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## Now Is the Time

TO PLAN

## House Decorating

We have just received a large stock of high class  
**ART WALL PAPER.**

Including regular walls; Ingraines, Mories, Star Ceilings, Edgings, Art Borders, Etc. These goods are all new and up-to-date patterns. No old stock to offer, at reduced prices.

## Before Investing Investigate.

Our plan of handling Wall Paper is to keep the stock new and fresh, and to do this we put prices on these papers that will move them off before they grow old.

Come now and avail yourself of this opportunity of buying

**NEW GOODS AT LOW PRICES.**

**COLORADO DRUG CO.**

East Texas Papers Please Copy.

Two weeks ago Mitchell county received the heaviest of a series of drenchings, and the joyful shout arose, "It's rained again and the country's safe." And it did a power o' good, not only in putting all kinds of crops firmly on their feet, but in infusing a greater confidence into the people and loosening the tension of apprehension that had begun to obtain in the minds of those who anticipate troubles they never see. A fine season was put into the ground, the first planting of crops given a new start, the later planting brought up and all worked out. The last week was beautiful growing weather, and all manner of crops were fairly humping themselves, when fear, in the guise of a two days' hot wind, Saturday and Sunday sent the timid to the anxious seat. "If this wind lasts one more day there won't be a bale of cotton or a bushel of corn made in the county."

But bless your soul, it didn't last another day. The very calamity that gripped you with sickening dread, was but the necessary condition to the the glorious rain that fell on Monday night. Tho the crops were not needing rain as much as work, still the rain came in a most opportune time and did incalculable good to every interest in the county. Indeed it was a glorious rain, and fortunate it is that our times of refreshing depend not upon signs, or wonders, nor the aches and pains of some garrulous old-timer, but upon conditions of cause and effect as immutable as the divine law of eternal fitness.

If it is new A. J. Payne has it. This time it is the new fall Skirts in Panama and Voile.

INNOVATION DAY.

The Colorado Drug Store held its "Innovation Day" Thursday of last week, and the weather and everything conspired to make it a grand and beautiful success. The elegant new linoleum had just been placed on the floor and the entire interior put into spick and span condition. It is always a model of neatness, but today it outdid even itself. The crowning glory of the decorations was the Indian Window. Hung with Indian blankets, covered with a carpet of grass and decorated with numberless odd and beautiful Indian curios, it was worth a visit by any body. In the center of the window was placed a heap of wood, over this on three sticks hung a kettle and in the evening an electric light bulb glowed redly under them while two medicine men, who on other occasions were Maxwell Thomas and Alva Hickman, in full costume, "made medicine" over the fire. An electric piano furnished music to the visitors who were regaled with punch, ice cream, grape juice and everything else the store afforded.

Misses Louise Coe and Pearl Ruddick gave out dainty little pin trays as souvenirs of this delightful occasion. Misses Belle Chaplain, Ethel Majors and Bessie McMurry led the way to the rear of the store where the delicious punch was served by Misses Eleanor Coleman and Emma Dupree and Dudley Arnett. Misses Martha Earnest and Ophelia Arnett in caps and aprons assisted Maurice Terrell and Pat Henry, who were also dressed as waiters, at the beautiful new soda fountain which the store has lately installed. The young ladies claim that they can build phosphates, egg flips "jerk sodas" as well as the best of them.

At eight thirty the young ladies who served at the store, together with Pat Henry, Earnest Bertner and Dudley Arnett, enjoyed a lunch at the St. James. They returned and the store was kept open until eleven, immense crowds coming in all evening. It was one of the largest and nicest things ever given by any firm in Colorado.

County Singing Convention.

The Mitchell County Singing Convention will meet at Cuthbert on Saturday before the first Sunday in July at 2 p. m. All singing classes in Mitchell and adjoining counties are requested to come and join in the singing. Everybody invited. Come and bring your baskets. Dinner on the ground Sunday. All business of the convention will be transacted on Saturday evening except the selection of the place of next meeting.

Welcome address will be delivered by Prof Horan Holly of Cuthbert, and response by Jesse Bullock of Colorado.  
A. J. COE, President.

The Doctor Away From Home When Most Needed.

People are often very much disappointed to find that their family physician is away from home when they most need his services. Diseases like cramp colic and cholera morbus require prompt treatment, and have in many instances proven fatal before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. The right way is to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. No physician can prescribe a better medicine for these diseases. By having it in the house you escape much pain and suffering and all risk. Buy it now; it may save life. For sale by W. L. Doss.

Try a Studebaker buggy at the Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. Swell Dresser's is independent now.



**SWELL DRESSERS FEEL INTELLIGENT BECAUSE THEY WEAR GOOD CLOTHES. GOOD CLOTHES MAKE A GOOD FRONT.**

**AND A GOOD FRONT IS GOOD BACKING FOR A MAN TO HAVE.**

**WE ARE NOW MAKING PRICES TOP ON LEFT-OVERS. WE CAN ALWAYS SAVE YOU A LOT OF MONEY ON CLOTHES. BUT NOW WE WILL SAVE YOU A LOT MORE.**

**WE HAVE NOT SWITCHED TICKETS BUT HAVE MARKED DOWN OUR GOODS FROM THE OLD LOW PRICES. IF YOU DON'T BELIEVE IT, COME AND SEE.**

**NEXT YEAR WE WISH TO HAVE NEW GOODS, BUT THOSE WE HAVE, THOUGH THE PRICES BE LOW, ARE NEW NOW.**

**COME AND GET A 4TH OF JULY SPECIAL SUIT FOR LITTLE MONEY.**

**A. J. Payne**  
**DRY GOODS - CLOTHING.**

THE LADIES' AND GENTS' FURNISH

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## High Grade.

### NEGLIGEE SHIRTS

We carry the best grades, in plain and pleated bosoms and large variety of colorings and designs. All sizes, correctly made and up-to-date.

### COLLARS,

Remember we are selling the best 4-ply Linen Collars, the famous Corliss Coon, at 2 for 25c.

### FANCY VESTS.

We have a large and well selected line of White Vests, many designs, at \$1.50 to \$6.

### CLOTHING.

No Tailor can fit you any better, as our "PERFECTION" Clothes are fitters and well made. You should see them.

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COLORADO TEXAS

COLORADO STEAM LAUNDRY.

Keep Colorado money in Colorado. T. J. Newton now has his fine new steam laundry running and guarantees satisfaction. He asks the public to give him a trial. \$5000 has been expended getting this laundry started, and every citizen in Colorado should patronize it. Give the new laundry a chance. Laundry collected and delivered promptly. Phone No. 298 and the wagon will come promptly. Remember everything is guaranteed, and as it is a home institution they are entitled to your patronage. Keep home money at home. Try the new steam laundry, located near the Christian church.

Light Meters.

The Electric Light Co. is installing meters in every residence in town and has now over 700 connected. Many people are asking for electric irons, electric cooking utensils, electric heaters, and the Light Co. has to refuse this business because they can not run the day current all over town. When the meters are all installed then each one can have all these electrical appliances, and the Light Co. will run day and night. In this way each one can have what he chooses, and pay for only what is actually used in current.

