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**The Farmer and His Cotton.**

During the meeting of the Farmers Union in Dallas this week, President Cavin, in speaking of cotton selling, said:

"Every farm product when put on the market should bear the union label. This label should be a badge of honesty and a guarantee that the package bearing it is honestly put up.

"Every bale of cotton sold by union men should have attached to it a union label. Nothing will do more to advertise the union and give it standing with the spinners throughout Europe than this."

Speaking of the warehouse movement, he also said:

"It means that the time will come when the farmer will place his cotton in his warehouse, take his receipts and meet his obligations with them, close the door, turn the key and say to the manufacturer 'if you want to spin my cotton you must pay a just and equitable price for it.' It means that the farmer will come into that independence of which so much has been said and which he never can enjoy as long as he is compelled to sell his products on the auction block. It would be difficult to say how many warehouses will be ready for operation this fall, but I confidently believe that the number will reach 150 or 200. These warehouses can be used for clearing houses during the time they are not used for storing and handling cotton and every farm product should be sold through them. The grain growers of Texas must build and own their elevators and sell their grain in a business-like way. With a properly conducted system of warehouses and grain elevators the supply of nonperishable products can be regulated to the demand, which of itself will bring about stability of price and speculation will cease to a large extent. What all should strive for is the abolition of the terrible scourge of gambling in farm products.

**Special Stock Train Again.**

The officials of the Fort Worth and Denver City Railroad have decided to put on the special live stock train again this year for the accommodation of the cattlemen of the Panhandle and plains country. The exact date when the train will be put into service has not been decided upon as yet, but in all probability will be earlier than last year or year before, as cattle in this section of the country are fattening rapidly and will be in good shipping condition much earlier. The special will start from Amarillo on Wednesdays and Sundays, so as to reach Fort Worth for the early Monday and Thursday markets.

**Not Until Then.**

A business man who does not think enough of advertising to carry a small ad in the paper, or a citizen who does not subscribe, cannot very consistently set himself up as a critic of a home paper because it does not come up to his ideas in the matter of advertising the town and county. Such a man should first show his faith in the paper by expending a little money in that line and then he may be in a position to throw stones at the local newspaper man.—Glen Rose Herald.

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**Their Campaign Expenses.**

Colonel Campbell's expense during the campaign was certified to as being \$15,660.86. Of this, \$250 covers railroad fare and the balance postage, printing, advertising, etc.

Judge Brook's statement of campaign expenses, foot up \$13,852.54.

O. B. Colquitt's expense shows to be \$9,806.57.

Bell's expenses were \$9,734.65, the greater part of for postage stamps, stationery, advertising, etc.

The hardware and furniture store belonging to Rucker & Evans at Nevada was damaged to a considerable extent last week by the explosion of three cans of powder kept in the store.

**Dickering With Davidson.**

The Fort Worth Dailes are intimating that the anti-trust cases against the Fort Worth Stock Exchange will be dismissed, and credits the attorney of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association with bringing about a compromise, as he has had a consultation with the attorney-general.

Farm and Ranch justly goes after Mr. Davidson in the following style:

"The above dispatch is one of the kind to be labeled 'important, if true.' The reporters information or conclusions may have been incorrect; it is to be hoped that such was the case and that the rumor of compromise is without actual foundation in fact.

"There is no reasonable ground whatever for the compromise of the anti-trust suits. The attorney-general's office is not a revenue agency nor a collection bureau; the attorney-general has no authority, expressed or implied, to extort money from any citizen or corporation; it is not for him to say what monetary consideration, if any, will suffice to counterbalance any infraction of the law. The attorney-general is neither judge nor jury; his duty is to present the facts in cases of alleged violations of law and leave the findings to the court.

"He has no more right to say that a violator of the law may be purged of offense on the payment of a certain sum than has the district attorney to say that a murderer shall not be prosecuted if he will agree to serve a specified number of years in the penitentiary. He may, with propriety, perhaps recommend clemency to the court, but he is overstepping the limits of his authority when he attempts to usurp all the functions of a trial of court.

