

The O'Donnell Index

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Review of Oil Situation in O'Donnell Territory

That is the way a citizen of O'Donnell expressed himself regarding the oil situation in this territory. We are informed by the committees who have been working both east and west that failure is staring them in the face.

The average blocks west of town are completed with the exception of those who have refused or for other reasons failed to sign the lease contracts. Unless these few land owners pick up all the time and money as been put in trying to block acreage for contracts have been lost. No American company is going to spend thousands of dollars to develop the other side of the land. Unless these land owners suffer a change of heart and sign leases, we know of no prospects deep test in quest of the liquid west of town. Cotton can still grow on land which possibly covers the mother oil pool of West Texas.

S. Willis representative of T. Coal & Oil Company who has been assisting Mr. J. B. Miles in the leasing of 15,000 acres east of O'Donnell left yesterday. Before leaving Willis said, "Mr. Miles has spent time and money helping me to secure the necessary acreage for a test, and we have spent the past few weeks working hard on the location and so far we have only a successful in securing about 100 acres out of the block. We appreciate the courtesy and consideration shown us by those who have signed but unless the remainder of the owners are made see the same such a test and sign leases contract soon, we can not leave the situation as it now stands."

Willis represents a company financially able to give the territory a thorough test. He came here with all credentials for such without cost to the landowners one penny. He is willing to locate in any territory with four contracts for deep tests, all of which he was willing to locate in any territory provided acreage could be secured.

When the people of this territory will profit, as the tests made in other sections of the territory.

It is reported that a shallow test was made on or near the Yeatts place and that the test was drilled to a depth of 300 feet. As to who will do the drilling, just where the location is, we were unable to learn.

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The management of the local theatre has secured "The False Alarm," a picture that is very educational as well as highly entertaining, for the evening program. Be sure and see "The False Alarm" on March 4th. We assure you it will be an evening well spent as well as demonstrating your loyalty to the local fire department.

C. MILLSAP ANNOUNCES FOR MAYOR IN APRIL ELECTION

Mr. C. Millsap, well known to O'Donnell citizens, is the first to announce his candidacy through the columns of the Index for the office of Mayor of the City of O'Donnell in the coming election to be held April 5th.

Mr. Millsap needs no introduction to the people of O'Donnell having resided here the past three years during which time he has made many friends. He is well qualified to fill the office to which he aspires having served two terms as Mayor of his home town before coming to O'Donnell.

The candidate says that if elected to the office his policy will be honesty, economy and fairness throughout the administration with partiality to none. He asks that you give his candidacy due consideration before casting your ballot in the April election.

L. H. Moore visited in O'Donnell this week.

C. C. Jones' Father Dies At Blackwell

C. C. Jones received a message early Saturday morning announcing the death of his father, W. C. Jones of Blackwell, who died suddenly of heart failure at 7:30 o'clock Saturday morning. C. C. Jones and family left immediately for Blackwell, reaching there late Saturday afternoon.

The deceased was 72 years of age and a pioneer of Nolan county. He is survived by his wife and four children, three sons and one daughter. C. C. Jones of this city, two sons of Colorado, Texas and a daughter of Texas. Also two brothers of Artesia, N. M., and a sister who lives at Spur.

Funeral services were held at the family home Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with interment in the Dexter Cemetery.

REVIVAL AT THE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

The revival meeting being conducted at the Nazarene church will continue all next week, crowds and interest are increasing with each service. The preaching being done by Evangelist J. A. Pruitt is being owned of God to the blessing of the people because of his clear exposition of the Bible. The subject for this coming Sunday night will be the "Unardonable Sin."

We appreciate the cooperation of those who are interested in seeing a revival in O'Donnell. The Baptist pastor, Bro. Horn, who is a thoroughly wide awake aggressive man of God has blessed us with his presence and prayers when he could be free from his other many pastoral duties. God bless him and his work.

So far we have taken no offering but through the kindness of a friend the business people have given us a love offering to help bear our expenses during the meeting. We take this opportunity of thanking them. May God reward each one who contributed.

Again let us say that we covet your prayers and cooperation in this effort, and with a great desire to be a blessing and to lead others to know God, I am still,

Your servant and Christ's,
Mrs. Nora Pruitt, Pastor.

"The False Alarm" Fire Boys Benefit

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The Success Family

The Father of Success is work.

The Mother of Success is Ambition.

The oldest son is Common Sense.

Some of the other boys are Perseverance, Honesty, Thoroughness, Foresight, Enthusiasm, and Cooperation.

The oldest daughter is Character.

Some of her sisters are Cheerfulness, Loyalty, Courtesy, Care, Economy, Sincerity and Harmony.

The baby is Opportunity.

Get acquainted with the "old Man" and you will be able to get along pretty well with the rest of the family.

City Election Called For April 5th

We are this week carrying a notice of election for the City of O'Donnell. The election is called by the City Council for the second Tuesday in April which is the fifth day of said month, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, three Aldermen, City Marshal and City Attorney, for the City of O'Donnell, Texas for the ensuing two years.

The election will be held at the City Hall. The polls will be open from 8 o'clock A. M. until 7 o'clock P. M. for you to cast your ballot for your favorite candidates. D. H. McDaniel, judge; W. E. Guye, J. W. Roberts and C. H. Mansell, clerks of said election.

Much interest is being manifest in the coming election and it is expected that a number of candidates will be out within the next week or two with their hats in the middle of the ring campaigning for the various offices to be filled. According to information given the Index man there will be plenty of competition for each of the offices.