Syrup! Syrup!

Genuine home made cane syrup, absolutely Birdwell's.

### Choice South Front Residence Lots For Sale--Cheap.

We have eight nice smooth resident lots lying just East of the new School Building, all 50x136 feet, shallow free-stone water can be obtained at 38 feet, water stands 20 feet in well. Price \$50.00 each, terms \$10 cash and \$10 per month. No interest. See BUCHANAN, MORRISON & CO., Phone 202, next door west of City National Bank.

### 3 1-2 Acres Upon Lone Wolf Creek.

We have 3 1-2 acres on Lone Wolf Creek with living water, enough smooth land for a nice truck patch, room for hog and chicken pasture. Shallow free-stone water. For sale at \$300 on good terms. Call on BUCHANAN, MORRISON & CO., Phone 202, City.

**A SPLENDID FARM.**

Last Saturday morning Judge R. H. Looney invited a Record representative to ride with him out to his farm 2 1-2 miles south-east of town, where he was going to inspect the condition of the crops.

He has in one body 960 acres, divided into six farms, each farm having a comfortable tenant house, windmill, barn, necessary out buildings and a 20-acre pasture. Each tenant this year has about 100 acres in cultivation, and each tenant's crop was carefully gone over. Cotton, of course, was the main crop, and after hearing so much adverse comment as to crop conditions in Mitchell county we were hardly prepared for the real facts. As matters now are, the crops need work much more than they need rain. The three or four crops previous to our visit had when what one of the farmers termed "bully growing weather," and as he turned the chocolate glebe with his shining plowshare, sufficient moisture for many days was discernable even to the newspaper farmer.

Much of the first cotton was dry-planted, and in many places the stand is scattering, some of it also has been cut down or covered by the sand earlier in the season. The recent rains have given it a vigor and a start that make the prospect of a yield very promising. For the most part the old cotton is clean and of good color. The young cotton is up and of a uniformly good stand. It is now being plowed out and chopped to a stand. With a repetition of last year's season and weather (and there is no reason to apprehend any worse) there will likely be as many bales of cotton produced in Mitchell this fall as last. The yield will hardly be as heavy, but the increased acreage will account for it.

Corn, Kaffir corn, Milo Maize, to be flourishing as a bay tree. Barring the rest of all field vegetation is the corn and feed outlook for this particular farm is peculiarly promising. It has the rich, deep green color, and the stalks heavy and strong. Every farm had its rows of good, old fashion field peas, peanuts, and Lord, the water melon vines, full of yellow blossoms, harbingers of the scarlet-hearted beauties to come later on. On every farm more or less June corn had been planted, and most of it was up and growing off nicely.

No invidious distinction is intended, when we specially mention the crop of tenant Swann. The 100 acres he has in cultivation lie as prettily as the most fastidious enthusiast could wish. Every rod of it is in a high state of cultivation. His old cotton is eight or more inches high, a perfect stand, and of the healthiest color. But this year is no exception for Mr. Swann. Judge Looney says good crops is a chronic habit with him.

We do not know of another as well appointed farm in the county as this one, and Judge Looney is justly proud of it. The one thing that seems to pervade everything on this magnificent farm, is the air of perfect system. Every tenant house is almost exactly alike in build, paint and convenience, and there is an overabundant supply of the finest water for stock and domestic purposes, pumped from deep wells by busy wind mills. Good and contented tenants are the logical result of just and considerate land lords, and by the same token, a more contented, industrious set of farmers than are to be met on Judge Looney's farm, is not found in all western Texas.

Call and see those new \$3.50 to \$15.00 Panama and Voile Skirts at A. J. Payne's.

**WESTBROOK ITEMS.**

Crops look very well but are later than usual.

There have been two weddings in our little burg since the last writing, viz, Mr. Curtis and Miss Mable Brewer, Mr. Bob Cheek and Jennie Morton. I am sure all the friends of these young people wish them all the happiness that this world can afford.

Our town is still growing. Several buildings are under construction, among the number is C. H. Arrington's \$2500 cottage, the telephone exchange, new furniture store, the bank, and an addition to the market.

Will Bell sold his farm north of Westbrook to Dr. May of Eastland, and has bought land from Mr. Cash east of Westbrook and is having him a neat dwelling erected thereon.

Miss Ola Shaw is attending the normal at Snyder.

School closed last Friday with a picnic, and Prof. Phillips left for his home at Roscoe Saturday. He has been employed to teach the school next year.

There has been three births in June. To Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hooper, a boy. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Costin, a girl. Mr. and Mrs. Emmett McCallum, a girl.

John Taylor has opened a pool hall in the saddle shop.

Mr. Boatler and family and Mr. Sid Reed have gone to Limestone county for a visit, and Mr. Reed's family are visiting at Big Springs.

Mrs. LaSure of Ardmore, I. T., is visiting her sister Mrs. Petty.

Sam Adams attended the district conference at Snyder.

The primitive Baptists held services here Saturday night and Sunday.

C. H. Arrington's mother of Granbury, is visiting him.

Mrs. McKinney returned from Colorado Sunday morning.

Grandma Dunn is able to walk around. JUNIUS.

**To Those Whom it May Concern.**

The constitution and by-laws of the Mitchell County Fair Association, Article IV, Section 4, reads:

"Date of annual meetings—The annual meetings of the stockholders shall be held on the third Saturday in July each year.

"Objects of annual meeting—The objects of the annual meetings shall be to hear the reports of the retiring management, to discuss and inquire into the affairs of the corporation, to determine upon such changes for the future as may be deemed advisable, and for the election of officers to serve during the ensuing year.

"Notice of annual meeting—The secretary shall give notice of all annual meetings by publication two weeks previous to the date of same in one or more of the weekly papers in the city of Colorado."

In pursuance of the above, a meeting is hereby called for Saturday, July 20th, for the above named purposes. A full attendance is earnestly requested.

**Best Medicine in the World for Colic and Diarrhoea.**

"I find Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to be the best remedy in the world," says Mr. C. L. Carter of Skirum, Ala. "I am subject to colic and diarrhoea. Last spring it seemed as though I would die, and I think I would if I hadn't taken Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I haven't been troubled with it since until this week, when I had a very severe attack and took half a bottle of the twenty-five cent size of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and this morning I feel like a new man." Sold by W. L. Doss.

**Residence Burned.**

About 7 o'clock Sunday afternoon an alarm of fire was turned in and it developed that the residence of Paul Williams, colored, in East Colorado, was on fire. The house and most of its contents was consumed. He says the loss is complete without any insurance.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small, sure, safe pills. Sold by W. L. Doss.

**CITY COUNCIL HOLDS SESSION.**

The City Council held a most busy session at Mayor Smith's office Friday night of last week, all the aldermen except Pond being present, the secretary, marshal and city attorney all being present.

The council passed an order that in future all fines collected be placed in the general fund.

Council ratified the contract made by street and alley committee with J. E. Low for street work from Riordan and Jackson corners on 4th street to river.

