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WHIPKEY PRINTING Co

The Loraine Department.

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

BY MISS IRENE GARLAND.

W. F. Altman was a visitor in Hermleigh Saturday.

W. L. Edmondson visited in Sherman last week.

Mrs. J. H. T. Johnson visited relatives in Colorado Sunday.

Our specialty is to please every customer. City Confectionery.

Miss Annie Blocker has accepted a position with Blakeley Bros.

Allen Hall is now employed with the Loraine Mercantile Co.

Miss Lorena Brown visited friends in Roscoe Saturday.

J. J. Patterson of Colorado was a business visitor in town Saturday.

J. M. Thomason is erecting a beautiful cottage on Gunn Heights.

Mrs. Tubbs, who has been quite ill for several days, is much improved.

We are sorry to number Bob Spence among the sick ones of last week.

The City Confectionery is the popular place for ice cream and cold drinks.

Mr. Sloan, of Sweetwater, was a business caller in town last Wednesday.

J. A. Copeland and Mrs. Lee Walker attended the picnic at Hermleigh Saturday.

Ross Gregg and sister, Miss Mary, visited friends in Colorado Sunday.

Mrs. Blanton of Fort Worth is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Morris.

Mrs. Bessie Ball Carley of New Boston is visiting relatives in and near town.

Joe Flaniken spent Sunday in town the guest of J. Fred Flaniken and wife.

S. D. Donehue and wife entertained several friends at supper Saturday evening.

Sidney Boykin and wife have moved into their home near the Methodist church.

Mrs. Ward and Miss Willa McCarty were among those who attended the picnic at Hermleigh Saturday.

G. O. Garrett and wife and Ed Garrett and wife, were called to Seven Wells Friday night by the death of an uncle.

A full line of best cigars, smoking tobacco, Star and Drummond chewing tobacco at City Confectionery.

Messrs. Thompson, Stowe, Henthorn, Pratt, Spence and Toler spent several days hunting and fishing on the Colorado river this week.

While her parents are away on a visit to Brownwood, Miss Isophene Toler is spending the time with her sister, Mrs. Henthorn, on College Heights.

We make our syrup from pure water and granulated sugar; keep syrup on ice at all times. City Confectionery.

Loraine is getting quite a reputation for her number of brides—there are new and pretty ones added to the list every day.

Rev. Burnett, a Cumberland Presbyterian minister, preached two interesting sermons at the Methodist church Sunday.

The many friends of Len Hinson and family regret to know that they will leave Loraine and return to their former home near Clarksville, Texas, in the near future.

R. T. Berry, who has been visiting in Alabama and attending the Confederate reunion at Birmingham, returned Saturday and reports a most pleasant visit.

Mrs. T. J. Davis left Wednesday night for northern Arkansas, where she will spend several weeks with her sister, who is in very poor health.

Miss Nella Merrell left last week for her summer vacation. She will be back to resume her class in September. Her many friends regret to lose her even for so short a time.

Rev. Price was taken very ill at the home of J. N. Allen Saturday, but through assistance of physicians was able to fill his appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.

Our gallant ball team hid themselves to Champion and crossed bats with that team Saturday afternoon, and although the game was hard fought, Loraine came out victorious by a score of 1 to 2.

Ross Gregg and Walter Joiner took a day off and spent it most delightfully fishing on Champion Thursday. They succeeded in enticing a number of finny beauties from their hiding places.

Our little city would very much appreciate a rain now. While the street sprinkler does a great deal toward settling the dust, it is still very disagreeable—farms and gardens are also very dry.

Miss Adaline Howell will leave in a few days for her old home at New Boston, where she will visit her brothers and her many friends.

The park is in beautiful condition for the Confederate reunion. The race track is fine, the shade trees all trimmed up and already there is a holiday air over everything and Loraine shall be delighted to welcome all who will honor her with their presence on the 8th and 9th.

Hubert Toler and wife entertained a number of friends at 42 Friday evening. The game was enthusiastically played and delicious refreshments were served and the guests spent a very pleasant evening. Those present were, Misses Lightfoot, McRae and Garland and Messrs. Cowan, Sheridan, Stowe, Carter, Henthorn, Hollingsworth, Pratt, Wimberley, Garnet and Martin.

The ladies of the Baptist church deserve much credit for the delightful ice cream supper, which took place at the Altman building last Tuesday evening. The refreshments were delicious, the ladies charmingly making everyone welcome. The music was very sweet and the main feature was the nice little sum netted for the church.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Copeland entertained with an elegant din-

ner Friday, the occasion being Mrs. Copeland's birthday. Music and conversation filled the afternoon. Covers were laid for S. D. Donehue and wife, W. T. Pridgen and wife, Hubert Toler and wife, Mrs. Pridgen of Grapeland, and T. O. Cowan. Of course each guest wishes the hostess many more such happy birthdays.

While playing with some other little boys in the street last Wednesday afternoon the six-year-old son of S. L. Thomas came near losing an eye. The children were playing with a wire when one of them threw it at the little Thomas boy, running it through the forehead just above the eye, piercing downward through the eyeball, coming out at the temple. Prompt aid of physicians saved the little fellow's eyesight and at last accounts he was doing nicely.

Last Tuesday when Mr. Wheeler opened the store which belongs to W. L. Edmondson, it was discovered that someone had tried the door and failing to get in there went around to the back window and removed a pane. It was not known definitely what was taken. A number of barefoot tracks, apparently of a ten or twelve year-old boy were found all around the window. Mr. Edmondson put officers onto the clue, but as yet nothing has been found out.

W J BRYAN FOR STATE SENATE

Hon. W. J. Bryan, of Abilene, our present State Senator, passed through Colorado Wednesday morning, en route to . . . He is a candidate for re-election and is running strictly on his past record. In a short interview with the Record man, Mr. Bryan among other things said:

"I will advocate the enactment of an effective law making it unlawful for the officers of the government to represent public service corporations during their terms of office.

"I am opposed to the indiscriminate issuance of free passes or franks by public service corporations, and endorse the general principle underlying the present anti-pass law, but I believe that said law should be amended so as to authorize railway companies to contract with newspapers for the exchange of transportation for advertisements; also to authorize railway companies to issue free trip transportation to those firemen who protect their property when they desire to attend their annual State Conventions; also to authorize railway companies to issue under proper restrictions free transportation to bona-fide immigration agents who are entirely engaged in the development of the State.

"I am in favor of the establishment of an adjunct to the penitentiary system for the manufacture of cotton bagging, sacks and binder twine, thereby relieving the agricultural interests of the State from the exactions of the bagging and twine trusts, and at the same time equipping the female and other convicts for useful and remunerative work after their discharge.

"I will advocate the establishment of at least two experimental stations in the Central West and Western portions of the State for the purpose of aiding in the development of scientific farming in these sections. The experimental stations heretofore established at Troupe and Beeville have been of untold benefit to the farmers of those sections and these benefits should be promptly extended to all parts of the State.

"I will urge the establishment of a State Normal School at some point in West Texas, the location to be determined by a disinterested board, to the end that our Western girls and boys may enjoy the same advantages accorded to those of other sections of Texas; and I will advocate, as in the past, the enlargement, extension and perfection of the system of industrial education which has been so successfully inaugurated.

"I am in favor of the submission of a constitutional amendment providing for State prohibition.

"I will lend my aid to the enactment of a law, or laws, which will provide for a systematic, scientific and permanent

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But when you can't get them ready-made to suit you, you should go down to Payne's and buy some of those pretty Lawns, both colored and white. He has quite a nice stock of Dress Goods, and they are going at "Sale Bargains." I also noticed a big counter of Remnants left over from the big sale. In fact, I saw just lots of bargains down there. And do you know, you would not know the store since the sale, it just looks like a new store just come to town.

A. J. PAYNE

system of public roads in Texas. No question is of greater importance."

Mr. Bryan is quite popular throughout the district, and is making an active campaign.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO VOTERS

The following letter will explain itself:
Colorado, Texas, June 23, 1908.
Hon. E. N. Ridens,
Loraine, Texas.

Dear Sir:—In regard to the matter of your name not appearing on the official ballot as a candidate for the democratic nomination for Justice of the Peace in and for Precinct No. Five (5) Mitchell county, Texas, I beg to say that under the authority of the Terrell election law I have no authority to receive applications after Saturday, June 13th.

But this does not prevent your being a candidate. A blank space is left on the ticket under the names of candidates for every office for the express purpose of allowing voters to write down the name of a candidate in the event they desire to vote for a man whose name is not printed on the ticket.

I would suggest that you have cards printed stating briefly that through oversight you failed to get your name printed on the ticket and requesting your friends to write same on there in the proper place. Such votes are expressly declared legal by the law and will be counted.

Very truly yours,

ROYALL G. SMITH
County Chairman, Mitchell Co. Texas.

