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NOVEL PLAN TO HELP COTTEN GROWERS OUT

"Buy A Bale of Cotton" Movement Is Started to Assist in holding Staple.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 4.—The "buy a bale of cotton" movement designed to relieve the cotton market situation brought about by the European war was taken up in Atlanta today at a meeting of prominent citizens who contracted for the purchase of 301 bales. Other meetings of a similar nature are to be held and it is planned to organize a systematic plan for furthering the movement.

The scheme already has been adopted elsewhere and it is planned to extend it to every town and city in the South. The plan is to induce every individual in the South to buy at least one bale of cotton at 10c per pound direct from the farmers and place it in a warehouse for one year.

Senators organized today a branch of the "Buy a Bale of Cotton Club," which originated in cities throughout the South, each member pledging himself to purchase at least one bale of cotton to store away until next year. Senator Sheppard of Texas is president of the Senators' club.

At a conference today Senators and Representatives of cotton growing States indorsed the proposal in cotton States that Legislatures prohibit by law the planting by any farmer next year of more than half this year's cotton acreage.

Big Rally Day.

The Baptist Sunday School will have a big rally day either September 27th or October 4th.

We expect to add many new pupils between now and that date and many more that date.

All pupils who have been absent during Summer vacation or other cause are requested to be present next Sunday as that will be date arrangements will be completed for rally day.

We extend a cordial invitation to those who are not attending some other Sunday School to come and be with us. We will try every way best to do you good and guarantee that we will do you no harm. If you do not wish to join the Baptist Sunday School then join the one of your choice. But by all means go to Sunday School.

Young folks, get busy and we will double our attendance by rally day.

"Superintendent."

Stanton public school opened Monday. We trust the term will prove the best in the history of the school both as to attendance and

Texas Silo Statistics

Forth Worth, Tex. Sept.—On September 1, 1914, there were 5,560 silos on the farms of Texas and their original costs were \$4,520,000, according to data just compiled by the Texas Business Men's Association. Nearly two thirds of the silos in Texas have been built during the past year and their construction is one of the most important events ever recorded in the history of Texas agriculture. The movement seems to be just well under way as 4,800 more have ordered from manufacturers and will be put up in Texas before the close of the present year. Fifteen silos have been built on Texas farms every day during the past twelve months and at present indications are that this record will be greatly exceeded during the remainder of 1914.

There is one silo to every 50 farms in Texas, but to properly feed the livestock of this State there should be at least one silo on every Texas farm. There are 418,000 farms in Texas to equip them with silos will require an investment of \$209,000,000. This is an enormous outlay, but by proper management they would pay for themselves the first year after being put up and clear profit, as there is no head expense in them.

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INSTITUTION NEEDED UNFORTUNATE GIRLS

If You Favor the Establishment of Such Institution Respond to This Plea for Funds.

Do you think that Texas should have an institution where a girl who has made a mistake in life may have a chance to correct her mistake.

We want all those who think such an institution should be established, to join hands with the Board of Control and Finance Committee of the "State Girls Training School" and help us raise the necessary funds for its establishment. The State of Texas is to furnish \$25,000.00 when we raise an additional sum of \$25,000.00, and we now have \$10,000.00 of the necessary amount and are asking the women of Texas to raise the balance, by giving us \$1.00 each. Can't you give this much for this most needed and worthy institution?

The week of Nov. 8th-14th, has been set aside for the Campaign to be waged to secure these funds and there will be a woman appointed in your community to take charge of this Campaign. Her name will be announced later and you can give her your dollar direct to the under-

\$15,000.00 in this Campaign which will insure the establishment of the Girls Training School of Texas. The entire amount raised in this special Campaign by the women of Texas will be used in the erection of a Main or Educational Building. This Building is to be dedicated to the Women of Texas, and an inscription to that effect will be placed on the cornerstone.

If you have't a dollar that you can lay aside now, you can surely lay aside at least 10 cents a week so that by Nov. the 8th, you can have the much needed dollar.

As Mothers and Women, you should certainly feel very much interested and join us in showing the men of Texas that the women of Texas believe in lending a helping hand to a fallen sister.

Any information you may desire will be gladly furnished.

Sincerely,
Quentin D. Corley,
Chairman, Finance Committee,
State Girls Training School.

First Bale.

Stanton received her first bale of cotton Tuesday. F. W. Wilson was the lucky man. He received a premium of \$30.50. J. T. Carter was the first man last year to bring in a bale. Cotton will begin to open fast from now on and in a week or so our streets will be jammed with cotton wagons. We could realize after

WE ARE THE PRICE MAKERS

This is no idle boast or scheme to get your business. Others may come to the prices we are quoting after we have made and advertised them to the world, but we are the firm that made the prices and our competitors are merely following our lead. We are bidding for business with honest, legitimate methods and we believe you appreciate our efforts. Read carefully our prices below which we will make to for cash only.

