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The Public School of Gail opens on the 10th of this month under very favorable auspices.

Prof. W. S. McClung, who has been appointed principal of our school, holds a State Certificate for Life and comes to us highly recommended, both as to his attainments, and success in teaching.

Our school building is all we could wish, both in respect to space and comfort. We have all the requisites here for a fine graded school, and with zealous co-operation on the part of patrons we can build up an institution that will reflect credit upon our town and attract pupils, advanced in scholarship, from the country schools.

A patron, who is sufficiently interested in his school and in the advancement of his children, will not only speak well of it to them at all times, but will, from time to time, visit the school, and in doing so encourage alike the teacher and pupils. This is a duty he owes to his children, his town and to his community.

The whole responsibility in the education of the student should not be laid upon the teacher's shoulders. The parents should see that the child does not waste his time when at home, and that nothing be allowed to interfere with his, or her, regular hours of study. Parties and sociables during the term of school should be positively forbidden, as they are sure to distract the mind of the pupil, and create a distaste for study—which the teacher, however much he may exert himself, will find it impossible to overcome.

Prof. Mauldin has laid a good foundation upon which Prof. McClung can build, if we but lend him our co-operation.

No matter what you do, provided you do it better than some one else could do the same thing, there's a welcome awaiting you in the world. It was Emerson, we believe, who said: "If a man can write a better book, preach a better sermon, or make a better mouse trap than his neighbor, though he build his house in the woods, the world will make a beaten path to his door." Try to excel—it's a laudable ambition. As a starter take a course in our schools.

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The Daylight Store
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Druggists Sundries
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WE ARE OPENING IN BIG SPRINGS A NEW LUMBER YARD. WE WANT YOU TO COME AND GET ACQUAINTED. WHEN IN NEED OF LUMBER LET US FIGURE YOUR BILL. OUR POLICY SHALL BE ONE OF PROMPTNESS, RELIABILITY AND HONESTY. OUR PRICES THE LOWEST. IF YOU WANT TO SAVE MONEY ON YOUR NEXT BILL OF LUMBER COME AND SEE. NO OLD STOCK. EVERYTHING NEW. SITUATED NEAR THE COTTON YARD.
H. H. HARDIN & CO.
R. T. JONES, MGR. BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS.

If you wish to ruin your boy just take his side on every question and dispute he has with his teacher or your neighbors' children. Just let him know you are with him, right or wrong, in all his disputes. This will give him a good start in the downward path.

Give the young and struggling a word of encouragement when you can. You would not leave those plants in your window boxes without water nor refuse to open the shutters that the sunlight may fall upon them, but you would leave some human flower to suffer from want of appreciation or the sunlight of encouragement. There are a few hardy souls that can struggle along on stony soil—shrubs that can wait for the dews and sunbeams, vines that climb without kindly training—but only a few. Utter the kind word when you can see that it is deserved.

The Age of Progress

This is often spoken of as a progressive or fast age, and those of the former generation are called moss-backs or old fogies. The olden times were tame, and its inventions crude indeed, compared with those of the present age, yet it is questionable whether the hurry and din of the business world of today is so conducive to ones happiness and content of mind as the sedate, quiet times of the past. Then like the regular movements of the planets a monotonous routine of affairs followed, with but little variation from day to day. The application of steam and electricity to its various uses and the speedy transmission of intelligence, by telegraph and telephone have done much to make this a fast age. But the chief cause of the mad rush in the business world of today, is the love of money, the eager pursuit of gain. The desire to supply ourselves and those dependent upon us with the necessities and comforts of life, is a laudible one and is perhaps born of necessity, for the decree has gone forth that we "shall earn our bread by the sweat of our brow." But this is no argument or reason for making the acquisition of wealth our sole aim and purpose in life. "Man wants but little here below, nor wants that little long."

SEE **STOKES-HUGHES CO.** Big Springs. for Binders, Mowers and Rakes.

Contract Signed

A contract was signed Saturday night by the executive committee of 21 from the Scurry Co. 25,000 club whereby General F. W. James of Abilene and associates agree to build a Standard gauge railroad from Roscoe to Snyder, the road to be known as the Roscoe, Snyder and Pacific railroad with general offices at Roscoe. By the terms of the contract the road is to be surveyed within two months from Roscoe to Snyder and the survey to be completed across the county within four months, the grading is to be completed to Snyder within eight months and trains to be running into town in 2 yrs. As before made known the contract guarantees to the builders of the road an absolute money bonus of \$50,000, right of way through the county and depot grounds in Snyder 200 feet by 1/2 of a mile.

