# COUNTY ADVERTISER

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SHERWOOD, TEXAS, MARCH. 19, 1902.

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#### Notice to Trespassers

Notice is hereby given that all tresbiassers on the ranches and lands owned or controlled by the undersigned in Irion county, for the purpose of hunting fishing, cutting timber, hadling wood, grathering pecans, or working stock will he prosecuted to the full extent of the TOL RUTLEDGE,

Sherwood Tex.

Mr. W. N Elliott having locat dat El Paso Mrs. Elliott has left Sherwood to join him there Our people wish them success in their new home.

-Bridge-Beach stoves; J. S. Miles

J. B. Riley, who ranches between here and Ozon , passed through town Thursday, return- in her new life She is a taling from the convention.

-Garland stoves; J. S Miles.

R George McGuire came in last week from their head of Tepeo ranch, stopped over night with speaks competency on her part, his brother, Will, and went on to Angelo for supplies.

Send your tin repairing to J. S. Miles effort.

#### THE FACI IN THE CASE.

When you read a thing you like to feel that it's the truth. THE BALLAS SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS gives the facts in the case.

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#### The Words That Bind

On last Wednesday night (March 12), the words which forever make two people, one, were again said by Judge Blanks.

The contincting parties were Mr. Bob Beaty and Miss Rosa Hamblen, both of this place Bob has been known to be a 'good bey' all his life, and we feel justified in believing he will be a good husband.

wood's belles: she has many friends who wish her She was elected Secretary in the Rebettah Lodge of Sherwood last December. This nonor be-

Congratulations to you both. May success crown your every A WELL-WISHER.

There was a musicale at Mrs. Mackay's home Saturday even ing, but our "keporter Reb" sent in cop so late we will have to defe giving an account un il next week.

A dance at the Hall is "on" for next Friday night. It will able HERWOOD HOP.

"Reporter Reb."

#### Mrs. R. C. Miller.

The old settlers of Tom Green news you can't get elsewhere. You county will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. R. C. Miller, which occurred in Mexico on March 7th, 1902.

> Mrs. Miller was in the 68th year of her life. She came to Fort Concho more than thirty years ago, where she lived until a few years since, when they went to Mexico.

Aunt Lizzie, as she was called by all who knew her, was the grandmother of Mrs. T. A. Kincaid of Sherwood, "Bronco" Sherwood Thursday, Drennan of the Bar S ranch and Harry and George Drennan of San Angelo. Her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Drennan, was with her in her last moments, having gone there from Sherwood only a few weeks since.

The Advertiser sympathizes with Mrs. Kincaid and her bocker farmer, was seen in town.

Arden, March 15, 1902

A ve v much appreciated rain fell here Monday night . Farm ers are all busy planting coru.

Bro. Allen preached for us

R. K. Tomerlin of the Bird & Merte ranch, went to Angelo Miss Resa was one of Sher- Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

E. W. Walker, from his rauch in West Tom Freen, stopped over night with his father, G. s. ented and accomplished lady. Walker, one night last week, en route to Houston,

> J. A. Jacks went to Angelo one day last wee

> Misses Lucie Watson .... Nannie Walker vist ca referres in eek. Augelo

> Quite a number of our young people attended the dance and report a nice time Mr. Funk certainty knows how to enter-

> Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Shackelford, March 11th, a boy.

> Our Sunday-school is pro gressing nicely under he management of Mr. M. J. Allen. We have an enrollment of twenty-nine.

> Mr. J. M. Watson, wife and daughter were in Angelo this week.

Elisha Watson was in Sherwood Saturday.

Dust is plentiful with us now, as it is with everybody.

With best wishes I am, NOBODY'S DARLING.

-All kinds of dishes; J. S. Miles.

Harry France came in Friday from Stiles, where he has been fencing.

-Will casing J. S. Miles.

Clist Owens, Tepee, was in

Buggios, hacks, wagons; J. S. Miles

Walter Smith and family are now at home in the Geo. Leuszler place.