"With particularly bad grace would come compromises when, as in the anti-trust cases, a large part of the fines collected go to the prosecuting officers. Under such circumstances compromises might easily lead to the suspicion that suits were instituted to enlarge the bank accounts of prosecutors rather than enforce the laws. Mr. Davidson should keep his office above suspicion.

"The corporation accused of violating the anti-trust laws of Texas are either guilty and subject to due penalties for their infractions, or else they are entitled to a complete and clear vindication after a full and fair trial. In neither case is it the province of the attorney-general and his assistants to render a decision."

**STATE NEWS.**

A farmers' Union warehouse is being built at Brownwood.

It is claimed track laying is to begin at Canyon City this week on the grade to Plainview.

The 19-year-old wife of Adolph Crenshaw, a blacksmith at Fort Worth, suicided Tuesday.

At Menardville this week T. A. Turner, a hotel man, was shot and killed by Wm. Bevans, a banker.

A 16-month-old child of Dock Blair's in Erath county fell in a tub of water this week and drowned.

Boll weevils have appeared in the cotton near Roanoke, in Denton county, and are said to be doing great damage.

The price of crude oil on the Beaumont fields has been increased and it is said the price will go to 75 cents per barrel at the wells.

A convention is called to meet in Memphis Tex., Aug. 28 to nominate a democratic candidate for the legislature from the 105th district.

At Denton the Denton Warehouse Company agrees to build a cotton warehouse and turn it over to the Farmers Union free of rent for a period of one year.

At Wichita Falls Monday two boys, Ed Wilson and Theo. Mundt, aged 17 were sentenced to two years in the penitentiary for burglarizing Kahn's store there last week.

At San Antonio Tuesday Thomas Piggot, an apprentice boilermaker, 19 years old, came in contact with a live wire, the shock from which resulted in almost instant death. Piggot was a brother of Mayor Piggot of Childress.

A race mare sold by J. Waddy Tate of Dallas to M. J. Murray, of Carlesbad, N. M., jumped from the rear window of a car at Sherman this week and was killed. She sold for \$700, was called Sue Belle and had a traveling record of 2:23 1/4.

Near Wylie many farmers report the presence of the boll worm and say unless some very dry and hot weather is experienced they will ruin the cotton crop. Cotton at this time is very fine but with the worms at work it will strip it of its fruit in a very short time.

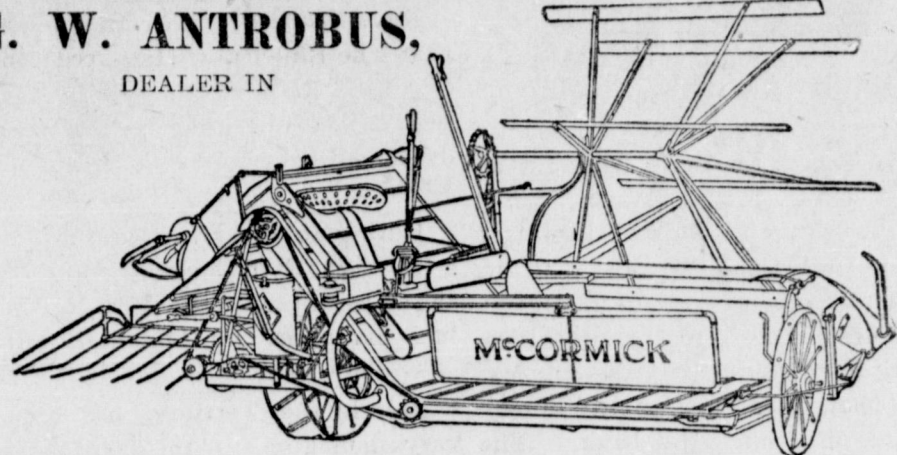
Aubrey Spears, the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Spears, was run over and killed by a switch engine at Cleburne Tuesday. The engine was backing coaches on the house track when the boy, who was said to be walking along reading a paper, stepped on the track, was knocked down and cut in two by the wheels.