Account of H. L. Ransom for salary approved and warrant ordered issued on general fund.

It was moved, seconded and carried unanimously that all parties having claims or accounts against the city must make them out in proper form, present them to the secretary to be presented by him to the council for their approval, and if approved by council a warrant will be issued by the mayor for amount. There will be no deviation from this rule, and all parties having accounts against the city will be governed accordingly.

City marshal was instructed to give warning to all loafers, white or black, who have no visible means of support, that they must go to work or leave town.

Report of Marshal Ransom as tax collector, was referred to the finance committee for examination and report.

It seemed to be the unanimous desire of the Council that all ordinances should be enforced to the letter, and that work on our streets should be pushed as fast as finances would permit. All must concede that our mayor and aldermen and marshal are good men of sound judgment, and they want to do only that which is to the best interest of the people, but of course they realize that some are going to kick, and would kick were they handed a gold dollar every day on a silver platter. Stand by your officers and help your town. If you happen to get pinched don't get the idea that the council ought to grant you "special" privileges, but pay the fiddler and march right on.

J. A. FORE, Secretary.

**Monk Gibson to Die.**

Cuero, Tex., June 28.—The jury in the Monk Gibson case said by their verdict that he is guilty of murder in the first degree and assessed his penalty at death. Monk Gibson was charged with the murder of the Condit family. The case will be appealed.

**Well Located Residence Property For Sale.**

My residence, fronting south on court house square, with one lot or six lots. Will sell lots with or without improvements. Cash or on time. Most conveniently located property in town. For particulars see Buchanan, Morrison & Co., or H. W. Stoneham, at court house.

**JESSE JAMES.**

The Little Rock (Ark.) Daily Democrat has this to say about the W. I. Swain Jesse James show that is to appear here Saturday July 6th.

"The people of Little Rock were royally entertained with a new form of amusement last night.

"The W. I. Swain Jesse James Company presented a three hour show last night and it is safe to say that never in the history Little Rock did so many people gathered together to see a show except to the biggest of big circuses.

"The tent, which is a large one, was tested to its full capacity, many being turned away. The Swain Company give a good show and if they ever return to Little Rock they will be greeted to a big crowd."

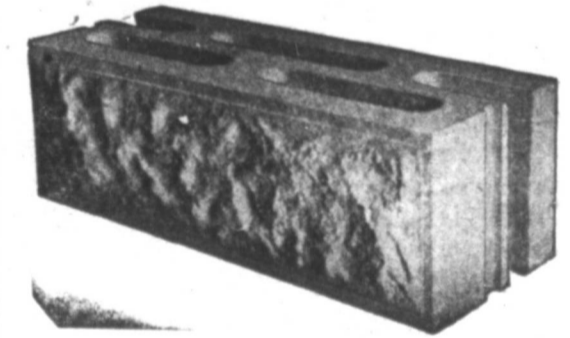


RESOLVED THAT YOU WILL BE TAKEN OFF YOUR FEET WHEN YOU SEE THE BARGAINS WE NOW OFFER BUSTER BROWN

A "BAR"-GAIN, MEANS A GAIN FOR YOU. YOU WANT TO BE SURE THOUGH THAT THINGS THAT ARE CALLED BARGAINS ARE REAL BARGAINS AND NOT FAKE BARGAINS. WE DO NOT BELIEVE IN "BAMBOOZLING" (OR FOOLING) (USE WHICH WORD YOU WILL) THE PEOPLE BY ROLLING IN CASES OF SHODDY GOODS THROUGH OUR BACK DOOR AT NIGHT AND SENDING THEM OUT THE FRONT DOOR DURING THE DAY. WE NOW OFFER YOU THESE "BAR"-GAINS--GAINS FOR YOU. ALL OUR FIGURED LAWS WHICH HAS BEEN AN EXCELLENT VALUE FOR 20C, NOW ONLY 15C.

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**Lumber Takes a Back Seat. Miracle Cement Blocks Lead**



Lumber is good, but Miracle Double Staggered Air Space Cement Blocks are better. Lumber will last for years, but Miracle Blocks will last forever. Lumber MAY keep out the cold, but MIRACLE BLOCKS SURELY will. They are positively Frost and Moisture Proof. The value of a Dollar invested in Miracle Blocks is worth Two Dollars invested in Lumber. We want to show you our product and figure on your building. COLORADO PRESSED STONE CO. J. E. POND, Manager.

**SOMETHING NEW \$500 FINEST SUCCESS.**

**THE IMPROVED Laundering Machine. Patented in the United States.**

The first Laundering Machine ever invented having a Stationary Tub-Rest, Rotary Washboard with Automatic Adjustment, High Pressure White Rubber Wringer and Folding Clothes Rack combined.

IT WASHES 'EM CLEAN, IT RENSES 'EM CLEAR, IT WRINGS 'EM DRY, IT IRONS 'EM SMOOTH.

The machine is worth 50 cents a week to do washing and 25 cents a week for ironing, saving the clothes from wear 25 cents, making a dollar a week. If you use the machine a year, that is fifty dollars. We warrant the Machine and make good any defective part.

FREE OF CHARGE FOR 5 YEARS. And ten times fifty is five hundred dollars, and we will pay five hundred dollars for a machine that will equal it in merit. Business chances for making money and good investment for those who wish a profitable business. AGENTS WANTED.

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### LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

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

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ross are visiting Mrs. Harry C. Landers.

We have in our Undertaking stock the **SOZONIAN Metal Casket Case.** McLure, Basden & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Robertson came from the ranch last week.

Before buying your Screen Doors go to A. J. Roe's lumber yard and get their prices. They will save you money.

Miss Clara Turk of Hillsboro, is visiting her friend Mrs. H. E. Grantland.

If your home needs disinfecting we are prepared to do the work. McLure, Basden & Co.

Rev. Jno. R. Morris, presiding elder of the Abilene district, spent Monday in Colorado.

Poultry and screen wire at C. G. Birdwell's.

Quite an extensive prairie fire raged all Sunday afternoon and night about 15 miles south of here.

Screen Doors, did you say? Well, we've got 'em, and at the lowest prices. Roe's Lumber Yard.

Some there are, who are just now beginning to realize that the corporation is a real thing; a live wire at that.

Horses clipped on short notice at Green's stable.

If you saw it in the Record its to be relied upon.

Rev. and Mrs. M. Phelan of Roscoe, visited their sister Mrs. H. C. Landers the first part of the week.

Mr. Brock, the great glove manufacturer of Chicago, Ill., who has been visiting on the Spade ranch for the past week, left for home Saturday night.

Cotton chopping hoes, all kinds at Birdwell's.

The summer exodus is now in full swing, and it's a poor and friendless mortal indeed who has not some kin-people to visit.

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

J. L. Ellwood came up from the Renderbrook ranch Saturday and left for his home in DeKalb, Ill.

While shoeing a horse Friday Will Cooper was kicked on the arm and tho no bones were broken, he suffered a painful hurt.

Whose your druggist—W. L. Doss?

