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COLORADO, MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1906.

WHIPKEY PRINTING CO.

The Colorado Drug Company

THE COLORADO DRUG CO cordially invites you to be present and participate in their FORMAL OPENING on Friday, June eighth, nineteen hundred and six. 9 a. m. to 7 p. m.

The Colorado Drug Company

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The following names compose the grand jury for this term of the district court, which was empaneled Monday: J. W. Bird, foreman, J. S. Barber, H. C. Caldwell, J. F. Clayton, T. J. Fee, G. B. Coughran, J. B. Dorn, G. W. Maskey, J. W. Smilansky.

The criminal docket has been set for Monday, June 11, the case of J. H. DeMoss being set for June 13, and a special venire of ninety men summoned for the trial of this case.

District court convened June 4th, Hon. J. L. Shepperd, presiding judge.

The following cases have been tried:

Lovelady & Stokes vs T. & P. Railroad Co., suit for damages; verdict for the plaintiff for the sum of \$700.

Joe Stokes vs T. & P. Ry Co. suit for damages; judgment for plaintiff for \$157.75.

Stole Watch and Money.

Bob Crawford is minus a watch and chain valued at \$40.00 and \$25.10 in cash, and his night man Arnold Nowak, is loser to the extent of ninety cents, as the result of unthoughtedly leaving the door unlocked to the room in which they slept last Friday night.

As it was raining when they closed the restaurant that night Mr. Crawford decided to sleep with Arnold in his room in the Simpson building and while they were soundly sleeping a thief entered the room, picked up both pair of pants belonging to them, carried them to the rear of the Trammel building, where he rifled the pockets and left the pants on the ground, where they were found next morning.

The thief was kind enough to leave Mr. Crawford's bunch of keys in his pocket. The watch was a gold filled 20-year case with 15-jeweled Elgin movements. The letters S. R. C. are engraved on the outside of the watch.

Mr. Crawford states that he hasn't the slightest idea who the thief is, and the officers have no clue so far, upon which to work.

New Maple Floor.

The Colorado Skating Rink Company put down a fine maple floor last week, and on Tuesday night of this week gave a grand opening. A large crowd attended and those who enjoy this fascinating sport pronounced the new floor par excellence. The Record management was tendered the courtesies of the evening and enjoyed seeing some splendid skating both by ladies and gentlemen.

Attractions at the "Favorite."

The "Favorite" Auditorium announces that on Thursday evening, June 14th, they will give the comical "Obstacle Race," which will be participated in by four of the best young men racers of Colorado. When this race was given in Abilene no less than 1200 people attended, and it was the greatest hit of the season from a standpoint of novelty in roller skating. During this race the boys are required to stop and saw wood, jump handles, climb through barrels, and do several other comical stunts before reaching goal. Regular prices for this attraction. Don't forget the date.

School Board Meeting.

The school board held three meetings Monday and Tuesday, considering bids for seats and blinds for the new school building and chairs for the auditorium. The following firms were represented: Texas Seating Co., Ft. Worth, by J. B. Alverson; C. A. Bryant & Co., Dallas, by H. R. Westlake; A. H. Andrews & Co., Houston, by C. H. Myers. After giving each careful consideration, 240 school desks, four teacher's desks, 300 venetian blinds were ordered from the firm of C. A. Bryant & Co., and 408 opera chairs for the auditorium from A. H. Andrews & Co.; the total cost about \$2,000. The matter of electing a music teacher was still further deferred.

A letter was received from Mr. E. K. Barton of Cabeda, accepting the position offered, and will have charge of the department of English.

A Runaway.

On Tuesday about noon the float team of Roy Carley ran away and in trying to check them Mr. Carley was knocked down, the heavy float passing over his body though fortunately no bones were broken, and he escaped with only severe bruises and a painful cut on the head.

The Bankrupt Store No More.

Mr. A. G. Hubbard, a prominent citizen and banker of Paris, Texas, was in the city Monday and Tuesday of this week, looking after his business here, the Bankrupt Store. In conversation with Mr. Hubbard he informed us that he has placed the business in the hands of his two sons, Messrs W. E. and J. H. Hubbard, who will run it on under the name of "Hubbard's." They have taken a lease on the Snyder building, which will be repaired and fixed up, and they will put in an up-to-date line of new dry goods, shoes, gents' furnishings, clothing, etc. These young men have had considerable experience in the dry goods business, and are model young men, of high integrity, and will make the business second to none in this country. Mr. Hubbard will look after the financial part of the concern, which means that the young men will have ample capital on which to conduct the enterprise. The Bankrupt Store will be known no more, but instead it will be "Hubbard's." We bespeak for them great success. See their ad in this issue.

C. A. Goodwin sells the "C it Drop" planter best on earth, try it.

Piano Demolished.

Messrs. Thompson & Epps, piano salesmen from Big Springs, lost a valuable piano last Thursday at Loraine, caused by the team of horses they were driving to the wagon running away, overturning the wagon and completely demolishing the piano.

They brought the pieces of the instrument to Colorado and left them at the piano house of W. T. Smith.

Honoring Confederate President.

The banks throughout the state were closed on Monday in commemoration of the birthday anniversary of Jefferson Davis, the president of the Confederacy.

The last legislature made his birthday a legal holiday and it was specified that when June 3d comes on Sunday the following Monday was to be observed as the holiday, hence Monday was the first time that holiday has been observed in Texas.

Will Do Contract Work.

I will make estimates and bids on any or all kinds of brick or stone buildings, or concrete and cement work of any kind. See me at the new school building or address me at Colorado, Texas.

F. W. LOERCH.

Sad Tidings.

Mrs. John Greenwood received the sad news Saturday of the death of her mother, Mrs. Chas. Stimpson at her home in Plainfield, N. J. This was a great shock to her, as only a few days previous she had received a letter from her, and had no intimation of her illness. Her hosts of friends deeply sympathize with her in her bereavement.

Meat Markets to Close Early.

We take this means of notifying the public and our patrons that beginning Monday, June 11th, we will close our meat markets promptly at 8 o'clock p. m. until further notice. Secure meats before that time, as we will positively close promptly at 8 o'clock every evening.

C. L. GRABLE,
H. D. GILBERT.

To the Public.

After June 11th no orders for coal or wood will be filled unless accompanied by the cash, or paid for on delivery. Being required to pay in advance for my stock of fuel, necessitates me requiring the same of my customers.

H. F. WHEELER.

Grapholastic Paint not only preserves metal of any kind but lasts longer than any other paint made. Call phone 190 or see L. G. Doby.

Death of George Major.

Geo. Major, for many years a resident of Colorado, but for the past three or four years a resident of El Paso, died in the latter place on Tuesday at 9:30 of typhoid fever. The body will arrive here on the morning train and be buried by the Masonic fraternity Friday afternoon.

Mr. Major was a brother-in-law to J. E. Hooper, and has a number of relatives and a host of friends in this place. He was a genial, attractive man, and his friends are legion.

Methodist Church.

Preaching morning and evening by the pastor, Miss Davis of Oklahoma City will sing at both services.

Church Notice.

Preaching at the Baptist church next Sunday by the pastor. Topics: 11 a. m. "Christ in the heart." 8:30 p. m. "Christ in symbol." All are cordially invited to attend.

Alumni Association.

In accordance with a call issued to the Alumni of Colorado High School for the purpose of organizing an Alumni Association the following members of classes were present: Misses Jennie Knott and Vera Churchill, Class '01; Misses Belle Chaplin and Nellie Ruddick, Class '04; Misses Juanita Shropshire, Bird Adams and Nina Caldwell and Mr. S. R. Coleman, Class '05; Misses Sudie Nunn, Millie Creath, Margie Ellis and Etta Doss and Mr. R. W. Galbraith, Class '06.

Mr. S. R. Coleman, Class '05, was elected president; Miss Bell Chaplin, Class '04, vice-president, and Miss Etta Doss, Class '06, secretary and treasurer.

Quite an interest was shown by those present and as a result we expect the Alumni Association to be one of the permanent organizations of the school, one from which much pleasure will be derived in the future. Colorado is proud of the record made by its Alumni at the various schools attended by them and expects much greater things in the future—but then we would have been disappointed if they had not thus kept up the record established by them in the High School. Another year will see a reception or banquet tendered by the graduates of Class '07 to previous Alumni and the President was duly warned that a speech would be the penalty of his popularity on that occasion.

