

TO GETTYSBURG REUNION

Fifty years ago today the great battle of Gettysburg was fought, and today there is in progress on that immortal field a reunion of the survivors of the two armies that were contending in that fierce encounter.

Fifty years after the struggle and the fragments of the two armies find the white-winged doves of peace nesting in the trees, while those who wore the gray and the weavers of the blue are shaking hands across the bloody chasm. At the time of this battle the southern armies had advanced far to the north, cutting inroads through the long columns of union soldiers as they fought their way toward Washington. The war had reached the high water mark and this battle was the turning point in the destinies of the southern cause.

This will be a memorable reunion of the fragment of the two mighty armies the finest the world has ever seen, and the old veterans from every part of the country are there to spend a few days in living over the stirring events of the high tide of the great civil war.

Radford Again Calls Attention to Our Large Farms.

The average farm in Mitchell County contains 3205 acres and in each farm the average number of acres of improved land is 96.5. The Farmers Union is strongly advocating the reduction of the size of the farms of this state and its President, Hon. Peter Radford, has previously, through the press, called attention to the number of large farms in Mitchell County. Federal Census Records show that we have 27 farms that contain more than 100 acres. Mr. Radford claims that if cheap money were available more tenant farmers would become home owners and the owners of these large tracts could be induced to place their property on the market in small tracts.

We now have 1195 farms in this county and 688 of them are operated by tenants.

THREE EX-PRESIDENTS WHO DIED ON FOURTH OF JULY

One of the strangest coincidences of American history was the death of two ex-presidents, John Adams and Thomas Jefferson, on the same day, July 4, 1826.

Adams and Jefferson were political enemies. When Jefferson was inaugurated his predecessor did not even wait to receive him. In 1825 Mr. Adams, feeling his growing infirmities, hoped that he might live to see the fiftieth anniversary of the nation. The hope was realized and it seemed as though, being thus gratified, the great intellect of the Revolution could not live throughout the day. He expired before noon, almost his last words being:

"And Thomas Jefferson still survives."

Jefferson did survive, but only for a few hours. He, too, had been desirous of living for the semi-centennial anniversary of the nation. But he was so ill and fragile that it was not expected he would hold so long. The morning of the Fourth of July, 1826, came at last, however, and with a satisfied look upon his face the author of the Declaration soon passed away.

Neither Adams nor Jefferson knew of the death of the other on the same day, for communication was slow then.

Five years after the death of Adams and Jefferson, another ex-president, James Monroe, passed away on the Fourth of July. He was a resident of New York, and like Jefferson, was almost in abject poverty at the time of his death. He had been living the life of a recluse, humiliated both by financial embarrassments and the misfortunes of his family. He died on the Fourth of July, 1831.

Newspaper Advertising.

The Record is not so biased as to believe that the newspaper is the only way to advertise, but it is our opinion that successful advertisers recognize that the newspapers bring the best results. They not only realize this fact but they are learning that the newspaper that is closest to the people is the best means of advertising. This is where the "country weekly" steps in and where its value lies. Each issue of The Record goes into the thousands of West Texas homes, telling of the doings, the joys and the griefs of their own family and their breathes to its readers a message of friends and acquaintances. Every line about people whom they know. It is this closeness and community of feeling that make this paper valuable as an advertising medium. We are real proud of our country correspondents. There are no more capable or brighter rural reporters anywhere than the

ladies and gentlemen who write for The Record. It is through those writers that we are enabled to present the happenings from these country communities. Those letters tell of the crop situation, the plagues, church news, weddings, real estate deals, deaths, social doings; in fact, everything of a news nature. This is a brief explanation of the closeness of The Record to its readers.

THE SUMMER NORMAL.

The normal is progressing nicely under the direction of Prof. G. L. Farrar, L. E. King and E. A. Watson. Some very fine work has been and is being done. The students as a body are very enthusiastic workers, and are sparing neither energy nor time in preparing for the examinations. They are even more enthusiastic than in normals here—before.

The teachers are a corps of good instructors and hard workers, leaving nothing undone or unsaid that would prepare students for the examination. Mr. Watson is Superintendent of schools at Snyder. Mr. King is principal of Houston Heights Ward school, Houston. Mr. Farrar is Superintendent of schools at Trent, for which school he is preparing a catalogue for the ensuing year.

We are at least able to say that the normal has been quite successful so far and believe it will continue in this manner until its close the last of next week.

Every exchange we read, from El Paso to El Worth contains the same story of promising conditions of smiling merchants and proud farmers. Men who have lived in this country since it was settled and who have witnessed every crop from that date till now, declare they never have seen general conditions better than now.

Not only is there promise of a record breaking cotton crop, but indications that it will command a good price. Feed, which for the past three years has been the "pebble in the shoe" to the farmer, promises a sufficient crop already assured, with ample time to plant and make another one. If the amount of money the farmers of Mitchell county have been compelled to spend for feed the last three years could have been deposited in a savings bank instead, nearly every one would today have a healthy bank account to his credit. The saving of this drain on the farmer's purses means a great deal to him. If there be no local market for the feed, it is still worth just as much to the farmer who raised it next year as now. It is wealth in the barn like money in the bank. If he sold it, he'd have to buy more next season and pay more for it than he sold it for.

PLAINVIEW POINTS

Mrs. A. L. Leach and children went to their home in Big Springs Monday night.

We had a nice little shower Sunday and a fine rain Monday. It was too wet to work Tuesday. We knew the rain was coming for we never have been left out where a great blessing came yet.

Everybody works and smiles and smiles and works. We have sure got some fine people over here. We would say finest, but we don't want to boast, but if you don't believe it, come over and see for yourself. We extend the most cordial greeting to all and hope to see you soon.

We didn't have Sunday school Sunday by reason of the rain, there were a few present. And no prayer service that night by reason of the threatening weather.

The Misses Rena and Eva Black of Loraine were visiting Miss Willie Green Saturday and Sunday and returned home Monday.

Did you go to town to see the river Tuesday Mr. Webb and Mr. Vanzant did.

The young ones played the feeble and venerable fathers last Tuesday with a score of 21 to 16 in favor of the young ones. It was some game.

Mr. Lark Costin's little daughter is visiting in our midst this week and last. May her visit be long and pleasant for she is a perfect little lady and is loved by all.

Mr. Gary of Loraine was visiting Uncle Bob last week.

Crops will soon now; so will the weeds and that means work, but we don't mind that for work is the consolation of mankind.

PRINCE CHARMING

Don't think of buying a typewriter till you have examined the "Master Model Royal" at the Record office. It handles any card as easily as a thin sheet of paper.

This Is Tank Season

AND we are better prepared than ever to give you the best of service. We make tanks of all sizes and for all purposes on shortest notice and of the best material and workmanship.

Our General Line of Tin Work

is guaranteed to please the most exacting customer. When in need of this kind of work, give us a bid at your work.

Winn & Payne

BALL GAME.

Today (with Colorado) plays Loraine at Loraine.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 1913 Colorado and Merkel will play on the Colorado diamond. This series of games promises to be the most interesting of the season. Come and see them.

The Clerk's team of Colorado goes to Big Springs today to play the clerk's team at that place.

Baptist Church Conference.

There will be regular conference at the Baptist church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Business of importance will be before the church and every member is urged to be present.

President—Board Deacons.

CUTHBERT CULLINGS

A number of Cuthbert fans went to Colorado Friday to watch the second game between Colorado and Baird.

Rev. Hester preached at the Methodist church Sunday.

W. E. Heard was selling mutton on our streets Saturday.

The people around Cuthbert were blessed with a fine rain which fell Sunday and Monday. This put the Colorado River on a big rise which many old settlers said was the biggest they had ever seen.

Mrs. D. H. Pace and little son are very sick now.

The Cuthbert picked (?) Baseball team went over to Snyder to the Mason's picnic and played a double header game. They first played Ira which was easily won, the result being 13 to 1 in favor of Cuthbert. They then played Snyder and Dunn, mixed. Owing to Hicks being unable to pitch the second game the result was 4 to 5 in favor of Snyder and Dunn. Cuthbert has one of the best teams in West Texas and all are Cuthbert players. We think the editor owes us an apology for the notice he placed in the paper about our team being composed of Vincent Ira and other players since he saw us play.

MAIL ORDER HOUSES.

The Record was in receipt last week of a catalogue from a Kansas City mail order house, in which they claim, "we bring our store to your door" via the parcel post route. They also quote prices that are reasonably fair; but they do not exchange their wares for anything we raise except the current coin of the United States, neither are they here to listen to our appeals for contributions to our state and county taxes, special road and bridge taxes, buildings, churches, missions, the sick and destitute—in fact they are so far away they never respond to anything but the circulating medium. We failed to find any proposition to buy our chickens, eggs, cotton, corn, maize, vegetables or truck, and as a business proposition having

two sides, we considered it to the waste basket.

Our farmer friends have been scarce as the proverbial "hen's teeth" since the rain Monday. It put them all to work with renewed energy and hope. Some had reached the waiting stage of operations, when they become undecided whether to spend more good work on a bad prospect or wait till conditions picked up and mended. The rain mended things and decided the perplexity for them. Hence, few are to be seen in town.

Master Fred Lasky, age eleven, living a few miles north of town is proving himself quite a gardener. He has he says, three acres cultivated, gathers and brings his produce to town all by himself. His beans are just now on the market and he informs us he has already made three dollars. He will be a great financier some day, we predict.

Spend Your Money Where You Make It

By HOLLAND.

MONEY that is kept in the community helps every one in that community. It is a part of the common fund on which any one with anything to sell—merchandise, labor, farm products—can draw. Money that is sent away from home is withdrawn from this common fund. It helps to impoverish the entire community. Send all the money away and all the people in the community would be "broke."

The dollar that you spend with the local merchant will continue to circulate in the neighborhood, paying lawyer, doctor, blacksmith, carpenter, teacher. Ultimately it may return to you to be again started on its journey of purchase and payment. The dollar sent to the mail order house goes to swell the bank account of a concern in Chicago or New York. It is lost to your community forever. Your neighbor can't get it, and you will never see it again.

Can't you see that self-interest tells you to do your day in July buying at home? Can't July 1913, at see that it is the part of attend to any dom to spend your which may come where you are likely to again?

The advertisements of McClellan, President, ing where to make TO LEND. chases. Only the agency for an liable merchants, the agency for an to advertise contrimpany and am pre- only the better good loans on two days can stand such pu. G. B. Harness of



EVERY FARM
Should be equipped with a Silo to secure the largest income it is possible to obtain from the amount of land cultivated. When purchasing a Silo the best will always prove cheapest in the end, therefore place your order for a **CHALLENGE SILO**. Take no substitute; you will then get the best on the market and one that will last a life time. They are made of selected material and by special machinery which makes all joints perfect and absolutely air tight, therefore the feed is kept in the best possible condition.

I Am Agent FOR THE CHALLENGE Silo

And carry everything necessary for making perfect silage

GAS ENGINES, CUTTERS, AND BLOWERS OR FILLERS

Come have a talk with me about Silos. I can show you how you may save money.

H. C. DOS

CAN'T WEAR OUT THIS VETERAN CAR

Studebaker Drivers Admit "Old Bullet" Is Too Much For Them.

CAR GIVEN TO OLD PILOT

Mileage Already Accumulated Equals 34 Years of Service.

After five years of conscientious effort by the expert drivers of factory and branches, the Studebaker organization has finally given up the attempt to wear out the famous old "Bullet" Studebaker "20" Sales Manager Benson has accordingly given the car outright to Harry Cohen Studebaker dealer in Macon, Ga., who, as an employe of the Atlanta Studebaker branch, won the racing championship of the south in this venerable automobile.

Mr. Cohen has promised to continue the experiment, keeping the Studebaker engineering departments in close touch with the results.

"Bullet" is the car which for years has attracted general attention, due to its use in a longevity experiment of vital interest to every motorist, present or prospective, during this process, picked drivers kept the car in almost continual motion about the country, visiting branches, dealers and automobile shows.

The car was the ninth in the long Studebaker "20" series, and the first shipped south of the Dixie line. Its early work was done at Atlanta where access was easy to the two-mile speed way, then in general use. Many thousands of miles "Bullet" covered at high speeds on this course, both in practice runs and in many a successful racing campaign. In the car's later work it has been as far west as Kansas City and as far south as Florida.

"Bullet's" record now exceeds 170,000 miles. While this total is probably surpassed by several other Studebaker cars, the definite and unquestioned data on "Bullet's" performance makes the car a unique figure in American motordom.

Authorities agree that 5,000 miles is a liberal estimate of the average distance a car will be asked to cover each year. Figured on such a basis, this Studebaker car is already 34 years old. Up to the present, not even a touch of fresh paint has been applied to "Bullet's" battle-scarred exterior which still shows traces of the original red in which the earliest cars of this model were finished.

Inside the Studebaker organization, the gallant veteran has come to own a veritable personality. That the car is a living being has been recognized by the driver of its youth to travel and its old age to rest. In the discussion of this subject, the position of the leaders of other denominations will be given.

