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NECRO FIGHT

On Friday night last, down in negro town, Ed Marshal and Pat Noble, both colored, got into a fight in which knives were freely used. Pat was arrested and put in jail, and on Saturday paid a fine of \$15.70. Marshal went to work but it later developed that he had been stabbed in the head with a large knife and that the blade had broken off, leaving about an inch and a quarter of it stuck through the skull, which physicians removed Tuesday.

Noble was re-arrested and on Wednesday waived examining trial in Justice Meyer's court and his bond placed at \$3000.00, to await the action of the grand jury. It is now thought that the negro cannot recover.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the illness, death and burial of our beloved daughter and sister, Edna Grace Smith. MR. & MRS. JAY T. SMITH and Family.

Lithographed vendor's lien notes for sale at Record office.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

Of the Sixteenth District Sends Smith to Chicago.

On Tuesday at the court house in Colorado the 16th Congressional Republican Convention met with about 30 delegates present, representing as many counties. The day was an ideal one, and Mrs. Hazzard, our genial and accomplished postmistress, had provided each delegate with a beautiful magnolia bud as a Republican badge, emblematic and typical of the "lily white" party. It was very thoughtful of her and highly appreciated by the delegates.

Promptly at 11 o'clock, the convention was called to order by district chairman Robt. M. Webb. The executive committee, composed of the county chairmen over the district, immediately went into session. They fixed the basis of representation at one vote for every 100 votes cast for governor, and major fraction thereof. They also recommended for temporary officers Ben S. Van Tuyl as chairman, and W. L. Brown of Taylor county secretary. The executive committee adjourned and the convention reassembled by making the temporary organization permanent and appointing the following committees:

On credentials, P. A. Hazzard, G. A. Knight, J. E. Lindsey. On permanent organization, G. A. Gray, C. S. Knott, H. B. Stevens.

On delegation, C. A. Windus, W. D. Girard, S. H. Sutherland, W. L. Brown, G. H. Sparenberg. On resolutions, J. J. Schairer, Frank Whitley, R. C. Sanderson. The committee on credentials reported the following delegates entitled to seats:

Borden county, G. H. Sparenberg; Brewster county, C. A. Windus; Callahan, J. A. Smith; Coke, S. H. Sutherland; Dawson, Geo. Sparenberg; Ector, Geo. Sparenberg; Edwards, J. A. Smith; Glasscock, Geo. Sparenberg; Haskell, J. E. Lindsey; Howard, R. C. Sanderson; Jeff Davis, A. L. Sharpe, J. A. Smith, H. B. Stevens; Jones, W. L. Brown, Frank Whitley; Lynn, Geo. Sparenberg; Martin, P. A. Hazzard; Mitchell, Ben. S. Van Tuyl, P. A. Hazzard; Nolan, P. A. Hazzard, Geo. Sparenberg, H. B. Stevens; Presidio, A. L. Sharpe, H. B. Stevens, J. A. Smith; Palo Pinto, H. B. Stevens; Rannels, J. A. Smith; Scurry, P. A. Hazzard; Shackelford, Jno. B. Baker; Stephens, Jno. B. Baker; Stonewall, G. A. Gray; Taylor, W. D. Girard; Terry, Geo. Sparenberg; Yoakum, Geo. Sparenberg; Gaines, Geo. Sparenberg; El Paso, S. H. Sutherland, A. L. Sharpe, J. A. Schairer.

Monday was spent discussing compromise propositions but none were agreed upon.

The El Paso contest was the only one before the convention when it met. Two sets of credentials were filed but before temporary organization was reached O. H. Baum withdrew the credentials of his delegation in the interest of harmony. His delegation was greeted with applause when it did this.

The committee on delegation reported as follows:

Delegates to the National Convention at Chicago, J. A. Smith of El Paso, and Jno. B. Baker of Haskell, with Ben S. Van Tuyl of Colorado and R. C. Sanderson of Big Springs as alternates.

Scott White of El Paso was chosen as Presidential Elector. The committee on resolutions reported as follows:

The committee on resolutions reported as follows: To the Chairman of Republican Convention of the 16th Congressional District of Texas: We, your committee on resolutions beg leave to make the following report:

Resolved, by the Republicans of the 16th Congressional District of Texas, in convention assembled:

1. That we warmly commend the administration of Theodore Roosevelt, whose actuating principles have ever been those of traditional progressive Republicanism, whose motives are exalted and whose acts are constructive and statesmanlike in the highest degree.

2. That while we have favored the renomination of President Roosevelt, we now realize the impossibility of inducing him to accept the nomination for another term, and we recognize in William H. Taft the one man above all others who stands for governmental principles in accordance with those exemplified by the president; his achievements in executive, diplomatic and judicial capacities have been of the highest order, distinguishing him among the greatest constructive workers in the nation's history; his personal and political life has been blameless and his motives during many years of public life have never been questioned even by his opponents. His experience directly in connection with the great government problems of the United States in the present day exceeds that of any other man except the President himself. He is a man of marvelous tact, tremendous force and marked individuality. As President he would be fearless, independent and conservative, but always constructive and progressive; hence we enthusiastically endorse Hon. William H. Taft for the Presidential nomination, and we instruct our delegates to the National Convention to vote accordingly.

3. That Cecil A. Lyon's policy in Texas as National Committeeman and Chairman of the State Executive Committee of the Republican party has tended strongly to eliminate undesirable conditions in the organization and to build up the party on a firm foundation, and with good prospect of ultimate ascendancy; hence we strongly endorse his political acts and methods and express our desire that he continue at the head of the organization in this state, and we instruct our delegates to vote for him for National Committeeman.

5. That the time is fully ripe for the close and thorough organization of the several thousand Republicans of this Congressional District, and we urge upon the Chairman of every county in the District the importance of individual activity in such organization. Respectfully,

J. J. SCHAIRER,
R. C. SANDERSON, } Committee.
FRANK WHITLEY.

Washington, May 11, 1908.
Hon. Robt. M. Webb,
Colorado.

Earnestly hope your District Convention tomorrow will declare for Taft. Please wire me collect regarding action taken, giving full names of delegates and alternates chosen.

Signed, Frank H. Hitchcock.
Colorado, Texas, May 12, 1908.
Hon. Frank H. Hitchcock,
Washington, D. C.
Convention has adjourned.



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Instructed for Taft. Delegates, Jno. Baker, Haskell, J. A. Smith, El Paso. Alternates, Ben Van Tuyl, Colorado, R. C. Sanderson, Big Springs, Everything lovely. Meeting enthusiastic.

Signed, Robt. M. Webb,
Chm. 16th Cong. District.

Washington, May 13, 1908.
Hon. Robt. M. Webb,
Colorado, Texas.

Many thanks for the telegram regarding Sixteenth District Convention. Hearty congratulations on action taken.

Signed, Frank H. Hitchcock.

STREET SPRINKLING

Mrs. Cooksey tells us that she will have to stop sprinkling the streets as there is not enough in it to pay for a driver, water and feed the team.

Some of the business men, she says, pay well, but many pay only 25 cents per week, and this does not pay expenses. She feels very sorry to have to give this up as her husband, now dead, had it for nearly twenty years. But times seem to be hard and the merchants don't seem to be able to afford it, so Mrs. Cooksey notifies us that Saturday of this week will be the last day.

It seems to us that the town ought not to let this stop. Dust blowing all over town and into the stores will destroy more than 25 cents worth per week for each man in business in town, say nothing of the inconvenience to the ladies who come to town to shop. It will be so that one can not walk the streets. About one month of such false economy would show all of us what a blessing the sprinkler has been. Wake up merchants, and keep the streets sprinkled. Why not the city take the matter up or at least pay a par tof it?

CITY COUNCIL MEETS

The City Council met in regular session Tuesday night at the Keathley office with Mayor Earnest in the chair, who presided with ease and dignity. Those present were Mayor Earnest, Aldermen Burns, Moeser, Knott, Pond and Rathiff, City Assessor Keathley, City Secretary Fore, and City Attorney W. P. Leslie. Minutes of previous meetings read, amended and adopted. The following bills were then allowed:

Street improvement, A. J. Roe, 63 cents; J. C. Clark, \$5; J. T. Fulkerson, \$27.50; Joe Justice, \$22; Ernest Henderson, \$22. Printing, Whipkey Printing Company, \$5.94.

The Nations & Dulaney bill was referred to the finance committee.

City Attorney Leslie was instructed to draft an ordinance amending the present ordinances in regard to "frosty joints" so as to collect \$31.25 license instead of \$25. It was also agreed to pass an ordinance on hitching teams to trees; also one on riding bicycles on sidewalks. These ordinances will be drafted and published.

G. B. Coughran was appointed city marshal, on a salary of \$20, subject to his acceptance.

Considerable discussion was had about street improvement and the general interests of the city, after which the council adjourned.

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AN ECHO OF THE CIVIL WAR

How a Canteen Testified to the Loyalty of a Scout.

A. B. C.

A balmy May morning, way back yonder in the sixties, two Maryland boys were strolling down Pennsylvania avenue, Washington City, when they were elbowed from the sidewalk by a company of Yankee soldiers. In twenty-four hours one of the boys was fighting with Stonewall Jackson in Virginia, and the other one was en route to Texas. They never met again!