We would be glad if all Alumni would send in their names and year of graduation to the secretary, Miss Etta Doss, or to T. J. Yoe, so that they may be included in the next issue of the catalog. May success and pleasure ever attend the students of other days as well as those who are yet to come from our walls.

T. J. YOE.

A Regretted Omission.

In our writup last week of the closing exercises of our public school in some manner one of the most interesting numbers on the program was omitted. The Doll Lullaby and Burlesque Drill by the pupils of Miss Mozella Dry. Twelve little maids in long dresses, as little mothers, with pink aprons and carrying their dollies, gave a lovely drill and lullaby.

They were followed by the Boys' Brigade, led by Ben Copeland, in their peaked white caps, white trousers and blue coats were typical West Point Cadets. The burlesque drill with their dolls was splendidly executed with Tom Nunn as Captain. The drill ended by the boys and girls marching together, dolls cast aside, and bearing United States flags, during which many pretty figures were executed.

Those participating were Inez Nunn, Amy Knott, Minnie Chaney, Cara Mays Cooper, Alma May Wulfjen, Zora Altizer, Willie Stepp, Ollie Beauchamp, Marguerite Beal, Natalie Smith, Ora Smith, Dane Smith, May Mabry, Ben Copeland, Hugh Mitchell, Jim Nunn, Seth Stepp, Bert Miller, Allen Chaney, Clay Smith, Harold Mabry, Don Chaney, Tom Nunn, Floyd Estelle and Stuart Cooper.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We beg to announce to the public the following new features recently added to our rink: A maple floor, equal if not the best of any West of Fort Worth, plenty of good music, electric fans, ladies and gentleman's rest room, neatly furnished, and other features requisite to a first class skating rink.

We keep and clean private skates, free, also have season tickets for sale at special rates. Three sessions daily. First session (free to ladies) from 9 to 11:30 a. m.

Second session from 2:30 to 5:30 p. m. Admission 10c, skates 25 cents.

Third session, from 7:30 to 10:30 p. m. Admission 10c, skates 25c.

Ladies admitted to the rink free at all sessions.

COLORADO SKATING RINK CO.
C. E. Franklin, Mgr.

Wednesday of this week the monument committee of the W. O. W., composed of W. L. Doss, E. R. Keathley and C. E. Franklin, had the handsome monuments placed at the graves of Sovereigns G. H. Payne and W. R. Warren. The committee accepted the work and expressed satisfaction, while Mrs. Warren expressed herself as very pleased.

A. J. Payne
DRY GOODS - CLOTHING.

Died Near Loraine.

Parties were in Tuesday for a coffin for Mrs. H. J. Knott, living two and one half miles south of Loraine, who died at 11 o'clock that morning after a lingering illness.

MASS MEETING IN THE INTEREST OF THE METHODIST COLLEGE.

The friends of the College movement call a final meeting of all the people who are concerned for its location here, at the Methodist church Sunday, June 17th, at 8:30 o'clock. Let everybody come.

TAKING PICTURES.

Mr. E. P. Turner, of Dallas, general passenger agent for the Texas & Pacific railroad, has been in and around Colorado this week accompanied by a photographer, who has been taking views in town and surrounding country to be used in the Texas and Pacific Quarterly.

Mr. Turner is delighted with Mitchell county and says he will run a harvest excursion out here in September, the tickets to read: "to the top of Lone Wolf Mountain."

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House Furnishings,
Picture Framing and
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Call and inspect my stock before buying elsewhere

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COLORADO, TEXAS.

W. H. MOESER

Hardware,

TINNING AND PLUMBING

Colorado, Texas.

Sewing Machines.

We have on hand a number of second hand Sewing Machines of different makes, such as STANDARD, NEW HOME, ELDRIDGE B. DAVIS and others. These machines have all been overhauled and put in good repair by an expert workman. We guarantee each one to be in good sewing condition. They are for sale at from \$5.00 to \$15.00 or for rent on reasonable terms. Full set of attachments with each machine.

THE RACKET STORE.

ONE PRICE TO EVERYBODY.

Burton-Lingo COMPANY.

Lumber and Wire.

See us about your next bill of lumber, we can save you some money.

Colorado, Texas

Land For Sale.

I have a half section of fair land for sale at \$3.00 per acre, well situated and a bargain at the price. Terms to suit. Call on or address H. W. Stoneham, second prize, or address H. W. Stoneham, the court house.

Mrs. Fergu-
rine Jeffress

We make a specialty of farm and ranch lands, and we are better prepared to handle same than ever before. If you want to buy or sell it will be to your interest to see us at once.

LASSETER & MORRISON.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF MITCHELL.

Whereas, on Jan. 1, 1901, F. N. Johnson and W. K. Lewis did execute and deliver to J. D. Earnest of Howard County, Texas, a certain Deed of Trust—which is of record in the Deed of Trust Records of Mitchell County, Texas, in Vol. Four (4) on page 257, and to which said record reference is here made for a more particular description, not only of said hereinafter mentioned property but also of all powers therein delegated and reserved, —whereby they, jointly and severally conveyed to the said J. D. Earnest, in trust, the hereinafter described real estate together with certain personal property, to better secure C. A. O'Keefe, then of Mitchell County, Texas, in the payment of a certain promissory note for the principal sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars, dated Dec. 20, 1900, due six months after date, payable to the order of C. A. O'Keefe, bearing ten per cent interest from date, and providing for ten per cent attorney's fees in case said note was placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or suit were brought on same, it being also expressly stipulated in said Deed of Trust that in case of failure or default in the payment of said promissory note, together with the interest thereon, according to its terms and face, at the maturity of same, that the said J. D. Earnest should be empowered and authorized, and it was made his special duty at the request of the said C. A. O'Keefe, or any other legal owner or holder of said note, to sell said property described in said Deed of Trust at the time and place, in the manner, and on the terms as required by law in case of judicial sales, and to apply the proceeds thereof to the satisfaction, first, of the expenses of such trust, and then of said note, principal, interest and attorney's fees, it being expressly provided, however, that should the said J. D. Earnest from any cause whatever fail or refuse to act as such Trustee, that then the said C. A. O'Keefe, or any other legal owner and holder of said note should have full power to appoint a substitute in writing, who should have the same powers thereby delegated to the said J. D. Earnest, and

Whereas, the said J. D. Earnest on May 1, 1906 having in writing declined to act as such Trustee, and the said C. A. O'Keefe, legal owner and holder of said note, having appointed me as Substitute Trustee under the terms of said Deed of Trust and no part of said note having been paid except the sum of Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00) which was paid on the 28th day of May 1906 on the interest accumulated thereon was duly endorsed as a credit on said note, and the said C. A. O'Keefe being the legal owner and holder of said note has requested me to sell said property, as provided for in said Deed of Trust.

Now Therefore, Know All Men By These Presents: That I, R. G. SMITH, Substitute Trustee under said Deed of Trust, will on Tuesday, July 3rd, A. D. 1906, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M., at the door of the Court House at Colorado, Mitchell County, Texas, after having first advertised the time, place and terms of such sale, both by posting notices thereof at three public places in Mitchell County, Texas, one of which will be the Court House door of said County for at least Twenty (20) days successively next before the day of sale, and also by publishing such notice for three consecutive weeks preceeding such date in some newspaper printed in the English language in Mitchell County, Texas, as provided by law in case of judicial sales, will sell to the highest bidder for cash the following lots or parcels of land, lying and being situated in Mitchell County, Texas, and all the title to and interest in all or any of same that said F. N. Johnson and W. K. Lewis, or either of them, had on Jan. 1, 1901, or have acquired since then: All of Lots Number Seven (7) Eight (8) Nine (9) Ten (10) Nineteen (19) Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) in Block No. Forty-two (42) of the town of Colorado as the same appears on the map thereof of record on pages 16 and 17 of Book "C," of the Deed Records of Mitchell County, Texas, and apply the proceeds of such sale to the payment of the amount still due and unpaid on said note, the interest and attorney's fees thereon, and the expenses of executing this trust; holding the

remainder thereof subject to the order of the said F. N. Johnson and W. K. Lewis, as provided in said Deed of Trust.

Witness my hand this the 28th day of May, A. D. 1906.

R. G. SMITH,
Substitute Trustee.

LORAIN LETTER

The recent rains have been something extraordinary. Sufficient to produce abundant crops, if properly distributed, and some think that advanced corn crops are assured, maize will be good and cotton fair without more rain.

The hail has done little or no damage and crop prospects were never better.

With an eye always to the future, our wide-awake business men met last week and organized a Business Men's Club.

