fowls pecked listlessly about the yard and occasionally a pig built like a pumpkin seed slid between the pickets and went under the house to lie down in the shade.

"Out in the dusty road a lean, rickety dog walked around and around, bristles up, apparently growling at his shadow.

"I went in and got a drink of water. Looking back I saw the dog still going through his peculiar maneuvers.

"Say, I said to the native, 'what's the matter with your dog—going mad?'

"The old man looked over that way.

"Don't see nothin' wrong with him," he said.

"But," says I, 'look at him! He walks around and around, growling at his shadow.'

"The native looked indifferently at a crawling grasshopper and lost interest again.

"Stranger," he said, 'that ain't no shadder—that's another dog.'—New York American.

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A man recently tried out the guarantee which Gaddis' Pharmacy gives with every bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic. He bought a bottle and then went back to the drug store and said the medicine hadn't helped him.

The druggist just reached into his cash register and took out a half dollar, the price of the bottle of Liver Tonic, and handed it to the gentleman. But he didn't take the money. He owned up that he was just trying the guarantee and, as a matter of fact, he had found Dodson's Liver Tonic the best remedy for constipation and biliousness he had ever tried. "Why," he said "my wife wouldn't be without a bottle in the house for anything. It's the best thing in the world for the whole family, and the medicine that I prefer to take or to give to my children for a lazy liver."

Gaddis' Pharmacy sell Dodson's Liver Tonic and guarantees it to start the liver without violence. It is taking the place of calomel everywhere. If you buy a bottle and don't find this pleasant tasting vegetable liquid the best thing to start a lazy liver, he will hand you your money back with a smile.

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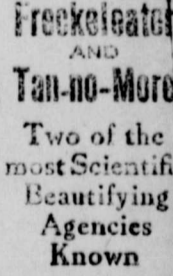
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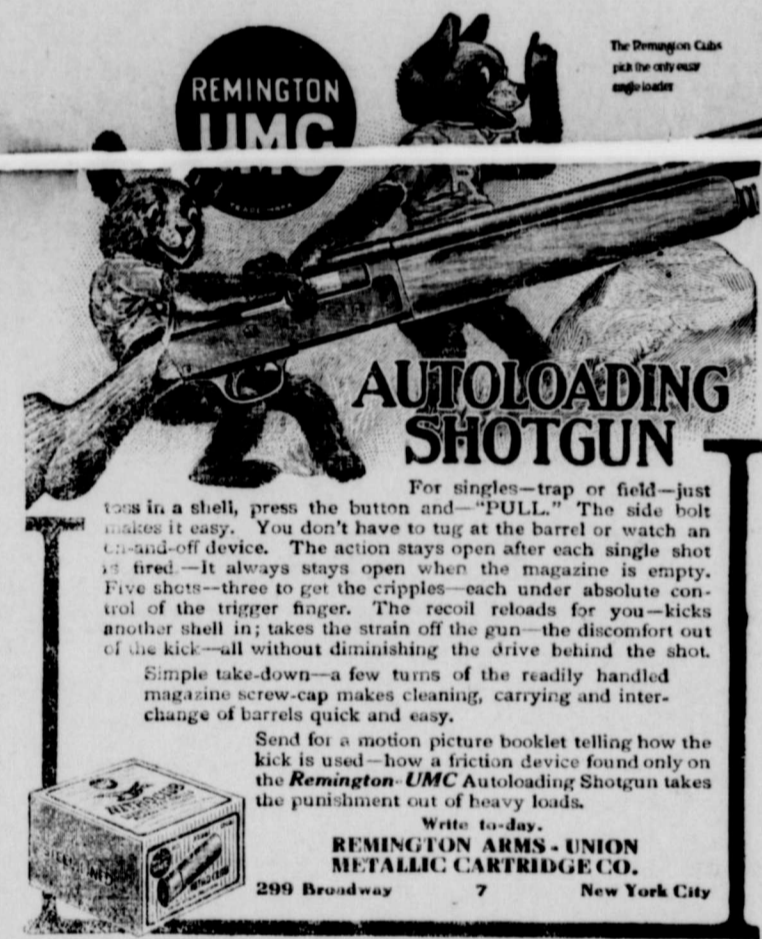
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Digestive organs are weak—don't let them grow weaker as they used to. Other organs act more slowly and less effectually. Blood is thin and sluggish. Renewal of strength does not equal the wear and tear of your system. That's what makes you feel old. Nothing in the world will tone up and invigorate those weak, back-aching organs, make rich blood and create strength so quickly as Vinol. Vinol is not a secret nostrum, simply the medicinal elements of the cod's livers, with the useless nauseating oil eliminated, and tonic iron added. Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not make you stronger, feel younger and give you an added interest in life.

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Cabbage seeds for Summer planting for Fall Crops. Varieties of cabbage seeds as follows: St Louis Market, Early Summer, Early Dwarf Market Gardeners, Late Flat Dutch, Early Drumshead, Volga. The best and leading variety of this section.

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a fine appetite, strong digestion, sound sleep and make you feel like a new person. Try it.

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Horger & Windrow Cotulla, Texas.

IN AND AROUND THE TOWN.

F. D. McMahan returned Wednesday from San Antonio.

Miss Pearl Landrum of Laredo visited friends here this week.