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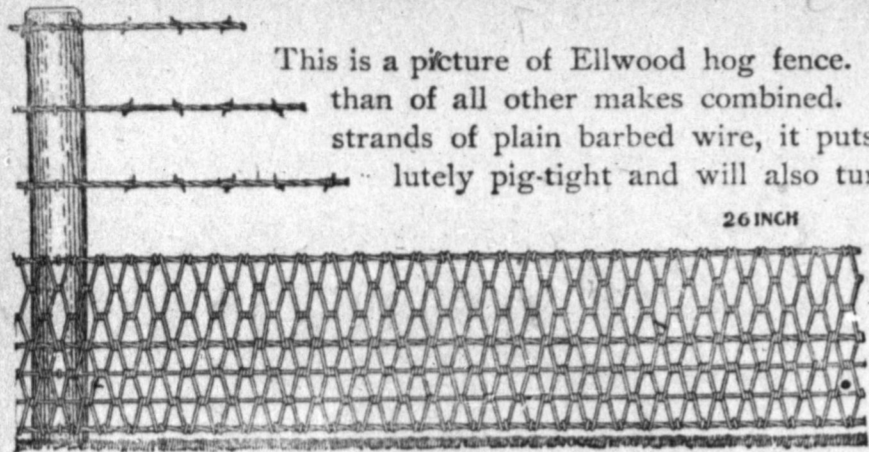
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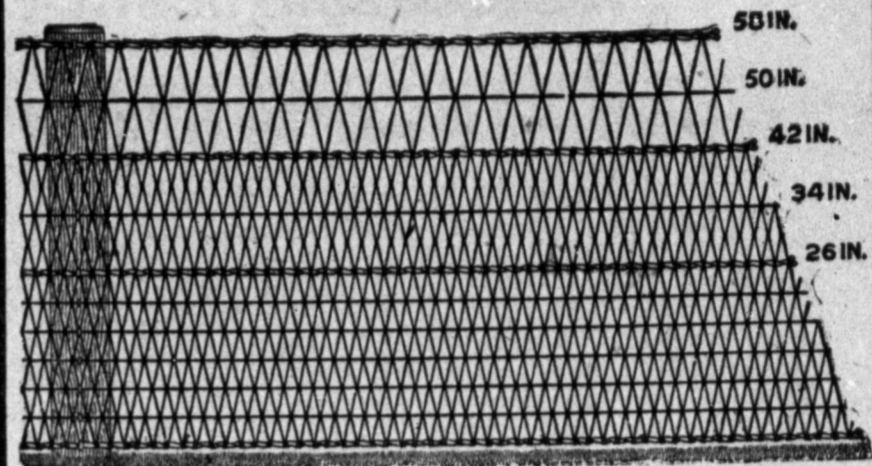
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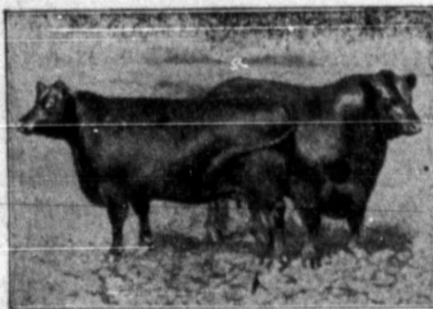
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C. C. GRAVES

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

and PERSONAL MENTION

Meet me at Jake's Restaurant.

T. Y. Cox of the depot force, has been sent to Kent, as agent,

Dr. B. F. Dulaney made a business trip to Roscoe this week.

P. D. Payne, after a visit with relatives here, has returned to Terrell.

In lots of 1000 or more I will sell the very best peach and apple trees at 10 cents each A. J. Culpepper.

Rev. O. S. McIver and wife went over to Big Springs on a visit Wednesday and to attend district conference.

Mrs. P. A. Hazzard has returned from a two-weeks visit with her sister in Fort Worth.

Cleaning and dying ladies skirts is a specialty with us. The Keep-U-Neat Tailors.

Miss Allie Hanson, aged sixteen, died of consumption Sunday, at the home of her uncle, T. J. Hammond, near Dunn and was buried there on Monday.

The city meat market will buy your butter, chickens and eggs. Phone 117.

The program of the West Texas Baptist Young People's Assembly, to be held at Stamford, July 24th to August 2nd, is out, and an entertaining one it promises to be. Stamford has pledged all who attend a splendid time, and a big crowd is expected.

The new meat market is ever ready and anxious to please. Try them.

R. E. Dolman, who bought cotton here last season, is the grading teacher for the Farmers' Union Cotton Clearing Association, and will open a school for teaching the grading of cotton, at Fort Worth, July 1st. From 150 to 250 farmers, merchants and business men will take the course in cotton grading. The school will last a month and the tuition fee is \$15. Anybody can attend, whether a member of the Farmers' Union or not.

If you wish to paper your home we will sell you exclusive patterns, so that no one else will have the same. Colorado Drug Co.

Mrs. Lee Jones entertained a few friends Thursday evening in honor of her sister, Mrs. Cates. 42 was played and a most pleasant time enjoyed.

Miss Ethel Ayres is quite sick with typhoid fever.

Mrs. J. L. Doss has returned from Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Walter Stoneham and sister, Miss Florence Roberts, left Saturday for the Snade ranch, where they will join Mrs. Stoneham's husband, who is surveying.

Mrs. Cates, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lee Jones, left Friday night for her home in Stephenville. She was accompanied by Lee Jr.

Mrs. H. A. Bass and children are home from Paris, Texas, where they have been visiting Mrs. Bass' parents.

Miss Pearl Ruddick returned Friday from a month's visit to her sisters, Mesdames Johnson and Towle, in Snyder.

Mrs. Homer Hooker left Sunday morning for Clyde, for a visit with relatives.

C. W. Simpson attended district conference at Big Springs this week.

W. R. Felker, proprietor of the H S ranch, is looking after his interests here this week.

Mrs. H. E. Grantland and babe returned this week from a visit with her parents at Merkel.

The grand jury has adjourned and breathing is easier. We saw one fellow smile when he heard it—the first time in three weeks.

Read the ordinance published in this issue; it may save you money.

J. P. Majors and family returned this week from their trip to Alabama and Tennessee, and report a most pleasant vacation.

T. H. Roe has returned from a short and pleasant vacation on his brother's ranch.

President J. H. Haley, of the State Barber Board, was advised by wire from Austin yesterday, that the law by which the board was created and operates, had been declared unconstitutional by the appellate court.

Mrs. Douglas Furgerson, who has been visiting her mother Mrs. Jeffress, has returned to Waco.

Mesdames Blandford, Dodson, Arnett and A. J. Payne attended the district conference at Big Springs this week.

Miss Florence Willingham of Dallas, who has been a guest of Miss Etta Doss, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. W. L. Doss and Miss Etta, are visiting Mrs. Stockton in Big Springs this week.

Miss Rogers of Merkel, is the guest of Miss Hughes this week.

Mrs. M. Carter returned Tuesday from a delightful visit of three weeks, with relatives and friends in Alabama.

Remember Rev. Holmes Nichols will begin a revival meeting in East Colorado next Sunday night. All come praying for a gracious revival.

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A DELIGHTFUL OUTING.

(Lorraine Correspondent)

It was the second day of June. A more ideal day cannot be imagined. The sun like a golden disc in a clear sky had just passed the zenith and smiled down warmly upon the green earth fresh and tender in her airy robes of infant summer. The little village of Lorraine lay quiet and still save for a gentle breeze direct from the summit of Lone Wolf mountain, laden with the odor of freshly tilled soil, and wild prairie flowers—for business was suffering a lull on account of the recent money panic. Presently a ponderous wagon drawn by two huge brown mules rolled into Main street. The wagon was covered with a snowy sheet, supplied with spring seats, and had a spacious check-box attached at the back. A young man of perhaps 21, in the very bloom of handsome young manhood, his golden hair catching the rays of sunlight shining like a coronet above his white forehead and mischievous blue eyes. Clad in blue overalls and a red bandana knotted about his neck, his sombrero pushed back, he alighted in front of a hardware store and began to put in tent, provision, and everything necessary to a camping expedition.

Ross Gregg—for that was his name—drove further down the street to Fred Flanken's confectionery and J. E. Stowe's drug store, where two other lads, Jimmie Garnette and Tim Garland, both handsome as young gods, clad like Ross in overalls and bandanas, leaped into the wagon and joined their happy voices in plans for the trip. A young lady in a check shirt waist suit, bonnet and gloves joined them at W. T. Pridgen & Co.'s store and away they rolled to get the other girls and make ready to start. When all was ready the party consisted of those already named, a sweet-faced, golden haired girl, the counterpart of her brother Ross—this was Mary—another laughing, rollicking girl of 20 summers who was addressed as Christine, two other girls whom we shall call Oma and Estelle, a beautiful young bride whose eyes shone like diamonds, her raven hair curling about her shapely forehead her round cheeks like full blown peonies, her full lips parting in a smile showing teeth like rows of even pearls, her heart filled to uttermost with love for her husband, this was Ethel; the young bridegroom whose name is Ed, and another tall, handsome young man who was ever ready with witty retort to the gibes of the tantalizing Ross, him we shall know as Cypher.