Methodist Church, best Sunday morning and Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

At 11 a. m. the pastor will preach a special sermon on The Modern Dance and its Attendant Evils. In the discussion of this subject, the position of the leaders of other denominations will be given.

Those leaders represent the following churches: Episcopal, Methodist, Presbyterian, Baptist and even the Roman Catholic.

Now, while it may be true that some do not agree with my position, yet I believe I am entitled to a hearing on the subject and even if any do not agree with my position they should be willing to hear my side of the question discussed. However, I throw down this challenge, namely: If any person, young or old will bear my message with a mind open to conviction, I have no fear at all, but that I can convince them that my position is correct from the standpoint of health, morals, and religion. So if you are a dancer or favorable to the dance, give me a hearing and then make up your verdict.

I want to specially urge the fathers, mothers, and young people of my own church to attend, and any others who may find it convenient.

W. E. LYON, P. C.

JUNIOR INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE.

The Junior Intermediate League will meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with the following program:

- 1. Bible Lesson, Luke 10:25-27 - Claudia Smith
- 2. I am in God's great plan. Francis Mitchell, Cecil Costin, Winnie Spalding and Edna Conaghan
- 3. A story of Livingstone. Bessie Stoneham

4. An item of interest about the missionary you like best. Lucille Hightower, Harry Ratliff, Joe Roddin, Lona Herrington, and Vance Phentix.

5. Bible drill and contest, Naming books of New Testament and finding verses.

Layder Anthony Lyon

For Sale.

Several young horses, ranging in age from three to five years, all broke; these are good bred horses and I will give time upon them, by secured note.

EARL MORRISON, Colorado, Tex.

Phone McMurry for your groceries.

DECISIVE FIGHT AT GETTYSBURG

Great Civil War Conflict Took Place Fifty Years Ago.

SOUTH INVADED THE NORTH

Confederate Army Under Command of General Robert E. Lee Was Marching Through Pennsylvania When It Encountered General George G. Meade's Forces.

By CAPTAIN RUEL KEMPER, U. S. A. (Continued from page 1.)

The great effect of the battle was the destruction of the Federal army's offensive power. The Federal army was now a mere defensive force, and the Confederate army was now a mere offensive force.

General A. V. Steiwehr's division, which had been ordered to the crest of Cemetery hill, forming the first wall line upon the heights, which constituted the main Federal defense during the hard fighting at Gettysburg.



GENERAL D. K. STRYKER, U. S. A., Cavalry Commander at Gettysburg.

At 4:30 the troops of Reno and Schurz had been ordered by Ewell to be ready to join their divisions on Cemetery hill and Ewell's division were in the streets of Gettysburg at its base.

afternoon and directed the subsequent movements. His opponent, General George G. Meade, did not arrive until after midnight.

The Fighting on July 2. During the height of the contest on the 1st General W. S. Hancock had reached the front with full power to act for Meade.

The position to be attacked was under the command of General W. S. Hancock. It was occupied by the First corps, commanded by General John Newton.

Supposing that the Federal batteries had been silenced because they stopped firing for the moment, Pickett's column moved forward.

Pickett's men traversed a distance of about a mile and a half, counting from the woods where they started to the crest of the ridge which they desired to attain and almost reached.

Raked by Rifle Fire. As fast as the shells tore through their lines the Confederates closed up the gap.

When half way to the base of the ridge Kemper began to make fearful screams in their ranks.

When the right flank of Pickett's column became exposed by a change of direction Stannard's Vermont brigade rushed into the gap between Pickett and Wilcox.

Armistead, leading the van, leaped a stone wall, waved his sword with his hat on it and shouted to the hundred men who were at his heels.

Pickett ordered a retreat. Pettigrew's division is said to have lost 2,000 men and fifteen battleflags.

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BASE BALL.

The series of games played last week between Colorado and Baird, was mostly a one-sided affair.

The boys still have the chip on their shoulder to play any local home team in West Texas.

Don't get in a funk boys just because you were beaten three straight games by a visiting team.

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Saved Girl's Life

"I want to tell you what wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Thedford's Black-Draught," writes Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky.

"It certainly has no equal for la grippe, bad colds, liver and stomach troubles. I firmly believe Black-Draught saved my little girl's life.

When she had the measles, they went in on her, but one good dose of Thedford's Black-Draught made them break out, and she has had no more trouble. I shall never be without

THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

in my home." For constipation, indigestion, headache, dizziness, malaria, chills and fever, biliousness, and all similar ailments, Thedford's Black-Draught has proved itself a safe, reliable, gentle and valuable remedy.

If you suffer from any of these complaints, try Black-Draught. It is a medicine of known merit. Seventy-five years of splendid success proves its value. Good for young and old. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents.

For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents.

GOING TO PAINT?

I have handled paint many years and believe I know good paint when I see it. I now have the agency for the celebrated

RUCHTER'S DURABLE PAINT

which goes further, covers more square feet, with a pretty, heavy body, than any paint made. Comes in all the popular colors and is warranted to give perfect satisfaction and service.

One gallon of Ruchter's Durable Paint and a gallon linseed oil makes 2 gallons of the best linseed oil paint in the world. Come see color cards and let me demonstrate merits of the paint.

W. L. DOSS

Druggist

After reading of so many people in our town who have been cured by Dean's Kidney Pills the question naturally arises "Is this medicine really successful in our neighboring towns?"

Petrolia Oil Field

If you want to become interested in a bona fide Oil Company who will not misrepresent anything, but who will give you a square deal all the time, read this:

We have just secured by a lucky turn, 160 acres of proven oil land in the Petrolia Oil Field. Oil has been found on this land and we are willing to guarantee to find oil in paying quantities before claiming your money.

We will begin to drill the first of the Forty wells which we have agreed to put down on this tract, within the next ten days. We expect to be producing oil in paying quantities within 90 days, and if we do not do so, we ask no money.

In addition to the 40 wells we have agreed to drill on our 160 acres at Petrolia, we are now drilling a Deep Well for oil on Pumpkin Ridge, about 6 miles north of Petrolia, Clay County, Texas, where we own and control 3811 acres.

We will sell you stock at \$10 per share, and will deed you a lot 20x30 feet near our drilling well, and will give you an interest in the 3811 acres, as well as an interest in the 40 wells to be put down on our 160 acres at Petrolia.

You may pay 1-4 cash, balance in 30, 60 and 90 days. We will return cash deposit at the end of 90 days if we haven't struck oil in paying quantities on our land. We take ALL RISK, we feel certain of success. Act quickly. God helps those who help themselves.

No applications for less than 3 shares taken. Cash payment \$2.50 per share. Riverside Oil Co. of Randlett 1303 Southwestern Bldg. DALLAS, TEXAS

Hides! Hides! EGGS AND POULTRY

I Pay the Highest Market Price Cash. Come to my Wagon Yard

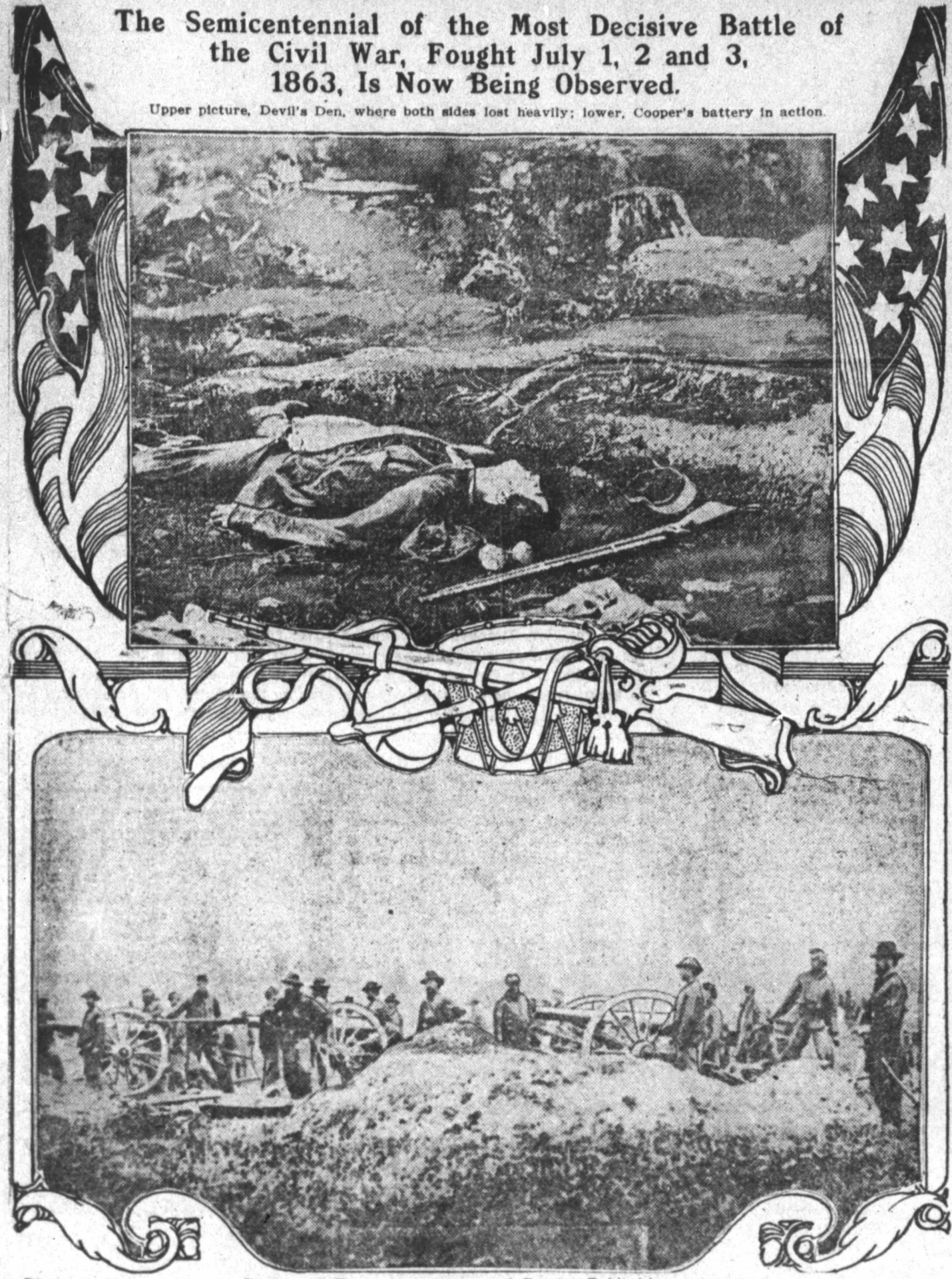
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PHOTOGRAPHS OF BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG MADE DURING THE FIGHT FIFTY YEARS AGO

The Semicentennial of the Most Decisive Battle of the Civil War, Fought July 1, 2 and 3, 1863, is Now Being Observed.

Upper picture, Devil's Den, where both sides lost heavily; lower, Cooper's battery in action.



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ABRAHAM LINCOLN'S GETTYSBURG SPEECH

DELIVERED ON THE BATTLEFIELD, NOV. 19, 1863.

Four score and seven years ago our fathers brought forth on this continent a new nation, conceived in Liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal. Now we are engaged in a great civil war, testing whether that nation, or any nation so conceived and so dedicated, can long endure. We are met on a great battlefield of that war. We have come to dedicate a portion of that field as a final resting place for those who here gave their lives that that nation might live. It is altogether fitting and proper that we should do this.

But in a larger sense we cannot dedicate, we cannot consecrate, we cannot hallow, this ground. The brave men, living and dead, who struggled here have consecrated it far above our poor power to add or detract. The world will little note nor long remember what we say here, but it can never forget what they did here. It is for us, the living, rather, to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they who fought here have thus far so nobly advanced.

It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us—that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they gave the last full measure of devotion; that we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain; that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth.

Special Values

IN STAPLES

—in this as well as in other departments we are offering some extra good values. Come see.

ENGLISH LONG CLOTH, snow white, extra nice soft even weave, worth 12 1-2c per yard. **\$1.25**
Special price per bolt.
Other grades, per bolt \$1.75, \$2.25, \$3.00 and \$4.00

NAINSOOK—snow white plain soft finish Nainsook, in splendid width and weave, prices 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 20c, 25c and **35c**

INDIA LINON, the best and softest grade we ever offered; regular width; price only **10c**

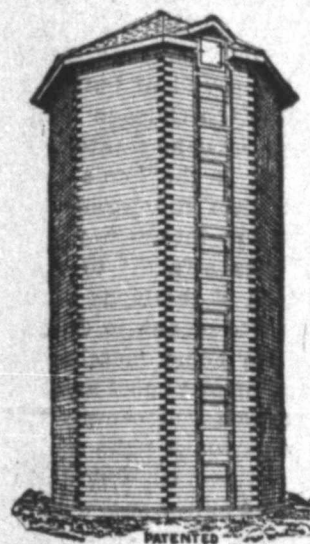
4-4 BLEACH DOMESTIC, pure spring water bleach, soft finish, extra special, per yard **10c**

LENOX SHIRTING in extra special values, per yard **10c**

BURNS & BELL

"QUALITY IS ECONOMY"

The Common Sense Silo



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COLORADO, TEXAS JULY 4, 1913.