PROGRAM FOR CHURCH NIGHT WEEK METHODIST CHURCH

We are planning this program that it may be a help and inspiration to the christian people of our town. We are using a different preacher each evening. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

Monday night, February 28... Rev. W. K. Horn
Tuesday night, March 1st... Rev. J. Wood Parker
Wednesday night, March 2nd... Rev. J. P. McGee
Thursday night, March 3rd... Rev. R. T. Breedlove
Friday night, March 4th... Rev. J. B. McReynolds
Saturday night, March 5th... Rev. J. W. Watson
Sunday the 6th morning and evening... Dr. J. W. Hunt, President of McMurray College.
Services Sunday
Sunday School 9:45
Preaching, Morning 10:00
Preaching, Evening 7:45
Training Class each evening.

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION WILL MEET MARCH 15TH

A meeting of the O'Donnell Cemetery Association will be held next Tuesday evening, March 15th at the cemetery. All persons interested are urged to be present as an important work will be done. Please bear the above date in mind and arrange to be there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Entertain Friends

Sunday February 13, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Harris entertained with a bountiful dinner, commonly known in ranch terms as a "Round Up." The menu consisted of fresh baked meats, creamed potatoes, fruit and vegetables, salads, fresh peas, lemon and pineapple pies and white cake. Music was furnished by Gordon King.

The following were present, Misses Mary Lee Towles, Cynthia Evans, Mable, Era and Eva Harris, Margret Hicks, Clydene Jones. Messrs. Gordon King, Otis and Oil Dee Harris. Rev. and Mrs. Hicks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson and son Bill Tom, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones and family and Mrs. Knight from Canyon.

P. T. To Beautify School Grounds

Make the school campus attractive. Wednesday, February 23, the P. T. A. met in regular session.

The following committees were appointed: Membership, Mrs. Vermillion, chairman; Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. Music, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Roy Miles. Program, Mrs. Parker, chairman; Mrs. Gibbs, Mrs. Carlton, J. A. Rickard, and Miss Rodgers. Ways and Means, Mr. King, chairman, Mrs. Westmoreland, Mrs. Crunk, Mrs. A. F. Edwards, Mrs. Pfrimmer, and Mrs. D. A. Edwards.

The organization decided to order one hundred trees for the school campus. We urge the citizens and patrons to cooperate with us in this work. This is your school, help make it attractive. Let's not let it be said that O'Donnell school is the only one of its size on the South Plains without a well cared for school campus.

Plans were discussed for sponsoring the county meet, which will be held in O'Donnell March 25 and 26, these plans will be perfected at a later date.

At the next regular meeting, March 9, the organization will be entertained with a short program given by the children of the grades. Parents, visit us that day. The children want you to come, and the P. T. A. needs you.

Meet us at the High School Auditorium, Wednesday March 9, at 4:00 o'clock.

Messrs. H. E. Gillespie and G. C. Grider were Levelland visitors Monday.

Mrs. W. Harris spent the week-end in O'Donnell with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays.

Lynn County Motor Co. Will Stage Contest

Mrs. Robert Carrol Entertains T. E. L. Class

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist church was royally entertained on last Friday afternoon by Mrs. Robert Carrol at her home in the east part of town. The reception rooms were decorated in cupid and hearts carrying out the Valentine idea. Valentine games were played each lady present received a red heart on which a name of a member present was written this, one to be their valentine for the remainder of the month.

An operation was performed which proved to be successful.

A business meeting was held and it was voted to challenge Mr. Sorrels class for a contest, the defeated class entertaining at the close of the contest. The T. E. L. class are looking forward to being entertained by the men.

At the close of the afternoon Mrs. Carrol assisted by Mrs. Miles and Hamilton served delicious hot chocolate heart shaped sandwiches and candy to the following ladies:

Mesdames T. J. Middleton, T. J. Yandell, Ed Goddard, John Hardberger, Jeff Music, Mac Hamilton, P. O. Cabiness, C. Beatenbough, E. L. Sorrels, L. L. Wyatt, E. A. James, C. M. Melson, W. E. Guye, Bill Phillips, Edd Scott, W. K. Horn, T. J. Mansell, C. H. Mansell.

GAIL WILDCAT STILL LOOKS GOOD TO OIL MEN

A. C. Fairley was down at Gail Wednesday afternoon visiting the wildcat oil test a few miles from the city just under the cap rock. Mr. Fairley says that the test is creating considerable excitement in that neighborhood. They are now drilling at 3565 feet in black lime with a good showing of oil. The drillers are confident of finding pay between the present depth and 4,000 feet.

Leasing is very active in and around Gail and it is reported two additional tests will be made within the near future, one in the northeast part of Borden County and the other due east of Gail about a mile north of the highway.

New Lynn Theatre Opens to Large House

The new Lynn Theatre opened Monday night, "The Cheerful Fraud" a six reel comedy starring Reginald Denny was enjoyed by a packed house.

The people of O'Donnell have been without a picture show or place of amusement for the past three months and the opening of the new Lynn Theatre gives them a source of pleasure. This was evidenced by the response the management received from the show going public on opening night.

An exceptionally good program is booked for next week. Beginning Monday and Tuesday, the first of their big pictures will be shown, The Sea Beast, starring John Barrymore, from the story Moby Dick. Wednesday and Thursday will be a story by Mary Roberts Rinehart, "The Bat," the greatest mystery story of all times. Friday, a great railroad story, "The Wreck." For Saturday night Hoot Gibson will do his stuff in "The Man in the Saddle."

M. A. BROWN AND FAMILY MOVING TO LAMESA

M. A. Brown who has been employed at Cicero Smith Lumber Co., for the past several years, has been transferred to the Lamesa office. Mr. Brown will move his family to Lamesa about the first of the month when the change will become effective. The Browns leave a host of friends in O'Donnell who wish them every success in their new location.

Mr. A. E. Foster of Levelland was in O'Donnell being installed in the office of the County Clerk.

A contest that will be of interest to every Ford owner will be staged by the Lynn County Motor Company Saturday afternoon at 1:30 P. M. The contest will be to determine just how far one of the new improved Ford models will run on one gallon of gasoline.

