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A nport of the sale by the Western Stock Yards Co, of wheh Col. O. H Nelson is President and Manager, was promised thix paper, but up-to-dace of going to press has not been rece iv ed. Sume veri fine $\mathrm{ca}^{-}$le were wold and the report of the sale will be pub lished in next i-sue of report can be obtained.
It was in all a very successful meeting N.xt convention will be beld a Amarillo agam.

## WANT NEW DIP FOR FEVER TICKS

Death Rate Higher When Crude Oil Is Used:

Guthrie Okla , April 6.-Because of the fact that the death rate is so timh among catile which have been dipped in crude oil, woverment and state cattle inspector are still looking for some dip winch will be as effective in kulling the ticks, and at the same time not be so hard ou the cattle. It has always been claimed by the authorities that most of the death of cattle after being dipped in the crude oil were due either to carelessness in the dipping or to the fact that cattle were so poor and weak that they were not able to stand the shock.
The latest-substitute for the oil dip, which has received the approval of the Texas live stock sanitary commission, is an arsenical preparation, filst pruposed by Dr. N S. Mayo, chiof veterinariau ol Caba, and formerly an in


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 heartv indorsement. In regard to its uxe. D. J H. Wil.on, of Quanab. Tex. ch +rman of the Texaz board, vays:-The arsenic dip that we have mith nded wheh is also recommented b. 'h. federal departmeut, is providing an innovation to the cattle$\mathrm{m} \cdot \mathrm{n}$ who have give", it a trial, and the exp-rim uts have established the faet that this preparation, if us d correctly will eradicate all ticks that infest cattle.

## preparing the dip

"Berug desirous of mirikiug upon the cheapest, satest and eastist dian, the board bas about completed arrancements for the formula being pre pared as one cumn ality, and all that the eatle-men will need to do will be to mix the preparation wi h water, ae cording to instruetions. If this plan gops through, practically all of the danger from indiviaual preparation will be obiviated and the cost will also be lexsened."
The Oklahoma commission has not as yet tried the use of the new dip, but will probably do so as soon as the Texas experiments have placed it on a thuroughly practical basis. Some extensive reports on experiments with the new dip were given at the tick ex termination conference at Nashville, Trnn., last December by Joseph W. Parker an inspector of the bureau of auimal industry. He gave in detail the 1 iss.lts of the experiments con ducted in various parts of Texas by himself and Inspectors Jorden, Dennis aud Lane, of the bureau force. These experiments were made both with the full Mayo dip, and without the soap the litter solution seeming to furnish fully as satisfactory results as the otber. The animals thus dipped are reported to be almost without exception in first elass condition after the dipping, and none of them showed symptoms of arsenical poisoning.

## vat must be oleaned

Mr . Parker states that the dangers to be apprehended from the use of the arsenical dip are those resulting from careless preparation of the dip and from improper disposition of the residue in the vat when it becomes necessary to clean the vat. By making the dip in concentrated form, as the
position together with oils from var ious fields. The Beaumont crude oil is the onlv one which has eyer be"n efficiently recognizad by the departm nt tor the dippirig of eatileat hough nome time ago D. L.slie J. A tein, whit is in charge of the inspection work o ib. burenu in Oklahoma, at the ,e quesi of the dypartmen' seecur d numerous namples of oils from the Kass and Norttern Oklaboma fields, and torwarded them to $W$ as hington to be tested.

Fence Urder Dont Apply in Uklah ma

Governor Prantz havin: furthtaken up the matter of the anti-f-ne ing ard.r with secretary G rfield of Int rior Department, is to-day it ruceept of a communication from the Honorable Serretary in which the holds that the law prohibiting fencing of public domain is construed by him to be applicable only to the fencing up of puolic lands that are unappropriat ed in any way and subject to homestead euiry.
The Secretary states that he does not construe this law or the order calling for the enforcement of the law to apply to the lands granted to the Stute of Oklaboma by the Statehead Euabling Act, and that in a number of eases ot alleged violation of the fencing law wherein the same have been referred to special agents for investigation, the agents found by examination of the records in the land offlces in Oklahoma that the lands al leged to have bepn fenced up contrary to law were now all aporopriated either through homestead entries or the entry made by the board for leasing sehool lands under authority of the Statehood Enabling Act, and the onses had all been ordered dismissed and stricken from the records.
This construction of the law by the Secretary means much to the educa tional institutions of Oklahotina, as the cattlemen and others having new college lands fenced within their pas tures are ready and willing to pay rent to the colleges for the curren year if allowed to keep their fehci ap The School Land Dipartment will at ones airaúge to deasé all of

Smaky Men Give votce to Appoct ataers. Obla - A dendet inperus ith wiot.ratherds
 will not buy any apples this year for cold storage purposes from orehards whteh bave not beeu sprayed. Their experience with last y.ars crop was t... disastrous to allow them to repeat the experiment. Practically all of the unsprayed apples plae din cold storare here were a totsl loss to the com. mission men One firm lost 1,300 bushely of spples in that way.
Tuat the growers are inclined to take the matter up is evident by the statemenis of hardware men that the dema do for spraying machines is greater than ever betore, aad that they find diffi-ulty in keeping up with their orders of that sort.
C. A. McN ibb, secretary of the Ok lahoma board of agriculture, who is himself a very successful fruit grower is urging ult tarmers and fruit geowers to spany thetr thees if they desire to secure the best re ults

From the stand paiet of dollars and cents no trait grower can afford to neglect this matter," he said. "It is always sure that the man who sprays his trets will get more for his fruit than the one who does not, and the d.fference in price will be much greater than the trouble and expence involved in the work of spraying."