H. W. Earnest and H. C. Lane were here Monday from Millett.

L. Clark Dunn returned Tuesday from a week's stay in San Antonio.

J. K. Williams went to Ft. Worth Monday with a shipment of cattle.

Showers fell dangerously near us Thursday but nary a drop fell here.

Prof. Stich will tune your piano and do it the way it should be done.

Mrs. B. Hansen of San Antonio was here several days this week visiting friends.

Miss Ollie Lake of San Marcos is here, the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. Wildenthal.

Mrs. R. O. Gouger, who spent several weeks in San Antonio returned home Monday morning.

Mrs. J. W. McInnis of Artesia was in the city Sunday attending the Rio Grande Baptist Association.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Jackson came in on Sunday morning's train after spending their honeymoon at San Antonio.

Ben J. Yowell was up from Laredo Sunday. He says he will soon complete the fine residence he has been building for W. T. Hill.

Mrs. Raymond H. Seefeld and two little daughters have returned from a visit to Cripple Creek, Va. They have been away about two months.

The sidewalk work has been delayed this week on account of the illness of Contractor Guinn's wife, who was taken to San Antonio Tuesday for treatment.

Heavy clouds hung over the Northern horizon Wednesday night and for awhile it looked like a rain was certain to come, but the storm moved off to the Southeast.

Miss Adele Wildenthal is teaching the Gardendale school this year. As it is only five miles distance she goes up early in the morning and returns home each evening.

For the stomach and bowel disorders of babies McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR is a remedy of genuine merit. It acts quickly is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Horger & Windrow.

R. H. Seefeld, who recently sold his place on the Nueces here to C. F. Binkley will improve a tract of land up the Nueces near Encina Lake. He is making arrangements to build there soon and M. C. Cox has the contract.

M. C. Cox, who has the contract for the building of a dwelling for J. B. Henderson on the Cartwright ranch, has about completed same. A number of local carpenters have been working on the job.

B. Q. Ward of the Ward Cattle Company, was here this week. Mr. Ward has just returned from a trip to Japan and other countries in the far East. He was accompanied by his sister, and they have been away all the summer.

Wm. Graves, prosperous farmer of Millett was in town Monday. Mr. Graves stated that on account of the scarcity of pickers the cotton crop was coming out rather slowly and he did not believe the crop was half gathered at this time.

A. J. Spencer and family of Binghamton, N. Y. have moved here and have located on the Altito ranch near Mr. Morrow's farm about three miles East of town. Mr. Spencer says they will spend the winter here and will then probably decide to locate here permanently.

In every home where there are children there should be a bottle of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It destroys worms and acts as a tonic in the debilitated system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Horger & Windrow.

Rev. H. W. Hamilton, who spent a couple of months at the home of his boyhood at Steel's Tavern, Va., is back at home again and will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church tomorrow. He reports an exceptionally pleasant vacation.

J. M. Ramsey, well known stock-farmer of Artesia was in Cotulla Monday. "The range is needing rain" said Mr. Ramsey, "but a heavy downpour would mean considerable loss to our cotton crop just now, so we should be satisfied to see it remain dry awhile longer."

When the bowels feel uncomfortable and you miss the exhilarating feeling that always follows a copious morning operation, a dose of HERBINE will set you right in a couple of hours. If taken at bedtime you get its beneficial effect after breakfast next day. Price 50c. Sold by Horger & Windrow.

A. J. Sanford and family of East Altoona, Pa., arrived here Tuesday and will make La Salle county their future home. Mr. Sanford was here last year and bought a piece of land about seven miles East of Cotulla. The family has moved out and are temporarily camped until a home can be built. Mr. Sanford is a practical truck farmer and expects to grow winter truck.

Lee Henrichson and little son of Artesia was in town one day during the week. Mr. Henrichson says rain is needed in that part of the country, but the cotton farmers are having a hard time getting out their crop and don't exactly agree with the cattlemen on this point. So far, he says, it looks like the farmer has a stand in with the weather clerk.

Letter to J. H. Gallman
Cotulla, Texas.

Dear Sir: We repeat: Every job painted Devoe takes less gallons of any other paint. If not no pay.
Yours truly
F. W. Devoe & Co.
T. R. Keck sells our paint

Mr. B. Benjamin has purchased the Colvard Studio here and is making considerable improvements in it. Mr. Benjamin is from New York but recently has been working in the Morris Studio of Houston and is a first class photographer. He informs us that he will cater to the high class work of this territory and guarantee to give absolute satisfaction to the most particular people.

Yellow complexion, pimples and disfiguring blemishes on the face or body can be gotten rid of by doctoring the liver which is torpid. HERBINE is a powerful liver correctant. It purifies the system, stimulates the vital organs and puts the body in fine vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by Horger & Windrow.

Following the comment of the Record last week on the fact Cotulla had no public watering place, the business men in what is known as the Williams block, Horger & Windrow, D. N. Canning, State Bank, K. Burwell, and W. H. Fullerton & Son got together and had the windmill which was wrecked by wind some time ago, put in first class order, and there is now plenty of water for teams in the free camp yard in the rear of these places. This is good, and will go a long ways, but it does not fill the bill completely. The town needs a watering trough in a convenient place, where not only farmers who come to town can water their teams without having to open two or three gates, but where our own people can stop for a minute or two and give our thirsty horses a drink. For the benefit of the farmers we will state that there is now plenty of water for you teams in the camp yard designated, and we hope that the city council will perform a duty that should and before long there will be other watering places for your convenience.