The latter boy, whose name was Randle, left a sweet little girl behind, at Hagerstown, and promised to return as soon as the war was over and make her his bride. But he never kept his promise.

For forty years no word was heard of him, yet the woman remained true to her engagement, refusing to give her hand and heart to anyone else. Every day she could be seen walking on the veranda at the old home, singing the same sweet song that she did to her lover when arm in arm they tripped over that holy ground and dreamed of a future as bright as the moonbeams that kissed their uncovered heads.

Why didn't he return? Because he had gone to his reward, and in imagination I can see him looking down from the perfumed garden of God, vainly trying to beckon her up, and throwing sweet roses over the wall, believing that they might fall on her dear old head.

One day Nic, the boy who fought with Jackson, was strolling over Santa Anna mountain, admiring the beautiful country that surrounds it. He found an old canteen, and when he picked it up a roll of paper fell out, held together by a gold ring. The paper proved to be a letter, written with a pencil. It was well wrapped and in a good state of preservation. Nic sat down on a rock, fumbled in his pocket for his glasses, and after adjusting them began to read the faded epistle. A thousand strange thoughts flashed through his brain and he wondered if really he was't dreaming, when he read the date line and found that it had been written forty years before. It ran as follows:

"Santa Anna Mountain,
July, 1862.

Miss Maryland Belt,
Hagerstown, Md.

Darling Girl—If by chance this should ever reach you it will make known my fate. I was attacked by Indians today, while bearing a message, and mortally wounded. Even now my life blood is trickling away on the rocks and soil of this mountain, where I sought refuge from the savages. I now look for the last time on the golden sun, setting behind the far away hills of west Texas. Tonight when the stars look down on my pale corpse, you will be released from that promise made under the silvery-leaved aspens of the Potomac. God grant that your future will be as happy as I had planned to make it. Give my dying love to mother and tell her all. Remember me some times, as the years roll by, and meet me up yonder where cruel wars and savage arrows can part us no more. Farewell.
RANDLE."

A big tear found its way down Nic's cheek, and he said: "Poor Randle! He deserved a better fate than that." The letter was carefully folded up and on the following day it was registered to its rightful owner at Hagerstown.

Maryland's once golden locks are now a silvery gray, her voice has lost its melody and her bright eyes have grown dim. But year after year she sits on the old porch at home; the mocking birds sing their carols in the vines about her, and the zephyrs from the meadow kiss her wrinkled brow as of yore. But she is

dead to it all, and it is only when the sun sends back its last rays from behind the western horizon that she sweetly smiles and says: "Thank God, I am nearer home; I am one day's journey closer to Randle!" Then she utters a prayer as soft as the breathing of a Jasmine bud, as pure in thought as the petals of a lily, and falls asleep to rest and wait.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT

Regular May term of the commissioners is in session this week, County Judge W. B. Crockett presiding, with Commissioners Poole, Sheffield, Landers and Baker present.

J. W. Bird, tax collector, submitted his report for quarter ending May 1st; examined and approved.

J. W. Bird, tax collector, reported amount of occupation tax collected for quarter; examined and approved.

Fred Meyer, justice of the peace precinct No. 1, reported amount of fines collected, etc., for quarter ending Nov. 8; examined and approved.

Fred Meyer, justice of the peace precinct No. 1, reported amount of fines collected etc., for Feb.; examined and approved.

Fred Meyer, justice of the peace precinct No. 1, report for quarter ending May 9; examined and approved.

J. J. Baker, justice of the peace precinct No. 2, reported amount of fines collected etc., for quarter ending May; examined and approved.

E. N. Ridens, justice of the peace precinct No. 5, reported fines collected etc., for quarters ending Nov. 1, Feb. 10, and May 11; examined and approved.

C. B. Hooper, justice of the peace precinct No. 6, reported fines etc., collected for quarter ending May 12; examined and approved.

G. F. Reeder, justice of the peace precinct No. 7, reported fines etc., collected for quarter ending Feb. 10; examined and approved.

W. Frank Robinson, county attorney, reported amount of fines collected etc., for quarter ending May 11; examined and approved.

Bell Bros., butchers at Westbrook, and J. E. Spikes, butcher at Loraine, submitted reports of animals slaughtered for quarter ending May 12; examined and approved.

Stephen E. Welch presented an application for Confederate pension; granted.

R. B. Davis of Westbrook in a letter asked for correction in tax levy on certain Westbrook lots; correction made.

J. M. May in a letter asked

change in a public road; refused because letter was not explicit enough.

Mrs. Cravens requested a price be set on a certain lot owned by the county in South Colorado. The county judge was authorized to make the best trade possible.

Dr. N. J. Phenix presented a letter from the State Health Officer about railroad fare etc. to Corpus Christi; refused.

G. W. Sweatt et al, of Westbrook, petitioned that precinct Nos. 2 and 6 be consolidated for public weigher purposes. It was ordered that justice precinct No. 2 be and the same is hereby made and consolidated for public weigher purposes with justice precinct No. 6, and those in precinct No. 2 may vote for weigher with No. 6.

W. A. Onion et al, M. Zelner et al, W. L. Joyce et al, Jay T. Smith et al, all petitioned for a second class road each in their respective communities and all were granted with the understanding that the parties interested were to donate the land and do all the work in opening up the road, building fences, etc., the county to furnish wire and posts.

R. H. Looney in the matter of erecting a fence on west line of section 71, ordered that Judge Looney be, and he is hereby directed to put up the fence on the west line of section 71, block 25, T. & P. Ry, sur. in Mitchell Co., as per his agreement with this court and for which he has been paid, and the clerk will so notify him.

H. W. Stoneham's petition for second-class road refused.

W. E. Watson et al, and T. C. Clifton et al, petitions for second class roads were passed.

Accounts against the county to amount of \$1446.31 were allowed and warrants drawn on the several funds for same. The court is still in session.

BASE BALL ATTRACTION

On next Thursday, May 21st, a ball game which promises to be the most attractive of the season, will occur between the St. Louis Stars, a female team and the Colorado nine. The lineup for Colorado will be: Bodine, catcher; Cooper, pitcher; Givens, first base; Crawford, second base; Weston, third base; Morrison, short stop; Pritchett, right field; Queen, center field; Knott, left field. Umpire, A. W. Cooksey.

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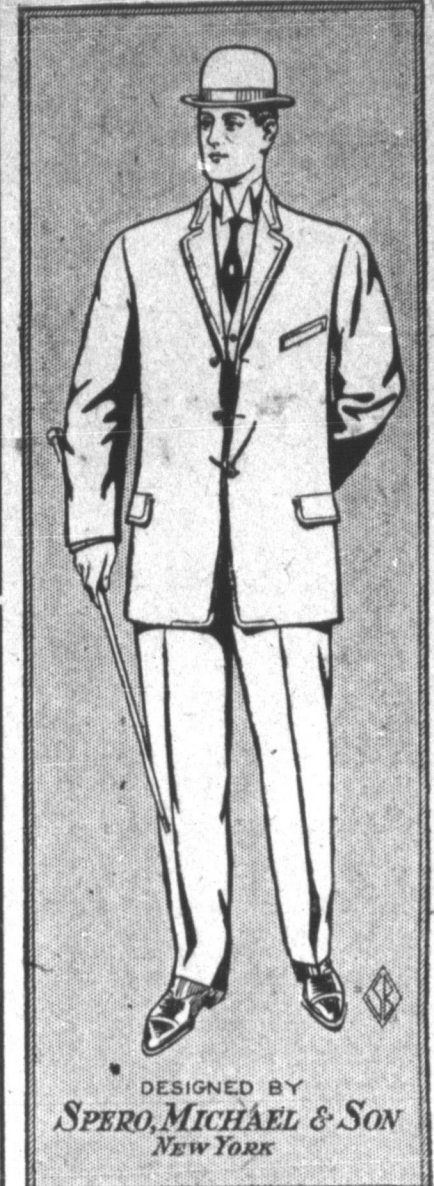
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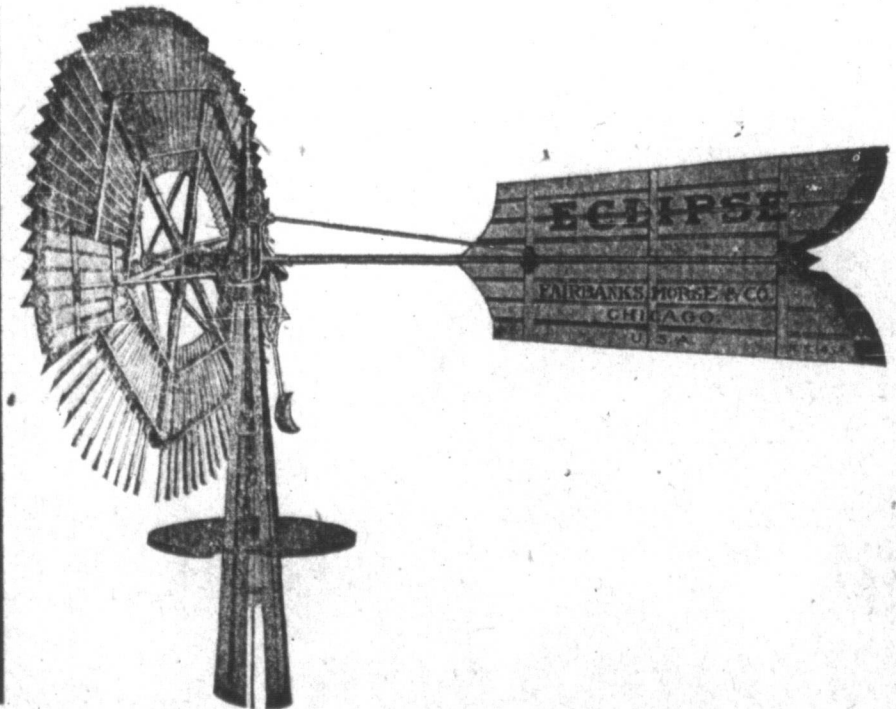


