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"We Reach the People"

L. L. LADD, Editor

Stone's Big Shoe Sale Beginning on Saturday May 23rd.

TAKE advantage of this 7-day Special Sale. We are making a determined clearing of our surplus shoe stock, consisting of Alden, Walker & Wilde Shoes and Hamilton Brown Shoes for Men, Selby Shoes and Hamilton Brown Shoes for Women and Children. You are invited to the greatest showing of values Wellington has ever seen.

FOR MEN

Alden, Walker & Wilde Oxfords			
\$6.00	Oxfords, Sale Price	-	\$3.98
Hamilton Brown Oxfords			
\$6.00	Oxfords, Sale Price	-	\$3.98
5.00	" " "	-	3.48
4.00	" " "	-	2.98
3.50	" " "	-	2.48



FOR LADIES

The Selby Slippers

\$4.00	Slippers, Sale Price	-	\$2.98
3.50	" " "	-	2.48
Hamilton Brown Slippers			
\$4.00	Slippers, Sale Price	-	\$2.98
3.50	" " "	-	2.48
3.00	" " "	-	2.15
2.50	" " "	-	1.65
2.00	" " "	-	1.48



For Misses and Children

\$3.50	Slippers, Sale Price	\$2.98
3.00	" " "	- 2.15
2.50	" " "	- 1.75
2.00	" " "	- 1.25
1.50	" " "	- .98
1.25	" " "	- .79
1.00	" " "	- .59
.50	" " "	- .39

We have other bargains galore. Come in and let us fit your feet and pocket book. Sale closes Friday, May 29.

C. E. Stone & Company

Hill for Justice.

We are pleased this week to call the attention of our readers to the announcement column in which appears the name of T. O. Hill as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1. Mr. Hill has in time past filled this office in a creditable way, in fact, when he came to Wellington from Dodsonville about a year ago he resigned the office there. During the time of his residence in Wellington he has proven himself a splendid citizen and has an array of staunch friends who recognizing his worth and eminent qualifications will rally to his support and should anyone be fortunate enough to defeat him they will know that they have had a race.

Has But the Habit!

Among the Wellington delegation working on the road yesterday was a young man who was an inveterate cigarette smoker and seeing a country lad smoking he approached him and asked him if he had another cigarette.

"No, sir," said the country lad; "but I've got the makings."

"Good," said the Wellington chap; "but I can't roll 'em very well. Will you fix one for me?"

"You bet," was the reply.

"Don't believe I've got a match," said the Wellington chap, as he searched his pockets.

The country boy handed him a match. "Say," the young man from the country said "you ain't got nothing but the habit, have you?"

School Exercises at Lillie.

The school at Lillie will close next week and will have a public exhibition on Thursday and Friday nights, May 28th and 29th, to which everybody is cordially invited. Miss Blanche Groves and Miss Susie Call are teachers of the school and the patrons say they have had an excellent term.

"A Daughter of the Desert."

The above is the title of a play to be given at the Lillie School house on Thursday night May 28th, to which everyone is respectfully invited to come. The School Exhibition will be on Friday night May 29, also to which a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Fifth Sunday Singing at Buck Creek

The Collingsworth County Singing Convention will meet at Buck Creek on the fifth Sunday in May, the same being the 31st day. Everybody is invited to come and a splendid time assured. Those having "Sacred Harps" are requested to bring them along. Dinner on the ground. A big time expected.

Boss for Constable

The present efficient Constable of Precinct No. 1, the same being M. L. Boss, announces this week as a candidate for re-election. Mr. Boss has filled this position in a very acceptable manner indeed and he thinks his work has been such as to warrant election to another term, in which he promises the same efficient service as has prevailed heretofore in the discharge of the various duties of the office. When you go to cast your ballot in the July primaries give due consideration to Mr. Boss' claims and qualifications for the office.

Railroad Claims Reach Thirty-One Millions

Washington, D. C., May 18.—Claims of mail carrying railroads against the United States aggregating thirty-one million dollars involving 720 railroads was denied in a test case today in the court of claims.

In the opinion of Chief Justice Campbell, the court reversed a former ruling and hold the present method of weighing mail to fix the compensation for the transportation legal.

We Are Making Some Low Strictly Cash Prices

See Us, We Can Save You Money

Below we give some of the Bargains we offer:

Hellrope, best Soft Wheat Flour, per 100 lbs.	\$2.90
35 lb sack best Meal	.75
17 1/2 lb. sack best Meal	.40
Best Pea Berry Coffee per pound	.20
17 lbs. Pink Beans	1.00
18 lbs. Navy Beans	1.00
20 lbs. Bayou Beans	1.00
King Komus or New South Syrup, per gallon	.55
Whith Karo Syrup, per gallon	.50
Red Karo Syrup, per gallon	.45
Everybodys Ribbon Cane Syrup, per gallon	.55
Maple Valley Standard Corn, per doz, cans	.95
Highest Grade Corn, per can	.10

PUMPKIN YAM SWEET POTATO PLANTS:

Place order with us now and we will have them come out when season is favorable.

Kraut, per can	.10
3 Cans Hominy	.25
25 oz K. C. or Health Club Baking Powder	.20
Two 25 oz Cans of K. C. or Health Club Baking Powder	.35
80 oz Can K. C. Baking Powder	.60
50 oz Can K. C. Baking Powder	.40
Laundry Soap, 7 bars	.25
Swift's Jewell Lard, 10 lb.	1.10
10 lbs. Cottolene	1.35
10 lbs. Snow Drift Lard	1.20
Arbuckle Coffee, per pound	.25
\$1.00 buckets, Louis Coffe, for	.90
Evaporated Peaches, per pound	.09
5 lb. Can Tomatoes, each	.10
One gallon Cooking Oil	.70
20 lbs. Sugar	1.00
25 lb. bag Sugar	1.25

These Prices Become Effective, Saturday, May 9th.
Top Market Price Paid for Country Produce

HOWELL & ADAMS



BE BEAUTIFUL! If you want luxuriant hair, a beautiful complexion, pearly teeth, a sweet breath, soft hands, delicate finger nails and a smooth, clear skin, come, get our beautifiers. There are no harmful ingredients in our toilet preparations. We can help you to be beautiful. It is easier to keep your hair than to restore it when it falls; it is easier to keep your blumpness and complexion than to overcome sallowness and wrinkles.

Come to OUR Drug Store.

THE HARDY-O'NEIL DRUG CO
Wellington, Texas

Smiling Jimmie from Shamrock Shut Out

The wet weather withheld Tuesday just long enough for the home team to play the boys from Shamrock. This was the first game of the season on the local diamond, the games scheduled with Childress and Hollis having been prevented on account of too much precipitation.

Good preparation was manifested by both teams in Tuesday's contest, and it is predicted that when these teams meet again later in the season there will be some sure enough "classy" ball.

Shamrock was kept from scoring, while the home bunch got around with six runs.

Fred Watkins started the score in the first inning, getting first on an infield error and scoring on Big Dean's three base hit over left. Dock Dean scored in the third on a base hit and steal. Watkins walked to first in the fifth to steal second and get third on O'Neil's infield fly and came in on a passed ball. In the sixth O'Neil doubled over center and Dukeminier double scoring him from second.

In the eighth Cocke took a three baser. O'Neil walked, Austin sacrificed, scoring Cocke. O'Neil stole second and third and brought in the last score on passed ball.

Fuller's "classy" pitching was a strong feature of the game.

Keep Kool

Why be uncomfortable in that heavy bunglesome Suit, when you can feel free and easy in one of our Genuine Priestley's High Grade Mohair Suits, or a Neat Cool Palm Beach.

We have these goods in stock for your inspection, and at popular prices.

The Famous

CHILDRESS-WELLINGTON AUTO LINE

ROUND TRIP DAILY

Leave Childress at 10:30 a. m.
Arrive in Wellington at 12:00 noon
Leave Wellington at 3:30 p. m.
Arrive in Childress at 5:00 p. m.

**RATES:—One Way \$3.00
Round Trip \$5.50**

Expert driver. Courteous treatment. Your business will be greatly appreciated. As I have been operator of the Memphis-Wellington line, you know I can deliver the goods.

**Phone 522 Childress, Texas,
or No. 10 Wellington, Texas.**

G. S. Ottie
SIGLER & JONES, Props.

All Over the Panhandle

Claude has organized a band.

Giles will have a big picnic May 30th.

F. P. Campbell died at Groom last week.

Ochiltree's new flour mill is ready for operation.

Burk Burnett will vote on the pool hall proposition June 6th.

"Tag Day at Vernon brought the ladies \$150 for the city park.

Memphis has reorganized her fire department, which now has thirty-two members.

Russell Downs of Panhandle was run over by on automobile and narrowly escaped fatal injury.

An automobile turned turtle near Henrietta and the driver, L. S. Williams, was seriously injured.

Report is current that the Santa Fe will extend its Englewood, Kansas, branch to Ochiltree.

A petition is being circulated in Tulsa to raise funds to defray the expenses of a general cleanup of the town.

It is said conservative estimates from present indications places the production of wheat in the Crowell section at 275,000 bushels, which is equivalent to 370 car loads.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Nail of Higgins, who we reported getting snake bitten a couple of weeks ago, finally died after lingering several days.

The Middle-Buster railway proposed from Rockport on the

Gulf, to Quanah, it is said has been financed and work started to be completed within three year.

Mart Byrd, formerly in the stock business near Quanah, but imprisoned in Mexico up to a few weeks ago, is said to be with his family at Mineral Wells now.

The report to the effect that Homer Vivian had been killed by a large Boa Constrictor snake in South America, seems to have been fabricated. Mrs. Vivian, it is said, wired a daily paper in the Panhandle that Homer was alive and well.

Loaning Money.

We loan money on improved land in this and adjoining counties, buy Vendor's Lien notes and look after the renewal of all Darlington notes coming due in Collingsworth and Childress counties.