COFFEE AND TEA	CANNED GOODS	Smoked Bacon per lb.....		
Bulk Gunpowder Tea.....\$.40	Palmto Brand Apricots.....\$2.15	Jewel Compound per 10 lb bucket..... 1.15		
Iced Tea 1/2 lb was 35 now..... .30	Palmto Brand Peaches..... 2.30	Cottolene per 10 lb bucket..... 1.55		
Folgers Golden Coffee \$2 bucket now..... 1.85	Palmto Brand Plums..... 1.75	Premium Lard per 10 lb bucket..... 1.60		
Folgers Golden Coffee \$1.10 now..... 1.00	Palmto Brand Blackberries..... 2.25	Sugar Corn per dozen..... 1.15		
Folgers Golden Coffee .90 now..... .85	No 2 Blackberries..... 1.15	Sweet Potatoes per dozen..... 1.25		
Folgers Golden Coffee .45 now..... .40	No 2 Cherries..... 2.50	Sweet Peas per dozen..... 1.30		
Mazwell House was 45 now..... 35	2 Cans Apple Butter..... .45	Carabell Soups 3 for..... .25		
Coal oil per 5 gallon..... .55	Best White Lilly Pears..... 2.50	STARCH AND BLUING		
BAKING POWDER		4 packages Celloid Starch.....\$.25	Best Gloss per 3 lb box..... .20	
25c size K. C. for.....\$.20	2 Cans Plum Pudding..... .45	3 Bottles Bluing..... .25	6 Bags Bluing..... .25	
25c size Health Club for..... .20	No. 3 Hominy per dozen..... 1.05	SYRUP AND PRESERVES		
25c size Calumet for..... .20	No. 2 Tomatoes per dozen..... .95	Green Velva per 10 lb bucket.....\$.70	Red Velva per 10 lb bucket..... .65	
BREAKFAST FOOD		Karo per 10 lb bucket..... .55	Dixies Pure Sorgum..... .60	
3 packages Quaker Corn Flakes.....\$.25	No. 3 Tomatoes per dozen..... 1.20	Royal..... .45	Maple Syrup per qt..... .45	
2 packages Kellogs Corn Flakes..... .25	No. 3 Craux..... 1.15	Pure Fruit Jam was 40 now..... .30	Pure Jellies was 35 now..... .30	
2 packages Post Toasties..... .25	Pork and Beans per dozen..... 1.35			
3 packages Shredded Wheat..... .30	Pink Salmon per dozen..... 1.40			
FLOUR AND MEAL		Red Slamon..... 1.75		
Best Flour per 100 lbs.....\$2.95	Condensed Milk Egale brand dozen..... 2.35			
High Patent per 100 lbs..... 2.75	Condensed Milk Borden's 3 cans..... .25			
Best Meal per sack..... .85	Condensed Milk Baby Size 6 cans..... .25			
MEATS AND LARD				
Hams, Swifts Premium per lb.....\$.24				
Breakfast Bacon per lb..... .34				

Flour has advanced one dollar per barrel since bought this last car. We have cup grease and lubricating oil for automobiles, also machine oil. Don't forget that we will buy your chickens, eggs and butter and pay you the highest prices. We also wish you to bear in mind that as soon as the cotton market opens we will be in the market for your cotton. We have school tablets for sale.

CAUBLE GROCERY COMPANY, PHONE 8

The Stanton Reporter.
Published every Friday
W. O. Kent, Editor and Manager.

Located in a County containing 90 per cent agricultural land.

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For County Judge:
A. C. EIDSON, (re-election)
For County and District Clerk:
H. HAMILTON, re-election
For Sheriff & Tax Collector:
A. B. MILLER, re-election
For County Treasurer:
W. W. HARRIS
For Representative 120th District
E. R. BRYAN.
For District Attorney 70th District:
T. T. GARRARD, JR.

There are three women lawyers in Texas. If men lawyers were as scarce as women lawyers, Texas would be the most ideal place in the world to live in.

Cotton will soon be coming in to Stanton, but as yet we have made no effort to see what we can do about getting a market for it. Time waits for no man, gentlemen.

We have found several of good citizens who will join the honor roll of "Buy a Bale of Cotton". There ought to be a good number of men in this county who will join this club. The plan is to buy one bale of cotton at ten cents per pound and hold it one year, if necessary.