Is there any likelihood that we will see a revival of roller skating like the bughouse craze of 1906?

We received last week a copy of "The Laborer", a socialist paper published at Dallas, with Nat L. Hardy as its editor and manager.

The Record would like to borrow two or three dozen of the San Angelo Standard's red roosters with which to properly celebrate the rain of Monday.

The cotton crop of Mitchell county was never more promising on the 4th of July than it is today. Talking with farmers from several parts of the county this week discloses the fact that rain has fallen practically all over the county.

This is vacation time and many of the citizens of Colorado will be going hither and yon over the entire country. Don't forget to speak a good word for your home town and do a little advertising. Be on the lookout also for new ideas and give the stay at homes the benefit of them when you return.

Now that the nigger prize fighter, Jack Johnson has gone to Europe to "recoup his losses in fighting court cases" by boxing exhibitions, the Good Lord grant something may happen to keep him forever on that side of the water. He says he will return to Chicago in time and face his trials.

The silo does for the horse, cow and other stock just what canning does for the human race. It gives them the delicious food of summer in the dead of winter. Imagine, if possible, how your stock would enjoy silage by your own appreciation of good home canned fruit. Then get busy and build a silo, even if it be a small one.

The number of times we have been informed "now you'll have something to write about" since the rain corresponds with the number of people we have met, less than a dozen. It is true, and we are rejoiced thereat and tickled nearly to death. The Record has told you all along, since the first of January that the good year of 1913 would be a red letter one in the history of West Texas. See if the Record was not correct.

While the torrid heat is killing hundreds of people in the north and east, there has been but one night this year in Mitchell county when a blanket was not comfortable at night. Last Friday night was the warmest of the season. The climate of this country, being the ability to eat and sleep, is one of its most valuable and enduring assets. That's one thing that can't be made artificially nor taxed. The poorest can enjoy it just as much as the rich, and get as much of it as he wants.

Say, you East Texas chaps who have been making puny gibes and punier jokes at West Texas, the past three years: Just watch her come back with a 2:40 gate. The difference between the two sections is the difference between pig iron and steel. When any kind of calamity comes upon the web-footed denizens of that delectable country where they sweep the parlor with a hoe and put foot scrapers on the bed rails, they simply give up and raise their united voices in one mighty howl that can be heard on the moon. When great pressure is put upon them, they break. No matter how severe the drought; how copper the sky; how unfriendly the seasons; how scarce water; the true West Texan only takes up a few more holes in his belt to fit his rations economizes on his own consumption, but keeps his team in fine fettle, and makes the best of things with a cheerful heart, knowing well that the fittest will survive, and that when the lane does turn, one good rain and twenty-

four hours time will completely change the aspect of everything. It doesn't come back by degrees, but bursts into full vigor and prosperity at the revivifying Midas-touch of water—not mud.

West Texas extends a pressing invitation to all those whose heart quailed at the first appearance of shortness in this country and fled to worse conditions, to come back this fall and sit on the fence and see the triumphal procession of prosperity pass down the pike.

What will the genuine old timer now do for his high water reminiscences. The latest boll weevil arrival from the wilds of East Texas knows just as much about high water in the Colorado as he who helped dig the trenches for the river t orun in But your old timer dies hard. He ignores figures and points out that in such and such a year the water was up to John's fence or where the old brick yard used to be, or nearly up to the railroad track. As to how many feet above low water the rise went, he has no idea.

The extent of the moving picture business is indicated by the fact that during the past year no less than 6,350,000,000 nickels have been spent by 3,600,000,000 spectators of these shows. More than \$8,000,000 are invested in the moving picture industry; more than 200,000 persons are employed and 10,000,000 feet of picture films are produced weekly.

The present constitution permits taxation to a limit of 35 cents on \$100.00, which will yield about nine million dollars per annum, an ample sum for all purposes. Only 10 cents on \$100.00 was utilized last year. There is no bankrupt necessity to confer on the Legislature revolutionary power to plunge the State into unlimited bonded debts, to pay which will require over seven dollars for each one borrowed, when interest is calculated at 5 per cent and compounded annually for forty years.

The law enacted by the last legislature penalizing the taking of automobiles or other vehicles, without the consent of the owner, became effective July 1st, and is now in full force and effect. The provisions of the law embrace not only the machine itself, but any part thereof, or the disfiguring or damaging the same. This will effectively put a stop to the habit of stealing out other people's machines at night and indulging in joy riding. The law absolutely prohibits the touching of a motor vehicle without consent of the owner.

Several papers, notably in the fifth congressional district, are already predicting the return of Joe Bailey to active participation in state politics and are busy with brush and currys, grooming him for governor of Texas. "He may not be willing at this time," his admirers say, "to forego the making of a fortune to serve the people as governor. That will be determined later on, but either now or in the near future Bailey will come back and take his place as leader of Texas democracy."

The Record attended the Snyder picnic last week going up in Keiper's fine 35 demonstration car. We did not intend to say anything about the trip but "daddy" Burns went along and as he had not been in a car for sometime he rather insisted on us saying something about it, but not to mention his cap. But what we wish to say is the crowd surely enjoyed the trip in this fine new car which can only be equalled by a flying machine. Three of the parties in the car, will in the near future buy 25 and 35 Studebakers.

Juicy Florida oranges at Hall's.

A FLY IN THE OINTMENT.

The Record stands for Mitchell county and the town of Colorado against any other county or town in the state of Texas, and for Texas against any other state in the nation. It stands for the business men and the business enterprises of town and county against the business men and enterprises of any other section. The Record tries to serve the interests of the town of Colorado and Mitchell county, and to the people of the town and county it looks for support and sustenance. It is of, for and by, the good people of this county.

The Record preaches the doctrine of keeping money made in Mitchell county, in Mitchell county, and to this end spends every dollar it has to spend, so far as living necessities are concerned, with home merchants. The Record has earnestly fought the policy of sending money to the foreign mail order houses when the commodity could be gotten at home, even though it cost a trifle more at home than laid down "at your door" from Chicago or Kansas City. This paper has time and again inveighed against the practice of spending money with the foreign mail order people and when they have sucked you dry, asking the Colorado and other Mitchell county merchants to "carry you for awhile on their books."

A Mitchell county former might trade with one of these mail order houses ten years and pay it thousands of dollars, without building up a credit for one cent. To the mail order house, the farmer of Mitchell county has no such thing as honor, nor would the farmer dare ask one of them for a dollar's credit. He knows he would not get it, no matter how much he had paid them. Yet the home merchants extend credit to men who never spent one cent with them. They take chances on many people every year which involves them in possible bankruptcy. These merchants make it possible for farmers to make a crop feed their families and pay their debts, by taking all the chances and responsibilities (except work) upon their own hands. If the farmer fails, the merchants must fail, while failure of the merchant alone, would only require the farmer to make other arrangements. Without the credit extending home merchants, farming in this country, under the present regime, would be possible only for those who have ready money enough to run them through the year.

The Record not only believes, the home merchant has earned a right to expect the business of the people of Mitchell county, but that there is a duty on the part of the people to spend their money with him. The home merchant is responsible in part for whatever success each individual farmer achieves. The relation is mutual. What could an individual farmer do with marketing his products and turning them into money, were it not for the home buyer. He might starve to death in the midst of plenty. The farmer could not send his peck of beans, his pound of butter or two dozen eggs to the Chicago mail order house, to get what he wanted. Not on your life. It is the home merchant who transmutes the farmer's eggs, butter and beans into money, and then the latter goes straight to the post-office (instead of the home bank) and sends this same money to Chicago for something the home merchant could sell him just as or almost as cheaply.

Let us assume that every citizen of this county patronized the mail order houses to the exclusion of the home merchant. Not only would every home merchant be driven to close his store, but a market for everything raised would likewise be destroyed. Say then all the people in the next county traded with a Chicago house, and the next—and the next, until every citizen of Mitchell county would have to move to Chicago to sell his products and buy what he needed. And that would, at last, be doing just the identical thing the Record has been preaching all the while—trading at HOME. Get that point; that it's the merchant who buys your stuff that makes your spending possible. Without him Rearup & Fall-back could not exist. They would not touch what you raise with a forty-foot pole. They want only your money. When that is gone they want nothing more to do with you.

In the Record's war on the mail order houses, it has never assumed to dictate where a farmer or anyone else should spend his money, beyond trying to show the fallacy of the idea that he is getting what he buys cheaper, in the ultimate results, than he could have gotten it from his home merchant. It dictates no more in doing this than when it advocates a certain political or moral policy or principle. The paper but expresses the experience and conclusions of the business world. The mail order houses have always been a cancer upon the commercial body; distributing natural conditions and creating an unhealthy relation between the people who patronize them and the latter's home business men. These mail order houses owe their phenomenal success

to advertising, and many newspapers run their advertisements cheek-by-jowl with the advertisements of the local merchants. This, the Record has never done, but has time and again turned down very tempting offers for advertising, at prices beyond what we charge the home merchants. The Record does not believe the principle on which these houses are run, is sound or legitimate, when brought into direct competition with local business; hence, it will not accept their advertising. If it did, we would not say a word against the merchants of Colorado sending to Dallas or Chicago for their printing. The Record tries to demonstrate to the local merchant that continuous advertising pays, by citing the success of the mail order houses. Is this dictating to the home merchant how he must conduct his business or spend his money? Hardly. It is only citing examples to prove its contentions. No more then, is the Record dictating where the farmers or others shall spend their money when it tries to demonstrate the sound practice of sticking to the home merchant.

The above remarks are incited by one of the Record's best subscribers stopping his paper because of an article the paper contained last week urging people to spend their money where they made it. We print it again this week for the benefit of those who failed to read it. (See 1st page, lower right hand corner). It is one of the best articles on this question we have ever seen. But this subscriber objected to "any paper dictating to farmers where they must spend their money" and asked if the Record intended publishing any more of the same kind. We told him we intended publishing many more of the kind; that it expressed that for which this paper stood—the upbuilding of home enterprises instead of foreign ones. This subscriber is one of the best citizens of Mitchell county. He is a farmer and sells everything he makes to the local merchants and individuals. He sometimes has the indulgence of credit by the home merchants, and though we did not ask him directly if he patronized the mail order houses, there was no need of it to fathom the cause of his exception to the article. He asked us the question: "If you could buy an article from a mail order house for \$4 which your home merchant would ask \$5 for: which would you patronize? The home man every time. We do that same thing every day we live, because we expect to get that dollar difference back in subscription to this paper. And our quitting subscriber would have gotten his dollar back in paying for his beans, peas, eggs, etc. But when he sends the \$4 to Chicago, what chance has he of ever getting it back? We also told him that if he could defend the practice of patronizing foreign mail order houses, using his own business transactions as a basis for his arguments, the Record would gladly publish them.

The Record endorses every word of the article excepted to: its the doctrine—the gospel of the political economy of co-operating, and on no other principle and practice can any community expect to prosper.

The little country newspaper may suffer badly in comparison with the big dailies on the basis of price and size and as a matter of value received; but the country weekly means more than a quid pro quo for one's money. It is a part of the community and is directly connected with every person in it. It records the day and hour of a child's birth, congratulating the parents on the advent of such a fine boy or girl. It mentions all the little accidents that befall the child; it goes with him to school and shares whatever honor he there achieves; it follows him to college and joins in wishes for a bright career; the little country paper helps establish him in some profession, commending him to the community and vouching for his ability; it takes an interest in his marriage; follows him through life and lays a tribute upon his bier. The man is gone, but the country newspaper continues to take an interest in those he left behind, his children and children's children. There is a heart interest in the country paper not possible with the commercial city papers. It shares all your sorrows, weeps over your dead, applauds every worthy act and noble effort; it is silent about your failures and mistakes and covers with a mantle of sweet charity the skeleton in many a closet. It is worth all you pay for it, yet there are people who will continue to receive it year after year without offering to pay for it, and send to some city for a few printed circulars that could have been done just as well by the little country weekly at home.

There is a man in New York who has been opening oysters for more than forty years. From the day he began the business: he has had the idea that he would some day find such a valuable pearl that he could retire and live at his ease. Forty years he has carefully watched every shell he

opened and told his friends of his hope of discovering a prize. He has had a delusion, but a pleasant one. The instinct of hope is so strong in every human heart that everybody expects to find a pearl in his oyster shell. This man in his humble occupation found a pearl in his oyster every day in the wages he earned, and if he be a man of character, or if he has supported a family, he has done much better for himself and the world than if he had found the valuable pearl. The steady occupations of life, however humble, have better provision in them for a rainy day than all the accidents of fortune, which are as scarce as jewels in the oysters of a restaurant.