113 in the shade with no ice in town, does pretty well even for so mercurial a person as old man Fahrenheit. That's what it was last Saturday afternoon.

When in town and hungry go to Jakes restaurant. He will please you.

The man or woman who can devise some cheap and easy method of refrigerating beds these melting days, can make a fortune.

Sharpen up your tools. Grind rocks and fixtures at Birdwell's.

Everybody seems to be under the impression that everybody else has been hankering for hot weather. The universal salutation is: "Is this hot enough for you?" Yes indeed; we are no Salamander.

Machine oil for windmills and cultivators at Birdwell's. The very best only 50c per gallon.

Mrs. Harvey Bell Lindsay left Sunday night for her home in Oakland, California. She was accompanied by her sister Miss Juliette Looney. Mr. and Mrs. Looney and daughter Miss Isla Bess, left Monday night for an extended trip through Canada. Miss Marguerite Looney is visiting Nora Shannon in Pecos.

Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. Contains no opiates. It drives the cold out of the system by gently moving the bowels. Contains Honey and Tar and tastes nearly as good as maple syrup. Children like it. Sold by W. L. Doss.

Mr. S. H. Moreland, Miss Ophelia Arnett and Mrs. J. G. Merrett and children, left Tuesday for Mrs. Eugene Payne's. They will go to Post City for the 4th, and will be away all during July.

The best remedy for backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder is DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Their action is prompt and sure. A week's treatment for 25c. Sold by W. L. Doss.

Rev. J. D. Young of Polytechnic College, delivered a lecture at the Methodist church Saturday evening on "Grit, Gizzards and Greenbacks." Sunday morning he preached in the same place, both lecture and sermon were excellent. Sunday night Rev. S. J. Vaughan, who is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Grantland, occupied the pulpit. Bro. Vaughan is much loved in Colorado, having been pastor of the Methodist church here for three years.

You are careful in selecting your family physician, why not be as careful with your drugs? —Let W. L. Doss fill your prescriptions.

Earnest Bertner failed to go to Big Springs Sunday, as the hog train was ditched east of this place.

Ladies' parlors at Hollis & Co.

Doll Alvis, is spending a short vacation at his old home at Winnsboro this week.

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

Dred McKinney, recently of Bonham, has accepted a position with the light and power plant.

Kodol will nourish and strengthen your digestive organs and furnish the natural digestive juices for your stomach. It will make you well. Kodol digests what you eat. Sold by W. L. Doss.

Rev. S. J. Vaughan of Mineral Wells, visited his daughter, Mrs. H. E. Grantland, last week, and preached at the Methodist church Sunday night.

Plenty of Screen Doors at A. J. Roe's lumber yard. Get our prices before buying.

If we owed a man a hot day and he'd refuse to accept last Saturday in full payment, he would have to go to the devil for something better.

Hot coffee and chilli at Vincent's.

A fine girl was the result of a visit from the stork to the home of J. E. Pond Friday night.

Studebaker buggies, the best on earth; sold only by the Colorado Mercantile Co.

Geo. Root took his string of fine horses to Abilene this week, and they stood at the head of their class.

Hay, chops and bran at C. G. Birdwell's.

Mrs. Irene Berkan, who is now connected with the Big Springs Herald, spent Sunday with Colorado friends.

Fresh fruits received daily at Hollis & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have moved up from Colorado. Mr. Johnson has formed a partnership with H. G. Towle in the jewelry business. He and family are cordially welcomed to Snyder. —Coming West.

The Studebaker buggy is the best. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Judge Higgins went to Colorado Monday to hold court for Judge Shepherd returning home Wednesday. —Coming West.

The suggestion of the President to the railroad workingmens associations that the federal government and state should appoint railroad overseers and trackwalkers who will be responsible for accidents, is a most timely.

Phonographs and supplies at W. L. Doss.

No use to kick against the pricks. If the city says "move 'em," that's what the city means. Every day you delay means an additional fine.

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**TRAIN SCHEDULE.** Effective January 5th 1907.

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**PROGRESSIVE CLUB MEETING.**

The Progressive Club has taken a new life, and great things are to be expected of it hereafter. H. L. Bentley of Abilene, who is secretary of the Central West Texas Federation of Commercial Clubs, spent several days here this week inciting interest in the great immigration movement to bring a million people to Texas next year. The state for purposes of convenience and system, has been divided into districts, and this, the central west district, comprises thirty counties on either side of the Texas Pacific road between the Brazos and Pecos rivers. It is the purpose of the federation to try to land half of the million people who come to Texas, west of Fort Worth. Every county seat in these thirty counties with the exception of four or five, have joined the federation, and a concerted effort will be made to care for the immigrant and prospective.

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is urged that every one who can attend the meeting Monday night. With every county about us engaged in this work, it were suicidal not to move in the premises. Go out Monday night and familiarize yourself with the objects and details of the work.

**THE SOCIETY REALM**

Mrs. J. G. Merritt, Editor

An informal dance was given at the Club rooms Thursday night by Miss Isla Bess Looney and Earl Lovelady. Sixteen couples were out and enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Miss Lucile Kelsey entertained at 47 Friday night, and those present spent a very pleasant evening. Miss Exa McLure seated was the lone hand prize and tie purch Shepherd the prize wells by games. Punch and content served. The young logical result the hospitality and "Derate land lords, wers of Miss Kel-

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**NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.**

Notice is hereby given to the property tax payers of Colorado that the City Board of Equalization of Colorado will meet in final session on Monday the 8th day of July, 1907, and those whose property has been raised are notified to appear before the said board on that day and show cause, if any, why said raise should not be made final.

Done by order of the City Board of Equalization on the 25th day of June, 1907.

J. A. FORE, City Secretary of Colorado, Tex.

**Berachah Rescue Home.**

Rev. J. T. Upchurch, of Arlington, founder of Berachah Rescue Home for fallen girls, will hold services at the Christian church in Colorado, Friday and Saturday nights, July 5th and 6th; also at the opera house Sunday night. All the services are fine, and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

He will be accompanied by his wife and some of the girls from the home, who will furnish music and sing on these occasions.

Mr. Upchurch, as well as the Berachah Home is under the auspices of the Texas Holiness Association. He is a speaker of rare ability and if you come out you will be entertained.

**Notice.**

All parties indebted to me or to whom I am indebted, are requested to make settlement as early as possible. John W. Moor.

**Take the Postmaster's Word for It.**

Mr. F. M. Hamilton, postmaster at Cherryvale, Ind., keeps also a stock of general merchandise and patent medicines. He says: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is standard here in its line. It never fails to give satisfaction and we could hardly afford to be without it." For sale by W. L. Doss.

Rev. Holmes Nichols, Messers Wheeler, Jones and Lindley, attended the Fifth Sunday meeting at Ira. It was a mission meeting of the Sweetwater Baptist Association, and there were representatives from all points between Abilene and Big Springs There was an all-day service and a great time of refreshing was had despite the torrid heat.