There are some special matters to be looked after, but the necessity for a permanent organization is being felt, for as soon as one important matter is accomplished, another bobs up as natural consequence of a rapidly growing town.

The territory for the school corporation has been decided upon, the boundary described, and petition for an election has gone in to the county judge.

Steps will be taken to build or add to the present school building, buy desks and get everything in proper shape for the Fall term.

The full acreage of twenty-five sections will be included and the constitutional limit of 75c will be voted.

The railroad company is putting in a spur, much to the delight of our lumber men and merchants. The right-of-way fence will be at once removed and two crossings made. This will add to the convenience and appearance of the town very much.

Poles have arrived for the telephone system and before long wires will be running in all directions, giving our town a more metropolitan air.

A road has been ordered opened just west of town in the direction of Scurry county. This arrangement, however, is not satisfactory to all, and a determined effort for another east of town and straighter road will be made.

A contract has been let for an oil well 1500 feet deep to be begun within ninety days.

E. P. Turner of Dallas has taken mineral option on all lands near here, and a coal shaft will be sunk soon. The vein of coal struck is said to be five feet in thickness and the coal of excellent quality.

A move is on foot to build for Loraine and a part of Scurry county a cotton and seed warehouse. With such a warehouse here, farmers may get oil mill prices for their seed.

Our stone bank building has reached the second story and the huge red brick building next door, is rapidly assuming shape.

The firm of Altman & Gregg is now The Loraine Mercantile Co., with increased capital and new building going up.

Higginbotham & Co., lumber men, have erected another large two-story shed on west side of their extensive yards.

Two things are badly needed; a strictly clothing store and big hardware house. We understand however, that our local merchants are arranging to open a full line of both shelf and heavy hardware.

A skating rink has been in full blast here for a month and a pool hall is now being erected next door to Boggett & Black's livery stable.

A Miss Merrill from the east, will probably erect a music room here this fall and conduct a music school in connection with the literary department.

A singing school has been doing good work for the past two weeks and one class will be well trained for the contest at the Mitchell county singing conven-

Colorado Skating Rink Company

ANNOUNCES

THREE SESSIONS DAILY.

FIRST SESSION—9:30 to 12 a. m.—Admission Free Instructions to beginners free, skates 15c per hour, or 25c for the session.

SECOND SESSION—2:30 to 5:30 p. m.—Ladies and School Children, all lady beginners. Lessons, Skates and Admission free.

THIRD SESSION—7:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Open to all except small boys, admission 10c, skates 25c for the session, except ladies, who will be admitted free.

Strict Order, Nice Floor and Cool Hall
Cold Drink Stand in Hall.

C. E. FRANKLIN,
Manager.



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the public confidence in our methods of sanitation has been our lot ever since we set up in the plumbing business. Never resting content with the past achievements, we are constantly acquiring latest and best materials and ways. See us and our samples.

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BEST PLACE IN TOWN

I ALSO HANDLE

GRAIN, HAY and HIDES

Comfortable Camp House
Good Water
Dry Stalls for Stock

Yard at Foot of Second Street
COLORADO, TEXAS.

ATTENTION STOCKBREEDER



I have a First-Class Saddle Horse and also a very fine Jack, both of which I will stand this season at my barn, three-quarters of a mile north-east of the court house at Colorado.

Terms: Ten Dollars to insure a foal. All care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible if any occur. All Breeders invited to come and look at them.

W. W. WATSON.

tion which takes place at Loraine in July.

Buyers of town and farm property have not quit coming and real estate is still going up. There's no better place for business, for investment or for homes than Loraine.

BUSINESS NOTICE.

We desire to announce to our friends and the public generally, that we have associated ourselves with the Colorado Drug Company and solicit a share of your patronage. Call on us in our new quarters next door above St. James Hotel.

We assure you of a thorough equipment to meet your wants, and a continued effort to merit your confidence. Yours truly,
NEIL GROSS,
MAURICE TERELL
Managers Colorado Drug Co.

Going Fishing.

Yes and I buy my tackle, from W. L. Doss. An extra fine assortment of every thing and the kind that catches the fish.

Who is the best blacksmith in town? Will McKenzie.

Union News Items.

The big rains on the 2nd and 3rd was a real soaker and came just when needed.

Mr. Ruddick is drilling a well for Mr. Roe, east of us.

Mr. L. Ray has been very sick of typhoid fever, but is improving now.

Mr. C. W. Hart has received his net and boat and is catching some nice fish in Morgan creek. School will close on the 15th at Franklin school house.

After a big round up in the Wilke's pasture all the Van Tuyl cattle were driven to the Plains country last week.

Bro. Victor.

Cultivators for \$30.

C. A. Goodwin has a few cultivators that he will sell at Bargains, see them at

Dedication of Church.

The dedication of the new Methodist church, which was raised Sunday, has been held Sunday in July, the third Sunday in July, the time Presiding

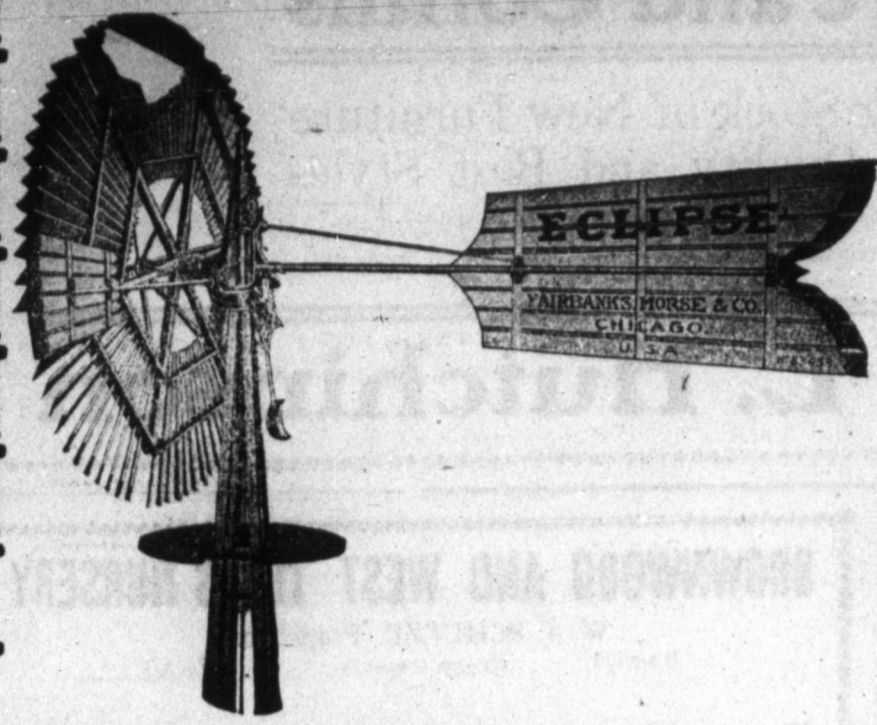
would will preach the sermon. This date has a set for Quarterly Conference (the place having been changed from Union to

bert), and our projected meeting will open at the same or during the week follow-

M. PHELAN, Past

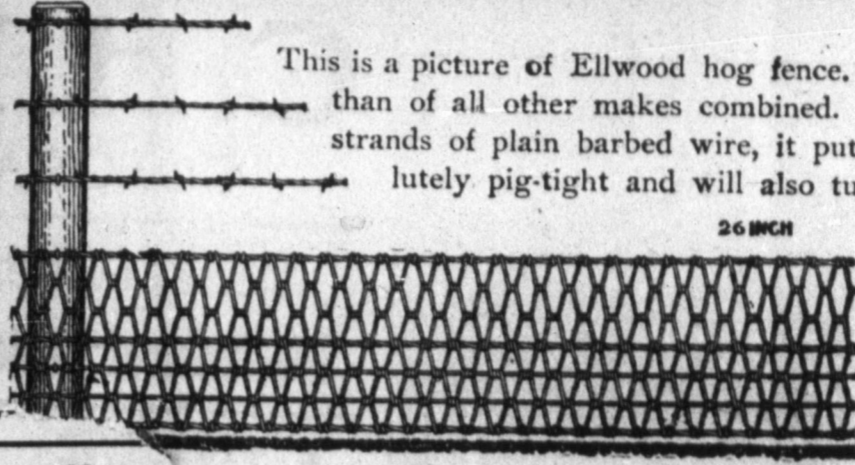
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John De... Cultivat... Garden... Eclipse Wind... Rubber H... Water Sup... governor friends, own in Camp...

