

The O'Donnell Index

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O'DONNELL, LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS, OCT. 9, 1925

No. 3

Two Thousand Cotton Pickers Needed In O'Donnell Territory At Once

Cadmean Chautauqua Under Auspices Boy Scouts and School

Beginning next Sunday, the Cadmean Chautauqua will be here for four days showing under the auspices of the Boy Scouts. Twenty business men have signed a contract guaranteeing \$200 for seven performances, but they have turned the entire proposition over to the scouts and the public schools. The boys will receive all over a certain amount taken in and they are very hopeful of making a tidy sum and are determined to put over the sale of the tickets in a big way. Rev. J. Wood Parker is chairman of the ticket sales and is superintending the drive.

Every patriotic citizen of the town and surrounding country should rally around the boys and encourage them in their efforts to benefit not only themselves, but everyone as well, by bringing a chautauqua to town. You will get your money's worth at the chautauqua, besides you will be helping in a worthy cause. Buy a ticket and attend.

Following is the program:

Sunday evening—A Trip to Melody Land, by the Loveless Quartette.

Monday afternoon—Odds and Ends from the Stage, by the Avalon Players, and a lecture The Joy of the Job, by E. Jefferson Gardner.

Monday evening—A Three Act Comedy, Cross Words, by the Avalon Players.

Tuesday afternoon—A Joyous Half Hour, by the Marimba Serenaders, and a lecture, Facts and Fancies, by F. J. Powell.

Tuesday evening—A Musical Treat, by the Marimba Serenaders.

Wednesday afternoon—Brief Hits from Broadway, by The Berkley Players.

Wednesday evening—An all star cast playing Her Temporary Husbands.

Hardberger Selling Land

While here this week R. E. Hardberger announced that he had sold his interest in the Hardberger Brothers Gins to his brother, J. H. Hardberger, and that he has engaged in the real estate business, making his headquarters in Levelland. He reports considerable activity in that section and stated that he had sold seventeen labors in the last three weeks. He believes that that country has great opportunities to offer the home seeker and invites all his friends to visit him and look the country over. On the land he purchased there last fall, he says his tenant will make two tons of maize and a bale and a half of cotton to the acre. R. E. is a hustler and we predict he will make a success of the land business.

O'Donnell Mercantile Reports Splendid Sale

The O'Donnell Mercantile Company have been conducting a Bargain Sale the past week and the store has been thronged with buyers. The proprietors, Messrs. Painter and Wagner state that their sales of last Saturday were greater than on any day since they have been in business the problem of handling the shoppers was great, at times it looked like they would have to employ a doorkeeper to hold the people back.

It was estimated that last Saturday's crowd was greater than any day during the history of O'Donnell, it being almost impossible to push through the throng of shoppers. All the merchants report a good day for trade.

On account of the scarcity of pickers, the gins have not been running full capacity this week, only 600 bales having been gined since last Thursday night when a total of 606 was reported.

Farmers state that they never saw cotton open so rapidly as it has in the past few days, the warm sunshine causing the bolls to burst and spread a mantle of white over the fields. In many instances more than a quarter of a bale to the acre is being gathered at the first picking and in a few instances as much as a half has been reported.

Two thousand cotton pickers could find employment in the O'Donnell country for six or eight weeks and unless something is done to secure them, there is a chance that the farmers will suffer a loss should there be stormy weather.

Thursday morning opened with a heavy fog which retarded picking until noon. The buyers were still paying above the market quotation, there being quite a lively scramble to buy every bale at from 23.50 to 23.75.

Curb and Gutter Work on Streets Under Way

The large gang of laborers engaged in placing the curbs and gutters on the streets gives the town a very busy appearance these days. The contractors began pouring concrete Tuesday on 9th street and in a few days grading to a street level will be under way.

Resident Engineer W. B. Wells has about finished the surveying and is watching the concrete work to see that it is carried out according to specifications. There is no guess work about the placing of the drainage gutters and the height of the curb, as it is being done under the guidance of a man who is regarded as one of the best engineers in this line of work in the state.

The grader has been busy this past week on the streets in the residence section of the town and they are being placed in excellent shape.

O'Donnell is moving along out of the bog-hole class of towns and the first thing anybody knows we will have streets people will come a long way to drive over.

Work on Everett Brick to Start Next Monday

C. O. Lawler has the contract for the construction of the J. Y. Everett building on Doak street and states that the work on the foundation will start Monday. The building will be of brick and tile and will fill the gap between the Sanderson building and that of the Carlise & Company's store. This will close all of Block A on the west side except the Sanderson and Tucker lots and it is expected that they will be occupied with buildings within the next few weeks.