J. C. McManus was in from the ranch Monday.

Callie McManus, the Knicker-

ness and saddles: J. S. Miles.

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Van ranch and g Territ

in April, the 5th.

Columbus ranch buggies are the best and easiest riding on the market, at C. & G. Hagelstein's, San Angelo.

T. D. Lucas has been improv- Roberts. ing and fixing up until he has one of the cosiest homes in Sherwood. A fine peach orchard, the best piano George Allen could furnish and, in Miss Parker, an Angelo on hides? They all blame unsurnassed performer. Tom is J. D. Rawls, of Rawls, Sigman & Co. unsurpassed performer, Tom is making life worth living, but he proudly added that without Mrs. Lucas at the helm it would all be for cotton pickers. a dreary waste-and so it is with the next thing is a general change about and rebuilding of his stable work goes on.

### Call on Wm. Cameron & Co. wire. We meet all competition

A Mr. Coulson of Greenville, had the great misfortune to lose his wife on the 17th. The lady died at the Nixon ranch, near Ozona, and the husband passed through the night of 18th with the remains going to San Angelo, where they were to be embalmed and forwarded to the old home for burial. They were well-to-do people and were in this western country to try the salubrious effect of our climate. Everything had been done but to no avail. Such cases are sad, indeed.

Bridge Beach stoves; J. S. Miles.

ounty, came through Friday on his way to Angelo. om Ballinger, where he had een to attend court in the Sam array case, which was con- get it. inued until Monday. Mr. Moore ok three attached witnesses ck Monday.

thurland stoves; J. S. Miles.

worked a back action scheme in the Clerk's office and sucked out one of those large panes of glass -but the loss is fully covered by cyclone insurance.

-The purity of the Baking Powder named "Perfect" is a guarantee against sallow complexions caused by indigestion. Frank Roberts.

Van Eden was in from the H ranch after hands to help tank and gather some cattle for the Territ , to begin work on the

> ic when going ry to take out a from Angelo. he same may be

Mr. J. M. Carson left Saturday Election of one trustes for for Ozona. He goes to survey school district No. 1 will be held some school land for Mr. Speck at the Court House first Saturday in the Couch pasture. Thompson McDonald, Crockett's surveyor, is absent for treatment.

> -By using the Baking Powder named "Perfect" you will show apppreciation of pure food. Always use the "Perfect." Frank

> Frank Roberts' addition is going up and the post-office will be moved after the 1st.

What makes prices so high in San

Henry Campbell was in from the ranch Friday evening looking

-It's my desire to handle the all us benedicts. Mr. Lucas says very best that money can buy and have now got the genuine pure Baking Powder named and feed yard, and so the good "Perfect." Good bread from any flour guaranteed. F. Roberts.

Mr. J. C. A. Smith is thinking for cheap lumber and barb of leaving shortly for New Mexieo, so we learn.

> Charter Oak cooking and heating stoves; J. S. Miles, Sau Angelo, Tex.

> Miss Katie Lackey is in Concho county on a visit. She will return this week.

Buggies, hacks, wagons; J. S. Miles

R. A. Hughes has bought the residence property now occupied by him from Uncle John Gibbons

-The "Perfect" Baking Powder is made of pure materials tested by competent chemists and will not cause indigestion. Try the brand named "Perfect." Frank Roberts.

Bob Caruthers, the all around J. B. Moore, sheriff of Crockett sheepman, was in town Fr, uy

-Hunter Rye is a product of the most perfect distillation known to the Will I trade, and Sherwood is the place to

W. J. Carson came in Friday from the ranch, "on business, you know."

#### Call on Wm. Cameron & Co. the heavy wind last week for cheap lumber and barb wire. We meet all competition about to feet apart.

John Hewitt and outfit took dinner here Monday. They were en route to gather the Ed Corbet cattle for the San Angelo National Bank. Will be shipped to Territory.

There was a run made for a section early Monday morningwon the toss and Will Noelke up. 4 looked pleasant—as he could. one gets to see the fun.

