

# Canyon City News.

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CANYON CITY, RANDALL CO., TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 1905.

NO. 14

A VERY GOOD INVESTMENT--A HOME IN RANDALL COUNTY.

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### At Gilleland Holton.

Sunday, The News editor went with Bro. J. E. Stephens to his appointments at Gilleland and Holton churches and enjoyed the trip.

The time for the protracted meeting at Gilleland has not been fully decided upon, but it is thought that it will not begin until about the last of August or first of September. It will be held at the old school house. Work on the new Methodist church that is to be will not begin for several weeks yet as everybody in that section of the county is "way behind" with their crops.

While there Sunday, our physical wants were amply provided for at the hospitable home of sister J. H. Whitworth.

They did not get much of that Thursday evening rain at Gilleland and a good wetting would be very acceptable to them, still, they are not suffering for want of it.

Our old friend, Jerome Baird, insisted that we should visit his burr patch again, but as it looked much like rain we had to forbear this pleasure—he says it's much broader, longer and better every way than it was last season, and we are tully satisfied that he tells the whole truth about it.

The small grain crops visible along the route promise a good yield. If the stand was as good as the heads, the output for the acreage sown would be immense. All other crops are backward and sorely in the weeds. Grass is just as fine as it could be and all manner of flesh that feeds thereon is doing nicely.

The News man likes the folks and country down that way and is anxious to get a correspondent there.

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A. N. HENSON Agent for Randall County.

### Epworth League and C. E. Program.

At the M. E. Church Sunday, June 18, at 3:30 p. m.

Song, Prayer, Song.  
Subject—"With Jesus in his Father's House."

Leader—H. D. Cavett.  
Scripture Reading and comment: John 14:1-3—Leader. John 17:24-26—Rev. Stephens.

Prayer; Song.  
Reading "The Life and Joy of the Heaven Home"—Miss Edna Wallace.

Reading, "Embarrassing Excuses"—Miss May O'Keefe.

"The Promise of Heaven for us"—Miss Frankie Gober.

Duet—Miss Brandon, Mrs. Rose Howell.

General comments on some of God's Promises to us.

Song; League Benediction.

The lot upon which Dunbar's shop is situated and reported last week as sold to Taffinder, was in reality sold to Dunbar. It now appears that Mr. Taffinder was on a deal for the property and that Mr. Conner, who figured in it somewhere, and from whom The News obtained its information, thought that the deal was closed, hence our mistake. Our friend J. H. is evidently tired of moving that old shop and headed Taffinder off.

Tom Cochran has papered Dr. Stewart's new residence and is painting it. T. B. Ketner has also got him to paper and paint his house.

Witherspoon & Gough.

## GRAND CARNIVAL

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**A Frontier Drama.**

Feeding thirty thousand people at a prairie dinner is no small matter even in these days yet this is what was done by the owners of the "101" ranch in Oklahoma Sunday. The buffalo hunt and other features of the "Wild West" show, including the care and feed for 5,000 Indians and hundreds of cowboys who participated is said to have cost the Miller Brothers, owners of the ranch, the sum of \$10,000.

This, one of, if not the biggest entertainment of the character ever given, is in all likelihood the last of its kind and with it closes the semblance of frontier scenes in which the chief actors were important parts of the great original drama.

The chapter of reality on the Western frontier with its romantic daring and dash, its hardships and its chivalry was closed years ago and now, barring a few grey haired people, nothing but its history remains with us. But those now living who formed a part of this history will never, no never forget its associations and those yet to follow, many generations hence, will take delight in its material parts when they are touched up and converted into romances by writers yet unborn.

Yes, we may well say that the big "blowout" at the "101" ranch closes a drama in which the last parts of the "real thing" appeared in force.

**Quality Counts**

The old adage that blood will tell is as true today as when first spoken. Quality has always counted and at no time was it worth more than it is today.

Quality counts in the horse and cattle markets. Look over the records and you will observe that pound weight it frequently brings more than double money over scrub products.

Quality is here to stay and the horse, mule and cattle raiser that hitches on to this truth and pulls the strongest in his practice is going to be the man who in the future can wear diamonds on his shirt front.