Tahoka Ladies Working to Secure County Health Nurse

Popular Young Couple Marry

A pretty little wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sanders Sunday morning at 8:30 o'clock when Miss Lois Lochaby was married to Frank Shumake. Rev. W. A. Kercheville performing the ceremony that united the happy young couple. Only the immediate family was present.

The bride is a cousin of Mr. and Mrs. Sanders and has made her home with them practically all her life and was loved by them as a daughter. She is also a niece of Mrs. Gillespie, who also makes her home with the Sanders family. Lois is a dear sweet girl and has many friends in O'Donnell.

Mr. Shumake is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Shumake and is regarded as one of the town's brightest young men and is associated with his father in farming and ranching.

Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for a short visit in San Angelo and upon their return will be at home to their friends at a home already provided in the south part of town. They have the best wishes of a host of friends for a long and happy life.

Miss Hagquist of Austin, of the State Health Department, and Miss Bruskner, Lubbock county's health nurse, were visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Clyde Frost made a trip to Stanton this week to visit her son, Clyde, Jr., who is attending school at that place.

Mrs. Paul Miller and Mrs. Robert Singleton, both of Tahoka, were in O'Donnell Wednesday interviewing the business men and Superintendent Rickard in regards to securing a county health nurse for Lynn county. The ladies met with a hearty response from all whom they talked and were assured that O'Donnell would not be found wanting in giving every aid possible in securing this much needed service.

The ladies stated that if quick action was taken the state would pay \$1,500 on the salary of a nurse for a year, provided the county would pay the additional expenses, but this liberal offer is open only for a short time. Other progressive counties have secured the services of a public health nurse and Lynn county should do likewise.

It would be the duties of a public nurse to visit each school in the county and give individual inspection of each pupil, filling in a blank showing the condition of the child's health for the inspection of the parents and family physician and in case of a defect, the child can be treated. It is also the duties of a public nurse to instruct the people on home sanitation, the source of many diseases, also classes in home nursing and first aid to the injured will be formed and instructions given to girls between the ages of 11 to 15. Mothers will be advised as to the proper care of children as to diet and defects of eyes, ears and throat. A public nurse is your nurse and my nurse and she will always be ready to respond to give her skillful help in stamping out contagious diseases and giving her advice freely in preventing diseases.

Lynn county should have a public health nurse and each citizen should write the Commissioners Court and urge it to not let this opportunity pass of securing the services of one.

To Prove

that you really can save, keep a list of the money you spend for a week. Then add the unnecessary amounts and you will have the total that you might have saved. Secure your future financial independence by opening an account at this bank.

No Depositor ever lost a Dollar in a State Guaranty Fund Bank in Texas.

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O'Donnell, Texas

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B. J. BOYD, Mgr.

BANK STATEMENT

No. 1264
Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

First State Bank

At O'Donnell, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 28th day of Sept., 1925, published in the O'Donnell Index a newspaper printed and published at O'Donnell, State of Texas, on the 8th day of October, 1925.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security.....	\$175,273.31
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good.....	281.32
Real estate (banking house).....	6,974.40
Furniture and Fixtures.....	7,050.00
Cash on hand.....	7,171.08
Due from approved reserve agents.....	16,861.62
Due from other Banks, and Bankers, subject to check on demand..	876.93
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	1,378.60
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	4,563.93
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange, undoubtedly good. Cotton.....	12,608.26
Other Resources. Cash Items.....	1,552.48
Total.....	\$234,591.93

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock.....	\$25,000.00
Certified Surplus Fund.....	300.00
Undivided Profits, net.....	2,604.65
Individual Deposits, subject to check on which no interest is paid.....	158,983.22
Time Certificates of Deposit.....	3,990.11
Public Funds on Deposit:	
State.....	\$1,038.96
City.....	421.56
School.....	2,258.43
Total.....	23,713.95
Bills Payable.....	20,000.00
Total.....	\$234,591.93

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Lynn)
We, Jno. S. Fritz, as President, and A. W. Gibbs, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JNO. S. FRITZ, President.
A. W. GIBBS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Oct., A. D. 1925.

BEN T. BROWN,
Notary Public,
Lynn County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:
J. F. CAMPBELL.
H. C. FROST,
F. M. TOWNZEN
Directors.

The Ladies W. M. U., met in regular session Monday afternoon at the Baptist church, the lesson being taken from the Book of Job. They reported a most enjoyable as well as profitable meeting. The membership continues to grow and more interest is manifested by all at each successive meeting.