Our ABSTRACTS are carefully compiled direct from the records, and our prices are as reasonable as the work can with correctness be done.

If you need money, have notes to sell or want to renew your loan, see or write.

Cocke & Sherwood.
Wellington, Texas.

Office in Court House.

Bring your eggs and butter to Smith & Brown's and receive the best price.

Car load of hog wire at Shamburger Lumber Yard.

Dandy fine Candy at the Bob Currie Confectionery.

Developed an Idea

C. W. Post who committed suicide in California, Saturday, owed his fortune to the development of one idea.

Many years ago Post went to Battle Creek, Mich. After spending a time at a sanitarium there he saw the possibilities of a cereal breakfast food. He began the manufacture of "Grapenuts," "Postum" and "Post Toasties."

He at once became a vigorous advertiser. He put an idea of health behind the food qualities of his preparations. He skillfully and thoroughly covered the country with his literature.

Post was a believer in newspaper advertising and was a pioneer among breakfast food purveyors in newspaper publicity. He made an enormous fortune.

Early in his manufacturing career he ran afoul of union labor, and from that time to the day of his death there was a fierce conflict between him and the leader of organized labor.

Post was a fluent speaker, a clever writer and among the prominent men engaged in anti-union campaigns he was easily the leader.

Methods of salesmanship were entirely changed by Post. He did not use many drummers, but he made newspapers and magazines messengers to the user of his products and created a demand. Through the dealers he supplies this demand.

Post did not waste any money in foolish advertising. He knew that the average newspaper could reach more people every day than any other instrument, and he therefore confined his advertising chiefly to the columns of the leading newspapers of this country.—Commercial Appeal.

"CARLO"



Carlo, the well known German Coach Horse, will make the season 1914, at the Smith Dairy 1-2 mile west and 1-2 mile north of the N. W. corner of the town section. Fee \$10 to insure living colt.

E. E. WHITTEN,

Manager.

Largest Wheat Crop in Ten Years Predicted

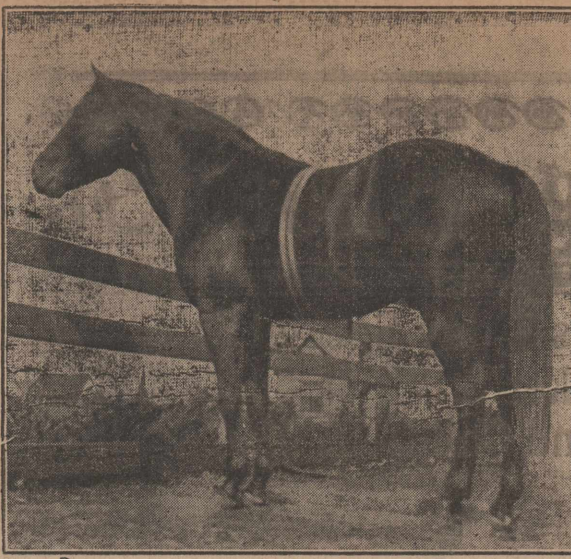
Wichita Falls, Texas, May 18.—Agents of the United States Department of Agriculture have completed their estimates of the 1914 wheat crop of Texas, after a careful survey of the wheat belt of this state. The 1914 yield is estimated at 15,600,000 bushels which is approximately 2,000,000 bushels more than last year. If the final figures come up to this estimate it will be the largest production in Texas since 1903, when the yield was 19,880,000 bushels.

Only five per cent of the Texas acreage has been abandoned on account of crop failure and 1,082,000 acres remain to be harvested.

The Texas crop on May 1st was 90 per cent of normal, or 12 per cent above the average condition on the same date last year.

The average price per bushel paid to farmers on May 1st was 93 cents, or 3 cents above the May 1st, 1913 quotation.

"BEN"



The above is a true photograph of BEN.

BEN is 3-4 Steel Dust 1-8 Rondo 1-8 Champ, a blood bay, perfectly made horse. Will stand at my place 1-2 mile east of Wellington. Terms, \$10 to insure living colt. Money due when colt is foaled or mare traded or moved from county. Will not be responsible for accidents but will use every precaution to prevent same.

It will pay you to see BEN before breeding if you are interested in fine blooded horses. For further information see

Z. T. LOWRIE

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THE SOURCE OF CHEAP MONEY

EDITOR'S NOTE:—This is the second of a series of articles on AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS prepared by Judge S. A. Lindsey, chairman of the Texas Farm Life Commission.

Suppose one wishes to borrow on land security, \$10,000. It is not easy to find one person who has that sum to lend. When he does, he finds a man of affairs who will lend the money only on such rates as prevail in that community. It is easier to find twenty persons with \$500 or a hundred with \$100 each. In Eastern states and in European countries working people and persons of small means put by their savings in saving banks which pay 3 and 4 per cent on time deposits. The savings banks assemble many hundred millions of dollars. The deposits in the Postal Savings Bank of this nation already amount to \$40,000,000 although they pay only 2 per cent interest. People of small means are the greatest source of cheap money. Their money builds sky-scrapers, factories, ships, railroads, telegraph, telephone systems and so on, which is assembled in this wise: The enterprise is incorporated and issues mortgage bonds. A million dollars may be put into bonds of \$50 each, bearing 4 or 5 or 6 per cent interest. Concerns which make a business of selling such securities furnish the money desired and sell these bonds to investors in such securities among whom will be clerks, book-keepers, laborers, school-teachers, preachers, professional people, and all kinds of non-business persons. Thus is capital assembled which finances big enterprises. The rich do not, as some suppose, furnish cheap money; they borrow and use the money of non-business people.

Every one of Uncle Sam's industries except his greatest, agriculture, has worked out methods of getting to the source of cheap money, and he has decided to work out a system for that neglected industry. He sends his agents to all parts of the world. Some of these in the countries of Continental Europe have reported that the people there have systems of rural credits which manage to tap this great source of cheap money just as other industries do, and receive copious streams of finance which give new life and vigor to agriculture, causing the fields to bring forth five-fold. Desiring to see what light these systems might shed on our agricultural problems President Wilson sent a Commission last year throughout Europe to investigate the systems there. This commission saw that land mortgage securities when issued in small denominations so that people of small means could purchase them with their savings were the favorite of all securities. People everywhere love the soil; they dwell upon it, from it comes their food and raiment, and they have faith in it above all things else, even above the government itself. Hence they who went on this investigation found that land securities everywhere commanded cheaper money than the bonds of the governments, and these securities have stood the test of a hundred years.

The methods are so simple and the benefits so great and widespread that one seeing them wonders why we should not long ago have adopted some similar method suited to agricultural conditions here. This Commission has prepared a plan which is now before Congress and which I will explain in my next article.

Notice to Horse Raisers

My Hambletonian horse, "Prince Albert," will make the season at my place one mile west of Wellington. His colts are the best in the county. If you have not seen any of them, see some of them. He needs no other advertisement. \$10.00 to insure living colt. Accidents not guaranteed against, but special care given in breeding.

I also have "John," the Wright jack. Stop and see him. Fee \$10 to insure living colt. Money due when mare is moved or traded. Ed. Allen

TEXAS FACTS

INTERURBANS.

There are 550 miles of interurban lines in Texas.

During 1913, 215 miles of new interurban lines were built in Texas.

All except two of the principal cities of Texas have interurban connections.

There are 40 electric railway companies operating in Texas.

Thirty-six Texas cities have electric street railway systems.

The street car line mileage of Texas is approximately 600 miles.

Texas led all states in the Union in interurban construction in 1913.

Texas has the longest interurban system in the southwest. It is the Dallas-Vaco-Corsicana line and is 158 miles long.

PUBLIC HIGHWAYS.

Texas has 150,000 miles of public highways.

We have a half mile of highway to every square mile of area.

The public road area of Texas is larger than the State of Delaware.

The public highways of Texas will reach around the world five times.

A large per cent of the highways of Texas are in first class condition.

Texas has one of the most active Good Roads Associations in America.

Fifty-one Texas communities are issuing bonds, appropriated \$276,000 for highway maintenance and construction last year.

Last year the people of Texas spent \$40,000 per day building public roads.

It costs 43 cents to build a ton of freight one mile over Texas roads.

The longest reinforced concrete viaduct in the world is in Dallas, Texas.

BRAINS DULLED BY CONSTIPATION

**Some People Only Half Alive;
Dodson's Liver Tone Cleans
You Out and Wakes You
Up.**

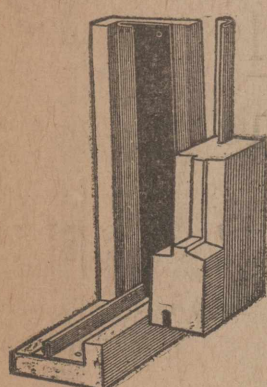
When constipation is having its evil effects on your body and brain Nature is doing her best to offset them and overcome the cause itself. But usually Nature cannot do this unaided.

In the past, many sufferers at such a time used to turn to dangerous calomel in hope of relief. For some people calomel does appear to give a temporary benefit, but as a matter of fact it is a poison that proves to be injurious and even dangerous to many. If you have ever taken calomel you probably have suffered from evil conditions following its use.

But nowadays great numbers of people have learned how to feel better, brighter and healthier by taking Dodson's Liver Tone instead of calomel. Indeed, this harmless vegetable liquid is recommended and guaranteed by E. M. Williams Drug Co., who will refund the purchase price to you without question if you are not completely satisfied with it.

Get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for only 50c. and learn for yourself how easy and naturally it assists Nature in getting rid of and correcting constipation and biliousness, how it clears away the sick headache and coated tongue and sets you right without ache or grip, without any interference with your regular habits. Fine for the children. They like to take it.

The new grocery store on the north side of the square, Pritchard & Son, will pay you cash for your chickens and eggs.



