



# Odell Reporter

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ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR

## To Organize Watermelon

#### Farmers and Business Men to Meet. Planting and Growing of Melons to Be Discussed

Several of the farmers of this country and the business men of Odell realizing the productiveness of the soil here, and to what advantage watermelons could be grown and shipped, are planning to organize a Watermelon Growers Association, at this place. J. H. Petitt of Vernon, an experienced watermelon grower and shipper has agreed to furnish the seed to plant several acres, which will be on sale by one of the merchants at this place.

W. T. Collins, president of The Bank of Odell, in conversation with Mr. Petitt at Vernon last week, says: "Mr. Petitt will meet the farmers and business men here later, at an announced date, and the subject of growing the melons, and to what advantage they can be shipped with a profit to the buyer and producer with be discussed by him." .

hand in the growing of melons, sister of the deceased. they knowing that this would be means of making and bringing money into the country before the fall season opens up.

There is no question among them, but what the country is adapted to the growing of fine watermelons, and the people For week ending Feb. 24, 1912. that are interested in this proposition are eager to push the movement.

#### FOR SALE

A good sandy land farm, 11-2 miles of Doans. 127 monger \$20 \$1000 the edicultivation, \$1000 the rest will property in Chillicothe, Vernon, Crowell or Odell, balance of payment on ten years time at 10 per cent. Land all fenced with good improvements.

For farther information call at the Reporter office or see the post-mistress at Doans.

## **New Confection**ery to Be Opened

#### Growers Asso. With Up-to-date Ice Cream Parlor and Cold Drink Stand In Connection

and will, later on, put in a first house keeper. class confectionery and cold drink stand.

date confectionery, with new fixtures, out and out, with an ed, and his business will be so warmer days.

his tailoring business, this he intends to carry on in the rear end of his confectionery, just when he will open up his new business, he does not state just

expressed a willingness to take A. Holloway, Mrs. Flowers is a the May picnic.)

Miss Eva Williams of Chillicothe is visiting A. T. Tarter and wife this week.

#### Weekly Report Odell Public Schools.

INTERMEDIATE AND HIGH SCHOOL.

Total enrollment	15	22
Weekly attendance	12	20
Days present	61	98
Days absent	14	17
PRIMARY S	CHOO	L
Miss Irene F	lazard,	Teacher.
	Males	Females
Total enrollment	31	. 26
Weekly attendance	20	15
Days present	98	75
Days absent	57	55
Respec	etfully	,

J. R. Huie, Prin.

## Doans Dots

Doans was nearly depopulated last week, so many of our citizens attending the murder trial in Vernon.

Married, Sunday at the residence of and by C. F. Doan, Mr. P. C. Stroud and Miss Ethel A. H. Gearhart, engaged in Briscoe. The groom is the the tailoring business at this youngest son of J. M. Stroud, nite up to date stating that the place informs us that he has and has been raised here, and is Orient machine shops will be leased the W. C. Plunk building considered one of our best young moved here from Altus, should on the corner one door north of men. Miss Ethel is one of she fail to furnish the necessary B. D. Smith's hardware store, Doans' belles, and is a model amount of water, (which after

pectable place to accomodate fact the table groaned under its statement. the thirsty public the coming load of good things. Mr. and Odell's unlimited supply of Mrs. Stroud will for the present pure water, (free of gyp,) her

> her daughters-in-law, Mesdames ficials, that unless Altus comply-Heb and Tillman Stroud, enter- ed with her contract-the contained the wedding party Monday with an elegant dinner.

Several are sick with severe A. C. Flowers and wife re- colds, the writer of this is lookturned Sunday from Vernon ing very red eyed and red nosed the Nichols Boys trial, charged look as beautiful as a May morn- failure to find water has left Al- years in the penitentiary. Several of the farmers have with the murder of Constable C. ing (one of those mornings of tus in somewhat of a precarious

JOAN.

of the Nichols boys at Vernon them are bright. last week, returning home Sun-

## Odell For The **Orient Division**

#### Railroad Men and Citizens Of Altus Under That Impression

Although there is nothing defidrilling to a depth of 2113 feet, We predict for this young water has not yet been produccouple a very successful married ed.) But there is a prevailing This will be a new and up-to- life. After the ceremony the idea among the citizens of Altus young couple, accompained by and railroad men at that place, the relatives adjourned to the that the machine shops will be ice cream parlor neatly arrange residence of the brides father, moved to Odell later on, with I. T. Briscoe, where a delicious rumors continually coming to conducted that it will be a res- wedding supper was served, in this place, establishing this

