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CULTIVATOR SALES

We are selling all our John Deere and Kingman Cultivators for **LESS THAN COST**. Our stock is complete, consisting of Riding Cultivators from \$27.00 to \$33.00, four and six shovel; Walking Cultivator, 2-horse, \$22.50; John Deere Disc Cultivator and Harrow, \$22.50; Dain Mowers, \$46.00 to \$48.00.

Sharples Cream Separator, 350-lb. capacity	\$40	We also have a large stock of other implements too numerous to mention, at astonishingly low prices. We will sell wagons and buggies at one-half cash, bankable note for the balance.
Pekin 3-inch Wagon complete, box, seat, etc	\$75	
Pekin 3 1-4 inch Wagon complete, box, seat, etc	\$80	
Buggies, all grades, from \$42 up to	\$90	

Groceries and Dry Goods at Cost and Less

"Big Seven" \$1.50 Flour for	\$1.30	\$6.00 Stetson Hat for	\$5.00
25c Coffee for	.20	5.00 " " "	4.00
8 bars Yellow Soap for	.25	3.00 Hat for	2.50
Cane Seed, 100 lbs. for	3.75	2.50 Hat for	2.00
nut Seed, pint for	.05		
toes, bushel	1.30		

SPECIAL PRICES ON OXFORDS AND FURNISHING GOODS

15 per cent discount on Suits made to measure. See the latest styles in Millinery on display. Read over the list of bargains again, and trade at

The Cash Department Store IN THE BRICK BUILDING
ROCK ISLAND, TEXAS

NADA NEWS.

Mr. Rudolph Schramm celebrated his birthday anniversary Sunday evening, to which he invited quite a number of his neighbors. Those Messrs. Arnold and family, and family, J. Gerhahn, C. and E. Leopold, Baron and children, A. Kriska, Mrs. H. Kriska, Messrs. Ferd Popp, both senior and junior, Ed. and Frank Popp, J. Damm, Koegler and Miss Annie Hilpolt. Mr. and Mrs. Schramm kindly waited upon their guests and treated them to all kinds of refreshments and cake. All report to have had a fine time and hope to meet with them again on or before his next anniversary.

Quite a number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Popp, Sr. took dinner and spent the noon hour with them Sunday. A very lively time was had by all. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Popp and children and Mr. Aug. Schwirtlick of Hillje; Mr. Frank Popp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Staff, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wobbe, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Staff, Messrs. Frank, Henry and Frank Staff, W. L. Leopold and Adolph Boenisch, Misses Mary Staff, Lena and Albina Wobbe of this place.

Mrs. John Boenisch and sons, Messrs. George and Henry, Mr.

and Mrs. Ferd. Weselski and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boenisch at Garwood Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weselski spent Sunday noon with Mr. and Mrs. C. Leopold and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Weigel, Mrs. Chas. Eggmeyer and children and Miss Viola Freels of Karnes county arrived last Thursday, in the former's car, to visit relatives.

Mr. Henry Wobbe is giving his house a coat of paint.

The roads are getting to be in good condition again.

Mr. Emil Staff swept the roads with his car Sunday, for the first time this year.

Mr. Ed. Wobbe means to be the champion fisherman of this place. From Tuesday of last week up to Saturday evening he caught (with lines) 27 fish, the heaviest being 12 pounds. Gee! wish I could catch some fish!

Miss Annie Hrozek left for her home at Weimar one day last week after a several days' pleasant visit here with her parents, brother and sisters.

Misses Cecelia Leopold, Otelia and Mary Gerbermann and Olga Gold spent Sunday noon with the family of Mrs. John Boenisch.

Mr. D. Lutringer is erecting a large barn on his place.

Mr. Ferd. Labay is tending bar in Mr. F. A. Kallus' saloon, while Mr. Kallus is devoting most of his time in the meat market.

A most lively and enjoyable time was had at the dance given in the new home of Mr. Wm. Kuebel, Sunday evening. A good crowd was present.

Family of Mrs. Paul Heime were guests of Mr. John Schneider and family.

This scribe and family wish to thank those who so kindly assisted us in erecting our barn. Those assisting were Messrs. C. Leopold and sons, Willie and Emil, George Boenisch, John Popp, John Schneider and son John, Leo Schoelmann and Joe Weselski.