A disastrous fire can be prevented, if the big pile of cotton bagging laying against the east side of McCord-Collins ware house was placed in a fire proof shed, and the coal shed of Pritchett's which the train wrecked and scattered over First street south of the tracks be moved. If any of the houses close by on the south were to catch on fire it would be transmitted to the cars and store houses.

The city court plays no favorites in enforcing the City Ordinances. Parties who had obstructed the streets or sidewalks with fences, loading platforms, etc., were notified to remove the same within a certain time or suffer the consequences. Monday morning about fifteen of the most prominent citizens were arrested and taken before his honor, the Mayor, for neglecting to comply with the ordinance. Most of them plead guilty and paid the fine and cost. One or two, however, preferred to have the question decided by a jury of their peers.

School supplies of Doss'.

**A Statement of Facts.**

For several years I have maintained a public watering trough, and on account of the Honorable City authorities warning me about June 15th to move said trough and loading platform, also the hitching rack on the south side of my store, claiming they were obstructions to the street, I was about 24 hours too late in moving same, and in return for several years use which cost me \$30 a year, I had to pay a fine of \$9.20 for 24 hours delay.

The reason I did not move it at once was because I paid for water by the month and the month was not out until the day I began to move it, and while so doing, the marshal served the papers.

Such are the thanks I received for furnishing water to the public. There are other water troughs [on the streets that are as much obstructions as mine was. We shall see if everybody is treated alike.

C. H. Lasky.

**FOR SALE AT ONCE.**

160 acres of land 4 miles south of Colorado, one mile of school, 60 acres in cultivation, 3-room house, small barn, good well of water, plenty of wood. Must be sold within 30 days. See H. A. Bass at C. M. Adams' store.

**To the Public.**

Having disposed of my livery interests after an uninterrupted continuance of twenty-five years in the city of Colorado, I feel that an expression of my appreciation of the loyalty of those who have favored me with their patronage during these years, and without whose support the measure of success I have attained, had been impossible, to be but simple justice.

The history of the city of Colorado has been the history of the livery business, each flowing full tide with the other's prosperity, and mutually ebbing in adversity. I have seen the city grow from a straggling village to its present size, have seen competitors come and go, have taken the seasons of prosperity with the years of adversity, and have been content with the general average of what they have brought.

For my successor in the business, Mr. W. A. Coggin, I bespeak the same liberal patronage in the future, the public has so generously accorded me in the past. JNO W. MOOAR.

**For Sale or Lease.**

The best place for a brick yard, with 10 acres for residence lots, just west of the oil mill, reaching the oil mill switch; also the best machine yet invented to make hard, smooth cement brick, the best in the world, with the county rights of Martin, Midland, Upton, Glasscock, Reagan, Mitchell, Nolan, Taylor, Callahan, and Eastland counties; also 6 acres hard flint rock only 100 yards from railroad switch; also cement mill, cap, step, post, frame, flue and block machine, and 6-at-a-time pressed brick machine, for sale or lease; also 3 good 6-room houses for sale. Write or see, 10-1 VICTOR DZIEDZIOCH.

**Take Notice.**

All citizens interested in the welfare of Colorado, are extended an invitation to be present at a meeting of the Progressive Club Monday evening July 8th, 1907, at 8:30 sharp in the Club rooms, for the purpose of reorganizing and electing officers for the ensuing year.

This call is of great importance. Do not sleep, but come out. J. MAX THOMAS, Sec'y Progressive Club.

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**AT THE CHURCHES.**

**BAPTIST CHURCH.** Services at the Baptist church next Sunday at the usual hours. Preaching by the pastor. Topics: 11 a. m., "Bitter Cups." At 8:45, the pastor will give a short bible reading on the second coming of Christ, which will be followed by a communion service. Sunday school meets at 10 o'clock sharp.

**Notice to the Public.** I will neither sell or give away fruit on Sunday in the future, as it is too great a bother. So, if you want fruit you will have to come on week days. J. P. Pickens, at Linsden's orchard.

The hot wind that swept over us last Saturday and Sunday like the breath of a Syrian Simoon, was the source of a great deal of uneasiness to our farmers. Many thought the crops would be ruined as they had formerly been. But on Sunday afternoon the temperature was appreciably lowered, but the night was insufferably warm. Monday morning was much cooler, with an absence of hot wind. Inquiry among farmers indicate that no material damage to any of the growing crops resulted. About 11 o'clock a cloud came up from the north-west and a good rain fell in Colorado and throughout the county.

**For Sale Or Lease**

**My Steel Hay Press.**

Owing to the state of my health, I wish to dispose of the PRESS with some work now in sight.

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**AN INVITATION**

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### LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Coggin, on Wednesday morning, a fine boy.

Miss Maude Evans is visiting Mrs. Judge Crockett.

Ed Wheat is in Fort Worth this week hunting the "tagger" in the thickest of the jungle.

Geo. Shurtleff was in town on Wednesday said he had 90 acres in cotton, a fine stand all chopped out, with milo maize and corn ripening.

Mrs. J. E. Hooper on Tuesday evening entertained the Ladies' Aid Society at tea. The time was pleasantly spent in social converse and the discussion of plans for future work. A free will offering of \$5 was made.

Miss Belle Dozier is spending her vacation at her home at Mt. Vernon, Franklin county.

If you want the best buy it at McMurry's.

We publish in this issue the concluding chapters of "Friday the 13th." Read them.

Meet me at Jakes Resturant.

O. J. Cromwell is attending to the wants of the inner man at Bob's restaurant.

Moeser sells it for less.

The Record makes no kick at a most rigid enforcement of the law, regardless of whom it reaches. We advocated incorporation and still strongly and unreservedly support it, but insist that the execution of the law be uniform and without the least discrimination.

Miss Virginia Bicknell is at home from a visit to Abilene. Those new Skirts you should see at A. J. Payne's.

J. N. Gray and wife of Borden county are here on a visit to their son Y. C. Gray.

Homer Woodard and family spent yesterday in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Smith of Gatesville is visiting her daughter Mrs. W. M. Merrell, and will remain for some time.

Quite a large crowd was in attendance at the old Soldiers picnic yesterday and everybody had a most enjoyable time.

See us for picture mouldings, window shades. Exchange of furniture or repairing. Jas. D. Sherwin.

J. W. Shepperd is in Meridian where his merry go round was in operation on the 4th. Mrs. Shepperd is visiting in Sweetwater.

McMurry "the old reliable," for groceries and feed.

J. S. McCall has been absent for several days in Central Texas on business, returning home on Tuesday night.

McMurry sells big bills of groceries to a majority of the farmers and ranch men because he sells at close prices and handles only reliable goods.

J. B. Annis has resigned his position with Samuel Gustine and has rented the building next to J. O. McCreless and will enter the saddle and harness business for himself. Mr. Annis is one of the best men in Colorado, his friends are legion, and they all predict for him success.

New fall styles in Ladies' Skirts just received by A. J. Payne.

If you want to realize just how short a time a month is, make a little note at the bank payable in thirty days. This is no joke, it's the truth.