Mr. Gearhart will still continue reside with the groom's father. location on the road, and the Mrs. J. M. Stroud, assisted by statement made by railroad oftract calling for a required to this would mean the removal February 22. of the Orient division to Odell.

condition, just what the railroad authorities will do, but predicts, should they be moved from Al-Jesse Smith attended the trial tus, Odell's prospects to land

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We refund railroad fare to anyone who buys a \$10.00 or better pair of spectacles. We guarantee satisfaction.

A trial is all we ask.

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Quincy Wilson, Prop. Chillicothe, Texas

#### Nichols Boys Trial

C. W. and J. C. Nichols, charged with the murder of Constable C. A. Holloway while attempting to arrest them at Doans crossing, Sunday, November 26, 1911, was brought to trial amount of water, her failure to in District Court at Vernon

C. W. Nichols was granted an This statement being made by acquittal by the jury, bis brothwhere they had been attending at present, but hopes soon to the Orient officials, and her er, J. C. Nichols was given two

> Miss May Salter, assistant teacher at the Haulk school visited homefolks at Vernon Saturday and Sunday, returning Sunday evening.

A. D. Gaines was a visitor at

# TO THE PUBLIC The Odell Lumber Co.

Has purchased the plant of the Big Jo Lumber Company, Realestate, Building and Stock, and the Big Jo

Lumber Company of Odell is no more.

In doing this, we find we are overstocked on several items, and to reduce this stock, we will make SPECIAL prices on it, which we will not quote in this ad, but come and see for yourself. Both companies find there is not business in Odell for two yard, and as one can be operated on less expense than two, we will give our customers the benefit IN PRICE.

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#### **Announcements**

Subject to the Democrat Primary Saturday, July 27, 1912.

For District Clerk

R. B. SHERRILL

Tax Collector R. V. PARR

H. A. (HUGH) HOOD

E. S. McElwee

For Tax Assessor:

L. E. RIDDLE. For County Clerk.

C. Q. (QUIT) CRAWFORD.

E. M. ROGERS.

For County Treasurer. R. W. (BOB) WALKER

For Public Weigher:

J. W. (JACK) KERR

For Public Weigher of Odell Precinct No. 10.

R. T. (BUD) DOOLEY.

GEO. B. NEWTON. J. W. WHITE

W. W. (WHIT) MATTHEWS

With the underground season that this country now has even old timers of Wilbarger are predicting 1912 a good crop year.

The people who are reared in any section of the country and never see much outside, are not the ones who prove to be the developers.

That Odell is not advertising herself as a trading point, you have only to be here and see the different faces almost every week coming here to trade.

cept the nomination of the Republican party if they nominate district terminal ground of the him at their convention, is no news, everybody knew he would.

Odell is now represented by almost every line of business, and has won a distinction as a trading point among the traveling men as the best town they make to its size.

With land as rich as the delta of the Nile and an abundance of water; a citizenship that cannot be surpassed and a climate that is extremely healthful, Texas welcomes the industrial man who is seeking a home.

Some candidates are between a sweat shake and shiver, just what to do, and what to say, from the debut of their political aspirations until either dumped in the slouch pond of defeat, or crowned with the laurels of victory, some come out; see their shadows and go back to wait a more favorable season, while others stay, and shake hands to the bitter end.

great advantage towards bringing up the oat crop that has been sown, as the continued warm days that we have been passing through this month had dried out considerably the season in the ground to a small depth.

among a whole lot of people is the idea that to show a sense of sympathy, or a feeling for one man of a disposition to rejoice over his brother's misfortune, whose life is one of envy, deceit and hypocracy, the world is beginning largely to reconize him as a man of weak mentality whose nature and disposition is more in accordance with that of a brute than that of a human being.

Roosevelt and Taft has at last been severed and burst asunder. That strong yielding and affectionate love he has had for him, that has been Taft's rock and shelter in the time of storm has at last turn trick. It has been Taft's staff and standby, an oracle through which Roosevelt has spoke to him for several years. Telling him to speak as he had spoke, to walk as he had walked, it was the means of placing Taft in the lime-light, and lifting him to the presidental chair. Roosevelt has said he will be a candidate for President if nominated at the Republican convention, and that cut the cord that has bound to hearts that has beat as one.