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#### NOTICE

firm of C. O. Fokes call at Frank W. tion of said estates Rober at an early date and make tlement.

Cane Harvester.

J. D. St. Clair hereby notifies the people of the surrounding country that he is going to get a cane harvester and, on account of scarcity of seed, it will pay you to sow your cane in rows

Sam Posey has returned from a few days' visit among the ranches. He visited the Bar S. Rome Shield's, Fayette Tankersley's and Monte Noelke's. Says he found everything in -Hardware; J. S. Miles, San Angelo good shape and moving along

M. Benton found water at 96 quite early. Henry Campbell feet, well complete and windmill Sam Posey will soon begin

Will was heard to remark that by his daughter, returned last this getting up at 12 midnight week from east Texas and Brown was stretching a point to say county. Miss Media had been of all kinds. Mr. Posey with Sherwood for the least and, another thing, no on quite an extended visit with start an ice wagon soon as the d parents in Maytown, season calls for it. her gr

#### Notice by Publication of Fina Account.

THE ST . TE OF TEXAS. To all persons interested in the Esta of Henry V.e. Deceased:

Those wno are indebted to Estate of aid 1 ry Vote. Decease have filed in the way Court of Iri County his Fina con plication to be discharged as Admin trator thereof, which will be heard our said Court on the 1st Monday May, A. D. 1902, same being the day of May, A. D. 1902, at the C House of said Irion County in the te of Sherwood, at which time and p all persons interested in said estate required to appear and contest Final Account and application, if

W. W. CARSON WITNESS: Clerk of the County Court of Irion Count Given under my hand and the se said Court in my office

Sherwood on this the SEAL day of February, A. D. W. W. CARSON, Cle County Court Irion County, Te

A. D. 1903, W. W. CARSON, Cler County Court Irion County, T

The Advertiser learns other addition to his store. He ry Lindley, accompanied has ordered a fine soda founda and will be better prepared than ever before to serve cold drink

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#### RION COUNTY ADVERTISER

By OLIVER WERST.

stered at the Post Office at Sherwood, Texa

March 19, 1902.

Monday was St. Patrick's day and Irion, nothing loath, wore he green-in spotted places.

-Impure Baking Powders injure the stomach. Use the pure of the Brand named "Perfect" and tion. have no indigestion.

John Murrah wants a roping match with John Hewitt in either Crockett, Pecos or Val Verde for 8500.

Bain and Studebaker wagons, at Hagelstein's, San Angelo.

Mrs. C. O. Fokes, after a short visit, has returned to her home in San Angelo.

Call on Wm. Cameron & Co. for cheap lumber and barb vire. We meet all competition

San Angelo's pioneers, died on 12th inst.

-Well casing; J. S. Miles.

One of the big trades made at that of C. L. Broome of Ozona, Texas, with H. B. Spalding of Muskogee, I. T. Mr. Broome contracted Mr. Spalding between \$30,000 and \$40,000 worth of cattle, but just what kind of cattle we were unable to learn, we think, however, steers .- S. A. Standard.

-All kinds of dishes; J. S. Miles.

#### Church Notice.

The Methodist protracted meeting will begin 2d of April to continue indefinitely. The pastor, Rev. M. J. Allen, will be assisted by Rev. J. W. Sims of Waelder. All are cordially invited to attend the services from time to time.

- Harness and saddles; J. S. Miles.

#### Estray Notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Irion.

TAKEN UP by J. P. Thorp and Es traved before J. S Martin Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. one, Irion Conney, lexas: One light bay horse about 4 years old. Branded VB (connect d) on left thigh; has white blaze in forehead Said norse Appraised at \$12.50

The owner of said stock is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take the same away, or it will be dealt with as the law directs.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 13th day of March, 1902. SEAL

W. W. CARSON, Clerk County Court Irion County.

Our correspondent from Arden, "Nobody's Darling," is to be condoled with. The Advertiser man knows how it is himself.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Advertiser rates for announce ments is

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For Representative 100d Legislative district: Claude B. Hudspeth (of Crockett county), subject to the action of the Democratic nominating conven-

#### For Sheriff and Tax Collector.

W. Murphey as a candidate for election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Frion county at the ensuing election.

