

# THE SUCCESS.

Of and For El Dorado and Schleicher County, All the Time.

EL DORADO, SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY, 26, 1909. NO. 355.

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 JOAB CAMPBELL, COUNTY SURVEYOR  
 R. A. EVANS, SALESMAN

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I have for sale three Sulkey Plows that I will sell cheap for cash or sold within a few weeks. Anyone wanting to purchase a plow of this kind now is the time to purchase, because they are sold.

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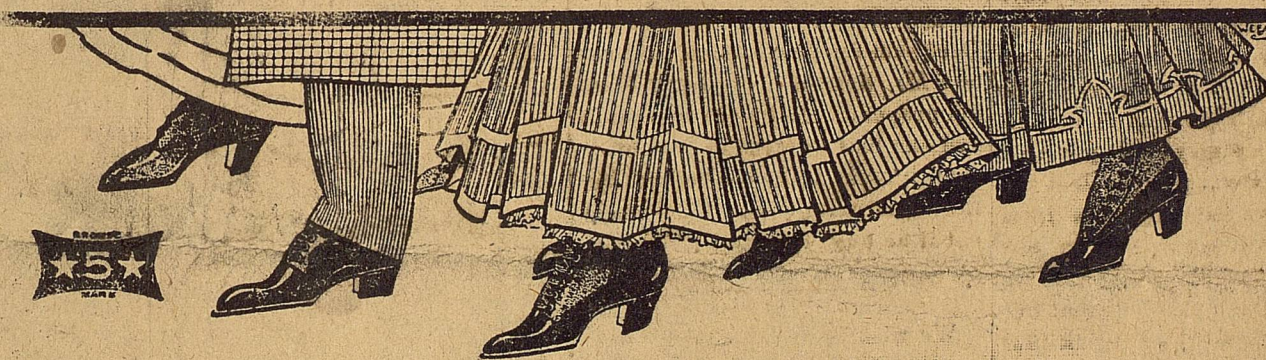
THE TAILOR.

## The White House Shoes FOR MEN AND WOMEN



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**BROWN'S 5 STAR SHOES**

### MURCHISON & SILLIMAN

Sold 1,190 Steers, Deal Valued Around \$25,000.

Silliman, Campbell and Evans reports the following sales for the following parties, to Murchison and Silliman.

For M. B. McKnight, 300 head of two's and 75 three-year-old steers.

For J. H. DeLong 250 head of two's, for Davis Sheen 300 head of two's, for O'Hara Brothers 100 head of two's and 75 three's, for W. A. Adams 60 head of two's and 80 head of yearlings.

These sales are reported at private terms, but from what we could learn the deals amounted to about \$25,000.00.

R. A. Evans and J. H. Brannan sold this week to G. W. Fields 145 head of stock cattle at \$16.00 per head.

High Smith who has cattle in the Robbins pasture, 15 miles north of here, was in town the first of the week doing some trading. He reports the sale of 60 head of three-year-old steers to Irvy Ellis of Monardville, at \$30 per head. Martin & Wardlaw made the deal.—Bonora Sun.

### PRAIRIE FIRES.

Thursday eve last a fire broke out in the McKnight and Hoover place about 8 miles south of town, and burned off something like a half section of land, the fire started from a patie clearing off land, several left from town and help fight the fire.

Another fire was started Friday from where Tom Palmer and some Mexicans were clearing land about a mile west of town, and as the wind was blowing a high gale from the west the fire was brought right towards town, something like a section of grass was lost and a very narrow escape of Palmer and Dismukes residents. The fire burned clear around the Palmer house and barn and had it not been for some fire guards that had already been prepared and a big lot of help, the big barn and ranch house of Mr. Palmer would of probab'y went with the flames, as the house and barn have just been erected and were built in high grass. There was something like 75 or 100 people turned out from town and help to quench the flames, that would of done a large damage had not this goodly number of people turned out to assist, the fire was whiped by the

wind and people into the road that leaves town on the north and was there extinguished.

### A RUN AWAY.

Friday while E. P. Sweatt was driving near the H. Mills ranch, his team became frightened and run off with the buggy with Mr. Sweatt in it, they ran something like four hundred yards before turning the buggy over, and during the run Mr. Sweatt broke one of the lines. The buggy was badly broken up, but Mr. Sweatt managed to keep the team from getting a loose from him, and borrowed a hack from Mr. Mills to bring the remains of the buggy to town.

### SCREEN DOORS AND WINDOWS.

Now is the time to have your screens made, get them made before fly time. I will make screen doors and windows. Shop next door to Mrs. Haynes, would be pleased to figure with you.