Tuesday while we were away at the Midland Fair A. B. Morton called and left us a large, red juicy melon of the Tom Watson variety. This is the second time our good friend has remembered us this season and we are certainly thankful to him.

Wednesday morning almost every citizen of Stanton and Martin county took from the post office a large catalog advertising the wares of some mail order concern. Our local merchants should get busy and offset this scheme to bleed the town and community of cash by advertising their wares in the Reporter.

We believe it a duty of the teachers of the schools to see that the children when dismissed should make their way immediately to their homes. Parents of course, should co-operate with the teachers and see that their children arrive promptly. Loitering to and from school is not good for the children. Promptness on the part of the children should be taught as well as their A.B. Cs.

The move on foot by Southern Senators and other prominent men of the South to buy a bale of cotton each and hold it one year, is a laudable one, and if taken up by the people over the south will prove a great blessing. There are many in Stanton who are simply able to buy a bale of cotton at 10c per pound and hold it one year. There is hardly a chance to lose. Wonder if we cannot get an honor roll in Stanton.

Our merchants have no one to blame but themselves if they allow the mail order houses to get the business. The mail order houses are going after business by advertising and our people have the opportunity. If it pays to buy from houses which are miles from Stanton, Stanton, then we can buy from a sensible man who would be

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Analysis of our Federal Census Records reveals the startling fact that the population of the rural districts of Texas increased only 10 per cent during the past decade and the cities population gained 68 per cent during this time.

Every well informed patriotic citizen of Texas realize that country life in the State is both unprofitable and unsatisfactory. The fact that our urban population is growing four times faster than that of the country is conclusive evidence that farm life fails to meet the requirements of an ambitious and progressive citizenship. If this mad rush of humanity from the farms to cities continues, Texas will soon be an empire of consumers and the farms will become depopulated within another half century.

Bids Wanted.

Any banking corporation, association, or any individual banker in Martin County Desiring to be selected at the depository of the funds of Stanton Independent School District, and desiring to bid, shall deliver to J. A. Harris President of the board of trustees of Stanton Independent School district on the 25th day of Sept. A. D. 1914, at which time the selection of a depository is to be made, a sealed proposal, stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association, or individual banker offers to pay on the funds of said Stanton Independent School District for the term between the date of such bid and the next time for the selection of a depository.

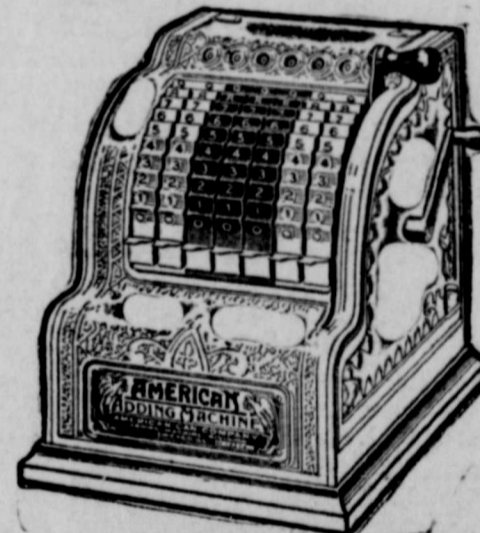
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Bob Ware and lady were in the city Thursday.

E. B. Dickenson was in from his ranch Wednesday.

W. T. Epley and John were in from their ranches Thursday.

A. L. Green of Van Horn is spending the week in Stanton.

2275 yards of new outings opened up this week. Call and see them.

Stanton Mercantile Co.

Misses Ivy Houston and Lela Tom, were visitors to Midland Saturday.

Mrs. G. A. Smith of Fort Worth is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ira Cockerham.

Miss Angelo Tom left Thursday night for San Antonio, where she will enter school.

Misses Era and Mabel Haynie are visiting friends in Fort Worth this week.

Boys and Girls school shoes all new \$1.50 to \$2.75.

Stanton Mercantile Co.

Mrs. J. E. Thompson, of Brady is visiting her brothers G. W., P. C. and Charley Tom.

Mr. and Mrs. Parr, of Alpine are visiting relatives in and around Stanton this week.

Miss Erline Saddler left Saturday for Canyon where she will attend the State Normal School.

C. B. Richards was in the city Thursday from Seminole. He had been attending the Midland Fair.

Best For Constipation.

Mild and pleasant to take Simons Liver Purifier is recognized as the best liver medicine in use. It causes no unpleasant feeling, but gives new life and vigor to the liver. Sold in 25c yellow tins only.

Will the party who took my repeating 22 rifle last Saturday bring it in? I have it sold when you get through with it.

