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To The Mothers and Women of Gail and Vicinity:

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

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

The week of Nov. 8th-14th, 1914

has been set aside for the Campaign to be waged to secure these funds and there will be a woman appointed in your community to take charge of this Campaign. Her name will be announced later and you can give her your dollar or send it direct to the undersigned.

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

If you have 'nt a dollar you can lay aside now, you can surely lay aside at least 10 cents a week so that by Nov. 8th you can have the much needed dollar.

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

Any information you may desire will be gladly furnished.

Sincerely,

Quintain D. Corley.

Chairman, Finance Committee,
State Girls Training School.

Cattle Deals this Week.

Abney and Hudson sold to J. B. Mull of Crosbyton, 90 head of cows. Consideration, \$48.00 per head.

F. E. Abney sold to John Cranfill 100 head cows and calves.

Consideration \$70.00 per head.

The cattle to be delivered Sept. 15th.

Abney and Hudson sold to W. Brandon of Tahoka Texas, 124 head of fat cows.

Consideration \$58.00 per head. The cows were delivered at the pens in Odonnell Texas, Friday.

Mr. Brandon shipped them to the Kansas City market.

School Opens.

The Gail High School commenced Monday morning with a goodly number of pupils enrolled and also quiet a number of patrons present.

A short program was rendered, after which, the teachers took charge of their rooms.

Buy your Groceries, Candies and Tobaccos from A. B. Spears.



A Square Deal

Is What you get when you buy your Dry Goods, Groceries and Hardware at The Blue Front Store in Gail

We Lead, Others Follow

Our Spring and Summer Line of Men's Suits and Ladies Dress Goods are now on Display. We invite your inspection of these Goods.

See us When in Need of Pure, Fresh Groceries or anything in Hardware.

The Blue Front Store,

J. W. Chandler, Prop.

Gail, Texas.

A. B. Spears

DEALER IN

Fresh and Staple Groceries.

ALL KINDS OF TOBACCO A SPECIALTY

Also Nice Line of Candies And Fruit

Quality Good And Prices
Right

PROMPT SERVICE AND CAREFUL ATTENTION TO THE NEED OF
OUR CUSTOMERS AT ALL TIMES

A Trial Given Us Once Means A Regular Customer

GAIL,

TEXAS.

Notice

I will run my automobile at any time to Big Springs, Lamesa, Tahoka and Post City for twenty dollars or Snyder for fifteen dollars and Fluvanna for ten dollars.

Tom Hudson.

Messrs Frank Denton and W. W. Brandon of Taboka Texas, were in the city the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs Conover of Durham were visiting our merchants Saturday.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOL is one of the greatest factors in our country. When reinforced by good, wholesome reliable newspapers, it gives the American child a practical education. Without the aid of newspapers the public schools can not give a boy or girl that degree of general intelligence that you wish your children to have. You can now get The Borden Citizen and The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News for one year, three papers a week, for \$1.75.

We accept and receipt for subscriptions at this office. Do the ordering and take all the risk.

Mr. J. B. Moore was in the city Saturday with a load of water-melons for J. W. Chandler,

Mr E. F. Wicker and wife of Durham, were visiting in Gail Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. G. W. Connell left for Big Springs Tuesday.

Mr. Patterson of Cooper Texas, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs I. N. Gray of Durham, this week.

Messrs. Vol Cates and Tom Clayton of the Clayton Ranch were in the city Saturday.

Directory

District Officers.

W. W. Beall Judge
W. P. Leslie Attorney
Court convenes on the 1st Monday after the 4th Mondays in September and February.

County Officers

J. E. Reeder Judge
W. A. Clark Sheriff
J. S. Weatherford Clerk
J. C. Dorward Assessor
J. H. Hanabass Treasurer
Court convenes 3rd. Monday in Feb and 1st Monday in May, Aug. and Nov

Precinct Officers

J. E. Davidson J. P. Prec.
J. H. Miller, J. P. Prec.
E. F. Wicker J. P. Prec.

Commissioners.

A. B. Spears Prec. No. 1
H. C. Boatler " " 2
F. E. Abney 3
J. L. Hughes " " 4

Court convenes Second Monday in February, May, August and November,

Secret Orders.

Masons meet on Saturday night on or preceding the full moon.

W. O. W. meets 1st Saturday night after each full moon and on Saturday night two weeks thereafter.

Gail Commercial Club meets 2nd Thursday night of each month.

Churches.

Sunday School 10 A. M.
J. D. Brown, Supt.

Methodist: Preaching every 1st Sunday.

Rev. C. W. Hart, Pastor

Presbyterian: Preaching, 3rd. Sunday and Sunday night.