ELLWOOD FENCE



This is a picture of Ellwood hog fence. More of this style is used than of all other makes combined. In connection with several strands of plain barbed wire, it puts up a fence that is absolutely pig-tight and will also turn large stock.

I have it from eighteen to fifty-eight inches high.

Western Windmill and Pump Company COLORADO, TEXAS.

GOOD ADVICE

Let us suggest and recommend that it is much cheaper, easier and more economical to make your purchases of Good Things to Eat at our place where you can get Vegetables, Fruits, Produce, Groceries, Cascade Baking Powder the best made, a prize with every can. Everything the best and the best of everything. You will save time, worry and money by ordering everything you may want from one place. Remember every 50 cent purchase gives you a chance at the \$85.00 buggy. These orders will be promptly cared for by

J. O. McCreless,

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THE COLORADO BOTTLING and MANUFACTURING CO.

are now ready for business. We make all kinds of soft drinks and are exclusive agents for "DR. PEPPER." Phone in your orders for case goods delivered anywhere in the city. New machines, new men and new methods.

DR. G. W. McCROSKEY, Propr. L. F. WARE, Manager

Important Notice.

See Will Loving at Colorado for windmill and pump repairing. All work guaranteed and charges reasonable. Phone 226 or 27.

Call at the Racket Store and inspect the new Fox visible Type Writer.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson entertained at six o'clock dinner on Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ferguson.

All kinds of paint, the best on earth at W. L. Doss' drug store. Country produce wanted at J. O. McCreless.

Not excelled—Queen of the Pantry Flour at Burns & Bell. List your land with Lasseter & Morrison, they can sell it for you.

Walter Stoneham has returned from a trip to El Paso county.

Brown and Kingman Cultivators leads all the rest, at C. A. Goodwins.

For the flakiest bread and best cakes use Queen of Pantry Flour.

Will McKenzie with his new machine can shrink your tires while you wait and guarantees the work.

Mrs. Bell and Max Thomas left yesterday on a visit to relatives in Alabama.

We have the woolens in the house. If you want a pair of pants quick see our Tailor. V. D. Payne & Co.

The wise housewife will never be without Queen of Pantry Flour. Try a sack. Burns & Bell.

Brown and Kingman cultivators sold only in Colorado by C. A. Goodwin, and they are the best. They take the lead.

The Colorado Drug Company have received their beautiful new soda fountain and are now dispensing the best of refreshing drinks.

For town lots in additions to Loraine and Colorado see SHEPHERD & CROCKETT, Agts. Colorado, Texas.

The cooks delight—Queen of Pantry Flour, for sale by Burns & Bell.

Have you seen the new Tailor? V. D. Payne & Co.

We will send The Record one year and Holland's Magazine one year for \$1.75, both to one address or to separate addresses.

Herbert Hazzard of Colorado spent Sunday in the city.—Sweetwater Reporter

Whose your druggist?—W. L. Doss.

We neglected last week to mention that Mrs. B. L. Cooper of Colorado was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Posey.—Sweetwater Reporter

Soda water, Dr. Pepper's all fancy drinks and the best ice cream at W. L. Doss.

J. R. Altizer and little daughter formerly of this place but now living in Colorado spent Sunday with W. E. Riddle and family. Mr. Altizer expressed himself as being surprised at the improvements and rapid growth of our town.—Roscoe Times

Remember, laundry is cash. EARNEST KNOTT.

J. J. McLure has returned from the meeting of the State Embalmer's Association at Austin.

Mrs. Pat Flinn of Brewer (nee Miss Neta Vaughan), is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Vaughan.

Before buying a fence see the wire picket fence sold by the New Lumber Yard. It is proof against stock, chickens and rabbits. Substantial and cheap.

R. R. Keathley of Breckenridge is a visitor in our city, the guest of his relatives, E. E. Keathley and W. R. Winston.

Misses Juanita Shropshire, Byrd Adams and Louise Moor have returned from school in Dallas.

Ask any of Will McKenzie's customers about his blacksmith work. All work guaranteed and done promptly.

J. B. Waskom of Dallas, has been the guest of Colorado this week.

Judge and Mrs. E. J. Hamner returned Tuesday from Dallas, the Judge being much improved, and rapidly convalescing.

Skates cleaned and repaired at Greene & Crawford.

Mr. A. H. Weston, of Mart, Texas, arrived in Colorado Wednesday morning and accepted a position with The Record. Mr. Weston thoroughly understands every detail of the newspaper business, and is a good, safe reliable man, and any favors or courtesies shown him will be appreciated by the management.

J. O. McCreless will give away an \$85 buggy. Go to the grocery store and see the plan.

Mrs. Harry Simon left Monday on an extended visit to relatives in Missouri.

Meet me at Jakes Restaurant. Miss Kate Burchard of Abilene has this week been the guest of Mrs. B. S. Van Tuyl.

Bruce Phenix has accepted a position with W. L. Doss.

Mrs. Will Brennand, a former member of the Standard Club, came down from Big Springs to attend the reception and mingle with old friends again.

Misses Cora and Isla Bess Looney have been the guests of Fort Worth friends this week.

Mrs. Will Waddell came in this week from Fort Worth, and has been the guest of friends in the city.

Misses Kinney and Hord returned to Sweetwater Sunday night after a brief visit to their friends in Colorado.

Gardner Hammock, Reaves Coleman and Charlie Earnest are at home from school at Sherman.

Aubrey Kindred left last week on a trip to Western Texas.

Herbert and Lester Hazzard and Chas. Reams Earnest spent Monday and Tuesday out on an enjoyable fishing expedition.

J. J. Hamlett, who has so efficiently filled the place of cashier at the depot, has resigned his position to accept one as relief agent, with headquarters here for the present. W. P. Copeland takes his place and Homer Robinson will fill the place of clerk vacated by Mr. Copeland.

Notice to Stock Breeders.

I will stand my fine Jack at my place in South Colorado. This is a black mammoth Jack and as good as the best. Price \$10 to insure. J. M. TERRY.

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The tuition fee is \$5.00 and good board can be secured for from \$10.00 to \$20.00 per month. Judge W. K. Homan, Supt. R. B. Cousins and Dr. O. H. Cooper will deliver lectures to the attending teachers, so that we feel that a great pleasure awaits those fortunate enough to hear them.

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- Commissioner, Precinct No. 1— J. M. BAKER.
- Justice Peace Precinct No. 1. W. H. GOODWIN.

Monta J. Moore has withdrawn from the race for Governor, and one of his reasons is that he is unable financially to make a canvass of the State. Wonder what Judge Brooks and Mr. Colquitt would do, if the State was to draw the \$12 per day it is paying each of them for time, and further if the railroads were to call in their free passes. We know Mr. Colquitt uses free passes, and it has been stated repeatedly the presumption is that Judge Brooks also uses a railroad pass and if he has ever denied it we have not seen it, which makes the presumption stronger. Tom Campbell pays full fare on the railroads and has done so for eight or ten years, ever since he resigned from their services. A man opposing free passes and at the same time himself using one, leaves cause for suspicion.

SMITH'S RECORD.

1. During the first session of the last Congress, Mr. Smith secured an increase of \$65,000 in the regular annual appropriations for investigations and experiments in drainage and irrigation which enabled him to secure for Texas three government experts who were immediately put into the state to carry on investigations and experiments in drainage and irrigation as a means of developing the agricultural interests of the state. There are three such experts in the State now constantly engaged in this service. No work of this character had ever been done before in Texas.
2. He has been instrumental in securing a diversification farm for Eastland county and two demonstration farms—one for Callahan county and the other for Ward county. No government farms of any character had ever been secured for this district before.
3. He has given special attention to improving the postal service of the district; has aided in the establishment of a large number of Rural Free Delivery Routes, which are serving thousands of farmers and their families. When he was elected, to Congress there was not a single Rural Free Delivery Route in the district.
4. During his first session he introduced and secured the passage of a resolution which required the United States to disclose all that had been done by him towards enforcing the Sherman Anti-

He has recently secured the passage of a bill through Congress extending the provisions of the National Irrigation Act to Texas, which will ultimately result in the reclamation of thousands of acres of arid and semi-arid lands in Western Texas. The leading newspapers of Texas have frequently declared this to be the most important piece of legislation for Texas that has been before Congress for years, and it is heartily supported by the entire Texas and Southern delegations in both Houses of Congress, although opposed by the Republican leaders. It opens up to the people of West Texas a fund of \$32,000,000 for their use.