To secure the money guarantee a bonus of \$62,430 has been subscribed, and an indemnity bond signed by the executive committee of 21 and more than 100 citizens of the town and surrounding country has been signed to secure the right of way and the terminus in the town.

A great deal of work and expenditure of money will yet be required before the road is completed and the men who have assumed the responsibility and who stand so valiantly in behalf of progress must not cease their effort. Some could not give, others could perhaps give in a larger measure but those who have given and are standing by the enterprise with such determined resolutions are showing themselves to be the best friends of the town and county and of the people. They are working for the common good and deserve the support and co-operation of every one.—Coming West

ABSCESS

ABSCESSSES, with few exceptions, are indicative of constipation or debility.

W. H. Harris, Cleveland, Miss writes, Aug. 15, 1902: "I want to say a word of praise for Ballard's Snow Liniment. I stepped on a nail, which caused the cords in my leg to contract and an abscess to rise in my knee, and the doctor told me that I would have a stiff leg, so one day I went to J. E. Lord's drug store (who is now in Denver Colo.) He recommended a bottle of Snow Liniment; I got a 50c size, and it cured my leg. It is the best liniment in the world. Sold by D. Dorward & Co and all Drug gists.

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Price Each per Year Taken Separately:

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Western Breeders' Journal	.25
Woman's Home Companion	1.00
American Review of Reviews	3.00
Cosmopolitan Magazine	1.00

TOTAL \$6.25

These fine periodicals conform to the highest standard of literary merit in their respective fields and are well worth the above named prices, but since nothing is too good for our patrons, we have made arrangements whereby we are enabled to offer you

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T. M. JONES, Ed. and Prop.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE:

Per year\$1.00
Six months50

Advertising rates made known on application.

All Ads. placed in The Citizen without a specified time to run will be charged for till ordered out.

Published every Thursday.

Gail, Texas, Sept. 6, 1906.

Big Springs Furniture Company guarantee their goods.

R. N. Miller was a pleasant caller at this office Tuesday.

Nothing is more painful than a very tight shoe. H. D. Pruett takes your measure and guarantees a fit.

M. M. Aldridge, of Merkel, and J. E. Sturdivant, of Snyder, were here Saturday and called at the Citizen office.

Buy your binding twine from J. W. Chandler.

J. A. Scarlett has moved the house from his place South of town to the North side of the Public Square where it will be occupied in future as a meat market by Miller & Smoot.

For Sale.

A good two horse buggy for sale or trade. Call at the Citizen office for particulars.

Sale of Real Estate.

J. S. Howe to J. C. Dorward, residence in Gail and Section of land adjoining the town. Cons \$3840.00.

Buy your Dry Goods from J. W. Chandler if you want good goods for little money.

J. S. Howe and family have removed from Gail to his claim in Winkler county, 25 miles from Monahan. His son, John, and himself have eight sections there.

We are trying to make Big Springs the furniture market of this territory. Our prices are such that you cannot afford to buy elsewhere.

Big Springs Furn. Co.

J. C. Howe has sold his interest in the Confectionary to T. W. Cotten.

Mauldin & Bishop

Land Agents.

Gail, Texas.

See us in listing and you will meet quick sales as we are in direct touch with the buyers.

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See us for Hay, Oats, Corn, Chops and Bran.
Good rigs, fair treatment, prompt service.

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Everything new
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Rates \$1.50 per day

All guests are given the same consideration

Mrs. J. S. Cordill, Proprietor.

Phone 262 Big Springs, Texas
for Undertakers goods. Open
night or day

J. B. Punnell of Jones Co.
passed through Gail Saturday
from the upper plains on his re-
turn home.

George Beeman and family, of
Coke, and Mrs. Thompson, Mr.
Beeman's sister, of Sterling Co.,
stopped at Elder H. D. Pruett's
last Friday evening, on their
return home from a visit to rela-
tives in Lynn county.