Altus is in a tight place from all indications. They have drilled for water, the depth being 2113 feet, and still it looks like a "desert"—the water proposition. That Roosvelt says he will ac- If Altus secures water it will mean that she will secure the Northwestern railroad and also hold on to the Orient. If she fails she is in a deplorable condition. We never miss the water till the well runs dry. This is one redeeming feature about Olustee. We have a sufficient supply of water here and the stream-Turkey Creek-which runs just a few blocks from town has never run dry in spite of the recent drouth. - Olustee (Okla.) Democrat.

Altus ought to move to Odell like the Orient is going to do soon, we have enough good water to supply three or four railroads and don't have to go over thirty feet to get it either.

#### On a Gift of the Bible

The following is from a mother to her son: "This book contains the mind of God, the state of men, the way of salvation, the doom of sinners and the happiness of believers. Its doctrines are holy, its histories are true and its decisions are immutable. Read it my son, to be wise, be-

The snow last week was a lieve it to be holy. It contains light to direct you, food to support you and comfort to cheer you. It is the traveler's way, the pilgrim's staff, the pilot's compass, the soldier's sword, and the Christian's charter. Here paradise is restored. Heaven opened and the gates of hell disclosed. Christ is the grand sub-A wrong empression prevails ject, our good its design and the glory of God its end. It should fill the memory, rule the heart and guide the feet. Read it slowly, frequently and prayfully. another is to show a sign of It is a mine of wealth, a paradise weakness, but when you see a of glory and a river of pleasure forever. It involves the highest responsibility, rewards the greatest labor and condemns all who trifle with its holy contents. It is given you in life, will be oper ed at judgment and will be remembered forever."

One of the worst fires of recent years turned 25 blocks of Houston into an ash bank on Wednesday. We heard that 1. K. Williams local cotton buyer, That love that has existed and lost much cotton in the blaze, been noticeable so long between but it was insured so the loss will not be so heavy. 53,000 bales of cotton went up in smoke. - Olustee (Okla.) Democrat.

> I. K. Williams is connected here with the firm of Williams Bros. dry goods store, of which Ward Baker is manager.

#### THE FOREIGN BORROWED DOLLAR Texas in Need of Outside Money. Idle Money

Money has measured the prosperity, directed the progress and contributed towards the happiness of the human race since civilization blossomed in the valley of the Nile. The ebb and flow of the world's currency moves the center of population; its current has swept civilization across continents and it has built empires in waste places.

Whether a dollar is borrowed or owned in fee simple, its purchasing power is the same and there is as much prosperity in a borrowed dollar that emigrates from foreign lands as there is in one taken from the farm, the mine or the factory. The following cut illustrates the difference in the effect upon our prosperity of money borrowed in Texas and money borrowed outside the State to finance development enter-



The dotted lines indicate a proposed railroad between Waco and Beaumont. If local capital builds the road, there will be no increase ir the State's wealth, as we will ther have simply transferred money from some other line of industry to railroading, but if the money for construction is setured from outside the State, then we have increased our wealth, as the investment is in fixed improvements and the property will always remain a part of the State. regardless of the residence of the owner. We have increased our property just as much so as if we had moved the State border line so as to take in a part of Louisians or Oklahoma. We have some idle money that if put to work, would contribute towards our prosperity, but no law can be made forcing investment and if the present opportunities will not appeal to owners of idle money, nothing short of the resurrection will stir them to activity. Texas must have outside money to develop her resources.

## GOOD ROADS



OUR MOTIVE POWER HAS IMPROVED FROM THE OXEN TO THE MOGUL.

The human event next in importance to the invention of the wheel was the development of motive power, beginning with the domestication of animals and gaining its greatest distance when metal was substituted for muscle. The subjugation of substance and the harnessing of the elements and making them a faithful, reliable and obedient servant to mankind has been the crowning event of our civilization, but our road improvements have not kept pace with our advancement in motive power. Build roads and keep up with the procession.