And there is no better time to cinch on to this quality idea than right now. Get good blood, the best to be had, to improve your stuff as soon as possible and before prices advance. If you must hang on to the ring-streaked, speckled, piled and limebacks of Jacob's time by all means let the other half of the herd—the bull—be one of today's thoroughbreds.

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With the advance in the price of grazing lands the scrub must, unless we raise them at a loss,

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**SADDLERY.**  
If in need of a Saddle, no matter what style, we can fit you up--the price will be right, you will say so yourself.  
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Some Wagons, Buggies and Windmills, and at prices that will "knock you off the Christmas Tree."  
Come! See! Price! and you will purchase. Just try it.

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Goods of all kinds. No matter what you desire in these lines we can supply you.

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Our stock is complete and we can supply your wants at a saving to you. Call for what you want in this line--we have it. We purchase all our goods in immense quantities, getting manufacturers prices--you get the benefit. Call in and we will convince you.

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be relegated to the rear. Under present conditions, no man can afford to grow any other kind of stock than the improved breeds. If he can't do this or more likely won't do it, he had better quit the business and try something else. The day of the scrub in all kinds of stock has gone forever and to succeed in the stock business we must pass them by.

**FROM CAPTAIN BOBBITT.**

Editor Canyon City News:  
Through the medium of your paper I desire to call the attention of Confederates and all others to the fact that the sixth annual reunion of the Camp of The Stonewall Jackson United Confederate Veterans Association, will take place at Canyon City Texas July 11th 1905, and continue four days; each day's program will be replete with interesting engaging and attractive features beyond that heretofore attempted at our former reunions. Among which will be parades of cowboys, fraternal societies and Confederate Veterans, baloon ascensions, base ball games, fine stock shows, agricultural exhibits and etc., showing the advancement, development, richness and advantages of our beautiful and famous region of the Panhandle of Texas, which with outstretched arms, solicits and summons all to attend, see and fall in love (as all do who see it) with this lovely, rich and health giving section. I call especial attention to the fact that speeches will be made by Confederate Veterans and other distinguished Texans,—come one, come all, enjoy and add to the enjoyment of this great occasion. A remnant of the grey battalions of the South's immortal army will be there, the counterpart and duplicate in principle and in action in peace and in war of the re-nowned and glorious army of the sublime and majestic Washington.

The Confederate soldier like the patriots of 1776, fought for home and for the best and highest form of local self-government, constitutional liberty and equal rights ever conceived by the mind of man, and with a bravery and self-sacrifice and devotion to duty never excelled, and on fame's plane of honor places him by the side that of the patriots of 1776. Come and meet with them, few remain, time is thinning their ranks and will soon claim them all and leave them only a historic and sacred memory. See them and greet them while you can and learn from them the history of the times and stirring events and scenes through which they passed, and drink in from their lips the spirit of freedom and equal right that actuated them in 1861 and the fathers' of 1776.  
J. T. BOBBITT,  
Commander of Stonewall Camp  
U. C. V., 144.

In a letter from Judge Buie, who is attending the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in session at Fresno, California, received this week, he says that the union measure carried by a vote of 137 to 110. The Judge says farther that the opposition will stay with the church in the union. This is a matter of great satisfaction to those who have favored the union of these great churches.—Stamford News.

**Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy**

Needs no introduction to the public. It has been in use for over thirty years and has proved itself to be the most successful remedy yet discovered for bowel complaints. This remedy is for sale here by S. V. Wirt, druggist.  
Charles Joseph Bonaparte who on July 1 will succeed Hon. Paul Morton as secretary of the navy, is a grandson of Jerome Bonaparte, king of Westphalia.  
WALTER G. COBB.

