

# THE AVALANCHE.

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Motto: "What shall it profit a nation if it gain untold wealth and its people lose their liberty."

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### BOUQUET FOR LUBBOCK.

Oklahoma Editor Writes of  
Lubbock and the Possi-  
bilities of the Great  
Plains Country. Says  
Wrong Ideas Have Been  
Taught by Geographers.

It is hard to correct a  
wrong impression. To do  
the right thing by the Pan-  
handle and Plains of Texas  
historians and geographers  
should issue new editions  
and tell the exact truth anent  
that wonderful country. It  
would then take a long time  
to give the correct idea to  
those who have been taught  
otherwise.

The writer has just re-  
turned from Lubbock, the  
county seat of Lubbock coun-  
ty, Texas. Lubbock is 125  
miles from a railroad, the  
only county seat in the  
United States situated so  
great a distance from a rail-  
road. How do you get there?  
There are two ways: From  
Estelline on the Denver  
Road a hack drive to Lock-  
ney, 80 miles the first day,  
and to Lubbock the next day,  
60 miles. Horses are changed  
7 to 14 miles, according to  
the grade, and between 50  
and 60 head are used on  
each trip. From Canyon, on  
the Santa Fe road a similar  
overland drive is made to  
Lubbock. The stopping place  
at night on this route is  
Plainview.

Lubbock is a splendid  
town of 800 population. It  
has modern buildings and  
gives evidence of wealth.  
The inhabitants are up-to-  
date, hospitable and progres-  
sive. They want a railroad  
and they are going to get it  
sure. A feature there is the  
excellent water and pure air.  
This country is over 3,200  
feet above sea level and many  
people go there for their  
health.

Big ranches are things of  
the past. Instead there are  
well tilled farms on which  
the very best of corn, cotton,  
wheat, maize, kaffir corn and  
canes are raised. Fruit is  
excellent and easily grown.  
The best of water is gotten  
at a depth of from 40 to 90  
feet. Nearly every farmer  
has his own fish tank or pond  
from which he gets all the  
fish he desires to eat. The  
finny tribe is fed as regularly  
as the chickens and the fishes  
are almost as tame. It is no  
trouble to catch them by hand.  
**The Texan, as well as  
his country, has been  
under-rated.** He can  
teach the outside world many  
lessons about doing things.

Land around Lubbock and

in that county is worth from  
\$3.50 to \$10 per acre. There  
are several surveys through  
the county and it is a sure  
thing that some of the lines  
will be in operation before  
many months.

Everyone is not aware that  
the Plains country is 200  
miles wide and 300 miles  
long. It is a great country  
with wonderful possibilities  
and, next to Oklahoma, is  
the best tract of land in the  
Great Southwest. Get a  
map of Texas, study it and  
then take a trip to Lubbock.  
It will pay you.—Thomas  
(Okla.) Tribune.

### Autos to Carry Mail.

Arthur Halloway returned  
Thursday from Dallas where  
he purchased two auto-  
mobiles, a Cadillac and an  
Olds, which he will use to  
carry the mail and pass-  
engers from here to Lamesa.  
To persons having business  
to transact between the  
towns this will prove a bless-  
ing as the trip can be made  
in about three hours, instead  
of ten or twelve, the time  
now required. The autos  
are so constructed as to pro-  
tect the passengers from the  
weather and appliances for  
heating the interior are also  
another fine feature. Each  
machine will carry five  
passengers, and are capable  
of making fast time on fair  
roads.—Big Springs Herald.

"Of all the sad scenes,"  
says an exchange, "the sad-  
dest is an old, weather-worn,  
poverty-accursed farmer sit-  
ting on a bale of cotton in  
a wagon in the middle of the  
street, while around him  
gather a bunch of buyers,  
sampling and beating down  
the price of the staple the  
farmer offers for the market.  
The farmer is a slave of the  
most abject sort the world  
has ever known. He is a  
voluntary slave. To be a  
master in the world of indus-  
try and commerce is entirely  
within his power, yet he  
chooses to remain a servant.  
By organization and intelli-  
gent, concerted action he  
could easily be the con-  
trolling factor in the  
economic affairs of man-  
kind."

### Notice.

Parties wishing to lease  
or purchase any lot or  
lots controlled by me  
in the town of Lubbock  
can address me at  
Stamford, Jones Co.,  
Tex. W. E. Rayner.