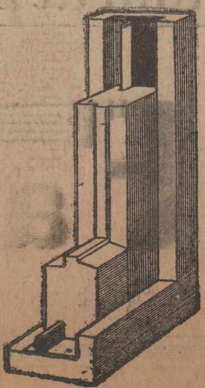
THE DIAMOND WAY PRACTICAL WEATHER STRIPPING

THE DIAMOND FLEXIBLE METAL WEATHER STRIP keeps out dust, dirt, storm, noise, wind, etc., and at the same time reduces your heating bills from 20 to 40 per cent. Can be put in house already built as well as new buildings.

They are entirely consealed and last the lifetime of the building. See me for estimates in equipping your home.

Don't be fooled with inferior strips when the best costs no more.

J. A. DUKEMINIER
AGENT
Wellington, - Texas



THE NEW PROPRIETOR

HAVING purchased the barber shop on the Southeast corner of the square of C. L. Webb, I take pleasure in announcing to the public that I am prepared to give the very best service in anything in the barbering line, and will truly appreciate a liberal share of your barber trade. Call in and let's get acquainted. Yours for the best barbering.

T. L. BALL

Phone No. 27
We Sell
Mastic Paint

Cicero Smith Lumber Company

V. V. DAVIS, Manager.

Lumber, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Lath, Shingles and Brick.

It pays to see
us before you
place your bill

When Your Property is in Ruins

Will the loss fall on YOU—or on US?
There will be no loss to you if you
have a Tornado Policy in the-----

American Central Insurance Co.

St. Louis, Missouri.

A Tornado may mean great financial loss---
perhaps bankruptcy---if you haven't a policy

T. O. HILL, Agent,---Office in Wellington State Bank Building

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Thursday Evening, May 21, 1914

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Leader Printing Co., Owners

The silo will prove the first
aid to fortune for many Collings-
worth farmers.

If there is a pessimistic farm-
er in good old Collingsworth
county now he is keeping mighty
still.

Prospects are fine for a mam-

moth feed crop for Collings-
worth county, and with feed
plentiful this fall prices are like-
ly not to be so good. With a
silo to take care of and preserve
this feed, it would bring double
the price of the rough feed.

Don't let your interest in poli-
tics cause you to fall out with
your neighbor. Remember you
are going to live here after the
election is over and no hard feel-
ings should be engendered be-
cause you may not agree as to
who should be governor or who
should be elected to any office.
You have a friend, keep him.
Do not say or do any thing that
might wound his feelings. We
should all be charitable and kind

and we will be happier and able
to help each other more.

Paste it in your hat, friends:
Your local paper is worth more
to you than the big city sheet
padded with material from the
ends of the earth. The local
happenings are relished though
the seasoning be home grown.
Your name on the subscription
list insures you a "heap" of in-
formation for the family, not
dreamed of in your philosophy,
and really worth more to you
than a dozen spring chickens.
Your subscription paid in ad-
vance is an investment where
the producer pays the freight
and labors with a lighter heart
in the makeup of his weekly de-
seminator.

Not only was Rev. J. Frank
Norris acquitted, but was exon-
erated. But it is no trouble to
do such a thing as that when
there was no evidence against
the man except testimony man-
ufactured by thugs, drunkards
and cut throats. Rev. Norris is
a man in every sense of the word,
and hits hell in high places, and
that is why the Funnel Company
of Fort Worth used every dirty,
disgraceful, scheme to put him
behind the bars. If there is any-
thing on earth that the editor
of this paper detests it is politi-
cal rot and the acts of a dirty,
sneaking scamp who will rule or
ruin. For God's sake, men if
not for your own and country's
sake, be a man.—Foard County
News.

Our attention has been called
to the fact that one never sees a
balbheaded woman. Well, what
of that. There are a good many
things we never saw. We never
saw a woman sit on a dry goods
box and surround herself with
filthy pools of extract of tobacco
sprayed through her teeth. We
never saw one go fishing with a
bottle of bait in her hip pocket,
sit on the damp ground and go
home drunk at night. We never
saw a woman yank off her coat,
spit on her hands and swear she
could whip the biggest man in
town. Come to think of it there
are a good many things we never
saw a woman do, and don't want
to either.—Exchange.

"Ah well, life is just one merry
go-round of anticipations and
regrets." The swinging around
the circle always has some fea-
ture over which to grieve. The
future seems filled with things
delightful till they have become a
reality. The best way is to en-
joy the things present and swing
on around till the whistle says
stop and then enjoy thinking of
the pleasures that have been
ours, while looking forward to
other pleasant things. A sort of
perpetual motion in having a
good time on life's merry-go-
round.—Higgins News.

Sweet Potato Plants

Improved Pumpkin Yam,
Buckskin Yam, Vineless Pump-
kin Yam. \$2.50 per thousand
express prepaid to your station.
C. B. McCaleb, Sweet Potato
specialist, Olustee, Oklahoma.
Phone 132.

Notice to Hunters

No hunting or shooting of any
kind allowed on land owned or
controlled by the undersigned.
Now we are determined to keep
out everybody. Yes, this means
you. We will prosecute all tres-
passers.

J. E. Beggs.
A. and O. Buerger

Attention Sovereigns

By order of the Consul Com-
mander you are one and all re-
quested to be at the hall on our
next regular meeting night,
May 23rd. There is important
business and four candidates to
be initiated. Arrangements
are being made for ice cream
and cake. The W. O. W. Cornet
band plays at every meeting.
Ice cream and lemonade at
close of last meeting.

Committee.

Board of Equalization.

"It is ordered by the Com-
missioners Court that the Clerk
give notice that the Commis-
sioners Court of Collingsworth
County will meet as a Board of
Equalization on Monday May
25th, 1914."

O. L. Couch, Clerk,
Commissioners Court, Coll-
ingsworth County, Texas.

Large oaks from little acorns
grow;
Small streams to mighty riv-
ers flow;
And Warner's Rust-Proof
Corsets make
The finest figure—they won't
break.

The most popular Candies at
the Bob Currie Confectionery.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce
the persons whose names appear
below as candidates for office in
Collingsworth County, subject
to the Democratic primaries to
be held on July 25th, 1914.

For Congressman-At-Large:

R. B. HUMPHREY

For State Senator, 29th District:

R. H. COCKE, JR.

For Representative to the Texas Legislature from 124th Dist:

R. L. TEMPLETON

For District Judge, 46th Judicial District:

J. A. NABERS

For District Attorney, 46th Ju- dicial District:

R. V. CROWDER
O. T. WARLICK
HUGH D. SPENCER

For County Judge:

A. C. NICHOLSON
R. H. TEMPLETON
GEO. W. LEE

For County and District Clerk:

O. L. COUCH
HERBERT DYSART

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

J. G. NEECE
O. O. ADAMS
C. C. (Conley) TERRY

For County Treasurer:

T. A. GLENN
W. G. HITE

For Tax Assessor:

J. D. THOMAS

For Public Weigher:

JNO. E. JONES
L. T. SULLIVAN
A. Y. (Andy) BELL
A. S. J. LOCKHART
J. H. HODGE
NORMAN KESLER

For County Commissioner, Pre- cinct No. 1.

O. W. ALEXANDER
P. W. MYERS
J. M. HARPER

For County Commissioner, Pre- cinct No. 3:

I. T. GOODNIGHT

Justice of the Peace—Precinct No. 1

W. A. WALKER
T. A. FISHER
T. O. HILL

For Constable, Precinct No. 1

J. R. BLESSING
M. L. BOSS

The right Face Powder

Sylvodora Face Powder
(as advertised in the Sat-
urday Evening Post)
solves the problem of a
perfect complexion pow-
der for every woman.
It is very adherent, prac-
tically invisible on the
skin, and absolutely pure.

Instead of "that powdery
look" so often seen,
Sylvodora Face Powder
gives the true natural
velvety effect of real beauty to
the complexion. Get a 50 cent
box here to-day. It is sure to
delight you.



WILLIAMS DRUG CO.

SOUTH
SIDE
SQUARE

Your *Penslar* Store

If you need a face cream that really benefits the skin, try
Penslar Buttermilk Cerate. And do not forget to ask us about
Lilaflor, the new perfume—the true scent of blossoming lilacs—
delicate, refined, refreshing.

A Steady Growth

THE steady growth of this bank is an indication of
its constantly increasing service. To afford every
customer the promptest attention and the most
courteous and efficient service is the aim of our
management. That the public appreciates painstaking,
careful banking service is shown by the large increase in
our business.

A BANK TO MEET YOUR REQUIREMENTS

The City National Bank

Capital, Surplus and Earnings\$98,000.00
Shareholder's Additional Liabilities 50,000.00
TOTAL\$148,000.00

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The O. K. Wagon Yard

For the best of "NIGGER-HEAD" Lump and
Nut Coal, McCalester and Mexico Coal, phone
or call on us. All kinds of Grain & Feed.
The best Wagon Yard in the Panhandle.

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CITY MEAT MARKET

"The Old Reliable" is the place to buy
fresh and cured meats, Pure Hog
Lard etc. We will appreciate your
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CITY BARBER SHOP
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Shaving and Hair Cutting.
S. R. LOWRIE, PROP.

The Populace in Unison----Power. Much Good Work Done

Wednesday, May 27th, Everybody Meet to Work Road Leading North from the Northwest Corner of Town Section

THE greatest success of any enterprise ever undertaken by the citizenship of Wellington was brought about Wednesday by the hearty response of everybody to the "Good Roads" scheme. Practically every man in town responded to this call to duty. The stores were all closed up for the day—only drug stores for prescription work and the restaurants and hotels to feed the hungry remained open—and things were so dull in town that most of these wished they were with the crowd on the road.