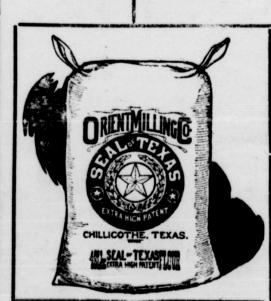
# Coal

Coal

We have plenty of good coal at the gin, call and see it and get our price.

Scott & Sutton Odell, Texas.

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home. You should spend your money for Home Made Products, and use **SEAL OF TEXAS** FLOUR, made by the Orient Milling Company at Chillicothe.

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**Every Sack** Is Fully Guaranteed

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## The Place to Buy Your

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W. T. Collins

L. G. Hawkins

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## The Bank of Odell

W. P. Starr, Cashier.

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C. W. STULTS Odell,

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Odell Reporter and The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News one year for \$1.50

## Among Our Exchanges

CHILLICOTHE Independent.

Hon. A. J. Davis, our popular constable, went to Vernon on business first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams returned Sunday from their trip to Galveston and other point on the coast.

Sympathy is extended to John Fort Worth some days ago.

T. M. King and family moved week. The Independent extends them a hearty welcome to our city.

We extend heartfelt sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Carter of the country in the loss of their little 16-day old babe last week from dermetitis after several days intense suffering. Weep not parents, but look with hope to Him who said "For of such is the kingdom of heaven."

Grandpa Jackson was called to his reward at the home of his son-in-law, W. M. Smith, in the be. west part of town early Sunday morning, after a few days illness. He was nearing the 84th mile came and was ready to go, for he had lived a consecrated Chrisback to the old home in Missouri Sunday night for burial.

Chillicothe Valley News.

Joe Kerley was up from Vernon Sunday.

Worth on business yesterday.

J. J. Glover is able to be about after a few days' confinement to his room with rheumatism.

city Saturday. Says his son is propaganda about the candidates not doing as well as he would in whose interests the bureaus like to see him, and will take him are supposed to be working. to Colorado Springs next month. Very often the candidates are

S. D. King was in from his farm Saturday. He has 125 acres in oats and 200 in wheat. times they serve as stalking His wheat is looking fine, and his oats coming up. Says he expects a big harvest this year, as the season is as fine as split silk.

The little baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Belk got hold of a bottle of carbolic acid Saturday and took a portion, burning her mouth and otherwise injuring her throat. A physician was called, and after a hurried examination found that she did not swallow but little, if any. The little one is out of danger, glad to say.

Joe Sam Bailey and his excellent wife were shopping in the city Saturday. Mr. Bailey had a silver watch to disappear from his residence December 27. On that night a large gathering met at Mr. Bailey's home to enjoy a social gathering, and his watch was on the folding bed. February 16, the watch was found hanging on the front gate in as good order as the night it disappeared. The News cannot account for the disappearance or the return of same unless a lot of spooks are in Mr. Bailey's neighborhood. Mr. Bailey also stated that he hoped to be one of the lucky ones to get a prize the News is offering—maybe two.

## To Find Out Their Speed

Carrier Pigeons Slapped To Dallas---Expected To Return Today

The Hardin Brothers, who are running the military school in Dallas, Texas, are now scheming to find out the speed of carrier pigeons.

Joe Hardin of Olustee, a broth-B. Mulkey in the death of his er to the above mentioned boys, venerable father at his home in sent them one of his setting carrier pigeons Monday.

here from Tolbert first of the morning at Dallas, and from what some people say, the bird will be expected to arrive here (Okla.) Democrat.

> During a political year, especi- states. ally when Congress is in session at the same time, there's hardly a dull moment in Washington. When someone isn't launching a Presidental boom, someone else is squelching one, knifting or latter state being \$38,295,000. smothering one, as the case may

Being the center of national political activity, Washington in Nevada. gets all the rumors that may be post of life when the summon flying about the country. It's immaterial that most of these rumors are not true; they serve tian life, being a member of the as news while they are hot, and Missionary Baptist church for before they have been thoroughyears. His remains were shipped ly digested in all of their beneficial or sinister potentialities, they are replaced by a fresh out-

Fearing, perhaps, that there would not be enough material for the political forecasters to John F. Moore went to Fort work on this year, there have been established, mainly in Washington, a large number of political news bureaus, and these are showing the newspaper correspondents, as well as the edi-T. F. Alexander was in the tors thorughout the country, with the ones having the smallest real interest in the game, but somehorses for other interests and at the same time help to make "news" which is consumed in place of the real article and often without being distinguished