J. T. Parrish was instantly killed in an accident that happened at his mill near Vesey north of Clarks-ville Monday. He was helping in running some logs down the skidway to the mill when it gave way and he was caught between two logs, mashing him to death. A Mr. McKay who was assisting him him was seriously if not fatally hurt.

Near San Angelo the Colorado and Concho rivers were thirty feet high Monday. Great damage has been done to farms. Many cattle and hogs have been drowned. On the Bismarck farm a tenant, his wife and three children drowned. At Ballinger the Colorado river was three miles wide. Many houses were under water. A man and team were drowned. Water backed into business houses, damaging goods.

**G. W. ANTROBUS,**

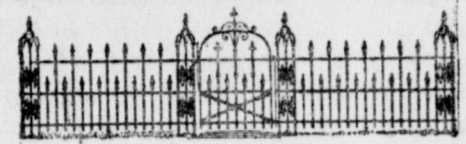
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**CLUB RATES**

We will furnish the following papers and this paper at the annexed prices for the two:

News, (Galveston or Dallas)	\$1.80
Southern Mercury	1.00
Texas Advance.	\$1.50
Scientific American.	3.00
Phrenological Journal.	1.00

Unless a man has been married at least six months he doesn't know all the reasons he should have had for remaining a bachelor.—Ex.

The Australian mound bird builds the biggest nest in the world. It sometimes makes mounds 150 feet in circumference, in which it buries its eggs five feet deep.

Major Scofield of the regular army, son of the late Lieutenant General Scofield, shot and killed himself in San Francisco Monday. Bad health is assigned.

Jessie Cantiss, a private in the first United States cavalry, was accidentally killed Wednesday at camp Mabry while out on a hike in the mountains near the camp. He was shot accidentally by another soldier.



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It is true that this is a year of great crops, tremendous crops, and corresponding prosperity generally, but the cost of living continues to grow and the margin of saving to decline.

In Chicago Monday the Milwaukee Avenue State bank, one of the largest outlying banks in the city, was closed by State Bank Examiner C. C. Jones. It has a deficit in its accounts estimated to reach close to \$1,000,000, and with the whereabouts of two of its highest officers unknown to the authorities. Mr. Jones said the president, Mr. Stensland, surely had guilty knowledge of looting the bank. The 22,000 depositors in the bank are gradually losing hope of recovering the \$4,200,000 they entrusted to Stensland's care. The failure was responsible for the death of one of the depositors and led to the suicide of another man who, a month ago, had placed his earnings of a lifetime in the institution for safe keeping.

Glasgow, Scotland, after a struggle of five years, got the right to operate a telephone system. In 1901 permission was secured, and the system started. It now has 12,000 subscribers and covers 143 square miles. Unlimited service costs \$25.55, limited service \$17.03. Profits from the telephone service last year were \$100,961. The city owns its electricity supply system. It paid \$75,000 for a plant and has spent \$6,000,000 in extending the system. It reduced prices. It sells power to the tramway department and the manufacturing establishments. For very small consumers the rates for lighting are 12 cents per kilowatt hour and 2 cents for all current in excess of a small minimum. For power and heating purposes the charge is from 1 1/2 cents to three cents, according to the quantity used. The average price received from all consumers is 5.09 cents. The city's profits from this system last year were \$543,952. It owns its water supply system, for every \$100 of house rental paid a charge of \$2 is made for water rental.

The election of Saturday demonstrated one thing beyond the peradventure of a doubt, and that is that Texas does not need such a thing as the Terrell election law. It is a perfect monstrosity in the world of politics, and the sooner it can be gotten rid of the better it will be for all concerned.—Terrell Transcript.

The election law, with a few changes would not be so bad, but it amounts to nothing for the better as long as the present convention methods prevail.