Nearly 300 Men-Need More Teams

Approximately 200 men from town were at work on the road and this swelled by the farmers coming and joining in the work gave an aggregate total of 267 men by actual count, and the men did not fool around and play either but practically all out in a fair day's work considering that it was a change and somewhat harder work than many were used to. There was about thirty or thirty-five teams, when to use this crowd of laborers to the best advantage there should have been at least 100 to 125 teams, and this was the greatest mistake—however one that could not have been avoided as it was all volunteer work—yet the purpose was one of co-operation.

Value of the Work.

The real value of the work done by the aggregation is hard

to estimate, but will run into hundreds of dollars. A large sixty foot bridge was put across a deep ravine and the road on each side graded and big fills made for the abutments. Another smaller bridge was built and two large size metal culverts put in besides long stretches of grades made and the cuts in

Next Road to Work

hills widened; washes filled, etc. Next Wednesday, it was understood, that work would start at the northwest corner of the town section and work the road north towards the river. Everybody within a radius of seven or eight miles of town in any direction are urged to come out and help in this work also, and when the roads in other directions are worked the farmers who get the benefit of this particular road will come and help you. Next Wednesday May 27th, the stores in town will all close again and the proprietors will turn out and help work.

Bring Dinner and Feed

Let everybody bring their dinner and feed for the teams and prepare to stay all day. Also bring your shovels and tools to work with.

Portends to Better Times

If the spirit of co-operation could prevail and the citizenship get together on every proposition having for its object the common good, as they did in this instance, Wellington would

move forward in leaps and bounds, and the tributary country would likewise prosper and all the people be happy and contented.

Continue in Harmony

Now let's continue to work in harmony. In the uniformity of action there is precision, speed, and something accomplished. To be in accord with others and all working together there is the thrill of comradeship, the enthusiasm of numbers, adding confidence in undertakings and making success more easily realized.

Co-operative Spirit

The present is a generation that is studying business power, self-confidence and mass psychology—everybody exerting their efforts in unison with everybody else and all for all. Or, in other words the co-operation spirit is the theme. In military organization when a man gets out of step he is only one removed from being out of line. When a man can not get in sympathy with the hundreds of men who are working for the common good he is out of step, out of unison, and is only one removed from being relegated to oblivion.

He Who Would Shirk

The man in the business world who stands off to himself, can not see the value of the co-operative spirit, views the progressive element with a snarl, shelters himself behind a logical sneer, says it can't be

done and watches the marchers sweep by and accomplish that which he predicted would come to naught.

Some Side Lights

DRUMMER PUTS IN TIME

A drummer came in on Wednesday's train, but finding all the stores closed and not able to get to see the business men came on out where they were working the roads and put in pretty good time as a hand with the rest of the men.

SEARS-ROBUCK MAN

One good farmer who did not believe the business men meant what they said when they announced that the stores would be closed Wednesday to work the roads came along headed for town and wanted some of the dry-goods men to come in and sell him some goods and when they refused he threatened to patronize Sears-Robuck & Co. It's a safe bet to say that the gentleman was already a patron of the mail order house when he had the cash, and at other times wanted accommodations from the local merchants.

OFFERS BARBECUED MUTTON.

No one was more enthusiastic over the good roads work than Commissioner I. T. Goodnight who was out Wednesday on the Buck Creek road and furnished several teams and labor. He stated that the next time the crowd gathered to work that

road he would barbecue mutton and prepare to entertain the crowd in royal style.

"DIDN'T TAKE THE DAMN PAPER"

Another man headed for town wanted one of the feed dealers to come in and load his wagon with grain. Of course the feed dealer refused and asked the man if he didn't see in the paper where all the business houses would be closed on Wednesday for road working, to which the reply was: "Don't take the damn paper, and g--- d---n glad I don't." He evidenced a need of the benign influence of the local paper and other civilizing agencies.

"DIDN'T BELIEVE IT."

Wednesday one of the good friends of the town came from a distance after a load of supplies for the larder, but finding all the stores closed he remained over and loaded out next morning. When asked if he had not seen the statement in the paper that the stores would be closed for the day he said, "Yes, but I didn't really believe that all the stores would be closed, but I have no complaint for good roads benefit no one more than the farmers."

"JAIL BIRD" WANTS ON THE ROAD.

The only prisoner in the jail here asked to be permitted to go out and work the road with the crowd Wednesday and he put in a pretty good day's work.

A CLASSY GATHERING.

Preachers and teachers; lawyers and doctors; bankers and barbers; dry-goods and grocery-men; druggist and draymen; harness, hardware and hotelmen; tailors, tinners and telephone-men; furniture dealer and racket storemen; real estate and restaurantmen; confectionery and coalmen; insurance and icemen; printers and painters, jewelers and photographers; butchers & bakers; mechanics, millers and medicinemen; feed and produce dealers; carpenters, blacksmith and lumbermen; livery, electric light and garragemen; picture show man, the railway station agent and operator; city and county officers, candidates, and men of every other vocation and calling gathered with the throng on the road working Wednesday, not leaving enough of the male population in town to get up a decent marble game.

OFFERS TWELVE MULES.

A farmer living southeast of town says when the good roads delegation from town get to working the roads in that vicinity that he will come out and also furnish twelve good mules for the work. Many other farmers from all different sections are becoming enthused over the matter and say that they will lend their aid with their labor and with teams.

Local News

Tankage For Sale.—Shields & Co.

See Buster for your farm loans.

If you want a farm loan, see Buster.

We pay cash for eggs. Smith & Brown.

Mr. Farmer, we want your butter and eggs. Boles & Stall.

Boles & Stall want your eggs, butter, etc.

Take your eggs and butter to Boles & Stall.

Prairie Hay for sale.—P. M. Shields & Co.

Delicious Candies at the Bob Currie Confectionery.

Phone 15 for the freshest groceries.—Boles & Stall.

Millet seed for sale at P. M. Shields & Co. feed store.

Fresh Groceries arriving on every train for Boles & Stall.

HAY BALING—If you want hay baled see Mooney Brothers.

Bring your butter and eggs to Smith & Brown. We pay cash.

We will have a car of new alfalfa hay in a few days. P. M. Shields & Co.

Niggerhead coal arriving at Singley Bros. 42-4t

Beef, Iron and Wine at Williams Drug Store.

H. E. Simpson of Lillie was in the metropolis today.

We will pay you cash for your produce.—Bowles & Stall.

W. T. Benton, of Aberdeen, was here one day this week.

Dr. S. A. Street left yesterday on a trip to Oklahoma City.

Mineral water from Mineral Wells at Williams Drug Store.

Bring your chickens and eggs to the Goforth Produce Co.

T. P. Willingham was shaking hands with friends here Tuesday.

Mrs. L. D. Sanders has returned from a visit to Dodsonville.

N. I. Biffle was down Tuesday from his excellent home at Salt-fork.

D. R. Griffis was in Tuesday from his farm in the Rolla community.

Jim Moore visited at Wichita Falls, Electra and Memphis this week.

Toilet cream and liniment for good road boosters. Williams Drug Store.

Wellington's "Road Boosters" pictures on sale at Williams Drug Store.

Mr. Farmer, we are bidding strong for your butter and eggs. Bring them to our store. Boles & Stall.

J. L. Webb a good citizen from beyond Quail, was trading in this city today.

Joe Beasley another splendid citizen from the north side, was in the city today.

Misses Jessie and Maud Coe left today on a visit to relatives at Burkburnett.

Go to Warrick's Mill for fresh ground corn meal, Chico, Brand, corn chops, Cotton Seed Meal and hulls.

If its good biscuit you like try a sack of White Crest, always best. Boles & Stall.

Judge R. H. Cocke Jr., left today for a trip to Clarendon to be absent until Sunday.

The Woodmen of the World are planning a big 4th-of-July celebration for Wellington.

C. McKnight was up one day this week from his splendid home in the Fresno community.

"Aetna Silk" a dandy hard wheat flour at \$1.15 per sack; and worth the money. Pritchard & Son. North side square.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ruffin Cocke on Thursday of last week, a fine boy, and the proud father now tilts his cigar at a greater angle and his countenance needs more room to smile.

Country cured hams or bacon, chickens and eggs. Top market price paid for them at J. P. Pritchard & Son.

Miss Sallie Jones returned yesterday from Canyon where she has been attending the West Texas State Normal school.

Last chance for this season for 10c for hens, Saturday and Monday, May 23 and 25. Goforth Produce Co.

Miss Constance Boverie returned yesterday from Canyon where she has been attending the West Texas Normal.

Clarence Richardson and family are now domiciled in their new home built on the site where the former home was burned.

10c per pound for hens Saturday and Monday next at Goforth Produce Co. May 23 and 25.

Mrs. Joe Hardy and daughter, Miss Louise, left yesterday for Clarendon to attend the closing exercises of the Clarendon college.

Our good friend, W. W. Joyner, was able to get out again the first of this week after a spell of the gripe.

Sell your products for cash and trade where you please. Goforth Produce Co.

M. F. Corbin was in the city one day this week from his splendid home a short distance west of town.

Dr. H. B. Worley returned last Friday from Houston where he attended the meeting of the Texas Medical Association. Something like a thousand members of the profession throughout the State were present at this meeting.

Mary had a little shape; 'Twas very cute, indeed; She wore it in a Warner's Rust-Proof Corset—Guaranteed.

We will pay you cash for your eggs and chickens—Pritchard & Son—the new grocery store, North side Square.

J. J. Herndon and wife, and the latter's sister, Miss Massie Payne, have returned from Archer county and will probably make their home here.

Cash for your produce at Boles & Stall.

See the dishes that are being given away at Williams Drug Store.

One of the horses of the fine team usually driven to the ice wagon died Monday and Singley Brothers sustains a heavy loss, as it was an especially fine blooded pretty, and valuable animal.

10c per pound for hens Saturday and Monday next at Goforth Produce Co. May 23 and 25.