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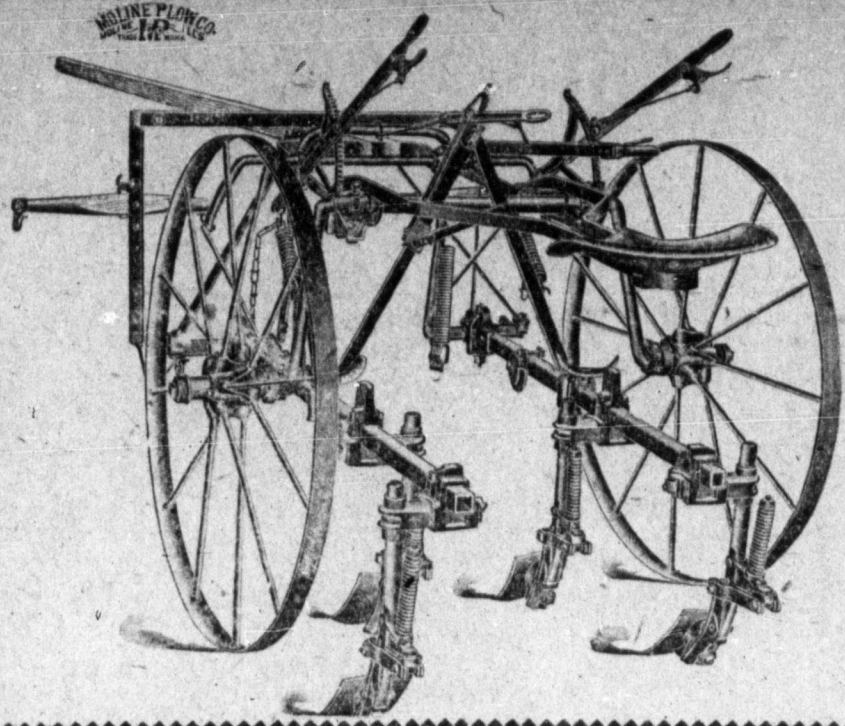
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THE SOCIETY REALM

Mrs. J. G. Merritt, Editor

The Hesperian Club met Friday with Mrs. Dupree, and enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon. The year book was read and accepted. The report of the Club's delegate to Vernon was most interestingly given. Several new members were taken in and it was decided to have an afternoon reception at the home of Mrs. W. L. Doss the 22nd of this month, there being so much business, the lesson was postponed until next week. Miss Dupree entertained the Club for a short time now with a most amusing little contest. Cards were passed with pictures, drawing, or other devices, representing the names of people here in town. This caused lots of fun. Mrs. Bromley was the only one who succeeded in getting all correct. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Phenix, at Mrs. Smith's.

The Kindergarten Association held its annual election of officers Saturday, and the following officers were put in for the ensuing year:

Mrs. Harry Landers, president.
Mrs. Fred Whipkey, vice-president.
Mrs. Ward Gross, recording secretary.
Mrs. Joseph Merritt, corresponding secretary.
Mrs. Jerome Annis, treasurer.
Mrs. J. R. Collier, parliamentarian.

The W. H. M. S. of the Methodist church met Thursday and determined to put new screens in the parsonage; also to have it wired for electric lights. To pay for these improvements they will give the Deestrick Skule the latter part of this month. Several meetings have been held already, and all the "scholars" are getting in working order.

Miss Lucille Stonerod will give her recital, which will include a cantata, the latter part of the month. Miss Stonerod's recitals are always enjoyable, and this promises to be the best she has yet given.

The W. O. W. held an unveiling service Sunday. After marching out to the cemetery in procession, the monument of Sovereign Ernest Runyan was unveiled.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy held a very interesting meeting Monday with Mrs. Gustine. A number of visitors as well as a good attendance of members were present. Miss Dry read the program for June 3d, which is President Davis' birthday, and will be celebrated by the Veterans and Daughters and their families with a picnic and basket dinner at the court house yard. The program will be given at 10:30, as follows:
Chorus, Dixie.
Address, president of the Chapter, Mrs. Edward Dupree.
Chorus.

Address, for the Veterans, Col. Thos. Q. Mullin.
Chorus.
Dinner.
Address, Rev. Holmes Nichols.
Chorus.
Bestowal of Crosses of Honor upon the Veterans by the president, Mrs. Dupree.
Song.

The Chapter decided to offer a medal for the best essay on President Davis, written by boys and girls between the ages of sixteen and eighteen. This medal to be given at the open meeting of the Chapter in the early fall.

Mrs. D. H. Snyder was appointed parliamentarian by the president. After this the program was given in an interesting manner. The hostess served delicious ice and wafers, and the Chapter adjourned to meet next month with Mrs. Dupree.

Mesdames Griswold and Crockett left Wednesday morning for Weatherford, where they will attend the W. H. M. S. Conference, as district secretary and delegate from the Colorado Auxilliary.

Lela and Irene Whipkey entertained a number of their friends Thursday from four to seven, at the home of Fannie Farmer. The guests were the members of two of the school clubs, S. S. and S. O. C., and numbered about twenty. 42 was played by some, while others enjoyed a delightful game of croquet. It would have been impossible for these young ladies to have spent a more pleasant afternoon. At a suitable hour delicious sherbet and cake, was served by the hostesses, then the S. O. Cs. had an auto ride. There was not room for all to sit, but by much squeezing all managed to get in and had lots of fun standing up and holding each other on. This was the first of the vacation parties, and is sure to be remembered as one of the most pleasant.

The Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will have an open meeting at the home of the president, Mrs. Arnett, Monday, May 18, with the following program:
Song—"Greenland's Icy Mountains."
Address—Mrs. Arnett.
Possibilities of our society—Mrs. Davies.
Song—Mrs. Collier.
Paper—The Heathen Women—Mrs. Dodson.
Reading—Mrs. Annis.
Paper—Finances—Mrs. Griswold.
Music—Miss Ophelia Arnett.
Paper—Our Work in the Foreign Field—Mrs. Jackson.
Song—Miss Byrd Blandford.
Paper—Our School—Mrs. Graves.

Every lady in the church is invited to attend this meeting.

The younger crowd of girls have organized a 42 Club of sixteen members. Miss Ophelia Arnett was made president, and Miss Ethel Majors secretary and treasurer. The first meeting will be with the president next Thursday.

Mrs. Waldo is entertaining a house party of six girls; Lillian Liles, Lillie Allen, Elizabeth Menzis, Mary Boren, Lois Prude and Eloise Shropshire. The party began Tuesday. The days are filled with picnics, drives and shopping, while the nights are gay with parties and dancing.

The Card Club met Tuesday with Miss Hughes at Mrs. Bell's. Euchre was played and a very pleasant time was had. The prizes were beautiful, the work of the hostess. The meeting next week is with Mrs. Bell.

The study Club held a very pleasant meeting with Mrs. Annis at Mrs. Collins, Wednesday. Although the wind and sand blew, a number of members and visitors were present. The program was most interesting. Mrs. Collier sang very sweetly and Mrs. Annis gave a beautiful reading. The papers on Texas Women were all good, and Mrs. Payne's on Life's Moving Picture Show was most excellent. When the program was finished an interesting little contest, the guessing of the names of flowers and fruit, was tied; Mesdames Payne and Gross got the most of these and drew for the prize, a beautiful powder box, which fell to Mrs. Payne. Mesdames Whipkey, A. J. Payne and Pierce drew for the booby, a china hair receiver, this Mrs. A. J. Payne got. Dainty refreshments of cream, macaroons and wafers were served. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Payne with the following program:

Roll Call.
Quotations from noted women.
Women in history and poetry—Mrs. Stoneham.
Women in business—Mrs. Gilbert.
Women in philanthropy and the home—Mrs. Collier.
Story told—Mrs. Pond.
Parliamentary law lesson—Mrs. Collier.

AT THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST CHURCH.
The pastor will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Text: "And now, Lord, what wait I for? My hope is in thee."—Ps. (39:7.) Last Sunday was a precious day with us, as there were three professions of faith in Christ and applicants for the ordinance of baptism, and also two additions by letter. The service was deeply spiritual and intensely evangelistic. Let us come together next Sunday morning asking the Father for another gracious meeting and He will not disappoint us. The baptismal service will be at the church next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Remember and pray for the Sunday service. All are cordially invited; strangers welcomed.

HOLMES NICHOLS, Pastor.
METHODIST CHURCH
"Preaching at 11 o'clock a. m., subject, "The Dying Need of the Church." At 8:30 p. m., Children's Day Exercises. Everybody invited.
B. W. DODSON.

