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Editor and Proprietor.

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ISSUED EVERY FRIDAY AT STERLING CITY, TEXAS.

Subscribers failing to get their paper on time, will confer a favor by reporting same to us.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES

- FOR SHERIFF
Jno. B. Ayres.
- FOR JUDGE
B. F. Brown.
- FOR CLERK
Leonce B. Cole,
- FOR TREASURER
Ed L. Gilmore.
- FOR ASSESSOR
D. C. Durham.
- FOR COM. PREC. 1.
B. F. Roberts.
- FOR COM. PREC. 2.
S. L. Hull.
- FOR COM. PREC. 4.
J. S. Johnston.

The vast deposits of the finest building stone, sand and gravel are great inducements for people to erect good buildings in Sterling. A stone or concrete building here will cost but little more than a wooden building.

The train loads of fat cattle going out from Sterling indicate that our people are a long way from being paupers. Sterling will ever be a stock-farming country and will always have more than one resource to draw from.

If you are running from the drought, don't go Southeast, for it is dry to the edge of the gulf in that direction. If you can, you would do well to stay where you are, for you are likely to run into the middle of one wherever you go. This running from drought and flood is poor business any way.

Those Anti-Bailey clubs which Cone Johnson, Rufus Hardy et al are going to organize over the state will serve to keep alive the old animosities which have existed among the people for years to the detriment of the the country at large. The man who joins an Anti-Bailey club virtually pledges himself to raise all the hell he can in the community in which resides and should be regarded as a public pest. We need to raise more corn, cotton, and less-hell.

Thos. J. Finty Jr. and Col. Bill Sterrett wrote yards of dope for the Gal-Dal News in their endeavor to explain how it happened at Galveston. It is evident that Messrs. Finty and Sterrett were disappointed at the turn the convention took on the Bailey question and they wrote accordingly. Their dope was naive to the wounds of those who have been run over by the big "steam roller," while their plans for evening up the old score in the future is something fierce.

EVILS OF SMOKING.

Uncle Mose—Looka-heah, you' George Washington Jefferson, what fo' is you' all smokin' dat pipe fo'? Didn't Ah done tell yo' dat smokin' shortens er man's life moh dan haff? Young G. W. J.—But yo' all has bin smokin' mos' all yo' life, Uncle Mose, an' Ah reckon yo' is a purty ole man.

Uncle Mose—Dat's all right er-bout me smokin', mah boy, but dat ein't de point. Ah's eighty-foh yeahs ole now, but ef Ah hadn't nevah smoked none Ah might hev been moh dan a hundred yeahs ole by his time.

Commissioners' Court

Our Commissioners Court held their regular August term last week. The members of the court voted over and viewed on a route for a proposed road up Sterling Creek to the Reagan County line.

It is likely this road will be opened for travel at an early date. Commissioner D. D. Davis was detailed by the court to lay on and open up the San Angelo road north of the railroad to the Coke County line.

A called session will be held later on to order an election on the road and jail bonds which were recently turned down by the Attorney general for irregularities.

Following is the tax levy for the ensuing year:—
For general fund, 25c on the \$100.
For Road & Bridge fund, 15c on the \$100.
For Court house and Jail sinking fund, 6c on the \$100.
For Court and Jail fund, 2 1/2c on the \$100.
For Jury fund, 2 1/2c on the \$100.
Total 51 cents on the \$100.

"Dixie" Was too Much For Him

In Idaho last week at a reception the band struck up on "Dixie". A certain senator went to the band master and said: "This is a republican meeting, we want no such tunes here." Evidently, the strains of "Dixie" recalled the times when he and his comrades ran for tall timber to the tune of "Dixie" at their backs, while confederate shells played interludes for hasty marches. When a man once gets a big scare at a thing, it always gets on his nerves when he hears it again.

This is the same brave (?) and magnanimous (?) senator who threw a string of duck-bits when the statue of General Lee was placed in the hall of fame. Some men are as crazy as a half witted old horse when they have been once frightened at a thing and happens to see or hear it again.

"Gall Bag Done Busted"

An old darky who was riding on a railroad train had gone to sleep in his seat. His jaws had dropped and his enormous mouth resembled a yawning gulf.