The city council is to be commended for the excellent work they are doing on the streets, and the work is of a substantial nature. This work is to be continued as long as the funds hold out.

A small cyclone struck Merkel Monday night, injuring about 15 people, but none of them very seriously, and doing property damage to the amount of nearly \$30,000.

People who live near the river are beginning to protest against the indiscriminate bathing without regard to time, place or habilitation, indulged in by many these hot days. Clad only in the 'altogether' man is a sorry figure and a bathing suit would help without a doubt. This will be the text for our bath house sermon next week.

Attention is directed to the ad of the Racket store under its new management. The style of the firm will be Edwin Few Brown & Co. and they will have every week in the Record, a message to the people of Mitchell county.

Fresh vegetables every morning at McMurry's. Phone in your orders to No. 38, and delivery wagon will deliver promptly.

When Rev. B. W. Dodson delivered the baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class of the Snyder High School in May, his effort was so highly appreciated that on Bro. Dodson's return to that place last week to district conference, Mr. B. W. Hudgins, superintendent of the Methodist Sunday school, on behalf of the class, presented him a handsome bible, which Brother Dodson highly appreciates.

Big refrigerator at Ledbetter, Gray & Co. Everything is kept fresh and cool. Phone in your orders for anything good to eat.

The Board of Examiners in Pharmacy for this district, met in this city Tuesday, for the examination of candidates to practice that humane profession. The Board is composed of W. L. Doss of Colorado; S. Z. Williams of Sweetwater; J. L. Ward of Big Springs. There were eleven applicants, including one Mexican from El Paso, all of whom were granted license. The present board is dissolved by operation of the new law on the 11th.

Mr. J. O. Howell is in Colorado with one of the best laundering machines on the market today. He is at present located in the shooting gallery building ready to show and demonstrate what his machine will do. It is unquestionably the best washer made. Read their ad in this paper, call and inspect the machine. Every lady who sees one is sure to buy.

It washes clean.  
It rinses clear.  
It wrings dry.  
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### Visit to Snyder.

The Colorado ladies who attended the District meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the Methodist Church at Snyder, report an excellent meeting and a most pleasant time. They were entertained by the hospitable, people of that beautiful little town. A reception to all visitors was given in the cosy home of Mrs. Grantham, and afterwards the ladies were driven over the city. The roads are something to boast of and the Colorado ladies were forced to confess that in this particular at least Snyder has the advantage of Colorado. Those attending from here were Mrs. Griswold, who as district secretary presided at the Home Mission meeting and delivered a most beautiful president's address; Mrs. M. K. Jackson, who responded to the address of welcome in behalf of the Home Mission Society; Mrs. J. G. Merritt, who responded for the Foreign Mission Society; Mrs. M. Carter, who gave a talk on the "Relation of the Society to the Pastor;" Mrs. A. J. Payne gave a paper on "Our Schools;" Mrs. Annis one on "Foreign Fields;" Mrs. B. W. Dodson a grand address on the "Need of Foreign Missionary Societies. Mrs. Donaldson attended as a delegate, while Misses Nell Ruddick, Ina Wultjen, Julia McLure, Ethel Dodson Lucy Matthews and Lizzie Clark were visitors. Mrs. C. C. Landford as district Secretary of the Foreign Missionary Society, presided over her part of the program in her own graceful manner.

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to it in time. His ears were deaf not only to the howl of the terrified throng and the curses of the teamsters who frantically pulled their horses to the curb, but to my warnings as well. He swung the machine around the corner at New street and into Wall as though it had been the broadest boulevard in the park. He took Wall street at a bound I was sure would land us through the fence into Trinity's churchyard. But no. Again he turned the corner, throwing the juggernaut on its outside wheels from Wall street into Broadway as the crowds on the sidewalk held their breath in horror. I, too, was on my feet, but crouching as I hung to the sides. Thank God, that usually crowded thoroughfare was free from vehicles as far up as I could see, on beyond the Astor house. What could it mean? Was that divinity which 'tis said protects the drunkard and the idiot about to aid the mad rush of this love-frenzied creature to his long-lost but newly returned dear one? I heard the frantic clang of gongs, and as we shot by the World building, I saw ahead of us two plunging automobiles filled with men. 'Twas from them the kong clamor sounded. As we drew nearer I saw that these were the cars of the fire chiefs answering a call. I thanked God again and again as I yelled into Bob's ear, "For Beulah's sake, Bob, don't pass; if you do, we'll run into a blockade. If we keep in the rear they'll clear our way, and we may get to her alive." I do not know whether he heard, but he held the machine in the rear of the other cars and did not try to pass. Away we went on our mad rush through crowded Broadway. At Union Square we lost our way-clearers. As our automobile jumped across Fourteenth street into Fourth avenue, Bob must have opened her up to the last notch, for she seemed to leap through the air. We sent two wagons crashing across the sidewalks into the buildings. Cries of rage arose above the din of the machine, and seemed to follow in our wake. Bob was dead to all we passed. His entire being seemed set on what was ahead. I knew he was an expert in the handling of the automobile, for since his misfortune, automobiling with Beulah Sands had been his favorite pastime, but who could expect to carry that plunging, swaying car to Forty-second street! Bob seemed to be performing the wondrous task. We shot from curb to curb and around and in front of vehicles and foot passengers as though the driver's eyes and hands were inspired.


Across the square at last and on up Fourth avenue to Twenty-sixth street. Then a dizzying whirl into Madison. Was he going to keep to it until he got to Forty-second street and try to make Fifth avenue along that congested block with its crush of Grand Central passengers and lines upon lines of hacks and teams? No. His head must be clear. Again he threw the great machine around the corner and into Fortieth street. For a part of the block our wheels rode the sidewalk and I awaited the crash. It did not come. Surely the new world Bob was speeding to must be a kind one, else why should Hag Fate, who had been at the steering wheel of his life-car during the last five years, carry him safely through what looked a dozen sure deaths? Without slacking speed a foot he swung around the corner of Fortieth into Fifth avenue. The road was clear to Forty-second; there a dense jam of cars, teams and carriages blocked the crossing. Bob must have seen the solid wall for I heard his low muttered curse. Nothing else to indicate that we were blocked with his goal in sight. He never touched the speed controller, but took the two blocks as though shot from a catapult. The two? No, one, and three-quarters of the next, for when within a score of yards of the black wall he jammed down the brakes, and the iron mass ground and shook as though it would rend itself to atoms, but it stopped with its dasher and front wheels wedged in between a car and a dray. It had not stopped when Bob was off and up the avenue like a hound on the end-in-sight trail. I was after him while the astonished bystanders stared in wonder. As we neared Bob's house I could see people on the stoop. I heard Bob's secretary shout, "Thank God, Mr. Brownley, you have come. She is in the office. I found her there, quiet and recovered. I did not ask a question. She said, 'Tell Mr. Brownley when he comes that I should like to see him.' Then she ordered me to get the afternoon paper. I handed it to her an hour ago. I think she believes herself in her old office. I shut off the floor as you instructed. I did not dare go to her for fear she would ask questions. I have"—but Bob was up the stairs two and three steps at a time.