J. W. Chandler is getting in
New Goods every ten days.

J. I. Wilborn was in Gail last
Saturday called on the Citizen.

The Marietta Show made its
appearance in Gail on Thursday
last. The manager intended to
exhibit next evening, but the
unseasonable weather, and
threatening storm necessitated a
postponement till Saturday eve-
ning. The show was well attend-
ed and as a fun making and
laughter provoking affair, quite
a success. They folded tent and
left for Lamesa Sunday morning.

For Sale.

Mail route from Gail to Big
Springs, 9 mules, 11 horses and
2 new hacks. Contract 22
months. Price \$2750.
West Texas Real Estate Exchange
Gail, Texas.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

W. F. Lemmons, will preach in
this city, Monday night, Sept.,
10th. Subject: "Campbellism
in a Nut-shell,"—"The Cleansing
of the Sanctuary,"—"Who are
the Campbellites?" A cordial
invitation is extended to all.

OUR BARGAIN LIST.

If you like to read, come around to
the Citizen office and let us fix you up
with a great big pile of papers and mag-
azines for a very small amount of cash.
Just look at our liberal offers. When
reading matter is so cheap, you are not
doing yourself justice unless you avail
yourself of these rare opportunities to
become and remain well-informed.

For \$1.00

We will send the citizen and the West-
ern Breeders' Journal for one year.

For \$1.75

We will send both the above papers and
the Dallas Semi-Weekly News for a
whole year. You can't afford to miss it.

For \$2.50

We send the citizen, the Western Breed-
ers' Journal, the New York Thrice-a-
week World, Harper's Bazar and Suc-
cess Magazine a year—an average of
about one cent a copy. You can't beat
this offer anywhere.

Woes of the Naval Officers.

The gallant officers of our navy are
certainly unfortunate in some respects.
There is no provision for meeting from
public funds the cost of social functions
on vessels in foreign waters, and the
officers have to pay for all hospitality
and courtesy out of their own pockets,
and sometimes the drain is a heavy one.
When personages like King Edward
of Great Britain, the German emperor
William or the head of any other impor-
tant power is received the thing has to
be done in style and the outlay is on a
corresponding scale. That helps to ex-
plain why American naval officers on
foreign stations seldom have much of
their pay left at the end of the cruise.
Another illustration of the hardships the
gentlemen of the navy have to face is
furnished. The government is building
the battleship Connecticut at the Brook-
lyn navy yard, and she will be launched
in the fall. The launching of a warship
is always an event of much ceremony,
and also involves a tidy expenditure of
money. When vessels are constructed
by private contractors the builders are
in the practice of entertaining guests
very lavishly and the outlay usually
mounts up into the thousands of dol-
lars. The launching of the Connecticut
will be under government supervision,
and although there will be ceremonies,
social courtesies and feasting the gov-
ernment has no fund from which to meet
the cost. The officers at the navy yard
are therefore rather lugubriously con-
templating the probability of being sep-
arated from a large part of their salaries
in order to make the account good.
There are times when an assignment to
shore duty is not as enticing as it might
be.

In my canvass for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Borden and Garza counties I will lecture at the following school houses at night, on the dates given below on the subject of temperance.

Fairview	Sept. 10
Union	do 11
Durham	" 12
Sealy	" 13
York	" 14
Snelling	" 15
Knox	" 17
Willoughby	" 18
Davies	" 19
Graham	" 20
Doyle	" 21
Mesquite	" 22
Park	" 24
Davis	" 25
Jeter	" 26
Gail	" 29

My opponents and any anti man are invited to go with me and I will divide time with them.

Everybody is invited to come and bring some one with him.

T. A. Jackson.

Earthquakes and volcanoes are among the most terrifying and destructive of nature's phenomena. They seem to increase in frequency and in violence with the march of time. There seems to be an affinity between them traceable to a common cause, one often accompanying the other. The most destructive volcanic eruption of recent years was that of Vesuvius, which sent forth hot ashes and lava destroying many towns and overflowing a fertile area of country on both sides of the mountain range.

A few years ago Charleston suffered from an earthquake, traveling from the Atlantic coast in a North Westerly direction. In 1891 the Nippon Islands of Japan were convulsed and 10,000 people destroyed. On April 18th San Francisco was practically destroyed and 300,000 people made homeless. On the 16th and 17th of this month Chili experienced over 300 shocks from which four fifth of Valparaiso was destroyed and 1000 people killed and fourteen other towns suffered, one of them swallowed up in a great chasm.