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Tastes bad and is hard to take
FOWLER'S PINK WAFERS
Absolute cure for constipation and bowel troubles and are better to take than any strong purgatives. Taste like candy. Act quickly. Have no bad effects. Try them.
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The demand for telegraph operators was never so great as at the present time. The largest telegraph school in America equipped with over a hundred sets of instruments, miniature train systems, a train line of a main line railroad, all telegraph and freight blanks, tickets in fact everything just as complete as found in the best equipped railroad offices, the best practical teachers to be obtained, thoroughly experienced in commercial and railway telegraphy, station and freight work—the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas, is unable to supply the demand upon it by the railroads and telegraph companies for operators. Just as surely as a young man will complete a course of telegraphy and station work, just to surely will he be placed immediately in a good position. The same is true where our course of bookkeeping and shorthand is completed.
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Our Opening
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We are now ready to fill your Hat order and invite you to our Grand Millinery Opening Today to inspect the best of the season and choose while you are first to choose. You will get what you like and you will like what you get. Don't fail to come in today and see our display.

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Do you want Hay baled? I will bale it if you have a thousand tons.—H. G. Foster, Cotulla, Texas.

Strayed—One brown mare mule, 3 years old, raised by Jos. Cotulla and branded Flying U on left shoulder.—H. W. Robuck.

Strayed or Stolen—One black horse mule from Dilley. About 14 1-5 hands high. Reward for information leading to recovery. Ed Thurmond, Dilley, Texas.

FARM FOR SALE—Irrigated, 1 mile from Cotulla on river; 1-4 mile from shipping spur. Owner, non-resident. Apply to R. J. Talbot, Cotulla, Texas. 8-23-44

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

For Sale—at \$13.50 per acre, 480 acres of good land in LaSalle county, 5 miles from Woodward. One half cash, the balance on time to suit buyer, F. S. Moffett, Dilley, Texas.

Old papers for sale at this office—20c per 100

Will rent on third and fourth from 150 to 1500 acres; good houses; good water; best Cotton land in Southwest Texas; four miles west of Dilley. For further information write C. M. Gordon, Dilley, Texas. 8 17 44

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A high priced Standard "Auto," 5 or 7 passenger (white) endorsed by Uncle Sam, good as new. I am going to Washington and will sell it at a great sacrifice, for cash, good note or live stock. We will trade if you want a machine at all. Investigate at once. Joe Hansen, Millett, Texas.

The extreme warm weather the past ten days has been felt all over the country.

Swelling of the flesh caused by inflammation, cold, fractures of the bone, toothache, neuralgia or rheumatism can be relieved by applying BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It should be well rubbed in over the part affected. Its great healing and penetrating power eases the pain, reduces swelling and restores natural conditions. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Horger & Windrow.

There seems to be quite a demand for onion seed notwithstanding the growers received fifty per cent more than they expected on their orders. Seed sold as high as \$4.50 per pound here this week.

THIS NEW STOMACH REMEDY IS GUARANTEED TO CURE INSTANTLY Full Purchase Price Refunded if You Are Not Cured

Sufferers with all forms of stomach trouble are now promised relief through the discovery by Harry L. Fowler of San Antonio of a new medicine in wafer form which cures instantly. Mr. Fowler is a well known chemist and worked for years to perfect his medicine before putting it on the market and then cured himself and friends to make the test doubly sure. His cure is now on sale at all first class drug stores. This new remedy goes by the name of Fowler's Indigestion and Stomach Wafers and so confident is the maker of its power to cure all forms of stomach trouble such as indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, sourness, heartburn and catarrh of the stomach that he authorizes every druggist to sell it under an ironbound guarantee that if

not cured the full purchase price will be refunded immediately. Fowler's Indigestion and Stomach Wafers are, as the name implies, in wafer form. These little black wafers are easy and pleasant to take, quickly dissolve in the mouth and have no bad taste of medicine. Their ingredients are known to the United States Government and every box is sold and guaranteed under the pure food and drug law. If you suffer with the ravages of stomach trouble get a box today. Remember that every druggist will refund the full purchase price on your statement alone that these wafers have not cured you. For sale by Gaddis' Pharmacy and all first class druggists. Trial size sent to any address on receipt of 10 cents in Stamps. Address Harry L. Fowler, San Antonio, Tex.



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Can send your Children Here with the assurance that they will return with as choice a cut of meat as you would procure yourself. We seek your continued patronage.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

I have a complete line of Coffins, Caskets and Burial Robes in stock and am prepared to fill orders quickly day or night. Having had experience in handling this line I am in a position to give you good service on short notice.

When in need of anything in this line I will appreciate a call.

H. B. STEDHAM

At Cotulla Lumber Co. Front Street.

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MEDICINE PEDDLERS WORK IN VIOLATION OF LAW

INVESTIGATION MADE BY RICHARDS MEDICINE COMPANY.

Figures Show There Is Now Due the County From Peddlers \$1200 in Taxes.

Sherman, Tex., Sept. 17.—It seems that whiskey is not the only thing that is "bootlegged" in Grayson county, according to an investigation carried on by the Richards Medicine Company of this city. Some time ago C. E. Crayeroff, manager of this firm, discovered that there were quite a number of men engaged in peddling medicine in this county who are doing so without complying with the law. Afterwards, to make sure, he sent out the following letter to a large number of people covering practically every part of the county:

"Sherman, Tex., Aug. 29. Dear Sir:—Please advise us as promptly as possible, the names of the medicine peddlers working in your vicinity. Please, also, give their place of residence, if you can.