#### Texas Tick Tax

The results of the efforts of the Cattle Raisers Association of Texas and the United States Bureau of Animal Industry for business entrusted to my care. the eradication of the Texas fever tick are very gratifying and local authorities in every section of the infected area are co-operating with the Federal Authorities in waging a systematic and intelligent war against this pest, which is more harmful to the stockman than the boll weevil is to the farmer.

tick levies a tax against the livestock industry of Texas of \$10,-000,000 annually while the ravages of the boll weevil amount to only \$3,000,000 per annum.

select your spring suit from, call the Tonsorial line and see whether you want to order or not. A. H. Gearhart, The Old Reliable Tailor.

Subscribe for the Reporter.

#### The Texas Mule

The February Crop Reporter, just issued, clearly indicates that Missouri can no longer claim to be the principal habitat of the southern farmer's most important beast of burden. The "show me'' commonwealth has been snown that the real home of the mule is in the Lone Star State.

Texas stands first in the Union in the number on January 1, 1912, being 703,000, while Missouri is second with 333,000, or less than one-half the number in Texas. The Crop Reporter also shows that the increase in Texas They will be turned loose this in number was one per cent over the preceeding year, as compared with a decrease of one per cent for the same period in Misabout noon today, a distance of souri. The value per head, howover two hundred miles in less ever, in Missouri on January 1, than three hours. - Olustee, 1912, was \$11 greater than in The valuation being Texas. \$104 and \$115 in the respective

> Texas heads the list in the total valuation of its mules at \$73,112,000, while Georgia supersedes Missouri in value at \$48,980,000, the valuation in the

> The value per head varies from \$165 for the Southern Carolina mule to \$82 for the animal raised

Texas' position as a mule-producing state is shown by the fact that it has more than thirteen times as many mules as all the New England States, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania combined; nearly three times as many as the states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin and five times as many as the far-western states. which include Montana, Wyom ing, Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, Arizona, Nevada, Washington, Oregon and Colifornia.

#### Orient Shops Are Coming

And I want to clean and press your suit before they get here. also have over 1000 nice wool fabrics for you to select your suit from, call and see me at Stults' store.

A. H. Gearhart.

FOR SALE-7 miles east of Odell, 300 bushels of corn, 100 bales of oats, 500 bundles of sorghum, at reasonable prices. Claude Hamilton.

## P. L. Hart

Justice of Peace and Notary Public.

Prompt attention given to all

### **Odell Texas.**

## Dr. A. S. Kerley DENTIST

In Odell every second and It is estimated that the fever fourth Thursdays in each month.

### **Get This**

For a First Class Shave or Over 1000 all wool facrics to Hair Cut or anything in

See me BAGGETT "The Barber"

## al and Personal.

T. A. Hamilton was trading in town Tuesday.

Jim Gobbell returned from Vernon Monday.

Have your Tailor work done by A. T. Tarter.

A. H. Gearhart was at Chillicothe Wednesday.

Irvin Hamilton was in town Wednesday trading.

Ward Baker was at Chillicothe want to stay with Dan Coffee. Tuesday on business.

C. W. Cook of Doans, was in town Monday trading.

Rev. Z. T. Butts was a visitor at Chillicothe Tuesday.

Don't fail to see those fancy Jabots at Williams Bros.

Ward Baker and wife spent Sunday in Chillicothe

line, we have it. Williams Bros. J. P. Hamilton and son, Claude

were in town Saturday trading. ported lace collars at Williams Bros.

Irvin Hamilton and wife visited Harden Ross and wife Sunday.

line of Dutch collars. Williams game come down and see us. Bros.

Horace Gearhart and L. H. Darwin were visitors at Chillcothe today.

Mesdames C. A. Holloway and C. D. Shelton returned Tuesday from Vernon.

Just received a shipment of form. fancy and dress ginghams at Williams Bros.

W. M. Scott and S. B. Sutton is greatly improved. left for Altus, Okla., Wednesday on business.

C. E. Sears was in town Tuesday with the last bale from his 1911 cotton crop.

L. H. Darwin, of Whitewright, sight seeing in Vernon Thursday. Texas, is here visiting Horace and A. H. Gearhart.

J. R. Ross and wife were visitors at the home of Jas. B. Ross and wife Tuesday.

Boys we have just the kind of

Suits that suits you. Williams Bros.