A wag passing through the car observing the great opening in the old darkie's head, dropped a capsule containing ten grains of quinine into it and then took his stand nearby to watch results.

Pretty soon the capsule began to dissolve and bitterness ran riot in the old man's mouth.

He sputtered and spat, and his eyes rolled in disgust at what he tasted. At a moment when it seemed the old darky could stand it no longer, the wag approached and innocently inquired: "What is the matter uncl?" "I doan know, boss, but I's;e;t mah gall bag done busted."

Livestock Shipments

A. C. Pearson 1 car, Ft. Worth.
W. E. Allen 2 cars, Ft. Worth.
Currie & Calvaay 2 cars, Ft. Worth.

GETTING HIS REVENGE.



Fare—Hi, cabby, what are you stopping here for?
Cabby—There's an old woman in 'ere a-getting an awful time of it havin' 'er teeth out. I wouldn't miss it for a dollar. I 'ad 'er yesterday.

A REAL LUMBER YARD

Lumber now Being Shipped to Sterling City by Rail, Saving Freight by Wagon From San Angelo

We now have it, and within the next week will have a complete stock, amounting to Twenty Thousand Dollars. In fact we will carry everything carried in the larger cities. This Company has ample capital, and by buying in large quantities, we are able to give you close prices. Let us figures on your bills, and compare our prices and grades with other places. We are a fixture here, and expect to contribute our share to the support and upbuilding of your town.

Let us have your business, and we will guarantee satisfaction. In fact we are home people, and anything bought of us that does not prove satisfactory, we are willing and have the money to make it so. Come see our stock and let us figure your bills.

ALL WE ASK IS A CHANGE

And if you give us an opportunity to figure we will get your business.

RESPECTFULLY,
WEST TEXAS LUMBER COMPANY

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF STERLING CITY, TEXAS.

Having complied with all the of the National Banking Laws is now open for business, and solicits the business and patronage of the people. It offers to its patrons and customers every accommodation consistent with sound banking.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK CAPITAL STOCK \$60,000

OFFICERS:
W. L. FOSTER, PRESIDENT
J. S. JOHNSTON, VICE-PRES.
J. T. DAVIS, 2ND VICE-PRES.
J. S. COLE, CASHIER
SAM M. McFEY, ASS'T. CASHIER

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS.

To J. E. Cope individually, and J. E. Cope as guardian of his wife, Lucretia J. Cope, non compos mentis, the said J. E. Cope being a resident of Pecos county, Texas, and the residence of the said Lucretia J. Cope being in the county of Travis, and State of Texas, and Thomas J. Cope who resides in Pecos county, Texas, Rosa E. Camp and husband Robert Camp who resides in Pecos county, Texas, Sally A. Gray and her husband Robert Gray who resides in Pecos county, Texas, Prisha Cope who resides in Pecos county, Texas, Mary S. Bagwell and her husband Oscar Bagwell residing in Brewster county, Texas, J. J. Allison who resides in Harris county, Texas; John E. Byson and husband Ben Boyston and V. E. Cope who resides in Pecos county Texas.

You are hereby notified that the undersigned jury of freeholders, acting under and by virtue of an order of the Commissioners Court of Sterling County, Texas, will on the 11th day of August, 1910, proceed to lay out and survey a first class road of 60 feet wide on across Survey 8, Block 11, S. P. Ry. Co. in Sterling county, Texas, and will on the 13th day of August 1910 assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road, when you present to us at the Court House in Sterling City, Texas, a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you.

Witness our hands this 19th day of July 1910.

W. L. FOSTER,
H. Q. LYLES,
J. W. WOOD.

SILVER ECHOES

Quality counts at the best store in the best town in the best county in the best state, and the best people are coming to my store for the best Goods at the best prices.

And remember, when you spend a dollar in cash with me, you get a chance at a beautiful dining room set, consisting of a set of Rodgers silver knives, forks and spoons, a 42-piece set of china dishes, and an elegant, six-foot oak extension dining table, ALL WITHOUT COST!

These facts are startling all competition, but let 'er go, Gallagher! I want your best wishes and a bunch of your business.