If the show rain which began to fall Tuesday night keeps up for a few days it will benefit the crops greatly, for it is very dry. Some cotton came out, some sprouted and rotted and some is laying on the ground dry, but hope that we will get a good stand of cotton after this rain—if we get it.

The church choir spent Sunday evening rehearsing.

Meeting of the St. Joseph Society will be held Sunday evening.

Meeting of the Christian Mothers held last Sunday after church

services.

Holy Mass will begin at half past eight Sunday morning, and at 11 o'clock at Taiton.

DREAMER.

A few nice lots in Garwood for exchange for mules, horses or cattle. See B. F. Holway.

For County Judge.

Hon. Edwin A. Malsch, who announces in this issue of the Express that he is a candidate for county judge of this (Colorado) county, we are informed, was born in this county and received his education in Texas, Virginia and Pennsylvania, and was admitted to the Colorado county bar in September, 1888, of which he is an active member this day. He says that he does not believe in "slinging mud," because that mud will stick like words spoken in anger. He also says that he does not think it necessary or advisable to make a campaign of the county, because his candidacy is for the people of the county no more than it is for himself. He also says that, if elected, he will study the county's shortcomings and needs, and give to its citizenship a fair, open and true account of everything concerning the county, and that he will treat the commissioners of each of the four precincts of the county alike, and that as judge on the bench he will ever be impartial as in the past, that as an officer he always treated an enemy and a friend alike, that he does so today, and will ever do so. Adv.

Bring us your country produce. Top market prices paid.

Ben H. Frnka.

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U. S. Civil Service Examination.

A competitive examination under the rules of the U. S. Civil Service Commission will be held at Columbus, Texas, on Saturday, May 23, 1914, for the position of rural letter carrier in Colorado county.

An eligible register for the position of rural letter carrier for each county will be maintained. A rural letter carrier after one year's satisfactory service may be transferred to the position of clerk or carrier in a first or second class postoffice, railway mail clerk, or other position in the classified service, subject to such examination as may be required by the Civil Service rules.

As a result of this examination it is expected that certification will be made for filling the position of carrier on a rural route from Garwood, Texas, and other vacancies on rural routes at post-offices in the above named county as they may occur in the future, unless it is found to be in the interest of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement, transfer, or promotion.

Only male citizens of the United States who have their actual domicile in the territory supplied by an office in the county for which the examination is held will be admitted to the examination.

Eligibles on registers established prior to March 1, 1912, can be considered for appointment only at the office for which they were examined. Such eligibles may be examined within one year from the date of their former examinations upon filing applications showing that they meet the requirements of the new examination, their old eligibility for their home offices not being canceled.

Application for this examination must be made on application Form No. 1341, which, together with information in regard to the examination, may be secured by applying at the Garwood postoffice.

Catholic Church Notices.

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF NADA: Sunday, May 3, first Mass and general Communion for St. Joseph's Society at 8 a. m. Divine service at 10 a. m. May Devotion at 3 p. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF TAITON: Saturday, May 2, Divine service. May devotion and instruction at 9 a. m.

Sunday, May 10, Divine service at 8:30 a. m. B. Held, O. S. B.

Tomorrow Is Election Day.

Tomorrow is the day set for the white man's primary election in Colorado county, which will decide who will be your county and precinct officials for the next two years. Hear what all the candidates have to say, weigh well the appeals and promises, remembering that you, as the jury, are the sole judges of the "law and evidence." You will then be in a position to render a righteous verdict, one that will be to your own interest and to the interest of your county.

The election in this voting box will be held at the usual place, in Grain, Feed & Furniture Co's store, with the following election officers: J. J. Pinchback, presiding judge; J. G. Reitz, judge, and H. W. Huvar and J. R. Pinchback, clerks.

Ex-U. S. Senator Buys Land Near Garwood.

Ex-U. S. Senator T. H. Paynter of Frankfort, Ky., arrived in Garwood, Texas, after his land holdings near the city, having recently purchased the property of Mr. K. M. Cochran. Mr. Paynter, besides having served as United States senator, was for twelve and one half years judge of the supreme court in his state, and is now engaged in practicing law. He is a very pleasant gentleman, and expressed himself as being well pleased with our country. Mr. Paynter, accompanied by Mr K. M. Cochran, was a visitor to Columbus, Wednesday, from where he left for his home in Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Howland, after a several days' pleasant visit here with the family of Mr. J. J. Pinchback, returned to Altair, Thursday, to spend a while with the family of Mr. Cy. Wright. Mr. and Mrs. Pinchback accompanied them, returning that evening. Mr. and Mrs. Howland, who formerly made their home at Batesville, have disposed of their property at that place and are as yet undecided as to their future home.