CITY ORDINANCES

Adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council Tuesday, May 12, 1908:

BE IT ORDAINED, by the City Council of the City of Colorado, that the following articles be and are hereby adopted as Ordinances of the City of Colorado:

ART. 125.—Any person who shall ride any bicycle upon or along any sidewalk in this City, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$1, and not more than \$10.

ART. 126.—Any person who shall use any growing tree in or upon the streets, sidewalks or highways of the City for the purpose of hitching any horse or other animal, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine in any sum not exceeding Twenty-five Dollars.

These Ordinances to take effect and be in force from and after their publication.

Passed and approved this, 12th day of May, A. D. 1908.

C. H. EARNEST,
Mayor of the City of Colorado.

Attest: J. A. FORE,
City Secretary.

A VERY SICK MAN

Clay Boone, who lives in East Colorado and is farming the Geo. Rote farm, is very sick, either with or threatened brain fever. His brother, R. L. Boone, from Loraine, is at his bedside, and friends are doing all they can.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

See DOSS for fishing tackle.

FOR SALE—Imported Black Spanish jack; also 20 good brood mares, with colts. At a bargain. Call on or address, J. M. Terry, Colorado, Texas. 5-8tf

FOR SALE—Several hives of bees good stands in good condition for sale by C. C. GRAVES.

FOR SALE—Six-room house close to business portion of town, the property is well improved. For price and terms apply to C. W. Gill, Colorado, Texas. 2-21tf

Several head of good Jersey milk cows for sale, fresh in milk, or will trade for yearling mules. M. A. H. Hill, Teville, Texas. 12

FOR SALE or Trade for good farm, a large 8-room house and 5 acres of land in Ennis, Texas. E. H. Smith, Silver Valley, Texas. 5-22c

M. C. Knott, Fire, Tornado Insurance, and Live Stock Insurance. Old Line Companies only. Prompt settlement in case of loss. Office in St. James Block.

FOR RENT—A farm with four room house, barn, well, etc; 20 acres ready to plant; can have as much land as wanted; small pasture. Apply to JAY T. SMITH, 5 miles west of Cuthbert, Texas.

FOR SALE—A span of large iron-gray mules with good wagon and harness at a bargain. This is the team of the Davis Lumber Co., and it is a good one. Apply to DAVIS LUMBER CO. 5-22c

FOR RENT—Two nice rooms for light house keeping. Phone 266. Mrs. J. L. ROSS.

UP - TO - NOW

Once the noble man who tilled the soil;
His life was full of drudge and toil;
His ways and words were often crude
And was made the jeer of the city dude.

So busy his life he never sead
Where he could take much time to read;
But, mark the change that's on the man,
He gives you an unglowed hand.

Riding, shaded and gloved he works,
and everything hard he shirks;
The daily mail is his daily guest,
So, with all that's ago, he's fully abreast.

Would he talk to a distant friend,
To carry his words the lightnings bend.
He harnesses the murmuring wind
To pump, to churn, to wash, to grind,
Raise a garden and sprinkle his lawn,
To water his stock when he is gone.
(Nobody works but his wife)

And would you know the rest,
C. C. Graves sells the best
Windmill in the State, come see for yourself.

THE RACKET STORE

We See No Reason

Why you should not come here for your supplies of Queensware and Chinaware. We do see lots of reasons why you should. In the first place because of superiority in quality and every other excellence; in the second place because of real economy—money saving. The track a dollar travels here is bigger around than any other in town. Mark that.

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FRIDAY, MAY 15 1908.

On a time there was a young fella,
 Fell in love with a girl who was yella,
 And oft would the twain
 Promenade in the rain.
 For she was a good umber Ella.

It is well that curiosity does not kill.

It is now given out on good authority that the Austin dam will be rebuilt.

District Attorney Jerome is finding out how it feels to be in the dock himself.

Mrs. Guinness will rank with Holmes of infamous memory, in the number of murders laid to her charge.

San Angelo is the sheep market of the southwest. Fifteen thousand head were shipped from there one day last week.

E. J. Hamner last week purchased all the vacant lots on Second street between the laundry and the corner west from J. C. Prude.

Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans retired to private life at San Francisco last week, after completing the most remarkable naval trip in history.

N. A. Shaw of Bowie county is being urged to tackle Governor Campbell for a gubernatorial foot race and he has the matter under serious consideration.

The new arbitration treaty between Japan and this country should convince the most warlike jingoes that a clash between the two countries is almost impossible.

We don't know so much about the cat having nine lives, but know that some people have more than one. The oldest mason in the United States died again last week in California.

The Railroad commission has ordered the T. & P. road to make considerable improvement during the next three years, which include the laying of heavier steel between Toyah and Metz, gravel ballast between Weatherford and Fort Worth, a new depot at Abilene, and the enlargement of others.

Acting on the search and seizure law, sheriff Bird closed the Hiawatha place last Monday and thoroughly searched the place, but nothing except Hiawatha was found, and it seems to be an open question as to whether it will make one drunk. After the manager had given a replevin bond the place was re-opened for business.

Sterling P. Strong, chairman of the democratic submission committee, which has in view the submission to the people, the matter of constitutional prohibition, has announced that Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of Baylor University at Waco, and Rev. George Stuart of Georgia, the well known evangelist, will campaign the state in the interest of submission.

From the most reliable sources it is learned that Gov. Willson of Kentucky will act on the application of Caleb Powers and Jim Howard for pardon and that they both will be pardoned. It has been a strange travesty of justice that Powers, Howard and Youtsey should be prosecuted to the bitter end, while Taylor, the arch murderer and others have gone scot-free.

R. E. Smith, the Alfalfa King will be at the Mineral Wells meeting of the Texas Press Association, with an invitation from the business men of Sherman to meet next year in that city. On which occasion Mr. Smith will take the Association out to his farm and show them the entire alfalfa industry, closing the visit with a sumptuous feast, consisting in addition to many other good things, of alfalfa-fed fowls, alfalfa roast pig and veal, including whole barbecued alfalfa-fed Angora kids, after which says the circular, "each member of the association can see how easy it was for Jacob to fool his father, Isaac, with kid for venison."

We have a nice vocabulary of epithets, pet names and campaign tales that we would like to sell to those who contemplate taking a hand on either side of the coming prohibition campaign. Yarns made to fit either side, epithets that are warranted to take the hide off every crack.—Sterling City News-Record.

He's got the goods, too, boys. If you want the real spanked-and-dismissed kind of a say-back at your opponent, give the N-R your order. Bill Kellis can fix you up with a line of stufh so hot, your pen will smoke when writing it and you can spit a blister on a wash pot for a week after reading it and smell sulphur till the next election.

Score one for Mr. Fairbank. In a speech made in Chicago last Sunday he showed that he was unalterably opposed to militarism and socialism. He said, "I had rather see the people spending their money in building up great schools, churches and cathedrals than in unduly expanding armies and navies. The armies of young men and young women who are trained in the schools and universities are the armies which shall most dignify and glorify American achievement. Teach the new generation the evil effects of socialism. It levels down instead of leveling up. It is subversive of the whole purpose of republican government. It is a destroyer of the most powerful factor in our republican government, and that is individual initiative."

There are some things they do in east Texas better than we do out here; not because they know how to do it any better, but they have more of the home-made ingredients to do it with. We refer to campaign picnics and barbecues. A full-grown man, in good health and working appetite, who has never attended

such a social function in good old Van Zandt county, just at the confluent conjunction of perfection in garden, orchard, vine and poultry yard, spiced with campaign oratory and ornamented with pretty girls, has an experience coming that will ever stand apart, like the recollection of the time he kissed his first sweetheart!

If the prohibition party ever wins out in the state of Texas, it must do so of its own strength and under its own management. As long as it allows itself to be used as a "rider", by some other and stronger party, just that long will it be marked for the sacrifice. Experience tends to the conclusion that as "a party within a party", the resultant discord and dissension weakens both. For years the prohibition party was in the role of the traveler who went down from Jerusalem to Jerico and fell into trouble. While he lay grievously wounded and helpless, the Levite and then the priest passed him up as a burden and hinderance. While the prohibition party was weak and unpopular, the dominant parties passed it by—afraid to take it up; but since it has grown popular and waxed strong, they are anxious to pose as the good Samaritan. Its like the lion and the lamb lying down together—the lamb's inside the lion every time.

CONGRESSMAN SMITH

Congressman, W. R. Smith arrived home Sunday night from Washington. Talking to the Record man, Mr. Smith said, "I leave tomorrow for Stanton and other points in the west and hope to return here Saturday and speak in Colorado. Yes, congress has been kept busy. I have been at my post of duty doing all I could for my district. I secured the appropriation for a weather bureau at Abilene and believe this district will be further favored by congress before adjournment is taken."

Mr. Smith is both able and faithful; a true servant in the national congress of his people. His high personal standing at home and at Washington give him an influence beyond that of mere mental ability. He is popular with all classes, but most so with the farmers, largely for the interest he has taken in the postal service. He has aided in the establishment of a large number of rural free delivery routes, serving thousands of farmers and their families. When he was first elected to congress there was not a single rural free delivery route in the district. He will spend next week in the east end of the district and make speeches to the voters over there.