"Something over \$2000 is due the state and county in taxes from these people. Last year over ten of them operated in this county, and one only paid his occupation tax, whereas, this year we are informed that even this one has dropped out and none of them is paying any taxes whatever.

"There is a law requiring each traveling person engaged in the sale of medicine, to pay a tax of \$100 to the state and \$50 to the county, and taxes for two years can be collected from each of them, making \$300 apiece.

"We have tried to work through the tax collector's office, but we are sorry to say, they do not show an interest in the matter, and we propose to handle it ourselves through another channel.

"It is of the greatest importance that you give us all the information you possibly can concerning these peddlers, and if you do not know the names of these men, will you kindly make some inquiries in the matter?"

"Your information will be confidential and we will appreciate an early reply."

To this letter he received nearly a hundred answers, and was given the names of fourteen men engaged in Grayson county in violation of the law. This has been going on for several years, and it is figured that there is now due the county the sum of \$4200 in taxes from these peddlers. If the same conditions prevail over the entire state that prevail in Grayson county, then there is due in taxes \$1,027,400 in taxes from peddlers of patent medicines.

Following the letter written by the Richards Medicine Company to the people of the county, the following has also been issued and sent to the same parties:

Let's stop this bootlegging of medicine.

"Some of these wagon men make the claim to their customers that they are not subject to taxation because they 'take orders.' By this they mean that they first go to the farm house, see what medicine is wanted, then go to their wagons a few feet away, get the required articles and make the delivery, claiming by this that they are not peddlers. They knew better than this and for your information we quote the law below: "Art. 5049 of the Revised Civil Statutes reads in part as follows: "From every traveling person selling patent or other medicine \$100, and no traveling person shall so sell till said tax is paid, provided that this tax shall not apply to commercial travelers, drummers, or salesmen making sales or soliciting trade for merchants engaged in the sale of drugs or medicines by wholesale."

"Art. 112 of the Penal Code of this state reads as follows: "Any person who shall pursue or follow any occupation, calling or profession, or do any act taxed by law without first obtaining a license therefor shall be fined in any sum not less than the amount of the tax and not more than double that sum."

"In Cooke county these medicine men tried to avoid the tax by claiming they traveled for a 'wholesale house.' This matter was referred to the attorney general at Austin and he said they must pay the tax if they made any sales whatever to the customer.

"To evade this law is, to our mind, as reprehensible as to evade the prohibition law, as he is a bootlegger in either case, and a concerted effort should be made to correct this evil."

JOHN D PREPARES FOR SIEGE

Richest Man Protects Home, Fearing Black Hand May Attempt to Invade It.

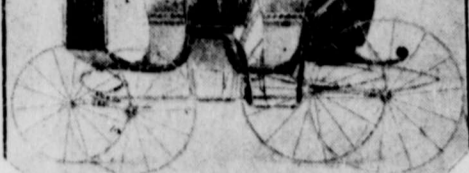
NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Added to the strange situation on the estate of John D. Rockefeller, oil king and richest man at Pasco, Pa., which exists, despite the fact that a force of armed men guards the place against a Black Hand invasion bent on murder, kidnapping or incendiarism, is the revelation that the oil king, in ordering the remodeling of his house, evidently entertained so lively a fear of probable attacks that he has caused to be constructed at an expense of many thousands of dollars secret underground passages that lead to several strong-rooms or "dens," steel doored and large enough to give refuge to a score of persons.

Moreover, further plans look toward the continuation of the secret passage to an outlet in the woods, more than a quarter of a mile away from the Rockefeller residence.

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Cooler rains causing rheumatic pains, whether from Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cuts, Burns or Bruises. The Guletka Liniment known in 25 and 50c bottles. All Druggists.

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THE HARVEST JUBILEE TRY WIDOW FOR MURDER

Intended to Celebrate the Prosperity of Southwest Texas, Which Has Been Blessed With Abundant Crops and Has Taken Rapid Strides in Material Improvements During the Year Just Ending.

San Antonio—Organized for the purpose of holding in San Antonio, October 15-25, the most unique, attractive and enjoyable entertainment ever given in Texas, the Harvest Jubilee Association has perfected plans for a celebration that will bring people to the city from every part of the state and from distant states also. Officers of the association are: Henry L. Hall, president; Frank Rennett, secretary; William G. Tobin, vice-president; Franz C. Groos, treasurer. The board of directors includes these officers and: Albert Stevens, Jr., John B. Carrington, Dick O. Terrell, Leon Goodman, A. J. Castanola, W. B. Tuttle, Ben M. Hammond, George V. Maverick, Arthur Blair, Louis Heurmann, E. P. Behles, Ben Varga, Fred W. Cook, Alfred Duerler, Jr., Gus Heys, Lloyd Spencer, G. A. C. Hall, W. M. Morgan, A. M. Fischer, Fred J. Johnston, L. A. Casey and Dr. W. A. Herzing.

Because of the extensive program that has been arranged and the necessity to accomplish a great deal within a short time, for the opening day of the Jubilee is only a few weeks distant, it was deemed essential that the association have a large board of directors and that each director pledge himself to work for its success. Each has been assigned certain duties and each has started out with earnestness and enthusiasm to do those duties well.