J. E. White.

Abe Mayer was in the city Monday on business.

## Elder Hotel

First Class Accommodations to all Patrons

Sample Room in Connection, We Solicit the Patronage of all, Conveniently Situated on Corner 1st and Main Street.

Letter to J. B. CHRISTIAN Eldorado, Texas.

Dear Sir: Two cans of paint look alike; two paints look alike, when opened; two jobs look alike, so long as they're new—unless one is scant.

They are far from alike: one is paint and the other is trash.

The gallon price is not far from alike. They don't cost alike. One takes 10 gallons to paint a house; the other takes 20. The cost of one job is \$50; the other \$100—it may be \$90—the job that cost least is the good one; wears twice as long as the other.

There are two ways of telling good paint: by the name; by the number of gallons it takes for a job—least gallons, best paint. By the name Devos; by least gallons.

Yours truly

F. W. Devos & Co.

P. S. I. H. Elder & Son sell our paint.





## Tabular Statement.

Tabular statement showing the aggregate amount received and the aggregate amount paid out of county funds of Schleicher county Texas, for the year ending February 8th A. D. 1909.

Jury Fund 1st Class.		
To amount on hand February 10 1908	\$19.44	
To amount received	469.51	
To amount transferred to this fund from the road and bridge fund	250.00	
By amount paid out		\$346.15
Amount to balance	192.80	
	\$738.95	\$738.95
Road and Bridge Fund 2nd Class.		
To amount on hand February 10 1908	\$3456.25	
To amount received	1482.83	
By amount paid out		\$1494.73
By amount transferred to Jury fund	250.00	
Amount to balance	\$3194.30	
	\$4939.03	\$4939.03
General County Fund 3rd Class.		
To amount on hand February 10 1908	\$5026.15	
To amount received	4799.29	
By amount paid out		\$4086.01
Amount to balance	5739.43	
	\$9825.44	\$9825.44
Jail Fund 4th Class.		
To amount on hand February 10th 1908.	\$1783.30	
To amount received	1471.43	
By amount paid out		\$ 409.40
Amount to balance	2845.33	
	\$3254.73	\$3254.73
To amount on hand in fund	\$2845.33	

### RECAPITULATION

Balance to the credit of each fund as follows to wit:—		\$ 192.80
Jury Fund 1st Class		\$194.30
Road and Bridge Fund 2nd Class		5739.43
General County Fund 3rd Class		2845.33
Jail Fund 4th Class		\$11971.86
Total		9000.00
Out Standing Jail Bonds		\$2971.86
Balance to Credit, (Net Balance)		\$6028.14

The State of Texas }  
 County of Schleicher } I, W. C. Benton, Clerk of the County Court in and for said County and State; Do hereby certify that the above and foregoing Tabular Statement of the Finances of said County for the Year ending on the 8th day of February A. D. 1909 is true and correct.  
 Given under my hand and seal of the County at office in Eldorado, Texas this 20th day of Feb., A. D. 1909.  
 W. C. Benton, County Clerk Schleicher County, Texas.

## YOUR BEST FRIEND

In time of need is a fat back account. It will stand by you when all others fail. You should have one  
**THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
 Will accept a very small deposit, and invites you to start an account with it at once.  
**CAPITAL STOCK \$30,000.00. SURPLUS AND PROFIT \$2,893.23.**  
 No Bank so safe as a national  
**FIRST NATIONAL BANK ELDORADO TEXAS.**

## B. E. EARLE

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 Prescriptions Carefully and Correctly Compounded,  
 Full Line of Proprietary Medicines, Toilet Articles,  
 Stationery, Etc. Day and Night Service.  
**B. E. Earle, Eldorado, Texas,**

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Come and see for yourself. There are good positions open to those who are prepared to fill them. We can refer you to numbers of  
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 Schollar ship, for sale at THE SUCCESS office.

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 Proprietor  
 Your Patronage Solicited, Hot and Cold Baths on Tap.  
 Agent for Laundry Work.