**WHY NOT?**  
All our Lumber is well seasoned and kept dry under good sheds.  
Why not buy this kind?  
**BURTON-LINGO CO. LBR.**

**The Man Behind the Gun.**

It has been said that Napoleon, upon hearing of the victory of Jackson at New Orleans, with his handful of American soldiers, over the veterans of the British army who had conquered him, sent to America for the purpose of obtaining samples of the guns that had wrought such havoc among General Packenham's forces in that great battle but when his messenger returned, stating that the weapon used was the ordinary flint-steel hunting rifle of the American frontiersmen, he exclaimed: "I see how it is; it was not the guns, but the men behind the guns. Had I such soldiers as these I could conquer the world." It seems, then, that Napoleon was the real author of this famous phrase.—The Earth.

**Just What Every One Should Do.**

Mr. J. T. Barber of Irwinville, Ga., always keeps a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand ready for instant use. Attacks of colic, cholera morbus and diarrhoea come on so suddenly that there is no time to hunt a doctor or go to the store for medicine. Mr. Barber says: "I have tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which is one of the best medicines I ever saw. I keep a bottle of it in my room as I have had several attacks of colic and it has proved to be the best medicine I ever used." Sold by S. V. Wirt, druggist.  
Witherspoon & Gough

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B. Frank Buie,  
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All Standard Prints at..... 4 & 5 cts.  
 Fine Percalés, sold at 10 cts everywhere,  
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 Extra good quality Percalés, a bargain at 12½ cts  
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 never-fading and no-wear-out cloth, cheap at  
 12½ cents but will sell at..... 10 cts  
 Other goods on hand at proportional prices.

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Everybody invited to come in and look my stock over.

Respectfully,

**GEO. SEYDLER.**

South of Court House Square -- Canyon City, Texas

## TOWN & COUNTY

PERSONAL AND OTHER MATTERS THAT CONCERN OUR CITIZENS.

Geo. C. Long is having Renshaw paint his residence this week.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Ernsberger left for a visit of a month or six-weeks to Nashville, Tennessee.

Witherspoon & Gough.

A fine rain fell in town and surrounding country last Thursday night.

C. D. Stipp, salesman for Smith, McCord-Townsen dry goods-house of Kansas City, was in town Saturday.

The best Bakers' light bread at Wilson's. Fresh and good—1905

WALTER G. COBB.

Mrs. R. G. Oldham visited at L. S. Carter's and other friends in the southern portion of the county the first of the week.

It is wheat harvest about Vernon and Quanah and it is claimed that the yield per acre will reach an average of 25 bushels.

Witherspoon & Gough.

A letter received from Prof. Ernsberger requests that a copy of the paper be sent him to Nashville, Tennessee, during his absence.

Rev. J. E. Stephens expects to be one from here that will attend the International Epworth League Conference at Denver, July 5th to 9th.

An old friend of ours, A. D. Hodge, representing the Scarff & O'Conner Printers Supply House, was here to see us Friday.

If you want anything in the dairy line phone Prichard—phone No. 63, 2 rings.

Miss Blanche Lester went to Plainview Saturday where she will visit friends until the return of her parents.

Charlie Thomas returned Monday from a drumming trip from Fort Worth this way along the Denver Road.

T. E. Baird is still in the dairy business—when in need of butter, sweet or sour milk phone him.

Subscribe for the News.

## HERE WE ARE

Laughing gallery; Shooting gallery; Cane and knife boards; Novelty stands; Slot Machines; Photograph, and any other old privilege to let at Canyon City, July 11th to 14th. Old Soldiers and Cowboys' Reunion. 20,000 persons last year. More this year.  
 S. H. Heyser.

Wilson carries a nice line of Tablets, Pencils, Pens, Ink, etc.

## Masonic Notice.

Next Saturday night, June 17, is the time for the annual election of officers and there is also work in the Fellow Craft degree. All members are expected to be present, and visiting brethren will find a cordial welcome.

C. R. Burrow, Sec'y.

## WALTER G. COBB.

Last Thursday's excursion brought in five prospectors for local men and three for Tullia. It is claimed that some deals are on foot and near the closing part, but The News so far has not been fortunate in securing the details.