No decent self respecting Republican can vote for the fake constitution prepared by the Democrats. And any Democrat who has ever read the opening clause of the Declaration of Independence, and who will note for this constitution, should hie himself to the island of Zulu and there forever live in innocuous desuetude. The constitutional gerrymander is enough to cause any liberty loving voter to want it rejected. Cordelia State, Republican.

Persimmon, a pioneer postoffice of Woodward county has just bean discontinued. Rural routes àre disastfous to little towns and country póst offices.

# Common Sense Talks to Farmers. 

Series of Articles for the Information and Instruction of Raisers of Grain and Produce.

(Written for this Paper by John Leasure, Manager Clearing House, American Society of Equity. Woodward, Okla.)

## COMMON SENSE TALKS TO FARMERS.

 No. 3.In this, our third article on this subjeet we had intended to explain how we run the Clearing House, but for certain reasons will not do so just yet. But rather do we want to impress on the minds of the farmers the urgent necessity of coming togetber on the proposition that is offered. We have tried to solve this problem, have given it a great deal of study, besides we have been up next to it by practical experieuce. We want to say right here that we used to think when the elevator people got to fighting us by paying more for wheat than it was worth that the farmer should let them have it. But now we are going to show by cold logic that this was a mistake. What does it profi you when you get rerhapsone cent per bushel more for your wheat than it is worth one day or long enongh to put your agent out of busiuess and when he is out you get a cut of perbap 5 cents a bushelf This clearing house can not live unless you support $t$, It only asks you fur margin enough on your crops to eover cost of handling and it is certainiy plain to you that the more stuff we handle the less in preportion will be the cost of banding. Therefore as long as you are forced to support it to protect yourself why not cut the cost of handling to a minimum. The only way you can do it is by combining and never be led astrav by any special inducement to sell to some one else. We have lived long enough to know that any man that is in buriness for himself and offers you at any time more than you know vour stuff is worth you will have to watch bim or he will get it all back with interest at the very first oppurtunity. All successful business men study how to cut down expenses. All great corporations make money by doing a great amount of business and cutting down the cost of doing the business by resson of combining it under one head. If this is true why don't you do the same thing. Confine the marketing of your crops to your own head or agent and let alone the fellows that have always worked you all they could. It is folly to wast your time with them. They have always done you and will do it again if they get the ohance. There is no neutral ground, you must take the matter in your own hand and turn down any overtures that are made you by the common enemy the men who bsve grown rich specalating off of your crops. Don't wait for your neighbors to stand off the brunt of this battle for your rights but get into the hatness and help to get them. Don't be ready to turn down your agent every time that you can get as much from the other fellow as your agent from the other feliow as your agent
ean pay to sell to him but remember
that your agent has made the price and you could not get it but for him. You know this is true. Then be honest to your agent and bonest to your. fellow farmer and don't try to profit by his efforts alone but lend a helping. hand and be a co-worker to gain your rights.

COMMON SENSE TALKS TO FARMERS. No. 4.
We take up our pen once more in behalf of the farmer and his interests. We do not wish to bore you with these tallas but we do want you to see the error of your way it vou don't come out and help yourself. We as farmers bave indulged in too ruch talk in times past. We haye no doubt been gulled bv visionary schemes. But at present we are trying to bring about preseut WH are trying to bring, about
a straight business deal. We are try. ing to create a power that in the hands of the farmers themselves can be used to benefit them. We are not trying to upset all the business -ystems that exist but are only trying to get you, the farmers, to arrange your business under a systa m. You have ne er had any vou have simply been fightiag each other. You have never tried to do your husininess on a business basis Let me see what is your business anyway. You say farming.
What are you farming for You say to make a living. So far so good, but any don't you know that your most important business is to market your crops on a business basis and get a profitable price for them. You will haggle with your storekeeper over five cents but you will sell a load of wheat to a man that is skinning you out of dollars and not say a word. How long are you going to stand in your own light? How long are you going to stand and grumble at other men because they do business on a profitabie basis. Stop it. You have no kick coming if you have never tried to help yourself and as long as you let them do your business for you don't kick. We know that you don't get all that you should, but whose fault is it9 Suppose some storekeeper said to the farmers, "Come in and get my goods and you pay me just what you want to,". How long would he stay in business? You would say he is a fool and be 'would be. But you have been doing that same thing all the time. You let the grain speculators price your grain. You let some one else price all your crops and think you bave to do it.
Whenever you pledge your crops to your own agent in a manner that be knows that he is going to direct the sale of it you have gone a long way towards getting a fair price for it. When there is no other place to get
miller must come to him and be work ing for your interest will be able to have some say about the price. You would not be paying big profits to a grain trust that has grown rich off of your labor. The plans that the Farmers' Clearing Honse is workıng under hys proven a suecess. With the smat1 patronage it has received from the farmers it has kept considerable money at home that would otherwise have gone into the hands of speculators and aliens Every dullar we save to you helps you, helps the business men of our town and builds it up. How:much more could it help you if you would all patronize-it, Work for it and protect it from the assaults of the elevator people. You know that they oaly fight because it is hurting them and if it is hurting them it must be helping you.