#### Assessor of Taxes.

William McGuire as a candidate for election to the office of Assessor of State and County Taxes for Irion county at the ensuing election.

And now a correspondent from Stiles would be much appre-

-The stomach is our best Jerry M. Henderson, one of friend and the next best is the "Perfect" Baking Powder. It is chemically pure and assists digestion. Frank Roberts.

Attorneys Wright, Dubois and the Fort Worth convention was Wallace passed through Satur day. District court in Ozona this week.

> Columbus ranch buggies are the best and easiest riding on the market, at C. & G. Hagelstein's, San Angelo.

Claud Hudspeth, Jim Slator, Ed Sowell and E. B. Baggett passed through Friday. They were returning from, the con venti n. The meeting has been was jubilant to a man over prospects, the general rain com in session. Comparatively few trades were consummated

The Cattle Ra sers re-elected old officers and will meet next year in El Paso.

Ex-Governor Altgeld of illinois is dead.

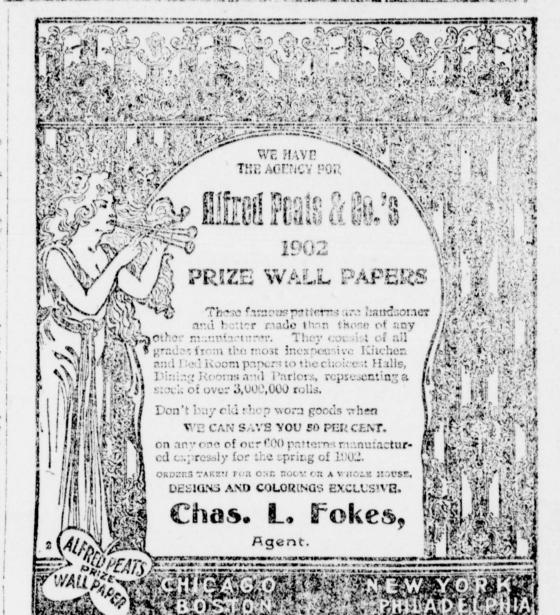
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#### NOTICE.

Those who are indebted to the late firm of C. O. Fokes will please call at Frank W. Roberts' at an early date and make settlement.

Ed Wevl is in from four mile, the J. W. Cannon ranch, Pecos. He went along with the crowd to the Murray trial.

-Hardware: J. S. Miles, San Angelo Lee Bios, carried off a num-

the best ever held. The body ber or prizes in the fat stock in the convention en route.

call on Wm. Cameron & Co. ing on as it did while they were for cheap number and barb wire. We meet all competition

Secretary of the Navy Long Send your tin repairing to J. S. Miles has resigned and is succeeded by Congressman Moody of Massachusetts.

> -To the traveling public when going south: It is not necessary to take out a full supply of whiskies from Angelo. You can get the best at Sherwood for the same money-and the same may be said when you leave Ozona.

San Angelo Rapid Transit Co. has filed charter.

-The purity of the Baking Powder named "Perfect" is a guarantee against sallow complexions caused by indigestion. Frank Roberts.

-Garland stoves; J. S Miles.

The biggest haul of the war has been made by Boer General Delarey. General Methuen was toben priconer three officer and

#### Notice to the Public.

No wood entting allowed or trespass ing in pastures on Spring Creek 16.8 THORP, RYBURN & Co.

Uncle Tamp Locklin is in from Kiowa, where he left the sheep with Aiva.

Hunter Rye is a product of the most perfect distillation known to the trade, and Sherwood is the place to

Wes Trout, windmill man and fencerider on the Sugg, has returned from Terrell. He took

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Charie Fokes has huished his job painting the T. T. Hamblen residence and it shows as a very near piece of work

Charter Oak cooking and heating stoves; J. S. Miles, an Angelo, lex



#### Mangum Heard From.

Sherwood Jail.