THE SOUTHERN INFLUX

During the past five years the tide into Texas has risen rapidly. In the northern, northwestern, the western and southwestern portions of this great state, are to be found thousands of people from the north. They have lately begun discovering the gulf coast country. Colonies of them are growing winter fruit and truck in the regions tributary to Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Victoria, and on eastward to the Sabide river. They are discovering that this coast country will grow oranges, figs, grape fruit, lemons, berries, and all kinds of garden truck as lavishly and perfectly as southern California, and there is now a veritable rush to get these lands.

STOP GRUMBLING

If you suffer from Rheumatism or pains, for Ballard's Snow Liniment will bring quick relief. It is a sure cure for Sprains, Rheumatism, Contracted Muscles and all pains—and within the reach of all. Price 25c, 50c, \$1.00. C. R. Smith, Tenaha, Tex. writes: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for years and have found it a fine remedy for all pains and aches. I recommend it for pains in the chest." Sold by W. L. Doss.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 25, 1908.

- For State Senator
W. J. BRYAN of Abilene
- For Representative 101st District
W. B. CROCKETT
- For District Judge 32nd Judicial District
JAMES L. SHEPHERD (re-election)
- For District Attorney of 32nd Judicial District
M. CARTER.
- For County Judge
A. J. COE.
C. S. ELLIS.
W. C. McCALLUM
- For County Attorney
W. P. LESLIE
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector
H. D. GILBERT
G. B. COUGHRAN.
ANDREW COOKSEY
JOHN S. CASH
H. L. RANSOME
- For County and District Clerk.
JESSE H. BULLOCK
EARL MORRISON (re-election)
- For County Treasurer
SAMUEL GUSTINE (re-election)
J. H. T. (Jim) JOHNSON, Jr. of Lorraine.
W. S. STONEHAM
- For Tax Assessor
L. A. COSTIN
- For Public Weigher,
W. A. LOWDER.
O. O. SHURTLEFF.
D. S. KIRK.
C. E. FRANKLIN
- For Hide and Animal Inspector
ELBERT T. COLLINS
- For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1
FRED MEYER (Re-election.)
- For Constable, Precinct No. 1
JOE H. KEY (re-election)
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
J. M. BAKER (re-election)
J. W. SIMMONS
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
W. M. GREEN
B. B. [Bob] MEGUIRE
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 3.
I. C. SHEFFIELD

Austin, Tex., May 11.—It was disclosed today that there were 160 veterans of the Mexican war now drawing pensions from the state. It was generally believed that most of these old soldiers had passed away. These veterans get more allowance than the Confederate veterans. The pension of a Mexican war veteran is \$12 per month while that of a Confederate veteran is \$4 a month. The last legislature appropriated \$25,000 for pensions for the Mexican war veterans and \$500,000 for the Confederate veterans.

City of Mexico, May 12.—The war department announces that it has no information relative to reports from Sonora of the surrender of the Yaquis Indians. They are regarded as outlaws, and all prisoners taken are dealt with judicially, according to the depredations in which they participated. The deportation policy will continue as well as breaking up of the tribal relations until they are exterminated.

Cheerfully Recommended for Rheumatism.
 O. G. Higbee, Danville, Ill., writes, Dec. 2, 1901: "About two years ago I was laid up for four months with rheumatism. I tried Ballard's Snow Liniment; one bottle cured me. I can cheerfully recommend it to all suffering from like afflictions." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by W. L. Doss.

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 First-Class Service Guaranteed
 Colorado, Texas.

THIRD SPECIAL PRIZE
A Ladies Gold Watch

Will be awarded on Saturday, June 6 to the contestant who receives the largest number of votes from May 7 until June 6 at four o'clock. The two young ladies, Misses Fox and O'Daniel, who won the first two special prizes of ten dollars cannot participate in the third special prize, but the race is open to all others who may wish to participate.

Names of Contestants

Alpine Fox, Colorado.....	70,805
Udonia O'Daniel, Colorado.....	57,830
Irene Garland, Lorraine.....	49,165
Leona Dyas, Westbrook.....	47,890
Ethel Pritchett, Colorado.....	12,630
Effie Philipps, Westbrook.....	10,195
Mrs. A. Kid, Winston.....	6,900
Pearl Allen, Winston.....	3,855
Ophelia Arnett, Colorado.....	960
Dora Mahoney, Winston.....	790
Roxie Hagler, Buford.....	240
Pearl Porter, Lorraine.....	220
Belle Hayes, Lorraine.....	180
Queen Boatler, Westbrook.....	160

The names of all young lady contestants who have received no votes up to this date have been dropped from the list. The name of any lady may be entered at any time. No one will be entitled to votes except the young ladies who solicit and bring job work, advertising and subscriptions to this office, accompanied by the cash.

The First Premium to Be Given by the Record is a D. H. Baldwin & Co's \$400.00 Piano

The Colorado Mercantile Co.

Dealers in Groceries, Hardware, Farm Implements and Vehicles will give as Second Premium
An \$85.00 Buggy
 You get 25 votes with every \$1.00 purchase at this store.

McLure-Basden & Company

Furniture and Undertakers' Goods will give as third prize
\$50 Quartered Oak, Polished Dresser
 You get 25 votes with every \$1.00 purchase at this Store.

Burns & Bell

Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries and Hardware, will give as Fourth Premium a
\$35 Valencenne Lace Dress.
 You get 25 votes with every \$1.00 purchase at this store

Colorado Drug Company

Pharmacists and Druggists' Sundries, will give as Fifth prize
\$15 Hand-Painted China Chocolate Set
 You get 25 votes with each \$1.00 purchase at this store

J. P. Majors, the Jeweler

Watches, Diamonds, Gold Jewelry, Cut Glass, Pickard Hand-Painted China, Clocks, Eastman Kodaks and Edison Phonographs. Eyes tested and Glasses fitted absolutely correct by an expert optician. Repairing. Will give as the Sixth Premium a
\$15, Gold Headed, Silk Umbrella
 You get 25 Votes with each \$1.00 purchase at this store

Hamilton-Lasseter Hardware Co.

of Westbrook Furniture, Hardware, Wagons, Buggies and Farm Implements, will furnish as the Seventh prize a fine
Quarter-sawed, Hand Polished Center Table, valued at \$15.00.
 You get 25 Votes with each \$1.00 purchase at this store

HOMER L. HUTCHINSON

FURNITURE, UNDERTAKING AND EMBALMING

The Loraine Department.

An Interesting Budget of News from our Enterprising Neighbor to the East.

BY MISS IRENE GARLAND.

Marshall Hollingsworth of Roscoe spent last week with his mother here.

D. M. Vinson and wife were in the city shopping Saturday.

A party composed of Messrs. Sheridan, Stowe, Toler, Leverton, Cowan and Hollingsworth, spent two days on Silver creek fishing and hunting last week. An abundance of fish and game was secured, and a thoroughly delightful trip is reported by each one.

A merry party of Loraineites spent a most pleasant day hunting and fishing on Champion last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Long, Misses Matthews and Blocker, and Messrs. Wimberly and Matthews, had a very enjoyable day picnicing on Champion last week. Fish and game are plentiful there, and a more delightful retreat cannot be found in the west.

Miss David, who was the guest of Mrs. Beck, returned to Palara Sunday morning.

Under the direction of Mrs. Edmondson, Miss Merrell, and other ladies, a nice program for Children's Day, which is the fourth Sunday in May, is being practiced. It will consist of a sermon, then songs, readings, and other exercises by the children.

Misses Estelle Garland, Mary and Oma Gregg visited in Roscoe Saturday.

Miss Mertie Akers of Roscoe was in town Thursday, the guest of Miss Julia Tedford.

Miss Christine McMurray is expected home from Valley Mills this week.

A meeting was held at T. O. Cowan's office Thursday and a program for the reunion of Indian fighters and Confederate veterans was arranged. The reunion will take place here on the 8th of July.

C. Y. Hicks and wife have moved to their pretty new residence, just out of town.

Mr. Flaniken and wife arrived Friday and will make this their future home. They occupy the residence vacated by C. Y. Hicks.

Ney Sheridan spent Sunday in Sweetwater.

Miss Robertson of Big Springs is the guest of Mrs. Jesse Montgomery.

Miss Maggie Joiner, who spent the winter here with her sister, returned to her home at Paris Thursday. The young lady has formed many friends here and all wish for her return.

Mr. Hart and wife returned to Hamlin Friday night, after a very pleasant visit at the home of W. T. Pridgen.

W. S. McCreight left Tuesday for Burk Burnett, Texas, where he will visit friends for a while.

Col. H. R. Looby and family have returned from Mineral Wells.

Joe Flaniken has returned from a trip to Lamesa and other western points.

Miss Beula Edmondson, who has been attending college at Abilene the past winter, returned home Saturday night.

A fine rain fell here Tuesday. The young crops were badly needing it.

Misses Ethel and Florence Thomas, accompanied by Messrs. Cannon and Pagan of Winston, attended church at Lone Wolf Sunday.

T. C. Beck visited in Sweetwater Sunday.

Eugene Brown and wife, of Zellner community, were in our city shopping Friday.

Rev. Phelan filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mrs. Len Hinson is confined to her room by a painful attack of illness. Mr. Hinson has not returned, as was stated last week, but is also ill at his old home in Clarksville, Texas.

F. B. Whipkey of Colorado was in town Friday in the interest of the Record.

Miss Sallie Morris left last week for Big Springs, where she will visit her brother.