Within an hour the little village was left in the distance and fertile farms and picturesque farm homes came into view and soon were left behind, for Cypher knew his business when "manipulating the Balaams." The first halt was made at a beautiful ranch home, where a busy windmill pumped water as clear as crystal, and where a green grapevine wound itself round a veteran cottonwood, forming a bower where fairies like to frolic, the quaint home-keeper hospitably quenching the thirst of the guests. This happy picture was soon in the distance and the wagon again rolling on the flower decked prairie. Presently a spot such as poets love to dream about, came into view and the girls enthusiastically exclaimed: "This is it." In less time than it takes to tell it, the tent was pitched and the home in the woods began. On a grass-covered knoll a snowy cloth was spread and the hungry but happy group assembled, partaking of fried chicken, and all the good things on the picnic menu. When the supper things were put away, for they were tidy house-keepers, a wagon sheet was spread upon the grass and formality given not a care, but happiness and contentment reigned supreme. The young people fell easily into comfortable positions while story after story was told, always followed by ripples of mirth, and song after song swelled the balmy breeze, and when this grew monotonous old-time games such as were played by the muses of 50 years ago were gone through, with screams of laughter. Tired out at last the girls repaired to the tent with hopes of refreshing slumber, but such hopes were vain, for the impish Oma and Estelle took it upon themselves to see that no sleep came to them, and soon the air grew hideous with groans and snores and pillows began to fly like hailstones, and acrobatic stunts rivaling the spangled show girl were performed upon the tent pole. The other girls endured with as much patience as possible until the two performers were tired out and again all was quiet for a moment, when lo, trouble from another source, the boys began to stir in their nest with evident intention of fleeing the wrath to come, for the murderous mosquito was heard filing his bill, and soon they came in armies, arrayed in war paint and feathers, storming the breastworks and taking all before them. But at the critical moment General Cypher sprang to the front and shouting, "Come on boys, never retreat," started a huge bonfire and the enemy turned tail and fled. Thus the greatest victory of the day was accomplished and at 3:30 the camp-

ers again settled themselves to refreshing slumber.

At five the next morning all was astir in the camp. Ross and Cypher off after game, Mary and Estelle frying the bacon and scrambling the eggs, Christine and Checkerboard setting the table and Ethel and Oma adjusting the tent—Jim, Tim and the bridegroom attending to the wants of the Balaams and bringing water from the creek. After breakfast the party separated into groups and went fishing and returned about noon, each group bringing in great strings of fish, and tales of turtles, snakes, thousand-legs and three brown squirrels were Ross and Cypher's contribution to the day's hunt. The fish and squirrels were the brownest and best when sent to the table, and how the young folks feasted. Then pallets were made in the shade of the trees and restful sleep took possession of the camp and for three hours a peaceful stillness reigned, then tables were laid and, 42 was played till the cooler hours of the evening.

"I'll suggest something and she's a 'haw-eater' who will not follow me," shouted Christine as she darted away toward the creek, followed closely by all the girls. It is useless to say there were no "haw-eaters," for soon the very hills echoed back the shouts of girlish laughter as the crystal drops splashed over them, for they were wading and splashing barefoot in the clear, rock-bottom creek.

Night came on again and again they were all assembled round the campfire telling tales. Ross laid a scheme for getting ahead of the mosquitoes by hanging strips of bacon over the pallets. For he held "any fool mosquito ought to know that bacon is better diet than American boy." Whether it was the bacon or the camp fire which kept them away will never be known, nevertheless they did not put in an appearance.

The only mistake which was made was by the bridegroom when he killed a pole cat which was in the very act of taking a bath. On the third day the bridal luncheon was served and all the delicacies which the creek, the woods, and the chuck-box afforded were spread before the camp—the principal desert being mulberry pie. It was decided to move further up the creek and by one o'clock the Balaams had made their grand stand play and the wagon was on her way—the occupants casting a loving look in parting at the beautiful spot which had been home for two happy days. About four another fairy nook was found, the white home erected and life begun again, every bend of

the creek being explored—fish of all kinds and in abundance. The chief feature of amusement was a lecture on the "Simplicity of Somnuse," by the eloquent Ross.

On the morning of the fourth day Lorraine and home was suggested, but the fascination of camp life was too strong and a unanimous "let us stay longer" went up. At eleven o'clock the fishers came in with beautiful trout, perch and cat, but to the horror of the camp the lard and bacon were all gone, but the resourceful Tim and Ross flew on their wings of hunger to a farm house and brought in lard and salt-rising bread—fish, bread, onions and creek water and not a bit to spare. Soon the camp was broken, the fire extinguished, the kodak views all taken, and a sunburned, chigger-bitten, tired, dirty but happy crowd piled into the wagon and started singing Home Sweet Home and Goodbye Old Champion, Goodbye. They might have been mistaken for savages as they rolled into the haunts of civilization, dreading to put away this wild, sweet liberty. It was quite a different looking crowd which pulled up at Fred Flanken's confectionery, where ice cream and watermelons finished the excursion, from the one which left the second day of June.

Aside from Jim's rheumatism, Mary's sick headache, rattlesnakes, chiggers, polecats, spiders, insects of all kinds, sunburns, grassburrs and muddy shoes, it was the most delightful excursion ever taken and when the participants have grown old and time shall have furrowed the white brows, still there shall come back a pleasant memory of the dear little home on beautiful Champion.

neighborhood, Saturday night. A splendid time is reported.

Jesse Jenkins and Nat L. Hardy attended the Socialist speaking and ice cream supper at Shepherds school house Saturday night. They report having a good time and say they are going back again. It is even thought that they are seriously contemplating moving over there.

A certain old gentleman of this community stopped a certain young man in his hall the other night and said: "Look here, young man, you have been waiting on my daughter for two or three years. I want to know whether you intend to marry her or not." The young man replied: "Well-er-y-you ask her; maybe you are not afraid of her like I am," and left wishing the young lady would think about it being leap year.

It has been quite a while since John Redmon has seen the panther that has been haunting him.

There is talk of organizing a C. M. A. lodge here. Boys, you should all get together and have a rousing good lodge. Fine time for ice cream socials, base ball, camping parties, picnics, etc.

Buford has organized a baseball team and they expect to make things hum on the diamond as soon as they get a little practice. B. Prentice is the captain and Davis, the McClure boys, Earl Calloway, Henderson Witten, Jim Dorn, Sam Buford, Frank Redmon and John Henkel are among the players.

Singing at A. J. Hagler's Sunday night was well attended. All of our singing class should be at singing next Sunday and get in shape for the convention. Buford must have the banner.

J. Smith and sisters, Misses Josephine and Pearl, were visiting friends in Colorado Sunday.

not be out of the ground more than two days.

This nursery is owned by J. N. Wilson, well known in west Texas and who could not afford to misrepresent anything he sells. Mr. Turberville will guarantee every tree he sell to be true to representation, and he is always here to make everything good. He wants to sell the people of this county their trees, and if good stock, low price and square treatment will do it, he will get the orders. He receives a shipment of nice fruit from Clyde twice a week and sells it about cost. Fruit display and catalogue can be seen at Scott & Nunn's wagon yard. Give home men and enterprises preference.

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For Sale by

HUBBARDS

BUFORD BRIEFS

Crops are in fine condition and farmers in fine spirits. Cotton is being rapidly chopped out. A good rain would not damage anything very seriously, but we are not kicking about the drouth.

W. T. Rogers is on the grand jury and has been spending a good portion of his time at the court house for the last week or two.

T. L. Redmon has been attending court as a juror.

Almost the entire population of this neighborhood went to the four-note singing at Valley View, the regular singing here being postponed.