The interior of the earth is supposed to be in a state of intense heat, and so we account for the explosions and tremors of the earth and the eruptions of volcanoes.

It has come to pass that thought and action are nothing until they show an earning capacity. To this Rome all roads must lead. But to build that Rome means dissolution and oblivion. There is yet something above the price of rubies.

Our Galvanized Tanks and Cisterns are Guaranteed to hold water and not to Leak. Write us for Prices on anything that's made in a TINSHOP.

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HARDWARE SPORTING GOODS and TINSHOP.
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Go to Jake's Restaurant in Colorado
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CARTER HOTEL
Nice Beds and Good Board
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All repair work left with D. Dorward & Co will receive prompt and careful attention.

JANUARY
District Officers.

J. L. Shepherd Judge
E. M. Whitaker Attorney
Court convenes seventh Monday after first Monday in February and September.

County Officers.

E. R. Yellott Judge
W. K. Clark, Sheriff & Tax Collector
J. D. Brown Clerk
D. Dorward, Jr. Treasurer
H. A. Kincaid Tax Assessor
M. J. Thornton Attorney
Court convenes first Monday in February, May, August and November.

Commissioners.

H. D. Pruett Precinct No. 1
W. P. Coates Precinct No. 2
J. L. Washom Precinct No. 3
C. E. Resder Precinct No. 4

Secret Orders.

Mason.—Meets Saturday night on or preceding full moon.

W. O. W.—Meets first Saturday night after each full moon, and on Saturday night two weeks thereafter.

Churches.

Methodist: Preaching every first Sunday. Rev. A. H. Hussey, Preacher in Charge.

Church of Christ: Preaching every second Sunday. Eld. H. D. Pruett, Pastor.

Presbyterian: Preaching every third Sunday. Rev. W. W. Werner, Pastor.

Baptist: Preaching day every fourth Sunday.

G. W. Burns, Pastor.
Baptist Sunday School at 10 a. m.
T. R. Mauldin, Supt.

Union Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night.

THE CHANCE OF A LIFE TIME.
Practical Ideas Free for Western Farmers.

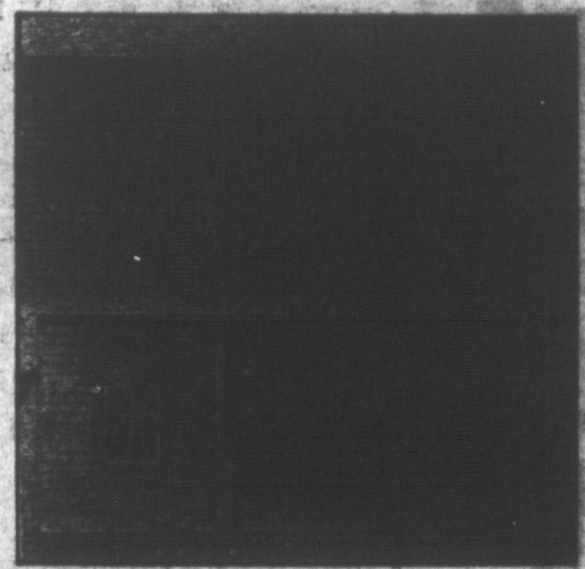
In this age of progress and advancement in all kinds of business the successful farmer and stock raiser is compelled to put more brains into his business than ever before. The price of land is increasing every year, and better and more improved methods of farming must be and are being inaugurated. There are many great problems to solve, and one of the greatest exponents of new practical ideas for the western farmer is the Western Breeders' Journal, published at Clay Center, Kansas.

We have succeeded in making arrangements with that valuable publication, whereby we can furnish it absolutely free to every reader of The Borden Citizen.

Beginning with this issue and continuing for a specified time both papers, The Borden Citizen and The Western Breeders' Journal, may be had for the price of The Borden Citizen only, which is One Dollar per year. In other words every one paying One Dollar on subscription during the next ninety days will receive both the aforesaid mentioned papers one year. The Western Breeders' Journal is conceded to be the most practical, up-to-date farm and stock paper in this territory. It gives the experience and reflects the ideas of those who have made a success of farming and stock raising under conditions that exist here.

Sample copies may be seen at this office at any time within the next ninety days. Remember the time limit, however, and see to it that your name is enrolled before the expiration.