As indicated by the name, the Harvest Jubilee is intended especially to celebrate the harvest season and this year, one of the finest agricultural years Texas has ever known, the farmers and merchants of the state have much to be thankful for. The association has named H. W. Ross as field manager and has sent him into the counties of Southwest, West and South Texas to organize auxiliary chapters and obtain through them cooperation in bringing to the Jubilee the finest collection of agricultural products ever seen here. The exhibits will be arranged by counties and by districts and there will be exhibits also from agricultural communities that have attained special fame. Mr. Ross is an experienced man in this line and he has found the people in all the counties he has visited very ready to co-operate in preparing the agricultural exhibit.

Recognizing the value of the personal element in the Jubilee, the association is preparing to entertain the members of the auxiliary chapters and their families when they come to San Antonio to attend the Jubilee. The women will be welcomed and entertained by the women of the city and special features will be arranged for the men. At the same time arrangements are being made to entertain visiting newspaper men, for it is realized that they do splendid work for the communities in which they live and for the state at large and the association wishes to show its appreciation of them.

When raising a sum of money from the business men of San Antonio to meet preliminary expenses of the Jubilee, the association gave each subscriber two tickets for each dollar subscribed. Many of the merchants, wholesale and retail, bought several hundred tickets each and have planned to send them to their customers in various parts of the state with personal invitation to attend. They can take advantage of the cheap railroad rates that will be put on at that time and coming on their trip to the metropolis to purchase stock with a pleasure trip. Several thousand of these tickets will be sent out.

In connection with the agricultural exhibit, there will be an exhibit of other farm products, including cattle, horses, sheep, goats and articles made on the farm. The manufacturers of agricultural implements and farm vehicles will have a special exhibit showing the latest improvements for the benefit of the farmers. Probably the most elaborate single exhibit will be made by the Taft Ranch, a special building having been designated for this. It will include horticultural and agricultural products, packing house products, oil mill products, live stock, hunting and architectural exhibits and photographs of the Taft Ranch. This is one of the largest ranch properties in Texas and being located near the new port of Aransas, the eyes of the world are turned this way and it will attract much interest.

A building has been set aside for the Woman's Exhibit, which is being arranged by the women of the city to attract the women. It will include a loan exhibit of old heirlooms and rare articles with which the homes were decorated during the latter part of the eighteenth century and the early part of the nineteenth.

German Day during the celebration will include a musical program by singing societies from various parts of Texas that will assemble here. On Highway League Day, when the Good Roads Congress of Texas will meet here, a big barbecue will be given, at which the guests will be all persons that have come to the city in automobiles or in vehicles hauled by horses. Parks will be designated where automobiles may be parked or farmers driving overland with their

ROBS MOTHER SEAL OF BABY

Cruel Fishermen Take It From Water and Keep It.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 17.—Somewhere near Pleasant Beach a mother sorrows; somewhere in Seattle a baby cries for the nursing love it can never know.

Mr. John Zentin and Charles A. Miller were fishing for rock cod off Pleasant Beach. Watching the elements surrounding them, they beheld a motherly seal and her baby.

With little trouble the baby seal was captured. Cry after cry was sent up from the infant, which is a little larger than a cat, and in response the frantic mother swam again and again as near as she dared to the boat.

The captors have offered the baby seal to the park board.

THOUGHT DEAD NOW RICH

Seventeen Years Hunting Fortune While Wife Got Pension as a Widow.

EATON, Col., Sept. 17.—After having been mourned as dead by his wife and children for fifteen years, Montaville Woodworth, who despite his 62 years, left his home in Pesotum, a village in Champaign County, Ill., to make his fortune, is here to attend a family reunion.

After amassing a considerable fortune in Alaska, Woodworth recently returned to this country and discovered that his wife was living when, applying at the pension office for his back pay, he was told that he was legally dead, and that Mrs. Woodworth had been drawing his pension.

Before leaving Illinois seventeen years ago, Woodworth left a note to his family saying they should never see him again unless he could show them that he had gained a substantial competence.

ROBBED THROUGH TUNNEL

Kansas Boy Tells How He and Friends Worked Plan.

PITTSBURG, Kan., Sept. 17.—A tunnel leading to the basement of a department store here, has been used by boys for robbing the store more than a year. One of the boys, arrested on suspicion, has confessed that while employed in the store he loosened a rock in the cement wall. A tunnel was dug to an opening, and after that the boys entered the store at will. Several thousand dollars worth of merchandise has been taken since the tunnel was built.

CRUEL SWINDLE ALLEGED

Say Mothers of Boys in Navy Were His Victims.

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Sept. 17.—Frank Wilson, arrested here on complaint of Mrs. George Baker Dyer, Ind., is accused by post authorities of a series of ingenious but cruel frauds on mothers who have sons in the United States navy. Mrs. Baker said she had promised the "son" \$5000 if he would accept a commission, a naval recruit, out of prison on a charge of desertion. The authorities believe Wilson has swindled other mothers in a similar manner.

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families may camp, and they will be provided with special police to insure protection to all property.

The entertainment features will include horse races, automobile races, motorcycle races, athletic games and a gymkana. Each night of the Jubilee the Fall of the Alamo, specially arranged for the celebration, will be given. In every particular the Harvest Jubilee will be planned to give pleasure to all attending.