W. O. Richards and lady and little daughter, Effie Lee, left today for Clarendon to attend the commencement exercises of the college there. Mr. and Mrs. Richards have a daughter, Miss Ciddie, who is a student in this splendid institution.

Singley Bros. are doing business in the same old way. 42-4t

For

B P S Paint see Cicero-Smith Lumber Co.

New Hosiery Free

if any one of four pairs of this excellent brand of 25c guaranteed hosiery for men, women and children shows holes within four months.

This guarantee is the service you purchase with every box of

BUSTER BROWN'S

DARNLESS

GUARANTEED HOSIER Y

For Men, Women and Children

at our hosiery counter. Made of finest Egyptian and Sea Island Cotton Yarns with pure linen reinforcement at heel, top, sole and toe. Fast sanitary dyes, delightful colors. Smooth and ribbed styles—all sizes and weights.

Ask at hosiery counter.

THE FAMOUS

We'll Bring It As You Like It

A small lot or a large order of groceries will be handled to your liking. You want good clean groceries, handled in a clean and sanitary manner without dust or dirt.

That's Our Way.

To our old friends in town and to our country friends, we have served you well in the past, and we now want you to call on us and let us show just **how low** we can sell you groceries for **cash**. Everything is brand new and our goods are of the best quality.

J. P. Pritchard & Son

Cash Groceries.

North Center of the Square.

Our Motto:—"QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS."

Buster farm loan office is over The City National Bank. See him.

Carload of hog wire arrived this week at the Shamburger Lumber Yard.

10c per pound for hens Saturday and Monday next at Goforth Produce Co. May 23 and 25.

Henry Vaughn of Route 2 was in the city Tuesday and has our thanks for cash on subscription.

RECEIPE FOR SUCCESS—Carry good goods, let the people know you carry good goods, and sell them right. The Famous.

Rev. Hembree preached at the Baptist church last Sabbath in lieu of Rev. Garrard who was at Hollis.

Mrs. Humphrey of Mart, Texas, arrived Wednesday on a visit to her daughter here, Mrs. R. S. Garrard.

Oscar Nicholson, Roy Williams and Elder W. C. Scruggs, were over with the Shamrock ball team Tuesday.

A. W. Powell of Route 2 was in the city Saturday and renewed for the two best—The Leader and Dallas News.

We are informed that Grandpa W. B. McClaskey is quite ill at his country home on the north side of the river.

Country hams and bacon chickens and eggs? Take them to J. P. Pritchard & Son and receive highest market price.

A. Y. (Andy) Bell was in from his splendid home west of town Tuesday and had this office print him some more cards to use in his race for Public Weigher.

W. T. Gaylor was in the city today from his excellent home on the north side, and seemed delighted over the fine prospects for good crops.

TEXAS FACTS

PETROLEUM.

Texas ranks sixth in the United States in petroleum production.

Petroleum is the leading mineral produced in Texas, and constitutes 43 per cent of the annual output.

The oil wells of Texas produce 31,000 barrels of petroleum per day.

In pumping petroleum from the Texas fields to the refineries, 2,100 miles of pipe lines are constantly in use.

The longest oil pipe line in the world is in Texas.

We have 8 oil refineries in Texas.

The known petroleum area of Texas covers 400 square miles.

Port Arthur is the leading oil exporting port of the world.

Texas petroleum and its products enter every market in the world.

The annual petroleum production of Texas is 11,735,000 barrels, valued at \$8,853,000.

Crude and refined oils to the extent of 136,225,000 gallons, valued at \$6,500,000 are exported from Texas ports annually.

The first petroleum production in Texas was in 1889, when 43 barrels were produced in the Corsicana field.

ASPHALT.

Texas ranks second with other states in asphalt production.

Texas produces 60,000 tons of asphalt annually, valued at \$800,000.

SALT.

Texas produces \$300,000 worth of salt annually.

The salt mining of Texas is confined to 3 counties.

Mrs. Dr. T. A. Hudson and son, Keener, returned yesterday from an extended trip to Mangum and other Oklahoma points.

J. H. Hodge, the affable candidate for Public Weigher and who lives in the splendid Plymouth community, was trading in the city Tuesday.

Prof. R. F. Currie returned first of the week from an extended visit to his brother who resides at Santa Anna, Coleman county.

Mrs. R. E. Simmons left Wednesday for Sonomah Mo. where she will undergo treatment. She was accompanied by Mrs. Salhe Wall of Aberdeen.—Shamrock Texan.

Miss Lucy Halcomb, of Eldorado, Oklahoma, was here this week on a visit to her brother, H. A. Holcomb, the ever popular assistant cashier of the Wellington State Bank.

Rev. F. B. Boyett pastor of the Presbyterian church of this city, left last week for Chicago where he will attend a meeting of the National Assembly. He will be gone about four weeks.

M. Winter was in the city one day this week, and informed us that he too, was damaged by the hail some time ago but considered the prospects very flattering for a bumper crop this year.

Herbert Dysart is a firm believer in the efficiency of printer's ink. He tells us that the local he had in the Leader week before last brought him in a large volume of business in the insurance line.

Rev. R. S. Garrard went to Hollis last Saturday to preach the baccalaureate sermon for the school there on Sunday. Despite the threatening weather the house was crowded to its full seating capacity.

L. H. Stall, we are informed, after attending the Confederate Reunion at Jacksonville, Fla., is spending some time seeing the sights in Washington, D. C., and some of the principal cities along the Atlantic coast.

Mrs. J. B. Rhodes left last week for Hamlin where she will attend the commencement exercises of the Nazarene College of that city, she having a son attending the same. After attending the above exercises she will visit relatives at Stamford for a few days.

H. O. Ward, who controls the destinies of the "Emblem of Truth" of Dodsonville made our sanatorium a fraternal call when in the metropolis last Saturday. Mr. Ward impresses us as being a splendid newspaper man and the creditable paper he is getting out at Dodsonville further evidences this fact.

J. M. Black of the Fresno community, was in the city one day this week and informed us that his wheat crop seems to have suffered considerably from the heavy hail that fell some days ago. However Mr. Black is highly pleased over present prospects for other crops, and feels like the county insures a bumper crop.

W. T. Gaylor, one among the enterprising and successful farmers of the north side, was here this week, and marketed four hogs which brought the handsome sum of \$65.00. Mr. Gaylor also reports crop prospects fine now, since splendid rains have fallen throughout this section.

The Hon. R. L. Templeton, it seems, will have no opponent in his race for the legislature, as the time limit for filing applications for name on the primary ballot is up June 1st. It is also evident that Hon. R. H. Cocke Jr. and Hon. W. A. Johnson will be the only ones in the race for the Senate from this the 29th district.



Beauty That's More Than Skin Deep

MERE surface beauty doesn't wear well, either in shoes or human beings.

"Star Brand" Shoes delight the eye, but more than this, they wear better than other shoes because they are good clear through.

They are made by Roberts, Johnson & Rand, the world's largest shoe manufacturers. The more they make the less they cost to make. This saving goes into extra quality.

There are lots of good shoes, but—
"Star Brand Shoes Are Better"

Made in all styles and sizes—all prices—for men, women and children. Every pair honest leather. No substitutes for leather are ever used.



We sell the Genuine "Star Brand" Shoes, with the maker's name on the sole and their star on the heel. No others are "just as good".

Don't just go into any store and ask for them, but come to us.

A. & W. BIG STORE

Get your garden seed at Smith & Brown's. Two large papers for 5 cents.

We are in receipt of a card from Judge W. A. Walker who is now at Jacksonville, Florida, attending the Confederate's Reunion. He states that there are one hundred thousand visitors there, about one-fourth of which are old soldiers. He also states that accommodations are very high. He expects to return home about the first of June.

Last chance for this season for 10c for hens, Saturday and Monday, May 23 and 25. Goforth Produce Co.

We are in receipt of a copy of the Mt. Vernon Optic-Herald, a splendid paper published at Mt. Vernon, Texas. Our good friend, Clarence D. Knight, formerly with "The Leader" has charge of the mechanical department of the Optic-Herald and his artistic work shows up in the make-up of the publication. Clarence has advanced further into the art preservative since leaving Wellington and now manipulates the linotype.

The new grocery store, Pritchard & Son, on the north side of the square will pay you cash for your eggs and chickens.

O. W. Alexander is circulating a petition this week which will be presented to the State Democratic Executive Committee asking that the Prohibition question again be submitted to the voters at the July primaries. The petition has been quite generously signed, and it will be no trouble to get the requisite number of signatures for the submission of the proposition. Like petitions are being circulated in practically every county of the State.

Car load of hog wire just received at Shamburger Lumber Yard.

H. A. Jones returned Wednesday from Dodsonville, where he and Mr. R. A. Williams, both of the Famous, of this city are putting in a Dry Goods store. He reports crop outlook fine in that section and feels that their store there will enjoy a good business. We commend these excellent gentlemen to the good people of that thriving little city. The citizenship will be proud of the excellent business these men are preparing to establish among them.

Quality groceries and consistent low prices at—Boles & Stall.

Our new \$15,000 school building is nearing completion, and when finished will be a beautiful and commodious building with twelve class rooms and an auditorium. The brick work is completed and the carpenters work is well under way and will be pushed to completion as fast as possible.

Owing to the most excellent faculty last year the citizenship of Wellington enjoyed a most excellent school which was conducted in a building with almost no accommodations, hence we predict we will have one among the best schools in the state next year, as we are informed all the old faculty have been re-employed.

Residence For Sale

I am offering my residence at a bargain, and if you want a good residence in Wellington I would like to talk with you. I would sell partly on time or take in some stock or other trade.

R. H. Cocke, Jr.

Don't forget that fine Initial Box Stationery at Williams Drug Store.