Quite a number of our young people attended the ice cream supper at Mr. Birmingham's, in the Valley View

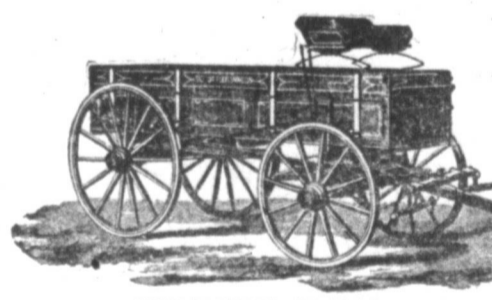
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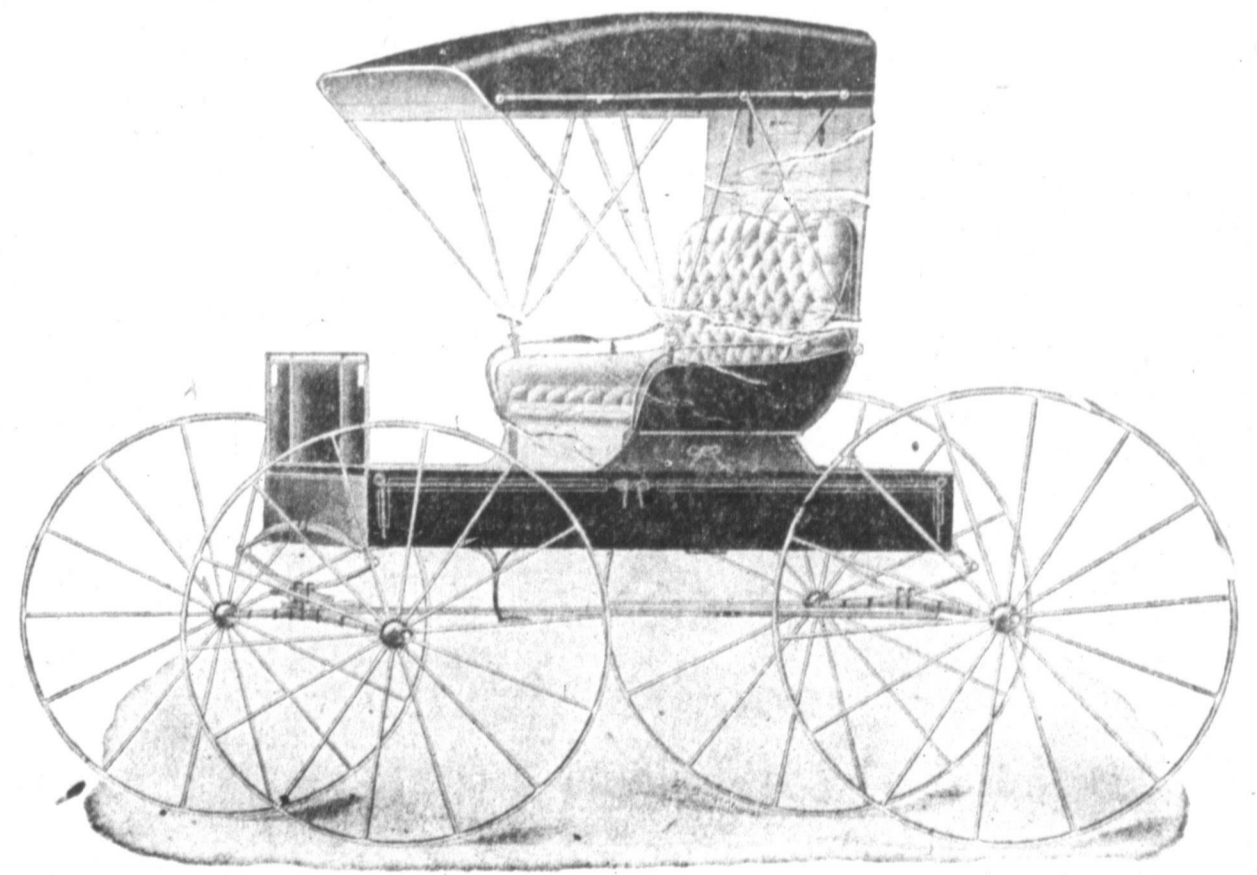


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FRIDAY, JUNE 26 1908.

The first bale of cotton for Texas this year was the earliest on record—June 9th.

Gov. Campbell has formally opened his campaign and invited candidate Williams to get busy.

W. P. Hawkins, who killed Chas. Barber at Van Horn, May 13th, was acquitted at El Paso Saturday.

As long as it rains one day and the dust blows the next, the people of west Texas know the storm period is not past, and so observe that the cyclone cellar is in proper order.

No odds how many diplomas and degrees a sawbones may possess, he can't practice medicine in Oklahoma unless being examined and passed by the state board.

In referring to Anna Gould, who is soon to wed another foreign degenerate, the newspapers have dropped all semblance of respect and designate her as the "Gould woman."

The mountain has emerged from its labor and travail, but whether the issue was a molehill or a mouse the accoucheurs have not yet announced, but one thing seems pretty clear—President Harrington has not suffered by the investigation.

The corporation of the City of Colorado needs neither apologist nor wet-nurse. What it has accomplished in a general betterment of conditions, is its strongest argument for existence and its most effective defense against successful opposition. It will abide for its very work's sake.

The nomination of Taft is an endorsement of Roosevelt and his policies. He was the only entity of the convention. All others were but shadows cast upon a wall—mere puppets in the hands of an omnipotent performer. With Taft in the White House, Roosevelt will be as much in power as he ever was.

Some of the papers of Oklahoma, have sound conceptions of where a negro belongs and how to remind him of his status. Shooting him in the face and beating him over the head with his own gun, until the doctors consider repairs doubtful, is what the Shawnee News calls teaching him how to be a "cullard gentleman."

The holding by the court of civil appeals that the law authorizing a levy in independent school districts of more than 20 cents on each \$100 valuation, is unconstitutional, effects the validity of bonds issued by thirty-five such districts, aggregating \$3,500,000. This holding does not effect districts that lie wholly within the limits of a single municipality.

West Texas has not only proven its claim to being the best

cattle country, but is producing some of the finest horses and mules on the market. Missouri led the world in the production of fine mules, and largely supplied, not only Uncle Sam's army but that of England and other foreign countries with these useful animals. until the last year or two, when Texas took the lead. The winners of some of the most notable racing stakes have been Texas bred horses, while it furnishes the entire supply of polo ponies. 'Rah for Texas, and the western part in particular.

The petition having for its object the abolition of the corporation, is not such a Raw Head and Bloody Bones after all. Few seem to have seen it, and fewer still, to have signed it. The corporation is safe by a good margin, because it was a step forward. The better sanitation, the improved condition of the streets, increased fire protection and decrease of lawlessness, brought about by incorporation, are all material benefits, that cost us less today than we paid for their lack under the old regime. The city government has come this time to stay, and will be here long after the voice of the obstructionist is hushed. Colorado will take no retrogressive step.

Two months ago there were thousands upon thousands of idle freight cars in the yards of every railroad in the United States. The Erie road had a picture made of one mile of idle locomotives, while all the roads had cut down forces and expenses considerably. There was no doubt about times being dull—to say the best of the condition. But things have taken an upward turn in the industrial and commercial worlds, and the quickened throb is felt throughout every ramification of business. Idle men are at work again, every freight car and engine is in use, money is easier and the consensus is that the recent panic and sequelae have fairly spent their force and better times are hard upon us. The southwest, not being a manufacturing section, will not feel the reaction as quickly as the creative centers of the north and east, but when our crops, which now give promise of abundant yield are harvested and sold, this section will again put on its seven league boots in its triumphal march to its ultimate destiny.

A vacuum cotton picking machine, operated by compressed air like the dustless house cleaners, has been put on the market and is guaranteed to do the work thoroughly, rapidly and without injury to the plant. Exhaustive tests made with it in all kinds of cotton, show it capable of the widest range of application and that it is practically unbreakable. It is manufactured by the Thurmond Vacuum Cotton Picking Co., St. Louis, Mo.

The Texas & Pacific shops at Marshall and Big Springs, put on full forces at both places last Monday.

The platform adopted by the republican convention at Chicago, is a soul-photograph of Theodore Roosevelt; his spirit shines in every plank.

Mr. Lawson, the great swash-buckler of American finance, is out in print with an offer of one million dollars as a starter for Mr. Bryan's campaign fund.

The best assurance of good laws, is their strict enforcement: for if bad laws are enforced they will soon be repealed and cease to be laws. If good laws are enforced they will be so profitable that they will be obeyed, and justice will prevail throughout the land.

For the 'tenth time, Blind Tom, the idiotic negro musical prodigy, has been reported dead; this time at Hoboken, N. J., and in abject poverty. He may be dead this time sure enough, but the supposition that the various reports put out regarding his death, were shrewd advertising schemes, is erroneous; and that he died in poverty, is palpably untrue. He was born a slave, in 1850, the property of Judge Bethune, who toured the world with him, with great profit. When the negroes were freed, Tom was "bound" to Judge Bethune for life and the treasurer of the state of New York was made his guardian; Bethune paying a certain per cent of the earnings of the negro, to the guardian for the former's benefit. In the seventies, Bethune was killed by a cable car in Baltimore and his wife came into control of Tom and made tours of this country and Europe with him, but neglected to pay over the negro's share of his earnings to the state of New York, and as a result, she was summoned to appear before the probate court with the negro and make an accounting for his part. She failed to appear, and soon afterward Tom died the first time; then he was drowned in the Johnstown flood, and a year or two later died again at Birmingham, Ala. She married a lawyer of Brooklyn, N. Y. several years ago, since when Tom has not appeared before a public audience, but has lived in over-fed ease with his piano, cared for by his former mistress, to whom he was bound for life. So far from being in poverty, at the time of the first summons of Mrs. Bethune before the court, the treasurer of the state of New York, held in trust \$340,000 belonging to the negro, not a dollar of which was spent except by order of the probate court.