# The Avalanche

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J. J. DILLARD, Editor

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notices and "ads" will be run until  
ordered out.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1905.

On another page will be found a program for the teachers' institute to be held in this town in the near future. Look it over, and if your name appears, prepare for the subject assigned you. Nothing should be of greater interest to the teachers than institute work and the coming meeting will afford an excellent opportunity for them to show their progressive inclination.

According to the Celeste Courier, a cat stole into the local church, concealed itself and kept very quiet until the choir began to sing, when a strange tenor voice was heard. The congregation was startled and the organist was frightened. Religious services were suspended and a search was made for the cat, which had, in some unaccountable way, got into the organ. Its tail was caught in the treadle and every time the treadle was pressed the feline notes were issued in high C. After extricating the cat, services were resumed and the preacher preached quite a categorical sermon.

In the announcement column of The Avalanche will be found the name of J. W. Haynes, candidate for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Lubbock and attached counties. Mr. Haynes is well and favorably known to the voters, having served as deputy under P. B. Penney since December 1st, 1902. He was born at Gatesville, Coryell county, about thirty years ago and received his education in the schools of West Texas, having been practically raised on the frontier, and is well informed in all public affairs. For four years he was deputy marshal of Mineral Wells, which office was combined with that of collector, he having charge of the collection of all city taxes, which experience admirably qualifies him for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector. He is fearless and considerate and, if elected, will make the people a sheriff which they may have unbounded faith in and one that will execute any and all instruments which may be placed in his hands.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following are the rates for announcing candidates in The Avalanche:

For District Judge.... \$20.00  
For District Attorney.. 10.00  
For County Offices.. 10.00  
For Precinct Offices.. 5.00

The announcement fee must be paid in advance.

For County Judge:

JOHN R. MCGEE.

For County & District Clerk:

R. E. BROWN.

W. S. ELKIN.

For Sheriff & Tax Collector:

J. W. HAYNES.

For Tax Assessor:

JOHN C. COLEMAN.

G. O. GROVES.

S. C. SPIKES.

### Ye Great Concert.

Ye Great Concert of ye Olden Tyme at ye Court House in ye town of Lubbock in Amerika, Wednesday eve, ye 29th day of ye 11th month in ye year of our Lord MDCCCXV. Ye entrance mite will be XXV pennies for all ye grown-up persons and XV pennies for ye youngsters not yet one dozen years old. Ye persons who want your seats reserved will pay X pennies extra at ye Star Drug Store.

### New Order Organized.

The young men of this town have organized a social circle to be known as the U. O. of H. A. M. A statement setting forth the object and purposes of the organization will be published soon. Jim Robinson, Leonard Martin, Shirley Brazele and several others are the active promoters, under whose supervision the U. O. of H. A. M. is sure to flourish and become a power for good (times).

### Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

(Real Estate.)

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Lubbock county, Texas, on the 7th day of November A. D. 1905, in the case of The First National Bank of Belleville, Illinois, v. B. G. Glaser, No. 292, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 8th day of November A. D. 1905, at 9 a. m., and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in December A. D. 1905, it being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Lubbock county, in the town of Lubbock, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which B. G. Glaser had on the 8th day of November A. D. 1905, or at any time thereafter, of, in, and to the following described property, to-wit: 640 acres of State School land, known as Abstract No. 258, Survey 3, Original Grantee S. O. Rippey; 290 acres of State School land, Abstract No. 259, Survey 10, Original Grantee S. O. Rippey; 640 acres of State School land, known as Abstract No. 260, Survey 4, Original Grantee S. O. Rippey. All of the above described lands are situated in Cochran county, and said county is attached to Lubbock county for judicial purposes; said property being levied on as the property of B. G. Glaser to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$3,481.44, with 8 per cent interest, less \$125.45 credit on said judgment, in favor of The First National Bank of Belleville, Illinois, and costs of suit as stated in execution.

Given under my hand this 7th day of November A. D. 1905.