Strange how people will fall back on "principle" when their toes are trod upon. Throw a rock and the fellow who's hit howls from "principle", not because he has been touched in a sore spot. Its a very battered, hackneyed, trite and meaningless word as ordinarily used. Usually its the thing that squares with the acts of the fellow who does the bellyaching. His view always has "principle" in it.

The Honorable Martin Dies of the Beaumont district, has at last done something at Washington to attract attention, and it was strictly in line with his other wine room stunts. In a fit of ill temper he knocked out a pane of glass in a street car window because he could not get the window open readily. Because the conductor remonstrated with him, he struck the conductor in the eye and wanted to know "what the h— they were going to do about it?" Save for such stunts as this and living under an assumed name with a woman other than his wife, the people of Texas would never know Martin Dies was among the Texas delegation in congress.

United States Senator, Chas Culbertson was reported ill at Atlantic City last week. Wonder what he's trying to dodge this spell. Whenever the Senator thinks things are coming to a dead show-down, he always manages to have his accommodating health give away just at the right time. The minor leadership in the senate was shifted because he saw fight and show down in it. Senator Culbertson has always been the most promising man before the public. He keeps the country on tip-toe of expectancy that he is just on the point of doing something big and great, but cases off into a "breakdown". In all his public career he has never gotten up to the scratch and stood there, but is always going to. We have often wondered if Culbertson's health wasn't a part of his politics. It has gotten him out of some places that would have called for a showdown of his cards.

LORAIN NEWS ITEMS.

Miss Ida Nelson is visiting in Bronte this week. Mrs. J. W. Baker writes to friends that she is enjoying her visit in Austin very much, says she has eaten water-melons, fruit and other good things. Says she doesn't have at home. Prof. Crutcher and family are away on a visit for the remainder of the summer. Miss Maud Hallmark is very sick this week. Prof. G. L. Farrer was a Sunday visitor here. The Christian people will begin their meeting on Friday night at the tabernacle in town where it was held last year. Miss Nelma Roland of Colorado was the guest of Miss Annie White Sunday. Mr. Bryon Neely of Roscoe is the guest of Mr. W. H. Neely and family. Mrs. M. Zellner and Mrs. F. Miles leave this week for an extended visit to California. Mr. W. L. Petty and family were over from Snyder Sunday. Mr. Jessie White went down to Abilene on Monday on business. Mesdames Pratt and Mullen entertained jointly the Reading Club on Friday afternoon at the home of the former. All report an interesting time. Prof. J. S. Rives is elected to the Superintendency of the Lamesa public school. The Children's Day exercises at the Baptist Church were observed Sunday and despite the rainy weather was well attended and enjoyed by all. Miss Emma Nation of Snyder is the guest of Miss Neely this week. Mr. A. C. Newgley of Brownwood was the guest of friends here this week. Miss Vera Gary visited in Colorado this week. Miss Winnie Harkins of Roscoe was the guest of Miss Mamie Smith this week.

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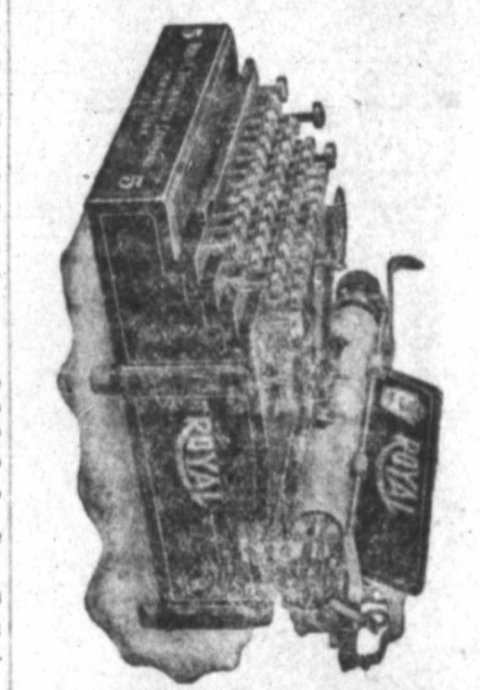
The Pelican.

A funny old bird is the pelican— His bill can hold more than his belly can; He can tote in his beak Enough food for a week; But we don't understand how the pelican—Webb City Register.

President Wilson is uncovering a perfect cesspool of corruption in the lobby investigations. He said he wanted every inch of the field gone over ruthlessly, that the people of this nation may be fully informed of the invisible forces that have been dominating the affairs of government for many years past; dictating legislation in congress and its enforcement, as well.

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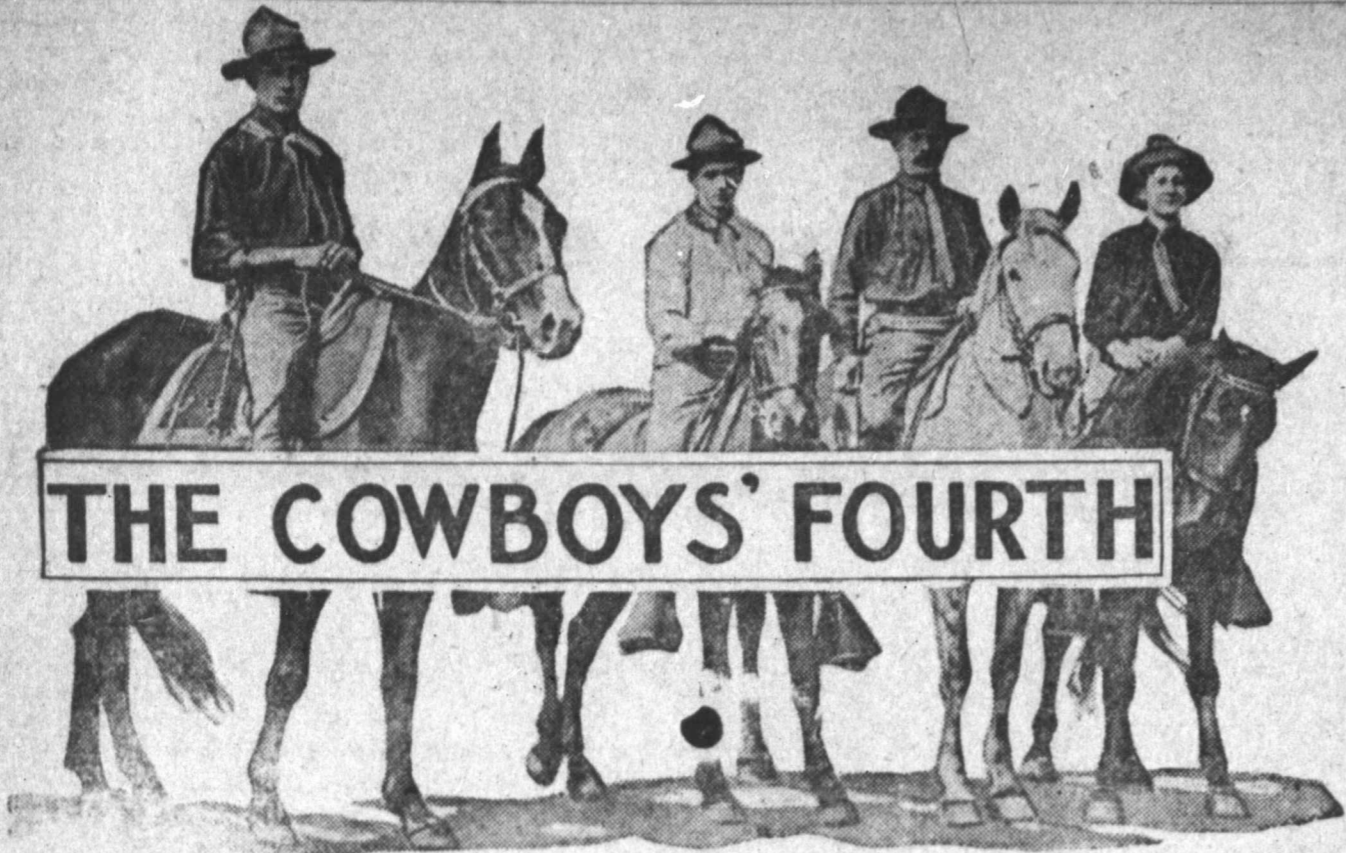


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THE COWBOYS' FOURTH

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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PINK DEERING threw a leg over the pommel of his saddle and rested his sharp chin in one hand. His black eyes roved from the mass of horned cattle moving slowly ahead and turned to his three companions.

"Tomorrow's the glorious Fourth," he drawled.

"That's so. Guess I'll go over to Three Forks and fire some caps off," responded Mathews.

"What's the matter with the whole crowd going over there tomorrow night and showing them peaceful citizens how to celebrate their country's birthday?" Ferd Lathrop was the speaker, and outwardly he was as reckless a desperado as ever was pictured on the lurid cover of a nickel weekly. Actually he was a mild and inoffensive wage earner and excellent



MISS PAIGE, THE SCHOOLMA'AM.

cattle herder. "Let's shoot up the town!" he suggested bloodthirstily.

"Let's!" mimicked the fourth cowboy.

"Let's don't do anything so slow. I got a better plan," murmured Pink. "You all know the schoolma'am?"

The three others laughed ruefully. "I guess we know the schoolma'am, Pink," remarked Phillips ironically. "I know her so well that she felt free to give me a piece of advice."

"What was it?" demanded Pink swiftly.

"I suggested that Squibs was wearing a plain trail across country to her door."

"Oh, Lordy!" yelped Mathews. "You never put your foot into it that way?" "Plumb in!"

"What advice did she pass over?"

"It won't bear repeating—not to the ears of mockers," Phillips sighed justly and wiped an imaginary tear from his handsome eye.

"That won't prevent our carrying out our plan," said Pink Deering.

"Let's hear the plan now you're gatisfied that we know the schoolma'am."

"It's this way. You know she was going back home to Ohio the day after school closed, but the Clarks persuaded her to stay over until after the Fourth and see what a regular Montana celebration can be. So she stayed, but this very morning Clark had a message from Helena saying that his father had a stroke or something and he rushed off, and of course the celebration at Clark's is all off."

"Well, tain't likely Mrs. Clark will invite us to come over and fire off the rockets when there's sickness in the family," observed Ferd.

"She don't have to. Listen. It's my idea to lay in a supply of the finest kind of fireworks and then ride over to Clark's and fire 'em off on the pasture right opposite the schoolma'am's window. Then, all for nothing, she can witness what a Montana celebration is like, and she'll understand it to be a delicate compliment to her. It will be her celebration." Pink waxed enthusiastic over his plan.

"How will she know it was us that did it?" demanded Mathews.

"After it's over we'll all ride over and tell her we hoped she enjoyed it." "That sounds easy. You going to let Squibs in on this?" asked Phillips.

"Nix on Squibs! Let him look out for himself," retorted Pink cruelly, for there was a hot rivalry among the cowboys for the love of the pretty schoolteacher at Three Forks. Daisy Paige was her name, and her admirers unanimously agreed that her first name was most appropriate.

When Bob Clyde came up from Arizona to act as foreman on the Big Q ranch the boys immediately dubbed him "Squibs" because he was in disposition entirely opposite to the sharp, explosive character the word indicated. Slow of speech and action, he was resolute in carrying out his plans and would brook no insubordination from his inferiors. That he was kind of heart and fair and square in every way the cowboys knew, but they resented with childish vanity the obvious fact that Miss Paige had overlooked their more spectacular attractions and seemed to prefer the quiet, good looking foreman.

Under these circumstances Pink Deering felt entirely justified in not confiding his plans to Squibs, as he good naturedly permitted them to call him.

"After we turn these critters over to Fathers and his chaps we can tear over to the Forks and buy up all the fireworks that are fit to burn," suggested Mathews, and the others agreed to this plan.

At twilight the next day the four cowboys rode over to the Clark ranch. Each one carried a big bundle tied behind his saddle, and other long packages were carried in their arms.

"I reckon this will be about right," said Pink as he halted his horse some 300 yards from the house.

Their stopping place was in the middle of a level pasture that Clark used for his pet horses. The animals were either all in use or had been stabled, and there was nothing in the pasture save the group of cowboys and the ponies they had picketed outside the barbed wire fence where they had entered.

"I reckon that's the schoolma'am's window," commented Mathews, pointing toward a lighted window in the dark bulk of the house.

"That's how I calculate. I bribed the Clark kid to tell me, so I ain't taking any chances on giving a free entertainment for anybody but Miss Paige."

"Suppose Squibs is there making a call?"

Pink laughed heartily. "Squibs had a urgent message to come at once to the west side of Cold creek, where one of our horses had broke a leg. So he went pounding off just before we did."

"What horse was it?" asked Phillips innocently.

"It happened long before you ever came to the Big Q," retorted Pink. "The note never said when it happened."

"His companions roared with delight over the joke he had put up on the unsuspecting Squibs."

"It's ten miles over to Cold Creek," chuckled Pink.

"And it's ten miles back," added Ferd.

"Miss Paige will be all complimented by the time he gets back."

"It's kind of a blazing serenade, eh?"

"Sure thing. Where's those roman candles?"