The Lynn County Motor Company is offering \$25.00 in merchandise and service to the winners of the contest \$12.50 in merchandise or repair work will be given the person making the most miles on one gallon of gasoline in a closed Ford car, and the same amount to the person making the most mileage in an open Ford car.

No entrance fee will be charged. All cars entering the contest must be of the late improved type, standard equipment with Ford Vaporizer, Balloon Tires and starter. The gasoline tank will be drained and one gallon put in tank, which will be sealed by a judge before starting. No special or high test gasoline will be allowed. Cars will proceed from starting point and continue over designated route until car stops from lack of gasoline. The Lynn County Motor Company ask that you make your arrangements to enter the contest and win the final Ford Economy Run.

FIRE DESTROYS BARN FOR CLYDE WOODS THURSDAY NIGHT

On last Thursday night about 9:30 o'clock, fire of unknown origin destroyed a barn on the Clyde Woods place in the northeast part of the city. The barn with its contents, some cotton seed and a few household goods, was a total loss. The extent of the loss will probably reach \$300, and we understand no insurance was carried.

When the fire alarm was sounded a stiff wind was howling out of the north accompanied by a severe sandstorm. The fire department answered the summons promptly, but was too late to do more than keep the flames from spreading to other parts of town.

When the editor of the Index hears the fire siren, especially when the wind is sweeping across the country at a 35 mile clip as it was Thursday night, he begins to pray that providence will be as kind to our little city as it has been in the past. Should a fire get started on such a night—well, it would just be to bad, as our fire boys would be helpless without water. There would be nothing left of O'Donnell but a mental picture of how it looked before the fire. The wind would even sweep the ashes off the cap rock. By all means O'Donnell should have a water system.

E. S. Scrimshire Will Open Tailor Shop

E. S. Scrimshire who has been scouting around over a greater part of Texas the past sixty days, slipped into town last week and before people knew what he was up to had rented a building and is this week preparing to open a general tailoring business.

Mr. Scrimshire has leased the J. W. Brinson building now occupied by the Hunt Variety store and expects to be open for business by next Thursday. According to information given the Index man, he has already purchased first class equipment which will be installed first of the week.

Mr. Scrimshire is an experienced tailor having spent many years in the business before coming to O'Donnell.

G. C. Cathey of Woodward, Okla., arrived Thursday to visit a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cathey.

LEVELLAND—A street lighting system is being installed in Levelland, Texas, by the city.

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THE TAX INCREASING CRUSADE

The record of more than 13,000
new laws enacted by state legisla-
tures in 1925 out of a total of 40,
956 bills introduced, will probably
be broken this year. Legislatures
are meeting this year in all states
except Kentucky, Louisiana, Missis-
sippi and Virginia.

A survey reveals an increasing
number of new law-promoting groups
representing active minorities and
special class groups, including reli-
gious, social, civic, labor, women and
other bodies. Each has its own pan-
acea or special class advantage in
mind and is endeavoring by legisla-
tive degree to restrain, reform or
arbitrarily control the conduct, mor-
als, business methods and domestic
lives of others.

A heavy crop of bills designated
to regulate or restrict industrial and
commercial operations and for new
forms of taxation, together with
many anti-crime and social welfare
proposals, is indicated by the survey.

WORLD'S CHEAPEST GASOLINE

About \$11,000,000 capital is in-
vested in the petroleum industry. It
pays national, state and local taxes
precisely as other property does, and,
in addition, an astonishing variety
of special taxes and fees. In some
states as high as 40 per cent of the
total state revenues come from the
oil industry.

While foreign countries turn but
five to 11 per cent of crude petrol-
eum into gasoline, our oil companies
extract about 35 per cent gasoline,
and every year the proportion is in-
creasing. In fact, in spite of exorbi-
tant taxes and increased cost of pro-
duction, gives the United States the
cheapest gasoline in the world.

While house furnishings increased
126.5 per cent in price from 1926;
anthracite coal, 125.5; woolens and
worsted, 189; and farm products
33.7 per cent, gasoline increased but
24.8 per cent—the least of a group
of 20 classifications.

**INCREASING INDIVIDUAL
EFFICIENCY**

"As steam revolutionized our in-
dustrial processes, so we now find
electric power working a greater
transformation," declares William
Green, President of the American
Federation of Labor.

"The general use of electric power
has enabled the workers to raise their
standards of efficiency and product-
ivity until America has established
its industrial supremacy throughout
all the nations of the world.

"It is clearly evident that electric
power will be utilized and applied in
an ever-increasing way in all lines
of industry. As the amount of elec-
tric power supplied to each individual
in industry is increased, in like pro-
portion his efficiency and product-
ivity are increased."

**NEWSPAPERS BEST FOR
UTILITY ADVERTISING**

Public utilities are using more than
half of their yearly advertising ap-
propriations, estimated at twenty-
five million dollars, to tell their mes-
sages to the public through news-
papers, according to a recent report
of the Public Utilities Advertising
Association.

Gas and electric utilities, says the
report, of the Public Utilities Adver-
tising Association show a proportion
of expenditures for newspaper space
greater than 65 per cent. In 1925,
the last year for which figures are
available, electric light and power
companies spent 71 per cent of all
advertising outlay in news papers,
and gas companies spent 65 per cent.

"The high percentage of advertis-
ing expenditure which is devoted to
newspapers is again testimony of the
value of newspaper advertising,"
says the report.

"There is every indication that the
public utilities, in their endeavor to
sell their services scientifically, are
using newspapers for the direct and
indirect results accomplished, thus
rapidly overcoming the attitude that
a utility must advertise in a news-
paper for its goodwill."

THE GOSPEL OF GOOD ROADS

It is not so long ago that the Car-
pillar Tractor Company published a
most interesting volume, entitled
"Out of the Rut". This book's story
began almost at the beginning of time
and showed the history to road build-
ing up to the present.

It brought out forcibly the fact
that in many sections of the country
the gospel of good roads is still in
that stage characteristic of the mid-
dle 19th century, covering only the
veriest beginning of modern road-
way systems.