WINSTON NEWS NOTES

A large crowd from here attended the W. O. W. picnic at Hermleigh Saturday and will say it certainly was a nice occasion. The Snyder brass band was with us. In the needle race Miss Ina Northcutt won the prize. Mr. Cooker won in the sack race and two others. We thank the Hermleigh people for the hospitality shown us.

Miss Josie Northcutt visited Misses Eunice and Lois Griffin.

The party at Mr. Brooks' Friday night was fine. Those present were: Misses Mosleys, Griffins, Mahoneys, Thompson, Haggerton, Bills, Blackburn, Helmer, Wemken and Shultz, and Messrs. Joe Griffin, Geo. Wemken, Bills, Haggerton, Kennedy, Caswell, Wells and Hubby.

Mrs. Mosley, accompanied by Miss Sadie and Cleve, Rudy and Hardy, were shopping in Loraine.

The Zion Rest people had services, singing and dinner on the ground, and a very large attendance.

Will Leggett and Ed Mahoney visited in Hermleigh. Don't know whether they went on business or not, but it was probably to see some fair damsel.

It is reported that Mrs. Alfred Kidd is rapidly improving.

Edgar Seymour has entered the Normal at Colorado and his friends wish him unbounded success.

SUNSHINE.

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
R. C. CRANE of Sweetwater
- 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
W. FRANK ROBINSON (re el)
- 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
J. J. PATTERSON.
- For Tax Assessor
L. A. COSTIN
- For County Surveyor
R. H. CRUMP
- 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.)
M. C. RATLIFF
- For Constable, Precinct No. 1
JOE H. KEY (re-election)
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
J. M. BAKER (re-election)
J. W. SIMMONS
W. H. GARDNER
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
W. M. GREEN
B. B. (Bob) McGUIRE
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 3.
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The Piano on Exhibition at the Record Office

How the Vote Stands

Alpine Fox, Colorado.....	85,805
Udonia O'Daniel, Colorado.....	75,035
Irene Garland, Loraine.....	70,160
Leona Dyas, Westbrook.....	59,165
Ethel Pritchett, Colorado.....	17,465
Effie Phillips, Westbrook.....	11,995
Pearl Allen, Winston.....	8,850
Mrs. A. Kidd, Winston.....	6,900

Now is the time to work. Watch for the big ad next week. Call for the Merchant's Coupons.

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

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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

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Big Barbecue, Free Water, Free Wood, Free Camping Ground, Fine Shady Park, Prominent Speakers, Running and Driving Races each day. Liberal purses will be offered for all races. Automobile races. Base ball by the best teams in west Texas. Brass Band to play "Dixie" and "The Girl I Left Behind." Big team Merry-Go-Round. Shows to amuse you. Tournament Ride, liberal prizes.

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By the Old Indian Fighters of Texas and a band of Indians. This will be one of the greatest reproductions of an old-time frontier fight ever witnessed in Texas, worth coming miles to see. Bring your wife and children. Come camp with us; visit us; see the Biggest and Loudest little town in West Texas.

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All kinds of attractions for the old and young. No fakes---No Gambling.

Dr. Beck, C. E. Brown, D. E. Gunn, W. F. Altman, - - Privilege Committee.

CITY ORDINANCE

Ordinance to establish and regulate a public pound, and to regulate, restrain and prohibit the running at large of horses, mules, cattle, sheep, swine, goats, jacks, jennets, and to authorize the distraining, impounding and sale of same for the costs of the proceedings and the penalty incurred:

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Colorado, Texas:

SECTION 1--That it shall be hereafter unlawful for any horse, mule, cattle of any kind, sheep, swine, goat, jack or jennet to run at large within the corporate limits of the City of Colorado, after July 1, 1908;

PROVIDED, this ordinance shall not apply to milch cows actually giving milk and being used as milch cows until after October 1, 1908--after which time this ordinance shall apply to all the aforesaid stock and cattle.

SECTION 2--That it shall be the duty of the City Marshal to take and impound in some secure place, provided for such purpose, any and all stock mentioned in section first of this ordinance, found running at large within the corporate limits of said city, and to keep the same until disposed of as hereafter provided for in this ordinance.

SECTION 3--The City Marshal shall, when any stock is taken up and impounded as provided for in the preceding section, advertise the same to be sold for the purpose of paying the cost of the proceedings by posting notices at three public places in the city, one of which said notices shall be at the court house door and one at the city pound. The notices herein provided for shall contain a description of the animal or animals so impounded, when taken up, and the place where the same shall be sold, the date of such sale not to be less than five and more than ten days from the date of posting said notices.

SECTION 4--That at any time before the sale of such stock, or animal, the owner thereof may reclaim the same by making satisfactory proof to the city marshal of such ownership, and paying all costs of impounding which have accrued up to the time of such ownership.

SECTION 5--That, on the day and at the place specified in the notice herein provided for, unless such animal has been before reclaimed by the owner, the city marshal shall open the door of the court house door in Colorado, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., to the highest and best bidder in hand, and out of the proceeds of such sale, shall first pay

the expense of keeping such animal or animals and advertising and making sale of the same, and the balance of the proceeds of such sale shall be paid into the city treasury of the city of Colorado to the credit of the impounding fund.

SECTION 6--The city marshal shall keep a book in which he shall record the description of the animals sold by him under the provisions of this ordinance, the date of such sale, the name of such purchaser thereof, the price at which same was sold, which book shall be open to the inspection of the public.

SECTION 7--That the owner of the animal sold under and by virtue of the provisions of this ordinance, may at any time within six months from the date of such sale, appear before the mayor of the city, and upon his making satisfactory proof before him by affidavit, that he was the owner of such property at the time of the sale, the mayor shall draw a warrant on the treasurer in favor of such owner, for the amount for which the animal was sold less the cost of impounding, keeping, advertising and making the sale of such animal.

SECTION 8--That the city marshal shall collect from the owner of any stock impounded under the provisions of this ordinance, before delivering the same, the sum of one dollar per head, for animals impounded, and 35 cents per day per head for feeding such animals, and \$1.50 per head for each animal sold, which amounts when collected from the owner of such stock, or when collected by the sales of such stock, shall be paid by the marshal and receipts taken therefor.

SECTION 9--That this ordinance shall not apply to stock going to and returning from their accustomed range when under the immediate charge of some person capable of driving or controlling the same.

The foregoing ordinance is approved, this 9th day of June, 1908.

C. H. EARNEST,
Mayor of the City of Colorado.
Attest: J. A. FORE, City Secretary.

THERE ARE FEW

people who know how to take care of themselves--the majority do not. The liver is a most important organ in the body. Herbine will keep it in condition. V. C. Simpkins, Alba, Texas, writes: "I have used Herbine for Chills and Fever and find it the best medicine I ever used. I would not be without it. It is as good for children as it is for grown-up people, and I recommend it. It is fine for La Grippe."

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When a healthy man or woman begins to run down without apparent cause, becomes weak, languid, depressed, suffers back-ache, headache, dizzy spells and urinary disorders, look to the kidneys as the cause of it all. Keep the kidneys well and they will keep you well. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys and keep them well.

J. G. Owens, 409 Locust street, Abilene, Texas, says: "A little over a year ago, my kidneys began to annoy me. The secretions became scanty, too frequent in action and accompanied with a scalding sensation. I think that the trouble was brought on by drinking the water in this country, which is full of alkali. Whatever the cause was, one box of Doan's Kidney Pills completely cured me. That was six months ago, and I have had no return of the trouble since. A remedy that will act so quickly and surely as Doan's Kidney Pills, is worth endorsing."

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THE SOCIETY REALM

Mrs. J. G. Merritt, Editor

Friday afternoon from 5 to 7, Mrs. Lee Jones entertained most pleasantly in honor of her sister, Mrs. Cates, at the home of Mrs. Waldo. 42 was played, there being four tables. The game was very interesting and each of the guests had a lovely time, but Mrs. Raymond Johnson and Mrs. Ratliff were the happiest of all when at the close of the game 'twas found that they were the successful winners of the dainty prizes, both the work of the hostess' nimble fingers. A delicious salad course was served which was greatly enjoyed. The shadows had grown so long that all was shadow before the jolly crowd bade adieu to their hostess and her charming sister, who left on the night train for her home in Stephenville.

The young people had a very pleasant dance at the club rooms Thursday evening.

Miss Exa McLure entertained the Kidd-Key girls Saturday at an elegant mid-day dinner in honor of Miss Florence Willingham, a school friend. Those present were, Misses Doss, Willingham, Ophelia Arnett and Eleanor Coleman.