Yours truly,
ohn Leasure.
Mgr. F. C. H

## For U. S. Senator.

Hon. S. M. Kutherford, candidate for the United States senate on the Indian Territory side, appears to be easily leading his opponents and his election at this time seems very prob able. The people of Indian Territory fully realize that vith the ownership of most of their rescources vested in the Indians, they need men in congress who are not only brilliant, capable, persevering and thorougbly familiar with local conditions, but men who are known to be incorruptable and whose honor has never been im. pugned. Mr. Rutherford is a lawyer of ability and a marked success in his profession. His long residence here and his iutimate knowledge of local conditions make him the most available man for the place. It is known that he has never lobbied or grafted and his rugged honesty has made him the idol of the great mass of the people He has the support of nearly every democratic paper in Indian Territory. The Sunday Ledger, published at Muskegee, where both Mr. Rutherford and his opponent Col. R. L. Owen reside, sumis up the situation as follows:
The onlv candidate frow Muskogee who has any show whatever to win is 8. M. Rutherford for U. S. senator. Mr . Owen is a brilliant măn, but he has been so long out of politics of Indian Territory and been so mixed up with the different settlements between the tribes that he is not suited to represent the new state of Oklahoma as one of its U. S. senators.
On the other hand, S. M. Rutherford has remained at home and contended tor the rights of the people and the better enforcement of the law, as well as Democratic supremacy.
Mr . Rutherford is a college graduate but a common farmer boy, who has built himself to the distinguished position he occuples.
Morton Rutherford is no demagogue nor is he's hypocrite. He carries ov bis sleeves any omíission or comuis sion that there might be charged against bim, so that the most nusophisticated may not be doceived as to his intentions.
The Indian Territory side of the new state is really entitled to one senator and Morton Rutherford'e obanees are
far ahead of any candidate from this section.

He has the aequaintancess.
He has the loyal party support.
He bas the confidence of the people. He is thoroughly familiar with the onditions of affairs here.
$\mathrm{He}_{\mathrm{e}}$ is not a lobbyist.
He is not a grafter.
$\mathrm{He}_{\mathrm{e}}$ is brave, true and incorruptible.

This kiad of a senator will be a help to those honest and poor men who are in the U. S. senate battling for the rights of the people.
Rutherford never made a dishonest dollar.
He never turned down a friend.
He has always been loyal to his party and its nominees, and as evidence of of this fact, he quit his campaign and came to Muskogee and spoke and worked for the municipal Democratic tieket.
He did not take advantage of the situation to boost his own candidacy. He did not have made appuntments to speak wherein he could ploit his own candidacy to detriment of the municipal ticket.

## G. A. R. Encampment.

The 17th annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Oklahoma, will convene at Enid May 22, and remain in session for three days inclusive. This will be the graatest turn out of Veterans of the Civil war that has ever been beld in Oklahoma, and of the deopest interst to the Comrades. A rrangements are being made to make ta great success in every respect. Enid is ambitious, as a town and community, to make the old boys feel that no mistake was made when the Eneampment was located at this point. She is already putting on her best clothes for this occasion, and she roposes to give the boys the best time they ever had in their lives.
Enid is the easiest town in the State to get in and out of. Look at the map and she is growing to beat the band.
The local Post will leave no stone unturned to make their comrades teel glad for the balance of their days that they ittended the 17th Eneampment. Eat, drink (water) and be merry as often as possible, and that won't be many more times.
Begin to figure on this now. It will be long enough before harvest, and the tbree or four days of rest and recreation will make everybody feel like going to work with a will when they get back home. No more propitious time will ever occur for the Comrades to get together, compare notes and talk matters over.

If William Jones can run a mile in four minutes, how long will it take his cousin on his wife's side to weed an onion patch 84 x 96 feet with a sink hole in the middle three feet deep and holding 41 gallons of water and a green frog weighing three quarters of a pound?.-Alva Pioneer.
G. W. Spencer of Kansas City has been in Woodward the past week buying eattle.

# Farm and Ranch ITOMIES. <br> Compiled by a Practical Farmer for this Paper. 

Poor plan to yayd sheep and cows together. Latter are apt to chase the former and may hurt them.
Remember it is easier to prevent disease than it is to cure it after it has gained a hold upon your stock.
The angry shout at the horse makes the man less a man, and the horse less responsive to the will of its master.

The chief difficulty of butter making in winter is that the cream is elther too old or too cold to churn well.
Don't let exposure and insufficient food stunt the young stock. You will never be able to recover lost ground if you do.
If you have any pleasant talk give it to the home folks and not exclusively to the stranger you meet in town or on the highway.
It's the gun that isn't loaded that goes off, and it's the horse that never atarts when left standing that bolts and smashes wagon or buggy.
A winter equation for the poultry. man to consider is that cut-bone, green food (clover or roots) and ex ercise equal generous egg production.

The successful farmer has a mission to fill in the community in which he lives by stimulating and encourag. Ing better methods among his neigh bors.
A letter from you to the represent atives of your district in state or na tional legislative body concerning any legislation in which you are specially interested will bear fruit.
The hogs like wood ashes, soft conl In small blts, mortar, rotten wood, etc Such things are a help to digestion and good health. See that they get such things occasionally.
Ever try putting your tongue to a bit of cold iron these cold frosty mornings? Then think how it must feel to the horse to have the ice-cold bit thrust into his mouth.
The newly seeded area of winter wheat is estimated by the departmen of agriculture at $31,665,000$ acres, an increase of 353,000 acres, or 1.1 per cent. over the acreage of 1905.

Prof. Henry, of Wisconsin, suggests that dairy communities keep one breed of cow, say elther Jersey, Holsteln, Guernsey or Ayrshire. He thinks it would tend to raise the grade of antmals.

The brave man is the prudent man, especially when handling the bull. No matter what the disoosition of the
oull is supposed to be ne snouid always be handled with a staff attached to his nose ring.

Of all the diseases to cure the selfsucking cow the ring in the nose is the surest and best. If the one ring some case to stop the practice, as in into the first ring

In summarizing experfments made at Montana station, Dr. Linfield states that beef steers with clover hay as the rough feed made the best gains second, wheains crushed. Barley was In all cases the grain was crushed or ground.

Have you started that set of bouls yet?

Get acquainted with your hens. It will pay you.

A cold, drafty stable never bullt up a farmer's bank account.