Mrs. Boykin is visiting relatives in town.

In honor of Miss Joiner, Misses Oma and Annie Gregg entertained a number of the young friends Thursday evening. Music, games and conversation filled the evening.

The following program will be rendered the fourth Sunday in May, Children's Day, at the Methodist church:

Opening song, by the school.
Responsive reading class No. 1.
Song, class No. 6.
Prayer.

Welcome address, Opal Templeton.

Greeting, Alphonso Donehue.
Welcome, seven little people.
Song, primary class.
Song, Rock of Ages, Miss Merrell's class.

Quartette.
Reading, Faith, Hope.

Vocal solo, Miss Estelle Garland.

Recitation, Love.

Exercise, Chain of Gold.

Near the Cross.

Song, class No. 3.

Exercises, children's offering.

The Ladder of Life.

Reading, May White.

Reading, Florence Thomas.

Reading, Miss Lela Pruitt.

Solo, Jessie Hall.

Reading, Willie Martin.

Reading, John Grace.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. H. D. Brown and family desire to thank their friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown and help given during the illness and death of the husband and father, H. D. Brown, on May 5th. The family consists of a sorrowing widow, seven sons and a daughter, who all feel very grateful to the friends for assistance through this sad period, and stand ever ready to return the kind acts when opportunity is presented.

GANDERBONE'S MAY FORECAST

Wake me early, mother darling,
When the east is growing grey,
For I'm to be queen of the May,
mother,
I'm to be queen of the May.

Put the alarm clock close beside you

To announce the break of dawn
For I must rustle out, mother,
And get my glad rags on.

Wake me early, mother darling,
For I've business to be at,
For I'm to be queen of the May,
mother,

I have the biggest hat.

The pass-word for the month will be, "What's the score?" Book installments will be paid on the 1st. Gas meters will run slower, and presidential candidates will run faster. Pride, which has been going before a fall, will go behind a go-cart. Strawberry measure will be:

Twelve quarts make a crate,
One pint makes a quart,
Top berries make a sale,
Nobody makes a kick.

Mr. Taft will appear at Chicago, and engage quarters in the garage for one 40 horse power elephant, and one 90 horse power Teddy Bear. Mr. Bryan will start for Denver in a 1 mule power runabout. Congress will adjourn about the 16th, and the members will go home and explain.

The watchful tabbycat will get,
The helpless little flicker,
And the prohibitionists will set
A few more traps for liquor.

The sun will rise at 6 o'clock and go to bed at 7; and the sweet June bride will contemplate the near approach of Heaven. The breath of May will bring the fern, the rose and buttercup, and the farmer's wife will milk and churn before the men get up. The boys will skin the slippery-elm with Jimmie's barlow-knife, and the ice man will be out to skin the innocent housewife. The frog will sound a richer bass from rivers and ravines, and man will tone his system up with saffras and greens.

And then the city boarder will
Begin to correspond
With some bucolic country place
Of which his wife is fond.

The host will promise country fare,

The most revered of boons,
And place his order up at town
For seven tons of prunes.

The graduate will choose a theme for his great June oration, and plan to tell us what is good for this neglected nation; and the music school will graduate Ophelia and Viola, and when they both come home they'll buy themselves a pianola.

The thrasher will descant at eve
Upon the passing day,
The festive colt will fill his tum
With prophylactic hay;

The chicken hawk will pounce
Upon

The fat buff-cochin fries,
And the horse will whirl his tail-piece at

The all-tarnation flies.

The Saxons called the month Tri-Milki, because at this season the dairyman makes his milk of three parts—one part milk, one part water, and one part formaldehyde.

May is from the Latin Maius, just as June takes its name from Juniores, the Juniors. That is,

this is a month when old heads are at their best, and young men like Bill Taft and Ted Roosevelt will have to look out for old tops like Uncle Joe Cannon and Uncle John Rockefeller. About the 25th, nobody much will care to bet that Uncle Joe will not be nominated for president, or that Uncle John will pay that thirty million dollar fine.

May is a bad month to wed in. Because, we are told, it is said in Such cases the stork, As a custom, begins The young husband's troubles, O horrors, with twins.

After the 23d, May will be under the influence of Gemini, the sign of the arms. Boys born in Gemini will want to bear arms. They will be soldiers and work for the government at \$13 a month. Gemini people are restless. They move all the time, and you always have to ask them where they are living now. They have brilliant imaginations, and think Bryan will have a walk over. They are foolish, and think Taft won't get the colored vote. They are brutally honest, and generally tell the young mother that her baby is ugly.

The June announcements will be made, and Madam Gould will don her fighting cap and say that she will marry Prince Sagan; whereat her Boni, whom she had to forcibly detach, will challenge Helie to come out and fight a spitting match. The Prince will buy some navy plug, and Bonny buy the same, and both will hurry to the field of sudden death or fame; and while the doctors hurry up, lest some bold fighter dies, the dudes will spit tobacco juice in one another's eyes. The seconds will cheer on the fight, the band will play a tune, and Boni will hit his Helie with a silver-ribbed spittoon; receiving which the doughty Prince will down him in the mud, and wash his hated features with a wet tobacco cud.

And then John D. will get in line, With sundry growls and hollers, And pay his June installment on That thirty million dollars:

ANTI-SPITTING CRUSADE

Everybody should help stop the public spitting habit, by sending a two-cent stamp today for our attractive, unique hanger card which warns against spitting nuisances. People will take notice of this card and once seen, never forgotten. Address Dominocards Co., 1807 Chouteau, St. Louis, Mo.

North Platte, Neb. May 12.—Admiral Evans passed through here on the Union Pacific Overland this morning and stopped long enough to hobble to the rear of the train and make a short speech, in which he said: "We will always have war just as long as we have anything worth fighting over, and the more battleships and fewer statesmen we have, the longer we will have peace."

CISTERN WORK

I will put in cisterns of any size and guarantee them for any length of time. I also repair cisterns; work guaranteed. 51st W. R. HATHCOX.

See those double reservoir pens at the Record office, same price as ordinary pens.

J. L. DOSS, President.
F. E. MCKENZIE, Vice-President.
J. E. HOOPER, Cashier.

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For a Moment

We are now in our new quarters in the big brick building occupied by the Frank Greene livery stable, and having received our new Blacksmith Tools, we are now prepared to do your blacksmith work, plumbing, gasoline engine repairing, automobile repairing, etc., on short notice. Also :

Galvanized Tanks, Windmill Work a Specialty

The best equipped shop in West Texas. Give us a call.

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Colorado, Texas

SCOTT & NUNN

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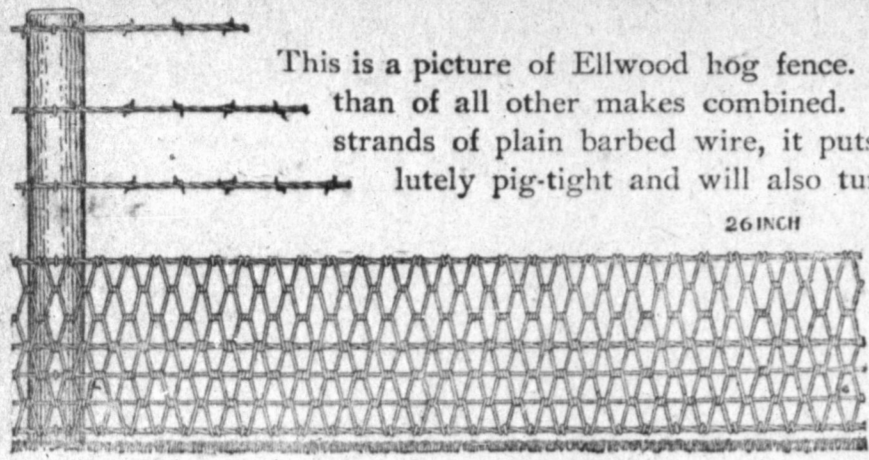
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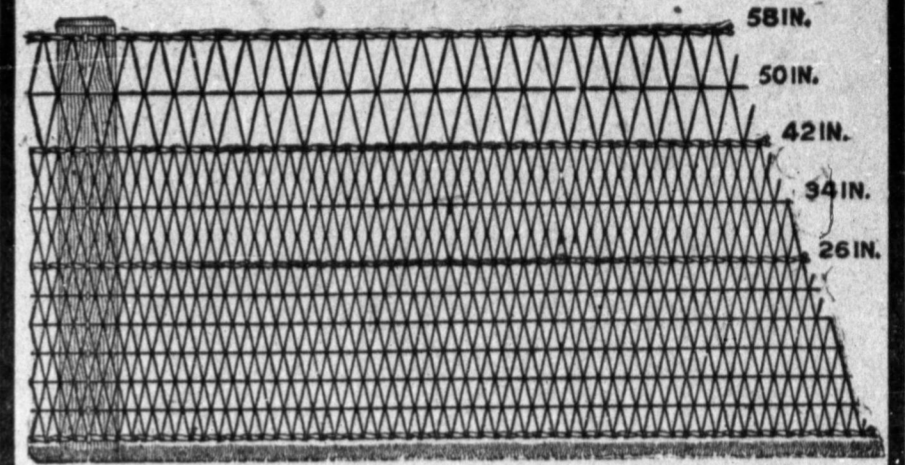
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

PERSONAL MENTION

Insist upon DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles. Sold by W. L. Doss.