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(New York Times.)

Although expressing the greatest sympathy for Mrs. Louis Harris, who is in the Audobon sanitarium completely paralyzed and suffering such continual torture that she asks the state to pass a law that permits her legal execution, no person in the medical, legal or lay world could be found yesterday who believed the time is yet at hand when the taking of human life in such cases is to be thought of.

Eminent physicians, neurologists and authorities in medical jurisprudence united in declaring that such action by the legislature would be nothing more than murder; that it was unnecessary and that practically no patient suffered pain to such an extent that he could not be relieved in a few moments through some agency that science always had at hand.

Dr. James J. Walsh, who has taken a deep interest in the psychology of the case, declared that the medical world did not find instances where such heroic methods were necessary and that such a law would not be thought of for a moment by the practitioners of New York.

Any one who reasons so ably as this patient does, and who has such a perfect control of her mind, certainly should be kept in the world as long as human ingenuity is able to do it," he said. "Any physician would be unwilling to take any steps to snuff out such a life and the remarkable intelligence exhibited here.

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ELEPHANT WINS BATTLE IN CIRCUS TENT.

Big Animal Goes to Rescue of Camel, His Best Friend, and With His Trunk Pushes Escaped King of Beasts in the Hospital—May Die as a Result of Mistake in Picking Victim.

South Norwalk, Conn., Sept. 17.—In a terrific battle with an elephant in the main tent of a circus, a full grown African lion named Prince came off second best. In fact, so badly is the big cat injured that he may not recover. The lion and Queen, a lioness, escaped while being fed.

There was a stampede among the spectators and several were bruised in the panic, but the lions paid no attention to the human beings but attacked two Shetland ponies, clawing them so badly that they were shot. Then Prince made for Napoleon, a camel, and close friend of the largest elephant in the show.

The elephant, tethered nearby, knocked the lion away from the camel with one blow of his trunk. Prince sprang for the elephant's chest, sinking his claws in the leather hide until the blood flowed in streams. The great trunk coiled around the lion and dashed it to the ground. Prince regained his feet and leaped for the forehead of the elephant, but was knocked senseless by one blow from its trunk.

Attendants rushed in and succeeded in caging both lions before Prince recovered. The lion's jaws were so swollen that he has suffered internal injuries.

HUNTED ONE, IN MIDST

Slayer, Sitting in Midst of Bluecoats Is Not Arrested Until He Gives Himself Up.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 17.—While scores of detectives and policemen were scouring the city for hours in search of James M. Wintersteen, who shot and killed Harry Tyson, in the Tiger hotel, Wintersteen himself calmly sat in the roll room of the reserve police surrounded by him. He walked freely among them, talking to them about the murder and probably would not have been captured had he not deliberately confessed after he had spent several hours with them.

Part of the time Wintersteen spent reading an account of the murder, going over it and correcting inaccuracies. Home Sergeant McBride, seeing the man's interest at along side him and engaged him in conversation.

Wintersteen said that Tyson had been slandering him; that every time they met he would scoff at him or denounce him. He asserted that when Tyson started to denounce him to his friends he could not stand it no longer and decided to kill him.

Science. She is not a scientist, neither am I, but we both thought in her unusually bright mental state, it might bring relief. At any rate, I thought at the time it would give her something more to think about than her actual suffering. She agreed to try it and several healers called and talked with her for hours at a time. Mrs. Harris seemed to brighten and grow cheerful. For weeks she was in better shape than she had been for years. Then she suddenly longed for her little baby, the little baby eleven months after it was born, is dead. She has tried to make us commit ourselves in hundreds of ways, and when we pass the matter over, she begins to guess the child has died and in this way traps us into telling her. It is doubly hard for us. Even if we could bring the child to her, it would have a terrible effect on her, for when she last saw her children she cried for three days. We had to invent various excuses until the ill child had recovered and then she would be taken before the mother. It will not do to let her see them again."

Mrs. Harris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Garfunkel of 318 West 119th street. Her entire family and their grandfather and Miss Visanski came here from Charleston, S. C., ten years ago. With them was Mrs. Harris' grandfather, Abraham Trager, who lives with his granddaughter, Miss Visanski. Mr. Trager is one hundred and one years old.

In contrast to the case of Mrs. Harris is that of Miss Catherine McCracken, of Hackensack, N. J., who yesterday celebrated her eighty-ninth birthday. An injury to her spine when she was eleven years old deprived her of the power to walk. For seventy-eight years that have elapsed she has retained her sunny disposition, many times choosing those more blessed than she in their lot in life. In early life it was hard for her to resign herself to her condition, but she grew cheerful in later life.

Science. "There is no heretofore just eternal peace. Everything demands a pioneer. Others will suffer as I have suffered. Let me be the pioneer."

Mrs. Harris received a few callers yesterday, even Miss Florence Visanski, her cousin, was compelled to curtail her usual morning call.

Miss Visanski, who lives at No. 889 St. Nicholas avenue and who has spent much time with the paralyzed woman, said Mrs. Harris' condition seemed so hopeless that she had been influenced to send the letter concerning legalizing death, at Mrs. Harris' request, only to relieve her burden. She said that Mrs. Harris had brooded over her trouble so that nothing could relieve her now from the depression.