It is almost inconceivable that any
American community could contem-
pate indefinitely the handicap of
poor roads. The whole history of
the world's advance is inseparable
from its transportation facilities. The
world has prospered with the devel-
opment of transportation rather
than transportation with the develop-
ment of the world.

Those who live on the great high-
ways suffer because there are places
in this nation where good roads do
not abound. It is for the general
welfare that we should spread the
gospel of good roads until it taps
and develops the hindermost regions,
adding wealth and greater prosperity
to our unified nation.

ROTATION BENEFITS

Crop rotation is beneficial in a
number of ways. It aids in control-
ling weeds and certain crop pests and
diseases, and may render manure and
chemical fertilizers more effective.
It increases the soil supply of organic
matter and nitrogen, improves tilth,
and conserves the soil reserve of
plant nutrients. Furthermore, the
different crops in the rotation may
in themselves exert beneficial effects
on those which follow.

HENS WANTED—Will buy one
dozen good young hens. See J. P.
Aylor at Carlisle & Co. 21fc

**TEXAS BERRY ADOPTED
BY CALIFORNIA**

The Nessberry is a perfect success
in Southern California, according to
a report to Mr. E. Teas, a Houston
Nurseryman, from Mr. H. M. Ram-
say, formerly of Houston, now liv-
ing at National City near San Diego,
California. Mr. Ramsay states that
the berries are as large as English
walnuts and grow in clusters. They
have the delightful flavor of rasp-
berries and are almost black when
fully ripe, at which time they are of
the best flavor. Mr. Ramsay also re-
ports that the Hauptberry is a failure
with him and that the Loganberry
has no raspberry flavor and does not
compare in quality with the Ness-
berry. He says the vines are very
vigorous in California, growing 6 or
8 feet in a season.

Professor H. Ness of the Texas
Experiment Station who originated
the Nessberry in his breeding experi-
ments some 10 years ago, has ex-
pressed much gratification that this
berry is a success in California. In
Texas, Professor Ness states that the
berry seems to be at its highest fla-
vor when it is at its most brilliant
red color, rather than when dead
ripe as mentioned by the California
grower.

Distribution of this new berry was
made from the Station to numerous
growers in Texas, including several
nurseries, and the public now has ac-
cess to supplies of this splendid fruit
through the nurseries.

**VINOL HELPS NERVOUS,
RUN-DOWN MAN**

"Before taking Vinol, I was run-
down, nervous and irritable. Now,
I feel like another person."—R.
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in use for over 25 years for sickly,
nervous women, run-down men and
weak children. The very first week
you take Vinol, you begin to feel
stronger, eat and sleep better. Con-
tains no oil—you'll like its pleasant
taste. —Christopher Drugs.



VITAMINS IN CANNED PINEAPPLE

CAPTURING vitamins and
keeping them is the greatest
game of food scientists today.
In the case of canned pineapple,
sunshine captures the valuable vi-
tamin and canning keeps it. After
that the game is easy—any one
can eat pineapple because pineap-
ple is easy to eat.

Over there in Hawaii, whence
comes our canned Hawaiian pine-
apple, great plantations of pine-
apple are spread out like a
magic carpet in the sunshine of
the tropics. There the fruit ab-
sorbs sunshine for eighteen
months. Being an "air plant," it
lives on air and sunshine and sun-
shine scientists tell us is largely
responsible for the presence of
vitamin D. This particular vitamin
is beneficial for children since the
presence of it prevents rickets.

Other mysterious forces, which
only Nature understands, are busy

KNOW TEXAS

It was 399 years ago that the first
white man entered what is now Tex-
as. Cabeza de Baca and other Span-
iards were shipwrecked on the coast
between Galveston and Matagorda
Bays.

In 1541 Coronado came into the
great plains of Texas from Mexico
looking for the Seven Cities of Gold.

Luis de Morosco and a remnant of
De Soto's band came into Texas
about where Texarkana now is seek-
ing a way to Mexico.

The valley of the Pecos was ex-
plored by Antonio de Espejo in 1582.

**LYNN THEATRE
Saturday, February 26**

WILLIAM FOX presents
Tom Mix and TONY
the wonder horse in
**The CANYON
of LIGHT**



**SOME DELICIOUS DRINKS
FOR DRY DAYS**

A BIG, juicy, sun-kissed pine-
apple is one of the best
sources of delicious drinks,
punches and ices that we have to-
day. In fact it might well be
termed the "little brown jug" of
Volstead days containing as it does
Nature's own "kick" in its amber
liquor.

If Rip Van Winkle had gone to
sleep in the Hawaiian Islands and
had awakened one of these fine
mornings near a pineapple planta-
tion he would have thought the lit-
tle men with their kegs of whiskey
had turned into plants and their
kegs into new and odd shaped
brown jugs with stoppers in the
tops from which green pointed
leaves were sprouting.

Many delicious drinks that Rip
Van Winkle never heard of are
made from the liquor yielded by
these little brown jugs. There are
pineapple lemonades, fruit punches
and ices as well as the plain iced
pineapple juice, so agreeable to
the palate and so beneficial to the
health. The juice from a can of
sliced pineapple may be used in
these drinks, the fruit being re-
served for salads, desserts, or
fruit cocktails. Or the canned
pineapple juice may be purchased
without the fruit. Here are three
excellent drinks that may be made
from this juice:

PINEAPPLE JUICE
3 cups water
1/3 cup sugar
1 1/2 cups Hawaiian
juice
3 tablespoons lime
3 tablespoons minced
leaves
Boil the sugar and
water for ten minutes.
Remainder of the water
juices and the mint
stand one hour, strain
and garnish with fresh
leaves.