Rev. and Mrs. B. W. Dodson opened their home Monday evening from 8:30 to 12 o'clock and entertained in a most hospitable manner in honor of their twentieth wedding anniversary. The parlor was most artistically decorated in ferns and cut flowers, the dining and music rooms were fragrant with sweet flowers, while in the south room delicious punch was served from a bowl beautifully decorated with grape leaves and clusters of grapes.

The guests were met at the door by Mrs. M. C. Knott, while Mrs. Merritt presented them to the receiving line, in which were Mr. and Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Griswold, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Knott, Mesdames William Robert Smith, Davies, Crockett and Blandford were in the parlor, while Mesdames A. J. Payne, Annis and Doss were in the punch and dining room. Misses Jennie Knott, Alice Shuford, Merrell and Doss served punch, while Misses Reaville, Julia and Lena McLure and Wulfjen saw that all were most bounteously helped to the delicious cream and cake. On passing from the dining room, Mrs. John Sims pinned on the dainty little heart-shaped favors tied with white ribbon and bearing the names, "Davies and Dodson." Messrs. A. J. Payne and C. C. Blandford added greatly to the pleasure of the evening by their sweet music on the piano and violin. Miss Ruth Graves sang beautifully.

The many beautiful gifts in china testified to the esteem of Mr. and Mrs. Dodson's friends and expressed better than words their good wishes. There were three tables piled high with dainty pitchers, salad bowls and odd pieces, but the array of exquisite plates was amazing. There were plates for cakes, others for pie, and still others for various uses. One friend sent silver spoons, a dozen tea and six table spoons, with the explanation that he knew it was a china wedding anniversary, but no doubt they felt as if they had been married twenty-five years, though it was only twenty.

So pleasantly were all entertained that it was just 12 o'clock before the goodnights were said and the last good wishes given.

Miss Sadie Mae Hughes entertained six couples of young people most pleasantly Wednesday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Rogers, of Merkel.

The Kindergarten Study Club did not meet last week, but today they will hold a meeting with Mrs. Lee Jones, with the appointed program.

The Card Club met Tuesday with Miss Bernice Terrell, at the home of Mrs. Boren. A very delightful afternoon was spent in playing high five. Mrs. Singleton is hostess next week.

The G. F. C. met Thursday with Mrs. Vivian Shropshire and had lots of fun playing 42. Refreshments of orange ice and cake were served. The next meeting is with Miss Bess McMurry.

Miss Byrd Adams entertained twelve young ladies Wednesday morning at 42, in honor of her guest, Miss Foster. The weather was delightful and the morning was ideally spent. Delicious orange ice and ladyfingers were served at the conclusion of the game.

Mrs. Harry Landers left Tuesday for Stanton, to attend the wedding of her brother, Johnnie Robertson. The marriage took place Wednesday evening at 8:30 at the Methodist church, the bride being Miss Floye Richards, one of Stanton's most charming young ladies.

Mrs. Bailey entertained the Wednesday Social Club at 42 and a delightful meeting was held. Misses Stovall of Dalls, Foster of Dallas, Dunham of Alabama, Mesdames Majors of El Paso; John Doss, Shropshire, and Misses Byrd Adams and Bernice Terrell were guests. Dainty little dishes of mints were placed on the table for the refreshment of the players. After the game Miss Byrd Adams sang most beautifully and Miss Stovall charmed all with her delightful piano solos. Elegant refreshments of fruit cream, with white and sponge cake were served by Mrs. Bailey in her own dainty manner. The meeting next week is with Mrs. Blandford.

The U. D. C. Chapter will have a memorial service to Stephen D. Lee at its next regular meeting, also a part of the usual program.

The entire program will be as follows:

Roll call; facts concerning Stephen D. Lee's life.

Song, Lead Kindly Light, Mrs. Shropshire, Misses Jo Dry, Emma and Hallie Dupree.

Sketch of Stephen D. Lee's life, Mrs. R. H. Looney.

Lee's last speech, Miss Jo Dry. The surviving heroes, Mrs. W. L. Doss.

Reading, Mrs. Annis.

Song, Maryland My Maryland. Reading the dedication of the "Rise and Fall of the Confederate Government," Miss Bernice Terrell.

Discussion, The justice of the cause of the South in the war between the states, Chapter.

Song, Dixie.

THE BAPTIST MEETING

Will begin at the tabernacle near the Baptist church on the first Sunday in July at 11 a. m. Rev. P. E. Burroughs, pastor of the Broadway church, Ft. Worth, will do the preaching, while Mr. A. G. Pfaff, who had charge of the choir last year, will again direct the music in revival effort. Bro. Nichols is organizing his forces for a strenuous campaign. The Onesiphorous Band, Dr. Neal's bible class, and the Sunday School teachers are being organized for personal work. The main meeting which begins at the time above indicated, will be preceded by a week's meeting in east Colorado, conducted by Pastor Nichols and the singer, Mr. Pfaff, beginning on the last Sunday night in June.

The Baptist church, says the pastor, is in fine shape for a gracious revival; the revival spirit being already manifest in conversions and baptisms at the regular services. Within the last four weeks there have been ten accessions to the church, five of the number being by Baptism.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The District Sunday School Convention will be held at Westbrook, beginning Friday afternoon, June 26, and continuing over the fourth Sunday. There will be services Friday afternoon and Friday night, dinner on the ground and services all day Saturday and Sunday. The services Friday and Saturday nights will be interspersed with music and recitations, furnished by Westbrook and adjoining Sunday school students.

All Sunday schools within reach of Westbrook are invited to

come and assist us in this program with a good Sunday school or prohibition song, recitation or paper. We hope to make this a very helpful and interesting meeting, but we cannot do so without the co-operation of other Sunday schools, so we earnestly ask you to come and be with us. We have the promise of short lectures on Sunday school work by quite a number of able preachers from different sections of the country, whose names and subjects will be found in the following program:

Friday afternoon—2 o'clock, first hour, Rev. Holmes Nichols, Colorado, his conception of what it takes to constitute a model Sunday school. Second hour, open discussion of same subject.

Friday night—8:45 o'clock, Rev. W. B. Moffett, Sweetwater, Parental Obligations to the Sunday School.

Saturday morning—Devotional services at 10 o'clock. First hour, Rev. Elliott, Colorado, Qualifications of the Sunday School Teacher.

11 o'clock, second hour, R. M. Webb, Colorado, The Superintendents Duties.

Saturday afternoon—2:30, first hour, J. D. Lamkin, Vincent, How to enlist the young people in the Sunday school work.

Second hour, Rev. W. B. Moffett, Sweetwater, The child for Jesus.

Sunday morning—11 o'clock, sermon by Rev. E. E. Dawson, Abilene.

Sunday afternoon—2:30 o'clock sermon to the children, Rev. W. E. Davis, Abilene.

CLOSING OF PIANO CONTEST

When the clock strikes 4 on Saturday, August 1st, 1908, the Record's big piano contest will close.

On Saturday, July 18th, the voting box will be placed in the Colorado National Bank, the key turned over to Mr. Hatch, the cashier, and no one allowed to open it until the contest closes.

Much interest is now being manifested and more will develop before the close. The piano is here and the certainty of its being given away, adds a keener zest to the race.

Miss O'Daniel takes second place this week. Now is the time to do the most efficient and telling work. Seven girls in the contest will win a prize, but the question is, who will secure the beautiful piano.

FAIRVIEW SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

On Sunday eve, October 20, 1907, the good people of this community met and took up the Sunday School work under the new name, Fairview. The Sunday School work has been successfully carried on at this place for a number of years heretofore under the name of Cuthbert, now changed to Fairview. Realizing the many changes and the people who have come into our midst, we felt this work of more importance, perhaps, than at any time before. Believing in a peaceable and social community, and believing in the divine work of the Master, we set forth an effort to accomplish some good for the Master's cause. Beginning with forty present our school has reached 102 in number and we hope the spiritual interest has grown equally as strong.

We are thankful for the many blessings that have been strewn in our pathway. For the past eight months, from October 20, to June 21, there have been 36 Sundays, and out of these 36 Sundays the school has met 32. Number of scholars present in 32 Sundays, 1,557. The Sunday school rendered a nice Christmas exercise; a good picnic, by the aid of Cuthbert making it a Sunday school rally for this district, and a box supper for the interest of the school building. Number of verses recited, 240; number of visitors, 135.

Collections as follows:

Song books	\$ 5.90
Buckner Orphans Home	5.40
Christmas exercises	14.00
Sunday School Literature	7.80
Banner and badges	7.05
Basket supper	6.50
Total	\$46.65

At the ending of this quarter the Sunday school will be dismissed for two months. May God help us, and be with you all is my prayer.