"Mrs. Harris reads continually," said Miss Visanski yesterday. "It is the only thing she can do. She cannot use her hands nor her arms. She merely lies back and reads while someone turns the pages of a book or a magazine. She soon notices that her caller is growing tired and then the book is laid aside. Then she is able to converse heartily and the active condition of her mind makes her condition worse."

"Mrs. Harris has not been bright at all since the operation she underwent two weeks ago. Just before it, she seemed unusually bright. I believe she really was happy in expectation that she might never come out from the effects of the ether. In the four years of her affliction, I have never seen her so acute to any situation."

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San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 27, 1911. I was very poor, my appetite was very poor, sent her to Fredericksburg to take a rest, and while there, she consulted a physician, who told her that she had but a couple of months to live, as she had rapid consumption. She came back to San Antonio, and I took her to a local sanitarium, where she stayed for two months without improving, but on the contrary was getting worse. She then consulted Dr. White of the French Laboratory of this city, under whose treatment she soon began to improve. Her cough has ceased, her appetite returned and she is today enjoying good health.

I want to say to every man and woman that suffers with consumption, that I was so sick that four leading physicians gave up on me, that you cannot be cured. There is not a cure on earth that can cure you. The doctors of San Antonio told me the same thing. I was very discouraged to think I had to die and leave my children. I was directed by a friend to go and see Dr. White at the French Laboratory. When he examined me, he told me that I had several large cavities in my lungs, and that he did not know whether he could cure me or not. He gave me a home treating outfit, and you may be assured I carried out every direction. And today I am a well woman, cooking for ten men, and cleaning twenty rooms. I shall always feel grateful to the French Laboratory. MRS. J. H. STRICKLAND, Gunter Hotel, San Antonio, Tex.

Dr. G. W. White, City. I want to thank you for the treatment that you furnished for my trouble, which is consumption. And I have this to say, to whom it may concern, that on the 27th of November, 1909, I had a hemorrhage and loss of blood was about one and a half gallons in about forty-eight hours. On the third day I could not raise my head to my head from the pillow. I tried doctors and trained nurses for two weeks. The doctor finally told me that I could not get well, that I had galloping consumption and had only a short time to live. So I sent for one of the French Laboratory Inhalers; the third day I got out of bed, and the sixth day I went to my work, and in nineteen days I gained eleven pounds, making me six pounds heavier than I had been in ten years. I am still improving, and will be glad to tell anyone of your cure, that is suffering with lung trouble, for I believe that it will save them all. Yours truly, JNO. MCCANNALLY, Corpus Christi, Tex.

I have been working out of this city, for the I. & G. N. railroad for years, had as bad a case of Catarrh as any man could have and live, was treated for two years by some of the best specialists of the city, paying out large sums of money and getting no relief. About the first of September, 1909, I called at the French Laboratory, and bought one of their Inhalers, and paid them for the complete outfit, and I wish to say it was the best money I ever let go. Today I am a well man. I will say to anyone that it will cure any case of Catarrh, Asthma or Hay Fever, if the patient will use as per directions. If I could not get another, \$100.000 could not buy the outfit I have. J. A. CAVANAUGH, I. & G. N. R. R., San Antonio, Texas.

San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 7, 1910. After being in the city a week I heard of the French Laboratory treatment. I went to see Dr. White and bought an outfit from him for home treatment. I began the treatment on the 9th day of July. After taking three treatments I had no more hemorrhages, and began to improve at once. I am a well woman today. I am doing my housework and cooking. MRS. ELLA FORD, Pecos City, Texas.

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MRS. GEO. COPP HOSTESS

The usual interest was manifested when the Presbyterian ladies gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Copp, Thursday afternoon for their missionary meeting. The double parlors were thrown open to accommodate the crowd. They were received by Mrs. Copp and her charming daughters, Misses Alice and Jessie, in a most cordial manner. The afternoon was full of interest, as a most interesting programme occupied their attention. Opening with a song "Trust and Obey," the scripture lesson was read by the hostess, concluding with an earnest prayer. Mrs. J. H. Gallman read a beautiful selection "Send Me." Mrs. Traylor read an article giving "The impression a Jewish maiden formed of America on her first visit." So strongly were the thoughts for good, that she pronounced it as "God's Country" Miss Childs rendered a selection from "Martha" that displayed both skill and technique.

To the delight of everyone

Mrs. Mewhirter and Miss Jessie Copp sang several duets, contributing much to the all ready interesting programme, which was brought to a close.

The social hour found Mdms. Thompson, [Chicago] Davenport, (Dallas) Cohenonr, Beverly Poole, and Misses Shaw among the specially invited guests. The daughters of this house passed a most attractive as well as tempting salad course, with sandwiches and iced tea. The hour grew late before the guests were seen leaving this hospitable home.

Mrs. Gahrng entertains in the home of Miss Burwell next Thursday at four o'clock.

MRS. PEYTON KERR HOSTESS

The Foreign Missionary Society held a delightfully pleasant meeting in the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Kerr on Thursday afternoon. A programme full of interest occupied the first part of the afternoon. Opening with the song "Blest be the Tide," followed by the scripture lesson which was read by Rev. J. M. Lynn closing with prayer. A round table talk giving interesting reasons why all women should be members of the Missionary Societies, proved most interesting. Mrs. T. R. Keck sang in her usual way to the delight of all.

An interesting paper was read by Mrs. Seefeld upon the work done in China. Mrs. Wichman read in a most charming manner "The afflictions of Job" as described by a little girl.