O'Ffien.

Mrs. B. Good and children returned last week from Nevada, Texas, where they have been for some time.

Jim and Fred Kaderli left Wednesday night for San Marcos where they will attend the State Normal.

J. L. Klepper was in the city Saturday. He was moving a house from town to his ranch in the country.

F. O. Aiken and wife are away in their auto. They are visiting at Lockney, Floydada and Lubbock.

F. O. Aiken for Fire Insurance and abstracts, the Pioneer Abstracter of Martin county. I will write your deeds, take acknowledgments on short order.

Brick and Boyce Eidson left Saturday night for Canyon where they will enter State Normal School.

Mrs. Mollie Robertson and grandson, Clifford, who have been visiting in Toyah for some time returned home Tuesday.

We counted between fifteen and twenty cars from Stanton that attended opening day of the Midland Fair.

John Schafer and Miss Hillger of Glasscock county married at the Court house Monday, Judge A. C. Eidson officiating.

Miss Wilomel Co. this week for Siera Blanca has accepted a primary department school at that

Its a duty you owe your wife and children to see that they are provided for after you are gone. You know your duty, do it. J. H. O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shanks, of Falls county, arrived this week to spend several months with their daughters Mesdames C. H. Mohnkern and A. B. Ham.

W. O. Kent was elected Superintendent of the Baptist Sunday School last Sunday, to fill the unexpired term of W. T. Daniel who resigned on account of moving away.

A large number of Stanton young people, about forty in all enjoyed a moonlight picnic and watermelon feast at the home of Mrs. Mamie Mott Monday night.

Mrs. G. A. Merrick has returned from Dallas where she went to buy the fall and winter stock of dry goods for G. A. Merrick and Son. They will have a beautiful line on display in a few days.

Chas. Heman and wife left Tuesday for their home in Fort Worth. Mr Heman left his store here in charge of Miss Eula Estes while they are away. They will return to Stanton later in the fall and add a new line to their stock.

We take this method of thanking our many friends and patrons for the large number of letters we have received telling us of the truly wonderful results gained by the use of Hunt's Lightning Oil in the treatment of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache and other character of pain. We appreciate this spontaneous burst of approval. A. B. Hards, Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Daniel left this week for Merkel where they will make their future home. They made many friends during their two years residence in Stanton who will be sorry to learn that they moved away. We wish for them a liberal measure of prosperity and happiness in their new location. Mr. T. S. Crowder purchased their residence here and moved into it Monday.

Delivery Notice.

I will run a delivery hack to any part of the city. You can find me at Atchisons store or phone 1097.

W. W. Harris.

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PRINTING VALUABLE INFORMATION

Stanton is the county seat of Martin county, located about midway between Ft Worth and El Paso on the T & P. R. and is known as the south-Plain country. Much has been written in past years concerning the vast natural resources and the rapid developments known as the great South Plains in Martin county in Central west Texas. This portion of Texas is rapidly passing through a period of transformation.

That which was once a cow pasture is being rapidly turned into a cotton patch and into fields of waving grain. The main purpose of this writing is to set forth the plan to concerning Martin and surrounding counties on the South Plains. The people from the thickly populated and less fertile states are hearing the call to Texas every day, and it is the purpose of this company to settle these good people in a rich prosperous and healthy country where they can own homes and enjoy in comfort the luxuries of life.

The large ranches and idle lands are being cut up and fenced into farms as fast as money and immigration will permit.

Experience has shown that these lands, once considered worthless, are the most productive and fertile that can be found in the state of Texas, and as a result we raise every crop known to any farmer who tills the soil in the Central and Southern states.

Towns and railroad centers, factories and markets for the products are being built as fast as money and enterprise can do the work.

It seems incredible that a ranche of 25,000 or 50,000 acres can, within a year, be placed in a first class state of cultivation, but this is only possible in this splendid western country where there is little clearing to do and where the immigration is tremendous.

Just a few years ago, central West Texas land now selling at from \$10.00 to \$40.00 per acre, could have been bought at from \$1.

to \$5. per acre, for central West Texas was then in the minds of the people a barren desert. It is safe to say that in the next few years that the increase in the value of both city and acreage property throughout this section will enhance manyfolds. This south plain country or land will grow a crop of corn, cotton and wheat, and all kinds of feed stuff. Also peaches and plums grow exceedingly fine, and our grapes are as good as southern California. All kind of vegetables and potatoes grow as fine as any where in the United States. Practical farmers, from experience, have learned that the boll weevil can not live in the south plains country and altitude, and the farmers are rarely bothered with other crop destroying insects.