An unsuccessful attempt was made Tuesday night to rob the Amarillo National Bank, which is a United States depository. A man claiming to be J. B. Edens, a miner of Hastings, Colo. who says San Antonio is his former home, was caught by Marshal Snyder after an exciting chase, which ended in the prisoner being dragged from under a culvert, where he had hidden, he says, to escape being arrested for a tramp. The prisoner claims to be between 19 and 20 years old, but his hands and appearances show that he has been used to very hard work.

The Northwest Texas Press Association closed its annual session at Mineral Wells Wednesday. After a spirited contest with Denton and Vernon, Plainview was selected for the next meeting place and officers were elected as follows: J. Ray, Herford Brand, president; R. H. McCarthy, Albany News, vice president; Orion Procter, of the Bridgeport Index, secretary; W. H. Johnson, Memphis Herald, treasurer.

### A Pertinent Question.

Attorney General Davidson, of Texas, now that the election is over, should tell the public about those anti-trust suits pending at Fort Worth. Are the suits real or were they for political purposes only?—Farm and Ranch.

Floods in the vicinity of San Angelo and Brownwood were not so bad as first reported and there was no loss of life.

Rev. Bennett Hatcher announces that The Bulletin will be succeeded by the Religious Appeal, the publication increased in size and other improvements made.—Miami Chief.

During an affray with militia on a train near Hempstead en route to the state encampment Elk Pullen had his upper lip split and left cheek laid bare.

Rain in the Territory has been very damaging to the railroads. The Rock Island has lost seventeen and the Frisco four, one of the latter being the North Canadian bridge between Muskogee and Sapulpa. The loss of this bridge will prevent running trains for several days.

Kansas peaches are so plentiful that they are hard to sell, according to the reports of the secretary of the board of horticulture. Kansas has the largest crop of peaches in several years. Throughout the northern part of the state and along the Arkansas valley the trees are bearing an exceptionally heavy crop.

W. J. Greer, of Rowe, has been hauling in and selling shelled corn this week at 60 cents.

Price Baker left yesterday for Corpus Christi, where his father has bought a livery stable and will put Price in charge.

Mrs. Lulu Biggie, sister of H. W. and Eph Taylor, has about completed a new residence in the north part of town.

Mrs. Eph Taylor and Mrs. Allen, aunt of Jack Mann, went to Chillicothe Thursday, where they will attend a primitive Baptist association.

Mrs. W. H. Oliver and daughter, Miss Louise, came up from Childress Tuesday night and are visiting their brother and uncle, J. J. Woodward.

A passenger train was dived near Kirkland Wednesday night delaying trains twelve hours. No one was hurt. Again Thursday night the northbound passenger was wrecked at Fruitland and three coaches were overturned and some 16 or 18 persons hurt, but none seriously. Trains were again delayed twelve or fourteen hours.

At Fort Worth two boys captured an alligator in the Trinity river.

### For Sale

One rubber-tire buggy (nearly new).  
 1 Poland China sow (very fine).  
 1 Jersey Cow giving milk.  
 C. C. BEARDEN.

### For Sale

One Section Patented land one half tillable. G. S. PATTERSON.

Looks well, wears well, spreads well—Palace Car Paint sold by Clarendon Lumber Co.

Wall Paper, new and pretty at Stocking's store.

### For Sale

A good two-horse sorghum mill, well equipped and used two seasons. J. T. McHAN, Rowe, Tx.

### Strayed or Stolen,

From home pasture in Clarendon, on Tuesday 17, instant, one light bay horse, white star in forehead, four years old, unbranded. Horse was bought from Hoodenpyle (five miles northeast of Clarendon) about a year ago. Suitable reward for his return. J. B. McCLELLAND

For Sale—One of the finest 320 acre farms in Donley county—185 acres in cultivation, crop fine. Third and fourth of crop goes with place. Terms easy. See me or write me. J. T. BELL, Clarendon, Tex.