Moving quietly around the dim pasture, the four celebrators made their preparations for the display. The first bomb that would announce to Miss Paige that something was going on outside was to be fired at 9 o'clock, and when everything was in readiness the four sat down and smoked until Pink Deering replaced his watch and announced that the hour had come.

The light still shone in the upper window that little Sam Clark had announced was the teacher's.

After the screaming hiss of the first bomb had ended in a shattering explosion of sound the light in that window went out, and the celebrators were jubilant over the success of their plans.

"She's got her blue eyes glued on this here exhibition, all right," chuckled Pink Deering as he touched off the first skyrocket.

"Swish-h-h-h!" it went up and broke into a shower of balls that burst into many colored flowers.

"Whoop-ee!" yelled the cowboys excitedly.

It was a gorgeous celebration. Pinwheels sizzled and whirled in dazzling confusion of fire; bombs exploded occasionally just to let Miss Paige know

when especial things were going to happen—as, for instance, just before that set piece of a basket of flowers or another of intertwined hearts.

Red fire blazed there on the pasture and turned the whole landscape to a ruddy glow. They saw faces at the window and were themselves observed. They leaped into the air and whooped joyously, and when the fire died off they started more rockets toward the zenith.

When the last rocket had exploded in midair and they had watched the last fire balloon sail away beyond the late rising moon the four celebrators stamped out any sparks that might remain in the grass, knocked down the wooden framework they had brought for the set pieces and tossed it away and sought their horses.

They rode sedately to the piazza of the old Clark house and found the windows brilliantly lighted.

Mrs. Clark met them at the front door with a welcoming smile.

"That was a lovely celebration, boys!" she cried heartily, and as she noted their heads craned toward the interior of the house she understood all at once the meaning of the whole thing and was immediately sympathetic.

"Come right in, do! The children made ice cream today, and you must have some. Tell me how you happened to think of the celebration."

"It was a blazing serenade for Miss Paige," said Pink, still peering around for a glimpse of the schoolma'am.

"That is too bad," cried Mrs. Clark. "She would have enjoyed it so much!"

"Would have?" Pink's color deepened. "I take it the schoolma'am wasn't to home?"

"No. Isn't it a pity? We were sitting on the piazza when Mr. Clyde came up and said he had to go over to Cold Creek tonight to see about a horse which had broken a leg. He invited Daisy to ride along with him and see the moon rise over Cold Creek. They should be home before long. It is too bad they missed it."

"It was too bad, ma'am," said Pink courteously. "No, thank you; we won't stop. We just came in to ask how Mr. Clark's old man is getting along?"

"Better—much better—thank you. Won't you stay until they come home? You can amuse yourself with the phonograph. We have a lot of new records," urged Mrs. Clark, sorry for their disappointment and knowing they were to suffer a keener one before long.

They met their disappointment sooner than she expected. They had galloped away from the Clark place in silence eloquent of their disgust. All the time and money and enthusiasm they had expended upon the celebration had been wasted upon Mrs. Clark and the children.

Suddenly a horse and rider came into view and were silhouetted against the horizon. It was not one horse, but

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FOREMAN OF THE BIG Q RANCH.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Rena Key returned Wednesday night from an extended visit with friends in Comanche county.

The Colorado first nine goes to Loraine today for a return game with the team at that place.

The Merkel base ball team will play the Colorado first nine next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The Merkel boys have the reputation of playing good ball and those who witness this series of games will get their money's worth.

Merkel vs. Colorado, on the home field next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Don't fail to see the games.

C. D. Bacon who has been working for the Colorado Mercantile Company for the past six months, left this week for his home at Nashville, Arkansas.

Manager Ollie Jones of the Ellwood Renderbrook ranch was a business visitor this week.

The heaviest rain in the history of the county fell in Hunt county and around the town of Greenville on July 1st, doing property damage to the extent of one million dollars. Many people were homeless by the floods and crops washed away.

The annual catalogue of the Dallas State Fair has reached this office. The fair promises to be bigger and better than ever. The date is from October 16th to November 2nd.

Mrs. J. W. Pearson of Hot Springs, Ark. arrived Monday night for a visit with the family of her son, R. O. Pearson.

Mr. G. T. Lowe returned this week from an extended trip to Glen Rose, whither he went in search of health and to escape the great heat.

H. S. Keley, formerly a citizen of Colorado, was shaking hands with old friends here this week.

Lost—Somewhere in Colorado a self filling, plain black, No. 4 Conklin Fountain pen, Monogram carved on stock. Please bring to Record office for reward.

On July 1st, the old reliable Colorado National Bank paid its usual semi-annual dividend of 8 per cent.

The Record is agent for the New Master Model Royal typewriter; the machine that's built right and handles all kinds of cards as easily as a sheet of paper. Come see the latest model demonstrated.

If the surplus corn, potatoes, beans, okra, other garden truck and fruit, were canned and kept till next winter thousands of dollars would be saved in the family expense account. It is impossible to raise only cotton and buy these comforts as cheaply as they can be produced at home.

139 Goats in Mitchell County.

A census report which has just been published shows 139 goats in Mitchell County which are valued at \$420. The report is based on data gathered by the census enumerators in 1910 and relates to that year.

The total number of goats on all the farms and ranges of Texas is 1,135,344 and are valued at \$2.21 each making a total value of \$2,514,077. Two per cent, or 7937 of the 417,770 farms of this state raise goats.

SOUTHERN CELEBRATIONS.

Great Assemblages in Richmond a Hundred Years Ago.

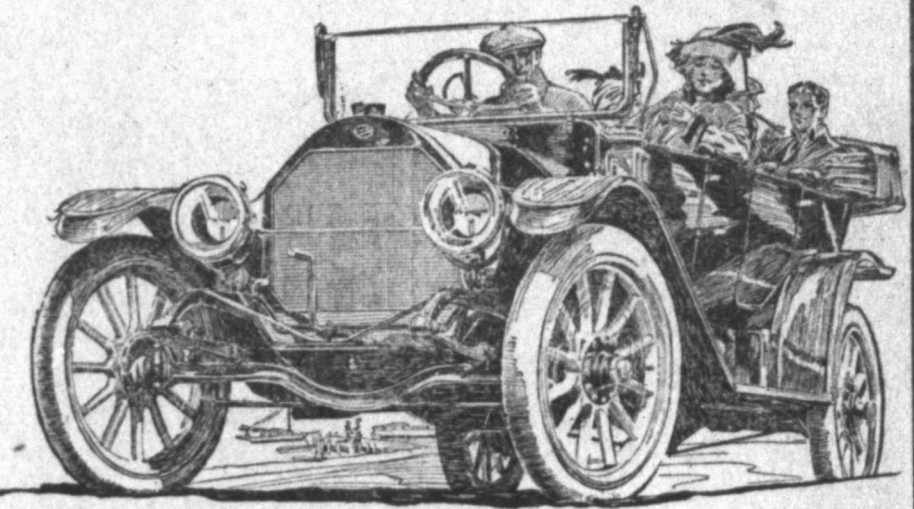
The southern colonies and, after the ratification of the constitution, the southern states were by no means behind New England in their celebration of the glorious Fourth. In the Old Dominion of Virginia 100 years ago the wealthy patriotic planters, their friends, guests and servants, annually assembled in great numbers in Richmond to celebrate our nation's birthday with the best horse races of that period and other diversions.

Dr. Frank H. Wade of Pittsburgh quotes from a letter written by his maternal grandfather, dated Richmond, July 5, 1790:

"The variegated costumes of a mass of dames and gentlemen gave the wide balcony the appearance of a flower garden, and the sparkling eyes, red cheeks and smiling lips of the young ladies made the scene a most enchanting one. Little beauties in diamonds and lace rode by in rich chariots, accompanied by portly old fellows with enormous ruffles. The horses were the cream of our Virginia racers. After being led up and down through the crowd they were stripped, saddled and mounted. The drum tapped, and off they shot like meteors. When the race was won by a horse bearing our new national colors—red, white and blue—in honor of the occasion being independence day, I thought the people would go wild with enthusiasm."

T. A. MARTIN, M. D. Physician and Surgeon
Pure Drugs and Druggists' Sundries
 A reliable line of FRESH Drugs constantly on hand. Anything you need in the drug line you will find to your interest to purchase from me. I will appreciate it if you will call and see my store—just opposite Loraine Mercantile Company.
 Residence Phone 2 Rings—Office 3 Rings LORAIN, TEXAS

OVERLAND : AUTOMOBILES



HAVE electric lights and self-starter with enough power to start car containing ten people. This fact insures you enough power in cold weather to start the car when oil is stiff and motor cold. You owe it to yourself to investigate the merits of the OVERLAND before buying any car. It will save you money and regrets.

I run a Garage with Steam Vulcanizing Outfit, Free air for all.

Best Blacksmith Work of All Kinds

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LUMBER AND WIRE

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

Colorado, Texas.

J. L. DOSS, President. D. N. ARNETT, Vice-President. J. E. HOOPER, Cashier.

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 OF COLORADO, TEXAS.

Prompt Attention to all Business. Correspondence and Collections Solicited.

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Treat Them
to the treat of treats—always welcomed, by all, everywhere—

Coca-Cola
sparkling with life—delightfully cooling—supremely wholesome.

Delicious—Refreshing
Thirst-Quenching

COCA-COLA COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.

Neither the law nor its representatives are too dignified to escape the jokesmith. The official path of Squire Mike Ratliff and City Marshal Morgan Stell, since their induction into office have severally been quiet and smooth. No pranks have been played with their official duties, until last Sunday night, when they were informed that an unknown man had been knocked off the railroad bridge by a train and killed instantly. Acting quickly as becomes conscientious officials, they hastily gathered a handful of material competent for inquest jury services, and guided by Richard Sparks, the informant, they lost no time in reaching the spot of the supposed tragedy and beginning search. Squire Ratliff, while not exactly smelling a rodent, nevertheless sniffed suspicion and refused to recognize a confused and blurred bundle lying in the water as a dead man minus a head and arms, but Marshal Stell wanted a closer look. He and Dick boldly took hold of the form and drew it from the water, when lo! a dummy with an empty quart whiskey bottle in its pocket. The moral of all which is that whiskey is associated with even the death of a straw man, and that the dummy had not come to its terrible end if it hadn't been monkeying with liquor.

The Well A Success.

Mr. M. C. Ratliff informs us that the well he and Mr. Wyatt put down for Dr. W. H. Henthorn, one mile north of Loraine, grows better all the time. The well is about 75 feet deep altogether. The centrifugal pump is placed about 30 feet below the surface of the ground and a five-horse power gas engine attached. With a 2 1/2 inch pipe the well will stand the engine and pump going all the time and will deliver more than 100 gallons per minute. With this amount of water Dr. Henthorn expects to irrigate a truck patch of ten acres, which it will do with enough to spare to irrigate that much more land.

Ratliff and Wyatt are now at work on the well on the Mills place, near the T. & P. water tank. The pit is down very nearly as deep as they purpose to carry it, and will begin developing the water output next week. They are very sanguine that as good, if not better flow will be encountered in this well than in the other, as they intend to develop the Mills well to the utmost as a demonstration well.

This is a most encouraging condition and we believe will prove but the beginning of an epidemic of well drilling in Mitchell county for irrigation purposes. We shall watch the development of the Mills well with a great deal of interest and believe the promoters, Messrs. Ratliff and Wyatt will realize in it when they have turned it over, all they have anticipated in regard to it.

DON'T LET YOUR LIVER GET LAZY

Dodson's Liver Tonic Will Keep It Working and Make You Feel Well and Clean—No Bad After-Effects.

If you have allowed your fear of calomel to keep you from toning up your liver when it gets a little sluggish and lazy—try Dodson's Liver Tonic, and note how quickly and harmlessly it starts the liver and relieves constipation and bilious attacks.

When you take Dodson's Liver Tonic, you do not have to stay in the house all day. None of the weakening and harmful after-effects of calomel follow its use. Dodson's Liver Tonic is a mild, pleasant vegetable liquid that cannot hurt either children or grown people. Yet it easily overcomes the most stubborn and inactive liver without making you quit eating or working.

These are not just claims. Floyd Beall's drug store backs up every one of these statements and agrees to refund the price of Dodson's Liver Tonic with a smile to any person who pays his 50 cents for a bottle and isn't satisfied that he got his money's worth.

Imitations of Dodson's Liver Tonic are another proof that it is a good thing. Nobody ever imitates a poor remedy. Be sure you get the genuine Dodson's Liver Tonic—the kind that is guaranteed.

Buy it now. Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by all dealers.

High-Class SERVICE
With the only Double-Daily Through Train
Trains make "The Denver Road" the
Supremely Attractive Route from Texas to Cal.
Ask for the Lammie
A. A. Gillison, G. P. A.
Fort Worth, Texas

Mrs. Shepherd's Brother Dead

Mrs. J. L. Shepherd received the sad news of the death of her brother, Mr. John Josey last Saturday in Denver, Colorado where he had been for several months in search of health. Mrs. Shepherd left Sunday morning to meet her mother in Ft. Worth and will go on to Huntsville, where the funeral will be conducted. Mrs. Shepherd's many friends here sympathize with her in this sad hour.