P. B. PENNEY,  
Sheriff Lubbock County, Texas.

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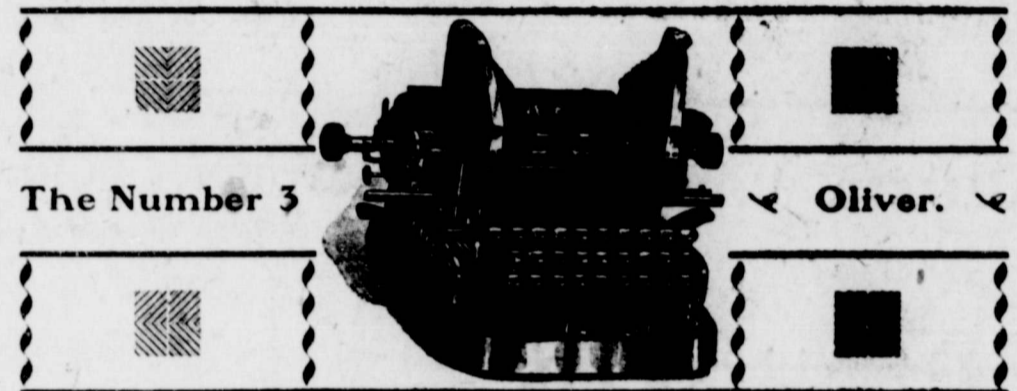
Lubbock,

Texas.

## The Pen is Mightier than the Sword,

This is an old Adage and Time Proves it True,  
but for Making Neat, Compact Abstracts,

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**A Business Proposition:** If you have patented land, you can borrow from \$800 to \$1500 per section on it. If stocked with cattle, a dozen calves per year will pay the interest—even at the present low prices—and the remainder of the profit is yours. If you have school land, you can patent it for \$1 per acre. Loans can be made only on land of Clear Record Title.

**Have You Thought** Just what is meant by a Complete Abstract of the County Records? It means that we have carefully read every instrument recorded in the county, and, giving a separate page to each tract of land, have entered a memorandum of each of these instruments on our books, and can see at a glance a list of all the deeds, mortgages, etc., affecting any piece of land in the county or any town lot in the town of Lubbock. Since opening up business the past summer, we have furnished abstracts of the title to 65 tracts of land and 96 town lots, which goes to show that a great many people realize our advantages in this line, though some continue to buy real estate with no other assurance than a warranty deed. It will pay you to be careful for very few have an idea of the many tangles disclosed by our county records.

**Ranch Land Abstracts:** By means of our complete Abstract Books we can prepare abstracts of any of the big pastures on short notice and with much greater accuracy than they can be made from the index, in the usual way. The leading loan company of the state, with business running into hundreds of thousands of dollars, pronounces our abstracts the best handled by them. Some of the largest land owners are having their lands abstracted for their own convenience. We are prepared to do this promptly and accurately.

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Lubbock, Texas.

## Local and Personal

N. K. Smith, a surveyor of Plainview, is in town as a witness in the road case.

Penney Bros. are having a large livery barn erected just south of the hotel.

J. H. Hiner, of Granbury, is in the city representing Geo. D. Barnard & Co.

Mr. Gilkerson, of Lipan, is in town with a view of locating.

W. S. Elkin, commissioner of precinct 4, attended court Monday and Tuesday.

R. C. Burns, of precinct 2, attended the commissioners' court Monday and Tuesday.

Dink Logan, of Broncho, was attending court here the first of the week.

R. P. Smyth, of Plainview, is in town as a witness in the road injunction case.

Jno. Ligon, one of Plainview's liverymen, was in our town Wednesday of this week, on business.

WANTED:—300 head of steer calves. Call on or write, J. J. Dillard, Lubbock, Texas.

We are having some nice weather this week, the very thing that is needed for cotton.

Jno. Tubbs made a business trip to Cochran county the first of the week, returning Thursday.

Messrs. Sam Spikes and Jno. Tubbs are erecting the house for their new grist mill and crusher.

Judge W. R. Spencer, of Brownfield, is in town holding district court. Judge Kinder being disqualified.

Number 19 and 50 Bowsher Feed Grinders in stock. Do not fail to see us.

Western Windmill & Hdw Co.

L. W. Dalton, one of the prominent lawyers of Plainview, attended district court in town this week.

L. T. Adams and Squire Leeman, of Jacksboro, were in town several days the first of the week.

FOR SALE:—One good hay baler; mower, rake and cultivator. For sale at a bargain. J. J. Dillard.