Mrs. Perry Chapman of Bay City arrived in this city last Saturday for a visit to the family of Mr. J. L. Chapman, returning home Saturday.

Mrs. F. W. Goodell and Mrs. Elo Engbrock were visitors to Eagle Lake, Tuesday.

Mesdames W. H. and J. W. Pinchback were visitors to Eagle Lake, Wednesday.

To the Voters of Colorado County.

Columbus, Texas, April 24.—I am a candidate for re-election to the office of sheriff of Colorado County, subject to the White Man's Primary on May 2, 1914.

I have always tried to perform the duties of sheriff diligently and in a fair and impartial manner, and if re-elected will promise to continue to perform them to the best of my ability. I call your attention to the fact that since I have been sheriff crime has decreased in the county until we now have very little lawlessness to contend with. I will be very thankful for your support and influence, and will say that if you help to re elect me you shall never have just cause to regret it.

The sheriff, in the performance of his duties, is bound to be absent a great deal of his time, and it has always been my policy to keep a deputy at the court house at all times for the accommodation of the public.

Thanking you in advance for yours,
E. B. MAYES,
Sheriff Colorado County, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bruce, formerly citizens of this section, but who have been making their home at Palacios for the past several months, have returned to Garwood again and are now making their home with Mr. R. E. Beane near the city.

Mrs. H. F. Carter of Rock Island spent Sunday in the city, being accompanied on her return home by Mr. Carter, who has been here the past few weeks papering Mr. J. W. Fling's home and the Brate Hotel.

Mesdames James G. Cooper and James R. Pinchback spent Friday and Saturday in Eagle Lake, the guests of Mrs. Cooper's relatives. Mrs. Pinchback returned home Saturday, while Mrs. Cooper remained until Monday.

The Sunday school classes of Mrs. F. W. Goodell and Mr. J. L. Chapman had a social Tuesday evening at the latter's home. They report having had a very enjoyable time.

Messrs. Franklin Otto, Bill Otto and L. E. Braden have completed putting a siding on Mr. Chas. K. Brodhage's residence, which, when painted, will look very pretty.

Mr. J. T. Pinchback returned Wednesday from a several days' business trip to Fort Worth.

Bazaar and Dinner Tomorrow.

The ladies of the Aid Society will serve dinner, Saturday, May 2 (election day), in the building formerly occupied by Mr. W. J. Dyer. In the afternoon ice cream will be served. At the same time the ladies will also have articles for sale. Everybody is invited to come and eat and to come and buy.

Messrs. Elo Engbrock, Frank Arnold, Robert Shaw, Judge W. M. Griffiths and Chas. Mrazek were in Rock Island last Saturday greeting the voters. Mr. Shaw remained there for the dance that night, the others returning home that evening. On account of rain the Rock Island and Sandy Hill ball teams did not play.

Mr. H. S. Lundy of Rock Island, candidate for justice of the peace of this precinct, spent Saturday in the city in the interest of his candidacy. He was accompanied by his son, Mr. Fey, who was here on business along that line.

County Attorney A. A. Gregory, accompanied by his wife, of Columbus, were in the city Saturday, justice court day. From here Mr. and Mrs. Gregory returned to their home by way of Rock Island.

Mr. J. F. Frnka returned Saturday from Galveston, where he had gone to consult a specialist. Mr. Frnka expects to leave in a few days for either Marlin or Mineral Wells to spend a while.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Chapman and children, after several days' pleasant visit here with the family of his brother, Mr. J. L. Chapman, left Thursday for a visit to relatives at Lissie.

Local Society News

The Embroidery Club will meet this afternoon with Mrs. S. W. Martin. The last meeting was with Miss Mariette MacLachlan. A pleasant afternoon was spent. Refreshments were served.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Roy Brate. The last meeting was with Mrs. L. E. Cornelius, at which time plans were made for the dinner and bazaar on Saturday, May 2. It is hoped that all who can will patronize the ladies. This is for a good cause and you will get a good dinner for your money.