Success with the livestock is proportionate to the care given them.

Improve the mild days now by dolng such pruning as may be neces. sary.
Let the sun and fresh air into the poultry house. It's the best kind of
wonic.

The poultry business is easy to learn, but the expert is not made in one year.

Don't delay marketing the hogs after they have reached good selling after they
condition.
May it not be concluded that the gray matter in the pessimist's head is a dark, dark blue?

The Mexican Agricultural society announces the discovery of a new kind of wheat grown for several years in the state of San Luis Potosi, which has proved to be immune from attacks of wheat rust.

The styles of harrows are legion and there is no doubt that some makes are better adapted to certain solls than others. The farmer would do well to study the different makes and get the one which wiil work best on his soll.
$\mathbf{A}^{0}$ new system of corn culture seeks to retard the over-production of stall in the early history of the plant's growth and later when the plant is ready to ear stimulating the development of the ear by the use of fertiliz ers and cultivation.

It is estimated that one chickadee bird will destroy 5,500 cankerworm egge in one dav. or 138.750 egas dur-
ming the 25 days it takes the motns to
crawl up the trees in March. It will pay you to entice the little birds to pay you to entice the little birds to
your orchard by hanging suet or beef bones to the limbs of the trees.

Dairy stables should have plenty of windows, well distributed. Then from each window frame remove some of the small lights of glass and place over the onening a musin curtain, stretched tightly. This will allow a free passage of fresh air without a draft, and will make the stable sweet and wholesome.

Examine all the farm tools now. If new parts are found to be needed you will have plenty of time to order them and get them in place, and if repairs you can make are needed you will have plenty of time to make them. And how glad you will be when the machine or tool is wanted that it is in working order.
"Cow clubs" are popular among farmers in England. It is a sort of an insurance association of cow owners. Each pays a stipulated yearly fee for each cow owned, and the fund thus raised is used in paying a veterinary to look after the cattle and in paying a fair price in case of death of a cow. Here is an idea quite adaptable to dairying communities in this country.

If there is no special work for the horses to do during the winter days there is temptation to let them stand in their stalls and get out of condition. Then when the spring work opens up it is a long tedious task getting them in working condition again. It is better to make work for the horses, if necessary, in order to exercise them. They will stand by you better in the spring if you do.

The cream separator can be run too fast and too slow. The first condition Is too severe a strain in the machine, and the second results in imperfect separation of the cream from the milk and a consequent loss of butter fat. The number of revolutions a minute required by a machine is usually indicated on the machine or in the instruction book accompanying it and should be strictly observed.

It is generally one of two causes why the pump falls to work, elther failure of a valve to operate or shortage of water. The difficulty with the valves may be detected by priming and noticing the action of the handle. if the check valve is not working the merely churns the water poured in without raising any it indicates that the plunger valve is at fault. And both valves may be faulty as shown by the priming water flowing down into the well.

Here is a plan followed by the dairymen of Denmark which suggests a practical method of which dairymen in American communities may weed out unprofitable cows and thus insure a larger net profit: Thirty or more owners of dairies employ an official tester whose duty it is to keep a record of each cow. His reports are made regularly and the owner of each herd knows exactly what each one of his cows is doing and is able intelligently to weed out the robber cows. As a result of the system in Denmark the producing value of dairy cows was ineach.

Generally it is the farmhouse which which is the last to be modernized and improved. There is always some
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the Farmhouse," which readers of Meadowbrook Farm Notes would find Meadowbrook Farm Notes would find extremely valuable to them. The object of the publication is to show how farmers can equip their homes with
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Where the farmer is so situated, enough ice may be put up in the winter time to pay for the putting in of the winter's supply of coal next summer.

If the housewife will keep the kerosene oll where it cannot become too chilled she will find that one fruitful source of disagreeable smell will be removed.

A plece of string and a knife in the pocket make useful companions when traveling over the farm, So many chances to use them where a stitch in time saves nine.

Try a good neighborly talk before you begin suit over that matter that is troubling you. Ten to one your neighbor is as anxious to have it settled as you are.

A poultryman suggests the unigue cure for an egg eating hen of an exclusively egg diet for three days. Rather an expensive cure with eggs at 40 cents a dozen.
To the farmer who judges that a chicken is a chicken and they all look alike to him there is not apt bank account from his flock.

While you are cleaning oft the snow from the corn shocks and hauling it in to feed the stock, make the resolve that another year will not find you without room to house all the fodder you will need.

After the thaws come look over the grape vineyard and be sure the trelils posts are secure, and that the wires are fastened and tightened. Generally there are some vines that need re-tying, too.

A good way to bring the cream up to the proper temperature for churning is to set the can in a bank of
hot water and gentiy stir the oream until the thermometer tells you that it is ready for the churn.

Here are the deductions of a Wisconsin Investigator which are atrongly In favor of the silo on the dairy farm. Creamery patrons who fed ensilage averaged $\$ 52.52$ per cow; while those who did not feed ensilage recelved on an average of but $\$ 34.00$ per cow, a difference of $\$ 18.52$ in favor of the ensllage men.


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## The Cotton Acreage.