R. M. Turner, Orient agent at this place, was at Altus Saturday night taking in a show.

Laundry basket leaves Tuesdays and returns Fridays. A. T. Tarter, Agent.

C. W. Stults and R. J. Stowe returned Sunday from Vernon, where they had been attending court.

done, bring it to the Barber families, and their departure Shop, A. T. Tarter, the Tailor.

Thomas Evans was in town fill. Tuesday buying lumber to erect a new wind mill tower on his farm.

I make a specialty of cleaning and pressing Ladies' coat suits and skirts. A. T. Tarter.

J. C. Hughes was in town today trading, and paid up for one years subscription for the Reporter.

By Morris of Wichita Falls, who has been visiting Joe Jeffcoat and wife; returned home S. B. Sutton, Tuesday.

P. L. Hart returned Saturday T. M. Wallace, Mesquite, Texas. from Vernon where he had been Ira Allen, Blair, Okla. serving as juror on the case of Clarence Weatherford, charged with the murder of John Howell Vernon last week as a witness in near Thalia in the summer of the case of the Nichols boys 1910,

## Fargo News

porter, did you ever see any- boys trial. thing equal the snow storm of last week, it sure was horable, school house rather than try to

If anybody has lost or needs in all my life, all kinds, colors and sizes, it seems like they

or eight fine hogs in the last few days from some cause or other, some seems to think that it is cholera, there has been several head lost around Fargo with similar desease this winter.

Farmers of this part are all rejoicing over the good rain that fell Saturday and Saturday night, those long faces they have been wearing for the last few months Yes if it is in the dry goods have disapeared and smiling faces taken their places.

G. S. Upshaw and Bill Collier have returned from Wheeler county, where they went after Have you seen those nice im- seed corn, they report everydon't like well enough to move Bros.

Fargo has quit the 42 game, and have taken up the old game farmer, living on route 2 out of ting, I have the full blooded Bar-We have just received a nice boards, so you lovers of the

> J. P. Hamilton passed through tler of this county and is well known by all.

Quite a lot of sickness is reand nettle rash, but all in a mild Edna Archer, Organist.

Mr. Godby, who returned from Hot Springs, Ark., where he went for the benefit of his health

Wonder how Bill Collier likes the picture he received while in Wheeler county, they all like

Dan Coffee, Assistant Manager of the Union Dairy, was

Mrs. Bob Colman has been very sick this week, but is reported some better at this time.

C. F. Doan passed through Fargo Thursday enroute to Vernon to attend court.

Mrs. Henry Key is in St. Louis this week buying her spring stock of Millinery.

C. T. Mason was transacting business in Vernon Saturday. Hardie Collie was in Vernon

Monday looking around. A. T. Hays is building a storm house this week.

SAMBO.

#### Off To Blair, Okla.

Ira Allen and family will leave this evening for Blair, Okla., where they will make their future home. This is one of If you want good Tailor work Odell's most highly respected leaves a vacancy in Odell's citi-

zenship, one that will be hard to Mr. Allen has been an employee at the Scott & Sutton gin, he informs us he will engage in

farming near Blair, Okla. Before leaving, Mr. Allenordered the Reporter and Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News sent to him one year.

The Reporter has received paid up subscription since the the last report as follows: T. B. Priddy, Tolbert, Route 2.

W. A. White, J. C. Hughes, Odell

H. C. Mason, R. D. Sutton, Canton, Texas.

By Morris, who formerly lived here, but now engaged in farmtrial.

C. W. Pollard and N. McDaniel drove through to Vernon Satur-Well, Mr. Editor of the Re- day evening to be at the Nichols

Geo. B. Newton has accepted three day visit. several of the pupils of the Fargo a position as clerk at W. T. Gibschool stayed all night at the bins, he to commence the first town last week, and while here of next month.

B. D. Smith, W. T. Collins any dogs they can find them at and W. P. Starr went down to to him one year. Fargo, never seen as many dogs Fort Worth last Wedneseay, returning Friday.

T. H. Holloway and wife are G. S. Upshaw has lost seven visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. James Leak, at Vernon this week.

> I. G. Fillingim and wife of Turkey, Hall County, Texas, are here visiting his parents, A. T. Fillingim and wife.