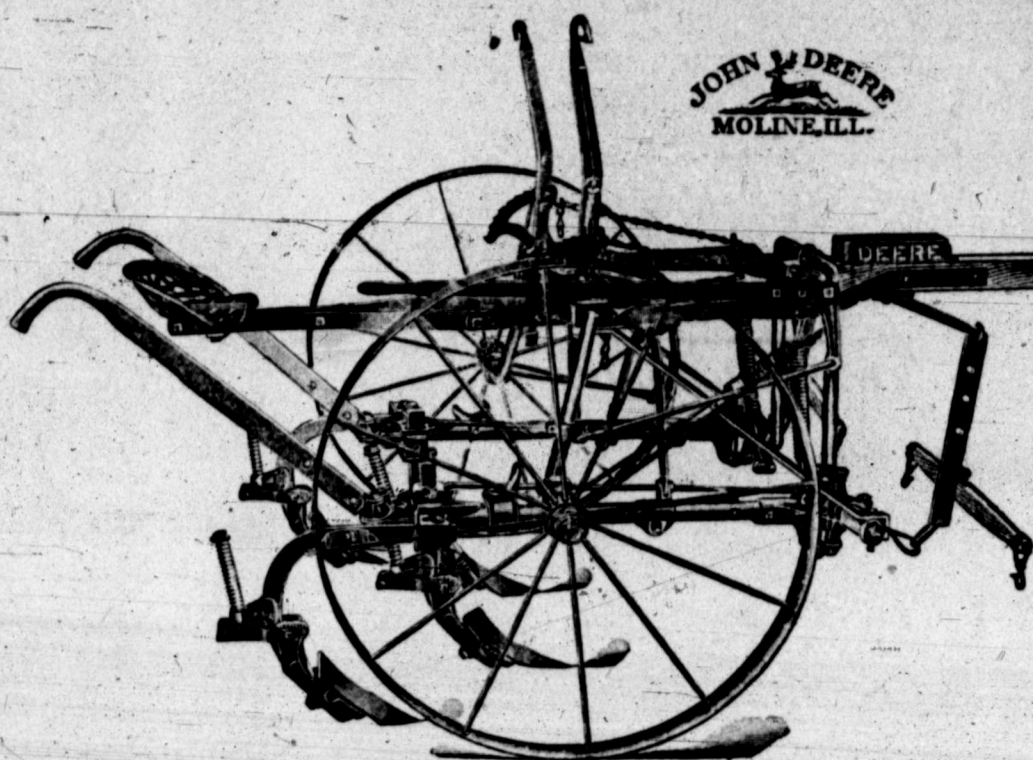
Sunday, L. T. Lester and wife left for Dallas from whence with the "Bankers' excursion" they will proceed to the Exposition at Portland, Oregon, and from there to the Yellow Stone Park, and other points of interest in the far Northwest, returning home in about two weeks.

There has been a steady growth about Canyon City this spring. The population has increased; every good house in town is occupied and four new ones are now in process of construction, and three more new ones, to "begin at once" being talked of. In addition to this many other signs of progress such as new fences, trees and shrubbery, paint, etc., engage the eye on every side.

J. H. Green of Kingston, Hunt county was here prospecting Friday and Saturday. Conner seemed to have him in tow. Sunday, he went South expecting to again visit us in a few days. He desires to trade a stock of dry goods in Hunt county for Plains land.

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## WE ALSO CARRY:

All kinds of Farm Implements and machinery, Wagons, Buggies, Saddlery and Harness, etc. The justly celebrated STAR and STANDARD Windmills with all necessary piping and fittings.

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## CANYON HARDWARE CO.

**A. N. HENSON,**  
 NOTARY PUBLIC  
 Office with County Treasurer.

Last year some of our Eastern exchanges ridiculed The News accounts of vegetable growths on the Plains. It was strongly hinted, yea, even stated by some of them, that our big melons, beets, turnips, and other such like stuff were wholly creations out of genuine Munchausen cloth. And now what will these same incredulous folks say when they have it on undoubted authority that hen eggs, yes, just ordinary hen-eggs here sometimes attain a size of 6x9 inches in diameter. Our authority for this is Geo. C. Long. Everybody knows of George, and what he says and is willing to swear to, is always taken without question. One of the eggs, the product of a black Minorca, and of the size given, Mr. Long has had boiled, to preserve it, and is ready at any and all times to exhibit it to any doubting Thomas.