The state of Oklahoma prodnced oger 900,000 bales of cotion last year That's too much. It is to be hoped that the cotton production of the state will always be kept within $1,000,000$ bales but at the rate of increase of the past few years, that production will be passed next season.
More than the usual amount of ton was unpicked last winter. had been chopped down in prepara tion for planting fagin this year. It was not picked last winter because of inability to get pickers. Where are the pickers to come from next fall? For the average Oklahoma farm, ten acres of cotton is enough. Well tended, it will bring in as much money as double this acreage does on the ayer age. And the home working force can take care of it without every one working all the time at it.
Oklahoma should always grow cot ton but it should never become a cot ton state. It should be what its soul, climate make it; a state where diver filied farming reaches its highest de-
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## Sore Eyes in Cattle

Opthalmia, or sor eses, is quite Eeneral in the spring. It may be raused by the miroduction of some for, ign matter, such as chaff, werdseed, or dust, taken into the eyes while the antmils are feeding at the straw heap. Exposure to cold or poisorions $g_{\text {isses }}$ which arise frot foul stables may also be the means of bringing on an atlack The first symptoms are a profuse fl wing of tears and the closinle of the evelicls wien exposed to the Theltr As the tronble progregses, there is a deridel dminution in the flow of milk and many timos the an(mal beeomes entirely bland.
In :reatine the m ist important thing to de is to remoye the foremg paricles. This may be done by turning the lids of the eyes inside out and scrapme with a clean, silver spoon. If the particles have not become attached to the membranes of the eyes, they may be washed out by svringing with warm water. After this is dene, the evr should be washed once each day with a solution of twenty grains of boratic acid to an ounce of water. This can be injucted into the eve with the syriuge Anothor excellent wash 1. five grains of acetate of zine and iwroty çraint of lauduum to an ounce of water. This can be applied also with a syringe. Kaep the animal in a dark place, so th t the light will not hurt the nyes. Tha quirters should be free from filt

## Pest Cards and Postal Cards

An ominous -warning has beeu issued by Postmaster J. H. Harris that the public must not mistake a postal for a post card. This is no idle tweedledum tweedledee business. A postal card is a postal card and a post card is a post card and both of them are a flat piece of cardboard going through the mails fur 1 cent, there is a world of difference between them. The govornment prints the postal card, but anybody can print a post card. They need not go to the botner of printing it, but may make it, by means of a pen and scissors look like a post card, stick a 1 cent postage stamp on it, and mail it. Tuen they may write all over the back of it atd over half of the front of it.-K. C. Journal.

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MeCalls Magazine. Don't worry, dear, the bleakest years That clog the forward view,
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Nut trouble at the door.
Don't worry, dear; the clouds are black, But with them comes the rain; And stifled sou!s that parch and crack May thrill with sap again.
The burden, bear as best we can,
And there'll be none to bear: $\mathrm{H} a r d$ work has never killed a man, But worry did its share.
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The proposed constitution is rotten from stem to gudgeon; vote 'er down!

Advertising is merely a method publicity. Any man with honest intent or goods to sell is not ashamed to ask your patron. age by an advertisement.
"What's the matter with Okla homa? Oh, jest nawthin at all, only if the derned constitution don't carry, we'll jest have to keep on havin' free schools here instead of savin' our money by not educatin' the white trash."-Cocklebur Bill to Blatherskite Haskell.

Many persons, who believed three weeks ago that the proposed state constitution for Oklahoma will be adopted August 6, are convinced that in the last eight or ten days there bas been a marked growth of public senti ment dan:erous to the safety of the constitution. Kill the consti-tution.-Curtis Courier

Mr. Farmer, take your little pencil atd tablet and figure up how much your taxes will be increased by uniting yourselves as taxpayers with a people who do not pay taxes and then make up your mind to paste the constitution one vote for yourself and get as many of your neighbors to vote witb yoü as you can.Aline Chronoscope.

You farmer man, you who are saving every nickle and wearing old and sometimes ragged clothes in order to support home and
family, how do YOU like to be robbed by an army of grafters and compelled to pay out your earnings to support a hypocritical leech, for the sake of "party." That's what you are doing today, my friend. How do you like it?

Read the advertisements in this issue and save money by trading with those who advertise. They want your trade, they ask it in this manner and they will sell you more and better goods for less money than the parasites who wait in their dens to bleed you and are ashamed, or "too ornery." to invite your trade. D n't get skinned. Patronize our advertisers and save money.

No! If you want to know how we stand with respect to the ratificution of the constitution, we shall vote No. Most of our reariers, with whom we have talked, will vote the same way. We are not arsuming this attitude because it was written by democrat or because we are ; "cal pet bag. ger," but for patriotic reasons, with which we will probably burden our readers in the future -Fort Supply Republica...

And it now appears that the leaders of the con-con we $e$ in as much control of the peanut members as the owner of a house in charge of a basket of blind kittens. All the leaders had to do was to sort the kittens daily in seperate baskets and if they "meauowed for milk" to feed them on some committee appointment and the trouble was fixed. The adoption of this constitution will bankrupt all western Oklahoma!

## A campaign snorter in a public

 address bere this week made the statement that were it not for the farmers the railroad rails would rust and rot. This is true enough, yet it is also true that if it were not for the railway there would be little or no farming in this country for any but home consumption and mighty little of that. It pays to be fair, but politicians and demagogues are usually shy on this quality. Any man who is so unfair in his statements deserves to be turned down by all sensible voters.We have admired and commended Sturm's Statehood Mag azine, but if God Almighty and the Supreme Ruler of the universe will forgive us, we'll never do it again soon. We admired
it as a state representative of the best commonwealth on earth, but when it prostitutes its noble purpose to a defense of the bull-con constitution and an apology for its make up, our hands go up and we withdraw all previously said in its favor. It has linked its destinies to a blot upon "square dealing" and hitched its mud-cart to the putrefaction of partisanship! Vale; Bre'r Sturm! Get thee into the bellies of thy chosen swine!

## Save the Money

The school children of Oklahoma receive from the school lands about $\$ 180$ per capita. Dívide that with Indian Territory, having an equal population and you are shv ninety cents, for theother fellow pays no taxes. How will you make even? Why raise your own taxes. That is the price ycu pay for the privileges and blessings of statehood. What is your remedy for the difficulty confronting you? Knock the constitution and take chances on statehood for yourselves, thus bolding your forty million dol. lars worth of school lāñ and preventing its dissipation by the monumental grafters who promulgated the constitution of iniqulty they have the hardihood to ask you to vote for.-Aline Chronoscope.