### Miami Court.

The case of L. C. Waller against Jim Stroope and M. McCauley for \$10,000 damages was thrown out of court when the case was called and the plaintiff's attorney announced not ready for trial. This is the case where he sustained a broken arm and other injuries in a fall from a mail hack when said Stroope and McCauley run the Miami-Moebette mail line several years ago.

The criminal docket was taken up, and the only case going to trial during the term of court was that of J. C. Jones on a charge of bribery in connection with his race for county commissioner two years ago. The court instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of acquittal, evidence insufficient.—Miami Chief.

### Republican Congressional Convention.

I hereby designate Vernon, Wilbarger, county, Texas as the place for holding the Republican Convention for the 13th Congressional Dist. on the 25, the fourth Saturday in August, at eleven o'clock a. m. for the purpose of nominating a candidate for election to Congress and for the transaction of such other business as may be necessary. Representation is fixed by law.

I. W. CARHART,  
 Chairman Republican Ex-Committee 13th Congressional District Texas.

R. S. HOUSSELS, Secretary.

### Sunday School Convention Program.

The following is the program for District Sunday School Convention to meet at Rowe Sunday Sept. 2 at 10 a. m.

Song.  
 Welcome Address—Prof Pile.  
 Response—E. H. Watt.

Relation and duty of Superintendent and Assistant to the Sunday School, by Superintendents and Assistants of Lelia, Giles, Ring, Bray and Rowe Schools.

Noon.  
 Called to order at 1.30 by singing.

Business of Convention.  
 Song by Rowe School.  
 Chief object of district meeting—G. A. Oller, J. S. Young, W. D. Bishop and W. A. Russell.

Song by Giles School.  
 Song by Lelia School.

Object of young people attending Sunday School—Prof Howell, C. D. Horn, E. E. Shafer, Willie King, N. J. Allen, Misses Georgie Akers and Mable Blair.

Song by Bray School.  
 Song by Ring School.  
 N. J. ALLEN  
 G. A. OLLER } Committee  
 LEE BLAIR }

Mrs. Emma le Doux has been sentenced to be hanged at Stockton Cal., October 19 for the murder of Albert H. McVicar, a miner. The convicted woman heard her sentence with calmness.

Between 2,000 and 3,000 home-seekers passed through Kansas City to the Southwest Tuesday. Most of them will find what they are looking for. They will build homes, develop farms and add population and wealth to the states of their choice.

### City Home Wanted.

I want to exchange a section of land (near Jericho) for city property. Come now. C. C. BEARDEN, Clarendon Texas.

### For Sale.

My residence 6 rooms, Cor. Jefferson and 4th Sts. Also 100 acres land 3 1/2 miles of town, 40 acres in growing crop. G. S. PATTERSON. □

### Scale Books For Sale.

Scale, Books with 500 neatly printed perforated tickets for sale at this office, only 75c.

### Excursion to Houston and Galveston.

Round trip tickets on sale Aug. 11, limited to return Aug. 14, at rate of \$13.20 to Galveston and \$12.95 to Houston. E. E. BALDWIN, Agt.

# IT PAYS TO BUY AT The Globe FOR CASH

New Goods for our Summer and Fall trade arriving every day.

## NEW PRICES

We can afford to sell Cheaper, and we do. Come and see our Goods and get our prices. Our line of **Stanwood Shoes** is now complete

## SHIRTS.

We have the freshest and nobbiest line of shirts for the least money ever offered consumers before.

## The Graham Hat

takes the lead in Style, price and Wear. In Ties, fancy and common, Hosiery, Underwear, Gloves, Pocket knives, Jewelry, many varieties of Racket goods, we have the very best.

## Chinaware

We can suit anyone who wishes to buy for cash and save money.

The cash system will save you from 15 to 25 per cent. We cordially invite you to come and see for yourself.



# E. DUBBS & SONS,

## Donley County Lumber Co.,

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Two wagons, suited to any sized load. A special spring wagon for pianos, folding beds, parlor furniture, etc.

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 Careful Handling Guaranteed.