C. E. JENKINS.

EQUALIZATION BOARD

You are hereby notified that the Honorable Commissioners' court of Mitchell county, Texas, will meet on the 1, 2 and 3rd days of July, A. D. 1908, as a final board of equalization, at which time all persons whose property has been raised, may appear and show cause why the valuation fixed by the said Board of Equalization on their property, should not be made final.

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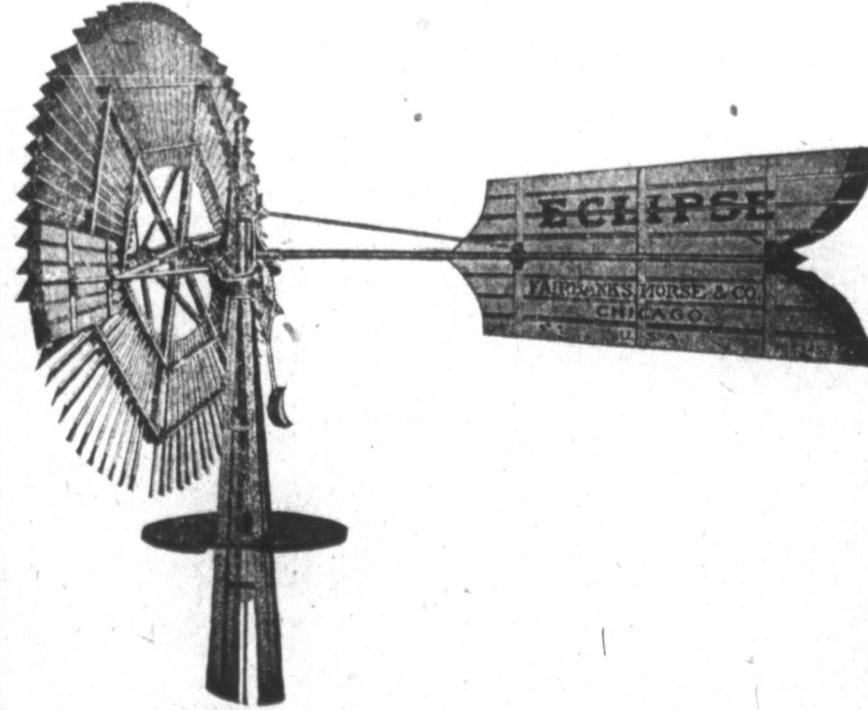


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Colorado, Tex., June 1, 1908.

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The Mitchell County Singing Convention will convene with the Cuthbert class July 4th and 5th, the first Saturday, and Sunday following. Business session Saturday afternoon and all day singing Sunday. Let every class in the county strive to make this convention a success. May every leader feel that the convention holds him responsible for the representation of his class.

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Monday

the State of Texas vs. Arthur
 Wasson was called, charged with
 killing Earl Seeds. This was a
 case on change of venue from
 Dawson county. In June 1906
 Arthur and Sid Wasson shot and
 killed J. B. Puyear and Earl
 Seeds in Dawson county. Sid
 Wasson was tried in the June
 term 1907 by jury and found not
 guilty. Arthur Wasson, the de-
 fendant, was tried in the Decem-
 ber term for the killing of Puyear
 and proven not guilty, in both
 cases self defense was clearly
 shown. In this case practically
 the same testimony was used.
 A special venire of 120 men had
 been summoned and by Monday
 evening the following jury was
 secured:

A. H. Dailey Silas Cranfill
 H. L. Taylor J. D. Fite
 J. M. Boykin R. O. Jarnagan
 J. H. Bullock W. R. Clark
 H. P. Overton W. L. Rascoe
 J. O. Harris A. C. Osmer
 Wednesday evening the State
 rested and the argument of the
 attorneys began, which lasted up

to Thursday evening, going to
 the jury, and they are still out as
 we go to press again this week.
 The attorneys in the case are,
 for the defense, S. H. Morrison,
 Big Springs; Ellis Douthit, Los
 Angeles, Cal.; C. P. Woodruff,
 Sweetwater; F. G. Thurmond,
 Colorado. For the State, M.
 Carter and L. W. Sandusky, Col-
 orado, J. S. Crumpton, Lamesa.
 The negro, Pat Noble, case,
 charged with killing Ed Marshall,
 was set for Thursday morning,
 but was put off until this (Fri-
 day) morning. Marshall was the
 negro who died last week from
 a knife wound in the head.
 State of Texas vs. Jno. Love-
 lady, assault with intent to kill,
 Bob Pyron; trial by jury, verdict
 of not guilty.
 State of Texas vs. G. W. Dunn;
 charged with exhibiting gaming
 (pool) table; trial by jury, ver-
 dict of not guilty.
 State vs. T. C. Crape, (alias
 Lightfoot); charged with theft
 of horse, on change of venue
 from Howard county; continued.
 The grand jury has been in
 session three weeks and returned
 23 indictments; 7 felonies and 16
 misdemeanors, as follows:
 2 assaults with intent to kill
 and murder.
 1 swindling for amount over
 \$50.
 1 murder.
 2 embezzlements over \$50.
 1 theft of cattle.
 3 unlawfully selling liquor in
 prohibition territory.
 1 embezzlement under \$50.
 1 unlawfully killing a horse.
 1 unlawfully killing quail.
 1 carrying a pistol.
 2 swindling, less than \$50.
 Seven cases were transferred
 into Justice Meyers court as fol-
 lows:
 2 drunkenness in public place,
 2 drunkenness in office.
 1 throwing a stone in a school
 house.
 The grand jury adjourned last
 evening after examining the
 finance committee's report.

The following marriage licenses
 were issued this week:
 J. M. Waller to Miss Emma
 Page.
 T. J. Yoe to Miss Beaugard
 Meador.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND DEAD
 Princeton, N. J., June 24. —
 Grover Cleveland, former presi-
 dent of the United States, died
 suddenly at his home at West-
 land here at 8:40 this morning.
 Death was due to heart failure,
 complicated with other diseases.
 The passing away was not an-
 nounced immediately, but was
 delayed until the official state-
 ment had been prepared by the
 physicians in attendance. The
 funeral has been arranged for
 Friday, June 26th, and will be
 strictly private.

BIG BARBECUE
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 House July 1st. Nice program
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 Lowe Slaton, Henry Schooler,
 Dovie and Itasca Standefer, Eula
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 party on the Kellis farm for sev-
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 single buggy and harness. Will
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1 section, located 8 miles northwest of Colorado,
 small story and a half house, the well of water in
 yard, 100 acres in cultivation, 200 acres farm land,
 balance good grass and timber, price \$11 per acre;
 terms, one-fourth down and balance on easy pay-
 ments.

9 sections, known as the famous "Van Tuyl
 ranch," 9 miles south of Colorado, ranging from
 \$12.50 to \$20 per acre, owing to improvements.
 Can sell any quantity from 80 acres up; terms, one-
 fifth down, balance on seven years time at 8 per
 cent. This is a rare bargain. There are nine wells
 of pure water, one stream of living water and
 plenty of timber on this ranch.

320 acres, located a mile and a half from the
 growing town of Hermleigh on the Snyder, Roscoe
 & Pacific railroad; 60 acres in cultivation, small
 house, all fenced, well of good water, plenty of
 timber. This located in the wheat growing district.
 For sale or trade for other property.

160 acres, located 7 miles northwest of Colo-
 rado on the Gail road, 80 acres in cultivation, 80
 acres fine grass and timber, 2 acres in fine bearing
 fruit, 25 fine bearing grapevines. Large tank
 stocked with fish. 5-room house, cistern and well
 in yard; free mail delivery and telephone connec-
 tion. Price \$25 per acre, one-fourth down, balance
 easy payments.

6 sections, located 25 miles south of Colorado,
 well improved for ranch purposes, good 6-room
 residence, good well and windmill with private
 waterworks system; nice orchard. Price \$3.75 cash,
 or \$4 on easy payments.

20 sections, located in Sterling county, about
 30 miles southwest of Colorado, suitable for stock-
 farming. There is due the State on this land \$2
 per acre. Party wants \$2 bonus, terms one-fourth
 down, balance on terms to suit purchaser.

Nice 4-room residence, 12 lots, situated in the
 best part of the thriving town of Colorado City, all
 fenced, good well and windmill, set with fruit and
 shade trees, suitable for nice residence; price
 \$3,300, easy terms.

Two-story brick store house, 25x70 feet, corner
 lot, one block from depot; will rent for \$60 per
 month for store room, and second story is fitted up
 for either offices or rooming house. Price \$1,500,
 one-fourth down, balance easy payments.

Half interest in meat market and cold storage
 plant. This is the leading market of the city,
 finely located, equipped with cold storage outfit.
 Will sell market with above building or separate.
 Reason for selling, desire to change business. This
 is a rare bargain and will require prompt response,
 otherwise the proposition may be off the market.