Or, onother way would be to let the fellows who vote in favor of the "bankruptcy constitution" be made to stand the losses incurred by their lack of sense!

## One or Two in Woodward

The following observation from an exchange exactly fits the case of one or two Wood ward men:
"It does not pay to advertise, say some merchants who have done but little of it and that without keeping it up. The incident of the boy and the pump illus. trates the matter very well. The boy was sent after a pail of water. He poured in the priming and poured out as much as he poured in . Then he stopped to rest and the priming ran down. After some time of alternate pumping and resting he concluded it did not pay to pump and quit in disgust. The merchant who does not believe in advertising does it like the boy did the pumping. He advertised a few wceks, then stopped a while and allowed the people to forget him and bis tusiness before he adyertised again and then concluded advertising didn't pay."

Williạm and Albert Shull, of Mulvane, Kan., stopped in this city, Tuesday evening, while on their way to New Mexico to take claims. They are nephews of the publisher.

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Editor News:
I would like space in your worthy paper to say a few words in regard to our constitutional delegates and their constitution. Please note, I say THFIR cons. titution, for surely no plebian tax payer can point out a single clause if put in effect that would benefit him one iota, not with. standing that when in convention assembled and President Murray was placed in the chair to preside over that august body, he made the boastful declaration that they would make the best constitution that was ever written, which would mean to the hard working wealth producing tax payer, the greatest good: to the greatest number of people. Now have they done that? Or, have they swerved the constitution to read the poor, hardwork ing farmer and all other sweating wealth producers down and out?
We think they have done the latter. A review of some of their great work will perhaps sharpen appetites to be satiated on election day. Now, they tell us they have given us referendum! $S$ they have, with an appendix of five judges with power to knock it out for all time.
The constitution provides for the sale of school lands, and the money, of course, will be loaned or given to the big corporations - in order to strengthen their grip upon the poor and strangle the advance of intelligence through the lack of means for proper schooling.

It also provides the legislature with power to impose a property tax, poll tax and even an educational qualification as claims for suffrage.

It not only knocks out woman suffrage but even makes it unconstitutional.

It fails to provide free text books for the school.
Now the program of both old parties in presenting their candi-
dates for delegates to the constitutional convention published and pleaded for many good things I cannot now recall, if we would support their candidates. Well they were supported and we got a variety.
Their property tax would dis franchise one nalf the farmers and the laboring men in the state. Of course the well-to-do and high cockalorum would claim it was a grand national move and an advanced stride toward a higher plane of prosperity, for the poor disfranchised could stay at hore on election days and work and raise tases to pay off the $\$ 200$,000 squandered by the delegates in the convention.
Now I have neither the time nor space to mention all the beauties of that matchless document, but will say it seems a pity that the state did not contain sufficient territory for each delegate to mark himself out a county ârud be as precise in surveying as Williams was in laying out Harper county for it would have added sufficient merit to his character to send him to the legisla ture or a good connty office with a name crowned with renown that would have followed his posterity for a hundred yeals. But alas, they could not do it.
Now in conclusion I will say that the territory could have picked up twelve old grangers in any settled township in the territory and sent them to Guthrie and in three weeks would bave written a better constitution for the general public at a cost of not more than two or three thousand dollars and tiue $\$ 198 ; 000$ that was squandered would have built forty bridges across the main streams in the territory and left money sufficient for the election. I will vote no.
W. H. White.
"Kid" Yoakum Writes.
Remy, I. T., Apr. 7, 1907: Woodward News:

Please tell the Woodward county folks that the Kid and Miss Alice are near Ft. Smith, Ark.,

# The Motto of the Bull-Con Convention. 

## Adjournment Taken until After

August 5, $190 \%$.

Never in the history of America has more damnable outrage been perpetratad on all the people than the refusal of the present members of the constitutional convention to adjourn without date after completing that for which the enabeling act created them.
Instead of obeying the mandate of the government, they have signed for submission to the people, a document purporting to be a "constitution," and then continued in session by adjournment until Aug. 5th 1907, the day preceeding the date set for the ratification or rejection of their work by the people.
They assume in so doing that they are greater than the people whom they were elected to serve.
They assume powers unwarranted by law.
Ther commit a crime in the name of government.
They challenge the warmest admiration of the most blatant anarchist in their assumption of Divine right of rule.
Congress should be petitioned to meet in special session to lop of the heads of these greedy avaricious shysters who openly flaunt their shame and insult the voters of Oklahoma.
If this action of the convention be not reason, we want a definition of the word!
in the Indian Territory with our youngest son, Heniry. We were nineteen days on the road. Had a fine trip and am feeling fine. The trip has helped us both. We went fishing yesterday. If nothing happens we will go to Ft. Smith tomorrow. We found Henry and family all O. K. and crops coming up; some corn plowed over once and some cotton up, but most of the old timers say the early planting will have to be done over. We will drive on south for Texas in a few days. Tell all the boys to listen for that old cow's horn. We will be glad to get back after a good long rest and holler "Come in boys, dinner will be ready in a little bit." Bye! Bye! Love and good wishes to all.
"Km."
Tbis offive does fine job printing.

District Court brought the usual number of attendants this week, and an unusual number of foreign attorneys to town.
B. J. Hobbs shipped in a fine Poland China Boar to head his herd near Fargo. He paid $\$ 150$ for him and is from Corrector and Perfection 2nd strain.
The U. S. Land Office removed on April 24th to the rooms in rear of First National Bank where the officers wilt be found hereafter. We presume the same old gouge of two dollars extra for publication of final proofs will be continued and the homesteader will be bled as freely as at the old stand. The move of the office fixtures to a better building however, is highly commendable and Banker Stine should be given a vote of thanks for providing superior accomodations.