A petition was presented this week to M. C. Ratliff asking him to announce for the office of Justice of the Peace, for Precinct No. 1.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are small, safe, sure and gentle little pills. Sold by W. L. Doss.

Messrs Osborn and Brown of the South and West Texas Land Co., owners of the Bush & Tillar ranch, were in Colorado this week on business.

M. M. Allen, aged 84 years, died at his home at China Grove last Monday. He was buried at Dunn the following day.

Coggin & Coggin carried a big crowd of prospectors from Illinois up to the Bush & Tillar ranch Tuesday. They were met at Iatan with a dozen hacks and surreys. They all come with the view of buying land and locating.

We learn from John Cooper that he and his brother Tom P. Cooper will establish a weekly newspaper at Tyler at an early date.

When your food seems to nauseate take Kodol. Take Kodol now and until you know you are right again. There isn't any doubt about what it will do and you will find the truth of this statement verified after you have used Kodol for a few weeks. It is sold here by W. L. Doss.

Col. Jim Woods, an old timer in Colorado, but now a resident of Big Springs, passed through here Sunday night en route to Mineral Wells, a delegate to the Grand Lodge of Eagles.

When in town and hungry, go to Jake's restaurant. He will please you.

Drs. W. R. Smith and N. J. Phenix are both absent this week attending the State Medical Association at Corpus Christi.

L. W. Sandusky is attending court this week at Weatherford, where he has been employed to assist in prosecuting the man who killed State Ranger White.

Royall G. Smith again spent this week in Waco, courting.

Ed W. Smith, a brilliant attorney here, has business with the courts at Stanton and Odessa this week.

W. M. Caruthers of Ira, and A. A. Bynum of Cuthbert, came in Monday and subscribed for the Record. Mr. Bynum had his charged to our old friend D. T. Bozeman, and said when it was paid he would subscribe for another copy to send east.

ART CLASS CONTINUED

I will continue my class for two months longer, at the art room in the High School building. Pupils can take oil, water colors, charcoal, crayon, drawing, or china painting. I have just received a new, modern kiln for firing china, which will be a great help to my students in this department. I will give special attention to china painting, and will fire for anyone at the regular rates. Orders for this line of work solicited.

MISS NELL STOWERS.

Don't neglect to hear Congressman Smith speak tomorrow (Saturday.)

DOSS, your druggist, wants to see you.

Mrs. A. C. Ozmer died at her home in east Colorado, Tuesday evening, in the 47th year of her age. Interment in Odd Fellows cemetery Wednesday afternoon, Rev. B. W. Dodson conducting the services.

J. Max Thomas went to Mineral Wells this week to try the curative properties of the water there on his rheumatism.

Mesdames Crockett and Griswold attended the meeting of the District Home Mission Society of the Methodist church at Weatherford this week.

Mrs. Walter Stoneham has spent the week in the country with her husband, who is on a surveying trip in Sterling county.

Joe Merritt went to Rendrebrook Thursday to dip a herd, the "Spades" are going to move to the plains.

J. Y. Webb, southern manager of the Franklin Life Insurance Co. with headquarters at Dallas, Texas, was here Wednesday in the interest of the company. He is the right man in the right place and is pushing his company in west Texas. The home of this company is at Springfield, Ill., and though it has not been in Texas as long as some others, it has leaped to the very forefront among the life insurance companies, by reason of its solidity, its promptness and the generous conditions of its policies. Mr. G. D. Adams is the local agent here and is building up a splendid business for the company. If contemplating taking out a policy, it will pay you to investigate the merits of the Franklin.

R. P. Browder, editor of the Mitchell County News, was here yesterday from Westbrook.

M. M. Allen, who lived at China Grove, near Dunn, died on Tuesday of this week and was buried Wednesday.

The Record and The Dallas Semi-Weekly News only \$1.50.

CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAM

At the Methodist church Sunday night, May 17, 1908:

Opening song, school. Prayer, Rev. B. W. Dodson. Responsive reading, superintendent and school.

'The Apostles' Creed, congregation.

Scripture lesson, pastor.

Greeting, Pool Robertson.

Song, Little Ones Like Me, primary department.

Recitation, Faith, 5 children.

Song, Building, Mary Jackson.

Recitation, Hope, 4 children.

Recitation, Love, 4 children.

Song, Joy Bells, school.

Exercise, A Chain of Gold, 12 children.

Song, Lula Mae Dulaney.

Recitation, The Common Offering, Hazel Fore.

Recitation, Sunbeams, Lorena Smith.

Recitation, What Have We Done Today, Eril King.

Song, Little Sunbeams, primary department.

Exercise, Near the Cross, several children.

Superintendent's talk, J. H. Basden.

Collection, 4 girls.

Song, Love Divine, school.

Benediction, pastor.

Services will begin at 8:45.

Everybody cordially invited.

TO EX-CONFEDERATES

Albert Sidney Johnston Camp No. 113, U. C. V., Colorado, Texas, is officially informed that the rate to and return from the Confederate Reunion at Birmingham, Ala., on June 9, 10 and 11, will be \$18.45. Tickets will be on sale at Colorado, Texas, June 6, 7 and 8, good to return until June 20, and gives you choice of routes, via Memphis, Tenn., Vicksburg, Miss., or New Orleans, La.

L. H. WEATHERLY, Commander.

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Senator Joe Bailey showed 'em in Texas, very probably because such a large section of the population is from Missouri.—Atlanta Journal.

No present would be more appreciated by wife or sweetheart than the Ladies Home Journal. See Mrs. A. L. Whipkey,

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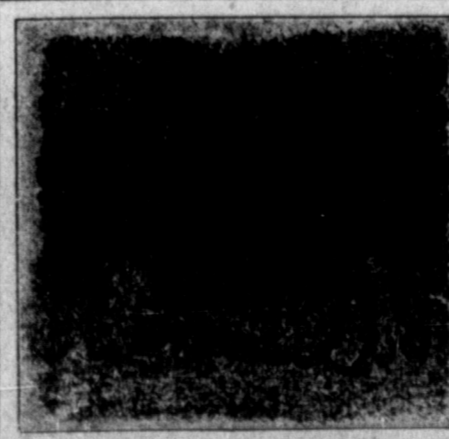
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RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS

The Board of Trustees of the Westbrook Independent School District takes upon itself this day to offer resolutions of gratitude to the present teacher and assistant, Mr. Alonzo Phillips and wife, of the Westbrook school:

Be it resolved, that an order be placed on the minutes of the books of the Westbrook Independent School District, commending the work of the present teachers in their pains-taking care and supervision over the children throughout their services for the present session.

In view of the fact that the house is by far inadequate to the number of pupils that attend the school, and besides the town is yet in its incipency, so far as the school interest is concerned, and for the teachers to give the almost universal satisfaction as they did, we most heartily endorse them as good, worthy and christian school teachers.

And especially to Mrs. Phillips we are forced to say, without the least fear of anyone's disapproval, that her efforts here in behalf of the children's interest is worth the note of any patrons, of any school, anywhere.

We recommend them to anyone desiring a teacher as principal or assistant, for we verily believe they will be in all things faithful to the duties imposed on them in school, and all work that tends to build up the country.

A. PETTY, President.
E. S. HUDSON, Secretary.

In view of Senator Bailey's threat that he "drive his enemies into the gulf," it seems he has made them take water.—Atlanta Constitution.

LODGE RESOLUTIONS

To the Master, Wardens, and Brethren of Mitchell Lodge No. 563, A. F. & A. M.:

Whereas, the Supreme Grand Master of the Universe has seen fit to remove our Brother H. D. Brown from this earthly lodge to that Supreme and All Glorious Lodge above; therefore be it

Resolved, that by the translation of our brother, our lodge has lost a faithful member, the state a good and faithful citizen and his family a true and faithful father and counselor;

Resolved, (2) that we tender to the bereaved family our sincere sympathy, and trust the hope of immortality which sustained our Brother in his life, may sustain them in this hour of bereavement and sorrow.

Resolved, (3) that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes and a copy furnished to the bereaved family.

Respectfully Submitted,
Holmes Nichols,
B. W. Dodson,
Committee.

WINSTON NOTES

We have had a splendid rain in consequence of which the farmers are happy and—busy.

Mrs. Mosley is on the sick list this week.

Most of the farmers in this vicinity will have to replant their cotton on account of the cold weather.

Mrs. Effie Kidd is reported on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Anna Kidd and children are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

A. C. Kidd left for Dawson county last week to be present at the nuptials of his sister, Miss Emily, to Mr. Alvin Marshall, at that place.

The Champion school closed last Friday and Miss Wadworth, the teacher, will leave this week for her home. We regret very much to see her leave, and most especially will Mr. Robt. Wells regret to speak the parting words.

Misses Lasis and Eunice Griffin were shopping in Loraine on Saturday.

The party at Mr. Hildebrand's Saturday night was sublime.

Miss Tommie Bills visited Miss Hallie Martin.

Much visiting was done in the community the past week.

I suspect the wedding bells will be ringing again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Beights visited their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Holoman of Pyron last week.

Next Sunday is foot washing day at the Primitive Baptist church at Valley View and dinner on the ground. Everybody is invited to attend.

Misses Wadsworth and Griffin visited Miss Della Baker last week.