Rev. Jas. H. Tate, Pastor.

Church of Christ: Second Lord's day at 10 A. M. and 8:30 P. M.
Church meeting at 2:30 P. M.

Baptist: Fourth Sunday.

Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening

The Womans Home Mission meets on Monday after the first Sunday in each month at 3 P. M.

DURHAM

Sunday school 10 A. M. each Sunday

E. F. Wicker, supt
Preaching 2nd Sundays,

Rev. W. C. Hart pastor,

The Womans Home Mission meets on the second Sunday in each month at 3 P. M.

Brother Hart's appointments.

First Sunday.

Gail, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Crawfill School House, 4 P. M.

Second Sunday

Durham, 11 A. M. and 3 P. M.

Third Sunday

Murphy, 11 A. M. and 3 P. M.

Fourth Sunday

Knott 11 A. M. Soash 3 P. M

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Display ads, one inch per double column, \$1.00. per month.
Local ads, first insertion 10 cents per line, five cents per line for each insertion thereafter.

All ads Placed in the Citizen without specified time to run, will be charged for until ordered out.

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THE GREAT WAR.

The greatest war of history is taking place in Europe. More than half the earths population is directly concerned, and the other half is under the shadow cast by this world conflict.

No other war approaches it in numbers of men involved, in the tremendous sacrifice of life and property that the Nations are making, in results that will spread to the remotest corners of the earth.

It is an epoch in history that for suddenness and for stirring events stands alone. Those who are alive today will remember the great war always as the most remarkable spectacle of their lives. They will recall what they read of battles where armies as large as small Nations fought on a front miles and miles in extent. The stories of conflict, of heroism, will never leave the memories of this generation.

For the story of this war as it is being written Texans must turn to their newspapers. The Dallas Morning News, The Dallas Evening Journal and The Semi-Weekly Farm News have the sources of world news at their command. At a nominal cost the reader has collected and arranged for him on the printed page the record of this momentous struggle

Every Texan can keep thourly informed on the progress of the war by reading the newspapers name above

Adv.

Mr W.R.Hester came in with a load of freight for our merchant the latter part of this week

ANNOUNCEMENT COLUMN

The following is the Democratic nominees for the different county offices of Borden County.

For County Judge,
C. E. Reeder.
For District and County Clerk,
Rodway Keen.
For Sheriff and Tax Collector,
W. A. Clark.
For County Treasurer,
J. H. Hannabass.
For Tax Assessor,
Will Johnson.

THE KNOCKER.

The knocker will knock, as all knockers do,
He may hurt his own business,
as well as hurt you,
But that makes no difference,
he sees nothing good,
He knocks and does nothing,
wouldent if he could.

He knocks the new railroad,
says there's nothing to it,
Knocks the new bank, says it
wont last minute,
Knocks the new school house,
there is not enough kids,
Says the price was too high
when they opened the bids.

He knocks at the editor, says
he is slow,
Knocks at the preacher, he is
a mighty poor go,
Knocks the merchant, say the
prices are too high,
Knocks at the lawyers, says
they all lie,

Knocks at the doctors, says
they are quacks,
Says real estate men don't deal
in facts,
So he knocks and knocks, poor
lonesome devil,
Trying to get others down to
his level.

Oh! give me the booster, the
man with a smile,
Who gives you the glad hand
without any guile.
Who will go out of his way to
show you around,
And tell of the good things
found in his town.

When he gets to heaven at the
pearly gate,
He will find a welcome, early
and late.
While the poor old knocker, so
sour and crusty,
Will find the gate closed, and
the hinges rusty.



ORDER YOUR
WINTER SUIT
NOW

New Fall and Winter Samples Just
Received. from International Tailoring Co
Oscar Spears Gail Texas

BRING

Your Job Printing to the

BORDEN CITIZEN

The Place to get good Printing and
keep your money at home
Quality Good and
Prices Right.

Notice.

On Thursday, September 10th,
the Church of Christ will com-
mence a meeting at the Union
Church house in Gail.

Rev. Watkins will conduct the
meeting. Everbody cordially
invited to attend.

Mr. Mex Dillahunty made a trip
to Snyder Friday.

Mr. Harvey Everett visited his
parents in Gail Saturday.

Mr Bill Miller was a visitor in
the city Sunday.

Mr. Olive of the Tredway com-
munity was trading with our mer-
chants Saturday.

Mr. J.M.Rodgers and family
were visiting in the city Sunday.

Mrs. John Clark of Lorena
Texas, who has been visiting her
mother Mrs. J. M. Kincaid, re-
turned home Friday.

Messrs. D. Dorward Sr. and Jim
Kelly and Miss Catherine Dor-
ward were in the city Friday.