AS COMPARISONS ARE TO OUR ADVANTAGE WE CAN AFFORD TO FLOURISH

SERVICE SPEARS FOR ITSELF.

SAVES PATRONS 300 MILES IN THE STATE

COOL COLORADO

AND POINTS BEYOND

REMEMBER THE BOULDER CHAUTAUQU

LOUISIANA, G.P.A. ORTN, TEXAS.



**TIME TABLE.**

Fort Worth & Denver City Railway.  
**NORTH BOUND.**  
 No. 1, Mail and Express..... 8:47 p. m.  
 No. 7, Passenger and Express..... 6:25 a. m.  
**SOUTH BOUND.**  
 No. 2, Mail and Express..... 7:10 a. m.  
 No. 8, Passenger and Express..... 9:30 p. m.

Business locals five cents per line for first insertion and 3 cents for subsequent insertions. All locals run and are charged for until ordered out. Transient notices and job work are cash, other bills on first of month.

**Business Locals.**

Wall Paper at Stocking's.  
 Get your plow harness from Rutherford.  
 Hammar Paint is the Paint, if you want Paint.  
 Call at Powell's and see their new line of ladies collars—they are "just the thing".  
 Go to the Globe to get your tailor-made shirts—the best and 200 samples to select from.  
 Lumber, doors, sash mouldings, columns, shingles, roofing paper, paint, of the best, at Clarendon Lumber Co's.  
 New wall paper at Stocking's.

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**

Phone us the news—83-2 rings  
 A. J. Barnett spent Tuesday in Childress.  
 Lacona Ferguson is visiting at Rowe this week.  
 D. F. Dyer, of Cleburne, spent Thursday here prospecting.  
 M. T. Howard has been making considerable improvements on his residence.  
 Mrs. Cantelou sent in a sample of nice grapes this week of her growing.  
 J. T. Marshall, of Aubrey, Denton county spent a few hours here Thursday.  
 Harry Clifton has bought the Toney place at \$640. Mr. Toney will go to Colorado.  
 Rain, weeds, johnson grass and boll worms are getting the best of crops in Wise county.  
 Miss Annie Clare Lee left Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Gillis at Iowa park.  
 Mrs. Monroe, mother of Mrs. J. H. Kelley, left yesterday for Vernon, thence for her home Cheyenne, Ok.  
 Charley Doak came over from Olustee, Ok., Wednesday and will engage in some kind of work until college opens.  
 Rev. Rogers and M. F. Robeson left Thursday for Wellington, where they go as messengers from the Clarendon Baptist church to the Panhandle association.  
 Amarillo people are feasting on a carload of Clarendon watermelons this week, while Fort Worthites and Denverites and Trinidadians are enjoying our cantaloupes.  
 The heaviest rain in two years fell here Wednesday night. The thunder and lightning were also worse than usual. The roadbed of the railway down in the yard for some little distance was washed out.  
 J. C. Asher brought us in a fine watermelon Wednesday as well as some finely flavored cantaloupes grown on his place in the south part of town. He says the way all kinds of stuff grows in this country is a sight.  
 Rev. A. L. Bruce has been bringing some nice grapes to market this week of several different varieties, all of fair size and finely flavored. He had a bunch that was quite a curiosity. A stem of a colored grape had penetrated and grown through a stem of a white grape, and the ripened fruit of two colors on one stem, had every appearance of growing on one stem.

**Stocking's store for Wall Paper. For Saddles and Harness go to Rutherford's.**

Stocking has sold Hammar Paint nine years and knows what it is.  
 Now is the time to improve. Fine line of fencing, posts, pickets, etc., at Clarendon Lumber Co.

**Rutherford For Tax Assessor.**

The tax assessor's office seems to have gone begging for a candidate until now when J. H. Rutherford comes forward for the place and you will find his name in the announcement column. While he is a straight forward, honest, upright man and thoroughly capable in every particular, he has never before asked for an office, but has been content to follow his trade and business, and now feels that he would like some change and that he can render satisfactory service. He has been in Clarendon eight years and is pretty generally known, but to those who are not yet acquainted with him, we can say there is no more reliable a man in the country. He believes strictly in equity and a fair deal and will appreciate your vote next election.