H. C. Williams, formerly in the barber business here, returned last Friday to his old home, Wills Point. His "pantry" experience, for Tom Rowan in the Silverton country was "nix" in so far as returns went.

Reese Huff and family, formerly of Hereford, moved here Friday of last week. They will occupy the Rusk house in west part of town. Mr. Huff is a carpenter and expects to work here. He is a son-in-law of Rev. T. F. Robeson and has evidently come to stay with us as he is going to build "right away."

Mrs. J. A. Coffee has been visiting among relatives in town this week while J. A. himself has been doing his part as a member of the county Board of Equalization.

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To furnish you with all kinds of building material--also fence posts. Figure with us before buying--we ask no more.

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**For Sale or Trade.**—One Illinois Stallion, chestnut sorrel, 16 hands high, 5 years old, weighs 1250 pounds. Call, write or phone  
 J. H. GARRISON,  
 Canyon, Texas.

## Colic and Diarrhoea.

\*Pains in the stomach, colic and diarrhoea are quickly relieved by the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. When in need of such a medicine, give it a trial. For sale by S. V. Wirt, druggist.

## A. E. BROWN. LEE SHIFFLETT.

## BROWN & SHIFFLETT,

Contractors and builders—All work guaranteed. Figure with us.

**Jack for Service**—A large Mammoth Maltese Jack will make the season at Uncle Tom Foster's. Terms, \$10 to insure a foal. Will pasture mares from a distance free of charge, but will not be responsible for accidents to mares of colts.  
 Bob Foster.



**TOWN & COUNTY**

PERSONAL AND OTHER MATTERS THAT CONCERN OUR CITIZENS.

**REUNION NOTES.**

A rate of one fare for the Reunion with a fifteen day limit has been announced by the Santa Fe, the Fort Worth & Denver, the Rock Island and the Houston & Texas Central.

Monday, A. N. Henson, as secretary of the Reunion committee, forwarded to A. L. Conrad, Traffic manager of the Pecos Valley, 4,000 Reunion posters for distribution along the different railroad lines.

The Silvertown band has been engaged to furnish music this time. The consideration is to be \$125 and rations.

The committee has arranged for a balloon ascension each day by Prof. J. D. McCommack of Tyler. He is to go up 2000 feet, do the "gun act" and then drop with a parachute or no pay.

Several of Mrs. J. M. Wright's friends gleefully accepted an invitation to dine with her last Sunday, knowing there was in store for them a rare treat. But little reckoned they upon the ingenuity of their hostess, yet hailed with gladness her announcement that the place she had decided upon to have the spread was down in the canyon, and accordingly the guests hied themselves thither at an early hour. Such a unique program, to be as successfully carried out as this was, needs careful forethought and caution in appointing aides and lieutenants, and those present commend Mrs. Wright highly upon her success as every one performed his part well except one of the "aged ones" who was intrusted with the important duty of providing bread for the feast, and who, through failing memory it is thought, reported at roll call empty handed. The circumstance was very embarrassing but afforded much glee and slight inconvenience, save the wait of the hour or two necessary to transport the "staff of life" from town. Those present were:—Miss Bowyer, guest of honor, Mesdames Wright, Rider, Smith, Messrs. Wright, Rider, Smith, Jim and Oscar Gamble, and Hutchings.

Monday, Congressman Stephens passed through on his way to Pecos City. He informed The News that he could not be with us during this Reunion as he had promised to attend the one to be held at Graham, Young county, on the same dates.

The Dallas & New Mexico railroad sensation is again revived on the South Plains and Lubbock had a big meeting on the subject Saturday.

We are authorized to announce that there will be no preaching services at the Methodist church Sunday, on account of the C. P. meeting, now in progress.

Commissioners' Court has been in session this week doing its best toward equalizing county values.

WALTER G. COBB.