My breath was almost gone and it took me minutes to get to the second floor. My feet touched the top stair, when O God! that sound! For five long years I had been trying to get it out of my ears, but now more guttural, more agonized than before, it broke upon my tortured senses. I did not need to seek its direction. With a bound I was at the threshold of Beulah Sands-Brownley's office. In that brief time the groans had stilled. For one instant I closed my eyes, for the very atmosphere of that hall moaned and groaned death. I opened them. Yes, I knew it. There at the desk was the beautiful gray-clad figure of five years ago. There the two arms resting on the desk. There the two beautiful hands holding the open paper, but the eyes, those marvellous gray-blue eyes, those marvellous gray-blue eyes, that was cold and white and peaceful. Beulah Sands was dead. The hell-hounds of the "System" had overtaken its maimed and hunted victim; it had added her beautiful heart to the bags and barrels and hogheads stored away in its big "business-is-business" safe-deposit vaults. My eyes in sick pity sought the form of my old schoolmate, my college chum, my partner, my friend, the man I loved. He was on his knees. His agonized face was turned to his wife. His clasped hands had been raised in an awful, heart-crushing prayer as his Maker touched the bell. Bob Brownley's great brown eyes were closed, his clasped hands had dropped against his wife's head, and in dropping had unloosed the glorious golden-brown waves until in fond abandon they had coiled around his arms and brow as though she for whom he had sacrificed all was shielding his beloved head from the chilling and dark mists of the black river that laps the brink of the eternal rest. The "System" had skewered Robert Brownley's heart, too. I staggered to his side. As I touched his now fast-fleeting brow my eyes fell upon the great black headlines spread across the top of the paper that Beulah Sands had been reading when the all-kind God had cut her bonds:

**FRIDAY, THE THIRTEENTH.**  
And beneath in one column:  
**TERRIBLE TRAGEDY IN VIRGINIA.**  
The Richest Man in the State, Thomas Reinhart, Multi-millionaire, while Temporarily Insane from the Loss of His Wife and Daughter, and of His Enormous Fortune, Which Was Shattered in To-day's Awful Panic, Cut His Throat. His death was instantaneous.  
In another column:  
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**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS**

**Residence Wanted—Wanted, Aug. 1st,** nice 4 or 5 room cottage in pleasant neighborhood. Address Crowell Baptiste, care McCord-Collins.

**For Sale—A good second hand hack,** must sell quick at a bargain. L. F. Ware, at Bottling works.

**For Sale—3 nice, new residence** houses and some choice lots for sale cheap, in the Phenix addition. See Dr. Phenix.

**FOR SALE—Good young, full-blood** Jersey cows, fresh in milk, will sell with or without calf. Home place 1 1/2 miles north of Colorado. DR. DULANEY. 6-144f

**Lots—For T. & P. railway town** lots in Colorado and Loraine, and T & P railway lands, see W. B. Rockett, Colorado, Texas.

I also have a fine list of other land and town lots for sale. Office over Colorado National Bank.

**For Sale—Good gentle family horse,** buggy and harness, cheap for cash, or on time to right party. See J. J. Bromley, at the Racket Store. 6-287fc

**For Rent—Good 3-room house with** cistern, 3 blocks north of court house, see Ben Morgan, at Lasky's.

**To Sell or Lease—My Steel Hay** Press. S. N. SHERWIN.

If your grocery bill has been too large try McMurry this month.

The Record and the Dallas semi-Weekly News one year only \$1.50.

**Letter to W. F. Hughes, Colorado, Texas.**

Dear Sir: Our agent ought to sell nine-tenths of the paint of his town and region; no use to try for the other tenth. The proportion of men, who won't take good advice, and use the least-gallons paint, is about one in ten among even owners of houses and stores and shops and barns and fences.

One man in ten will buy a gold brick or green goods, it he has the money and gets a good chance. Devoe at \$1.75 a gallon is better than gold; adulterated and short-measure paints are green goods and gold bricks.

Devoe saves half, more or less, of the labor and wages of painting; it is all paint; full strength and full measure. There is no other such paint within ten per cent. Ten per cent of labor and paint is worth saving; and ten is the least. There are scores of paints that throw-away half of both gallons and labor on whitening, china-clay, ground stone, barytes, benzine, water—all they are good for is to make gallons of nothing and look like paint in the can; more gallons to buy and more gallons to pay for putting on—gold bricks and green goods. Here's how they work.

Judge I. D. Fairchild owns two houses exactly alike in Lufkin, Texas. J. H. Torrence painted both houses; one Devoe, 15 1/2 gallons; the other with another paint sold at same price; 25 gallons. That 25 gallon paint is weak and 15 per cent whitening; that's why it took 24 gallons more. Yours truly,  
F. W. DEVOE & Co.  
New York.

P. S. Colorado Drug Co. sells our paint.

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**Colorado District Conference.**

The District Conference of the Colorado District met at Snyder Wednesday, June 26, at 10 a. m., Rev. J. T. Griswold Presiding Elder, was in the chair.

Wednesday was devoted to Sunday School work. A Sunday School Institute under the direction of Rev. C. S. Field—former pastor of Colorado, now field secretary of Sunday School work in the North-West Texas Conference. The Sunday School work was discussed and plans and methods were mapped. Great good was done in this line of work.

The preachers' reports show that the Methodist Church the Colorado District is in flourishing condition. Finance are better up than usual and large congregations wait on the preaching of the word.

Large crowds attended the conference, many delegates and visitors from afar.

Rev. J. Sam Barcus, representing Southwestern University was present and preached Sunday night at Snyder.

On Sunday morning Rev. Jerome Duncan, president of Stamford Collegiate Institute, preached an able sermon and took a collection of \$2,510 for Stamford College.

Rev. J. D. Young, of Polytechnic College, was present and secured several pupils for "Poly." After spirited voting, the conference decided to hold its session next year at Big Springs.

The following brethren were elected delegates to the annual conference which meets at Amarillo next November: Nat G. Rawlings, F. A. Winn, A. C. Grantham and W. C. Hines. Geo. Elkins and Rev. W. C. Hart were elected alternates.

The hospitality shown by the people of Snyder cannot be surpassed.

At times the 'old time religion' swept over the conference. At 11 o'clock on Thursday there were shouts and sob and halloo-lujahs. Taken all in all, it was a great district conference.  
**A MEMBER.**

**AN ORDINANCE,**  
Amending Articles 5, 6 and 7 of the City of Colorado, relating to the jurisdiction of awnings within the fire jurisdiction.

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of Colorado, Texas: That Articles 5, 6 and 7 of the Ordinances of the City of Colorado, amended by striking out the words "and fire jurisdiction" wherever same appears, and the following Article described as No. 7a, is hereby adopted:

"Provided, that awnings of wood or other materials may be erected within the fire limits by permission of the City Council."  
This ordinance to take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.  
Passed and approved this 28th day of June, 1907.  
ROYALL G. SMITH, Mayor of the City of Colorado.  
Attest: J. A. FORT, City Secretary.