**Next Bankers' Meeting Comes Here.**

The Panhandle Banker's association concluded its programme at Amarillo Wednesday. The meeting was well attended, of good interest. The officers were elected for the ensuing year are: President, D. J. Young, Canadian; vice President W. H. Patrick, Clarendon; secretary, C. A. Fisk, Amarillo; treasurer, W. H. Cooke, Clarendon. The next meeting will be at Clarendon in January.

Bob Sims, of Sachse, Dallas county, arrived here Wednesday night on a prospecting trip. He is pleased with the appearance of the country and may buy.

Nice wall paper at Stocking's.  
 We will exchange for or buy your second-hand Furniture, Chairs, Stoves, Heaters, ect. Tatum Mercantile Co., Noland Building.

Wall paper at Stocking's.  
**For Sale.**  
 960 acres land, 8 miles from depot, all fenced, near school, on public road. Would exchange, in part, for good residence property. G. S. PATTERSON.

Hammar Paint is the best Paint in the Panhandle. Stocking handles it and will save you money in a paint deal.

A business education is utilized in every profession. Amarillo Business College conducts a first-class business department.

**Farmers—You Can Save**  
 25 to 50 per cent on your plow work by taking it to Eph Taylor's shop.

If you want fine locust trees, apple trees, peach trees, grape vines or shubbery, see Egerton of the Panhandle Nursery. He now has 100,000 trees in his new nursery. Finest grapes in the world at from \$5 to \$10 per 100 and other stock in like proportion. A fine lot of berry vines also. Call and see his stock.

**I Need**

to more than double the size of my store building to accommodate my trade, and have arranged to do so at once, but in order to do so I must have

**More Money**  
 and in order to get it I am willing to sacrifice any goods in my stock.

**My Need is Your Opportunity**

Take advantage of it and supply your needs in Millinery, Skirts, Waists, Belts, Purses, Parasols, Ribbons, Laces, Dress Trimmings, etc.  
**MRS. A. M. BEVILLE,**  
 "The Ladies' Furnisher."

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

Rates for county, district and state \$10; precinct, \$5, cash in advance.  
 For State Senator, 29th District.  
 JNO. W. VEALE.  
 D. E. DECKER.  
 For District Judge, 47th District.  
 HON. J. N. BROWNING.  
 IRA WEBSTER.  
 For County Judge:  
 GEO. F. MORGAN.  
 For County and District Clerk  
 C. A. BURTON.  
 For Sheriff and Tax Collector.  
 J. T. PATMAN.  
 J. MARION WILLIAMS  
 For County Treasurer.  
 J. M. CLOWER  
 GUS JOHNSON.  
 For Tax Assessor.  
 J. H. RUTHERFORD.

**Official Vote for District Judge.**  
 Following is the vote for district judge by counties:

	Webster	Brown's
Armstrong.....	166	106
Dallam.....	104	40
Deaf Smith.....	163	188
Donley.....	112	180
Hartley.....	128	97
Moore.....	16	15
Oldham.....	10	38
Potter.....	175	528
Randall.....	170	95
Sherman.....	53	22
Total.....	1092	1309
Browning's majority....		217

Of the above counties Potter has two votes in the convention and the others have one vote each. The convention votes are prorated between the candidates according to the primary vote of each county. Therefore Judge Browning has 5.69 convention votes and Judge Webster has 5.31.

**Fine Piano For Sale.**  
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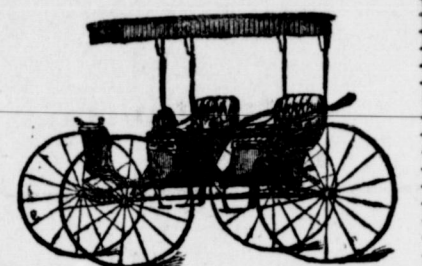
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