Health is unquestionable. In our opinion this is as healthy as any country under the sun. Good pure water can be had at from 10 to 100 feet, inexhaustible. Plenty of water under the ground to irrigate every foot of the land and then have plenty left. There has been very little irrigation done in this part of the country, as the farmers depend on the rain fall and have been very successful. We will say that inside of the last 12 months there has been two large ranches sold in Martin county. These ranches are being cut up into small tracts and are being sold at from \$25.00 to \$75.00 per acre. We have the same grade of land closer to town and R. R. and in a better shallow water belt, at from \$10.00 to \$20.00 per acre, and with a small payment down can pay the balance like paying rent. In our opinion this land will double in value inside of the next 2 years. We will advise the man that is wanting a good home had better investigate and purchase himself a good cheap home before this land passes into the hands of some speculator. Any information desired in regard to this country we will appreciate in answering all letters of inquiry.

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The Men Behind The Plow.

The eleventh annual meeting of the National Farmers' Union was in session for three days at Fort Worth last week. The delegates attending the meeting came from more than two-thirds of the States in the Union, and every branch of agricultural endeavor was represented. The wheat farmer from the north-west, the corn farmer from the middle west, the tobacco farmer from the Virginias and the cotton farmer from the sunny south all held counsel together and were united in their effort to solve the grave problem which now confronts the American farmer. Coming, as they did, direct from the soil, with their hands brown from exposure and their minds attuned to the needs of the hour, there was no chance for dissention among their ranks and there was a complete harmony and unity of thought and action, such as befits the class that feeds and clothes the world.

In direct contrast to another body which is now in session in Texas, presumably to aid the farmers in their plight, the national meeting did not play politics, employ dilatory tactics to consume valuable time, nor turn loose a flood of oratory, but with a thorough understanding and concerted thought, they offered valuable suggestions and passed resolutions looking to the relief of the farming class.

Midland College.

Midland College is becoming every day, for the students are taking the shorthand and bookkeeping courses and are telling their friends about it. You would be surprised to see the work. Any

What She Said of Her New Auto.

This is what an automobile salesman says about her new car after she had had all the details explained to her by the talkative salesman; she was trying to tell her girl friend the advantages about the new car.

"My car," she said "is the very latest 1915 model and is equipped throughout with imported annular ball bearings. It has a lean-line body, dispatchable and demountable rims, epileptic springs in front and flatiron springs in the rear, full sloping rear axle, most infernal expanding brakes, electric stopper and starter, autocratic glass front uniced power plant, flash jubilation, tree point detention, sailor radiator, three speeds horrid and one perverse, amateur on dash board, gasoline tank asleep sixty-mile speedy greeter, aggravated ebony rim on spearing reel, sliding near transfusion, licorice lights and horn, trimmers in headlights, frigid suspenders, hand-cuffed leather upholstery dipping curtains, bar type foot rest, and many other latest susceptibilities.

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Country School Statistics For Texas

Austin, Tex., Aug. 10.—Data compiled by the State Department of Education shows that there are 8,500 country schools in Texas and 6,500 of them 1 teacher institution. Two thousand are maintained less than five months each year and three hundred for less than three months in the year. The average length of the term of the country school in Texas is only 119 days. In Texas there are 505,963 white children between the ages of 7 and 17 years living in the country and only 415,633 of them are enrolled in the public schools, leaving 90,330 white girls and boys on the Texas farms that do not attend school.

The average daily attendance for the year 1912 was 257,000 and the average daily absence was 249,000. Forty-six out of every one hundred farm children in Texas do not attend school.

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Your Druggist guarantees to return your money if Hunt's Cure fails to cure skin disease.—Itch, Eczema, Tetter, Ringworm and all other forms of skin disease. Also fine for piles, old sores. Costs nothing if it fails to cure. Give it a trial.

WHY WEAK LUNGS?

The toll of tuberculosis is claiming more than 350 victims every day in the United States, yet few realize their grave condition until the critical period arrives. Overwork, worry, weakness after sickness, catarrh, bronchitis, tender throats—all exert the weakening influence that invites consumption.

To guard against consumption, thousands of people take Scott's Emulsion after meals because its rich medicinal nourishment strengthens the lungs, puts vigor in the blood, and upbuilds strength to resist tuberculosis. Scott's Emulsion is nature's strength-builder. Refuse substitutes.

SELF FEED STORE

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in my home." For constipation, indigestion, headache, dizziness, malaria, chills and fever, biliousness, and all similar ailments, Thedford's Black-Draught has proved itself a safe, reliable, gentle and valuable remedy.

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