Anent the announcement of the Hon. R. H. Templeton for County Judge which appeared in last week's issue, and which reached us so late that we failed to make any editorial reference to same. In a former article, if our readers remember, we spoke at length upon the splendid citizenship of Mr. Templeton and the merits of his candidacy from a qualification standpoint. Here we will only add that Mr. Templeton has evidenced his knowledge of law (which is so essential in the conduct of the County Court business and duties in presiding over the Commissioners Court,) by repeatedly reversing the Judges on the bench of the District Court of this and some half dozen other districts in the Panhandle.

Tale of a Postage Stamp

I am a stamp, a postage stamp, a 2-center! Don't want to brag, but I never was licked, except once, by a gentleman, too, he put me on to a good thing; it was an envelope, perfumed, pink and square. I've been stuck to that envelope ever since.

He dropped us, the envelope and me, into a dark box, but were rescued by a mail clerk, more the pity. He hit me an awful smash with a hammer. It left my face black and blue. Then I went on a long journey of two days, and when we arrived, the pink envelope and me, we were presented to a perfect love of a girl, with a stunning pair of blue eyes. Say, she's a dream!

Well, she mutilated the pink envelope and tore one corner of me off with a hairpin. Then she read what was inside the pink envelope.

I never saw a girl blush so beautifully; I would be stuck on her if I could. Well, she placed the writing back in the pink envelope; then she kissed me. We, the pink envelope and me, are now nestling in her bosom; we can hear her heart throb. When it goes fastest she takes us out and kisses me. Oh, say this is great! I am glad I am a stamp, a 2-center.—Stamp Reflections.

Pin This in Your Bible

This Book contains the mind of God, the state of man, the way of salvation, the destiny of the righteous and the wicked. Its doctrines are holy, its precepts binding, its histories true, and its decisions immutable. Read it to be wise; believe it to be right; and practice it to be holy. It contains light to direct, food to support, and comfort to cheer you. It is the traveler's map, the pilgrim's staff, the pilot's compass, the soldier's sworn, and the Christian's character. Here Paradise is restored heaven is opened, and the gates of hell are disclosed. Its grand subject is Christ, its design our good, and its end God's Glory. It should fill the memory, rule the heart, and guide the feet. Read it slowly, frequently, prayerfully. It is a mine of wealth, a paradise of glory, and a river of pleasure. It is given you in life, it will be opened at the judgment and it will be remembered forever. It invokes the highest responsibility, bestows the greatest rewards for labor, and most surely condemns all who trifle with its contents.

Rev. J. C. Ochler,
Pastor First Presbyterian Church, Palestine, Texas.

Keys Lost.

A bunch of keys was lost yesterday. Anyone finding same will please return to the Leader printing office.

Last chance for this season for 10c for hens, Saturday and Monday, May 23 and 25. Goforth Produce Co.

TEXAS FACTS

AGRICULTURE.

The annual per capita production of Texas is valued at \$200.00, which includes the output of the farm, mine, factory and fisheries.

Thirty-two agricultural products are produced in commercial quantities in Texas.

Coffee and tea are the only agricultural products used in Texas that are not grown commercially within our borders.

The annual expenditure for farm labor by Texas farmers is \$25,000,000.

Cotton and rice are the only farm products we produce in surplus quantities; all other crops are entirely consumed in the state.

We buy \$187,000,000 worth of products annually from other states for home consumption. Corn and pork are our principal import commodities.

The Texas farmers, in marketing their annual production, form a procession that will reach from the earth to the moon.

The farms of Texas produce \$1,840,000 per day.

Dallas, Texas, is the second largest agricultural implement distributing point in the world.

The farmers of Texas spend \$16,000,000 annually for agricultural implements.

There are more farm laborers in Texas than any other state.

The Texas farm laborer earns \$19.00 per month with board and \$27.00 per month if he boards himself.

At the rate we are securing farmers it will take 400 years to thoroughly develop the agricultural resources of Texas.

There are 2,000 silos on the farms of Texas.

Approximately 75 agricultural fairs are held in Texas annually.

The Texas State fair is the largest agricultural exhibition in the world.

A "Turkey Trot," a "Hog Waddle" and a "Possum Walk" are among our annual fairs.

One hundred and three counties of Texas have United States demonstration farms.

There are seven large counties in Texas, each one of which has an uncultivated area larger than the state of Delaware.

Texas leads all states in the Union in the production of farm crops.

The approximate land area of the state is 167,934,720 acres.

Sixty-seven per cent, or 112,435,000 acres, of our total area is farm land.

We have 27,360,666 acres of land that is under cultivation.

The uncultivated area of Texas is larger than the 13 original colonies, excepting Georgia and North Carolina.

The uncultivated area of Texas could support all the people of the United States, using as a basis of calculation two acres per capita, which is the world's average.

Texas has room for 4,000,000 more farmers.

Lost

On last Friday one prize jack for automobile on Route 1. Please let me have it.

H. M. Longino.

For

Hog fence, barbed wire etc., see Cicero-Smith Lumber Co.

Big Sale

Will be Continued

Till Jan. 1, 1915

Keep Coming

Boles & Stall

Candidate "Arrested"

Joe M. Collins, candidate for district clerk, was arrested at Grapevine Saturday when he attempted to electioneer in that place. Grapevine was celebrating a Trade Day and had a large crowd there to witness tight rope walking and foot races. Collins and a number of his friends arrived in the interest of his candidacy. Scarcely had he begun to circulate his N. D. C. feet when he was arrested by order Mayor Dick Wall, who acts also as Judge of the city court. An impromptu session of the court was hastily assembled. Collins was charged with electioneering without a license and sentenced to two hours cutting weeds or ten minutes in the lockup. He chose the lockup and was kept there the full ten minutes.—Star Telegram.

Lilly News

Oscar Phillips and family from Ramsdell are visiting home folks this week.

A. P. Messick had business across the river Monday.

Rev. W. B. Peeples of Chattanooga, is visiting his brother, Dr. J. W. Peeples.

Henry Harper and family spent Friday and Saturday with his father near town.

Miss Dora Brewer entertained quite a large crowd Sunday. About fifty young people were present. Quite a nice time was reported in spite of the bad weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladney are the proud parents of a baby boy.

We are glad indeed to hear Otto Ashton is improving after several days' severe illness.

Crops are mostly up and looking fine in this neighborhood. With the good season, prospects are fine for this year.

Framing a Picture and the Moral Thereof

If you had a picture you wanted to frame, would you go to the frame maker and say: Let me look over your frames, please, I want to see if you've one to fit this picture?

You might search for hours and find none, and if by chance you did, you might not care for the wood, or the color, or the design and the width might be out of all harmony with the picture's size. You wouldn't do such a thing of course and you would be very much amused if you beheld some one else trying to perform so illogical a feat.

To our mind it is equally amusing to see a man march into a store and say to the merchant, Here I am, let me look over your suits, please, I want to see if you've one to fit me.

In the same manner as the hunter for the frame, you might search for hours and find none; and if by chance you came across one that did, how do you know you will like the fabric, the style and the color? You can't satisfy your self by chance.

When you have a picture to frame you go and select what you want and have the frame maker measure the picture and cuts the frame to fit it. Do likewise when you buy clothes. It is logical and sensible. Pick out the fabric that appeals to you, choose your style of model and have the suit made to fit your measurement. You are the picture and your suit is the frame that enhances your appearance.

Wellington Tailoring Co.
T. B. Brooks, Prop.

Nicest Candies yet at the
Bob Currie Confectionery.

Texas Bulls Win First Prize at Havana Show

Hillsboro, Texas, May 17.—Texas bred livestock continues to show its superiority over stock of other countries, and a number of Shorthorn bulls owned by Frank Scofield of this city, who lately returned from Havana, Cuba, were awarded first prize at the International Exposition in that city recently. These animals were entered in competition with the prize bull of the Paris Exposition and some of the finest blooded stock in North and South America and were declared by the judges to be the finest lot ever shown in that country. The total of eight prizes were captured by this herd and a diploma was given to Mr. Scofield, signed by the President and Senate of Cuba in recognition of these prize animals. This is declared to be the greatest victory ever won by an American exhibitor in that Republic. Mr. Scofield disposed of the bulls before returning home.

Two Million Dollars Worth of Hogs Die

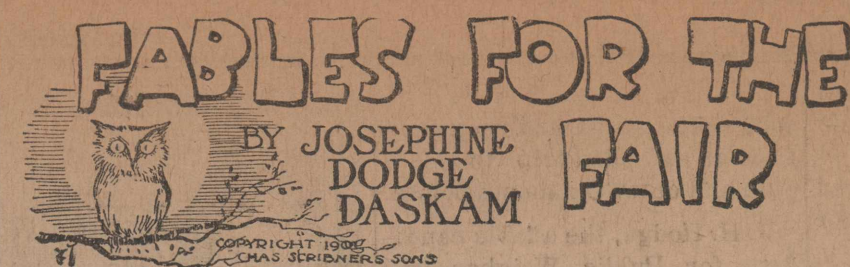
Fort Worth, Texas, May 18.—Swine breeders of Texas lost 196,400 hogs, valued at nearly \$2,000,000 last year by diseases, according to a report issued today by the Census Bureau. This is an average death rate of 75 per 1,000 head. Last year the ratio was only 45 deaths to every 1,000 head and a total of only 112,200 head were lost.

The Texas death rate is much lower than that for Continental United States, which is 119 per 1,000 hogs. Texas ranks seventh with other states in total number of swine, and the six states that are ahead of Texas in hog production all have higher death rates than this state. The ratio in these states run from 85 in Ohio to 255 per 1,000 in Iowa.

The farmers of the nation lost 7,004,800 head of hogs from disease last year. They were valued at \$75,000,000.

Ft. Worth Boy Wins Oratorical Contest

News of honors won at Cumberland University by Ryan Godwin, a Fort Worth boy, has just been received here by his grandfather, R. L. Ellison, 410 Lamar Street. The news comes in the form of two clippings from the Nashville Banner, in one of which Godwin's success in a college oratorical contest is told, and in the other of which his victory for his college against two other colleges is related. Both dispatches are from Lebanon, Tenn.