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We have a competent force of experienced hands to graft, bud, prune and cultivate these trees and plants. The foreman is a man of ripe experience and has devoted his whole life to Nursery work and bears the distinction of being the fastest budder in the South.

With this equipment we feel safe in coming before you with the promise that we can supply you better than ever in the past and with a better tree for less money than you can get else where.

T. M. Jones, Agt.

W. S. Roburn, of Paonia, refused \$2500 for a three acre fruit patch, six years old, and sold \$200 worth of plums from sixteen trees planted five years before. From one Ben Davis tree, planted seven years, he sold twelve bushels and twenty-nine pounds for over \$50. W. B. Felton, Canon City, has ten acres planted twelve years, from which he has sold \$24,000; net product in 1893, \$5,100. Same year from five acres of apples he realized \$5,800. J. H. Harris has sold from a fourteen-acre orchard, planted eleven years ago \$16,000 net in 1893 \$5,300. G. W. McRae sold \$1,200 from one acre in 1893.

The newspaper is a law book for the indolent, a sermon for the thoughtless, a library for the poor, and an admonisher for the lawless. It may stimulate the most indifferent, but it cannot be published without cost and sent free to subscribers. This is no joke.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

In announcing myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Borden and Garza Counties, I wish to thank my friends for the support they have given me heretofore and ask each voter's consideration at the next general election. Respectfully
W. K. CLARK.

We are authorized to announce John De Shazo as candidate for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Borden and Garza Counties, subject to the vote of the people.

We are authorized to announce W. A. Bedell as a candidate for Tax Assessor of Borden and Garza Counties at the next general election.

We are authorized to announce E. R. Yellett a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Borden and Garza Counties, at the next general election.

I take this method of informing my friends that I am a candidate for re election to the office of Treasurer of Borden and Garza Counties at the next general election. Grateful for past favors, I ask your kind consideration in the future.

D. Dorward Jr.

We are authorized to announce H. D. Pruett a candidate for re election to the office of Commissioner and Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 1 of Borden County.

S. L. Jones requests us to present his name to people of Borden and Garza Counties as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Kincaid a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor for Borden and Garza Counties' On the Independent ticket.

I desire to announce myself as candidate for re-election to the office of County and District Clerk of Borden and Garza Counties. I wish to express my appreciation of your support in the past and assure you that your favorable consideration will be appreciated. Respectfully

J. D. BROWN.

We are authorized to announce T. A. Jackson a candidate for Sheriff and Tax Collector of Borden and Garza counties.

The Best Yard In

Big Springs, Texas. is located right East of Burton Lingo's Lumber Yard. Branch new stalls, camp houses and feed pens and plenty of feed. Give us a call and we will take good care of your stock.

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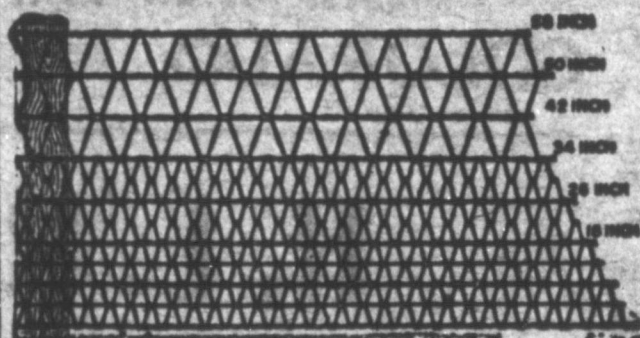
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It is scientifically correct in every particular. No waste material, no weak place anywhere—no foolishness. ELLWOOD FENCE is all fence. It does its duty all the time, holds stock securely, outlasts your neighbor's cheap and wobbly excuse for a fence, and is guaranteed to you by the largest and financially strongest concern in the world in fence manufacturing. There is no reason why you should not have ELLWOOD FENCE. There is every reason why you should.

A. J. ROE

Dealer In

Lumber and Wire

Use Ellwood steel wire woven fence for Horses, Cattle and Hogs. It keeps out chickens and rabbits.

Colorado. Texas.

J. S. Cordill, Pres. F. M. Cordill, V. P. G. C. Connell, Sec.
CORDILL LUMBER COMPANY.

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Sash, Doors and Blinds: LUMBER, Shingles and Moulding;
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