**To Become a Benedict.**  
The Record is in receipt of an announcement containing the information that on Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock July 10th, Mr. Charles Scott Ellis of this city will lead to the altar in marriage, at the First Presbyterian church, at Talladega, Ala., Miss Pinckney Corneum Woodward, while an accompanying card announces them "at home" in Colorado after July 22nd.

Mr. Ellis has been in Colorado about one year and has by his gentlemanly deportment and jealous attention to business, firmly entrenched himself in the confidence and esteem of all, in business and social circles. The Record anticipates the happy event with the heartiest congratulations.

**Mitchell County Union.**  
The Mitchell County Union will meet in regular session at the court house on Friday July 5th at 10 o'clock a. m. It is requested that all local Union the county be represented.  
W. H. Goodwin, Vice.

**Burton-Lingo Co.**  
**LUMBER and WIRE**  
See us about your next bill of lumber, we can save you some money.  
Colorado, Texas

**Palace Meat Market**  
C. L. GRABLE, PROP.  
Choice, Fresh Meats of All Kinds,  
and courteous treatment extended. Highest market price paid for fat cattle and hogs.  
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Big Reduction on

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Having discontinued the agency for HANAN'S SHOES, we offer the following bargains in HANAN'S OXFORDS: All Patent Leathers at \$4.40. Regular price \$5.50. All Vicis in Blacks and Tans, \$4.15, Regular Price \$5.00 All sizes, all widths, all toes. These goods are seasonable and in fine condition. Terms cash. None charged at these prices. Come early to get first pick.

## CHAS. M. ADAMS.

Dealer in Everything You Wear From Head to Foot.

## The Store of Quantity

### LOCALS

New arrivals in Ladies Skirts just received at A. J. Payne's.

McMurry is headquarters for groceries, fresh and reliable.

Mr. Chas. Scott Ellis left last night for Talladega, Ala., where he will be married on the 10th.

Best ice cream in town at Hollis & Co.

Some idea of the intensity of the heat last Saturday may be gained from the statement of credible witnesses, that solid elephantine ivory billiard balls showed decided cracks on their polished surfaces.

Fancy and all kinds of cold drinks at Hollis & Co.

Cool, clean, and inviting; just the place to rest, at Hollis & Co.

Those who have been hankering for hot weather and the good old summer time, should now be fully glutted.

The best and freshest candies, nuts and fruits, at Hollis & Co.

Despite the sweltering heat of last Sunday, quite a number of the younger fry went to Seven Wells, purely for pleasure of the sunshine.

Let the Colorado Mercantile Co., make you prices on a Studebaker buggy.

Cascasweet for babies and children makes the stomach right and allays inflammation and prevents irritation. Cascasweet makes the baby happy and well. Sold by W. L. Doss.

Red oil at Birdwell's.

Have your horses clipped at Frank Green's stable where the work is done promptly and done right.

Mr. John Farmer of Hillsboro, has purchased the Lasky bakery and will take immediate charge. He will put on a bread wagon, and open a candy kitchen. Mr. Farmer is a first class baker and candy maker and no doubt will do a splendid business.

Young man, if you want a buggy, you are advised to go to the Colorado Mercantile Co., where is sold the famous Studebaker and Worlds buggy.

How much will you contribute toward a public bath?

Special attention given to all kinds of country produce by Ledbetter, Gray & Co.

Louisiana Cane Sorghum at Birdwell's.

Headquarters and the best place in town for cigars and tobaccos—Hollis & Co.

Monday was bill collector's day, and many seemed to think that fishing would be good out on the creek.

A cleansing, clean, cooling, soothing healing household remedy is DeWitt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by W. L. Doss.

And while on the subject lets not forget the urgency of a public bath house. We may have mentioned it before.

During the past week the Record is not emphasizing the advantages of Colorado as a summer resort.

The question is, who threw that brick?

All kinds of heavy and shelf hardware at McMurry's.

If its kept in a drug store Doss has it.

Georgia Cane Syrup in barrels, guaranteed pure, only 45c gallon at Birdwell's.

See the new Iron Beds, see the new Rocking Chairs, Center Tables and Picture frames sold by Jas. D. Sherwin.

W. J. Hatch returned from his summer vacation Friday night. Mrs. Hatch and daughter will make a more extended stay in the hills of old Virginia.

Mrs. M. A. Sanders and her daughter, Miss May, of Cooper, Texas, arrived Tuesday night on a visit with the families of J. R. Ledbetter and W. T. Wheat. Mrs. Sanders is the mother of the "only and inimitable Tom," the high Poo Bah of the popular firm of Ledbetter Gray & Co.

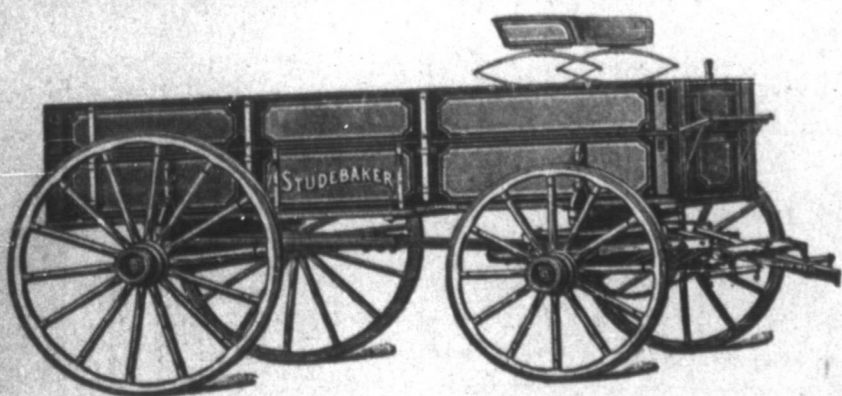
The new blue and brown Panama and Voile Skirts, just received by A. J. Payne.

For cheap farming land and ranches in El Paso county address West Texas Immigration Bureau, Box 193, El Paso, Texas.

Our young friend G. B. Weatherly will leave tomorrow for Abilene where he will meet Mr. Cox, the State manager for Swift & Co. with whom Mr. Weatherly has taken a position as traveling salesman. His territory will be assigned when he confers with the manager.

Ledbetter Gray & Co. make a specialty of clean and fresh groceries, country produce bought and sold. Everything kept fresh and cool. Try them with an order, if you have not.

Doss the druggist wants to see you.



Studebaker Wagons, the highest priced, the very best and every one guaranteed. Wire in car load lots. Sweet William Planters, Duchess Planters, New Texas "Dandy" Cultivators, Dutch Uncle Cultivators. See us and get our prices before you buy. We can save you money on everything in our line.

## Hardware, Groceries, Implements.

PLANTERS. We handle the SWEET WILLIAM and DUCHESS PLANTERS, Best on the market.

CULTIVATORS. See our new "TEXASDANDY," see the "DUTCH UNCLE" CULTIVATORS.

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When you buy a Studebaker Buggy you get the best. See our World's Buggy for a medium price. Nails, Car load lots.

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