The "Mite Box" opening came as a pleasing close to this afternoon's entertainment. Sherbert and cake was passed during the social hour and each one present counted Mrs. Kerr as an inimitable hostess.

MRS. DAUGHERTY ENTERTAINS CHILDREN.

The childrens Missionary Society held their regular weekly meeting with Mrs. Daugherty on last Saturday afternoon at four o'clock. The attendance was not as large as usual but an interesting program was carried out, showing great enthusiasm on the part of these members.

The meeting opened with singing "Little Feet Be Careful." Mrs. Chevalier conducted the devotional period, studying the 17 Psalm followed by prayer. Lillian Neal, our leader for the afternoon being absent, Mrs. Ross lead the bible study, our lesson being Noah and The Ark. Mrs. Chevalier then gave such an instructive talk along this subject, which was muchly appreciated. Ethel Poole read a selection in a pleasing manner after which the meeting closed with singing "Jesus Loves Me" and the Mizpah benediction.

The Social hour was given over to the piecing of the quilt for the orphans.

Our hostess passed lemonade and wafers.

We welcomed as guests for the afternoon Mesdames Chevalier, Traylor and Miss Giles. Our next meeting will be with Mrs. Ross on Saturday the 21st. with Gladys Ercanbrack as leader.

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTIONS

Thursday afternoon of the 26th a "School of Instruction" for the order of the Eastern Star will be held. Delegates as far South as Laredo and North as Devine comprise the district that will attend this school. Committees have been appointed to secure homes and meet the trains; Comprising Mdms. Riddle Graham, Trice for the homes. Mdms. Seefeld, Lynn, Rev. Hamilton and J. M. Lynn to meet the trains and assign homes to those coming. The refreshment Committee Mdms Binkley, Windrow, Seoggins, T. R. Keck, for the night entertainment.

At the night session the work will be put on when initiating Dr. and Mrs. Wichman into the order, after which a social will follow complimentary to the visiting delegates and candidates.

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EQUINOX BRINGS WEATHER CHANGE

Today is equinox and a change in the weather is at hand. Clouds from Northwest brought rain in many sections of the state last night. The temperature is considerable lower, and there is indications of rain falling over this territory.

It is stated that rain fell along the I. N. G. N. as far South as Millett. Heavy thunder could be heard up till about 8 o'clock this morning.

Onion Seed for Sale

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New Garage

Chas. E. Neal has opened a garage in the Gouger building on Front street. He will carry a full line of automobile supplies and has engaged the service of a first class mechanic. Local autoists should give a garage good support as it is a necessity and great convenience to the transient trade and is the means of leaving many a dollar in the town.

At Methodist Church.

We expect to have services tomorrow, both morning and night. Everybody invited to be present. J. M. Lynn, Pastor.

At Presbyterian Church

Rev. H. W. Hamilton will occupy his pulpit tomorrow morning and evening. The Sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered at the morning service, all members of the congregation are urged to be present, friends and strangers are invited to worship with us.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

K. Burwell is showing an up to date line of street hats.

Will Held, young farmer of Millett is in town today.

J. R. Potter of Mississippi, was among the arrivals today.

Mrs. J. F. Neal returned yesterday from San Antonio.

Mrs. A. Burks is up from the La Motta Ranch for a few days.

Atty. John W. Wilson and wife have returned from a three weeks visit to East Texas.

Mrs. Elizabeth Archer of San Antonio was here this week the guest of Mrs. C. W. Wheeler.

Winfred Whitehead nephew of A. F. Childs, is here from Leming, attending school.

Mrs. Hazel Davenport after a visit of several weeks here to her sister, Mrs. T. H. Poole, left yesterday for San Antonio.

Dr. and Mrs. Glenn Bartlett and little son left Thursday for Kingsville where they will spend a couple of weeks.

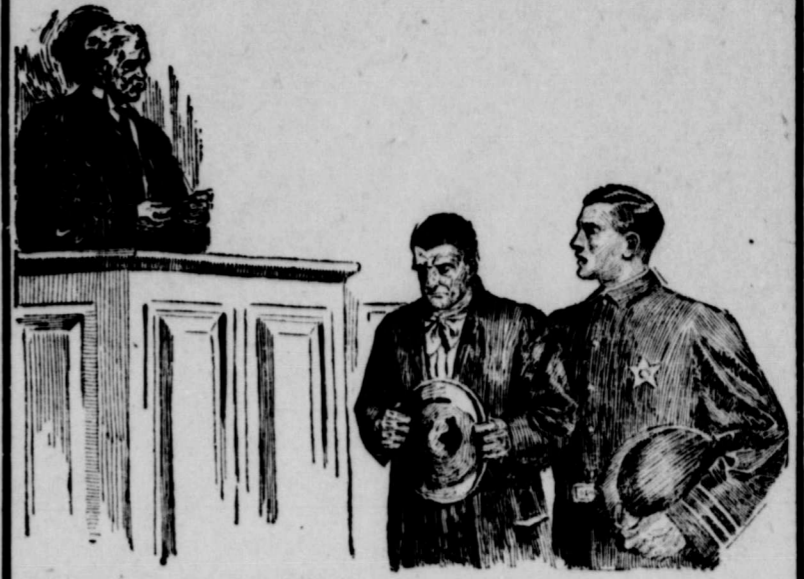
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