Corrugated iron store house, 25x65 feet on lot
 30x100 feet, fine location, across street from post-
 office in this city and corners on alley; half a block
 from depot. Price \$1800, easy payments.

Half interest in tinshop, blacksmith and wood-
 work shop, automobile repair shop and garage, in
 this city, doing a fine business. Only desire for
 selling this interest is that party is unable to give
 it the attention it demands and needs an interested
 party to assist in the management of same.

I have other lands listed with me that are
 located in various parts of the Plains country; have
 had 12 years active experience in farming in west-
 ern Texas and am thoroughly acquainted with the
 country itself and the crops that can be raised here.
 Any information will be gladly furnished you on
 any point you may inquire concerning the country,
 conditions, etc.

I will also state that if you will come out to
 this country to look over same with a view of buy-
 ing I will furnish the necessary facilities for con-
 veying parties to the lands from the railroad point
 and pay the actual living expenses of parties buy-
 ing my lands while I am showing them around over
 same.

To anyone who has land or livestock for sale or
 trade will say that I also handle livestock and will
 be glad to have you list same with me.

Your kind consideration of the above proposi-
 tions will be very much appreciated by me, and
 will undoubtedly redound to your profit if you will
 give a little of your time to the investigation of
 same.

Come, Investigate the Healthy West and the
 Golden Opportunities it Holds for You.

Very Respectfully,
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References: Colorado National Bank, City
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Your table wear should stand
 out exceptionally well on the
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 and Porcelain we have to present
 for your attention. The closer
 you examine them, the better
 you and we will like the inspec-
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 will still offer at cost, only our
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If you take it to Cooper and have it repaired. Besides the charges will be about half as much.

Cleaning.....\$1.00
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Second door north of Burns & Bell.

LOCALS

Moeser sells it for less.
The teachers are with us.
Fancy box candies at DOSS'.
Hot coffee and chilli at Vincent's.
Rev. W. C. Hart of Coahoma, was a business visitor last week.
A. J. Roe of Ft. Worth spent Tuesday with his brother, T. H. Roe.
Phone No. 117 for a trial order at the City Meat Market.
Mrs. W. P. Ruddick and Miss Pearl, have returned from a visit to Snyder.
Base ball and all kinds of sporting goods at DOSS'.
J. R. Henkle and family of Abilene are visiting relatives in this city.
The very best peach and apple trees at 10c each in lots of 1000 or more. A. J. Culpepper.
A. M. Carnes and wife, of Waco, witnesses in the Wasson murder trial, were here this week.
Fancy stationery, in all the latest styles at DOSS'.
Miss Birdie Grantham of Snyder, is visiting the family of J. W. Nunn.
 Who, who's your tailor? The Keep-U-Neat Tailors, of course.
Miss Stovall of Fort Worth is visiting the family of C. C. Blandford.
For Fire or Tornado Insurance see E. Keatley at Dr. Coleman's office.
Jno. P. Marrs of Tahoka, was visiting friends in Colorado last week. We are glad to learn that Mr. Marrs is doing well in his new home.
Fishing tackle of every kind at DOSS'. We guarantee success with our goods.
Mr. McGuire, wife and daughter, returned Monday from the Birmingham reunion.
 Have your spring suit cleaned and pressed by The Keep-U-Neat Tailors.
Sunday was the longest day of the year. On that day summer began.
Beautiful new patterns in wall paper at DOSS'.
If there are any who have not been satisfied with the heat the past few days, there's but one place they can go.
* WANTED—Every lady in Colorado to phone 117 for a trial order at the City Meat Market.
Manager Mayfield of the Guitarr ranch in Howard county, was shaking hands with friends here last Thursday.
Now is the time to paint; see DOSS for paints and oils.
The stone work on the new depot is nearly completed and it will soon be ready for the carpenters.
I have pleased hundreds of people at my restaurant. Why not you? Try me. Jake Maurer.
The office and all the rooms and halls of the Alamo hotel have just been papered and present a bright and inviting appearance.
Many of the supposed "home" nurseries secure their stock from some foreign climate, therefore entailing considerable loss from climatic changes. My entire line is guaranteed to be grown at Brownwood, which eliminates loss from that source. A. J. Culpepper.

Mrs. Georgie Easterwood and daughter, Ona, of Merkel visited the families of W. A. and C. M. Coggin last week.

 Try an order for a tailored suit with The Keep-U-Neat Tailors.

A little gasoline spilled on the floor, a thoughtless individual, and a lighted match in conjunction, caused "business to pick up" in King's cold drink place last Friday.

McCreless sells you the best groceries at the lowest prices and will give you an elegant present besides. Call at the store for information.

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

The meeting at the Christian church is progressing very nicely. Mr. Ewell makes a powerful appeal at every service to the unregenerate and backslider. Good crowds attend the services at night, the music is splendid and the interest is daily growing.

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

The Record this week finished an order for 50,000 four-page circulars for Congressman W. R. Smith and delivered them folded envelope size, doing the work in three days. Last week a 50-page brief was turned out for Stanton.

There is always considerable loss in fruit trees, in transplanting from one climate to another. My trees are acclimated, therefore no loss from that source. A. J. Culpepper.

Geo. Dunn has disposed of his interest in the City Market, the style of firm now being Smith & Stell. They received their big cold storage vault this week and are now able to take care of any amount of meat and perishable stuff. Give them a trial.


My line of trees are grown at Brownwood, therefore no loss from climatic changes. A. J. Culpepper.

DIED—At his home near Seven Wells, on Friday, June 19th, William Gatliff, about 70 years of age. He had been in west Texas many years, had raised a large family and was a good citizen. Interment occurred Saturday at 4 p. m. in Odd Fellows' cemetery.

B. N. Garrett left for east Texas, Tuesday night.

All the latest kinds and patterns of wall paper, ingrains, satins, gilts, tile-finish, etc. are now in stock. We can please you in paper and in price. Colorado Drug Co.

Rev. and Mrs. B. W. Dodson celebrated their china wedding, (20th anniversary) on Monday night, June 22nd. It was a most enjoyable occasion, and the pastor and his wife were the recipients of more than a hundred pieces of china and several articles of silver.

 We never sleep—always awake to the interests of our customers. The Keep-U-Neat Tailors.

The shower Wednesday morning freshened things up considerably, although a good deal of hay was caught in the field.

For the next two or three months we will make special inducements in wall paper. No better or prettier selection can be found in Dallas or Ft. Worth. It must be sold and if prices and quality can move it, will be. Colorado Drug Co.

W. G. Willis, who has been a clerk in the T. & P. depot here for some months, has been transferred to Dallas, and left for the new post of his duties this week.

J. O. McCreless gives a beautiful solid oak rocking chair absolutely free to his customers. Call at store for full particulars.

Revs. J. T. Griswold and B. W. Dodson, with F. A. Winn and C. S. Knott, attended the district conference of the Methodist church at Big Springs this week.

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

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We solicit your business and promise you satisfaction.

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CLIFF DORTCH RESIGNS

After ten or twelve continuous years service with C. M. Adams, Cliff Dortch resigned the position of head clerk last week and left Monday night for Amarillo, to accept a position with the Hill Dry Goods Co., of that place. Mr. Dortch enjoyed an extensive acquaintance among the buying public and is a valuable man behind the counter. During his stay here he made many staunch friends, who regret to see him leave, but commend him heartily to the people of Amarillo as in every way deserving their highest esteem and fullest confidence. The Record wishes for him the full measure of success his merit deserves.

Baseball Players and Foot Racers!

Louis J. Kruger, ex-champion long distance foot racer of Germany and Holland, writes, Oct. 27, 1901: "During my training of eight weeks' foot races at Salt Lake City, in April last, I used Ballard's Snow Liniment to my greatest satisfaction. Therefore, I highly recommend Snow Liniment to all who are troubled with sprains, bruises or rheumatism." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by W. L. Doss.

Cook's Linoleum

The name stands for quality. 600 yards just received. Choice patterns. MCLURE, BASDEN & CO.

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

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In addition to the best equipped livery West Texas have a first-class auto service adjoining towns. Autos hired by the tri for pleasure, picnics, parties, etc. Prices able; service first-class.
We have for sale, three hacks, two wago a few buggies, cheap, or will trade. T good as new and must be sold.

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<p>Chas. M. ADAMS</p>	<p>We carry in stock at all times a complete line of Carpets, Matting, Art Squares, Rugs, Linoleums, Trunks, Suit Cases, Valises, Telescopes, Tents, Wagon Sheets, Tarpaulins, Wide Duck for Hack Tops, Black Oil Cloth</p> <p>Lowest Prices at the very lowest</p>	<p>The Store of "Quality"</p>
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<p>The Perfect Fitting "Ultra" Shoes for the Ladies</p>	<p>Chas. M. Adams Colorado, - - - Texas.</p>	<p>Shawknit Hosiery</p> <p>Buster Brown Hosiery</p>
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