## Farming On Paper

The farmer should spead amount of time each week on paper." Farmine on paperming most as essential to success as farming the soil. The farmer who does not read, or figure for the future, rarely makes a success, while the one who does rarely makes a failure.
Farming on paper may be laughed at by some, but it has been rexpunsible more than anything else, for the rapid strides made in the. last twenty-five years, A quarter of a century ago, there were but few really live agricultural papers in the nation aud those which were published were not very generally ciroulated. Now each state bas from three to a dozen and each has a large circulation. The farmers are greater readers now they were ever before and the result is that they have been improving their condition The statement is current that no im provement bas yet been wade in tha farmer s condition which was not firs suggested by some practical farm paper. This may sound extravagant, but the more it is stadied tije mor truth it will be found to contain. Farmers as a rule are slow to adopt new methods ahd the only medium through which a new idea can be pre sented to them is the farm paper.
The farmer who reads reliable agricultural papers sees these improved ideas in print for so lotg a time thst he finally concludes to adopt them, with the result-that he. improves hi condition.
But reading the farm paper is not all he should do. He should figure on the future. Every crop which is at tempted should be considered. The cost of production must be taken into cousideration, as well as the amount of fertility that crop will remove from the sorl. The cost of rassing every animal and the probable selling price when it is finished should have e pari of his attention. Last but not least he should tell others the new methods he has found to be improvementthis is what may be called farming on paper and it is very essential to suc cessful farmıeg.

## Ifs That Count.

## Durant, I. T. Statesman

If you want to be taxed out of fin ancial existence, vote for the consti tution.
If you want to keep foreign capital out of Oklahoma yote for the constitution.
If you want your adopted state to be known as the anarchist state, vot for the constitution
If you want to be classed as a mossback of the twentieth century, vote for the constitution.
If you want every legitimate corpor ation, every moneyed company, ever man with money, every represenative of capital, to fight the growth of Okla homa continually, vote for the constitution.

If you want to put an end to all railroad construction in every part of Oklahoma for the next ten years, vote for the constitution.
If you want to drive out all the capital now invested in Oklahoma, on ac
count of the outrageons taxation, vote for the constitution.
If ysu want business men Prom the north and the east and from the south o skip Oklahoma and sidetrack fur Kansas and Texas, vote for the constitution.
If you want to band Oklahoma over the boodlers and political grafters for all time to come, vote for the constitution.
If you want the trath of these statements, sit down today and write to some intelligent man who lives in another state and wto is not "interested hert; and see if his answer is not in full aceord with the forrgoing Don't allow a candıdate to per-uide you to do wrong by the ehildren yet anborn.

## Marking the Santa Fe Trail.

For a number of years the men the southwest have agreed that it would be a kood thing to sui ably wark the line of the old Santa Fe Trail all the way from its stait, near Kansas City, in Missouri, to its finish at the old city of Santa Fe, in New Mexico. It has remained for the women of Kansas and Colorado to take the mat ter up inf a praetical way.
The Kansas branch of the Danghter of the Ameriean Revolution has raised fund of several bundred dollars, which was supplemented in 1906 by a iberai legislative appri priation.
Seventy granite markers have alrendy been purchased and will be put in place at points along the trail this year. The intention is ultimately to put these markers two miles apart a the way through Kansas. A few lo calities have purchased more expensive bronze tablets made from a Kan sas City artist's design.
The Culorado bravich D. A. R. is planning for a similar marking of the rail through that state. No doubt New Mexico will take it up in dut course.
The Atchison, Topeka \& Santa Fe Railway, whose steel rails follow fcr the most part the line of the old wagon trail, has decided to help the good work along beginning this summer in Kansas, by erecting special monuments at important points aud, by installing wayside signs which can be seen from the passing traius.

## Blackleg.

With the coming of spring this disase is again making its appearance and the careful cattle-raiser is considering the advisability of vaccinating bis stock so as to prevent the ravages of this disease. There is no longer any question but that Blackleg Vaccine will positively prevent the disease provided a reliable vaccing IS USED IN AMPLE TIME. It is thereore to the interest of our readers to be sure they have a reliable vaccine and not to neglect vacernating too long. The loss of a single animal due to delay or faulty vaccine, will frequently amount to more than the cost of sufficient vaccine for the entire herd.
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## Cophers in Alfalf

There is no need in letting the goplers destroy a stand of alfalfa. Poisoning them is entirely feasible and takes but little time if the work is done right and followed up
Many Okiahoma alfalfa growers follow this plan: Have a loms, straight fork handle shod heavily with ron prunes, cut'a little slit in each and insert a few crystals of stry chuine. Stab around the new mound nntil the run is found, drop iu a rasisn, plag the hol? with a corn cob, level otf all mounds and go on to the nest. Watch the field and repeat the dose whenever new mounds appear. Bananas eut in small chunks are used by some growers. A little strychnine is put into each piece

- Gophers don't get fewer in number unless some means is employed to kill them off. They seriously damage alfalfa fields if left alone, They make mowing hard on the man, team, and machine. It doesen't halp the siekle to go through a lot of gopher mounds. Follow up the poisoning and whenever a mound shows up, go after the maker of it


## Catalo At The Grand Canyon

C. J. Jones (pupularly known as


## R. T. Frazier, Pueblo, Colorado.

Send for No, 8Catalogue.