Yours for a square deal,
N. A. Austin

SHAREHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that meeting of the shareholders of the First State Bank of Sterling City will be held at the office of said bank in Sterling City, Texas, on the 15th day of September, 1910, for the purpose of voting on an increase of capital stock of said bank from \$25,000.00 to \$50,000.00, also for the purpose of transacting such other business as may come before this meeting.

Witness our hand this 8th day of July, 1910.

A. V. PATTERSON,
M. Z. HOUSE,
J. R. RAY,
E. WESTBROOK,
Directors.

Boys, there is something doing in the way of new Fall and Winter line of tailoring over at my shack, and of the best tailoring house in the land. The new shades in woollens, new styles etc., of the Fall and Winter line are now on hand.

The close fitting, fall chest effect coat and a regular shape trousers are "it."

I have something nice yet in the Spring and Summer line at a great reduction in price.

It costs you nothing to look. Come around and see.

"Jones the Tailor."

STRAYED OR STOLEN:—One bay mare, with one or two white hind feet, about 15 hands high, rather slender, and branded cross J connected on left thigh. Write or phone C. M. Rawls, San Angelo

GRAIN AND HAY
O K WAGON YARD
COAL
WOOD
CEMENT
COTTEN & DAVIS
GOOD CAMP HOUSE

J. L. CARNES,
CARPENTER AND BULDER

AGENT FOR SHAWNEE FIRE INSURANCE

SUPPLEMENT TO NEWS-RECORD

STERLING CITY, TEXAS, AUGUST 19, 1910

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Frank Cole visited at San Angelo this week.

W. E. Allen is in Fort Worth with a shipment of cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Austin are in Dallas this week.

D. M. Brown and R. M. Mathis are visiting at Lampasae.

G. Williams sold A. C. Pearson a car of cows this week.

Prof. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson visited at Miles last week.

Work on M. Z. House's new home in the Sterling Addition is begun.

Misses Ithea and Ina Lanford of Bangs, are visiting friends here.

Miss Annie Conger was among the visitors to San Angelo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. McEntire returned from Dallas Wednesday.

Mrs. C. B. Ferguson returned to her home at San Angelo last Monday.

Mrs. J. S. Cole and son, Thursday, were shopping in San Angelo this week.

J. A. Cumbie, formerly of this county, but now of Sweetwater, was here this week.

N. L. Douglas returned Monday from Dallas, where he had been transacting business.

L. P. Grimes is contemplating remodeling his hotel so as to make a modern, 30-room hotel of it.

Copeland Bros are laying in a big supply of cotton seed products with which to fatten a string of steers for market.

At a meeting of the School Board, this week, Mrs. Alice Foster was chosen to fill the position of teacher in our public schools, recently made vacant by the resignation of Miss Ida Mitchell.

Mrs. E. F. Fisher left last Friday on a visit to relatives at Lancaster. From thence she will go to Corpus Christi, where she will join Mr. Fisher, and where they will probably make their future home.

J. A. Allen, of Garden City, while scuffling with a friend at his fishing camp, a few miles up the river, fell on a rock and broke one of his ribs. Dr. Odom was called to attend the injured man, and at last accounts he was getting on nicely and hopes were entertained that he would be up in a few days.

J. E. Beavers is compiling an official map of Sterling City. It is the first and only map that has ever been made over the official signature of the County Surveyor. It is a very accurate and beautiful

NOTICE

¶We are now in connection with the World by Rail Road, and I am now prepared to get better goods and give better prices than ever before. So there is no use of you going elsewhere to buy your supplies when you can get them just as cheap at H. Q. Lyles, Sterling City, as you can any other near by Rail Road town and you are over looking a good proposition if you fail to call and look through my stock before you buy your Fall and Winter supplies of Dry Goods and Groceries.

¶Remember we are now prepared to sell you flour and salt and all other supplies as cheap as you can buy them any where else.

¶Hoping to have you call and look through my complete stock of Dry Goods and Groceries.

I am yours to serve,

H. Q. LYLES

ful piece of work, and does credit to its maker. Blue prints of this map will be on sale at an early date, and every real estate owner should not fail to secure one.

CATTLE FOR SALE.