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**HIDE & FUR CO.**  
 Formerly  
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 Dealers in Hides and Furs,  
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 All repair work given promptly attention.  
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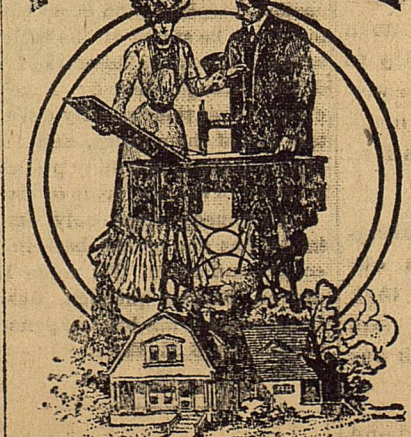
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**PAINTER**  
 Paper Hanger and  
**DECORATOR.**  
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I am prepared to do any and all kinds of Wind-mill work.  
 For quick and good service call on me

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 If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle, Rotary Shuttle or a Single Thread (Chain Stitch) Sewing Machine write to  
**THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY**  
 Orange, Mass.  
 Many sewing machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the New Home is made to wear.  
 Our guarantee never runs out.  
 Sold by authorized dealers only.  
 FOR SALE BY  
 See Hat.

## TO THE SUCCESS.

Vermont Ranch, Feb. 14 1909.  
 Mr. O. B. Metcalf of San Angelo spoke before the committee at Austin in the interest of Hudspeth bill appropriating one hundred and five thousand dollars, for the destruction of wolves. Mr. Metcalf spoke in the interest of the small farmers and stock raiser as well as the large ones, so far as has been reported he is the only one that had time to think of the poor man. I am sure he will have the gratitude of every small farmer and stock raiser in Texas, aside from a few sore heads that have been fortunate enough to own large tracks of land and great herds of cattle. I think this bill will be appreciated by ever intelligent man in Texas.  
 However our Lord had his enemies so things have not changes till this good day.  
 With the Editor's promise I will try to answer the article in last weeks issue, in regard to mail order houses. After reading the above mentioned article, if one had been trading with one of these mail order houses, he would wonder whether or not he was an escaped convict if not how he had escaped the penitentiary, do you know just what you save by trading with a mail order house I will proceed to show, I know a man who wanted to buy a bill of \$25 of merchandise, he got the home merchants prices and went back home and got his big catalogue and found that he could save just \$7.50 after freight was paid, another man purchased fur articles that cost 50 cents and when he came home and looked up the matter in his mail order catalogue, the identical same articles cost just 8 cents, now who should have this profit, your family or the home merchant. Where does the home merchant go to get his goods and wares, the article referred would lead you to believe that he manufactured every thing he sold at home, when as a fact he sends to Chicago, New York etc., for all his goods and the only dollar left is the one he made clear from you. Our merchants or ever on the alert to find cheaper houses to trade with, and are only too glad to change when they think their interest and welfare is best protected. As to the so called favors called credit, that our home merchants extend, it would be many times better for us to go to the banks and mortgage our stuff and get the cash and buy where we could get most for our money, and then our credit merchants would not have to put on that extra charge to cover the bad debts of those that never pay then again many merchants are not shrewd buyers as they should be, and many are hampered for lack of sufficient capital. Now I do not think we should be compelled to shoulder this burden when we can avoid it, self preservation is the first law of nature, and our first duty is to our families.

Mr. W. S. Ellis having sold his place to Mr. Will Evans as reported in last weeks SUCCESS moved to Coleman county.  
 Mrs. A. K. Bailey and little ones Buckner and T. J., spent the evening with Mrs. O. K. Enochs. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wooten spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Chaney.  
 It is getting rather dry here but farming is progressing nicely and will not be long before we will be ready for spring to put in its welcome appearance.  
 Cattle are doing fairly well with no loss so far reported.  
 W. A. Clark is running his sheep in the Vermont also Mr. Campbell they are doing fine.

See Hat.

Robert Bailey President  
 W. L. Aldwell Vice-President  
 W. W. Barbee Cashier

## Eldorado State Bank

ELDORADO, TEXAS.  
 Capital \$15,000 Surplus and Profits \$3,000

The peoples bank, solicits your accounts on the merits of the accommodations we are prepared to extend you, We are under State Supervision and depositors in this bank have more safeguards thrown around them than by any other kind of banking institutions.

## When You Want Dry Goods and Groceries

Call on me, as I will make you CLOSE PRICES and Promise You FAIR TREATMENT.

**W. L. McWHORTER,**  
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**General Merchandise.**  
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 Call at our Store when you want Cigars, Strong ones, Mild ones, Costly ones or Cheap ones, at various Prices.  
**AT ELDERS**

## MRS. T. P. ROBINSON

DEALER IN  
**DRY GOODS, GROCERIES**  
 and **FURNITURE.**  
 Hamilton. Brown Shoes a Specialty.

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 If you are going to decorate your home let us figure with you on your order. Call and see our new Samples.  
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