This is the first death in the family to date. Mr. and Mrs. Josey celebrated their Golden Wedding last December.

During the summer months mothers of young children should watch for any unnatural looseness of the bowels. When given prompt attention at this time serious trouble may be avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

Juvenile Methodist Missionaries.

The Juvenile Missionary Society of the Methodist Church gave a tea at Mrs. Lyon's Friday afternoon. The girls had an appropriate program, each one answered to roll call with the name of a Missionary and was asked to pray specially for that person during the year.

Six girls who are none over fourteen were promoted to the Young Ladies Society, which is conducted by Mrs. J. G. Merritt. The girls served ice cream and cake as refreshments at the social hour they received an offering of five dollars which will be applied to Missions.

Altogether it was quite a profitable afternoon and through the untiring efforts of Mrs. Lyon's the girls are getting true glimpses of Missions.

Don't You Owe Yourself Something?

For beautifully illustrated literature descriptive of the numerous splendid, home-like and not unreasonably expensive resorts throughout Wonderful Colorado and along the Pacific Coast, including the Great Colorado Chautauqua at Boulder—the beautiful, address A. A. Gillison, General Passenger Agent, "The Denver Road" Fort Worth Texas. Little vacations in those directions are always worth more than they cost. Aug 15c

The crops of some of the fellows about town who never plowed a furrow in their lives, were saved by the rain this week. It came just in the nick of time to keep them from giving up the fight.

CEMENT WORK WANTED.

All kinds of cement work done right and fully guaranteed. Cistern work sidewalk and curb building made a specialty; also do all kinds of plastering. If you need anything in this line let me figure with you before placing a contract.
6-6p
GEORGE TRIPP.

Fresh consignment of East Texas ribbon cane syrup; the finest ever in Colorado, at Hall's.

A RECORD RISE IN THE RIVER.

About five o'clock Monday afternoon, a phone message from Cuthbert, announced that a rise in the Colorado river, estimated from 27 to 32 feet was coming down from the neighborhood of Lamesa in Dawson county, where there had just fallen a seven-inch rain within the space of two hours. The message asked the city marshal to warn all those living near the river banks to get out of the way of the flood, that it would likely cover the bridges over the river at this place. At the time this message was received the river was running bank full from the rain in this immediate section, so that some little uneasiness was created by the disquieting report.

Many went to the bridges and watched the rising water all night, which continued to up in the forenoon, when the flood reached within two feet of the flooring of the bridge on the south side. Had all the water that fell in the neighborhood of Lamesa been confined within the banks of the river, no doubt the rise would have reached the height announced; but there was so much low land to be covered, so many creeks and draws to be filled by the flood before getting to Colorado, that the crest was considerably lowered by the time it reached here. But it was a record flood, and though the old settler tried to fix the height of some former rise by landmarks long since obliterated or changed, he can not demonstrate in feet and inches by any reliable gauge that the water was ever higher at Colorado in the river than it was Tuesday morning, and which will constitute the high water mark for all future references.

If you are a housewife you cannot reasonably hope to be healthy or beautiful by washing dishes, sweeping and doing housework all day, and crawling into bed dead tired at night. You must get out into the open air and sunlight. If you do this every day and keep your stomach and bowels in good order by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed, you would become both healthy and beautiful. For sale by all dealers.

Change in Business

The Crystal Ice Company has purchased the ice cream factory formerly owned by Mr. G. C. Key and has assumed its management. Mr. Key will continue to personally superintend the manufacture of the cream.

Those who have had dealings with the Crystal Ice Co., realize that Mr. H. W. McSpadden, its efficient manager, will give to the ice cream business the same careful attention he has devoted to his other lines of business. The best materials only will go into the manufacture of the cream, and every customer will be satisfied.

Cream furnished on shortest notice in any quantity for any occasion delivered at your door.

ALL WOMEN

Who suffer with the ailments of their sex are in need of the great strengthening, cleansing and regulating properties of

PRICKLY ASH BITTERS

It puts the liver, stomach and bowels in fine healthy condition, builds up the nervous system, strengthens the body, clears the complexion and changes a poor, tired, discouraged woman into one of sparkling good health and cheerfulness.

Get the Genuine with the Figure "3" in Red on Front Label.

Sold by Druggists. Price \$1.00 per bottle.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Beal sent out invitations to their friends to a dance given at the club rooms Friday night in honor of Miss Annie Beal, Miss Marguerite Beal, Miss Harriet Tyler, Miss Bond Speed, Miss Belle Gary, Mr. J. Homer Beal, Mr. R. Coke Oxsheer and Ralph G. Beal. A large number gathered and not only enjoyed all the dances on the program but the delicious refreshments of punch and ice cream and cake served by the hospitable couple. When the goodnights were said all were eager that Mr. and Mrs. Beal entertained again.

Master Garland Shepherd has had a wrestle with too many peaches but has come off more than conqueror.

Mrs. W. L. Doss entertained in honor of Mrs. C. C. Blandford of Arlington Tuesday afternoon, not only were the games enjoyed by all but the converse with Mrs. Blandford, as she used to live here and has many friends who are always glad to meet her. The hostess refreshed her guests with delicious peach ice-cream and angel food cake, assisted by her charming daughter, Miss Etta.

Mrs. Edgar Majors entertained the Girls Club last Thursday with a number of other friends in honor of her cousin Miss Robbie Waters of Greenville, Texas. The dainty score cards were tied with lavender and gold bearing the honoree's name and after the games had been played the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. M. C. Ratliff and aunt, Miss T. J. Ratliff, carried out the colors by serving golden lady fingers and delicious grape ice.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, Lucas County, Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1913. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The showers of last Sunday and Monday demonstrate the adage that "all things come to him who waits." Even the rain, after wetting every other section of the county, if there be a little left over, throws it out of the gourd over the town of Colorado. There were showers all about Saturday and Sunday, while on Monday it looked as if it were showering at all four points of the compass with Colorado in the middle. The best shower fell Monday afternoon since the 3rd of May in the immediate limits of the town. After hearing from several sections of the county Monday, even some of the most hopelessly dry weather belly-achers admitted that "if we could just get one or two good general rains, we might make a crop yet." Westbrook and Loraine communities both had good rains and conditions around both places are better than for several years. With the phenomenally cloudy weather prevailing for the past month these light precipitations will do more good than heavier rains accompanied by hot weather and drying winds.

Big Springs and San Angelo have secured the Gulf-to-Colorado automobile highway.

Hall handles all the field seeds.

First Christian Church.
Bible school 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. There will be close of the 11 o'clock service. The public is cordially invited to attend each service.
C. P. CRAIG, Pastor.

Lard, Lard, Lard. Pure and wholesome. Why buy packing house lard pay more money for it when you can get the pure lard from us for less money.
PHONE 35.

After the dance last week given in honor of the Beal guests Miss Nell Ruth Arnett gave a buffet luncheon at the hospitable Arnett home in honor of the guests. Almost twenty five people partook of the good things prepared by this accomplished young lady and enjoyed it all to their greatest capacity and all are high in her praises as hostess.

HOW COCA COLA REFRESHES.

The remarkable success which has attended the sale of Coca-Cola has been explained in many different ways. Some have attributed it to "good advertising," others, to "efficient management," and still others to the fact that it was the first in the field of "trade-marked" soft drinks.

In this connection, the opinion of a manufacturing chemist who has analyzed Coca-Cola and studied its history for many years, will prove interesting. He attributes the popularity of the drink in large part to its quality of refreshing both mind and body without producing any subsequent depression. He points out the fact that the chemical composition of Coca-Cola is practically identical with that of coffee and tea (with sugar added) the only material difference being the absence of tannic acid from Coca-Cola. He points to the laboratory experiments of Dr. Hollingworth of Columbia University and of Dr. H. C. Wood, Jr. of Philadelphia which prove conclusively that the caffeine-containing beverages (coffee, tea, Coca-Cola, etc.) relieve mental and muscular fatigue by rendering the nerves and muscles more responsive to the will, thus diminishing the resistance produced by fatigue. These experiments also demonstrate the fact that the caffeine group of beverages differ from the stimulants in that the use of the latter is followed by a period of depression which calls for more stimulation, thus resulting in the formation of a "habit."

Highest prices for chickens and eggs paid by McMurry.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, on the 1st day of July 1913, by Earl Jackson, clerk of said court, for the sum of Four thousand, nine hundred and seventy-nine and 76-100 Dollars, with interest thereon, from May 22nd 1913, at 8 per cent per annum, and costs of suit, under a judgment foreclosing the vendor's lien, in favor of George M. Brown in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1573, and styled George M. Brown vs. W. C. Gatliff, G. M. Gatliff, A. R. Wood, and J. W. Hudson, placed in my hands for service, I, G. B. Coughran as Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas, did on the 2nd day of July 1913, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Mitchell County,

Texas described as follows, to-wit: The North half of Survey No. 77, in Block No. 26 as surveyed by and for the Texas & Pacific Railway Company, by virtue of certificate No. 2-1391 issued to said Railway Company; it being a part of the same survey of land which was patented to said the Texas & Pacific Railway Company, by Patent No. 615-70 No. 37-containing 320 acres, more or less; and the usual rents-to-wit, 1-4 of the cotton, and 1-3 of the feed and forage—out of the crops on said land, for the year 1913.

Said land is situated about five miles south of the city of Colorado, and is known as the Hudson farm, and levied upon as the property of J. W. Hudson, and that on the first Tuesday in August 1913, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Mitchell County, in the city of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate and said rents out of the 1913 crops thereon, at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. W. Hudson.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks preceding said day of sale, in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell County.

Witness my hand, this 2nd day of July 1913.
G. B. COUGHRAN,
Sheriff Mitchell County, Texas.
By Preston Scott, Deputy.
7/18c.

NOTICE OF CONSTABLE'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF AN execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court Precinct No. One, Mitchell County, Texas, on the 2nd day of July 1913 in the case of The H. L. Hutchinson Furniture & Undertaking Company versus Theodore C. Merrill No. 2698, and to me as Constable, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 2nd day of July, 1913, and will between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday in August, 1913, it being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Mitchell County, in the City of Colorado, Texas, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which Theodore C. Merrill had on the 17th day of March 1913, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property to-wit:

Lots Two (2) Three (3) and Four (4) in Block Five (5) of the Waddell & Martin Addition to the City of Colorado, Mitchell County, Texas, according to map thereof of record in Deed Records said Mitchell County, Vol. "C" Page 290; also Lots No. five and Six (5 & 6), in Block Eighty (80), Original Town of Colorado, Mitchell County, Texas, according to map thereof of record in Deed Records, Mitchell County, Texas, Vol. 1, Page 488, said property being levied on as the property of Theodore C. Merrill to satisfy a judgment amounting to Two Hundred Sixteen and 22-100 (\$216.22) with ten (10) per cent interest thereon from May 20th, 1913 in favor of H. L. Hutchinson Furniture & Undertaking Company, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of July, 1913.
T. C. EOUNDS,
Constable, Precinct No. 1, Mitchell County, Texas.
7/18c.

June 7th, 1913.

To Whom it May Concern:

This is to certify that I came to the Grogan Wells & Boone Institute of Massage about five weeks ago. At that time my condition was given up as hopeless by the best physicians possible for us to secure. I had been at the sanitarium at San Angelo for twelve weeks, but did not receive any benefit to my general health.

I have suffered for years from Neurasthenia, torpidity of the liver, stomach trouble, kidney trouble, impaired circulation and, in fact, a general run down condition. My circulation was so bad that my heart could hardly force the blood over my body. I improved from the very start here and I am going home this evening much improved in every particular. My liver, kidneys and stomach are performing their natural functions and my circulation has improved wonderfully, and I hope in a short time it will be absolutely normal.

I heartily endorse these people and their work to all suffering humanity and consider them second to none in their method of treatment.

(Signed) Mrs. Tina Hooper, Blackwell, Texas.

Patented rubber heels at Tom Payne's shoe shop.

Don't speak of it as a shower, even a good or fine shower. 'Twas a regulation gully-washer and trash-mover while it lasted.

Fresh vegetables at all times at McMurry's.

Mrs. J. P. Ehrlich and two children left Monday morning to spend several weeks visiting with relatives in Houston.

Hall dispenses pickles—sweet—sour and dill, from air-tight, sanitary jars.

Mrs. J. T. Davis returned from Willis Point this week, where she was called by the serious illness of her father, whom she left much improved and up.

Doss is headquarters for pure ice cream, any quantity, for any occasion, on shortest notice.

W. S. Stoneham is acting as substitute on rural route No. 2, during the month's vacation of John Basden.

Fine peaches every day, eating and cooking varieties, at McMurry's.

The building in the rear of D. F. Glisson's belonging to Jack Smith, has been treated to a new awning and will be occupied by the moving picture show.