**Revival Notice.**

The revival meeting began at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church Thursday night, and will continue for ten days or two weeks. Services morning and night. Rev. F. P. Flaniken of Ardmore, I. T., will do the preaching. Bro. Flaniken is a successful evangelist and a strong gospel preacher. God has wonderfully blessed his labors in North Texas this spring, but the blessing is to those who attend the services. Come one, come all, come praying.

A. B. Haynes,

To Rev. J. D. Ballard belongs the credit of having the best garden in town at this date.

The painting of the post-office has improved its appearance wonderfully.

If it's candy you want see Wilson for the best kind.

Mrs. J. E. Jordan's mother from Forney, came in this week to remain for an indefinite time.

Mrs. J. M. Renshaw returned this week from Estacado, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fay Garten.

Don't fail to see that five and ten cent "Racket Counter" at Wilson's.

Mrs. W. C. Baird on Monday went to Hereford on a visit.

Mrs. Rose Howell and Miss Minnie Donohoo made a buggy trip to Amarillo and back Tuesday.

Dr. Barnett and Will Vandever of Yell county, Arkansas, friends of W. R. Farr, came in Friday to look at the country. Mr. Vandever is seeking better health and is talking of buying land here.

W. J. Redfearn has ordered a stock of Racket goods and will open up in one of the John Crawford buildings.

Mrs. J. M. Vasant has been sick for several days but it is thought not dangerously so.

T. J. Moser represents the National Steam Laundry of Sherman, Texas. Baskets will leave here every Monday, returning Saturday.

Mrs. Odell of Estacado, son, Stewart, and daughter, Miss Vera, arrived Wednesday on a visit to relatives and friends.

Miss Olive Beasley who has been visiting her brother at Portales, was in town Wednesday night the guest of Mrs. J. A. Wallace.

Walter G. Cobb and wife, Travis Shaw and Hayden Donaldson, spent Sunday in Tulia visiting "Grandpa" Donaldson.

John Orr, wife and children, left Wednesday evening for a visit of two or three weeks to relatives at Hillsboro.

The old packing house plant, in Fort Worth, consisting of some eight buildings, was destroyed by fire Sunday morning.

Miss Cora Reynolds who has been attending the Industrial school at Denton, Texas, returned home last week.

C. C. Bird's thirty acre field of rye southeast of town was cut last week and The News is informed that it required some five pounds of twine per acre to tie it.

C. N. Harrison left Tuesday evening for Dallas where he expects to meet his wife who is on her return home.

Tuesday evening a good rain fell at Amarillo.

**CLOTHING SALE.**

We intend to close out our entire line of Men's and Boys' Clothing and will make a price that should move them quickly—as follows:

- \$15.00 Suits at.....\$10.50
- \$12.50 Suits at.....8.50
- 10.50 Suits at.....7.00
- 9.00 Suits at.....6.00

There are others. Almost all of the above clothing is made by the celebrated Mayfield Woolen Mills and every Suit is guaranteed to be all wool.

**EXTRA SPECIAL.**

We have a lot of broken Suits—Coats and Vests—of all kinds, ranging from extra quality all wool to medium goods which we are going to close at most any old price—see this for instance:

- Coats and Vests of regular \$15.00 Suits at.....\$6.00
- Coats and Vests of regular \$12.50 Suits, at.....\$4.00 to \$5.00

**BOYS' CLOTHING.**

We have a broken line of Boys' Clothing that we will dispose of at one-half the regular selling price.

**CANYON MERCANTILE CO.**

**GROCERY PRICES!**

- Blue Ribbon Flour—every sack guaranteed as good as the best, per hundred.....\$3.00
  - Best Pearl Meal, per hundred.....\$1.60
  - Silk Soap, 32 bars.....1.00
  - 5 lb. Pkg. Banner Oats.....22 1/2 cts
  - Lard, Silver Leaf 10 lbs.....\$1.10
  - Lard, Jewel Compound, 10 lbs 75c
- CANYON MERCANTILE.**

All persons indebted to the late Canyon City Hardware & Grain Co., are hereby requested to please come forward at once and settle their accounts as it is desired to close up the business affairs of said company. Call at the grain office as the books are there.