PINEAPPLE EGGS
1/2 cup pineapple juice
1 teaspoon lemon juice
1 teaspoon sugar
1 egg
1/2 cup crushed ice
Dissolve sugar in
juice and lemon juice
together, add beaten egg,
glass of crushed ice and
with nutmeg.

PINEAPPLE DE
1 cup water
1 cup sugar
1 cup Hawaiian
juice
1/3 cup lemon juice
1 quart ice water
Dissolve the sugar in the
or better still, boil the sug-
water for ten minutes
the pineapple juice,
and ice water.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the City of O'Donnell, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, 1927, the same being the 5th day of said month; said election to be held in the City Hall, City of O'Donnell, Texas, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, three Aldermen, City Marshal and City Attorney, for the City of O'Donnell, Texas for the ensuing two years.

The polls of said election will be open at eight o'clock A. M. and close at seven o'clock P. M.

Every person not disqualified by law who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who is entitled to vote for members of the Legislature, and who shall have resided within the corporate limits of the City for six months next preceding the date of said election shall be entitled to vote.

D. H. McDaniel, W. E. Guye, J. W. Roberts and C. H. Mansell are hereby given authority to hold said election in accordance with the statutes of the State of Texas, and to make returns thereof as required by law.

Dated at O'Donnell, Texas, this the 17th day of February, A. D. 1927 (Seal)

C. T. Kibbe, Mayor
Attest: E. S. Scrimshire, Secretary 22-5tc

We have a large flock of pure Berry Strain of Partridge Plymouth Rocks. Also a fine pen of Columbian Wyandotts. Am getting lots of eggs which we are offering at \$1.00 per setting or \$5.00 per hundred. Nothing shipped at the above prices, purchaser must come and get them. E. W. Hester, O'Donnell. 20-tfc

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Writer Impressed With Beauty of Old Spain

There was one little girl I'll never forget. Pepita was her name, and some day, if my judgment is worth anything, she'll be as internationally known as Raquel Meller. I guessed her age as eighteen, but she was only twelve. They mature young in that southern atmosphere. She was as shy as a mouse until she started dancing. The instant she started swinging her long, ruffled skirt, as her body swayed and turned, she was a woman, one of the brand for whom men cut throats. She was the spirit of Andalusia, warm-blooded, black-eyed, olive-skinned, with snow-white teeth, and how she could dance!

I called at her home a few days later, in the shiniest red-wheeled carriage I could find in Seville, and drove her and her mother clattering through the winding streets to the terrace of the ancient Moorish Alcazar. There I shot up every film I could load in two outfits, and I've got them all salted down and put away against the day she becomes famous and I make a fortune selling them to clamoring editors.

Ah! It makes me homesick to think of southern Spain. I suppose some day I'll go back and settle down; hunt up the little barber of Seville and continue my Spanish lessons while he shaves me with the smoothest razor that ever traversed my face; pass through Bobadilla and be greeted by Antonia, the head luggage porter, and his swarthy assistants, and hear Mike, the Irish waiter, tell me once more, as he pours my coffee, how he was discharged from the British navy at Gibraltar and started back to Dublin overland, got off at Bobadilla to change trains and has been there ever since, has a Spanish wife, a flock of Spanish-irish children, and is fixed for life.

He it was who explained the Irish upper lips throughout Spain. The Irish go knocking about the whole world, he said, but they settle down where women have to be taken from behind iron bars.—"Abbe" in the London Magazine.

What Did Mother Say?

On an East Michigan street car the other day was a substantial, intelligent-looking woman of a high type. She was well dressed with an eye to practicality rather than desire to interpret the latest mode. Accompanying her was a small son whose beaming face told that he was pleasantly preoccupied as they rode toward the downtown district. Presently he said: "Mother, I have a nice little sweetheart in my room at school."

"That's fine, Buddy," and perhaps appreciating this burst of confidence from the youthful admirer, added, "Is she pretty?"

"Oh, yes. Awful pretty." Silence.

Then: "Mother, do men marry girls 'cause they are pretty or just 'cause they are good, like daddy did you?"—Indianapolis News.

Playing Safe

Rita Roberts can make very good sponge cake, as her friends know, and even when a small child enjoyed assuming responsibilities in the art of cooking.

One Saturday permission was given her to bake a cake for Sunday. It looked to be a tasty affair, but grandmother was to pass final judgment on her visit the following day.

When grandma had tasted enough of the cake to form an opinion, she said encouragingly: "Well, Rita, this is a mighty good cake."

Rita, bristling with pride, promptly replied: "I thought so myself, grandma, when I licked the pan yesterday." —Los Angeles Times.

The True Nature Book

If books about nature are to live, they must not be descriptions written at the moment of rapture; they must be books written as the result of observation. . . . Wordsworth said that poetry was emotion recollected in tranquillity. I will not discuss how far this is true of poetry, but I think it is true for books on nature. These should be the result of long observation, much feeling and tranquillity, and then the effect upon the reader is one of calm and contemplation, and brings that sense of leisure and repose for which, in these days, we are more and more grateful.—Viscount Grey of Fallodon.

Long-Distance Photography

Lieut. George Goddard and Dr. S. M. Burka of the army air service, while flying over Rochester, N. Y., took a photograph of Dunkirk 100 miles away. The airplane was three miles from the earth when the camera was snapped. They were testing a new long-distance film. "The test was the first in which the subject to be photographed was at a great distance," announced Lieutenant Goddard. "The film used is designed especially to penetrate haze in taking photographs of distant places, and we have found that it works well."

Too Many Women Students

Women students threaten to crowd men out of Oxford university, in the opinion of Dr. Joseph Wells, retiring vice chancellor, who has recommended that the number be restricted. There are a few more than 700 women students at Oxford, which accounts for the concern.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday was a splendid day with us. Sunday school well attended and splendid crowds at each service.