BLUE BUGS?

Feed MARTIN'S POULTRY TONE to your chickens and paint your hen house with MARTIN'S ROOST PAINT to kill and keep away insects. Money back. Guaranteed. By Haney Drug Co.

Miss Winnie Hyde of Wilson, has accepted the position of book-keeper at the John Hardberger Gins.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce to the public that I have purchased the interest of my brother, R. E. Hardberger, in the Hardberger Gins and in the future will operate the same alone. I want all our customers to continue to patronize my gins and extend an invitation to all to give me a trial.

All the machinery has been thoroughly overhauled and is in perfect working order, besides much new machinery has been installed, making my gins equal to any to be found in the country. Yours for a prosperous season.
J. H. Hardberger.

Bell Burleson received an offer this week to go to Mexico as manager of a large ranch for an American syndicate. The contact calls for a three years' job at \$5,000 per year. He has not decided to accept the offer. He

says he is getting all the excitement that is due him from raising cotton.

W. V. Tolbert reports the sale of twenty head of young Percheron mares and horses to the McLaurin Brothers out of a recent shipment from Oklahoma. This stock will be used on the large farm the McLaurins operate

west of town. Mr. Tolbert left this week to bring in another car load of work stock.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Guye of Lubbock, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Alter Sunday.

FOR SALE - 200 -
Quarter-section of land situated 10 miles north of Melrose, N. M., unimproved, all tillable. Will sell for \$2,000, will take part in trade. See J. E. Calcote or Clyde Jones, O'Donnell, Texas.

Treat Your Feet Right.

If your shoes are worn out, get them repaired. If your feet sweat, we have the cure for them. If your feet hurt, we will get you a pair of arch supports that will relieve your troubles. Did you know that 65 per cent of rheumatism is caused from your feet? We will examine your feet free any time. All work guaranteed and patronage appreciated.

WIMBERLY & PUGH
Shoe and Harness Shop

Horses and Mules For Sale

I wish to announce that I will have a car of the finest young Percheron Mares and Horses

here from OKLAHOMA for sale in a few days

Those wanting good young work stock should not fail to see what I will have to offer. See the stock at my corral

W. V. Tolbert

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Good Lumber
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Lumber, Builders Hardware, Wind Mills, Wire, Post Paint and "NIGGER HEAD COAL"
DON EDWARDS, Mgr.

6% FARM LOANS 6%
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Why pay more Why pay more

UNLIMITED FUNDS

Debt paid in 33 years.
Your mortgage never comes due.
It just dies a natural death.

No commission charged the borrower on these loans.

Also loans for building business houses and residences.

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O'Donnell, Texas

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Fresh and Cured Meats
Bread, Ice and Vegetables
Fresh Barbecue Every Day
Orders promptly delivered.
W. J. SHOOK, Prop.

As Dainty as Nature---

Our complexion creams, lotions and other cosmetics are as dainty and refreshing as nature. They blend in a manner that almost defies detection.

Perfect Compounding---

Compounding prescriptions is the one part of the Druggist's work that requires the utmost training and skill in the use of drugs. We believe you will be satisfied with our ability along these lines.

Haney Drug Co.

Our Motto: DRUGS and SERVICE

BUY LAND NOW

If you are not investing your money in South Plains Lands, you are wasting a valuable opportunity to ride to success.

I wish to announce to my friends and the public in general that I am specializing in the sale of lands in the heart of the finest farming country on the plains. This land is located around Levelland, Hockley county, and a visit to this country will convince you that these lands are the best and cheapest to be found.

Come to Levelland and visit me at my office or wire or write me what you want.

R. E. HARDBERGER
LEVELLAND, TEXAS

Sweaters

Our line of Sweaters, for the whole family, is complete. We have all the latest styles and the best materials.

Hamilton-Brown Shoes



Our stock of Shoes for men women and children is the largest that we have ever had and you are sure to find a pair that will satisfy you as to size, style and price.

"We Keep the Quality Up"

Carlisle & Co.

In New Home

The Lynn County Motor Company is planning a big day for O'Donnell on their opening day, which will be held some time soon. The company is now in its new brick on the corner of Ninth and Doak streets and much of the machinery has been installed. Large shipments of accessories are received daily and the steel bins are being filled with every part that goes in the makeup of a Ford car, truck or tractor.

Watch for the opening announcement of this firm as it is going to be something out of the ordinary and in which it is desired to have the entire town and country participate.