A small bunch of stock cattle. See Henry Allen, Sterling City. 4t pd

NOTICE—KEEP OUT.

Notice is hereby given that any person who shall hunt, fish, cut or haul wood or otherwise trespasses on any of the lands owned or controlled by me will be prosecuted by the full extent of the law.

G. W. Allard

T. H. WALTON

Baggage and Express
GENERAL TRANSFER
Prompt service Guaranteed
OFFICE NORTH SIDE OF SQUARE
TELEPHONE NUMBER 59

TRESSPASS NOTICE

Any person hauling wood, fishing, hunting, or in any way trespassing on any lands owned or controlled by us, will be Prosecuted.

W. R. McENTIRE & SON

TRESSPASS NOTICE.

Any person hauling wood, fishing, hunting or in any way trespassing on any lands owned or controlled by me, will be prosecuted.

R. W. Foster

NOTICE

Any person hauling wood, fishing, hunting, or in any way trespassing on any lands owned or controlled by me, will be prosecuted.

W. L. Foster.

Posted.

I have posted my pasture according to the laws made and provided in such cases, and all persons are hereby warned and put upon notice that any person who shall hunt, cut and haul wood or otherwise trespass upon any inclosed land owned or controlled by me, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

J. S. Johnson.

PRIZE GIVEN

FOR THE MOST BEAUTIFUL HOME IN THE STERLING ADDITION

We are making an effort to give the people of Sterling City and Sterling County an addition of beautiful homes of which they will one day be proud.—An addition where the people are taking a pride in civic improvements.—Where we, ourselves, are spending money and labor to this end.

In order to further encourage this civic improvement among those interested in building homes the **PARK HEIGHTS REALTY COMPANY WILL GIVE as a PRIZE, TWO CHOICE LOTS in block 40 to the owner of the most beautiful home in the Addition.**

The lots are Nos. 15 and 16, being the South East corner lots in Block 40, and located in one of the most desirable residence sections of the Addition. It is diagonally across the street where Mr. House is building an elegant home, and fronting the main Colorado City road.

THINGS THAT WILL BE CONSIDERED BY THE JUDGES IN AWARDING THE PRIZE

Beauty of design of house and barns (if there be any barns) and the arrangement and beauty of trees, flowers and shrubbery—cost and size of homes will not be considered. Simply the general architecture of the home and the neatness of the surroundings, together with tasteful arrangement of trees so that ones with a cottage will have equal show with the costly stone, two story home.

The prize will be awarded when 25 houses have been erected and are standing and occupied in the addition. The judges shall be three ladies who will be selected when the 25th house is completed.

Large sign is now located on the lots arrive by and see them and you will appreciate their worth.

PARK HEIGHTS REALTY CO.

BAILEY & PAUL, AGENTS

P. S. We have just closed an other deal yesterday for a \$1250 house and improvement in Sterling Addition. Don't wait to make your selection in this Addition of choice neighbors and fine water.

LOCAL NEWS

J. H. Burroughs, of Robert Lee, is here.

A good rain fell on the Kellis ranch last Monday evening.

Henry Currie shipped out a string of cattle last Wednesday.

Miss Effie Walling returned to her home at Robert Lee last Sunday.

Jeff. D. Ayres was among the many visitors to San Angelo this week.

A. C. Pearson and Ed Douthitt returned from Fort Worth last Sunday.

Miss Bess Marie McDavid left on Monday's train for her home at Lancaster.

Safes and Typewriters sold by Probandt Printing Company, San Angelo, Texas.

Dr. Pipkin, of San Angelo, was here this week with a view of locating in our town.

As a vermifuge, Nyal's Worm Syrup has few equals. Sold by Butler Drug Co. 4

Mike Slaton and sister, Miss Eula, were shopping and visiting in San Angelo last week.

Safes and Typewriters sold by Probandt Printing Company, San Angelo, Texas.

W. E. Beyer left Monday on a tour through Colorado, California and other western states.

Nyal's Blackberry Cordial is what you need in a case of bowel trouble 4—Butler Drug Co.

F. D. Glass, brother of J. L. and D. P. Glass, and family came in from El Paso this week.

Try Nyal's Iron Tonic. It will build you up and make you strong 4—Butler Drug Co.