He has after much effort gotten the United States Weather Bureau to agree to construct a building for a branch of that Bureau at Abilene. The building is to cost \$10,000, and is to be erected at some point in Abilene to be selected and paid for by the government. Not a penny has ever been expended in this district by the government for this purpose.

9. An appropriation by the government to exterminate the Texas fever tick, which it is estimated by government experts causes the loss to the South of \$150,000,000 annually. This is not merely a proposition to cleanse cattle of ticks so as to relieve them of quarantine restrictions, but to absolutely eradicate the ticks from the country and thus absolutely do away with quarantine regulations. After many years of experiments the national and state veterinarians all concur in the opinion that this undertaking is entirely feasible. The appropriation this year amounts to \$65,000, and has already passed both House and Senate. No such appropriation has ever been made by the government before.

He has introduced and is laboring for the passage of the following measures:

1. To complete the Federal building at Abilene at a cost of \$5,000.
2. To erect a Federal building at San Angelo for the purpose of a court house and postoffice at a cost of \$100,000.
3. To enlarge the Federal building at El Paso so as to accommodate the postal and custom business which has outgrown the present building at that place.
4. To provide for the construction and equipment of a Government Sanitarium at Mineral Wells for the care and treatment of the disabled soldiers and sailors of the United States, and to be used in connection with the Marine Hospital service.
5. To extend the time livestock may be kept on cars while in transit so as to prevent loss to the owner and to avoid the injury and cruelty which unavoidably result to animals by frequent unloading and reloading.
6. To amend the Sherman Anti-Trust law so as to make the violation thereof a felony, and to make the enforcement thereof more expeditious, effective, and general by fixing the venue of Anti-Trust cases, by giving them precedence on the court dockets over all other kinds of cases, by providing a means by which the Department of Justice may be advised as to violations of the law, by providing that suits to restrain violations of the law may be tried before one judge instead of three, and by conferring authority upon district attorneys to enforce the law upon their own motion independent of

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MITCHELL.

Whereas, on Jan. 1, 1901, F. N. Johnson and W. K. Lewis did execute and deliver to J. D. Earnest of Howard County, Texas, a certain Deed of Trust—which is of record in the Deed of Trust Records of Mitchell County, Texas, in Vol. Four (4) on page 257, and to which said record reference is here made for a more particular description, not only of said hereinafter mentioned property but also of all powers therein delegated and reserved,—whereby they, jointly and severally conveyed to the said J. D. Earnest, in trust, the hereinafter described real estate together with certain personal property to better secure C. Addons then of Mitchell (or other in the payment The promissory note to prevent liquidation of the price of cotton and other products so as to deprive the farmer of their just profits on such products.

The foregoing are only the measures initiated by Mr. Smith. He has labored for many other measures for the benefit of the people introduced by others. He has been one of the most regular and constant attendants upon the sessions of the House, never being absent except on account of the sickness of himself or of members of his family, which has been infrequent. As the Congressional Record will show, he has taken a decided stand and has voted upon every question that has been voted upon by the House during the three years he has been a member of that body. No criticism has yet been offered upon any vote cast by him.

The Congress is still in session and Congressman Smith is still at his post of duty laboring to secure those matters still pending and which may be obtained for the people he represents. He feels that he was elected by the people for the purpose of representing them in Congress, and that it is his duty to remain at his post so long as there is a chance to benefit his constituents and for that reason he does not feel that he should neglect his public duty to the people who elected him in order to return home and canvass the district in his personal interest. After Congress adjourns and his work there is finished, it is then his purpose to visit as many counties in the district as may be then possible, when the people may expect to hear from him directly.

Pending that time his friends, who recognize and appreciate his great services to the people of this district and realize the importance of returning him to Congress where he can continue to serve the people the better because of the experience and standing he has secured by his past good record, deem it proper to acquaint the people by this method with what he has done and hopes to do. Mr. Smith is not devoting his time and the people's time to efforts to amend the Federal laws by which it is intended to further facilitate the escape of criminals from their just deserts, as Mr. Cunningham proposes in his platform and speeches to do, but Mr. Smith has and expects to continue to do to secure for his people such legislative and departmental acts as will aid and benefit the people in their homes, on their farms and ranches, and other substantial and material ways that affect the actual welfare of the people he represents.

We invite the careful and considerate attention of the Democracy of this district to Mr. Smith's actual record in Congress, and to the further well known fact that he has just now reached that point in his career where he can accomplish the best results for his people by reason of his experience.

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Executive Committee to Meet.
THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MITCHELL.

By the authority vested in me as Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee for Mitchell County, Texas, I hereby call a meeting of such committee to be held in my office at Colorado, Texas at 2:30 p. m. Monday June 18th, 1896 for the purpose of determining the order of the names of candidates on the official ballot, to decide upon whether a majority or plurality vote shall be required to nominate candidates, to estimate the cost and expense of holding the primaries, and to dispose of all business that may come before such committee. A full attendance is urged as the matters requiring attention are of vital importance.

The following constitute the executive committee with the undersigned as chairman: Dr. R. B. Homan, R. H. Crump, G. E. Sutphen, W. C. McCallum, U. D. Wulfjen, and P. C. Coleman.

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On Tuesday evening, a pair of gold-framed eyeglasses. Will the finder please bring them to me and receive reward.

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Agent Acme Laundry, J. O. McCreless. Miss Bell Chaplain is home for the vacation. Elegant lamps all sizes and kinds at Doss'.

George Martin and Miss Nettie Waddill spent several days this week at the pretty ranch home of M. H. O'Daniel. The last two weeks Ruddick's well drill has been at work putting in wells for Messrs Roe, Rooker, Rice and Stoneham.

The location of the college has been postponed after the session of the conference in this motion. J. A. Buchanan left for Austin to be preselected for operation on Saturday.

Little Miss Marguerite Looney entertained quite a large number of her friends Friday evening, and though the rain prevented romps on the handsome lawn, indoor games were played.

ELLWOOD FENCE. This is a picture of Ellwood hog fence. More of this style is used than of all other makes combined. I have it from eighteen to fifty-eight inches high.

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AT REST. Thursday morning at 3 o'clock the weary spirit of Mr. J. T. Blakemore, after weeks of suffering, winged its flight to its maker.

He was 71 years of age, a Confederate veteran and for 53 years a member of the Methodist church. The remains were laid to rest in the Odd Fellows cemetery at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

An aged wife and three children, all grown, are left to mourn the loss of husband and father, to whom THE RECORD extends sympathy.

Cows For Sale. Good Jerseys and common cows fresh in milk, for sale. See W. T. McAfee, Colorado, Texas.

The pastors of the Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian and Christian Churches of our city, have agreed to conduct a protracted meeting to begin about August 1st.

Notice. The ladies cook books are on sale at Burns & Bell's dry goods store and at The Record office. Price 50c.

All kinds of type writer paper, blotting paper, carbon paper, round checks, milk tickets and every kind of stationery kept at THE RECORD office. Meet me at Arbutnot's fountain.

B. V. P. U. PROGRAM. Sunday, 5 p. m., June 10, 1906. 1. Opening exercises. 2. Reading Matt. 10:16-33 by Mary Pond.

The new floor at the Colorado skating rink was tried by the public Saturday evening and pronounced fine. The formal opening took place Tuesday evening, was well attended and much enjoyed.

W. H. Compere of Abilene, passed through the city a few days since enroute to Big Springs his automobile. The young people enjoyed a dance Monday night at the Favorite Auditorium.

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COLORADO

and short orders... T. Stirling, principal of Liberty Hill and other schools, left this week to spend his vacation.

J. M. Kelton of Cuthbert was in the city Monday trading. He says everything at Cuthbert is as flourishing as a green bay tree.

Pressing, cleaning and repair work of all kinds by our tailor V. D. Payne & Co.

J. A. Conaway, who lives 7 miles north of Westbrook, was here attending court this week and called on The Record. He reports crops very fine in his community.

Hot coffee and chilli at Vincents.

Skates cleaned and repaired at Greene & Crawford.

The Baptist people have purchased 33 feet adjoining their church property on the north and will soon erect a nice little residence for their pastor.

Forget the Maine but remember we now have the best tailor that ever came to West Texas. V. D. Payne & Co.

Mrs. Junita Boyd, (nee Allen) left Monday for her home in Oklahoma, after a visit to her mother, Mrs. W. H. Lovejoy.

For guaranteed horseshoeing see Will McKinzie at the brick wagon yard.