AT THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

W. A. Kercheville, (Minister)
Preaching Service Sunday, 11th.
11:00 a. m. and 7:30 respectively
Bible classes begin promptly at 10:00 a. m.

WE—WELCOME—YOU

Remember October 11-14.

BIG SALE

Will continue several days

Everything in the store at
Greatly Reduced Prices

100 lbs Sugar Given Away

Saturday Afternoon at 5 o'clock

Save your sales slips the clerk gives you. Each slip will give you one chance on the 100 lbs. sugar.

Big Saving in Every Purchase

O'Donnell Mercantile Co.

New Studio

WE are opening a Studio Soon in the rear of the Economy Store and will appreciate your Portrait and Kodak work.

Specialize in Portraits, Kodak Finishing, Enlarging, Copying, lantern slides and oil paintings.

New Line of Fall and Winter Mountings

Look for opening date soon. Come in and see our work

WAFFLE'S STUDIO

Makers of Fine Portraiture O'Donnell, Texas

Car Load of Flour

We Have Just Received a Car Load of

**Gold Medal
Flour**

You will use this flour eventually,
Why Not Now?

It Is Regarded As the BEST After
a Long Test

To someone entering our store between 3:30 and 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon we will give away absolutely FREE ONE SACK OF GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

The announcement of the winner will be made promptly at 5 o'clock. Be there

GROCERIES: DRYGOODS

We Invite Your Trade

BROWN BROS.

New Location

We have moved into our new building on the southwest corner of Block A and are rapidly getting our stock in place. Within a few days we will be in a position to give you the best service obtainable anywhere.

Furniture

Our large stock of furniture is rapidly being unpacked and put on display in our large store. You will find in our stock only the best of house furnishings obtainable anywhere and the prices are reasonable.

We specialize in
Bed Room and Dining Room Suits
Floor Coverings

NEW PERFECTION
Oil Cook Stoves and Ovens



Headquarters for—

**New Perfection
Oil Cook Stoves**

The best that money can buy.

Hardware

Our stock of shelf and heavy hardware is one of the largest on the South Plains and no matter what you may need in this line, you are sure to find it in our store.

**E. A. Jones Hardware
and Furniture Co.**

Southwest Corner of Block A

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Roberts formerly of Runnels county, but now of Dawson county, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baker Saturday night and Sunday.

G. P. and J. E. Pate of Los Angeles, Calif., visited their daughter and sister respectively,

Mrs. Clyde Frost, this week. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Overstreet.

A. E. Alter motored over to Roswell, N. M., Monday of last week where he met Mrs. Alter who had been in California for some time. The returned Tuesday.

IN NEW QUARTERS

The E. A. Jones Hardware Company moved into its new quarters in the new Doak brick building on the corner of Doak and Ninth streets Wednesday and will have their opening day Saturday.

The building is 50 by 110, well lighted and when the stock is thoroughly displayed, the store will present a metropolitan appearance. The new stock of furniture is being unpacked and will occupy the rear and north side of the store, while the south side will be devoted to hardware.

M. P. White and N. L. Jones, the managers, are proud of their new quarters and they want every citizen of the town and surrounding country to visit them. A rest room will be provided and it will be a good place to take your family for a rest from shopping.

KIBBE ELECTED MAYOR

At the city election held Tuesday for the selection of mayor, there were 156 votes cast of which C. T. Kibbe received 112 and E. T. Russell got 44. The voting was much heavier than anticipated as very little interest was displayed, both candidates being good and capable men.

Now that Mr. Kibbe is our new mayor it behooves every citizen to get behind him and make O'Donnell a better place in which to live. There is much to be done and the mayor is helpless unless he has the moral and physical support of all.

MARRIED

Cards were received this week announcing the marriage of Geo. D. Wade of Sweetwater, to Miss Janie Louise Yeatts, daughter of Mrs. E. D. Yeatts of the Newmore community.

Mr. Wade was formerly an employee of the Lynn County Motor Company, later operating a garage for himself. He is well known here and has many friends.

The bride resided in O'Donnell for several months, going to Lamesa from here where she has been assistant to County Agent and Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce Watson for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade will reside in Sweetwater and will be at home to their friends after October the tenth.

WANTED—Fresh Jersey cow. Absolutely will not have a cow that gives 12 or 15 gallons per day. What I want is a fresh Jersey Cow and no Bull.
B. O. McGonagill

Rooms for Rent—Two nice rooms, one front, for rent very reasonable. See Mrs. I. M. Wright.

NOTICE—Prompt attention given your kodak work at Waffles Studio, O'Donnell Texas, located at rear of Economy Store.