The Young Ladies class taught by Mrs. Guye challenged Professor Rickards class of young men for a contest and the challenge was readily accepted. Also Mr. Sorrels' class challenged the T. E. L. class and they too accepted. So just keep your eyes open and watch these classes grow. The T. E. L. class under the leadership of Mrs. Sanderson is no doubt the best class in the entire school. This class is composed of the young married women of the church. Mrs. Sanderson is teacher, Mrs. T. J. Mansell, president; Mrs. Pfimmer, secretary.

Mr. Sorrels' class is to entertain the T. E. L. class next Friday night. Each member of his class be there and bring your wife along and enjoy the hour.

On next Sunday Rev. C. E. Ball, pastor of Brownfield is to be here at both the morning and evening service.

The B. Y. P. U. was well attended, and every one be sure and be on hand next Sunday at 6:45. A splendid place for you to find something to do, will you do it? Bro. C. E. Kelley, his mother, and Mrs. Couch of the West-laco were with us in the morning. Glad to welcome them. Everybody invited to attend our services.

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Mr. Walter Lupton and nephew, Fred Lupton from Tullia visited Mr. D. W. Harris and family this week.

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TO TRACE LEGEND OF THE HOLY GRAIL

University Professor Plans Exhaustive Search.

Dr. A. C. L. Brown, professor of English at Northwestern university, will devote the six months from February to September, 1927, to collecting evidence in support of his discoveries on the origin of the Grail, and to writing out his results.

"The legend of the Holy Grail is one of the most interesting themes in literature," explained Doctor Brown. "It appeared suddenly in France in the Twelfth century, took the world of letters by storm, and has continued to grow and prosper in all European countries. The legend is best known in Tennyson's 'Idylls of the King' and in Wagner's great opera, 'Parsifal,' although many English poets, like Hawker and William Morris, have written about it. American poets have not escaped its charm. One thinks of Lowell, Richard Hovey, and our contemporary, Edwin Arlington Robinson. The vitality of the legend is astonishing. At this moment in most civilized countries, there are probably poets busy re-writing it.

"The growth of this legend since its spectacular disclosure to the world has been studied in many books. Especially in French and German universities has attention been given to it. The history of the legend from its first appearance in literature is well known. But the question where the legend comes from, previous to its appearance in France 800 years ago, although often asked, has never been answered. It is this question of the remote origin of the Grail story with which I shall be occupied. It is one of the great unsolved problems in literature. Its solution would throw light on the growth of European literature and supply new facts for psychologists and students of the historical development of human thought.

"Most writers of the Grail have been chiefly familiar with recent versions of the story, like those told by Wagner and Tennyson. In all these versions, the Grail is undeniably a Christian legend. Most books, therefore, convey the idea that the Grail story was from the beginning fashioned by the church. On the other hand, an old tradition tells us that the Grail was originally a heathen story and came from Celtic lands. It is my opinion that this tradition is correct and that the hidden sources of the Grail will be found in Ireland.

"It is not generally known that a thousand years ago the Irish were the best story tellers in the world and that they possessed a literature which was superior to English and even vied with that of France. The Irish had a language of their own, rich in synonyms and peculiarly adapted to poetry. Nor do people realize that in the ancient libraries of Dublin are many books written in the old Irish and Gaelic language that have never been translated. In these neglected books may lie hidden the secret of the Grail.

"One of the reasons why the problem of the Grail has remained so long unsolved is that few scholars have ever had a sufficiently wide equipment of languages to be able to deal with it as a whole. One must know not only old French, old English, and old German—a good many scholars possess this equipment—but also old Welsh and old Irish."

Silk Stocking Ingratitude

David Clark, the textile expert, said at a dinner in Charlotte:

"Woman won't help the cotton grower in his extremity by wearing cotton stockings, and this is a piece of ingratitude towards a class of men to whom we owe much.

"Ingratitude!" An Englishman said to his children one day:

"Yes, children, David Lloyd George saved his country in the dark days of the World war just as truly as Joan of Arc saved France."

"Then, father, piped a little girl, 'why didn't they burn him to death?'"

Coincidence, of Course!

For three weeks the San Quentin (Calif.) penitentiary had received no prisoners from Los Angeles and the officials were puzzled. Then all was explained. Los Angeles had saved up for three weeks and gathered thirty-six prisoners. Fourteen deputies were required to take charge of the new guests of the state. Exactly fourteen Los Angeles deputy officials had tickets for the California-Stanford game that day at Berkeley.

Long Theatrical Record

Frau Amalie Haerting, the doyenne of Berlin's stage prompters, has just celebrated an anniversary rare in theatrical history. For twenty-five years she has been prompter at the theaters directed by Max Reinhardt. She estimates she has stood in the little prompter's box more than 8,000 times. She has been so reliable that some of Germany's greatest actors have refused to play unless Frau Haerting gave the cues.

Nature Not Economical

Although electric light from an incandescent lamp represents only one half of 1 per cent of the energy in coal burned to generate electric current—thanks to losses man has not yet learned to eliminate—still nature is not so far ahead of man in efficiency. A Princeton professor has calculated that the firefly—that marvel of efficiency in the production of cold light—wastes 99 per cent of the energy he puts into illuminating his tail.

NOTICE OF OPENING AND CLOSING OF STREETS AND ALLEYS IN O'DONNELL

The following is a true and correct copy of the minutes of a meeting of the City Council of the City of O'Donnell held November 18th, 1926.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor C. T. Kibbe with the following members of the City Council present: J. H. Hardberger, E. L. Sorrels, G. D. Foster, E. S. Scrimshire.

The minutes of the last regular meeting held November 4th was read and approved.

The subject of opening certain streets and alleys and the condemning of certain other streets and alleys entered into. The Mayor stated that there were certain streets and alleys in the City that should be condemned and never reopened.

Mr. Pemberton ask that the alleys in blocks Nos. 65 and 76 be condemned.

Mr. E. T. Wells, representing Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., ask that the alley in the west half of block 92 be closed.