Just received, full line of Blanken-Wenneker chocolates and keep them on ice.—J. B. Hall.

There are a surprising number of canines in this town wearing no tag. If you value your "pup" you'd better hasten to the Captain's office and procure a tag for him—\$1.50; her—\$2.50.

If you have not tried that East Texas ribbon cane syrup at Hall's, you have missed a rare treat.

The galvanized air-spaced, cypress lined silo is the only one that overcomes the defects of all others, by perfectly curing the silage next the walls. No freezing in winter; no dry mold in summer. A. C. Gist is the agent.

Mrs. R. E. Dolman left last week for Blackwell, where she will spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Coe, going thence to Fort Worth, where Mr. Dolman will open his cotton classing and cotton buying school this week. She had the Record follow her.

Full line of up-to-date wall paper at Doss. 2-14-c

Myrtle Vaughan spent several days in Dallas last week.

If you want the best there is in coffee and teas, go to Hall's.

Miss Isla Smith went out to spend a few days on the ranch south of Westbrook, last Friday.

Pure California honey in sanitary glass jars at Hall's.

Jaas Green returned last Friday morning from Dallas, where he attended a post graduate course of lectures in embalming.

Go to Hall's and get a gallon of pure ribbon cane syrup; it's the best ever in Colorado.

Mr. Ben S. Van Tuyl went to Sweetwater last Friday, in order (as he said) to get a good start toward Fort Worth.

Beal Bros. wants your trade; give them a trial. Phone 35.

Mr. Joe Stokes returned last week from a visit with his father in Lampasas county whom he had not seen for many years.

Our delivery leaves shop at 8:45, 10 and 11 o'clock a. m. Place your orders accordingly and you get good service. Delivery leaves shop for last time at 6 p. m.

BEAL BROS.

Mr. J. L. Doss left this week to join Mrs. Doss at Corpus Christi, where the latter has been for some weeks. They both will spend the heated term on the seashore and return home together.

If you are thinking of buying a silo, be sure you examine into the merits of the "Galvanized Steel, Cypress Lined," before paying out any money. It will pay for itself in one year. See A. C. Gist. 4-25-4

Anybody want that Hick's almaane? 30 cents at this office; 35 cents by mail.

All the five-year-old children in the town can now boast that they have seen it rain twice in their lives. They didn't come from Starr or Zapata county, either. They're from Sweetwater.

Fifteen different vegetables, fresh and fine, received every day at Hall's Phone 160.

The best and cheapest irrespective of price, is the verdict of all who have ever used the Royal typewriter. See it work at this office.

Best flour on the market—Queen of the Pantry at McMurry's.

J. R. Ledbetter was in town Tuesday for a carpenter to help erect the 190-ton silo he is installing on his farm. It is made of California redwood and one of the most popular and successful silos on the market. Ledbetter is an up to date farmer, with no old foggy notions about anything, and as a consequence he is always to be found making the largest crops of everything he plants. The Record hopes many other farmers, seeing the benefit of this silo will do likewise.

Do it now—phone Hall's grocery for a gallon of ribbon cane syrup.

Now is the time to paint your home. Doss has the best and cheapest paint made.

Dr. W. H. Henthorn, the boosting mayor of Loraine, was a business visitor here Tuesday. The Doctor, is quite a successful trucker and is now prepared to irrigate his entire patch of ten acres. The man who goes in for irrigation, even though but a few acres, will be the one who will have uniform success in farming.

Every kind of Vegetable grown, nice and fresh, received at Hall's Grocery every day. Phone 100.

R. D. Ingram has conditionally purchased the Grable place in North Colorado, of J. W. Lovelady. The place is now hung up in the courts pending the results of a suit.

If you are looking for sewed soles see Tom Payne at fire station. Sewed soles are the best.

Mrs. Gill returned to her home at Abilene Saturday, after a visit with her mother, Grandma Runyon, taking the latter with her for a week's visit at that place.

Ben Morgan keeps all kinds of fruits, candies, the best line of cigars Also agent for Dallas News.

Mrs. J. W. Boatright returned to her home at Post City Saturday, after visiting her parents and sister, Mrs. Vivian Shropshire.

I keep the famous Blanken-Wenneker chocolates on ice—always fresh and crisp—J. B. Hall.

Miss Ruth Hunt, after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Leslie Crowder, returned to her home at Baird, last Saturday morning.

McMurry has the exclusive agency for Queen of Pantry Flour. Best flour made, every sack guaranteed.

Judge R. H. Loney returned last week from a trip to Roswell and the Pecos valley. He brings back a good report concerning conditions in that section and says everything looks promising. Much of the alfalfa of the last cutting was caught on the ground by an unprecedented heavy rain.

We always carry a full line of the best hams and bacon. Buy it sliced and fresh and have no waste.

BEAL BROS.

La France Flour took the prize at Dallas state fair. Hall handles it.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mitchell, after a two week's visit with their parents, returned to their home at Abilene, Monday morning.

Phone McMurry for fresh vegetables.



TO THE PUBLIC.

I have sold out my shoe shop to Mr. Tom Payne and I take this method to thank my friends and the public for their support, and hope they will show the same favors to my successor. All persons indebted to me will please come and settle between now and the 1st of September, 1913.

FRED MEYER

Mr. L. C. Dupree returned Saturday from a trip to Sterling City and environs. He reports conditions in splendid shape in that county. Crops are looking vigorous and strong, no grass and plenty of rain. He said he knew it was going to rain from signs unmistakable—the coyotes were howling before dark; the prairie dogs were raising the embankments around the doors of their homes, and the red ants all busy as bees. From these he knew there would be rain. And there was rain.

California honey in sanitary glass jars at Hall's.

Ruchter's paint is the cheapest, because it's the Best. Doss has it.

Several of our neighboring towns are celebrating the ever Glorious Fourth today. Colorado will have no kind of festivities of its own but will send several contingents to other places for their enjoyment of the occasion.

Let us save you money on lard. We sell pure hog lard for 15 cents per pound—Beal Bros. 4-25c

Everything and anything to eat can be had at Hall's grocery.

Have you paid your dog tax yet? If you have not the City Marshal will pay you a visit soon.

Lard, Lard, Lard. Pure and wholesome. Why buy packing house lard pay more money for it when you can get the pure lard from us for less money. PHONE 35.

Jack Farmer made a short trip to Sweetwater Friday, returning Sunday night.

Use the La France Flour—the very best made—Get it from Hall.

Ed. J. Leggett of the North Champion community, was in town Tuesday and reported a fine rain with everything in the finest condition.

Read Doss' message about Paint in this issue of the Record.

Hall keeps always on hand fresh vegetables of all kinds.

Farmer John Sims was in town Tuesday rejoicing over the splendid rain he had the day before. He reports his forty acres of cotton full of bolls and his watermelons, potatoes, promising a big yield.

Bros. want and will appreciate ads.

Handles the famous "Golden e" and all kinds of the best classes of tea.



WILL WRIGHT—OF COURSE.

Get your paint of Doss.

Hon. Ed. W. Smith, eminent railroad attorney of Sweetwater, stopped off at the passing of trains last Monday.

Doss is the man who furnishes pure ice cream on shortest notice for any public or private occasion.

Work on the foundation of the new gin is progressing right along. It will however keep them rather busy to get all things in shape and readiness by the season of the "first bale", which is about the 10th of August.

Uriah Jones, Hezekiah Brown and John Peter Smith all say that Hunt's Lightning Oil stops Neuralgia, Rheumatism and other pains. Just try a 50c bottle from your druggist.

L. C. Dupree lost a mule about two months ago and put an ad in the Record and also in the Dallas News, giving a description of the animal. He had no idea that the mule would ever be located. But the ad did the work and he received information that his mule had been taken up near Clyde, Callahan county, more than a hundred miles from home. Yes sir; advertising pays.

Buy maize, kafir and June corn seed from J. B. Hall.

Last Friday morning while Judge and Mrs. Earnest were out at the Ledbetter farm, Mrs. Earnest received a long distance message that a nephew at Dallas was very critically ill. They returned to town just as the morning eastbound train was pulling out. Going to the station she asked the operator to wire the conductor to hold his train at Loraine long as he possibly could. By that time the train was well on its way to Loraine. Going to the garage, she asked Stewart Cooper to drive her car to Loraine so that she could overtake the train. Stewart is a veritable Jehu at the steering wheel, and told her he'd do what he could to get her there. When she reached Loraine, the train had been held but two minutes, but that was a safe margin. She caught the train and reached Dallas. Her nephew died soon after she reached there, of pneumonia.

Colorado Druggist Makes a Statement

We always advise people who have stomach or bowel trouble to see a doctor. But to those who do not wish to do this we will say: try the mixture of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-ka. This simple new remedy is so powerful that JUST ONE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY. People who try Adler-ka are surprised at its QUICK action. W. L. Doss.

Mr. Geo. Robertson Operated On.

Mr. Geo. Robertson, a brother of our former fellowcitizen, A. B. Robertson, who lives north of town, was taken to a Fort Worth hospital last Saturday suffering with an acute case of appendicitis, for which he was operated on Sunday. Dr. W. R. Smith, who accompanied him to Ft. Worth, returned Monday, reporting him quite sick, but later reports are more encouraging. He is now progressing nicely toward convalescence. The Record hopes he will soon be able to return home fully restored.

How Foolish.

To suffer from Skin Diseases (Itch Eczema, Ringworm, etc., when one 50c box of "Hunt's Cure" is positively guaranteed to cure or your money promptly refunded. Every retail druggist in the State stands behind this guarantee. Ask your druggist and see the guarantee with each box. You don't risk anything in giving it a trial.

Heard On The Street.

"Hello Bill! Get any rain Sunday evening?" "Not a bit, and don't look for any." "What are you doing in town so early Monday morning?" "Went to the field to work by daylight, but 'twas so wet I couldn't plow so I came to town to hear if anybody in this country got any rain."

Calomel is Bad.

But Simmons' Liver Purifier is delightfully pleasant and its action is thorough. Constipation, biliousness goes. A trial course. (In Yellow Tin Boxes Only.) Tried once used always.

If thinking of painting your home, see Doss about the paint.

Send The Curtains To Us This Spring and avoid the work and bother of doing them at home, besides securing better results. Your curtains are washed here very carefully, are starched just enough so they hang and drape right, and we dry them perfectly square, with the points properly shaped and the corners even. Our charge is small—you will find the service prompt. Colorado Steam Laundry Phone 298

IRRIGATED LAND. At Ballinger, Mr. Farmer paid \$17,000 for 340 acres of land, and the first year's crop brought the neat sum of \$23,160, the rent alone making the owner a net profit of \$7,580. Dr. Phenix is now offering a small tract of his farm for only \$50 per acre, including water right, pumping machinery and all. The first year's crop will more than pay for the land. When he makes one more sale the price is to be raised to \$75 or \$100 per acre.—Adv.

A card from one Henry C. King, formerly of Colorado, but more recently of Seminole, informs us that he has squatted on a half section of land near Plainview, N. M., and begun to serve his sentence on a diet of rabbit and prairie dog. As a chaser and fuel wherewith to cook the same, he asks that the Record be sent him every week. The thing that bothers us is, how Henry is going to catch his rabbits and dogs. He can't afford to keep a greyhound; he's afraid of fire arms, and we know he can't run 'em down. His only chance for subsistence is the childhood delusion of "sprinkling salt on their tails." Good luck, Henry, and here goes The Record.

Manager of a Railroad Cured of Eczema by Hunt's Cure.

At one time I had a very bad case of Eczema. It troubled me for seven or eight years, and, although I tried all kinds of medicine and several doctors, I got no relief until I used Hunt's Cure. I used several boxes, and it finally cured me, and I have always kept a box with me for fear it will come back. A. D. GOODENOUGH General Manager Lida Valley Railway Co., Goldfield, Nev.

More water fell within the corporate precincts of Colorado Monday afternoon than for a long time. It was not a shower in any sense, but came down "like the water of Ladore." Water gushed from the spouts on roofs and swirled along the curbstone ditches like a mill race, carrying debris of all kinds and backing over the sidewalks in many places. It was a glorious, soul-inspiring sight to see it come down in such a determined and business-like way. It washed the face of Dame Nature, smoothed out the wrinkles on the brow of the merchant and even took part of the bellyache out of a few "Old Man Grouches" of the community and cleansed the conscience of Old Shylock himself. It was a veritable shower of blessings.

It is no more trouble to buy a coupon book than it is to pay a bill and you save 5%

We are not able and don't want any credit business.

We have for your convenience \$2.35 and \$10 meat book that we sell at a discount of 5%.

BEAL BROS.

Practically one and one-fourth inches of rain fell within the town limits of Colorado Monday afternoon. This on top of the previous shower of one-third inch, gives ample moisture for all needs.

D. G. FIELDS Representing the SWEETWATER MARBLE YARD

Thanks the public for favors accorded him in the past, and asks for their continuance. He will be pleased to call any time and show designs of work, give prices and all other information. He erects all work he sells in person, and fully guarantees it all. See or address him at Colorado, Tex.