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

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Page, of Seymour, Texas, are in town this week, having been called to the bedside of Mr. Blakemore, who is Mrs. Page's father, and who has been very sick.

To the Ladies: Our tailor makes a specialty of cleaning, repairing and pressing skirts, give us a trial. V. D. Payne & Co

Mr. S. H. Corbell, a prominent citizen of the Winston community, was in town Monday shopping and paid The Record a pleasant call. Of course he subscribed for The Record.

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See the beautiful presents given away by McCreeless, the grocery man. Call at the store for particulars.

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Keep your husband's heart by baking good bread. Queen of the Pantry Flour never fails. Sold only by Burns & Bell.

Meet me at Arbuthnot's fountain.

Mr. Mark Anthony of Scurry, Texas, was in the city this week looking after some property interests he has here. He says the crops in his country are almost ruined by too much rain.

Everybody says so. What? That Bob's restaurant puts up the best 25 cent meal in town.

For a choice lot of second hand guns and watches see Jas. D. Sherwin.

Dr. E. Sandford of Abilene, the well known Ophthalmologist and Neurologist, whose practice removes 85 per cent of the causes of human ills without medicine, surgery, dexterity or mystery, and who claims an analysis in fitting eyes with glasses superior to all other methods, and who looks after his patients once a month, will be here June 24th, 25th and 28th.

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E. B. Gamel spent part of this week at Dublin and was accompanied home by his mother, who will spend some time with him.

Housekeepers, try a sack of Queen of Pantry Flour at Burns & Bell, and you will never be without it in your pantry.

If your furniture needs repairing, take it to Jas. D. Sherwin. He's the man.

Rev. and Mrs. Phelan were in from Westbrook Monday the guests of Mrs. Harry Landers.

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Revs. J. T. Griswold and S. J. Vaughan spent Tuesday in Abilene talking over the Methodist College proposition with other members of the committee.

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Miss Elsie Bertner is the guest of Texarkana friends this week, before returning home for the vacation.

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Gus Beal and D. H. Snyder spent Sunday at the ranch near Herbert.

Agent Looby resumed his duties at Loraine Monday after taking a much needed rest of several weeks.

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Rev. M. Phelan and wife came in from Westbrook last Sunday night to hear Dr. Rankin preach. Bro. Phelan is one of God's truest noblemen, and it always makes one feel better after having been in his company.

Vitae Ore, cotton seed, maize and Kaffir corn and orange cane seed and feed for sale or trade, by Victor Dziedzioch, two miles south of Colorado.

Up to last week there had been shipped from Colorado 18,078 bales of cotton. Of this amount the enterprising firm of Shropshire & Harness had bought and shipped 7,346 bales. Cotton is still coming in.

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ANSWER TO C. W. SIMPSON'S OBJECTIONS

In The Record last week appeared an article from C. W. Simpson, the self-styled political prophet of Mitchell county, and champion of M. M. Brooks.

Ordinarily, when a man makes up his mind to make statements irregardless of the true facts in the case, it is, as a rule, undignified to reply to same.

But for fear that this political apostle of the West may mislead a few undecided and unsuspecting people who do not happen to know him, I deem it but just to Judge Bell to in as brief a way as possible, put the true facts before them. Mr. Simpson has a perfect right to espouse the cause of Mr. Brooks, (who is a good man), but to devote two columns of space in trying to mislead the people is mighty poor politics indeed, but that is the method that Mr. Bell's opponents and enemies have been using all over the State, which shows that they are up against a real hard proposition, and thinking Bell nor his friends had the nerve to call them down.

Judge Bell is not running for Governor of Texas on the merits or demerits of his opponents and has been conducting a campaign on the highest plane on the record he has made as a servant of the people.

Simpson says that Mr. Bell "has been berthed in the public service ever since he was old enough to qualify." Admitting this to be true, this is no discredit to him, and friend Simpson would be very proud could he point to just such a distinguished honor. To have the entire confidence of one's old friends and neighbors whom he has represented for years is an honor that Mr. Bell bears and appreciates with dignity and fidelity. And to enlighten Mr. Simpson further I will state that Judge Bell never ran for any office but what he was successful. The attorney generalship came to him unsought and unsolicited. Can Simpson say as much for Mr. Brooks? Verily no.

Simpson says that "up to this good hour Bell has never yet distinguished himself at anything." In the eyes of the West Texas prophet this may be true, but the fact, the real facts, show a different conclusion. Mr. Bell has a record as County Attorney, District Attorney, District Judge, State Senator, Representative in Congress and Attorney General that is a credit to any man, and stands as a beacon light and an example to the toiling and ambitious youth of the land. Judge Bell came from the plow handles to where tinguished himself, a father since a on the scene. Little by and with a wide range of other interests to support and only dependence. Who would want to crush the ambitions of such a man, and one who has been such a true servant of the people? The people of Texas never have crushed such a true friend of the masses, and in the language of the immortal Hogg, "by gattin's" they will not do it in this contest.

As attorney general he put more trusts and combines out of business than both his immediate predecessors put together, and he recovered more money for the State in penalties than all his predecessors combined. For the truth of this he challenges the record, and offers to retire from the race if it does not sustain him. If Mr. Simpson can show to the contrary he has the records at his command and ought to enlighten the people. And yet Simpson shuts his eyes to the true facts and flaunts it to the people that Mr. Bell has "never yet distinguished himself at anything."

As to Mr. Bell trying to flounder into the gubernatorial chair through the congressional and attorney general succession idea, that charge is so flimsy it falls of its own weight and is demagogic rot, pure and simple. There isn't a man holding any important office in Texas today but what has gone there step by step from one office to another.

As to the charge that Mr. Bell filed suits against fifty-eight fire insurance companies "just after it was announced that he would run for governor," I will say that the records show that Mr. Bell filed suits against several insurance companies shortly after he was elected attorney general, and several of them surrendered their charter and left the State, while others plead guilty, paid their fines and rechartered in accordance with the law. But come to think about it, do you know why Simpson don't want Judge Bell elected? Well, he, Simpson, represents one of the biggest trusts in the World—the fire insurance trust—and Mr. Bell stepped on the toes of this gigantic trust in verse he mentions, and now the hagone forth from the trust users to their agents not to up-bell, as "he will be detriment-interests." Oh, yes!

to the charge that Judge supported by all the courts of Texas, will say it is only another way his trying to array one class Suppose though, they It is no dishonor or ge Bell In the section of Texas realize ment of the State re-ization of Texas cor-ne admission of corpor-mer States. The people

of Texas believe in corporations under proper regulations. Judge Bell proposes a proper reform of the corporation laws of Texas, which is already in advance of the laws relating to corporations in other States. Some people are very brazen and make statements that are worthless and which with fair-minded people only injure themselves. If by corporations is meant that the railroads are supporting Judge Bell, I will say that he never appeared for one in court in his life. Judge Bell made his way up from a country lawyer along lines of general practice such as any country lawyer and general practitioner takes. When Bell was in Congress he was put on the committee on Pacific railroads. The government of the United States, as most readers know, was in copartnership with those great railroad operators who had constructed those western lines over the mountains and deserts connecting the western or Pacific part of the continent with the other. It is well known to readers that those great builders in their deals with the government continually held it up and few men in congress seemed to have the force or power or the desire to block them. The republican party was a power and it did not in those days any more than now, care for the people but loved its pets, the great money jobbers.

Well, at that time Judge Bell was in congress on said committee and it recommended a settlement between the railroads and the government. Bell, being in the minority, wrote a dissenting opinion, showing up the affair, which even then, appealed to the stolid conscience of congress and blocked the settlement. The settlement was made at a succeeding congress along the lines Bell laid down in his minority report and the government of the United States got about \$60,000,000 more than it would have gotten had Bell not blocked the first settlement.

If the voters will take pains to examine his record in the interest of honesty and with fairness, this is how he will find him to be "for the corporations."

Mr. Simpson says that Bell's friends in the senate and lobby defeated the blanket primary bill. Here is what Mr. Bell says about that charge. "It is charged that Gov. Lanham would not allow the legislature to consider the proposition to provide for a blanket primary because the system of nominating candidates provided for would result favorably to me. Everyone, I think, must know that a blanket primary with a plurality nomination would have resulted in my nomination. I know that Governor Lanham so thought, and I believe myself that it would. But the time has not yet come when I would be willing for any friend of mine to consider my interest in determining how he should discharge a public duty. I know that such a consideration never entered the mind of Governor Lanham."