Nyal's Kidney Pills are the remedy for kidney trouble. Try them. 4 Butler Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Griffin, after an extended visit to relatives in Brown county, returned home this week.

Miss Vera Kellis returned last Saturday from Kansas City, where she had spent the past four months.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hooten, of Lamesa, are visiting the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hooten.

A cough will yield to Nyal's Cough Syrup. A trial will convince the most skeptic—Butler Drug Co. 4

Mrs. W. L. Foster and daughters, Misses Ethel and Jessie, were shopping in San Angelo last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Coulson and Mrs. A. A. Rutherford visited friends and relatives at Robert Lee this week.

Miss Florence Johnson, who has been visiting the Misses Foster for the past several weeks, left Monday for her home at Fort Worth.

Those sores on your hands are the result of impure blood. A bottle of Nyal's Sarsaparilla is the thing you need. Try it. 4—Butler Drug Co.

Sheriff Jno. B. Ayres returned last Sunday from El Paso, where he had been attending the Sheriff's Convention. Mr. Ayres reports having a grand time while in the border city.

Nyal's Stone Root Compound is a splendid remedy for ailments caused from kidney trouble. It is a fine kidney medicine, simple and harmless 4—Butler Drug Co.

The walls and roof of the new addition to the public school building are now complete, and it is hoped that it will be ready for occupancy by September 1.

If you are troubled with catarrh and want to be relieved, try Nyal's Catarrh Remedy. It is one of the finest remedies on the market. 4Butler Drug Co.

LOST
One open face Gold filled Elgin watch, WFS engraved on back. Finder leave at News-Record office and receive reward It

Of what use is it to regret a poor suit or overcoat when by the use of a little foresight you can order one made to your measure that will be satisfactory in every way. The neat line of perfect fit and correct dress is what you want. Come and give me a trial.

"Jones the Tailor"

Hugh Bardin
LAWYER
STERLING CITY, TEX.

POSTED.

Our pasture is posted and all persons are hereby put upon legal notice that any one who shall hunt, cut or haul wood or otherwise trespass upon any of the lands owned or controlled by us will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law,
10-26-'01 Fisher Bros.

LOWE & DURHAM
Dealers in



Coffins and Caskets
Garry in stock fine, complete line of Undertaker's Goods.

JEFF. D. AYRES,

LAWYER AND
NOTARY PUBLIC.
STERLING CITY, TEXAS.

Doran Hotel

Comfortable Rooms and Clean Beds. Table supplied with the best on the market

K. L. Copeland, Proprietor

FOR SALE:—The buildings, out houses and fencing, known as the Sterling Hotel. Buyer must move houses etc. away. Call at this office.

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E. M. STAGGS

For all kinds of Blacksmithing, Wood Work and Auto Repairing

GASOLINE AND OILS

I have plenty of room and tools to do most any kind of work, and you will be treated nicely

Shop Phone No. 87

Residence Phone No. 44

A GUARANTY FUND BANK

The First State Bank of Sterling City organized under the Banking Laws of Texas, is now operating as a

"GUARANTY FUND BANK"

Depositors in a Texas State Bank have never suffered loss

The Depositors of this bank have the following security for their deposits, viz.:

Capital paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Liability of Shareholders	25,000.00
Depositors Guaranty Fund	
Available of the State Texas	1,175,000.00

Making a total security of . . . \$1,225,000.00

We solicit your careful consideration and kindly ask for your patronage, with the assurance that every courtesy and accommodation consistent with sound banking will be accorded you.

OFFICERS

W. H. Eddleman, Pres. Emmette Westbrook, Cashier
A. V. Patterson, Vice-Pres. Maunse Patton, Asst. Cashier

H. C. WALKER

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General Practitioner with Surgery and Chronic diseases a specialty. Calls promptly answered day or night. Office first door north of Fisher Bros' Drugstore. Phone 48
STERLING CITY, TEXAS.

JAMES A. ODOM, M. D.

DISEASES OF THE EAR, EYE, NOSE AND THROAT, AND SURGERY A SPECIALTY.

Office at Coulson's

For city lots in the Phillips Addition see Cummins & Dunn