Rev. J. Wood Parker announces that there will be a district conference of the young people of the Presbyterian church held at Lamesa, beginning tonight and continuing over Sunday. It is expected that a number will attend from O'Donnell.

O'Donnell is to have a new dry goods store. Cecil Able came in this week from Lamesa and leased the building formerly occupied by the E. A. Jones Hardware Company and will open in a few days with a large stock of dry goods and gents' furnishings.

Mules for Sale—Span of 4 year old mules for sale at a bargain. See O. R. Blackwood.

New Hats and Dresses

Arriving Every Day
Come in and see them
We are headquarters for
MILLINERY
O'Donnell Style
Shoppe
Mrs. S. D. Singleton, Prop.

The Home of—

Newton Farm Wagons

We have just received a large shipment of

Boys' Wagons

Singleton Store

You Can Make a

BIG SAVING

By buying your fall and winter clothing now.

We are making the right prices on

HEAVY FLANNEL SHIRTS, HEAVY UNDERWEAR, LEATHER and DUCK JACLETS, SWEATEAS, OVERCOATS, ALL KINDS OF OUTDOOR WORK CLOTHES

Visit our store and be convinced that we can save you money

M. Silverman Dry Goods

Have you seen our new SELLERS KITCHEN CABINETS

They are the last word in kitchen conveniences and every home should be equipped with one. Come in and let us show you the new way.

Hot Blast and Oak Heaters Laundry Stoves

Everything in Hardware and Furniture

We give Gold Bond Stamps

Mansell Bros. Hardware Co.

Every Day Is

BARGAIN DAY

At P. H. NORTHGROSS' STORE

Peter Pan Gingham

In a variety of Shades and Colors are offered at ridiculously low prices. I want you to see them.

Gents and Misses Novelty Sweaters, They are stylish and are the very thing for warmth

Also a nice line of

Children's Sweater Coats

Fine for School and Outdoor. Make your kiddies comfortable

Boys Long Pants : Cotton Ducking

Ladies House Dresses . \$1.35

Sale Going on every day

P. H. Northcross

The Old Reliable

Brown's Gin

We have placed an advertisement in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram for 1000 Cotton Pickers at once for O'Donnell.

We also wired the Chamber of Commerce at Austin and other points for Cotton Pickers.

If you are in need of pickers we will help you all we can to get them.

See me at my gin office.

A. D. Brown

We Want Your Ginning

6% FARM LOANS

Why pay more interest when you can secure a First Trust Joint Stock Land Bank loan with 33 years to pay. It does not cost one penny to make application, neither do you have to join any association nor be subject to assessment when you secure a loan through me. I am the only one authorized by the First Trust Joint Stock Land Bank to make loans in Dawson County, so do not be misled, get the facts direct and save time and expense. It costs you nothing to investigate.

M. SHAW
Abstracts Loans
Real Estate
Shaw Bldg. LAMESA, TEXAS

COTTON PATCH By Farmer

I don't know what kind of weather we are going to have next week, but no matter what kind it is it won't satisfy some folks.

It's a great life. The coal miners are still sleeping until noon.

Good enough.

Never talk back to a woman. It takes too long for your turn to speak.

On your way, Sid.

Summer is just like a fellow with a bum hand in a poker game—passing.

Not so bad,

There's no tailor in the world who can do any patching when a man breaks confidence.

No alibi.

NOTICE—I will sell or trade or lease my 4 section ranch 50 miles west of Brownfield, in New Mexico. Two sections as patented land, balance lease. Will sell part or all cheap. Write or see H. H. Harris the apple man, Slaton, Texas.

Lucky Thirteen Club Meeting

A golden autumn afternoon, a hospitable home, a gracious hostess, what more could one ask for in the way of a pleasant social intercourse? The meeting of The Lucky Thirteen Club with Mrs. E. L. Sorrels on Friday last was all this and more. The rooms were made gay and festive with roses of stately zinnias and bowls of gay cosmos, dancing like graceful ladies in the gentle breeze.

After a short business session in which night parties for the fall and winter were discussed, four tables were arranged and nine rounds of "42" were

zestfully participated in. After scores were counted and compared, Mrs. E. T. Wells was found to be the lucky wearer of the club pin for the next two weeks.

After the cessation of games covers were laid and delectate plates of tuna sandwiches pineapple salad, date loaf, cheese balls and ice tea were passed.