J. W. White and J. W. Graves moved a house from L. O. Burford's place to lot 8 in block 104, on north side of public square, Wednesday.

H. C. Randolph, one of the best lawyers of Plainview, was among the lawyers who attended court here this week.

If it is a windmill, cylinder, pipe, casing or anything in the hardware line, don't fail to see us.

Western Windmill & Hdw Co.

Flue and Claude Anderson, H. Price, W. T. and Lee Post, et al, left Wednesday for their homes in New Mexico.

Elder Thomas G. Nance, of the Christian Church, will preach next Sunday, Nov. 19th, at the Baptist Church. Everybody cordially invited.

Z. W. Shackelford, of Bethel, N. M., left for Lockney Wednesday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Jas. Dagley. From Lockney he will return home.

L. G. Wilson, one of Plainview's prominent attorneys, is in the city on legal business pertaining to the injunction proceedings, styled: H. L. Smith vs S. W. Jarvis.

LOST:—Wednesday, Nov. 15th, a large, heavy, winter overcoat, from south mail hack, between Lubbock and W. D. Nevils' place. \$2.50 reward for recovery.

BOB RUSK,  
2t Lubbock, Tex.

Attorney Geo. L. Beatty left on Thursday's south stage for Big Springs, from which place he will go to Fort Worth to present a motion for a new trial in some very important land litigation, before the court of civil appeals.

### Teachers' Institute.

Program for Institute to be Held Friday Evening and Saturday, December 1st and 2nd, 1905.

Friday evening, 8:30 o'clock:  
Song—by Institute.  
Invocation—Rev. Walter Griffith.  
Song—by Institute.  
Welcome Address—Geo. R. Bean.  
Response—P. F. Brown.  
Reading—Miss Ruby McCrummen.  
Attendance: How to Secure It; Tardiness: How to Prevent It.—W. P. Florence, Mrs. W. S. Norton.  
Reading—Miss Glenna Burns.  
Supplementary Work in Reading and Language.—W. S. Elkin, Miss Maggie Ray.

Query Box.  
Saturday morning, 9 o'clock:  
Song—by Institute.  
Prayer—Rev. B. F. Dixon.  
Song—by Institute.  
Reading—Miss Maude Nevills.  
Number Work in First and Second Grades.—Misses May Murfee and May Norton.  
Reading—Miss Valla Phenix.  
"Keeping in," as a punishment.—R. B. Wells and E. C. Couch.  
Query Box.

### Court Proceedings.

M. E. Gilmore vs A. L. Lockwood, dismissed for want of prosecution.  
Hiram Smith vs W. P. Florence, judgment for defendant.  
State vs H. Price, acquitted.  
State vs Geo. Moore, bond forfeited.  
State vs Otis Shackelford, acquitted.  
State vs Lee Post, dismissed.  
State vs R. A. Stoker, continued.  
Wesley Graham vs Mary A. Griffith, continued by agreement.  
B. L. Frost vs R. C. Lake and T. B. Tomb, continued.  
DeVitt & Flato vs C. C. Slaughter, continued by operation of law.  
C. H. Earnest vs R. C. Lake et al, continued by agreement.  
H. K. Porter vs C. W. Maddox, dismissed.  
W. M. O'Harrow vs Geo. L. Beatty, continued by agreement.  
Kate L. Isbell vs J. Goode et al, continued by agreement.  
State vs C. C. Slaughter, continued.  
B. W. Rimes vs J. C. and J. O. Benson, judgment for defendants.  
R. R. Napier vs A. L. Lockwood et al, compromised.  
The Court appointed O. L. Slaton, J. C. Dawson and R. B. Shaw as Jury Commission.  
The Grand Jury adjourned, finding only three bills, all felonies.

Something for nothing this time!

We are going to give away a buggy on Jan. 1st, 1906. The conditions are as follows: With every \$1.00 cash purchase a ticket will be signed by the purchaser and dropped into a sealed can, which will not be opened until the 1st day of January, 1906. On said date a little girl will be blind-folded and 13 tickets will be drawn from the can by her, and the 13th ticket draws the buggy. Tickets are now ready. Ask for them. The buggy will be on exhibition soon—Value \$90.

## Jubbs Brothers,

Ladies' and Gents' Furnishers,  
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### Reward:

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### Notice.