John Howell, Secretary

From reports circulated by Jim Lowe, T. S. Talley, and G. Clark Smith, it would seem that our town has been visited by a no less distinguished person than Carrie Nation.

Miss Minnie Donohoo left Thursday for a visit to friends at Plainview.

Miss Ida Hood, of Tulia, is the guest of Mrs. Walter Cobb this week.

The Rev. H. C. Goodman, Gen'l Missionary for the Episcopal church for the Panhandle passed through the city on his way to Lubbock Tuesday. Mr. Goodman expects to make a regular visit to Canyon City and hold regular services just as soon as he can get the work mapped out.

Mrs. Ophelia Steed, from Perry, Georgia, passed through here this week en route to N. M., to visit her brother.

Misses Fannie and Rebecca Morgan of Amarillo, visited Miss Zina Henson this week.

Mrs. Ava R. Hall and children spent the first of this week in the country, guests of Mesdames Long and Waller.



**LOW ROUND TRIP RATES**

-- TO THE --

**NORTH, EAST and WEST**

VIA

**The "SANTA FE"**

**JUNE TO OCTOBER, 1905.**

Now is the time to visit the "Old Folks"—Ask the Agent, HE KNOWS, or address

A. L. CONRAD

Traffic Manager Pecos Valley Lines.

Amarillo, Texas.

**AS COMPARISONS ARE TO OUR ADVANTAGE, WE CAN AFFORD TO ENCOURAGE THEM.**

**THE DENVER ROAD THROUGH THE TEXAS PANHANDLE.**

**SAVES PATRONS 300 MILES IN VISITING "COOL COLORADO" LEWIS & CLARK EXPOSITION, YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK, OR CALIFORNIA POINTS, AND IT'S SERVICE SPEAKS FOR ITSELF.**

URGER FACTS: YOURS UPON REQUEST A. A. GIBSON, G.P.A., FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF**

**The First National Bank**

At Canyon, in the State of Texas at the close of business, June 6, 1905.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and discounts	\$106,033.43
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	12,587.40
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds, Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	3,059.15
Due from national banks (not reserve-accounts)	9,801.50
Due from approved reserve agents	8,674.38
Checks & other cash items	38,474.58
Notes of other national banks	469.93
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	3,000.00
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	1,874.50
Legal-tender notes	6,478.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	2,500.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund	450.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>303,371.24</b>

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital stock paid in	50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	31,532.50
National bank notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to other nat'l. banks	25,398.69
Due to state banks and bankers	4,645.15
Individual deposits subject to check	105,469.90
Time certificates of deposit	26,325.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>303,371.24</b>

State of Texas, County of Randall, ss: I, D. A. Park, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. A. PARK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of June, 1905.

B. F. BUFE, Notary public Randall Co., Texas.

Correct Attest:  
-L. F. LESTER,  
J. E. HOWELL,  
J. N. DONOHO.

Mrs. "Dod" McCamet who has been visiting her parents at Hale Center, passed through here this week en route to Mexico where she was called to the bedside of her husband who has been ill for some time.

**PROFESSIONAL CARDS.**

**D. M. STEWART,**  
Physician and Surgeon,  
Office—Thompson Drug Store.  
Calls promptly answered night or day

**A. S. ROLLINS**  
LAWYER.  
CIVIL PRACTICE SOLICITED.  
Furnishing Abstracts of Title a Speciality and business in this line will be appreciated.

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THE BLACKSMITHS.

At the Slover & May blacksmith shop you will find us always ready to do your work promptly and neatly and with the best material we can obtain. Come and get our prices.

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Harrison & May, Mgr's.

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We are now prepared to do all kinds of Iron and Wood work at the old Pioneer shop with promptness. We use the best of material and all work guaranteed. Horse Shoeing a specialty. Our best endeavors will be to please.

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K. F. McRae Taggart, Prop. Texas.

Royal 14052 heads this herd. He has all the qualities required to found a first best herd of Herefords. His calves are models in form, large in bone, perfect in color. Four yearling males now for sale.  
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