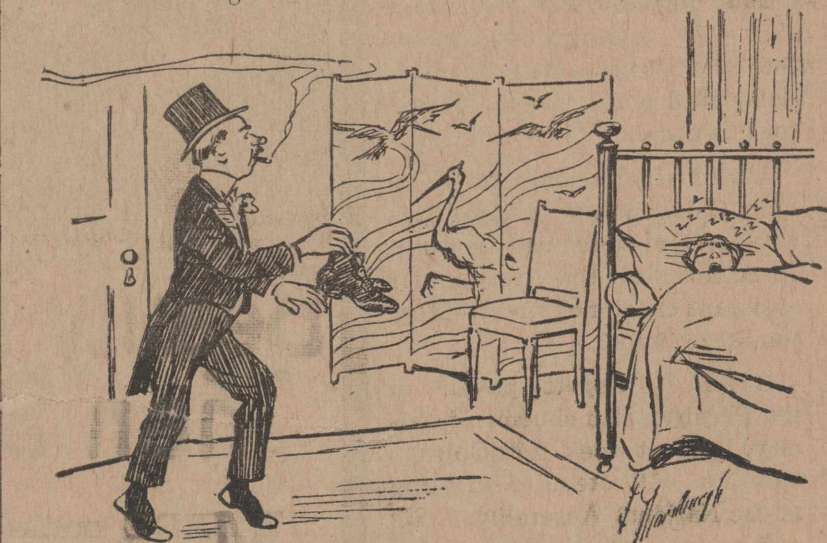


THE WOMAN WHO BELIEVED IN EARLY RISING

There was once a Woman who Felt that her Husband stayed Out too Late at Night. She therefore Devised a Plan to Cure Him of this. Her Plan was to Rise Early in order to Insure his Retiring Early.

"Only in this Way will he be Able to get Enough Sleep," she said. Her Husband, who usually Endeavored to Please her, rose Without Complaint at Six O'clock, but Continued to Stay Out Late. Perceiving that her Purpose was Not Accomplished, the Woman Changed the Hour to Five O'clock.

"The Morning Hours are the Best for Work," she said, "and I



STILL HE CONTINUED TO COME IN LATE.

Understand that the Morning Air possesses Great Virtues."

Her Husband objected, but Rose at Five, as she Wished.

Still he Continued to Come in Late. Then the Woman fixed the Hour at Four-thirty.

"I have Always Enjoyed seeing the Sun Rise," she said.

"In that Case," said her Husband decidedly, "I Shall Not go to bed At All, since it would Not be Worth my While. I will Stay up All Night and take my Sleep at My Office in the Afternoon. So We will have Breakfast at Three O'clock, if you like."

This teaches us that the Early Worm will Turn.

banon, Tenn.

The first dated April 26, related Godwin's victory in a contest to decide who should represent Cumberland in an intercollegiate contest May 8, and the second gave the result of that contest. The institutions entered against Cumberland were Union University, Jackson, Tenn., and Southwestern Presbyterian University, Clarkville, Tenn. Godwin's subject was "Pleasures of Memory."—Star Telegram.

Butter, Pure and Fresh.

Do you eat butter? If you do let me supply you. I will furnish you with the pure article, made from separated cream, strictly sanitary, delivered at your home in Wellington twice each week. If you are interested, address Mrs. P. W. Myers, Route 1 Box 75, Wellington, Texas.

For

Cement and lime see Cicero-Smith Lumber Co.

Approximately 100,000 Killed for Bounty

The comptroller has made his report of the number of wild animals on which bounties have been paid, and the table shows Webb county was first with 4,249 coyotes, 981 wild cats, and \$3,922.50 paid by the county in bounties.

Star county came second with 3,379 coyotes, 565 wild cats, and \$3,054.75 in bounties.

Crockett came first in the number of lobos, the number being 1,170, 416 coyotes, 579 wild cats and \$5,138.50 in royalties.

Live Oak county led in the greatest number of wild cats, the number being 1,780, 1035 coyotes and 1 lobo, with bounties amounting to \$2,115.50.

The total for the entire state was as follows:

Lobos, 8,592; coyotes, 65,267; wild cats, 21,665; total number of animal on which bounties were paid, 98,524; total amount paid in bounties, \$99,987.25.

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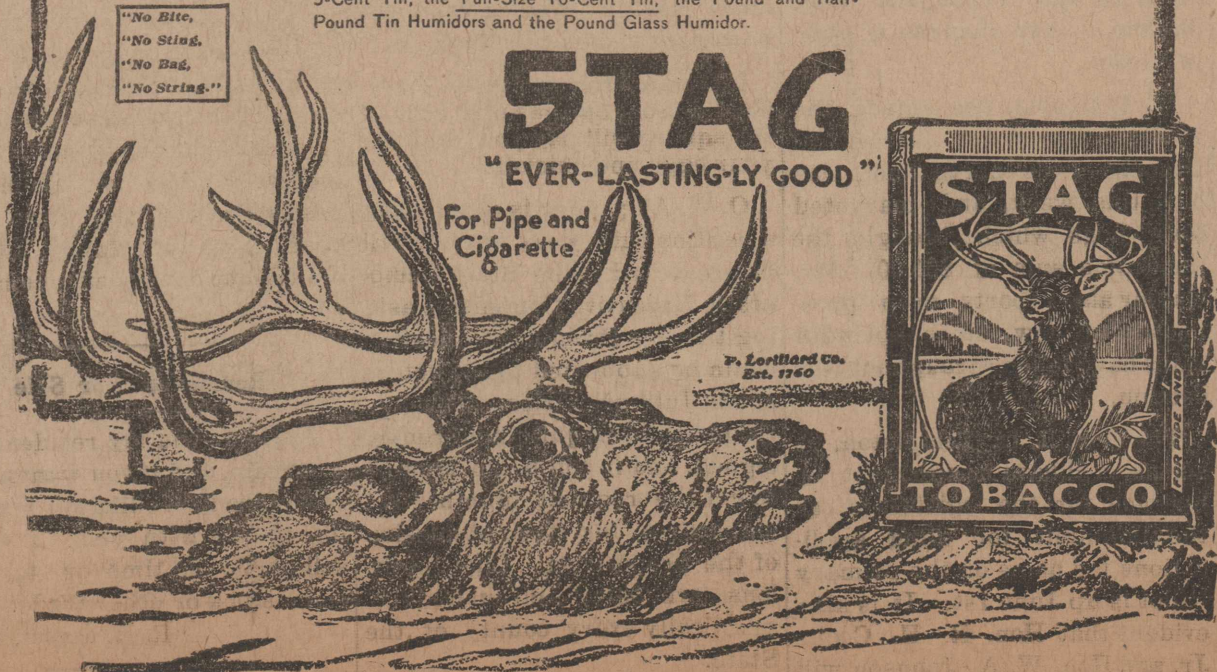
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You could hardly blame Father for telling a little one that time.



Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Collingsworth.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Collingsworth County, on the 14th day of April 1914, by O. L. Couch clerk of said court against W. A. Painter and W. C. Hoffman for the sum of Nineteen Hundred Thirty-eight 20-100 (\$1938 20) dollars and costs of suits, in cause No. 344 in said court, styled The City National Bank of Wellington, Texas, versus W. A. Painter and H. C. Hoffman and placed in my hands for service, I, L. T. Sullivan as Sheriff of Collingsworth county, Texas, did, on the 5th day of May 1914 levy on certain real estate, situated in Collingsworth County, described as follows, to-wit:

All of the north-east one-fourth (N. E. 1-4) of section No. Eighty (80) in block No. Twenty-one (21) also the West one-half (W. 1-2) of the South-west one-fourth (S. W. 1-4) of section No. One hundred and four (104) in block No. twenty-one (21) H. & G. N. Ry. Co. survey in Collingsworth county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said W. A. Painter and W. C. Hoffman and on Tuesday, the 2nd day of June 1914, at the court house door of Collingsworth county, in the city of Wellington Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. A. Painter and W. C. Hoffman by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week

for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Wellington Leader a newspaper published in Collingsworth county.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of May 1914.

L. T. Sullivan,

Sheriff Collingsworth county, Texas.

40-42 By J. G. Neece Deputy.

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The Cow—A Foster-Mother of Civilization

The action of the Fort Stockton Commercial Club in purchasing a hundred and fifty Jersey cows for the benefit of the farmers of that section, while somewhat out of the usual scope of commercial club work, has proved a profitable investment to the town of Fort Stockton, as well as to the farmers who profited by the transaction. The cows were purchased last winter by the Commercial Club at the cost of fifteen thousand dollars and were sold to the farmers on the installment plan. The movement was started for the purpose of stimulating the dairy industry in that section of the state, and as a result one of the most flourishing creameries of the state is operation in that city.

The cow is the foster-mother of civilization and by furnishing sustenance to thousands of helpless babies annually, she is contributing her share towards building the human race. Also she is the most valuable of all domestic animals and in encouraging its membership to invest in this line of industry, the Fort Stockton Club is pursuing a wise and profitable course.

Suit Against Stationery House

Austin, Texas, May 11.—An Anti-trust suit was filed this afternoon in the District Court by the Attorney General's Department in behalf of the state against some of the leading stationery and bank book manufacturers of Texas, charged with violation of the Anti-Trust laws of Texas, and forfeiture of charters. The state alleges that these corporations formed combination on or prior to January 1, 1912, to fix the prices of county and commercial stationery and office furniture and fixtures; that in pursuance of such a combination they would get their prices from a common source and have their books annually audited by the same person to determine whether or not there has been any price cutting, and if the audit discloses evidence of any price cutting the house thus guilty is penalized. The state asks for the statutory penalty which is a minimum of \$50 per day for each corporation. The defendants are Clarke and Courts, Galveston; Dorsey Company, Fort Worth; Maverick Clark Lithograph Company, San

Antonio; George D. Barnard & Company, St. Louis; Hargraves Printing Company & Strtionery Company, Waco.