The occasion was made especially pleasant in that two of the former members, Mrs. A. A. House and Mrs. C. M. Cox, of Portales, N. M., were among the guests. Others present were Mesdames A. W. Gibbs, E. T. Wells H. E. Everett, C. I. Kuykendal, J. P. Bowlin, B. J. Boyd, L. D. Tucker, Bert Bailey, Albert Koening, T. C. Brown,

E. L. Sorrels, Morris Sanderson, C. T. Kibbe, D. A. Baggett, and Miss Willie Schooler.

M. P. White took the day off Wednesday and visited the Lubbock fair.

FRESH FISH—Cat and Trout, every Tuesday and Friday. J. F. Eubanks Grocery.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom, private entrance. See Mrs. W. E. Dickinson.

It Is Better To Be Safe Than Sorry—

Insure your business with a home concern. You will get some of your money back. Send your money away and it is gone forever. We represent only the best companies in the insurance business. We are here to stay.

A. C. FAIRLEY LAND COMPANY

A. C. Fairley D. H. McDaniel J. D. Fairley

BLUE FRONT STORE

Live and Let Live Prices

Light Crust Flour
Fresh Groceries

We buy Eggs and Chickens

2 cans Prince Albert - - 25c

Texas Gas and Oils, Inner Tubes and Patches for your car

We have bargains. Come and see.

R. L. Barrett & Sons

NEWMORE

Is Your Car Balky?

Bring it to us or Call and we will come and put it in First-Class shape.

We have expert mechanics for your service.

Russell's Garage

Fisk Tubes, Tires, Tools and Accessories.

n were chosen from the bre class as leaders of the ad. Now watch the pep pep.

e Dell Busby gave a party night for the home foot- s. the Wilson team and o squad. The Wilson however, was the only n Wilson that attended. ere seventy-five present. ne had a wonderful time.

EVENTH GRADE

ave accomplished much ast Monday We have upils who are on the hon- for perfect attendance. re: J. Y. Everett, L. J. Fay Heathington, Mary es, Lowell Pugh, Warren Penelope Etter, Dock Men Yandill, Johnnie nez Edwards. Beverly laude Tate, Vicor Sikes, Russell. We only have pil; Mary Joe Gates, but e several more who are upils.

st program the seventh last Friday. We were ave Mrs. Edwards to Friday afternoon. The was as follows: 1. Song 2. Debate—Resolved inia shall have Kent Is- ad of Maryland. andill, Warren Smith, n the negative, CECIAL ulph Beach debated on ative. 3. Reading by l Williams. 4. Jokes e Etter. 5. Reading oster The judges for were Delbert Fleming, athington, Johnnie ch Popplewell being



Cement maker takes a leaf from cook book

Any expert cook knows that kneading is one of the most important parts of good bread-making—that it is the thorough mixing of the moist dough that makes her baking a real success. Otherwise, the pure, rich ingredients—even when baked in a perfect oven at the correct heat—will come out a poor, soggy loaf of bread.

Cement making is much the same. Perfect blending or 'kneading' is the only way to obtain high quality.

In the LONE STAR mill, the final kneading action occurs within giant blending tanks; 9-foot multiple paddles stir and restir the mixture, hundreds of times horizontally. Then the material is tested, corrected and retested until it is 99.9% perfect.

Scientific methods are employed in every stage of the International Wet-Blending Process. From beginning to end guesswork has been eliminated.

Result: A super-grade cement which has established a new record for uniformity. Yet LONE STAR cement costs no more.

It carries our unqualified endorsement.

SORRELS LUMBER COMPANY
O'DONNELL

HIGGINBOTHAM-BARTLETT LBR. CO.
O'DONNELL

Ask us for cost figures and other facts on repairs, improvements and construction of any kind. Valuable information supplied without obligation.

Sees the Error of His Ways

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newman and children arrived at Newmoore last Friday from Alice. Mr. Newman says that he and his family could have lived in South Texas and made a living and been fairly happy with their surroundings had not the Index been a weekly visitor in their home. With each visit it carried stories of this wonderful country and it finally woke them up to the fact that they were wasting their lives in that country, and so they are here, to stay.

Mr. Newman assisted in the selling of the Slash L ranch and left here last February and now sees his mistake in so doing. He says O'Donnell is the fastest growing town in Texas and he believes it has the making of a fine little city.

Miss Inez Jones of Roscoe, is spending a few weeks as the guest of Rev. W. L. Henderson and family.

TO THE HOMESEEKER
We have 10,000 acres of good improved land to sell on the crop payment plan.
THE O'DONNELL LAND CO.