Mr. Simpson makes a great fuss about Judge Bell's position on the liquor traffic, and prints a garbled extract of his position on that question. Below will be found Judge Bell's position in full, taken from his opening speech at Hamilton:

JUDGE BELL ON LOCAL OPTION.

"I am, and always have been, in favor of local option laws. I think they are wise and salutary police regulations. Under some conditions I would vote to put these laws into effect; under others, I would vote against the proposition. While I lived in this county I never missed an opportunity to vote for local option. I opposed the effort to put Tarrant county under their operation, because I did not think the necessity existed for the protection which they afford in a rural community, where there are no police officers. In each instance the question was one merely of expediency.

I do not think it immodest to claim that I rendered the cause of local option some service, at least, at a time when the sentiment in its favor was not sufficiently strong to subject its supporters to the suspicion of trying to use it for political purposes.

The laws on the subject prior to 1887 had been held by the courts to be very defective. During the session of the legislature in that year a sub committee of the judiciary committee of the Senate was appointed to prepare a bill to cure the defects in the local option laws which had been pointed out by the courts, of which committee I was the chairman, and former Senator Simpkins of Navarro county was the other member. He and I prepared a bill which we reported to the committee, and as chairman of that committee, I reported the bill to, and had control of its passage through the Senate. This bill became a law, and is the law under which all local option elections are now held in the State.

I would not allow, if within my power to prevent it, the efficiency of our local option laws to be impaired in any way, and wherever experience should show them to be defective, I would have them strengthened until they are perfected.

However, I do not see how there can be any difference of opinion between candidates on the subject of local option. The constitution of our State provides for local option laws, and all officers have taken an oath to support that constitution. Hence it is a reflection on a man's integrity as well as on

his judgment to assume that he would not use all the powers at his command to see that the local option, as well as all other laws, were upheld and enforced."

Mr. Simpson says he objects to Bell locally, because Tarrant county has so many candidates for office, then Gov. Lanham lives in the adjoining county of Parker. Mighty thin argument, Mr. Simpson—nothing in it at all. On the same principle you might as well oppose the re-election of Congressman Smith because Mitchell county has four candidates for tax assessor. The same principle exactly.

All the other candidates for governor are fighting Bell, as are their friends, it's Bell against the field. Down in McLennan county the strongest Campbell paper in Texas, admits that Bell is gaining rapidly, and I now advise Mr. Simpson that he had better climb on the Bell wagon before he gets run over on July 28th.

As to the other candidates I have nothing harsh to say. We expect to win the contest squarely and honorably on Judge Bell's past public and private record and his fitness to make the people of Texas the best Governor she ever had. He stands for everything that pertains to the future welfare of Texas, and if elected will perform his duty clearly, firmly and courageously, as he has done in the past.

As to Mr. Campbell, this is not the first time he has tried to be Governor, and all this cry about his having to pay his railroad fare is nothing short of political buncomb—trying to create prejudice in the minds of the people and elect him Governor through prejudice to the railroads; but it won't work.

With an urgent appeal to those who are undecided in the matter of a choice for a man to fill the highest office within the gift of the people of our glorious State, to read the speeches of both Bell and Campbell, analyze them carefully, and if you decide to give Judge Bell your support on July 28th you will have made no regrettable mistake. I have known him for 27 years, he was my district attorney, judge and Congressman for years, and I have up to this time to hear of a single pledge made to his people that he has failed to carry out, or a single duty he failed to perform in his official capacity. As true as steel, a man who knows nothing else than honesty and fidelity to his country and to his people.

Most truly,
J. A. FORE.
Colorado, Texas.


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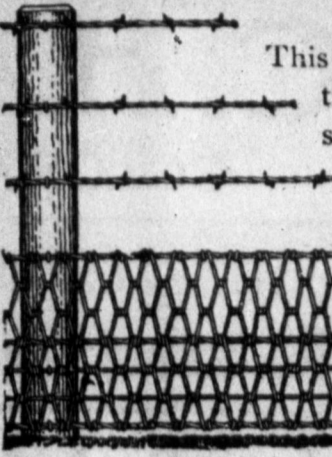
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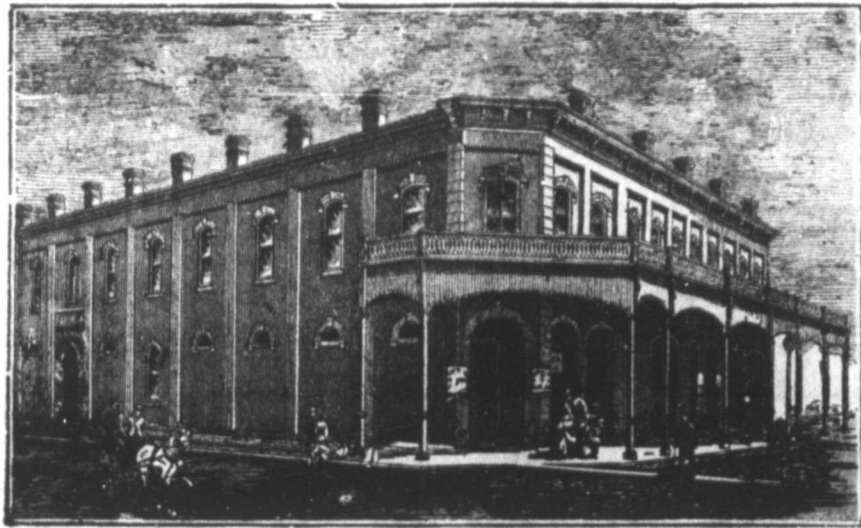
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A Charming Wedding.

Toward All Saints Church on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock all steps were directed by friends eager to witness the consummation of the marriage vows of Mr. Stayton Willett Hamner and Miss Maude Etoyle Edwards.

It was a Cape Jessamine wedding, the fragrant breath of those lovely blossoms pervading the entire edifice. The altar held magnificent vases of them, while splendid silver candlebras with numerous glowing white tapers made a brilliant background. At the foot of the altar two snowy lilies lifted their graceful heads. The wedding bell was a gem of clinging ferns and Cape Jessamine, suspended by cords of evergreen and the same lovely flowers. The chancel railing also was gracefully intertwined with them. On either side of the entrance to the pulpit were mammoth Oleanders in full bloom, while banks of palms and ferns enclosed it.

Previous to the entrance of the bridal party the clear sweet voice of Miss Byrd Adams rang out in the lovely solo, "Calm as the Night," which was immediately followed by Lohengrin's wedding march under the skillful touch of Mrs. C. M. Adams, and the wedding party entered. First came the ushers, Messers Patrick Henry and Phill Smith, then Miss Eva Hamner, maid of honor and sister of the groom, and Mrs. J. E. Nunn of Fort Davis, matron of honor and sister of the bride. Each wore the loveliest of white Parisian gowns, and carried shower bouquets of pink bride's maid roses. They were followed by the ring bearer, little Louise Nunn, a wee vision of loveliness. The flower girl, Lois Prude, came next, strewing fragrant petals in the pathway of the bride, who entered upon the arm of her foster father, Mr. J. C. Prude. No fairer bride was ever led to hymen's altar. Her bridal robe was an exquisite creation of white Louisiana silk with rare lace and pearl trimmings. From her lovely face the gauzy veil was caught aside by a cluster of Orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of white carnations. They were joined at the altar by the handsome groom and his best man, Mr. Earl Morrison, when Rev. Galbraith eloquently performed the marriage ceremony of the Episcopal church then triumphantly swelled forth the inspiring strains of Mendelssohn's march as the exit was made.

They returned immediately home where bridal robes were changed for a handsome traveling gown of pin check silk with Alice blue trimmings, with hat to match, and took the east bound train for their home in Gainesville, amid showers of rice and good wishes of scores of friends who had gathered to bid them God speed. Colorado has never had in her exclusive social circle a more beautiful or lovable girl than Miss Edwards, who with her grace of manner and noble character is a jewel any man might be proud to claim, while Mr.

Hamner, the son of Judge and Mrs. E. J. Hamner, is in every way worthy of so fair a bride, handsome, intellectual, ambitious, of exemplary habits and deserving, now connected with the Santa Fe railroad at Gainesville, we predict for him rapid promotion, and a brilliant happy future for this couple, to whom could good wishes of friends avail, no shadow of adversity should ever darken their united lives.

The presents were numerous and beautiful, testimonials of the high esteem in which both contracting parties are held.

Ante Nuptial Euchre.