"Buffalo" Jones) was in town the other day wearing a catalo overcoat. This is something new in gent's furnishing goods. - Mr. Jones is the friend of the great American bison. He has not onlv spent many yeas of his life and a rmall fortuue in perpetuatiog the brffalo, but, witu true Yankee ingenbyffalo, but, witu true Yankee ingen imal known as the catalo, which is a cross of the buffalo with blooded

He has a big ranch on the north of the Grand Canyon of Arizona, wher experiments are being conducted under Government auspices. To make the place more accessible, a long steel cable has been stretched across the granite gorge of the Colorado river in the bottom of the Grand Canyun, pas. sengers being carried over in an iron cage.
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The Santa Fe now bas orders placed ith manufacturers for over 8.000 new ears was placed last Spring and a posfive promise given that the entire order wonld be delivered by September 30,1906 Up to date not one sar has been received, owing to inability of

Murray County on The Rampage.
Alleging that the ne $=1 y$ ereated Marray county will be pauperized from the very begioning, and asking that additional territory be given it, or if that eannot be done, the county be disorganized, and its territory be added to the adjoinidg counties which may be able to support county governments, the Marray County demoeratie executive committe has emphatically registered its protest again t the action of the county seat and boundary specalators in the Constitutional Convention.
The demoerats of this committee in speeial session openly declared their disapproval of the course pursued by "Railroad" Haskell and "Coeklebur Bill', Murray in reference to this phor little poverty stricken fourteen cornered county.
In their resolutions they empbasize the oft repeated statement that less than twenty five percent of the surface of the county is agrieuitural land, and that not more then two percent of,this agricultaral land is.at present subject to taxation or will be in several years to come.
Sentiment among Democrats 15 overwhelmingly against the ratification of of the constatution, and the advent
"Cocklebur Bill" Murray on a speech making tour of this seetion is looked forward to with a great deal of interest and several bushel baskets of rotten eggs.
The meetine of 少e committee was held primarily io settle a dispute which had grinen among the members as to the time for bolding the demoeratie county primaries, At a meeting of the committee held in Sulphur about the middle of Aarch, Aprit 20 was named as the date of the county primary. Since then the State oom. mittee has named May 23 as the primary date.
The committee by a majority vote dethat the state committee did not have the right to dictate the date of its primaries, and the original dat? was finally agreed upon. This action-made the Sulpbur members of the committee sulphurious, and a row was precipitated, during which the country mem. bers introduced and had adopted the following resolution:
"Whereas; Murray County, as at present constituted, is too poor to support a county government, from the fact that less than twenty five percent of the surface of the county is agricultaral land, and the balance being wortnless and waste lands in the Arbuckle mountans; and that of the agriculturaf lands not more than two percent is now subject to taxation or will be for a number of years.
"And whereas; the rate of taxation on the little property subject to taxation, will amount to confiseation.
"Therefore; be it resolyed; that it is the sense of th $)$ Demoeratic Executive Comittee of Murray County, now in session, that the balance of Township one, north and One east. and all of Townstiv One North and One West be added to this county.
"In the event the Constitutional Convention will not add sald territory, we respectfully ask the Constitutional Convention to dissolye this county and add the territory to the adjoining counties that are able to support county government.

## The Green Bug

The green wheat louse has destroyed the wheat erop in several loealities in Oklaboma One of our friends asked the other day if we knew what he'd done that be should be panished in this way. More than likely, wheat has been grown too extensively on the same latd. If one thing does not happen, sowething else does to remiod the farmer that continuous growing of any one erop on the same soil is the wrong thing to do. The Hessian fly, the ehineb bug, and the green bag are pretty foreible reminder* when they get into action. What to do is the question. The damage can't de repaired. If there are a few bags working on a small spot, straw piled on it and burned will fix them. Bal of ten there are too many spots and the bogs are too widely seattered for this to be feasible.
Some other crop must bs planted. what shall it be?
If it's bottom land that ought to have been in alfalfa long ago, don't pat any other crop on it this spring. Pastare it until jo June, then plow it good and deep. Harrow it down and harrow from ten to fifteen times until you have a perfect seed bed, well settled and fine as a garden on top. Then whenever thers's enough moisture in the soil after the 15th of August to germinate the seed and substain the plants for thirty days without rain, tow not more than twenty pounds of good alfalfa seed to the acre. If you do this right, yeu'ti get a good stand and nex. year will praise the green bugs for teaching you the lesson that land that will grow alfalfa well is worse than wasted when sown to wheat.
Some of the green bug land ought of course to be planted to bermuda. Most of such land ought to be plauted to cowpeas. The green bugs and the chinch bugs will not bother them and they will turn in more money than the biggest wheat crop you ever rassed.
Then there's cotton; if you have help to chop and piek it. And corn, kafircorn, sorghum and millet if the chinch bugs aren't too numerous. Don't lie down and say "whats the use." But thiuk the whole matter over and proceed after a definite plan. And see to it that the plan is good and leads to better methods of farming than you've been following. In the plan, include livestock, good bogs dairy cows, sheep. brood mares, poultry in plenty-Oklahoma Farm Journal.

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'The scoundrel! Why, I'll-'
"and I've almost promised," she placidly continued.
"What! What! My daughter marry Wilkins on $\$ 25$ a week 7 Never. Go o your room while I seek out this base adyen-"
"Father, I want to talk real business o yon," she interrupted. "Have you seen the marriage statistics of London for the last yearq"
"No of course not! The idea of Harry Wilkins skulking around after my-"
"Wait? According to the statistics, this city has 871,240 more females than males. There are 226.890 more marriageable girls than can find husbands o say nothing of 182,331 widows, who are very anxious for a No. 2 The number of younk men in London earning over $\$ 15$ a week, and in the market, is only 22,107 . There are after these young men exactly 220,000 young women and 150,000 widows. Three out of every five children born sre out of every
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