Missionary Society Entertained

The members of the Missionary society were entertained by Mrs. S. G. French and Mrs. E. S. Scrimshire Monday evening of last week. The invitation of each guest required them come dressed as a little girl and by 8 o'clock twenty-four had assembled, each trying to make-believe she was the cutest one present.

Mrs. Don Edwards who was dressed to represent the "nice" little girl of the town ran Mrs. W. C. Hart a close race in being the "nicest" followed closely by Mrs. Belle Knight, who kept remarking; "my mover dresses me in silk from head to foot," and kept her little nose in the air and her skirts drawn away from the more plainly dressed children.

Every crowd has its favorites, one of them being the little girl from New York. Mrs. P. E. Gillespie with long curly hair and bells on.

Another little girl weighing around 150 pounds continually interrupted the conversation by repeating "my mama's going to take me to Hot Springs for my health;" Mrs. J. P. Bowlin with her hair in curls and a spankin' brand new dress, disgusted the other little girls by declaring her dress "came all the way from Lubbock."

Mrs. J. T. Johnson was agreed upon as the baby of the party, being the youngest member of the Society, and quite like a pretty child she appeared, by being dressed in a baby blue dress, with white shoes and hose and her hair curled, with a big bow tied on.

Mrs. B. C. Elmore and Mrs. Roy Gibson were rivals to the hostess in being beautiful little girls, with their pretty white dresses, and curls, and quaint remarks Mrs. A. A. House, in her remarkable way of impersonation, was indeed the little girl just from Huston, to crow in unison with the other little city girls, over Mrs. Harvey Everett and Mrs. Hart who came from Gail and were proud of the fact.

Mrs. Jeff Shook and Mrs. R. H. Painter, Mrs. J. N. Lines and Mrs. Jake Gates formed a selfish quote and were almost to stuck up to mix well with the rest. However Mrs. Gates brought tears (of laughter) to the eyes of every one by a pathetic reading about "the little birds being taken from their mothers." Mrs. C. C. Jones and Mrs. W. E. Dickenson created a scream, when they arrived, having plaited their hair with wire in the plaits, causing each plait to stand out straight with bows on the ends, and large red freckles painted on their faces, however most of Mrs. Jones's freckles had almost all disappeared by the time the party was over, upon being asked what had become of them she replied, "buttermilk took them off." Mrs. Dickenson wanted to know how many times she had to apply it and was told that she did not apply it; she drank it.

Among the other girls were, Mrs. L. L. Busby, and in trying to say her speech about Jack Horner, she kept him sitting in the corner until Mrs. Estes finished it for her. Mrs. Holtzclaw and Mrs. S. G. Hunt were declared to be the most original, while in a contest for the prettiest little girl, Mrs. W. B. Hicks and Mrs. B. C. Elmore tied for the honor, but in the runoff, Mrs. Hicks proved the winner and was presented with a large stick of

stuffed candy. Delicious sandwiches, angle food cake and olives, were served for refreshments and with a stick of candy tied with a bow of ribbon for favors. Mrs. E. K. Light, Mrs. French's mother charmingly assisted the hostesses to entertain.

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Probably the best index to future deliveries of these cars is found in enrollments in the Ford Weekly Purchase plan, which have shown a remarkable increase since the cars made their appearance.

This increase was first noticed the last ten days of August, during which the announcement of cars was made. In that period enrollments under the plan reached a total of 13,167 and in the ten days following, the first in September, the number of new purchasers under the plan totaled 16,024.

Those enrolled under the plan at the time the improved cars were announced all benefited by the change, for they will receive the new types and will be given preference when they desire delivery of cars.

More than 175,000 are enrolled under the plan and with others coming in at the rate of 1,600 a day it will not be long before the enrollment list will exceed 200,000.

Those who are ordering cars under the plan at the present time for the most part contemplate delivery either during the coming holiday season or for early spring next year.

FRESH FISH—Cat and Trout, every Tuesday and Friday. J. F. Eubanks Grocery.

The Womans Missionary Society meet Monday afternoon in regular session with twenty members present. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Pierce and the reports were made by the different officers. The society voted that another box of clothing be asked for this week and sent Friday to the Wesley Home at Thurber.

For Sale—Godevils, Tractors, Cotton Wagons and Trucks for sale at real bargain prices. See M. C. Hamilton.

W. H. Tennyson has accepted a position in the post office at Lubbock and left with his family for that city Wednesday. Mr. Tennyson taught the Randall school last year and is well known here.