On Saturday afternoon from four to seven o'clock the handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bertner was the scene of a merry gathering of friends at a progressive euchre party given in honor of the bride-elect, Miss Maud Edwards.

In the library many who did not play euchre enjoyed the ever entertaining Sir Peter Pepper-corn.

At the door Mrs. Bertner and the bride-elect received, Miss Edwards looking her loveliest in a gown of white silk with pink rosebuds and black velvet band trimming.

At the conclusion of several warmly contested games the royal prize fell to Mrs. Jim Nunn of Fort Davis, a copy of "For Auld Lang Synne." Mrs. Raymond Johnson was the fortunate winner of the lone hand prize, a cut glass nappy, while Mrs. Carter was consoled with a cupid healing broken hearts.

Mrs. Bertner was assisted in serving delicious cream and wafers by Mrs. Frank Lupton, Misses Bird Adams and Annie Bertner.

An Unexpected Shower.

No young lady of our city could claim more friends than Miss Corrinne Jeffress, and her unexpected marriage a few weeks since while visiting in Waco gave her friends a shock, and pangs of grief at losing her, while, had she been at home she would have been liberally showered with social courtesies previous to the auspicious event. Now, though as Mrs. Ferguson she returns, (her husband has made so many warm friends during their visit

he has almost been forgiven his theft), she is receiving many testimonials of the warm place she holds in the hearts of her friends. One of the prettiest of these affairs was the gathering in her honor at the home of Mrs. M. Carter on Thursday afternoon from five to seven.

Games were enjoyed, an initial contest conducted in which the honoree carried off the laurels.

Refreshments of punch and cake were served, then a surprise was furnished by a table being brought forward containing a shower of china cups and saucers fit to adorn the table of a princess, and which to the popular bride will ever be loving tokens and beautiful reminders of the friends of her youth, whose love and good wishes go with her into her new home.

Farewell Reception.

Mrs. A. A. Bailey gave a large number of the friends of the bride-elect, Miss Maud Edwards, the pleasure of spending a few hours with her at the farewell reception in her honor, from four to seven o'clock Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bailey was assisted in receiving by the fair guest of honor, who, in a handsome campaign mousseline, gracefully received congratulations, in which there was only one vein of regret, that she must make her home in a distant city, Colorado thereby losing one of her fairest daughters. A contest, the bride's journey, was conducted by Mrs. P. C. Coleman and was quite a merry making feature of the afternoon. Formality was laid aside and in truly happy and congenial converse the hours sped by, the remembrance of which will dwell with those present, and the piquant face of the bride-to-be, as they saw her that day, will adorn the wall of memory for many future years.

Grape juice and cake was served. Mrs. Hugh Swain favored the guests with some lovely vocal and instrumental selections which were much enjoyed.

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Standard Club Reception.

When those handsome invitations fitted into some two hundred homes of our city announcing the reception of the Standard Club on Friday evening from five to seven o'clock, in honor of the Federated Clubs of the city, our people awaited the appointed time in joyful expectancy.

Each of the twelve members of this club has the well earned reputation of being adept in the art of entertaining, hence when their efforts were combined in one brilliant affair its success, in advance, was fully assured. This was also to be, in a measure, a house warming in the beautiful and palatial new home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smoot, which has only recently been completed, and its interior tastily and luxuriously appointed.

But, alas, for the best laid plans—just before the appointed hour most threatening storm clouds gathered, and for an hour rain came down in torrents, blighting the hopes of those who eagerly anticipated this event. During the last hour, however, nearly four score defied the elements and sipped of the cup of happiness toward which so many eyes were longingly turned.

On the veranda a corridor of palms and ferns made a stately pathway to the door of the reception hall, where a delightfully sweet welcome was wafted from a basket of cape jessamines, sent to the club by a former member, Mrs. Joe Hardy of Houston.

Mesdames R. H. Looney and F. M. Burns graciously received in the reception hall, Mrs. P. C. Coleman gracefully presented to the receiving line, composed of Mrs. Martha B. Smoot, (the honorary vice-president of the Womans Club, and mother of the three federated clubs of our city), the hostess, Mrs. H. B. Smoot, Mrs. A. A. Bailey, president of the Standard Club, and Mrs. J. W. Greenwood, vice-president of the Hesperian Club. Mrs. A. J. Payne, the new and popular president of the Hesperian Club, and Mrs. Pond, the beloved president of the Womans Club, were to have occupied a place in the line had not the frowning elements forbidden.

The handsome parlor was tastily decorated in sweet peas and marguerites.

To the library Mesdames Sherwin and Riordan led the way, and over which Mesdames Gary and Prude hospitably presided.

In the dining room Mesdames Crockett and Hooper held full sway, and an ideal spot it was. The club colors, white and gold, were carried out. The center piece was an oval mirror, bordered with white, golden hearted marguerites, while from a tall cut glass vase in the center a shower bouquet of these same modest, pretty blossoms hung their pretty heads. Cake and ice cream, in which the color scheme was also carried out, was generously served.

Sweet music was furnished by Katie Warren and Ruth Nichols. Throughout that exquisitely appointed home the fortunate guests then strolled at leisure, while the members of each of the clubs, who composed the house party, most successfully looked after their entertainment.

The evening shadows drove homeward the happy guests, whose bright memories of this lovely affair, like a brilliant rainbow, rose over the dark cloud of disappointment in which many absentees were engulfed.

The Standard Club and the gentle hostess are to be congratulated on the brilliant success of the farewell reception of their sixteenth club year.

Piano Recital.

Among all the splendid musical talent of our city Miss Viola Henry ranks among the first. Having natural ability and a love of the work, together with the exceptional advantages of the best instructors of our country, it is natural that her ability should receive merited appreciation, and her ranks of pupils always well filled.

On Thursday evening their spacious home was filled with guests, who heartily responded to her invitation to the piano recital given by her pupils.

The hum of the electric fans and voices in conversation merrily mingling, and the perfume of cut flowers made a pleasant prelude to the opening of the program.

Beautifully printed programs were distributed, each number of which, from the tiniest tot to the young ladies and gentlemen, proved the ability of their cultured teacher, and the talent and zeal of the pupil.

Hearty and deserving encores greeted each number, and the guests on departing thanked Miss Henry heartily for an evening of pleasure while con-

gratulating her upon the efficiency of her pupils.

Following is the program rendered:

PART I.

PARADE REVIEW.....ENGLMANN
Piano I—Vera Cooper and Jessie Person
Piano II—Jeannette Earnest and Annie Beal

DANCING ON THE SAND.....STORY
Marguerite Looney

VALSE.....BACHMANN
Grace Homan

TWO JUVENILES.....BURTY
Lois Prude and Martha Earnest

ON THE MEADOW.....LICHNER
Jessie Person

GRANDPA'S APPLE TREE
Mary Arbutnot

LA PRINCESS.....KROGMANN
Marguerite Beal

SLEIGH RIDE.....TRELOAR
Linnie and Pat Henry

DANCING CLASS.....ZIMMERMANN
Pauline Payne

MINUET.....MOZART
Lillian Payne

VALSE.....GODARD
Ruth Nichols

INVITATION A LA VALSE.....VON WEBER
Piano I—Martha Earnest
Piano II—Grace Homan

TIT FOR TAT
Lois Prude and Martha Earnest

PART II.

KING OF THE CARNIVAL
Mary Arbutnot and Ruth Nichols

LITTLE STORY
Mabel Earnest

VALSE.....GUBEL
Annie Gubel

VALSE.....DUNN
Grace Fitzpatrick and Grace Homan

VALSE.....DUNN
Leila Whipkey

WALTZ.....BASLER
Josephine Henry

READING—

(a) Clover Meadow.
(b) Watchin' the Sparkin'.
Linnie Henry

MINUET.....PADEREWSKI
Martha Earnest

WILD JAGD.....WEBER
Piano I—Ruth Nichols
Piano II—Linnie Henry

LES SYLPHES.....BACHMANN
Vera Cooper

BARCHETTA.....NEVIN
Jeannette Earnest

DAMONEN-TANZ.....HOLST
Piano I—Grace Homan & Linnie Henry
Piano II—Martha Earnest and Ruth Nichols.

Distinguished Visitors.

Mrs. Eliza Randolph of Laredo, Grand Matron of the Eastern Star Chapter of Texas, and Mrs. J. W. Ward of Big Springs, associate grand conductress, were distinguished visitors in our city Friday of last week. They came to visit the Chapter, but owing to the most inclement weather no meeting was had and the members were very much disappointed.

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