SUNSHINE.

SCREEN DOORS.

Yes, we have lots of them; come and select what you want.

A. J. ROE.

BUFORD BRIEFS

Buford is a nice village north of town and a good place to visit.

Bro. Gibbs, the Baptist pastor, filled his day there Sunday. A good crowd was present and an interesting meeting was held. Six joined the church and a nice collection for missions was taken and a committee appointed looking to the building of a church. Half the money has been promised and they will be in town for the lumber this week. Colorado helped them quite substantially.

We went to Bro. J. T. Daughtrey's, which is a splendid place to go. His noble girl stayed at home on Saturday and got us a nice dinner. Turnip greens and chicken and other good things. The trouble about such cooking is the young men find it out and away goes the girl to cook for some one else.

Bro. Smith's is a good place to go. I can prove it by a young man who lives near Colorado. He stopped by Sunday morning to water his horses, and appears very much interested in the church up there, or something;

And Bro. Bass—I thought I would leave him out, because he said in Alabama they cultivated 15 acres to the hand and made 4 or 5 bales of cotton, but he cultivated 105 acres last year and made 60 bales—\$3,300 worth of cotton.

Now it is not right to set up such a standard; we can not keep up with it. The first thing he knows the neighbors will run him off.

Of course we went to Brother Neal's. He is from Louisiana, but he apologized and said he came away as soon as he learned of west Texas.

Bro. Wilson has just launched his bark on the agricultural sea, having been a railroader. What an excellent dinner; what a magnificent woman. Ask Bro. Gibbs if we ate anything. As I sat across from her at the table, where she presided with such grace and dignity, I had to keep repeating that commandment which says: "thou shalt not covet; thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's —" and then I had to step on my corns. Anybody would.

There was a vein of sadness when we called on another Bro. Neal, who is rapidly declining with some incurable disease. He told us of his abiding faith and trust in Christ. God comfort his orphan children: their mother is dead.

Well yes, it blew some, but I noticed the young men could manage their teams with one hand and have the other to help the girls keep their wraps from blowing away.

Oh, the young men and the buggies! You Colorado girls are not in it. I just begged them to ask me to come back, but they only consented to consider the matter and let me know later.

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LOCALS

Moeser sells it for less.
Window screens and screen door at Burton-Lingo Co.

J. O. Dendy becomes a new subscriber this week. Mr. Dendy has recently moved here from Marshall county, Alabama, and is well pleased with the Colorado country.

Base ball and all kinds of sporting goods at DOSS'.

Nice cypress lumber for window and door screens at Burton-Lingo Co.'s.

Mrs. Tom Morgan and children left Thursday for a visit to her mother in Clarendon.

If found in a drug store, DOSS has it.

The many friends of Mrs. Carter will be pleased to know that she has recovered from her recent illness.

Fishing tackle of every kind at DOSS'. We guarantee success with our goods.

Mr. Doss, who has been visiting his sons, left Thursday for his home in Alabama.

H. B. Smoot and wife left Sunday night for Galveston, where Mr. Smoot will be treated.

I have a nice variety of shade and ornamental trees; see me for prices. A. J. Culpepper.

Fancy stationery, in all the latest styles at DOSS'.

Rev. B. W. Dodson will deliver a lecture on Memory at the Stamford Collegiate Institute during their commencement exercises the last of the month.

Plain and fancy screen doors, all sizes, and window screens at Burton-Lingo Co.'s.

Mrs. Martha B. Smoot is with Mrs. Vincent while her son is away.

See Burton-Lingo Co.'s line of doors and window screens before you buy.

Mrs. Milburn, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Doss, leaves Friday for her home near Weatherford.

Hot coffee and chilli at Vincent's.

Mrs. Stanger, who has been visiting her brothers, J. L. and W. L. Doss, left Thursday for her home in Weatherford.

For Fire or Tornado Insurance see E. Keatley at Dr. Coleman's office.

Mrs. Henry Doss is spending the week on the ranch with Mrs. Bert Wulfjen.

See my line of trees and get prices before ordering elsewhere. A. J. Culpepper.

Mrs. D. N. Arnett, Tyson Gilbert and Junius Merritt spent a part of the week at the Rendrebrook ranch.

Beautify your home; Culpepper will sell you roses and shrubbery cheap.

Mrs. Landers returned home Saturday, after having spent a week with her sister, Mrs. Ross, at Westbrook.

Cascasweet is for babies and children, and is especially good for the ills so common in hot weather. Look for the ingredients on the bottle. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by W. L. Doss.

O. M. Mitchell has been quite sick at his home in East Colorado the past two weeks, but is now slowly improving. Some of his brother cotton buyers say it was the election that made him sick.

No present would be more appreciated by wife or sweetheart than the Ladies Home Journal. See Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.

Jay T. Smith, a good friend of the Record's, spent several days here this week from his ranch near Cuthbert, buying supplies, etc. Mr. Smith bought a large lot of the Bush & Tillar ranch and is locating a colony and putting in some fine farms.

Best and purest perfumes in the state at DOSS'.

Dr. Willis Smith was called to Dallas last week to attend the funeral of an aunt.

Beautiful new patterns in wall paper at DOSS'.

Ed. J. Hamner and Walter Carter attended the Pecos court this week.

Let Culpepper sell you a bill of fruit trees.

John S. Vaughn went to Mineral Wells Monday in the hope that his rheumatism might be benefited.

Mr. John Riba of Vining, Ia., says, "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold." Sold by W. L. Doss.

I have pleased hundreds of people at my restaurant. Why not you? Try me. Jake Maurer.

Lay Powel of Colorado was here Tuesday. He reports his part of the country in fine shape.

I have everything in the fruit tree line; give me a trial order. A. J. Culpepper.

L. C. Dupree of Colorado attended our county court this week.—Sterling News.

Laces, Embroideries, White Lawn, Figured Lawns, Bleached Domestics, Unbleached Domestics, Parasols and Fans, are some of the goods you can save money on by buying from GLISSON.

J. C. Wilmarth, representing the El Paso Herald, was looking after the interests of that splendid paper in Colorado Tuesday and incidentally attending the congressional pow-wow of our republican friends and neighbors, the enemy.

Now is the time to paint; see DOSS for paints and oils.

Kodol completely digests all classes of food. It will get right at the trouble and do the very work itself for the stomach. It is pleasant to take. Sold by W. L. Doss.

The gentle rain could not have come at a more opportune time for gardens and fields as well.

The partnership existing between Thurmond & Sandusky in the practice of law, is dissolved.

The tent revival, conducted by Rev. J. L. Brasher of Alabama, begins today. The co-operation of all christians is earnestly requested, and the public is invited to attend these meetings and hear the old time gospel with the old time power.

Wall paper in new styles at DOSS'. Extra low price on closing out patterns.

Prof. C. L. McDonald was re-elected superintendent of the city schools at a meeting of the school board last Saturday, for another year.

DOSS, the old reliable druggist

The consensus of opinion with the farmers is that this will be an unusually fine crop year.

Mrs. R. B. Terrell and children spent Saturday at Westbrook with Mr. Terrell.

Rev. J. E. H. Galbraith and family left last week for Waverly Mills, S. C., of which parish Mr. Galbraith will be rector.

Mrs. Nellie Shroeder, who was taken to Big Springs for treatment, has returned much improved but not wholly recovered.

Miss Hattie McKell of Tehoka, is in the city visiting friends.

Fancy box candies at DOSS'.

Just because the session of the public school is over, is no reason your boy has stopped learning. If he is turned loose on the street to go where and do what he pleases, he will gravitate to vicious associations and acquire hurtful habits. No boy can be better than the crowd he associates with, and the influence over and impressions upon a boy, which has taken teacher and parents years to secure, can be destroyed and lost by evil association during one vacation. Keep the boy busy and make his own home as pleasant and as attractive as other places.

RECORD PIANO SHIPPED

A letter from the Vernon Music Co., at Wichita, Kansas, says: "We will order the Piano shipped from the factory at once and we trust same will reach you promptly and in good condition."

This piano should arrive at farthest by the first of June.

NO SHOOTING ALLOWED

All persons are hereby warned not to do any shooting in or around the suburbs of Colorado, under penalty of the law.

FRED MEYER, J. P.

ATTENTION DEMOCRATS

The Mitchell County Democratic Club is requested to meet at the court house on Saturday, May 16th at 2 o'clock p. m. Ladies and people of all political parties are cordially invited to attend.

Hon. W. R. Smith, our member of congress will address the meeting.

J. T. HARNES, Pres.
W. B. CROCKETT, Sec.

Have pleased many others why not let me please you? A. J. Culpepper.

LOOK OUT BOYS

There are a few boys in town, and some of them are nearly grown, who are going to get into trouble first thing they know. They go out to edge of the corporate limits of the city, with target rifles and shoot at everything that looks like a bird, and when they can't find the birds to waste cartridges at, they try a few rounds at most any thing that appeals to their spirit of sheer devilry, regardless of the direction or distance of their shots. This is not only a flagrant violation of the law, but an imminent menace to life and limb of all who pass along. Complaints are made particularly by those who have to cross Lone Wolf bridge on Second street. They say it is nothing unusual to hear the bullets whistle across the road. One or two of the chief offenders are spotted and a fair warning to all appears in this issue by the Justice of this precinct.

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