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J. H. B. Kyle was made happy this week by the arrival of his sons, George S. and Jim Kyle, of Joplin, Mo. They have sold out their store in Joplin and are here to stay. They will invest in Southplains lands and will become identified with the growth of the country. When they began reading the Index a year ago we predicted that they would soon be won over.

A telegram was received Monday by Mrs. J. F. Shook stating that her step-mother, Mrs. C. A. Gates, had died at Robert Lee. Mrs. Gates was 92 years of age at the time of her death and had lived at Robert Lee many years. Mrs. Shook was unable to attend the funeral, but her sons, J. W. and Marvin Shook went down Monday evening. Besides Mrs. Shook, deceased is survived by J. W. Gates, a step-nephew of this place.

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There will be a meeting of the Cemetery Association at the Odd Fellows Hall next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All those interested in the local cemetery are urged to attend this meeting.

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Newmoore Couple Wed

Miss Gladys Yeates and L. D. Aldridge were happily married at the Baptist parsonage Saturday evening, Rev. W. K. Horn performing the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Yeatts, who reside in the Newmoore community and is well known in O'Donnell. Mr. Aldridge is also a resident of Newmoore, having operated a farm there for the past two years. The contracting parties have the best wishes of a host of friends for a long and happy life.

O'Donnell's Chautauqua will be educational and highly entertaining. Don't miss it.

McClung Improving

Work on the foundation of the McClung Hotel annex was stated Thursday morning and the work will be rushed to completion. Charley Smith has the contract and he says he will have the building ready for occupancy by Monday week.

Temporarily the kitchen will be moved to the east of the building and the table service will not be interfered with. The new dining room will be double the size of the present one and is being built with a view of making it headquarters for banquets and dinner parties.

Chautauqua tickets can be obtained at the Corner Drug Store.

Hardberger Brothers Dissolve Partnership

By mutual consent the Hardberger Brothers dissolved partnership this week and in the future the gins will be operated by J. H. Hardberger, his brother R. E. Hardberger retiring to engage in the real estate business.

In purchasing the gins, Mr. Hardbergs states that he feels equal to the task of operating the gins in the same manner that has characterized them as being among the best in the country during the past years and asks that all the former customers continue to give him their support and invites new ones to give him a trial.

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Dual Recital to Be Given by Music and Expression Pupils

The expression pupils of Mrs. W. A. Kercheville and the music pupils of Mrs. A. W. Gibbs will appear in a dual recital tonight, Friday, at the High School Auditorium to which everyone is invited. This will be the pupils' first appearance this season and is said they have progressed wonderfully during the time they have been in training. No admission will be charged. Following is the program:

PART I

Flitting Butterflies.....	W. Rolfe.....	Alice Joy Bowlin
Robin.....	Lanier)	
Naughty Claude.....	Smith)	Sidney G. French
At the Dinner Table.....	Bennett.....	Louise Edwards
The Kittens.....	Unknown.....	Johnnie Merle Smith
To the Dinner.....	H. Engleman.....	Jim Ellen Wells
Bus.....	Unknown.....	Inez Edwards
A Whole Menagerie.....	Alice Carey.....	Mildred Singleton
Speaking Pieces.....		Myrtle Barber
Goblins.....	Turner.....	Ruth Terry
Did You Ever Stump Your Toe?.....		Jane Kercheville
Envy.....		Zell Fritz
Twins.....		J. Vernon Street

PART II

Orville Brown.....	Unknown.....	Della Bell Williams
Sully, the Rooster.....	Rowland.....	Laviena Fairley
Confirmed Old Maid.....	Unknown.....	Lois Nelson
So Was I.....	Hawker.....	Cecil Tredway
Captain of the Nine)		
Rejected.....		Kirby Musick
The Lady from Over the Rhine.....		Veda Shumake
Nellie's Gift.....	Robinson.....	Cathlyn Veazey
Fair Warning.....	French.....	Thornton Musick
Remending the Hen.....	Stout.....	Fay Tomlinson
The Dancing School.....	Blake.....	S. F. Singleton
Getting Information Out of Pa.....		J. C. Christopher
When the Teacher Gets Cross and the Dimples Go In.....		Bingham
		Mary Francis Northcross
Fradie Cat.....		
Fradie Cat's Sister)		
Murmuring Fountain.....	H. Cadmus.....	Sue Gates

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We asked for your support before the election and now we ask that you give it to us through the

term. Let us all see if we can make O'Donnell, a better place to live, a better place to raise our children, and the cleanest town in all the great West Texas.

A word to those who did not cast their ballot for me; We hold nought against you, as we are all entitled to our own vote and opinions, and hope that we will be of service to you in the future.

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