Mr. Don Edwards, representing Cicero Smith Lumber Company, ask permission to keep the alley in the east half of block 117 closed, however, he would enter into a contract to open the same at any time this or any future Council deemed it necessary.

Mr. Henderson representing the Henderson-Boone Gin Co., ask that the street between blocks Nos. 121 and 122 be closed and that the alley in block No. 121 be closed.

Mr. Guy Bradley representing McDonald-Ely Gin Co., ask that the alley in block 94 be closed, however the same to be reopened at any time this or any future council deemed it necessary, and agreed to enter into a contract to that effect.

Mr. Williams representing the Harrison-Williams Gin Co., ask that the alley in block No. 102 be closed.

Mr. A. A. House ask that the alley in block No. 101 be closed.

Mr. Jeff Shook ask that the alley in block No. 110 be closed.

Mr. E. L. Sorrels representing the Sorrels Lumber Co., ask that the alley in the west half of block No. 118 remain closed, however, the same to be reopened at any time this or any future Council deemed it advisable, and agrees to enter into a

contract to the effect.

Mr. C. H. Doak ask that the alleys in blocks Nos. 66, 122, 37, and the West end of 3rd street be closed between blocks Nos. 37, and the street between blocks Nos. 7 and 37, and the street between blocks Nos. 66 and 75 be closed.

Mr. W. L. Rodgers ask that the alley in block No. 84 be closed.

Mr. J. Y. Everett being present, offered to rent the City Lake property for a term of 5 years for the consideration of \$40.00 per year, payable in advance, and further agreed to do all necessary fencing on said property.

A motion was made by Mr. G. D. Foster and seconded by E. S. Scrimshire that the Council rent the entire City Lake property to Mr. J. Y. Everett for a term of 5 years for the consideration of \$40.00 per year, payable in advance, effective January 1st, 1927.

The motion carried. All voting AYE.

Dr. C. P. Tate, City Health Officer being present, called the attention of the City Council to the general health of the City relative to the Schools. Dr. Tate stated that one case of scarlet fever had been moved into town, from the country, and that one child had been started to school. This child had later been sent home from school sick, and that it now had scarlet fever. Furthermore, it was a known fact that there has been four cases of typhoid and scarlet fever in the city and that only one case has been reported to the City Health Officer, this being contrary to both the State and City regulations. He also requested the Council to look into this matter and see that all physicians report all cases of contagious diseases to the proper authorities. The Mayor requested the Secretary to write a letter to all physicians in the City calling their attention to the reporting of all contagious diseases to the City Health Officer.

The subject of closing certain streets and alleys in the City was again entered into.

A motion was made by Mr. E. L. Sorrels and seconded by E. S. Scrimshire that the following streets and alleys be condemned; Alleys in blocks 65 and 76, and street between blocks Nos. 66 and 75, and alleys in blocks Nos. 66 and 75, alley on west half of block No. 92, and alley in

block No. 102, alley in block No. 101, alley in block No. 37, Street between blocks Nos. 37 and 7, and alley in block No 84. The motion carried. All voting AYE.

A motion was made by Mr. G. D. Foster and seconded by Mr. J. H. Hardberger that the City Council enter into contracts with Sorrels Lumber Co., Cicero Smith Lumber Co., McDonald Gin Co., etal, giving them permission to keep the alleys at their places of business for the present, or until this or some future Council may deem it necessary to have them reopened. The motion carried. All voting AYE.

The action on all other streets and alleys mentioned was deferred.

Adjourned.
C. T. Kibbe, Mayor
E. S. Scrimshire, Sec. City Council

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Texas led all states in 1926 with 7 1-2 per cent of all the crop values in the nation.

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PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION MEET

The P. T. A. met in call session Wednesday, February 16. Several officers were elected to fill the places made vacant by resignation or otherwise. The following were elected Mrs. Harvey Everett, president; Mrs. J. W. Parker, first vice-president; Mrs. Moore recording secretary; Miss Rice corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Tredway, treasurer.

Plans for a clean up day on the school campus were discussed, also ways to beautify the school grounds. A landscape committee so to speak, was appointed to make suggestions for the location of trees and shrubs on the campus.

Parents, the P. T. A. needs your cooperation. Meet with us every two weeks, we spent only one hour at each meeting, you will be benefitted, and you will help us. Encourage the work of the P. T. A. and of your school child by showing your interest in the work they are now doing.

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished house with lots, chicken house and garden; also farm for rent six miles east of town. Mrs. I. M. Right. ltp.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework. See Mrs. R. E. Painter. ltc.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brown visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baker and family of Hamlin the past week-end.

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TEXAS PROGRES NOTES

Marfa—The electric power and light distribution system in this city is to be rebuilt and improved, work to begin at once.

Silverton—Contract has been made by the city with the local power and light company for installation of modern street lights.

Floydada—A complete street lighting system is being installed in this city.

Hebronville—A new building to house the local telephone exchange will be erected immediately.

Houston—This year will see the greatest expansion of public utility services ever made in Houston in one year says C. J. Kirk, public service commissioner. It is due to the rapid growth of the city.

Gail—The city is to have a modern telephone exchange with long distance connections as soon as it can be built.

Brownville—The plant that serves the irrigated farms in El Jardin district south of this city has made a contract for electric power to replace the oil engine that it uses. A new three phase motor will be used.

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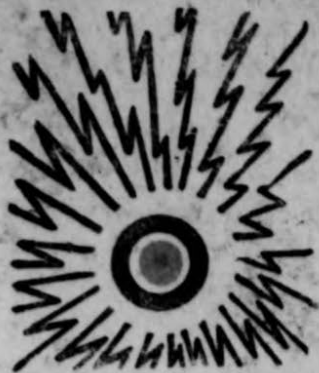
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BORGER—This big oil town will celebrate its first birthday on March 8 in a big fete planned by the local chamber of commerce. Every city in the Panhandle country is invited to have delegations on hand.