Mr. Elmer Long and family
were trading in Gail Saturday.

Messrs. Tom Hudson and O.P.
Spears made a flying trip to
Odonnell Friday.

If its groceries, A. B. Spears
them.

Mr. Marian Green and wife of
the O.B. Ranch were trading in
the city Saturday.

Mr Ross Simpson of Lamesa
Texas, was in the city Sunday.

A nice fresh line of groceries
candies and tobaccos at A.B.
Spears

Thornton & Pearce.

Law, Land, Abstracts and Insurance.

--Motto--

"Punctuality and Accuracy"

All Work Guaranteed

Gail,

Texas.

D. Dorward.

Pure Fresh Drugs

{ Druggists Sundries }

Furniture

Fine Candies

GAIL, - - TEXAS.

HOME STEAM LAUNDRY

In our New Concrete Building, Furnished with Up-To-Date Labor Saving Machinery. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

L. & E. HOLDSLAW, Prop's.
BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS.

GAIL BANK

UNINCORPORATED

We take particular pains to make our customers feel that we are in business to serve them.

Nothing that we can do within the limits of safe banking is too much trouble, if it will accommodate a customer.

We solicit your business.

R. N. Miller, President J. D. Brown, Cashier

THE GAIL BLACKSMITH SHOP.

W. K. CLARK & SON PROP'S.

ALL KINDS OF BLACKSMITHING, REPAIRING, WHEELWRIGHT AND WOODWORK
PROMPTLY DONE IN THE BEST POSSIBLE MANNER.

You cannot get GOOD work done cheaper in
Borden county than at our shop.

Horseshoeing a Specialty

W. HUTSON

Attorney At Law

Deeds, Contracts, and Leases
In fact legal documents of all kinds
prepared. Land titles examined
Gail Texas.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS

While heading maize Wednesday evening, Eli Whittaker cut his arm very severely. He came to town and had it dressed and latest reports are that it is getting along nicely.

Go to D. Dorward's Drug Store for Tablets, Pencils and Stationary of all kinds.

T. O. Edwards was trading with our merchants Wednesday.

Wanted: Active representative in every community earn from \$50 to \$150 monthly representing the only magazine published in the interest of Southern women. An extra ordinary liberal proposition for ambitious people. Turn your spare moments into dollars. Write for full particulars today. Southern Womans Magazine, Nashville Tenn.

Mr. Sam Arnett and wife of Lubbock Texas, and Mr. W. L. Elwood and brother of Dekalb Indiana, passed through Gail Wednesday. They were bound for Colorado City.

Rev. Tate, who has been assisting in the meeting which has been going on here for the last week, returned to his home in Fluvanna Texas Monday.

Mr. W. T. Waters of Morris Texas was visiting friends in Gail Wednesday.

Mr. Cread Davidson left Wednesday for Camp Springs.

Mr. Bob Anderson of Tredway community, was in the city Wednesday.

Mr. J. C. Dorward and wife made a trip to the plains Thursday.

Mr. J. A. Searlett of Big Springs was in Gail Tuesday attending to business.

J. S. Yerk and family of Durham were in town Sunday.

Mr. W. S. Cathey made a trip to Fluvanna Wednesday.

Mr. Larry Carter who has been working for Abney for the last week returned to Gail Tuesday.

Mr. S. S. Williams is on the sick list this week.

Rev. W. C. Hart left Thursday morning for Seminole Texas where he will hold a meeting for the next ten days.

For Sale:— 300 bales Soudan grass hay. Will sell all or part, prices reasonable. It is the best of hay, well cured and baled.

For prices call at, or see the Gail Bank.

H. C. Boatler County Commissioner has purchased himself a new Ford.

Messrs R. D. Hart and Perry Boswell of Colorado City is visiting Rev. W. C. Hart and family this week.

H. H. Hollar and son Carrol, were in the city trading Tuesday.

Mr. Charlie and Ulna Powell of Big Springs were in the city Tuesday.

Miss Vonnie Peters of Denton Texas, and Miss Louise Grosclouse of Strawn Texas, arrived in Gail Saturday. Miss Peters will teach the Primary and Miss Grosclouse the Intermediate departments of the Gail School this term.

Mr. J. B. Mull of Crosbyton is down this week to look at a bunch of fat stock for Abney and Hudson.

The methodist meeting closed Sunday night with fifteen conversions and ten new members.

Rev. Clark of Roscoe held the meeting assisted by Rev. Tate of Fluvanna, and Rev. Hart of this place.

Rube Clayton of the Mule-shoe ranch was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. G. W. Connell and wife returned from Ft. Worth Sunday