To the Reading Public of the proud lit tle City of Sherwood and all LIBERTY .oving people:

I come not before you as a wifer, for as a statesman defending the cause of his country, nor as a warrior fresh from the fields of victory.

But alas! I hail from a fel on's cell; from a prison wall.

For twenty two long months I have been confined in that lowly institution of the State Penitentiary of this broad Losome I Lone Star State, where my companions and associates were every degree of criminals

Remember, wayward boys and girls and womanhood: That is the home of all criminals, where but few ever rea place where men are valued as Napoleon valued men. by what they can endure and not by their degree of education and culture.

While some scientists and pessimists tave made the startling assertion that with increasing education crime and Campbell has also said: "Trace all criminals increase, or at least education fears to glimpses on my mind, but does not always prevent crime. But lave, Ol-ave the light of hope behind." with me it has been the very opposite. If 'twere not for the star of hope, we ever since I left school in 1889. I could truly say life is a failure. walked out of the Missouri Southwest Fusiness College with first honors and this article directed to girls as well as since that time my education has boys are there women in the penitenguided and shielded me, yes-like a tiary? There are, and they are thrown Chardian Augel

times willing to accept and contence serving eleven days.

that there is not even a germ nor a protoplasm of a criminal about me.

I would stand appalled at committing a premeditated crime as if standing be fore some venomous reptile.

Yet circumstances and environments greatly alter cases according to the as sertions of both paturalist and jurist.

Now young men and young ladies Stop! and ask yourself this question-Is my present career liable to bring me before the courts of my country? and bring shame and disgrace upon my old grey haired father and mother's fair officially known as a lease labor camp names. If so, stop and set a well formed resolution -- that I will heed my father and mother's teachings, my friends' advice.

Had I not so ruthlessly trampled inder foot the teachings and admonitions who are just blooming into manhood of my father and mother, instead of doing vile servitude for the great State of Texas, I could have been holding posiyent. Why? It is a very easy question tions of honor and trust. But alas! I for me to answer. Simply because it is am afraid this truth has dawned upon me too awful late.

But the poet hath said:

Of all sad words Of tongue or pen. The saddest are these, "It might have been."

Perhaps some lady will say, why is on an out "side camp," till the soil. I am no criminal by profession, nor have no advantage of a chaplain, no inclination, neither by hereditary advantage of a library, they are thrown transmission. Let an expert in physic under the lash, swung up by the thumbs canomy and phrenology scrutinize my as same as a man. The youngest conuntenance and carefully examine my vict ever in the Penitentiary was a girl Lead and Lam willing, a thousand 8 years of age; but was pardoned after

> Gentle readers, words with me are ina lequate to paint it as black as it re-

> I have read the graphic description of the Black Hole of Calcutta and the subterranean tombs of France, and the grim and ghastly remains which they hold yet the thoughts of a doom life that has no horror for me to compare with the horrors of the State Penitentiary. 'Tis oft in my midnight slumber I fancy I hear the shricks and moans of an unfortunate convict under

the lash, or pleading for water.

Remember, gentle readers: Although the chasm's wide which yawns between,

For you tread nature's fields green Yet it may sound as poetic a rs. 'Its from one who wishes you well. Tis from one behind the bars

ALVIS MANGUM.

Bridge Beach stoves; J. S. Miles.

Will Collins was in from Rocky last Friday to see his best girls He says that he has begun to feel his age and has about decided to settle down ere it is too late.

Hardware; J. S. Miles, San Angelo

Ike Funk, one of Rocky's old bachelors, was in town after the mail Saturday. He said grass and weeds were coming slowly.

-All kinds of dishes; J. S. Miles.

Will Bentley left for the Bar S ranch Saturday to go to work We hear that they intend shipping out a large number of cattle | 11 work strictly guaranteed. during April:

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I have been very sick for some time.
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Mas. M. A. Yount.

for advice and litchittis, £ddress, giving symp-oms, "The Ladies" Advisory Department, "The Chattanooga Medicine CN:, Chilisanooga, Tenn.