PETERSBURG—A new residential section has been opened up here.

BROWNFIELD—A second centrifugal pump has been installed in the big well here, located within about ten feet of the water. Each pump has a 250 gallon per minute capacity. The water system is now adequately prepared to equal any emergency.

CANYON—The West Texas State Teachers College will give a scholarship, carrying exemption from all matriculation fees, to all successful contestants in the Home-Town Contest of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The contest, open to high school students, will be held in connection with the annual convention at Wichita Falls next May.

STAMFORD—A few farmers have responded to the offer of the West Texas Chamber to mail them eight pounds of Black Hull Kaffir with postage the only charge. The regional chamber has 125 sacks to distribute. They will be mailed to those writing the Stamford headquarters.

EL DORADO—Eight miles of road south of here, the only bad stretch remaining in State Highway No 30 between San Angelo and Sonora, will be regraded, raised and its worst spots filled with caliche, this month. The work on the road will require about two weeks.

MARFA—Camp Marfa, located within the corporate limits of Marfa is to be a permanent army post now, according to a national bill recently passed. The camp is military headquarters for the Big Bend.

RUIDOSA—A candleilla wax factory is being opened here by two Alpine men. Actual manufacturing will begin this month. The plant is to be known as the River Wax Company.

ALAMOGORDO, N. M.—Bids are now being received for the installation of a sewerage system and disposal tank for Alamogordo. A sewer district has been made, and expenses are to be borne by certificates of indebtedness against the property.

FRESIDO—Flies are now being driven for the international bridge across the Rio Grande from Fresido to Ojinaga. It will connect State Highway No. 149, which goes to Marfa and points north with the main highway to Chihuahua and points south.



THE FOOD VALUE OF PINEAPPLE

AS pineapple is being produced in large quantities in the Hawaiian Islands and is gaining a prominent place on the American bill of fare, it is attracting the attention of food specialists, scientists and doctors. In fact, it is greatly to the credit of our colleges and universities today that they maintain a department where the food value of any product is tested, and where the most careful experimental work is carried on with any food that the American people like to eat.

Such experiments have been performed on Hawaiian pineapple, and the following interesting figures have resulted:

Moisture, sugars, protein, crude fiber, mineral matter, and fruit acids in the outer rind are found in pineapple. Naturally

FOOD VALUE OF PINEAPPLE	
WATER	76.3
PROTEIN	4
FAT	3
TOTAL CARBOHYDRATES	9.7
CRUDE FIBER	4
ASH	3
FUEL VALUE PER LB. CALORIES	290

CHEVROLET BREAKS PRODUCTION RECORD

Attaining a production of 112,499 commercial vehicles during 1926, an increase of more than 132 per cent over the preceding year, the Chevrolet Motor Company is now the world's largest manufacturer of gear shift trucks, according to figures just announced by company officials.

The increase is a gain of 64,200 over the 1925 production of 48,299 trucks.

This enormous increase is attributed in no small degree to the numerous refinements and lowered prices of the new trucks. Dealers everywhere reported an enthusiastic reception by the public of these new models.

The 1925 production in its turn had more than doubled the 1924 output of 23,134 trucks.

According to present manufacturing schedules an even greater monthly production is contemplated for the truck division during the coming months to insure dealers a sufficient supply to meet the growing demand.

Production during January, 1927, totaling 15,927 trucks, also broke all truck production records for a single month in the history of the company. The previous high mark was in September, 1926, when 12,845 trucks were manufactured.

ROBERT LEE—C. C. Holder of Bronte has purchased the Robert Lee Ice Plant. He will erect a 25x40 foot stucco building with drive-in front for the conduction of business.

Reading Aloud

When there is so much to read, there is little time for conversation; nor is there leisure for another pastime of the ancient firesides, called reading aloud. The listeners, who heard while they looked into the wide chimney place, saw there pass in stately procession the events and the grand persons of history, were kindled with the delights of travel, touched by the romance of true love, or made restless by tales of adventure—the hearth became a sort of magic stone that could transport those who sat by it to the most distant places and times, as soon as the book was opened and the reader began, of a winter's night.—Charles Dudley Warner.

Vanilla Flavor Leads

Vanilla is by far the most popular ice cream flavor. Manufacturers representing an annual production of nearly 84,000,000 gallons report that 55 per cent of the output is vanilla, 10 per cent chocolate, nearly 8 per cent strawberry and nearly 27 per cent of other flavors. More than 88 per cent of the ice cream is sold in bulk, not quite 12 per cent in brick form. Contrary to general belief drug stores sell about half as much ice cream as do confectionery stores.

Women in English Pulpits

Rev. Joyce Daplya, secretary of the Union of Women Voters, is the youngest of British women preachers. England now has ten fully qualified women ministers in the Baptist, Congregational and Unitarian churches, the only denominations which so far admit women to their ministry. In addition there are six women who have not formally qualified as ministers but are in charge of churches.—Indianapolis News.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Index is authorized to announce the following as candidates for office subject to City Election, City of O'Donnell, to be held April 5th:

For Mayor:

C. MILLSAP.

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ANSON—Jones County is smiling over prospects for a bumper grain crop this year. Much terracing is being done and more is expected in the section as soon as farmers can get back into the fields.

MRS. BUSBY HOSTESS TO THURSDAY

Mrs. L. L. Busby of last Thursday evening to the "Thursday Club" home was appreciated for the occasion.

Many spirited games "two" was enjoyed by which a plate lunch consisting of hot chocolate sandwiches. Plate furniture baskets filledmonds.

Those enjoying the Mesdames Boyd, Bowerts, McLaurin, Paul Cowden, Antle, Sandness Mildren Bowell Dell Busby.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Fromberg, Montana, for a short visit to his Dingus. The meeting one as the Dingus has seen each other for the years and only once consequently they did each other at first. Mr. R. Dingus are on tour traveling overland and from here to Florida visit.

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