Robstown Citizens Help Farmers Chop Weeds

Robstown, Texas, May 17.—On account of the farmers in this section not being able to secure sufficient laborers to help them combat the weed evil which has become annihilating to their crops since the recent rains, about 100 men and boys of this place gathered their hoes and overalls and hid themselves to the fields of the various farmers in this section and put in a hard day's work last week. The recent rains have held the farmer's work in abeyance and the weeds had begun to play havoc with his crops, especially in the cotton fields. Practically every business house in the city was closed and the proprietors were among the most enthusiastic who participated in the "weed choppin." The results were gratifying.

Democratic Committee Call

I hereby call a meeting of the Precinct Members of the Collingsworth County Democratic Executive Committee to meet me in executive session at Wellington on Saturday May 23rd at 3:00 p. m. at the court house. Important business and I want to insist that every member of the committee be present at this time.

J. O. Wood, Chairman,
Democratic Exec. Committee.

Free Matinee Tickets

Free tickets to the matinee at the Gem Theatre every Saturday can be had by asking for them at any of the following stores:

Chapman. Bob Curry, E. M. Williams Drug Co., Star Restaurant, Smith & Brown, Stone & Co., Arthur Bailey, Howell & Adams, Shamburger Lumber Co., Famous Mercantile Co., Light Plant, Wellington Hdw., City Barber Shop, City Meat Market, Keep-U-Neat Tailor Shop, First Natl Bank, Singley Bros.

"Duke of Wellington" the best soft wheat flour for biscuits. Made from wheat grown in the banner wheat county in Kansas. Those wanting the best flour will be perfectly pleased with results from this brand. Pritchard & Son, North side square.



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Boisd'arc post see Cicero-Smith Lumber Co.

Thoroughbred, high-strain, Rhode Island Red eggs for sale at \$1.00 per setting. Mrs. J. W. Stall, Route 1.

Thoroughbred barred Plymouthrock eggs for sale. Bradley strain. Eggs \$1.00 per setting, \$5.00 per 100. Also a few choice cockerels left.

E. L. Tarpley,
Wellington, Texas.

Repair Shop.

Best of Shoe repairing at the Tom Watson shop first door east of the J. W. Chapman Confectionery, South side of the square.

Notice.

Anybody hauling wood from now on will be prosecuted. Beggs Brothers.

Buff Orpington Eggs

Full blood Buff Orpington eggs for sale, \$1 per setting of 15 or \$5.00 per hundred. Mrs. C. McKnight, Route No. 1.

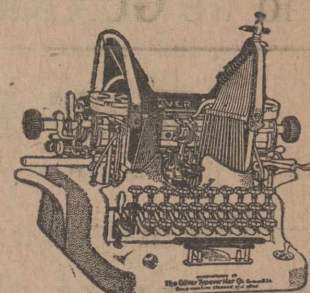
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Good clean cotton seed for planting, 75c per bushel, at Ball Bros.

Phone No. 111 for your feed orders.—Ball Brothers.

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SHOES FOR SPRING

We are now prepared to show you one of the most beautiful Lots of Men's Oxfords in all the latest lasts and leathers. They are the "Packard" make, considered the best shoe for the money, ever sold to the West.

Ladies' Oxfords, "New Style"

We have been receiving other ohipments in Ladies' and Misses' Low Cut Shoes.

In our Irvin Drew Specialty line, we are showing some very exceptionally new things and we make the price right.

LADIES' MILLINERY

Remember we are still headquarters for Ladies' Fine Millinery, at prices that are pleasing to everyone.

Trade with us this month and get your goods Free.

East Side Square

Wellington, Texas

Prompt Adjustment of Insurance

Wellington, Texas.

May 14, 1914.

Mr. Herbert Dysart, Agent
Saint Paul Fire & Marine Ins.
Co.

Dear Sir: This is to thank you for the prompt and equitable adjustment and settlement of damage by hail, to my crop of wheat which I had insured with you in the Saint Paul Fire & Marine Insurance Co., of Saint Paul, Minn. I received my policy on Saturday the 2nd day of May and was visited by a severe hailstorm on the following day. The loss was adjusted on the 6th day of May and I received draft for \$1020.00 in full settlement of same on the 14th day of May. For prompt and fair dealing your company cannot be excelled, and it will always be a pleasure for me to recommend both the company and Messrs Cravens & Cage, the general managers, when possible.

Yours very truly,
C. M. Dowlen.

The Lesson Taught

The past year has been a hard one in every respect the world over. Crops were light and money hard to get—almost impossible in fact. But the experience and trials incident thereto have not been without wholesome effect—we hope. The present outlook indicates immense crops and that an era of prosperity is again dawning. Let us resolve to meet promptly long standing obligations if possible, and then save as much surplus as we can for emergencies that are certain to overtake us in life's struggle. When times are good is the time to save, and if each one had laid up a modest amount two years ago when times were prosperous, conditions the past twelve months would not have been so strenuous.

Piano and Voice Culture.

Miss Eva O'Neil will take a limited number of students in music, both piano and vocal, giving instruction at the home of Mrs. C. C. Small. Miss O'Neil has just finished a course under the tutozship of Miss Maude Mann, at Jackson, Tennessee. Miss Mann is recognized as one of the very best instructors in America, having spent two years abroad studying under the best masters.

Gone to Germany

A. Buerger, one of this county's most substantial and excellent pioneer citizens, left Sunday for Galveston, where on Wednesday of this week, he took a steamer for Germany his native land, for a short visit among friends and loved ones.

Mr. Buerger left his native country when a lad of seventeen, fifty years ago. He has been a citizen of this county for more than twenty years, and we join his many friends in wishing for him a joyous trip. Mr. Burger will be away about three months.

Depositors Paid in Full

Austin, Texas, May 18.—Bank Commissioner Collier has been advised that during the week 526 checks aggregnting \$86,992 have been mailed to depositors in the First State Bank of Amarillo, which was recently closed. Payment was made out of the State Bank Guaranty Fund, \$87,000 having been drawn for that purpose. Some few claims remain unpaid, but must be proven not later than tomorrow otherwise they will participate only pro rata payments derived from the banks assets.

Mebame Cotton Seed

Mebame cotton seed for sale for planting at my place at Lillie. F. M. Phillips.

Large Realty Deal Consummated

A deal was closed recently whereby J. M. Shelton of Amarillo becomes the owner of the Romero Ranch, which consists of 211,000 acres and lies in Hartley and Oldham counties. The consideration was \$850,000 and is recorded here as one of the largest realty deals consummated in this part of Texas within twenty-five years.

Concrete Water Trough ?

20 and 60 barrel water troughs made of concrete not exceeding cost of galvanized. Also other concrete or brick work wanted. All guaranteed. See us at Sham burger Lumber Yard.

Whiddon & Cook

Kesler Withdraws

Norman Kesler withdraws from the race for Public Weigher, this move being necessary because of sickness in his family which will require his time to see after them at Mineral Wells.

Nigger head lump and nut coal at Singley Bros. 42-4t

Mabame cotton seed for sale. P. M. Shields & Co.

Warner's Corsets are like the paint on a battleship—rust-proof.

For Sale

Feterita seed and Missouri shell corn. P. M. Shields & Co.

Baptist Ladies Aid

On account of the rain The Baptist Ladies met Tuesday afternoon. We had our Missionary program. Had a very good program despite the bad weather. Had roll call with scripture. We voted on having a program sent to us from The Texas Baptist Memorial Sanitarium next Monday afternoon. The program will be as follows:

Opening Hymn.
Prayer
Scripture lesson and coments.
John 5: 1-19; Luke 10: 30-37; Matt. 8: 14-18; Luke 5: 17-20.
Location and building.—Mrs. O. L. Couch.

Training school for nurses.—Mrs. Martin.
The Woman's Auxiliary Board of Texas Memorial Sanitarium.—Mrs. Lewis Stall.

A new day.—Mrs. Williams.
Little White Bed No. 1.—Mrs. Howell.

Souvenir Little White Bed No. 1 and children's Ward.—Mrs. Milo Brown.

Prayer
Leader.—Mrs. Garrard.

Dixie Rook Club Entertained

Mrs. Jno. W. Buster entertained the "Dixie Rook Club" Tuesday afternoon. Delicious refreshments consisting of salad, sandwiches and iced tea was served to the following members: Mesdames Small, LeDerer, Hardy, Templeton, McCauley, Buster, Misses Sherwood, Fuller and Wood. Mrs. Salter, Louise Hardy and Mallie Salter were guests.

The next club meeting will be May 10th with Miss Bess Fuller.

Cow, Calf, Hog.

A good Jersey cow giving 42 gallons of milk a week, has a month's old calf. Also a 4 months old pig weighing about 100 pounds for sale. See Thos. H. Speight at McCauley Dry Goods Store.

Moved to New Quarters

To my friends and patrons I have moved my insurance office to the Wellington State bank building. Any one wanting fire or tornado insurance will please phone or call on me, will be glad to give you any information in regard to insurance rates or write you a policy in good reliable companies that pay promptly in case of loss.

T. O. Hill.

Will Close for Holiday.

We are informed that the Banks and the Post Office will be closed on Saturday May 30, on account of that day being Decoration Day, a legal holiday throughout the nation. The postmaster informs us that the general delivery and rural route windows will be open for one hour when the mail has been put up after the arrival of the train. There will be no service on the rural route on this day either.

Good Roads

A good road turneth a way a wrath.

It is wilful waste of money to spend it upon roads that are not given proper drainage.

The town that is lost in the shuffle is the one that has no good roads leading into it. The town that is not upon the map is the one without good roads and good streets.—Homer D. Wade.

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The G-E Oscillating Fan

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