> dollar today for one years subscription, thus the Reporter's mailing list continues to swell.

Don't forget to visit the big "good stuff dry goods store" while you are in town, we have thing in fine shape up there but just what you want, Williams

A. J. Smith, a prosperous of checkers, have got some good Tolbert, was in town today and red Plymoth Rock chickens. to, have plenty of room and two ordered the Reporter sent to him one year.

The Baptist Sunday School was M. C. Fowler, formerly engag-Fargo one day last week enroute organized here Sunday, electing ed in the livery stable business to Vernon. J. P. is an old set- Rev. H. C. Mason, Supt.; W. M. here, but now living at Portales, Scott, Asst. Supt.; Miss Willie New Mexico, was at Vernon court. Mr. January was one of Mason, Secretary and Treasurer; last week as a witness against ported in our community this Miss Janette Farley, Assistant the Nichols boys, charged with week, in the nature of lagrippe Secretary and Treasurer; Miss the murder of Constable Hollo-

Mrs. Geo. Buford, of Elmer, Okla., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. L. A. Britton here, returned home Monday after a

T. B. Priddy was trading in came in and ordered the Reporter and Fort Worth Record sent

E. C. Austin was busy this last week assessing the people in this part of Wilbarger, working under E. M. Rogers, the present tax assessor.

Mrs. Hogas, living here has a little son four years old today, and this is his first birthday, Thursday, February 29, this is something unusual.

Rev. H. C. Mason handed us a largest stock of dry goods we cash. ever carried in Odell, new goods coming in all the time.

Williams Bros.

Over 1000 all wool facrics to select your spring suit from, call and see whether you want to and to his father, R. D. Sutton, order or not. A. H. Gearhart,

The Old Reliable Tailor. FOR SALE-Eggs \$1.00 a set

> A. C. Flowers, Odell, Texas.

A Correction

In last weeks issue of the Reporter, a mistake was made, in stating the capital of the Odell Lumber Company at Odell, it should have read \$15,000.

W. A. White, a prosperous farmer, living on route 2 out of Tolbert, was in town Tuesday and ordered the Reporter and Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News sent to him one year.

FOR SALE-Five miles east of Odell, Seed Corn from 1910 crop, color, white and red, for farther information call at the Reporter office.

C. E. Sears.

FOR SALE-My (shack) house where I am living, two bed steads and springs, bachelor stove with new drum and pipe, six restaurant stools, nice for We are going to handle the children at table. Cheap for A. P. Morris.

S. B. Sutton, one of the firm of Scott & Sutton, ginners, dropped in our office Saturday and orderd the Reporter sent to him one year, also to be sent to T. M. Wallace, Mesquite, Texas, Canton, Texas.

NOTICE-To all Odd Fellows and members of Odell Lodge No. 730, you are hereby requested to meet in call session at hall Friday night Mar. 1 at 7:30 p m. for the purpose of conferring degrees.

G. B. Newton, N. G.

R. A. January returned to Vernon Sunday, being a petit juror for this weeks term of the jurors on the case of Clarence Weatherford, charged with the killing of John Howell near Thalia, the defendant being given five years in the penitentiary.

## Mrs. Housewife

Stop Cleaning Smoky Lamp Chimneys and Old Burners.

Our New Lamp Burner will give light six times as much as the old style lamp burner, and a clear white light. You can turn light as high as you want to-it is impossible to smoke chimney. You burn lamp in room all night. No bad smell from kerosene. Gives a steady even light, does not hurt the eyes, burns any grade of kerosine oil, fits any No. 2 lamp, no mantle to break, no black chimney to wash every day, always clean. Burner will last several years-made of the best steel and brass.

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Send us 35 cents in coin, personal check or money order, and we will send you one of these burners propaid. You use burner 60 days and if you don't say it is the best lamp burner you ever saw, and you are not well pleased, just write us a postal card stating you are not satisfied with burner and we will promptly return your money.

This is the best burner yet. All we ask is for you to give us a trial. We guarantee burner to give satisfaction one year or give you a new one free.

We will send 3 burners prepaid for \$1.00.

No. 603 NATIONAL LIGHT CO. Baraga, Michigan.

Enclosed find 35cts. for which send me one of your White Light Lamp Burners per your Advertisement, with understanding I can use Burner 60 days and if I am not well pleased with same my money will be returned.

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Michigan