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, of Amarillo, Specialist of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be in Hereford on Nov. 8th and 9th, and in Clarendon on Oct. 29th and 30th, 1905.

### Well Drilling.

I am prepared to do well drilling on short notice. I make straight holes, or no pay. WARD JARROTT,  
16-4t Lubbock, Texas.

LOST:—Two black-sided heifers branded —H— on left side. Will pay liberally for their recovery.  
Jno. McCrummen,  
17-4 Lubbock, Tex.

FOR SALE:—150 head of stock cattle at \$11.50 per head; count everything; 30 head of steer calves in the herd. Call on or address J. J. Dillard, Lubbock, Tex.

Several bales of cotton are being ginned each week.

L. T. LESTER, Pres. O. L. SLATON, V. P. W. S. POSEY, Cashier

### The First National Bank of Lubbock

No. 6195

Capital Stock	\$40,000.00
Surplus & Un. Prof.	10,000.00
Ind. Responsibility	200,000.00
	<b>\$250,000.00</b>

We extend to our customers every accommodation consistent with good Banking. If you have no Bank account, open one, and begin to build up a credit for yourself. You may not need credit now, but the time will come when you will.

LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

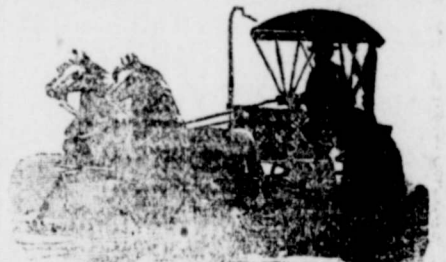
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and ask for part of your trade.

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42 WILLOW ST., NEW HAVEN, CONN.

RIFLES MODEL 1892  
32 CALIBRE

**Acuff Articles.**

Oh, the weather we have just had.

J. W. Dalton is cutting loco this week.

Mrs. R. E. Hoops went to Lubbock Monday.

S. S. Rush left a few days ago with cotton for Colorado.

J. T. ... in the capitol attending commissioners' court this week.

Newt Blake, of Amarillo, was out at J. F. Bacon's on business last Saturday.

J. F. Bacon sold his entire bunch of spring calves to W. K. Dickinson.

W. A. Bacon sold his yearling heifers to T. C. Coats.

We learn that R. M. Clayton has leased, till spring, the place which he sold to Mr. Dupree.

Joe Baldridge and wife, of Atoka, Coleman county, have been visiting the former's sister, Mrs. L. O. Burford. Joe is well pleased with this country and is thinking of locating on the plains.

Happy Jack.

**For Sale.**

The Avalanche Publishing Company offers for sale their complete printing plant, consisting of A. B. Taylor 5-column cylinder press, 10x15 Chandler & Price Gordon job press, 2 horsepower Bates & Edmonds gasoline engine, 22 1/2 inch Advance paper cutter, 90 fonts latest faces job and display type, stapling machine, extra large supply of rules, leads, galleys, etc., 500 pounds of body type, two Hamilton dust proof cabinets holding 20 cases each, also one complete cabinet of best cherry furniture. Subscription list of over 500; county site, 800 population; only paper in the county; gross collections for year 1904, \$2,000; business could easily be increased to 2,500. All the above machinery, together with lot on public square and a good, three-room office, can be bought for \$3,500—\$1,500 cash, balance in 1, 2, 3 and 4 years, lien retained with 10 per cent. This is a bargain. If you are a practical printer and can do editorial work, this is the plant you are looking for. Address,

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**Notice to Shippers.**

Amarillo, Texas, August 22, 1905.

Beginning Saturday, August 26, and continuing thereafter on every Monday and Saturday up to and including December 23, 1905, we will run regular stock trains to Kansas City, St Joseph and Chicago markets on the following schedule:

Leave	Boyina	8 30 a.m.	Monday	Saturday
"	Hereford	10 30 "	"	"
"	Canyon	12 00 m	"	"
"	Amarillo	2 00 p.m.	"	"
"	Washburn	2 40 "	"	"
"	Panhandle	3 30 "	"	"
"	Pampa	4 50 "	"	"
"	Miami	5 50 "	"	"
"	Canadian	7 00 "	"	"
"	Higgins	8 30 "	"	"
Arrive	Woodward	11 00 "	"	"
"	Wellington	8 00 a.m.	Tuesday	Sunday

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