JAMES L. SHEPHERD, Attorney and Counselor at Law. COLORADO, TEXAS. General Practice.—MECOMAS & CALLAWAY. Lands, Loans and Insurance. Office up stairs in Looney Building. Farm and Ranch Loans up to \$50,000. Come and consult us when in need of money on either. OSCAR H. MAJORS.—Optometrist and Optician. Eyes Examined Without the Use of Drugs. No Charge for Examination. MAJOR'S JEWELRY STORE. J. E. POND, Contractor and Builder. Plans and Specifications furnished. Will estimate and bid on anything.—Concrete and Brick work a specialty. Colorado, Texas. —T. C. BOUNDS— FLOAT — AND — DRAY — LINE. Moving Household Goods a Specialty. Careful and Responsible. Phone 46. J. H. GREENE, Funeral Director and Embalmer. Fumigating Carefully Done. I Order Cut Flowers for any Occasion. DR. N. J. PHENIX, Colorado, Texas. Office in Fire Station Building. Residence 'phone No. 55. Office 'phone No. 88. W. P. LESLIE, Attorney. Do a general practice.—Office over City National Bank, Colorado, Texas. L. W. SANDUSKY, Attorney at Law. Practice in all the courts.—Office in Looney Block, Colorado, Texas. WILLIS R. SMITH, M. D. Office Phone 80 Residence Phone 78 Office Up Stairs in Looney Building. Second Street. Colorado, Texas. T. J. RATLIFF, M. D. Physician and Surgeon. Residence Phone 182 Office Phone 87 Office over Greene's Furniture Store. V. O. MARSHALL, Successor to W. W. Campbell. —Dentist— Office in Fire Station Building. Office Phone No. 88. DR. A. L. FULLER, DULANEY BUILDING. Practice Limited to Diseases of the EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT. and Glasses Fitted. Telephone and Find Out. What was the weather report? What is the market price of cotton? Has my train left town is there any freight for me? Do you want to buy any butter or eggs? When is the meeting? Who was elected? The telephone answers these and many other questions for thousands of farmers every day. The cost of a telephone on your farm is small. The savings great. Our nearest manager will tell you about it or write to THE Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Co. DALLAS, TEXAS.

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An Extra Pair Trousers Given Absolutely Free with Every Suit

If you are going to buy a new suit this summer, it will pay you to see what I have to offer.

All fabrics guaranteed ALL WOOL.

An extra pair of trousers will double the life of a suit of clothes.

Come in and be measured before this offer expires. Every garment is sold under a positive guarantee to be right, or you have no right to take them.

Cleaning and Pressing Neatly Done

WILL WRIGHT, The TAILOR



Read the Overland ad in this issue.

Mrs. Lasky now drives her new Overland car whithersoever she wills with skill and expertness.

See W. L. Doss for paint; he handles the best and cheapest.

Ward W. Gross and wife of Snyder came down in their car Sunday for their little daughter, Dimple, who has been visiting the Whipkey children for a week.

We do our best to furnish you with meat you can eat, and we have spared no expense in the way of feed this past winter to have it for you. We try to deserve your trade. Phone 35.

W. R. Eudy and family will again gather their household gods into wagons and go forth to seek that land which flows with milk, honey and twenty-dollar gold pieces. As much on account of Mrs. Eudy's health as a desire to move, is the reason of their going. About three years ago they took such a prospecting trip, going to Muskogee, Okla., but not finding any section which offered advantages over the one they had left, turned their faces toward the setting sun and retraced their journey. They will leave sometime next week and go to Childress.

For soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercises or injury, there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.

We are glad to see Mr. P. A. Hazard again able to be up and about the streets. He had quite a serious spell.

See Hall for maize, kafir and June corn seed. They are fresh and proven.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Snyder chaperoned the Beal house party to San Angelo Thursday for the fourth of July.

Fresh home grown peaches daily at McMurry's.

Rev. J. H. Campbell, a student of the Baptist Theological Seminary Fort Worth, preached morning and evening at the Baptist Church last Sunday. He is a fluent speaker as well as a consecrated young man and is destined to make a good preacher. Good crowds were present at both hours.

Pure hog lard 15 cents per pound—Beal Bros.

Mrs. Milligan who has been visiting her sister Mrs. C. C. Formwalt returned to her home in Van Horn Wednesday morning. Mrs. Milligan says they have had good rains in that section of the country and everything looks flourishing.

Take that lame horse to Cooper & Green; they will shoe him right. 627c

H. M. Boyd, of Snyder was a Colorado visitor last week.

Phone for fresh peaches to McMurry. He has 'em every day.

Miss Minnie Coechar who has been visiting relatives in Colorado returned to her home in Kyle Tuesday.

You can always get the freshest vegetables at Hall's grocery store.

Misses Ina and Dora Wulfjen entertained a few friends Monday evening in honor of Mrs. J. R. Clemens. Part of the evening was spent playing '42' but most of the time the guests were delighted with the music given by the accomplished visitor, as she is quite a talented pianist.

McMurry wants your produce—pays top prices.

No oil like the Eupion; get it from Hall.

Mr. Robert and Miss Mary Kirkpatrick after a week's visit with their uncle, Mr. Hiram Snyder returned to their home in San Angelo Saturday evening. Mr. Robert graduated from the Navy last month and has to report for duty the twelfth at San Francisco.

Dysentery is always serious and often a dangerous disease, but it can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy has cured it even when malignant and epidemic. For sale by all dealers.

McMurry wants your country produce.

Dr. Lindley returned Monday night from Coleman and Brown counties, where he was called by the illness of his father who lived at Burkett, and his grandmother, who lives at May. His father died on the 25th ult, at the age of 62. His grandmother is still seriously ill and he will likely return to her bedside.

McMurry pays highest prices for all kinds of country produce.

Some splendid fruit is being brought in this week, and it all finds ready sale in the local market.

Ben Morgan handles the best and freshest line of candies in town.

Mrs. Ann Wards of Hemelt, Okla., is here on an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. W. H. Moeser. Mrs. Wards visits here every summer and always enjoys her stay in Colorado.

Everything to eat at McMurry's; prompt service.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stonerod, Baby Virginia and Miss Nell Ruth Annett left Tuesday night for Cloudercroft. Mr. Stonerod will be gone a month and the others will remain for the summer. Friday they will be joined by Mrs. Annett and Miss Byrd Blandford.

Fresh vegetables always on hand at McMurry's.

Mrs. Emmett Jeffress and daughter, accompanied by the little daughter of Mrs. Ferguson of Fort Worth, came in Wednesday morning for a visit with Capt. Jeffress and family.

Full line of fresh vegetables to be found at J. B. Hall's.

Mrs. R. W. Mitchell left for her home in Abilene Monday morning after a visit with relatives and friends here. She was accompanied by Carrie May Mitchell.

Fresh vegetables to be had at all times at J. B. Hall's.

For Sale—Full blooded Jersey cow, gentle, fine milker without calf. Such cow as any family needs. Will sell cheap. See me for price. 74c E. B. MORGAN.

For Sale—Full blooded Jersey cow, subject to registry, 3 years old. Come see him quick for a bargain. 5 miles east of Colorado. Route 1. 74 A. C. WHITE.

Try Beal Bros. Market.

Rev. R. W. Thomas returned from Celina last Sunday where he had been with his sister, Mrs. H. W. Simmons in her dying hours. Mrs. Simmons visited here last winter and made many friends who, with the Record extend sympathy to Mr. Thomas in this sad hour.

The old fashioned sweet, thin-skinned Florida oranges at Hall's.

Master Harry Ratliff entertained a few friends at the home of his sister Mrs. Edgar Majors last Thursday evening and to say they had a good time would be putting it mildly when Harry is host. After a few games of "42" and other games enjoyed by that size grape ice and cake were served by his mother and sister.

June corn, kafir and maize seed at Hall's grocery.

Miss Margerite Looney returned from Baird Sunday night accompanied by Miss Ruth Rowley. Miss Marguerite had been to meet Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rowley who were on their way to their new home in San Angelo.

Eupion oil is the best; Hall keeps it, best.

Mrs. R. N. Gary and daughter, Miss Ewee accompanied by Miss Minnie Davis Crockett left Saturday morning for Cisco to visit Mrs. Gary's cousin also little Miss Frances Sanders who lived with Mrs. Gary the past year and attended school here.

Phone Doss for pure ice cream for any public occasion or private use.

Mrs. Don Coffee who is attending the Normal visited home folks in Big Springs Saturday and Sunday.

J. P. Smith declares the recent rain was nothing less to him than a lie preserver.

Phone 35 for meats.

Miss Dimple Gross returned to her home in Snyder Sunday after a visit with Miss Lois Whipkey and other friends here.

Hall keeps chocolates and other candies on ice.

Frank Newman, Dr. Dulaney, Edgar and Louis Majors composed a fishing party to the Concho last week, returning Monday. They report a most enjoyable trip with an abundance of fish.

There has been some reduction in the force at the T. & P. depot here and the e are rumors of still farther cuts.

Last Sunday Mr. P. F. Eastland, President of the Texas band of Gideons was in town and presented the noble work the traveling men are doing in putting Bibles in all the bedrooms of the hotels in America and Canada. The Baptists gave liberally of Bibles in morning but owing to the bad weather in the evening the other churches did not have the pleasure of contributing. This is, indeed a missionary work these Christian traveling men are doing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross and children of Abilene spent the day in the city Monday the guest of Mrs. Arbutnot on their way to their ranch near Pecos.

We noticed this week in the I. O. O. F. cemetery a new and beautiful monument of gray granite, to the memory of Mrs. Robertson mother of W. F. Sol and Stant Robertson. It was sold by Mr. E. McFarlin of this city, who has had years of experience in both cutting and selling them.

Miss Mary Arbutnot returned home Saturday night from a visit in Pilot Point, Amarillo and Clarendon after being in school at Milford. Miss Mary was a member of a jolly house party at Clarendon, also a bridesmaid in a cousin's wedding at that place.

By buying a galvanized air-spaced, cypress lined silo, the kind A. C. Gist sells, you can begin by putting in a small one and enlarging to any size you wish, when a bigger one is needed. 74c.

G. D. Adams was in Roscoe on business Wednesday.

We noted the face of our new postmaster behind the window at the post office Monday, and understand that Mr. John Basden will be his assistant. John is just the combination of patience, kindness, accommodation and sympathy that the duties of such a position demand, and we predict that his popularity will wax even greater than it now is by reason of his fitness.

Mrs. J. E. Hooper is able to be up again after being confined to her room for several days.

Bring your produce to McMurry.

Mrs. J. W. Bird has had a seige with the mumps, but is better now.

Phone 35 for meats.

The young ladies Missionary Society of the Methodist church had their regular meeting with Miss Claudia Smith Wednesday, with an interesting program.

Miss Bell Gary of Big Springs visited friends in the city last week and attended the two dances at the club rooms.

A jolly crowd of young folks attended a dance at Big Springs Monday night.

Mrs. Y. D. McMurry came home from Seminole Saturday where she had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miller.

Little Ed Jones Jr. has been quite sick for the past ten days but is reported better now.

Master Bill Broadus is visiting friends in Snyder this week.

Mrs. Frank Miles of Loraine passed through Colorado Monday night enroute for California to visit her sister there.

Miss Hazel McKenzie spent Monday night and Tuesday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Sneed, of Phoenix, Ariz., came in Tuesday morning to visit Mrs. Sneed's parents out near Seven Wells and will then go to Hill county, their future home.

Mrs. J. R. Clemens of Cleburne, who been visiting the Misses Wulfjen left for her home Tuesday morning.

Phone 35 for meats.

The best fed beef at Beal Bros.

Miss Jessie Smith, the popular young lady clerk for C. M. Adams is off for her vacation visiting in Dallas.

Mr. Floyd Smith the popular young salesman of A. P. McDonalds Gents furnishing goods of Big Springs visited his sister, Miss Ora Smith, who is here attending the Normal, last Sunday.

County Attorney Coffee made a trip to Big Springs Saturday.

SOL ROBINSON'S
Glass Front
Peel and Billiard Hall
Coolest, Cleanest, Lightest Place
In Town.
Pleasant Place With the Best of
Behavior at all Times.

SPECIAL TRAIN EXCURSION TO YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK.

Join the Southern Methodist University's Second Annual Personally-Conducted, Special-Train Excursion to Yellowstone Park. It is easily America's Greatest Scenic and Health Getting trip and will leave Ft. Worth July 4th. Total expense \$110 to \$140. For particulars, including literature illustrative of the numerous interesting sights and unusual experiences to be enjoyed, write Frank Reedy, Manager, Care Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas 6-27c

Will Pay You to See Me

Twenty years in the monument business, in shop and cemetery, with connection with best quarries in the southwest, enables me to give you the best of service.

I handle only the best granite—will not tarnish or chip, but stand for ages. All work set on cement foundation below freezing. If in need of monument work, call and see my designs and get my prices.

E. McFARLIN
Colorado, - Texas

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